Book 'em: Students read their way to the top in Book Bowl, A3

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Playoff hockey: The Plymouth Whalers host the Guelph Storm in Game Two of the Ontario Hockey League semifinals 7:30 p.m. Monday at Compuware Arena, Beck Road north of M-14. Ticket prices are the same as for regular season games: \$6-\$12. Game Four, the next home game in the best-ofseven series, is set for 7:30 p.m. Friday. Call 453-8400 for ticket information.

TUESDAY

Last chance: Today is the last day to take advantage of free tax counseling for seniors in the Parkview Room at Summit on the Park. Appointments are necessary for counseling, and will be taken for morning or afternoon times. Arrangements can be made for those who are homebound. Call 397-5444 for more information.

THURSDAY

Update: Politics will likely be the discussion topic when state Sen. Loren Bennett, state Rep. Deborah Whyman and Canton Supervisor Tom Yack head the panel and the monthly Third Thursday Update breakfast sponsored by the Canton Chamber of Commerce. The free breakfast begins at 7:30 a.m. at the Old Country Buffet restaurant in Harvard Square shopping center, Sheldon north of Ford.

Seniors wait for Sheldon P



Construction delays have pushed the move-in date for the federally-subsidized complex at Sheldon and Ford roads to May. Some wouldbe tenants have their belongings in storage and their lives on hold.

After nine months of delays, Sheldon Place might soon be ready to be called home

The long-awaited companion building to Canton Place, a federally subsidized senior citizen high-rise at Sheldon and Ford, is scheduled to open to residents May 1, according to Ginnie Hauck, Canton Place manager. About 55 people are on the list of people waiting to move into the new building. So far, the building opening has been delayed by several factors, including management shifts and labor issues.

"It's been stressful for all of the potential new residents," Hauck said. Despite the stresses, the announced

opening is exciting news and should be a positive experience, Hauck said.

Residents of Canton Place and Shel-

don Place must make less than \$20,000 per year, be able to take care of themselves and be 62 or older. Both buildings are subsidized under the federal department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

DeMaria Building Co. of Novi is doing the construction. Project engi-neer Ron Cox was unavailable for comment.

Residents were first told Sheldon Place would open in August 1997. The date was pushed back to November and eventually May 1998.

Some seniors have rented other apartments while they wait for Sheldon Place to open. Some are paying to

store their belongings. Many are stay. ing with relatives while they wait. Some have come from other states to wait for the opening.

Betsy Davis is living in Columbia Court, a senior citizen complex in Belleville, while she waits to move into Sheldon Place. She has had her moving boxes packed up for six months. She hasn't been too bothered by the

delays. "They're doing the best they can to

get us over there," Davis said. "They could not foresee all the delays.' Sheldon Place' will be a better loca-

Please see SHELDON PLACE, A2



Ready for holiday: Kristen Hajduk, a fourth-grader at Field Elementary, flies her windsock in Thursday's winds. Her class recently finished a unit on meteorology with the windsock project.



ECOMMUNITY POLICING

Community policing in Canton Township started out as an experiment to see how well the police department could work with the community and help prevent crime.

It's worked out so well that a second phase is being planned.

Canton Police are preparing to put a full-time police officer to work in three of southeast Canton's mobile home parks and the surrounding areas. This officer's duties would be similar to those of a "beat cop" who residents, business people and others know by name

The intent is to provide proactive rather than reactive police service, according to John Santomauro, Canton Public Safety director. That means, when possible, stopping crimes before they start rather than arriving on the scene after they're out of control

"This system of policing is creating more accountability," Santomauro said. We're forming a strong link between the police department and community." Under the grant, a veteran patrol officer will assume become a community police officer responsible for

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Home schooler loses place on Pioneer swim team

Pioneer Middle School finished in telephone calls revealed that it may be third place this past week in the Plymouth-Canton Middle School conference swimming meet.

Coach Kathy Sonnanstine's team fared pretty well, considering it was without one of its best swimmers.

Kirsten Orey, 13, of Canton was a member of the team for the first three meets of the season.

However, because the former Pioneer pupil is now a home school student, school officials found out she was swimming contrary to state rules and regulations.

A phone call from principal Tom Owens meant Kirsten couldn't compete in the last meet of the season, or the conference competition.

'I was very angry when we found out," said Mary Orey, Kirsten's mother. "It really isn't about Kirsten's being able to swim. It's about the bureaucracy. Why couldn't the state have handed down the decision earlier?"

And, therein lies the real story.

It's not about Kirsten, a home school student, who couldn't participate. according to state law. A number of about the left hand not knowing what the right hand is doing

Pioneer swim coach Kathy Sonnanstine knows Kirsten well. That's because she's also her coach for the Plymouth-Canton Cruisers, a private swim team

"I asked the principal if Kirsten could swim, considering she was a home school student," said Sonnanstine

Principal Tom Owens said he followed procedure.

"I called the administration to find out if Kirsten could swim, particularly because of her home school situation." said Owens.

He consulted Ginnie Murdoch, supervisor of pupil accounting and person nel.

"I called the Michigan Department of Education and told them the details," said Murdoch. "They told us it wasn't a problem, that the school district could make its own decision whether to let her swim. So, we said OK."

That was the same answer the

Please see SWIMMER, A4



Locked out: Kirsten Orey poses by a neighborhood pool, not yet open for the season. Kirsten lost her place on the Pioneer team after a competing coach complained to officials.

Road widening drives business to new location

Like the recreational vehicles it sells, H.W. Motor Homes will soon be on the

move The RV sales, rental and service business has operated at the corner of Canton Center and Cherry Hill roads since 1960. The family-owned business will move to its 5390 Belleville Road sation by June 1 to make room for the planned Canton Center Road widening between Cherry Hill and Ford roads.

Wayne County paid \$450,000 for the H.W. frontage. That amount is higher than any other property owner received because the business is being forced to relocate, according to Allen Richardson, engineer with the Wayne County Road Commission.

The grand total paid out for right of ay was about \$689,000.

H.W. will continue to own about half of the 1.25 acres of property it sits on, according to owner Dan White. The new location is about four times the size of the current lot

White said the June move-in date will give the business more time to get ready than originally planned.

"We're going to basically orchestrate our move and take another six weeks," White said. The original moving date was April 15.

The state will go out for bids on the

estimated \$3 million project in early May. Construction is set to begin this ummer. Work is expected to take about 120 working days, or six months, according to Richardson

The two-lane road will be widened to five lanes from Cherry Hill to Ford Road in the first phase, with later plans extending the widened road to Warren Road. The road will remain

Please see MOVING, A8

Wayne's Warfield runs for Senate

EIGHTH DISTRICT

candidacy for the Michigan Sen-



Ken Warfield

Warfield, a Democrat, will run in the Aug. 4 primary from the Eighth District which includes Canton south of Cherry Hill Road, as well as Belleville, Flat Rock, Rockwood, Romulus, Wayne, Westland, Woodhaven, Huron, Sumpter and Van Buren townships.

The seat is currently held by Loren Bennett, R-Canton, who is running for re-election.

"I'm alarmed that, at a time when the economy is so strong,

Citing his record of service and leadership, Wayne Mayor Ken Warfield Monday announced his state," Warfield said in a prepared statement announcing his campaign. "Nothing will be more important to me as state Senator than increasing our investment in education and raising standards.

> "I will also work to improve the deplorable condition of our roads and to protect the health care and pensions of our retirees." he said.

Warfield is employed full-time y Wayne County. He is a former firefighter and former fire chief for the city of Wayne. As mayor, he has successfully led efforts to develop a new library, senior center and family aquatic center, Warfield said.

As fire chief, he pushed for an ordinance requiring smoke letectors in Wayne homes and

Warfield said he gained a new perspective after he was serious y injured while trying to plug a leaking gas line. The line explod-

value of investing for the future.' he said. Warfield and his wife, Golden, have been married 17 years. They have five adult children

ed and he suffered severe burns

"That experience taught me the

and eight grandchildren.

ter working in Livonia. Although her own." Davis lives without assistance. her family still helps out with tasks such as shopping. The Canton location will be more convenient for her daughter. At Sheldon Place, Davis will have easy access to public transportation, be close to shopping

posed to be completed last August.

I saw," Davis said, referring to seeing her apartment at a March open house. Sue Merchant, the daughter of

or her and her mother

for anybody," Merchant said. Brown was vacationing out of be tough to accommodate an

comment Those living in other apartments while they wait are house them. required to give their landlords future resident Mary Brown, notice before they move out. chant said of her mother. "She's

For the seniors' families, it can extra person. For the seniors themselves, it's rough to have to depend upon someone else to

One woman, who asked that her name not be used, is living in an apartment complex while she waits for her Sheldon Place apartment. She is preparing to give her notice to her landlord. Like Davis, she hasn't been too othered by the delays.

"I'm not blaming anybody; it's nobody's fault," the woman said. "I'm just glad to be able to get She is looking forward to mov

ing into Sheldon Place because of the lower rent, convenient location and the helpful staff. "I'm low income, so it's going to

be a blessing," she said.

Liberty Fest craft show has space available for art displays

Canton Township would like to and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, June extend an invitation to all artists 21. to be involved in the 1998 Fine Artists can choose to display Art and Fine Craft Show at Lib- their work under "the big tents" erty Fest '98. or can bring their own. Show dates and times are 10

a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday, June 20 and each participant will be produced merchandise will be

approved categories: painting, prints, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry, drawing, pastel and select-The art show is a juried show ed fine crafts. No commercially

mission is April 15. For more information, please contact Sharon Dillenbeck of D&M Studios at (734) 453-3710.

Pre-trial conference May 8 in March PCEP sex assault

ton High School student faces a sexually assaulted her under a May 8 pre-trial conference in Plymouth Canton stairwell dur-Wayne County Circuit Court for ing school hours. The incident allegedly sexually assaulting was reported two days later on another student.

Christian Gerrard Armstead was suspended following the March 4 incident at Plymouthcriminal sexual conduct.

A 17-year-old Plymouth Can- Canton Police that Armstead March 6.

At the pre-trial, Judge Leonard Thompson will hear motions from the prosecutor and Canton High School. He has defense attorney and set a trial been charged with third-degree date. Armstead's attorney can enter pleas at any time during



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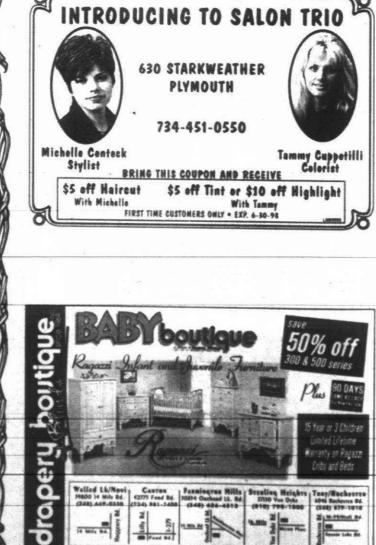
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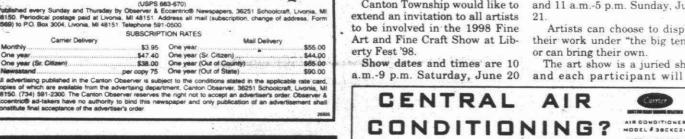
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Behind schedule: Sheldon Place, the companion subsidized housing complex adjacent to Canton Place, was sup-

tion for Davis, who has a daugh- I 'It's not good for her. She's used to being on

and live in a brand-new building. "I was very pleased with what state and was unavailable for

daughter of a would-be tenant "It's really not too much fun don't know when that is.

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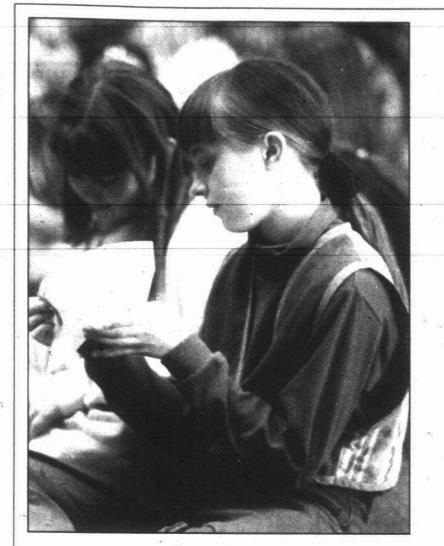
said the delays have been trying That can be difficult when they used to being on her own."

"It's not good for her," Mer-

Sue Merchant

required to submit slides or pic- allowed tures of their work from the Deadline for application sub-

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Award winners: Media specialist Marion Heath presents a certificate to Field Elementary student Beth Gutowski. Pictured at left, Cherri Buijk from Allen Elementary School in Plymouth, looks at her award

Celebrate! Book Bowl winners read their way to the top

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI

Approximately 116 fourth- and fifth-graders in Plymouth-Canton Community Schools arrived at the Canton Public Library Monday morning with one thing in mind: Celebrate!

And well-deserved it was. The students - all winners in the annual Book Bowl Celebration each read 10 designated books and take and pass tests covering each of the books.

"The top eight students from each school are selected to attend the celebration," said Jill Halpin, youth librarian. In January, students in all the fourth and fifth

grades were given the books to read until sometime in March. A media specialist at the library chooses the titles and the library and school district split the cost of buying the books for each school, Halpin said.

The effort is designed to encourage reading and fun with reading. "The kids have a lot of fun. The kids are great kids," Halpin said. At the celebration, the students were treated

with to a story by storyteller Linda Day of Livonia, as well as doughnuts and juice. And each of the winning students left the celebration with a gift certificate from Little Professor on the Park bookstore in downtown Plymouth



Storytime: Linda Day entertains the winners with her traditional stories.

ARNOLD LEONARD HEIDT Services for Arnold Leonard

Heidt, 81, of St. Joseph, Mich. formerly of Plymouth, were April 3 at St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church with the Rev. Peter Berg and also the Rev. Martin Bentz from St. Joseph officiating. Burial was at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. He was born April 11, 1916, in Millington, Mich. He died March 29 in Berrien Center,

Mich. Mr. Heidt was employed with Goodwin and Sons for 45 ears, retiring in 1981. With Goodwin and Sons, he helped to build and was the greenskeeper of Salem Hills Golf Course. He transferred to Goodwin Glens Golf Course in South Lyon as greenskeeper until his retire-

He came to the Plymouth community in 1920 from Millington, Mich. He moved to St. Joseph, Mich., three years ago. He was a member of St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Ply-

mouth. He taught Sunday school and held many offices at

OBITUARIES

St. Peter's. Survivors include his wife, Estella Heidt of St. Joseph, Mich., formerly of Plymouth; one daughter Sharon (Herman Esch of St. Joseph, Mich., formerly of Plymouth; one brother Raymond (Elsie) Heidt of South Lyon; two grandchildren, Julie Esch of Minneapolis, Minn., and Matthew Esch of St. Joseph.

Memorials may be made to St. Peter's Evangelical Lutheran or Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. Joseph, Mich.

ROBERT G. LYNCH Services for Robert G. Lynch, 72, of Plymouth were April 6 at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington, with the Rev. John E. Maki from Salem United Church of Christ officiating. Burial was at Oakwood Cemetery, Farmington He was born Feb. 18, 1926, in

Detroit. He died April 3 at St.

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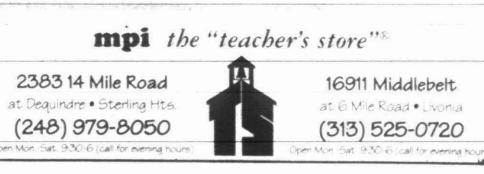
Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. He was employed by Ford Motor Co. as a maintenance supervisor in the Livonia Trans mission Plant for 30 years. He retired in 1986.

He was a member of the Academy of Model Aeronautics and student of Midwest Radio Control Society. He enjoyed building and flying model airplanes. He was an avid race car fan and pit stop mechanic. He was in the Army from 1942-45. He served in World War II.

He was preceded his wife. Doris M. Lynch, and his parents. Survivors include his three daughters, Linda (Ron) Sherry of Ballwin, Miss., Judy (Jim) Bernard of Livonia, Susan Lynch of Lisle, Ill.; and five grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to American Lung Association. 18860 W. 10 Mile, Southfield 48075-2689.

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Summit on the Park, Canton's community and itness center, will be closed Monday, April 20 for installation of a new electrical transformer Also, the leisure pool at the Summit will be closed for repairs April 21-23.

The center will close early on April 24 and 25 for a special event. Hours on Friday, April 24 will be 6 a.m. 7.30 p.m.; and hours on Saturday, April 25 will be 8 a.m.-7:30 p.m. The aquatic center will close at 4 p.m. on both days.

Young gift-giver

The Michigan Humane Society was main beneficiary of a Canton girl's love for animals and her recent birthday party

Elyse Ringer, 7, asked her party guests to bring donations to the Humane Society in lieu of gifts. On the invitations, she included a "wish -list" of items used at animal shelters. Elyse then presented the gifts, along with a check for \$70, to the Westland shelter

"Dear animal friends, I hope you like my birthday gift to you," her note to the shelter read.

Ringer is the daughter of Linda Ringer of Can-

Preschool programs

Two free preschool programs are available

hrough the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. One of the programs is for 4-year-olds who come from situations placing them "at risk" for school success and who may need special assis-

The 4-year-olds attend class at Truesdell 8:45 11:15 a.m. and at Hoben 9-11:30 a.m. and 12:45-3:25 p.m., Monday through Thursday. There is no transportation at this time. Contact Nancy Bandll at 416-6194 to register or for more infor-

Head Start is the second program, which is for 3- and 4-year-olds living in the district. Children may be eligible if family income is limited. The -year-olds attend classes 9 a.m. 12:30 p.m. or 11.50 a.m. -3:20 p.m., Monday through Thursday The 3-year-olds are involved in weekly home activity with trained paraprofessionals. Transportation is provided along an established route For more information or to register contact Jan Metzner at 416-6105.

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Community policing from page A1

ncluded in his or her beat will areas were selected. be Sherwood, Westpointe and Academy Pointe mobile home parks, Walker-Winter Elemen- top two of our service areas." ary School on Michigan Avenue and businesses along Michigan Avenue in that area.

To fill the gap, a new police officer will have to be hired. The program is expected to be implenented within three to four package for the new officer to months.

About three years ago, Canton aunched its community policing borhood. In this case, the target program by placing a veteran patrol officer in Canton Commons, a federally subsidized apartment complex on the northeast corner of Haggerty and tary School and the new Human Palmer. The officer's presence in Services Center on Michigan negative image of them from that neighborhood has helped reduce crime, Santomauro said.

Canton Commons was chosen because of the relatively high number of reported crimes in the That is the same reason Sher-

wood, Westpointe and Academy

us." Santomauro said. "It's in the in the area.

The Canton Police Department has applied for and received a

\$28,000 grant through the Office of Drug Control Policy. Canton Township will provide

an additional \$18,000 bringing the total salary and benefits more than \$46,700. The designated public safety

officer will patrol a target neighneighborhoods would be Sherwood, Westpointe and Academy Pointe. The officer would be based in Walker-Winter Elemen-Avenue

When the Canton Commons change that. grant runs out this year, a community policing team will work to fill the gap left by Lazar, San- Edwards said. tomauro said.

CAMPUS NOTES

Jim Edwards, principal of

patrolling southeast Canton. Pointe and the surrounding Walker-Winter Elementary School, said he is looking for-"That's a pretty active area for ward to having the police officer

"I think it's absolutely wonder-

ful," Edwards said. Canton Police have already taught Walker-Winter students bicycle safety and have conducted other after-school programs. Working with police helps the students see them in a better

"Ive had some officers tell me that kids stop them in parks and subdivisions and say 'Hi,'" Edwards said.

Children can get the wrong idea about police officers from movies and television or get a

parents who have had run-ins with police. The police visits help "It just truly pays some big

dividends down the road,

Three candidates will compete for one Wayne-Westland school board seat in a June 8 race that appears certain to fuel an

intense campaign. In the lineup:

Fowlkes, 41, is nearing the end of her first four-year term. Fowlkes, who made history by becoming the first African-American woman to lead the board, previously had served a sixnonth appointed term.

Former board President Patricia Brown, 34, will try to regain a board seat after being defeated last year while under attack for being gay. She served a four-year term and preceded

Fowlkes as president. Community activist Teresa Robbins, 50, has launched her first bid for public office after becoming highly involved in issues such as protecting Sassafras Trails - a school districtowned nature area - from residential development.

A fourth candidate, Marshall Wright, filed as a candidate but then withdrew from the race prior to the deadline today Thursday) At varying times, all three

Incumbent President Debra Fowlkes drew criticism from Brown supporters for voting to

reverse a district policy that, for a brief time, listed sexual orientation among non-discrimination Fowlkes and other board

Three file for board seats

remaining candidates have been

nembers have been criticized by Robbins and other Friends of Sassafras Trails supporters for allowing a strip of the woods to ty educators. be included in a pending development, although the bulk of the

land is protected. At some board meetings, Robbins has applauded critics of the sexual orientation policy. placing her at political odds with port the policy.

Despite their differences, all campaigns that focus on substantive issues and not personal

issue the implementation of a sible'attack against her.

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\$108.3 million bond issue that at odds over certain issues. Con- district voters approved in February for building improvements and classroom technology.

WAYNE-WESTLAND SCHOOLS

"I want to see it through," she said. "I want to see the buildings get new books, new computers new gym courts and new tracks." Fowlkes also said she wants to

bring more diversity to Wayne-Westland administration offices and classrooms by trying to recruit - and retain - top minori

Fowlkes has served on West land's Dr. Martin Luther King celebration committee and the Jack and Jill of America program for black teens.

"I'm not looking for a mud slinging campaign," she said. "I Brown and other gays who sup- will let my record stand for itself. Brown is trying to return to

three candidates this week told the board following a one-year the Observer they want to wage absence. She has voiced hope that voters will focus on her stance on issues rather than her sexual orientation, although she Fowlkes cited as her No. 1 said she has prepared for a pos-

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DEAN'S LIST

Kevin Kopenski, a graduate of Plymouth Salem High school is on the dean's list at Michigan State University for achieving a 4.0 GPA this past semester.

Canton resident Lawrence P. Zizzo is on the dean's list at The University of Dayton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence,F. Zizzo

Livonia resident Erik M. Mayernik made the dean's list at Thomas M. Cooley Law School. He earned his bachelor of science degree in 1992 from Eastern Michigan University. He is also a graduate of South Lyon High School. He is the recorder of the George F. Monaghan council of the Knights of Columbus. He is la part-time police officer for the city of Northville, and a former police officer for Plymouth Township. He is the son of Mr. and Andrew Mayernik of South

Plymouth resident Brian M. Gould made the dean's list and was recently recognized by the Columbus College of Art and health fitness and psychology. A Design for outstanding academic achievement. SYMPHONETTE TOUR

Miriam Garcellano, a Hope HONORS college senior from Canton, participated in the Hope College Symphonette's annual spring graduate was honored along tour. She is a 1994 Plymouth Salem High School graduate. Garcellano is a member of both the national honors society, Mortar Board, and the national music honors society. Delta Omicron. She is also active with the Chapel Choir, Gospel Choir, and Wind Symphony. She is the and Kathy Teeters. daughter of Tomas and Marietta Garcelland

SPRING BREAK found an alternative way to graduate, currently a sophomore spend her spring break. Gibson, at the University of Michigana student at Central Michigan Ann Arbor, has been accepted to University, spent spring break the International Studies Provolunteering through a program gram in Aix-en-Provence, called Alternative Spring Break. The program, coordinated by mic year. She is the daughter of CMU's Volunteer and Service Lonny and Kathy Teeters.

Learning Center, provides students volunteer opportunities throughout the nation. Gibson is a senior at CMU majoring in graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, she is the daughter of Tom and Loretta Gibson.

Canton resident Melissa Teeters, a 1995 Redford Union with other University of Michigan-Dearborn students on March 22 at the Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor. This ceremony is to recognize their achievement having been named on the dean's list for three consecutive semesters. She is the daughter of Lonny

INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PROGRAM

Canton resident Stephanie Jennifer Gibson of Canton Teeters, a 1996 Redford Union France, for the 1998-1999 acade-

Observer received when the I 'I feel so bad for her. To pull the plug on her state Department of Education wasn't right.' was contacted. But the situation was really

under jurisdiction of the Michigan High School Athletic Association A representative at that office

knew the rule without hesita

Kirsten continued to practice and compete. And, while garnering a number of first- and second-place finishes, competing schools continued to question why this homeschooler was part of the team

"Other coaches and parents made an issue of the situation. and finally someone went to the district's athletic office;" said

Owens And, that's when the real answer was revealed. "The MHSAA was very specif-

ic," said Suzanne Heinzman, the assistant district athletic direc-"Since Kirsten is not

Best News Photo

enrolled at Pioneer, doesn't spend 50-percent of her time in the classroom and is not graded by a teacher in school, she can't participate on the swim team.

"There's also the liability factor of having someone not enrolled in school swimming on the team," added Heinzman. "It's one of those instances where a kid got caught in the middle." "I feel so bad for her," said swam in.

Sonnanstine. "To pull the plug on her wasn't right." Kirsten, who attended Pioneer

before being home schooled, did attend the team's season-ending party Thursday

-Pioneer swim coach

Kathy Sonnanstine

"I wasn't that upset because] get to swim with the Cruisers. said Kirsten. "I was mostly mad at the state. At Pioneer they taught us to be organized better Why couldn't the person from the state do that?"

By the way, despite the queries by opposing coaches and parents. Pioneer won't have to forfeit any of the meets Kirsten

put more emphasis on competi tion and personal best.

We can't stop winning awards. In addition to the 70 we told you about last year, we've just received 26 more!

This latest batch was won in Suburban Newspapers of America's 1997 Editorial Contest. With all the modesty we can muster, we're going to list them here:

Best Entertainment/Lifestyle Section

First Place-Clarkston Eccentric, Clarkston Life Second Place-Birmingham Eccentric, Suburban Life Third Place-West Bloomfield-Lakes Eccentric, Lakes Café **Best Editorial Writing** First Place—Oxford Eccentric, Closed Doors Second Place-Lake Orion Eccentric, Lake Orion Editorial

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- First Place-Clarkston Eccentric, Carolyn Walker
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- Third Place Birmingham Bloomfield Eccentric, Judith Doner Berne **Best Editorial Page**
- First Place—Southfield Eccentric

Second Place-Lake Orion Eccentric, Jay Grossman

- Best Coverage of Local Business & Economic News
- Third Place-Birmingham-Bloomfield Eccentric

Best Sports Photo Journalism

First Place-West Bloomfield-Lakes Eccentric, Not Quite Spring Training

Second Place-West Bloomfield-Lakes Eccentric, Riding the Wave **Best Sports Section**

Second Place-Livonia, Westland Observer

First Place-Livonia Observer, Derek's Day Third Place-Westland Observer, Festival Third Place-Rochester Eccentric, Handful of Hope Best Breaking News Story First Place-Plymouth Observer, Fire Destroys Courthouse Third Place-Birmingham-Bloomfield Eccentric, Bungled Robbery **Best Local Election Coverage**

First Place-West Bloomfield-Lakes Eccentric, Watching

Third Place-Rochester Eccentric, Ride Me Down Easy

Second Place-Garden City Observer, Clinton Rally

Third Place—Farmington Observer

Best Feature Photo Story or Series

Best Young People's Coverage

First Place-Plymouth and Livonia Observer, Life in the 6th Grade Best Coverage of Local Education/School District

Second Place-Farmington Observer, Back to School series Third Place-Southfield Eccentric, Professor who Survived Holocaust



"We don't keep track of wonlost records in the middle schools," said Heinzman. "It's for sixth and seventh grades more about participation. We

Commissioners critical of committee assignments

commissioners are angered over a request from the commission chairman that they give up committee assignments for a recently-elected commissioner.

They believe it is another move to impede Republican nfluence on the commission. Thaddeus McCotter, R-Livo-

nia, and Bruce Patterson R. Canton, have been asked by Commission Chair Ricardo Solomon, D-Detroit, to give up committee assignments for Commissioner Kathleen Husk, R-

Dearborn Heights. Husk, who also represents Redford Township and part of Livonia east of Middlebelt, was elected March 10. Her election brought the number of Republi-

can commissioners to three. McCotter and Patterson believe that because the commis sion has added another Republican, the GOP representation on committees should increase. Republicans currently occupy seats representing the following communities: Canton, Huron. Northville, Plymouth, Redford Sumpter and Van Buren townships, and the cities of Belleville

Two western Wayne County Dearborn Heights, Livonia, E 't becomes a ques-Northville and Plymouth. Angry at actions

Both commissioners believe Solomon's request is an attempt to undermine the GOP's influ

ence in committees and their work on the commission itself "There aren't two Republicans in any standing committee

McCotter said. "I've been asked to leave two committees, and Bruce (Patterson) has been asked to leave two committees." "Now there are three Republi

can commissioners, and that's 450,000 people we represent out of 2.1 million," Patterson said. Solomon did not return calls to his office last week on the com-

missioners' remarks. McCotter serves on the com mission's committees on Audit, Economic Development and Environmental, Drains and Sewers, and a standing committee on small, minority and womenowned businesses. Patterson serves on Committees on Roads. Airports and Public Services Public Service and Judiciary, and Ways and Means. The commissioners also serve on a com

tion of disenfranchising people we represent voters out here." .

Thaddeus McCotter -county commissioner

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Victims of success

McCotter believes the Republicans were "victims of our own success," citing ther actions with three other suburban commissioners to block the commission from acting to reject the Canton Downtown Developmen Authority in December. 1996, even though the Republicans were clearly outnumbered on that issue. McCotter also said he acted to protect North ille Township's interest on the Economic Development Committee, delay ing action on the Northville Planned Unit Development.

"We held things up to make sure the demolition took place, McCotter said.

McCotter expected to give up

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'... that's 450,000 out of 2.1 million.'

> Bruce Patterson -county commissioner

his seat on Environment and Drains to Husk, because Husk's district includes Dearborn Heights, a community plagued by recent flooding, along with an appointment on a committee on small, minority and women

owned businesses Patterson said he would give up any of his committee assignments but with both airports in, his district, Patterson probably would keep the Committee on Roads, Airports and Public Services

The commissioners expressed frustration. "It becomes a question of disenfranchising voters out here, McCotter said. "Now we'll have

to go to the community and take it to the streets."

The two commissioners say the situation leaves them with little sion's Ways and Means Commit-

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recourse then to vote against agenda items. "The explanation of 'no vote' is about the only tool a minority (Republican) member has avail able to set the record straight," Patterson said.

Travel ordinance held up

Patterson also is peeved over the lack of progress he sees on ordinances he introduces, particularly an ordinance he hopes would hold commissioners accountable for trips at county expense.

"If the way the Wayne County Commission runs the committee process is so important, then why do those in control so regularly miss meetings, reschedule meetings from regular meeting days to convenience their sched ules, personal lifestyles and agendas and excuse missed attendance so cavalierly?" Patterson asked.

Patterson introduced a "Truth in Travel" ordinance in December. Patterson wants an audit completed of travel accounts. expenditures and documentation to be reviewed by the commistee. The ordinance was sent to the Committee on Ways and Means, which Commissioner George Cushingberry, D-Detroit, chairs, instead of General Government, where ordinances are generally discussed.

"He had that sent to Ways and Means because he has control over the discussion." Patterson said.

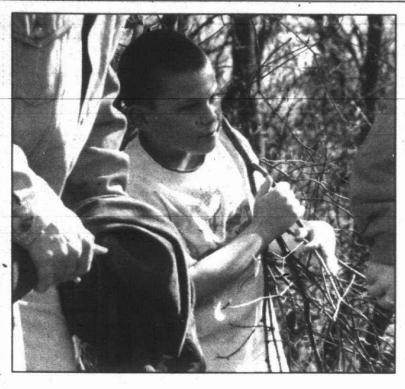
Patterson said Cushingberry canceled the first meeting in January. When it was placed on a second agenda in January Patterson said he showed up again, but Cushingberry was tied up in court and couldn't get there in time. The item was eventually passed for the day without any discussion by commissioners

Patterson had two ordinances approved when Ken Cockrel chaired the Committee on Public Safety and Judiciary.



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Helping hand: Stephen Kiurski, 8, of Livonia does a good deed: He held back brush from a narrow path for folks as they entered the roped off area.

Nankin Mills 'flooded'. with kids, marshmallows

wasn't just the rain that flooded The event on Good Friday marked Hines Park and the Rouge River last Wayne County's 13th annual Great

While the park may have been doused Thursday by rain, it wasn't enough to FM 100. Another marshmallow drop was dampen the Easter spirits of hundreds of western Wayne County residents and their children

in Westland Friday morning for the annual marshmallow drop.

to collect their share of the marshmallow treats. Marshmallows were dropped from helicopter whirring overhead, much to dren, who scrambled to collect the sweet

treats and turn them in for a prize-filled Children were also entertained by the Easter Bunny, who hopped along a bunny trail that morning.

Marshmallow Drop.

The event was co-sponsored by WNICheld in Trenton earlier that day.

The marshmallow drop kicked off what appears to be a busy spring and summer In fact the sun shone brightly Friday for the children from Detroit to Northville who gathered at Nankin Mills Picnic Area be closed to motorists between Outer Drive and Ann Arbor Trail so the road Children were divided into age groups can be used by bicyclists, in-line skaters and walkers

Several children's and musical events will be planned, and parks improvements the delight of hundreds of waiting chil- are expected this year for several comfort stations. Those improvements will be unded with the parks millage approved two years ago.



Waiting: Jacob Guminik, 9, of Livonia, awaits the





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Dropping in: The Easter Bunny greets little ones (above) as they await the marshmallow drop. At left, Kevin Hershock, 9, of Redford, gathers a handful of marshmallows. At right, Andrew Rozen, 6, of Livonia, embraces the Easter Bunny and wouldn't let go for about 30 seconds



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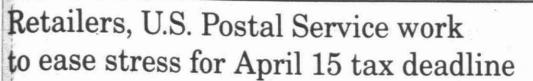


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following Meijer locations: Ann Arbor, 3145 Ann Arbor-

Belleville, 9701 Belleville Road; Northville, 20401 Hagger-

Canton, 45001 Ford

The federal government has the federally-funded, statepassed Michigan Children's

Romney serious U.S. Secretary of Health and Hills lawyer seeking the Repub-Human Services Donna Shalala lican attorney general nominaapproved the state program tion, announced the hiring of two within hours of Gov. John top operatives to guide his cam-Engler's signing it into law on paign.

MIChild will provide public utive director of the Michigan funds to help insure children of House Republican Campaign working low or moderate-income families that don't qualify for cal director of Romney's cam-Medicaid. The family will pay \$5 paign. a month, or \$60 a year, to insure all children in the family. There

will be no co-payments. MIChild will cover well-child and vision screening, primary care, specialty physician services, diagnostic services, inpatient and outpatient hospital services, emergency services, preand dental services.

It was a bipartisan effort. Rep. Nick Ciaramitaro, D-Roseville, tredited Rep. Shirley Johnson, R-Royal Oak, with strong support on the House Appropriations Subcommittee on Commu-

Sen. Robert Geake, R.

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Daly, and the Airport Mail Cenm have on-site collections from 6 ter at Detroit Metro Airport will p.m. to midnight. Postal employ-ces will be on hand to collect added customer convenience. added customer convenience. These locations will collect Tax Day mail for the April 15 cancellation until midnight and continue to stay open 24 hours after the tax deadline to provide retail services.

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Plymouth, 47526 Clipper Plymouth Penniman, 860 Westland, 6300 Wayne Road Redford, 12245 Beech Daly.

Also, the post office at Westland Mall will have lobby vend-

Children's health plan signed into law **CAPITOL CAPSULES**

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Scott Romney, Bloomfield Michigan Police Legislative Juveniles could be covered Michigan's stalking and domestic violence laws, under a

bipartisan package proposed in the House and Senate. Among sponsors are Sen. Alma Wheeler Smith, D-Salem, and Rep. Judith Scranton, R-Brighton Their bills would allow the family division of circuit court to issue personal protection orders

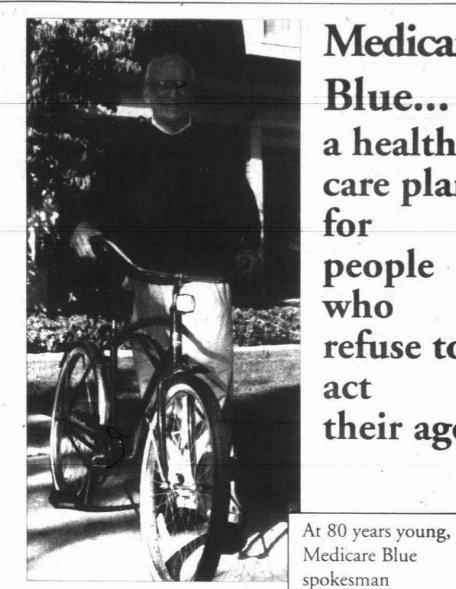
against person s under 17. Women would have greater access to obstetricians and gyne cologists under House Bill 4781 sponsored by Rep. Lyn Bankes R-Redford. The bill would permit women in health plans featuring primary care physicians to visit ob-gyns without a referral for routine gynecological services Her bill was reported out by the House Health Policy Committee.

Parents on public assistance who are owed back child support will be repaid by their former spouses before the state can recoup its costs under bills spon sored by Sen. Robert Geake, R Northville. Geake's two bills would give custodian parents priority over the state when back The bill has been bitterly child support payments are col-

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Committee, will serve as politi-Tricia Tucciarone will be finance director. She was finance director of the House GOP Cam-

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Valerie Tillstrom, former exec-

will select the attorney general nominee. Announced earlier scription drugs, transportation were state Rep. Frank Fitzgerald of Grand Ledge and John Smietanka, the 1994 nominee and a former U.S. attorney for western Michigan.

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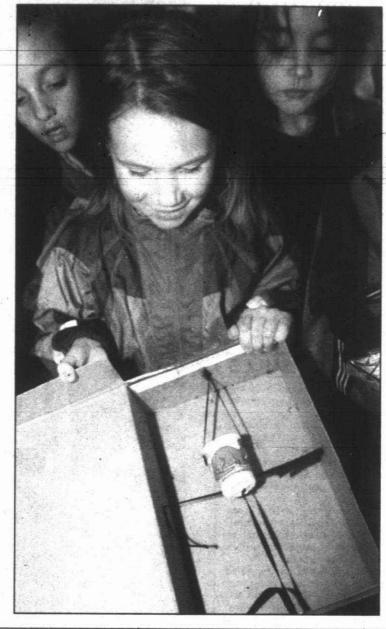
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A smashing success: Kylie Overly's egg -(right) survived Thursday's egg drop at Gallimore Elementary School. Kylie placed the egg in a paper cup suspended by rubber bands as part of the science experiment performed by students. Pictured above, Gallimore first-graders wait for their eggs to be dropped from the rpof of the school.



Police: Acquaintance runs woman off road

A 21-year-old Canton woman told police she was harassed and run off the road by another driver while heading eastbound on Michigan Avenue near Lotz Road last week.

She told police the alleged assailant was a former friend of a boyfriend. The 21-year-old man from Wayne reportedly flipped ther off, ran her off the road and laughed when the victim's car was damaged after running over debris. He was approached backing out of a parking spot several hours later. He told police she was making the story up and that a friend had been driving his car. He was arrested for reckless driving and driving with a suspended license.

Here are some of the other incidents reported to Canton

COP CALLS

posed to begin baby-sitting their A man was arrested April 7 two children. During the scuffle he reportedly damaged a screen for driving with a suspended license and possession of drug paraphernalia after being door jamb, grabbed her right wrist and punched her in the stopped by police for speeding on center of her chest below her the exit ramp at Michigan neck. He also attempted to take Avenue and I-275. Police found her house keys and keep her from calling the police. The rolling papers and a marijuana smoking bowl in his car. The police report stated that her man's age and residency were wrist and chest were both bruised. A 26-year-old Canton

Four days later, the same woman reported to police that her husband had attempted to burn down a storage shed. Police found only burned grass near the back of the shed but no damage to shed itself. He reportedly

threatened to burn down the mobile home and smash her car windows after she said she was going to sell his stereo to pay for the door jamb damage. She told police she thought he paid someone to burn the shed and would probably pay someone to burn the mobile home.

Tip line geared for school safety

A new tip line designed to take anonymous or other tips about thefts, vandalism or other crimes happening in the Plymouth-Canton school district is ready to take calls.

The Anonymous Tip Line (ATL) was set up about a month ago, said Ken Jacobs, assistant principal at Plymouth Canton High School.

Though the tip line is intended for use at Canton and Salem high schools, it can be used districtwide, said Judy Evola, director of community relations.

Jacobs said the tip line will make it easier for students, staff and parents to report incidents to the schools' security staff. The number is 416-2920. Callers can leave a voice mail message but do not have to leave their name.

"Often, parents and kids feel reluctant to come in (and report incidents), Jacobs said. "This was a method that could help open up lines of communication between the community and the schools on important and sensitive issues

Messages left on the tip line will be followed up by security personnel, he said.

An example of a recent sensitive issue was an alleged sexual assault March 5 at Plymouth Canton High School.

Callers should include the fol-lowing information when leaving a tip with the line, who may be involved, what the situation is, where it happened, when the incident may have occurred and why the situation and individuals involved may be connected.

Callers may also leave their name and a telephone number where they can be reached, but are not required to do so.

So far, the district hasn't received any phone calls on the tip line.

Students will likely benefit from the privacy and anonymity of the tip line.

"This will provide (callers) with a vehicle if they feel uncomfortable talking to someone about incidents they've witnessed," Jacobs said.

Schools will receive settlement money

Unlike many people who will pay the State of Michigan money come April 15, that same day the Plymouth-Canton school district is expected to receive \$5.3 million from the state.

The windfall comes from the Michigan Supreme Court's mandated settlement in the wellknown Durant case. Last year, the court ruled in favor of 84 school districts, which claimed the state owed them for failing to pay for special education and other mandated services over a 17-year period.

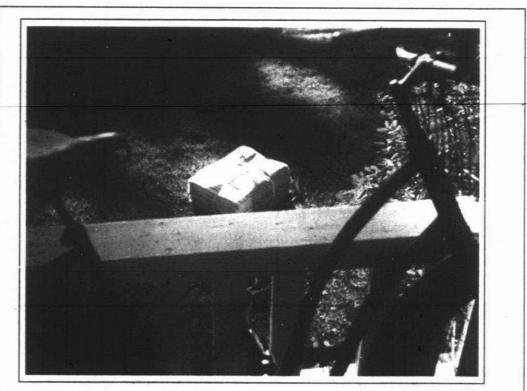
The court also ordered school districts to hold public hearings on how to use those funds. And, according to those who spoke at Tuesday night's school board meeting, the district should save the money ... then spend it. "The money should be put in

an endowment fund earning 8-10 percent," former Plymouth Mayor Bob Jones told the board. "We should preserve the capital, and spend just the interest. However, it should not be used for operations.

A couple of other district residents, including former board member Jack Farrow, proposed somewhat the same theory.

"We should invest the money in people, training teachers, said Farrow. "We should put the money in an interest-bearing account, and use the interest to upgrade the skills of our staff."

The board of education is still accepting written suggestions on what to do with the settlement, which is less than half the \$12 million the district was hoping to receive



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open while construction takes Meijer, Max & Erma's, Rose's place "There are a lot of businesses

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down there," Richardson said of Park apartments. the Canton Center corridor. "People will have to get in and out of there."

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Only a handful of chefs are truly 'Masters'

ut of the over 2 million chefs/cooks in the enormous food industry, fewer than 80 belong to the prestigious fraternity called Master Chef.

The governing body of the culinary profession is the American Culinary Federation. There is criteria for different levels in our profession ranging from Certified Cook, Working Chef, Executive Chef, all the way to Master Chef. Certified Master Chef examinations are held every year, or so, and cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$5,000. It encompasses 10 days of testing. I wouldn't say the only great chefs in the United States are the 80 or so Master Chefs on file. There are many chefs who for their own reasons do not subscribe to American Culinary Federation criteria, and don't feel it a necessary goal in their professional life. But I'll tell you, I have the good fortune to know the Michigan Master Chefs, and let me tell you, these guys can cook!

Jeff Gabriel, **Certified Master Chef**

Jeff is a full-time instructor at Schoolcraft College in Livonia, and the chefowner of the Farm Restaurant in Port Austin. At the Farm, he and his wife, Pam, cook up some amazing, wholesome, homestyle dishes, such as chicken and dumplings. Jeff and Pam live in Port Austin with their son, Michael

When asked what was his favorite meal to prepare, Jeff's response was -"We like to keep things simple and we're very health conscious. I like to make one pot dishes, especially soups made with beautiful fresh stocks or miso with vegetables, and on occasion, meat with a crusty loaf of the special Farm baked bread, and we're happy folks.

Dan Hugelier, **Certified Master Chef**

Dan is recognized as well as respected locally and internationally for his accomplishments in the culinary pro fession. He seems to be a master of all including ice carving, cooking, consulting and a student of everything. Dan has also chosen after many years of running frantic in the restaurant world, to settle into the quiet community of Fenton where he lives with his wife, Katie, and son, Eric, 5. Dan said he is looking forward to soon picking wild Michigan morels and asparagus. As Dan enjoys hunting, his favorite meal to make is game of any kind.

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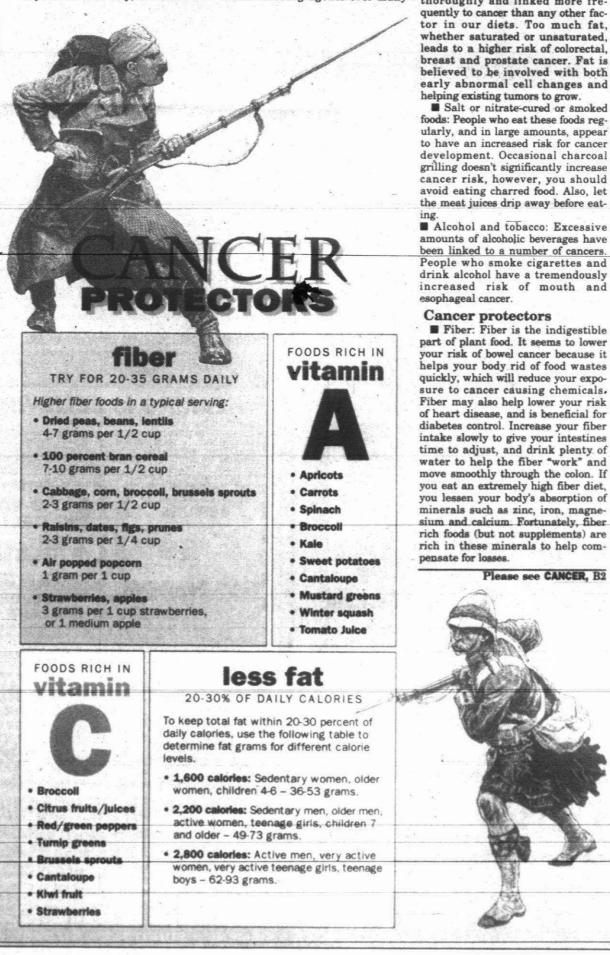
It has been said that once you've been diagnosed and treated for cancer that you never know whether you've had cancer or you have cancer. Either way, cancer is frightening. It is the second leading cause of death in the United States. There is no clear scientific evidence that diet

can cure cancer, but there is overwhelming agreement that a nutritionally balanced diet can greatly reduce your risk of developing certain forms of cancer and can improve your overall health if you do have cancer

Diet is important because there is research to show that certain components in the diet can actually promote specific cancers. For example, a high intake of dietary fat, smoked, salt cured or nitrate containing meats, and excess calories, are potent contributors to cancer and other chronic diseases.

Cancer is actually a group of diseases with multiple causes in which abnormal cells grow and spread. There are three major phases in cancer development.

First - an irreversible genetic alteration that takes place inside a cell. Then, if this cell is stimulated by a promoting agent for a long time, the cell will become malignant. Finally, the last and most lethal stage, occurs when tumor cells metastasize, that is, colonize and grow in sites in addition to the site of origin. Although cancer can occur anywhere in the body, the most com-



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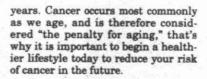
mon sites are the lungs, colon, rectum, skin, breast and prostate. Cancer research and recommendations focus on cancer prevention, risk reduction and early detection.

Cancer prevention

Scientists believe that 80 percent of all cancers are associated with a few lifestyle factors that we can control. These include diet, smoking, and exposure to the sun. Other factors associated with cancer prevention are environmental pollutants like automobile exhaust, charcoal barbecues and manufactured chemicals, radon, medical x-rays, and occupational pollutants like asbestos and vinyl chloride.

Risk reduction

It's never too late to reduce cancer risk. Cancer does not occur due to a single event, but it is a process that may take decades to develop. Cancer risk rises with regular exposure to cancer-causing agents over many



Early detection

Follow your doctor's advice regarding tests for cancer. In many cases the earlier cancer is found, the more likely the treatment will be effective. A healthy diet can make a big difference. Check out these cancer promoters and cancer protectors.

Cancer promoters

Fats: Fat has been studied more thoroughly and linked more frequently to cancer than any other factor in our diets. Too much fat, whether saturated or unsaturated, leads to a higher risk of colorectal, breast and prostate cancer. Fat is believed to be involved with both early abnormal cell changes and

Salt or nitrate-cured or smoked foods: People who eat these foods regularly, and in large amounts, appear to have an increased risk for cancer development. Occasional charcoal grilling doesn't significantly increase cancer risk, however, you should avoid eating charred food. Also, let the meat juices drip away before eat-

Alcohol and tobacco: Excessive amounts of alcoholic beverages have been linked to a number of cancers People who smoke cigarettes and drink alcohol have a tremendously increased risk of mouth and

Fiber: Fiber is the indigestible part of plant food. It seems to lower



for a quick lunch or dinner used to be an omelet with cheese. ham, or a deli meat like salami or corned beef in addition to the eggs.



MIRACLE

My omelets today are no less flavorful; but are substantially fat and cholesterol reduced. I still find them a tasty solution to a harried

schedule, because the ingredients can be kept available in the fridge and on the pantry shelf.

Omelets are main courses that are ready to eat before I can even think of what to "order in." Besides, they taste better than most ready prepared main courses. They also fill the bill for easy to prepare treats for a weekend brunch or lunch.

The ingredients have changed to meet my "Eating Younger" goals of lower cholesterol and fat. One whole egg and two whites still makes a pretty yellow omelet. You can save 212 milligrams of cholesterol, 5 grams of fat, 1.6 grams of saturated fat, and 40 calories by using egg whites instead of a whole egg. Try this substitution for scrambled eggs too.

If high cholesterol is one of your health concerns, you might use a commercial egg substitute. But why bother when egg whites will serve the same purpose at one fourth the price? You can even color the egg white yellow by adding a pinch of turmeric. This herb gives mustard its yellow color and can be found at your local bulk food store. You probably know that two egg whites will stand-in for a whole egg in a recipe.

I've suggested using tomatoes, onions and green peppers in my Tuna Frittata recipe, but you can substitute your favorites. It's important to partially cook and drain the vegetables so that the omelet doesn't become watery

Lately, I have been trying a processed cheese made from tofu. With all the new studies pointing to isoflavones in soy to help prevent cancer, I've been looking for a source that I could regularly include in my diet. The cheese is low in fat (2 grams) and has no fat or cholesterol. It's perfect in this recipe.

I used tuna in the recipe because of its low calorie, high protein and Omega-3 fatty acid content. But you could substitute cooked chicken, some of the reduced fat turkey sausage or deli meats. The frittata has enough flavor so that it could also go solo as a vegetarian dish

Muriel G. Wagner is a registered dietitian and nutrition therapist with an office in Southfield. She publishes "Eating Younger," a quarterly newslet

Joe Decker, **Certified Master Pastry Chef**

Schoolcraft College is lucky to have Joe in their lineup. I choose the term lineup as Joe is a huge athlete who enjoys running, swimming and baseball.

Joe lives in Howell with his wife, Cathy, and their three sons, Aaron, Rvan and Kevin. Awards from Joe's culinary competitions sit right next to his son's trophies. One is just as important as the other. Joe enjoys breaking away from pastry making at home to make sushi.

Leopold Schaeli, **Certified Master chef**

Leopold's roots are in Switzerland where he started working in the hotel/bakery by his home. He is best known for his long-standing position at the Machus Red Fox. He currently teaches international cooking at Schoolcraft College, and lives in Bloomfield with his wife Margrit. At home he enjoys preparing her favorite - Muesli.

Mike Russel, **Certified Master Chef** Mike likes in Rochester with his wife and daughter. He recently opened

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LOOKING AHEAD

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TUNA FRITTATA

2 eggs and 4 egg whites 3 fresh plum tomatoes, sliced and seeded 1/4 cup onion, diced 1/2 red or green bell pepper, cut in strips 3 slices non-fat Cheddar cheese or tofu cheese 1 can (6.1/2 ounces) white albacore tuna, water-packed, rinsed, drained and flaked 1 teaspoon caraway seeds 1/2 teaspoon dried thyme Garnish: Fresh parsley or chopped green onions Place tomatoes, onions and pepper strips in microwave-safe dish. Cover Cook in microwave on high for 1-1/2 minutes. Drain liquid. Add thyme and flaked tuna. Spray a 9-inch skillet with non-stick

spray. In a bowl whisk together the eggs and caraway seeds. Pour egg mixture into skillet, tilting and rotating the skillet to spread the mixture evenly. Cook until set.

Spoon the vegetable/tuna mixture onto the egg pancake. Top with cheese Cover skillet and heat on low for about 2 minutes, or until cheese melts. Cut into 4 serving pieces. Transfer to a plate, using a broad spatula

Garnish with chopped green or parsley. Serves 4.

Nutrition facts per serving: Calories: 210; Fat: 2.5g; Saturated Fat: 0.8g; Cholesterol: 106mg; Sodium: 401mg. Food Exchanges: 3 lean meat; 1 vegetable; 1/2 milk

Cancer from page B1

A is a fat soluble vitamin found regularly. Although we can't pre- cancer and diabetes. In 1976 in dairy products. It can be toxic vent all cancers, a proper diet if mega doses from vitamin sup- gives our body the fighting earotene, the precursor to Vitamin A, is found in dark green and stomach.

and grains) and vitamin E (from ever, the committee also discovvegetable oils) which act as ered that malnutrition is not antioxidants to protect cells limited to the poor, it can be a against oxidative change.

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Vitamins A and C: Vitamin who eat properly and exercise is linked to heart disease, stroke, only we had known." Sen. Hubert Humphrey was himself fighting cancer. As the committee called on its

> experts, Humphrey listened attentively to the irrefutable evidence that some ways of eating were associated with the incidence of cancer and with cancer prevention. "If only someone had best. Otherwise you may develop

> > See related story on Taste

front. Recipe compliments of HDS Services and Peggy Martinelli-Everts. , Here is a great meatless dish that is low in fat, and a good source of protein. You can serve it as a main course, or reduce the serving size, and use it as a side dish

BULGUR FRITTERS WITH PEAR

JAM Serves 4 2 cups prepared bulgur wheat - bulgur can be found in the rice section. Prepare according to package

directions adding 1 teaspoon salt, let cool, (Some packages may ask for more salt, some for none For this recipe, use 1 teaspoon salt, no additional spices or seasoning pack-

foods when you are feeling your

ets.) 4 scallions, sliced thin 2/3 cup or 1 small yam. peeled and diced very fine

1/4 cup soy flour 1 teaspoon baking powder 2 egg whites

Non-stick cooking spray for

Heat a non-stick griddle or fry-

1/4 cup skim milk frying

Rochester Hills.

Bates St., Birmingham classes this spring including Food and Wine Tasting Dinner for two 7:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, May 4; Entertaining in Style with Whimsical Hors D'oeuvres and Elegant Wines 7:30-9:30

p.m. Monday, May 11; Gourmet, Heart Healthy Sumdesserts 2 p.m. Sunday, April mer Delights and their Complimentary Wines 7:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, May 18, cost \$35 per session. Thai Cuisine I, 7:30charge, sponsored by the 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 28, Friends of the Livonia \$18; Thai Cuisine II 7:30-9:30 .m. Tuesday, May 5, \$18; Light and Simple: A Spring Menu, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 12; Mideast Cooking 7:30be sharing her innovative 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, \$18; Totally Italian Cooking, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday, May

Books, 1122 S. Rochester Road, \$18. Call (248) 644-5832 for The Community House - 380

registration information. Henry Ford Community College - Chinese Low-fat Wednesdays, April 22 and 29, main campus, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn. Cost \$52, (313) 730-

Botsford General Hospital Healthy Cooking Demo, Dressing Up Plain Grains, 7 o.m. Thursday, April 16 at Botsford's Health Development network, 39750 Grand River, Novi. Incredible Cheesecakes 7 p.m. Thursday, April 30. Fee \$6, call (248) 477-6100 to register

At Kitchen Glamor Stores Madeleine Kamman, a fourstar chef will teach two cooking classes 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21 and Wednesday, April 23 at the West Bloomfield store. Pressure 19, \$18; All Taste...Low Fat, Cooking...Quick, Delicious and Indian Meal.

Healthy, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 16, Novi, 6:30 p.m. Friday, April 17, Rochester. Pastry chef Dan Rowlson of Oakland Community College teaches a chocolate class 11 a.m. Saturday, April 18, Novi, 11 a.m. Saturday, April 25. Rochester. Michigan Chef series features Chef Jim Barnett, corporate chef Unique Restaurant Corporation, 12:30 p.m. Sunday, April 19, West Bloomfield. Call (313) 641-1244 for registration information.

Vegetarian Cooking Classes offered by Lenore's Natural Cuisine, 22899 Inkster Road, Farmington Hills, call (248) 478-4455 or e-mail LBAUM@concentric.net for details. Upcoming offerings include Lasagna 6-9 p.m. Apri 22; Intro to macrobiotics 7:30-9 p.m. Tuesday, April 26; 6-9 p.m. Wednesday, April 29

PEAR JAM 2 ripe or overripe Bosc pears, peeled, cored and chopped

Bring to boil over medium-high

boil until thick and almost dry

(iam consistency). Puree in food

sugar

Juice of 1 lemon 1/2 cup water 2 teaspoons packed brown

ed chicken. heat, reduce heat, but continue to Kevin

processor or blender until smooth. Nutrition information per serving: Calories: 27.91; Protein: 0.3 grams; Fat: .05 grams; Sodium: .53 milligrams; Carbohydrates: 7.17 grams; Percentage of calories from fat: 1.61.

1 cup milk Juice of 1 lemon

1 cup plain yogurt

yogurt

SAVE DOLLARS ON HEARING AID BATTERIES FOR

Grab your apron, and mark the calendar. Here are some cooking scheduled in your hometown. Send class informa-

tion, for publication in Taste, to Keely Wygonik: Taste Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, ivonia, MI 48150, or fax (734) 591-7279. Chef Larry Janes - Will

demonstrate the making of 19 in the Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium, 32777 Five Mile Road, Livonia. No Libraries.

"Lickety-Split Meals" -Zonya Foco, registered dietitian and cookbook author, will 'Lickety-Split Meals" system, and autographing books, 7 p.m. Thursday, April 23 at Borders







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COOKING CLASSES

moist, cool foods may be most soothing. Try non-acidic fruit juices, gelatin, pudding, custard, ice ations for HDS Services, a Farmcream, molded salads, meat or ington Hills-based food service

told us," he said to a witness. "If an aversion to them because without aggravating the pain month in Taste.

ing pan to medium-high. Spray

with cooking spray. Mix first 5

ingredients in a bowl with a fork,

make a well in center of mixture

and beat in egg and mildly fold to

scoops or spoonfuls onto griddle

and pan fry turning once until

golden brown on both sides. Serve

hot with pear jam and a touch of

Nutrition information per

serving: Calories: 124.21; Pro-

tein: 15.04 grams; Fat: 2.72

grams; Sodium: 630 milligrams;

Carbohydrates: 77.84 grams;

Percentage of calories from fat:

light sour cream.

combine. Gently drop by one ounce

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Peggy Martinelli-Everts of Clarkston, is a registered dietitian and director of clinical operpasta salads, or soups and foods and hospitality management and dipped in sauces or gravies. Eat consulting company. Look for her foods that make you feel better story on the second Sunday of the

Tips for cancer survivors If you are in treatment for cancer it is vitally important that you pay attention to what you eat. Maintaining a good nutritional status can help your body recover faster and will make you feel better. Eat your favorite

and other mouth symptoms,

you'll associate these foods with and symptoms you may be expe-

Eight Schoolcraft College tion in the world, with more cultures and styles of food - it tropical fruits they will find in ued to be invited back to the tion is a springboard to the Culinary Arts students, includ- than 600 individual competi- would take 10 years to get that the open-air Singapore mar- biennial competition. ing Amy Machnak of Livonia, tors from 25 countries vying in kind of exposure." are competing in the Salon 20 categories. The World Asso- For the past month, the stu- This is the second time a taken very seriously," said Culinaire '98, a world-class ciation of Cooks invites com- dents have been putting in 60 team from Schoolcraft has Gawronski. "These are world culinary competition in Singa- petitors to the event and mas- to 100 hour weeks practicing traveled to Singapore. In 1990, medals. When you present a Machnak and Rita Decker. The Co-managers are Master world to judge the foods.

Bulgur fritters with jam great meatless dish

Schoolcraft students to compete in Singapore

Pastry Chef Joe Decker, Master Chef Jeffrey Gabriel, Exec-Master chef Kevin Gawronski.

ter chefs from all over the for the competition. They are Gawronski managed the team dish to the judges, it must corcompeting in two events - the and also competed. Loving, relate exactly with the recipe. utive Chef Shawn Loving, and students might not get in a is preparing a four-course student competitor for School- sautéed, each of those proce- Bologna. lifetime," said Gawronski. meal, and the dessert team is craft. The team returned with dures has a certain appearance The Salon Culinaire is the "Just to see the competition responsible for six desserts, three bronze and three silver and the dish must conform to 15. The group will return to third largest culinary competi- and understand the different many showcasing the fresh medals. The college has contin- that standard. This competi- Livonia on April 20.

kets.

"These competitions are

Culinary Olympics."

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Students on the dessert team include Jennifer Todd, Amy apprentice competition members are Aaron Cook, Robert apprentice hot food and dessert now executive chef at the Race If the recipe says the food is Hurd, Eric Schilbe, Jason "This is an opportunity these categories. The hot food team Rock in Orlando, Fla., was a braised, grilled, roasted or Weaver and alternate James

The competition is April 12-

Unique from page B1

the newly renovated Hunt Club in Bloomfield Hills

Certified Master Chef

Schoolcraft College's culinary sought by students and instruc- spending time with his family. retired from the Golden Mush- Planners in Bloomfield Hills. A Mike enjoys simply good food arts program. He's a culinary tors alike for mentoring the When it comes to cooking at room, Certified Master Pastry at home such as perfectly roast- adviser, working chef, comedian, and all around great guy. Kevin enjoys helping students, staying field, Commerce area with his Gawronski, late to coach culinary team wife Robin and three teenage Master Chefs in Michigan who I orado. members, arriving early for children. Kevin enjoys hunting, did not have an opportunity to

future of the culinary profession. Kevin lives in the West Bloom- he's a "grill man."

Kevin serves as the dean of gourmet club meetings. He is boating, and fishing, but mainly interview - Milos Cihelka who of 2 Unique Caterers and Event home, hand him the charcoal, Chef Leon Korstijens) and Ed

POTATOES

3 cups diced potatoes

2 cloves chopped garlic

1 tablespoon rosemary

1/4 teaspoon paprika

1/4 cup olive oil

1/4 teaspoon salt

1/8 teaspoon pepper

on the grill 20-30 minutes.

Serves 10-12

sliced thin

Mix ingredients together in a

AMERICAN RED ONION SOUP

WITH BEER

1 1/2 tablespoons whole but

5 red onions, quartered and

AND SOUR DOUGH CROUTONS

bowl. Place in a foil pouch. Bake

grill

There are some other Certified the Ritz who now lives in Col-

2 teaspoons brown suga

2 cups chicken stock

2 cups beef stock

choice

to taste

Salt to taste

1/2 cup)

minutes.

3 teaspoons all purpose flour

1/2 cup good beer of your

Fresh cracked black peoper

1 teaspoon Italian herbs, or

1 teaspoon Lea & Perrins

Worcestershire Sauce

12 toasted sourdough crou-

tons (about 1 1/2 inches

freshly grated Parmesan

cheese (approximately

1 teaspoons Dijon mustard

Heat the butter over a medium

flame and sweat the onions for 5-7

Sprinkle in the flour and cook

in diameter) sprinkled with

herb blend of your choice

graduate of Schoolcraft College's Culinary Arts program, Kelli is a Janos, formerly of Too Chez and part-time instructor at the college. Look for her column in-Taste on the second Sunday of Chef Kelli L. Lewton is owner the month. See recipes inside.

From their house to yours, master chefs share recipes

See related 2 Unique column Use only plain yogurt. on Taste front.

MARGRIT'S SWISS "MUESLI" Yield 8 servings 1 cup quick cooking oatmeal

3/4 cup ground hazelnuts 1/2 cup chopped walnuts 2 Northern Spy apples, grated

1 cup strawberries, cleaned and sliced 2 bananas, sliced

Juice of 2 oranges 2 tablespoons sugar

1 cup raspberry flavored

Whipping cream, optional Add the milk to the oatmeal. Add the lemon juice to the grated

apples and mix in all the other ingredients. Garnish with fresh fruits on top and whipped cream. You may use your favorite berries.

Note: Diet conscious people can omit sugar and whipped cream.

Recipe compliments Certified Master Chef Leopold Schaeli. "A lot of Swiss people like to eat Muesli for breakfast, lunch or supper, especially in the summer said Schaeli. "This is my wife's specialty.

CERTIFIED MASTER CHEE MIKE RUSSELL'S ROASTED CHICKEN 1 Amish roasting chicken

Fresh thyme, garlic, salt and freshly ground pepper to taste

Aromatic vegetables such sliced carrots, onions, cel ery Preheat oven to 400°F. Layer bottom of roasting pan

with aromatic vegetables such as carrots, onions, celery and some of the herbs.

Brush outside of bird with olive oil, and sprinkle with salt and pep-

Roast 30 minutes, reduce over temperature to 350°F and roast until an instant-read thermometer

inserted in thigh registers 180°F, olive oil before putting them on the about 1 1/2 hours. Serve with oven-browned Yukon Gold potatoes, roasted Roma toma

toes, asparagus or broccoli.

CERTIFIED MASTER CHEF KEVIN GAWRONSKI'S MIXED GRILL

4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts Marinade 1/4 cup olive oil 1/2 lemon, squeeze juice 1 teaspoon tarragon 1/2 onion, cut into chunks Mix ingredients together. Marinate chicken for one hour, season chicken with salt and pepper

before grilling.

VEGETABLES 2 carrots >1 yellow squash 1 zucchini 1 red pepper 1 eggplant

Cut vegetables into small wedges, lengthwise. Brush with

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for an additional 5 minutes, stirring frequently. The onions should be golden in color. Add the brown sugar.

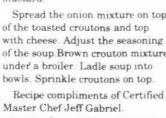
Slowly stir in the beer and the stocks. Add the black pepper, salt and Italian herbs or herbs of your choice. Simmer gently for 20 min-

Using a slotted spoon, remove about 1 cup of the cooked onions for the croutons. Chop the onions very fine and place them in a small pan and cook out the excess moisture. Blend with the Dijon mustard.

of the soup Brown crouton mixture

Master Chef Jeff Gabriel.







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and find out what the health problem is," Dugliss

said. "We look at other factors as well. We do an

analysis to help you make decisions about your life

and giving you information. If you're interested in

to explore."

niques.

Depth of knowledge

research," Dugliss said.

Natural emphasis

past the fad stage."

patients.'

ies respond to various happenings.

alternatives that's something that we work together

Integrating alternative medicine actually isn't as

"It's important to have a depth of knowledge about

these alternatives, which is why our focus is really on

ancient systems," Dugliss said. "The point is to take

spirit affect one another in determining how our bod-

"We know that the public is sometimes leery of

The interest in alternative medicine has blossomed

as more and more people take responsibility for their

health and get involved in deciding what kind of care

they will receive. Dugliss stressed, however, that the

"This is something we started planning a long time

ago," he said. "We're hoping that given our focus on

research on these ancient systems that it will endure

The center includes Dugliss, an internist with

center isn't a reaction to a passing trend.

recently in the United States and around the world

these things and we want to be able to provide use-

ful, more scientific information about these thera-

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a more holistic view of health." Holistic medicine

focuses on understanding how the mind, body and

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training in Ayurvedic and traditional Chinese medicine; Dr. Clinton Lindo, also an internist trained in homeopathic medicine; a psychologist, a pharmacist and a nurse who is trained in massage therapy. "We see this as an extension in our role as caring for people," Dugliss said. "Many people may see this as radical and unconventional. It's what we see as part of the role of a physician who cares about By keeping an open mind toward the traditional

alternative treatments it allows physicians to pull out the best of the two. Likely, the average patient who seeks care at the Westland clinic will be openminded people who are educated and in the baby boom era, Dugliss speculated. Lang, a former Canton resident, fits that mold. She's a medical assistant at an Oakwood- affiliated

massage therapist where she was introduced to alternative treatments. "Conventional medicine wasn't working for me," she said. Medical doctors prescribed anti-inflammatory medicine for carpal tunnel syndrome and Lang didn't believe it was helping.

clinic in Dearborn and recently became certified as a

Dugliss has been working with Lang on herbal ncture. It's the best of bot worlds, because he's an internist and knows about alternative medicine," she 'added "Pick up a magazine on natural medicine, or go to

the library and read up," Lang said. "Keep an open mind. This medicine has been around for 5,000 years. And why in America, which has been around for 200 years should we think that Western medicine is the best? It's beyond my imagination. I would sooner have a natural medicine with no side effects."

"There's just a wonder of things out there that can help you," Lang said. "Conventional medicine certainly has its place. I can't say I discharge conventional medicine and only do alternative ... yet."

Alternative medicine BRIEFS

CLINIC OFFERS PATIENTS A BLEND OF TRADITIONAL AND ALTERNATIVE TREATMENTS

BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI SPECIAL WRITER

Alice Lang believes that natural and alternative medicines are the answer to a lot of medical problems. That's why she decided to seek treatment at Oakwood North Westland Health Care Complimentary and Alternative Medicine Research Center.

Health & Fitness

"I don't like putting pills down my throat," said Lang, a 47-year-old Grosse Ile resident who has four grown children. She prefers herbal treatments and acupuncture, instead, she said, because they don't have the side effects that synthetic drugs often have. "I think people are looking for perhaps a more gentle approach to medicine," according to Dr. Paul Dugliss, one of two primary care physicians at the

center. "Emotional, mental and spiritual events interact and give rise to health and disease." Doctors at the clinic offer patients a blending of traditional and alternative treatments. They work with patients to find the best solutions. One method

doesn't necessarily rule out another. The marriage between traditional and alternative medicines is unusual in American society where doc-

tors trained in traditional medicine often turn a cold shoulder to herbal answers and other complementary treatments even though many have been used for centuries in other cultures

"A lot of people who are into alternatives have been alienated from regular medical care," Dugliss said. "This is a blending of traditional with alternative." The focus on alternative medicine at the center will be on ancient traditions like Chinese medicine, Ayurvedic understandings, and homeopathy.

The Chinese have used acupuncture and herbs for healing since 3,000 B.C. Ayurvedic treatments are traced back to the sages of ancient India and are based on understanding the person's dosha, which is determined by physical type and emotional tendencies, intellectual style and spiritual inclinations. Heal thyself

Homeopathic medicine relies on herbs, minerals and other substances to trigger a person's natural

defenses in helping the body heal itself. "For things that we have seen good research on, we will incorporate those treatments with the traditional ones," Dugliss said. The physicians at the Westland center, on Warren and Central City Parkway, are trained in the traditional medicine as well as alternative care.

. The center opened Feb. 18 and is accepting new patients. Aside from patient care, the center will also be involved in research projects. Only patients who are interested in being part of the studies will be ncluded, Dugliss said.

One five-year study, for instance, will look at complementary medicine in general and its impact on health care costs, patient satisfaction and quality of

Other studies at the center will review cardiovascular health; lowering cholesterol and improving the quality of life for patients after they've had a heart nacea, an herb that is said to strengthen the immune system, will also be studied at the center.

"We want to see if we can't decrease the overuse of antibiotics for people who have upper respiratory infections," Dugliss said. When patients seek medical treatment for cold and flu symptoms about 90 percent of the time they actually have viral illness and antibiotics won't help, he said. The research at the center will provide evidence about whether or not echinacea can help and if it decreases the duration of the illness.

"We try to relate to each individual on a personal

National Infant Immunization Week is April 19-25

fully immunized against vaccine-pre- recommended vaccines. ventable diseases

parents to respond to our message eases of the past," says Dr. Donald and 1-3 p.m. stressing the importance of early child- Lawrenchuk, Wayne County Medical hood immunizations," says Patricia Director. "These diseases are still with 2501 S. Merriman Road, Soares, Wayne County Public Health us and can cause serious illness." Director. "Our health clinics have seen an increase in the number of children getting vaccinations, however, our visits or less by a doctor or at a clinic: immediate goal is to get many more 🛛 🔳 diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis toddlers fully immunized."

Michigan is no longer, last in the nation's immunization percentage rates, according to the Michigan Department of Community Health. The state's immunization rate for two-yearolds climbed from last position of 61 ment offers free shots at its health cen- Paul's Presbyterian percent in 1994 to 80 percent in 1997 (this rate brings Michigan to a tie for 36th). Michigan's goal is to raise these are given without an appointment on are given without an appointment on immunization levels to at least 90 percent by the year 2000.

is urging parents to get their children that all two-year-olds need their basic 11 a.m. and 1-3 p.m. By

"We are making progress in getting like polio and whooping cough are dis- Fridays from 8:30-11 a.m. The following vaccinations are need-

ed by age two and can be given in five a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. By (whooping cough) (DPT)

measles, mumps, rubella (MMR) HIB meningitis polio

hepatitis B

The Wayne County Health Departthe days designed for walk-ins.

Inkster Health Center, 3505 Walnut,

appointment, Mondays. Tuesday, Thursdays and

Westland Health Center Westland (734) 467-3319 Walk-ins Mondays 8-11 appointment, Wednesdays 8-11 a.m., 1-3:30 p.m. and an evening clinic 4:30-7 p.m. through the end of

Wayne County Health Department Community-Sponsored Clinic at St

22 by appointment. Call the Wayne County Health

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vaccinations at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church and for other immunization





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Oakwood holds

for children's immunizations

eliminated and reduced the occurrence of many diseases. Incidences of diseases such as Hepatitis B and measles are declining, because more and more children are getting their shots.

Week, Oakwood Healthcare System and the Colina Foundation, are sponsoring low-cost immunization clinics for your children. Clinics will take place on the following days:

Oakwood Healthcare Center-Canton (7300 Canton Center Road)

Oakwood Healthcare Center-Schaefer (13530 Michigan Ave.)

Wednesday, April 22, from 1-5 p.m. at Oakwood Healthcare Center-North Westland (36555 Warren Rd.)

(201 Third Street)

Brownstown (17000 King Road) The cost is \$2 and available to children up to age 18. Parents should bring

Your children may receive the or

polio vaccine, MMR (measles, mumps and rubella vaccine), Hepatitis B and DTP (diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccine). For more information, call 00-543-WELL.

We also welcome newsworthy ideas for health and fitness related stories. To submit an item to our newspaper you can call, write, fax or e-mail us CALL: (734) 953-2111 👾 WRITE: bserver & Eccentric Newspaper (Specify Datebook, Newsmakers or Briefs) Attn: Kim Mortson 36251 Schoolcraft Road Livonia, MI 48150 FAX: (734) 591-7279 S E-MAIL:

Making connections

There are several ways you can reach the Observer Health & Fitness staff. The

Sunday section provides numerous venues for you to offer newsworthy information including Medical Datebool (upcoming calendar events); Medical

Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field); and Medical Brief

medical advances, short news items

from hospitals, physicians, compar

MEDICAL

Grief recovery

Grief Recovery is a five-week program designed to help grieving people find hope and healing through group interaction.

Professional facilitator will lead group. Enrollment is limited to 20 participants; registration is required The program will be 7-9 p.m. May 21-June 18 at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. Call (734) 459-2250.

Women's Day

Women's Day of Holistic Health, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Oct. 17, featuring Dr. Gladys McGary, M.D., author of "The Physician Within You," is sponsored by Sinnett Institute of Holistic Learning. For more information, call (248) 471-7010.

Special dedication

Oakwood Healthcare System Cancer Center of Excellence will dedicate a room of the Treatment Center in memory of Charlotte A. Woody, formerly of Dearborn, 6 p.m. Wednesday, April, 29. For more information. call (313) 593-8600.

low-cost clinics

Immunizations have single-handedly

In honor of National Immunization

Monday, April 20, from 1-5 p.m., at

Tuesday, April 21, from 3-7 p.m., at

Thursday, April 23, from 4-8 p.m., at Oakwood Healthcare Center-Belleville

Saturday, April 25, from 9 a.m.-1 p.m., at Oakwood Healthcare Center-

their child's immunization records to

level, understand what their goals and beliefs are

During National Infant Immuniza- In spite of the good news, Health Inkster, (313) 563-1133 tion Week, April 19-25, Wayne County Department officials continue to urge Walk-ns Wednesdays 8:30-

"Some young parents think diseases

MEDICAL DATEBOOK

Donor Program will hold a free drive (open to all minor participants) in diversifying its donor registry for this life-saving tal, 5301 E. Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor from noon to 7 p.m. Racial groups sought include African Americans, Asian and Pacific Islander, Hispanics, American Indians and Alaska natives. Call Amy Lawrence for

Hands-on training for youths 11 caring and supervision of smaller children. Course is eight hours and taken in two session, to 1 p.m. Call (313) 542-2787,

POST-PARTUM SUPPORT

offer a Mother-Baby Support Group on Tuesday, from 10-11

a.m. Group meets in the West Addition Conference Room A near the South Entrance. Moth ers and babies are invited to attend. Registration required. Call (734) 655-1100 or 800-494-

HELP FOR IMPOTENT MEN

"Surgical Treatment Implant: Pros and Cons." Free at 7 p.m. Botsford General Hospital's East pavilion, conference Room 2-B, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Call (248) 477-6100. .

WED, APRIL 15

BREATHERS CLUB A support group for persons and/or families with respiratory problems. Meets at 7 p.m. in classroom #3 of the Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building, free of charge. Call 458-3481

PROGRAMMABLE HEARING AIDS Discuss advantages of today's hearing technology and why digital technology is the wave of the future. Manufacturers represen tatives will be present. Free from 1:30-2:30 p.m. Call (734) 458-7100 to register. MedMax is located at 35600 Central City Parkway.

NEW ARTHRITIC JOINTS

If you are 50 years or older and suffer with arthritis, this session is for you. Two orthopedic surgeons will discuss the role of medications, joint injections, braces and surgery in treating arthritis of the knee, hip, shoulder and back. 2 p.m. Vladimir's Grand Ballroom, 28125 Grand River, Farmington Hills. \$3 fee and preregistration required. Call (248) 471-8020.

HOMEOPATHY

Learn alternative ways to address respiratory conditions We will discuss asthma, allergies, sinusitis and much more. Free from 7-8 p.m. Call (734) 458-7100 to register. MedMax is located at 35600 Central City

includes materials. April 13, 6-10 p.m. and April 20, 6-9 p.m. Call (313) 542-2787, Livonia Red Cross Service Center, 29691 W. area medical community. Items Six Mile, Livonia. CELIAC SPRUE SUPPORT Tri-County Celiac Sprue Support is a network for person diagnosed with Celiac Sprue and

TUE, APRIL 14

Project Health-O-Rama will be

held from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. April

HEALTH-O-RAMA

Oakwood Healthcare

MON, APRIL 13

SMOKE FREE LIVING Smoke-Free Living Smoking Cessation Classes, Monday and Thursday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. April 13-23, St. Mary Hospital, First Floor Conference Room (North Entrance off Five Mile Rd.)

Course fee \$25. Preregistration required. Call, (734) 655-8940.

STANDARD FIRST AID American Red Cross standard first aid and adult CPR. Course

length is 7 hours and \$33 fee

fat composition, HIV/AIDS screening kit, osteoporosis screening and blood panel test ing. Must be 18 or older, call 800-543-WELL. Dermatitis Herpetiformis. Meets STANDARD FIRST AID at 7 p.m. at the Southfield Pres-American Red Cross standard byterian Church, 21575 W. 10 first aid and adult CPR. Course Mile Road. Call (248) 477-5953 length is 7 hours and \$33 fee

or (313) 522-8522. includes materials. April 14, 6-FREE VISION SCREENING 10 p.m. and April 16, 6-9 p.m. Call (313) 542-2787, Livonia Red Preserve the gift of life at no cost Cross Service Center, 29691 W. from 10 a.m. to noon, Call (734) 458-7100 to register. MedMax is Six Mile, Livonia. at 35600 Central City Parkway.

BASIC LIFE SUPPORT Intended for those 12 years and older interested in learning basic knowledge of the hear, lungs signs and symptoms of heart attack and CPR, choking rescue skills. \$25. Providence Medical Center Livonia, from 6-9 p.m. Call 800-968-5595 to register. BONE MARROW DRIVE

System/Oakwood Hospital

screenings are free, however,

Annapolis Center - Wayne. Most

those that have fees include body

endeavor. McAuley Cancer Care Center, St. Joseph Mercy Hospi-

eligibility details (734) 712-7072 BABYSITTING TRAINING years and older to prepare for \$25. April 14 and 16 from 9 a.m Livonia Red Cross Service Cen-

The Marian Women's Center at

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ter, 29691 W. Six Mile, Livonia.

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will

Imaging program receives accreditation

Items for Medical Newsmakers are welcome from throughout the Observer area. Items should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Hegira receives accreditation

Hegira Programs Inc., one of the largest freestanding substance abuse and mental health care Accreditation with Commendation by the Joint Commission on the Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations as a result of an on-site survey in

commitment to providing quality care to the people in its community," said Dennis O'Leary, M.D. president, Joint Commission

Home Health Care recognized The American Diabetes Association awarded Metro Home Health Care Services Inc. a Cerorganizations in the state, was again awarded tificate of Recognition for a quality diabetes education program. Metro Home Health Care serves patients in 11

counties including Wayne and the city of Detroit. They were required to complete a comprehensive Among Hegira's programs are: Hegira House, Hegira-Westland Counseling Center, Livonia documentation process and undergo rigorous and expert peer review. MHHCS has 19 qualified dia-Counseling Center, Oakdale Recovery Center in Canton and Psychiatric Intervention Center and call Marjorie Risher, R.N. or Kathleen Pruneau-

Multidisciplinary Team, Oak- gist, and oncologist to provide

"We have learned through our experience that the procedures treatment. are amazingly well tolerated by patients. They appreciate the quickness and ease of this outpatient procedure and the absence of scarring."

The sophisticated new procedure allows Oakwood's radiologists to locate and obtain a small sample of tissue in a less invasive manner.

The procedure is performed a mammogram for which further investigation is warranted. Stereotact'c biopsies, which require only local anesthesia, are done at Oakwood on an outpamately one hour to complete.

The patient is then able to dis-"We are so pleased to be able cuss with her surgeon and prito offer our patients and physi- mary care physician appropriate a team approach is taken com-MD, physician leader, Breast the radiologist, surgeon, patholo-

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comprehensive early diagnosis of breast cancer and state of the art The ACR awards accreditation

to a Stereotactic Breast Biopsy program for the achievement of high practical standards after a voluntary evaluation of its clinical proficiency. Evaluations are conducted by board certified radiologists who are members of the College with special expertise in stereotactic breast biopsy technology. The quality of serwhen an abnormality is found on vices of the Oakwood Program was accessed as well as the qualifications of technical and professional personnel

> The program's collaborative approach and successful accreditation will further enhance the active mammography program and support both the Oncology & the Women's Center of Excellence throughout the Oakwood Healthcare System. The recently accredited biopsy system at Oakwood has been funded, in part, through a generous contribution from the Oakwood Healthcare

The experts all agree: wearing fullest.' a helmet when bicycling is criti-

riders to enjoy bicycling to the vehicle collisions. Nationally, tions.

in bicycle riding is warranted — cy rooms with bicycle injuries. "Most serious bicycle injuries especially for children. In 1996,

more than 500,000 children Statistics reveal that caution annually go to hospital emergen-

are head injuries," said Jerry Michigan youths under 16 years permission to ride bikes in the an excisional open biopsy. Basch, AAA Michigan Communi- of age represented 37.5 percent street must be able to ride safely ty Safety Services manager. of the 32 bicycle deaths involving with traffic; youngsters under "Simply wearing a helmet can motor vehicles. Additionally, the age of nine usually are not cians, the option of Mammo- next steps. Following diagnosis, reduce the risk of brain injury by 1,392 bicyclists 15 and under able to identify and adjust to graphic Stereotactic Biopsy techup to 85 percent, while allowing suffered injuries from motor many dangerous traffic situa- nique," said Sharon Helmer, bining the skills and expertise of Systems Women's Healthcare

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AWARDED wood.

The Breast Imaging Program at Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center - Dearborn has been awarded a three-year term of accreditation in Stereotactic Breast Biopsy techniques as a result of a recent survey by the

American College of Radiology (ACR) This accreditation will compli ment the Breast Care Program and is a first for the Oakwood Healthcare System — it is only one of six programs in Michigan to be awarded this level of recog-

A Mammographic Stereotactic Biopsy System is used to help tient basis and take approxidetermine if an abnormal mammogram finding is a benign or The biopsy tissue is reviewed by malignant process. It is an alter- a pathologist and a diagnosis is Basch said that children given native to the surgical method of made.

14 and 15, at Laurel Park Place, 37700 Six Mile Road, Livonia, by The National Bone Marrow MEDICAL NEWSMAKERS "The organization should be commended for its

Business-related calendar Items

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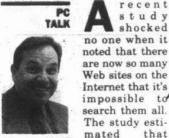
Trends in Healthcare." She will

discuss Mercy Health Systems

TUE, APRIL 14

ASQ MEMBERSHIP

Tell us something we don't know



lion Web sites out there, with several thousand new ones being added every day.

And despite the hype from the big search engines, the best they can do is search only a portion of them, 40 percent at best.

Steve Lawrence of the NEC Research Institute, co-author of the study , concluded that the amount of information on the Web is now so overwhelming even the most sophisticated efforts to sort it all out are doomed to failure.

To me, that's a major part of the appeal of the Net.

You never know what the next piece of e-mail will bring. Maybe it's a friend sharing a neat 'Net find', or a query on a News Group or Mailing List that provides a link to something so obscure and fascinating, or so fun and practical, that it's like finding a gold nugget on the shore of Orchard Lake.

I'm a Web site packrat

I save, organize and archive sites daily. Probably half of the 200 or so pieces of e-mail I get every day from readers of this column, viewers of my TV reports or listeners of my radio show are from everyday people sharing a favorite web find.

And one of the most enjoyable things I get to do each week is share them with you. Usually, I write an entire column about a particular site, or a group of sites devoted to a particular subject

But sometimes, I just have a whole bunch of neat and unrelated sites that I can only categorize as "fun" or "helpful." If I hold on to them too long waiting

for some relationship or theme to develop, they get stale. So, hidrecent study shocked den away somewhere out there amongst the 320 million cyberspace spots, and to keep things fresh, here are a few of the neatest sites I've come across recently

HelpMeNow (http:// www. helpmenow.com/)- This site offers expert assistance ... live ... on the Web. Every night from 7 to 9'p.m. For those times when you need help and that chat room isn't, you can e-mail your requests. There's also a discussion board for assistance from other users. HelpMeNow even offers fitness and automotive help.

LearnTo (http:// www, learn2. com/) - They call this site the "ability utility" and it's filled with the kind of practical stuff we all need to know, like how to clean a bathroom, how to make a great cup of coffee, how to iron a shirt ... all sorts of basic stuff, complete with step-by-step instructions, easy-to-read sketches, diagrams and a pretty comprehensive subject index.

E-Mail Lookup (http:// mesa. rrzn.uni-hannover.de/) - Ever wondered how to find someone online? There's a great German site that, in less than a minute's time, searches through a host of Internet directories to come up with e-mail addresses. Just type in a name and the search is on. It searches 7 e-mail directory services simultaneously.

Outlook 98 (www. microsoft. com) - It's free and it's Micosoft's hope that everyone will use Outlook 98 as their main messaging and scheduling application. One thing you'll notice with the Outlook e-mail program... it contains a Spam feature to block out unwanted e-mail advertisements

Joe & Mindy's Garden (http:// www. nhn. uoknor. edu/~ howard/garden2.html) - There are a lot of hobby sites on the net and a lot with gardens, but this one puts them all together. This site is one done out of the pure

joy and appreciation of God's natural artwork ... flowers. You'll learn what, when and how to plant.

Wall Street Research Net (http://www.wsrn.com/) - This is one of the slickest and deepest personal finance sites I've ever run across in cyberspace. There are over 190,000 links that allow both novice and experienced investors research stocks and mutual funds and locate economic data and news that they need to stay on top of financial trends.

PlaySite (http:// www. playsite. com/) - Wanna play a game? Checkers, chess, cribbage, all sorts of online, interactive games can be played here with cyberspace partners. Click a name and press the issue challenge button. A game will download and appear automatically if your challenge is accepted. You play on an on-screen "board-like" display, with a scrolling chat area to the right for comments banter.

BingoZone (http://www.bingozone.com/) - While we're into games, try this stalwart site. Online bingo is played here, complete with prizes. You get a card and every 20 seconds, a ball appears. You match the number to the card ... and ... well, you know the rules. If you match the numbers, click bingo and you win some bucks ... not a lot, but, hey ... cash is cash.

Don't forget ... keep sending me your favorites at mike@ pcmike. com . I click on them all ... honest

Mike Wendland covers the Internet for NBC·TV Newschannel stations across the country and can be seen locally on WDIV-TV4, Detroit. His "PC Talk" radio show airs Saturday and Sunday afternoons from 4-6 p.m. on TalkRadio 1270, WXYT and he is the owner of Awesome Pages, a Web development company (248-852-1930) You can reach through his PC Mike Web site at http://www.pcmike.com

BUSINESS MARKETPLACE

Marketplace features a glimpse of suburban business news and notes, including corporate name changes, new products, office openings, new affiliations, new positions, mergers, acquisitions and new ways of doing business. Items for Marketplace should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. The

Business expands

Acro Service Corp., (Acro) a Livonia, Michigan based staffing solutions provider, has opened a new branch office in downtown Detroit. The new office is located in the Ford Building at 615 Griswold, Suite 220, and will provide

mation Technology and Light Industrial staffing solutions to new and existing customers. Acro has also been recognized as the 19th fastest growing compa-ny in Michigan. For more information regarding Acro Service Corp. or its service offerings, call Barbara Bartlett at (313) 964-0775 or by fax at (313) 964-1173.

The new company, Tickford-Engelhard, based in Plymouth, is capable of managing emission systems projects from smallscale to mainstream design and development.

Rassini International

Rassini International Inc. of Plymouth, the U.S. operation fax number is (313) 591-7279. of Sanluis/Rassini Autopartes, New records facility has appointed Robert J. Ander-Continuing its rapid expansion son as its president. Other throughout the United States. appointments include: Alvaro Pierce Leahy Corp., the Lopez, promoted to sales manager; Robert W. Friedrichs, named world's foremost records management company, has expanded to engineering manager; George its already significant presence Waterman, joins the company as in the Detroit market with the chief engineer, brakes compoopening of its new records mannents and systems; and James Acto's core service offerings of agement archive facility on Hag-A. Juriga has been hired as Office Clerical, Technical, Infor- gerty Road in Canton director of engineering.

BUSINESS CALENDAR

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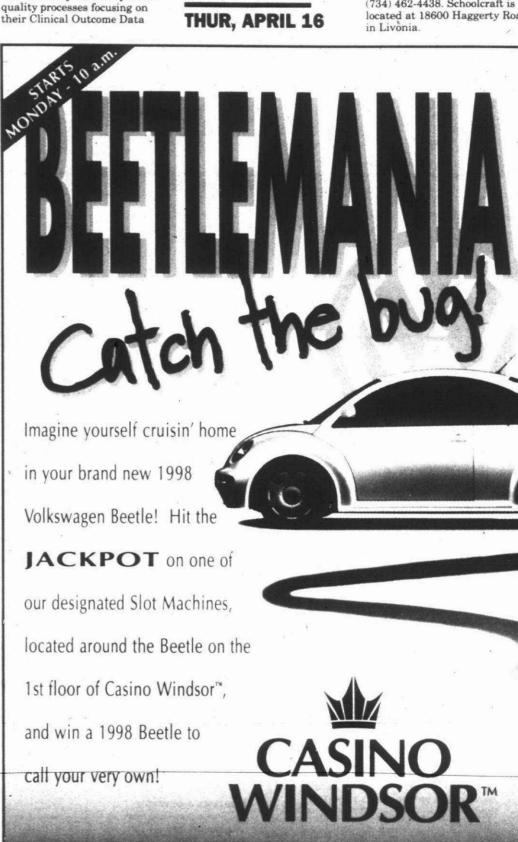
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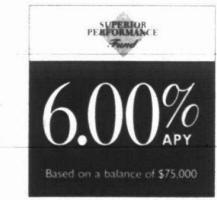
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Religious art: Joseph DeLau-

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Joseph DeLauro,

Canton sculptor

Feed your soul some original art

f you're looking for something to feed your soul this spring, the members of Artifacts Art Club are offering reasonably priced original art in a show continuing through Thursday, April 30, at Livonia City Hall.

Sherry Eid's colored pencil work "Red Ruffles" (\$150) would brighten up any area of your home or business. Eid drew the double hibiscus from a photograph taken on a trip to Pana-ma a few years ago. A landscape titled "Reflections" (\$125) cools and warms at the same time. Peggy Gray's colored pencil work, "Grania" (\$165), has a medieval feel that would be perfect in a study. For a kitchen, Darrell Judy's large-scale color photographs (\$50 each) of apples, a sunflower and marigold could be rotated with the seasons. Cat lovers won't want to miss "Smokey's World" by Nancy Janosi of Westland. The colored pencil work featuring a cat amidst a stable of

Spring Show and Sale

Club exhibits paintings, mixed media and porcelain tiles in an exhibit sponsored by the Livonia Arts Commission

When: Through Thursday, April 30. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. For further information about the club, call Sherry Eid. (734) 591-3094. Where: Livonia City Hall, 33000 Civic Center Drive, (east of Farmington Road). The arts commission is also high-lighting the art of Livonia Public School students through April 24 in the showcases and fine arts gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, (east of Farmington Road). Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday to Thursday. until 5 p.m. Friday-

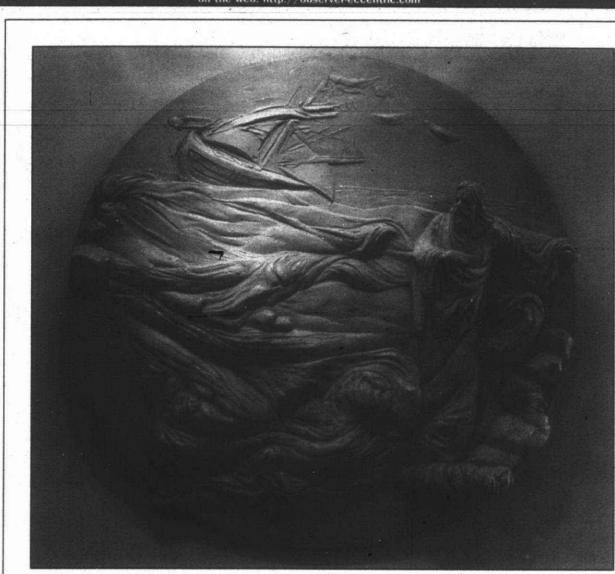
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horses, rendered after a photograph Janosi took at Greenfield Village. Sponsored by the Livonia Arts

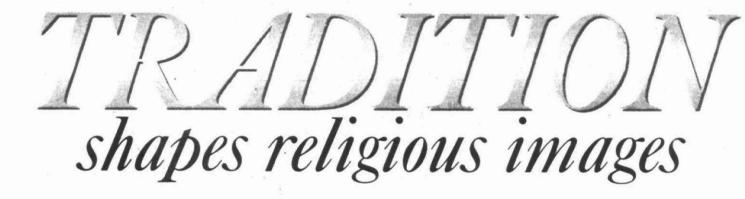
Commission, the exhibit features something for everyone. Whether oil, watercolor, pastel, photography, colored pencil; or sculpture is the medium of your choice, the work by Artifacts members soothes with pastels of children and mystifies with portraits of Rhett Butler. Livonia artist Diane Dunn shows porcelain tiles featuring wildlife painted

in oil. Dunn's work can also be seen at the Animal Odyssey Gallery in Plymouth. Artifacts Art Club was found-

ed by David Messing, owner of the Art Store & More in Livonia, in 1986 as an outlet for artists of all levels, from beginning to advanced. Members are encouraged to further their art education while taking advantage of the camaraderie between artists. Activities include demonstrations, speakers, videos and critiques as well as trips to galleries and art exhibits.



Following tradition: This relief, "Christ on the Water" was done by Sergio DeGiusti for Nardin Park United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills.



rather than from practicing the Catholicism he grew up with in Maniago, Italy. Zubel Kachadoorian, baptized in the Armenian Orthodox church, studied icons from the Byzantine period before sketching altar paintings for St. John's Armenian Church in Southfield. ollowing

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Whether it's Corrado Parducci's bronze Stations of the Cross at the Shrine of the Little Flower in Royal Oak, DeGiusti's "Christ on the Water" and "Genesis" reliefs at Nardin Park United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills, or DeLauro's 12-foot Christ figure on the front of Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church in Livonia, artists turn to tradition for guidance.

approached the subject throughout history. DeLauro reads about the saint or religious figure before turning to the masters and "how they attacked the problem." His years as founder and chairman of the art department at the University of Windsor have well acquainted him with the subject of art history. But even as early as grammar school, DeLauro was inspired by the Gothic cathedrals of Europe.

"The Gothic architecture keeps you looking up and up," said DeLau-"The idea was to rise and give ro. glory."

monastery near Marygrove College in 1947.

"It's important to create something from the personal and to try and express spiritual ideas whether in painting, mosaic or sculpture." said DeLauro, who earned a bachelor of fine arts degree from Yale University and a master of fine arts degree from the University of Iowa. "Part of us as human beings has a spiritual side. Charity, love, beauty, humility are aspects of the spiritual side. Like music, Handel's "Messi-ah," uplifts you. I strive for that in

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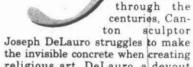
"We decided not to have a judge so it would be a more relaxing atmosphere," said Eid. "The show is fun. We exhibit just for the fun of it, not to sell necessarily, but it's nice if we do."

A special event for club members is coming up on April 21 when third grade students from Cass Elementary in Livonia will visit the exhibit. Eid is

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Renalssance Man: Sherry Eid used colored pencil to create this portrait of a character at the Renaissance Festival.



religious art. DeLauro, a devout Catholic, and a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth, draws on his spiritual beliefs. But not all artists have such strong ties to religion.

Redford sculptor Sergio DeGiusti's inspiration comes from his ethnicity

"The only clue we have of what saints and other religious figures look like is from the artists," said DeGiusti. "They're the ones who've interpreted the stories."

Creating religious art calls for lengthy research on the ways artists

No matter the denomination, DeLauro strives to express spiritual ideas in his religious works in addition to respecting tradition. He considers charity, love, beauty and humility as aspects of the spiritual side. All have remained essential to his work since the 82-year-old sculptor's first commission for six lime stone reliefs for a Carmelite

my sculpture."

Everywhere you look in DeLauro's home are sculptures from his long career. In the living room, a onethird scale model of the Pieta commissioned for the grounds of Holy Cross Parish in Detroit graces the living room. A sculpture DeLauro created after the Native American

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ART IN THE COMMUNITY

Artists religiously rebuild sacred mystery

As Christians made their annual pilgrimage to reaffirm their faith during Easter week, many probably took for granted images that enlighten their entry into the sacred world.

Even for procrastinating Christians, the iconography of the church has served immeasurably to animate the drama of Jesus' resurrection and illuminate a religious creed of redemption.

For many, this past holy week reaffirmed how artists imaginatively portray the Scriptures, offering a mythology to support the Christian answer to the mystery about an afterlife.

Even in these secular times of trial by public opinion, the most striking religious art may compel agnostics to reconsider, and atheists to realize that perhaps they nerely lack imagination

"There's always been a great need for churches to have art to seduce their audience through imagery," said Sergio De Giusti, a renowned sculptor from Redford.

The most powerful religious-inspired t, according to De Giusti, has shown the sacred as well as the profane. For instance, works that depict the beautiful Madonna and Child along visions of eternal damnation.

Ironically, De Giusti noted that the overt nudity in paintings from as early as the 15th century might be called pornographic by today's standards.

"I sometimes wonder how free we are to express ourselves.

Art that integrates

De Guisti's speculation seems a bit too heavy for a culture suffering from an attention deficit disorder and a compulsion for empirical verification.

Instead of pondering the power of faith, scholars have turned metaphysical speculation into the ultimate conundrum: Is the New Testament fact or fiction?

Two recently released books ("The Birth of Christianity," "The Acts of Jesus") and last week's PBS documentary, "From Jesus to Christ," offer deconstructive theories on the man from Galilee whose teachings - along with the Torah - have formed the value system of the western

world for nearly two millennia

While some scholars seem intent to dim the halo of divinity surrounding Jesus, there's a growing trend for artists to reflect their own spirituality, sometimes drawing on traditional religious themes, sometimes their own interpretations of wholeness, healing and connectedness.

'Religious art is not necessarily liturgical art done on commission," said the Rev. Terrence Dempsey, director of the Museum of Contemporary Religious Art on the St. Louis University campus.

The museum, established in 1993, brings together more than 2,000 international artists working independently of any institutional religion.

That's a long way from the seminal religious art exhibit, "Precious," which feaured only 12 artists. The exhibit opened in 1989 on the campus of New York Univeristy

"People feel we are too materialistic of a society," said Dempsey. "There's a need for people to experience art that inte-



Ethereal: The painting of the Holy Trinity on the ceiling above the altar at St. Hugo's embodies an awe-inspiring sacredness.

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Religion from page C1

Indians' Creation story for the now making a resurgence. Dis- DeGiusti's work is not religious across the river in Windsor rests in front of the fireplace. DeLauro has artwork in private and public collections including a fiveton marble sculpture, "The Pieta," and a 12-foot bronze "The age churches to purchase origi-Resurrection of Christ" commissioned by the Archdiocese of Chicago in 1953. Locally, his 11foot limestone shrine is permanently installed at Madonna

University in Livonia. For a millennium, the subject of nearly all art was religious. Not until the late 16th century did artists such as Caravaggio begin to create images of everyday life. Out of favor for the last few centuries, DeLauro says he is delighted that religious art is not even DeLauro. The focus of Sunday,

Mystery from page C1 grates all aspects of our lives." Years ago, religious art creat-

ed by noncommissioned or secular artists would've been called heresv At the end of the 20th century, it's simply called spiritual.

Immediately after Vatican II (1962-65), which reformed the liturgy and opened participation in the mass, a Benedictine aesthetic pervaded the church, said Daniel McAfee, director of the Office of Christian Worship for away from sweet and sentimenthe Catholic Diocese of Detroit.

A minimalist, abstract sensiornate and figurative art. Thirty years later, however, there's been a return to a more original, albeit a distinctively figurative, representational style, said McAfee.

production-style statues 40 years

ago, DeLauro founded the Eccle-

siastical Art Guild with a group

of sculptors, painters and

stained glass artists to encour-

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things," said DeLauro. "I'm try-

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Few, if any, artists and sculp-

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it doesn't exist."

"We had a lot of plastic statues and reproductions before the Council (Vatican II)," he said. to the appreciation of saints and

tal images.

bronze doors for the Church of San Vito in Italy and a bronze Christ figure for a processional cross for Pope John Paul II's mass at the Silverdome in 1987. However, even DeGiusti's public commissions, including a a 20panel frieze for the rotunda of "People are realizing there's the State of Michigan Library and Archives Building in Lansing, contain references to the doesn't rely on standard iconog-Italian tradition of religious art. raphy. You won't see a halo on The influence of sculptor Manzu one of his "hanging figures of studying European religious ity of the human spirit. It's is apparent in "Apparition," a because everybody knows what relief by DeGiusti, who is best it means." known for his shrouded figures. to Jesus' Resurrection on Easter

he said. "Good artists will chal-

Christ) in a deeper way.

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gardens behind Hiram Walker turbed by a trend toward using art but the Redford sculptor has ship with the church is all part created his share including of it," said DeGiusti, "but I don't want to be known as a religious sculptor even though my work has undertones of historical spiritual references.

DeGiusti, a former art history and drawing professor at Wayne State University, uses photographs he's taken of art in churches, cemeteries and sites. all over Italy for inspiration but

"I remove the obvious and get The tomb scene appears similar down to the basics of Christianity," said DeGiusti. "I look at how

historical, something that tran-

When Alex Manoogian asked 19-foot high by 6 1/2-foot wide Madonna and Child for the altar of St. John's Armenian Church 30 years ago, the Detroit artist studied icons from the 9th through 13th-century before making sketches and painting studies in his Greektown studio. He also drew on fourteen years art while living there.

"My upbringing and relation- ical reference without looking Kachadoorian. "At the same time, I was absorbing aspects of

In 1996, Kachadoorian began Zubel Kachadoerian to paint a work on side panels for the Madonna at St. John's. The paintings, "The Baptism" and "Annunciation" were consecrated in January.

> Kachadoorian's Madonna remains popular today. Last year, the painter won the Purchase Award in an exhibition at Historic Trinity Church for an updated version of the Madonna at St. John's. Just recently, two of Kachadoorian's religious

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a Masterworks volunteer at the more information, call Jackie school. Several times a month Daniels, (734) 207-1535. she visits the classrooms their with prints and information about the history of art.

Visiting the show is a chance prints," said Eid. "With prints Hills. Admission is free. you don't get to see the texture, the real colors either."

several clubs in the area are displaying work in late April and mation, call (248) 646-3707. May. Here's a guide to what's

the Canton Public Library, 1200 South Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill, Canton. The Mile Road). exhibit will be held during library hours except for Sunday when it closes at 3:30 p.m. For

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and Sale Sunday, April 26, to Sunday, May 3, at the William for the students to see a real live M. Costick Activities Center artist and talk to them about 28600 11 Mile Road (gate four their work instead of looking at west of Middlebelt), Farmington Hours are 3-5 p.m. Sunday April 26: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mor day-Sunday, April 27 to May 3.

The Farmington Artists

Club hosts their Spring Exhibit

The show is in conjunction with the Farmington Community Fes tival of the Arts. For more infor The Visual Arts Association

of Livonia holds its annual Spring Art Exhibit and Sale sents its annual spring show Monday, May 4, to Friday, May Thursday-Sunday, April 23-26 at 29, at Livonia City Hall, 33000 Civic Center Drive, (east of Farmington Road, south of Five

A reception for the artists and awards ceremony will be held ' p.m. Friday, May 1. Nearly 100 art works will be on display in the exhibit including paintings and mixed media.

Viewing hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday to Friday. For more information, call exhibit chairperson Melissa Snyder at 734) 591-1336.

If you have an interesting idea for a story involving the visual or performing arts, call (734) 953-2145.

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Woodland Indians Garden & Gallery hosts a grand opening April 18-19 at its new location 26161 West Six Mile, Redford. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m.

Sunday. Woodland Indiana Trading Company has joined other First-

Nations traders and entrepreneurs to offer a metropolitan Detroit outlet for North American Indian art. crafts, trade goods, and services. The gallery is seeking other traders and artists with quality products, especially those for

consignment. For more information, call (313) 535-7602.

THREE CITIES SHOW

Plymouth watercolorist Phyllis lochlowski is one of 15 members of Three Cities Art Club exhibiting in an annual spring show Thursday-Sunday, April 23-26 at the Canton Public Library, 1200 South Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill, Canton. In addition to Hochlowski's

vatercolors, members, including Yolanda Menchaca and Nancy Walls Smith, will display a total of 39 oil and acrylic paintings.

The exhibit will be held during ibrary hours except for Sunday when it closes at 3:30 p.m. Livonia artist Elbert Weber judges the show awarding first, second and third place, best of show. and the Grumbacher award for best use of color. For more information, call Jackie Daniels at (734) 207-1535.

SPRING BOUQUET

The Schoolcraft College Community Choir performs a selection of choral works to welcome spring in "A Spring Bouquet," 8 p.m. Saturday, April 25, at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church of Livonia, 30900 Six Mile, between Merriman and Middlebelt roads. Donations accepted at the door.

For more information, call (248) 349-8175 or (734) 462-4435

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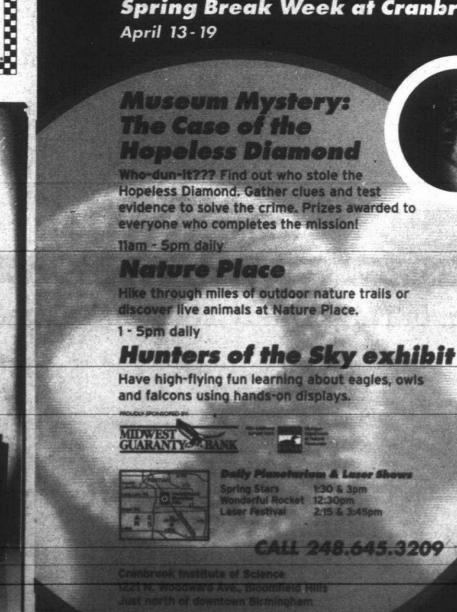
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Then, she said, the abstract expressionists merely took the next step and eliminated all lit eral references.

But Wilkinson cautioned that it's difficult to draw conclusions about the 20th century.

turned away from religious imagery, but younger artists For instance, KiKi Smith,

recently named one of the top 10 artists in America by The Neu York Times created a figurative sculpture, "Lot's Wife," based on the Old Testament parable Wilkinson purchased the piece

gious ideas with gay themes.

"Mainstream artists have

son, paintings like Gauguin's artists who remain in a more

became less of a means to engage the masses, and more of a vehicle for individual expression, said MaryAnn Wilkinson, curator of 20th century art at the Detroit Institute of Arts. for the DIA "Art is not made to teach people religion as it was during Medieval times and the Renais

Instead, according to Wilkin-"Yellow Christ," and works of the traditional style. surrealists like Ernst, Tanguy

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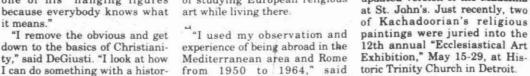
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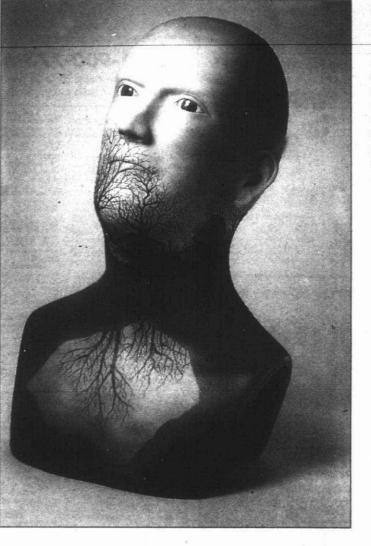
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'Rent' earnest but shallow dumped by

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

Toward the end of "Rent's" mance artist first act, there is a hilarious girlfriend send-up of performance art in which Jonathan Larson sticks a sharp pin in all the pretentiousness and pomposity of that art form. Unfortunately, the rest of narrator. Larson's musical suffers from those very same sins and a few more to boot. "Rent" has settled into a long

run at Detroit's Fisher Theatre. It has won the Obie, Tony and Pulitzer Prize. So this is definitely a minority report

The story of "Rent's" gestation and triumph are legendary. The positive; Detroit's Fisher unknown Larson created his play from the framework of Puccini's "La Boheme," changing the setting from Paris' bohemian Left Bank to the art community in the contemporary East Village. The night before the off-Broadway opening, Larson died at 35 years old. The play, directed by Michael Greif, went on to rave reviews and success off and

on Broadway. "Rent" is earnest and intense.

Boy is it earnest. Larson replaces the lush music

of Puccini with his own take on rock and a pastiche of other pop music styles. The outcome is usually shallow, banal, insipid and loud, but usually not rhyth-

"Rent" is set in an East Village loft and environs. Paul Clay's set is free form and functional enough to suggest the Village as a whole as well as the loft of struggling artists Mark and Roger. An on-stage rock ensemble provides the music. The per-

formers are mic'ed. Larson follows a group of char-

acters suggested by the Puccini characters. Roger is an HIV-posi tive songwriter, Mark is his filmmaker roommate, recently

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Mimi, an HIV-positive drug addict who

falls in love with Roger. As Benny says at one point, "This is Calcutta, Bohemia is dead." Larson doesn't entirely let his characters off the hook. At its best moments, "Rent" acknowledges the responsibility of its characters for their situations. At its worst it creates a fake political situation, caricatures caring parents as buffoons and screeches.

Through most of the play, there is an incessant whine and a hopelessly muddled message of love, brotherhood and understanding, delivered with sledge hammer impact.

Sometimes, the music does break loose. "Out Tonight," sung real intensity and beat. "Santa music.

Fe" is a song that actually shows some irony and wit about the hopeless dreams of this group. The performance art "Over the

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Moon" is a hoot. Greif keeps things frantically moving but can't create subtlety or nuance from Larson's trite lyrics or easy, self-posturing, politically correct take on Village life. The various relationships are not well developed. At one point, a character speaks about holding the "family" together when there was never a suggestion of family. The only relation ship that is seen with any depth is the jealous lesbian relationship of Joanne and Maureen.

The performers are quite good, however, at conveying the angst and style of the characters. Manlev Pope's angry-young-man Roger has a nice swagger and Christian Anderson actually creates sympathy for the conflicted Mark. Evan D'Angeles as the sweet-faced transvestite Angel has a voice and manner similar to Smokey Robinson and a fine stage presence. Erin Keaney is a riot as the sexy, funny Maureen C.C. Brown and Sylvia MacCalla provide strength as Tom Collins and Joanne. Simone (daughter of Nina Simone) gives grit to "Out Tonight," but has to play a basi cally one-note Mimi.

dominantly middle class and un For them "Rent" amounts to self flagellation for all their un-hip sins. Unfortunately, I got an Larson's idea of rock music is a uneasy feeling that there were loud wailing and constant drone. ringers in the audience hooting and cheering throughout Maybe, it was just people who by a frustrated, giddy Mimi has had never heard really good rock

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Guide picks best state snorkeling Snorkeling Guide to Michigan wilderness feel. Definitely a lake to come back to and spend con-

Inland Lakes * By Nancy S. Washburne (Nanmar International)

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

When you think of snorkeling, do you get images of tropical fish darting about in crystal clear waters as warm as a bath. Me. too!

Nancy Washburne, who teach es business at Michigan State University, has done a lot of snorkeling and scuba diving in those warm Caribbean waters. but a camping trip with her son several years ago introduced her to the very different joys of snorkeling in Michigan's inland lakes.

"Snorkeling Guide" is a comprehensive county by county survev of the best lakes for snorkeling, how to get to them and what flora that inhabit our lakes. Washburne sets out criteria of each one.

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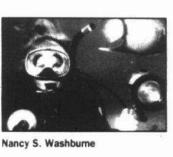
BOOK HAPPENINGS

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BORDERS (BIRMINGHAM

SOUTHFIELD ROAD) Kids Easter Egg Hunt and stories 11 a.m. Sunday, April 12, Dr. Mark Robson discusses "Thank You for Being Such a Pain." 7 p.m. Monday, April 13: Dr. Michael Whitty presents "Chicken Soup for the Soul at Work," 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 14: store time 10-30 am Wednesday, April 15; Curious George, 7 p.m. Saturday. April 18 at the store 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham (248)644-1515.

OUTHFIELD LIBRARY Cyberkids 10:30 a.m. Tuesday.



The book explains what equipment you'll need to take to the water, including how to dress, and what you'll need to get the most out of your explorations. including a section on still and video cameras. Washburne also provides a section with drawings of common plant life and fish and how to identify them.

The entries on each lake are based on diaries Washburne took you'll find when you get there. It covers scores of lakes, so the is also a guide to the sport of entries are short but clear and snorkeling and to the fish and helpful. She also gives detailed information on how to get to

On Cass Lake: "Snorkel near the thousands in the state. She the bulrushes, which is out of the way of the boat traffic. The over big beds of coontails, curly rounded by low brush, giving it a Noble.

> Wednesday, April 15 at the store 17111 Haggerty Road at Six Mile Northville BARNES & NOBLE (ROCHESTER

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April 14; basic internet class,

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Mary Doria Russell discusses and signs "Children of God." 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 14; former Tigers manager Sparky Anderson and Dan Ewald sign "They Call Me Sparky," 1 p.m. Thursday, April 16: Richard Carlson discusses and signs "Don't Sweat the Small Stuff With Your Family." 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 17 at the store 34300 Woodward Ave . Birmingham (248)203-0005

BARNES & NOBLE (NORTHVILLE) Science Fiction club discusses "Star Wars, the Last Command. 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 13: Fiction Club discusses "The Handmaid's Tale," by Margaret Atwood, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 15; story times, 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 14 and 7 p.m.

On Loon Lake: "This lake immediately startled me. thought for a moment I was in Grand Cayman, the water was so clear. We can thank a multitude of zebra mussels for that as they are off to the right of the entrance, covering the fallen logs and branches. The whole under water scene had a brightness

and vividness to it that was exceptional." On Union Lake: "Though the lake is heavily cottaged, this is nevertheless an excellent lake with good visibility and shallow enough to enjoy. It is so incongruous to look down into a wilderness, yet lift you head and only a few feet away see bumper to bumper traffic go by."

To whet the appetite of prospective snorkelers. burne includes several colors plates of underwater activity.

Washburne has set up several area book signings to promote her self-published book: 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 14, at West Bloomfield Barnes & Noble: 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 15, at Novi Borders; 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, at Farmington Hills Borders; 7 p.m. Tuesday, April of the state, both upper and clarity is great and you look out 28 at Birmingham Borders (Woodward); 7:30 p.m. Wednespondweed, chara, wild celery and day, April 29, at Dearborn Bor land County, as well as Lapeer. Brazilian elodea. The entrance is ders and 7:30 p.m. Friday, May Washtenaw and Livingston wide and the entry area is sur- 15, at Northville Barnes &

Sparky Anderson and Dan Ewald

sign "They Call Me Sparky," 6 p.m. Wednesday, April 15 at the store, 2800 S. Rochester Road,

BORDERS (DEARBORN) Sparky Anderson and Dan Ewald sign "They Call Me Sparky," 6 p.m. Tuesday, April 14 at the store 5601 Mercury Drive. Dearborn, (313)271-4441.

BALDWIN PUBLIC LIBRARY BIRMINGHAM) Annual Friends of the Baldwin

Rochester Hills

Public Library Meeting and Literary Even, open to the public features British poet Robin Robertson and Milford poet/essavist Thomas Lynch, 2 p.m. Sunday, April 19, at the library, 300 W. Merrill.

Birmingham (248)647-1700.

Malls & Mainstreets



Sensual shapers: Victoria's Secret has a line of pantyhose that "sculpt the body from waist to toe," with four styles of contouring control panels.

New hosiery is high style

There are three big trends in women's hosiery this season:

* Pantyhose so sheer that they're barely there, in pale, pastel colors, worn under sheer print dresses and skirts * Sheer, patterned pantyhose, worn

under solid color skirts and dresses * Floral, striped or solid color, lightweight, ankle-length socks, paired with long skirts or shorts.

If you truly want to pamper your legs and money is no object, then Wolford brand pantyhose may be for you.



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director of stores for Wolford of America. Neiman Marcus and Saks Fifth Avenue have carried 25 percent of Wolford's hosiery line for many years, but to see the company's complete line of pantyhose and other merchandise (including body suits

"They're the Rolls-

Royce of pantyhose,

and swimsuits), you have to visit one of its boutiques and the only Wolford Boutique in Michigan opened at Somerset South in Troy in

Wolford pantyhose generally run from \$28 to \$60 a pair. What's so special about them? For starters, they're made in Austria, where Wolford is based, on knitting machines that are different from anyone else's in the world, Morgan

"Most hose take 15 minutes to make. Ours takes four hours to complete because of the workmanship involved," she said.

Unlike other brands, Wolford hose has a three-inch thumb guard to prevent runs from occurring when being put on. Also, the back of the hose is three inches bigger than the front and different-sized waist bands are available to accommo-

Most pantyhose on the market today are dyed after the hose have been knitted. But Wolford dyes its yarn before knitting occurs. The result is a product that is the same color throughout.

Most importantly, she said. Wolford pantyhose feel softer, silkier and more comfortable than other brands. Its sheerest line of pantyhose, called Le9 (pronounced Le Neuf), has a denier of 9. Denier is a measurement of the thickness of yarn. The smaller the number. the thinner the varn and the more sheer the pantyhose are.

Wolford's spring and summer collec-tion includes a lot of sheer hose with unique patterns like arches and vines woven into them, and fashion colors. including emotion (a pale beige), marmor (an ivory), and dragee (a pinkish

For more information, call the Wolford Boutique (248) 637-6641.

Donna Karan's Colorwash Collection of pantyhose is also very sheer, and the colors are soft, delicate and based on nature, perfect for spring. Colors include sea grass (a pale green), sea mist (sort of a purplish gray); quartz (a pale pink); storm gray and driftwood also at Neiman Marcus and Saks Fifth Avenue, \$17 to \$19.

The Worthington Sheer Caress pantyhose at JC Penney also comes in some very pretty, limited edition, fashion colors for spring, including maize (a yel-low), light gray (which includes a touch of lavender), blush (a peachy pink) and soft mauve. They have a denier of 20 and cost \$3.95 a pair.

As for socks, I like the delicate floral. striped and/or whimsical offerings by Gold Toe and Yarnworks, \$3 to \$6 a pair at JC Penney; Arrow, \$4 at Sears; Cherokee, \$2.49 to \$3.99 and Merona, \$2.49 to \$2.99 at Target; Liz Claiborne, \$5.75 to \$7 a pair at the Liz Claiborne store, Somerset South, Troy.

A fish story Water pets are the best bet

If spring has you thinking about adding a little kitten, cute puppy or fluffy chick to your household, think again. A pet is a lot of time, expense and trouble. You may want to take the well-worn path to the lowly goldfish and end it at that.

Almost every family has a fish story.

The Wills of Troy, recall the summer they returned home from a week-long vacation to find their goldfish baked on to the side of son Matthew's dresser. Apparently, as the water in his bowl near the west

window, warmed from the heat of the sun, "Goldie" jumped out to escape the rising temperature. Sadly, he got stuck to the side of the dresser where he dried. The Wills had to scrape him off with a spatula.

The McFees of East Lansing, in the rush to get their kids to ballet lessons and basketball practice after school one day, failed to notice that their pregnant guppy was not in her usual water bowl on the kitchen counter It was only while serving the kids pizza that night.

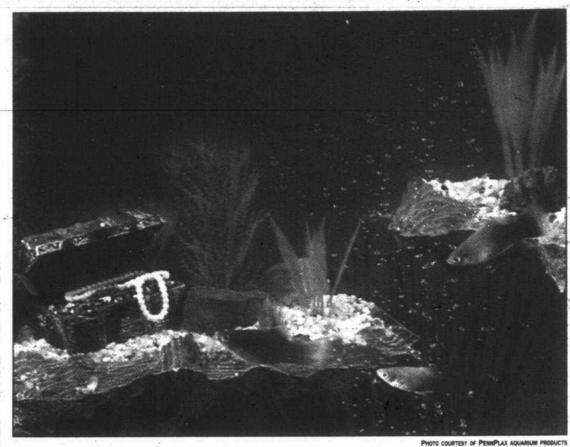
and stepping on an "anchovy" with her bare feet (which she hastily flicked down the garbage disposal) did Mom put two and two together. "Oh my god!" she cried, her hand over her mouth.

"That was no anchovy, that was Allison's guppy!" The evening ended in a back yard prayer service

with an empty box buried near the bushes in memory of "Caribbean" and her unborn guppy babes. Pete Sackleh sales manager at Sea for Yourself Aquarium on Woodward in Royal Oak, said a fish is grows

probably the easiest and cheapest pet a family can have, provided folks follow a few rules. 1. De-chlorinate the tap water or the fish will die

within 24 hours. (Use dechlorinating drops or let the water stand for 24 hours before adding the fish.)



Pick a pet: Is there a child in America today who has not had a goldfish growing up? (And even if you manage never to buy one, they are a sure prize at school fairs.) 2. Don't over feed the fish. Three times a week is Bowls run \$5-\$15.

recommended - a goldfish's stomach is only as big as his eveball 3. Increase the size of the bowl or tank as the fish

4. Keep the water about 68-degrees Fahrenheit. Goldfish are fresh water fish that like it cooler.

Sackleh sells 12 goldfish for \$1. (They are also used as food for the many other exotic aquarium species he sells. "Once you select your fish, you'll need a bowl, grav-

el, food, a net, and a little decoration. The whole setup will run about \$25. If you opt for a 20-gallon tank or bigger, you'll need to add a filtration system to keep the water clean," Sackleh advised.

Goldfish sold locally are commercially bred and purchased from wholesalers in Pontiac, MI, Georgia and Wisconsin, he said.

Eileen Levine, assistant manager at Pet Supplies Plus in Royal Oak, said goldfish typically live three to four years, and some varieties can grow to twoand-a-half-feet. There are 100 different varieties of goldfish.

"If you have a bowl with no heater you can keep olive-colored in the wild, but centuries of captive guppies, goldfish and betas," she explained. "Otherwise you must get an aquarium for tropical fish like neons and angel fish.

Goldfish at Pet Supplies Plus cost between 50- animals gone wild. ILLUSTRATION BY DAN DEMAGGIO cents and \$1.99, depending on their size and variety.

Ranking Michigan's 10 Biggest Malls

Center Name, City

- Northland Center, Southfield 2. Fairlane Town Center, Dearborn
- Lakeside, Sterling Heights
- Summit Place, Waterford Eastland Center, Harper Woods
- Oakland Mall, Troy Genesee Valley Mall, Flint

8. Twelve Oaks, Novi

9. Woodland Mall, Grand Rapids 10. Briarwood, Ann Arbor

There were 986 shopping centers in Michigan in 1996, up from 976 the previous year. Approximately 6.7 million adults shop in the centers each month, according to the International Council of Shopping Centers News.

News of special events for shoppers is included in this calendar. Send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/oThe Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 East Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009; or fax (248) 644-1314. Deadline: Wednesday 5 p.m. for publication on Sunday.

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 12 Holiday hours

Malls and Mainstreet shops closed for the holiday. MONDAY, APRIL 13

Baseball exhibit

Mall hosts baseball museum with exhibits, interactive activities and special guests through May 2. Television screens throughout the mall invite shoppers to relive historical moments of the game. Schools invited to attend as field trips. Oakland Mall. 14 Mile / John R. Troy. (248) 585-6000.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15

Hearing Ald seminar Med Max hosts "Up Close and Personal with Programmable Hearing Aids," 1:30 p.m. sponsored by the Garden City Hospital Audiology Dept. and Personalized Hearing Care. Reservations suggested 35337 West Warren. Westland.

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- Source: National Research Bureau

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

liken Ford, Tennyson Chevrolet and Saturn of Farm ington Hills through April 19. Livonia Mall. Seven Mile / Middlebelt. (2480 476-1160)

Bridal show Neiman Marcus hosts an open house and reception for couples to showcase products and services fo

weddings in the Gift Galleries from 6-9 p.m. Somerset Collection South. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy.

(248) 643-3300. Ext. 2386. Meet Sparky Anderson

Ex-Tiger manager Sparky Anderson signs his new book at Borders from 1-3 p.m. 15-percent of each Border's purchase April 17-19, goes to benefit CATCH for children

Woodward / s. Maple. Birmingham. (248) 203-0005.

FRIDAY, APRIL 17

Fraser Fine Arts Club exhibits and sells their wor through April 26 during regular mall hours. Tel-Twelve Mall. 12 Mile / Telegraph. Southfield

(248) 353-4111. **Meet Mort Crim** News anchor meets and greets visitors and signs his

There are several lines of high protein food especially for goldfish, 99-cents for a small canister, and should they contract an ailment, there are over-the-

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ounter pharmaceuticals to administer. If you really want to jazz up your goldfish bowl, corations available include these deep sea treasures: a diver with air hose, \$5.99; a one-man submarine explorer that travels the aquarium from top to bottom, \$8.99; sunken ships, ruins of Atlantis with holes for the fish to swim through, skeletons behind

ship wheels and mermaids. No serious goldfish owner is without an instruction manual and pet stores have several good titles from

Did you know ...

• Goldfish are from the carp family and are related to minnows

• They have a single dorsal spine, single tail. • A goldfish's fin forms are bred. · Goldfish originally came from China. They are

breeding in Chinese fish ponds led to their colors of orange, gold, white and black. · Goldfish in North America are feral (domestic

Benefit ball

Evening sparkle: Saks Fifth Avenue provided the Badgley Mishka fashions modeled at The Whitney last month to kick off preparations for the annual Red Cross Gala, Saturday, April 18 at the Ritz Carl ton in Dearborn. Tickets for the benefit, which includes dinner, dancing to the music of Mel Ball and Montage, and the chance to bid on David Yurman jewelry designs. are \$200, \$300, and \$500, available by calling (313)

Neiman Marcus hosted the March benefactor dinner.

book at Waldenbooks. 30200 Plymouth. Livonia.

(734) 261-7811. SATURDAY, APRIL 18

Mall concert The Starlite Trio featuring "Sheree" performs 2-4:30 p.m. on stage near Crowley's. Their forte is contempo rary, standards and show tunes. Livonia Mall. Seven Mile / Middlebelt.

(248) 476-1160 Sew mom a gift

Haberman's Fabrics invites kids 8-11 years, to learn to sew while making mom a special pillow from 10:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Repeated on April 25. Cost is: \$25 including materials. Register by phone. 117 West Fourth. Royal Oak.

(248) 541-0010

Kids day at mall 10 a.m. Face painting, 11 a.m. - Hooper the Pis-! on's mascot. Noon and 2 p.m. - Music Makers and their puppet friends. 1 and 3 p.m. - Family Dino & Dixie Revue. 3:30 p.m. - Karate demonstration. Rosco the Clown visits for photos. Universal Mall. 12 Mile/Dequindre. Warren.

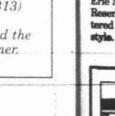
(810) 977-5748. **Curious George visits**

Border's Books hosts a kids party with Curious Little Monkey the guest of honor 7 p.m. Games and story hour.

Southfield / 13 Mile. Birmingham (248) 644-1515.



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RETAIL DETAILS

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tass Pro Shop signs on at

Michigan will become the fifth state to add a Missouri-based Bass Pro hops Outdoor World to its roster of retailers. Bass Pro, will have 135,000quare feet of field and stream gear at the Great Lakes Crossing outlet ter in Auburn Hills when the center opens in November.

The deal was announced at a press conference, April 6, at the nearby Big Buck's Brewery. Gov. John Engler was on hand to point out that the Michigan Jobs Commission worked to bring the store, expected to draw 4 million visitors each year, to the state.

Under an economic development deal, Travel Michigan will conduct joint marketing with Bass Pro Shops - Travel Michigan will advertise in Bass Pro catalogs for the next 4-6 years, and Bass Pro will advertise in Michigan's tourism catalog for the next three years. Great Lakes Crossing is a Taubman shopping/entertainment center

under construction at I-75 and Baldwin Road. Other anchors at the mall include a Neiman Marcus, JC Penney and Saks Fifth Avenue outlet, Rainforest Cafe, Oshman's Super Sports-USA, Wolfgang Puck Cafe, Group USA and Marshall's, Bed, Bath & Beyond and Star Theatres complex, to name a few

Mall hosts job fair

Westland Center invites local businesses to staff a recruiting table at the second annual Job & Careers Fair Saturday, April 25 from 10 a.m. to 6 n.m. For details call (734) 326-7222.

Clinton gummies debu

All-American Gummi Bills (red, white and blue gummi candy heads resembling President Clinton) have been introduced with humorous graphics combined with slogans such as "Politically Correct, Scandalously Delicious."

"The idea for Gummi Bills was hatched long before Monica Lewinsky became a household name, according to Jeff Munchak, whose company, Mugwump Creations, began distributing it last October (in stores or call 888-289-9867).

Kmart sponsors walk

Kmart invites shoppers to participate in the nation's biggest walking event — the March of Dimes WalkAmerica, to raise funds to help babies and their parents. WalkAmerica takes place in more than 1,500 communities April 25-26. Pick up a sponsor form at your Kmart Service Desk.

Transitions shop at Gorman's

Because of all the lifestyle changes people go through today, Gorman's furniture stores are introducing a new way to shop for home furnishings Intro is a store-within-a-store at three Gorman's locations beginning April 16 - Troy, Novi and Dearborn. The Southfield store will get a Intro department by late summer. According to Gorman's president Bernie Moray, 58, a greater portion of

the population is starting-out or starting over than in the past creating the need for less-complicated, more-streamlined living spaces and furnishings. The traditional lifestyle with a single-career, lifetime marriage, home ownership in one area, followed by retirement, is virtually non-existent today," he said. "That's where Intro steps in."

Intro will showcase style, design and value, at a lower price range.

Princess rings debut

The Susan B. Ashlee Co. in Livonia is selling a tribute ring in memory of Princess Diana. The crystal ring is \$45 and delivery is available by calling (734) 422-8700

Recycled clothing made for kids

Petticoats, 643 North Mill in Plymouth's Old Village, recycles worn denim jeans into fun jacket designs for children with pockets and collars of vintage chenille, quilt or bark cloth. Sizes range from infant to Size 10 Owner Diana Licht welcomes inquiries and stitches new garments daily (734) 455-5109.

Shop hosts information series

The bath and body shop Naturally at 550 Forest in Plymouth, is hosting a series of educational classes Wednesdays from 6:45 p.m. to 9 p.m. begin ning April 15 with

Massage Therapy by Robin Veros of Just Relax; April 22 Aromatherapy and Foot Massage; April 29 Neck and Shoulder Massage. The classes are \$20 each or \$50 for three.. For more details call (734) 453-9491.

Costco is hiring for opening

The five Costco Warehouse stores opening in metro Detroit are looking to hire 700 people by the early May opening. Interested persons can apply at the stores at 2343 S. Telegraph in Bloomfield Township; 20000 Haggerty in Livonia; 13700 Middlebelt in Livonia; 30550 Stephenson in Madison Heights; or 27118 Gratiot in Roseville.

Mall hosts teen pageant

Young women interested in becoming Miss Westland 1998 can pick up an application for the festival pageant at the Customer Service Desk in East Court at the Westland Center, Wayne and Warren. The mall will host the Miss Westland Festival Pageant, Saturday, June 27 at 7 p.m. in East

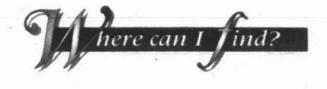
Fun event for history buffs

The Ladies of the 1812 Reenactment Committee invite interested persons to a Victorian afternoon filled with refreshments, games and prizes and a vintage fashion show, Sunday, June 14 from 1 to 3:30 p.m. at Lake Erie Metropark's Marshlands Museum.

Reservations at \$10 per person, are required and space is limited. Registered guests will decorate and take home a table decoration of Victorian style. For more information call (734) 671-0245 or (734) 289-1860.

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What we found • Small bagels or bagelettes for Connie can be found at Awrey's on Farmington in Livonia. · Clean shower can be found at Farmer Jack's,

Kroger and ACE Hardware stores. · We found the directions for the game Water Works, a mist curling iron and Avon's hummingbird stemware

and a Sawyer's slide carousel • Small brass ducks are at Brass Crafters in Livonia

Mall near Crowley's. · For movies try Sun Coast Video at Twelve Oaks or Laurel Park Place.

· Reproduction photos of Tiger Stadium and old auto plants can be found through Manning Brothers owned by Forbes Management (313) 961-6451.

• Stuffed bunnies 14 to16-inches can be found at a Walled Lake antique store on Maple. • Nora called to say she found a diamond stylist for

her stereo at Remcor Electronics at 9 Mile in Oak • Fat-free organic milk can be found at Kroger at 13

Mile and Woodward, also Holiday Market on S. Main in Royal Oak (248) 541-1414, Busch's Market, Five Mile and Sheldon in Plymouth (734) 414-5200, Hiller's Food Emporium, Five Mile and Haggerty in Plymouth (734) 420-5555; Hiller's in Walled Lake (248) 960-1990, or the following distributors will be able to give you more stores where the milk might be carried: Country Diary in New Era, Michigan (616) 861-662, Golden Dairies in Oak Park (248) 399-3120 and Caulder Diary in Lincoln Park.

We're still looking for:

· Charlene wants all occasion cards in Russian. · Gertrude is looking for washable men's' Haggar 42long suits or separates; and a child's book called My Big Red Ball.

• Delores hopes to locate a Madonna & Child outside garden statue; a bath tub mat (long) fits the whole bottom of the tub.

• Mrs. Gage wants Velvet Cake and pastry flour 5 lb.

· Patty wants an 18-inch statue of Michaelangelo's David, chalk with bronze paint on it. • Sander's Caramel Cake or similar to it for Cheryl.

· For Trish, Popit Beads in White (pearl looking) they plug into each other to lengthen and pop apart. • Margaret is looking for a Naples Junior High

(Dearborn) vearbook from 1943 • Patricia is looking for 1989 color photos of the Northern lights. • Lee Ann wants the toy Terrifying Hydra (Hercules-

line) from Disney. • Daisy Kingdom dress pattern by Simplicity, size 1/2.

• Size 12 or larger ladies shoes for Teresa. · Jodie wants Old Diamond Fort cheese in 3 or 5 lb. rounds

• Anne is looking for Hot Salt from Texas Traditions. · Keith needs an Old Vernor's ginger ale glass fountain dispenser

• Angela is looking for a 10-inch bear sold at Target in 1996 at Christmas, has red pajamas, santa hat and rabbit slippers.

· Gail is looking for a woman's dress shoe, in Peau De Soie size 9D. • Karen hopes to find a bud vase 6 to 8-inches in the

shape of a fish, clear or colorful. · Joanne is looking for an outdoor game called Scram Ball. It has different colored wrist bands, the ball has sides to it. It was out a few years ago

· For Donna, Richards Tea Bags. · A set of Care Bear twin sheets and cases for Julie Ann.

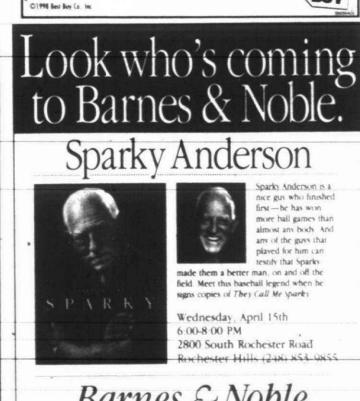
• Marcia wants a recording of Jesus, you're the center of my joy, CD or cassette. - Compiled by Sandi

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Correction Notice

In our April 12 ad, we featured the DVD movie LA Confidential as available Tuesday, April 14. The manufacturer of this title has pushed its release date back to Tuesday, April 21. We are offering rainchecks for this title. We apologize for any confusion or inconvenience this may have caused.







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TRAVEL Couple gets taste of new daughter's Chinese heritage

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

She's already become good friends with the family cat and dog, and she knows all about Elmo and Big Bird. She bounces happily on a bear and points to her own picture and squeals, "Baby.

Kathryn Mauck, 1-1/2, is one of more than 4,000 Chinese girls who came to the United States last year, making adjustments to new families and a new world.

Dale and Laura Mauck of Farmington Hills traveled to China to adopt their new daughter and learn something about the rich culture of her homeland.

Laura Mauck said she had

undergone infertility treatments and nothing worked, so the couple decided to adopt.

"We originally started looking into Russian adoption, but that didn't work out," Mauck said.

Working with a Grand Rapids adoption agency, they began investigating adopting a Chinese baby.

"On Oct. 24, our agency called and told us about Kathryn and we had a choice to accept or not. We adopted Kathryn on Dec. 9 and came home on Dec. 20," Mauck said.

That trip was an adventure, full of the joy of meeting a new daughter and the frustrations of emergency hospital care and

missed connections.

"Our adoption agency told us we should meet in Beijing," Mauck said.

The agency suggested that flying into the Chinese capital would give the Maucks a chance to see some of the wonders of China before flying to Changsha in the Hunan Province to meet their daughter. The Maucks visited the Ming Tombs, the Great Wall and the Forbidden City.

"The Great Wall was beautiful, something you can't describe, the size and beauty is amazing," Mauck said. "We walked along the wall when it was cold and snowy. The Chinese people are hard workers. It's amazing how hard they work. There are people who just shovel the Great Wall."

Kathryn was born in the industrial city of Shaoyang just south of Changsha. She was abandoned on a bridge when she was just four days old and taken into a social security home for indigent elderly. In China, families are restricted to one child and because of cultural and economic considerations, male children are more highly valued.

"A lot of female children are abandoned or left. Twenty-five American couples were there adopting girls that we had seen," Mauck said

The adoption went smoothly but not the trip.

Kathryn became a little ill and had to be taken to a Chinese hospital. Mauck said an assistant to the group's translator, Samson, helped smooth the way and get Kathryn to a more modern clinic where she received help.



Wonderful sight: Dale and Laura Mauck of Farmington Hills enjoyed experiencing China's rich heritage.

Mauck said the family also received help when their flight back to Beijing ran into delays. After two attempts to fly to Beijing, the plane landed somewhere else. The Maucks were the only English-speaking people on the plane. A bus took them to wait overnight at a hotel. The next day, they spent waiting in an airport. They had already missed their connecting flight

"There we were in Beijing at 7:30 at night, we had missed our flight back to the states," Mauck said. "But it worked out well. We ran into two Canadians and we stuck with them, they were in the same boat and had missed their flight to Vancouver.'

back to Detroit

The Canadians located a hotel and the Maucks secured a taxi. They ended up staying the night in a five-star hotel, "as nice or nicer than anything I've stayed at in the states.

Since returning to the United States the Maucks have become involved with the Metro Detroit Families with Children from China, a group that helps adopted children maintain their birth ulture

"We celebrate Chinese holidays. Once a month we have play groups where children get together and interact. We have a Chinese culture day ... It's a support group for people interested in adopting children from China," Mauck said.

Mauck said it is important that Kathryn know her culture. Mauck also brought back many Chinese items to remind her of her heritage, including a traditional chop mark kit.

When the Maucks returned they also had Kathryn examined for lead poisoning, a common problem for children adopted in China. The doctor found elevated lead levels but said living here should reduce those levels over time

Meanwhile, Kathryn is an alert, active young girl discovering new things every day about her new home.

Laura Mauck is staying home to take care of her new daughter. Dale is a supervisor in the City of Southfield Water Department.

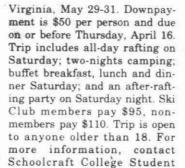
At home: Kathryn Mauck is adjusting nicely to her new home in Farmington Hills.

GREAT ESCAPES

Great Escapes features various travel news items. Send news leads to Hugh Gallagher, assistant managing editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, fax them to (313) 591-7279 or e-mail them to hgallagher@ oe. homecomm. net

WHITE WATER RAFTING

The Edgerunner Ski Club has extended the deadline for a white water rafting trip to West



4422. Last week's Great Escapes incorrectly listed the deadline as April 19:

CRUISE NIGHT

Bob and Rita Pniewski of CruiseOne announce a cruise night for all motorsports enthusiasts to be held at Westland Bowl 7 p.m. Thursday, April 16. Interested race fans should contact them at (734)397-9670 for reservations. The night will fea-

sports Theme Cruise aboard the Norwegian Wind. This cruise is a seven-day Western Caribbean adventure. Drivers from NASCAR, CART, Indy Car League, NHRA and F1 are scheduled to be on board for photo and autograph session.

NEW YORK PACKAGES

Pro Air, through Hamilton, Miller, Hudson & Fayne (HMHF Fun Vacations) Travel Corp., Southfield, will provide customers with complete travel packages between Detroit City Airport and New York City via

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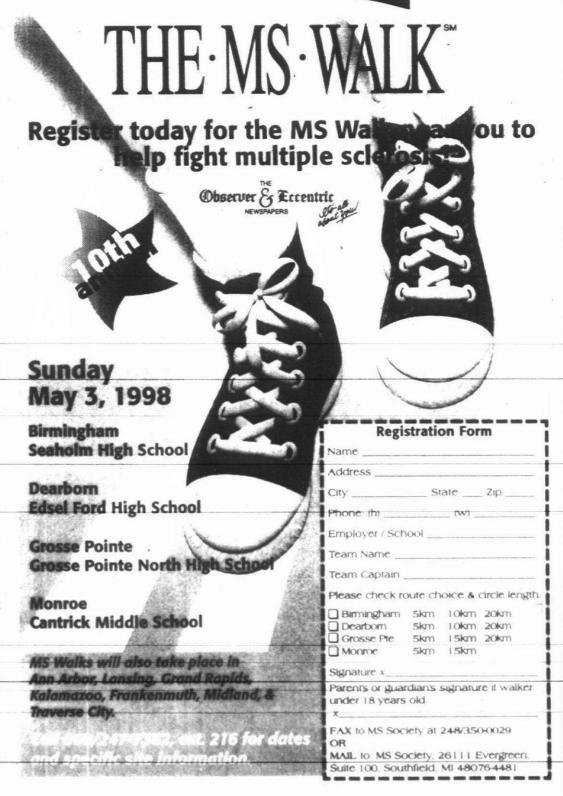


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and even theater tickets. Pro Air and HMHF have created affordable travel packages from Detroit to the Big Apple," said Craig E. Belmondo, Pro Air president and chief operating officer.

For reservations, call 800-939-9551. To book a complete travel package travelers may call HMHF Fun Vacations at 800-669-4466.





Activities Office at (734)462ture information on the Motor-



OBSERVER SPORTS SCENE

Madonna's Rocho lauded

Last season, Daryl Rocho played catcher for Madonna University. He made the transition to third base this season, but the move hasn't bothered his hitting one bit.

Rocho hit .379 with two homers, 10 doubles and 26 runs batted in as a sophomore last season. He's already surpassed all those figures this year.

Rocho was named Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference baseball player of the week for his performance March 29-April 5. In a sixgame span during that period, Rocho - from Fraser - was 10-for-17 at the plate (.588 average) with five doubles and five RBI.

Which about matches his season averages. Through last Sunday, Rocho was batting .430 with team highs in doubles (15), homers (seven), RBI (33) and runs scored (26).

A sweep of WHAC rival Tri-State Monday and a split at non-league Tiffin Tuesday improved Madonna's record to 5-3 in the conference (third place) and 13-15 overall.

Golf leagues forming

Ladies golf leagues will begin the week of April 27 at Golden Bear Golf Center (formerly Oasis) in Plymouth. There are beginner and intermediate leagues to choose from.

Tee times are available from 4:10-6:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 7:30-9:30 a.m. Wednesdays.

Call (734) 420-4653 for more information.

Rockers ready to camp

The Detroit Rockers soccer season is over, but they aren't through yet. They will begin their eighth year of hosting summer soccer camps at sites throughout the metro-Detroit area. with stops included in Livonia, Plymouth, Canton and Farmington.

Last year, more than 2,000 kids age 6-to-16 took advantage of the Rockers' soccer expertise. This year, there are 22 sites scheduled, with the first camp set to start June 15 at Livonia's Bicentennial Park.

Cost for the five-day, half-a-day camps is \$99 if registration is completed before May 1 (afterwards, cost is \$119). There will be one week long (five days), full-day camp July 13-17 at the Franklin Racquet Club in Southfield (cost: \$169 before May 1,, \$189 after).

Included in the camp package, all participants will receive a Kendis NPSL soccer ball, a camp T-shirt, a 4x6 group photo, two free tickets to a Detroit Red Wings pre-season hockey

Storm draws 1st blood, beats Whalers



way?

Whalers' coach Pete DeBoer had predicted.

Now, of course, the question is: Will it stay this

It was every-

thing Plymouth

Certainly the Whalers are hoping not. Their 2-1 loss to the Guelph Storm in their Ontario Hockey League semifinal opener in Guelph Friday was just what DeBoer thought it would be - a defensive struggle. Guelph, after all, was the OHL's top team during the

regular season, and the reason the Storm reached such heights was defense. They ranked among the league's best defensive teams.

The Whalers, on the other hand, are not a bad defensive team. But playmaking and quick offensive strikes are their favorite style of play.

Still, although it would seem the Storm had the upper hand going into the series - home ice advantage, more rest than the Whalers (who clinched their series against Belleville last Tuesday; Guelph clinched two days earlier) - it must be remembered that Plymouth swept their season series, 4-

3 and 5-0.

Also, Plymouth beat Guelph for the OHL championship in 1996.

Friday's opener, however, was just the way Guelph liked it. The Storm scored first, getting a goal from Brian Willsie at the 7:36 mark of the second period.

The Whalers managed to tie it with a power-play goal, scored by Yuri Babenko 3 1/2 minutes later. Steve Wasylko and Randy Fitzgerald assisted

The game-winner was scored by Guelph's Eric Beaudoin at 11:19 of the final period.

Plymouth goalie Robert Esche was again superb, making 36 saves on 38 shots. However, Guelph's Chris Madden was even better, stopping 38 of 39 shots.

INSIDE: Soccer, D3

The Whalers' scoring throughout the playoffs has been generated largely by the threesome of David Legwand, Harold Druken and Andrew Taylor (a combined 22 goals in 11 previous games). Those three, however, were completely shut down by the Storm, failing to score a point.

But that's just the first round. The second game is at 7:30 p.m. Monday at Plymouth's Compuware Arena.

Rocks can't catch Spartans

Livonia Stevenson scored an impressive girls track victory Wednesday by upending defending Western Lakes Activities Association champion Plymouth Salem, 77-59.

The Spartans, now 3-0 on the young season, captured 11 of 17 events.

"Comparing our previous meets on the same day I figured we had a shot going in," Stevenson coach Paul Holmberg said. "And we've had good luck 'against them on their track in the rain.'

The trio of Kelly Travis, Christie Tzilos and Kelly McNeilance each figured in three firsts.

Travis, a senior, captured the 800- and 1,600meter runs with times of 2:29.8 and 5:26.6, respectively. She also teamed up with Danielle Harris, Andrea Parker and McNeilance to win the 3,200 relay in 10:03.8.

Tzilos won the 100- and 300 hurdles with times of 17.1 and 48.9, respectively. McNeilance won the 400 dash in 1:02.4.

The two also combined with Nicole Dettloff and Katie Sherron for a first in the 1,600 relay (4:16.4). "Christie isn't really in love with the 100 hurdles,

but she's kind of been forced into it because of the injury to Cassie Ehlendt," Holmberg said. "And Kelly McNeilance is not a 400 runner by choice, but we're trying to develop some others there. She's more suited for the 800, 1,600 and 3,200 where she could score more points. By running the 400, she's limited to a couple of relays.

"But right now both are helping the team an awful lot.

Other individual Spartan firsts were recorded by Katie Mitchell in the pole vault (6-6), freshman Polasky in the high jump (4-8) and Dettloff in the long jump (14-11).

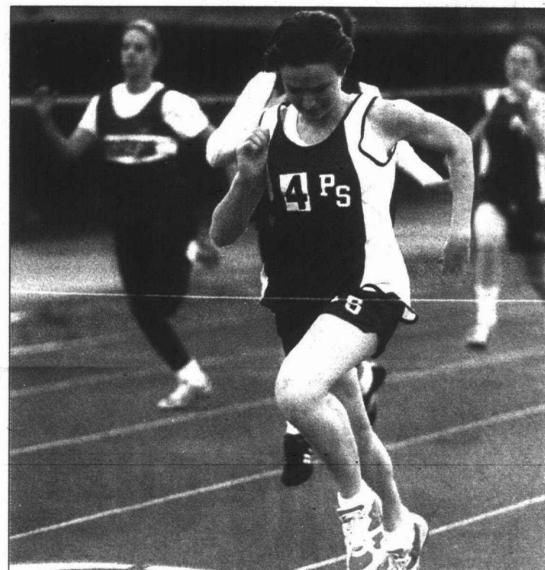
Stevenson individual seconds were recorded by Emily Yambasky, discus (106-7); Sherron, 300 hurdles (50.9); Parker, 800 run (2:32.0); Detfloff, 200 dash (27.6); and McNeilance, 3,200 run (12:28.0).

Salem had a pair of double winners - Tiffany Grubaugh in the shot put (33-3) and discus (118-11), and Rachel Jones in the 100 (13.0) and 200 (27.0).

Salem's other firsts came in the 400 relay (53.7) and 800 relay (1:53.62).

> WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 71 **FARMINGTON HIGH 57** April 8 at John Glenn

Shot put: Javonna Akins (WJG), 21-1; discus: Erin Allen (F).



game, and one VIP season pass for the 1998-1999 Rockers indoor soccer season.

Local sites available are: Bicentennial Park in Livonia, 9:30 a.m.-noon June 15-19; Heritage Park in Plymouth, 9:30 a.m.-noon July 6-10; Canton Recreation Complex in Canton, 9:30 a.m.-noon July 20-24; Little Caesars Field in Farmington, 1-3:30 p.m. July 27-31; and Bicentennial Park in Livonia, 1-3:30 p.m. Aug. 3-7.

To register, or for more information, call the Rockers at (313) 396-7070.

Salem football boosters

The Plymouth Salem Linebackers Football Booster Club will have its monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 22 in the Salem HS cafeteria. Parents of any boy playing, or wishing to play, football this fall are both welcome and encouraged to attend.

Among topics to-be discussed: the golf outing, picnic and other fundraisers. For further information, call club president Joe Mestrovich at (734) 459-1122

Coach wanted

Plymouth Canton HS is in need of a cheerleading coach. Qualifications for applicants: must be a high school graduate, must have experience in high school-level cheerleading, and must have a schedule compatible of the high school.

To apply, contact Canton HS principal Pat Patton at (734) 416-7545. Deadline for application is 3 p.m. April 17.

For further information, contact Rick Opasik, president of the Canton Cheerleading Club, at (734) 981-1905 after 5 p.m. weekdays.

94-9; high jump: LaToya Chandler (WJG), 5-0; long jump: Nicolette Jarrett (WJG), 16-3; 100-meter hurdles: Nicole Herring (WJG), 16.6; 300 hurdles: Herring (WJG), 52.1; 100 dash: Kania Adams (WJG), 12.7; 200: Jarrett (WJG), 26.3; 400: Kate Adams (F), 1:04.9; 800: Adams (F), 2:40.1; 1,600: Ellen Adams (F), 6:07.4; 3,200: Natalie Dawson (F), 12:52.8; 400 relay: John Glenn (Adams, Herring, Chandler, Jarrett), 52.2; 800 relay: John Glenn (Adams, Herring, Chandler, Jarrett), 1:52.9: 1,600 relay: John Glenn (DeAnna McCargo, Erica

Double-winner: Plymouth Salem had six firsts against Livonia Stevenson, and Rachel Jones collected two of them. Jones (above) won both the 100-meter and 200-meter dashes.

Robertson, LaTasha Chandler, LaToya Chandler), 4:44.9; 3,200 relay: Farmington (K. Adams, Dawson, Lindsey Mergener, E. Adams), 11:17.4.

NORTHVILLE 80 LIVONIA ERANKLIN 59 April 8 at Franklin Shot put: Danielle Wensing (LF), 34-9 1/2; discus: Gorshak

Dual meet records: Gienn, 1-2.

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Keil's record is key in Chiefs' win over Chargers

For the second straight meet, Livonia Churchill junior standout Ryan Kearney figured in four firsts, but Plymouth Canton came away with the Western Lakes Activities Association-Western Division boys track win in a thriller on Wednesday, 71-66.

Kearney won three individual events including impressive clockings in the 200-meter dash (22.2) and 110 hurdles (14.5). He also took the high jump (6 feet) and tamed up with Matt Weber, Brandon LaPointe and John

BOYS TRACK

McCullum to win the 1,600 relay (3:40.0)

hunter's orange," Churchill coach Rick Austin said. "He ran today like he was shot out of a cannon, and it was a semi-cold day. He's been working real hard.

"And it was a good meet. We were competitive all the way through."

Canton was led by Kevin Keil, who broke his own school record in the shot put with a toss of 52-2. Keil set the mark only a week earlier at 51-7. He also took the discus (143-6).

Another double winner for the host Chiefs was Shaun Moore, who swept the 800 and 1,600 runs in 2:04.5 and 4:41.9, respectively.

Other Canton firsts were recorded by Eric Larsen in the long jump, 18-4 1/4; Nate Howe, 100 dash, 11.7; and Larry Anderson, 400, 54.7.

Canton's 400 and 800 relay teams were also victorious.

Howe, Gary Lee, Karamijit Singh and Jason Falardeau won the 400 relay in 46.8, while the quartet of Howe, Anderson, Larsen and Jerry Gaines took the 800 relay in 1:38.2.

Other Churchill individual firsts were garnered by Weber in the pole vault (11-0) and Jason Richmond in the 3,200 (10:27.0).

The team of McCullum, LaPointe,

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Bennett's barrage carries Salem past Patriots

Geoff Bennett lit a fire under a slum-bering Plymouth Salem offense, slugging two home runs to lead the Rocks to a 5-3 triumph over Livonia Franklin Wednesday in a Western Lakes Activities Association crossover baseball game at Franklin.

"We played better offensively, we had our chances," said Salem coach Dale Rumberger, his team now 2-1 overall. "We're playing pretty well."

In his next breath, Rumberger noted hat while the Rocks collected nine hits, they missed on far too many of their scoring opportunities.

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Indeed, without Bennett's long-ball assault, Franklin would have emerged with its first win of the season. Bennett, a junior right-fielder, smacked a two-run homer after Joe Rizzi had doubled to highlight Salem's four-run second inning.

Chris Longpree did the rest of the damage for the Rocks in that inning with a two-run double.

Salem's offense concluded with Ben-

nett's solo hemer in the fourth.

Other two-hit hitters for Salem were Longpree, who had two doubles, and Corey Wacker, with two singles

Franklin scored a run on Joe Ruggerio's double in the third (Ruggerio had two hits in the game) and got two more on Tom Jones' two-run single in the fifth

Kurt Berlin evened his pitching record at 1-1 with the victory. He worked five innings, giving up two earned runs on seven hits and a walk, with six strikeouts. Jason Cox got the save for Salem, giving up one hit and

no walks while striking out three in two innings

David Word took the loss for Franklin. He allowed five runs on nine hits, two walks and a hit batsman, but struck out eight — a stat that contin ues to bother Rumberger.

"We're striking out way too much that's 26 strikeouts in three games, which is driving me nuts," he noted. "Our guys seem to be so picky at what the swing at.

"Some of these guys are new. They're

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Crusaders get back on track with 3 wins

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Madonna University's baseball team showed it had no intention of coming home from an eight-games-in-four-days road trip saddled with an overload of losses. After losing three of their first four games on the trip at St. Xavier University in Chicago last weekerd, the Fighting Crusaders traveled to Tri-State University in Angola, Ind., Monday and Tiffin University in Tiffin, Ohio, Tuesday for a pair of double-head,

The result: three wins, one loss.

Most important was the rescheduled twinbill played against Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference rival Tri-State Monday. Madonna won both games, 6-4 and 10-4, thanks to some solid hitting (a total of 21 hits) and good pitching (five earned runs allowed in the two games).

That, combined with Tuesday's 14-12 loss and 9-8 win at non-league Tiffin, left the Crusaders with a 13-15 overall record and a 5-3 mark in the WHAC.

the week last week, continued his blis-

BASEBALL

tering offensive assault. In the 6-4 opening win over Tri-State, he went 3-for-3 and slugged his fifth home run of the season, a two-out, three-run shot in the first inning. Rocho had four runs batted in in the game.

Kevin Foley added two hits and two RBI, and Aaron Shrewsbury had two hits and scored two runs. E.J. Roman got the pitching win, his

first (1-0). Roman allowed four runs (one earned) on six hits and five walks in 6 2/3 innings, striking out six. Jason Carter came on after the Thunder had struck for three runs in the seventh to get the final out and earn the save, his second

In the 10-4 second-game win over Tri-State, Rocho contributed two more hits - both doubles, giving him 15 for the season - and three more RBI, but it Daryl Rocho, named WHAC player of was Shrewsbury who earned offensive star honors. Shrewsbury slugged his

trips), three runs scored and four RBI.

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Brandon Jaskolski added three hits (from Plymouth Canton) had two hits and scored twice. Jeff Gutt (Redford Catholic Central)

evened his pitching record at 1-1 with the top half of the inning without the seventh homer of the season, a grand the win, giving up four earned runs on benefit of a hit, on two errors and two slam. six hits and four walks, with two strikeouts, in seven innings.

Madonna 12-9, Tiffin 14-8: The crowded road trip didn't seem to bother the Crusaders' hitters. At Tiffin Tuesday, they banged out 22 more hits in getting a split.

The opening game, a 14-12 loss in 11 put seven runs on the board in the first getting an RBI. three innings, but the Crusaders rallied to tie it up.

Madonna took a 9-8 lead in the top of walks. But Tiffin used one hit, two walks, a hit batsmen and an error by catcher Delano Voletti to re-tie it in the bottom half of the inning.

The game-winner was scored by Tiffin homers and 33 RBI. on a run-scoring single in the bottom of

the 10th. Rocho had three hits and four RBI in two hits. innings, featured a spectacular - if the game, and Voletti, Foley and Marwasted - Madonna comeback. Tiffin cotte each had two hits, with Voletti

> Paul Barkai started and lasted 7 1/3 on 10 hits and seven walks, with eight five walks, with five strikeouts.

lead. He finished with two hits (in two J.R. Taylor's two-run home run (his run on one hit and one walk, with three strikeouts.

In the second game, it was Madonna bottom half of the inning. The Cru- scored all nine of their runs in the first saders best chance to win came in the three innings, five of them coming in eighth, when they scored three times in the first thanks in large part to Rocho's

Through 28 games (he's been in 27), Rocho leads Madonna in every offensive category except at-bats, walks and triples. He's batting .430 with 26 runs scored, 37 hits, 15 doubles, seven

Marcotte contributed two hits and two RBI, and Jaskolski and Voletti each had

Bob Mason survived some errant defensive play from his Madonna teammates to even his record at 3-3. Mason went seven innings and allowed eight to score seven times in the fifth inning innings, giving up 12 runs (10 earned) runs (just one earned) on six hits and

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Madonna manages to split with Cards

It was a big rally, in a big game, at a very big time for Madonna University's softball

The Lady Crusaders had split a Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference double-header with a weak Siena Heights team the week before, then lost twice at Saginaw Valley State the day before. On Wednesday, they hosted one of the toughest teams in the WHAC: Concordia College.

The first game looked like trouble for Madonna - until the seventh inning, when the Crusaders squeezed out a run to tie it at 1-1. But the Cardinals came right back to regain the lead with a run in the top of the eighth, and Madonna was back on the spot.

But a two-run single by Jenny Kruzel in the bottom of the eighth rescued the Crusaders, giving them a 3-2 victory. Concordia bounced back to win the nightcap, 12-2 in six innings (10-run mercy rule), leaving Madonna at 15-12-1 overall, 6-6 in the WHAC. Concordia is 15-5 overall and 8-2 in the WHAC.

In the pivotal opener, Madonna's Angie VanDoorn outdueled Concordia's Kelly Kennedy to gain the win. VanDoorn allowed two earned runs on six hits and two walks, striking out five to even her record at 6-6. Kennedy allowed three earned runs on eight hits and one walk, fanning eight.

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Stephanie Dick and Courtney Senger each collected two hits for Madonna, with Marissa Mittleman adding a hit and an RBI. In the second game, Shanna Price started

but was pummeled, surrendering eight runs (three earned) on nine hits and a walk, with one strikeout. Janel Leschinger relieved and gave up four earned runs on eight hits and an RBI. three walks in four innings, with one strike-

Kennedy started for Concordia and worked the first four innings, allowing one run on six hits (no walks) with four strikeouts to improve to 15-3.

Vicki Malkowski, Kristy McDonald (from Redford Thurston) and Stacey Piontkowski each had two hits in the game for Madonna, with Malkowski and Piontkowski each getting an RBI.

Saginaw Valley 8-9, Madonna 5-8: Madonna's defense was non-existant Monday in a double-header against visiting Saginaw Vallev State The Crusaders gave up seven unearned

runs on 11 errors in the two games. VanDoorn suffered the defeat in the first game, allowing four earned runs on 11 hits and a walk, with five strikeouts in seven innings. Madonna committed seven errors in the game.

Shawna Greene had two of the Crusaders' four hits, with Malkowski getting a hit and

In the second game, Leschinger surrendered nine runs (six earned) on seven hits and three walks, with six strikeouts, in 5 2/3 innings.

Five of Madonna's 10 hits were for extra bases. Christy Riopelle had two hits, including a double, and three RBI; Kruzel had a double and a single, driving in two runs: Piontkowski had a double and a single, scoring two runs; and Malkowski had a hit and two



PREP BASEBAL

Redford CC at Brother Rice, 11 a.m. GIRLS SOFTBALL

Monday, April 13 Whitmore Lake at PCA (2), 4 p.m. Saturday, April 18 Salem, Canton, Franklin, Wayne Memorial at Taylor Tournament, 9 a.m.

BOYS TRACK Saturday, April 18 Salem at Mansfield Relays, TBA

Canton at Dearborn Elks Relays, TBA GIRLS TRACK Saturday, April 18

Lady Chief Relays at Plymouth Canton, 10 a.m.

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Churchill at Salem utes.

It was just starting to look good for Plymouth Salem's softball team Wednesday, when the Rocks played their game at Western Lakes Activities Associ-

ation rival Livonia Franklin. Trailing for most of the game fifth to knot it at 4-4. (3-2 after one inning, 4-3 after three), Salem - which was the home team; the game was at



used to junior varsity ball and overall record to 5-3, while figure they'll get a couple of Churchill drops to 4-3. pitches over the middle of the plate. But when you get to varsity, you don't get that. You might the win. get one good pitch to hit in every at-bat

up for a while.

Livonia Churchill in a WLAA nia Stevenson (1-4 overall). crossover game. The win improves Central's tans, 12-8.



Josh Monthei and Joe Robinson won the 3,200 relay in 8:46.1. Churchill, which won the Livona Public Schools meet, is 0- 200: Clemens (N). 23.4: 400: NICK 1 in duals. Canton is 1-1.

April 8 at Farmington Shot put: Jim Doherty (WJG), 36 feet 4 inches: discus: Kurt Boardman (WJG) 134-8; high jump: John Lowry (F), 6-3; Schneider), 8:46.4. long jump: Tim Moore (WJG). 20-4; pole vault: Jeff Frederick (F), 10-6: 110- all meter hurdles: Moore (WJG), 16.6; 300 hurdles: Josh Keyes (WJG), 43.9; 100 dash: Harden James (WJG). 11.4; 200: Dan Smitherman (WJG), 24.17; 400: Nick Colson (F), 56.2; 800: Justin Keyes (WJG). 2:13.9; 1,600: P.J. John Glénn (Bozer, White, Spearmon,

ington, 0-2.



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first homer of the season in the fifth inning, a three-run shot that allowed Moderna to worked the Madonna cause in the Moderna to worked the tainly helped the Madonna cause in the final two innings and was charged with Madonna to overcome a 4-2 Tri-State fifth. So did Rocho's two-run single and the loss (he's 0-4), allowing one earned

fifth) and two RBI, Jeff Warholik had two the sixth on Rocho's two-run homer (his that built the early lead then had to hits and an RBI, and Eric Marcotte sixth), but Tiffin rallied to tie it in the hang on for the win. The Crusaders

Seniuch's hat trick lifts Rocks to victory

Kristina Seniuch was all the offense Plymouth Salem's soccer team needed Wednesday in subduing Western Lakes Activities Association rival Livonia

The junior forward poured in three goals as the Rocks ripped Churchill 3-1 The win raised Salem's record to 6-0

overall. The Chargers fell to 4-2. "We played pretty well," said Salem coach Doug Landefeld. "Not too bad at all. We scored twice in the first 15 min-

Jami Coyle assisted on Seniuch's first goal. Andrea Weinman picked up the assist on the second goal.

The score stayed that way through the remainder of the first half and nearly midway through the second. That's when Churchill's Kristin Leszczynski

netted a goal to trim the Salem lead to 2-1, with 25 minutes left.

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But the Chargers could forge no closer. Seniuch's third goal, from Missy Simons with 10 minutes left, iced the locks' victory.

The Chargers played short-handed with three starters out, including goalkeeper Kerrie LaPorte (flu).

"We played pretty well overall based on who we had and who we were up against," Churchill coach Chad Campau.

said. "I'm proud of the way we played." Both Salem's and Canton's matches Thursday were cancelled due to rain.

Canton 7, N. Farmington 0: The open ng segment of the season ended well for ymouth Canton, thanks to a rout of North Farmington Wednesday at North. Anne Morrell accounted for two goals and two assists for the Chiefs, who

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Franklin because the Rocks' field

was unplayable - had pushed

across a run in the bottom of the

The Patriots scored four times

Ryan Wing hurled the final 2

1/3 innings in relief to pick up

Corey Cook, who went the

final five innings in relief of

Andy Blackmore went 3-for-4

with two runs scored in a losing

in the sixth, then added sever

Then the roof fell in.

improved to 4-1-1. Lisa Reissenweber (Kracht and Kristin Doherty)," Franklin added two goals, and Vicki Palis, Abi Morrell and Amanda Lentz each scored one goal. Lisa Tomasso contributed two assists

Amy Dorogi and Aimee Jachym split time in goal for Canton.

Franklin 2, W.L. Western 1: Emily Kracht and Lisa Balko each scored goals Wednesday as Livonia Franklin broke into the winner's circle for the first time since 1996 with a victory over visiting Walled Lake Western. The Patriots, who lost their first five

of the season after going 0-12-2 a year ago, tallied both goals in the opening

Franklin also got a lift from freshman Jamie Harb. "It was nice to have the experience to win, especially for our two seniors

coach Mary Kay Hussey said. orthville 1, John Glenn 0: On Wednes-

day, the host Mustangs tallied the game-winner midway through the second half to earn the WLAA crossover

"It was a physical game, hard-fought all the way through," Glenn coach Jerry Poniatowski said. "We had kind of a short bench against a good Northville team. They moved the ball well and penetrated through. But I'm happy the way we played and feel good about our team

Glenn goalkeeper Rola Amad stopped a penalty kick with just 10 seconds left. Glenn falls to 3-2 overall.

Shrine 7, Lutheran Westland 0: Meghan Jannuzi's hat trick Wednesday carried unbeaten Royal Oak Shrine (4-0

overall) to the non-league win over host Lutheran High Westland (0-2-1).

Stevenson 10, Harrison 0: Universit of Tennessee-bound Allison Campbell pumped in four goals Wednesday as defending state champion Livonia Stevenson (5-0 overall) rolled to the WLAA crossover win over host Farmington Hills Harrison.

Lindsay Gusick added two goals. while Andi Sied, Michelle Vettraino, Leah McGrath Nicole Katikos also scored for the Spartans, who led 6-0 at halftime

Chervl Fox contributed three assists and Sarah Wittrock added two. Sied, Brianna Roy, Jill Richardson and Megan Urbats collected one each.

Katie Westfall went all the way in goal for Stevenson, which notched its fourth shutout in five games.

Late Franklin rally ruins Salem comeback chances

Baseball from page D1

That's why Rumberger was starter Nick Lamb, took the loss happy to see Bennett aggressive for Churchill. style at the plate, something that should keep him in the line-

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cause.

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 100 **FARMINGTON HIGH 36**

Glenn (Derwich, Jeff Ruppel, Kevin Durigon, Justin Keyes), 3:58.0.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 69.5 NORTHVILLE 67.5 April 8 at Northville

Shot put: Grider (N), 46-0; discus: Matt Lawson (LF), 143-0; long jump: 8.38-0. Carrol (N). 18.5 1/4; high jump: Dan Colip (LF), 5-8: pole vault: Ryan Shiplett

W.L. Central 5, Churchill 3: Northville 10, Stevenson 3: Walled Lake Central struck for Brian Horn tossed an eight-hitthe tying and go-ahead run in ter Wednesday to lead host Musthe bottom of the fifth inning tangs (6-1 overall) to the WLAA Wednesday to defeat visiting crossover win over visiting Livo-Northville out-hit the Spar-

(LF), 12 0: 110-meter hurdles: Pat Hayes (LF), 15.9: 300 hurdles: Pauling (N). 43.8: 100 dash: Clemens (N). 11.1 Houstalakes (LF), 55.9; 800: (N). 2:09.9: 1,600: Josh Burt (LF), 4:50.6: 3,200: Burt (LF), 10:24.2: 400 relay: Northville, 46.8; 800 relay: Northville 1:35.0: 1,600 relay: Franklin (Hayes Rvan Kracht, Kevin Schneider, Houstalakes), 3:45.7: 3.200 relay: Franklin (Burt, Mike Schultz, Chris Jaskot

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long jump: Shiloh Wint (LE), 14.5, pole cus: Jaciyn Bernard (PC), 91.2 1/2, long vault: Wint (LF), 7-0: 100-meter hurdles: Jump: Nkechi Okwumabua PCI 17.2 high Winn (N), 18.4; 300 hurdles: Archer (N). Jump: Enn Stabb (PC), 4.10 pole vault: the 54.1: 100 dash: Wensing (LF), 13.5. Peterman (LC) and Renee Kashawik (LC). 200: Wensing (LF), 29.6, 400: Wensing each: 100-meter hurdles: Stabb (PC, 16.9) (LF), 1:02.8; 800: McCrumb (N: 2:43.7 300 hundles: Doris Igwe (PC): 54.1:100 dash: 1.600: Loeffler (N) 5.51.0. 3.200: Sorader Alina Boyden (PC), 13.0. 200: Boyden (PC (N), 14.07.0, 400 relay: Northvitte no time 28.1 400: Ashley Williams (PC) 1.04.8 800 available: 800 relay: Franklin (Stacey Dusina Kristin Hetra (LC) 2.35.1. 1,600: Ashley Fr Abba Alvarez, Shawn Lovell, Lisa Everson, Jion (LC), 5-36-7, 3.200: Fillion (LC), 12-24-4 Jennifer Furlong, Rita Malec, Lyndsay Sopko: Igwe, Meredith Fox1, 55.3, 800 relay: Canton Boyden, Terra Kubert, Fox Williams: 1.55.9. 1,600 relay: Canton Amy Rogerson Brianna Hartcourt Williams Kuberti 4.42.9.3,200 relay: Churchill (Hetra Fillion Jenny Duncar Michelle Dunaway), 10.55.0 Dual meet records: Canton 20 Churc

more in the seventh to win easiinning ly, 15-5. The loss left Salem winless five innings," said Salem coach after three games. Franklin Bonnie Southerland. "But we innings.

nproved to 2-3. Part of the Rocks' problem was defense. They committed four my pitching this week." errors in the seven-run seventh,

"We played tough for the first had just too many errors in the last inning. I was pleased with

Shannon Coultas bounced allowing the Patriots to make back from a rough first outing Central). She surrendered 11 driving in one run, and Becky

Lori Jendrusik got the win for Franklin, allowing six hits and three walks, with four strikeouts in seven innings.

Stefanie Volpe slugged a douthe most of their five hits in that (17 walks against Walled Lake ble and a triple for the Rocks.

hits but walked just five, with Esper added a single and a triple three strikeouts in seven with two RBI. Coultas also doubled in a run, and Karen Prosvk had a triple.

> Jendrusik's effectiveness wasn't limited to the mound. She plagued the Rocks with four hits (including a triple). Jackie Ziem also had four hits for Franklin.

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Balanced Shamrocks wreck Bloomfield Hills

The Redford Catholic Central lacrosse team used a balance scoring attack on Monday to beat visiting Bloomfield Hills 13-7

Brian Cox, Brocc Naysmith, Brendan Rooney, George Madias and Brian Beardsley scored two goals each for the Shamrocks, who are 3-2 overall Eric Tessier, Ken Gallant and Josh

Christensen scored one goal each. Tessier led with three assists and Beardsley two. Cox, Rooney, Madias and Christensen had one assist each. itwo goals, one assist, Brian Beardsley

Redford Catholic Central's ten-

nis team has to take a different

route, but coach Greg Grabowski

believes the Shamrocks will still

make the state meet their final

Athletic Association has divided

Class A teams in two divisions,

with the Shamrocks earning

Division I status because of their

Teams playing in Division II

are Class A schools with smaller

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the Shamrocks will play in the

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two goals, two assists The Shamrocks led 4-1 at halftime. The goaltending duties were split between Joe Bellenger and Matt Ven-

On Saturday, the Shamrocks hosted one of the top teams in the midwest.

lost, 13-10. "It was an up-and-down game, a real

TENNIS

Huron. For years, CC competed

in the Dearborn regional, which

it usually won to gain entrance

Dearborn is now the site of a

Grabowski doubts if the Sham-

rocks can win the Ann Arbor

regional but thinks they can

challenge for second place. The

top two teams and anyone else

finishing with at least 16 team

The Shamrocks are off to a 2-1

start, beating Dearborn Divine

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Terration

Scott Tynan said CC jumped to a 2-0 lead before falling

behind, 6-3, at halftime. The Worthington-Kilbourne lead grew to 8-3 before the Shamrocks scored four straight goals and cut their deficit to

Worthington clinched the victory with two goals in the final five minutes. The loss dropped CC to 1-2 in the Midwest League, which includes teams from three states

"We showed a lot of character trying

Tynan said. "We realize w'll take our lumps in the Midwest League but it kept us in the game," according to will prepare us in the long run for the state tournament.

goals and one assist each. Naysmith, Beardsley, Tessier, Keith Rowe, Gallant and Rooney had one goal each Collecting assists were Rooney and Dan Morrell The goaltender was Venning.

On Friday, the goaltending of Bellenger helped the Shamrocks beat visiting Cincinnati Moeller, 6-3

Bellenger made 22 saves and "really Naysmith and Beardsley had two

Cox and Christensen led with two goals each. Cox and Tessier scored one goal each. Paul Nicastri and Rowe had one assist each. "It was a real tough game, two real

physical schools going at it," Tynan said. "Moeller is known for astrong football program and it showed why, doing a good job on ground balls and hitting. We matched that and were able to capitalize on all our opportunities."

Columbus Worthington-Kilbourne, and to come back, we just fell a little short," dogfight, close all the way," CC coach

Brother Rice, 5-3.

can make it out of there and

qualify for state's." Grabowski

said. "We should probably finish

in the top 10 in Division I. Over-

all we're stronger than we were

last year and we're pretty well

rounded. We could upset some

The Shamrocks were in a com-

fort zone in Dearborn and not

just because they usually domi-

"Going to Ann Arbor's a heck

of a haul, but the Livonia schools

Grabowski is a CC graduate

who played on the Shamrocks'

1985 Class A state champion

team. He was a doubles player -

his No. 3 team won the 1984

team won the '85 championship.

employee and coach.

Baseball camp

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Grabowski is in his second

tour of duty at CC both an

Openings remain available for

Madonna University's summer

baseball camp (youths ages 8-18)

have to go there, too," he said.

good teams in the state's."

nated there

CC returns a lot, but the road to state meet is rougher 7-1 and losing to Birmingham alumni relations after holding a much beat him in challenge guys who are real good in a

> "The regional should be a dog- the new Cornerstone Schools, adopted to playing doubles, been finds it hard to play in a 'technifight - Pioneer and Huron are started by the Archdiocese of super positive, which is great cal' sport but he is a great athalways tough - but we feel we Detroit, before returning.

> > 1993-95 before not coaching at stronger all in 1996 and returning as an assistant coach in 1997.

The Shamrocks finished second in the Catholic League won a regional and finished 12th at the Class A meet last year.

CC returns its four singles players from last year, including the former No. 1, Brian Foley, who is now playing No. 1 dou-

Grabowski said it wasn't a at No. 4 after spending his junior demotion and Foley has handled

his new position with class. The No. 1 singles player is senior Tom Tarnacki, who won a bles is sophomore Jeff Fleszar, regional and was runnerup in who played No. 2 last year - his the Catholic League at No. 2 sin- team won a regional crown. state title and the No. 1 doubles 'gles last year. No. 2 is sopho-

more J.D. Shade, who was a tures senior returnee Nick Rost state finalist last year at No. 4 and sophomore Rob Sparks. singles "Brian had some injuries, took on the CC basketball team.

He has returned as the vice- the summer off, and when he president of advancement and came back Mike and J.D. pretty er," Grabowski said. "Usually

because it's a tough transition. It He was CC's head coach from actually helps us out, makes us

Shade "is going to be a real strong 2 for us," according to being eliminated. Grabowski

At No. 3 is freshman Michael Findling, whose older brother and sophomore Lodewijk Vanstarred at Livonia Stevenson holsbek. Each played on the and now plays at Michigan State University.

"He's off to a real good start Grabowski said. Senior Marc Sicilano will fill in

year at No. 3, winning a region-Foley's partner at No. 1 dou-

The No. 2 doubles team fea

known more for his jump shots

"He's a very good tennis play

similar title for a couple years at matches," Grabowski said. "He's 'physical' sport like basketball

Rost played at No. 3 doubles last year, advancing to the quarterfinals in the state meet before This year's No. 3 doubles team is comprised of junior Nick Gray

junior varsity last year. The No. 4 job is currently shared by senior Adam Murray, unior Ryan Cibor and senior

John Edwards. "Right now they're rotating," said Grabowski, who takes pride in having strong doubles teams.

"We spend a lot of time teach ing fundamentals and technique and strategy," he said. "If doubles players can use strategy and are aggreessive they can overcome players who may have more talent

Grabowski mentioned Midland Dow, Huron, Grosse Pointe South and Pioneer as some of the state's top teams

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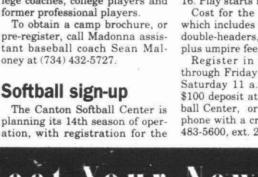
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RECREATION

Cooked goose

DNR starts controversial program to control Canadian flock

In a continuing effort to control the nuisance Giant Canada goose problem in urban areas of Oakland and Macomb counties, the Michigan Department of Natural Resources is experimenting with a radical, albeit some-

what controversial, program. Later this month, volunteers - many being supplied by the Humane Society of the United States - will head out into goose habitat areas and replace real goose eggs with artificial ones. The idea is to fool the hens into staying on the nest until, biologically, it's too late to lay any more eggs this spring.

"This is strictly an experimental deal in a very limited area," said Pete Squibb, water-fowl specialist with the DNR. "This is only taking place at sites that have filed petitions with us to remove nuisance geese. Overall there are 110 sites in southeastern Michigan and we anticipate that 15 or 20 sites will go through with this."

Squibb is quick to caution that geese are protected under federal law and disturbing a nest is a federal offense.

"The last thing we want is for people to start doing this all over the place," he said. "Geese are protected birds and this is being done under special federal and state permits.

Squibb assured hunters that they have nothing to worry about, even though the Humane Society of the United States is one of the biggest anti-hunting organizations. Hunting opportunities will not be affected by

OUTDOOR INSIGHTS

this program, he said

"I don't see a potential problem with the HSUS that the hunting fraternity should be concerned about," said Squibb, "We do not want the program to go beyond urban areas where birds can not be hunted. It's a very limited program and is strictly an experimental deal.

Squibb went as far as to praise the HSUS for its interest in the program.

"HSUS expressed a very keen interest in the problem," he said. "We have some philosophical differences but they were willing to put their differences aside and offered to help us find trained volunteers to facilitate the program. This is the first time someone wanted to sit down and look at the problem. The problem is that we have too many geese in urban areas where we can't hunt them and we have to control them somehow.

The nuisance goose problem arose years ago when Giant Canada geese began inhabiting the state. The Giants do not migrate like other species of geese. They prefer to reside in one location all year long. When flocks inhabit urban areas where they are not impacted by hunting, the flocks continue to grow until there is a problem with overpopulation

"The problem is that no one solution will work," said Squibb, who has been involved

with nuisance geese problems for 25 years. "These birds are in areas where hunting is not allowed, so that won't work. As far as trapping and relocating some of the birds, we will continue to do that. We'll move about 4,000 to 4,500 birds from Oakland County alone. We've pretty much filled all the places we can move them to. Some will go to Iowa and some to the western UP, but our bucket is full and spilling over."

Michigan is currently the No. 1 state in the nation in terms of goose harvest, according to Squibb. Michigan hunters take between 150,000 and 170,000 geese annually and approximately 100,000 of those birds are the resident Giant Canada geese.

Southern Michigan has two special hunts along with the regular goose season. The daily limit is one goose per day during the regular season when migrant geese are passing through the state. During the special seasons, early September and in January when the majority of the flock is made up of the resident Giant Canada geese, the bag limit is raised to five per day in an effort to control the population.

(Anglers and hunters are urged to report your success. Questions and comments are also encouraged. Send information to: Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. Fax information to (248) 644-1314, send E-mail to bparker@oe.homecomm.net to or call (248) 901 2573 during the evenings.)

OUTDOOR CALENDAR

ACTIVITIES SWAP MEET

The Oakland County Sportsmen's Club will hold its annual Sportsman's Swap Meet, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m. on Saturday, April 26, at its clubhouse and grounds in Clarkston. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

ARCHERY **LEAGUES FORMING**

Several archery leagues are forming at the Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston. There will be a MAA target league on Monday mornings (beginning May 4), 3D leagues on Tuesday mornings and Tuesday nights (beginning May 5), and Wednesday nights (begging May 6) and field & hunter leagues Thursday mornings and evenings (starting April 30). All leagues are 12 weeks long. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information

JUNIOR OLYMPICS

The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior Olympic Archery Development Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

JUNIOR ARCHERS

A weekly program for junior archers begins at 9 a.m. Saturdays at Detroit Archers in West at 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 27. Taught by noted waterfowl guide Lyman Burgess, the class will meet for one hour each week for four consecutive weeks at the Orchard Lake Middle School. Registration fee is \$35. Call (248) 539-2290 for more informa-

TWILIGHT TRAVELS

tion.

Learn about creatures that become active after dark during this evening walk, which will be held Saturday, April 25 at the University of Michigan Dearborn. Call (313) 593-5338 for more information.

HUNTER EDUCATION

Oakland County Sportsmen's Club will hold a hunter education class beginning Thursday, April 30, at its clubhouse in Clarkston. The class will meet 6:30-9:30 p.m. on April 30, May 4, 5, 6 and 7 as well as 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 9. Registration fee is \$6 and participants must be 12 years old by Dec. 31, 1998. Class size is limited. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club will present Fly Fishing For the Beginner on Saturday and Sunday, May 23, 24. Both day-long sessions run 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and will be held at the Drayton Plains Nature Center. Cost is \$80 per student. Call Rick Sak at (743) 464-3271 for more inforSenior Citizen's Center in the Livonia Civic Center. Call Jim Kudej at (313) 591-0843 for more information.

FISHING BUDDIES

Fishing Buddies Fishing Club meets monthly in Rochester Hills. The meetings are open to all anglers. Call (248) 656-0556 for more information.

CLINTON VALLEY BASS

Clinton Valley Bass Anglers club is seeking new members (boaters and non-boaters are welcome.) The club meets monthly at Gander Mountain in Waterford. Call Mike Daly at (248) 666-8910 for more information.

BASS ASSOCIATION

The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Gander Mountain in Taylor. Call (734) 676-2863 for more information

MEETINGS NRC

The monthly meeting of the state Natural Resource Commission will be Wednesday and Thursday, May 13-14 in Lansing. Persons who wish to address the commission or persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation should contact Teresa Golden at (517) 373-2352 opens April 25 on inland waters in the Lower Peninsula. MUSKIE

Muskie season opens April 25 on inland waters in the Lower Peninsula.

SHOOTING RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN Bald Mountain Recreation Area

in Lake Orion has shotgun (skeet & trap, sporting clays, 5stand), rifle, pistol, and archery shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to dusk on Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. In addition, the sporting clays course, trap & skeet shooting and archery ranges are open noon-dusk on Mondays and Tuesdays. Beginning in mid-April the rifle range will also be open noon-dusk on Mondays and Tuesdays. Bald Mountain is located at 1330 Greenshield Rd., which is three miles north of the Palace of Auburn Hills off M-24. Call (248) 814-9193 for more information.

PONTIAC LAKE

Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, and archery ranges. Range hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (248) 666-1020 for more informa-

Summer doesn't mark end of season



Rochester Hills, a late and first-time entry, qualified first as her entire family watched.

Waterford's James Robinson, bowling from the fifth position, was defeated by Milford's Ron Seggie in the first match of the finals, 188-151.

In match No. 2, Ross O'Dowd, who won the previous event, started off slow and gave Seggie a chance to close him down at 235-209.

-Match No. 3 was a session of spare shooting for two frames between Segue and Michael J. Rener of Waterford.

Seggie finally found his strike line and nailed nine of his final 10 shots for a 258-190 victory, setting the stage for an O'Connor-Seggie championship matchup.

As so often happens to a first time competitor, especially being on TV, Phyllis was a little bit nervous.

She opened in the first three frames, and her opponent kept on striking for a 257-175 win. The title was worth \$550 for Seggie and runner-up O'Connor received \$350.

The next scheduled tournament is 9 a.m. and noon Saturday April 25, at Fiero Lanes, in Pontiac.

For more information or to obtain an entry form, call Roy Akrers at (248) 673-7407.

You may have already read about this.

Phil Horowitz, 59, of West Bloomfield, rolled a 300 game March 21 competing at the 95th annual American Bowling Congress National Championships at the National Bowling Stadium in Reno, Nev.

Phil did not know his 300 was the first in this year's event.

"Whether first or last," he said, "it's still a thrill."

This was his fifth career 300. and he has three 800s to his credit, the highest at 815 which he rolled this February in the Senior/Youth Challenge at Mayflower Lanes.

In the ABC Doubles event, Phil paired with his good friend Mort Friedman of West Bloomfield to claim ninth place (at the time) with 688 from Phil and 664 by Mort for a 1,352 total.

Horowitz has proven to be one of this area's best senior bowlers. His team took the season championship in the Wednesday Senior Classic League at Mayflower.

He has also been a credit to the game, having won a Gold Medal.in international competition in the Macabiah World Games in Israel last year.

258/710, Keith Guertin, 258/660; Martin

easy! And so goes the song, the fish are biting and the cotton feels better

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Many leagues are available

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and jackpots as well. It may

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more interesting, and keep

your skill level sharply hones

Caleb Gill, 8, of Livonia,

already has a title to his credit

after capturing the Greater

Detroit Y.A.B.A. City Champi-

first in the All-Events category

with a 1.141 scratch over nine

His mother, Michelle, is an

avid bowler and it appears she

has her son headed in the right

Gill averages 81, but finished

between two opponents.

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onship at 700 Bowl.

The Wednesday Senior Men's Classic League closed out its season at Mayflower Lanes in redford with a high-

low doubles match. In the second game, Tony Ballarta put together 12 strikes for his first 300. His previous high was 298 With a total pinfall of 749,

Tony and his partner easily cruised to first place.

The Metro Bowling Tour has gotten off to a flying start. There were 112 entries last month at Century Bowl in Waterford.

Phyllis O'Connor of

BOWLING HONOR ROLL Cloverlanes (Livonia)

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Bloomfield. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

BANQUETS TROUT UNLIMITED

The Paul H. Young Chapter of Trout Unlimited will hold its annual Spring Banquet on Thursday, April 23, at the Royalty House in Warren. Doors open at 5:30 p.m. and dinner is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. The event features door prizes, raffles and auctions with prizes including a fly fishing vacation in the Bahamas, mountain bikes, golf outings, season tickets for U-M football, wildlife art and much more. Tickets are \$40 each or \$75 for a couple and available by calling (248) 353-4565.

BIG GAME HUNTERS

The Michigan Big Game Hunter's Association will hold its 10th annual banquet and fund raiser beginning at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 26, at Laurel Manor Banquet Center in Livonia. Tickets are \$40 each in advance and \$350 for a table of 10. Tickets will be \$50 at the door. To order tickets and for more information call (313) 513-7471.

DUCKS UNLIMITED

The Birmingham-Bloomfield-Troy Chapter of Ducks Unlimited will hold its 21st Annual Sportsman's Dinner on Wednes day, May 13, at the San Marino Club in Troy.

CLASSES

DUCK & GOOSE CALLING West Bloomfield Community Education will offer a class in duck and goose calling beginning

mation and to register.

MORE HUNTER EDUCATION

Wayne County Sportsmen's Club will hold several hunter education classes in the upcoming months at its clubhouse and grounds in Romulus. These classes will be taught by certified instructors. Students must be present for both days of their respective class. All equipment will be provided. Classes will be offered Aug. 29-30, Oct. 3-4, Oct. 17-18 and Nov. 7-8. Cost is \$10.50 and includes lunch both days. To pre-register call (313) 532-0285

CLUBS

SOLAR

The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation (SOLAR), a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658 for more information.

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparoto at (248) 476-5027 for more information.

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and. third Wedn esdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School. Call (810) 478-1494 for more information.

FOUR SEASONS

The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the a week in advance.

SEASON/DATES EXTENDED TROUT

The extended trout and salmon fishing season on designated streams is April 1-24.

FISHING

The 1997-98 fishing and hunting licenses expired March 31.

CATCH AND RELEASE

A special catch-and-release trout season runs through April 24 on a designated section of the Huron River at the Proud Lake Recreation Area.

SPEARS/BOWS

Spearing, hand netting and bow season for suckers, carp, gar and bowfin runs through May 31 on non-trout waters south of M-46

PIKE

Pike season opens April 25 on inland lakes in the Lower Peninsula

SMELT

Smelt netting season on nontrout streams runs through May 31 south of M-72 and May 1-31 north of M-72. Bow and spear fishing on non-trout inland waters is open for gar, carp and bowfin May 1-Aug. 15. Check the 1998 Michigan Fishing Guide for exceptions and closures.

STURGEON

Sturgeon season ends April 30 on the Great Lakes and connect-

The spring turkey season runs April 20-May 31 by special per-

TROUT

Trout season opens April 25. WALLEYE

tion.

ORTONVILLE RECREATION

Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (248) 693-6767 for more information.

TOURNAMENTS **SALMON STAKES**

The 20th annual River Crab Salmon Stakes benefit fishing tournament will be held Saturday, May 2, in St. Clair. Proceeds from the tournament will be used to support the Blue Water Mental Health Clinic and other programs across the state that serve troubled children, adults and their families. Raffle/entry tickets are \$10 each and enters the holder into a raffle and the fishing tournament. Raffle prizes include a four night cruise for two adults and two children in Cape Canaveral, Florida; use of a private suite at a Tiger baseball game; a weekend for two in Chicago; gift certificates; and a charter fishing trip. Tickets are also redeemable for \$10 off dinner for two or Sunday brunch at any Chuck Muer restaurant. Anglers can win \$250 cash for the heaviest total catch in one boat as well as \$250 for the largest fish in each of four categories - king salmon, steelhead, brown trout and coho salmon. Tickets are available at Charlie's Crab in Troy, Muer's Seafood Tavern in West Bloom field, Meriwethers in Southfield, Big Fish in Dearborn, Big Fish Too in Madison Heights, and Gandy Dancer in Ann Arbor or by calling the River Crab at 1-800-468-3727.

All-Star Bowlerettes: Cheryl Stipcak 279-235-211/725; Lisa Keough, 268-203 246/717; Penny Morgan, 249-211 255/715: Lisa McCardy, 224-267 212/703: Jeanne Gebbia. 245-199-257/701: Virginia Austin, 225-225 246/696.

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Friday Seniors: Tony Golchuk, 255-226 235/716; Bob Golm, 210; Fernando Melo nio. 204: Ken McDaniels, 202, Jean Simons, 202/508

Tuesday Seniors Howard Simons. 266/591: Ken McDaniels, 237 Larry Trute 209

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Wonderland Lanes (Livonia)

Motor City Eagles: Jim Molnar, 699. Dave Raughman 258/669 Jon Curtis 255/667; Walt Paul, 258/665, Dave Rowe, 663.

Nite Owls, Sean Hite, 256 254/707; Kenny Mynatt, 260/706; Ray Card, 268. Randy Saunders, 278/664; Alan Biasutto. 677. Gary Steinman, 663.

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University Men's Paul Olschanski 277/646, Bill Funke, 276/670, Bob Sadler, 268/637; Ray Vanderwitt

Lunsford, 257/706.

Greenfield Mixed: Sandy Weed, 215 209/609; Debbie VanMeter, 222; Lee Anderson, 227/598; Paula Wilson, 203/553: Lou Brugman, 234/563; Lila Smith, 209.

Metro Highway George Shaleb 247/628. John Hirtzel, 246: Joe Bevak. 246/630: Steve Kosturko, 244: Mark Strzalkowski, 238-214-212/664.

Country Janesi Katle Szonye, 209/553. Terri Letwinski, 225; Donna Drew, 191; Drane Walsh, 191/527; Sue Sczepaniak 211

Spares & Strikes: Diane Walters. 210/557. Sherry McMahan, 235/586: Lon Buckshaw, 236/549; Lila Smith, 210 204/569;

Country Keglers: Joe Mainardi 300/815. George Vann, 287/708. Steve Sunday Nite Mixed Darryl Scott, Dulka, 255, Dave Kaliszewski,-252/679. John Eldred, 247/661

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Tuesday Mixed Trio, Al Bohne, 257, John Osborne: 256/720: Keith Kingston, 688, Lynne Wegener, 577, Vicki Ingham, 604.

Country High School: Kevin Atto. 242/592, Scott Hanion, 234/603.

Country Juniors Kory West, 178, Scott Moscow, 178: Charlie Pepper, 169: Melissa Miller, 150

Country Preps David Silver, 158 Jordan Gorosh, 145. Christina Mouawad: 143. Beginners Ben Ogg 112 Mark Mouawad, 107, Racher Dubiel, 107, Ashley

Campeau, 105 Farmington High School Greg Arsenault 224, Mike Rott, 225, Carl Berman, 213; Jesse Bernstein, 212 175 195/582

Plum Hollow Lanes (Southfield)

8'Nat Brith Morgenthau L'Chayim/Zeiger-Gross. Gerry Bloom, 237; Barry Glazer, 225, Randy Spitzer, 223; Harold Markzon, 216, Gary Bistrow, 216,

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