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You are invited to attend a **Candidate Night for** the 1998 Plymouth-**Canton Board of Education** election, sponsored by the Plymouth and Canton Observer Newspapers. The forum will be 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 27, in the new Plymouth District Library, 223 S. Main, just south of Plymouth City Hall. Candidates seeking election to two. four-year terms include incumbent Susan Davis, newcomers Shella Friedrich, Richard Ham-Kucharski, Darwin Watts, and Judy Mardigian, who is seeking election to a two-year seat to which she was recently appointed.

The forum will be moderated by Tim Richard, state and regional reporter for HomeTown Communications Network, which owns the Observer Newspapers. Observer reporter Tony Bruscato, as well as Plymouth Observer editor Joanne Mallszewski, and Canton Observer Tedd Schneider will host the event. Call the Observer at 459-2700 for information.



MONDAY

Local government: The Canton Planning Commission meets at 7 p.m. in the administration building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

THURSDAY

Update breakfast: Kelly Kelly, Canton Clean Water Program engineer, is one of the featured guest speakers for the monthly Third Thursday Update breakfast sponsored by the Canton Chamber of Commerce and American house Retirement Residences. The program is 7:30-8:30 a.m. Thursday at Old Country Buffet in the Harvard Square Shopping Center, Sheldon north of Ford. Breakfast is free and the public is welcome.

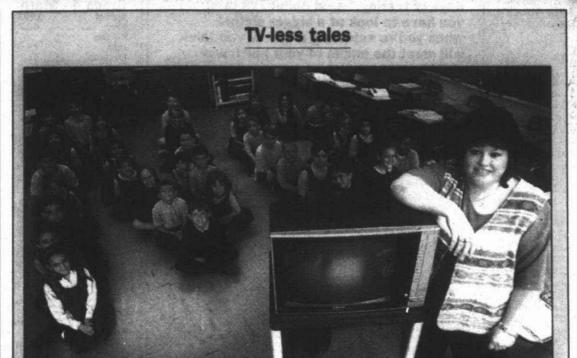
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Teacher Jackie Coury challenged her third-grade class at Our Lady of Good Counsel to a week without TV.

TV challenge

Class tunes out for whole week

It's back to normal for students in Jackie Coury's thirdgrade class at Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth.

And, for many, it's truly a god-Coury recently added an 11th

Commandment for her class ... thou shalt not watch TV.

It's the third year Coury, of Canton, has handed down the penance, challenging her class to abandon television for one week.

No cartoons, no movies, no video games, and ... if you can believe it ... no Red Wings play-

"I usually do this during Earth Week, to show the kids they can help the environment by cutting down on electricity," said Coury. "I want them to see they won't melt, they'll survive without

But no Red Wings?

"I know this came at the start of the playoffs, but I told them they could listen on the radio,"

said Coury with a smile.

Coury said she received positive response from both students and parents.

"The kids really enjoyed it," she said. "I think they found out

there are other things to do besides watch television

Many students did admit. after a couple of days it wasn't too hard.

"I visited with my friends, went bike riding and shopping with dad," said Kathryn Childs, 8, of Plymouth. "At first, I didn't

think I could do it, but I did."

Kathryn's dad, Richard, said she was good at keeping away from the television. "We went into a landscaping

store where there was a TV on

Please see TV, A4

District to expand on bond issue

The safety of the school buses Plymouth-Canton school children ride to school has become a major concern of the administration. So much so, the district plans to go to voters for a bond issue to purchase new buses.

And that means the proposed bond issue for a new middle school in October has become a bit more complex, as the board of education leans toward adding a second money issue to the ballot.

While Superintendent Chuck Little earlier emphasized keeping the October bond proposal to one issue - a new middle school to replace Lowell Middle School - he told the board at the May 12 meeting the transportation problem has become a big problem.

"Our equipment is being used constantly, and we've even added a night shift to try and keep the buses on the road during the day," Little told the board. "We're not going to make it if we have a real Michigan winter next year."

There's more than \$2 million earmarked for new buses in the March 1997 bond issue, which included new elementary and high schools. That money is to enough to purchase 25 school buses, which the district was hoping to have on the roads this school year. However, the \$79.6 million continues to be tied up in the Court of Appeals over voting irregularities, so the purchasing of buses has been stalled.

Although no action was taken by the board, it appears that along with a new middle school, voters will be asked to approve a \$500,000 bond, which will purchase seven to 10 buses, according to Little.

In explaining the need for new buses, Little said "it's a matter of operating as we're expected, and we need the equipment."

John Birchler, executive director of business operations, said even with passage of a bond in October, new buses won't hit the roads until August 1999.

"We need to continually upgrade our fleet because it's getting older and older," he told the board.
"We're dumping more money into repairs of aging

State law allows buses to be bonded over seven

Please see BUSES, A2

Teens consider plea in ambush shooting

Three teens charged with killing 21year-old correctional officer David Martell in an ambush-style shooting last year at Westpointe Mobile Home park are being offered a plea bargain from the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office.

Edwards, 16, and Matt Leonard, 17, face life behind bars for charges of first-degree murder, conspiracy to commit murder and felony firearm use. Leonard faces and additional charge of receiving and concealing a stolen firearm - allegedly in his possession when police arrested him on the murder charges.

If they accepted the prosecutor's offer and plead guilty to a reduced charge of second-degree murder they would serve 15 to 20 years in prison.

All three are currently being held in Wayne County Jail without bond.

A trial date hasn't been set before Circuit Court Judge Cynthia Hathaway as motion hearings continue. On

Thursday and Friday, attorneys argued over whether all three should have separate trials. Motion hearings will continue June 3

Attorney Dennis Shrewsbury said Leonard has yet to decide whether he will plead guilty to the lesser charge. several weeks hefore trial he said.

Blanchfield's attorney, Robert Simmons, declined to discuss the plea bar-

"It's too early in the proceedings to tell what he's going to do," said Evan

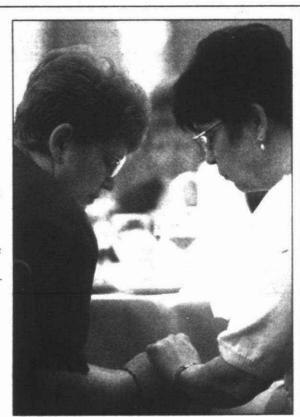
Callanan, who represents Edwards. Callanan is arguing that statements Blanchfield made to friends after the crime are inadmissible as evidence.

"People are all over the map on what was said and by who and who was drinking at the time ... We're dealing with a bunch of kids here," said Callanan.

Testimony at the preliminary exam in 35th District Court claimed Martell

Moment of silence

Day of Prayer: Joan Sturgill and Judy Smith pray during prayers of intercession led by the Rev. Michael Norton of Canton Friendship Church. Wednesday was the eighth annual Canton-Plymouth Prayer Breakfast featuring Grammy nominee and gospel singer Wintley Phipps. See Page A3.



DDA moves ahead with mega project

Canton's Downtown Development Authority wants more details - and more township control - over what will be located at a planned \$150 million mega development.

Burton Katzman Development company wants the DDA to pitch in \$3.2 million to build an interior road network and waterway management system at the southeast corner of Ford and I-275.

On Wednesday, DDA members approved the concept for "an upscale project." However, they aren't ready to write the check just yet.

A joint meeting with the DDA, planning commission and township board is being scheduled for June to discuss other issues surrounding the project.

Please see DDA, A4

Davis wants to see job through

Editor's note: This is the third in a series of stories that will be written about the June 8 Plymouth-Canton Board of education race. Candidates are newcomers Sheila Friedrich, darwin Watts, Richard Ham-Kucharski, and incumbent Susan Davis, all of whom are seeking election to a fouryear term. Judy Mardigian, recently appointed to a seat vacated by Jack far row, is seeking election to the two years remaining in his term.

Susan Davis says she would like to be re-elected to the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education "because there are a few projects that I would like to see to fruition and changes I would like to see completed."

Davis, 53, of Canton, is currently the board vice president, and feels she's just now getting comfortable with the

"The first couple of years there's so much to learn, and it takes time to develop relationships with other board members," said Davis. "I believe now



I'm more relaxed, assertive and confident. It takes time to build that experience." One of the

issues Davis would like to see through to completion is the problem of overcrowding.

"We have lowered class size consider ably since I came on the board," said Davis. "I think we have 100 more teachers, so I think we've paid attention to class size.

"The overcrowding has been there for years, but no one ever got the top (administration) to say class sizes were terrible," said Davis. "The growth in this community is tremendous ... you can build houses in six months, it takes three years to build schools."

Davis says the alleviating the issue of overcrowding is dependent on new school buildings.

"Now, it's not so much size is awful, we just don't have the space," she said

lower the class sizes at the middle schools and schools because we have no space. We can't hire more teachers if we don't have space to put them.

Court case



When it comes to space at the high school, Davis believes the \$79.6 million bond issue being held up in the Court of Appeals will be tied up a long time.

"I believe Mr. (Jerry) Vorva will take the bond issue as high as he can," said Davis. "I don't know what the answer is. Some people say throw it out, but no one has the legal right to throw that

Please see DAVIS, A4

years, the time period it considers the useful life of a bus. Little noted many of the Plymouth-Canton school buses are 10-12

"From the stories I hear, the transportation department is heroic in keeping our fleet on the for buses," said board member road," said board member Michael Maloney. "Not buying is very clear, it's desperate, desthe buses will impact our ability to provide the service and uphold the expectations of people in the

"We're also talking safety ssues for kids," added trustee Sue Davis. "That's what we're down to, are our buses safe enough to transport our children to school?"

school, more than half the total pointed." school population. Add bus use events, and the buses are getting time for repairs.

The board will also have to questions on the ballot.

While a decision won't be made until later, it appears a either the middle school or bus majority favor going for it all in issue fails to pass in October,

"I'm in favor of putting them together ... both are things we absolutely need," said Maloney.

"In the minds of the public it's fairer to divide the issues because then it makes it very clear ... one for schools and one Elizabeth Givens. "The situation Trustee concerns

Board member Carrie Blamer

was concerned about the real need of having a bond issue for "We're telling the public we

don't have the money to buy buses," said Blamer. "If it does-District records show nearly n't pass, and we find money to 8,500 students get bused to buy buses, I will be very disap-Board President Mark Hor-

for field trips and athletic vath said money for buses could be taken from the general fund a workout without much down budget, but it will be at the expense of something else.

"We'll have to take \$500,000 decide if it wants to put the mid- out of a program somewhere," dle school and bus issues into said Horvath. "Or, we're going one question, or two separate to get into a situation very quickly where 8,500 kids will have to find a way to school. If there will be a catastrophe."

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District evaluates MEAP scores

III 'I don't think you can judge a school based on test scores that take a picture of a certain group of kids during three days of testing," said Anible. "I think you have to look at a bigger picture when you're selecting a school you think will meet the needs of your particular

> Verna Anible director of instruction

Plymeuth-Canton school district officials continue to analyze the latest Michigan Educational Assessment Program (MEAP) figures tuate from year to year. released by the Michigan Department of Education last week.

While school district officials say they are "cautiously optimistic" about improved scores for fourthand seventh-grade reading and math scores, they will continue to evaluate the

Verna Anible, director of instruction, says the district will assess the scores by building, and even by each test question, to see where instruction can improve in the district.

However, Anible cautions parents who may try to with kids, curriculum or compare schools within the district by their MEAP scores not to make hasty

judgments. "I don't think you can a certain group of kids during three days of testing," have to look at a bigger picture when you're selecting a school you think will meet the needs of your particular

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Anible added parents need to be careful in their own analysis because MEAP test scores can fluc-

"The tests change, the group of kids change, there are different dynamics. that take place in each of the buildings," said Anible. "I believe we have kids learning very well in all our buildings.'

Anible said the best way to look at scores is over a period of time. "If you see a 10-15 per-

cent change over a period of vears, that's the best situation," added Anible, "Slight changes aren't significant enough to make decisions on what you're going to do staff development. And when scores are particularly flat, we need to find out

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District officials are hopjudge a school based on test ing the next round of scores that take a picture of results will be just as promising. MEAP scores for fifth- and eighth-grade said Anible. "I think you science and writing tests are expected next month.

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PLYMOUTH-CANTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS **MEAP Results**

Grade 4 -	Math				
School	1993	1994	1995	1996	1998
Allen	66.7	55.7	65.4	60.8	77.6
Bentley	(Mark)	60.0	71.0	72.5	68.9
Bird	78.5	85.0	83.8	78.2	94.2
Eriksson	45.6	58.8	77.2	60.5	79.4
Farrand	60.5	61.2	86.7	81.8	94.7
Fiegel	51.5	58.1	75.0	71.2	90.2
Field	34.4	65.0	53.7	53.6	69.8
Gallimore	65.2	57.4	87.0	72.4	76.3
Hoben	34.2	58.8	67.5	68.2	76.1
Hulsing	58.0	67.2	81.8	66.2	79.5
Isbister	57.5	64.4	68.5	72.2	69.7
Miller	63.1	72.3	65.2	75.0	82.0
Smith	39.3	70.0	72.5	43.3	81.5
Tonda		75.0	71.9	51.2	85.3
District	54.7	65.3	72.7	66.6	80.1
Statewide	48.9	61.6	63.1	60.5	74.1
Grade 7 -	Math				
School	1993	1994	1995	1996	1998
Central	55.5	66.0	64.2	62.3	69.9
East	62.3	74.0	72.6	66.0	76.4
Lowell	65.9	66.3	67.6	55.9	66.4
Pioneer	75.3	80.1	73.3	68.0	69.2
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Grade 4	- Reading	5			
School	1993	1994	1995	1996	1998
Allen	64.7	39.2	48.1	44.6	61.2
Bentley	_	42.9	44.9	58.8	64.2
Bird	60.2	63.8	68.8	66.7	76.8
Eriksson	40.8	52.5	58.2	63.5	63.2
Farrand	48.8	24.7	66.7	70.1	66.7
Fiegel	51.5	47.3	62.5	63.6	69.6
Field	34.4	35.0	51.9	50.7	58.7
Gallimore	44.9	39.3	65.2	43.1	70.0
Hoben	36.2	38.8	52.5	48.5	46.3
Hulsing	51.1	45.3	68.2	59.2	71.1
Isbister	46.2	47.8	48.3	50.6	62.9
Miller	60.2	59.6	61.9	61.7	76.2
Smith	42.9	66.0	63.8	76.1	70.8
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Central	55.3	56.3	51.8	47.7	53.2
East	50.9	61.6	61.8	53.1	64.8
Lowell	52.3	45.1	44.4	43.6	51.6
Pioneer	63.0	49.8	55.0	50.4	50.3

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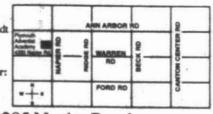


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Gospelsinger awes spiritual crowd

Those attending the Canton Plymouth Prayer Breakfast didn't know what to expect when Wintley Augustus Phipps told them he was a "full-service communicator" being that he sang, in addition to preached.

The nationally acclaimed pastor, gospel singer and musical performer awed them with his powerful gospel music and humored them with his quick wit and spiritual message drawn from his own life story.

Phipps was born in the West Indies to a troubled family. "I would have been easier if I was never born. My mother raised me on faith," he said.

"I remember being 4 ar 5 and dreaming that one day I would meet other people from far, far away places.

Phipps later said the ministry has taken his family to

He has made public appearances at the Vatican and national prayer breakfasts for President Ronald Reagan and Bill Clinton. He also appeared in the Philadelphia and Moscow rallies of the Billy Graham Crusade and many television shows, including Giving praise: Above, featured speaker Wintley Phipps Oprah Winfrey and Dr. Robert Shuler's "Hour of Power."

Phipps said his family moved to Montreal, Canada when he was 10 years old. For the first time he was introduced to the plans I have for you, says later received his master of goalie," he quipped.

"I always knew music would

Phipps is a 1988 and 1989 Grammy Award nominee and recording companies. He is the was credited to Phipps' college me, "he told the audience.

and a hope." Phipps went to college with

author 1996 book, "Power of a account. That's where his He then proceeded to play music career began.

"At 16, God entered my life," Phipps was introduced to Grace" on the black keys.

ah 29: 11 it says, 'For I know college at Huntsville, Ala. He snow, ice and hockey. "I could-the Lord, plans for welfare and divinity degree from Andrews not for evil, to give you a future University in Berrien Springs, He introduced the Canton

take me to my dream," he said. \$300 in his pocket. He needed Plymouth community to Negro \$500 to enroll. It was by the spiritual hymns, claiming most grace of God, he said, that a were written by Negro slaves Catholic woman from Munis- using five notes. "We didn't owns his own publishing and ing, Mich. donated \$633, which come here knowing, 'Do re

the melody for "Amazing

sings a hymn of praise. Grandmother Ida Shelly

prays with granddaughters Lauren and Lindsay

Police target 5 businesses in tobacco, alcohol sting

Canton Police ticketed five Police said ticketed Party Store, Meijer, Kroger, local businesses last month after for violating township tobacco and alcohol ordinances following a sting operation. Eleven other retailers refused

to sell alcohol or tobacco products to minors sent in undercov er by police. The sting was part of Project Graduation, the public safety department's zero-tolerance initiative, according to a prepared statement. It is one of several

department-wide efforts to encourage teens, parents and Canton businesses to behave responsibly as the school year ends and celebrations begin.

Police said ticketed businesses were Canton Party Store, Oakview Party Store, Maria's

businesses were Canton Party Store, Oakview Party Store, Maria's Bakery, the 7-**Eleven store at Canton** Center and Warren and were issued to patrons or the Amoco gas station at Canton Center and

Canton Center and Warren and the Amoco gas station at Canton

Center and Cherry Hill. Those complying with ordinances included Pinetree Party Store, Cracker Barrel, Wilderberry Party Store, Grapevine

Total gas station, the 7-Eleven store at Morton Taylor and Warren, Sheldon Liquor and the Sunoco gas station at Ford and Haggerty. Complying businesses eceived a certificate from Can-Police said five other violations

bystanders at the sting locations. While at Oakview Party Store. officers witnessed another illegal purchase of alcohol in addition to the controlled purchase. They also issued tickets to juveniles drinking in a vehicle; for urinat-

At Maria's Bakery, officers witnessed minors in possession of illegal controlled substances

range of consequences should

be," said O'Donnell. "I have a

range of ideas for penalties, but

want to know what they're

with parents, and describes their

O'Donnell said he's also talked

thinking.

ing on a public building; and for

School suspends 9 high school seniors for drinking at prom

The purpose of that

think about what took

was to get them to

place and what the

reasonable range of

Nine high school seniors are serving suspensions after they were caught drinking while attending the Plymouth-Canton school district's senior prom or The prom was held at Laurel

Manor in Livonia However, district officials say the drinking be. took part in a limousine the stu dents hired for transportation. Assistant Superintendent Pat

O'Donnell said the students were

suspended from school Monday

through Thursday this past

week. On Friday, O'Donnell had

the students serve an in-school

consequences should Pat O'Donnell

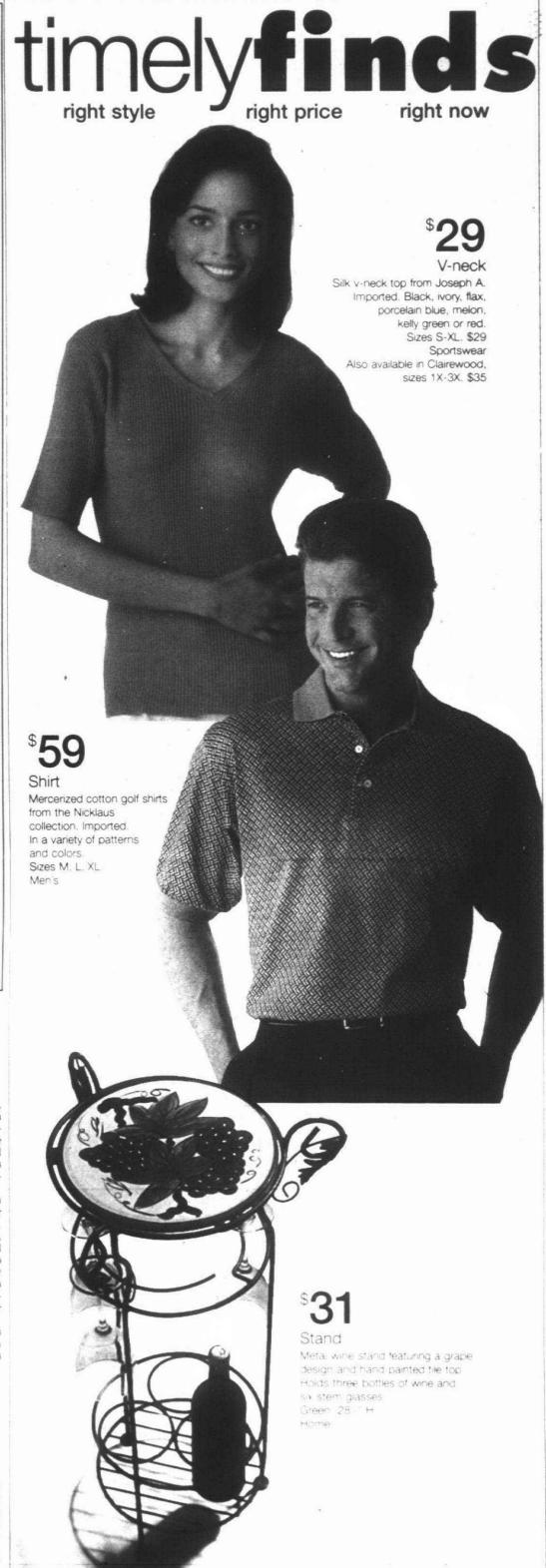
"The purpose of that was to get

them to think about what took

reaction as "disappointed." The students could be forced to

miss graduation ceremonies on Sunday, June 7, at Hill Auditorium at the University of Michi-

O'Donnell said he expects to make a decision on the students



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talk with each other."

and she covered her eyes so she "I learned it's good not to watch wouldn't see it," he said. "I a lot of television, we can save a think it's a positive approach to and the kids learned to play and

The entire Childs family participated in the experiment, although we learned mom and dad sneaked a peak after the kids went to bed

"I realized there were more things to do than watch TV, said 8-year-old Patrick Mulcahy of Canton. "We got to go places like riding go carts and the

Patrick, an avid Red Wings fan, surely must have sneaked a peak at the playoffs, despite orders from Coury.

"No, I didn't watch them," said Patrick. "I listened on the

Amanda Leon, 8, of Plymouth, "visited with my friends, read books and helped my mom clean up the yard. I went through

"I was home sick for two days and still didn't watch TV," said Rachel Killian, 9, of Plymouth.

lot of electricity and find a lot of

other things to do instead." Armando Munoz, 9, of Canton said "I really didn't miss anything, I just played outside. can live without television."

Maureen Karby of Plymouth believes the experiment by her daughter's class was challenging for everyone in the family.

"For the first few days, Amanda would walk in the family room and immediately look for the remote control," said Karby "At one point Amanda said she didn't know if she could go a whole week without TV, saving 'It's my life.' However, as the week progressed, it became easier. She even learned it wasn't

When asked if they were back to watching television, the entire class responded in unison ...

boring to sit and read."

Next year's class can only hope that Earth Week doesn't coincide with the Red Wings and the Stanley Cup playoffs

been criticized for that. But we don't have that power.

If the high school ever gets built. Davis believes it should be at the corner of Joy and Beck, where voters were told it

"I believe we ran the cam-

paign for a school at that corner," said Davis, a Growth Works administrator. "I'm willing to listen because you make decisions today on what information you have. If I have new information tomorrow. would have to look at it. However, right now I have no reason to say Joy and Beck won't

"I knew the plan would include shuttling some kids back and forth because we wouldn't duplicate specialized programs," said Davis.

At the middle school level, Davis is behind efforts to build a new middle school to replace Lowell, which is being taken back by the Livonia school dis-

election out. The board has **II** 'I'm willing to listen because you make decisions today on what information you have. If I have new information tomorrow, I would have to look at it. However, right now I have no reason to say Joy and beck won't work.'

Susan Davis

"I believe they need to tweak

Proposal A so as to make

growth districts, like Ply-

mouth-Canton, be able to do

things they need to do." said

Davis. "We've learned to live

within our budget, but we still

look at districts around us that

get millions of dollars more.

It's a culture change, having to

Davis believes the expecta-

high, but maybe it's time to get

"We don't have a choice. The trict has to deal with it other buildings are crowded, so it's not like we can disperse the kids around," said Davis, "The alternatives of not building a school is to stack up middle school kids ... double shifts. extended school or whatever the answer is. We don't have a choice but to ask the public. If the public says no, then I would like to have a public forum on

While Davis believes the school district should get more money from the state to compete with other districts, she also understands the funding game has changed and the dis-

how they would like to solve

back to basics

"Today's parents want lower classroom sizes, expect comput ers in every classroom, just a much different expectation than when I had kids in the district," she said. "They want private school education in the public schools. They want their hild to have everything. I go back to my value system that says it's OK that kids don't have everything.

"We need to go back to core basics ... reading, writing and arithmetic," said Davis. "If you talk to business people, they tell us they don't get kids who can read and write. I see learning today as exciting with computers and CD rom. But, we need to get kids to remember their multiplication tables,

As well as working on new schools, funding and curricuchoose priorities. But, we do lum, Davis said she's hoping that in our family budgets all another four-year term will give her time to implement a middle school program for drug tions of the community are very and alcohol prevention

hotels, retail center and apart- Angela Wolosiewicz, assistant ments are planned. The develop- township planner and DDA liaiers have yet to publicly name potential tenants.

"There is no guarantee that this will all come to fruition." said Melissa McLaughlin, a two years in the works. member of all three boards. "I'm still interested in the concept. If its just another Wal-Mart, it's not going to go forward."

The developers received approval for a mid-rise development zoning for the 124 acres. seek a Planned Development District (PDD)

A PDD will give Canton planpermitting flexibility in design

The township board also would be ultimately responsible for securing bonds for the project. Costs could exceed \$3.8 million after buying the bonds, said Ralph Shufeldt, DDA chair Tax revenue from the proposed

project is expected to pay for the

onds and create \$700,000 for downtown beautification pro-Burton Katzman already overcame one obstacle by receiving tentative approval from the Department of Environmental

Quality for a stormwater man-However, they have yet to receive approval for four acres of \$150 million project," said Cathy property next to the freeway Foege. where the stormwater manage

A multiplex cinema, several ment is to begin, according to

Burton Katzman is negotiating with 17 property owners for the 124 acres. The project has been

"I think I speak for all the property owners when I say we can't put our life on hold waiting for the ship to dock." Dan Mac Causland told the DDA.

A majority of DDA members said they would support public but will likely be required to funds to help the project get off the ground if it proved to be "In the past we had an oppor

ners more control over what will tunity like this where the Target be located on the property by is. Now, it's being developed piecemeal. We don't know what's going in next ... I'd like to see (the Ford I-275 property) develop in its entirety and not piecemeal," said Shufeldt. DDA member Dave Khoury

> and forth like a ping pong ... I'm against it. I'm not going to support another strip center ... a major mall would be another ject as it stands. Jim Horen and Penny Klei also opposed it in a

6-3 vote. Two others were unde

said "I've been bouncing back

"I'm still questioning why we're giving them \$3 million when they're talking about a

Martell from page A1

was shot because he put a friend 22 caliber, according to the tesup to stealing "guns and drugs" from another teen. The teens live in Westpointe and Sherwood Village mobile home parks in the that the five spent bullet casings Michigan and Haggerty area of that Canton Police found at the

Testimony from two witnesses .22- and .25-caliber handguns. claimed the three defendants None of the guns have been met several days before Martell's Nov. 19, 1997, murder and plotseen with a .25-caliber handgun, dants. Leonard had a .380-caliber handgun, Blanchfield had a chrome and nail," said Callanan.

A report from the Michigan State Police crime lab claimed murder scene where from 380-

recovered by police. The prosecutor's office requestted the shooting. Edwards was ed one trial for all three defen-

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Senate passes bill to curb personal watercraft use

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after work," said the sponsor,

Ken DeBeaussaert, D-Macomb

Sen. Joe Conroy, D-Flint, sup-

ported DeBeaussaert, saying,

Michigan is at 10 or 10:15 p.m.

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R-Birmingham.

hour before sunset is.'

A bill to curb personal watercraft - also known as Jet Skis was watered down before being passed 35-1 by the Michigan

It goes back to the House this

week for concurrence in amendments. If the House doesn't agree, then the bill will go to a conference committee for com-The Senate lowered the age for

operating PWCs from 16 to 14, extended the starting time for operating from 9 a.m. to 8 a.m., and eased up on penalties. "Violations will be started the

next boating season," said Sen. Jon Ciskey, R-Saginaw, who guided Senate debate. That will give PWC users and sheriffs' marine patrols time to get acquainted with the new rules and training requirements.

All area senators voted ves except George Z. Hart, D-Dearborn, who missed the vote.

in summer. I would tend to The lone nay vote was cast by Dave Jaye, R-Macomb County Senators on May 14 rejected his amendment to require the Department of Natural approval of his amendment to Resources to install buoys denotoutlaw playing "chicken" on ing protected weed beds.

As passed by the House, the bill allowed use of PWCs from 9 a.m. to one hour before sunset The Senate moved up the start ing time to 8 a.m.

The biggest battle was over an amendment by Macomb County's delegation to extend operat-

choose 6 or 5 p.m. (as quitting time)," said Stille, referring to PWCs as "these buzzers, these DeBeaussaert won voice vote

Jaye won approval of an amendment to make violations of the law the equivalent of a gan simple ticket rather than a misdemeanor. "Youngsters filling writing to your state representa out a job application in the tive, State Capitol, P.O. Box

working people a greater chance been convicted of a misdemeanor," Jaye said. His amendment was approved by a voice

The bill was crafted by Rep. But his amendment failed in a William Callahan, D-St. Clair 13-19 vote. Voting yes were Shores, who guided it through Hart, Alma Wheeler Smith, Dthe House Conservation Com Salem, Mike Rogers, R-Brighton,

ing time to sunset. "It would give when asked if they had ever

and Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield DNR is required to establish comprehensive educational pro-Voting no were John Cherry, grams in boating safety, a pro D-Clio, Bill Bullard, R-Milford, gram to train operators and a Bob Geake, R-Northville, Loren system of issuing boating safety Bennett, R-Canton, and John certificates to persons who com-Schwarz, R-Battle Creek. Missplete the program satisfactorily. ing the vote was Mike Bouchard, A person born after Dec. 31

unless he or she has obtained boating safety certificate, effect It's difficult to tell when one tive Jan. 1, 1999. PWC operators and passen

1978, may not operate a PW(

But Sen. Leon Stille, R-Spring gers must wear flotation devices Lake, thought operating hours (life jackets). should have been even more Children under age 7 mus

restricted. "Sunset on Lake be accompanied by a parent of guardian or designee. ■ PWCs must be kept 200 feet

from a shoreline unless operated at a "slow - no wake" speed. ■ Hours are restricted to 8 a.m. to one hour before sunset.

Minimum distances must be observed between the PWC and shorelines, docks, swimming areas and vessels According to the DNR, 80,000

Refer to House Bill 5426 when future would have to check 'yes' 30014, Lansing 48909.

Commissioner wants new restrictions on locations of drug treatment clinics

Kimberly Cockrel, D-Detroit, wants a guarantee that the state won't try to put methadone/drug treatment clin-

ic in the heart of a community Cockrel has introduced a resolution that would prohibit the placement of those clinics within 1,000 feet of a school. A public hearing on the resolution is scheduled for Thursday on the fourth floor the Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph in downtown Detroit. The hearing will be held within the Wayne County Commission's regular have to worry like we did," Cock-

meeting, which begins at 10 but I believe they should be a drug abuse treatment clinic cope with the withdrawal.

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munity," Cockrel said.

to her since the state recently 1,000 feet of the proposed clinic tried to place a methadone clinic site. The certificate of compli on Vernor in her district, in the ance must be displayed in the heart of a business district and reception area of the clinic. near a school. She and her neighbors rallied against the support for this type of restricplacement, ultimately winning. "It was a lot of work to stop when people decide to kick drug

the placement. We were lucky to have found out about the plan an entire dose of methadone with enough time to do something about it. I want to make unused portion failing into our sure all neighborhoods don't

placed in a medical community anywhere in Wayne County

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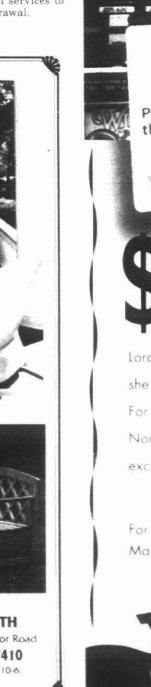
"There is a lot of community tion. While we are all happy habits. I know that sometimes isn't used and I don't want that children's hands," she added.

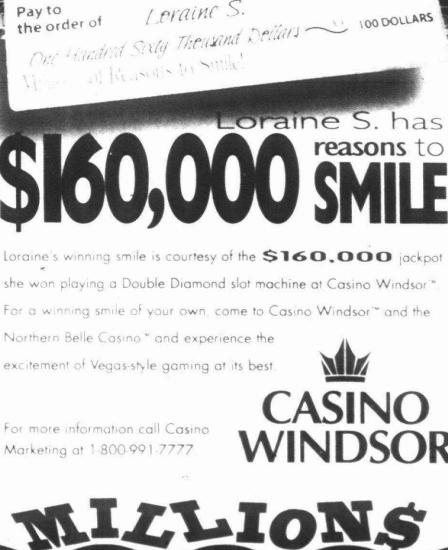
Medical centers or clinics, she added, are better locations for The "Drug Free Zone Ordi- such treatment programs in the nance" that she introduced man- event that the former drug user methadone treatment centers dates that a person can't operate needs other medical services to



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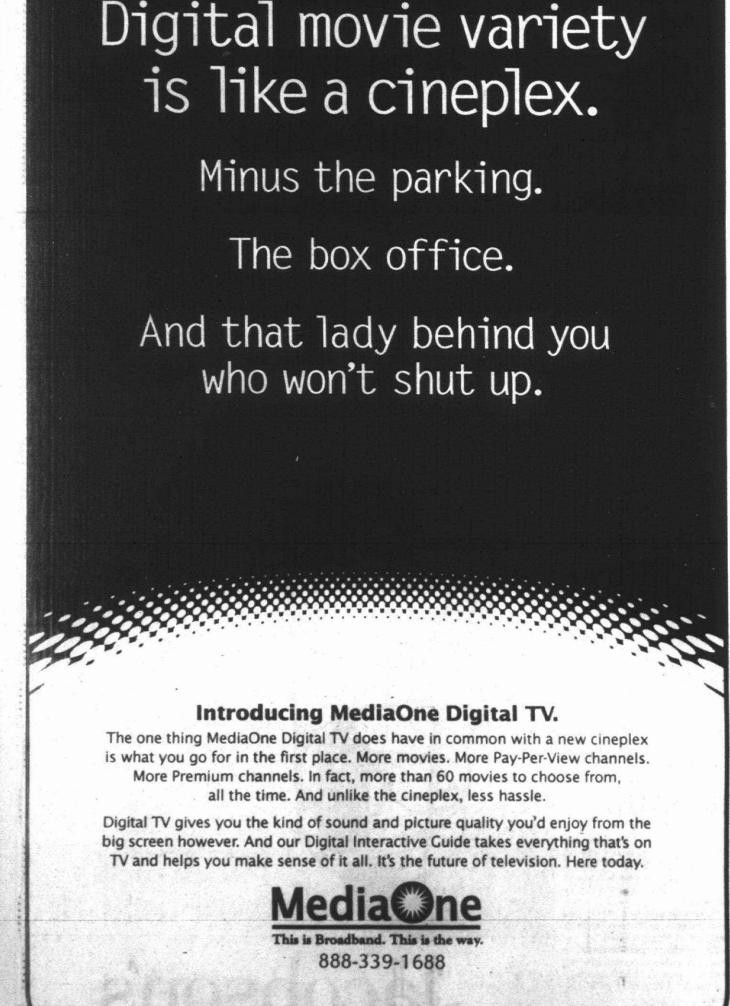






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OBITUARIES

Services for Gail H. Marshall. 46, of Plymouth will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 17, at Geneva Presbyterian Church, Canton with the Rev. Bryan Smith offi-

She was born April 17, 1952, in Detroit. She died May 14 in Dearborn. She was a teacher. She taught mostly in Singapore and Malaysia. She taught English as a second language She was born in Detroit and raised in Dearborn and Mount Clemens. In 1978, they moved to the Plymouth community he was able to enjoy his new from Singapore and Malaysia. She was a member of the Gene va Presbyterian Church of Cankindness and gentle sense of ton. She graduated from western Michigan University and did her advanced studies at Eastern Michigan University and the

University of London in Singapore. She was just one course short of her master's degree Stedman: one sister. Jo-Ann which she was studying for at the time of her illness. Survivors include her husband, Robert B. Marshall of Plymouth; one daughter, Angela Edith Church, Livonia. Ree Marshall of Plymouth; one MYRTLE M. MANZEL son, Christopher Lee Marshall

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(Hugh) Settle of Florida; and

Services for Elmer E. Stedman, 69, of Plymouth were May 12 at St. Edith's Church, LIvonia. Burial was at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Livonia.

He was born Aug. 18, 1929, in JOHN W. GRAYDON Detroit. He died May 9. He was Marine Corp. veteran of the Korean War. He worked as a tool and die maker at Associated Spring (in Saline) and retired in 1992. He and Virginia were residents of Plymouth for 13 years. His greatest pleasure in life was his family. In his final weeks, condominium in Westland. His He was born April 10, 1942, in family and friends will miss his Detroit. He died May 7 in Howell. He left Plymouth about 10

Survivors include his wife, Virginia; three daughters, Susan Erbes, Rebecca (Earl) Schulte. Laurie (Carsten) Smidt: one son. David (Konnie) Stedman: two brothers, Jerry Stedman, Ed years. He joined the Navy and Marvicsin; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to St. Services for Myrtle M. Manzel,

84, of Novi were May 14 at Casterline Funeral Home, Inc., Northville with Dr. Douglas W. Vernon of First United Methodist Church, Northville. Burial was at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi.

She was born March 27, 1914,

in Novi. She died May 11 in

Livonia. She was a homemaker. She was born and lived her life in the same home in Novi

Survivors include her daugh ter. Elaine Vaughn of Plymouth; and one grandchild

Services for John W. Graydon 56, of Howell, formerly of Plymouth, were May 11 at the Riverside Cemetery with the Rev. Paul White officiating. Burial was also at Riverside Cemetery. Local arrangements were made by the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Ply-

University of Michigan for two

Survivors include his two sis-

ters, Norma Sayres of Florida;

Patricia (Sidney) Bedrosian of

Plymouth; one niece, Jeanette

Balaze of Canton; two nephews,

Daniel Bedrosian of Northville,

Terry Sayres of Belleville; four

Services for Earl K. Cram, 76,

of Canton were May 12 at the

Vermeulen Funeral Home with

the Rev. David W. Martin offici-

ating. Burial was at Glen Eden

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Pinckney, Sidney (Lynn) T. Cram of Lake Leelanau; many nephews; and many nieces. Memorials may be made to years ago to live in Howell. He Angela Hospice, 14100 Newwas a member of the First Bapburgh, Livonia, Mich. 48154tist Church in Plymouth. He graduated from Plymouth High School in 1960 and attended the

GULFRIEDA S. BRODRICK

Memorial Park, Livonia

He was born Nov. 29, 1921, in

May 9 in Southfield. He was the

Hermansville, Mich. He died

Ideal Camera Shop in Detroit.

He was preceded in death by

his parents, William M. and

include his three sisters, June

(James) K. Sykes of Belleville

Eastpointe, Carolee (Russell) M.

Ebeid of Bloomfield Hills; two

brothers, Keith M. Cram of

Loraine (Fred) L. Rickert of

Laura K. Cram. Survivors

owner for many years of the

He was a member of Risen

Christ Lutheran Church.

Services for Gulfrieda S. Brodrick, 93, of Plymouth were May 11 at Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev. Eugene N. Sorensen officiating. Burial was at Parkview Memorial Ceme-

tery, Livonia. She was born Sept. 22, 1904, in Springfield, Ill. She died May 8 in Livonia. She was a homemaker. She was a member of Unity Church of Livonia.

He was preceded in death by parents, William O. and Nannie She was preceded in death by Woodring. Survivors include her parents, Henry and Cecelia his wife, Norma Jean Woodring Biscontine. Survivors include of Hudson, Fla.: 13 children: 38 grandchildren; and two greather two sons, Robert (Shirley) W. Brodrick of Livonia, Donald grandchildren (Nancy) E. Brodrick of Ply-

Absentee ballots available

Absentee ballots to vote in the June 8 Plymouth-Canton school board election are still available for registered voters who don't plan on voting at the polls that night.

School district election clerk Liz Adams said she's sent out nearly 600 absentee ballots. about the norm for a board

District residents who want an absentee ballot can stop by the E.J. McClendon Educational Center at 454 S. Har vey in Plymouth, or call Adams at 416-3095. You must have registered by May 11 to e able to vote in the school oard election

Absentee ballots can be sent back to Adams, or can be dropped off at the school idministration building by 8 p.m. June 8, which is Election Day. The school board office will be open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 6, for those

wanting to vote absentee. The school district does have a permanent absentee voter list, in which residents are automatically sent appli cations for absentee ballots Names can be added to that list by calling Adams' office.

Students' host 'Soup Kitchen' to help needy

The Service Learning Program sored by instructor Carey Gary; at Plymouth-Canton Educational Park is holding the first annual Salem High School's Rock Cafe on Tuesday, May 26.

mouth; one brother, Ralph Bis-

contine of Rock Island, Ill.; one

grandson, David Brodrick; two

great-grandsons, David Brorick

granddaughters, Cathy Sor-

lione, Natalie Cassady; two

Jr., Brett Cassady; and two

Corlione and Julie Corlione.

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burgh, Livonia, Mich. 48154-

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JESSE ALBERT WOODRING

Services for Jesse Albert

urday, May 16, at the Ver-

meulen Funeral Home, Ply

Woodring, 71, of Hudson, Fla.

formerly of Canton, will be Sat-

mouth Township, with the Rev

Fred Wibert officiating. Burial

will be at Knollwood Memorial

Park, Canton. Visitation will be

for family at 1 p.m. Friday, May

He was born Jan. 13, 1927, in

Chicago, Ill. He died May 11 at

Hudson, Fla. He moved from

Canton in 1981 to Florida. He

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great-granddaughters, Trinia

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The event is part of the district's "Empty Bowls Program." tion, and the United Way through the Educational Excellence Foundation, the students will host this benefit to collect funds for the Salvation Army food bank serving both the Plymouth and Canton communities. Participating in the P-CEP Soup Kitchen gives everyone an opporthe proceeds go to the Salvation

work in Culinary Arts, spon- 75 students and 75 adults.

pottery, sponsored by Graham Martin and work in history and "Soup Kitchen" during lunch at American literature classes sponsored by Peggy Bozyk and Jane Lippow. Art students will make 150 ceramic bowls and Culinary Arts class will make Through grants from the two kinds of soup, bread, and Michigan Department of Educa- provide milk. Participants will come to the Rock Cafe area and buy a bowl with their ticket. They will keep their bowl as a reminder that some people have "Empty Bowls." After they purchase their bowl they will be stamped as an indication they to the Rock Cafe where they are tunity to help people who live in served a lunch of soup. Music the community as 100 percent of and a short presentation will complete the experience.

Tickets go on sale the week of The benefit will be held during May 18 during lunches and the all three lunches at the Rock cost is \$5 per student and \$10 Cafe. It will feature students per adult. Tickets are limited to

Winning artists exhibit work at D & M Studio

D & M Studio, Once Upon an Easel is proud to present the Donna Tykoski winners of the Three Cities Art Club Spring Show held at the Lee Dillenbeck Canton Library on April 24-26. The winning artists will exhibit their work at D & M Studio, 8691 North Lilley Rd., Canton through May 22. Some 50 pieces were displayed at the art show. The winners are listed below:

Best of Show: Phyllis Hochlowski Grumbacher Award: Phyllis Hochlowski

First Place Oil: Yolanda Menchaca Second Place Oil: Sharon Lee

Dillenbeck Third Place Oil: Hugh Burley Honorable Mention Oil: Sharon Lee Dillenbeck

First Place Watercolor: Sharon

Second Place Watercolor: Florence Constable Third Place Watercolor: Payllis Hochlowski

Honorable Mention Water olor: Sharon Lee Dillenbeck Honorable Mention Watereol or: Mary Sharpe

Popular Vote: Annalee Davis Residents are encouraged to top by to enjoy the wide range of talent. Studio hours are: Monday, 9:30 a.m.-6:30 p.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday, 9:30 ann. 7:30 p.m.; Thursday, 9:30 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday, 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.- 3 p.m.

Students win writing awards

bow Young Writers and Illustra-tors Contest. McCary, Kevin Jaskelski, and Jill Headrick.

Eleven third-graders from All Semenok, Bridget LeFevre, Elis-Saints Catholic School in Canton abeth Stratton, Kevin Gage, Joe won awards signed by actor Le Bostwick, Tim Harmon, Missy Var Burton In the Reading Rain- Comin, Justin Ickes, Peter

Winners were: Andrew

Crossfire

Lawmakers debate tax cuts

BY TIM RICHARD STAFF WRITER

Freshman Rep. Nancy Cassis, R-Novi, and retiring Rep. Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti, are in the middle of a legislative crossfire over cutting state taxes. Oddly, Republicans see Profit.

chair of the House Tax Policy Committee, as an ally. He signed on as the lone Democratic cosponsor of Cassis' income tax cut bill-a year ago. But Republicans say Democratic House Speaker Curtis Hertel of Detroit won't let Profit take it to a vote.

"More than a year ago," Cassis said at a May 13 news conference in Lansing, "we set in motion a tax cut plan for the 21st Century. Our people are overburdened and overtaxed. We worked very hard with the Democratic chair. He even cosponsored it."

Here is the situation: Cassis is chief sponsor of House Bill 4710. It would pare the personal income tax rate. currently 4.4 percent, by 0.1 percentage points each year, beginning in 1998, until it reaches 3.9

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percent in 2002. Profit's commit-senators like Loren Bennett of tee hasn't acted on it. House Canton, who want them to start nority leader Ken Sikkema, R- in 2000. Grandville, is threatening a discharge motion to force the bill

■ The Senate has passed a series of bills (SB 1079-1083) paring down income tax rates. but reductions wouldn't start until 2000. The Senate GOP view is that a more gradual phase-in is needed. Sikkema wanted Hertel to take up the Senate bills immediately, but Hertel followed standard operating procedure and sent them to Profit's committee

■ The House has passed Democratic income tax cuts that are locked up in the Senate supported GOP bills. Finance Committee headed by Joanne Emmons, R-Big Rapids. They give breaks for care-givers and dependent children. Republicans argue they're too stingy. favoring targeted groups instead f being across-the-board.

Sikkema acknowledges Republicans are split between repre- mittee) process, and those condisentatives like Cassis, who want tions are directly related to immediate income tax cuts, and

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"It would be a great debate to have," Sikkema said, grinning. The problem is in the Demo cratic caucus with its split per sonality. One-third want to do it right - cut taxes and spending One-third want to do it wrong increase spending and keep taxes high. One-third want to do the impossible - increase spending and cut taxes."

Sikkema likened the situation to the 1980s, when Republicans were in a numerical minority on the House floor but claimed a philosophical majority because of conservative Democrats who

The way to test that is to put

it to a vote," he said Hertel rejected Sikkema's request to take up the Senate bills on the House floor immediately because "there are very, very few conditions which neces sitate circumventing the (com

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Learning problems are getting statewide attention!

-Governor Engler is stating all children should read by the third grade. Many children are still struggling with the basic skills needed for reading. MEAP testing was developed to find ways to improve schools and solve the learning problems. Feachers are concerned with the large number of children that need help. Attention? Deficit Disorder: A.D.D. is widespread. In many schools, children line up at lunch time to receive their dose of Ritalin. This has many parents and doctors worried. Meanwhile, the children are still waiting for answers. They're still waiting for help with their homework. Or they just avoid it all together.

together
Dr. John Jacobi, director of the Vision Therapy
Center, has found an answer for many of these
children. Most. children with learning
problems, especially those with A.D.D. have an

undiagnosed vision problem.

I can't stress enough how critical it is for a complete eye examination to be included in testing for ADD and other learning difficulties 40% of children in an average classroom have a vision problem that can hinder their ability to read and learn, says Dr John Jacobs, director of the Vision Therapy Center in Livonia. It is often overlooked, and one he services. ymptoms of visions deficiencies and A.D.D.

Symptoms of visions deficiencies and A D I are similar Parents, teachers, in fact all of us, need to know the symptoms of vision problems. The symptoms of a child whose learning difficulties are related to vision are:

1 Avoids reading and near work, cannot sit still or finish a task. This is often caused by double lives and oversteen to focus and double vision and eyestrain to focus, aim, or

2 Loses his place while reading, skips words, moves whole head back and forth, uses his finger to follow, sometimes "impulsive." Poor

have a bright child and she can't read. Vision therapy for my daughter has uplifted my heart in so many ways and has decreased the stress in our home. Finally finding the missing piece to the puzzle allows. Tonya to move ahead into more challenging aspects of her life. The Vision Therapy Center doesn't claim to be a cure all for A.D.D. Their role is to correct vision problems that causes these symptoms. The American Optometry, Association. A.O.A. states that ten million U.S. children under the age of twelve have vision problems that make

their daughter's success story. There can possibly be anything more frustrating and

have a bright child and she can't read Visa

Tonya Mathis with her vision therapist, Kamela Asher. problem there is a solution. The trick is being iffered by Dr. Jacobi in Levonia. 734 recognizing the problem and getting the child. 525-8170. Than very concerned when I see

recognizing the problem and getting the child to the right practitioner.

Alex started off as an early mader who aught on quickly and loved to read. As reading became more difficult. Alex came to dislike reading and alvaded it as much as possible. Now Alex is able to read with much more ease, he no longer complains of headaches and has actually begun to pick up hooks on his own because he want to "charm Rosanes Roth." Association's warning is clear

Dr. Ellis. Edelman, author of Suddenly Successful Student, adds this good news. In because he wants to share Roxanne Roth.

Dr. Association's warning is clear problem is over often the missing piece. Association is warning is clear problem is over often the missing piece. Association is warning is clear. As of the clear is warni

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immediate time deadlines. These bills do not meet those conditions

"Further, I find it curious that you are claiming a sense of urgency to immediately consider a tax cut which would not go into effect until 2000," Hertel

Meanwhile, Gov. John Engler, who proposed the tax cuts in the Senate bills in his state of the state message, pointed to a U.S. Census Bureau report that Michigan's tax burden has fallen almost 9 percent between 1993 and 1995

Engler's spin: Michigan has improved from the "15th worst" tax climate to "13th best."

"Michigan's state and local tax burden as a percentage of personal income was 6 percent below the national average in FY (fiscal year) 1995, down from 3 percent above the national average in FY 1993," the governor said.

The Census Bureau report showed Michigan in 1995 ranked 38th from the top in taxes, taking 10.34 percent of personal income in state and local taxes. High was Alaska at 18.73 per-

Our people are overburdened and overtaxed. We worked very hard with the **Democratic chair (Kirk** Profit). He even cosponsored it.'

> Nancy Cassis -state representative

cent followed by New York at 14.56 and Wisconsin at 12.99.

At the bottom was Tennessee at 8.69 percent followed by Alabama at 8.99 and New Hampshire at 9.09.

With tongue in cheek, a lameduck Democratic lawmaker announced a plan to eliminate Michigan's personal income tax entirely. Rep. James Agee, D-Muskegon, proposed reducing the tax by 1/250th every year, beginning in 2000 and ending in 2250. His comment:

"We need to quit relying on Michiganians to fund Michigan especially in an election year!"

Community colleges can use funds to build technical training centers

State Capitol capsules:

Bids wanted

Community colleges may make competitive bids for \$30 million in state money to build five technical training centers.

Gov. John Engler made the announcement recently in Plymouth. "These new centers will help ensure a steady supply of both skilled workers and highpaying jobs in our increasingly high-tech state," he said.

facilities off-campus or other locations attractive to employers for hiring.

Skills covered would include computer programmer, computer technician, machine tool operator, CAD-CAM designer and others that don't require a four-year degree. Part of the program would cover student scholar-

Applications are available from the Jobs Commission and must be submitted by Aug. 14.

Awards will be announced late in 1998. Construction will begin by June 1999.

Cloning hit

Senate Bill 864, part of the package to prohibit human cloning, was passed unanimously, 37-0, by the Senate, but only after a brief floor fight on whether to "sunset" the law.

Sen. John Schwarz, R-Battle Creek, offered an amendment to let the bill expire in five years. It The centers may be satellite, was rejected 13-23. Here is how area senators voted on the amendment:

YES - John Cherry, D-Clio, Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield Township, Schwarz, and Alma Wheeler Smith, D-Salem.

NO - Loren Bennett, R-Canton, Mike Bouchard, R-Birmingham, Bill Bullard, R-Milford, Mat Dunaskiss, R-Lake Orion, Bob Geake, R-Northville, Mike Rogers, R-Brighton.

The bills provide for heavy fines and loss of licenses for per-

sons who attempt human cloning.

Paul A. Long, of the Michigan Catholic Conference, praised the Senate for "boldly stating that human life is more important that scientific research on the fringe ... In our view, Congress should pass a national ban.

The package also includes House Bills 4846, 4962 and

Panels act

■ The Senate Judiciary Committee has reported out bills to increase prison sentences for sexual predators who use the Internet. Sponsors were Democrats George Hart of Dear-born and Gary Peters of Bloomfield Township. The bills would allow a judge to tack two years on the sentence of a sexual predator who uses the Internet. The bills go to the full Senate for

■ The Senate Financial Services Committee reported out a

bill by Rep. Bob Brown, D-Dear-born Heights, to cover home solicitation sales. Brown's bill adds written solicitations, meaning letters, to the list of sales that the buyer could cancel with-in three days. The list currently includes telephone solicitations and door-to-door sales. It does not cover media advertisements. The House-passed bill goes to the full Senate.

New bills

Sen. Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield - to license birthing centers and monitor care given to women. Birthing centers are an alternative to hospital care for a normal pregnancy and birth, at lower cost than hospitals. Birthing centers are licensed in 31 state. Peters acted after meeting with Dr. Henry Maicki and Mary Lou Longeway, R.N., founders of the Family Birthing Center at Providence Hospital, Southfield.

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CHEF RICK HALBERG

Wilderness weekend spent hunting morels

very year at this time, my wife, Karen, our kids, Emily and Andy, and I pack up our car and drive to Wilderness State Park at the farthest northern point in the Lower Peninsula for a weekend in the woods. Well, almost every year.

We started this spring tradition 15 years ago when the kids were 1 and 4. I must say it was always a hassle packing for the trip. Karen would start a week early. Not only did we have to take the normal things for the little ones, but we had to pack all of our bedding and kitchen gear too.

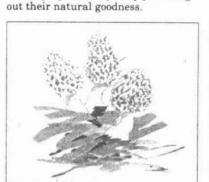
Karen teaches in Farmington Hills so we can't leave until after school Friday, which means we don't arrive until after dark. After an hour of setting up the cabin and getting some snacks we are ready to unwind. The cabins are really out there and have no electricity or running water.

Rustic cabin

Wilderness is one of the few Michigan State Parks where you can rent rustic cabins. It's the kind of place where you can really get away from the noise and crowds of the city. The cabins are equipped with bunk beds, a wood stove, and a great supply of usually wet wood. That's about it! Oh, and lest I forget, a very clean out

Over the years packing got lighter and more organized. Karen perfected our list to include just the right stuff. Of course, being a chef I had to become the master of one pot meals. I had to out of necessity because we only had a two-burner Coleman stove. We kept hot water on one of the burners and never had enough room in the car for a lot of cooking gear.

We choose the same weekend each year for one major reason: morel mushrooms! Every year we spend hours walking back woods trails looking for those prized Michigan treats. There is something so exciting about finding food out in the wild, and Michigan morels are among the most prized of wild foods to be found in our locale. Morels have a certain distinct character and texture that makes them so unique. Something peculiarly nutty, sweet and woodsy. And morels can be prepared very simply to bring



Determination

As Andy and Emily grew so did their determination to find the first morel. It seemed as if we walked all day, and the only thing we saw was the ground. And I must say the very tip of the Lower Peninsula is a beautiful place. We were all obsessed. I think the first year we probably found only two morels, some years we didn't find any. We never found what we were looking for, never even found

more than one or two in one place. One year as we were walking along the main road, back to the car, in a nasty, cold mist, Andy found a string of morels on the gravel. But when I say they were tiny you must imagine mushrooms the size of a pencil eraser. That was really exciting, although they were too small to eat. It took me a couple of years to learn that we weren't really looking in a good area for morels. But you know it never really mattered. The mushrooms we

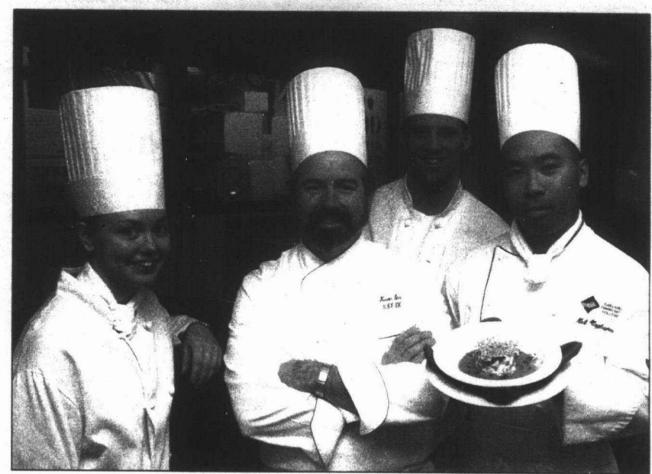
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LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

Recipe to Share Cheers for Beer

OCC's Gulinary Team



Teamwork: Members of Oakland Community College's Culinary Team, Jennifer Maslocha (left to right) chef / instructor / team manager, Kevin Enright, team coach, John Telfer and Neil Magbanua present Pesto Ricotta Gnocchi with Fresh Tomato Sauce and Shallot Cream.

Students learn teamwork main ingredient of success

There were a lot of sleepless nights, and the schedule was brutal, but hard work paid off for Oakland Community College's Culinary Team, which placed sixth out of 17 teams in the American Culinary Federation's Junior Team Central Regional Competition in Chicago.

The students competed against teams from 15 states including Illinois, Texas and Kansas. They had 1-1/2 hours to prepare and serve a four-course dinner and took a one hour knife skills test. Judges compared what the team did to what they

said they would do. Team members shared ideas and designed a menu, which reflects their colaboration of different ethnic be Salmon Martini has an Asian flair; Pesto Ricotta Gnocchi, Italian; Roasted Rack of Lamb, Mediterranean; and Molten Choco-

late Cake, American. "We learned time management skills and how to work with others." said team captain Matthew Misenar of Oxford. "A lot of hard work went into the competition. We spent a lot of time researching and reading to develop the menu."

Prior to competing in Chicago, team members competed individually in culinary contests held in Columbus and Indianapolis to work on their timing and get feedback from judges.

"This is different from cooking in a real restaurant," said team member Neil Magbanua. "It's classic textbook, there's someone standing over you to make sure it's

Chef/instructor/team manager Kevin Enright said this competition mirrors the

"Students plan the menu, and they only have so much time to execute it," he said. "If you don't finish things, it doesn't matter how good your plan is. Working together as a team, getting to be a better cook, and putting yourself out is more important

The team was formed after try-outs in November. "They made a dish out of one chicken with a vegetable and starch and had to demonstrate knife skills," said Enright.

Practice was 6:30 a.m. to noon every Friday from December to April with additional practices just before the competitions.

"I work Thursday nights, and it wasn't easy to get to school at 6:30 a.m.," said Magbanua. "You have to be dedicated. I

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Sip, Swirl, Savor Fine Wines

WHAT: Third annual Great Lakes -Great Wine Walk Around Tasting. When: 6-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 3.

WHERE: Oakland Community College Orchard Ridge Campus, J-Building, third floor, Orchard Lake Road (at 1-696). Farmington Hills.

TICKETS: \$40 per person, call (248) 471-6340. Proceeds benefit scholar ships for OCC Culinary Arts and Man agement students.

Oakland Community College **Culinary Team 1998**

TEAM MANAGER: Chef/instructor Kevin Enright

TEAM COACH: John Telfer, OCC Apprentice Program graduate, pastry chef at Steve & Rocky's in Novi

TEAM CAPTAIN: Matthew Misenar

TEAM MEMBERS: Neil Magbanua. Jennifer Maslocha, Jennifer Hughes, Kevin Peasgood, and Spiro Diakovasii

PICK OF THE PACK: 1996 Clos du Bois Flintwood Chardonnay \$18 tastes better than most at half the price! Aromas jump from the bottle once the cork is pulled and the excellence of this wine is savored through the last drop.

IN THE TASTING: We picked the Clos du Bois number one, right on the heels was Gallo Sonoma Stefani Vineyard Chardonnay \$16.

HAIL THESE CABS: 1994 Gallo Sonoma Cabernet Sauvignon, Frei Ranch \$18 and 1995 Mount Veeder Cabernet Sauvignon, Napa Valley \$30.

BEST BUY WHITES, \$10 AND UNDER: 1997 Canyon Road Sauvignon Blanc \$7: 1996 Chateau St. Jean Furne Blanc \$9; 1996 Bonverre Chardonnay \$9; 1996 Napa Ridge Chardonnay \$9; and 1997 Rosemount Chardonnay \$10. But for a couple of dollars more, 1996 R.H. Phillips Toasted Head Chardonnay is the

Telling a little about a lot, some new, some not

BY ELEANOR & RAY HEALD SPECIAL WRITERS

New wines and spirits pop up with regularity. We frequently tend to react to what's new, rather than to some of the best that have been around for 25 years or longer. We're striking a compromise this week

The Cakebread family, owners of Cakebread Cellars in California's Napa Valley, founded their winery in 1973. The 82 acres of Cakebread vineyards are planted to sauvignon blanc and cabernet sauvignon, but long-term relationships with select growers provide other varietals such as chardonnay,

merlot, pinot noir and zinfandel. Many California growers chose not to replant sauvignon blanc in vineyards' ravaged by phylloxera. Today, there is a definite shortage of superior sauvignon blane from California. This is unfortunate since Americans are "in" to spicy



Iceberg Vodka

foods and their best white wine mate is sauvignon blanc. The 1997 Cakebread Sauvignon Blanc \$18.50 is one not to miss.

Typifying Napa Vallev's richness is the 1995 Cakebread Cabernet Sauvignon \$34. Because we thought the 1994 was so spectacular, we were prepared for a little let-down with the 1995. No way, it's stellar.

Carneros Creek Winery

Francis Mahoney founded Carneros Creek Winery a year before the Cakebreads. Mahoney's dream was to grow pinot noir and make wines that would stand up to French Burgundies. No one has done more vineyard research with pinot noir than Mahoney. He knew that classic pinot noir would derive from several clones. But which ones

With cooperation from the University of California at Davis, he conducted a pioneering clonal research project that determined the distinct personality of several pinot noir clones. Today, Carneros Creek pinot noirs are an artist's palette of flavors from seven clones chosen to be the most promising for achieving the Carneros Creek style.

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medal at the American Culinary

Federation's Junior Team Cen-

tral Regional Competition in

Chicago.
This dish was the second of a four course dinner the team prepared for the American Culinary Federation's Junior Team Cen tral Regional Competition in

PESTO RICOTTA GNOCCHI Serves 4

Teamwork

In addition to becoming better

chefs, the students said they

enjoyed seeing what other people

in the industry were doing, and

Enright also won an award.

He was named American Culi-

nary Federation's Regional Chef

of the Year, and is a candidate

for the 1998 National Chef of the

Year Award to be presented in

July at the American Culinary

Federation National Convention

"I never plan to win awards,"

said Enright who lives in Troy.

"It's good that you're recognized

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have people relying on me."

the thrill of competition.

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1 egg yolk 4 tablespoons pesto

Salt and pepper to taste

cheese, grated

2 tablespoons pine nuts

PESTO. 1 cup basil leaves 2 tablespoons Parmesan

Culinary Federation/Michigan said Enright.

Chefs de Cuisine Association for

22 years, and board member for

20 years. Enright received the

ACF/MCCA Chef of the Year

Award in 1987 and 1994. He's a

Cooks Apprenticeship Program

past 14 years. While he enjoys

teaching. Enright believes it's

important to stay current in the

industry, and attends seminars

ship program offers student

chefs on-the-job training at

approved restaurants. "It's grati-

and progress with their skills,"

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Gnocchi: Knead together all the 1/2 cup extra virgin olive oil gnocchi ingredients, including 4 PARMESAN CRISP tablespoons pesto. Add more flour 1/3 cup Parmesan cheese,

He's taught at OCC for the attached to it. There's never a

dull moment.

as needed. Season with salt and coarsely grated 1 teaspoon cracked black Roll the dough into a rope and cut and shape the gnocchi. Simmer Zucchini & Eggplant Garnish

1 teaspoon olive oil

shredded

Salt and pepper to taste

1 tablespoon fresh basil.

Pesto: Grind the basil and pine

nuts together with the cheese until

The demand for workers in the

hours are still nights and week-

job. It's a very energetic and cre-

ative business, but work is

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your calendar, and plan to

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a fine paste. Drizzle in the olive

in salted water until tender. 1/2 small zucchini, sliced Parmesan Crisp: Lay out the cheese and pepper in a random 1/2 small eggplant, sliced

pattern in the shape of a circle. Bake in 350°F oven until slightly brown, about 3-5 minutes. Let cool. Keep crisp for service.

Garnish: Slice eggplant and sprinkle with salt. Leave for 20 minutes. Pat dry. Sauté the eggplant and zucchini in olive oil. Keep for service.

FRESH TOMATO SAUCE AND SHALLOT CREAM

Serves 4 TOMATO SAUCE

4 Roma Tomatoes, chopped 3 garlic cloves, crushed 1 tablespoon olive oil 1 cup chicken stock

dients together until tomatoes are soft and reduced. Add tomato paste and cook together. Pass through a food mill. Adjust season-

> Shallot cream: Sweat shallots in butter. Add cream and sherry. Reduce until thick. Season with salt and pepper. Garnish sauce with diced tomatoes.

To serve dish. Arrange gnocchi on top of the eggplant. Pool the tomato sauce in the bowl. Drizzle the cream over the gnocchi. Arrange the zucchini slices on too with diced tomatoes and sprinkle sauce with diced tomatoes, Top with Parmesan Crisp and fresh

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found were always such a treat, and over time we learned about ramps, (wild leeks) and how to restaurant and hospitality dig them up, and also fiddlehead industry is high. "It's very competitive," said Enright. "The ferns, which we never found either. It didn't matter because chef instructor at OCC and ends, it's not a 40 hour a week we were together.

I set up my kitchen on the end ished. Whatever your level of of the picnic table outside the expertise, cooking and eating in cabin. My Coleman stove and a the woods is always a special cutting board. That's it. But it's treat. more fun for me to cook in that environment than in a profes sional kitchen. I always challenge myself to come up with a of sweet 16 parties, but as I call great dinner using just one big

the J-Building on campus. You'll have the opportunity to sample gold, silver and bronze medal winning wines from wineries, which border the Great Lakes, including Ontario's

Appetizers will be provided by top area restaurants including Diamond Jim Brady's, Fox and Hounds, Tribute, Relish, Mac & Ray's and others.

Garnish

1/4 cup red wine vinegar

1/8 teaspoon fennel seed.

1/8 teaspoon coriander

1 teaspoon tomato paste

Salt and pepper to taste

SHALLOT CREAM

2 tablespoons shallots, finely

1 Roma tomato, peeled, seed-

dish is properly cooked when fin-

This year Andy is in Costa

Rica, and Emily has a weekend

the park to cancel this year's

reservations and make them

again for next year, I remember

so fondly the excitement of get-

ting out there in the woods and

walking around all day in pur-

suit of the elusive morel mush-

room. I also remember cuddling

up together in the beds, working

and playing together as a family

Hopefully, we will be able to

2 tablespoons butter

1 cup heavy cream

1/4 cup sherry

1 teaspoon butter

ed and diced

Salt & pepper to taste

crushed

sion" of cooking is helpful but not a necessity. By "progression" I mean knowing about when to add the next ingredients so that nothing gets overdone, and the

chicken, rice and mushroom stew I made one year when we found a decent amount of morels, though I did bring up some store-bought morels to supplement our foraged ones.

It's amazing what you can do with a few basic ingredients and and enjoying cooking our meals a good Dutch oven style pot - a in a cabin warmed by the heat of few herbs, some oil, any starch a wood stove. such as rice, lentils or beans,

make it up north to Wilderness some chicken or meat - and you State Park next May. are on your way. Understanding the "progres

Wine dinner

This month is Burgundy Month at Emily's, and to cele brate, May's wine dinner 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 20, will feature wines and cuisine from that part of France. The cost is \$95 per person, all inclusive, and we will have a guest speaker and Burgundy expert, Shyvawn Licorish, the Midwest representative for Vineyard Brands on hand to speak about the wines. Call the restaurant (248) 349-0505 for reservations/information.

Rick Halberg cheflowner of Emily's Restaurant in Northvill lives in Farmington Hills with his family. He has established a reputation as one of Michigan's outstanding chefs. Rick is an extensive traveler, and is known for his fine French inspired Mediterranean and Italian cuisine. Look for his column on the third Sunday of the month in

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By: Ariel Waitzamn, MD, FRC&C

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the larynx. After treatment is

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retain a clear and useful voice.

returns. Although these patients

lose their entire voice box,

surgeons can now place an

allowing many patients to

continue speaking and

Dr. Waitzman is an Otolaryngologist in private practice in

Dr. Pinnock is an Otolaryngologist in private practice in

Allen Park. Ml. He is an Assistant Professor at Wayne State

University, and a member of the Oakwood Head & Neck Cancer

Allen Park, MI. He is the Interim Leader of the Oakwood Head &

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distilled white spirit in the U.S. Since vodka is 60 percent water, Iceberg straight from the freezer it's good to know the source. For or in a very dry martini and you Iceberg Vodka, Canadian Arctic too can tell these folks that they icebergs are harvested off the northeast coast of Newfoundland, melted and filtered. The The 1995 Mountadam Pinot Noir water is blended with triple-dis-

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Honey biscuits low in fat

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The following recipe for Honey Biscuits, created by Gary Pettigrew of Rockton, Ill., was the grand-prize winner in the Honey, Lighten Up recipe conest.. The contest was sponsored by the National Honey Board and McCall's magazine.

HONEY BISCUITS

2 cups unbleached flour 1/2 cup honey

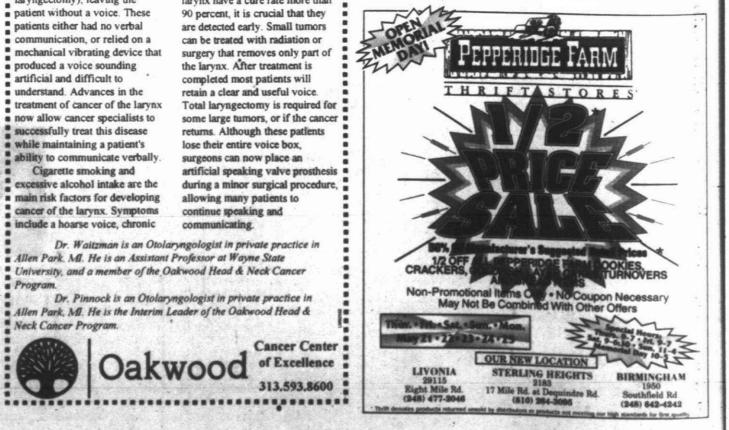
1 tablespoon baking powder 1/4 teaspoon baking soda 4 ounces reduced-fat cream

1 1/2 tablespoons margarine 2/3 cup reduced-fat chicken 1/4 cup snipped fresh parsley

Whisk together flour, honey, baking powder and baking soda. Using a pastry blender or two knives, cut cream cheese and mar-

garine until mixture resembles crumbs. Add broth and parsley. dough. Place dough on well-floured surface and knead 10 to 12 times. Pat dough into an 8-inch square pan: cut into 2-inch squares. Place 2 inches apart on baking sheet. Bake at 450 degrees F for 8 to 10 minutes or until tops and bottoms are golden brown. Makes 16 serv-

Nutrition facts per serving: 108 cal., 2.9 g fat (24 percent calories from fat), 5 mg chol., 137 mg sodium, 0.4 g dietary fiber.



Turmeric: The spice that curries favor

BY DANA JACOBI SPECIAL WRITER

After college, I set up housekeeping on my own. Committed to cooking at home, I acquired a set of sturdy pots and pans and filled a spice rack. In addition to using the oregano, thyme and cinnamon on a regular basis, I went through a large supply of curry powder, since my favorite date dishes included curried cream cheese and chutney pin-

The jar of electric yellow

wheels and shrimp curry.

turmeric, however, sat untouched until I took a class on Indian cooking, where I discovered how to use this pleasantly aromatic and surprisingly versatile spice. Beyond adding a mildly spicy flavor and vibrant golden color to dishes, turmeric has long been prized as a digestive aid and a way to combat flatulence. Recently, it has also been found to have powerful antioxidant qualities. Researchers are currently studding its cancerpreventative effects, as well as its use as an anti-inflammatory.

Ground turmeric is a key ingredient in curry powders. A

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WILDERNESS PARK CHICKEN

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1 (3 pound chicken), cut into

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used, grated or cut in chunks. It can usually be found in Asian markets and some natural food stores, and looks like a scaleddown version of ginger. Peeling away the thin, brownish skin reveals its bright orange flesh.

A friend who grows turmeric organically in Hawaii, describes the flavor of his fresh turmeric as "carrot-like." Most of his crop is sold for use in medicines, or processed to use in food prod acts. The strong, yellow color of American, ball-park-style mustard comes from turmeric, as does the earthy flavor in some

Ground turmeric goes well with rice, potatoes, and cauliflower. It perks up potato salad and adds pizzazz to a vinaigrette for steamed cauliflower. Add a half teaspoon of turmeric to the water when cooking lentils and chickpeas. It can even add new flavor and color to some of your old standby dishes, like chicken soup, spaghetti sauce, or scrambled

If you find fresh turmeric at member of the ginger family, the market, grate a half inch of turmeric is a rhizome, or under- it over a pot of freshly cooked ground stem. Most turmeric is rice. Let is sit, covered, for 10 to moderately low, cover the pot cooked, and then sun-dried and minutes, then serve. This pilaf with a tight-fitting lid, and simmer

morel mushrooms: camper's treat

from the pump outside

(you could mix this with

some good red or white

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ground. Fresh turmeric, a staple uses ground turmeric to create a of Southeast Asian cooking, is great tasting and eye catching dish that's perfect with simply grilled chicken or fish.

GOLDEN RICE PILAF WITH

GREEN PEAS 1 cup basmati rice or Texmati

1 tablespoon canola oil 1 small onion, finely chopped

3/4 cup

1 teaspoon ground turmeric 1 teaspoon salt

2 1/2 cups hot chicken broth or water

1/2 cup frozen green peas

Wash the rice in a bowl, changing the water until it runs clean. Soak the rice in water to cover for 30 minutes. Drain.

In a heavy medium saucepan, heat the oil over medium-high heat. Add the onions and ginger and cook until the onions are light ly colored, 6-7 minutes. Add the soaked rice, turmeric and the salt Pour in the chicken broth or water and stir. Bring the pot to a full boil over high heat. Reduce the heat slightly and boil gently, uncovered for 5 minutes. Turn the heat down

butter or oil. Add the onions and

pieces. Brown them and season

well with salt and freshly ground

black pepper. Add the mushrooms

with the oil. Add your herbs and

cover tightly. Reduce heat to a low

liquid. Bring to a simmer and

simmer and cook for 30-45 min-

utes, or until chicken is cooked,

and all the liquid is absorbed by

chopped tomato if using, check and

adjust seasoning. Serve from the

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garlic, or wild leeks if using. Sauté

until softened and add the chicken

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and recover the pot. Remove it

Distribute the peas over the rice

for 5 minutes. With a fork, mix in the peas and fluff the rice. Serve

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Dementia symposium

Sponsored by the Alzheimer's Asso ciation - Detroit Area Chapter, Madonna University, and the Alzheimer Society of Windsor and Essex County, an all day workshop titled 'Options & Decisions: Preparing for End-Stage Dementia' will take place at Madonna University's campus in Livonia for professionals providing supervisory and/or direct care to dementia patients.

It will be held 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday, May 28, in Kresge Hall. Registration fee is \$55 per person, which includes lunch and refreshments. The symposium will include five breakout sessions. Topics are: Ethical Dilemmas with End-Stage Dementia; Hospice and Dying with Dementia; Grief Support for the Caregivers; The Important Issues of Autopsy; and Advance Directives and Dementia. For more information on how to register, call the Alzheimer's Association at (248) 557-8277 or Madonna University at (734) 432-

Healthy cooking

Learn how to nutritiously prepare some of your favorite Tex-Mex dishes 7 p.m. \$6 fee and preregistration required. (These popular classes fill early call ASAP). Botsford's Health Development Network (HDN) 39750 Grand River, Novi call (248) 477-

First aid

An American Red Cross class will be sponsored June 2 to help people learn how to respond in emergency siturations. Practice and learn emergency principles, CPR and how to correctly provide first aid for shock, burns, bites, fractures and bleeding. Class beings at 6 p.m. Call Garden City Hospital, 458-4330.

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 Dateboo (upcoming calendar events); Medical Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field); and Medical Briefs (medical advances, short news items from hospitals, physicians, companies 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



Digestion, easier breathing and sleep share May observances

May is National Digestive Diseases wareness Month, Better Sleep Month and Breathe Easy Month - observances that share a surprisingly common link.

Both sleeplessness and asthma can be triggered by gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), a condition that causes symptoms of heartburn and other gas-

Health hazards

People who have trouble sleeping, particularly the 20 percent of Americans who are shift workers, are prone to digestive problems like GERD. While heartburn is the primary symptom of GERD, sufferers may also experience belching, bloating, regurgitation or a feeling of early fullness during meals

These symptoms, especially nightime heartburn, can keep sufferers up at night.

have a negative impact on quality of life.
"Many sufferers complain they feel tired, even though they think they've had a full night's sleep," says William C. Orr, Ph.D.,

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ATMOSPHERE AND NUTRITIONAL **COUNSELING AIMS** FOR PERMANENT **WEIGHT LOSS**

or many women, working out at a gym or health club can be an awkward situation. Some even put off exercising at all in an effort to avoid the self-conscious distress they feel working alongside their male counterparts.

Inches-A-Weigh, a new weight loss and exercise program in Livonia, is offering women an alternative to the high pressure "competitive environments of aerobics, weightlifting and strength building," found at traditional health clubs and commercial diet cen-

"We've created a comfortable, nurturing atmosphere where our clientele have a lot in common with each other and they don't have to feel like they're here to impress anyone," said Barbara Horowitz. Inches-A-Weigh owner. "They have no interest in lifting, jumping, jarring, straining, changing make-up or wearing leotards.

Inches-A-Weigh, located at 30985 Five Mile in Livonia, is the first center of its kind in the Detroit area and is part of a 10-year-old chain of women's weight loss and fitness centers that numbers over 70 locations throughout the United States.

Horowitz and her husband, Mike, of West Bloomfield, opened the second Inches-A-Weigh center in the state in March, hoping the marriage of her nursing background, his continued success in business and the demographics of Livonia and surrounding communities would be a perfect fit.

The philosophy of the Livonia center combines achieving the goal of permanent weight loss coupled with one-on-one nutritional counseling and on-site, supervised exercise classes.

Making changes

According to Cindy Ludwig, Inches-A-Weigh center director, individual success is largely based on initiating and sustaining healthy lifestyle changes. Examples include maintaining a well-balanced diet, incorporating exercise into your schedule and changing any negative behaviors or attitudes the client may have about himself or herself or the weight

New clients go through an orientation process as part of the three phase Inches-A-Weigh nutrition and fitness program. Initially, a client meets with a nutritional counselor for a figure analysis to identify habits which may be contributing to the client's weight problem and to learn how to shop for and prepare a low-fat, low-salt, high carbohydrate and fiber

"We blend 90 percent grocery store food, you buy yourself, with 10 percent nutritional supplements and vitamins," said Horowitz. "The counselor also encourages the client to drink at least eight glasses of water a day to ensure a woman is getting the necessary nutrients and vitamins to insure the loss of

body fat and the body's by-products." Nutritional counselors also educate each member by signing them up for a series of "NuStyle Behavior/Modification Lessons" that include 26 topics such as: Activity & Energy Balance, Dieting: Avoid Deprivation, Emotions and Overeating, Learning to Love | Livonia center promotes such as regular exercise, a Your Body, The Art of Managing Your Thinking and | well-balanced diet, vitamin supplements and drink-



Feeling fit: Exercise Counselor Sherry Smith (standing) of Dearborn Heights works with Julie Kafcas of Westland on one of the figure shaping equipment at the new Inches - A -Weigh nutrition and fitness center for women in Livonia. Center director Cindy Ludwig (in background) of Farmington Hills tries out the equipment.

Nutrition 101: Heart Disease Prevention. "By educating a woman about certain attitudes and behaviors she can take control of those things that may be working against her to lose weight," said

Goal-setting

Following an extensive analysis that includes medical history, genetic predisposition, height, BMI, age and activity level a goal weight and goal date are set.

Phases II and III introduce the client to a more active lifestyle, the redevelopment of the four probem musculature areas and restores elasticity through a series of less strenuous figure shaping treatments.

Exercise Counselor Amy Marion of Redford, supervises clients during three, 50-minutes classes a week n Inches-A-Weigh's special figure-shaping and cardiovascular equipment. The machines further isometric resistance techniques rather than traditional high impact aerobics or weight training where a certain degree of bouncing and jarring is involved.

Fifty-minute class sessions are divided into six inute rotations on each of seven pieces of figureshaping equipment and six to 18 minutes of cardioascular exercises. "Our program guarantees a loss of 8 to 15 inches

minimum in the first three weeks," said Marion. "That could be three dress sizes." Marion is a great role model for clients, said

Horowitz of the Inches-A-Weigh staffer who is proud to say she lost 180 pounds. "When I was 17 years old, I weighed 325 pounds,"

said Marion. "I had been on a lot of diets before but had never been really successful." Marion admits she was not an Inches-A-Weigh client but incorporated all of the philosophies the

"I'm an inspiration to someone who comes here and thinks they can't succeed because they haven't been able to in the past," said Marion. "I can say, 'Yes you can, I did,' and be honest about it. They have to do it for themselves if they really want to lose the weight and there are a lot of women just like them coming here for the same results."

Horowitz is eager to point out the supportive environment of which a woman can work toward her weight loss goal without the distractions she might find elsewhere.

"There is a real camaraderie amongst the staff and clientele. They provide a great deal of emotional support toward one another," said Ludwig.

Boosting activity

Finally, in Phase III, a more "strenuous cardiovascular exercise component is offered to the client as tolerated." It is believed that this level of activity maintains weight loss and enhances wellness and quality of life.

Another unique feature of the Inches-A-Weigh center includes a Nutritional Bar where a wide variety of nutritional supplements can be purchased to complement regular grocery store food including soups, cereals, drink mixes (lemonade, pina colada shake, vanilla cafe au lait, hot cocoa, pink grapefruit), pasta, and dessert bars.

"We welcome women of all ages and shapes," said Horowitz. "Our nutrition and fitness counselors can develop a personally tailored program without the dangers of drugs or expensive pre-packed foods that will work for you and not result in the yo-yo diet syndrome of weight loss and gain."

Weigh, call (734) 421-2929 or visit 30985 Five Mile.

Dr. Elders promotes teen pregnancy prevention receiving a scholarship from the United pist. Her pro-choice views on abortion

chair beside her, Dr. M. Jocelyn Elders, the first black and first woman to serve as U.S. Surgeon General, said the country has made strides on adolescent health, but not enough to prevent teens from becoming pregnant.

Parents still need to be taught about how to talk to their own children about sex, she said. Elders bemoaned "dumb policies," like requiring parental consent for teen contraceptives. She wants condom advertising on TV

and billboards to promote safe sex. Why not, she asks, noting that far worse appears on TV and that condoms prevent sexually transmitted diseases, like AIDS which can kill. "I always tell young people that the vows of abstinence break a lot easier

than a latex condom," Elders said. Elders, who didn't hold a formal press conference, spoke at length with some reporters who arrived before her keynote address, while her husband, Oliver, looked on.

Elders, the mother of two sons in their 30s, spoke at Planned Parenthood of Southeast Michigan (PPSM's) fourth ual fundraising luncheon on Thursday at St. John's Armenian Banquet Center in Southfield.

"We haven't done a good job in this able," Elders said. "We feel that we gins. Who do we think our young men have done our job when we tell them to are scoring with?" just say no. We are risking destroying children's lives to hold onto values that we have never lived by. For years, I've gist, never saw a physician prior to



Dr. M. Jocelyn Elders

told teenagers never to go on a serious date unless they have a condom in their purse."

She is dubbed "The Condom Queen" because of her tireless insistence that

sexually active teens use protection "Some feel that if adults tell teens about birth control, they will have sex," Elders said. "As if they aren't already country in helping make comprehen- doing it. We teach our young men to sive sex education and services avail- score and tell our young girls to be vir-

Elders, a sharecroppers daughter who became an pediatric endocrinolo-

Methodist Church to attend Philander- and support of the medical use of mari-Smith College in Little Rock, juana, garnered considerable contro-Arkansas. When she graduated at age versy in Arkansas. 18, she entered the Army where she received training as a physical thera-

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Pickets protest Elders' views

Thursday's Planned Parenthood luncheon listened intently to outspoken Dr. M. Jocelyn Elders while a small group of women protesting outside displayed their religious convictions. Ironically, one part of her talk discussed a highly religious family who abandoned their 14-year-old daughter,

putting her out on the street, when they learned she was pregnant. It's an unlikely but common enough scenario, Referring to the pickets outside. ders said. "They are in love with the fetus but not with the child. If they could only get over their love affair

with the fetus and start loving children. Once they are born, I never see them marching for food or health care. op trying to legislate morals and ach responsibility. The best way to prevent an abortion is to prevent

every state and Planned Parenthood's

efforts were credited Thursday by

The largely female audience at "These are important issues that people need to hear," said Shirley Bradley, of Grosse Pointe. Added Diane Pressly-Capers of Bloomfield Township: "I respect her Stephanie Stewart of Detroit, said

the chance for adolescent pregnancy impacts "girls in the Woodward and Square Lake area just as it does girls in the Woodward and Six Mile area." Courtney Smith, a senior in Detroit's Renaissance High School, called Elders' speech "powerful and

"It made me not want to have sex. Outside a small group of pickets carried photos of aborted fetuses and pictures of Our Lady of Guadeloupe, whom they call the Patroness of the

The Roman Catholic Church believes The Blessed Mother appeare nwanted pregnancy." believes The Blessed Mother appeared
Teen birthrates have declined in in an apparition to Juan Diego in 1531, in Tepeyac, a poor suburb of

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but long enough to cause drowsi-

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> HCIA will also public three studies each year to disseminate

Elders from page B4

President William Clinton appointed Elders a adding that she hasn't maintained contact with U. S. Surgeon General after lengthy debate at Clinton her confirmation hearing about her support of condoms and sex education and her views on she said.

Elders made it clear that she was fired by the President after endorsing masturbation in a speech at the United Nations.

"I loved being the Surgeon General. I loved being there. I did the best I knew how. . Yes, I feel that it (being fired) was a political decision. I don't think that he expected the reaction he

The President has organized a task force on teenage pregnancy prevention, Elders said, an annual fundraising luncheon.

"The whole country is talking about it now,"

She returned to her post as professor at the

University of Arkansas Medical School. She has received many awards and is listed in Distinguished Women in America.

The program also featured PPSM's Teen The atre group, teen stage performers who educate their peers. Jacquelin Washington, president and CEO of PPSM, also was introduced. This is the fourth consecutive year that PPSM hosted

Pickets from page B4

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Jane Sobieck, a former nia, said such sex education in The women said they didn't Southfield resident and cur- the schools is why she home-

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ISO certified

Industrial Strainer Co. of Plymouth was recently awarded registration to the QS 9000/ ISO 9001 standard. "However in our 40 years of manufacturing complex assemblies, components and systems, we have always practiced similar continuousimprovement and quality principles," said Tom Murdock, president of Industrial Strainer Co.

Microsoft certification

Lawrence Technological University's Department of Continuing Education and Professional Development will be offering courses that follow the Microsoft Certification Program Career Track. The summer program is scheduled to start June 1. A series of six courses will be offered. Call LTU, (248) 204-4050.

BUSINESS PROFESSIONALS

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary, including the towns of residence and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired, to: Business Professionals, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (734) 591-7279. E-mail kmortson@oe.homecomm.net

Botwinski named

Thomas W. Botwinski with EQ Financial Consultants of Canton has qualified for membership in Putnam's 25th Annual Golden Scale Council, according to William N. Shiebler, president of Putnam Mutual Funds in Boston.

The Putnam Golden Scale Council consists of investment professionals who have achieved the highest professional standards in serving investors during the previous year. Only 675 representatives nationwide have qualified for this special recognition.

Corporate security rep

Carolyn Shanks of Garden City has been named corporate security representative for Olympia Entertainment. She is responsible for patrolling the Foxtown building headquarters and upholding the comfort and safety of OE guests and colleagues at the Fox Office

Auditors hired

Plante & Moran , LLP, a Michigan-based accounting and management consulting firm, announces the hiring of Sheryl Shorkey to the firm's Ann Arbor office.

Shorkey, a Redford resident, holds a bachelor's degree in accounting from U of M Dearborn.

BUSINESS CALENDAR

Business-related calendar items are welcome from the Observer area and should be sent to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

TUE, MAY 19

CAREER WOMEN MEETING The Nat'l Association of Career

Women West Suburban Chapter will meet from 11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Ernesto's Restaurant in Plymouth (41661 Plymouth Road). Guest speaker is Priscilla Peterson, Management Recruiters Group of Lansing. Call Judie, (734) 453-7272, Ext. 223.

WED, MAY 20

BUSINESS NETWORK INT.

BNI regular meeting 7-8:30 a.m. Laurel Park Chapter, Richards Restaurant, Plymouth & Newburgh. For more information call the BNI regional office at

(734) 397-9939.

INT'L TRADE ISSUES

Leslie Touma (fmr. dir. Lear Corporation) will discuss International Trade Issues Affecting Michigan at the Fairlane Club, Dearborn from 11:45 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. \$20 per person. Call (734) 479-2345.

THUR, MAY 21 **INVENTORY ACCURACY**

The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will host a management of inventory record accuracy seminar at Schoolcraft College from 8 a.m. to noon (\$105 cost). Focus on developing steps for achieving accurate inventory records and controlling your inventory. Call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800- 292-4484, Ext. 4165, for more information.

FRI, MAY 22 & 29

BUSINESS NETWORK INT. BNI regular meeting 7-8:30 a.m., Livonia Chapter, Senate Koney Island on Plymouth Road near Stark. For more information, call (734) 397-9939.

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Net sex site stirs major controversy, concerns public



MIKE WENDLAND

I'm not going to tell you the address of the Web site.

I know. That's usually what I do. I always share the Web sites I've stumbled across during the past week

But not this week. The Web site I'm reporting on this week is one I wish

wasn't online. Police, parents and a lot of retailers deplore what is posted there, and I'm not going to give the guy who runs it any more traffic by publicizing his Internet address. See, the more "hits." or web visitors he gets, the more he takes in from advertisers who

share his "interests."

The site in question is run by an East Coast man and blatantly, with plenty of detail, chronicles places where men can go and have anonymous sex with other men. The site is stirring quite the controversy.

I did an I-Team investigative report for Channel 4 television in Detroit this week, as have other journalists across the country as they've discovered their cities were made this dubious "list,"

In Metro Detroit, 38 different spots are mentioned on the site. Many are parks, adult bookstores, freeway rest areas. Those kinds of places may be controversial when used for sex, but it's not necessarily surprising that they're listed. We're used to police sweeps and arrests for such activity there.

What is surprising ... no, shocking is a better word ... are the number of public restrooms in shopping malls across the area. We verified open sexual activity in rest rooms in Hudsons, at both Northland and Eastland; Montgomery Ward at the Summit Place shopping center in Waterford Township; Universal Mall in Warren and the Henry Ford Centennial Library in Dearborn.

We notified all of the management of the malls about being on the so-called "Sex Listings" Internet list and our independent verification that these public restrooms were indeed being used for sex by men. Some of the activity was behind stalls. Other illicit activity was right out in

the open and could be seen by anyone who walked in.

It happened at all times of the day and night.

In all of the places, we observed unsuspecting parents sending their children in to use the rest rooms alone.

"That's what's so wrong with this," Michigan State Police Lt. Steven Krafft told me when I showed him the video we shot. "This activity is illegal. It constitutes gross indecency, a five year felony. And these people don't seem to see who catches them. We even get reports of youngsters and adults being approached and harassed when they stumbled onto this behavior. To think that the Internet is being used to steer these people to these public places is pretty sad."

The owner of the Web site is nonplussed by the criticism. He agreed to a videotaped interview. as long as his full name wasn't used and his face not shown. His first name is Keith.

He says he gets hundreds of tips every week from people who

want to publicize their places for sexual rendezvous'. He says if people are offended by what they see when they walk into a restroom "they can turn around and walk out.'

He says there is nothing unusual about what happens in some of the shopping center restrooms. "It's always been that way. Perhaps the unusual element is now we have this technology that allows for distribution to the masses very quickly and rapidly.

That is causing a lot of concern by retailers.

A vice president for Hudsons at the department store chain's Minneapolis headquarters told me the Web site has caused "major problems" for retailers across the country

"This is intolerable," said the Hudsons executive. "We are very dismayed to see this material on the Internet. This is criminal activity, and we will be taking sweeping steps to stop it completely in our stores. Our customers can be sure of a safe and protected environment in our stores." He refused to be specific about the security measures the retailer would be implementing because he did not want to alert those they intend to catch.

And intend to catch them they do. And then have police arrest

But what about Keith and the Internet site?

Not much can be done to stop the postings he receives or his listings. "I have an entire section which deals with entrapment so that I can alert visitors to my site places they should avoid because someone has sent me a tip from the police that a sting operation is about to begin," he

Police, however, have some ideas on what to do to control the problem

"We think we can confiscate the cars of the men who drive to these places for the express purpose of engaging in this criminal conduct." said Krafft.

So far this year, state police in the metro area have arrested 26 men for illicit sex in restrooms. They include professionals, edu-

cators, factory workers even a local clergyman.

"He was a minister who we caught in a public rest room at a rest area that stopped there on his way to his church where he had a wedding rehearsal sched-

Most of the men caught engag-

uled," said Krafft.

ing in such activity are married.
"We're not judging anyone's morality," said Krafft. "What we're concerned about is the safety of the kids that go into these places and that these things are out in the public and illegal. We are not happy about this Internet site pushing these people into our public places."

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 on WXYT-Radio AM1270 and he is the author of a series of Internet books. You can reach him through his Web site at http://www.pcmike.com

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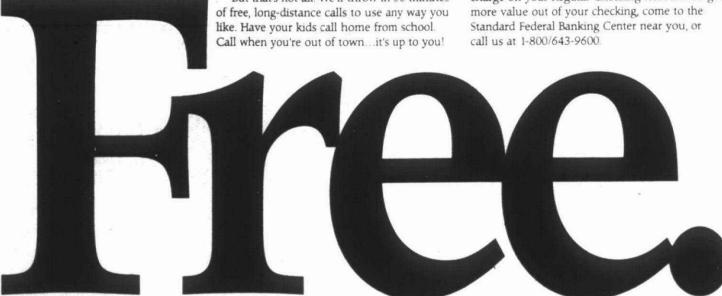
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Rental gallery selling art at up to 75% off

t's hard to believe, but the Plymouth Community Arts Council is selling \$350 paintings for \$150 to be able to purchase new works for its Art Rental Gallery. Whether you're looking for a piece of art to own or rent, the Plymouth

Community Arts Council offers a rare opportunity to enjoy florals, landscapes, wildlife and genre scenes for a

reduced price, **Art Rental** or the monthly fee of \$6. **Gallery Sale**

The once-a-WHAT: The Plyyear sale of mouth Community paintings, pho-Arts Council holds tographs and a sale of half its limited edition inventory of 300 prints allows original art works art lovers to and reproductions purchase origi-WHEN: 9 a.m. to nal and repro-9 p.m. Wednesday May 20 and May duction framed 27; June 3, 10, 17 art at up to 75 and 24, or during percent off the regular hours 9 regular prices. a.m. to noon Mon-The gallery

day through Friday has phountil Tuesday, June tographs of its entire collection WHERE: Joanne of more than Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 300 traditional and contempo-774 North Sheldon rary works. It is Road (at Junction) possible to Plymouth, For infor mation, call (734) select a sale work, including ones by Marge

Chellstorp, Johnnie Crosby, Audrey Harkins, Yvette Goldberg, Phyllis Hochlowski, Bladen McClelland, Marsha Weigand, and Michael Glenn Monroe, currently on loan and purchase it when it's returned by the current renter.

Priced for sale

416-4ART.

"After pieces have been in the collection for a year, we price them for sale," said Therese Gall, Art Rental Gallery director. "There are some real bargains and they're all framed and ready to hang," said Therese Gall, Art Rental Gallery director. Since the early 1970s, the Ply-

mouth Community Arts Council has rented art to individuals and businesses for a small monthly fee. Still a bargain at \$6 a month for most framed art and \$2 for smaller works. the wall art offers everything from florals to landscapes.

"Abstract, contemporary, traditional - we try to fill everybody's needs, we try to have a variety," said Gall. "People have found they can see if they like a certain color or size before they buy it by renting it first. Very few places let you take something home

The Art Rental Gallery is also now offering large-scale art works after receiving requests from owners of expansive, contemporary homes

"With the big new homes, people want bigger pieces and they're more valuable, so we've started taking consignments." said Gall.

Rent to own

Helen Gierman began renting art years ago for N. W. Coughlin when the gallery was on the second floor of the Plymouth Public Library. As vicepresident and general manager of the direct mail company in Plymouth, Gierman has purchased several abstracts and a landscape. Winter scenes and holiday themes transform the workplace into a pleasant environment

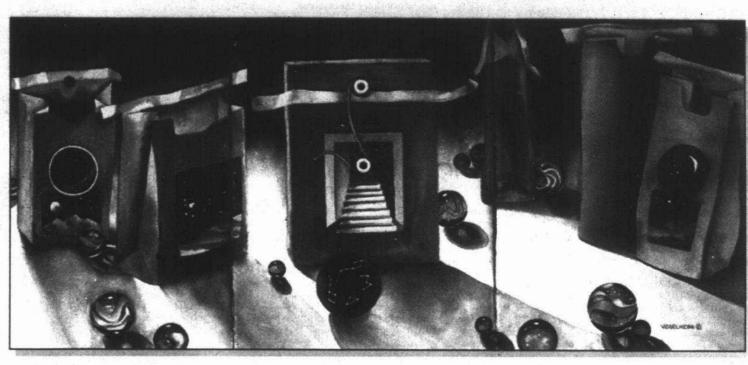
"It's fun we've really enjoyed renting and purchasing from the arts council because it's nice to have revolving art," said Gierman, "Many offices and lobbies have the same pieces. Our clients look forward to coming in to see what's new."

Gierman has also rented paintings for her home. By exposing her children to art in this way, Gierman said she's been able to instill a love for it in her two, now artistically inclined.

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Art sale: The Plymouth Community Arts Council is selling "Bay Port," a painting by Richard Schierloh for 60 percent off the original price.



PAINTED DONNA VOGELHEIM

ATERCOLORIST personalizes paintings



Throughout history, some of the most powerful art works created by were artists in the midst of crisis and contemplation.

Donna Vogelheim feels her most recent paintings, which evolved from a series of personal "losses" over the past two years, are some of the best she's ever done.

The Farmington artist uses paint like an author uses words to express thoughts about the deaths of three female friends from breast cancer and her divorce after 30 years of marriage in the series "Transitions," part of the works on display in a one-woman show at the Livonia Civic Center Library Fine Arts Gallery.

"I paint because that's how I talk to people," said Vogelheim. "I tell them about life through my

art. It reflects periods of my life." Livonia Arts commissioner Billy Thompson booked Vogelheim's work into the Fine Arts Gallery because of the content although she admires Vogelheim's technical proficiency as well.

'Donna's new work is personal," said Thompson. "The paintings speak very definitely to anyone who looks and opens themselves to the paintings. The feelings and

emotion that she's putting into her work, it speaks to all of us. It's about healing, pain, life in general, over-coming. It's very hope-ful. It shows hope for the future."

This may be the last opportunity to view logelheim's paintings, which deal with her divorce "after three sons and 30 years of marriage." To illustrate the torn feelings in the initial stages of divorce, Vogelheim split several houses in half and arranges broken twigs all around in "A House Divided."

Red, a color quite often associated with anger, dominates two-thirds of the work. "A House Divided -Moving On" deals with the latter stages of divorce and contains healing words and houses which

seem to be floating away. "They're very personal," said Vogelheim. "I probably will not

show them again." Hung side by side, two 60- by 40-inch "Right is Wrong" paintings require intense study to realize Vogelheim's message. She likes

WHAT: The Livonia Arts Commission hosts an exhibition of watercolors by Farmington artist Donna Vogel

WHEN: Through Wednesday, May 27. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Mon day to Thursday, until 5 p.m. Friday Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. WHERE: Livonia

Civic Center Library Fine Arts Gallery, 32777 Five Mile, (east of Farmington Road).

> tions and text. Seven of the marble paintings were recently purchased for Beaumont Hospital's pediatric ward.

whole.

"words and newsprint"

and incorporates them

"The iris was a symbol of death in the

Renaissance," said Vogelheim. "The fig-

ures up at the top are grieving. In the left

painting all the mar-bles are broken. It's

sort of a before and

after. The right painting, all the marbles are

celestial windows in

gourmet coffee bags

appear frequently in

Vogelheim's paintings

along with constella-

Marbles, irises, and

into the painting.

"My trademark is marbles," said Vogelheim. "I started cleaning out my little boy's closet one day and found these marbles. The sun was shining through them like jewels. I love the luminosity. Depending on the light the marbles change

colors. They're fun to do." "The paintings with the marbles have a touch of Surrealism, like they're walking around, they're like landscapes," said Vogelheim.

"The Pilgrimage" is almost surreal with gourmet coffee bags forming Stonehenge-like posts and lintels. In "Circle the Wagons," Vogelheim fills broken glasses with irises surrounded by nesting balls and places the objects out of context to anything but empty space.

"It's like they're out of nowhere at a dead stop there's a lot of play-fulness," said Vogelheim pointing to an iris painting.
Vogelheim's "Big Shooter" series

personalizes paintings for the purchaser. Before starting a painting, Vogelheim interviews clients for an hour. From that knowledge about the individual or business comes the painting of objects relating to their lives.

"People like having a piece of fine art that's personalized," she

Behind all of Vogelheim's work is a solid background in drawing. While studying for a biology degree at the University of Michigan, Vogelheim spent hours in labs drawing what she saw through a microscope. Those years trained her eye to "see." After earning her degree, Vogelheim

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VAAL exhibit shows impact of education

Melissa Snyder sees the Visual Arts Association of Livonia's spring exhibit as an indicator of the fine visual arts programming available at the nonprofit organization's classroom in the Jefferson Center.

· The paintings, pastels, monotypes, collage, mixed media and photography continue on exhibit through Friday, May 29, at Livonia City Hall, 33000 Civic Center Drive

From 114 entries juror Joseph Marks, curator of collections and exhibitions at the University of Michigan-Dearborn, chose 86 florals, still life, portraiture, landscape in styles of abstract, realism, impressionism and expressionism. Many of the art works, including Regina Dunne's "Down in Kentucky," demonstrate mastery of a

medium Dunne, a Livonia artist, has created in pastel for more than 20 years ago. While other works such as Marge Masek's "The Unkown Artist" and Betty Lewis's photograph of a "Pelican" on a dock show a sense of whimsy. Sure to be favorites with viewers are "The Bike Race" by Suzanne Bauman of Bloomfield Township, "Bessie's Tulips,

Beverly Johnston, Livonia, "Cleome," Mary Merz, Redford.

"I think the caliber of our work has improved dramatically over the last one or two years," said exhibit chairperson Melissa Snyder. "We're always trying to grow as artists and you can tell by the work. We have a fine teaching staff and I think that shows in the work. Anyone interest in taking classes could call me and I'll mail them a brochure."

Among the offerings this spring is a

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Best of Show: Marie Benzing of Detroit won top honors for this watercolor titled "Bringin' in the Garden.'

MUSIC CAMP

Summer music camp sounds conservatory's first note

Jeffrey Myers' dream of opening a fine arts conservatory in Plymouth is about to come true

From July 6-17, 300 junior high music students will assemble along with professional musicians for a Summer Music Camp at the Plymouth Canton Educational Park. The intense program is the first step toward opening the Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory with an expanded curriculum this Sep-

"We're setting ourselves up as the Interlochen of Southeast Michigan," said Myers. We want to expose the kids to fine talent

in a fun and exciting atmosphere. Their horn sits in the closet all summer. The camp gives them continual reinforce ment '

From 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., "Jammin' in July" focuses on private instruction and ensemble work with opportunities to play jazz. Students will also learn about music history and theory. A closing concert showcases the progress of stu-

dents after the two weeks of intense studies.

David McGrath, director of bands at Plymouth Canton Educational Park, was in on the initial stage of planning for the music camp. As director of the

high schools' wind ensemble and marching and varsity bands, McGrath knows the value of such a camp. He also thinks it's a bargain at \$240 when fees for Interlochen and Blue Lake camps cost approximately \$1,000.

"I'm really excited about it because so many kids want to attend Interlochen or Blue Lake but can't because of the cost."

WHAT: The Southeast Michigan Arts Conservato ry sponsors a summe music camp for band musi clans in junior high. For (734) 254-0730

WHEN: 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, July 6-10 and July 13-17

WHERE: Plymouth Canton Educational Park, (Joy and Canton Center Road), Can-

COST: \$240, scholarships available on a need basis.

Please see CAMP, C2

Camp from page C1

said McGrath, "and a camp can education generate such excitement and

McGrath will conduct the eighth grade band or advanced ensemble. In the morning, students will receive instruction in small groups outdoors. At unchtime, there will be soccer and other games. Afternoons will the University of Michigan. be spent playing in full ensembles divided by grade levels.
"It's such a wonderful opportu-

nity because they're all there trombone; Ted William, bassoon; Treva Womble, oboe, and Jim because they want to learn. They're sponges and that's Sparrow, also principal clarimportant especially when it inetist with the Fort Wayne comes to the performing arts." Philharmonic. The rest of the

"It's a great opportunity for roster includes Sarah Tuck, prinkids," said McGrath. "I support cipal flute with the Fort Wayne the camp. The only criteria is Myers himself attended Plyany endeavor to support arts Philharmonic, Irving Sarin, sixth graders need eight months mouth Salem High School and

VAAL from page C1

(see related story). The sessions

The cost is \$65 for VAAL mem-

brochure, call (734) 591-1336.

Thursday-Saturday, July 9-11. exhibits.

Most of the faculty members Orchestra and New York Philare either musicians with the harmonic, Myers, and Gregory Detroit Symphony Orchestra or Rinehart, director of percussion play professionally. French horn studies at the Plymouth Canton player Corbin Wagner is a mem-Educational Park. ber of the Detroit Symphony "They're practicing musicians," Orchestra, Detroit Chamber said Myers. "No one can teach

you how to get there but someone who's there themselves." Myers teaches trumpet privately in Plymouth and puts on trumpet and brass demonstrations for students in the high school band program at the Ply-

mouth Canton Educational Park. "It's not about who's good or who's not," said Myers. "We'll have all levels of musicians in year.'

are possibilities for switching instruments." Myers began planning for the

conservatory in November. After contacting school band directors within a 15 mile radius of Plymouth, Myers learned there are 15,000 band students in the

"This area is prime for a conservatory," said Myers. "The area is starving for music and we plan to fill that gap by offering high end conservatory training. We're going to give them in two weeks, what most kids get all

and Weber, watercolor, and Eve-

lyn Henry (Redford) and Dunne,

mixed media. The Livonia Arts

Commission award went to

Suzanne Bauman, watercolor,

Bloomfield Township. Kallas

won the Grumbacher Award.

5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

many opportunities in music and arts for students but with budget junior high music education,"

Civic Symphony. The 35-year-old

trumpet in sixth grade and stud-

ied with Irving Sarin, who serves

on the faculty of the Summer

Music Camp produced by the

Southeast Michigan Arts Con-

servatory. After high school,

Myers joined the U.S. Army and

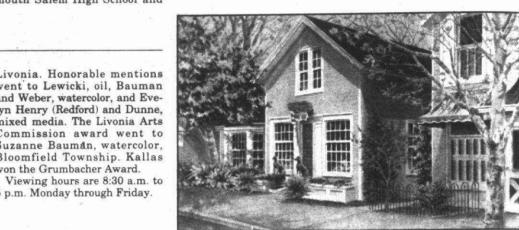
played in the President's Band

phony Orchestra in Washington,

trumpet, Pittsburgh Symphony on their instrument but there grew up playing with the Livo-said Myers. "We want to be like nia Youth Symphony and Detroit every other major city with a major orchestra, to house a full music teacher started playing conservatory. It also gives a place for high end musicians to

> Phase Two of programming for the Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory begins in August with an introduction to music on electronic keyboards for sixth graders. September brings proand also in the National Symgrams in dance, vocal and string, and Kindermusik for the very young with Norma Atwood.

> "Back then there were so "The Summer Music Camp is our introductory program," said cuts I've seen the big gaps in Myers. "This will be a yearround fine arts institute."



House-scape: Donna Vogelheim titled this watercolor "Kimberley's Nest."

Watercolorist from page C1

ART BEAT

Art Beat features various happenings in the suburban art the Grumbacher Award and world. Send Wayne County arts third place watercolor. Winning news leads to Art Beat, Observer in the oil category were Mencha-Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them ond and Hugh Burley, third. Dilto (313) 591-7279.

AWARD WINNING SHOW If you missed seeing art works by Phyllis Hochlowski of Plymouth and Yolanda Menchaca, Canton in the Three Cities Art Club's annual spring show are two of the 15 Three Cities Art Club members who exhibiting their work in the annual spring show April 24-26 at the Canton Library, there's still an opportu-

Hochlowski and Menchaca and the rest of the winners of the show display their work through May 22 at D & M Studio, 8691 North Lilley at Joy Road, Can-

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ca, first, Sharon Dillenbeck, seclenbeck also took an honorable mention in oil and watercolor and first place in watercolor. Florence Constable won second place in watercolor. Donna Tykoski took an honorable mention in pencil, Mary Sharpe in

Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 o.m. Monday, until 7:30 p.m. .m. Thursday, until 5:30 p.m. Friday, and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. For more information, call Sharon Dillenbeck at (734) 453-3710.

The Livonia Arts Commission

Hochlowski won Best of Show,

watercolor. Annalee Davis of

Winds, and adjunct professor at

Among the other faculty mem-

bers with the Detroit Symphony

Orchestra are Randy Hawes,

flowers taught by Farmington component, is dedicated to the Jack Hemphill, Livonia; water-

watercolorist Donna Vogelheim advancement of knowledge and color- first place, Olga Pawlows-

take place 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. through classes and annual place, Joan Gerigk, Plymouth,

bers, \$70 non-members. For a exhibit were best of show, Marie Beverly Johnston, Livonia, sec-

The Visual Arts Association of Helena Lewicki, Farmington nia, third place, Elbert Weber,

Westland won the popular vote.

ARTIST OF THE MONTH SHOWS

presents a variety of art for May in its two venues. Farmington watercolorist Donna Vogelheim takes over the Fine Arts Gallery on the second floor of the Livonia Civic Center Library with her large scale

workshop in wet-in-wet tech- Livonia, formed more than 20 Hills, second place, Irene Kallas, Livonia. Honorable mentions

niques for painting abstract years ago with an educational Dearborn Heights, third place, went to Lewicki, oil, Bauman

appreciation for the creative arts ki, Dearborn Heights, second

Winners of VAAL's spring nia; mixed media- first place,

Benzing, Detroit; oil - first place, ond place, Regina Dunne, Livo-

paintings through May 27. Outside the gallery, Theresa Pierzchala shows glass vessels, flowers and paperweights also through May 27.

third place, Marge Masek, Livo-

The Civic Center Library is at 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington in Livonia. Hours are 9 Wednesday, and 1-4 p.m. Satura.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thurs- day. For information, call (734) Tuesday-Wednesday, until 9 day, until 5 p.m. Friday-Satur- 416-4ART. day and 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

The Visual Arts Association of Livonia exhibits mixed media through May 29 in the lobby of Livonia City Hall, 33000 Civic Center Drive. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

in Detroit.

The new Plymouth Symphony Orchestra CD costs \$15 and is available by calling (734) 451-

FINAL DAYS

The Plymouth Community Arts Council spotlights fiber art by Cynthia Wayne Gaffield, Chris Roberts-Antieau and Kathy Zasuwa in "Hanging by a Thread," an exhibition continuing to Friday, May 29 at the Joanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 774 North Sheldon at Junction, Plymouth.

Viewing hours are 9 a.m. to noon Monday-Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, until 9 p.m.

NEW CD AVAILABLE

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra has released a compact disc featuring music performed Nov. 9 at Orchestra Hall

The orchestra was joined by Pablo Elvira of the New York Metropolitan Opera and Dino Valler and Quinto Milito of the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan for such classical favorites as color" by Mary Ann Beckwith, Mozart's "The Marriage of Figaro," Verdi's "LaTraviata" and American Artist Magazine. and "Rigoletto" and Rossini's

taught biology three years at City of Farmington's Longacre Lincoln Park High School, but House, University of Michiganthen began moving around to Dearborn, Livonia Independent Chicago, New Orleans and Lans-Artists Group, West Bloomfield ing due to her husband's job. Community Education, and the Birmingham Bloomfield Art

Raising a family became her life. She returned to the area 24 years ago and decided to do Vogelheim recently spent 10 days in San Miguel, Mexico consomething for herself by taking essons at the Farmington Comducting a watercolor workshop munity Center then at the Birm-She has taught watercolor techingham Bloomfield Art Associaniques around the country and tion. For nearly 20 years, her on three cruises. Her classes are so popular that Vogelheim's tions by the American Watercolschedule is usually booked three or Society, National Watercolor years in advance. In September Society, Michigan Watercolor she will do a week-long work Society, Midwest Watercolor shop at the request of the Cali Society, Kresge Art Museum, fornia Watercolor Society. She's and Dennos Museum, to name a also preparing for a one person few. Her work has been pubshow at the Cary Gallery in lished in "The Artistic Touch" by Rochester next year. Chris Unwin, "Creative Water-

Two years ago when Vogel heim was at her lowest point, it was painting that kept her going. Today, she is making time to write a how-to watercolor In addition to the pleasure book.

"Painting is my passion," said ing, she gains great satisfaction from passing on her knowledge Vogelheim, "but teaching is my, to students in art classes at the second passion."

Gallery from page C1

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call us as soon as it comes." Gierman recommends the arts Gierman. business. Several of Coughlin's during the five years he's been 2145.

"The arts council always tion about the Plymouth Comchanges the art," said Gierman, munity Arts Council's rental galleries only to find the paint-"and we've really enjoyed the gallery from Gierman after see-ing "didn't fit" in the area where people at the arts council and ing how the works can spice up he'd hung it. Therese. They've been very an otherwise dreary space.

Second passion

"I think people would find the with it for a while," said Siebert piece and it's being rented, they experience fascinating and "If I don't like it, I take it back." you're not spending \$500," said

work has been juried into exhibi-

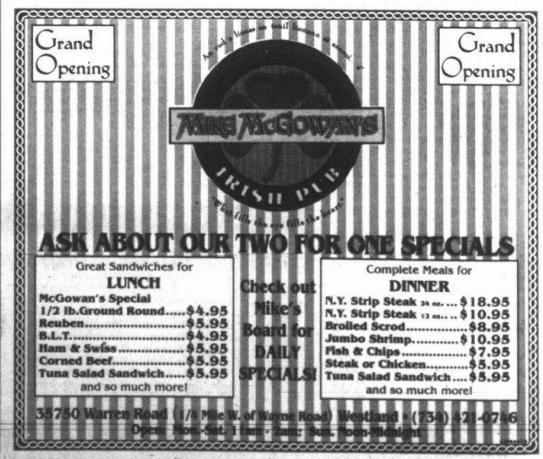
Vogelheim receives from paint-

council's program to anyone con- Fred Siebert purchased two oil for a story involving the visual or sidering art for their home or paintings and one watercolor performing arts, call (734) 953.

clients have requested informa- renting art from them. He's also purchased art from commercial

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The Congregational Church of Birmingham, United Church of Christ is calling artists working in diverse media to enter its annual juried art show. "Celebrate Life." Applications are due: Friday, May 29, Fee: \$10. For entry forms, call (248) 646-

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Joel E. Tanis

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lation by Mary Bates in the first floor

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Author recalls the glory days of 1950s baseball and boys

By Mike Worden Gold Leaf Press, \$14.95

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Couldn' catch, couldnt throw auldn't hit. -1950's America that was

If you were the saddest brany of all. That was when baseball

ails mattered, and I was awful. By the time I got to junior high chool, I realized I wouldn't be a Kaline, Kuenn or even third string on the school team. So for wo years I was the team equipent manager and scorekeeper. Despite the humiliation, I uldn't help loving the game.

Mike Worden, 56, a retired eacher from Roseville, has happier memories of those golden aseball years. His warm, semiautobiographical story recounts the adventures of 12 14-year-old baseball players in southside Warren and their 1957 summer season. In addition to baseball, girl. the book also recalls the early years of rock and roll, first dates, baseball.

points of baseball rules and history. Two of the players are the team managers. There are few adults here except occasionally in the stands and a kindly bene-

Mickey Warden, first baseman and team leader. His best friend is Sneaky, the weakest player and smartest guy on the team co-manager, statistician, equipment manager, historian and

poet laureate Mickey tells the story in an unusual, but endearing, firstperson, come-join-us style that actually works at making the reader a quasi member of the team. Mickey, like most 14-yearolds, is both a male chauvinist Noble, West Bloomfield; 7:30 and always "in love" with some

other nostalgic tugs.

Michigan and Trumbull and the The boys all have colorful nick- near religious experience of four names (all real baseball players young boys as they enter what have nicknames). They're a was then Briggs Stadium, where brainier bunch than my boyhood the grass was so green it seemed companions - writing poetry and devising "all poet" baseball unreal. Worden's description will stir many fond memories. As teams, discussing world affairs he writes, truly, "The Eiffel with a soldier home on leave, Tower, the Taj Mahal and the engaging in endless games of ancient pyramids may be somewordplay and discussing the fine thing to behold, but they don't play ball there." His descriptions of the boys

games is detailed, sometimes humorous (trick plays), dramatic and from a kid's eye view. Despite some anachronisms

and too much sophistication Worden imagines himself as (especially in the word games), Worden tells his story well. For anyone who grew up in Detroit the story has special appeal, but anyone who remembers when baseball was king will relate.

Noble, Northville and 2 p.m. Sat-But girls are secondary to urday, June 20, Barnes & Noble,

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Elfont, Co-founder and director brates our state's wealth of natu-color and composition, its images of Midwest Photographic Work-shops, C.K. Elfont has published Wild" by another husband and "Sand Dunes of the Great his photographs in numerous wife team, Carl R. Sams and Lakes" and "Images of the Wild" magazines ("Sierra," "Travel and Jean Stoik. With a critically can be found at Border's, Barnes Leisure") and exhibited in gal- acclaimed work entitled "Loon and Noble, and independent leries across the United States. Magic" and numerous awards to book stores. Or call 1-800-487-His wife, Edna, has written for their credit, Sams and Stoik 2323. publications such as "Michigan have once again compiled their Esther Littmann is a resident Traveler" and "Metropolitan best photos into a book of North of Bloomfield Township. She is Detroit." An earlier collaboration American wildlife photography. a private tutor with Una by this Huntington Woods couple Accompanying 140 pictures, of Dworkin and Associates. You

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Makeup a question of color

When I started in the industry in 1964, there were no special makeup lines available for dark/yellow/olive complexions. Flori Roberts and Barbara Walden came on the TV scene in the late 60s. Interestingly, many caucasians are in point of fact darker than my black/latino/ asian clients. So what is a woman to do? I thought I'd jot a few guidelines down that apply to women of all ethnic groups.

The darker the skin is, the more it reflects light. What does that mean? The skin has a tendency to appear "oilier" than the average. Common sense should answer this one for you. Use less moisture lotion and be sure to powder down. I know what a lot of you are saying. "When I powder, I look like a corpse ... a gray corpse"! Like

any product you consider purchasing, be



Matching foundation to skin color has always been a problem for dark-complected women. Foundations tend to pull "ash" or the aforementioned "grey." Makeup base should always be slightly lighter than the skin on the face. If you have multi-pig-

ment skin and you match it precisely, i tends to "bleed" the irregularities, and the skin looks blotchy. One advantage darker women have is less of a line o demarcation at the chin-line, in relation to the neck.

Eye makeup causes interesting challenges to all brown/dark-eved women It's not written in stone, but the majori ty of dark eyes tend to have "yellowish" whites. The best antidote for this is to use a blue crayon on the conjunctiva (or the mushy membrane) of the lower eve. We make aloe-based products that do not smear, but there are many products out there that work well.

Asian women, or any woman with almond-shaped eyes knows what it's like to create a lid. The first rule of art is "lightness brings out and darkness hides." Here's the rule-of-eye: Use a light shade under the brow. Use the lightest shade on the lid. Use the darkest shade in the outer corner of the eye, the next to darkest in toward the nose Be sure to use a very light eyeliner on the upper lid (we always use white),

and lots of mascara. The broader the bridge of the nose the more you usually want to narrow it. How? There is a product called Contour which women automatically think is for the cheeks. Correct, but it can also narrow your bridge and tone down the Ally McBeal "waddle" on the neck. Remember what I said: lightness brings out, darkness hides. Use a thin sable brush to draw a line at the sides of the bridge carefully. Then blend it so you barely see it. A dot on the tip (well blended reduces the length of the nose as well.

You must remember that the fuller the mouth, the more dramatic lip color can be. One thing I find severely unattractive is this black lipline thing going on. Almost as ugly as the dark, rotted looking lip colors kids are wearing (and women who want to look like kids...very attractive on older women, don't you think?). A lipliner is used to clearly define the mouth and prevent lipstick from bleeding. If your mouth is very full, you might want to eliminate lipline completely and just use a bit of gloss mixed with a neutral lipstick. If your mouth is very thin, be sure to use a lipline, but avoid the "McDonald's arches" please. You can always play up your eyes, but those L.H.O.D. (Lip Humps of

Death) have got to go!
You must be very careful of prope skin care. Remember when I mentio that darkness reflects light at the start of this column? That means any imperfections you have will be more visible Scrupulous maintenance is imperative Remember: makeup is only as good as what it is applied to.

I hope these tips give you a bit of an education. Women have been catered to for decades. Ethnic women have been ignored for decades. Revel in your own beauty: you are all individuals. My definition of beauty has been the same for all of my 51 years: Beauty to me is every woman doing the most with what she has. In other words, it's self-respect, plain and simple.

My new web site is http://www.jeffreybrucecosmetics.com. You may email me at jwbb@worldnet.att.net Or you may call 800-944-6588 to find out about any products you may have questions about. I promise to respond personally to all inquiries.

Hudson's previews Buchman collections

questions.

\$30 ticket benefit the Child children. Abuse and Neglect Council of Oakland County.

But the hit of the show was fashion designer Dana Buchman and creations from three of her lines, including the newest, Dana

The Luxe collection, launched this year, is true evening wear. with "black-tie glamour." The modern, timeless and sophisticated designs pay much attention to ornamentation, embroideries and beading. It features organza cuffs peeking out of jacket sleeves and iridescent shirts under business suits. The redefined power suit highlights long jackets over short skirts and short jackets over wide pants. The fabrics are special, with varns distilled of offerings from the best mills in Europe.

Buchman noted it is a natural evolution that takes traditional Dana Buchman customers to the next level.

Buchman's base is the Dana Buchman Collection launched in 1987, which established the firm as a leading Women's Bridge/Designer Sportswear company with exceptionally designed and crafted key items and excellent fit that is comfortable, universal and consistent. A casual line, Dana B & Karen,

was launched in 1996 featuring soft dressing for day or evening with soft silhouettes. It was meant to allow women to be well dressed on casual days at the office or at relaxed social occasions. Their casual pieces come in new colors and prints that enhance and diversify the look of the essentials, and feature style and comfort. Dana B & Karen is designed by the Vice Presidents of Design, Buchman and Karen

More than 150 attended the ered tunic and black silk Hudson's showing at Somerset, pant by Dana B & Karen including Judith Hoeffler, executive director of the Child Abuse and Neglect Council of Oakland.

Hudson's Somerset drew a The organization, an independent al crafting, excellent fit and crowd with its Dana Buchman non-profit group, provides attention to the details of linings, spring fashion show. Yes, it was a resources for the prevention of buttons, trims and braids. The benefit - all proceeds from its child abuse and the protection of Company has its own Dana Buchman Boutique on 57th Following lunch and short pre-Street in New York City.

sentations, and the fashion show Dana Buchman's signature lines sell nationally at Buchman worked with guests individually on their wardrobing Dayton/Hudson/Marshall Fields, of course, and Saks Fifth Avenue, Dana Buchman is a division of Neiman Marcus, Bloomingdales, Liz Claiborne Inc., but the signa- Nordstrom, Lord & Taylor, Dilture lines are noted for exception- lards and Macy's.



Casual: Black/lacquer laymake a distinctive, yet casual, combination.



new Dana Buchman Luxe line features an indigo print chiffon tank and indigo matte jersey pant.

Roses, always the perfect gift for any occasion

FTD's Ten Tips to make the florist.

to be opened immediate- below the waterline as water to the head of the fresh by adding fresh ly. Or, put the entire box leaves in the water proin a cool, dark place until mote bacterial growth. 2. To arrange roses, or cut the bark.

Remove any leaves

Be careful not to scrape

roses appear profession- three-to-four days.

through a reputable flo- with luke-warm water shears to cut an inch off tape grid across the top longevity re-cut stems several days. ral organization last up and mix in the floral the base of the stem of the vase and place a under water when you 9. Place vases in a to two weeks. Here are preservative provided by while holding it under single rose in each grid change the water and cool spot, away from water. Cutting stems box, thus keeping the always remove any direct sunlight, heating under water prevents air roses evenly spaced from the roses that fall from blocking the flow of 6. Keep roses looking below the water line.

bud which causes roses warm water to the vase Gently remove discolored every day. Completely or drooping petals from to smell the roses, not 5. Want to make your change the water every

Roses purchased choose a deep vase, fill 4. Use a sharp knife or ally arranged? Create a 7. For maximum appearance even after leaves that will fall and cooling vents and

Give roses a facelift! fresh, just-received every day!

appliances like televisions which give off heat. 10. Always take time roses to give them a just for gift-giving - but

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

Sportswear conversions: A sage leaf print

linen | organza twin set (left) with bais linen

pant, or a jacket of the same material with

Buchman collection displayed at Hudson's

New swimwear trends

Women's swimwear features an athletic look this

year, with new styles from Nike and Speedo

Designer swimwear is also hot, including Calvin

Klein and Nautica, which introduced a new line

Say goodbye to basic black swimsuits - try one

of the hot, new spring colors such as bright green

or vellow with floral accents. Add details like lin-

gerie straps and sarongs to update your swimsuit

swimwear styles - ranging from \$49 to \$120.

Hudson's offers one-piece and two-piece

this year, an exclusive at Hudson's stores.

a print dress (right) is part of the Dana

spring fashion show.

SUNDAY, MAY 17

Book signing Royal Oak author and playwright Terese Szymanski signs the second book in her mystery trilogy When the Dead Speak at 1 p.m. Cleveland Musician Brian Henke plays from his calming CD, Many Waters. 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Borders Book Shop, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (248) 644-1515.

MONDAY, MAY 18

Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 643-3300.

Fantasia trunk show Fantasia faux jewelry has unparalleled stone-set ting technique. See the "are-you-sure-it's-not-real?" options during the trunk show in Accessories on 1 Monday and Tuesday, May 18-19. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Neiman Marcus, Somerset Collection. Big

Informal modeling Andre Laug's Spring '98 Special Order Collection, informal modeling. Designer Salon, second floor. 10

Saks Fifth Avenue, Somerset Collection. Big Beaver/Coolidge. Troy. (248) 643-9000.

Mentally healthy For National Mental Health Month, neurologist Dr. Roger Morrell presents Part II in his Borders Brain Lecture Series: "Meet Your Brain." 7 p.m.

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ADDED ATTRACTIONS

ingham. (248) 644-1515.

Chanel showing Chanel Spring '98 Special Order Collection, informal modeling with special representative. Designer

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THURSDAY, MAY 21

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Lihli's Spring '98 Special Order Collection, informal mode ling with special representative. Designer Salon, second floor. Thursday and Friday, May 21-22. 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saks Fifth Avenue, Somerset Collection. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 643-9000.

FRIDAY, MAY 22

Signature visit. National Mystery Author Ann Ripley will read from and sign her most recent garden mystery Death of a Political Plant, 7 p.m. Borders Book Shop, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (248) 644-1515.

SUNDAY, MAY 25

Jones New York 14-carat gold jewelry, a new line at Hudson's, will be launched with informal modeling. Fashion Jewelry Department. 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Hudson's, Somerset Collection. Big Beaver/Coolid-

ge. Troy. (248) 816-4000.

Memorial Day hours The Tel-Twelve Mall has holiday hours today, 10

Tel-Twelve Mall. Telegraph / 12 Mile Rd. South

field. (248) 353-4111.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27 McFadden showing

Mary McFadden's Spring '98 special order collection, informal modeling. Designer Salon, second floor. Wednesday, Thursday, May 27-28. 10 a.m. -5

Saks Fifth Avenue, Somerset Collection. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 643-9000.

SATURDAY, MAY 30 Talk about walking

Oakland Mall's morning walking group, Club Tread invites their more than 1000 members, friends and families to the 2nd annual Heart Matters Seminar, sponsored by the American Heart Association and SelectCare. Guest speakers, cooking demonstrations and blood pressure screenings, all in the Center Court, Saturday, May 30, 8:30-10:30 a.m. Oakland Mall, I-75 / 14 Mile Road. Troy. (248) 585-

Lyle Crocodile from Bernard Waber's children's series Lyle, will visit for children of all ages. Borders staff will take Polaroids of Lyle with children for \$1 per photo, with all proceeds benefitting FOCUS Hope's Children's Center. May 30-31, Saturday, 11:00 a.m. and Sunday 1 p.m.

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. Wilbur Buds chocolate candies can be found through the Ver-

mont Country Store catalog, P.O. Box 3000, Manchester Center, VA.

. Johnson's Jubilee wax can be found through S.L. Johnson &

Sons, Inc. in Racine, WI. 800-558-5252 from 9-5. They will send a

by Coleco or Tudor, and the accessories, goal posts, plastic figures

• Still looking for the Avon Crystal Hummingbird stemware.

*Charlene wants Party Lite votive candles, hyacinth fragrance

• Wagner's Earl Grey green tea decaffeinated, 24 bags in a box.

· Julie is looking for a needle for her Samsung phonograph #SZM

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· Margaret wants a Black Sheiks screen house with flaps and

• Niagara Therapy Equipment for Anne of Livonia.

Neil wants a 1997 Adams high school yearbook.

·Pure Cane Syrup for pancakes for Janice.

Pam needs a Corningware Visions double boiler.

Bernice wants a men's size 9 Canvas slip-on shoe.

Nails Again for finger nails for Rosemary

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dren reach the keys better), new or used.

· Carol wants a game called Quinto 5.

Resolve by Merrill Dow for cold sores.

grade St. Joan of Arc yearbook.

6550 or a place that sells needles.

Kay is looking for Slush Cups.

carry them.

should see your input in next Sunday's column. Thank You.

What we found:

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with suction cups).

We're still looking for:

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floor, K-Mart used to carry them.

jelly. She needs them for a shower.

Richard wants short sleeve sweat shirts.

15x40 can sit on) to be used as a sofa table.

05255-3000, (802) 362-2400.

Chicago shoe retailer Chernins Shoes has opened the second of five new stores planned for the The Gallery is a consortium of metropolitan Detroit area, in the Oakland Plaza at the corner of John R and 14 Mile roads in Troy. Indian art, crafts and trade goods Chernins has a 91-year retailing and services. Call (313) 387-5930 history and offers a large selection for more information. of name-brand footwear for men, women and children, and well as being a two-time winner of the #1 Footwear Retailer in America award. The new 15,000 sq. ft. Troy store carries an assortment of 50,000 pairs of shoes.

Summer offerings

Summer hats by Patricia Shy • Sandy, owner of the Village Shop Keeper at 4704 Forest Place, pertt are among the offerings at Plymouth (734) 455-6060 1 block west of Main street and south of Gallery Nikko, 470 North Old Ann Arbor Trail, called to say they carry a wooden ironing board and Woodward Avenue On Two in iron for \$46.95. And Trish called to say she has the little girls' iron-Birmingham. There's also handblown glass by Kathy Dahlberg, *A reader called to say Iron Quick can be found at Mervyn's and children's necklaces at After Thoughts in Livonia Mall and Clare's pewter boxes by Celia Landman and new jewelery by Liz Norkus and Marcie White. Open 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday (Closed Saturday May 23 for Memorial Day weekend). Call Chris is looking for a manual meat grinder (it sits on a counter

Sherry is looking for wrought iron (that a piece of marble Beadwork demo

Susan wants a book, Good Morning Merry Sunshine by Bob Greene from the late '80s. Kreations presents a demonstration of North American Indian Ken wants an electric football board game from the '60s/70s

opens 3rd metro outlet

Full-service eyecare at lower than low prices is what a new Walled Lake optical center is offering.

Barb wants a January/June 1973 Henry Ford high school (Darborn) yearbook.

Mary wants the "Woody Puppets" from Toy Story, sold by The Farmington Hills-based Direct Optical, a full service eve-Burger King.
Noxema Medicated Shaving Lather for Monica of Rochester care clinic offering brand name market chains, all the major food eyeglasses and contact lenses at brokers and nearly 60 brandfactory direct prices, recently opened in downtown Walled Lake in the Penny Lake Shop-* Anita is looking for someone who makes homemade jams and

ping Center on Commerce Road. Founded in 1988 by Dennis Marguerite wants a colored hair thickener/spray for thinning Need someone to appraise post cards and stamps that are very other retailers for name brand proof and ultra violet coatings on Is there a movie theater in Ohio (close to Michigan) that still . Mary is looking for a flute that has a curved head joint (lets chil-

• Thomas wants a mini cheer horn that was advertised in the newspaper from the winter Olympics in Nagano and a 1974 8th pleted in a day, Chaiken said. "A large number of our customers at the Farmington Hills location were coming from Walled Lake, Commerce Town-· Gloria wants a plastic cane cylinder that you can insert flowers ship, Wixom, Milford and Brighton," he said. "We opened

addition to the Downtown chandising for the Kroger Co. of Walled Lake marketplace," said Michigan. "By working together Casey Ambrose, DDA chairman. prices are always appreciated by reach more consumers and gen shoppers."

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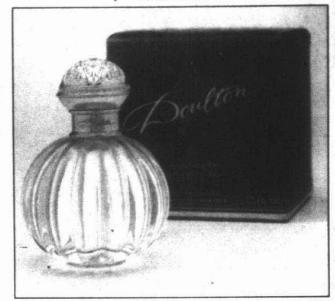
Fall's 'Fash Bash' set

Hudson's and Founder's Junior Council of The Detroit Institute of Arts will once again team up to stage the 29th annual Fash Bash®, Wednesday, August 5 at the Fox and State Theaters

Tickets, at \$150, \$37.50 and \$27.50 will be available after June 17 through the Fox Theatre box office and Ticket Master outlets or call the Fash Bash hotline (313)

The show will feature the very best in fall fashions, while singers, dancers and musicians ignite the stage. The evening includes preand post-parties featuring a strolling supper and desserts from more than 20 of Michigan's finest restaurants, musical entertain ment and a live auction. FJC cochairwomen will be Courtney Whitehead of Grosse Pointe and Karen Rossi of Karen's Rhonda Goers Thomas of Ann

Fragrance



A sense of beauty: With quality inherent in every thing from the exquisitely designed silver-capped collectable containers to its name, the newest entry into the world of fine fragrences is the Doulton line by Royal Doulton, hitherto known for its flawless crystal and fine china. Described as "an irresistable floral embrace," the Doulton Fine Fragrance Collection is available exclusively at Saks Fifth Avenue. Available in Parfum, Eau de Parfum and Eau de Toilette, ranging from \$55 to

Optical shop 'Cash for Kids' benefits Variety

putting aside competitive differences and rallying to the cause of children in need

name products have joined in the eastern Michigan. Chaiken, Direct Optical aims to \$140,000 for children with spe-

charge 40 to 60 percent less than cial needs in Southeastern merchandise, including scratch nizers expect to raise \$200,000. all of their prescription lenses at through Saturday, June 7 no additional charge. The store's metropolitan Detroit's food ab is located in Farmington industry, including the Kroger Hills, so most orders can be com-

the downtown Walled Lake store to better serve these customers. · Ruth is wondering where to take spoons/silverware to be refin-

"We're excited to be here." So is the city's DDA.

Michigan's food industry has Foodland store in Southeastern Wariety Myoelectric Center stepped up to the challenge by Michigan and use the enclosed at the Rehabilitation Institute of

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needs including:

This spring, every level of Michigan's food industry will join together to support the 'Cash for Kids" program to benefit Variety, The Children's Char-Three of the leading super-

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Michigan. This year, the orga-Beginning Monday, June 1

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saw this as an extraordinary opportunity to pool our resources

in support of the local children who need our help," said Dave "Direct Optical is a welcome Babinsky, vice president of mer-'Quality goods and discount the area's food brokers, we can

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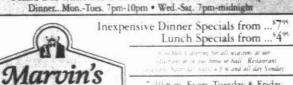
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Livonia family takes road to adventure in Costa Rica

Ronald Picard and his family live in Livonia. By RONALD PICARD

Last summer our vacation plans just never got off the ground. The summer came and went without our annual vacation to the Colorado Rocky Mountains.

When fall rolled around I began looking for a place our family could go. My wife, Rebecca, wanted someplace warm, preferably with a beach. I wanted someplace that would let us do some hiking. Our son, Andy, being 6 wanted Disney World.

After some checking we decided on Costa Rica. Our final plans included spending three nights at the beach, two nights at a cloud forest and two nights at an active volcano.

Manual Antonio

We arrived in San Jose, Costa Rica on Saturday, Feb. 14. We then took a puddle jumper to Quepos, the nearest city to Manual Antonio. We landed at the Quepos airport where a van was waiting to take us to our hotel. We arrived that afternoon at the Hotel Villabosque and crashed into our room.

We had finally arrived and we weren't about to hang around the hotel room. We changed into our bathing suits and walked the 200 yards to Beach 1 (of 5), the only beach that is outside the National Park boundaries. After

selves, we spent a few hours with Rebecca beginning her tan while Andy and I battled the waves.

That night we informed the hotel staff that we'd like a guid-ed tour of Manual Antonio. They made all the arrangements and told us a taxi would pick us up at 7:30 a.m.

The next morning the taxi dropped us off at Manual Antonio National Park. Actually that's not quite true. The taxi dropped us off at the closest spot a car can get to the entrance to the park. We had to wade through a stream to get to the park entrance. We were truly not in the United States any-

We spent the morning with Leo, our guide, and a dozen other tourists. We following Leo around the park while he spotted some of the local flora and fauna for us. I'm sure we would have missed most of the sights without him.

We went back into the park by ourselves that afternoon and went swimming at Beach 3. This beach is on a little bay and the waves and rip tide were much less intense than at the public beach. Andy was able to play by himself and not spend all his time bracing himself for the next wave. The park closed at 4 so we began the walk back to the entrance about 3:30.

That night we had the best

vigorously sun screening our-selves, we spent a few hours try the restaurant at the hotel across the street, Vela Bar. Rebecca ordered the garlic shrimp, which turned out to be a heaping plate full of shrimp. I had the rice with seafood and Andy had chicken cordon bleu (I don't think we saw a children's menu the entire trip). The entire meal, including drinks and dessert, was under \$35.

Monday the National Park is closed, so we decided to take a taxi into Quepos. We spent the morning wandering through the shops and ended up eating lunch at a restaurant by the ocean. By mid afternoon we were back at Beach 1, making sure we went swimming on our last day at the

Tuesday morning we flew back to San Jose and set out in a rented 4-by-4 for the Monteverde Cloud Forest Preserve, a privately owned reserve originally settled by Alabama Quakers in

Monteverde Cloud Forest Preserve

The trip to Monteverde was, to say the least, interesting. The people at Monteverde have campaigned to keep the road into the preserve unpaved. This is one of the methods they use to keep the number of tourists at a manageable level. They also limit the number of people allowed into the preserve at any one time to 100. Being private gives them the freedom to take what steps they deem necessary and avoid cries from people who insist they make the park available to everybody.

After checking in at the Hotel Belmar we informed the staff that we wished to take a guided hike into the Preserve. They made the arrangements for us, calling around town to locate an available guide.

The next morning after breakfast we met "Cokie" our guide. To me the hike with Cokie was the highlight of the trip. He was more knowledgeable about the area than I expected and tailored our hike (which was listed as a bird spotting hike) to include as much information about the different plants in the cloud forest as he did about birds

Before we entered the Reserve,

followed him to where we spotted our first and only pair of quetzals. Quetzals are a rare find in Costa Rica. About 100 pair nest in the Monteverde area. Its beautiful plumage was quite striking as different iridescent colors jump out at you whenever it moves. We spent the rest of the day with Cokie. The pride he took in his job was refreshing and he more than succeeded in making our trip more pleasurable.

Cokie's ears perked up and we

That afternoon we stopped by the Monteverde Butterfly Garden. While interesting, this stop was one of the more disappointing parts of the trip. The Butterfly Garden is an educational preserve, so they don't have the number of butterflies that a butterfly farm has.

The next day we went to the Sky Walk, a 2.5 mile hike that combines trails with pedestrian suspension bridges to allow you to walk through the canopy of the forest. While this was a peaceful walk, I wish we had gotten up early enough to take the guided hike.

Arenal Volcano

After our hike we set out for Arenal Volcano. Arenal erupted violently in 1968 after 300 years of dormancy. It did not, howev-

1. Find a good travel agent. Don't settle for one who will just make your arrangements; find one who knows and travels in Costa Rica. I mentioned Pat above and he was invaluable. He can be reached at Costa Rica Travel Exchange at 800 256-0124.

Travel Tips For Costa Rica

2. Don't try and do too much. As we started to leave all three stops, we wished we had more time. There were a lot more things we could have done at each stop. If we were going to go on a 10day trip, I'd limit it to two areas and explore them in more detail.

3. Be prepared. When we got to the beach I opened my camera bag and found the carflera batteries were dead. I spent the rest of the vacation with a battery in my pocket to show people what I needed. We were fortunate to have had our other camera along.

4. Hire guides. They're quite reasonable, and they made the trip much more enjoyable.

5. Enjoy the local cuisine. Seafood at the beach and fruit throughout the country. I'm still not convinced bananas in Costa Rica are the same fruit as we have in our supermarkets. Coffee is a must throughout the country.

er, lose its conical shape so it looks exactly like you would expect a volcano to look. These days the volcano averages a few eruptions a day, which keeps any real pressure from building up. We stayed at the new Tabacon Lodge and Spa. Our room was quite nice and had a splendid view of Arenal.

Volcanic action: Rebecca and Andy Picard stand on the lava rock at Arenal.

Adjacent to the lodge is the Tabacon Hot Springs. The water from the hot springs is diverted into 8 pools of varying temperature from comfortably cool to hot (I don't think I've ever worked

up a sweat just standing in a pool before).

The next morning we went to Arenal National Park. We hiked up to the lava field that the 1968 eruption created. I highly recommend this hike if for no other reason than you can really hear the volcano when there is no vegetation between you and the

We never got a good view of the top of the volcano. If it's clear during the day you can see it shoot ash into the air.



Tropical heat: Andy Picard feels the steam at the Tabacan Hot Springs in Costa Rica.

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FOUR SEASON PLANNER

In a newly released 1998 Four Seasons Travel Planner, Upper Peninsula Travel & Recreation Association provides information on a numerous travel destina-

With vivid colors and pictures throughout, the Travel Planner leads off with a friendly introduction, followed by information pages from all at counties. New

sites can be found in the Finest Attractions guide with 53 list-

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NORTHWEST GARDENS

The Observer & Eccentric's At Home garden columnist Marty Figley is hosting a tour, "Spectacular Gardens of the Northwest," visiting Seattle, Tacoma, Victoria and Vancouver, Sept. 8-16. The tour package includes round trip airfare from Detroit to Seattle, eight nights first-class hotel accommodations, daily continental breakfast, two lunches and two dinners, all admission fees, a tour manager with horticultural knowledge, taxes and most gratuities.

The tour includes several noted gardens in Washington and British Columbia including the Lakewold Gardens, the Betty Miller Gardens, the Bellevue Botanical Garden, the Butchart Gardens, Stanley Park, Dr. Sun Yat-sen Classical Chinese Garden, the Nitobe Memorial Garden, the Van Dusen Botanical Garden, the Minter Gardens, Queen Elizabeth Park. The trip includes a ride on the Victoria Clipper through Puget Sound to

The cost is \$2,649 plus \$50 tax per person based on double occu-

A deposit of \$300 per person is

required to secure a reservation with the final payment due 60 days before the trip.

For more information, call Chuck Randolph Travel & Tours. (248)645-5050 or (800)336-1490.

HIGHLAND GAMES

The 31st annual Alma Highland Festival & Games will be held Memorial Day weekend, May 22-24. Friday's festivities begin with a Judge's Concert featuring Scottish dancing and music, 7:30 p.m. at Alma Col-

Saturday's events begin at 8 a.m. with the Great Lakes Open Dance Championship and Solo Piping and Drumming Competition. The morning parade of pipe bands, floats and Scottish pageantry through downtown Alma begins at 11 a.m.

Special events include a Border Collie sheep herding expedition, Royal Scottish dancers, the Great Lakes Scottish Fiddling Championships and the U.S. Open Pipe Band competition.

For more information, call or write to the Alma Highland Festival & Games, P.O. Box 516, Alma, MI 48801, (517)463-8979.

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The 22nd annual Spring Tri-State Bluegrass Festival will held over Memorial Day weekend, May 21-24, at the Noble

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A highlight of this festival will the Lynn Morris Band from Virginia. Morris is a two-time national banjo champion and one of only a handful of female bandleaders in bluegrass music. In 1996 the International Bluegrass Association named Morris the female vocalist of the year. Thirteen bands will perform beginning 7:30 p.m. Thursday. A weekend pass is \$17 and includes camping. Individual days are free Thursday, \$5 Fri-

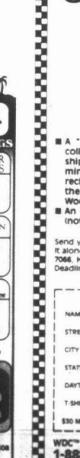
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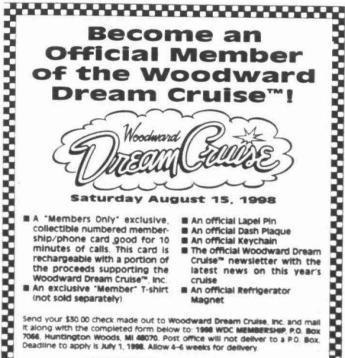
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ing lots, area streets and expressways, the Davy (North) terminal, the Michael Berry International Terminal and L.C. Smith terminal. The guide shows where to find hotels, motels, restaurants, auto rentals, airline gates and area businesses. A complete 1-800 toll free phone listing includes all major services. The full-color 11 by 17-inch, eight panel guide is laminated. I can be bought for \$4,95 plus \$1 handling by writing Sky Guides. 15324 Mack Ave., Suite 204. Grosse Pointe, MI 48224.







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JV baseball champs

The first-ever Plymouth Salem/Plymouth Canton JV Invitational ended in triumph for Salem's junior varsity sball team, which swept through all three games in victory to claim the championship May 9.

The Rocks opened the six-team tournament with a 12-4 win over Garden City. After that came their toughest challenge, against previously unbeaten Taylor Kennedy (15-0). Salem won, 2-1.

That left only the championship contest against Southgate Anderson, and the Rocks came home a winner,

Members of Salem's JV are: Dominick Aleradi, Ryan Cook, Jason Furr, Chad Goethe, Steve Gordon, Chris Hardy, Justin Horvath, Archie Kinney, Andy Kocoloski, Adam Kolb, Jon Lawrence, Mark Micale, Chris Sherfey, Steve Stiles, Mike Thackaberry, Chris Trott and Ian Winter. The team is coached by Joe Bonnett and Gary Coleman.

Magic advance

The Magic advanced to the final 16 in the state's AAU 15-and-under boys basketball tournament by winning all three of their games last weekend (May 9-10) at Birmingham Detroit Country Day School, and Nick Cabauatan played a major role.

A freshman at Plymouth Canton HS, Cabauatan scored 12 points in the first game, 14 in the second and 18 in third for the Magic. Last year, the Magic finished second in the AAU state tournament.

Adult tennis lessons

Session II of the adult tennis lessons, sponsored by Canton's Park and Recreation Services, will run from June 1-24 at Griffin Community Park. Registration is now being accepted, for residents and non-residents alike.

Lessons for beginners will be 6:30-8 p.m. Mondays; lessons for advanced level players will be 6:30-8 p.m. Wednesdays. These classes are open to those 16-years-old and over.

Cost is \$30 for Canton residents and \$35 for non-residents. Classes will be conducted by certified professional Kristen Harrison and her staff. Register in person at Summit on the Park, 46000 Summit on the Park, in Canton. For more information, call (734) 397-5110.

Canton Softball Center

The winner of the 1997 USSSA Sports Complex of the Year award, the Canton Softball Center is currentmen's, women's and co-ed leagues beginning June 29.

Team registration fee is \$595 (plus umpire's fees) for a 16-game season, featuring single and double-header dates. Game balls, USSSA registration, and first- and second-place trophies are included in the cost.

Register in person with a \$100 deposit from 3-7:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, and 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, at the Canton Softball Center (located on Michigan west of I-275), or register over the phone with a credit card by calling (734) 483-5600, ext. 2 or 3.

For more information, call (734)

Also, the Canton Softball Center hosts USSSA Tournaments every weekend. Next up: the USSSA Men's Hall of Fame Tournament, open to Men's B, C and D/E teams May 23-24. On May 30-31, the Softball Center will host a USSSA Men's Church Tournament, a USSSA Men's E Qualifier, and a USSSA Women's D Quali-

For more information on any of the tournament offerings, or to be added to the Center's mailing list, call (734) 483-5600, ext. 2 or 3.

Schoolcraft golf outing

The 15th annual Schoolcraft College Foundation's Annual Golf Tournament will be June 1 at the Washtenaw Country Club, and there are still openings available. The day-long list of festivities includes 18 holes of golf, a chance to win a Pontiac Grand Am or a weekend at a golf resort in Northern Michigan, lunch, dinner and a clinic with a pro.

Proceeds provide scholarships for students. Hole sponsorships are also available. For further information, call the office of Marketing and Develor nent at (734) 462-4417.

Canton's victory earns a title shot



It wasn't an easy week for Canton's softball team, but Friday's win over Walled Lake Western means the Chiefs will get the opportunity to defend their WLAA championship in a game against Walled Lake Central Wednesday.

what it wanted, one of the goals it set out for at the start of the season, with Friday's 6-3 victory over host Walled Lake Western: a Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division title.

Canton advances to play Walled

Plymouth Canton's softball team got Lake Central for the WLAA title at 4 p.m. Wednesday at Canton.

"I'm extremely happy," said Canton coach Jim Arnold after his team improved its record to 22-8 overall, 9-1 In the division. "They played very well tonight, they were very focused. They made some mistakes, but they worked their way out of them."

The Chiefs led just 1-0 through five innings, but struck for three runs in the sixth and two more in the seventh. Sarah Freels got two of the key hits, the second a two-run double in the sixth. She also had a single and totaled three RBI.

Gretchen Hudson tossed a three-hitter for Canton, walking none and allowing two earned runs to improve to 13-1 for the season. She had six strikeouts. Angie Balconi took the loss for

The Chiefs, the defending WLAA champions, are 13-3 in the conference. One of their losses this season was by a 3-2 margin early in the season to Cen-

"Hopefully, we'll give them a little better game and it'll be a better result,"

N. Farmington 9, Salem 0: North Farmington's Mickey Spisz tossed a no-

Please see SOFTBALL, D3

Salem gains 1st region title

Too bad we didn't get a picture of to easily outdistance runnerup Ian Searcy helping Plymouth Salem win its first Class A regional boys track title. Came out blurred.

Searcy was a human bullet Friday night as the Rocks piled up 112 points

Detroit Cody, which had 65 1/2 points.

Searcy won the 800-meter run in a 1:57.2 time that was 3.6 seconds off his best time of the season. He also

3,200 relay team, then turned in a brilliant anchor leg on the Rocks' winning 1,600 relay team to close the meet. The Central Michiganbound runner made up a 30-50 yard deficit on a Cass Tech

1,600 relay, exploding around the second turn and passing his opponent on the third. "The best thing about it as coach," Geoff Baker of Salem said, "is that on the last leg, you know he's going to go after it with everything

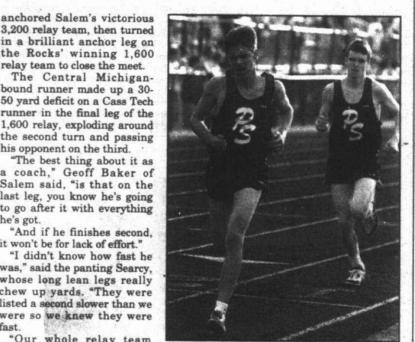
"And if he finishes second, it won't be for lack of effort."

"I didn't know how fast he was," said the panting Searcy, whose long lean legs really chew up yards. "They were listed a second slower than we were so we knew they were

"Our whole relay team worked hard. When I got to the 200 mark, I was pretty sure I was going to get him.

"I didn't think he'd outkick me. My legs are longer and my stride is longer.

The 1,600 relay team clocked 3:24.20, two seconds below the unit's previous best, while the 3,200 relay



Good 1,600: Salem's Nick Allen (left) was first, Jon Little was third.

Nick Allen contributed by winning the 1,600 for the Rocks with a time of

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Spartans rule regional; Rocks 2nd, Chiefs 5th

Any track coach can usually tell within a few points how their team will fare in a big meet.

Livonia Stevenson girls' coach Paul Holmberg thought Friday's Class A Regional at Redford Union's Howard Kraft Field would be a toss up between his Spartans, Plymouth Salem and Detroit

Perhaps he forgot to consider the points Stevenson could earn in the pole vault.

ing 124 points, 34 ahead of second-place Salem (90) and nearly 50 ahead of Westland John Glenn (79.2). Cass Tech was fourth (74).

The Spartans got off to a quick start, scoring 18 in the first event, the pole vault, as teammates **GIRLS TRACK**

Kathryn Mitchell and Nicole Dettloff tied for first place, clearing 8 feet, 2 inches.

This is the first year the pole vault is recognized as a girls event in Michigan High School Athletic Association meets.

"When the meet started we got on a roll with the pole vault," said Holmberg. "It just seemed to snowball from there. Everything went right.

expected them to do

"We had a lot of kids sacrifice personal goals for team goals tonight. The girls did more than I ever

The Spartans added three more wins after the pole vault on an unusually hot May night. Despite problems with her asthma, Kelly Travis took the 3,200-meter with a time of 11:42.4.

"Everyone was really pumped up for tonight," said the Spartans' senior. "We were going for a

Speaking of wins, teammate Kelly McNeilance got a pair of them. She finished the 1,600 meters in 5:14.5 to edge out Travis, who placed second, and later won the 800 meters (2:21.1), finishing just ahead of teammate Andrea Parker.

"I just wanted to stay with the top three girls the

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Stevenson repeats by beating Chiefs

Double-winner: Canton's Kevin Keil qualified for the Class A

state meet by winning two events at the regional, the shot put

No big surprises. The team expected to win the Western Lakes Activities Association championship in girls soccer - the team that also happens to be the defending state champion - did, continuing an unbeaten streak that stretches back to 1996.

But it wasn't without a few scares.

Those came courtesy of Plymouth Canton, opponent of Livonia Stevenson. The Chiefs spotted the Spartans something they hardly needed, considering their status as the seventhranked team in the nation. They gave them an advantage: two penalty kicks in the first 16 minutes of the match, with sweeper Abi Morrell dragging down Stevenson's Lindsay Gusick in each instance.

The Spartans managed to convert just one of those opportunities. It took two second-half tallies for Stevenson to escape with a 3-1 triumph and its second-straight WLAA championship.

Stevenson will take a 13-0 record into the Division I state tournament, which begins Monday. Canton is 12-2-

Although unbeaten and untied this season (indeed, the Spartans have never trailed in a match this season, and it has never taken them longer

than seven minutes to take the lead), Stevenson was clinging to a one-goal lead for 13 minutes of the second half. And Canton was applying the pressure.

"It wasn't pretty," was Stevenson coach Jim Kimble's assessment of the game. "It was effective. We can play

"I was very pleased with the way our defense played. I thought that was (defender Rebecca) Peterson's best game of the year.

It says quite a bit, when you think of it, that a coach believes his team played mediocre and still beat the state's third-ranked team by two goals.

This game proved both sides are strong. A third meeting (Stevenson beat Canton 3-0 in the first) is possible, in the state tournament's Class A regional final at Southgate Anderson, so there was something to be gainedhere besides a league title.

"Well, we played well at times," said Canton coach Don Smith, still unhappy with the two penalty kicks awarded Stevenson. When told it was apparent his team turned it around after keeper Kristin Lukasik stopped Allison Camp-bell's second penalty kick try, Smith replied, "I just wish we could have turned it around a little more."



Taken down: Canton's Abi Morrell (right) was called for knocking down Stevenson's Lindsay Gusick inside the penalty area, and a penalty kick was awarded.

It took less than 90 seconds for the Spartans to put Canton on its heels. A rush down the right side ended inside the box when Gusick was dragged down, resulting in Campbell's first

penalty kick. She drove it to the right of Lukasik, who dove and got her hands on it but could not stop it. With 38:34 left in the half, the Spartans led

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Chiefs net a 3rd at WLAA tennis finals

North Farmington proved that nice guys

The Raiders repeated last week as Western Lakes Activities Association boys tennis champions with a team-high 28 points, capping an unbeaten regular season in a tournament held Tuesday and Wednesday at Livo-

Northville was second with 23 and Plymouth Canton a distant third with 13 in the 12-school field. Livonia Churchill took fourth with 11. See tournament results.

North, 12-0 in dual meets this season, held pretty much true to form at the WLAA tourney, capturing five of eight individual flights en route to the title.

"We have a lot of nice kids," North coach Dennis King said. "Some teams are made up of kids who are a little harder to handle for various reasons, but this group is a source of pride both for their school and the community. They conduct themselves well on and off the court. It's just a great group of guys."

North junior Brad Jaffe repeated as WLAA champion at No. 1 singles, raising his individual record to 14-1 on the year with a 6-0, 7-6 win over No. 2 seed Matt Thomson of Northville. Jaffe was also regional champion a year ago.

Runner-up a year ago at No. 3 singles, North senior Steven Krieger took the title in 1998 with a 6-1, 6-7, 6-3 victory over No. 2 seed Matt Nagy.

Heading into Friday's regional at Northville, Krieger was unbeaten in 11

The Raiders won three of four doubles flights, led by the unbeaten No. 1 duo of

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with a 6-1, 6-2 win over Northville's Matt Schlanser and Derek Sokloski.

North's hottest doubles team of late is the No. 2 tandem of junior Mark Frankel and Jay Berman, who yielded just nine games in three WLAA tourney matches. The Raider pair ran their season mark to a perfect 16-0 with a 6-2, 6-1 triumph over Churchill's Eric Williams and Scott Williams in a battle of Nos. 1 and 2 seeds.

In their last eight matches, Frankel and Berman have lost just 12 games.

Sophomores Geoff Streit and Andrew laszewski, paired up for the final stretch of the season for the Raiders, also maintained their top-seeded position with a 6-3, 6-1 victory over Slava Leshinski and Mike

"There's been a lot of competition for that spot this year," King said of his No. 4 doubles squad. "Geoff and Andrew have played the last six matches together and they're 6-

The meet, however, wasn't completely owned by North, the state's No. 2 ranked

In a battle of top seeds. Northville's Matthias Eggel took the No. 2 singles crown with a 6-2, 6-1 win over North senior Nomit Shah, the latter whom is 2-3 on the year. Northville also garnered the No. 3 doubles title as Mark Thomson and Chris Gerlica, the top seeds, ousted North's sophomore duo

of Greg Fox and Brady Dwyer. Both losses this season for Fox and Dwyer (10-2) have come against Northville.

"I would have like to see our No. 3 doubles and No. 4 singles win, but we knew going in junior Justin Street and sophomore Chris that those would be close matches," King done quite well." Erickson, who improved to 15-0 on the year said. "Everything else went according to

team in Division II.

"I'd say we have a stronger team than last year. We only lost our two-time No. 1 doubles conference champion and our No. 2 singles player, but we picked up Nomit, who played the first two years for us, but sat out last year to concentrate on his studies. So we really didn't lose much there (No. 2 singles) by getting him back."

Meanwhile, Canton tennis is back. Chief sophomore Richie Ikeh pulled the tournament's biggest surprise by winning the No. 4 singles crown on Wednesday with a 6-3, 2-6, 6-2 triumph over Northville's Yusuke Ishigami.

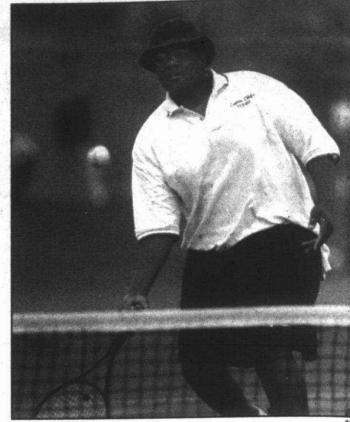
Ikeh was converted into a singles player midway through the season after playing doubles. Seeded fourth, Ikeh upended No. 2 seed Andy Conroy of Walled Lake Western in three sets, while top seed Brandon Finkel (13-2) of North was being ousted by Ishigami in straight sets in the other semifinal.

"Richie's is real strong, a natural aggressive player," said Canton seventh-year coach Barb Hanosh, who led the Chiefs to an 8-3-1 dual-meet record this year. "After we tied Walled Lake Central in a match. I decided to juggle our lineup because I knew our overall ability was better. Canton appears to be on the rise again.

The Chiefs lose only their Nos. 1 and 2 singles players to graduation, along with half of their No. 1 doubles team. "I wish we had been a little closer to

Northville in points," Hanosh said. "We had a great season and our JV guys have done well all year, too. "We've achieved a great deal and we've

Strong second: Vinnie Ikeh, Canton No. 2 singles play: er, reached the league semifinals before losing to North's Nomit Shah, 6-2, 6-1.



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Fourteen minutes later.

Gusick again broke down the

right side, then drove toward the

goal. Morrell could not cut her

off; the ensuing takedown meant

another penalty kick, but Camp-

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No. 3: Steven Krieger (NF) def. Matt Nagy (PC), 6-3, 6-1; semifinals: Krieger def. Deen Conway (N), 6-0, 6-0; Nagy def. Randy Has-

Vinnie Ikeh (PC), 6-2, 6-1.

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No. 1 doubles: Justin Street-Chris Erickson (NF) def. Matt Schlanser-Derek Sokloski (N), 6-1, 6-2; semifinals; Street-Erickson def. Chris Longerbeam-Tyler (PS), 6-2, 6-0; nats: Jaffe def. Rob Aloe (LC), 6-2, 6-3; Schlanser-Sokloski def. Brandon Welling-

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Steve Chisholm (N), 6-3, 7-5.

No. 4: Geoff Streit-Andrew Golaszewsk (NF) def. Slava Leshinski-Mike Caran (WLC), 6-3, 6-1; semifinals: Streit-Golaszewski def.

Jack Wang-Brian Wilson (N), 6-2, 6-4;

Rich Levinson

Leshinski-Caran def. Chris Singleton-Ros anchored by sweeper Andrea Puchalsky (LC), 6-4, 6-2. Sied. At half, it was 1-0. It was the Spartans who seemed rejuvenated to start the second half. "We've been very successful at getting on people early," said Kimble. "That's been

our key this season." The Stevenson coach told his half, and they responded. Again, title. it was a break down the right side that paid dividends, but this Gusick doing the damage, Brianand knocked it in, off the hands of a diving Lukasik. It came with 37:07 left to play.

If the Spartans thought Can-

that, like so many of their oppoquickly learned otherwise. Anne Morrell, the Chiefs' freshman sensation, took a pass on a quick break in Stevenson's end and

same spot, and this time straight toward the goal. Spartan keeper Jenny Barker could It was a different game after not stop this shot; Morrell's goal that. The Chiefs started getting cut the deficit to 2-1 with 29:48 a few scoring opportunities of their own, although - just as in The pressure was mounting on the two teams first meeting -Stevenson. Only a diving save by ends at 11-5. they could do little with them. Barker on a shot by Amanda

thanks to a Stevenson defense Lentz with 16:50 remaining kept the Spartans in front. Lanette Moss made sure they stayed there when, with 12:40 to play, she popped a shot over a charging Lukasik and into the Canton net, making it 3-1.

Campbell assisted. The Stevenson triumph was troops he wanted a goal in the can manage seven more, they'll first three minutes of the second have a second-straight state made five of six saves.

time it wasn't Campbell and crossover match between the North, 5-1. WLAA's second-place division na Roy took a pass to the right of finishers, host Plymouth Salem the goal from Melissa Backus got the game-winning goal from Mia Sarkesian five minutes into the second half to edge Livonia Churchill

The Chargers scored first, get-

ton would simply roll over after ting a goal from Kristin Conklin early in the first half. Kellee nents have this season, they Mullin tied it for Salem, but Churchill regained the lead with a goal by Stacy Supanovich.

second goal for Salem before split the defense, speeding halftime. "We were awfully slow," said Salem coach Doug Landefeld. "It really was not a good game for

Mullin again tied it with her

either team. The Rocks completed their regular-season at 12-1-2. Churchill

Lutheran Westland 4. Aguinas 1: Anna Rolf scored twice, while Kellie Buczek and Mary Ebendick added one goal apiece Friday as host Lutheran High Westland (3-10-1) downer

Krissy Rose and Amy Lee Chiassured. Now, if the Spartans asson each contributed an assist. while goalkeeper Renee Meyer

Southgate Aquinas in a non-leas-

On Wednesday, the Lady Warriors lost a Metro Conference Salem 3. Churchill 2: In a match at Macomb Lutheran-Sarah Hoffmeier had the lone.

> goal for Lutheran Westland. which trailed 3-0 at halftime. Rolf had an assist.

The loss dropped Lutheran-Westland to 2-8 in the Metro.

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Salem's 7th-inning rally jolts division champ

The Rocks are rolling. Going up against North Farmington did not seem a good way for Plymouth Salem to complete its Western Lakes and learn how to win one." Activities Association regular season in baseball. After all, the Raiders had the plate for Salem, made his final already clinched the Lakes Division appearance a game-winner, slapping a championship, and with one of their aces - Jeff Trosz - on the mound, it including the winner. The senior shortseemed that unless the Rocks got some stop had three runs batted in. outstanding pitching of their own, their hopes were slim. RBI for the Rocks, including a double

Well, they didn't get the pitching. But they did get the win, pounding the North pitchers for 13 hits and finishing it with a four-run rally in the bottom of the seventh to gain a 12-11 triumph Friday at Salem.

The win boosted Salem's record to 15-11 overall, 6-4 in the Lakes Division North is 14-4 overall, 9-1 in the divi-

This game was entirely different than the team's first meeting, which North won 2-0. "The first time we played them, we had some great opportunities in the sixth and seventh innings, but we hit it right at somebody," said Salem coach Dale Rumberger. "Tonight, the

"We felt confident, and we battled hard. We lost a few in the bottom of the seventh, so it was good to come back

away to an easy victory Friday at Can-BASEBALL

Mike Coopersmith, a lefthander,

"We've been hitting the ball well late-, but not today," said Canton coach Scott Dickey.

he allowed six runs (three earned) on two hits and six walks, striking out

Western Division, 10-12 overall. David Kwiatkowski had two of Canton's three hits (one a double)

working the last 1 2/3 innings. Jason Cox (four innings) started; he was fol-Christian's offense was in high gear Friday in a lopsided win at Warren North's Trzos left in the fourth inning Macomb Christian. after giving up five runs on six hits.

Gary Penta relieved and got the loss. W.L. Western 7. Canton 0: Kevin

Tony Bernhardt, who went 4-for-5 at

es-loaded single to drive in two runs,

Joe Rizzi added three hits and three

and a seventh-inning solo home run,

and Geoff Bennett had two hits (includ-

pitchers for the game, got the win,

riors score four more as they pulled

Brandon Bray, the third of Salem's

ing a double) and two RBI.

lowed by Scott Hay (1 1/3).

innings when the roof fell in. Walled Lake Western capitalized on three Plymouth Canton errors with two out in the sixth to score two runs and increase its lead to 3-0. Another Canton and two RBI. error in the seventh helped the War-

and five walks, striking out nine. stopped the Chiefs on three hits and two walks, striking out eight.

Tomasaitis fell to 2-4 with the defeat;

Canton finishes its WLAA regular season at 7-9. The Chiefs are 2-8 in the

PCA 18, Macomb Christ. 9: Plymouth

PCA is 10-9 overall, 6-2 in the Michi-

gan Independent Athletic Conference's Blue Division. Chris Brandon paced the Eagles' 19-Tomasaitis had allowed two hits in 5 2/3 it attack with four hits and three RBI.

Derric Isensee and Dave Shumaker each added three hits and two RBI: Travis Yonkman had two hits and three RBI; and Nick Brandon had two hits

Salem 7. Northville 4: Plymouth Salem struck for four runs in the first inning and added three more in the second to

win easily Wednesday at Northville. Kurt Berlin was the winning pitcher. He worked six innings, giving up five hits and a walk, with three strikeouts

Scott Hay pitched the final inning. Corey Wacker's two-run single sparked the Rocks' four-run first. Joe Rizzi added two hits (including a double) and two RBI in the game, and Brett Burelson had three hits with an RBI.

Canton 7, Stevenson 3: Jason Evans made his first varsity hit a memorable

Evans, just called up from Plymouth Canton's junior varsity, was hitless in his first game for the Chiefs, but in his second, the sophomore helped ignite a four-run first inning by slugging a solo home run — the first by a Chief this season. And that was just the beginning: Evans added a double and a single to his total as part of a 14-hit Canton

Andy Powers got the pitching win, record to 3-2 by tossing a four-hitter James went 2-for-3.

improving his record to 3-2. He went the over six innings. He surrendered three first 4 1/3 innings, allowing three hits runs and three walks, striking out two. David Winter worked the last inning, allowing one hit, striking out one.

Joe Cortellini got Canton's second homer of the season in the fourth, a solo shot; he had two hits in the game. Pat Van Hull added two hits (including a

double) and two RBI, and Oliver Wol-

cott had two hits and scored two runs.

PCA 14, Oakland Christian 6: John Isensee smacked a pair of solo home runs, James Jones added a three-run shot and junior Bill Kiesel pitched 6 2/3 innings of one-run relief to let visiting Plymouth Christian Academy come

ome with a win. Kiesel came on in the first with one out and five runs in. He went the rest of the way, giving up three hits, walking

two and striking out three. Isensee hit his home runs in the first and third innings, his fifth and six of the season.

Jones hit his three-run shot as the Eagles were racking up seven runs in the fourth. Kiesel also contributed a

home run to the onslaught. Isensee went 2-for-3 with two walks plus his home runs. Jones went 2-for-4 Jeff Page improved his pitching and drove in four runs, Kiesel and Evan

Softball from page D1

On Wednesday at Livonia then pitched the last four hitter at Plymouth Salem Friday, walking three, hitting one Stevenson, the Chiefs spotted innings and was the winner; she batter and striking out six. She's the Spartans a 6-1 lead after one allowed no runs, no hits and no 19-6 for the season (a school their 12-hit attack to pull out the

record for wins). Amanda Sutton started and victory. Becky Mize paced Cantook the loss for Salem, lasting ton with four hits and two RBI four innings and giving up nine runs (five earned) on eight hits three hits and two RBI and Elizabeth Elsner contributed two and three walks, striking out two. Shannon Coultas worked the final two innings, allowing three hits and a walk, fanning

Diana Gustkey and Lynn Livernois each had three hits and an RBI for North (19-6 overall, 7-2 in the WLAA's Lakes Divi-

Salem slipped to 12-13-1 over-

Canton 10, Stevenson 9: It was, as Canton coach Jim Arnold game. It was not a typical Can-

hits and three RBI Canton struck for two runs in the sixth inning to overtake two hits, including a two-run Stevenson. Kovachevich's runscoring single in the sixth tied it at 9-9; Christy Even then followed with an RBI single for the

while Carrie Kovachevich added

game-winner Jenny Fisher started for the Chiefs, but lasted just 2/3 of an inning, allowing five walks. Cangot the win; she pitched the first ton committed three of its seven 4 2/3 innings, surrendering four errors — a season-high — in the runs on five hits and six walks. opening inning. Patty Snook fol- Amanda Sutton relieved and lowed Fisher, giving up three pitched 2 1/3 innings, giving up

inning, then fought back with walks, striking out five in four Salem 10. Northville 6: Three

> runs in the first and five more in the fourth ensured Plymouth Salem's victory Wednesday at Stefanie Volpe chipped in with

> triple in the first. Becky Esper also had two hits, with a two-run triple in the fourth. Karen Prosyk added two hits and three RBI, and Katie Kelly had two

Shannon Coultas started and "This is the best team we've ever had," said PCA coach Steve Bauslaugh, "And we only had 12 boys. The positive thing is, we've never scored 100 points at a runs on four hits and a walk in 2 two runs on three hitsa nd a league meet before. 1/3 innings. Gretchen Hudson walk.

"But when you lose by just two

Southfield Christian was third

Dickens wrote it (in A Tale of Two Cities), and last Wednesday points, well, on the bus ride

It was the best of times, it was

The Eagles enjoyed their bestever performance at the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference track championships, scoring more points than they ever had before - 106. And yet, t wasn't quite enough; Bloomfield Hills Roeper edged PCA, scoring 108 to win the title at 3.200 in 10:55. Rochester Hills Lutheran North

feries, a senior, was a winner in the high jump (5-feet, 6-inches); and the team of Roose, Smith,

the 1,600 relay (3:56)

in the five-team field with 92 oints, followed by Warren Bethesda (13) and Auburn Hills Oakland Christian (4). In the MIAC girls champi-

nships, PCA was again second but by a greater margin. Southfield Christian won with 149 points: PCA totaled 65, with Roeper third (37) and Oakland Christian and Bethesda tying for fouth (28 each).

The Eagles had two winners in the girls meet: Taryn Moran, a more, was first in the shot put (25-7), and the team of Moran, Heather Vargo, Debbie Gulledge and Heidi Yonkman won the 400 relay (58.7).

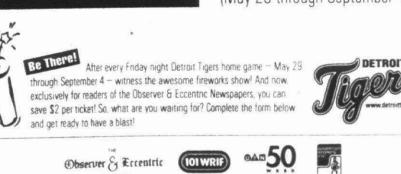
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The Eagles did have six firstplace finishes, and Jordan Roose accounted for two of them. Roose, a sophomore, won the

PCA 2nd at MIAC meet

1,600-meters in 5:02 and the Travis Yonkman, a freshman, finished first in the 300 hurdles (48.4); Matt Smith, a senior, captured the 400 (56.1); Ryan Jef-

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1-900-933-1118

Catholic SWM, 38, 6', 200lbs. brown hair/eyes, professional, loves 29, 5'8", dark hair, hazel eyes. swimming, tennis, the theater, bikmovies and dining out, seeking good friends, bike riding and swf. 23-36, with same religious ideals, for friendship first. Ad#.6789 THOUGHTFUL

AWAITING YOUR CALL

Handsome SWM, 43, 6'2", enjoys all athletic activities, is seeking a romantic, slim-build, SF, with similar nterests, who is looking for a longterm relationship, with marriage in mind. Ad#,4123 SIMPLY THE BEST

DWM, 48, 5'9", 195lbs., brown hair/eyes, outgoing, employed, enjoys outdoors, family activities, A REAL GENTLEMAN

eyes, smoker, non-drinker, outgoing, enjoys outdoors, family, seeks SWF, 35-40, for serious relationship. Ad#,7728 HEAVEN IF YOU HEAR ME... Catholic, never-married SWM, 41,

seeks a SWF, age unimpor-

for a relationship that will lead

riage, children welcome. outdoors and quiet evenings at Ad#.1944 ONLY HERE Talkative, definitive SWM, 38, 6', with multiple interests, seeks slim, trim, fun-loving SWF, 29-44, to share activities and friendship.

> DOWN-TO-EARTH Professional, open-minded SWCM. 36, 6'3", 185lbs., brown hair/eyes, a homeowner, enjoys NASCAR, movies and music, traveling, cars professional, enjoys walking, the and new experiences, seeking a compatible SWCF, 27-38. Ad#.3968

GOOD TIMES Upbeat, employed, Catholic DW dad, 53, 5'6", blond hair, enjoys, dancing, bowling and traveling, working around the house, dining out and the outdoors, looking for a compatible. Catholic SWF. 40-50.

Ad#.7683 FAMILY-ORIENTED? Athletic sincere professional funloving SWM, 43, 6'1", seeks a spontaneous, romantic SF, race and age

unimportant. Ad#.2613 ATHLETICALLY INCLINED Professional SWM, 40, enjoys dining out and dancing, music and sincere, fit SAF, age unimportant,

ONE OF THE FINEST eves, educated, a professional, SBM, 45, 6'2", enjoys concerts, enjoys jogging, long walks, reading movies and romantic dinner, would and good conversation, seeks a like to meet a loving, gentle SF, 25who cares about herself.

BUILD A FOUNDATION independent, employed, never-mail ried, in search of outgoing, vibrant, professional SWF, 21-42, who enjoys the great outdoors. Ad#.4444 GOOD COMMUNICATOR

Positive, professional SWCM, 40, 5'11", 195lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, likes traveling, good conversation, concerts, golfing, the outdoors and dining out, seeks a SWCF 30possible relationship. Ad#.5555 FROM THE HEART Catholic SWM, 39, 5'10", 170lbs.

N/S, honest, sincere and devoted, enjoys romantic dinners, dancing sports and movies, seeking a S inder 45, with similar interests. ODYSSEY OF LOVE Protestant WWM, 48, 6', 195lbs. brown hair, blue eyes, affectionate,

honest, likes traveling, good conversation, time with family and dining out, seeks an attractive, educated SCF, 35-52, N/S. Ad#.4747 **FOLLOW YOUR HEART** Catholic DWM, 60, 5'11", 170lbs. employed, N/S, non-drinker, enjoys quiet evenings at home, golfing, din-ing out, seeks Catholic DWF, with-

ENTIRELY YOURS

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Handsome, professional, DWCM enjoys dinner and a movie with spend time at amusement parks, ing SWCF, 25-33, Ad#, 7287

MESMERIZING PERSONALITY

FOLLOW YOUR HEART Handsome SBCM 38 5'9" outoc seeks a SBCF, 25-45, for compar ionship, possible long-term rela

YOUNG-AT-HEART Catholic DWM, 53, 5'10", brown hair blue eves affectionate enjoys outdoors, family activities, cards, dancing, seeks height and weight proportioned, SWF, under under 53, with similar traits.

GET TO KNOW ME SWM, 52, 5'8", outgoing, active, DWM, 39, 5'9", blond hair, blue enjoys dancing, movies, concerts, raveling, seeks slender, SF, unde 51, for long-term relationship

HERE'S TO NEW BEGINNINGS SWM, 45, 5'11", 195lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, professional, col lege educated, physically fit, outgoing, enjoys music, movies, the atre, dining out, seeks SF, 38-51 with good sense of humor, down to-earth, Ad#,3639

FOLLOW YOUR HEART

SBM, 26, 5'6", hardworking, out going, enjoys church, basebal shooting pool, movies, quie evenings, traveling, seeks a SF 18-24, to share same interest Ad# 9082 SOLID RELATIONSHIP

outdoors, seeking an open-mind-ed SCF. Ad#.1625

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picked up.

That means that if you can strike Catholic SWM, 45, 6'1", brow in the next frame, you can double or hair, blue eyes, lives in Plymouth You really never know which pros theater, seeks educated, sens you will get to bowl with until game win in the finals over Ed Grant of tive, romantic, fit SWCF, 34-45 time, so it turned out to be Chris who is down-to-earth Ad# 7450 Hooper (Game No. 1), Mike Durbin FINALLY... No. 2) and Paul Rado (No. 3). Slim DWCM, 55, 6', brown hair Taylor Lanes was nice to us, with

blue eyes, enjoys cooking bowla very good shot on the lanes. SWCF, 45-55. Ad#.1885 In the opener, Hooper, one of the QUALITY FRIENDSHIP added to each of the amateur's Protestant DBM, 40, 6', attractive scores on this pair of lanes. friendly, lives in Southfield, enjoys traveling, boating, concerts, the

When

Duane Kuras

Durbin, 57, a veteran pro from ford, 30th. Ohio contributed a 257 in next game. Maryland, rolled a 232 to give our fift nine amateurs from the senior

Mayflies enjoying spring fling

dry days of the past two weeks I've been enjoying the dance of the approach my at the end of the day ready to mayflies |Leptophlebia nebis-



NATURE

NOTES

losa) jumping up and down on the hood of my car. An individual will land for a sec- ton ond or two and then fly up, move to

short time before their feet get too was to lay eggs so they could raise hot and they must jump up These are medium-sized mayflies. Their body is about a half hifestyle than you and I are used to

long black filaments that protrude in large number. 1 1/2 to 2 inches dark brown, but their wings are same time and literally cover the the tip of the main wing

Last spring, the adults I saw fly

saw this spring They over-wintered in the

Warren, while Grant took home \$12,000 for second place. Other Observer & Eccentric-area cashers

were Ed Malinowski, Livonia, 12th: newer pros, rolled a 247, which was Jack Treolar, Farmington Hills 25th: Phil Horowitz, West Bloom ield, 27th; and Mike Surdyk, Red-

91: Still busy as Bea

ALLEY

HARRISON

Livonia wiļl cele

brate her 91st birthday on June

She is a very

averaging 126 in

the Senior Left

overs at Merri

On the final

Day of the season.

series with a 241

game in a no-tap

nents cheer for her.

bowler

She also bowls with the Senior

Stanton has been bowling for 50

Lads and Lasses at Merri Bowl as

well where she carries a 130 aver-

years and recommends the sport to

activity that's fun and social.

eniors who are looking for a good

Her teammates, Tom Gerovac and

Dan Blaske, say that she is lots of

fun to bowl with, and even the oppo-

Bea gives a lot of credit to her doc

and longevity. She recently had to

wercome a broken right wrist, but

hat did not slow her down. She took

first place in 1992 in her age group

75-and-up at the Michigan State

Women's Tournament winning in

She enjoys her family, has five

play card games, especially since

Active with the Livonia Seniors

Program, she enjoys some of the bus

rips, especially to casinos in the

A very kind and thoughtful per-

good bowling friends. Bea Stanton is

a pure example of why bowling is

alike, even Gordon Bickle could do it.

ich a great game, young and old

·Several weeks ago, Jack

ahlstrom of the Mayflower Senior

Men's Classic League decided to get

up a few bowlers for the Pro-Am at

, so I joined in with my friends. We

bowled Saturday, May 9 on 1:30 p.m.

The team consisted of myself.

Dahlstrom, Bob Sherwood, Gabe

Fazekas, Ted Kress, Harry Acker-

In the Pro-Am format, the partici-

the third, sixth and ninth frames of

pants all get an automatic strike in to be around.

man, Alvar Freden, Buff Stiles and

singles and all-events at Saginaw.

Roger Ajluni, for her good health

active

the past 10 years, it is always a lot of

fun and a good experience, win or

I enjoyed it a lot more this year by

bowling in a group of my own pals

and shooting a better set of games

I needed a new ball, anyhow

extremely well.

laylor Lanes.

ive frames of the game.

ham III; 5. Brian Vos.

to lead after two games.

Team Storm conisted of 1. Pete

Weber; 2. Brian Himmler; 3. Del

Ballard, Jr.: 4. Mike Edwards: 5

This proved to be an entertainin

evening, as the guys let loose with

insults, stuff that we never see on

slight lead, but Storm stormed back

After the first game, AMF forged a

The final game was virtually ever

until the 10th frame when Voss had

door open for Ozio who struck out to

take the totals, the money and the

bragging rights for the first time this

type of event had occurred as part of

·Sad note: Senior Bowler Tom

Tom was a very popular member

Wojnowski passed away suddenly on

of the Mayflower Senior Men's Clas-

sic League and also bowled in the

Monday and Friday senior leagues

A really fine gentleman and an

excellent bowler, his name appeared

in the honor roll scores of this col-

He will be missed by all, and

remembered as one very nice person

. The Greater Detroit Bowling

Association has concluded this year's

Senior Masters Tournament at Bowl

James Warren of Clinton Town-

nip finished first with a 468-419

First place was worth \$1,500 for

umn quite often

One Lanes in Troy

Rochester Hills.

han individual.

David Ozio

grandchildren in the area and loves their kidding around and friendly

, says Lydia Sandys, one of her a halacious 2-8-10 split, leaving the

In the special 60 and up class, Bud while Rado, a fourth-year pro out of Bogatay of Farmington Hills was

Warren tied for high game with JUNIOR ARCHERS eague 738 each. Oxford's Harry Somerville, each of Oxford, each with a 300 game. A weekly program for junior 1,427. Having bowled in pro-ams for Somerville wound up 26th overall. archers begins at 9 a.m. Saturdays at Detroit Archers in We

warmth of spring. When it arrived they began preparing for their Mayfly nymphs live longer as a evenile insect than as an adult. Those nymphs from last summer matured and began to crawl out of the water onto some vegetation. There they transformed into a

winged adult that emerged from a split in the exoskeleton. Unlike most insects the adult that emerges will shed its first exoskeleton and get its final coloration with the second exoskele-

a new location and then land live about one day. During that again, only to jump up after a cou-time they must seek out others of their kind, court, mate and lay All the mayflies on the hood and eggs. Once this is completed, they roof are doing the same thing. It die. Not a very long life in the air hot and they can only land for a plished their main goal, and tha

an inch long, but extending from it has been very successful for the end of the abdomen are three mayflies. I see them every spring In fact, if you go to Lake St The two outside filaments angle Clair at the right time of the sum to the right and the left Overall mer, you may encounter millions of hey appear to be black or very mayflies that emerge about the

Though it is a very different

If you enjoy trout fishing with Earlier this spring I saw the flies, matching the hatch of nymphs schooling in the cold water mayflies is very crucial for catching of a near by stream. There were a fish. When there are thousands thousands of them. They were the of them hatching, trout gorge first aquatic life to be seen in the themselves on this bountiful bu

You don't have to be right next ing near my car laid eggs in the to water to enjoy these delightful stream. Those eggs hatched and dancers on delicate wings during grew into the aquatic nymphs I the month of May. It is, however necessary to get out in the field

RECREATION

Hunters gobble up turkey population

Turkey hunting was, and of sensational this spring with an abundance of birds in the northern Lower Peninsula.

While the DNR receives due The bowling ball given out at this year's event is the Thunder Road by credit for Michigan's blossom-Storm Products and it performed ing turkey population another organization should receive ample accolades for the terrific ·Last Monday night, a special turkey hunting opportunities vent took place at The Greater we enjoy in the northern half of Detroit Open PBA Tournament at the Lower Peninsula.

It was a Challenge Match between The Michigan Wild Turkey the staff of AMF Bowling and Storm Hunter's Association was established in 1996 and is dedi-Up for grabs was \$3,500 to the cated to the long term enhancewinning team and \$500 for the ment and preservation of the Eastern wild turkey. The pri-The Baker System Format was mary activity of the associased with each team member bowltion, which currently has three ing one frame during the first five chapters - Traverse Bay, Pere frames and then repeats in the next Marquette and Mio-Au Sable This game is more team focused River - with approximately 1000 members statewide, is to The Team AMF line-up included organize, finance and maintain Bob Learn, Jr.; 2. Joe Firpo; 3 a supplemental winter feeding Lonnie Waliczek; 4. George Branprogram to insure that as many

> Michigan winters "We get harsh winters up here and its tough on the birds," said former Birmingham resident Linda Gallagher, secretary of the MWTHA. "We average 240 inches of snow (in Antrim County). If we didn't feed them during the middle of the winter they'd be as scarce as bald eagles.

birds as possible make it

through the tough northern

Gallagher is known as "The larly with corn, are placed on

OUTDOOR INSIGHTS

Turkey Lady" to the locals throughout the northwest cor-

ner of the state.

deer and elk, that's why we use the elevated platforms," Gal-And for good reason. During the cold, grey, snowlagher said. "But we have a filled days of winter, Gallagher saying about turkeys: It's either a fed turkey or a dead volunteers her time for six to eight hours a day organizing turkey." the turkey feeding program in Another nice thing about the Area J and personally locating MWTHA is that every penny and tending to flocks.

raised by the non-profit organization remains right here in the state. MWTHA raises During the rest of the year she works with local land owners and farmers to create favormoney through a \$10 annual membership fee, donations, rafable turkey habitat and help reduce crop damage for farmfles, a turkey hunting workshop, a banquet and the sale of habitat packages.

"Farmers are just as interested in wildlife as anyone else we work hand-in-hand with the farmers on a year-around basis," Gallagher said. "For the most part they like seeing turkeys, just not in their crops. We give them trees and shrubs that are favorable to turkeys and give them oats and corn to The MWTHA receives no

"We try to provide them with some alternative food sources member of the Association for wildlife and maybe we can keep some (wildlife) out of their

MWTHA's feeding program

donated by Pheasants Forever, which also helps out by donating some corn to the program in the winter. Everything else comes from money raised through memberships, donations and fund rais-

state or federal funding and no receives a dime - only the satisfaction of knowing that the turkeys in northern Michigan During a normal winter have survived another winter. "We spent \$13,000 last year runs through January and in Area J alone, and we had a

lagher. "We have between

May 31 south of M-72 and May

ing Guide for exceptions and

mit in designated areas only.

Michigan's annual Free Fishing

Weekend, in which all fishing

license fees are waved for resi

dents and non-residents, is

FREE FISHING WEEKEND

scheduled for June 6-7.

SHOOTING

Bald Mountain Recreation

Area in Lake Orion has shot-

clays, 5-stand), rifle, pistol, and

dusk on Wednesdays, 10 a.m.-6

p.m. Saturdays and Sundays

Tuesdays. Bald Mountain is

located at 1330 Greenshield

Rd., which is three miles north

of the Palace of Auburn Hills

gun (skeet & trap, sporting

archery shooting facilities.

Range hours are 10 a.m. to

RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN

areas where flocks are residing.

During last year's mild winter of birds. The thing that worrie MWTHA still shelled out over 100 tons of corn.

"If we have a bad winter w could go through twice as much corn as we did last year. Added Gallagher: "What we "We do not condone feeding ve to do is reach the hunte

here and had the times ir lives. There are a ton birds up here now and th hunting is great. I'm sure and that they would help, but they don't know what to do.

"If we could just get \$2 from sweat it out like we do." The seeds farmers receive are

If you'd like to make a donation, join, or simply learn more about the Michigan Wild Turkey Hunter's Association call Gallagher at (616) 544-3302, Traverse Bay Chapter president Rick Riley at (616) 549-2705, or call up the 549-2705, or call up the MWTHA web page at

(Anglers and hunters are urge report your success. Que aged. Send information to: Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birming ham, MI 48009. Fax info to (248) 644-1314, send E-mail to

Outdoor Calendar

February. Feeders, filled regu- pretty mild winter," said Gal-

ARCHERY

HOLIDAY SHOOT Detroit Archers will hold a hold day shoot on Saturday, Sunday and Monday, May 23-25, on its field. Call (248) 988-6658 for walk-through course in West Bloomfield. The course will be open 9a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday and 9a.m.-2 p.m. on Monday. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more

information.

Oakland County Sportsman Club will hold a 30-target 3D shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sun day, June 14, at its walkthrough course in Clarkston. Call (248) 623-0444 for more

man Club in Clarkston offers a

information. JUNIOR OLYMPICS The Oakland County Sports-

Junior Olympic Archery Devel opment Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays Call (248) 623-0444 for more information

or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

CLASSES FLY FISHING The Michigan Fly Fishing Club will present Fly Fishing For the Beginner on Saturday-Sun day, 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

information and to register Paint Creek Outfitters in Rochester offers a variety of fly tving classes for beginners and advanced tyers. Call (248) 650-0440 for more information or to make a reservation for an upcoming class

HUNTER EDUCATION Wayne County Sportsmen Club will hold several hunter

ing 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 w ll be offered Aug. 29 30, Oct. 3-4, Oct. 17-18 and Nov. 7-8. Cost is \$10.50 and includes lunch both days ? pre-register call (313) 532-

education classes in the upcon

CLUBS

The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation - trout streams runs through

zation interested in promoting 1-31 north of M-72. Bow and the appreciation of outdoor spear fishing on non-trout activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on inland waters is open for gar, the first Tuesday of each month carp and bowfin May 1-Aug. 15 at the Colony Hall in South-Check the 1998 Michigan Fish

more information. **METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS** Metro-West Steelheaders meets The spring turkey season runs at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tues through May 31 by special per-

day of each month in the cafe teria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparote at (248) 476-5027 for more MICHIGAN FLY FISHING The Michigan Fly Fishing Club

third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School, Call (810)

478-1494 for more informatic FOUR SEASONS The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Senior Citizen's Center in the Livonia Civic Center. Cal

meets at 7 p.m. the first and

Jim Kudej at (313) **591**-0843 for more information

FISHING BUDDYS 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

monthly at Gander Mountain

248: 666-8910 for more infor-

The Downriver Bass Associa-

tion, a non-tournament bass

club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the

fourth Tuesday of every month

Taylor Call (734) 676-2863 for

TOURNAMENTS

OAKLAND BASS MASTERS

Jakland Bass Masters wi

hold its first tournament of t

1998 season on Sunday, May

24, on Kent Lake in Kensington

Metropark. Entry fee is \$75 per

boat before May 20 and \$80 per

boat after May 20. There is a

5-boat limit Call (248) 542

SEASON/DATES

Spearing, hand netting and

bow season for suckers, carp.

gar and bowfin runs through

May 31 on non-trout waters

Smelt netting season on non-

5254 for more information.

SPEARS/BOWS

south of M-46

SMELT

n Waterford. Call Mike Daly at

welcome.) The club meets

BASS ASSOCIATION

more information.

FISHING

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 infor-

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 infor-

OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

Advanced registration is

required for all nature pro-

COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS

grams at Oakland County Parks. Call (810) 625-6473 to register or for more informa-MICHIGAN'S ENDANGERED

Review the current status of

some of Michigan's endangered

plants and animals during this program, which begins at 1.30 p.m. Saturday, May 23, at Independence Oaks.

FREE WOOD CHIPS Free wood chips from the Oak land County Parks Christmas tree recycling program, will be available on Saturday, May 23,

at Orion Oaks at the Clarkston Road entrance. Individuals are asked to provide their own shovels and to load the chips by hand. No motorized equipment is allowed and no commercial haulers. Additional wood chip

dates are scheduled for June

27, July 25, August 29, Sept. 26 and Oct. 31

AMAZING AMPHIBIANS Ages 7-11 will learn what makes frogs, toads and amphibians special during this program, which begins at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, May 30, at

Independence Oaks.

STATE PARKS STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area, and Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain sall (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2433. For programs

METROPARKS

at Island Lake call (810) 229-

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nomi nal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks, toll free Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-

entry permits and boat launching permits are on sale at all Metropark offices. Vehicle

1998 PERMITS

The 1998 Huron-Clinton

Metroparks annual vehicle

entry permits are \$15 (\$8 for senior citizens). The annual boat launching permits are \$18 (\$9 for senior citizens). Call 1-800-47-PARKS for more infor mation. ALCOHOL BAN An alcohol ban will be in effect at some metroparks until the

POND LIFE

closer look at the fascinating ife found in a pond during this program, which begins at 1 p.m. Sunday, May 17, at Indian Springs. A similar program begins at 1 p.m. at Kensington

middle of June. Times and

dates will be posted at each

Ages five and older will take a

with similar interests. I AWAIT YOUR CALL

Boys track from page D1

"Our 800 relay team (winning at 1:30.10) was awesome," Baker said. "It was a new school record. The old was something like 1:31.4.

"Winning the regional was a first in Salem history for track. We've been close before, but we've never won it."

Plymouth Canton's Kevin Keil

Girls track

first few laps," McNeilance said

of her 1,600-meter run, "then

person to win twice. Westland

John Glenn's Nicole Herring

She ran a 15.7 in the 100-

meter highs, which was more

than a half-second faster than

her nearest competitor, and a

Herring said she was a little

shaky going into the high hur-

dles final after tripping in a pre-

liminary race. Her sights are

now set on the state meet, Satur-

"I want to do some damage up

Perhaps the best performance

there," Herring said. "I plan on

McNeilance wasn't the only

pass them on the last lap."

swept the hurdle events.

47.2 in the 300.

day May 30.

was a double winner, taking the shot put at 52-feet, 9 1/2-inches and the discus with a throw of

Garden City's Joe Frendo took the pole vault at 12-6, while Livonia Churchill's Ryan Kearney swept the hurdles.

His 14.5 took the 110 event. then he ran 38.6 to win the 300

of the evening came from anoth-

er Rocket. LaToya Chandler

cleared 5-feet 9-inches to win the

high jump - some nine inches

better than second place Andrea

While seniors dominated Fri-

An example is Salem's

day's meet, the underclassmen

Autumn Hicks. The freshman

qualified for the state finals in

eager to learn about track,"

Rocks coach Mark Gregor said.

"She has a lot of natural ability.

I think Autumn is one of those

kids you can build a team

One of the Rocks' juniors,

"She's extremely strong and

Polasky of Livonia Stevenson.

from page D1

found success, too.

three events.

around.

intermediate hurdles.

Livonia Stevenson's Robert Block took over nearly halfway through the 3,200 and pushed himself through the heat and humidity to win with a time of 9:33.7, some five seconds below the school record he wanted but still nearly 11 seconds lower than the area's best previous

cus with a throw of 114-3 and

took third in the shot put (34-

As for the regional, Gregor

"Just looking at their seeds,"

"I thought if we could score

In all, Stevenson qualified for

'We're not a state title contender," Holmberg commented.

the state meet in six events. The

Spartans will send nine athletes.

"We'll score some points, but our

goal will probably be to finish in

knew Stevenson would be tough

he added, "I thought it would be

tough to score a lot of points

over 100 points," Livonia's Holm-

to beat.

against them."

the top 10."

berg said, "we'd win."

9. Redford Catholic Central, 26; 10. Westland John Glenn, 19; 11. Livonia Franklin, 17; 12 Garden City, 16; 13. Wayne Memorial, 6; 14. Redford Union, 5; 15. (tie) Detroit Southwest ern and Detroit Western, O each.

BOYS TRACK MEET RESULTS

May 15 at RU's Kraft Fleid

TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Plymouth Salem

55; 4. Detroit Cass Tech, 48 1/2; 5. Dearbo

nia Stevenson, 36; 8. Plymouth Canton, 35;

Fordson, 44; 6. Livonia Churchill, 41; 7. Livo-

112; 2. Detroit Cody, 65 1/2; 3. Dearborn,

(top 2 qualify for state meet) Shot put: 1. Kevin Kiel (PC), 52 feet, 9 1/2 inches; 2. Marvin Beaty (Cass), 51-3 1/2; 3. Garrett Simpson (Dbn.), 48-9; 4. Matt Lawson (LF), 47-11; 5. Aaron Kozak (Dbn.) 46-11 1/2; 6. John Kava (CC), 45-8.

Discus: 1. Kevin Keil (PC), 161-8; 2. Nick Brzezinski (CC), 143-5; 3. Dave Hester (PS). 143-4; 4. Guy Diakow (LC), 139-4; 5. Dustin William (LS), 138-4; 6. Mark Popejoy (PC),

High Jump: 1. Colin Wilkinson (Dbn.), 6-5; 2. Tim Moore (WJG), 6-4; 3. Jason Herrick (Dbn.), 6-3 (fewer misses)(SQ); 4. Dave Popier (CC), 6-3 (SQ); 5. Dan Colip (LF), 6-3 (SQ); 6. (tie) Alton Marks (Cody) and Adulai Allie (Cass), 6-1.

Long Jump: 1. Jason Herrick (Dbn.), 21-5: 2. Angelo Fennie (Cass), 20-7; 3. James Evans (DF), 204 1/2; 4. Tim Moore (WJG). 20-3 3/4; 5. Eric Larsen (PC), 20-3 1/4; 6.

Jordan Smith (Dbrl.), 20-0. Pole vault: 1. Joe Frendo (GC), 12-6; 2. Matt Weber (LC), 12-0; 3. (tie) Daniel Reeb (Dbn.) and Brandon LaRointe (LC), 11-6 (fewer misses); 5, Ian Billington (GC), 11-6

110-meter hurdles: 1. Ryan Kearney (LC) 14.5; 2. Ryan Thomas (PS), 14.9; 3. Dave Clemons (PS), 15.0 (SQ); 4. John Staszel (Dbn.), 15.1 (SQ); 5. Pat Hayes (LF), 15.2; 6. Angelo Fennie (Cass), 15.4.

300 hurdles; 1. Ryan Kearney (LC), 38.6; 2.

Chris Bates (Cody), 40.8; 3. Josh Keyes

lette Jarrett (WJG), 25.4; 3. Crystal Lee (Cass), 25.7 (SQ); 4. Krystal Peterson (Cass),

Hardacre (LS), 1:01.2.

Andrea Parker (LS), 2:23.7; 3. Marcy Ramm (Dbn.), 2:24.3 (SQ); 4. Kristin Hetra (LC), 2:27.3: 5. Annemarie Vercruysse (PS), 2:29.1; 6. Ann Figurski (LL), 2:30.0.

1,800: 1. Kelly McNellance (LS), 5:14.5; 2. Kelly Travis (LS), 5:22.1; 3. Ashley Fillion (LC), 5:23.0 (SQ); 4. Alyson Flohr (PS), 5:29.8; 5. Evelyn Rahhal (PS), 5:30.5; 6. Melanie Mester (PS), 5:31.1.

(LS), 11:54.6; 4. Alison Fillion (LC), 12:08.8; 5. Danielle Harris (LS), 12:19.8; 6. Kim

400 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Yolanda Riggs. Tiarra Jones, Crystal Lee, Meshia Moton), 48.7; 2. John Glenn (Nicole Herring, Kania Adams, LaToya Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett). 49.1; 3. Ladywood (Brianna Watson, Kendali

Carey, Kelly O'Brien, Katie McGraw), 50.8 (SQ): 4. Salem, 51.5; 5. Canton, 52.0; 6. Stevenson, 52.5.

800 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Crystal Lee, Tracy Ball, Tiarra Jones, Meshia Moton), 1:39.7; 2. John Glenn (Nicole Herring, Kania Adams LaToya Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett), 1:45.0; 3 Salem (Autumn Hicks, Wendi Leanhardt, Brynne Deneen, Rachel Jones), 1:46.3 (SQ): 4 Stevenson 1:49.2: 5 Capton 1:50.4: 6 Ladywood, 1:51.4.

1,600 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Qiana Black, Tiarra Jones, Meshia Moton, Tracy Ball), 3:59.2; 2. Dearborn (Candice Worrell, Sarah Surducan, Andrea Monroe, Amy Kleist), 4:05.8; 3. Stevenson (Katie Sherron, Nicole Dettloff, Jenny Hardacre, Kelly McNeilance), 4:06.7 (SQ); 4. Salem (Autumn Hicks, Brynne Deneen, Katie Bonner, Shannon Will), 4:08.3 SQ); 5. Canton, 4:13.2; 6. Ladywood, 4:16.5.

3,200 relay: 1. Stevenson (Kelly Travis, Danielle Harris, Andrea Parker, Kelly McNeilance), 9:31.7; 2. Dearborn (Marcy Ramm, Lela Lofton, Laura Smith, Amy Kleist), 9:43.7; 3. Salem (AnneMarie Vercruysse, Ellen Stemmer, Becky Phelan, Evelyn Rahhal, 9:48.6 (SQ); 4. RU, 10:24.9; 5. Canton, 10:28.2: 6. Churchill, 10:31.7

(WJG), 40.8; 4. Don Slankster (CC), 41.2; 5. John Staszel (Dbn), 41.6; 6. Pat Hayes (LF),

100 dash: 1. Freddie Curry (Cody), 10.9; 2. William Hall (Cody), 11.1; 3. Tommy Glennon (LS), 11.2: 4, Johnie Drake (Cass), 11.3: 5. Mike Shull (PS), 11.3: 6. Marco Cooper (Cass), 11.5.

200: 1. D. Bryant (Cass), 22.4: 2. Mike Shull (PS), 22.8; 3. Rendell Winston (DF), 23.1; 4. Terrance Thomas (WM), 23.2; 5. Tommy Glennon (LS), 23.3; 6. Chris Bates

(Cody), 23.5. 400: 1. William Hall (Cody), 50.6; 2. Robert Arnold (Cody), 50.8; 3. Matthew Free-born (LS), 50.9; 4. Carlos Smith (DF), 51.1; 5. Michael Przygocki (Dbn), 51.2; 6. Larry Ander-

son (PC), 51.7. 800: 1. Ian Searcy (PS), 1:57.2; 2. Shaun Moore (PC), 1:58.6; 3. Ralph Winston (DF), 1:58.9 (SQ); 4. Andy Briggs (PS), 1:59.4 (SQ); 5. Marty Kane (PC), 2:01.4; 6. John McCallum (LC), 2:01.9.

1,600; 1. Nick Allen (PS), 4:25.6; 2. Josh Burt (LF), 4:25.7; 3. Jon Little (PS), 4:27.6 (SO): 4. John DiGiovanni (CC): 4:29.8 (SO): 5. Abraham Aljahmi (DF), 4:36.7; 6. John Mungai (Dhn) 4:39 1

3,200: 1. Rob Block (LS), 9:33.7; 2. Nick Allen (PS), 9:42.8; 3. Jon Little (PS), 9:44.8

(SQ); 4. Eddie Traynor (GC), 9:45.5 (SQ); 5. Falah Aljahmi (DF), 9:47.1 (SQ); 6. Dan Jess (CC), 9:48.8 (SQ).

400 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Conte Young, Marco Cooper, Johnie Drake, Blaine Denning), 44.1. 2. Salem (Mike Shull, Chris Mason, Mark Sheehan, Scott Kingslien), 44.4; 3. Cody, 45.1; 4. Dearborn, 45.3; 5. Stevenson

45.30; 6. RU, 46.0. 800 relay: 1. Salem (Mike Shull, Chris Mason, Mark Sheehan, Scott Kingslien), 1:30.1; 2. Cody (Freddie Curry, William Hall, Glen Sumpter, Chris Bates), 1:30.9; 3. Cass Tech, 1:31.7; 4. Fordson, 1:32.1; 5. Wayne 1:35.3; 6. John Glenn, 1:35.4.

1,600 relay: 1. Salem (Andy Briggs, Gabe Coble, Scott Kingstien, Ian Searcy), 3:24.2: 2. Fordson (Ralph Winston, Ryan Joyce, Rende Winston, Carlos Smith), 3:25.4; 3. Cody (Robert Arnold, William Hall, Wakeen Da Chris Bates), 3:27.4 (SO); 4. RU, 3:30.3; 5. Churchill, 3:30,3; 6. Canton, 3:32.2.

3,200 relay: 1. Salem (Andy Briggs, Nick Allen, Bobby Cushman, Ian Searcy), 8:03.3; 2. Stevenson (Matthew Freeborn, Michael Felczak, Steven Kecskemeti, Rob Block), 8:11.0; Fordson (Bakeel Mohamed, Murwan Kadry, Rvan Joyce, Ralph Winston), 8:12.9 (SO); 4. Redford CC, 8:14.50; 5. Dearborn, 8:20.10; 6. Churchill, 8:35.50.

WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne County Commission, Committee on General Government will hold a public hearing to consider an amendment to the Wayne County Employee's Retirement System Ordinance Section 141-41 - Correction of errors by adding: "Overpayments which have occurred as the result of Retirement System administrative errors and were not caused by erroneous information provided by the recipient/agent of the recipient or as the result of an intentional tort on the part of the recipient or on the part of any Retirement System staff, shall be recovered for a period not to exceed two years of overpayments."

The hearing will be held: TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1998, 2:00 p.m. Hearing Room 402, Wayne County Building 600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan

Copies of the proposed amendment to the ordinance may be reviewed at the Commission Clerk's Office, 406 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit 48226. (313) 224-0903. Publish May 17, 1998

WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne County Commission will hold a public hearing to consider an ordinance by Commissioner Cockrel to prohibit the operation of a drug abuse treatment clinic within 1,000 feet of a school; to require a clinic operator to obtain and display a certificate of compliance from the superintendent of each affected school district; and to prescribe misdemeanor and civil infraction penalties for a person who violates these prohibitions and requirements.

The hearing will be held: THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1998 Commission Chambers, 10:00 a.m. Wayne County Building 600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan

Copies of the proposed amendment to the ordinance may be reviewed at the Commission Clerk's Office, 406 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit 48226. (313) 224-0903.

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CLASS A REGIONAL GIRLS TRACK MEET RESULTS May 15 at RU's Kraft Fleid

TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 124 points; 2. Plymouth Salem, 90; 3. Westland John Glenn, 79.2; 4. Detroit Cass Tech, 74; 5. Plymouth Canton, 48; 6. Dearborn, 45.2; 7. Livonia ladywood, 21.2; 8. Livonia Churchill, 17; 9. Livonia Franklin, 16; 10. (tie) Garden City and Redford Union, 6.2; 12. (tie) Dearborn Fordson Detroit Southwestern Detroit Cody, Wayne Memorial and Detroit Western, O each FINAL RESULTS

(top 2 qualify for state meet)
Shet put: 1. Danielle Wensing (LF), 36 feet, 7 1/2 inches; 2. Andrea Monroe (Dbn.), 35-8 1/2; 3. Tiffany Grubaugh (PS), 34-10; 4. Michelle Bonior (PS), 34-0; 5. Paula Tomlin (PS), 33-6 1/2; 6. Emily Yambasky (LS), 33-

Discus: 1. Tiffany Grubaugh (PS), 114-3; 2. Emily Yambasky (LS), 106-10; 3. Miranda White (PS), 102-11; 4. Kristen Stone (WJG), 96-7; 5. Jaclyn Bernard (PC), 94-0; 6. Shauna Jones (LC), 91-11.

High Jump: 1. LaToya Chandler (WJG), 5-9; 2. Andrea Polasky (LS), 5-0; 3. Erin Stabb (PC), 4-11: 4. (tie) Autumn Hicks (PS), Aisha Chappell (PS), Erin Lizura (RU), Charlotte

Steele (Dbn.), Erin Szura (GC), Felicia Barnett (WJG), Erin Hayden (LL), 4-8 each.

Tiffany Grubaugh, won the dis-

Long Jump: 1. Nkechi Okwumabua (PC). 17-6: 2. Nicolette Jarrett (WJG), 17-1 1/4: 3. LaToya Chandler (WJG), 15-11 3/4; 4 Bryanne Deneen (PS), 15-8 1/4; 5. Nicole Dettioff (LS), 15-6 1/2; 6. Melanie Johnson (Cass) 15-1 3/4.

Pole vault: 1. Katie Mitchell (LS), 8-2 (fewer misses); 2. Nicole Dettloff (LS), 8-2; 3. Kim Wise (GC), 8-0 (fewer misses); 4. Elaine West (Dbn.), 8-0; 5. (tie) Stephanie Haven stein (Dbn.), Jane Peterman (LC), Shiloh Wint

100-meter hurdles: 1. Nicole Herring (WJG), 15.7; 2. Crystal Alderman (PC), 16.3; 3. Erin Stabb (PC), 16.4; 4. Cassie Ehlendt (LS), 16.4; 5. Erin Lizura (RU), 16.6; 6. Andrea Monroe (Dbn.), 17.1. 300 hurdles: 1. Nicole Herring (WJG), 47.2;

2. Crystal Alderman (PC), 47.8; 3. Katie Sherron (LS), 48.0 (SQ); 4. Suzanne Peplinski (LL), 48.2; 5. Courtney Pope (Cass), 48.9; 6. Tiffany Reiber (PS), 49.1. 100 dash: 1. Tirarra Jones (Cass), 11.9; 2. Brianna Watson (LL), 12.9; 3, Kania Adams

(WJG), 12.9 (SQ); 4. Rachel Jones (PS), 13.0;

5. Michelle Bonior (PS), 13.0; 6. Andrea Monroe (Dbh.), 17.1. 200: 1. Tracy Ball (Cass). 24.2; 2. Nico27.0; 5. Rachel Jones (PS), 27.0; 6. Eboni Jenkins (Cass), 27.4.

400: 1. Tracy Ball (Cass), 56.5; 2. Amy Kleist (Dbn.), 58.7; 3. Danielle Wensing (LF), 59.4 (SQ); 4. Autumn Hicks (PS), 59.5 (SQ); 5. Brynne Deneen (PS), 1:01.1; 6. Jenny

800: 1. Ketly McNellance (LS), 2:21.1; 2.

3,200: 1. Kelly Travis (LS), 11:42.3: 2. Alyson Flohr (LS), 11:48.0; 3. Andrea Parker

McNeilance (LS), 12:24.1.

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