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Chamber names new director

The Canton Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday named Ryan Ambrozaitis of Dearborn to be its executive director, ending a two-month search.

Described by Chamber President Pat Williams as "very enthusiastic" and "a gogetter," Ambrozaitis, a University of Michigan graduate, was selected from a field of 80 candidates to head the 460-member chamber.

He was confirmed for the position by the full chamber board at its regular monthly meeting Wednesday and will assume his new duties on Monday, Williams said.

Ambrozaitis was unavailable for comment Wednesday afternoon.

Ambrozaitis succeeds Carleigh Flaherty, who resigned June 1 to take a similar position with the Farmington/Farmington Hills Chamber of Commerce.

"I think he's going to bring a lot to the

Please see DIRECTOR, A3



A program for the dog days of summer



Nice to meet you: Jesse Allen, 5, reaches out to greet Dixon, a smooth-coated collie last week during the get-acquainted session at Kinder Care of Canton

Pet care part of early learning

ixon didn't mind that about two dozen children wanted to shake his hand Thursday.

No, Dixon isn't a candidate seeking political office. Rather, he's a 3-yearold collie who is helping kids learn about animals.

Along with a trio of other dogs and a cat, Dixon visited Kinder Care as part of the Pet-a-Pet Club program. For nearly an hour, youngsters age 5-12 got a chance to learn about and, of course, pet the animals.

"The dog communicates love and doesn't judge," said Livonia resident Judy Kirkeby, a volunteer with the program. "The dog is just there to show love."

Pet-a-Pet began in 1986 as the idea of Redford resident Ruth Curry. The goal of the visitation program was and still is to bring benefits of interactions with animals to the elderly

and children.

Educating is always another goal. Kirkeby did just that in talking to the kids.

The former school teacher explained to children how Dixon should be cared for. Kirkeby also noted that he was a "smooth, tricolor" collie.

After her short lecture, she invited the kids to talk about their own pets. "I have a cat," said one boy. "He's

Children then got to meet Dixon up close. Afterwards, other animals were introduced.

"Kiwi" the poodle, "Abby Golden" the retriever, "Amanda Golden," also a retriever, and Sadie the cat each made an appearance. Children greeted the pets with smiles and a few laughs.

Center Director Debra Kava said

Kinder Care of Canton serves about 120 kids. She said she had planned to get the program to the facility for a long time.

"We wanted to educate them on how to care for animals," Kava said. The program has more than 400

The program has more than 400 volunteers. Curry said they visit a wide range of facilities in the metropolitan area.

"We visit hospitals, nursing homes and psychiatric hospitals," she added. Kinder Care was just the second place in Canton the program has visited.

"We would like to have more participation." Curry said.

To get involved as a volunteer or to schedule a Pet-a-Pet visit, call Ruth Curry at (313) 535-0410 or Joann Gresens at (248) 464-8944.

Vorva pledges battle Supreme

Jerry Vorva plans to take the school bond lawsuit to the U.S. Supreme Court, if necessary. Plymouth-Canton Superintendent Chuck Little said this week the district will issue the bonds if the state high court rules in its favor.



Jerry Vorva says he has a deal for the Plymouth-Canton school district ... a deal that will end litigation preventing the sale of \$79.6 million dollars in bonds and,

in effect, the construction of a new elementary and high school.

If not, it's all the way to the U.S.

If not, it's all the way to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Meanwhile, school district officials say "no thanks." School officials plan to sell the bonds even if Vorva gets to the highest court in the land.

"All I want them to do is hold a special election, involving everyone who voted in the (March 1997) bond election," said Vorva. "I want it on paper ballots and sent to those who voted, asking them to vote the way they did in the original election. That's what I originally asked for before this lawsuit got started."

Vorva is fighting the election, claiming 716 people were denied their fundamental right to vote when a new touch-screen voting system failed to record their votes.

A three-judge state Appeals Court panel ruled earlier this month in favor of the school district. Vorva has said he will either ask for a rehearing or take the case to the Michigan Supreme Court. He needs to file either appeal

Please see BOND SUIT, A13

Taking a bow

Archers target Canton from points near and far

For the second consecutive year, the 114th annual National Target Archery Championships is bringing a mini-United Nations to Canton.

The competition, held at Heritage Park Aug. 1-7, runs daily from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and is open to the public.

The event's world flavor derives from the fact FITA, archery's international governing body, has again designated the U.S. championships a world ranking event, meaning archers from around the world can again compete here for standings points.

Besides the United States archers—who form the bulk of the 500-plus entry field—delegations are coming from Argentina, Canada, Chinese Taipei, Georgia and Ukraine of the former Soviet Union, Great Britain, Ireland, Mexico, Norway, the Philippines, Poland, Scotland, Trinidad and Tobago.

As of Monday's deadline, 533 entries had been received at the Colorado Springs headquarters of the National Archery Association of the U.S. – a few more than last year, according to Bill Kellick, NAA communications and media relations manager.

Entries postmarked Monday are eligible, so a few more were expected, he said.

Six of the world's top male and female archers are confirmed for the tourney, according to Kellick.

Included are the men's top-ranked Butch Johnson and third-ranked Justin Huish of the U.S. and 14th-ranked Magnus Petersson of Sweden and the women's top-ranked Natalia Nasaridze, eighth-ranked Deniz Gunay and 16th-ranked Elif Altinkaynak, all of Turkey.

Please see ARCHERY, A10

Volunteers still needed for tournament week

Canton residents 14 and older can still volunteer to work the 1998 National Target Championships – and help burnish their township's image in the process.

The National Archery Association tourney, which draws competitors from around the world and last year focused worldwide media attention on the township, is returning to Heritage Park Aug. 2-7 for its second and final local appearance.

And while a lot of the available slots have already been filled, more volunteers still are needed, especially for the tourney's opening.

"We want a good number on hand at the beginning" so registration and other functions can run smoothly, said Kathleen Salla, township volunteer coordinator.

"Competitors from all over the United States were very apprecia-

Please see VOLUNTEERS, A10

Storm aftermath: Downed power lines, tangled traffic

High winds and heavy rains that whipped through Plymouth and Canton Tuesday night lasted only about a half-hour, but it was enough to inconvenience many people for 12 hours or more as power outages darkened many neighborhoods.

Canton Township firefighters appeared to be the busiest in the area, handling 65 weather-related calls. Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher said they were all for downed power lines. He said there were no injuries or EMS runs related to the storm.

Plymouth and Plymouth Township police each say they received numerous calls about the power being out, but there was no real storm damage to report.

Detroit Edison spokesman Scott Simons said the utility recorded a peak of 309,000 customers without power, which was down to 250,000 by Wednesday morning. That included 2,700 cus-

tomers in Canton, and another 1,800 in the Plymouth area.
"They were mainly due to lightening

"They were mainly due to lightening strikes and downed power lines from winds in excess of 70 miles-per-hour," said Simons.

"I couldn't get a hold of Edison all night," said one Canton man who didn't want to be identified. "We just did the best we could."

"We had to search around for candles and flashlights," said Ann Modine, who works at a doctor's office in Plymouth. "We had to go out and buy batteries for the portable television. Can't be with-

The power outages kept Canton police busy, as four major intersections had traffic signals interrupted. They included Ford Road crossings at Haggerty, Morton Taylor and Sheldon, as well as Michigan Avenue at Sheldon. Some of the signal lights were still out at midday Wednesday.



Directing traffic: Canton Police take over for inoperable traffic signals at Ford and Sheldon roads during the Wednesday morning rush hour.

Farmer Jack site plan | Canton man is \$17 million OK'd by commissioners lottery winner in Big Game

sized Farmer Jack shopping center plan cleared a major hurdle ject and location of a storm on the road to breaking ground Monday night.

Canton's planning commission voted 4-1 to recommend site plan changes designed to meet those concerns, she still disliked the approval for the massive grocery store and adjacent retail builddevelopment. She said it's siming. Commissioner Cathy Johnson cast the lone "no" vote.

"I was very concerned about what we had before," Commissioner Bob Wade said of the plan. "But this is a vast improve-

ply too big for the eight-acre par-Hill roads.

vater retention pond.

Developers of the project, don't permit ATMF-V of Bloomfield Hills, holds true." Plans for the shopping center first brought site plans to the

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from the get-go," she said. "Someone said at one of the other meetings, 'If it doesn't fit, don't permit.' I still think that

el at Canton Center and Cherry Developers have met with stiff public resistance to the project "I've been against this project along the way. Previous hearings in front of the planning commission and township board went for hours as residents of

While Johnson acknowledged

Condominiums voiced opposi-Only three residents showed up for the commission's Monday meeting. Their comments took the form of questions about specific aspects of the development

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instead of complaints.

nearby Kingston Estates, Fair-

way Pines and Pheasant Glenn

cial land use permits.

On Tuesday, the board will

vote on site plan approval. Farmer Jack intends to have the

center operational by May of

next year if that final approval is

tabled at that time to address January. Since then, the board concerns over the size of the pro- of trustees has granted a rezoning of the parcel as well as spe-

works and barbecues for Canton esident Charles Willis. While enjoying a family get-

away up north, Willis discovered he had the sole winning ticket in the July 3 Big Game drawing worth an even \$17 million. That day's winning numbers were 5. 36, 38, 39, 46 and the "Big Money Ball" was No. 1.

"I checked the numbers Saturday morning at a local party store, wrote them down, and went back to my parents' house to check my ticket," Willis said in a statement released by the state lottery office. "My knees went weak and I got very pale. "I took my ticket back to the

store to double-check everything. The clerk said, 'congratulations,' shook my hand and wished me a happy Fourth of July. I called my wife, Lisa, and she didn't believe me because I ounded so calm." Willis, 44, said after he had

the beaches of Lake Huron the rest of the weekend." Employed as a truck driver, Willis said his immediate plans

include meeting with financial planners and beginning a trust



teries in Michigan, Georgia, Illinois. Maryland, Massachusetts and Virginia contribute to the joint prize pool. To date, the Michigan Lottery has awarded more than \$124 million in prizes to six Big Game jackpot winners. In addition. dozens of Michigan Lottery players have correctly matched the

Willis and his family picked up

the first installment check of

\$850,000, before taxes, to be fol-

lowed by 19 annual installments The winning ticket was an

"easy pick" purchased at Bill's Party Store in Ypsilanti.

The Big Game is a six-state lottery game which held its first

drawing in September 1996. Lot-

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If you are considering such a move, start out by consulting a good Realtor whom you like and rust. You will want to consider the new tax laws passed in August of 1997, which allow capital gain exclusions whether you "buy up" to a more expensive home or "buy down" to a less expensive one. If you are moving downtown from the suburbs in order to be close to cultural centers, heaters and restaurants, there may be "quality issues, such as noise or parking. You

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> self to continue the momentum and growth that we have created over the past 25 years and to in the community. an extra set of hands" with which "to meet our goals and

> > According to Williams, cation as promotions manager naire or the statewide Schools Now

Ambrozaitis will "position him-

The campaign, which involved

Chamber," said the chamber some 230 southeastern Michigan president about the new execu- businesses and 200 school tive director, whom he described statewide, saw Ambrozaitis working directly with Schools Now co-chairmen Guy Gordon of Williams, who is president of WXYZ-TV Channel 7 and Detroit Michigan Induction Inc. of Can- Lions wide receiver Herman

Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce. He brings additional enhance our leadership position experience in volunteer involvement and customer service to his "I'm looking forward to having new position, the chamber stat-

Williams said Ambrozaitis was one of about 80 candidates subobjectives," said Williams, who is just past the halfway mark in mitting resumes. The chamber his first year as chamber presi- search committee, headed by Bob Carrigan, owner of Alpha-Graphics of Canton, whittled the Ambrozaitis recently helped field to 14, then trimmed it to coordinated a successful cam- the final seven based on their paign to raise \$1 million for edu-responses to an essay/question-

> "One bubbled to the top." Williams said of Ambrozaitis.

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1917), who was deposed when

American business and military

interests wanted to annex

Hawaii to the U.S. A revolution.

encouraged and actively assisted

by American interests and

backed by a U.S. Navy gunboat.

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Roughing it?

Family Camp Out: Kim Tonti pumps air into a

mattress inside her tent Friday in preparation for

the third annual Family Camp Out and Movie

sponsored by MediaOne and Central City Diner,

attracted some 1,500 people. About 300 tents dot-

Night in Heritage Park. This year's event, co-

ted the park put up by people who stayed the

Director from page A1

Did you know

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Softball City hosts 'Special' tourney Athletes from around the state Teams will be divided into about a dozen divisions with four squads in each. Each division

will descend on Canton this plays a double-elimination format with winners weekend for the annual Special Olympic softball tournament. being crowned on Saturday. More than 40 teams will com-

pete for medals at Softball City on Michigan Avenue west of Canton Center Road. According to Special Olympics Area Coor dinator Jackie Foust, these athletes know the meaning of com-

"It's very rewarding to watch these kids," she added, "because they try really hard no matter The tournament will begin at 4:30 p.m. Friday and run

through the end of the day Sat-Mt. Pleasant each June. urday. The Plymouth-Canton Stars will be battling for one of the coveted medals, Foust said. "We've been practicing and year. This weekend's softball playing games since mid-May in

preparation for the tournament,"

The Special Olympics moveabout a dozen divisions with ment began in the early 1960s four squads in each. Each diviwith funding from the Kennedy Foundation. Michigan is cele- sion plays a double-elimination brating its 30th anniversary in format with winners being

crowned on Saturday the program this year

Organizers try to pair teams of similar abilities in each division. impaired athletes 8-years-old Ability varies quite a lot from and up compete in everything player to player on each team, from track and field to swimming and basketball each year in Special Olympics. The state "We're all over the map," she games are held on the campus of noted about the Plymouth-Can-

that are extremel skilled and have excellent hand-eye coordi-State tournaments in basketball and floor hockey, for example, are held throughout the The Stars range in age from 12 to 27. Most have competed in tournament will wind up Special the softball tournament before, Olympics competition until the which has been hosted by Soft-

Central Michigan University in

Teams will be divided into

Thus far, the Stars have played about six games. Foust wasn't sure about the team's overall win-loss record, but said

ball City for several years.

ton squad. "But we do have some

Plymouth-Canton split a pair of games last week.

"They're very competitive," she said of the Stars. "They know you have to hit the ball well to

While there were qualifying competitions to play in the state tournament, teams had to have

played at least three games for seeding purposes. Several Special Olympics' sports, such as basketball, have national tournaments. The same

isn't true for softball, however. "This is as far as they can go, Foust said.

Plymouth-Canton Stars team nembers include: Sean Bowers, Kevin Welgosh, David Foust Andrea Flynn, Megan Campbell Scott Stoner, Natasha Degraff. Chris Scokow, Justin Strabbing, David West, Ron Walzak, Scott Zammit, Nathan LaFever, Kyle Siarto, Matt Dupuis, Marc Bocketti, Billy Adrt. The team is

coached by Mike West, Rachel

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Payout: Charles (back row, with glasses) and Lisa (center) celebrate their good luck along with other family

six numbers, he "just relaxed on fund for his son's education. He also plans to pay bills and buy a new house and new cars. "We never had anything new. he joked "This is fantastic.

confirmed his ticket matched all



first five Big Game numbers to win the game's \$150,000 second-



WHEN YOUR HOUSE GETS TOO BIG As the Baby Boomers of the 1950s send their children off to college, they join the part of the market called "empty nesters". At this point they no longer need six bedrooms and three baths, a family room and a gigantic yard. Many "empty nesters" are trading in the family home for something that is smaller, easier to maintain and has the amenities that are important to their more

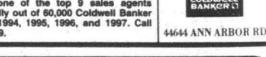
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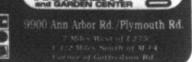
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STATE SENATE RACE-9TH DISTRICT

Voters will decide on Aug. 4 in the primary election among these five candidates. The winning candidates from each party will advance to the general election on Nov. 3.

Senate? How do you plan to achieve

Should the arts in south Michigan be funded with a half-mil orty tax? Why or why not?

The Republican-run state Senate June 11 approved four hills that would require a three-fifths vote of each legislative chamber to raise the income, sales, use and single business taxes. They're likely to fall in the Democrat-run House. Should 50 percent of voters decide on tax increases? Why can't a simple majority suffice and doesn't it undormine the basic concept of "one-correct, one-vote?"

DEMOCRATS:



Carol Poenisch Northville Township Former teacher. Active in citizens group on bond issues, Marien's riends on drive for assisted suicide

Public education. None of the Republican candidates support public schools as much as I do. No public money into private schools. 2. Environment. My daughter was at-Maybury State Park recently. The drinking water was brown and the leaders found it was high in bacteria. 3. Long range planning, instead of going from crises to

Merian's Friends leader. I have worked really hard seven days a week on the proposal to allow mentally competent terminally ill adults, the right to initiate and end unbearable pain and suffering

I do not support the bills on supermajority. believe it will be found unconstitutional. I believe in one-person, one-vote. It's a campaign strategy that looks good, no one wants to pay taxes.

Attorney specializing in labor law employment discrimination and

Improve the environment for businesses in Michigan. The small business tax needs to be revised to alleviate its burdensomeness. Communities currently compete with one another to attract larger businesses by giving tax abatements. I would introduce legislation prohibiting tax abatements. Employees with seniority of 5 or more years deserve greater job security than Michigan's at-will employment

Government is too big, too inefficient and too

the homework, and work with residents, local

officials and Republican leaders to cut taxes:

reduce government; improve our aging infrastructure; and protect and promote

educational opportunities and excellence.

Assisted a citizens group in Canton in a successful attempt to obtain a reduced speed limit on their residential street from 40 mph to 25 mph.Represented a citizens group to obtain an increased criminal sentence for individuals responsible for killing Vincent Chin. The effort resulted in the adoption of sentencing guidelines by Michigan courts.

property taxes. Homeowners already pay enough taxes. The arts should be funded via subscriptions and donations. Public funding leads to censorship. If the public finances the arts, it has the right to

Government already has enough of our money to

I oppose requiring supermajorities for selective issues. It is anti-democratic. Why didn't the Republicans require a supermajority to amend the PERA, an amendment aimed at eroding the collective bargaining rights of teachers. They only support supermajorities for measures that preserve the status quo for their special interests.

Supermajority legislation protects your paycheck

from tax-hungry politicians. Michigan's constitution mandates a majority to raise taxes.

This is a floor, not a ceiling. You retain the right to

decide how big a majority is required to raise taxes. If supermajorities weren't constitutional, Democrats wouldn't be fighting to keep them off

A case can be made that taxation is a structural

question of government, and many such questions require more than a simple majority for passage — including veto overrides and immediate effect.

Such requirements have long stood the test of

REPUBLICANS:



Currently serving his third two-year term as County Commissioner Former Schoolcraft College trustee

Thaddeus McCotter

Jim Ryan

Redford Township

Received bachelor's degree from the University of Detroit and juris doctor from U of D Law School

Former state representative for

My overriding legislative priority is to guard against excessive, unnecessary intrusion of government into the family, educational and

16th District, Redford and Dearborn Heights, former deputy director of

Gov. John Engler's southwest Michigan office. Former Redford Deborah Whyman Canton Township State representative for 21st

District, representing Belleville and

Canton, Van Buren and Sumpter

townships since 1992. Received

bachelor's and master's degrees

from Central Michigan University.

business lives of the people of Michigan. Government must reserve the rights and authority of individuals to make the proper and appropriate decisions in their lives. I hope to add to my record in defense of individual rights and limited, effective

My legislative priorities will continue to be: ending minority preference programs, further reducing the state tax burden, and assuring that western Wayne County receives its fair share of road repair dollars. I plan to achieve these goals using the same ingredient I use in all my projects: hard

supermajority legislation on voters' ballots; demolished and developed the county's abandoned appropriately prioritize spending, it is a failure of political will for which the taxpayers must not be Northville property: allowed communities to avoid the transit tax: stopped the Willow Run Tradeport; cut the commission's budget and perks and co-wrote the toughest county ethics ordinance in the

I've done everything I pledged to do: I put anti-tax

Author and principal sponsor of Michigan laws that permanently increase the personal tax exemption, allow the trial of 14 and 15 year olds as adults in violent crimes, ban partial birth abortions and several other landmark laws.

I led the fight to abolish Detroit's Recorder Court,

giving voters in western Wayne County the right to vote for all circuit judges who preside over them. I also initiated two historic lawsuits against the University of Michigan, for its discriminatory

neighborhoods safe from sexual predators. I have

posted the convicted sex offender list for western Wayne County on my Web page.

admissions policies. In an attempt to keep

I don't believe so. Government's track record in evaluating appropriate arts project funding has been questionable - as is the idea that government should evaluate art at all. Foundations can help them do so, it should.

made to foot the bill.

Absolutely not. All citizens have different tastes in I support measures that make it harder to raise

music, art and culture. Government should not use taxes state tax dollars to favor one form of cultural entertainment over another



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Exec contender focuses on airport, roads, job cuts

Wallace Serylo knows he has an uphill battle in his quest to become the next Wayne County executive.

Temporary Housing in Redford Township and retired material control supervisor at Ford Motor Co. is a definite longshot in the Democratic primary election. Servlo is running against County Executive Edward McNamara and former Detroit mayoral candidate Sharon McPhail, both candidates with strong name recognition.

So why is Serylo running?

very good job," Serylo said. I think (Assistant County Execu-The 72-year-old secretary for tive Mike) Duggan is the person mara shows up for the pictures."

Detroit to Redford, wonders how port, roads and job cuts as the

running the county and McNa- system connecting the airports

Serylo, who is moving from much Wayne County spends in SMART and D-DOT merge,' tax dollars on Christmas lights in Hines Park. He calls the airport "a mess" and lists the airthree most important county two systems."

"McNamara is not doing a

tive's staff, Serylo said. much time and gas at lights ill-Servlo wants to see a light rail timed or operating when not needed." He would like to see and downtown Detroit. He highway signs announcing road thinks the bus transportation improvements without the counsystem "stinks" in southeast ty executive's name. Michigan. "I also want to see

Serylo said. "I'm sorry, but the Metro Airport redesigned to unions are going to have to receliminate horrible traffic jams. ognize that we're in the 20th century and work to merge the

Servio wants to reduce property taxes and increase the personnel count of the Wayne County

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He wants the current access to

Sheriff's Department. He prefers a board member on the former WAYNE COUNTY EXECUTIVE not to accept endorsements from 16th Precinct community relaunions or groups as he "only tions group. Serylo joined the Wayne County. "We spend too wants to be beholden" to voters board at the 6th Precinct, serv-

and taxpayers. Serylo is opposed to a regional millage to support the arts and cultural institutions of Wayne.

Oakland and Macomb counties.

"It should be self-supporting." Serylo supports "some privatizing," but said he would have to study the issue further.

Servlo is a current member of the Detroit Police Chiefs Crime Central Region and the Michi-Advisory Committee. Serylo was gan Railroad Club.

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as treasurer. Serylo is a board member and president of the Detroit Outdoorsmen, and a board member and district field representative with the Michigan United Conservation Club. He is also a member of the Train Collectors Association, National Model Railroad Association, North

ing in many capacities, the last

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What do you perceive are the biggest problems facing Wayne County? How will you address them

Crime: We need to increase community

Coordinate financial support for preve

involvement to reduce crime in some of Detroit's neighborhoods. I would offer youth prevention

programs, including social responsibility courses

more recreational outlets. Affordable medical care:

from K-12, mandatory self-esteem training and

programs to avoid duplication of services and

sed support for health education

Do you support the 1 mill for Wayne that will be placed on the Aug. 4 election ballot? Yes or no? Why or

why not?

Yes, because we are still in need of a new juvenile

justice facility and programs for the adult prison

population. I would make sure that the monies

that are asked for on Aug. 4 will be used for building a modern juvenile justice facility with programs that will foster self motivation and

4 mills, Wayne levies about 7.9 mills. What do you think of the county's tax levy? Should it be cut, and if so, what should be cut in the budget or budget djustments made? If it shouldn't be cut, e might the county improve

At this time I would not want to cut taxes, but I

would want to know where all the money is being spent, this can be done by an audit. We are in

need to keep the airport project moving forward,

the roads need major work and justice system are

DEMOCRATS:



Canton Township Project manager with AT&T Received bachelor of science information science from the University of Detroit.

degree in criminal justice and master of science in compute Thomas Hartnett

Canton Township Special assistant prosecuting attorney, Wayne County Friend of the Court Received bachelor of arts degree

from Wayne State University and a

juris doctor. Detroit College of Law

The biggest single problem facing Wayne County is mber of children living in poverty or near poverty in single-parent families. I intend to support the new family court and the merger of Juvenile Court with the family court. I will focus or collecting all due child support and safeguarding

Without question, infrastructure and services. It's

no secret that Wayne County roads are almong the

worst in the nation. In many cases, repairs simply

aren't enough. Long-term thinking requires that we break the cycle of temporary repairs and rebuild

needs to be emphasized to prevent further

roads where necessary. Maintenance of our drains

expect to make constructive demands on the time of the County Executive and his administration, and I will be accessible to him. will be issue-oriented and try to avoid name-callin efforts on behalf of the people in the 11th Distric

the county executive and with all the

show my leadership skills.

commissioners to move forward projects in the development and implementation stage forward. I would participate in related activities and try to

Yes, I support the millage renewals for the jails. It facility in Hamtramck) to relieve severe overcrowding in the Wayne County Jail. Judge prisoners' rights. Thus, it is necessary for us to pay the ongoing maintenance costs for more jail

I think the amount of tax levied by Wayne County is adequate and should not be cut. I do not think the right people are paying them. Developers and businesses need to pay more of their fair share and residential property owners less or the same Oakland County may levy a smaller rate, but the assessed value of the property is higher and Oakland County has less people

four mills on an SEV of \$35.2 billion to serve 1.1

residents. Wayne not quite twice as much

on a smaller SEV of \$31.5 billion to provide for

County's SEV is about half of Wayne County's, but

roughly twice as many residents. Macomb

its population is only about a third as large.

I expect to work closely with the county Yes, provided the renewal is properly applied to its stated purpose. Vigorous enforcement of laws and prosecution of criminals by the Sheriff's Department and the Prosecutor's Office has executive, but I also expect the county executive to work closely with the commission toward the ommon betterment of Wayne County. Effective action is accomplished only through cooperation among the branches of government. The county executive, who proposed policy, has the duty of resulted in the decrease in crime, making Wayne faithfully implementing policies that are established by the commission.

County a better and safer place to live. To house and rehabilitate criminals, and ultimately deter crime, the necessary facilities must be built and

> levy. Wayne County has much more to offer as well as a larger population than Oakland or Macomb counties, therefore requiring the higher tax. I believe that the county should improve on parks and recreation services and create more

John Sullivan

Legal Services.

Van Buren Township Attorney representing public employee retirement systems Bachelor in general studies degree from the University of Michigan and juris doctor from Wayne State iversity Law School

Practicing attorney in Wayne, in

process of leaving job with UAW

University of Michigan in health care administration and juris doctor from University of Detroit.

Two of the biggest problems at this time are the conditions of the roads and the status of the airport. As a commissioner, I would push for the ediate repair of our roads and I would push for

I will do whatever is necessary as a commissione to work with the executive in a manner that would be most beneficial to Wayne County. I foresee no problems in working with the county executive since we will both be working towards the same

Yes. We need to expand the Wayne County jails and detention facilities so that criminals are no

REPUBLICAN:



Melissa McLaughlin Coordinator of constituent services for Commissioner Bruce Patterson Canton trustee since 1992 Received a bachelor of science degree education-special education from

Eastern Michigan University.

1/4 for parks for a total of 9.15) is a countywide concern. Roads also are at the forefront of everyone's concern. Cities and townships alike are not included in the present policy. A formula hould be developed which determines the annual the communities participate in the prioritization of road improvement planning.

executive is until after Nov. 3, I have no preconceived ideas about my working relationshi I as a county commissioner will have with the county executive. I expect an atmosphere of mutual respect and cooperation, but such an tmosphere does not mean that I won't ask the won't be identified and brought to light.

No. I do not support the renewal. Communities after paying this millage, are required to pay yet again a per diem rate to house their prisoners. sistration has agreed to work with local police departments to fund prisoner housing outcounty at a "volume rate," but it remains a question if the citizens of Wayne County have gotten their money's worth from this millage

I think the millage rates are too high. The county can improve services, with or without budget cuts Satellite offices for clerk, treasurer and registrar of deeds located in a western suburb would be a small step toward providing better customer service to the taxpayers. Merging of departments awarded on the best job for the best value basis without any bias concerning race, location, sex or

Field Elementary School honors volunteer for hours of service

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ing, Young Author's Books,

sewing, shopping for supplies,

costumes for plays. During

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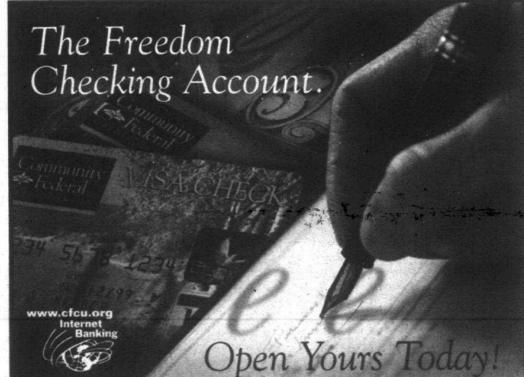
Field Elementary School on Haggerty Road has a volunteer they not only are proud of but have awarded her with the Volunteer in Public Schools Extra Miler Award.

Lisa Hajduk was commended for the many hours of service she has given to the students at Field. She was cited for consistently giving of herself and time to the students, staff and programs at Field. **AWARD**

Hajduk is highly involved in the Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) helping to make decisions on projects and activities coordinated through the efforts of parents and teachers.

Hajduk received a certificate running copies and making of recognition, a pin of the Flag of Liberty and Learning, and a this past year Hajduk has voldinner gift certificate, all preunteered three mornings a sented by Board Member Mark week for twenty weeks to read Horvath

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CANTON

POWER OUT AFTER STORM

High winds and heavy rains that whipped through Plymouth and Canton Tuesday night lasted only about a half-hour, but it was enough to inconvenience many people for 12 hours or more as power outages darkened many neighborhoods.

Canton Township firefighters appeared to be the busiest in the area, handling 65 weather-related calls. Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher said they were all for downed power lines. He said there were no injuries or EMS runs related to the storm.

Detroit Edison spokesman Scott Simons said the utility recorded a peak of 309,000 customers without power, which was down to 250,000 by Wednesday morning. That included 2,700 customers in Canton, and another 1,800 in the Plymouth

GARDEN CITY

TRAFFIC SIGNALS OUT

The eastern portion of Garden City was particularly hard hit in Tuesday's storm.

Garden City public service crews were busy on tree cleanup detail Wednesday morning. In Garden City Park at Cherry Hill

trees were lying on the ground stops and let traffic take care of waiting to be removed by DPS itself," Lt. Michael Carr of the Garden City Police Department workers.

Motorists driving through Gar- said. About 215 storm-related probden City and other areas had their own headaches to contend lems were reported to police with. Non-functioning traffic sig- Tuesday night. About two-thirds nals at major intersections involved downed wires and storm, but no one was injured, caused confusion and created about one-third involved downed extra work for police officers.

"We set up a lot of four-way No injuries were reported dur-

ing the storm, according to Carr.

LIVONIA SOUTH END HIT HARD

Southeast Livonia was one of the hardest hit areas in the city from the storm that hit the Detroit area about 6 p.m. Tues-

Because of a power failure at 6 p.m., the big baking ovens stopped dead at Awrey's Bakeries Inc., 12301 Farmington Road, turning the bakery complex into a dark ghost town. Employees were sent home.

Everything baking in the oven was thrown out, and owner Betty Jean Awrey spent Wednesday donating the rest of the baked goods in the bakery to local charities, churches and even Edison crews out working on the power lines.

At the bakery, only two lights and the switchboard powered by Storm damage: Residents along Fredrick Street in Livoauxiliary systems were working nia survey the damage after a giant tree fell on a house. Wednesday. "Electricity was not expected to come back on until Friday," Awrey said.

The hardest hit area was between Plymouth and Joy, Wayne and Inkster.

After the storm hit, Livonia firefighters handled 40 runs that were directly related to the said Fire Chief Ron Engle

PLYMOUTH

LAWSUIT CONTINUES

Jerry Vorva told the Plymouth Canton Board of Education that he will end litigation preventing the sale of \$79.6 million dollars in bonds and, in effect, the construction of a new elementary and high school, if school officials hold a special election.

If not, it's all the way to the U.S. Supreme Court.

Meanwhile, school district officials say "no thanks." School officials plan to sell the bonds even if Vorva gets to the highest court

in the land Vorva is fighting the election, claiming 716 people were denied their fundamental right to vote when a new touch-screen voting system failed to record their

A three-judge state Appeals Court panel ruled earlier this people month in favor of the school district. Vorva has said he will either ask for a rehearing or take the case to the Michigan Supreme Court. He needs to file either appeal by July 31.

REDFORD

Redford crews spent Wednesday cleaning up from Tuesday's

dozens of downed power lines and branches in the township. There were no reported

njuries in Redford. The winds knocked down 50 to 100 power lines in the township Redford police said. No fires were reported from the downed

Sobieski said. There have been about 40 calls for fallen trees and branches said Leo Snage, director of Pubic Services.

wires, Fire Chief Leonard

WESTLAND

POWER OUT, TREES DOWN

Heavy storms pounded West land Tuesday evening, touching off fires, toppling trees and caus ing widespread power outages.

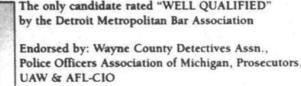
Despite some damages, police and fire officials said they hadn't heard of any serious injuries to

Firefighters battled six fires Tuesday night, reporting some of the worst damage inside anupper-story residence at Westland Park Apartments on Tami

Five other structure fires some involving garages - on streets such as Mackenzie, Hugh and Rolf were reported.

Police Chief Emery Price estimated that the storm toppled or snapped 40 trees, in some cases obstructing streets. violent storms that caused





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The first was Rep. Joe Knollenberg, R-Bloomfield Township, a third-term member who serves on the Appropriations Committee that writes spending bills. He talked in his Farmington Hills office. His 11th District covers southwestern Oakland County and Redford Township and three-fourths of Livonia in Wayne County. He had been in the insurance business.

Rep. Lynn Rivers, D-Ann Arbor, also is a third-term member who serves on the Budget, Science and Corrections committees. She spoke from her Congressional office in Washington D.C. Her 13th District contains portions of Wayne and Washtenaw counties, including onefourth of Livonia, Garden City, Plymouth and Westland, and Canton and Plymouth town-

Q. Tell us about TEA-21, the new federal highway funding act. How did Michi-



gan get so lucky, after being shafted for decades, as to get \$309 million a year more beyond the \$200 million goal set by Gov. Engler?

Knollenberg: "A lot of hard work by a lot of people. In 1997 I voted against taking transportation out of the budget and was criticized for voting against money for Michigan roads. I did that because it would have killed the balanced budget agreement we had just signed.

"There was a consortium of midwest states that hung together. We said we don't have rail or underground transit. But we have bridges, and we drive. Massachusetts had been getting \$2, \$3 or \$4 for every \$1 paid in." He gave much credit to Engler as well as representatives and senators from both parties.

Rivers: "We didn't get lucky relative to the other states. We didn't get rid of the equity for-

"While Michigan got more money, we didn't get more money in relation to the other states. It was a victory because Congress got more money, and everybody got more money.

Q. Every day on the TV news, tobacco companies have commercials saying, Write to your congressman" to oppose billions in proposed tobacco taxes. Are your constituents writing? And what is your view?

Knollenberg: "I can tell you how I feel, and my constituents say the same thing. I oppose tax increases, period, whether it's on beer or cigarettes. I've been look-

ing to reduce taxes.
"This tobacco bill was suposed to have been a done deal last year, at \$368 billion. Then the politicians got hold of it -Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.). They kicked it up from 368 to \$516 billion. That's pure tax. Here's the hypocrisy of it: These people were salivating at the money. They said it's for the children: we want to keep them from smoking. Children will smoke if you charge \$10 a pack.

You don't get any revenue unless people smoke. They want people to smoke. They're raising taxes on the lowest percentile of workers. Something should be done about curbing teen smoking. It (new revenue) is in the administration's budget, not in ours (Congress').

"When's the last time you heard Clinton say anything about drugs? ...

Rivers: "Yes. A lot of them are responding to the tobacco ads and saying, 'I can't afford the

"We don't know what the bill is going to look like in the House. I imagine we'll know more when we return in

"I don't have a problem with the tobacco companies paying for the liabilities and costs associated with their activities. If we ask the tobacco companies to change its advertising strategy, I don't have a problem with that either.

"What I have a problem with is a general tax on cigarettes and the money is spent on programs directed to the general population, such as child care

programs or an educational building. I'm not very comfortable when a smoker - who tends to be a low income person - is financing something directed to a higher income person. I have problem with tobacco revenue becoming another revenue stream for government. I don't think that's correct.

"What costs are imposed on tobacco companies will be 'passthrough' costs onto consumers, whether it is taxes, losses or civil liability. That will be paid for with price increases on tobacco products.

Q. At any time, people are floating a dozen ideas for constitutional amendments. In March 1992 Gov. Bill Clinton told us he favored a lineitem veto. Congress put it in a statute (not a constitutional amendment), and the U.S. Supreme Court struck it down.

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Dialing 734 has been optional since the 734 area code was placed in service Dec. 13. Beginning July 25, callers who do not use the 734 area code when

required will hear a recording telling them they need to dial the call again using 734.

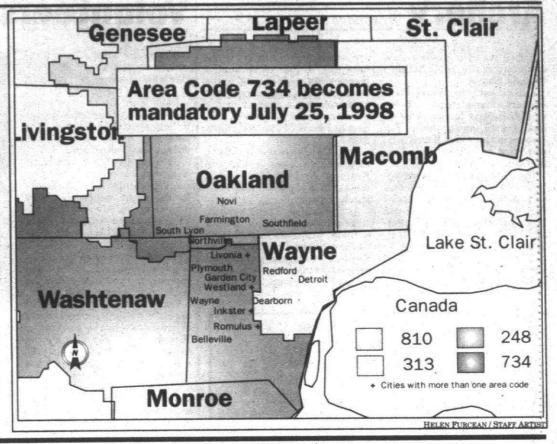
Business customers are encouraged to test their internal phone system to determine if it recognizes the new area code. Older business phone systems may not be equipped or programmed to accept the newer area codes. Until 1995, area codes always had a "l" or "0" as the middle digit. But because the supply of old codes has been depleted, new area codes have middle digits that use the numbers "2" through "9."

To test their systems, businesses can call 1 (734) 253-9717. Callers will hear a message telling them their call has been completed successfully. Failure to reach the message means

phone equipment may need to be reprogrammed, upgraded or replaced. In that event, business owners should contact their phone equipment supplier for more information.

The 734 area code was added because southeast Michigan is running out of telephone exchanges, the telephone company said. The explosion of telecommunications services, including pagers, cellular phones, fax machines and computer modems, has created the need for additional area codes across the country. More than 95 area codes have been introduced in the U.S. since 1995.

For information about the new area code, customers can call 1 (800) 831-8989.



On the court: Ben Maibach III. chairman of the board of the YMCA of Metro Detroit, is a Redford Township native and 20-year-resident of Farmington Hills. He has been a YMCA member for the past quarter century, and he still still plays racquetball weekly at the Farmington

YMCA.



Maibach eyes strong role for Metro Y

As in his professional life as president and CEO of Barton Malow, Ben Maibach III, chairman of the board of the YMCA of Metro Detroit, has a master plan for that organization, but he's keeping the particulars under wraps.

"I do have ideas, but I'm using discretion putting together a strategic plan," said Maibach during an interview in his Southfield office in the American Center Building.

Barton Malow, one of the biggest construction contractors in the country, generated \$750 million worth of business in more than 20 states last year. Its imprint locally is everywhere from the Joe Louis Arena in downtown Detroit to Royal Oak's William Beaumont Hospital.

One gets the impression that big things are also in store for the metro YMCA during Maibach's tenure as board chairman, a two-year commitment he assumed last April.

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Many people still equate the Y to swimming and athletics. It's so much more now. Our programs have expanded for youth, teens, and in the daycare area. It's really a community-driven organization.

Ben Maibach, chairman, YMCA Metro Board of Directors

" 'Strong kids, strong families, and strong communities,' That's the motto of the YMCA," said

20-year-resident of Farmington Hills.
A member of the YMCA Board of Trustees for 15 years and vari-

Maibach, a Redford native and

ous executive committees the last half dozen years, Maibach has been a YMCA member for the past quarter century.

He still plays racquetball

He still plays racquetball weekly at the Farmington YMCA, often with Kevin Bush, executive director of the branch on Farmington Road north of 12 Mile. And Maibach likes the Wellness Center there.

"When I first got on the board, I got insight on what was going on at that time. The "Y" is 145 years old nationally, and always has been fairly strong in Detroit. In the past few years, a lot of positive things have happened.

"Many people still equate the "Y" to swimming and athletics. It's so much more now. Our programs have expanded for youth, teens, and in the daycare area. It's really a community driven organization."

The Metro Detroit YMCA is

growing. This past year, two independent operations, the North Oakland (Rochester) and the Mt. Clemens branches, joined the metro group.

"Independents don't have the resources we do," said Maibach, adding that the metro consortium now includes 18 operations in three counties: Oakland, Macomb and Wayne.

The old downtown Detroit YMCA building brought the organization \$5 million in a sale to make way for the new Tiger Stadium. A new building will be erected somewhere downtown.

"We will be working with (Detroit) Mayor Dennis Archer and (Wayne) County Executive Ed McNamara once the casino issue is settled," Maibach said. The YMCA board of directors doesn't want to be neighbors with a gambling institution, he said.

"We grossed \$21.2 million last

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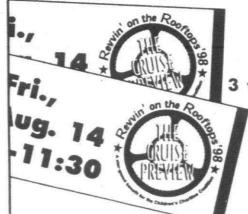
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Archery from page A1

Huish was the double-gold are an evening of archery semimedalist of the 1996 Atlanta nars Aug. 4; the NAA's annual

Kellick said the World Field Archery Championships, being held in Austria the same week, has drawn away some top archers such as Jay Barrs, who was third overall in men's division here last year.

The Canton tourney is actually three events: the second annual National Traditional Tournament on Aug. 1-2, the 114th National Target Championships Aug. 3-6 and the U.S.

Open Elimination Round Aug. 7. A welcoming reception for the archers and their families will be Aug. 3. Also planned for them

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HUD FLOODPLAIN NOTICE STATEMENT OF FINDINGS AND PUBLIC EXPLANATION

ing the tourney.

397-5110, to sign up.

Canton Township parks and

recreation department, (734)

This follows up on the "Early Public Notice" published in The Observer and Eccentric in July of 1997. The Department of Housing and Urban Development is considering the insurance of a mortgage loan for construction of a 153 unit apartment project known as Summit Creek (HUD Project No. 044-35549). The project will be located on the West side of Canton Road, approximately one-fourth mile south of Palmer in Canton Twp., Michigan. HUD has concluded that there will be no adverse impacts to the River Rouge floodplain where several small retaining walls will be constructed into the bank of the river. HUD has solicited comments from Federal, State and local agencies, as well as from the general public. No responses have been received. In accordance with the Department of Environmental Quality permits, construction will be monitored and will be completed in a way that will minimize any negative impacts. Alternatives

1. Reject the project

2. Accept the project as proposed.

Accept the project with mitigating requirements. Written comments may be submitted within (15) calendar days from the date of this Notice. They may be addressed to:

U.S. Department of HUD Attn: Environmental Clearance Officer 477 Michigan Ave. Detroit, MI 48226

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PRIMARY ELECTION ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1998

Notice is hereby given that a primary election will be held in the Charter Township of Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan, on Tuesday, August 4, 1998, from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m., for the purpose of electing candidates

Governor Representative in Congress State Senator State Representative County Executive County Commissioner Delegates to County Convention

and the following non-partisan Offices: Judges of the Court of Appeals-1st District, Regular Terms, Incumbent Positions, Terms ending 01-01-05 - Vote for not more than two.

Judges of the Circuit Court-3rd Judicial Circuit, Regular Terms, Non-Incumbent Position, Terms ending 01-01-05 - Vote for not more than

and the following County of Wayne Proposals PROPOSITION "A"

Shall Section 3.115(13) of the Wayne County Charter be amended to require a 2/3 vote of Commissioners serving to place on any ballot any proposal for a tax increase, and vote of more than 60% of the qualified electors of Wayne County voting thereon to adopt any such proposed tax increase? Yes_No_ PROPOSITION "J" JAIL MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSAL

To RENEW the millage authorized in 1988, shall Wayne County b authorized to continue to levy this millage at the 1997 rollback rate of .9532 mills (about 95 cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation) for four more years (1998 through 2001), to continue these exclusive uses:

To acquire construct, and/or operate jail, misdemeanant, or juv incarceration or detention facilities, and for adult penalty options such as work release, home detention and community restitution: with at least one tenth of the millage used to acquire, build and operate a juvenile offender This revewal is estimated to generate at least \$31,636,566, in property tax

revenue in 1998. Yes No. and the following Charter Township of Plymouth Proposals:

PROPOSAL 1

Shall the total tax rate limitation on property in the Charter Township of Plymouth be increased by an additional amount, not to exceed 3 mills (\$3.00 per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon all real and personal property in the Charter Township of Plymouth for twenty (20) years beginning in 1998 through 2017 inclusive, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$3,709,604, and the funds thereby derived be used for police, fire and communication services? Yes_ No_

PROPOSAL 2 Shall the total tax rate limitation on property in the Charter Township of Plymouth be increased by an additional amount, not to exceed .5 mill (\$.50

per \$1,000 of taxable value) upon all real and personal property in the Charter Township of Plymouth for twenty (20) years beginning in 1998 through 2017 inclusive, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$618.267, for the exclusive purpose of designing, acquiring, constructing, implementing, maintaining and/or operating recreation programs, services, equipment, facilities and/or property? Yes_ No_ . PROPOSAL 3

Shall the total tax rate limitation on property in the Charter Township of outh be increased by an additional amount, not to exceed .75 mill (\$.75 per \$1,000 of taxable value upon all real and personal property in the Charter Township of Plmouth for twenty (20) years beginning in 1998 through 2017 inclusive, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$927,401, for the exclusive purpose of payment of obligations to the western townships utilities authority (WTUA) under the construction, finance and service agreement dated September 28, 1988 among Canton, Northville and Plymouth Townships? Yes_ No_.

Applications for absentee ballots for the Charter Township of Plymouth may be obtained at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170. Phone number 453-3840, extension 224 or 228. Absentee ballots will be delivered to qualified absentee voters in person at the Clerk's Office from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 1. On Monday, August 3 qualified voters shall receive their ballots, and vote them in the Clerk's Office until 4:00 p.m. All polling places in the Township of Plymouth are accessible to the elderly

Polling places are as follows: (Please note that the Township precinct locations or precinct numbers may not coincide with your school district

precinct location or number). CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH

Precinct 2 & 8 Friendship Station Precinct 3 Township Clerk's Office Bird School Precinct 5 West Middle School United Assembly of God Church Church of the Nazarene Precinct 10 Fiegel School Precinct 11 Pioneer Middle School Precinct 13 & 16

Publish: July 23 and 30, 1996

42375 Schoolcraft 11100 Haggerty Road 42350 Ann Arbor Road 220 N. Sheldon Road 44401 Ann Arbor Trail 45801 Ann Arbor Road 45000 N. Territorial 46081 Ann Arbor Road Lutheran Church of the Risen Christ 46250 Ann Arbor Road 9300 Canton Center Ros

41400 Greenbria

MARILYN MASSENGILL, CMC

Clerk, Charter Township of Plymouth

First United Methodist Church 45201 N. Territorial Road

Volunteers from page A1

tive of all the hospitality and the volunteers last year," she said. "We want to keep our reputation membership meeting Aug. 5; the of being good hosts." team competition, tournament

Last year there was some barbecue and a concert in the escheduling of assignments due park Aug. 6 and the awards banto help shortages early on, she quet at Laurel Manor in Livonia said, but by the end, "we had enough local volunteers." For Canton-area archery enthusiasts ages 8-15, the

As a result, more emphasis has been placed this year on National Archery Day Camps recruiting full-shift volunteers are again being held daily durfor the event, which runs 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through As of Tuesday, a few openings Thursday and 8:30 a.m. to 1 remained for the 9 a.m. to noon p.m. for Friday's concluding sessessions, which are limited to 20 youngsters per day. Contact the

"But we try to be as flexible as possible," she said. "If a person can only work part of a day, we try to be accommodating."

For example, eight slots still are open for either scorekeepers or scorerunners the morning of Wednesday, Aug. 5, she said, because the young people who volunteered can only work the

Also being sought are merchandise-sellers to assist with sales of T-shirts and NAA logo merchandise during the lunch break 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. each day and "floaters," one per day, to fill in on other activities as needed.

There's also a need for scorerunners (30 volunteers per day) and score-keepers and day camp

Anyone working a full day will

al Archery Association (NAA), which runs the tournament. All volunteers get a complithis year.

mentary NAA T-shirt "Some of these positions are of Canton, both Plymouth particularly attractive to natives who are longtime friends teenagers," Salla said. For exam- and former co-workers who happle, by working the tourney, they pened to retire the same year are performing community service hours for future class credit. "It's been approved by the Close-Up coordinators at the

schools," Salla said. Also, those planning to attend college can list their participation as volunteer activity on college and scholarship applica-

Of course, they can do it just to have fun - which is what at least exercise, they volunteered for from all over the world.

one day as score runners last two senior citizens did last year and are volunteering to do again year "and wound up working the ntire week," she said.

Sharon Chain and Ruth Moyer Both made friends from around the country and volunteered to work registration on Sunday partially so they could see them again. They recommend volunteering (1996) from NBD Bank, said

at the tourney to other seniors. they looked forward to volun-"because it's not strenuous," said teering again for the tourney. Moyer. "You can have a sit-down In fact, both already work as job, you can have a walking job volunteers at the Summit on The Park, and Chain was asking there are all kinds of jobs seniors Salla, the volunteer coordinator, about it two months before the

Resides "It's fun. We felt realinvitations to last year's volunly proud that Canton hosted a Because both like to walk for national event, with people here

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unteers post

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Reps from page A8

don't know that he's even rele-

"The road would be very, very two, three violations. If they uphill because, with the budget (other states) allow that, we're balanced, there's reduced reason missing the mark. We've got to for it. As long as there's a keep the drunk driver off the Republican-led Congress, you'll road see it balanced.

"It should be a state issue. "Of all the amendments, a bal-Fifty states have a lower BAC anced budget is my favorite, level right now. They ought to knowing full well that amending enforce the laws they've got." the Constitution is very difficult. "Clinton, the lamest of lame-Rivers: "If I was in the state

Legislature, I would support it.

Clinton is responding to eth-

nic concerns - the reason

that Irish constituents in our

Knollenberg: "It's been going

"In this community we have a

huge number of ethnic groups, a

lot of diversity. They tend to be

"Clinton has tried to appeal to

think, is flawed ... He's trying to

Rivers: "I haven't felt any

Any time there is a political

hotspot, you have people paying

by \$150 billion, spending by We should leave it to the states \$125 billion and add 85 new programs. That's the here and now." and we shouldn't deprive states from doing it." from doing it." Rivers: "I voted for the Q. U.S. News & World statute to see if it would stand Report said in alarm that in

ducks, wants to increase taxes

up in court... "Actually I am exceedingly 1987 there were six congresconservative with the Constitusional ethnic caucuses: today tion ... I think our founding 15. In 1988 there were 20 ethfathers got it right, there would nic-oriented PACs (political have to be a real compelling rea- action committees); last year, son to go into this sacred docu- 51. There are stories how

Q. Michigan has passed a we're considering bringing set of laws against human three eastern European cloning. The argument was countries into NATO is that made in the Legislature that the mayor of Chicago and his the federal government constituents want it; and the should pass a national law. reason we're paying atten-Should Congress pass an tion to Northern Ireland is

cities want it. Knollenberg: "Well, we did. Do you see this happening The House-passed bill is in the to our foreign policy? And is Senate.) It was Vern Ehlers' (R- it bad or good? Grand Rapids) bill."

Rivers: "I serve on the Science on for some time. The Irish thing Committee and heard some tes- is more recent. What do you do timony from the National Ethics about the India-Pakistan thing? Committee. Given the propensity for abuse, we need government guidelines...

"I don't have a problem with a affluent, well educated, and they ban. I was concerned that a ban have links to home. As a presimay stop other research... I have dent, you have to appeal to their a staffer in a wheelchair who Americanism first. heard testimony on a ban for any tissue-related research. He was everybody. His foreign policy, flabbergasted...

"I agree we should have a ban be seen as a peacemaker." on cloning, but we should be careful with tissue research. undue pressure from any ethnic There may be opportunities out group. I'm not sure what the U.S. News article was about, but

Q. We've heard talk of a there is an interest in Northern 0.08 percent blood alcohol Ireland across the country and content test for drunken what spillover it might have. driving. Do you favor it?

Knollenberg: "I voted against attention.

Maibach from page A9 it. They're letting drunk drivers back on the road and pick up

driven organization."

year in revenues." Maibach serve our communities better. added. "We've seen good growth, We are now in a position to move and there will be more with strongly forward." expansion of programs. Things are going very well for the Y. Corp., a new YMCA building We have bridged the transition will be constructed in Rochester from multiple issues to one key this year. The city of Milford issue. It's truly a community-

The Observer & Eccentric/ THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1998

What started out as the Young Men's Christian Association was hotels for transient young men in stately downtown buildings requires a great deal of foreacross America during the 1920s and 1930s. The YMCA has metamorphosed into an active force of community life in the 1990s. emphasizing activities for men, women and children in every age group. Many programs are offered off-site. The YMCA works with many agencies, such as the Police Athletic League and community parks and recreation departments.

"We have strong behind-the scenes partnerships. Our mission is different today than it was years ago when we had the large residential facilities which would be costly to run. Today we In a joint effort with Chrysler

Corp., a new YMCA building "It's hard to switch gears and not be yourself," he said. also has plans to build a YMCA Maibach is a director of the facility soon.

Overseeing Barton-Malow construction projects in fields as primarily known for providing varied as automotive, health care, sports and education



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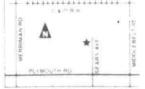
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thought and planning. Maibach trustee of New Detroit, Inc. The brings that same dedication to father of Ryan, 24, a Bartonhis service to the YMCA board.

Malow project engineer, Maibach has received awards from the Boy Scouts of America, the Engineering Society of Detroit, and an honorary doctorate of engineering from Lawrence Technological Univer-American Red Cross and a sity in Southfield.





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1996 FIRE PREVENTION CODE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 24. FIRE

OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH,

OF BUILDINGS AND PREMISES; ADDING, DELETING

AND AMENDING SPECIFIC SECTIONS OF THE 1996

B.O.C.A. NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION CODE;

PROVIDING FOR FIRE HYDRANTS AND WATER

VALVES; PROVIDING FOR PROPERTY

IDENTIFICATION; PROVIDING FOR SAVINGS

CLAUSE; PROVIDING FOR PENALTY FOR VIOLATION

HEREOF: PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND THE

Chapter 24, the Charter Township of Plymouth Fire Prevention Code is hereby

The B.O.C.A. National Fire Prevention Code of 1996 as published by the

F-101.1: Title. These regulations as set forth herein shall be known as the Fire

F-111.3: Authorities at Fires and Other Emergencies. The Fire official or duly

authorized representative, as may be in charge at the scene of a fire or other emergency involving the protection of life and/or property is empowered to

direct such operations as may be necessary to extinguish or control any

suspected or reported fires, gas leaks or other hazardous conditions or

situations or of taking any other action necessary in the reasonable performance of duty. The fire official may prohibit any person, vehicle or object

from approaching the scene and may remove or cause to be removed from the

scene any person, vehicle or object which may impede or interfere with the

emoved any person, vehicle or object from hazardous areas. All persons

ordered to leave a hazardous area shall do so immediately and shall not re-

enter the area until authorized to do so by the fire official in accordance with

F-111.4: Interference with Fire Department Operations. It shall be unlawful to

interfere with, attempt to interfere with, conspire to interfere with, obstruct or restrict the mobility of or block the path of travel of any fire department

emergency vehicle in any way or to interfere with, attempt to interfere with,

F-111.5: Compliance with Orders. A person shall not willfully fail or refuse to

comply with any lawful order or direction of the fire official or to interfere with

F-111.6: Vehicles Crossing Fire Hose. A vehicle shall not be driven or propelled

over any unprotected fire hose of the Fire Department when laid down on any

street, alley-way, private drive or any other vehicular roadway without the

F-111.7: Definitions of Authorized Emergency Vehicle. Authorized emergency

vehicles shall be restricted to those which are defined and authorized under the laws of the State of Michigan.

F-111.8: Operations of Vehicles on Approach of Authorized Emergency

Vehicles. Upon the approach of any authorized emergency vehicle giving audible and visual signal, the operator of every other vehicle shall immediately

drive the same to a position as near as possible and parallel to the right-hand

edge or curb of the street or roadway, clear of any intersection, and shall stop

and remain in such position until the authorized emergency vehicle or vehicles

shall have passed, unless otherwise directed by the fire official or a police

F-111.9: Vehicles Following Fire Apparatus. It shall be unlawfl for the operator

of any vehicle other than one on official business to follow closer than 300 feet from any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm or to drive any

vehicle within the block or immediate area where fire apparatus has stopped in

F-111.10: Unlawful Boarding or Tampering with Fire Department Emergency

Equipment. A person shall not without proper authorization from the fire

official in charge of said fire department emergency equipment, cling to, attach

injure or attempt to injure or conspire to injure fire department personnel

proceed past a red or stop light or other sign, but only after slowing

c) exceed the prima-facia speed limit so long as the action does not

e) the exemptions herein granted to an emergency vehicle shall apply

disregard regulations governing direction of movement or turning in specified directions;

only when the driver of any such vehicle while in motion sounds

audible signal by bell, siren or exhaust whistle as may be reasonably necessary and when the vehicle is equipped with at least one lighted

lamp displaying a red light visible under normal atmospheric

ditions from a distance of 500 feet of the front of such vehicle.

F-111.13: Street Obstructions, A person or persons shall not erect, construct

place or maintain any bumps, fences, gates, chains, bars, pipes, wood or metal

horses or any other type of obstruction in or on any street within the boundaries of the municipality. The word "street" as used in the Ordinance

shall mean any roadway accessible to the public for vehicular traffic, including,

but not limited to, private streets or access lanes, and all public streets and

clothing on, or a part of any fire department emergency vehicle.

down as may be necessary for safe operation;

while performing departmental duties.

driver of an emergency vehicle may:

endanger life or property;

conspire to interfere with, obstruct or hamper any fire department operation.

Prevention Enforcement Ordinance of the Charter Township of Plymouth and

EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE ORDINANCE.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

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MEDICAL LEADERSHIP

Section 1.

amended to read as follows:

24.020 of this Chapter.

Prevention Code of 1996.

the state and federal laws.

answer to a fire alarm.

Section 24.010. Code Adopted.

Section 24.020. Changes in the Code.

are hereby referred to as such or as the "Code".

the compliance attempts or another individual.

consent of the fire official in command at said operation.

Wheatley Coleman of Canton will participate in the 1998 National Youth Leadership

senior at Plymouth Canton High School this fall. She maintains a GPA of 4.03. She will join 350 outstanding high school juniors and seniors from across America and around the world to perform

selected because of her outstand-

Galveston. Coleman will be a Student Senate and Students Plymouth residents: Rebecca A. Against Driving Drunk.

DEAN'S LIST

The following students have been placed on the dean's list at Grand Valley State University. in the forum. Coleman was Canton residents: Kristie L. Hoffman, Kelley M. Larsen, Staing academic achievements and cia E. Markley, Christina M.

majoring in social relations, Baigrie, Susan L. Daoust, Alyssa Melinda Sofen of Plymouth is majoring in international rela-L. Hafemeister, Kelly A. Nelson, tions, Sarah Warbelow of Ply-Mary M. O'Rourke, Bryan K. mouth is majoring in social rela-Prector, Joshua W. Stickney, tions and Seth Watts of Ply-Kristina M. Tilly and Julie A. Warne.

The following students have

BETA GAMMA SIGMA

tional relations.

Forum on Medicine in Houston- medicine. She is active in the Kellie A. Titus, Laura E. Weir. Michaelson of Plymouth is Davenport of Plymouth, were lished chapter of Beta Gamma Sigma at the University of Michigan, Dearborn.

> CATHOLIC STUDENT AWARD Adriana Acosta of Canton, a mouth is majoring in internasophomore studying psychology,

has been awarded a Catholic Student Award from Madonna

within the Township shall be considered developed property and shall have a property identification number which shall be posted on the face or other appropriate side of the house, dwelling, business or structure in a manner and location so that the identification numbers are clearly readable to a person of STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH normal vision from the roadway. ORDINANCE NO. C-97-02 **CHAPTER 24**

F-114.2: Designation of Numbers. The address numbers assigned by The Utility Company supplying electricity and pertaining to any building in the Township shall be the building identification number. Any building not therwise having been numbered by the Utility Company supplying electricity shall be identified by the owner of said building in possession or control thereof according to a designation determined by the Fire Chief in the following manner. One full address number shall be allowed for each 10 (ten) feet of PREVENTION CODE, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES fronted edge on each side of all public roads with even numbers assigned to the right-hand side of pubic roads when the premises fronting said roads are facing ADOPTING AND INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE Westerly or Northerly and with odd numbers assigned to the left-hand side of said roads, provided rectifying lines on certain public roads which shall be THE B.O.C.A., NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION CODE corrected to each intersection may be established upon recommendation of the OF 1996, ESTABLISHING MINIMUM REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE SAFEGUARDING OF LIFE AND Township Engineer.

F-114.3: Placement of Numbers. The placement of numbers shall be PROPERTY FROM FIRE EXPLOSION HAZARDS accomplished in the following manner: ARISING FROM THE STORAGE, HANDLING AND USE

F-114.3.1. Every residential building located at a distance no greater than 90 feet from the closest public road right-of-way shall have Arabic numerals displayed at, on or near the front door, which Arabic numerals shall be adily visible to a person or normal vision from the roadway.

F-114.3.2. Every residential building located at a distance greater than 90 feet from the closest right-of-way shall have Arabic numerals displayed at, on or near the front door and shall have Arabic numerals displayed on a post or on a regulation United States Postal Service mailbox located on the same side of the public road as and directly in front of the building and directly adjacent and in no way greater than ten (10) feet from the public

F-114.3.3. Every non-residential building shall have Arabic numerals displayed in such a manner as to be readily visible to a person of normal vision from the public road immediately in front of said building.

F-114.3.4. This section shall be construed to mean that if the Arabic numerals as hereinafter provided shall be hidden by an awning, overhang or other appurtenance or if the building address is not clearly visible from the public road then the owner of said building or the person in possession or control thereof shall provide supplementary Arabic numerals in such a nanner or place as the Fire Chief shall determine necessary.

Building Officials and Code Administrators International, Inc. is adopted by reference as the Fire Prevention Code of the Charter Township of Plymouth 7-114.4: Size of Numerals. The size of the Arabic numerals on residential governing the safeguarding of life and property from fire and explosion hazards arising from the storage, handling and use of hazardous substances, materials buildings shall be at least three (3) inches and no more than five (5) inches in height and the size of the Arabic numerals on all other buildings shall be at and devices, and from conditions hazardous to life or property in the occupancy least four (4) inches and no more than (5) inches in height. The color of the of buildings and premises subject to the additions, deletions and amendments to the B.O.C.A. National Fire Prevention Code of 1996 as listed in Section Arabic numbers shall be contrast with the immediate background on which they are mounted. The Arabic numerals shall be displayed as will permit the same to be readily visible during all hours of normal daylight.

F-501.3: Fire Detection and Suppression Companies, Registration. All fire The following sections and subsections of the National Fire Prevention Code of 1996 are hereby amended or deleted as set forth and additional sections and extinguisher, suppression and detecting system installation and maintenance companies shall be registered with Plymouth Community Fire Department subsections are added as indicated. Subsequent section numbers used in this Chapter shall refer to the like numbered sections of the National Fire before doing business in or serving any residents of the Charter Township of

F-503.4.4. Automatic Heat Detector System. In addition to the requirements in F-503.4, an Automatic heat Detector System shall be installed throughout each dwelling unit, including garages. This system will be interfaced so as to provide and audible warning bell or horn for each unit within the multi-family complex, including apartments or condominiums.

F-504.6: Maintenance of Fire Suppression Equipment. A person shall not obstruct remove, tamper with or otherwise disturb any fire hydrant or fire appliance required to be installed or maintained under the provisions of the Fire Prevention Code except for the purpose of extinguishing fires, training or testing purposes, recharging, making necessary repairs or when permitted by

F-514.11: Automatic Fire Detection System. If an approved fire suppresystem is not required in any use group as defined in the B.O.C.A. Building Code as adopted, with the exception of single family dwellings, then an approved Automatic Fire Detection and Warning System will be required which operations of the Fire Department. The fire official may remove or cause to be is monitored 24 hours of every day by an approved alarm company (see F-

> F-514.11.1. Multiple Dwelling alarm systems. Alarm systems required in Multiple dwelling uses are not required to be monitored by an alarm

F-513.4: Alarm Notification. The first agency to be notified of a fire alarm or trouble signal, will be the Plymouth Township Dispatch Center. F-517.4: Blocking Fire Hydrants and Fire Department Connections.

It shall be unlawful to obscure from view, damage, deface, obstruct of restrict the access to any fire hydrant or any fire department connection for the pressurization of fire suppression systems, including fire hydrants and fire department connections that are ocated on public or private streets and access lanes or on private

If upon the expiration of the time mentioned in a notice of violation, obstructions or encroachments are not removed, the fire official shall proceed to remove the same. Cost incurred in the performance necessary work shall be paid from the municipal treasury on certificate of the fire official and within the approval of the chief administrative official and the legal authority of the municipality

shall institute appropriate action for the recovery of such costs. F-517.5: Hydrant Use Approval. A person shall not use or operate any fire hydrant intended for the use of the fire department for fire suppress purposes unless the person first secure a permit for such use from the fire official and the water company having jurisdiction. This section shall not apply to the use of such hydrants by a person employed by and authorized to make

such use by the water company having jurisdiction. F-517.6: Public Water Supply: Fire Hydrants, Regulation. The fire official shall recommend to the chief administrative official of the municipality the location or relocation of new or existing fire hydrants and the placement or replacement of inadequate water mains located upon public property and deemed necessary to provide an adequate fire flow and distribution pattern. A fire hydrant shall not be placed into or removed from service until approved by the fire official.

himself to, climb upon or into, board or swing upon any fire department F-517.7: Prohibition Against Tampering with Fire Hydrants or Fire emergency vehicle, whether the same is in motion or at rest, or sound the Extinguishers. No person shall, without authority of the Fire Chief or his designated representative, open any fire hydrant, except for the purposes of extinguishing a fire or shall wantonly maliciously, willfully or in a negligent alarm, horn, bell or other sound producing device thereon or to manipulate or tamper with or attempt to manipulate or tamper with any levers, valves, switches, starting devices, brakes, pumps or any equipment or protective manner tamper with destroy, damage, disturb, or impair any fire hydrant or fire fighting appliance or alarm, including but not limited to a supplemental F-111.11: Damage or Injury to Fire Department Equipment or Personnel. It fire protection system, a fire extinguisher, sprinkler systems or an automatic shall be unlawful for any person to damage or deface or attempt or conspire to damage or deface any fire department emergency vehicle at any time or to fire warning system

F-517.8: Interference with Water Valves Prohibited. No person other than es and agents of the Township, shall open or close or in any manner interfere with or operate any valve in the Township water system.

F-111.12: Emergency Vehicle Operation. The driver of any emergency vehicle, as defined in subsection F-111.7 of this Ordinance, shall not sound the siren F-517.9: Authorization to Operate Hydrants. No person shall open or operate any fire hydrant connected with the Plymouth Charter Township water system, thereon or have the emergency lights on or disobey any existing traffic regulations, except when said vehicle is responding to an emergency call or except in the following instances:

when responding to, but not upon returning from a fire. Tactical strategies such F-517.9.1: Such a person is an authorized employee or agent of the Section 4. Severability. as, but not restricted to, "move-ups" do not constitute an emergency call. The a) park or stand irrespective of the provisions of existing traffic

F-517.9.2: Such person is a volunteer or paid firefighter of the Township Fire Department performing the duties of a firefighter under the direction and supervision of the Chief of that Department.

F-517.9.3: Such person has first applied for and obtained a permit from ship, paying such charges as the Township Board by resolution established therefore, acting solely within the provisions of the permission set forth in said permit and complying at all times with the rules and regulations established by the Township Board or the Township

Department of Water and Sewer or both F-517.9.4: Such person has first applied for and obtained a license to atilize such fire hydrants for fire emergency purposes only from the Township, paying such charges as the Township board may by resolution establish therefore, acting within the provisions of the license granted and complying at all times with the rules and regulations established by the

Township Board or the Township Department of Water and Sewer or both. F-517.10: Fire Hydrants; Obstruction and Tools, No person shall place ithin fifteen (15) feet of any fire hydrant or otherwise obstruct any hydrant so as to interfere with its proper use. No person shall use any wrench or tool in opening any hydrant other than a regulation fire department wrench. F-517.11: Private Fire Hydrant Installation Access. Use and Maintenance. A "private fire hydrant" is defined as a fire hydrant connected to the Township water supply system but located on private property. The employees and agents

of the Township shall have the right to enter upon private property to

been placed on the dean's list at James Madison College, Michi-Jason C. Brewer and James her interest in the profession of Mokienko, Kristen D. Thomas, gan State University: Leah M. Hughes of Canton, and Karen University. determine whether a private fire hydrant exists. Further, the employees and agents of the Township shall have the right to enter upon private property for the purpose of inspecting, installing, reinstalling, maintaining, servicing, repairing, removing or operating a private fire hydrant The owner, lessee or occupier, or any of them, of private property containing a private fire hydrant shall be responsible for installing, reinstalling, maintaining, servicing, repairing, removing and operating the private fire hydrant in accordance with the rules and regulations adopted by and the payment of fees established by or the Superintendent of the Water and Sewer Department of the Township may

> Such a discontinued customer or property shall not be restored to water supply service until the Fire Chief and the Superintendent of Water and Sewer certify payment of all established fees has been made and the private fire hydrant is n conformity with the adopted rules and regulations. F-517.12: No Liability. By adoption of this Chapter or by the undertaking of any acts or foregoing of same pursuant to this Chapter, the Township makes no warranties whatsoever to any person or for the benefit of any property; and the ownship, its agents, employees and independent contractors shall not be held liable in damages or otherwise for any act or omission in any way pertaining to

> Township Water supply system having a private fire hydrant not in conformity with the adopted rules and regulations or failing to pay the established fees.

inue water service to any customer of or property served by the

fire hydrants, whether public or private. F-517.13: Penalties. An person, firm or corporation who shall violate any provisions of this Code shall be punished as provided in Chapter 1 of the Township Code. Each day that the violation of this Chapter is continued or permitted to exist without compliance shall constitute a separate offense punishable upon conviction in the same manner therefore prescribed.

F-517.14: Access to Fire Hydrants. All buildings and portions thereof in the township, occupied or used for an assembly, business, educational, high hazard, industrial, residential or storage use, relating to the ability of the Fire Department to serve the premises, with the exception of single family dwellings, shall have supplemental fire protection provided consisting of watermains not less than 8" in diameter and dedicated to the public use of the Township of Plymouth and it's water system with said water main having such number and size of hydrants gates and gate wells, and location of the same, as the Chief of the Fire Prevention Bureau shall determine reasonable and necessary in order to provide sufficient supplemental fire protection to the premises, but in no event shall such hydrants be located at a distance greater than 300 feet from the furthest point of the building by direct public road access or by direct private road access provided said private road is improved according to the minimum requirement of the Wayne County Road Commission and said fire hydrants shall be situated immediately adjacent to and in no event a distance greater than 15 feet from said roadway. (see F-517.14.1 for

F-517.14.1: Exceptions. When the Fire Chief determines that the size, construction, location, occupancy, use, or Fire Protection of a building otherwise subject to the provisions of Section F-517.14, may lessen the hazard to life and property from fire or explosion, the Fire Chief shall have the authority to vary the distance requirements set forth in Section F-517.14 as he shall deem reasonable and necessary. However, in no event shall the 300 foot minimum be extended beyond 500 feet.

F-518.5: Fire Suppression Water Connections. Fire suppression water nections shall be located within 125 linear feet by direct road access of a fire ydrant which is supplied by a public water main.

F-519.6: Sale of Defective Fire Extinguishers. A person shall not sell, trade, loan or give away any form, type of kind of fire extinguisher which is not y the fire official, which is not in proper working order or the contents of which do not meet the requirements of the fire official, the requirements of this section shall not apply to the sale, trade or exchange of obsolete or damaged equipment for junk when said units are permanently disfigured or marked with a permanent sign identifying the unit as junk. F519.7: Fire Extinguisher Required, Exceptions. All use groups except single family dwellings and dwelling units in multiple dwelling structures, required to have and maintain a minimum of 1 (one) fire extinguisher of an

approved size and type. F-3102.2: Definitions. "Fireworks" shall mean and include any combustible of explosive composition as defined by the Michigan State Fire Marshall

F3206.10: Self-Service Fueling Stations, Dry Chemical Fire Extinguishers, Installation and Training. Self-service Fueling Stations dispensing Class I flammable liquids, will be required to install and maintain a UL or other nationally approved testing laboratory, fixed pipe dry chemical fire extinguisher system with a combined manual and automatic control system. Said system shall be installed in an approved manner over all of the self service dispensing areas. The manual controls shall be intalled at the ndants console and be clearly marked as to its function. Weather conditions shall be considered to prevent clogging or the operations of the extinguishing system. All employees shall be adequately trained in the operation of the extinguisher systems and the proper use of portable fire extinguishers.

F-3206.11: Future Use. Any person within the Charter Township of Plymouth currently using self-service dispensing of flammable liquids or who intends to ise self-service dispensing of flammable liquids in the future shall comply with the provisions of this section.

F-3206.12: Prohibition Against Combustible Liquid Processing or Industrial Facilities. No new bulk processing or industrial plants and distilleries or dings tanks or equipment used for the storage processing distillation. refining or blending of flammable or combustible liquids shall be located within the limits of the Township

F-3207.6: Restricted Locations. The storage of Class 1 liquids in above ground tanks outside of buildings is prohibited within the limits of the Township F-3207.6.1: Skid tanks for construction purposes may be permitted when

application is made in writing and approved by the Fire Chief. F-3207.6.2: A UL-approved farm storage tank of 275 gallons or less capacity may be permitted when applications made in writing and approved by the Fire Chief is within the limits of the zoning use district designated "AG" by

the zoning ordinance of the Township, provided that both: F-3207.6.2.1: Proper diking and containment is provided and approved by the Fire Chief or his designate; and

F-3207.6.2.2: When installation complies with the Michigan Fire Marshall's requirements, NFPA 30, and all other applicable State of Michigan Departments' requirements. 2-3207.7 Fuel Tank Identification. All approved above ground fuel tanks will

be clearly labeled in printed words, to indicate the contents. Section 2. Violation and Penalty. Any person, corporation, partnership or other legal entity who violates the

provisions of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined not more than Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars or imprisoned not more than ninety (90) days, or both, at the discretion of the Court. Each day that the riolation continues after due notice has been served in accordance with the terms and provisions hereof shall be deemed a separate offense. Section 3. Savings Clause.

occurring before the effective date of this Ordinance are not affected or abated by this Ordinance.

If any section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such portion shall be deemed a separate, distinct and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining

incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law

The rights and duties which have matured, penalties which have been

Section 5. Repeal of Inconsistent Ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby sealed only to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take full force and effect upon publication thereof

CERTIFICATION This Ordinance was duly adopted by the Township Board of Trustees of the

Charter Township of Plymouth at a special meeting called and held on the Jul 14, 1998, and was ordered to be given publication in the manner required by MARILYN MASSENGILL, Clerk

Introduced: June 23, 1998 Adopted: July 14, 1998 Effective: July 23, 1998

Publish: July 23, 1998

Scholarship winner

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton

was held on Tuesday, July 14, 1998 at 1150 South Canton Center Road. Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of

Members Present: Bennett, Burdziak, Kirchgatter, McLaughlin, Shefferly,

Item C-5, CONSIDER AMENDMENT TO WAYNE COUNTY'S MASTER PLAN

FOR RIGHT-OF-WAY, was moved on the agenda to Item G-1a. AWARD BID FOR SPECIAL EDITIONS OF THE FOCUS NEWSLETTER, was deleted from

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the agenda as amended.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the Minutes of the

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by Burdziak, to pay the bills as presented.

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Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to adopt the resolution

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution

PUBLIC HEARING: CLASS C LIQUOR LICENSE REQUEST OF

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to close the public hearing at

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, that the request from Whirly Ball-

Canton Township L.L.C. for a new full year Class C liquor license with

Entertainment Permit to be located on the northeast corner of Warren and Haggerty Roads, Canton Township, Wayne County, Michigan 48187, be

considered for APPROVAL "ABOVE ALL OTHERS"; it is the consensus of this

egislative body that the application be Recommended for issuance Motion

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget amendment in the Capital Projects Road Paving Fund to increase the Hanford

This budget amendment increases the Capital Projects Road Paving Fund

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to set the public hearing for July

28, 1998 to consider the industrial facilities exemption application of Faro

Screen Process, Inc. for their new facility located at 41805 Koppernick Road.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to recommend approval of the

property splits and Hanford Grove Subdivision, as requested by the project

sponsor, Mr. Peter Toarmina, and as indicted on the certified survey dated 6-2-

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the following budget

amendment in the Police Fund for a grant from Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority for the purchase of a video arraignment system with

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution

approving and recommending the revision of the Master Plan for the Right-of-

Way for the Wayne County, Department of Public Services, which is the successor entity to the BOARD OF COUNTY ROAD COMMISSIONERS OF

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, that the Board of Trustees adopt a

"sense of the Board" resolution which would indicate that no public funds will

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to DENY

the request to conduct the special use for the proposed automobile filling

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution granting

special use for an indoor recreation facility for the proposed Canton Dance and

construction and installation of six Community Park signs to the low bidder

following budget amendment in the Community Improvement Fund to provide

#246-000-665-0000 \$10,939

be provided to the proposed Ford Road/1-275 mixed use project. Motion carried

Contributions-Private Sources #207-000-675-0000 \$8,589

\$403-506-969-0000 \$12,000

#207-301-977-0000 \$8,589

ribution Private Sources #403-000-675-0000 \$12,000

Regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of June 23, 1998. Motion carried.

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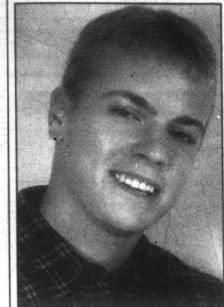
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BOARD PROCEEDINGS



Allegiance to the Flag.

Members Absent: LaJoy

PAYMENT OF BILLS

Community Center Fund

E-911 Emergency Funds

Special Investigative Fund Federal Grants Funds

CAP Proj-Bid Construction

CAP Proj-Rd. Paving Fund

Downtown Development Authority

Building Authority Construction

Water & Sewer Fund Tonquish Creek Storm Drain

Recreation Checking Account

-Total All Funds

recognizing Bas. Motion carried.

25 P.M. Motion carried.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Increase Revenues:

98 Motion carried

the 35th District Court:

Increase Appropriations:

Capital Outlay-Equipment

\$8,267,080 Motion carried

GENERAL CALENDAR

Abstain Kirchgatter

station Motion carried

Increase Revenues:

Gymnastics Studio Motion carried

Village Shopping District Motion carried

additional budget funds for this bid award

Absent LaJoy

THE COUNTY OF WAYNE Motion carried

Ayes: Bennett, Burdziak, McLaughlin, Shefferly, Yack

Increase Revenue:

Increase Appropriations

ecognizing Thomas Sullivan Motion carried.

WHIRLY BALL CANTON TOWNSHIP L.L.C.

Road paying project budget by \$12,000 for

Supervisor Yack declared the public hearing open at 7:20 P.M.

Construction for the paving of a portion of Canton Center Road:

budget from \$1,556,333 to \$1,568,333. Motion Carried.

Motion carried

Expenditure

Police Fund

General Fund

Golf Course Fund

Cable TV Fund

Street Lighting Fund

State Projects Fund

Retiree Benefits

RECOGNITION

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF JUNE 23, 1998

ROLL CALL

the agenda

Attending WMU: Jesse A. Williams of Canton, a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, has been awarded a Professor Emily P. and Richard A. Hoffman Endowed Medallion Scholarship to study electrical engineering at Western Michigan University.

Bond suit from page A1

School Superintendent Chuck ing the bonds can, and will, be Little wasn't impressed with sold. Vorva's offer.

"We intend to stick with the bonds at that point.

Supreme Court, if need be. "How many U.S. Supreme the bonds." Court decisions have been made where a person has lost all the way until the final decision?" thing" by overturning the lower

eral courts. In fact, he believes because the judges are appoint-

Increase Appropriations:

for \$6,584,415 to \$6,595,354.

Motion carried.

the agenda.

carried.

Capital Improvements - Parks

to exceed \$9,524.40. Motion carried.

"I don't think this is a U.S. "The people who voted for the Supreme Court case," said Litbond issue would say What are tle. "If the Michigan Supreme you doing? It was a perfectly Court refuses to hear the case, win, it would affect how elec- and Canton, believes he's saving legitimate election that's been or hears it and we win, then I upheld five times," said Little. think we'll be able to sell the a landmark case for the nation "

"He may be able to pursue a Vorva now says he will take sliver of this case as far as he his case all the way to the U.S. wants, but I think we'll be able to get attorney clearance to sell Vorva said "I think the state

Supreme Court will do the right said Vorva. "And then, when court rulings. However, he also you win, the decision is final noted that "anytime you have because there are no appeals judges who are elected you can have skew decisions because Little isn't worried about the they become political. We'd have bond issue making it to the fed- a better chance in federal court

with a favorable state court rul- ed; they don't have to worry School board president Mike about being re-elected.

"Nobody wants to take on the (Michigan Education Associa- a real estate agent who says he

Maloney said the district has lost about \$10 million because of education industry and the MEA the delay in the projects. Vorva, tion)," said Vorva. "And if we knows the make-up of Plymouth tions are held in more than 500 the community nearly \$80 mil Michigan school districts, and be lion.

> CANTON TOWNSHIP ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon two weeks notice to the Charter Township of Canton. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Charter Township of Canton by writing or calling the following.

David Medley ADA Coordinator Charter Township of Canton 1150 S. Canton Center Road Canton, MI 48188 (734) 397-5435

PUBLIC NOTICE

NATIONAL SELF STORAGE Pursuant to state law, a sale will be held at National Self Storage, 6729 N. Canton Center Road. Canton MI on 08/13/98 at 1:38 p.m. The following goods will be sold: pace Number: D 119, Ken Wireman, Canton, MI 48187

Space Number: H 282, Leonard & Barb Dodd, Irvine CA 92618 Bicycle, Boxes, Bed, Drill Press Space Number: D 132, Will Brooks, Canton. MI 4818

Fan, News Papers, Bed, Mattres Space Number: K 380, Gerald Novothy, Romuius, MI 48174 Bicycle, Boxes, Golf Clubs, Tool Box Space Number: C 69, Theodore Bonkowski, Clearbrook, MN 55008 File Cabinet, Chest of Drawers, Dresser, Boxes, Other Misc. Items, Wood Trisn



between Canton Township and Wayne county or the GIS Round 1 Project Canton Township Utility Coverage Project grant through the Rouge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Project. Further, to approve the following budget amendment in the General Fund for the GIS Round 1 Project 0 Canton Township Utility Coverage Project grant: Increase Revenues:

#246-750-970-0000 \$10,939

This budget amendment increases the Community Improvement Fund budget

G-6, Award Bid for Special Editions of the Focus Newsletter, was deleted from

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to approve the bid from N. W.

Morss Roofing Inc., to replace Public Safety Building roof for \$24,960.00 and a

10 percent contingency of \$2,496; total amount approved \$27,456.00. Motion

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve the purchase and

installation of shelving units, etc., for the new fire headquarters from Merritt Handling Engineering, Inc., 22635 Venture Dr., Novi, MI 48375 at a cost not

Motion by Bennett, supported by Burdziak, to approve submission of the Local Law Enforcement Block Grant Program funding application which

includes \$32,700 of requested Federal funds and a \$3,634 local match. Motion

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to approve the request to upgrade

level of \$64,600 pursuant to the Merit Commission recommendation of June

22, 1998 and Rule 4,244 of the Personnel Policy Manual. Motion carried.

the position of Building Official from grade 17A to grade 19A at the midpoint

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to authorize the Township

Supervisor and Clerk to execute the attached Inter-Agency Agreement

Federal Grants GIS Utility Coverage Project 101-000-532-1200 \$39,000 Appropriation from Fund Balance 101-000-699-0000 \$49.875 Total Revenues

Increase Appropriations 101-860-818-1200 \$88,875 GIS Utility Coverage Project Motion Carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to approve of bid for tree planting for Heritage Park.

Drive, Cherry Hill and Canton Center park area, and Warren and Sheldon Road wetland mitigation area for an amount not to exceed \$72,053.00, plus a \$2,947.00 contingency for a total not to exceed \$75,000.00. Further to approve an expenditure and budget adjustment as follows:

Increase: 101-853-824-1000 Tree Planting - Public Property \$75,000.00 Decrease: 101-0000-628-1000 Transfer - Tree Fund \$75,000.00 Motion carried Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to introduce the First Reading

of the Cable Television Franchise Ordinance No. 93(A) Motion carried. Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter, to table the First Reading of the Cable Television Franchise Ordinance No. 93(A) for publication in the Canton Observer of July 23, 1998. Motion carried.

Summary of Ordinance No. 93A Cable Television Franchise Ordinance

AN ORDINANCE ENACTED PURSUANT TO ACT NO. 368 OF THE PUBLIC ACTS OF 1925, AND PURSUANT TO TITLE 47 OF THE UNITED STATES CODE, CHAPTER 5, SUB-CHAPTER V. PART III, SECTIONS 541-549, AS AMENDED, FOR THE PURPOSE OF REPEALING THE ORIGINAL OMNICOM CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE, PROVIDING FOR THE GRANT OF A CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE TO AMERITECH NEW MEDIA ENTERPRISES, INC. DATED JUNE 27, 1995 FOR A PERIOD OF FIFTEEN YEARS, PROVIDING FOR A GRANT OF A CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE DATED NOVEMBER 14, 1995 FOR A FIFTEEN-YEAR PERIOD TO OMNICOM OF MICHIGAN, INC. AND A CONCURRENT TRANSFER OF THE FRANCHISE TO CONTINENTAL CABLEVISION OF DUTHEAST MICHIGAN, INC. NOW MEDIAONE OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN, INC.), PROVIDING FOR THE INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE OF THE CABLE FRANCHISE AGREEMENTS AND APPENDICES, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY: PROVIDING FOR REPEAL OF INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS, PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION, PROVIDING FOR PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE HEREOF.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS:

Section 1 Title This Ordinance shall be known and may be cited as the Canton Township Cable Television Franchise Ordinance Section 2 Purpose

This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to Act No 368 of the Public Acts of 1925, as amended, and Title 47 of the United States Code, Chapter 5, Sub-Chapter V. Part III, Sections 541 through 549 Repeal and Additions Section 3 Section 116 035 This section repeals the original Omnicom franchise

Section 116 045 This section provides for the Omnicom of Michigan, Inc. 15-year franchise dated November 14, 1995 and its transfer t Continental Cable of Southeast Michigan. Inc I now MediaOne Section 4 Penalty

This Section provides for penalties for violation on this Ordinance Section 5 Repeal

This Section provides for the repeal of all conflicting Ordinances This budget amendment increases the Police fund budget from \$8,258,491 to Section 6 Severability This section provides that the Ordinance is severable, and if any portion of

his Ordinance is declared invalid for any reason, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall remain valid Section 7 Savings Clause

his Section provides that the adoption of the Ordinance does not abrogate or affect any offense or act committed or done, or any right established or occurring prior to the effective date of this Ordinance Section 8 Effective Date

This Section provides that the Ordinance shall take full force and effect upon a second publication in the Canton Observer Introduced July 14, 1998

Publish/Effective August 6 1998

*Note This is a summary of an ordinance introduced at the July 14 1998 Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton A complete copy of the ordinance is available for public inspection in the Clerk's office during regular business hours OTHER

The study session scheduled for July 21, 1998 has been canceled ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to adopt the resolution to rezone certain property identified by tax EDP#134-99-0012-000 from O-I to C-1, Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin, to award the bid for the

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly, to adjourn the meeting at 10 30 P.M. Motion carried The above is a synopsis of actions taken at the Regular Board meeting held on July 14, 1998. The full text of the approved minutes Planet Neon Sign Systems in the amount of \$70.938 36. Further, to approve the will be available following the next regular meeting of the Board on July 28.

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TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS of the Charter Township of Canton. notice is hereby given that a general Primary Election will be held in the Charter Township of Canton on Tuesday, August 4, 1998 from 7:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. for the purpose of nominating candidates of the Democratic, Republican, Reform Parties and non-partisan candidates for the following

ELECTION NOTICE

Representative in Congress - 13th District State Representative - 18th or 21st District State Senator - 8th District, 9th District County Executive

County Commission - 11th District Delegates to County Convention 2 Judges of Court of Appeals - Regular Terms, Incumbent Positions 2 Judges of the Circuit Court - Regular Terms, Non Incumbent Positions and to vote on the following proposals

PROPOSITION A

Shall Section 3.115(13) of the Wayne County Charter be amended to require a 2/3 vote of Commissioners serving to place on any ballot any proposal for a tax increase, and a vote of more than 60% of the qualified electors of Wayne County voting thereon to adopt any such proposed tax increase

PROPOSITION J - Jail Millage Renewal Proposal

To RENEW the millage authorized in 1988, shall Wayne County be authorized to continue to levy this millage at the 1997 rollback rate nilis (about 95 cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation) for four more years, (1998 through 2001), to continue these exclusive uses: o acquire, construct, and/or operate jail, misdemeanant, or juvenile ncarceration or detention facilities, and for adult penalty options such as

tenth of the millage used to acquire, build and operate a juvenile offender work/training institution? This renewal is estimated to generate at least \$31,636,566 in property tax revenue in 1998.

work release, home detention and community restitution, with at least one-

YES NO CANTON TOWNSHIP PROPOSAL - Dedicated Road Improvement Millage

Shall the total tax rate limitation on property in the Charter Township of Canton be increased by an additional amount, not to exceed 2 mills (\$2.00 er \$1,000 of Taxable Value) upon all real and personal property in th harter Township of Canton for eight | 8 | years beginning in 1998 through 2005 inclusive, thereby raising in the first year an estimated \$3,600,000 0 τ the exclusive purpose of construction, reconstruction, resurfacing, epairing, maintaining, and/or purchasing road right-of-way, easements, and and to improve roads within the Charter Township of Canton YES

CANTON TOWNSHIP PRECINCT NUMBERS AND LOCATIONS Name of Facility

44500 Cherry Hill Rd

First Baptist Church Canton Recreation Center 44237 Michigan Avenue 44800 Warren Road St John Neumann Church Miller Elementary School 43721 Hanford Road Field Elementary School 1000 S. Haggerty Road Royal Holiday Clubhouse Plymouth Salem High School 46181 Joy Road Resurrection Catholic Church 48755 Warren Road Eriksson Elementary School 1275 N Haggerty Road 46501 Warren Road Tonda Elementary School Hulsing Elementary School 8055 Fleet Street 12 & 14 39932 Michigan Avenue Walker Elementary School 1100 S Sheldo Bentley Elementary School Canton Administration Bldg Hoben Elementary School

1150 S. Canton Center 44680 Saltz Road Plymouth Canton High School 8415 N Canton Center the Office of the Township Clerk, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, will be open om 9 00 am until 2 00 pm on Saturday. August 1, 1996 for absentee allots. Qualified voters must appear in person to receive a ballot, or a

allot can be mailed on that date on Monday, August 3, 1998 qualified absentee voters shall receive their sallots and vote them in the Clerk's Office until 4 00 p.m. Emergency absentee ballots ONLY will be issued on Election Day August 4th

Handicapped Voters with an inaccessible polling place (that being Precinct Royal Holiday Clubhouse, 39500 W Warren Rd | are eligible to vote without notice at the Clerk's Office until the close of voting at 8 00 p.m. on

f you are unsure of your voting location please refer to your voter registration card or contact the Clerk's office at 397-5452

TERRY G BENNETT, Clerk

F-114.1: Property Identification Required. All property upon which houses, dwelling, buildings businesses and other such structures are constructed

highways within the boundaries of the municipality.

THURSDAY, JULY 23, 1998

County executive

McNamara, Scott our choices

Jail millage should be renewed

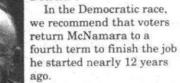
bserver area voters will decide on Aug. 4 munities. Wayne County has agreed to act as a central repository for ordinance violators

good start

n Aug. 4 voters will nominate candiraces for Wayne County executive. Given the current political demographics in Wayne County, the Democratic primary is tantamount to election.

The Democratic race features incumbent Edward H. McNamara, former mayor of Livonia, and challenger Sharon McPhail, an attorney and unsuccessful candidate for Detroit mayor in 1993. Also on the Democratic

ballot is Wallace Servlo of



The McNamara Administration has been the engine for economic growth and fiscal responsibility in Wayne Edward McNamara County. It has improved the

parks system (western Wayne County taxpayers need only to travel along Hines Drive to see the results), been an advocate for a cleaner environment (Rouge River cleanup and Newburgh Lake restoration) and a champion of public transportation.

McNamara offers voters a proven track record of getting the job done. Unemployment is at a record low, and crime is down. He has put the county on a solid financial track. He has surrounded himself with, and delegated responsibility to, a diverse, dedicated, hardworking group of people.

He has, however, some unfinished business with airport expansion and renovations and

ty jail operations, juvenile detention facilities

and youth assistance programs for four years.

The millage renewal is a key to continuing

the fight against crime in Wayne County and

The mill costs the owner of a \$100,000

home with a \$50,000 taxable value \$48 annu-

Over the last year, the millage received a

ern Wayne, a legislative consortium of elected

officials from 18 communities, including Can-

ton, Garden City, Livonia, Redford, Plymouth,

In February 1996, police chiefs from Gar-

den City and Westland complained misde-

meanor prisoners were often released early

from the Wayne County jail facilities. They

return in prisoner housing on the millions

not receiving what they believed was a proper

sent down by communities each year through

In fact, it was costing communities more

money to send misdemeanor prisoners out-

county, because the county had no room for

them and because county jail facilities were

year millage unless the county would help

Last year, many communities also com-

been built. Since then, the facility has been

finished and is scheduled to open in the fall.

County officials also have compromised

somewhat with the chiefs and the CWW com- on proposal J.

Stefanie

Grosnickle

plained because a new juvenile facility had not

them cut their prisoner housing costs.

The chiefs went so far as to oppose the 10-

housing a larger numbers of felons.

Plymouth Township and Westland.

reported to the CWW that con

the millage.

lot of attention from the Conference of West-

merits voter support.

deserves to be returned to office to finish what dates in the Democratic and Republican | he started. What happens in the next four years will be his political legacy, and we're confident that he won't disappoint.

McPhail, McNamara's most viable oppo nent, is critical of his management or lack thereof at the airport, jail and morgue. Her criticisms may have a certain ring of wellresearched fact. However, it's not hard to find fault with someone who has been in office for 12 years. Although well-spoken and intelligent, McPhail falls far short of making the



ary executive. She has neither the broad-based support nor the political experience to get the job done in Wayne County. McNamara has the expe-

case for herself as a vision-

ience, vitality and vision lead Wayne County. In the Republican race. e Observer recommends

Herb Scott of Canton Township. Scott, vice president of Major Pharmaceuticals of Livonia, serves as treasurer for the GOP in the 13th Congres-

sional District Scott knows the issues and offers Republican voters a credible, intelligent candidate for

County government is no longer a stuffy courthouse downtown but a vibrant player in the economy (Metro Airport) and the environment (Hines Park/Rouge River/Newburgh

Be a player; don't get left on the sidelines.

and misdemeanor prisoners and seek a lower

gram where first-time, non-violent offenders

While the communities are not getting all

their jail needs fulfilled, the compromise is a

In weighing the millage question, voters

should consider this: The criminals are being

locked up. In 1996, the Dickerson Detention

inmates from Wayne County suburban com-

munities and townships, including 1,115 sen-

tenced felons, 3,782 sentenced misdemeanants

County officials say they have more than

Although we recommend that voters

approve the millage, county officials also need

The four-year time period is enough time to

to follow up on promises made to the CWW.

review prisoner tether programs and decide

where prisoners should be housed. County

county jail administrators on how to best

house prisoners and whether non-violent

or not prisoners can be rehabilitated.

offenders should be tethered, weighing cost

nomically viable communities. The 1-mill

efficiency, public safety concerns and whether

Public safety is key to healthy, strong, eco-

renewal will continue to build on the successes

in battling crime in Wayne County. Vote yes

officials and local police chiefs need to contin-

ue discussions with state lawmakers and out-

delivered on the millage, delivering 2,724 beds

Facility in Hamtramck detained 6.033

and 1.098 ordinance violators.

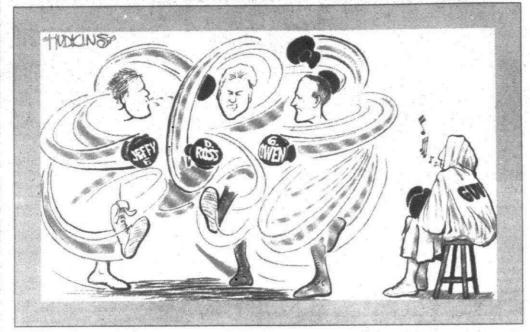
in cells for prisoners after pro-

The county also will examine a tether pro-

outcounty prisoner housing rate.

can serve a 60- or 90-day sentence.

Arkie Hudkins



LETTERS

Road tax is wrong move

Twenty years ago, Canton Township voters defeated a proposal for a 4-mill tax levy to create a farmland preservation fund which would have purchased development rights in the remaining farm lands of the township. At that time, residential values were about 33-40 percent of their present value and farm land predominated in the township.

The idea of the proposal was to slow the rapid residential growth in the township. At that time, as it is now, Canton was at or near the top of the list for new building permits every year. By slowing growth, the township would relieve the rapidly increasing demand for government services such as roads, water, sewer, schools and police and fire protection.

Unfortunately, from my point of view both then and now, that proposal was defeated. The residents of Canton are now being asked to pass a 2-mill tax for road improvements. Because of the increase in value of homes in the township, this tax will cost more per year than the farm land preservation millage.

Over the last several years, Canton officials have approved the expenditure of millions of dollars from the general fund to pave new roads in the township. A large number of those paving projects facilitated and hastened the development of residential subdivisions on the former farm land. As a result of that new development, with each new home having at least two vehicles, several trips a day are made by the new residents over Ford, Sheldon, Warren, Cherry Hill, Lilley and the other core roads east of Canton Center Road. Meanwhile, maintenance of those core roads has been ignored, or only occurred after months or years of protest and pleading. Then only the extremely bad areas were repaired and the and continued to deterioration.

As a 25-year resident of Canton Township I intend to vote "NO" on the road millage proposal and urge other voters to do the same.

While the existing roads in Canton, without question, require improvement, I would suggest that other means of funding be obtained. First of all, if any new roads have been budgeted for paving, cancel them and apply the money to road maintenance. If new roads are necessary for development, use special assessment districts or even require the developer to foot the bill. Enact a surcharge for all new residential building permits and place these revenues in a dedicated road maintenance or improvement fund, restricting the expenditure chance for rebuttal. Responses to already pubto existing paved roadways.

Unfortunately we cannot turn back the clock 20 years and Canton Township will be built solid in the not-too-distant future. There is nothing I, or any other voter, can do about that. After the township has spent millions of

tax dollars to promote growth and ignored the long-term effects of that expenditure and growth on the older existing areas of the township, I can vote "NO" on the road millage proposal and ask that some of those tax dollars be spent in other areas of the township. I believe it is time to use existing resources for the needs of the existing road system. Stop paving new roads, stop discussing ice rinks, performing arts centers, etc. and start putting our money into areas long ignored

Columnist off the mark

Columnist Tim Richard purports to care for Michigan's children, yet he feverishly

opposes any attempt to allow parents more

options for improving their children's educa-

neously claims that the Mackinac Center "is

Tim needs to rent a clue. The Mackinac

Center has proposed a tuition tax credit, not a

voucher. There is no transfer of public funds

to private schools, as Tim maintains; parents

and businesses simply get a credit against

their own tax liabilities when they pay a

child's school tuition with their own money

Rather than belittling parental involve-

check his ideological agenda at the door and

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ment in their children's education, Tim should

tion. Tim rejects all forms of school choice,

from charter schools to vouchers. He erro-

pushing vouchers, hard."

improve education.

letters will be published.

lished issues will be accepted.

satisfied with his work. I urge a "NO" vote on the 2-mill road tax. Larry K. Bowerman Canton

Clawson

'Yes' to roads

t is sometimes difficult to determine if a proposed tax increase should be supported. In such a case, I ask myself the following questions:

Defends deck builder

am writing to you about the article l

read last Sunday (July 12) defaming

Roy Mason as a business man and as

ment to see such a large portion of a

one person with a vengeance is doing

his best to try and make Mr. Mason's

Mr. Mason built a deck for me in

the past, and I would hire him again.

I am a single woman, which puts me

in a position to be vulnerable to the

kind of con man you tried to portray

him as being. I was not taken advan-

tage of, lied to or misled in ANY way.

He was professional, knowledgeable

and built me a beautiful deck. I found

his prices to be much more reasonable

If there was any glitch in our busi-

ness together, it was only that he was

delayed in the actual starting of the

job. He kept me informed, and I have

never known a contractor that doesn't

fall behind. When I accepted his pro-

posal and signed the contract, I gave

him a deposit of 30 percent. My con-

approved and the work was started,

of his delay, Mr. Mason insisted on

until the framing was completed. I

didn't find this necessary, but noble.

also thought it was very kind of him

to make two flower boxes for the deck.

The end result was my complete satis-

I felt that it was my obligation to

Susan M. Zarate

formerly of Plymouth

the next 40 percent was due. Because

waiting to collect the next installment

tract stated that once the permit was

than any other estimate I received.

a human being. What a disappoint-

front page taken up with such

garbage. I read a lot of shoulds.

woulds, coulds, mights and open-

ended sentencing. I did not feel

life a living hell.

possible delays due to road condition and congestion. We know that Canton will continue to grow and the traffic volume and aging roads will continue to be our number one concern. It's time to address these issues. We believe that by supporting this 2-mill road improvement proposal that will benefit all Canton residents, we will

LETTERS

and deterioration that certainly cre-

informed whatsoever. I got-the feeling supported; Township officials have gone to great lengths to prepare a detailed eight-year plan of road improvements It is a rarity that we have such specific knowledge on how our hard-earned tax dollars will be spent. Also, the generated revenue will only be used for road improvements in Canton

Do I know, in detail, what the

revenue generated will be used for?

egitimate attempt to maximize cur-

rent funding?

munity?

■ Have the elected officials made a

■ Elected officials at the township, county and state level have attempted to increase funding from Wayne County and the state. Unfortunately this increase in funding is still woeful ly short of what we need to fix our roads. Township officials even explored the possibility of taking over our road maintenance from the county, although it was determined that this would be cost-prohibitive.

■ The benefits of this road millage for my family and community are easy to envision; wider, smoother roads that will lower commute times and automobile repair bills. Most of all, these improvements will make our roads safer to travel for everyone.

I urge all township residents to take an active roll in improving our roads by Voting "yes" for roads on

write in on Mr. Mason's behalf. I truly Road tax makes sense believe that I cannot be the only one

Several weeks ago, a group of con-cerned citizens came together to form a committee, Canton Citizens for Better Roads. We came together because we all share a common concern for the current condition of our roads and about the future of Canton. We need to address this issue now!

In the Canton community, we suffer from congestion, horrible pot holes

ates unnecessary costs in car repairs safety issues, and EMS units having

How will the end result of the tax ncrease benefit my family and com-The answers to these questions have left no doubt in my mind that the upcoming road millage should be

significantly improve the quality of life in Canton. What can residents expect from

this 2-mill proposal? Widening of roads, computerized traffic lights, paving of many roads, reconfiguration of many intersections, improved right of ways, annual maintenance activities such as street sweeping, roadside clean-up, additional pot hole repair, replacement of non-regulatory signs and aesthetic mowing. This proposal will enable Canton to continue to be one of the best communities in west ern Wayne with a good quality of life and safe roads.

What can the citizens of Canton

expect if this proposal does not pass? Much of the same ... congestion, continued road deterioration, safety issues and a poor quality of life for all of us. This proposal will give us a choice to decide which direction Canton will go. Whether we will be proactive and vote to make a positive difference or whether we will be silent. This millage proposal would add 2 mills a year for eight years for each property owner. The reality is that no one wants to pay more taxes. However, if we fail to pass this millage, we will still pay. We will pay for increased car Canton repairs, frustrations due to traffic delays, increased risks for auto accidents due to poor road conditions, safety issues and delays in emergency vehicles. The people of Canton should consider all the benefits that each one of us will receive if we make a positive choice on this millage proposal. I hope you will join this committee and your neighbors and vote yes for Canton, yes for safety and yes for the future of

Canton on Aug. 4.

Deborah Nesbit Canton

Fatyma is dedicated

ecently, there have been many letters in your paper regarding the upcoming election including mention of those running for State Representative for the Can-

I have received no information and cannot comment on the man running for State Representative, however, I do know Patricia Fatyma, the other Republican running for state Representative. I know Patricia Fatyma from all of the hard work and dedication she has shown as the Market Day representative for Bentley Elementary School. She has helped the Bentley Elementary PTO raise thousands of dollars over the past two years. She has always worked hard and gone above and beyond to give the best customer service possible, a trait that is very difficult to find these days

Her availability and the dedication she has shown our school's Market Day representative has, I'm sure, impressed all of the parents at Bentley with whom she has come into contact. I know that she would take that dedication and all of her organizational skills with her to Lansing, if the voters will give her the chance.

Supports Patterson

am not a member of the Canton Republican Club. I am not a member of the Canton Democratic Club. I am not running for any office. I am not a paid employee of Bruce Patterson, nor am I his best friend (although I consider it a privilege to count myself among his friends). I do not have any political agenda. I do, however, have something important to say about the upcoming race for state representative in the 21st House Dis-

I have known Bruce Patterson for 12 years, having met him shortly after moving to Canton. At the time thought he was a tall guy with a great mustache and a great sense of humor. In the past 12 years, I have found him to be a tall guy with a great mustache and a great sense of humor who is the most involved, caring, honest, truthful fighter that I have ever known!

Bruce's agenda has always been to be

the best public servant he can be, not only saying the popular words, but pitching in and working and fighting for the causes of the people he serves. He never cares whether his is the most popular political position, he only cares that his position will benefit the constituents in his area. He never backs away from a fight, he commi to each important issue and never quits

until there is a resolution. Bruce does not speak out of both sides of his mouth. He will never resort to doubletalk and gobbledygook to impress anyone. He never makes promises he can't keep and has, over the years, been there for the Goodfellows, the Homeowners Advisory Council, the Canton Foundation. D.A.R.E. and many other activities in Canton and in each of the other communities

My hope is that anyone who is interested in good, fair, honest, open government at the state level, will join me and hundreds of other friends of Bruce Patterson in voting for him on Tuesday, Aug. 4 in the primary and in again on Nov. 3. Nancy E. Spencer

Sheri Frader

Safer roads needed

recently received.Canton's newsletter and read even more information regarding the 2-mill proposal for roads that will be onthe Aug. 4 ballot. I think the "Road to Quality" is a good one, however, I think the "Road to Safety" is also a good slogan. We, obviously, need better quality roads which this proposal will give us but it will also give us safer roads for all of us and our

Everyone should take a good look at the improvements being proposed and check off the ones that directly affect you in your daily driving in the Canton community. I would think that over 50 percent of these improvements affect all of us and that it would be worth the 2 mills to gain piece of mind instead of sitting in traffic at these horrendous intersections furning every day as another driver pulls out in front of you to try and make the light or a left

I urge all Canton residents to vote YES on Aug. 4.

Susan Kopinski

Focus: HOPE still going strong

t was 30 years ago, when the ashes of the riots in Detroit were still smoldering and people were still looking at each other in shock, that I first started hearing the rumors.

There was this Catholic priest, prematurely gray but with fire in his eyes and quicksilver on his tongue. And there was his sidekick, a softspoken woman who seemed much, much bigger than her 5-feet-4 height when she started organizing things.

Together they were supposed to be doing something to rebuild a city that the riots had revealed as a hollow shell. Doing something to bring the races together. It had an odd name I had just started the company that owns this | machine tools and computers and classrooms

newspaper, and even from a suburban perspective I was horrified and dismayed at what was happening to a once-great city. So it was only logical a little later that I should sit down with Father William Cunningham and Eleanor Josaitis to talk about what they were doing. In the beginning, Focus: HOPE was little

more than its logo, a white hand and a black hand reaching out but not yet touching. But Father Bill and Eleanor soon gathered a cadre of earnest and well-intentioned folks, attracted by the idea of doing something practical at the grass-roots level that would provide some measure of well, hope. In 1971 they established The Commodity

Supplemental Food Program to provide free monthly food rations to pregnant women, post partum mothers, children up to the age of 6 and seniors more than 60. When I visited Focus: HOPE back then, it was pretty scruffy but | space on 40 acres, 786 staffers and 49,000 voleffective; lots of surplus food was being gathered and distributed, efficiently and compassionately to a whole lot of folks who needed it.

Time passed. I was busy with other things. I saw Father Bill and Eleanor from time to time, always filled with hope and optimism, always brimming over with new projects. By then, Bill was certainly the best salesman in Michigan. reaping wealth and help from the mighty, while Eleanor toiled along in the background, cleaning | actual anniversary date of March 8. "There has up after the messes that great salesmen always

And then the day came when I was serving as down and see what we've built." chair of the Michigan Job Training Coordinating Council and trying to design a job training system that would provide Michigan workers with Detroit. the skills and productivity to get and keep goodpaying jobs. We had given some grants to Focus: HOPE, and I thought I'd better go down to their headquarters to have a look at what they were doing with our money

I never will forget the shock of walking into the complex Father Bill and Eleanor had built The Focus HOPE I entered was modern, high-



ech, lime green and gray, co and filled with earnest young men and women.

Today the Machinist Training Institute provides up-to-date training in precision machining and metal working for more than 300 students. Since it was started in 1981, it has a 100 percent placement record for the more than 1,500 graduates whose skills are in short supply in area businesses

And today's Focus:HOPE has a bewildering variety of offerings ranging from the Center for Advanced Technologies (granting accredited degrees in manufacturing, engineering and technology) to First Step (a four-week program upgrading math, communications and computer skills) so graduates can enter Fast Track (to prepare students to enter the Machinist Training Institute). Today's Focus HOPE is big business, with a

\$62.5 million budget, one million square feet of unteers, participants and contributors. But last year, Father Bill Cunningham died

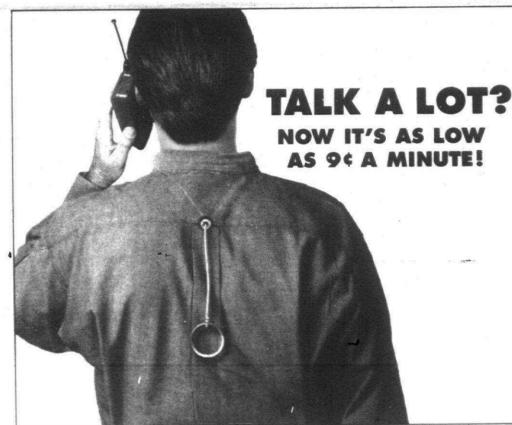
of cancer, and a tornado roared down Oakland Boulevard, ripping a chunk out of the Focus HOPE campus. Eleanor Josaitis-stepped forward into big shoes and started filling big This Saturday, Focus HOPE is celebrating its

30th anniversary, just a little bit later than the just been too much grieving for Bill," explained Eleanor. "But we hope everybody will come on The celebration runs from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Saturday, July 25, at 1355 Oakland Boulevard. In my view, what they've built is nothing less

than a monument to hope.

Phil Power is chairman of HomeTown Com munications Network Inc., the company that owns this newspaper. He welcomes your comments, either by voice mail at (734) 953-2047. Ext. 1880, or by e-mail at ppower@oeonline.com



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think the problem of drinking and driving is getting better or worse?

QUESTION:

Do you

"From what I see on the news I'd say it's getting worse.





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lines and what you hear." **Brenda Verhines**





"Better, The stronger. Patricia Fox



"Worse, I just heard some statistics on TV about it." Cathryn Pumper



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Metro airport gets \$1 billion for midfield terminal project

Wayne County received \$1 billion recently on behalf of Detroit Metro Airport, completing the largest bond sale in the history of U.S. airports.

Proceeds from the sale will be used primarily for Metro Airport's new 74-gate midfield terminal project.

The \$1 billion check was presented to Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara by represen-tatives of Salomon Smith Barney, lead underwriter for the bond sale.

The underwriting group also included Merrill, Lynch & Co., Seibert Brandford Shank & Co., and a number of Michigan-based and national financial institutions. Several local, minority-

owned firms were also principal members of underwriting and selling teams.

The \$1 billion bond funding will contribute primarily to the construction of Metro Airport's new midfield terminal, scheduled to open in 2001. Proceeds from the sale will also be used for other airport projects, including construction of a sixth runway, a new 12,000-space parking garage, renovation of the existing terminal complex and continuation of the airport's

noise program. The 30-year bonds will return a maximum interest rate of 5.33 percent tax-free, according to John Reagan, director of Salomon Smith Barney. While institutional investors, about \$90 million of the issue was sold to individuals, most of whom were Michigan residents, Reagan said.

The securities offering was rated AAA - the result of a bond insurance policy provided by Municipal Bond Investors Assurance, Inc. The insurance reduced the interest cost to be paid by Detroit Metro Airport.

The bond issue received an A rating from Fitch Investors Service, AAA from Moody's Investors Service and A- from Standard & Poors. Two of those ratings - from Fitch and Moody's - were upgrades.

SC wins grant for business program

Schoolcraft College has won a \$169,000 business and international education grant from the U.S. Department of Education to develop an international trade certificate program for companies interested in exporting their goods

and services

The certificate program will include courses and seminars featuring experts on international topics who will share current information about entering foreign markets and maintaining a competitive edge, according to Katrina VanderWoude, assistant dean of continuing education ser-

"We will organize networking events where companies, particularly small firms and their employees, can meet experts and glean informa-

tion from them," Vander-Woude said.

Program components will examine the culture, language, currency and business practices of targeted countries; customs laws; the role of brokers and development bankers, trade consultants and international laws.

"Schoolcraft has a long history of providing special seminars, workshops and community forums to a variety of audiences for professional development and personal enrichment," said Richard McDowell, college president. Our ability to train individuals and groups is second to

VanderWoude said the prowill focus entrepreneurs, small businesses and women and

minority business owners.

Representatives of southeastern Michigan's education, economic development and international trade communities will join with Schoolcraft in the venture. Partners include Michigan State University's Center for Canadian Studies, the Michigan Small Business Development Center, the U.S. Department of Commerce, the Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce, the Michigan Jobs Commission, the Edward Lowe Foundation and Comer-

Funding begins in September, and classes are expected to be offered in 1999. For information, contact Continuing Education Services at (734) 462-4448.

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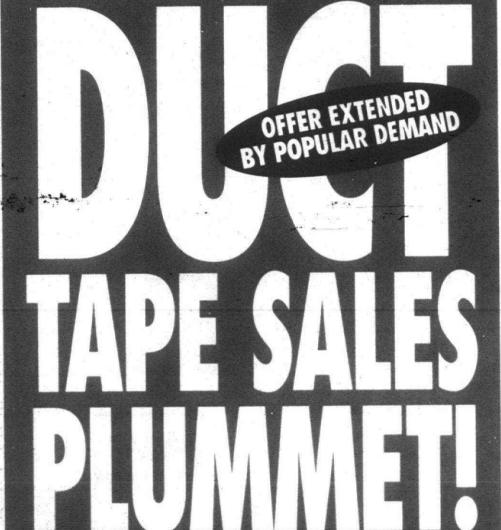


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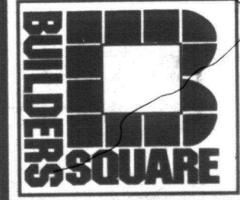
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JACQUE MARTIN-DOWNS

Helping kids reframe envy as admiration

f you pay attention to your subconscious thoughts, you will be surprised at what is just below the surface. I'm not proud of it, but envy lurks in my subconscious.

As I walked into the grocery store last week, my thoughts meandered around aimlessly until I spotted HER. She stood in the vegetable aisle. She was attractively thin and looked like she exercised frequently. Judging by the care she took in picking out the fresh produce, she obviously ate healthy foods, and it showed.

And wouldn't you know, not two minutes later, another woman pops into my line of sight, and darn it, if she wasn't about the same age as me, dressed in a colorful shorts and shirts combination, again enviably thin.

I would not say that I am a person who spends a great deal of time envying other people, but I'll candidly admit, I do envy thin people. The thing that really ticks me off about them is that permanently thin people don't have any conception as to how hard other people work to stay reasonably thin.

My problem is I am a medium-sized person with a very fat mind. If it weren't for the enormous amount of time I spend exercising each week, my fat mind would grow to be a 200 pound body. It is always difficult for me to maintain or lose weight, and I'll tell you right out - I spend way too much time thinking about it.

A common feeling

We've all felt envy at times, wishing we had someone else's qualities, possessions, achievements or luck. But let's face it - envy is destructive and. in the worst case, can be the root cause of other destructive behaviors.

I will never have a skinny person's thin-thinking mind, so I need to GET OVER IT be content with what I have and thankful that I can control my weight to the degree that I can.

So how does envy apply to our children? Is it natural for them to be envious of others? Envy is common to the human race and we mistakenly think that in order to find contentment, significance and fulfillment, we

have to act on our envy. By contrast, persons who get control of their envy can reframe it as admiration. Then they are in a position to support and encourage other people instead of having to work so hard to gain an edge. They move from selfish to selfless, a much more desirable trait.

Envy can push children and teens into unhealthy behaviors. You've no doubt heard your children talk about other kids. They might talk about a smarter classmate in a disparaging way, gossip about an attractive friend, or they might go so far as to vandalize a schoolmate's new bicycle, destroy their sibling's favorite toy, or tattle to get their friend in trouble.

Dealing with envy

We can help our kids with envy in three ways. One, acknowledge their feelings. If they tell you that they feel mad about their friend getting chosen to the all-star team when they didn't, let them know that it is OK to have that feeling - "I know you're feeling bad that you weren't chosen and Jason was because you probably think you were just as qualified.'

Letting them have the feelings is not the same as allowing them to act on them.

Two, our integrity shows when we're down. Remind them that it's easy to be kind and generous when things are going your way and you're feeling good, but that the true test is to be kind and admiring when you're feeling bad - "It's not about Jason's success that makes you mad, it's about you not getting on the team. I know you think that Jason got on the team because the judge is his dad's best friend, but to say that makes you look selfish. You're not a failure; Jason was just fortunate to get

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Suzi Heimbaugh and Shelly Manville

est friends, there's nothing like them. They have broad shoulders, big hearts and unbreakable funny bones. They challenge and

accept us ... and sometimes annoy us. Best friends listen more than they talk, and they seldom ask what's wrong. They already know.

"She's always there when I need her," said Marilyn Griffith, 66, of Livonia about her best friend, Beverly Hogue, 65. "She's the kind of person who does things for you and wants no credit for it.

"She knows instinctively what you need.

Those are the same sentiments expressed by 33-year-old Laura Zain about her best friend, Kristin Senne, 27. of Northville.

The Livonia resident met Senne 13 years ago. Zain's son had just been born with his intestines on the outside of his body. Kyle, now 13, wasn't expected to live. Many of her friends

dropped out of sight.

But not Senne, who lived across the street. She shared Zain's bedside

She stuck it out with me, and I got so much from this 14-year-old kid,' said Zain. "I became her big sister, and she was my big sister even though she was little.'

Senne saw Zain through a divorce; earlier this year, Senne's boyfriend



Terry Masek and Lisa Mausolf Redford



Chelsea Washko and Amanda Rummel

"Laura was right there by my side," said Senne, a scholarship student at Madonna University.

Both women were born on Aug. 28, and every year they try to outdo each other's birthday surprise. Sometimes they don't wait until their birthdays. This June Senne surprised Zain with two tickets to the final game of the Stanley Cup championship. She also had two airline tickets to Washington, D.C

"Oh, she couldn't believe it until I went there and spent the night before we left for the airport," said Senne

When Senne leaves for Europe this August for a much needed vacation, it will be the second time in 14 years they've been apart on their birthdays.

"Everything about her is like me, id Senne. "It's like we're connected It's weird, but it's in a good way."

Girl next door

Barb Dempkowski, 49, of Garden City is married with three daughters. Her best friend, Jerri Allen, 55, of Dearborn Heights is single. Both have younger brothers

"I tell my daughters, Jerri and I had to adopt each other to fight our brothers," said Dempkowski. "Jerri loves animals, kids, flowers. She loves

everything." "Barb is always happy, always has

a smile," said Allen.

The two woman met 33 years ago when Dempkowski's family moved next door to Allen's family in Dearborn Heights. Both families were active in the Lions Club's Blind Bowlers. They became best friends when they shared a hotel room two years later during a Blind Bowlers meeting in New York City

Allen still lives next to Dempkowski's mother and father, who is now blind, and helps out a lot, including taking them out to din-Dempkowski's

daughters adore Allen - "She is their best aunt. Aunt Livonia

Jerri is right up there with God." - and they "are my nieces," according to Allen.

Dempkowski and Allen routinely blow up at each other to let off steam, but they've never had a serious argu-

"I can't imagine getting in a fight with Jerri," Dempkowski said. "I can't

imagine her fighting with anybody." Allen said they're more like sisters than friends - "We like the same things. We do the same things.'

A while ago, Allen's brother asked her to move out to Colorado, where he lives. Allen assured Dempkowski she wasn't going to do that. "We don't want to think about it."

"Jerri truly is a person from God," said Dempkowski. "She is more than



friends

THROUGH THICK AND THIN

Jenny Burgess and Amy Cerullo

a sister could ever be."

Eight-year-old Chelsea Washko and Amanda Rummel are second graders at Douglas Elementary School. They met in first grade.

Other then swimming, making beaded necklaces and selling toys they don't want anymore, Chelsea and Amanda haven't experienced much of-life together.

But there's plenty of time for life. Meanwhile, they're friends for the

simplest and best of reasons: "She shares with me and she is

always with me," said Chelsea. "Well, she's really nice and we like

to share," said Amanda. "And she makes funny faces.

Please see FRIENDS, B2



Laura Zain and Kristin Senne



Canton



Sharon Urso and Pamela Caraher Livonia



Debble and J. B. Likeric Garden City



Marilyn Griffith and Beverly Hogue Livonia



Randy and Nancy Phalin Canton



Rosa Rupp and Bertha Rowden



Carol Napier, Art Stump and Lavelle Jenkins Garden City



Barb Demkowski and Jerri Allen Garden City



Mary Grochowski, Nancy Anderson and Ted Grochowski



Cathy Lloyd and Lorie Harris Redford

ENGAGEMENTS

Hospices team up to offer children's bereavement camp

camp but never had the oppor-

Well, you can experience camp life now as a volunteer for the fifth annual Camp Phoenix, sponsored by Community Hospice and Home Care Services and Hospices of Henry Ford Health System.

Some 40 volunteers are needed to work with the anticipated 70 children who will attend the three-day camp Friday-Sunday, Aug. 21-23, at Camp Tamarack

"We really need men, and

"The teens are great. They play with the younger children when they're not in their sessions and are there in the cabins, but they're not seen as

Camp Phoenix is designed to facilitate a healthy grieving process for children age 5-17 who have experienced a significant loss due to death in the past 24 months The camp staff includes the

trained volunteers, social workers, counselors and child life specialists. It offer comprehen we're looking for teens age 15 sive training and a job stipend and up," said Kathleen Dattolo, related to the job duty at a

Did you dream of going to CHHCS director of social work. camp for all volunteers, said

The ratio of volunteers to children depends on the age group. For the 5-8-year-old campers, the ratio is one adult for every two children. For 9-12-year-olds, it's one adult to three children and one adult for three to four teens.

"The camp offers so much to children who are grieving the loss of someone loved," said Peggy Nielsen who manages the "Sand Castles" children's bereavement program for Hospices of Henry Ford Health

Activities include group

interactions, art, music and play activities. Children are assigned to small age-specific groups to encourage the sharing of feelings with the ultimate goal being the development of coping strategies for dealing with grief.

Teens also work on a high rope challenge that's good for team building and self-esteem, while the 9-12-year-olds work on the low ropes challenge that focuses a lot on team work. For the young children, it's hayride up their children. Last year to a petting farm. There also will be skits and a

memorial service on Saturday evening, according to Dattolo.

helps normalize the grief experience," said Jean Butrico

"Giving children an opportu-nity to be with their peers offer Camp Phoenix. By sharing resources, the camp can now accommodate up to 100 children and has expanded the financial commitment.

Cooper, child life specialist for Hospices of Henry Ford Health System. "The child may not Such funding has allowed the know other children who have experienced a loss, so our pro-gram can help a great deal."

The children's parents or agencies to offer the camp free of charge. However, there is a \$20 registration fee due at the guardians attend an informational meeting before the camp and are invited to a family pic-nic on Sunday when they pick time of application. Scholarships are available.

For more information or an application, call CHHCS at more than 200 attended the (734) 522-4244. The deadline This is the second year the for registering is July 31.

Plymouth resident Susan

"We both thought that being

Heimbaugh and best friend

Shelly Manville see each other

friends was cheaper than going to

therapy," Heimbaugh said. "I

never had a sister, but this is dif-

Redford resident Kathy Kitz-

mann has been best friends with

Nancy Borden since their parents

bought homes back-to-back in

"She knows me better than

anybody," Kitzmann said. "Our

lives have taken different paths,

but we're always able to come

back and pick up on our friend-

met her best friend Laurie Harris

when both were 7 years old and

Lloyd's family moved into Harris

"Mom made me take her a

Kool-Aid," Lloyd said. "You don't

need to detail things out (with

her). We're on the same wave-

Livonia resident Pam Caraher

on the job six years ago. They

went to Ireland together three

years ago. And Caraher loves

Urso's thoughtfulness and gentle-

"I just can't explain what a

good friend she is," Caraher said.

She's soft-spoken, generous.

She's just incredible. She had a

sweet smile. I'd go home and say

'Ma, I met the nicest person in

mean it from the bottom of my

heart, she's something else."

met best friend Sharon

neighborhood

length.

Redford resident Kathy Lloyd

1950 when they were born.

Friends from page B1

As with many friendships, her husband Albert, 80, lost their dents and neighbors Rhoda few months ago. 65, closer together. Rhoda and said Boros.

hardship brought Livonia resi- 51-year-old daughter to cancer a

Boros, 75, and Joanne Mateer, "They were right there for us,"

CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDINANCE #98-2

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 78-507, "OFF-STREET PARKING REQUIREMENTS,". AND TO REPEAL SECTION 78-508(7), "PUBLIC PARKING SYSTEM OVERLAY DISTRICT," BOTH, SECTIONS BEING IN ARTICLE XX, "PARKING, LOADING REQUIREMENTS," IN THE PLYMOUTH CITY CODE. FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING REVISED REGULATIONS FOR THE B-2 CENTRAL BUSINESS

The City of Plymouth ordains:

Section 1. Subsection (a) of Section 78-507, "Off-street parking requirements," in Article XX, "Parking, Loading Requirements" in the Plymouth City Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

(a) There shall be provided in all districts at the time of erection of enlargement of any main building or structure, except as provided otherwise for the B-2 Central Business District in subsection (9) of this section, automobile off-street parking space with adequate access to all ces. The number of off-street parking spaces, in conjunction with all land or building uses, shall be provided prior to issuance of a certificate of ecupancy, as herein prescribed.

(1) Off-street parking for other than residential use shall be on the same lot; and/or within three hundred (300) feet of that lot it is intended to serve, measured by public right-of-way from the nearest point of that lot to the nearest point of the off-street but not by way of limitation, any parking credit heretofore approved in a current site plan.

(2) Residential off-street parking spaces shall consist of parking strips, driveways, garage, or a combination thereof and shall be located on the premises they are intended to service, and subject to the provisions of Section 78-481.

(3) Unless otherwise provided herein, off-street parking shall not be permitted in any required or non-required front yard, except for use of the driveway.

(4) Any area heretofore designated as required off-street parking, shall not be changed to any other use unless and until equa

(5) Off-street parking existing at the effective date of this chapter (February 11, 1992) in connection with the operation of an existing building or use shall not be reduced to an amount less than hereinafter required for a similar new building or use

(6) Two or more buildings or uses may collectively provide the parking spaces shall not be less than the sum of the (7) In the instance of dual function of off-street parking spaces

where operating hours of buildings do not overlap, the zoning board of appeals may grant an exception.

(8) The storage or merchandise, motor vehicles for sale, trucks, or the repair of vehicles is prohibited in all outside parking spaces.

Parking requirements within the B-2 Central Business District. buildings which do not exceed two (2) stories in height. there shall be no parking spaces required for any occupancy and use of the first floor and basement which is permitted under Section 78-202.

Within the B-2 Central Business District only, for all buildings which do not exceed two (2) stories in height, there shall be no parking spaces required for occupancy and use of the second floor for any of the following uses permitted under Section 78-202. . Residential uses

2: Business offices or professional offices except for doctors, dentists and similar professions.

3. Storage and office uses incidental to and exclusively for the primary use on the first floor.

Within the B-2 Central Business District only, for all buildings which do not exceed three (3) stories in height, and for which sufficient off-street parking is provided to meet the requirements for the third-floor uses if any, the parking requirements for the basement, first floor and and floor shall be as provided in subsections (a) and (b)

(d) Within the B-2 Central Business District, for all buildings and uses not specified in subsections (a), (b) and (c) above, parking spaces shall be required as provided for all other

(10) For those uses not specifically mentioned, the requirements for off-street parking facilities shall be in accordance with a use which is similar in type.

(11) When units or measurements determining the number of required parking spaces result in the requirement of a fractional space, any fraction up to but not including one-half shall be disregarded and any fraction of one-half or more shall require one parking space.

Section 2. Section 78-508(7), entitled "Public parking system overlay district (B-2 and B-3 only," is hereby repealed.

Section 3. Rights and duties which have matured, penalties which have incurred, proceedings which have begun and prosecution for violations of law occurring before the effective date of this ordinance are not affected or abated by this ordinance.

Section 4. Should any section, clause of paragraph of this ordinance be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the same will no affect the validity of the ordinance as a whole or part thereof other than the

Section 5. All other ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ance are to the extent of such inconsistencies hereby repealed. Section 6. This ordinance shall become effective twenty-one (21) days after

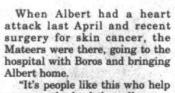
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April 20, 1998

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us carry the load that allows us to carry one," said Boros. "It's exceptional people like this who deserve recognition.

Boros sometimes wonders about her friend's broad shoulders. While Boros was coping with her daughter's death, Mateer was dealing with her own mother's serious illness. "While I was crying on her

shoulder about our daughter, she was waiting for word on her mother, who died," said Boros. "I've always said she was my guardian angel, and she truly is." Abe Barroga of Canton has two best friends who help "keep my feet on the ground" - Mike Smokavitz and Chris Skoglund. All three men are 20 years old and have been friends since mid-

"Mike is the dreamer. Chris is spontaneous, and I'm the organizer," Barroga said. "I make it possible to do things, to make it flow easily." In other word, Barroga sup-

dle school.

plies the car and cash at times. That's OK with Barroga because best friends don't keep tabs on favors or money. "Just as long as they're going to

Men the age of Barroga's father have "buddies" who come over and watch football games. But buddies are not best friends,

according to Barroga. "A friend and a best friend are two different things," he said.

doing our best - "You know that

you did your best, and maybe

next time you will be chosen.

Sometimes we mistakenly play

into our child's envy by permit-

ting the child to get away with

We'll practice together.

Sensors from page B1





Kathy Kitzmann and Nancy Borden

intimate things you tell a best friend. You don't think about best friends criticizing you."

Carol Napier of Garden City counts Art Stump and Laveile Jenkins. Napier gets a lot of help raising her 8-year-old grandson from them.
"He helps me with my grand-

be there when you need them," son. Allen, and is always around when I need a helping hand," she said of Stump, "Lavelle is always buying Allen things. She's always here for me." Redford resident Terry Masek

met her best friend Lisa Mausolf more than 10 years ago at Ladywood High School. "You don't really share all the

she was just as bubbly as I am," she said. "It started there and slowly grew." four times a week.

Canton teenagers Mallory Urban and Kate Kerm, both 13, are best friends. Why? "Because I can trust her and tell her everything and rely on

her," Mallory said. "She's always there," Kate said. She's always helping me when I need help. I can tell her secrets. We're always doing stuff together. She's my movie buddy, and we drool over the same men."

Livonia residents Amie Cerullo and Jenny Burgess graduated from Stevenson High School this year and have been friends since

"Through high school we've been through everything good and bad ... Boyfriends who came between us. vacations." said Cerullo. "We have different interests, but we still have time for each other. "When she has a problem, I'm

there for her. When I'm having a problem she's there for me."

Lasting friendship

Westland resident Bertha Rowden said Rosa Rupp has been her best friend since they met in the fourth grade more than 60 years

"We talk about things we don't even tell our sisters." Rowden

Plymouth resident Nancy Chapman has been best friends with Barbara Rydeski of West Bloomfield for more than 40

"When we get together we tell the same stories, laugh at the same things," Chapman said. "Days go by and weeks go by, but when we talk, we just pick up where we left off?

the world today.' "She's just the best friend anyone could dream of having. I

Close to home But best friends can be more than the kid next door or a school chum. For some, their best friends are as close as a family member or spouse.

"She knows all my secrets" said Livonia resident Kathy Combin about her sister Bridgett. "Sometimes we buy things at different stores and find out later we bought the same thing."

For Nancy Andersen of Canton, her best friend is her father Tedd Grakawski of Auburn Hills "He is my No. 1 all-star, confidant and picker-upper. He is the

Garden City resident Debbie Likeric said her best friend is her husband, J.B., whom she met in 10th grade more than 20 years "He just accepts the ups and

downs we go through," she said. "I'm never afraid to tell him anything. We have no secrets from each other. I'd rather spend time with him than anybody else.

husband Jeffrey. "We just had a baby six months ago and I've had trouble dealing

unbelievable. It's been unbelievable for the past four years." Canton resident Nancy Phalin and husband Randy Phalin, mar-

dies on the go. "We go biking, inline skating

Phalin said they hesitated about getting married because

matter.' It's just gotten better since we've gotten married.'

Couts-Hadyniak

Joseph and Christine Donica Robert and Linda Couts of of Canton announce the forth-Garden City announce the coming marriage of their daughforthcoming marriage of their ter, Sandi Beth, to Robert Alan daughter, Kassandra Lynn, to Lowe, the son of Robert and Brian Michael Hadyniak, the Carol Lowe of Menomonee, Wis. son of Charles and Catherine The bride-to-be is a graduate Hadyniak of Romulus.

from the University of Michigan School of Business. She is employed as an advertising account executive.

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Her fiance is a graduate from the University of Michigan School of Business and is a doctoral student of business and public policy at the University of California at Berkley.

A July wedding is planned at St. John Newmann Catholic Church in Canton.

Donica-Lowe

Drobyshewski-Philippon

Eddie and Susan Drobyshewski of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter. Lynette Ann, to Carl Philippon, the son of Carlos and Sarah Philippon of Alma.

The bride-to-be graduated from Plymouth Canton High School in 1989 and University of Michigan Dearborn in 1995. Her fiance graduated from

Alma High School in 1987 and Hope College in 1991. An August wedding is planned at St. Kenneth Church

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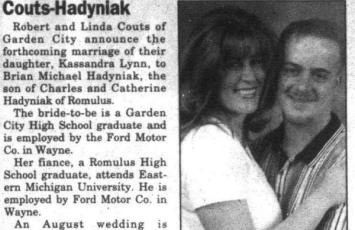
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Serafina Curcuru of New Baltimore announces the engagement of her daughter Provvidenza Marie to Jason Allan Ayers of Canton, the son of Mona Jones of Indianapolis, Ind.

planned at St. Anthony Church.

The bride-to-be, the daughter of the late Filippo Curcuru, is a graduate of the University of Michigan, she is employed by Livonia Public Schools. Her fiance, the son of the late

Marc Ayers, is a graduate of Southfield Lathrup High School and is enrolled at Schoolcraft College. He is employed as a design engineer at Chrysler



Hurley-Pfenning

Elaine Hurley of Farmington Hills and Dennis Hurley of Detroit, both formerly of Redford, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Elaine, to Les A. Pfenning, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pfenning of Denver, Colo.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Michigan with a bachelor of arts degree and a graduate of Michigan State University with a master's degree in business administration. She is the director of business development for Before You Her fiance is a builder/devel-



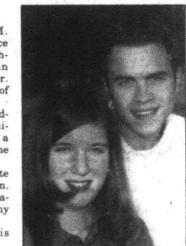
Re/Max. An August wedding is planned in Denver.

O'Donnell-Whelan

Dr. and Mrs. Patrick M. O'Donnell of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Kerie Catherine, to Sean Mark Whelan, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael R. Whelan of Roanoke, Va. The bride-to-be is a 1996 grad-

uate of Eastern Michigan University. She is employed as a special education teacher in the Wyandotte Public Schools. Her fiance is a 1994 graduate

of the University of Michigan. He is employed as a finance analyst at the Ford Motor Company in Dearborn. An August wedding is



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wisest man I know," said Anderson. "He insists that I call him when I get home after visiting him. He is a role model, a hero.

Ditto for Mary Beth King of Canton, who's best friend is her

ried for four years, are best bud-

scuba diving, church, shopping. Jazzercise and weightlifting," she said. "We just have fun together He's the best friend anybody could have. We do everything together. Buddies should always be together."

Randy is considerably younger "Then we said, 'No, age doesn't

tion: One

screen during the credits.

"It was nice to get this respect

The weekend didn't start off

American Congress asked her to ful job.

that well, however. The Polish

boycott the movie because it

believes that the movie is "a

deplorable depiction of the Pol-

ish-American community." She

reserved opinion until she saw

"I waited to see the movie to

comment on it," Marzec said. "I

would not want to do anything to

disgrace my heritage or my fami-

ly. I don't know why there's such

an outcry from the Polish Ameri-

can Congress. Everybody has

their opinion. I'm Polish and I'm

Catholic and everybody makes

"It's like seeing 'Moonstruck.'

(Danes' character) is 17 years

old. Seventeen-year-olds act like

"Here are two people who

speak the language," she said. "I

was kind of embarrassed with

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her with her

heritage. She

calls it her

Polish room.

Susan

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WEEKEND

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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MADONNA UNIVERSITY Plymouth attorney Richard Dimanin will teach "Torts: An Overview of Negligence." Wednesday evenings, and weekend workshop. Call Mary Meinzinger Urisko (734)

ART EXHIBIT An exhibit of floral X-ray photography is on display through July 31 at the Plymouth Community Arts

Council, 774 N. Sheldon. The radiographs are the work of Albert G. Richards, an emeritus professor of dentistry at the University of Michigan. Hours for the exhibit are 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday. Additional viewing times are possible by calling the office. (734) 416-4278.

AROUND TOWN

■ Summer Celebration of Poetry, Thursday nights, 7:30-10:30 p.m., at the Plymouth Coffee Bean Company, 844 Penniman Street in lowntown Plymouth, July 23, Donna DeMeyer and Heather Bottorff. July 30, Rod Reinhart, Marc Maurus and Cindi St. Germaine All audience members are Dancin' Feet registration invited to share their poet-

tured readers.

Whistle Stop Players, 5 years and up, session 2 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily, Aug. 10-14. Free workshop per formance on Friday night 7 p.m. participation fee \$75 for PCAC members. \$100 for non-members. For information (734) 416-4ART.

BNI, regular meeting, 7 8:30 a.m. Thursday, July 30, Plymouth Chapter, Water Club Seafood Grill, Ann Arbor Road and 275. Call (734) 397-9939. n BNI, regular meeting, 7-8:30 a.m. Thursday, August 6, Plymouth Chapter. Water Club Seafood Grill, Ann Arbor Road & 275. Call (734) 397-9939

OPEN HOUSE Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute is having an open house 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday, July 31 at 485 S. Main St. below the Mayflower Meeting Place, to celebrate their new location. For information call (734) 453-3010 or (313) 561-8880.

BIBLE SCHOOL Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church of Canton, will hold Vacation Bible School 6-8 p.m. from August 10-14, for children age 4 through 6th grade. This event is full of fun ctivities, cool crafts, and he students will set sail daily on "The Lighthouse Adventure". Located at 46001 Warren Road, just

This event is free to everyregister call (734) 522-

n Lake Pointe Bible Chapel is offering vacation Bible school 9:20-12 noon July 27-31 at Lake Pointe Bible Chapel, 42150 Schoolcraft Road, Plymouth. Youngsters will become young scientists and will discover God's power displayed in the universe during vacation Bible school's exploration of "Amazing Science and Wonders." For information call (734) 513-2810 or (734) 420-0515.

The Canton Cougars, U14 boys open division is seeking a few players for

the upcoming fall season.

Contact Coach Steve

Caswell (313) 459-6414. n Canton Parks & Recreation is holding field trips for the following dates: Thursday, July 28, at Greenfield Village; Thursday, July 30, at Rolling Hills Water Park; Tuesday, August , at Domino's Farm/Ann Arbor Hands On Museum: Thursday. August 6, at Rolling Hills Water Park. The cost for Rolling Hills Water Park is \$7.50, Domino's and Hands On Museum, \$11, Greenfield Village \$10. Forty peo-

ENTERTAINMENT

ple per trip to register call

MUSIC IN THE PARK-■ Plymouth Community Arts Council presents Music in the Park every Wednesday at noon in Ke logg Park. July 29, Liberty Brass Quintet (A Plymouth Symphony Ensemble).

Past members of the Plymouth Community Chorus will celebrate the organization's 25th anniversary Friday, Oct. 2, at Laurel Park Manor. There will be a commemorative program and a display of chorus memorabilia. Call (734) 459-6829 or write P.O. Box 700217, Plymouth, MI

DANCING

will take place 5-7 p.m. Summit on the Park Community Center. Head instructor, Cheryl Reitz, will be available for questions at 4 p.m. This is a one time registration, if you wish to participate you must attend. For information call Jennifer Varajon (734) 397-5110.

Summer Nights Under the Stars, presented by Howell Nature Center, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Monday evenings, through Oct. 12. (excluding Labor Day). \$8 per person, guests may enjoy many of the Center's Nature Programs. Gatherings around the campfire, and cooking dinner together. July 27, Wildlife Rehabilitation Night, Aug. 3, Archery Night, Aug. 10, Skins and Skull Night, Aug. 17, Native American Night. Call Laura at (517) 546-0677. Space is limited and reservations must be

Clinic 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sat-CALENDAR made in advance. (Not recommended for children

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under 5 years.) ■ Howell Nature Center presents the 1998 Earth Olympics 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, August 29. Bring the family and enjoy activities while helping the center raise funds for the Wildlife Rehabilitation Program. There will be canoeing, archery, biking, hiking and many more activities to choose from. A minimum of \$10 per activity is required, and participants must compete in at least

four activities and as many

as nine. Awards will be

Talking with Tipper

High-level meeting: Canton resident Carol Parker (right) met Tipper Gore, wife of Vice President Al Gore, during last month's Association of University of Women's trip to Washington. Parker is president of the Michigan Chapter of AAUW. U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Donna Shalala also attended the conference, which focused on educational equality for women and girls, reproductive rights, affirmative action and other issues.

resented. Refreshments. Call for registration and pledge card (517) 546-0249. Maybury State Park will host a program Michigan Birds of Prey 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 28. The featured speaker will be Karen Young, a licensed bird rehabilitator. The program will be held in the farm demonstration building. Maybury State Park is located on Eight Mile Road, one mile west of Beck Road, in Northville Town-

(248)349-8390. **WIDE WORLD SPORTS**

■ Wide World Sports Center of Ann Arbor has adult drop-in roller hockey games 8:30-10:30 p.m. Sundays, Mondays and Wednesdays. Cost is \$5 per player. Goalies play free. For details, call (734) 913-

ter is hosting 10 weekly multi-sport camps for children this summer, through Aug. 21. Half-day a.m. or p.m. sessions for children 5-7 years old and full day sessions for children 8-12 years old. For more details on WWSC's programs, call (734) 913-4625

BARBECUE COOK-OFF Mights of Columbus, Plymouth, presents the first annual Barbecue Cook-Off, Saturday. Aug. 1, at the Knights of Columbus grounds. There will be more than \$500 in prizes, based on 24-team participation. Rules are slightly modified Kansas City barbecue society rules. Team entry fee is \$20 for each meat category (chicken, pork, ribs, brisket); \$50 for all four. For more information, or for registration, call (734) 455-1463, noon to 6

urday, Aug. 22, at Heritage Park, Canton. Girls ages 8-14 are invited. Cost is \$30, which includes a T-shirt and lunch. Bring your own water bottle and snacks. An invitation will be issued to teams to appear in the Chiefette Variety Show. Registration deadline is

ADULT SOCCER

at (734) 454-9072.

■ The Canton Soccer Club

is accepting registrations

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Aug. 7. Participation is lim ited to the first 100 registrations. For more informa tion and registration, call Debbie Custer (734) 455-

■ The public is welcome to the first annual golf tournament Monday, Aug. 3, at

OPENINGS Polo Fields Golf and Coun-■ Tutor Time, 951 N. Cantry Club. Lunch and registon Center, Canton, is ration begin at 11 a.m. enrolling children ages 6 weeks to 5 years. School and tournament begins at noon with a shotgun start hours are 6:30 a.m. to 6:30 and in four player scramble p.m. Summer camp proformat. Dinner and awards gram enrollments for ages from 6-8 p.m. Entrance fee 6-10 years also are being \$125 per golfer. Hole-inaccepted. Contact Donna one, winning team and var-Pomerson at (734) 981ious additional awards will

be made. The Plymouth Community Family YMCA is curently taking registration or programs beginning in July. Registration is being taken for Camp Tonquish

profit school. Call (734) 420-3331. Small World Day Care in Canton, on Joy Road, Day Camp for ages 6-12; between Haggerty and Camp Jellybeanz for ages Newburgh, is accepting 3-5; Floor Hockey Camp, applications for enrollment Basketball Camp, Goalie Call (734) 459-9909. Camp, Soccer Camp, Swimn St. Michael Christian ming, Karate, Golf, and School, 7000 N. Sheldon Tennis. Please contact the Road, is now accepting reg-Plymouth YMCA (734) 453istration for new students 2904 to register by Visa or grades K-3. They offer a Mastercard, or to request low student-teacher ratio. further information. Enthusiastic, experienced christian teachers at a The Polish National

state certified facility. For Alliance Centennial information call (734) 459-Dancers of Plymouth is accepting registrations for fall classes. No experience is necessary and the minimum age is 3 years. Classes begin in September. Call Barb Martin at (734) 453-

MI. 48170, or by fax to 734 459 4224. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the

Use additional sheet if necessary

following Thursday's paper. Call 459-2700 if you have any questions.

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GROUPS PARKINSON'S

FORM The Canton Observer welcomes Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Canton Observer, 794 South Main Street, Plymouth,

and be a product promoter The Parkinson Education and Support Group of and inspector, and much Washtenaw County meets more! Camp III, Aug. 3-7, 1:30-4 p.m. on the second An Ocean of Motion. Com-Sunday of the month in the pare salt and fresh water, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital dissect a sea creature, make waves and more. Education Center, building 5305, near parking lot P. ■ New Morning School, Also at 1:30 p.m. Sunday,

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sive Association) meets 2-4

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CLASSES

Suburban Nights offers a Plymouth Community consumer-run, drop-in cen-Arts Council presents sun mer stuff for kids, 3-13 ter open to people 18 years years. "Cool Crafts," July 21; "Rubber Stamp Workshop," July 23; "Advanced make friends and just hang Cartooning Workshop," Aug. 4 and 6; "Toddler Art," July 23; Decorate your own kite July 30; Paint a ceramic tile Aug

SUMMER STUFF FOR KIDS

20; Ongoing drawing & sketching 5-6 p.m., Wednesdays through Aug 26. Call (734) 416-4ART. ADULT CLASSES Ongoing classes for adults: Ongoing summer yoga, 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays through August; Ongoing Batik workshop, 1-3 p.m.

Wednesdays as scheduled Drop-in Studio, an ongoing drawing class, 1:30-3 p.m Mondays; 7-8:45 p.m., Wednesdays. For more information call the Plymouth Community Arts Council (734) 416-4ART.

VOLUNTEER

UNITED WAY

■ The Plymouth Communi ty United Way need your help with the 1998 campaign, which will begin in September, with advance meetings in August. Volun teers are needed to work with a campaign team of local executives who will call on business, professional and industrial accounts to solicit donations for human service To volunteer, call (734) 453-6879.

CANCER SOCIETY ■ American Cancer Society needs volunteers. Call (248) 557-5353, Ext. 336.

ALZHEIMER'S ■ The Alzheimer's Associa tion is seeking volunteers groups at no cost for people to provide companionship who have experienced the o people experiencing nemory loss. Volunteers groups meet at the Angela receive an orientation. To volunteer, call Adam Ster Livonia. For meeting dates ling, (248) 557-8277. and times, call Ruth Favor. **GRIEVING CHILDREN**

CHHCS and Henry Ford Health Services is hosting Camp Phoenix Aug. 21-23, for children 5-17, who hav experienced a significant oss due to death within the past 24 months. The Wednesday evenings at the three day camping trip wil be held at scenic Camp Church, 777 W. Eight Mile, Tamarack in Ortonville Mich. \$20 registration fee due at time of application scholarships available. For mation about other age and Information call (734) 522loss groups, call (248) 348-

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ing. 'What a fool I was.' "

Teaching others

Susan Marzec and her Stoneleigh Village neighbors are

about to rename their Livonia

neighborhood "The Polish Con-

"There's so many people in the

subdivision who are Polish. I've

found people who are from my

childhood. It's "The Polish Con-

a chuckle.

the name.

nection' now," Marzec said with

Quickly, however, she changed

"It's going to have to be the

Ramous Stoneleigh Village Pol-

ish Connection.' People walk up

to me and they say, 'You're not

the ...' (She responds) 'Yes, I am.'

The 44-year-old Marzec, the

choreographer for the Polish

dance troupes Radomianie and

Centennial Dancers, has made a

name for herself as a choreogra-

pher for the movie "Polish Wed-

story of Polish immigrant par-

ents Jadzia and Bolek (Lena

Olin and Gabriel Byrne) and

their rebellious daughter Hala

(Claire Danes), a high school

dropout who becomes pregnant

by a Hamtramck cop named

Russell (Adam Trese). The

movie, directed by Royal Oak

Dondero High School graduate

Theresa Connelly, opened Fri-

Marzec almost missed the

chance to work on the movie.

She had just returned from

studying in Poland, when she

heard a message on her answer-

ing machine asking if she would

perform in "Polish Wedding."

Believing it was just another

day, July 17.

return the calls.

film," Marzec said.

"Polish Wedding" tells the

The first day of her eight-week ob, she walked in and the stars were waiting for her. They listened to Polish music and Marzec began her lessons. When the actors and actresses had down time, Marzec was reached via a cell phone or pager to return to the set to teach dance.

Byrne, Olin and other participants in "Polish Wedding" also came to the Centennial Dancers' practice at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Livonia. "Gabriel was very nervous at

wedding gig, Marzec didn't first." Marzec said. "Toward the "Then I got a phone call from a end, I asked him 'Do you indulge person in our dance troupe who in any type of alcoholic type of orks at the Atheneum (hotel in activity? Or work out? I think Greektown) where they were you need to loosen up. staying; she said they wanted us "Finally, during the taping I to dance in the movie. I had no

told him to act like you're dancidea this was entitled 'Polish ing and I'm just going to dance Wedding.' I didn't know it was a around you. We must have done the shot 20 times," she added Marzec walked into her interwith a laugh. view in an old warehouse "so Connelly was interested in hiroverdressed." The clothing of

ing Marzec's sons, Ken, 21, and choice for her interviewees was Jason, 19, former football playjeans and T-shirts. Three interers for Detroit Catholic Central views later, they explained the High School who now play for St. scene to her and asked her to suggest music. Upon suggesting Wis. They said thanks, but no a "real romantic dance," she got

"They said, 'We dance for you

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with us in June to perform," said

mactic scenes. For the movie, Marzec chose

with Olin

cuisine.

Lena and Mili (Avital, who plays Sophie) didn't eat that much, they were very accommodating," she said. "It was like a dream in a sense. Marzec's friend, actress Nancy

Kendall, said she couldn't believe that Marzec made it into a film, to which she responded "! Norbert College in Green Bay, knew I didn't have to go out there (west) to make a film. They were going to come to me."

ball for this.' They said, 'You being in it and you doing it is good enough for us," said Marzec who also has a son, Gregory, 4. "Still I make them Polish dance. They went to Poland with me and I'm hoping they go

"They tried the food. Although

this. There's a lot of peer pres-Marzec said she has gotten phone calls at home from Polish folks commenting on the film. Despite the controversy, Marzec said that she, along with her mother and mother-in-law suggest that every teenager see this Marzec

Her husband, Ken, however, appears in the movie dancing with Olin during one of the cli-

adult dancers from both of her groups, the Centennial Dancers and Radomianie, including Brad Platek of Livonia, who dances

Not only did she introduce the actors and actresses to Polish dance and her dancers to movies, she made them try some of the

Although she saw the movie but don't make us give up foot- on Friday, she returned to the



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theater with the dance troupe on matter what nationality you are, Sunday where they cheered your family has problems." schedule. Studies and dance rehearsals were held from 7 a.m. when her name flashed on the

"I thought the movie was well to 9 p.m. with a two-hour break done. You see all this garbage in the afternoon.

"I would come home and my today. Look at movies like Toy hands are swollen and my feet Soldiers' and 'Lethal Weapon' that have no storyline. This is a are swollen, but I love it. I look pure, simple movie. For a low- at my job not as a job because l

budget project, she did a wonder-After graduating in 1992, she returned the following year with Dreams of dancing her group Radomianie as the choreographer. They performed Marzec's aspirations didn't involve film at all. Her goal was in front of 4,000 people and

to earn a degree in Polish folkreceived a standing ovation. ore dancing. She took up danc-Marzec's dance troupes rehearse 8-9:30 p.m. Mondays at ing 31 years ago, inspired by her father, who was born in Poland. either St. Paul Lutheran Church "He wanted me to start dancin Livonia or West Middle School ing, and I've been dancing all my in Plymouth. For more informa-

life," she said. tion, call (734) 427-8640. For 18 years, she has taught While she doesn't speak the creative dance at the YMCA, the language every day, her goal is last four years at the Livonia to keep the Polish tradition Family YMCA During the summers of 1988-"It's very hard in America. We

1992, Marzec worked to accom- don't have it like we had before. plish her dream by attending If we can keep it a little alive, Marie Currie Sladowska in they will be proud to say they're Lublin, Poland. It was a rigorous Polish." CHELATION THERAPY

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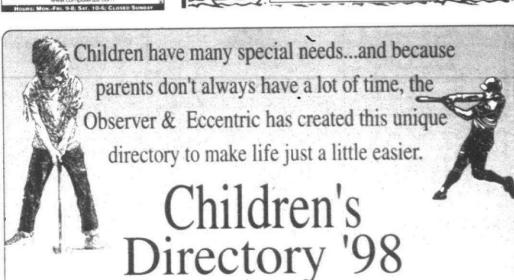
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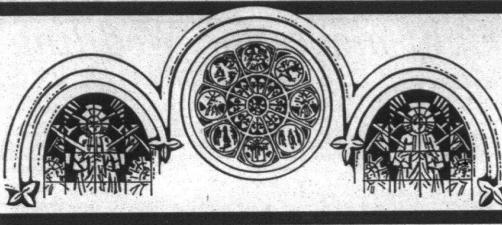
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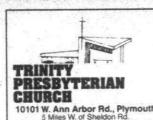
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SINGLE POINT Single Point Ministries members will meet at Ward Presbyterian Church, 40000 W. Six Mile Road, Northville, and ride to Northville via I-275 bike trail and Hinds Drive on Saturday, July 25.

On going events include "Talk it Over," which meets 7-9:30 p.m. the second and fourth Fri days of the month in Knob Hall; outdoor volleyball at 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays at Rotary Park on Six Mile Road between Farming ton and Merman roads, Livonia; and outdoor tennis 4:30 p.m. until dark on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1 p.m. Saturdays, and 1-5 p.m. Sundays at Rotary

For more information about any of the events, call the Single Point office at (248) 374-5920. REVIVAL SERVICES

Christ Lutheran Church will have revival services at 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25, at the church, 14350 Wormer at Acacia, Redford. The speakers will be P.L. and Pat Pearson of the New Creation Christian Centet. They have pastored at New Creation for 20 years and have ad a Christian academy there

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The Rev. Michael Van Horn of Trinity Church in Livonia is offering a fresh perspective on the most mysterious book of the Bible, "Revelation Revealed: The Last Word," at 10:45 a.m. worship services now through November. If you are curious about all the "doomsday talk" as the year

find the study of the book of Revelation enlightening and discover that the Apocalypse has relevance for everyday life. Trinity Church is at 14800 Middlebelt Road, Livonia. For more information, call the church at (734) 425-2800.

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school 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. July

27-31 at the church, 5835 Shel-

don, Canton. The program is for

children age 4 through comple-

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ing is \$5 per child, with scholar-

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Church of Today West-Unity meets at 10 a.m. Sundays at Meadowbrook Elementary School, 29200 Meadowbrook Road south of 13 Mile Road. The July 26 lesson will be the second part of minister Barbara Clevenger's "What's so amazing

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

Plymouth Baptist Church will

have its vacation Bible school,

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church, 42021 Ann Arbor Trail,

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of famous scientists who believed

the Bible. The school will include

songs, crafts, games, snacks and

puppet shows. The closing pro-

gram and carnival will be at 6

p.m. Aug. 2. For more informa-

The First Presbyterian Church of

Plymouth will have its vacation

Bible schools, "God's Kids Pray -

H.O.P.E. World Tour," 9 a.m. to

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The church offers Thursday Night Study Group, led by Clevenger, 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Novi Public Library, 10 Mile Road west of Novi Road. For more information, call (248) 449-8900 or visit its Web site at http://www.cotwest.com.

RUMMAGE SALES Timothy Lutheran Church and AAL, branch 3233, are hosting a rummage sale from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 31-Aug. 1, at the church, 8820 Wayne Road, south of Ann Arbor Trail. Call (734) 427-2290 for more information.

■ Prince of Peace Lutheran Church will have its annual rummage sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday-Friday, July 30-31, at the church, 37775 Palmer Road, west of Newburgh Road, Westland. Proceeds will benefit local charities.

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CHRIST OUR SAVIOR

church office at (734) 453-6464.

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SOCCER CAMP

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church will hold a soccer camp for children ages 5-11 6:30-8 p.m. Monday-Thursday, Aug. 3-6, on the Canton Campus, 46001 Warren Road, west of Canton Center Road. The camp will help beginning

and intermediate soccer players develop proper skills and knowledge of the game. Small group instruction, under the supervision of coach Bill Friend, will allow individual attention for each player. A camp fee of \$15, payable at registration, includes instruction, snacks, materials, a water bottle and soccar ball. For more information, call (734) 522-

The Weigh Down Workshop will meet 7-9 p.m. Mondays in the library of Geneva Presbyteri an Church, 5835 Sheldon Road. Canton. A free orientation session will be 7 p.m. Monday, Aug 3. Regular classes begin Aug. 10 First-time participants will receive 12 audiocassettes for home study and a manual. The classes include videotapes, group discussion and prayer.

The fee for first-timers is \$103. For more information, call Barbara Johnson at (734) 981-1576. MOM TO MOM SALE

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Harley-Davidson enthusiasts rev up for annual MDA benefit

Harley-Davidson owners and enthusiasts will "Take to the Road for a Cure" on Saturday, Aug. 8, to raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

The third annual Michigan Northwoods Ride will kick off at the Holiday Inn in Midland, which is serving as the host location and registration site.

Registration is \$35 per person and includes a commemorative T-shirt, pin, lunch and entertainment.Advanced registration is recommended.

'Riders will travel along scenic Michigan roadways under Michigan State Police escort, returning to the Midland County Fairgrounds for the picnic-style lunch, entertainment and festivi-

Riders gather donations, with the top fund-raiser earning a two-night stay for two (including two dinners and two breakfasts) at the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island. Other prizes include a \$300 and \$100 Harley-Davidson gift certificates, a weekend getaway for two at Shanty Creek Resort in Bellaire, a Hudson's gift catalog and a Jerry Lewis

The Saginaw Valley Motorworks will host a retail shop, and MDA is looking for additional sponsors to help underwrite costs and set up displays during

Last year's ride, held in Traverse City in September, attracted approximately 400 people and raised more than \$30,000 for

Registration packets are available at local Harley-Davidson dealerships or by calling the MDA at (810) 232-3190.

MDA is a national health agency that is combating 40 neuromuscular diseases through major research and patient services programs.

As a national corporate sponsor of MDA, Harley-Davidson Motor Company, the only major sponsor of MDA, has raised approximately \$22.7 million for the organization since 1980.

Sponsorships available for tourney

Sponsorship opportunities are celebrity challenges, hole-in-one still available for the third annual Madonna University Golden Classic Golf Outing on Friday, Sept. 18, at the Links of Novi.

The event, which begins shotgun at 1 p.m., includes golf,

prizes and dinner.

The awards banquet, which will include a steak dinner, silent sports auction and door prizes, begins at 6:30 p.m.

Proceeds benefit the Madonna University Scholarship Fund. Cost for the golf and dinner is \$150. Dinner only is \$50.

For more information, call Madonna University's Advancement Office at (734) 432-5421.

CRAFTS CALENDAR

Listings for the Crafts Calendar should be submitted in writing no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue. They can be mailed to 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax at (734) 591-7279. For more information, call (734) 953-2131.

ST. DAMIAN

Space is available for St. Damian's craft show from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 10 at the school, 29891 Joy Road, between Middlebelt and Merriman roads, Westland. Table rentals are \$25. For more information, call Caroline Stecki at (734) 421-6130.

ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

Crafters are wanted for a craft show Oct. 24 at St. Robert Bellarmine Church, West Chicago and Inkster roads, Redford, sponsored by the St. Jude Circle. For more information, call Joann at (313) 937-0226 or (313) 522-

HENRY FORD COLLEGE

Crafters are wanted for the Henry Ford Community College Alumni Association's 13th annual holiday arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 24 on HFCC's main campus at 5101 Evergreen Road in Dearborn. Applications are available by calling the Office of Student Services at (313) 845-9610. Applicants must provide photographs of items they plan to sell at the show. The cost is \$45 for 36- by 72-inch table and two chairs or a 36- by 72-inch space with two chairs but no table. For more information, call (313) 845-9610.

MADONNA UNIVERSITY

Crafters are wanted for Madonna University's 14th annual arts and crafts showcase from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Nov. 7-8 in the Activities Center on campus. 36600 Schoolcraft Road, at Levan Road Livonia, Booth space (9 feet by 6 feet with two chairs and 6-foot by 8-foot table) costs \$50 for either Saturday or Sunday, or \$90 for both days. Booths with electricity are limited and are an additional \$5. For more information, call (734) 432-

LIVONIA STEVENSON

Crafters are needed for Livonia Stevenson High School's Holiday Happening craft show 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Nov. 7 at the school, 33500 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. 10-by-10-foot or 6-by-16-foot spaces cost \$50. Chairs are available on request and limited electricity at no additional charge. There will be a bake sale and concession foods will be available throughout the day. Admission will be \$1, children under age 12 free with an adult. For an application or more information, call (734) 464-1041 or (734) 478-2395.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

Crafters are wanted for St. Paul's Lutherarf Church's 11th annual heliday craft show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 14 at the church. 20805 Middlebelt at Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. Tables cost \$25 each. For more information, call (248) 476-0841.

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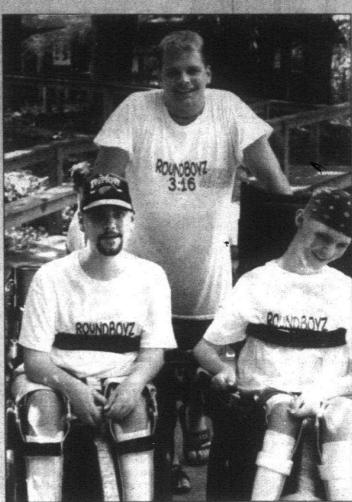
Fairlane Christian School has space available for its arts and crafts fair 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 14 at the school, 24425 Hass in Dearborn Heights. For more information, call (313) 565-9800.

SS. SIMON AND JUDE Ss. Simon and Jude Church is seeking crafters for its 16th arts and craft boutique from 9 a.m. to

5 p.m. Nov. 14 at the church. 32500 Palmer Road, Westland There will be free door prizes every hour, snack food, bake

sale, and crafts of all kinds. For information about tables, call (734) 722-8098 or (734) 722-

It's all in the family



At MDA camp: When 19-year-old Jason Mayes (from left) of Garden City went to the Muscular Dystrophy Association's summer camp in June, he was joined by brothers Joshua, 18, and Jeff, 17. In existence since the 1955, the camp offers a wide range of activities specifically designed for young people who have limited mobility or use wheelchairs as the result of neuromuscular diseases. Activities range from outdoor sports like swimming, boating, baseball and horseback riding to arts and crafts and talent shows.

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SPORTS SCENE

Golf runner-up

Priscilla Gilliam, of Canton, and Katherine Collins, of Plymouth, both reached the final four in their respec-tive flights at the 82nd annual Michigan Women's Amateur Championship, a match play golf tournament played July 13-17 on the Alpine Course at Boyne Mountain Resort.

Gilliam made it to the finals in fourth flight, losing to Kari Prochazka

of Flushing, 6 and 5.
Collins lost in the semis, but did
win her consolation match, beating Maureen Tobin of Grand Rapids, 6 and 5. The champion in second flight was Dawn Stewart of Burton, who bested Bunny Charter of Royal Oak.

ODP qualifier

Stefani Szczechowski, of Plymouth, was named to the Olympic Development Program's regional team by the U.S. Soccer Federation for the second year. A keeper, Szczechowski has played for the under-15 Livonia YMCA-sponsored 1984 Michigan Hawks for the past five years.

Szczechowski will be part of the 13state Region II Aug. 13-19 at the National Training Camp at the Olympic Training Center in Chula Vista, Calif. An eighth-grader at Plymouth's Our Lady of Good Counsel, Szczechowski represented the state of Michigan at the ODP regional camp July 11-16 at Northern Illinois University, competing against 24 other keepers from 12 states.

Twisters open up

The Wayne County Twisters semipro football team opens its season against the Zanesville (Ohio) Fury at 3:30 p.m. Saturday at Cherry Hill HS, located on Avondale between Middlebelt and Inkster in Inkster. Cherry Hill will serve as home field for all five of the Twisters' home games.

Admission is \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. Children 10 and under (accompanied by a paying adult) and seniors 60 and over will be granted free admission. Refreshments and restrooms will be available.

Other Twisters' home games are against: the Toledo (Ohio) Tornadoes, 3:30 p.m. Aug. 8; the Fremont (Ohio) Stallions, 3:30 p.m. Aug. 22; the Putnam County (Ohio) Lightning, 3:30 p.m. Sept. 12; and the Motor City Cougars, 3:30 p.m. Oct. 3.

Canton hoop golf outing

The second annual Canton Basketball Golf Outing, to benefit the Plymouth Canton HS basketball program, will be at 11 a.m. Thursday. Aug. 20 at St. John's Golf Course in Plymouth Township. Cost is \$70 per person, which includes 18 holes of golf, a cart and dinner afterwards, or \$340 per foursome, which includes a hole sponsorship, golf, a cart and dinner for all four.

Tee off will be at noon. For those not interested in golf, but still wishing to support the program, they can join the festivities at dinner, starting at 4 p.m. at Plymouth Township Park. Cost is \$10 per person.

To sign up, call Fred Sofen at (734) 453-4901 or Canton coach Dan Young at (734) 591-7418.

Salem soccer

Plymouth Salem soccer coach Ed McCarthy has nine optional conditioning sessions scheduled every Monday, Wednesday and Friday through Friday, Aug. 7.

The first six sessions — on July 20, 22, 24, 27, 29 and 31 - are from 5-7 p.m. behind Salem HS. The Aug. 3 session will be 4:30-5:30 p.m., and the Aug. 5 and Aug. 7 sessions will be 5-6 p.m. Those three will be on the school's track.

Players should bring soccer cleats, shin guards, water and a ball to all sessions behind Salem. Running shoes should be worn to sessions on the track.

Official tryouts for the team will be from 4:30-6:30 p.m. Aug. 10-13 for the varsity, and from 5:30-7:30 p.m. Aug. 10-13 for the junior varsity. Unless specifically chosen, freshmen and sophomores will tryout with the junior varsity, and juniors and seniors will tryout with the varsity. All athletes must have a physical on

file with the school prior to tryouts. The first official varsity practice day will be Aug. 14, with a doublesession (8-11 a.m. and 2-5 p.m.). For further information, call coach McCarthy at (248) 960-2268.

Bulldogs pour it on against Falcons



The weather hot, and so was the scoring Tuesday when the Bulldogs met the Falcons in an MSHL game. The goals kept piling up for both teams in what is thought to be the highest-scoring game in league history.

It is, quite likely, the highest scoring game in the history of the Metro Summer Hockey League. And the Bulldogs were the winners.

Building a 9-2 lead after one period wasn't enough. The 'Dogs (8-2) added seven more goals in the second period, and nine in the third to outdistance the Falcons 25-15 Tuesday at Plymouth Ice

Kevin Swider (Livonia) must've

threatened, if not shattered, the single game scoring record by netting nine goals and assisting on nine others.

"I certainly can't remember anything like this," said MSHL commissioner Keith Pietila. "Our games can be highscoring, but not like this."

Pietila said the inclement weather was the likely cause, since neither team had its full complement of playBen Blackwood added four goals and eight assists for the 'Dogs, who also got five goals and four assists from Corey Swider (Livonia); two goals and 11 assists from Eric Bratcher; three goals and one assist from Mike Schmidt (Livonia); and two goals and one assist from Andrew Domzalski (Livonia).

Scott Goleniak led the Falcons (2-8) with four goals and five assists. Paul Goleniak added four goals and three assists, with Paolo DeCina (Canton) getting three goals and three assists, Mike Mattila adding two goals and an assist, and Kevin Telepo and Brad Yonemura (Garden City) each scoring one goal. Yonemura also had three

Bob Harrison was in goal for the Bulldogs. Matt Wierzba played in the net for the Falcons.

Huskles 9, Wolverines 8: The Huskies (8-1-1) trailed 6-2 with less than nine minutes left in the second period, but battled back to beat the Wolverines, thanks to three goals by Jesse Hubenschmidt (Redford) and two more from Sean Kass Tuesday at Plymouth.

Hubenschmidt also had two assists, while Kass had three. Other goal-scorers for the Huskies were Jeremy Sladovnick, David Scott (Canton),

Please see HOCKEY, C5

Local stars top Ocelot recruits

It won't be a big team, in size or numbers. But it will be a Tom Teeters team, which means it will be competitive throughout the season.

In his 13 seasons at Schoolcraft College, Teeters has guided the Lady Ocelots to one NJCAA championship (1988) and to four other top-five finishes in the NJCAA Tournament. Can his 1998 team match

Well Teeters will have a nice blend of experience and incoming talent to work with. But he won't have much of it, not in numbers, anyway. He has four returnees - Stacey Campain, Megan McGinty (from Livonia Churchill), Melissa Plave and Donna Logsdon (Plymouth Canton).

Joining that nucleus are five newcomers: Kathy Aschenbrenner, a 5-foot-9 middle hitter at Pinckney HS who graduated from high school in 1997; Danielle Wensing, a 5-6 outside hitter at Livonia Franklin; Cindy Maloof, a 5-8 outside hitter who graduated from Coventry HS (located outside of Akron, OH) several years ago; Kelly Johnston, a 5-7 outside hitter at Plymouth Salem who graduated in 1995; and Breanne Toppa, a 5-5 defensive specialist from Canton Agape Christian Academy.

The Ocelots came on strong after a rough start last season to post a 19-20 record, going 7-3 in the Eastern Conference and finishing in a tie for sec-

Can they improve upon that this year? Gone are 6-1 middle hitter Sara Gregerson, to Eastern Michigan; 5-6 outside hitter Mindy Sullivan (Livonia Churchill), to University of Michigan-Dearborn; 5-6 outside hitter Janet Hinz, to Concordia College; 5-5 setter Amber Wells (Plymouth Canton); and 5-5 defensive specialist Jennifer Smith (Westland John

Which means Teeters will have to groom at least a few of his newcomers to be starters, come September. It's not a new task for the long-time coach, nor

"All players are challenges," he said. "I probably take on more challenges that other coaches don't.'

A good example, in his current recruiting class, is Maloof. Teeters discovered her in one of his adult volleyball classes at SC, which Maloof was taking with her husband. "She said she was a student at

Coming back: Kelly Johnston hasn't played competitive volleyball since graduating Please see SC RECRUITS, C2 from Plymouth Salem HS in '95, but she's decided to play at Schoolcraft this year.

Ladywood, Teeters are parting company

Divorce, Livonia Ladywood style.

The apparent happy 12-year marriage between varsity volleyball coach Tom Teeters and the administration ended last week because of irreconcilable differences

Teeters, whose contract was not renewed Wednesday after a meeting with athletic director Sal Malek, leaves Ladywood with a 532-97-14 record. His record ranks among the top five winning percentages among active coaches in the state.

Under his direction, Ladywood won back-to-back state Class A championships (1988-89) and seven consecutive Catholic League A-B Division titles (1992-98), including 10 in 12

seasons. He led the Blazers to a Class A runner-up finish in 1990 along with eight district and regional crowns.

Teeters also coaches the women's vollevball team at Schoolcraft College, where he is 437-169

Tom Teeters ousted at Ladywood

entering his 14th year this fall. His 1988 team captured the National

Junior College Athletic Association Tournament.

Ladywood principal Sister Mary Ann Smith said she supported Malek's decision to fire Teeters.

"If Tom was going to stay, he had to agree to all our terms," Sister Smith said. "The decision was made by our total administration along with our athletic department.'

Sister Smith said Teeters' firing was "more difficult" than when she made the decision to let go basketball

coach Ed Kavanaugh in 1994. "Tom's a good man, but it was time for him to move on," Sister Smith

Two major issues surfaced, leading

to the acrimonious parting.

•The two sides clashed over how to run the freshman and junior varsity programs.

Teeters wanted to remove both his JV coach Larry Wyatt, and his freshman coach, Amber Wells (who played for Teeters at Schoolcraft College), for the upcoming season.

•The parties also differed on moving players up and down from the freshman, JV and varsity levels.

"I was told that one kid could not be on the varsity team," Teeters said. "And the parent of that kid didn't object to being moved up.

Please see TEETERS, C3

Staying put

Holowicki opts to stay as Madonna's hoop coach

Bernie Holowicki apparently is staying as men's the past 18 years, for basketball coach at Madonna University and will not take a boys high school varsity head coaching job at Allen Park

Allen Park Schools Supt. William Kiefer had recommended the hiring of Holowicki and the school board voted July 1 to support the decision.

Holowicki held a couple of open gym sessions at Allen Park Middle School, but never submitted a letter of resignation from Madonna.

Holowicki's move to Allen Park apparently hit a snag earlier this week when three major Detroit media outlets reported that Joseph Dougherty, father of a Jaguar junior varsity player, had initiated a peti-

tion drive to recall five school board members. Dougherty is upset with the fact that the Allen Park board bypassed Michael Wilkinson, JV coach

the varsity job. (The petition request will be heard before an election commission on Aug. 3.)

Holowicki, working the nationallyrenowned Five-Star Basketball Camp in Pittsburgh, Pa., was unavailable for comment

"I heard all kinds of things, but he (Holowicki) has never officially resigned,



Bernie Holowicki staying at Madonna

Madonna athletic director Ray Summers said. "I talked with his wife this morning. She had talked with Bernie and he told her he had no intentions of taking the Allen Park job

"The only thing I knew is that that he told me he was considering the position, and that was it.

Allen Park assistant superintendent Dan Danosky was caught off-guard by the recent turn of events. "Bernie called us this morning (Wednesday) and said he will not take the position," Danosky said. "I'm

disappointed, but not suprised, especially after it became public and it was on Channel 7

"I'm not disappointed with Bernie, just the whole

Holowicki, a longtime successful coach at Redford Please see HOLOWICKI, C2

Roadrunner draws the best

annual Roadrunner Classic in downtown Northville.

Paul Aufdemberge, who Laurel Park, who ran 29:21 last try to defend his 8-kilometer

The 1997 Michigan Runner of the Year has won the event three of the past four years. He won last year's race under the sweltering heat in 25 minutes,

Also expected to challenge for the men's title is Keith Stopen of Farmington Hills.

Stopen recently earned a spot in the U.S. Olympic marathon trials by running 2:21:35 at last month's Grandma's Marathon in Duluth, Minn. Stopen shaved five minutes off his previous personal best.

He is coached by Roadrunner Classic race director Doug Kurtis, the Livonia Stevenson High product who holds the world record for most sub-2:20

marathons. "Keith made a big breakthough at Grandma's," Kurtis said. "He's upped his mileage.

Both the defending men's and He's running more comfortable tion every year by five to eight women's champions are expected miles and is just more consis- percent," Kurtis said. "Last year to return Saturday for the 15th tent. And he's pacing himself we had 1,300 including the better."

Four-time women's champion year, is also expected to return. Her competition could possibly come from three others who have

yet to commit to the race. ner Tim Emmett of Redford. fighting a back injury during last ers.) weekend's 258-mile Toyota Great Lakes Relays, may return.

Some elite runners, however, may have backed off because the \$5 includes gifts for all). The 1-\$3,800 in prize money given away last year was eliminated after chief sponsor First Finance pulled out six months ago. (Gold sponsors include the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and Jack

Demmer Ford.) "I don't think it will change the field much at all," Kurtis p.m. (through 11 p.m.) said. "Last year was the first year we offered prize money."

The Roadrunner, however, is more than just an 8K race for elite runners. It's considered one of the most popular races in the

"We've increased our participa-

"Normally 50 percent of our participants show up on race Race day fees for the 8K run.

which starts at 7 p.m., and 5K walk, which starts at 7:15 p.m., Defending men's masters win- are \$15. (Age group awards will be given to the top three finish-

> The 1-mile Classic Junior Series, for youngsters 14-andunder, begins at 6:30 p.m. (cost mile fun run (15-and-up) also starts at 6:30 (cost is \$8 with ribbons to all finishers).

And don't forget the party afterwards (\$5 only for food, refreshments and prizes). Joy Ride. Detroit's up-and-coming dance band, will perform at 7:30

There will also be a series of speakers and performers with the band Superdot opening the festivities at 1 p.m.

Pre-registration check-in is from 4-6 p.m. For more information, call

Running Fit at (248) 380-3338.

Champs — indoors and out



my weather: Just one loss in two seasons? Hard to better that. But that's what the under-11 Plymouth Hurricanes did, winning both their indoor and outdoor league titles. The outdoor champs (pictured above) won the Western Suburban Soccer League Division I crown with a 6-1-1 record. Team members are Dustin Bouton, Bobby Centlivre, Brian Crandell, Neal Desai, Tim Farrow, Ryan Hamma, Charles Hofbauer, Tommy Matthews, Alex Nelson, Steven Pappas, Eric Pearch, Rob Rymph, Nolan Sanders, John Shcwalter and Bobby Stankewitz. The team is coached by Greg Pappas. Other members of the indoor champs (not previously listed) are Ross Heidenreich and Tim Schroeter.

1st Division co-champs



Mard to beat: The Canton Hornets under-15 boys soccer team were co-champs in the Little Caesars First Division, posting an 8-1-1 record. They outscored their opponents, 34-15. Team members are Patrick Calandro, Derek Gismondi, Jeff Haar, Mike Harkins, Andrew Holmes, Chris LaMasse, Matthew Magers, Tommaso Mainella, Evan Malone, John McGlone, Mike Reoch, Keith Schenkel, James Steinert, Eric Sullivan, Nick Tochman and Michael Zemanski. The team is coached by Mark Zemanski, Roscoe Nash and Rick Schenkel.

Holowicki from page C1

Catholic Central before being icki's team finished 7-23 during fired in 1994, spent the next his first season with the Fightyear as an assistant under ing Crusaders (1995-96). Wayne Memorial's Chuck Henry

Madonna then improved to 9before being hired by Madonna. 20 in 1996-97, best in school his-

Holowicki spent 20 seasons at CC, winning the state Class A championship in 1976. He has more than 600 career high school Replacing Bill Sharpe, Holow- tory, before slipping to 4-26 last wins.

SC recruits from page C1

Schoolcraft, that she had been (Johnston attended Ladywood pursuing her degree, and that for two years). "I've been trying she played a lot," Teeters said, to get her to come out for the last even if it wasn't on a collegiate year-and-a-half," he said. "She competitive level.

Teeters could see that Maloof had talent. "She has good high hit position, and a good serve," he noted. So he talked her into we need." taking a full credit load and playing volleyball for him.

Another long-time recruit was Johnston, the '95 Salem grad speed, she gives a strong effort whom Teeters knew from his days as Livonia Ladywood coach

She's probably the quickest player we have, with the highest jump on the team."

was a strong defensive player -Toppa is a player with solid credentials from high school, we're hoping to get that back. including all-conference. "She's She'll have a good chance at outside hitter, depending on what left-handed, with quick feet,' said Teeters. "And she's very Wensing is another of those comfortable playing defense. She players with all the stuff Teeters doesn't mind making the quick looks for in his recruits: "She has

So how good can these players be? Who knows? As Teeters said all the time, and she's a very positive player," he said. "We "Time will tell."

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GOLF ROUNDUP

Area golf divots

•Michigan State Amateur runner-up Steve Polanski (Livonia), Chris Tompkins (Westland). Adam Wilson (Plymouth) and Derek Fox (Farmington) will play next week in the Golf Association of Michigan Junior Amateur 17-and-under division next week at Bay City Country Club.

. Tompkins finished fourth last week in the MaxFli PGA Junior Championships (ages 16-17) with rounds of 72-80 at Bedford

Creek. Scott Carlson of Brighton was

Valley Country Club in Battle

first at 144 followed by Casey Lubahn (Sand Lake), 148; Mike Sherman (Grand Rapids), 149; and Tompkins, 152. ·Larry Snapp of Livonia

defeated Stuart Young, 1-up on the 19th hole, to win the third annual Michigan Publinx Seniors Golf Association Match Play Tournament, July 12, at

All those 3-through-12 year-

It was a full day of fun, for all ages, at Race Day in the Park July 11, hosted by the Canton Parks and Recreation Services at Heritage Park.

olds who participated in the halfmile fun run received ribbons. Those that participated in the five-kilometer walk and the fivemile run received T-shirts and were eligible for all sorts of

A total of more than 300 people participated. First overall in the 20th-annu-

obursky, who won with a time of 28 minutes, 55 seconds. Pobursky was racing in the men's 15-19 age division.

The second, third and fourth overall finishers all came from the men's 35-39 division: Michael Webster, in 29:02; Rick Armes, in 29:08; and Tom McMahon, in 29:11.

Other men's division winners, with their overall finishes, were: 14-and-under - Eric Mink.

Tyson Woodby, 35:28 (31st); 25- third (and 28th overall), and sec-29 - Larry Bostwick, 29:35 ond in the 35-39 women's divi-(fifth); 30-34 — Daryl Jenks, sion, in 34:50. 31:12 (14th): 40-44 - Tom Gerou, 30:01 (sixth); 45-49 - ners, with their overall finishes, John Tarkowski, 30:42 (11th); were: 14-and-under - Sarah

Renaud, 35:29 (32nd). The women's overall winner 30-34 - Laura-Lynn Yacuone, was Ruth Quaintance, who 35:55 (38th); 40-44 - Rita placed 23rd overall and won the 35-39 women's division in 33:49. Second among the women was 59 - Marianne Bayne, 40:06 Tara Shamet, who won the 15-19 (74th). division (and was 25th overall)

50-59 - Maury Dean, 31:05

Other women's division win-

Reese, 47:02 (139th); 20-24 -(13th); 60-and-over - John Erin Wallace, 40:24 (77th); 25-29. - Laura Moyers, 37:37 (50th); Kingsbury, 39:42 (64th); 45-49 -Linda Rains, 43:30 (113th); 50-

20th ANNUAL 5-MILE RUN RESULTS Hosted by Canton Parks and Recreation Services July 11, 1998

1. Paul Pobursky, 28:55; 2. Michael Webster, 29:02; 3. Rick Armes, 29:08; 4. Tom 37:38. McMahon, 29:11; 5. Larry Bostwick, 29:35; TomGerou, 30:01; 7. Fred Heldmeyer. 30:12; 8. John McCallum, 30:16; 9. Rick Straub, 30:20; 10, Steve Zacharias, 30:28; 11. John Tarkowski, 30:42: 12. Stan Polkowski, 30:54; 13. Maury Dean, 31:05; 14. Daryl Jenks, 31:12; 15. TimQuaintance, 31:18; 16. Jeff Fedewa, 31:45: 17. Uldis Vitins, 32:25: 18. Cornell Osier, 33:09; 19. Craig Skalski II. 33:29; 20. Roger Luckhardt, 33:33; 21. Eric Quaintance, 33:49; 24. Eric Forster, 33:55; 25. Tara Shamey, 34:18.

26. Charles Cova, 34:26; 27. Eric Bilsky 34:40; 28. Constance Tripp, 34:50; 29. Jeff 40:06; 75. Evan Baker, 40:11. Marcero, 35:15; 30. Tom Robert, 35:22; 31. Tyson Woodby, 35:28; 32. John Renaud Jr., 35:29; 33. Dan Dewey, 35:34; 34. Ray Motta, 40:31; 80. Dan Saunders, 40:38; 81. 124. Andrew Schaecher, 44:45; 125. Stephen 58:18; 167. Diane Sterling, 59:39; 168. Der-Micallef, 35:35; 35. Ellen Stemmer, 35:36; Molly Noonan, 40:40; 82. Norm Freda, 40:55; Alberty, 44:55. 36. Eric Larsen, 35:37; 37. Brian Wiercloch, 83. Jerry White, 41:04; 84. Cheryl Evans, 126. Brooke Smith, 45:00; 127. John 78:02; 170. Nancy Hayden, 78:02; 171.

Last season, Ladywood fin-

ished 53-9-1, winning the dis-

trict, regional and Catholic

League titles before being ousted

Ralf Orthober, 36:42; 45. Leo Wagatha, 41:30; 91. Robert Ledesma, 41:38; 92. 38:09; 53. George Kerr, 38:12; 54. Ted Karras, 42:20. Phillips, 38:24; 55. Lynn Ronewicz, 38:40;

very rewarding one for me.

Where Teeters may end up is

anyone's guess, but two premier

prep jobs are open - Plymouth

Salem and Birmingham Marian.

with Sister Smith since the deci-

sion was made by Malek on

Wednesday. He hoped to have at

least one more meeting with the

"If Sal says she supports his

When reached on Tuesday,

decision, then I guess I'm gone,"

Teeters said he has not spoken

56. Connie Scaparo, 38:41; 57. Drea Cooney. 39:06; 58. Bill Perry, 39:08; 59. Barb Figurs 104. Donald Kelm, 42:40; 105. Robert Bie Hamilton, 48:42; 148. Mary Pierce, 48:48; ki, 39:12; 60. Marie Rataj, 39:17; 61. Larry ganski, 42:43; 106. Robert Lembach, 42:45; 149. Inga Vitins, 49:01; 150. Kirk Hornburg. Miller, 39:20: 62, Pin Wu, 39:23: 63, Kerry 107, Jessica Hayden, 42:55: 108, James 49:01 Ankenbrand, 39:32; 64. Rita Kingsbury, Fiorenzi, 42:56; 109. Sunny Sackett, 42:56; 39:42; 65. Jil Dahek, 39:44; 66. Jim Alberty. 110. Craig Packard, 42:59; 111. Dave Karras. 39:54: 67 Jeremy Martin, 39:55: 68 Amy 43:13: 112 Diane Himebaugh, 43:18: 113, 154 Joann Crescio, 49:54: 155, Ken Perry, Mink, 33:45; 22. Ron McFry, 33:47; 23. Ruth Campau, 39:56; 69. Amy Chlebek, 39:57; 70. Linda Rains, 43:30; 114. Kelly Pritchard, 51:52; 156. Phillip Whitelaw, 52:01: 157. Harvey Johnson 39:58: 71 Roman Osinski. 43:34: 115. Timothy Griffin, 43:34: 116. Joseph Yurich, 52:34: 158. Elizabeth Borg, 40:02: 72. Charlie Pierson. 40:03: 73. Carol Keith Roeder, 43:54: 117. Bob Turner, 43:55: 52:49: 159. Aroti Achari, 53:02: 160. Mea-Brockschmidt, 40:04: 74, Marianne Bayne, 118, Tom Sterling, 43:57: 119, John Cole-gan Lenaghan, 53:16: 161, Jeremy Straub, 76. Lisa Weyer. 40:15: 77. Erin Wallace. 121. Jennifer Lemieux, 44:25: 122. Don Kear. Sewell, 55:20: 164. Lu Roeder, 55:20: 165. 40:24: 78. Luke Skywalker, 40:27: 79. Paola ney, 44:28: 123. Mike Korenchuk, 44:34: Debbie Duffy, 56:31: 166. Sonya Harrington,

35:38: 38. Laura-Lynn Yacuone, 35:55; 39. 41:05: 85. Penny Dunn, 41:08: 86. Ann Fig. McAuliffe, 45:18: 128. Harrison Hensley, Warde Hayden, 78:02.

"All three coaches were spoken

to at one time, this is the end

Jenny Young, a 6-foot-1 senior

o-be who made first-team All-

Observer last spring, was some-

she said. "I haven't heard offi-

cially. Nobody has told me any-

thing, but if it's true, I'll be very

disappointed because he's such a

good coach. It's been fun having

decision," the principal said.

what stunned by the news.

would not return

him as a coach."

Robert Mink, 36:01; 40. Jim Kosteva, 36:21; urski, 41:10; 87. Rebecca Figurski, 41:10; 45:25; 129. Angle Barclay, 45:29; 130. Corry 41. John Alexander, 36:24; 42. Larry Wib- 88. Michelle Randall, 41:24; 89. Jerome Bachus, 45:33; 131. Greg Greene, 45:36; right, 36:33; 43. Chuck Kingston, 36:35; 44. Solomon, 41:24; 90. Christine Coleman. 132. Gordon L. Jones, 45:41; 133. Daniel 36:46; 46. Kristofer Forsyth, 37:10; 47. Walt Chuck Little, 41:45; 93. Steven Howard. 135. Ray Joaquin, 46:15; 136. Lisa Coleman. Reasor, 37:18; 48. Rick Newsom, 37:25; 49. 41:50; 94. Holly Bowen, 41:51; 95: Steve 46:23; 137. Ronda Burroughs, 46:40; 138. Jack Hamilton, 37:32; 50. Laura Moyers. Lang, 41:53; 96. Craig Skalski, 41:55; 97. Rim Kasputis, 46:47; 139. Sarah Reese Linda Cummingham, 41:56; 98. Tammy Perry, 47:02; 140. Kelly Yeager, 47:15; 141. Steve 42:16; 99. Paul Morrison, 42:17; 100. Spiro Paplinski, 47:46; 142. Lisa Ferreyra, 47:55; 143. Ann Harrington, 47:57; 144. George 101. Joseph Bellovary. 42:21; 102. Bonnie Douglas, 48:05; 145. Ben Brockschmidt, Gretzner, 42:25: 103, Tim McCarv, 42:30: 48:08: 146, Patty Turner, 48:38: 147, Beverly

> Gendron 49:07: 153 Ronnie Hanson 49:39: man, 43:58; 120. Cindy Zemanski, 44:10; 53:18; 162. Paul Mackey, 54:07; 163. Tracey rick Hayden, 78:02: 169. Kelly Hayden

> > much of her volleyball develop-

he knows the game," Young said.

"And he doesn't yell. He's always

very calm. As I prepare to go off

to college, I'm looking for a coach

"I think it would be hard to get

Malek said Wyatt is free to

"Larry, from what Sal has told

used to a new coach. I don't want

a new coach. I want him back."

apply for the job, along with any

other interested coach.

a lot like Tom.

"He's very knowledgeable and

Teeters from page C1

"I was told at the end of the best time is to do it now." meeting that the job is going to be posted, and that I'm not fired. I have been told I would have my some reason this coming year I won the Catholic League play-

did not.' Sister Smith, however, disputed Teeters' claim.

"Tom recommended those people, then he didn't want to work with them," the Ladywood prin- Clarenceville to the 1978 state cipal said. "He gave us input all Class B championship and has those years as far as who would coached at Farmington Hills be good for the program. But there were always others inter- Garden City and Schoolcraft. viewed, but we had the final

process of taking applications for with administrators over the hir the varsity post. He said Wyatt ing of middle school coaches. and Wells have been asked to return next season in their same positions. "It was a tough decision for me because I have a hard enough

time keeping good coaches,' Malek said. "Nobody disputes

Tom is a great coach. He knows his volleyball and is an outstanding 'Xs and Os' type. "But due to philosophical reasoning, we had a difference on how to run the program an general for the sake of the fresh man, JV and varsity levels. It was best to go our separate ways

and best for Ladywood. And the

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Teeters became Ladywood's varsity coach in 1987 after Mike O'Toole left for health reasons. choice of coaches. I've always He made an immediate impact had a choice in the past, but for as the Blazers finished 32-9 and

Teeters has been successful nearly at every stop on the

coaching carousel. guided Mercy, Wayne State University,

Ironically, Teeters left the Garden City varsity program in Malek said he now is in the the mid-1980s when he clashed



in the state quarterfinals for the third straight time by longtime nemesis and eventual statechampion Temperance Bedford. "What I'll miss at Ladywood is the kids and the parents, Teeters said. "And I've always

enjoyed working for the Felician the kids first. The experience



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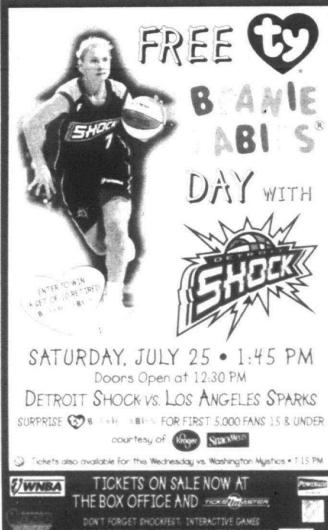
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Young, an honor student who me, is not interested and satis-Smith reiterated that Teeters will probably sign some time fied where he's at, but I guess he later this year with a Division I could apply like anyone else. school, credits Teeters with Sister Smith said







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OUTDOORS CALENDAR

(To submit items for consideration in the Observer & Eccentric's Outdoor Calendar send informa tion to: Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009; fax information to (248) 644-1314 or E-mail bparker@oe.homecomm.net)

ARCHERY

ROWHLINTERS RENDEZVOUS The Michigan Bow Hunters Rendezvous will be held July 25-26 at the Springfield Oaks Fairgrounds in Davisburg. The show offers seminars, shooting exhibi tions MUCC's live encounters show, Yoder's Big Game Exhibit, free archery shooting and instruction for the kids, a 3D course and much more. Admis -sion is \$5 for both days and chil dren 15 and under will be admitted free. Springfield Oaks is located on Andersonville Road,

Detroit Archers will hold a Safari 3D shoot beginning at 9 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday, July 25-26, on its walk-through course in West Bloomfield. Call

one mile south of Davisburg.

661-9610 for more information **BROADHEAD LEAGUES**

Boradhead leagues are forming and will begein the first week of August at the Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston. There will be evening leagues on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays and a morning league on Wednesdays. Call 623-0444 for more information.

The Oakland County Sportsman

will hold a 30-target 3D shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 9, on its walk-through range in Clarkston, Call 623-0444 for more information.

3D SHOOT

JUNIOR OLYMPICS The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior Olympic Archery Development Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

A weekly program for junior archers begins at 9 a.m. Saturdays at Detroit Archers in West mfield. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more infor-

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CLINICS

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wildlife and fisheries biologists. foresters, conservation officers, and state park, recreation area and real estate division staff. For more information or to arrange for special accommodations call Denise Mogos at (734) 953-1528. WATERFOWL CALLING

Michigan Duck Hunters Association and the Wayne Waterfowlers are offering a duck and goose calling class beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 1, at the Wayne Waterfowlers clubhouse in Brownstown Twp. Cost is \$10 per person. Call (734) 453-8315

or (313) 422-0583 for more infor-

FLY TYING Paint Creek Outfitters in Rochester offers a variety of fly ying classes for beginners and dvanced tyers. Call (248) 650-0440 for more information or to make a reservation for an Fishing Buddys Fishing Club

upcoming class. **HUNTER EDUCATION** Wayne County Sportsmen's Club will hold several hunter education classes in the upcoming months at its clubhouse and grounds in Romulus. These lasses will be taught by certified instructors. Students must be present for both days of their respective class. All equipment will be provided. Classes will be

offered Aug. 29-30, Oct. 3-4, Oct. 17-18 and Nov. 7-8. Cost is \$10.50 and includes lunch both days. To pre-register call (313) 941-9688 WINGSHOOTING SCHOOL

Hunters Ridge Hunt Club in Oxford will host the Fieldsport Wingshooting School on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 12-13. Master gunfitter and certified instructor Bryan Bilinski, who is credited with bringing sporting clays to the United States, will ead the school, which will cover all aspects of proficient shooting. Call (616) 933-0767 (daytime) or (248) 637-2446 (evenings) for

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CLUBS

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparoto at (248) 476-5027 for more information. MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month t Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School. Call (810) 478-1494

for more information. **FOUR SEASONS**

The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Senior Citizen's Center in the Livonia Civic Center. Call Jim Kudej at (313) 591-0843 for more **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 welcome. The club meets monthly at Gander Mountain in Waterford. Call Mike Daly at (248) 666-8910 for more information

BASS ASSOCIATION The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Gander Mountain in Taylor. Call (734) 676-2863 for more informa-

FISHING TOURNAMENTS

OAKLAND BASS MASTERS Oakland Bass Masters will hold a 50-boat open tournament on Sunday, Aug. 2, on Lobdell Lake in Genesee County (near Linden). Registration is \$80, and

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SEASON/DATES

one week in advance.

Teresa Golden at (517) 373-2352

August 1 is the deadline to apply for an antlerless deer permit.

Aug. 1 is the deadline to apply for a fall twild turkey permit.

SHOOTING RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN Bald Mountain Recreation Area in Lake Orion has shotgun (skeet & trap, sporting clays, 5stand), rifle, pistol, and archery shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to sunset on Wednes days and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays. On Mondays and Tuesdays, shotgun and archery shooting is available noon-sunset while the rifle and pistol range is open 3 p.m. to inset. Bald Mountain is located at 1330 Greenshield Rd., which is three miles north of the Palace of Auburn Hills off M-24. Call (248) 814-9193 for more informa-

PONTIAC LAKE

Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, and archery ranges. Range nours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is. located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (248) 666-1020 for more informa-

ORTONVILLE RECREATION

STATE PARKS

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 ington, 1-800-477-3178. 1998 PERMITS

is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration and addi-The 1998 Huron-Clinton tional information on the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2433. For programs at Island Lake call (810) 229-7067.

FISHING IN THE PARKS Learn the basics of fishing information.

including how to bait a hook basic knots, casting and fish ecology during this weekly program, which is offered Tuesday's at 6:30 p.m. through August 11 at Metamora-Hadley, Pontiac Lake and Island Lake.

explore the forest habitats during this hike, which begins at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 25, at May-

TURTLES, FROGS, SNAKES

Learn about some of the reptiles and amphibians that reside at Proud Lake during this program, which begins at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 25, at the Proud Lake Recreation Area. PIONEER LIFE

Get a taste of how pioneer chil

dren worked and played during their daily lives during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 28, at the Highland Recreation Area. **EVENING ANIMALS**

Learn about the creatures that are active after dark during this evening hike, which begins at 7 p.m. Thursday, july 30, at Maybury. Participants should meet at the Farm Demonstration Building at the main park entrance off Eight Mile Road

BIRD HIKE

Learn to identify some of the Ortonville Recreation Area in area's birds during this natural-Ortonville has rifle, pistol and ist-led hike, which begins at 8 shotgun shooting facilities. The a.m. Saturday, August 8 at May bury. Participants should meet Ortonville Recreation Area is at the riding stable parking lot ocated at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (248) 693-6767 for more informaoff Beck Road, 1/4-mile south of Eight Mile Rd.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nom nal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks toll free at the following numbers: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kens-

Metroparks annual vehicle entry permits and boat launching permits are on sale at all Metropark offices. 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

SUMMER STARS Homeschooled children will learn about summer constella tions and star legends then pain a t-shirt during this program. which begins at 11 a.m. Friday July 24, at Indian Springs.

RESCUE'S CAMPFIRE A family-oriented campfire pro-

Children ages 12 and under can gram featuring Rocs the Clown, magic, jokes, balloon animals and a hot dog roast begins at 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 24, at Stony Creek.

AMAZING ANIMALS

Ages six and older will make a project and participate in an activity while learning about our six-legged friends - insects - during this program, which begins at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 25, at Stony Creek.

NIGHT SKY

Toast marshmallows around a campfire while learning about summer constellations during this program, which begins at 9 a.m. Saturday, July 25, at Indian Springs. SEE OUR BONES

Children ages six and older will learn about how animals live and examine animal skeletons during this program, which

begins at 1 p.m. Sunday, July 26, at Stony Creek. THE BUGINATORS

Learn all about dragon flies and what makes them so interesting and important during this program, which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 26, at Kensington

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Hockey from page C1

Bobby Davis and Tony Guzzo. Guzzo also

had four assists. The Wolves (3-7) were led by Bill Traingoals were scored by Jim Wheaton (Plymouth), Jason Lawmaster (Westland) and Brent Bessey (Canton). Bessey also had

Ed Souilliere (Livonia) was in goal for in the net for the Wolverines.

Huskles 7, Bulldogs 6: Dan Hunt (Livonia) scored three goals - including the Kevin Huggard (Redford). David Scott eventual game-winner - and assisted on two others as the Huskies edged the Bulldogs Sunday at Plymouth.

The game featured two of the MSHL's top three teams, with the top team in the Eagle Conference falling to the Huskies, second place in the Bakes Conference.

The 'Dogs did have the early advantage, leading 2-1 after one period and 3-1on Ben Blackwood's second goal of the game with 10:13 left in the second period. But the Huskies rallied, scoring the next four goals (two of them by Hunt) to go in front,

From that point on, it was a dogfight. The Bulldogs' Matt Grant (LIvonia) narrowed the margin to 5-4 in the final sec-

Davis' goal early in the third pushed the Huskies' advantage back to two. After or (Canton), with three goals and two Chad Theuer again drew the 'Dogs to assists, and Dan Trainor (Plymouth), within one (6-5), getting a goal with 12:26 with two goals and two assists. Other left, Hunt got the game-winner with 10:53 remaining, keeping the Huskies in front,

Dogs, with 6:30 to go, but Huskies' goalie Ed Souilliere (Livonia), who shared time the Huskies. John Trainor (Canton) was in net with Ryan Davis, frustrated the Bulldogs the rest of the way. Other goal-scorers for the Huskies were

J.P. Hunt (Livonia), Pete Mazzoni and

(Canton) had three assists. The 'Dogs other goal came from Kevin Haggerty. Eric Bratcher had two assists. J.J. Weaks was in goal for the Bulldogs.

Broncos 16, Spartans 5: A nine-goal second period gave the Broncos (4-5-1) all the cushion they needed Monday at Ply-

Nick Smyth led the winners with three goals and two assists. Keith Pietila, Glenn Pietila, Eric Heltunen and Dwight Helminen each had two goals, with Helminen getting five assists.

assists, with Darrin Sylvester getting a the Wolves' lead to 10-8, Mark O'Connor

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onds of the second period, but a Bobby goal and three assists, Frank Bourbanais a goal and five assists, Corey Almas a goal and Lewis Lanway a goal.

The Spartans (1-9) got scores from Mike Hendrie, Joe Kustra, Craig Petser, Mark Pietila and Brian Halas (Canton). Mark Pietila and Halas each added two assists.

Kevin Brady (Livonia) was in goal for Blackwood got one more goal for the Broncos, while Mark Lavender played in the net for the Spartans.

> Wolverines 12, Falcons 8: The majority of the first period was a tightly-played defensive game Sunday at Plymouth Then Shaun Harrington (Livonia) erupted for the Wolves, scoring four goals in a 2 1/2-minute span, and the Falcons never Harrington finished with five goals and

two assists to pace the Wolverines. Dan Trainor (Plymouth) added three goals and assist, and Dennis Schimmelpfenneg (Canton) had two goals and an assist. Other goal-scorers for the Wolves were Daryl Schimmelpfenneg (Canton) and Brent Bessey (Canton). Bessey also had five assists, while Daryl Schimmelpfenneg and Dave Street added two assists

For the Falcons, who put together a four-goal rally in the third period - three Wildcats. Mark Lavender played in the Matt Langley added a goal and six of them by Scott Goleniak — to narrow net for the Spartans.

added two goals and Josh Shuryan, Scott Kale and Vic DeCina (Canton) scored one apiece. Goleniak also had three assists, while Rick Field, Vic DeCina and Paola DeCina contributed two assists apiece.

John Trainor (Canton) was in goal for the Wolves. Casey Osting and Matt Wierzba split time in goal for the Falcons.

Wildcats 13, Spartans 6: After a slow start Sunday at Plymouth, the Wildcats (5-5) caught fire and buried the Spartans with a 9-2 burst over the last two periods Tom Taylor led the 'Cats with four goals and three assists. Kyle McNeilance

(Livonia) added three goals and two

assists, while Matt Henderson (Livonia

accounted for two goals and six assists.

Other Wildcat goals came from Troy Taylor, who also had four assists; Brian Calka (Livonia); John Brodhun (Livonia) who also had two assists; and Shaun

The Spartans scored the game's first three goals, two by Mike Swistak. Swis tak and Mike Hendrie accounted for all the Spartan goals in the game, each get ting three. Chris Regner added two

Chuck Schervisch was in goal for the

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Gavie Tournament marks kickoff of bowling season



is less than a month away as the 62nd Annual John P. Gavie Memorial Tour-

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owling season

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John Gavie made his mark in our community in many ways and those bowlers who take to the lanes will forever be grateful for the many good things that occurred under his guidance and leadership.

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College-educated DBCF, 42, 5'5', easy-going, gentle, calm, enjoys Bible study, going to movies, learning new things, dining out and good conversation, seeks a SCM, 40-56, to share quiet times with.

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BE REAL

SBF, 45, 5'9", enjoys traveling, sports, movies and dining out, seeking an honest, sincere SBM, 40-55, without children, for friendship first. Ad#.1945 CAREFREE SPIRIT

WWWF, 55, 5'5", 130lbs., fun-loving, a good listener, enjoys traveling, biking and family, looking for a SWM, 55-65.

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MAYBE YOU & ME

She's a shy, never-married SWF, 34, 7", who enjoys baseball gam outdoors and movies, in search of a athletic SWM, 28-39, for friendship first. Ad#.4211

IS IT YOU?

She's in search of a SWM, 42-50, for friendship first. She's a DWCF, 46, 5'2", who enjoys movies, dancing and con-certs. Ad#.7893

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SMILE WITH ME I'm a SBM, 26, 6'2", with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys playing basketball, movies and more, in search of a SWF, 21-29, Ad#.8222

FRIENDS FIRST

This outgoing SBCM, 35, 5'6", 150lbs., seeks a professional SBCF, 26-34, N/S and non-drinker, who enjoys Bible study for friendship and companionship

COMMON BOND

Outgoing and friendly, he's a professional WWCM, 59, 6'2", whose interests include Bible study, golf, reading, theater, dining out and lots of laughter. He's seeking a special SWCF, 50-60, for companionship. Ad#.5845

This attentive Catholic SWM, 44, 5'10", who is a good conversationalist and has a wide variety of interests, is in search of a caring, affectionate Catholic SWF, 33-49. Ad#.4455

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Born-Again, musical SWCM, 35, 5'10". who enjoys volleyball, teaching Sunday school, bowling, golf, bicycling, travel, animals and more, seeks a SWCF, 25-37. with similar interests, leave a mes sage and we'll talk soon. Ad#.9631 TELL ME ABOUT YOURSELF

ver-married SWM, 31, 5'10", medium build, a Catholic, enjoys biking, rollerblading, going to movies, skiing and playing tennis, seeking a SWF, 24-35, for friendship first, maybe more. Ad#.7777

LISTEN CLOSELY SWM, 37, 6'4", 190lbs., with brown hair/eyes, who likes music, movies, dining out and church activities, is seeking

SWF, 30-40, with similar interests

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Understanding, employed Catholic SWM, 29, 6'2", 180lbs., with light brown hair and blue eyes, enjoys sports, biking, music and would like to meet an outgoing SWCF, 23-32, who has good values. Ad#.8868

LIGHT UP MY LIFE

Get together with this Catholic SWM, 39,

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TAKE A LOOK Self-employed, shy and quiet, SWM, 30, 6'1", looking to share mutual interests activities and friendship with a SWF, over

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I'M LOOKING SWM, 40, seeks a slender, athletic SWF, age unimportant, who enjoys golf, tennis, the outdoors, taking walks, the the-atre and romantic times, to share a longterm relationship. Ad#.8025

TO THE POINT This athletic SWM, 42, 6', enjoys working out and is seeking a slim DW Catholic F, of any age, to spend time

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FAMILY-ORIENTED?

This athletic, sincere, professional, fun-loving Catholic SWM, 43, 6'1", has a wide variety of interests, seeks a spontaneous, slender, attractive, romantic SWF, race and age unimportant. Ad# 2613

THE ANSWER IS HERE

Professional, outgoing SBCM, 33, 6', 185lbs., never-married, enjoys music, concerts, dining out, the park and traveling. He is seeking a SCF, 21+, with similar interests. Ad# 8262 DEEP BELIEFS He's a trim, muscular, professional SWM, 26, who is involved in church activities. His hobbies are working around his home, riding his motorcycle.

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Outgoing SWM, 22, 5'4", is a SWCF, 18-23, without children, for friendship. He loves amusement parks and movies. Give him a call! Ad#.1701 PERFECT CHEMISTRY

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ing, walking, being with his kids, roman-tic nights, seeks Catholic DWF, 30-40, who has children. Ad#,5858 TRY ME Shy SWCM, 25, 6'11", enjoys walking, dining out, music and movies, spending

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SWCF, 24-26. Ad#.8585

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ATTRACTIVE Athletic, attentive, sincere SWM, 6'1", seeks outgoing, big-hearted SWF 28+, who has direction in life Ad# 1111

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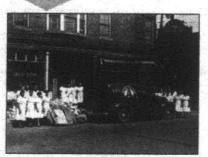
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SATURDAY



The Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History's two-part exhibition, "Detroit's Black Bottom and Paradise Valley: Help Us Collect Your Past," and "Juke Joint," opens today, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Admission \$5 adults, \$3 children (17 and under). Children under 5 admitted free. Call (313) 494-

SUNDAY



Barbie Amann of Livonia and Ralph Rosati are featured in SRO's production of "The Farndale Avenue Housing Estate Townswomen's Guild Dramatic Society's Production of Macbeth," 2 p.m. curtain at the Burgh, northeast corner of Civic Center Dr. and Berg Road (one block east of Telegraph) Southfield. Tickets \$8. children under 12 and senior adults, \$7, call (248) 827-



Hot Tix: The R.I.K. Reunion Band featuring, Tom Brown, (left), Ursula Walker, Marcus Belgrave and George Benson perform 7:30 p.m. Friday during Birmingham Jazzfest, Thursday-Saturday, July 23-25 in downtown Birmingham. Call (248) 433-FEST.

Pipers AND. ancers



Scottish tradition: Harold Higgins plays the pipes while Alexandra Bennett dances.

hey're calling it "The Fling in the Motor City," said co-chairman Bill Phenix of Plymouth, and if you're Scottish, or interested in all things Scottish, you'll want to be at the 149th Annual Highland Games, Saturday, Aug. 1, at Greenmead

Historical Park in Livonia. "It's a chance to see the absolute best Highland dancers in the United States and Canada," said Gor-

don Miller who is in charge of dancing for the event sponsored by St. Andrew's Society of Detroit. "There will be some world and former U.S. champions. It's the cream of the crop.

Dancing is one of the highlights of this year's

games, the second to be held at Greenmead.

In the morning, dancers from the Midwest area and Canada will compete in a dance competition hosted by the St. Andrew's Society. "There's always the possibility that there will be some dancers from Scotland," said Miller.

The United States Inter-Regional Highland Dance Championship competition begins in the afternoon. "Premiere dancers from all over the U.S. and Canada will be competing for the national title in five different age categories from children to adult," said Miller. To qualify for this competition, the dancers had to win regional competitions.

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1 4 9 T H ANNUA AN

WHEN: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 1 WHERE: Greenmead Historical Park, Newburgh (at Eight Mile

TICKETS: \$6 in advance, \$8 at the gate. Children under 12 free with adult. Advance tickets available at Greenmead, the Golden Girls in Royal Oak on Fourth St. (east of Main St.), or call Marty and Harold Hunter, (248) 545-1997. For general information, call (313) 832-1849. Check out the web site, WWW.Highlandgames.com

SHUTTLE LOTS: Schoolcraft College

(South of Seven Mile Road on Haggerty)

· Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church

(Six Mile Road, west of Haggerty) Complimentary shuttle buses will run every five to 10 minutes throughout the day, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Patron, handicap and limited general parking will be available in the Main Lot at Greenmead. Experience shows the Main Lot will be full by 10 a.m.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

- . 8:30 a.m. Games open for the public
- 9 a.m. Competitions begin, Piping, Highland Dance, Heavy Ath-
- . Noon Welcoming Ceremonies, Invocation & National Anthems, Lament for the Deceased, Massed Pipes and Drums, Parade of the Clans, Royal Scottish Country Dance Society

petitive Awards, Raffle Drawings.

ONGOING THROUGHOUT THE DAY: · Heavy Athletics - Amateur, Professional

- · Highland Dancing Championships Novice, Intermediate Advance, Open, Broadsword Dance Competition
- · Drum Major
- Piper and Drumming, Individual, Pipe Band
- Scottish Fiddle Demonstrations
- . Scottish Arts and Entertainment
- · Children's Events
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DANCE CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION WHERE: Sunday, Aug. 2

WHERE: University of Michigan Dearborn Field House, on Ever green (between Hubbard Dr. and Michigan Ave.) across from Fair-

ADMISSION: \$5 at the door

- Pre-championship Competition sponsored by the St. Andrew's Society, featuring premiere dancers from around the country who have never won a championship, 8-10 a.m.
- North American Highland Championship, featuring premiere dancers from the U.S., Canada and Scotland, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 2 at the University of Michigan Field House



Heavy Athletics: Frank Stasa III practices the hammer throw for the 149th Annual Highland



Playing The Palace: Tori Amos and her band perform tonight at The Palace of Auburn Hills.

Tori Amos says her songs want a band

The dark, dank St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit is one of the last venues you'd expect a quiet attentive crowd. Then again, Tori Amos fans are known for their discipline.

Some fans sat Indian-style waiting for the flame-haired pianist to hit the stage. Others talked about how they, like Amos, were raped and how the singer inspired them to seek

The late April show was one of a handful offering a sneak preview of Amos's latest album "From the Choirgirl Hotel" (Atlantic), her first written

specifically for a band. Wearing cut-off khaki shorts and a T-shirt, Amos straddled the piano bench alternating between a grand piano and a keyboard. As she threw her hair back, Amos showed a newfound confidence as her band, including noted rock drummer Matt Chamberlain, accompanied her.

In a phone interview late Friday night, Amos explained that she needed to stray from her piano-only setup.

"I think I took it as far as I could for myself and that unless I had challenged myself as a musician, I was just going to fall asleep. You can't keep repeating yourself all the time. You have to make shifts here and there," she

The band-driven "From the Choirgirl Hotel" was inspired by a river where she sought solace

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WHO: Ton Amos and special guest The

WHEN: 8 am Thursday, July 23

WHERE: The Palace of Auburn Hitls, 2 Championship

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Boston Pops, "the orchestra people aren't afraid of," will play at Interlochen Centers for the Arts and Fox Theatre during its "American Visions" tour.

"A lot of people like music in an informal setting, they don't think of themselves as classical music fans," said conductor Keith Lockhart explaining the Pops popularity "We manage to sneak music we'd like these people to hear, and it doesn't hurt a bit. We offer something for

everyone," Their Michigan performances will feature guest planist Leon Bates, We're coming to Detroit to pay homage to Motown, said

Lockhart. "It's one of the great musical traditions.

The concert will open with Boston Pops Laureate Conductor John Williams' "Liberty Fanfare," written for the centennial of the Statue of Liberty.

Bates will join Lockhart and the orchestra for a centennial satute to George Gershwin with a performance of "Rhapsody in

The second half of the program is sure to be a hit with baseball fans. It features Frank Proto's "Casey at the Bat," narrated by Curt Gowdy, and John Philip Sousa's "The National Game, March.

Concert highlights include selections from the Boston Pops "American Visions" album including Ron Nelson's "Savannah River Holiday," tunes from The Sound of Music," James Hørner's Love Theme from the movie "Titanic," and ends with "Mostly Motown," a new Boston Pops arrangement of Motown

When you think of the Boston Pops, it's hard not to think about Arthur Fiedler, the conductor whose name has become synonymous with the orchestra he helped turn into a national

-Please see POPS, E3



On tour: Keith Lockhart conducts the Boston Pops Esplanade Orchestra on its "Summer Visions" Tour.

one laughing at one of his topics

The humor of Durang seems to

mature audience would under-

stand the subtle remarks for

their full worthiness. To some

would be a waste.

Fling from page E1

Dance events continue on Sun-day at the Field House on the University-Michigan Dearborn campus. A pre-championship competition in the morning is open to all dancers who have never won a championship. The North American Highland Championship will follow. Three premiere pipers will accompany

the dancers. Alexandra Bennett is only 7. but she has been dancing since she was 4, and has won lots of medals. "It's fun," she says. Her mom, Geralyn, teaches Highland Dance and has fond memories of going to the games and competing.

"My mom was from Scotland," she said. "We still have family there. Dancing made me feel connected to them. It's something I did that was different from the other girls in school who were taking ballet and tap. It was neat. I still hang out with people I danced with when I was 8."

piper. "The pipers set the pace for the dancers," he said. Higgins has been playing the pipes for six years. His grandmother's all those crazy things like throwfrom Scotland, and playing the pipes was something he always wanted to do. His family is mer. These tests of strength are pleased with his decision.

"I've been taking lessons and

learning. It's difficult, you have overall in the heavy athletic to be disciplined, and prioritize," said Higgins who works for the Livonia Police Department. "I practice a half hour to an hour a

He'll be competing in the solo pipe competition at the games. and with the St. Andrews Society Harold Higgins of Livonia is a Pipe and Drum Band. Frank Stasa III enjoys compet ing in the athletic events. He's one of those big guys who does

> like a telephone pole, and a hama Scottish tradition. Last year Stasa took third

ing a cabre, the thing that looks

competition. "We do five events," he said. "It's like the Strongman Competition, not as demanding, but you need more skill. Everything pivots, you're spinning on one foot. Notice, I'm wearing a different shoe on each foot. You have to practice. It's hard work,

but I enjoy it." "The Chief of the Clan, Pauline He's got some Scottish blood, is Mullen Hunter, is coming from also of Czech and French ancestry. "When you come to this Scotland. The clan traces its lineage to the 1200s. We haven't event you can be Scottish for a whole day," he said. "You get the had a Clan Chief in recent memflavor of Scotland. They overcook ory. This is a big thing." their peas, but they're good people. They're talking about somehow. I like the meat pies.

making the games a two-day It's a nice layout. It's going to be event next year. It will be the crowded, but there's enough room to walk around." 150th annual

"The whole Scottish tradition The games are a good place to of clans is family, and this is a dig for your Scottish roots. Over family event," said Kinkaid. 30 clans will be represented. There will be vendors selling "We're hosting the Clan Hunter Scottish goods, Scottish food for General Membership Meeting, sale, and activities for children. said former chairman Bill They're bringing in Long-Kinkaid, a past president of the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit.

haired Highland Cattle, and there will be sheep herding and duck herding demonstrations by Highland Border Collies and Sheep Dogs throughout the day.

Be sure to visit the 18th Century Scottish military camp. You Last year's event drew 12,500 can watch military drills and hear the firing of muskets.

Tori from page E1

after losing her baby on Christ-"It really is about igniting this couldn't become the woman I

rhythm, an ancient primal was before. As a woman, I really

through after losing the baby. I

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rhythm that really got me didn't know what I could draw was. I just started to see how the on to even wake up in the morn- water had this rhythm in its started coming. I knew there was ing and want to be a part of the structure. Sometimes it was real- a rhythm to build into the writliving room with the spirits of ly turbulent, sometimes it was ing of the songs. I knew I had to

the dead," Amos explained. "I was trying to make contact with the being I wasn't able to save or even bargain her life for. It was completely out of my go back to the piano. hands so I spent a lot of time by

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quite fluid. I wanted to feel that inside of my being."

While sitting by the river, she explained, it "dawned on her" to

"After staring at the water for the water, by this river where I many, many days 'Pandora' (the

domino effect, she added. "The other songs (from previous albums) got jealous. They said, 'Why can't I have that too.' So a lot of the old songs are peing reworked."

explained.

would have to take a full instru-

mentation with me," Amos

The change brought about a

ike "Spark" required that Amos bring along a band on tour, something she knew would be challenging. "It really is challenging because you have to work as a

the time," Amos said accompanied by a chuckle. "It's not a backing band. As you know that's not the intention. It's very much about the

unit. It can't be all about you all

musicianship. You work as a Adding a band to her live

song 'Pandora's Aquarium'), change that Amos has made in the last year. She married her boyfriend, Mark Hawley, the record it live. Once I made that decision, I knew that then I

"I think we bonded, he and I, out of that experience. So when after we'd gone through so much he asked me to marry him, I was one of those people where I was never going to get married but it just was like this feels right. Not because of the religious side of it, but the ancient kind of just promise you make to somebody."

With all this, Amos has embarked on her first arena tour The thick, rich sound in songs which comes to The Palace of Auburn Hills Thursday, July 23. Her fans, as always, have been receptive, she said.

"I'm really lucky to have people that will say, 'Look, we'll give it a go. We're open enough to give it a go.' A lot of artists out there have people who are only with them because of one song. If you don't play that song like that every time they're out of there.

"With my fans, they're willing to give it a go. You can't ask for more than that.'

Revue cast is winning

The Gamut Theatre Group presents "And the Winner Is" 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25 and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, July 26, at the Theatre Guild of Livonia-Redford, 15138 Beech Daly, south of Five Mile. Tickets are \$10 and available by calling (734) 274-

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The Gamut Theatre Group affirms once again the abundant musical talent in the Detroit area. Gamut's current produc tion, "And the Winner Is," cele brates 50 years of Tony Awardwinning Broadway musicals From the rousing opening number ("Another Opening, Another Show" from Kiss Me Kate in 1948-49) to the radiant ("Circle of Life from The Lion King in 1998), the show is a winner in every respect.

and Brian Townsend (Dearborn) conceived, staged and perform in this 90-minute non-stop buffet of savory songs. Joining them are Annette Hissong (Westland), Jim Mead (Ann Arbor), Megan Meade-Higgins (Southfield) and Tom Morgan (Livonia).

Valerie Mangrum (Inkster)

Musical director Ken Pletzer (Dearborn), accompanies them on the piano and with compute aided instrumentation sounding like a full orchestra. Very impressive indeed.

Tying the whole thing together is a history lesson of interesting trivia. Each number is introduced with a brief comment. For example: there were two winners in 1960, "Fiorello" and "The Sound of Music." The movie "All About Eve" inspired the authors of the 1970 winner "Applause."

Shining most brightly in the galaxy of 50 sparkling numbers are Megan Meade-Higgins and Tom Morgan in "The Phantom of the Opera." Meade-Higgins shows her versatility with a gusty go at "Cabaret" from Cabaret (1967), And Morgan gives a lovely renditions of "The Impossible Dream" from The Man of La Mancha (1966).

Jim Meade delivers a powerful knockout performance of the song "Glory" from the 1996 Rock Opera winner Rent, And his satirical "One Last Kiss" from Bye, Bye Birdie (1961) is a hoot, especially his Elvis Presley end-

Brian Townsend has the gestures, facial expressions and vocal inflections of an accomplished performer. He handles different styles with equal aplomb.

Annette Hissong's "Memory" from Cats (1983) is indeed mem orable, and she scores again with "With One Look" from Sunset Boulevard (1995).

Valerie Mangrum's appealing style teased us with a short version of "Don't Cry for Me Argentina" from Evita (1980) She gives us the full treatment in "Hernando's Hideaway" from The Pajama Game (1955).



Conducting: Keith Lockhart leads the Boston Pops Esplanade Orchestra at Symphony Hall in Boston. They will perform in Detroit Aug. 1 at the Fox Theatre.

POPS from page E1

Now in his fourth season conducting the Pops, Lockhart who the classical music world, but I succeeded Williams in the role, like being involved in a lot of says a lot of people say he looks genres - from Mozart piano contoo young to be conductor. "They certs and Tchaikovsky to Buckremember a gray haired man in wheat Zydeco to Motown." his 80s," said Lockhart. "They

things that audiences love about takes. I'd rather let U2 do U2." and expect from the Boston Pops. "It's a successful tradition. ing the music. It's hard to imag-There's no reason to go and try ine "I Heard It Through the and change everything," said Grapevine," performed by an lance musicians from Boston,

else plays a role in the decisions good," said Lockhart. he makes. Examples are his col-

for college kids, we're seeing cou- something different next." ples in their 30s. We provide a The Boston Pops consists of fulfill."

two ensembles - The Boston significant amount of great sym-Pops Orchestra and The Boston phonic music. I cut my teeth in Pops Esplanade Orchestra The Boston Pops Orchestra includes members of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, minus 12 of the principals who tour as the

Musically, Lockhart said Boston Symphony Chamber forget Arthur Fiedler was the Fiedler was more contemporary same age as me, 35, when he got than he is. "Whatever was on the hear on "Evening at the Pops," top charts that month he played. Although he's following in the We give a heavy dose of Ameri- They perform in Symphony Hall footsteps of two superstars, can composers and music we in Boston from May through Lockhart is casting a shadow of think will excite our audience. mid-June, and at Tanglewood his own without changing the We don't do much of whatever it during the rest of the summer. Part of the problem is arrang-

orchestra without sounding like organized by the Boston Symelevator music. "We have a new phony Orchestra, performs He says he has a different per- staff arranger, Pat Hollenbeck, interests than his successors, ground, but hip enough to know ences will hear. and that more than anything how to make something sound

laborations with guest artists to hear, Lockhart hopes he teach- concerts at the Hatch Shell on such as Buckwheat Zydeco and es them something too. "Every-the Charles River Esplanade thing pops does is outreach and during July; and perform Christson tune into "The Celtic education," he said. "We want to mas Pops concerts and a New Album," the second of three he push a button, click a little Year's Eve gala. recorded with the Boston Pops. switch to get people excited and

The Boston Pops Esplanade Orchestra, which consists of free-

Players. It's the orchestra you

broadcast nationally on PBS.

annually on the Fourth of July sonality, set of strengths and who has an orchestra back- It's the orchestra Michigan audi-They perform in Symphony Hall from mid-June through By playing music people want mid-July, present free outdoor

Pops series.

"Freelance musician is kind of

"The audience for pops is more enjoy what they're listening to. misleading," said Lockhart, "It's diverse," he said. "There's a sig- They'll say 'OK, I'll spend 6 or 7 a stable group. Their contracts nificant amount of younger peo- minutes with Stravinsky. If I are renewed on a year-by-year ple. It's becoming a date night don't like it I know there will be basis. There's more demand for concerts than one orchestra can

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'Sweet, Sassy' is twisted, funny West End Productions presents cast, this performance offered small venue offered the players Sweet, Sassy & Durang," short audience members a chance to chance to extend the range of the plays by Christopher Durang, 9 laugh and sometimes not even stage beyond the audience. p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, July 24- know why. While the content of Linda Hammell played the open-25 and July 31-Aug. 1, at the the performance seems to be ing character, talking to audi-Wunderground Theatre, 110 S. directed at the twenty-some- ence members as she walked Main St., above ACE Hardware, thing generation, the more sub- onto the stage before offering a Royal Oak. Tickets \$12, call (248) the jokes are left for an older welcome to the entire audience.

crowd. Imagine Tennessee Williams' "Streetcar Named Desire" placed in the 1990s, throw in some "Sweet, Sassy & Durang" homosexual references, twist it quite a bit, and you come close to a short called "Desire, Desire, Desire." West End Productions are writ-

Many of the shorts are Durang's strange, insightful look the topics can be considered at his own thoughts and feelings. touchy to some. His sense of The actors and actresses very humor is extraordinary, leaving aptly dove into this bizarre world of Durang. The shorts room to move and flow into the and later wondering why it was were mixed together with some next scene. Clean-up and progso funny then, yet so disturbing of their own song and dance rou- changing was played-off as other tines. Don't let them fool you, this wasn't the "Nutcracker. Where on Broadway can you find try to push the audience as far the song "The Homecoming impact than one could imagine: as it can go, then farther. A more Queen" where the newly elected Homecoming Queen loses it and blows away half of her class?

people, it may be offending. However not to see the humor in it Coupled with the hilarious the friendliness of the cast. The excellent performances.

The acting talents of each of the players were superb. Director, choreographer and actress Francine Jo Hachem overdid herself throughout the play; best shown as she left the audience in tears of laughter with her mono-

logue "Jane Doe." The stage was set with no backgrounds and little props leaving ample room for the audience to use their imagination: The lack of backdrops left open skits making a continuous show.

The entire show had more The dialogue, players and even the audience added to the strange and demented world The friendship between the according to Christopher players can be seen on the stage. Durang. Anyone looking for a Each one brought something else reason to laugh, or just to conto add. Even the stage carried template, should look into these



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GAMUT THEATRE GROUP And the Winner Is ..., a musical history lesson through the last 50 years of Tony Award-winning musicals, 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25; 2:30 p.m. Sunday July 26, Theatre Guild of Livonia-Redford 15138 Beech Daly (south of Five Road, across from Redford Ctly Hall and Fire artment). Tickets \$10, at the door, of call (734) 274-6493, voice mail option 2. PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN "First Dates and Fickle Hearts," a collec

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Sweet, Sassy & Durang," short plays by Christopher Durang with Sweet and Sassy an evening of comedy relief, 9 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, July 24-25 and July 31 Aug. 1, at the Wunderground Theatre, 110 S. Main St., above ACE Hardware, Royal Oak. \$12. (248) 541-1763

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"The Time Machine " based on H.G. Wells" story about a society in the distant future and two opposting groups; the Eloi and Molocks, 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Friday, July 23-24, at Andover High School, on Andover Road, Bloomfield Hills. \$3. (248)

TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS "Really Rosie," a musical comedy by Maurice Sendak and Carole King, 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 31-Aug. 1, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 2, at the Theatre Guild of Livonia Redford, 15138 Beech Daly, south of Five Mile, Livonia. \$5. (313) 535-8962 YOUNG VOICES PROJECT Staged reading of the play "He Found a

teway to Freedom: The Peter Denision Story," 11 a.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25, Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, 315 E. Warren, Detroit \$5, \$2 youths. (313) 872-0279

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> AUDITIONS /WORKSHOPS

ANN ARBOR CIVIC THEATRE Hosts informational meeting for those interested in auditioning for its fall pro ductions, 7 p.m. Monday, July 27, Civic Playhouse, 2275 Platt Road, Ann Arbor. This year's productions include "On Golden Pond," "How to Succeed in Business Without Really Trying," and "The Snow Oueen." (734) 971-0605 SUMMER MUSIC SCHOOL

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274-9092. For performances Sept. 24-25 and Oct. 2-3. WYANDOTTE COMMUNITY THEATRE Auditions for the musical "Damn 'ankees," 6:30-9 p.m. Wednesda Thursday, July 29-30, at the Copeland Center, Fourth and Mulberry streets. Wyandotte. Performances second and third weekends in October. (734) 438

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MOTOR CITY THEATRE ORGAN SOCIETY Movies and concerts series continues with "The Grapes of Wrath" starring Henry Fonda, Jane Darwell and John Carradine, guest organist Wilma Taylor Steslick, :30 p.m. Friday June 26, and 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 27, the istoric Redford Theatre, 17360 Lahser a Grand River, Detroit. Organ overture precedes film, guest organist Gus Borman \$2.50 (313) 531-4407

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DWIGHT ADAMS TRIO 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, July 25, as part the Birmingham Jazz Festival, Edison's 220 Merrill St., Birmingham, Free, 21 and older. (trumpet/plano/bass) (248) 645

SEAN BLACKMAN With John Arnold, 10 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25, and with Wayne Girard, 10 p.m. Friday, July 31, Jimmy's, 123 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms, Free, 21 and older. (gypsy jazz) (313) 886-8101

SANDRA BOMAR TRIO 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Friday, July 24, as part of the Birmingham Jazz Festival Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (vocal/piano/bass trio) (248) 645-2150 GEORGE DUKE

at the Coffee Bean Company, 844 With R. Ferrell and Rashaan Patterson, I Penniman at Harvey, Plymouth, (734) 459 p.m. Saturday, July 25, Chene Park, 2600 . Atwater St., Detroit. \$18.50-\$46.50. Al ages. (313) 393-0292 HEIDI HEPLER & MICHELE RAMO With Southwest Detroit poets Jacquein Sanchez and Mary Minock, with Broadside 6-10 p.m. Mondays, at Too Chez. 27155 Sheraton Dr., Novi; 6:30-9:30 p.m. Press poet Willie Williams and west

ednesdays and Saturdays at Encore is the Quality Inn. 1801 S. Telegraph Road. loomfield Hills; 7-10 p.m. Fridays, at Cafe Cortina, 30715 W. 10 Mile Road. armington Hills; 11 a.m. to 3 p.m Saturdays, at Vic's Market, 42875 Grand River Ave., Novi. (248) 348-5555/(248) 335-3790/(248) 626-7393/(248) 474-3033/(248) 305-7333 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, Rochester Mills

Beer Co., 400 Water St., Rochester, Free. 18 and older. (acid jazz) (248) 650-5080 RON KISCHUK QUINTET Featuring vocalist Susan Taylor, 7 p.m. horsday, July 23, The Plaza at the intersection of Kercheval and St. Clair, in

(313) 886-7474

"PICNIC DANCE" With food and music by Ted Koltowicz and his Sparks of Fire Orchestra, 2 p.m. Sunday, July 26, American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Mapie Road, Troy \$4 A Grosse Pointe's Village Shopping district Please see next page

Arbor, \$7, (734) 665-8863

FOURTH FRIDAY FLING

KATHY KOSINS TRIO 8 p.m. Thursday, July 23 and 30, Duet, 3663 Woodward Ave. (at Martin Luther King Boulevard), Detroit. (313) 831-3838

HEILA LANDIS With Rick Matle, as part of the ningham Jazzfest, 8-11 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Coffee Beanery, 152 N. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. All ages: With her trio featuring Rick Matle as part of the Birmingham Jazzfest, 9 p.m to 1 a.m. Friday-Saturday, July 24-25. Alban's, 35064 Woodward Ave tirmingham, Free, All ages; With Rick Matle, 8 p.m. to midnight Tuesday

Vednesday, July 28-29, Duet, 3663 Woodward Ave. (at Mack Avenue), etroit. Free. All ages; 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Friday, July 31, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248 646-6022/(248) 258-5788/(313) 831-3838/(248) 645-2150 MAINSTREAM QUARTET

8 p.m. Friday, July 24, Duet, 3663 Woodward Ave. (at Martin Luther King Boulevard), Detroit. (313) 831-3838 9 p.m. Tuesday, July 28, Bird of Paradise

207 S. Ashley St., Ann Arbor. Cove

Pontchartrain, 2 Washington Blvd.,

charge, 21 and older, (acid jazz) (734) 662-8310 JEFF MICHAEL BAND 6-10 p.m. Thursday-Friday, July 23-24, in the Coyote Cantina at the Crowne Plaza

MATT MICHAELS TRIO With saxophone player George Benson, 8 L1:30 p.m. Thursday, July 23; With trum-

peter Johnny Trudell, 8 11:30 p.m. hursday, July 30, at the Botsford Inn 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills, \$5 cover waived with dinner until 9 p.m., \$5 trink minimum. Reservations recommend-ROBERT PHIPO DUO 8 p.m. Monday, June 27, Duet, 3663 Woodward Ave. (at Martin Luther King

Soulevard), Detroit, (313) 831-3838 CHUCK SHERMETARO TRIO 8 p.m. to midnight Thursday, July 30, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham ree. 21 and older. (piano/bass/drums (248) 645-2150 URSULA WALKER AND BUDDY BUDSON

With Dan Kolton, 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Thursdays and Fridays at Forte, 201 S Woodward Ave., Birmingham, Free, 21 and older. (248) 594-7300 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday, July 25

Agape Caffe, 205 Fifth Ave., Royal Oak Free. All ages. (248) 546-1400

"AFRICAN RHYTHMS SUMMER With Women of the Calabash, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 25; and Ensemble Kalinda 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 13. Orchestra Hall 3663 Woodward Ave., Detroit, \$15.\$40

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Free. All ages. (Celtic) (734) 668-7100 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Heritage Park Pavilion, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Free, All ages; 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday, July 24, Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mound Road, Shelby Townshi Free. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday, July 31, The Library Pub, 42100 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and olde (reggae) (734) 397-1000/(810) 731

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BUGS BEDDOW BAND 9:30 p.m. to midnight Thursday Saturday. Jlv 23-25, as part of the Bi Festival, Max and Erma's, 250 Merrill St. Birmingham; 1-2 p.m. Saturday, July 25 Shain Park, downtown Birmingham, (trom-

bone-driven party blues) (248) 258-188//248) 644-5832 BIDDLE LOVE MONKEY 9 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cov. charge, 18 and older (rock) (734) 485

BIG DAVE AND THE ULTRASONICS 9:30 p.m. Saturday, July 25, Blind Pig. 206:208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$6, 19 and older. (jump blues) (734) 996-8555 BIZER BROTHERS

8 p.m. to midnight Fridays Saturdays, July 24-25, and July 31 Aug. 1. The Rattlesnake Club, 300 River Place Detroit. Free. All ages. (pop) (313) 567

Thursday, July 23, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit \$27.50 18 and older (rock) (313) 961 MELT or ttp://www.961melt.com MARY J. BLIGE With Brian McKnight, 8 p.m. Sunday, July

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and older (blues) (248) 334 5241/(248) 8:30 p.m. Friday Saturday, July 24:25. Smitty's, 222 Main St., Rochester Free All ages: 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 29, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave. Bloomfield Hills, Free, All ages, (R&B)

(248) 652 1600/(248) 644 4800 ROBERT BUGAR Whose vocals have appeared in "Xena The Warrior Princess' television show 6 30 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 24. Kellogg Park. Ann Arbor Trail and Main Street, Plymou Free. All ages. (rock) (734) 453 1234 BUSTER'S BLUES BAND

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Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, With Siouxsie Sioux and Budgie, with Joh Independence Township, \$29.50 pavilion Cale, 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, State \$20 lawn. All ages. (248) 377-0100 or Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. http://www.palacenet.com \$20 in advance, \$25 day of show. All JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB ages. (alternapop) (313) 961-5451 Vinnie Mack, Jodie Weiner and Rich DEFAMATION OF CHARACTER Higginbottom, Thursday-Saturday, July 23-With Perpetual Hype Engine, Circle of 25: Kirk "Fabio Man" Noland, Pete LaDuke Kunfusion and Evanol, 9 p.m. Saturday,

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Manny Shields, 9 p.m. Sunday, July 26;

29, at the club, 7640 N. Wayne Road

Bill Hildebrandt, 9 p.m. Wednesday, July

Westland. \$3. 21 and older. (734) 422-

7:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, Pine Knob Music

Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 996-9080

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and Rich Higginbottom, Thursday-Saturday, July 25, Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut July 30-Aug. 1 (\$12), at the club above St., Mount Clemens, Cover charge, 18 and Kicker's All American Grill, 36071 older. (rock) (810) 465-5154 Plymouth Road, Livonia. 9 p.m. DETROIT BLUES BAND Wednesdays (\$2), 9 p.m. Thursdays (free 9 p.m. Friday, July 31, Bad Frog, 555 S. 9 p.m. Friday (\$10), and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturdays (\$10), unless otherwise older. (blues) (248) 624-9400

noted. (734) 261-0555 With Nailing Betty, 9:30 p.m. Saturday, JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S July 25, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw. Steve Bill, 9 p.m. Friday, July 24 (\$6), and Pontiac, Cover charge, 21 and older 9 p.m. Saturday, July 25 (sold out); at the (rock) (248) 334-9292 club,5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. **GLEN EDDIE**

(313) 584-8885 8 p.m. Thursday, July 30, Fox and Hounds MAINSTREET COMEDY SHOWCASE 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Jim Hamm, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday Free. All ages. (blues) (248) 644-4800 aturday, July 24-25 (\$9); Wayne Cotter ELIZA 8:30 p.m. Thursday, July 30 (\$9), and 8 10 p.m. Wednesday, July 30, Mount p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jul 31-Aug. 1 (\$12), at the club, 314 E.

Chalet, 32955 Woodward Ave., Royal Oal Free. 21 and older; 10 p.m. Friday, July 31 Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mound Road, Utica, Free, 21 and older, (pop) (248) 549-2929/(810) 731-1750 FATHERS OF THE ID Oakland University, Walton Boulevard and Adams Road, Rochester. \$22.50 pavilion

8 p.m. to midnight Saturdays through September Johanson-Charles Gallery, 1345 ivision, in Detroit's Eastern Market. Free, donations accepted. All ages. (alternative ock) (313) 567-8638 NEIL FINN ormerslead singer of Crowded House, 9

m. Friday, July 31, Clutch Cargo's, 65 E Huron St., Pontiac. \$20 in advance, \$23 day of show. All ages. (pop) (248) 333-2362 or http://www.961melt.com 5 p.m. Saturday, July 25, The Shelter

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charge, 18 and older, (funk) (734) 485-GAP BAND With Cameo, 8 p.m. Friday, July 24, Chene Park, 2600 E. Atwater St., Detroit \$18.50-\$38.50. All ages. (funk) (313)

ART GARFUNKEL 8 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Meadow Brook Music Festival, Oakland University, Walton Boulevard and Adams Road, Rochester. \$22.50 pavilion, \$12.50 lawn. (pop) (248) 377-0100 or http://www.palacenet.com

THE GENITORTURERS 8 p.m. Sunday, July 26, St. Andrew's Hall 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$12, 18 and older. (punk) (313) 961 MELT or 'N SYNC http://www.961melt.com 10 p.m. Friday, July 24, Library Pub.

2100 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and older: 10 p.m. Saturday, July 25 Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mound Road, Utica. NATION OF FEAR Free, 21 and older; 9 p.m. Sunday, July 26, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St. Royal Oak, Free, 21 and older; 10 p.m. Thursday, July 30, Library Pub. 35230 Central City Parkway, Westland, Free, 2 and older. (rock) (248) 349-9110/(810) 731-1750/(248) 543-4300/(734) 421-

nd pider (rock) (248) 349-2600 ORIGINAL HITS with Admiral Twin, 8 p.m. Tuesday, Ju 28. The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (1.75 and Lapeer Road) RON OSTER Auburn Hills. \$28.50. All ages. (pop)

(248) 377-0100 or Blues Alley, 24200 Grand River Ave., http://www.palacenet.com Detroit. Free. 21 and older (blues) (313) TODO HAROLD BAND 9 p.m. Saturday, July 25, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti, Cover

charge, 18 and older, (rock) (734) 485 LUCKY HASKINS With Mazinga, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Blind Pig. 206-208 S. First St., Ann

Arbor. \$4, 19 and older. (rockabilly) (734) 996-8555 HENTCHMEN 9 p.m. Saturday, July 25, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit, \$6, 18 and older (garage rock) (313) 961-MELT or

http://www.961melt.com 6-10 p.m. Wednesday, July 29, D.L. Harrington's, 2086 Crooks Road, Rochester, Free, All ages, (blues) (248)

LISA HUNTER 9 p.m. Saturday, July 25, Lonestar Coffee House, 207 S. Old Woodward Ave.,

Birmingham, Free, All ages; As host of Gargoyle's, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac Free All ages: 9 30 p.m. Thursday, July 30, Tap oom, 201 W. Michigan Ave., Ypsilant Cover charge, 21 and older (acoustic rock) (248) 642 2233/(248) 745 9790/17341 482 5320 NIKKI JAMES AND THE

FLAMETHROWERS 10 p.m. Friday, July 24. Giovanni s. 31 N. Saginaw, Pontiac Free 21 and older, 10 om Saturday July 25. The Lodge, 2442 Orchard Lake Road, Sylvan Lake, Free, 2

JOHNNY "YARD DOG" JONES pm. Thursday, July 23, Fifth Avenue 215 W. Fifth Ave., Royal Oak \$3, 21 and ler (hlues) (248) 542 9922 ROBERT JONES

8:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 29, Rochester Mills Beer Co., 400 Water St. Rochester Free 18 and older, With to Serrapere, T om to midnight Friday, July 31, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St. Detroit Cove# charge, 21 and older (blues) (248)

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Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road,

7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 26, The Ark, 316

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Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills, Free, Al

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ountry/blues/rock) (734) 761-1451 or

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With The Whispers, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Jul 6. Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township \$35 pavilion, \$18.50 lawn. Tickets from original date of June 30 will be honored. All ages. (R&B) (248) 377-0100 or http://www.palacenet.com

With Blood and Fire, and These 5 Down. p.m. Friday, July 24 (\$7); and Living Sacrifice, Red Letter and One Bad Apple 5 p.m. Sunday, July 26 (\$10), as part of he alcohol-free "Cage" night sat Knights of Columbus Hall, 35100 Van Born (1/4 mile east of Wayne Road), Wayne, All ages. (hardcore) (734) 729-7092

7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 25, Hazel Park Racetrack, 1650 E. 10 Mile Road, Hazel Park. (R&B) (248) 398-1000 LITTLE RED AND THE BIG BLUES BAND 8 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills.

Free, All ages. (blues) (248) 644-4800 THE LOOK 10 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, July 23-25, Library Pub, 35230 Central City Parkway Westland, Free, 21 and older, (rock) (734)

LOVERBOY With Night Ranger, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday July 28, Pine Knob Music Theatre, 1-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township, Tickets at Ticketmaster, All

ages. (rock) (248) 377-0100 or ://www.palacenet.com THE MAVERICKS With BR5-49, 8 p.m. Friday, July 24, Meadow Brook Music Festival, Oakland iversity, Walton Boulevard and Adams

1-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. Tickets at Ticketmaster, All Road Rochester, \$30 pavilion, \$15 lawn ages. (pop) (248) 377-0100 or (country/rock) (248) 377-0100 or http://www.palacenet.com RON PRINCE AND HARD TIME STEVE MILLER Vith Little Feat, 7 p.m. Thursday, July 30 Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and

Sashabaw Road, Independence Township \$37.50 pavilion, \$21.50 lawn. All ages. (rock) (248) 377-0100 or THE REEFERMEN http://www.palacenet.com THE MIRACLEBERRIES 9 p.m. Friday, July 31, Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens. Cove

charge. 18 and older. (rock) (810) 465-With Al Carmichael, 7:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, Center Stage, 39940 Ford Road, Canton, \$13 in advance by sending cashier's check or money order to Star Promotions Plus, 1434 Stacy,

Canton, Mich., 48188; or \$15 at the doo II ages. (pop) (734) 397-0862/(734) 728-1497 MOTORFEST" aturing Speedball and a host of other Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. \$17 in advance, \$20 day of show. All ages.

JO SERRAPERE ock) (248) 333-2362 or ittp://www.961melt.com 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 24, Rochester Mills Beer Co., 400 Water St., Rochester, Free SISTER SEED 18 and older. (blues) (248) 650-5080

:30 p.m. Friday, July 31, Royal Oak Music Theatre, 318 W. Fourth St. Oak. \$17.50. All ages. (pop) (248) 546-650-5080/(248) 334-5241 SITTIN' IN With Cybertrybe and Glitch, 3:30-8 p.m. 9 p.m. Friday Saturday, July 31 Aug. 1

Thursday, July 30, Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens, Cover charge All ages. (rock) (810) 465-5154 9:30 p.m. Friday, July 24, Local Colors 42705 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21

Jean and the Refugee Allstars with Canibus, Busta Rhymes, Gang Starr and July 29 Pine Knob Music Theatre, I 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield H ree: All ages. (variety) (248) 644-4800 Township \$30 pavilion \$24.50 lawn, All ages. (rap/hip-hop) (248) 377-0100 or 9 p.m. Thursday, July 30, Carriage House

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Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (I-75 and Lapeer Road), Auburn Hills, Sold out, All

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and older. (rock) (248) 334-9292 MARY THOMPSON AND THE DELTA 8 p.m. to midnight Fridays, July 24 and 31, Lone Star Coffee House, 207 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham, Free, All ages. (blues) (248) 642-2233

N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge, 21

9 p.m. Thursday, July 30, Cross Stree Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 18 and older, (alternative rock)

TRICKY 9 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Clutch Cargo's 6 p.m. Tuesday, July 28, The Shelter below 65 E. Huron, Pontiac, \$16 in advance, All ages. (248) 333-2362 or p://www.961melt.com THE TRIGGERS

With Stungun and Firebug, 9:30 p.m. rog, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham Thursday, July 30, Blind Pig, 206-208 S Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, First St., Ann Arbor, \$4, 19 and older rock) (734) 996-8555 DUKE TUMATOE AND THE POWER TRIO 9 p.m. Thursday, July 23, Carriage House Blues Alley, 24200 Grand River Ave.. ages. (blues) (248) 624-9400/(248) 644

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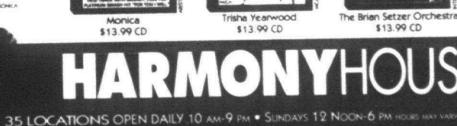
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Hamtramck stars in disappointing 'Polish Wedding'

ish Wedding. Former resident Theresa Connelly has captured the unique physical qualities of ry-filled skylines, moonlit back alleys, even weed-choked empty

never appears in

was for me the

true star of "Pol-

lots, with the lens of a talented And for the packed preview screening last week, seeing their nometown on the big screen was

Hamtramck swooning. Spontaneous claps, laughs or "that's me" peppered metro Detroit's crowd scene with extras Polish enclave

As a Detroit movie, "Polish Wedding" earns four stars. The problem is: when the independent film, distributed by Fox Searchlight, opens elsewhere on the planet, it will have most viewers scratching their heads. If I was reviewing this movie in Chicago, San Francisco, or even Grand Rapids, I'd probably give

The movie doesn't lack talent -Gabriel Byrne, Lena Olin, and summers ago, and you can see Claire Danes are members of the Pzoniak family. Papa Bolek is the stoic baker and chain smok-

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enough to send metro Detroiters er. Wife Jadzia's frequent be almost ethereal and spritewoman's league meetings are like in her magical fascination actually excuses for romantic the film, but the auditorium whenever a trysts with a bearded business-

Daughter Hala, meanwhile, seems to take after the old lady, sneaking off into the night for rendezvous with a handsome young policeman, a friend of her brother's. Her resulting pregnangargles his lines and spends cy compromises her role in her church's annual Parade of the Virgin, where she has been chosen to represent all that is good and virtuous. Danes was only 17 when "Pol-

As the family matriarch, Olin does what she does best: look ish Wedding" was shot here two sexy. No other actress can make the simplest task - from kneading pierogi dough to scrubbing her searching for a way through floors - look so sensual. Ultithis difficult role. Writer/director Connelly obviously wants her to mately, these public displays grow embarrassing rather than charming and funny.

> Connelly also misses the boat by making the family so insular. There are virtually no minor characters in the film - no prudish neighbors, no fellow workers at the bakery - to put the family in perspective. For all the world knows, Hamtramck is this hotbed of unbridled passion and dysfunction. Some grumblings have come

with men, but the idea is botched

And this is where the movie

really flounders. Never once did I

believe that I was watching real

people. No one has a handle on

what is expected of them, espe-

cially Byrne, the Irish actor who

most of his performance looking

resigned and world-weary.

when reality rears its head.

from the Polish American com-John Monaghan welcomes munity about this skewed poryour calls and comments. You can listen to him on Dave Dixon's trayal. But, mostly, "Polish Wedding" is an inoffensive lark -Radio Show AM 1270, 8 p.m. to midnight Saturdays. To leave unless, of course, you care about little things like plot, character John a voice mail message, dia (734) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, mailbox 1866.



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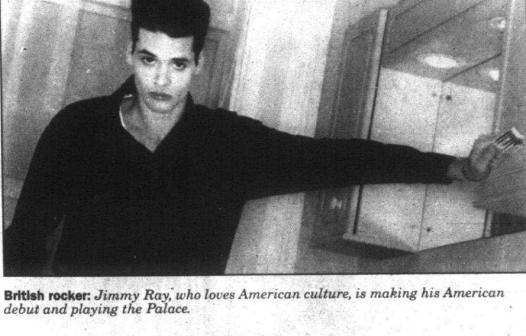
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Friday, July 24, at The Palace of Oak as his Mecca. It's not as if all of that was his hair slicked back into a pom- sparkling cowboy shirt. Auburn Hills, Ray will probably see the store Decades in Royal

unexpected. On the back of his padour, is wearing cowboy boots,

Hilberry mixes classic and modern plays

self-titled debut (Epic), Ray, with an oversized belt buckle and a

crete. Then you knead it, which is such hard work that you'll actually ache the next day. The Anderson, who's working hard mass fights back as you attempt to knead it, sticking to everyon the upcoming season at the flour on all proximal surfaces. Once kneaded, you let the blob rise, only to mercilessly beat it down with your bare fists. Undeterred by your show of hostility, the blob rises again. Next, you force the goo into formed

Then, and only then, do you finally put the stuff into a preheated oven to bake. That's when you finally get a breather. The oven does all the work. Baking shouldn't be called "baking." It should be called "Is This Really Worth It When Koepplinger's From one of the goodfellas who brought you Airplane! and Hot Shots!

murder

To say that English pop singer Jimmy Ray is obsessed with

American culture is an under-

statement. Looking around his

London apartment, Ray lets

pose a long list of his pop cul-

"I've got thousands of books on

all things American. A lot of stuff

about (John F.) Kennedy - good

and bad. A lot of Elvis stuff. A lot

of stuff about American music,

Muhammad Ali, all the 'Star

Wars' scripts. My whole bath-

room is black and white photos

of my pop idols and a lot of Jimi

Hendrix, Mickey Mouse and

Donald Duck stuff," Ray said

"Tve got the Boulevard of Bro-

ken Dreams' photo. I've got a

Batman jug with kitchen uten-

sils in it. I've got Elvis magnets

on the fridge and atop the fridge

Torino with a New York police

car and a taxi cab following it."

American dream gone wrong."

BACKSTAGE

is Starsky and Hutch's Grand

"My life is pretty much the

When he pulls into town to

open for the Backstreet Boys on

veast or whatev-

er. Then you get

suring cups,

ulas. Then you

put it all togeth-

approximately

papsing to catch his breath.

together your easy part, "baking," to fool you ingredients, like into thinking it's something you flour, oil, and can actually do at home.

Usually, when we enjoy a finished product, a lot of hard work together your and preparation is invested, tools, like mea- work that we rarely have a chance to see. That's why on Backstage Pass on Detroit Public Festival where he was associate Television we often show the artistic director, and most behind-the-scenes work that recently at Florida State Univerer, creating a goes into the arts that we enjoy. And while Fall is the season full of art openings and premieres, has a deep and active interest in who haven't been down in years Summer is the time when a traditional jazz. He's served as a - will join those who have activewhole lot of the hard work and preparation is being done. So I thought I'd call Blair

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> Wow. That's a load. "Yes it is. But we have some new faculty the duties of promotion and pubmembers working with us. Their licity director for our Hilberry

> > romance

bring interesting points of view was, I believe, a directing major to the Hilberry." OK, Blair, run it down to me "Ed Smith, who I believe

directs our first show, "The opera companies across the Mousetrap," comes via the State University of New York at Buffalo. The Alabama Shakespeare sity. Ed has directed across the radio-jazz host and interviewer both in Buffalo and Tallahassee, Florida.

"Jerry Cleveland comes most recently from Hampton University outside Washington, D.C. As far as I know, Jerry directs "The Playboy of the Western World" in the spring. A Cass Tech gradu-Broadway, on national and international tours, from Radio City Music Hall to Australia and Nigeria. Most recently at Hampton he directed "Midsummer Night's Dream" and "The Piano Lesson." His experience and Pullman and his utopian vision energetic spirit will be exciting as he joins our program. "Finally, Chris Jones takes on p.m. on Detroit Public Television

music by coupling a tired harmonica with a hip-hop beat. First you get They only named it after the arrival is exciting because they and Bonstelle Theatres. Chris here at Wayne 15 or so years ago and here most recent experiences have been with various

"On top of all that change, we will also have about fourteen new actors joining the company because we just graduated our largest group ever. I hope everyone - the curious who might like country at regional theaters and to check us out, or maybe folks y supported us and keep coming Finally, Blair, what are you

directing? "Moliere's 'Scapin.' It's less a comedy of manners, like "Tartuffe" or "The Imaginary Invalid," but rather it shares his comedic slap-stick techniques he used as an actor when he toured ate in 1970, Jerry worked as a with his troupe in France. It's in professional stage manager on the "commedia dell'arte" tradition and a great theatrica This week, Kim Hunter join: the Salsa dance craze, Marsha Miro's look at Monet at U-M plus music from "Sweeny Todd

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fied Bo Diddley beat and addic-

steering away from the doldrums "One track, "Trippin' on Baby of alternative rock and aiming for "the more colorful side of Blue, has a bit of a Smokey kind of thing. I certainly don't think it music. "You do have a lot of that," Ray comes anywhere near the stars of the Motown days. I've always said about alternative rock and been a fan of pop music. Motown grunge. "Even when I was in the States recently, I was promoting made some of the greatest pop my song and hearing a lot of records of all time," he explained. New wave acts of the 1980s records like the Backstreet Boys

also played a part of the creation and 'N Sync. But there would be

STREET SCENE

"The first record I ever bought should always be some kind of was by the Human League, 'Dare' That kind of spells out a The tour with the Backstreet little bit about where I came Boys is Ray's first of the United from. I quickly moved onto '60s rock 'n' roll - Little Richard, States, aside from promotional appearances at radio stations. Elvis and stuff like that. That

a very heavy amount of Match-

box 20, and a lot of people who

dress in black. I think that there

"I couldn't ask for anything. really meant a lot to me," Ray more, in terms of opportunities to play for people. I love the "I also listened to the Pet Shop States. I only had one bad expe-Boys and Madonna. I've always rience in Oklahoma and I won't go into that." been a fan of pop music. I'm too lazy to hunt out underground

"On stage I'm very erratic and kind of impromptu and I never His debut has spawned the know what's going to happen. shimmying introduction "Are You I'm looking forward to an exciting opportunity to fool around." Ray is also excited about exploring the United States.

tive chorus ("Are you Johnnie I grew up in East London. It's Ray?/Are you Stingray?/Are you Fav Wray?/Are you Jimmy not very colorful. It's not like the United States where there's a lot "Daddy's Got a Gun" shares of sort of glamour and glitz going his love of westerns and pop on. In America everything seems to be more over the top. Even the buildings. And the cars; take an old caddy and compare it to a Ford Capri which you see driving umped in with acts like the around London. America's got a Backstreet Boys, the Spice Girls, little bit more get up and go."

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DINING

Birmingham's Avant Garde specializes in alternative dining

On the first full day of summer, alternative dining entered the Birmingham restaurant scene in the location vacated by Oliverio's. Avant Garde borrows flavors of Asian, Indian, Italian, French, Southwest and Mediterranean foods and creates meatless dishes, prepared with neither oils nor dairy.

The alternative food idea, conceived by Chef Luis Cartagena and his partner Elaine Pitzer, is an outgrowth of their personal eating habits over the last three

"I had the confidence to open this style restaurant after Whole Foods bought the Merchant of Vino," Cartagena said. "They did my advance marketing.

"Now, I can honestly tell people that I cook with the same goodtasting products they can buy at Merchant of Vino-Whole Foods. Non-fat salad dressing is no longer without good taste. You don't need dairy to make a great sauce."

Chef Luis is on a mission to turn diners onto healthier eating. "Avant Garde will give diners something they've not had before and a new way to experience healthier food," Cartagena said. "The concept will work in the art-friendly, downtown atmosphere of Birmingham. It wouldn't work as a free-standing restaurant or in a strip mall."

This statement echoes the way avant garde is dictionary defined as "those, especially in the arts, who create, produce or apply new, original or experimental ideas, designs and techniques."

Where: 126 S. Old Woodward, Birmingham, (248) 594-4499. Hours: Monday to Wednesday 11:30 a.m. to 9p.m.; Thursday to Saturday until 11p.m.

Menu: Exceptionally flavorful, cutting-edge alternative dishes made without red meat, oils or dairy. Same menu for lunch and dinner. Cost: Starters, sandwiches and salads \$5-8; main dishes all under

Reservations: Not accepted. Credit cards: All majors accepted.

Chef Luis plans to live up to this definition

At Avant Garde, alternative dining can be experienced in a contemporary environment with white tablecloths and flowers on the table. This ambiance was born out of Chef Luis' sweat equity. He did nearly all the work himself, from stripping and painting the walls to cutting the glass for decorative ceiling

Thirty-two-year-old Chef Luis learned his trade on the job, beginning to work in restaurants at age 15. By age 18, he owned his own pizzeria. He developed his interest in alternative foods as food and beverage director of Good Food Company. Before starting the Avant Garde project, he was food and beverage director for Vic's World Class Mar-

Chef Luis predicted the Vegetable Quesadilla, with veggies sandwiched between lawash with soy Monterey Jack cheese and fruit salsa, to be a top-selling appetizer. He also pointed proudly to the Stuffed Portabella Mushrooms that incorporate house burrito mix and peppers.

If you like burritos and would

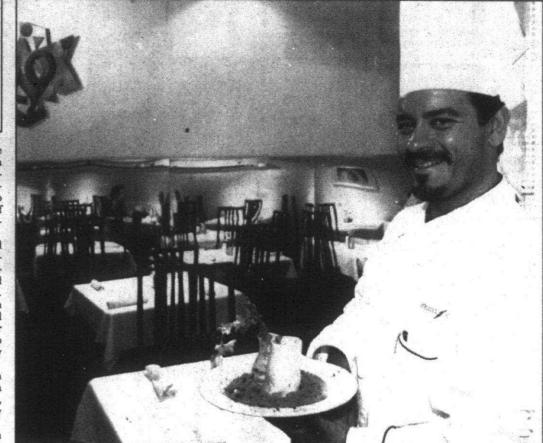
like to ditch the fat, then the Vegetarian Burrito sandwich is a great choice. It's mesquitegrilled veggies wrapped in sundried tomato lawash. It's taco seasoning taste and the flavor of refried beans all the way, without either the beans or the fat.

Among entrees, the predicted smash hits are the ravioli selections. There's salmon, duck, lobster and turkey, each prepared with a grand array of flavors. The salmon raviolis come with a cointreau cream; duck is flavored with Warre's Port sauce; lobster gets turned up with amaretto tomato sauce; while the turkey has sun-dried cranberry sauce.

You can create your own pizza with organic spelt (low gluten wheat flour) crust, tomato sauce, two toppings and a mix of soy

While there's not a kid's menu as such, the noodle dishes, harvest burger, chicken selections, raviolis and pizza will appeal to kids.

Avant Garde does not have a liquor license. The best shot in the house is grass green Wheat Grass made in the juicer. Other beverages include choices of fresh juices (carrot, apple or beet) made to order, and organic



What's for dinner: Chef Luis Cartagena presents Eggplant Lasagna with fresh tomato basil garlic sauce and rolled pasta at Avant Garde.

Kona coffee.

Cartagena concluded that he's on a mission of good health and spiritual harmony.

"Adjusting your diet at any age will make you feel better," he contended. "I'm also reaching out to people with cardiac problems and those on restricted diets. They can now get a fine dining atmosphere without fear of salt and high fat."

RESTAURANT SPECIALS

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SPECIAL EVENTS

THE MOOSE PRESERVE

Presents Animal House '98, annual summer Toga party, Thursday-Friday, July 23-24, 2395 Woodward Ave. (just north of Square Lake Road) Bloomfield. Admission is free. Live entertainment both nights. 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Call (248) 858-7688 for details.

MICHIGAN BREWERS GUILD SUMMER FESTIVAL

Over 27 microbrew pubs and microbreweries will gather 1-6 p.m. Saturday, July 25 at Greenmead Historical Park, Newburgh (at 8 Mile Road), Livonia for the Michigan Brewers Guild Summer Festival. Tickets \$25 per

person, non-drinking, designated drivers will be admitted at no charge. Entertainment, homebrewing displays, food prepared by local Michigan brewpubs will be sold at nominal charge, Advance tickets available at Merchant's Fine Wine locations and all 33 Michigan Brewers Guild Breweries and at the door. Call (248) 628-6584 or (248) 546-7770 for information.

Everything's Coming Up Rosè

Wine tasting 7 p.m. Monday, July 27 at Too Chez restaurant, on the patio, 27155 Sheraton Drive, (at I-96 Service Dr. and Novi Road) Novi, \$36 per person, excluding tax and gratuity, call (248) 348-5555. Will feature an array of select dry rosè wines from France, Italy and the U.S. to complement summer light dining styles. Rose-colored hors d'oeuvres, created by Executive

Greg Upshur, will be served.

DINNER THEATER

FIORELLI'S

"Divas Do the Movies," a musical revue, 6:30 p.m. Saturdays to Aug. 29, at the restaurant, 26125 E. Huron River Dr., Flat Rock. \$30 advance, \$35 at door, includes dinner, show, tax and tip. (313) 782-1431

GENITTI'S

"Pasta to Paczkis," the story of the marriage of an Italian bride and a Polish groom, through October at the restaurant, 108 E. Main St., Northville. \$39.95

includes seven-course Italian dinner, show, tax and gratuity. (248) 349-0522

MENU/MANAGEMENT CHANGES

Now open for lunch 11 a.m. to p.m. Monday-Friday, Orchestra Place, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 831-3838 for reservations. Lunch offerings feature an array of flavorful appetizers, salads, sandwiches, pastas and entrees. Duet is owned by Matt Prentice of Unique Restaurant

EATING OUT IN THE SUBURBS

In case you missed it. Here are some restaurants recently featured in the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Send recommendations for restaurants to feature to: Entertainment Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax (734)

■ Vic's Diner - 5662 Middlebelt Road, (near Ford Road) Garden City, (734) 427-5338. Open: 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday-Saturday; 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Menu: Home-cooked American fare, just like mom makes, including soups, salads and sandwiches. Breakfast served anytime.

Cost: Very reasonable. Break-

fast, lunch and dinner specials. Breakfast \$1.45 to \$6.95; salads and sandwiches \$3.25 to \$5, dinners \$5.50 to \$8.95. Reservations: For parties of six or more. Credit Cards: Not accepted, cash only. Highlights: Children's menu for 12 and under, senior citizen discounts. Carry-out: Available.

Cafe Hawali - 22048 Michigan Ave., Dearborn, (west of the Southfield Freeway) (313) 724-2233. There is a rear entrance on Garrison. Open: 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday-Wednesday: 11 a.m. to 2 a.m. Thursday-Saturday; 1-9 p.m. Sunday. Lunch served until 3 p.m., Early Bird Dinner Specials begin 3 p.m. Menu: Hawaiian theme menu including American fare with a Polynesian flair. Cost:

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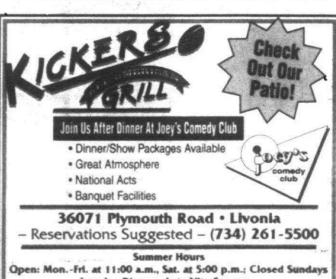


2:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday, (lunch); 5:30-10:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday (dinner) and 5:30-11:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Closed Sunday. Menu: Innovative, contemporary presentations for a variety of palates. Offerings include vegetarian dishes, pasta,

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