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MONDAY

Flower power: Check out an exhibit of floral X-ray photography on display 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. The exhibit runs through Friday. For hours or other information call (734) 416-4278.

TUESDAY

Local government: The Canton Township Board of Trustees holds a regular voting meeting 7 p.m. Tuesday at the administration building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

WEDNESDAY

Road tax info: The final informational meeting on the proposed local road millage is set for 7 p.m. at the administration building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road. If you can't make it you can learn more about the Aug. 4 ballot proposal by tuning in to radio station WSDP 88.1 FM at 5:45 p.m. Canton Supervisor Tom Yack discuss the proposal as a guest on "Community Focus."

THURSDAY

Asjad, 5,

(left) and

School.

Secrets out: This week's free summer concert in Heritage Park features the band Secrets at 7:30 p.m. in the amphitheater. Concert-goers can bring lawn chairs and blankets. Concessions will be avail-

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New station nearly done

Seven months behind schedule, Canton's fire headquarters will be ready for occupancy in August, officials say.



After numerous delays, Canton's new \$3.6 million fire station will open next month.

Final touches are currently being done to the building, which was originally scheduled to open Jan. 1. Township Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher said equipment from

the old No. 1 Station will begin being moved to the new facility within two weeks.

ALS training up and running, A3

"It's 99 percent done," he said of the five-bay station next door to township hall on Canton Center Road. 'We're going to make every attempt to move in

August."

Work on the 16,000-square-foot station began in November 1996. A construction boom in Michigan that left the project's general contractor, Jenkins Construction Inc., shorthanded in terms of trades people. has been blamed for delays.

A "liquidated damages" clause in the construction contract requires the general contractor to pay Canton \$250 per day after the Jan. 1 deadline. As of today, the project is 201 days late - meaning Jenkins owes the township more than \$50,000.

Municipal Services Director Aaron Machnik said in April that Canton officials will meet with the general contractor to negotiate a settlement once work is com-

Besides the new fire station, a 5,000-square-foot addition to the Public Safety building and a four-car garage were part of the project. Both jobs have been

While Rorabacher has been disappointed by the setbacks, he said the new station is well made. "The quality of it appears to be good."

Canton firefighters are getting a much larger home. The old station at the corner of Canton Center and Cherry Hills roads, built in 1949 as a fire station/township hall, is just 5,000 square feet. The community's needs simply outgrew the facility,

"It's very much outdated," he added. "There was no way to make that station work."

The building will likely meet a wrecking ball later this year. If all goes well, the transition to the new building should be complete by about Labor Day.

"It'll be not unlike moving into a new house," Rorabacher said. A grand opening is planned for early October. The station will be dedicated at that time and the public

may take a look during an open house The chief said he wanted to wait a few months before the grand opening to work out all of the sta-

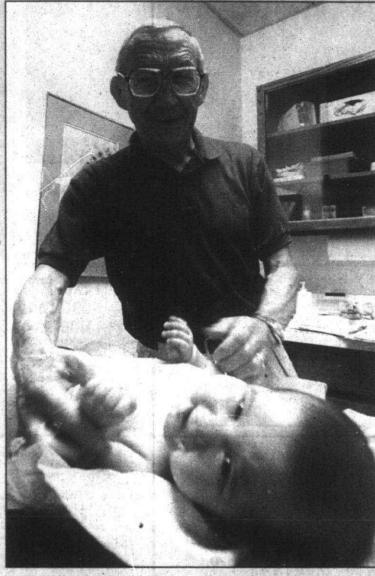
tion's bugs "We wanted to get it up and working before we dedicated the building," Rorabacher said.

New No. 1 will offer numerous advantages for the department.

All vehicles, from engines to tanker and rescue

Please see NEW STATION, A3

Hanging up his stethoscope



Office visit: Dr. Joseph Jender gives 7-month-old Alyssa Wegrecki of Canton a check-up. Jender, who is retiring Friday, has had a pediatric practice in Canton for 34 years and called some 17,000 children patients at one time or another.

Last call for Dr. Jender

BY LILLY A. EVANS SPECIAL WRITER

e has ridden in ambi-lances and flown in helicopters to be with his young patients. He always made visits on his own time to the hospital to console families of sick children. He was on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week. He returned his calls personally no matter what time of day or night it was. He left his own Sunday birthday dinner to be present in the operating room with a patient and family. He never had a nurse or a partner in his office. He never wore a white coat. Once you were his patient, you were a part of his

That's the way Dr. Joseph G. Jender ran his pediatric practice for the last 34 years. His retirement this week has

area families at a loss. They know this kind of compassionate, old-fashioned care can't be replaced. He is a Marcus Welby type of

doctor," said Cindy Basing of Canton, medical assistant for Jender and mother of patient Ted Basing, 14. "He's a dying breed. He knows all of his patients very thoroughly.

"We have been through a lot, and that is when you find out how good your doctor is," Basing

pital, he visited him twice a day and was present during surgery. Doctor Jender gave the whole family a lot of emotional sup-

"He is like a father to our family. Surgery can be frightening. But he walked my son through it emotionally.

Jender, a former Plymouth resident, has been a staff member of the University of Michigan and St. Joseph Hospitals in Ann Arbor since he started his practice. Years ago he was also on the staff at St. Mary's in

He said his one of his philoso-

Please see LAST CALL, A3



Summer school

Field classrooms stay open year-round

"Bye, mom!" screams out 5-year-old Kevin Herberholz as he runs to his summer school class at Field Elemen-

Kevin likes school so much he was concerned he "wouldn't have anything to feed my brain" when pre-school let out for the summer.

"When he comes home from school, he can't wait to go the next day," said his mother, Eva Herberholz of Canton.

Kevin is one of nearly 260 Field students who choose to go to school in the summer, participating in the Summer

"Kevin likes school and wanted more," said Herberholz. "He works with computers and numbers, he really enjoys it. I don't want to discourage him from going to school, so as long as he enjoys it I don't mind sending him.

The summer school program started nearly 7 years ago, beginning as a way for third graders to improve their skills as they headed into fourth grade.

"But each year we added a grade, and now it includes pre-school through fifth," said Bobbi Rykard, a Field first

grade teacher who is coordinator of the program. "We have just over 500 kids at Field, and more than half attend the We're really summer school. impressed with the number of kids who are enthusiastic to come.

Students attend one of two, 2-hour sessions a day. The four-day-a-week program lasts a total of 16 days during the summer

"We call it summer camp, and it is a relaxed atmosphere," said Rykard. "But we do concentrate on reading.

Please see SUMMER SCHOOL. A4

Road project under way Monday

Canton drivers who regularly take Canton Center Road between Cherry Hill and Ford Roads are being urged as of Monday to seek alternate routes

> Canton Center widening PROJECT AREA: Canton



That's when work is to begin on the \$3.57-million widening of that section of Canton Center to five lanes, including construction of a center turn lane. -The road will remain open to two-

Please see ROAD PROJECT, A4

Storm cleanup continues



Heavy duty: Work crews clear away fallen trees and limbs from James Wood's home on South Road in Canton Friday. Wood said he lost three or four trees on his property in Tuesday's summer storm. One tree crashed into the house, breaking windows, gutters and ruining siding. Wood estimated a cleanup bill of \$3,000-\$4,000 and overall damage of \$10,000-\$15,000 to his property.

Canton Observer SUBSCRIPTION RATES



CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE **ORDINANCE C-98-08**

(AMENDMENT TO UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE) MINOR POSSESSING ALCOHOL IN A MOTOR VEHICLE

AN ORDINANCE ADDING SECTION 5.16a OF CHAPTER 60 (THE UNIFORM TRAFFIC CODE FOR CITIES, TOWNSHIPS AND VILLAGES) OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH; PROVIDING FOR THE PROHIBITION AGAINST THE POSSESSION OR TRANSPORT OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR BY A MINOR IN A MOTOR VEHICLE; PROVIDING FOR THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A COMPLAINT: PROVIDING FOR AUTHORITY TO IMPOUND THE MOTOR VEHICLE: PROVIDING FOR THE PROHIBITION AGAINST TRANSFERRING TITLE TO THE MOTOR VEHICLE TO AVOID A CONVICTION: PROVIDING FOR SENTENCE **GUIDELINES: PROVIDING FOR NOTIFICATION OF** PARENT(S), CUSTODIAN, OR GUARDIAN OR A PERSON LESS THAN 18 YEARS; PROVIDING FOR THE DEFINITION OF "ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR": PROVIDING FOR PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THE ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING PROVISIONS: PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR THE SAVINGS OF ALL PENDING MATTERS AND THE EFFECTIVE DATE

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS: SECTION 1. AMENDMENTS AND ADDITIONS TO THE CODE.

and Villages) of the Charter Township of Plymouth Code or Ordinances is hereby added to read as follows: Section 5.16a Possession or Transport of Alcohol by a Minor.

Section 5.16a of Chapter 60 (the Uniform Traffic Code for Cities, Townships

(1) A person less than 21 years of age shall not knowingly transport or possess, in a motor vehicle, alcoholic liquor unless the person is imployed by a licensee under the Michigan Liquor Control Act. Act 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra Session for 1933, being section. 436.1 to 436.58 of the Michigan Compiled laws, a common carries designated by the Liquor Control Commission pursuant to Act No. 8 of the Public Acts of the Extra Session of 1933, the liquor Control Commission, or an agent of the Liquor Control Commission and is ransporting or having the alcoholic liquor in a motor vehicle under the person's control during regular working hours and in the course f the person's employment. This section does not prevent a person less than 21 years of age from knowingly transporting alcoholic liquor in a motor vehicle if a person at least 21 years of age is present inside the motor vehicle. A person who violates this subsection in guilty of a misdemeanor. As part of the sentence, the person may be ordered to perform community service and to undergo substance abuse screening and assessment at his or her own expense as described in Section 23b(1) of act No. 8 of the Extra Session of 1933.

Within 30 days after the conviction for a violation of subsection (1) which conviction has become final, complaint may be made by the arresting law enforcement officer or the officer's superior before the court from which the warrant was issued, which complaint shall be under oath and shall contain a description of the motor vehicle in which alcoholic liquor was possessed or transported by the person less than 21 years of age in committing the violation and requesting that the motor vehicle be impounded as provided in this section. Upon the filing of the complaint, the court shall issue to the owner of the motor vehicle an order to show cause why the motor vehicle should not be impounded. The order to show cause shall have a date and time fixed the order for a hearing, which date shall not be less than 10 days after the issuance of the order and shall be served by delivering a true copy to the owner not less than 3 full days before the date of hearing or if the owner cannot be located, by sending a true copy by certified mail to the last known address of the owner. If the owner is a non-resident of the state, service may be made upon the secretary of

state as provided in MCL 257.403. If the court determines upon the hearing of the order to show cause, from competent and relevant evidence, that at the time of the commission of the violation the motor vehicle was being driven by the person less that 21 years of age with the express or implied consent or knowledge of the owner in violation of subsection (1), and that the use of the motor vehicle is not needed by the owner in the direc pursuit of the owner's employment or the actual operation of the owner's business, the court may authorize the impounding of the rehicle for a period, to be determined by the court, of not less than 15 days or more than 30 days. The court's order authorizing the unding of the vehicle shall authorize a law enforcement officer to take possession without other process of the motor vehicle wherever located and to store the vehicle in a public or private garage at the expense of the owner of the vehicle. The owner of the vehicle may appeal the order to the circuit court and the provisions governing the taking of appeals from judgment for damages shall apply to the appeal. This section does not prevent a bona fide lien holder from ising rights under a lien.

(4) A person who knowingly transfers title to a motor vehicle for the purpose of avoiding this section is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Immediately upon the entry of a conviction or a probate court order of disposition for a violation of subsection (1) or section 5.16b, the court

Golf event is benefit for fire, burn victims

You don't have to be a golfer this year to help the fund that helps Canton families made nomeless by fire.

Although golfers definitely are needed for the second annual Canton Firefighters No. 2289 Charity Foundation golf fundraiser Aug. 3 - only 70 of an expected 100 had registered as of ate last week - this year's concluding 2 p.m. banquet/sports memorabilia auction is open to non-golfers, too.

The fund-raiser, being held for the first time at Fellows Creek Golf Club in Canton, features the complete golf-andbanquet/auction package for \$90 per person or the banquet/auction-only for \$35.

A 9 a.m. shotgun start opens the 18-hole, four-person scram-

The \$90 covers greens fees and a cart, beverages on the course. lunch at the turn' chances to win prizes on the course and a ticket to the banquet/ auction, which has an open bar.

Firefighter Michael Caruso, the tournament director, said despite adding lunch, the golf package is \$10 less than last year's at Fox Hills Country Club in Salem Township. Fellows Creek is at 2936 Lotz Road in

Scramble prizes include an allexpenses-paid round-trip for two to Las Vegas, Detroit Tigers

shall consider all prior convictions for a violation of subsection (1) or

suspension in the manner provided for in section 5.15. In the

chauffeur's license, the secretary of state shall deny the

application for an operator's or chauffeur's license for the

suspend the operator's or chauffeur's license of the person for a

period of not less than 180 days and not more than one (1) year

operator's or chauffeur's license, the secretary of state shall deny

the application for an operator's or chauffeur's license for the

(6) If a restricted license is allowed under this section, the court shall not

order the secretary of state to issue a restricted license unless the

person states under oath, and the court finds based upon the record

n open court, that the person is unable to take public transportation

to and from his or her work location, place of alcohol or drug

education treatment, court probation department, court-ordered

community service program or educational institution, or a place of

regularly occurring medical treatment for a serious condition, or in

the course of the person's occupation or employment and does not

have any family members or others able to provide transportation

The court under subsection (5) and the restricted license shall indicate the work location of the person to whom it is issued, the

approved routes and permitted times of travel, and shall permit the

person to whom it is issued only to drive under one (1) or more of the

(c) To and from the person's residence and an alcohol or drug

(d) To and from the person's residence and the court probation

education or treatment program as ordered by the court.

department, or a court-ordered service program, or both.

institution at which the person is enrolled as a student.

(7) The court shall immediately forward the surrendered license and an

(8) The Plymouth Township Police Department, upon determining that a

made in person by telephone, or by first class mail.

Unless otherwise provided, any person, corporation, partnership or any other

legal entity who violates the provisions of the Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and may be filed not more than Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars

or imprisoned for more than ninety (90) days, or both, at the discretion of the

All Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this

Ordinance, except as herein, are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary

If any section, subsection, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for

any reason held invalid or un constitutional 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

The repeal or amendment herein shall not abrogate or affect any offer se or

act committed or done, or any penalty or forfeiture incurred, or any pending litigation or persecution of any right established or occurring prior to the

This Ordinance shall take full force and effect upon publication

amended (the Liquor Control Act).

SECTION 2. PENALTY.

SECTION 3. REPEAL.

to give this Ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 5. SAVINGS CLAUSE.

SECTION 6. EFFECTIVE DATE.

ion: July 28, 1998

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SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.

(9) AS used in this section, "alcoholic liquor" means that term defined in Section 2(a) of Public Act 8 of the Public Acts of 1933, as

the outcome of the appeal.

(e) To and from the person's residence and an educations

(f) To and from the person's residence or work location and a place of

regularly occurring medical treatment for a serious condition for

the person or a member of the person's household or immediate

abstract of conviction to the secretary of state. A suspension

ordered under this subsection shall be in addition to any othe

suspension of the person's license. If the judgment is appealed to

circuit court, the court may, ex-parte, order the secretary of state

to stay the suspension issued pursuant to this section pending

person less than 18 years of age allegedly violated this section, shall notify the parent or parents, custodian, or guardian of the

person as to the nature of the violation if the name of a parent,

or custodian is reasonably ascertainable by this subsection shall

e made not later than 48 hours after the Plymouth Township

Police Department determines that the person who allegedly violated this section is less than 18 years of age and may be

(a) To and from the person's residence and work location

(b) In the course of the person's employment or occupation

The court may order the secretary of state to issue to the person a restricted license after the first 60 days of the period of the

(b) If the court finds that the person has 2 or more such prior convictions, the court shall order the secretary of state to

applicable suspension period.

applicable suspension period.

of a person who does not possess an operator's or

section 5.16b, or a local ordinance or law substantially corresponding to this section or section 5.16b, and the court shall do 1 of the devastated by house fires. (a) If the court finds that the person has one (1) such prior conviction, the court shall order the secretary of state to suspend the operator's or chauffeur's license of the person for a period of not less than 90 days and not more than 180 days. The court may order the secretary of state to issue to the person a restricted license after the first 30 days of the period of th

But the latter is really why the said. When a house burns, firefighters already know first-hand

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baseball tickets, golf equipment, gift certificates from area merchants and restaurants, passes for free golf and cart at other golf

courses plus radios and televi-"We know more (golfers) are ly gave them \$2,000 and, a little coming, but we would like to get 100 again," said Caruso, adding that "it would help tremendously

if we had the registrations in" by the July 29 deadline. Hole sponsorships at \$100 each also are available.

The firefighters opened the banquet/auction to the public even though the golfers' generosity last year exceeded their expectations Caruso, who's a foundation co-

founder and a director, said tourney organizers felt the auction would do poorly because of the active in the foundation, but off-duty money already spent during the police and their clerical staff help, golf, "But people turned around too. And a police officer, Leonard and spent a lot of money on the That's been typical of Canton's starting it.

support for the firefighters' efforts, he said, and has helped the barely 3-1/2-year-old foundation raise \$120,000 to date. including \$4,000 from last year's Begun in January, 1995, to

help Greg Unger get a doublelung transplant, the fund has since contributed to the University of Michigan Trauma Burn Unit, Mott Children's Hospital, Special Olympics, Goodfellows, Canton Project Sharing, Character Counts, the Education Excellence Foundation and the Muscular Dystrophy Association besides helping Canton residents

foundation was started, Caruso "what people are going to go Caruso or Lt. Jim Davison at through" and so provide cash (734) 981-1113 or John Bartle at and, often, temporary lodging for (734) 453-4114.

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Caruso told of a Canton family recently burned out of their trailer home. "Everything they had was lost and they had nowhere to go," he said. The firefighters' foundation quick

Schemanske, was instrumental in

In addition to raising money via

later, public donations provided Schemanske said the Total clothing and toys plus another employee "did the right thing" by remaining calm and giving Such money, however, really the robber the money. "doesn't go that far when you have

nothing left and nowhere to live. Caruso acknowledges, "but we give injured and there were no witnesses, although the police K-9 what we can " unit did track the robber to a car The firefighters, who are also wash north of the station on emergency medical technicians. Canton Center. even paid for the funeral of a 17-However, police didn't find the year-old girl killed in an auto

robber. They said their investiaccident whose family had no gation is continuing. insurance to cover it. Police gave the following Besides Caruso, Lt. Jim Davison and firefighter John Bartle are very

A white male in his 30s, 6 feet tall and about 200 pounds wearing black shorts, a white Tshirt and hat and black sun-

the golf and auction, firefighters have played charity hockey and softball games with Detroit Red Wings alumni, held spaghetti dinners at Liberty Fest, sold foundation T-shirts and also plaques featuring the Red Wings, the Stanley Cup, the Tigers, the Detroit Pistons and University of Michigan football.

To date, they've sold a thousand of the popular \$20 plaques, Caruso Firefighters are "always trying to

\$1495

do something, trying to raise money he said, and are always open to fund raising ideas. "We have only just started," he said. "With the foundation, the more we

can build it, the more we can help Firefighters handle more than 4,000 calls per year. On average, For additional information or to register for the golf outing, call Mike

the department handles 10-15 calls per day. About 70 percent of those are

He lifted his shirt and, showing a silver pistol tucked into the waistband of his shorts, asked the station employee, "Do you see my gun?"

He ordered the employee to open the cash register. The employee handed the cash to the robber, who then left the station, heading north.

No vehicle description was obtained, and it wasn't known if more than one person is

However, Schemanske said he didn't think it was the suspect's first holdup because "he was too calm, cool and collected." He cautioned that, in such sit

involved, police said.

uations, "the thing not to do" is make any sudden moves. "Don't panic, just listen, because he may ask for three or four things," Schemanske said.

The officer said it is all too common these days for judges to hear armed robbery suspects tell them that the employee made a glasses, entered the gas station sudden move and that "the gun store and walked up to the just went off. I thought he/she was trying to grab the gun.'

New station from page A1

the right thing'

Canton police Friday praised

the clerk in Tuesday's daylight

holdup at the Total Gas Station,

A man with a pistol in the

waistband of his shorts made off

Canton Police Officer Leonard

The station employee was not

with \$169 in the 11:11 a.m. inci-

45350 Ford at Canton Center.

trucks, can fit in the building medical runs, Rorabacher said. with room to spare. It'll make The living areas are separate exiting and entering as well as from working areas. Supply rooms, offices and maintenance vehicle maintenance much easier. Rorabacher said. facilities are located on the other

The added size will make it side of the building. "It's a very nice-looking stamore comfortable and functional for firefighters, too. The building tion," Rorabacher said. "It can house up to 12 firefighters blends in well with the environfull-time with a complete ment.' kitchen, living and sleeping Crews will give the facility a

good cleaning before firefighters move in. An exhaust system, which will take fumes out of the building when firefighters are working on vehicles indoors,

Cops: Clerk 'did Firefighters begin ALS training

The first few minutes after a serious injury are vitally impor-

Proper care and treatment can, quite literally, be the difference between life and death. With that in mind, Canton firefighters are learning advanced ife saving techniques through coursework at the township's new fire station.

"We want to bring up the standard of care for the area," said student John Hunter, a 17year veteran of the department. "We will be able to present a more viable patient when we get to the hospital."

A total of 14 firefighters began the course in May - a figure that represents more than one-third of the department's force. Instructor Jim Buell said it's his job to teach the firefighters everything from physiology to advanced breathing treatments.

"These guys came in with good basic life saving skills," he said. "We're adding to that knowledge.

All 36 Canton firefighters are currently certified for basic care. That includes first aid, oxygen therapy and CPR.

"We do a good job for what we do," Township Fire Chief Mike Rorabacher said But it's not enough, he

elieves "Seventy percent of our business is EMS runs," said Rorabacher. "It only seems logi-

cal that's where we should put our focus. We want to provide the highest level of care we can in the field." It's a growing trend among

local fire departments, he added. "It's slowly becoming the standard of care in the area, Rorabacher said. "Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Garden City and Westland are already doing

Six Canton firefighters have such as Annapolis and Botsford. township firefighters. He said the advanced life saving certifi-

Advanced Life Support: Instructor Jim Buell conducts ALS training with Canton firefighters last week inside the new fire station on Proctor Road.

assessment skills."

with staff," Hunter said. "We're

Students put in 600 hours dur-

ing the course. A state-adminis-

must score at least 90 percent

"It's quite in-depth," Hunter

Taking the course has brought

on, completes the process.

learning and sharpening our said Buell, who works for South-

changes for the veteran. Piles of tims, doing minor medical proce-

homework, reading assignments dures and getting them to the

active role.

tered test, which firefighters be good paramedics."

cate from the state of Michigan. Passing the voluntary program

and getting the certificate brings inancial reward for firefighters More importantly, though, it provides them with better training to handle serious situations.

"They always want to do more when they're out there,' Rorabacher noted. "It's frustrating when you can't do that." The chief said the sheer diffi-

culty and nature of the program is why it's voluntary. "When you get to something this technical." Rorabacher said. "vou want someone there that

wants to do it. You have to want Classes will last through Feb- ever. ruary of next year. Firefighters spend eight hours in the class- said

room each week as well as doing

"We're in the emergency room it's a sharp group.

and study questions have put a time crunch on Hunter. "It's more in-depth than I expected," he said.

Hunter thinks the hard work ma attack," Buell said, "they will be worth it in the end, how- may be able to provide a curative

"It brings you up to speed," he

Jender was born in Germany

and came to the United States

Up to speed is exactly what clinical work at area hospitals Buell has to be to teach the

treatment.' More treatment will be done on the scene, in other words.

"I've got excellent students,"

field-based Life Support Train-

ing Institute, a division of Com-

munity EMS. "They're going to

The firefighters' role at an

accident scene will change with

Instead of just gathering vic-

hospital as quickly as possible,

firefighters will take a more

"If someone is having an asth-

the increased training.

"Now they'll be able to spend 10 to 30 minutes there," said

Last call from page A1

phies as a pediatrician is to that he was our pediatrician. teach the parents what resources they have and then let them supposed to treat children, Jenknow he's always available to der knew the importance of

He enjoyed his profession because he loved the satisfaction of helping people. "Especially in pediatrics, obviously you have anxious parents. You have to reassure the parents and treat

He would reassure parents that some reactions are normal for a child and not to over-treat them with antibiotics. He believes in some at-home remedies and a lot of love.

He'll be missed

Over the years, Jender has seen 17,000 children. The hardest part of his profession was to see children with severe illnesses or problems at birth, he said

Debbie Skotak of Canton mother of three children who are Devin. 15, and Jacob. 6. Jender's longtime patients, said doctor because she doesn't want Jender to go.

Skotak said, "I felt privileged end, Jender would say, 'Why did Jender's grandchildren, Katie,

Even though a pediatrician is called me at home. I am your from the pictures that lined the treating the whole family, she said. He viewed the home environment and school as of equal significance.

She said when her children had health problems and when her husband died Jender was one of her biggest emotional supporters. The doctor even babysat her son during her husband's

"He's been a wonderful influence for my whole family. He is very giving. It's hard to find really cares," Skotak said.

Second-generation Jim and Cindy Burnstein of Meeting Jender's family was Plymouth said Jender has been also a part of being a patient. there from day one for their Sue, his wife of 45 years, has three children Gabriel 18

she has not picked out a new cine the way it should be," Jim and Alice, worked in the office Burnstein said.

"Not only could you get your has a son, Joe Jr. "I feel very sad. He's been an children in to see him on the integral part of our family. He same day, if you took them to the has always been there for us," emergency clinic on the week-

There are now several secondgeneration patients seeing Jender. Norma Menchaca of Red-

ford took her daughters, Michelle Donnelley of Royal Oak and Jennifer Dubuc of Dearborn, to Jender starting in 1968. Now her grandchildren are his

doctor, that is my job.'

that Doctor Jender is retiring. There's nobody like Doctor Jender," Menchaca said, "No quessomeone in this day and age that tions ever went unanswered, and of babies would leave his office and mentor told him that the ferred Calls will be forwarded. he always had time for my fami- feeling good about their precious Plymouth-Canton area needed

been the office manager from beginning. Their daughters, "He practices pediatric medi- Mary Sue, Kathy, Laura, Nancy

> After Jender's children were grown, the patients could see

Bedside manner praised Another personal touch he

you do that? You should have Madeline and Zachary, grow packages

added during well-baby visits was to write each child's weight, height and head measurement on a piece of note paper so parents could record the growth in atrics and was in charge of all astrophysics, and cosmology. He their baby books. On the same slip of paper he wrote his recommendations and the date of the one of the largest Army hospitals "Our whole family is upset next check-up. He would con- in Europe. clude every check-up by telling parents their baby was perfect or der wanted to practice pediatrics they need help finding a new docbeautiful. Mothers and fathers in Ann Arbor, but his professor tor or need their records trans-

Hospital in Germany, which was

University of Michigan for his cabin up north. "I would like to relax at the cabin or maybe sit in undergraduate degree and medical school. After medical school the boat and drown some

doctors and was up-and-coming

During retirement Jender

plans on doing "nothing" to start

with and then spend time at his

Jender went into the Army for worms," he chuckled. Some of his other hobbies eight years. While he was in the service, Jender practiced pediinclude photography, reading, may learn about computers out patients in Second General

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This year's "Perry Younce Memorial Race" is set for Saturday at Owosso Speedway in Owosso, Mich.

Canton resident Younce died two years ago when his midget racing car struck a track embankment at the Michigan Ideal Speedway in Springport Family members and friends staged several memorial races last summer at that track and others in Michigan

Proceeds from Saturday's race will go to the trust fund set up for Younce's two sons. Alexander, 12, and Taylor, 9.

Younce, who grew up in Canton with seven brothers and sis ters, worked for his father. Clyde, a cement contractor and had been engaged to marry Tina McGill In addition to being an known for making jewelry. lamps and furniture.

Younce started racing go karts



started his first midget race at series point leader for 1996. He avid racing driver, he was Flat Rock Speedway in 1989. He had three first-place finishes was runner-up in the 1991 that summer before the crash ARCA midget series.

Younce, 35 at the time of the ARCA and UMARS midgets. For and motorcycles motorcycles as a accident, was the Automobile information or tickets, call Owosboy. He moved on to midgets and Racing Club of America's midget so Speedway, (517) 834-5796.

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the number of minority teach-

ers." It will be named for Rep.

is being term-limited out after

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Morris Hood Jr., D-Detroit, who

Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton,

author of the law giving income

tax credits to families of stu-

dents at universities which hold

tuition hikes to the rate of con-

sumer price inflation: "By rais-

ing tuition higher than inflation-

ary rates, schools will be gouging

students and their families twice

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igible for this tuition tax credit."

once with higher tuition costs

Bennett singled out the Uni-

versity of Michigan, which

announced a 3.9 percent increase

for the fall semester that will kill

income tax credits worth up to

\$375. Bennett urged others to

follow the lead of Eastern Michi-

Biggest state aid amounts

Arbor: \$287 million to MSU: and

were: \$323 million to UM-Ann Abortions drop

gan and Michigan State.

cluded in the budget to expand

Road project from page A1 Summer school from page A1

way traffic, but traffic will shift from one side to the other as they do the work," said Tom Casari, Canton Township engineering services director.

"We recommend that folks try to take an alternate route, because while traffic will move through during construction, it won't move as well as it does crete Paving of Shelby Township now, which isn't all that good anyway," Casari said.

He said he expects construction crews to build a blacktop lane to one side of Canton Center and move traffic to that side while it rebuilds the opposite side. Once that is completed, traffic will be shifted onto the new lanes while the second half of the project is done.

The work, to be done only during daylight hours, is scheduled to be completed by Thanksgiving, but may take until the end of the year, Casari said.

Roadwork actually will begin on Canton Center 1,125 feet south of Cherry Hill, a little north of Gerald Court, and run to the south side of Ford Road a little over one mile north.

The Canton Center-Cherry Hill intersection will be improved, including replacement of the current traffic signal with a new mast-arm signal. The new signal will designate left turns in all four directions.

Also included in the project is the installation of a traffic signal at Canton Center and Saltz

Road.
The first week's work will find crews removing the old concrete and excavating for the new lanes, curbing and underground storm drains.

General contractor on the project is Lonzo Construction Co. of Roseville, while Eastern Conis doing the paving.

Casari said some rebuilding might also be done on the north portion of Canton Center's intersection with Ford.

The project, under the direction of Wayne County engineer Craig Wolbrock, is part of \$12 million in roadwork planned for the township over the next two to three years. "This project is one of our most

important this year in terms of its cost and its impact," said Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara. He said it "is just one of several major projects we have coming up in Canton Town-

The county also plans two other major congestion-reducing projects next year - widening Warren and extending Morton Taylor Road from Ford to War-

The widening and reconstruct ing of Canton Center from Ford north to Warren isn't scheduled until late 1999 or early 2000.

the same kinds of things they'll be expected to do for their upcoming grade. It helps give Rykard says the key is to

"I don't think they know they're really coming to school because we have a lot of fun activities," said Rykard of the younger kids. "I think they're eager to learn because they can get bored with summer vaca-

This year the Summer Skills Program added a class in English as a second language.

"At Field we're getting a larger copulation of families who have very little English skills and have a hard time communicating," added Rykard.

The program costs approximately \$20,000, with the entire expense paid by the Educational Excellence Foundation. That allows for families to participate at no cost.

"One of the reasons EEF was founded was to help bring up Haggerty Road from Ford to | test scores in buildings were they are low," said Elaine Kirchgatter, an EEF board member who is also one of the foundation's founders. "We need to know this program is academically working, that there's some kind of gain. So far it looks like



Tell me a story: Student teacher Judith Mertz reads a book ("Roly Poly Spider") to kindergartners.

Rykard believes it's working, noting that kids who attend summer school have an advantage over those who don't.

ter prepared for kindergarten. "We do pre- and post-testing to see how the they've grown," said Rykard. "We've shown at least a month's growth, and sometimes as much as three or four.'

First grade teacher Andrea because it keeps them progress Zacharias teaches pre-schoolers.

She believes the summer pro-Second grader . Elissa gram helps her students get bet-Budziszewski, 8, of Canton said "I learn times and long division."

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Engler: The fiscal 1999 boost

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Sen. John Schwarz, R-Battle

Creek, chair of the Senate High-

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Subcommittee: He emphasized

the floor boost to Oakland as

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U.S. Rep. Lynn Rivers, D-Ann ing at 8:30 a.m. Monday at ticularly interested in the views

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planned for airport For the fourth straight year, abortions have dropped in Michigan, the state Department of munity Health reported. In 1997 there were 29,528 rants, pubs and food services are authentic Asian cuisine, includinduced abortions, down 2.3 percoming to Detroit Metro Airport

cent from 30,208 in 1996 and 40 by the end of the year. percent below the 1987 high of 46,747. In 1988 Michigan voters outconcessions at Detroit Metro.

lawed state funding of Medicaid abortions. But James K. Haveman, DCH director, credited "our educational message of absti-

Of women receiving abortions, nearly 83 percent were unmarried, and 20.5 percent were under age 20.

Appointments

Gov. Engler has appointed gan and 20 nationwide have een linked to GHB. Victims Wirinder Chaudhery of often are college-aged women. Northville to the state Board of GHB acts fast, leaves victims Architects for a new term expirunable to defend themselves and ing in March of 2002. Chaudhery erases memory of the assault. is a professor at Wayne County Community College and associ-Information on self-protection from GHB is available from the ate director of the Aditi Institute of Fine and Performing the corridor near the Marriott restaurant in the Davey Termi-Michigan Women's Commission Arts. He will represent the pub-

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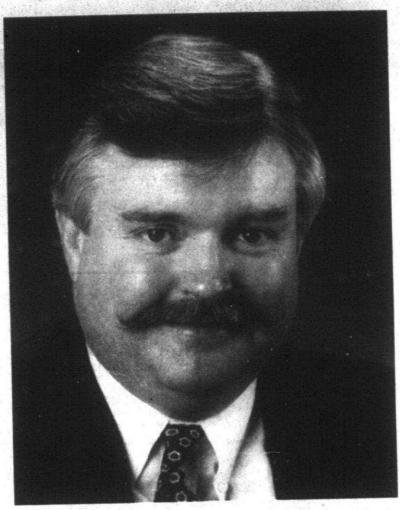
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Proposition "A"

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?

YES (X) NO()

(The ballot question appearing above [called the Super-Majority **Tax Protection** measure] was designed to protect us from the tax & spend liberals. It was co-authored by **Bruce Patterson** - candidate for State Representative. Mr. Patterson even went to court to protect our right to vote on the measure. He fought off the opponents of this ballot measure and won the case ensuring that you would have the chance to vote for it. Did anyone ever think that would be possible in Wayne county? No one. Not until Bruce Patterson went to bat for us! We can thank **Bruce Patterson** for giving us the chance to **stop the endless tax increases** of the past.)

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"Bruce Patterson has been at the fore-front in fighting to make it harder for Wayne county politicians to raise taxes. That is why my colleague, Senator Joanne Emmons, asked him to come before her Finance Committee to testify on how he led the Charter Amendment measure requiring a Super Majority approval from voters to increase our taxes."—

State Senator Loren Bennett [R-Canton; 8th District] April 28th, 1998

Proposition A on the Wayne County Primary Ballot drew these comments from Pete Waldmeir:

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eing a chef and restaurant owner is no picnic. You work long hours, weekends and holidays. But I love food, I love to eat it, and prepare it. Sometimes, when I'm really in a groove, a dish will come to me like a tropical breeze floating across my body, and I know I just have make that dish - now!

Recently I was preparing the menu for a dinner I donated to Channel 56 for a fund-raiser, along with my friend Roy Shelef, a fellow food and wine lover. Roy was donating the wines, and I was supplying the dinner and restaurant - Emily's, of course.

I was sitting at my desk looking over the wines and thinking about the menu when pow! I got hit with that breeze, inspiration, an inner-sense that what I was about to prepare would be a true gastronomical mas-

All through the day an electric charge seemed to be running through my body. I was so certain about this dish that I didn't even try a test run. I could taste it in my mind and it was driving me crazy. As I was explaining the menu to the staff at our pre-opening dinner, I felt like I was a kid falling in love when I described "the dish." Now the rest of the menu was really fine too, but this dish was going to be amazing. I just knew it.

"The Dish"

It's 7:30 p.m., and the guests are riving We are doing seven courses and "the dish" is number two. The rules in a tasting menu are simple, the flavors and foods should be progressive. Will the rest of the menu be overshadowed by "the dish" Will the guests feel the excitement I feel? "I'm not nervous," I tell myself, I've done these dinners many times before, but somehow, this was different. It was like I was bringing out something way more personal, like I was showing a deeper side of me.

First course: fresh lobster and mango salad with vanilla mango vinaigrette. They loved it, a great start, light, flavorful, the juices are flowing. And now it's time, it seems too soon, "the dish" needs more of a build up. Here we go, I am going crazy. I can't remember feeling this alive in awhile.

Michael, my co-sous chef, is heating cannellini beans in a little truffled chicken broth, and Sharon, my other sous chef, is searing the pristine natural diver scallop until it is still slightly translucent inside. Sound good so far. This is where it gets exciting. We poach quail eggs in a little lemon water until the whites are just set: pour the beans and broth into a bowl, set the scallop on top, then top that with the quail egg. Now, for the finishing touches - a few drops of lemon juice, a drizzling of white truffle oil, some chopped black truffles, chives and cracked pepper.

I insist on taking this dish out to the dining room myself. The aroma is overpowering, the truffles, the scallops, it's too much. As I set the first bowl in front of a guest and start to explain the components, I tell them about the ethereal fragrance of truffles, the briny, sweet taste of the scallop, and the rich, gamy flavor of the quail egg. I am almost in tears. This is getting really personal. I step back and watch as they start to eat, my mouth is watering, my hands are shaking, tears are in my eyes. Have you ever watched one of your children when they are very young, getting on stage to perform for the first time? That's what I felt.

Not to worry. First I hear some moaning "mmm," I see a certain smile, a nod, and hear a "wow!" More tastes more "mmm's." They are blown away, they want to pick up their

Please see SPECTACULAR, B2

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

- Focus on Wine
- Living Better Sensibly



Good cooks: Rose Kentros (left) and Ann Morrin, members of the Ladies Philoptochos Society at St. George Greek Orthodox Church, present Pastichio, Spinach and Rice, and Moussaka. These are just three of the family-tested dishes featured in "Yassoo: An Adventure in Greek Cooking," a cookbook published by the society.

If your mom wrote a cookbook, she'd probably have this to say about it - "all the recipes in there are perfect. They're interesting."

That's how Georgia Sekles describes "Yassoo: An Adventure in Greek Cooking," written by the Ladies Philoptochos Society (Friend of the Poor) at St. George Greek Orthodox Church in Bloomfield Hills.

This is their second book, the first was published five or six years ago. "All of the women in St. George's brought in their recipes," explained Sekles who worked on both cookbooks. "These recipes are

tried and true." Rose Kentros of Bloomfield Hills helped compile and test the recipes in the book. "It's got all different kinds of things in there," she explained. "One lady bought a book and went home and tried a lamb recipe for her and her hus-

Where Can I Find?

WHAT: "Yassoo: An Adventure in Greek Cooking," published by the Ladies Philoptochos Society of St. George Greek Orthodox Church

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band. He was crazy about it.

From their home to yours, "Yassoo: An Adventure in Greek Cooking," is the kind of cookbook that's sure to get a workout in your kitchen. If Opa! Flaming Greek Cheese, Greek Salad, and Moussaka, are not your idea of what's for dinner, don't put this paper down

Members of the Ladies Philoptochos Society put a lot of time and

effort into this book, and you're sure to find something pleasing.

Each recipe was kitchen tested. There are 10 chapters in the book, everything from appetizers and salads to soups, vegetables, fish, poultry, meant and casserole, pilaf-pasta-pitas, breads, and

desserts. "A lot of people make spinach and rice," said Kentros. The Mixed Vegetable Casserole is one of her

favorites. She made it for friends, "they all went bananas. They ate every bit of it.

Baked Macaroni and Cheese, Corn Bread, Baked Fish Fillets, Coney Island Sauce and Barbecue Sauce are some recipes you'll find, but wouldn't expect to, in "Yas-soo," which translates "to your health."

"It's not just a traditional Greek cookbook," said Ann Morrin of Rochester Hills who also worked on the book. "These are recipes from families associated with the church. They're recipes that have been passed down generation to generation - family recipes com-piled into a book. The Greek recipes are authentic

The mother of two boys ages 10 and 13, Morrin cooks nearly everyday. "With some of the recipes

Please see GRECIAN, B2

It's summer in the city, time for make ahead salads

Dinner in the fridge is like money in the bank - it takes away some of your worries. There's no reason to sweat about what's for dinner when you know it's ready and waiting Hot Chicken Salad and Make-Ahead Salad are two

of Rose Duganne's "very favorite anytime recipes.

Hot Chicken Salad can be made ahead, and takes only 20-25 minutes to bake. "I usually serve it with Make-Ahead Salad and a Cinnomony Apple Pie," said Duganne who lives in Livonia.

HOT CHICKEN SALAD

- 4 cups cooked chicken
- 2 cups chopped celery
- 4 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
- 3/4 cup mayonnaise
- 1 can cream of chicken soup
- 2 pimentos, chopped fine
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice 1 teaspoon minced onion
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon Accent, if desired
- 1 can sliced mushrooms, drained, (use as much as you like)

- 1 1/2 cups crushed potato chips
- 1 cup grated cheese (mild Cheddar or your favorite)

2/3 cup toasted almonds

Combine all ingredients, except topping ingredients, and put in greased rectangular baking dish. Combine potato chips, cheese and almonds to make topping. Top casserole with topping mixture. Cover and refrigerate

Uncover and hake at 400°F for 20 to 25 minutes Serves 8

MAKE-AHEAD SALAD

- 1 small head lettuce, torn into pieces
- 2 ribs celery, chopped
- 1 small onion, thinly sliced and separated into rings 1 package (10 ounces) frozen peas, cooked
- 1 can (8 1/2 ounces) water chestnuts, drained and sliced
- 2 cups mayonnaise or salad dressing
- 3 tablespoons freshly grated Parmesan cheese
- 8 slices bacon, cooked and crumbled

In a 9- by 9-inch baking dish, or wide mouth bowl, spread lettuce pieces evenly. Layer with celery, onions, cooked peas and water chestnuts.

Spread mayonnaise evenly over top of salad. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese and crumbled bacon. Cover and refrigerate allowing at least 3 hours or overnight to "season" before serving. Makes 6-8 servings

Pretty soon you'll be wondering what to do with all those tomatoes flourishing in your backyard garden. Anne Deising's Herbed Tomato Cheese Bread is a tasty solution for people wondering what to do with all their tomatoes, or people who simply love tomatoes, and can't

"I've had the recipe for 20 years, and my mom had it before me," said Deising, a Plymouth resident. "I had an abundance of tomatoes, but you can only eat so much of them. This bread is delicious. It's pretty healthy, too, unless you eat the whole loaf, which I

Deising serves this bread with soup on Saturdays, or cuts it up into small pieces, and serves it as an

HERBED TOMATO CHEESE BREAD

- 2/3 cup milk
- 2 cups Bisquick
- 3 medium tomatoes, peeled and sliced 1/4-inch thick
- Paprika to sprinkle on top of bread
- Sour Cream Topping
- 1 medium onion, minced
- 2 tablespoons butter 3/4 cup sour cream

Please see SALADS, B

Family-tested recipes offer a taste of Greece

1 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon pepper

2 large eggplants

2-3 potatoes

1/8 teaspoon all spice

1/2 teaspoon oregano

1/8 teaspoon cinnamon

1/2 cup Romano cheese

onion and garlic. Add tomato

paste, tomato sauce, wine and

spices. Cook for 10 minutes, set

Slice potatoes and eggplant in

1/4-inch slices. Salt eggplant and

towels. Place eggplant under broil

with potato slices, then layer egg

plant slices. Sprinkle with cheese

and layer with meat sauce. Con-

tinue layering eggplant and meat

sauce until baking dish is 3/4 full

Top with Béchamel Sauce (see

cheese. Bake at 375°F for 45 min-

er and brown on each side. Line

bottom of an oiled baking dish

allow to sweat; wipe with paper

Brown meat in a skillet and add

Grecian from page B1

you're cooking for more than one day. I come home from work everyday and start dinner. I want my family to eat well."

What's the secret to being a good cook? "We always use good ngredients," said Kentros. With all that olive oil, phyllo

dough, butter, nuts and honey,

Greek food can be a bit rich.

"We cook with a lot of olive oil," said Sekles. "We reduced some of the calories in the

encourage this behavior, gladly.

It's perfect, as perfect a dish as I

have ever prepared. I couldn't be

what I do. I realize that it's not

often one can be so rewarded by

their work. I am really a lucky

Not every dish can be "the

dish," but when you are enter-

taining it's worth a little extra

time and effort to create one dish

of the dish as an expression of

yourself, the kind of food you

What is your best dish? Think

about textures, colors, contrasts

and flavor, and then tweak it

even more. Your passion will

make "the dish" a memorable

My favorite summertime din-

that stands from the rest. Think

Extra effort

more content. This is why I love

Spectacular from page B1

bowls and lick up every drop. I ner for friends is herb skewed

Illustrated throughout, this

seafood served with a great

salad and an easy pasta with an

uncooked sauce. It's simple, rus-

time so all you have to do is the

last minute grilling, and toss the

ingredients together for the

pasta and salad. Your guests will

HERB SKEWERED SHRIMP

AND SCALLOPS

(you may have to bunch a

few sprigs together if they

8 (6-inch) sprigs of rosemary

8 (6-inch) sprigs of thyme

16 medium shrimp, peeled

16 medium sea scallops

preferably natural and

unsoaked, side muscle

removed and discarded

It can be assembled ahead of

tic and flavor packed.

be oohing and ahhing.

are very thin)

and develned

Health Hints sprinkled

throughout the cookbook like

fine herbs offer tips for people

counting calories and fat grams.

Helpful diagrams accompany

many recipes. There's also a

those "Greek" cooking terms

in Greek cooking. You'll find recipes for all your favorites -Lemon Rice Soup, Shish Kabob, Spinach Pie, and Baklava.

"We have different ways of preparing eggplant," said Kentros. "Our Stuffed Grape Leaves glossary that explains what all are number one," said Sekles. "And the sweets are outstand

All proceeds from "Yassoo: An cookbook truly is an adventure Adventure in Greek Cooking,

Mushrooms, the type and size

will depend on availability

They should be about the

same size as the scallops

Look for fresh porcini.

chanterelle or cremini.

Sun-dried tomato paste

Cracked black pepper to

Strip the sprigs of herbs from

their leaves, leaving about 1-inch

Alternate the mushrooms and

scallops on the thyme sprigs and

do the same with the shrimp and

rosemary sprigs. Brush the scal-

lops with the sun-dried tomato

Prepare a medium fire on a

Bisquick to make a soft dough.

charcoal grill, season the skewers

pate and the shrimp with the

and shrimp

Black olive paste

Kosher salt to taste

taste

still at the top.

black olive paste

benefit various charities supported by the St. George Greek Orthodox Church chapter of the Philoptochos Society, and the national chapter.

black pepper and kosher salt to

Grill over the fire for just a cou-

Serve with a fresh green salad

with a simple dressing and room

tossed with lots of fresh chopped

tomatoes, capers, a bit of garlic

and chopped fresh basil. Serves 8.

lives in Farmington Hills with

his family. He has established a

reputation as one of Michigan's

outstanding chefs. Rick is an

extensive traveler, and is known

for his fine French inspired

Mediterranean and Italian cui-

sine. You can call Rick at Emily's

pigrick@aol.com

temperature angel hair pasta

ple of minutes on each side, until

cooked through.

The Philoptochos Society is one of the largest philanthropic organizations in the United States. It is made up of women who are dedicated to the church and to the needs of their commu-

> the refrigerator. Go out and buy a couple of bags of ice, and put

Generally, a full free-standing freezer will keep things cold for about two days. The freezer sec-12 hours.

milk, eggs, cheese, leftovers and other perishables will start to spoil. Food must be kept at 10°F." said Treitman

If you have questions, call the or has ice crystals on the outside.

keep food on ice to be safe

knocked power out in a lot of been restored, and you're clean-

If you know your power is going to be out for a prolonged period of time you need to take precautions," said Sylvia Treit-MSU Extension, Oakland County loss."

When power goes out

with a generous amount of cracked the ice next to them."

> tion of a fridge will stay cold 10-"After two hours of no power,

Turkeys and other large pieces of meat that are partially thawed can be refrozen. "If the food in the freezer is still hard, Rick Halberg cheflowner of Emily's Restaurant in Northville

Tuesday's thunderstorms you can refreeze it," said Treitman. "Throw out frozen fish. homes. Hopefully, your power's seafood and leftovers. Check small packages of meat, TV dinners and vegetables, which thaw faster. Ground meat is pretty risky, throw it out if it's not frozen. Frozen vegetables that are ice cold, but not frozen, can man, home economist for the be used in soup. There's a quali-

Condiments such as mustard, ketchup and jelly will keep with-"Group large items together in out refrigeration for a few days. "Check the jelly for mold. If there's no mold, it's ok," said

> When in doubt, throw it out. They tell you to keep your refrigerator and freezer closed when there's a power outage, but you need to check it. Some people haven't opened their freezer for three days. The crucial time to check is before the power goes rice is fully done. Add more water back on so you know what's frozen and what isn't."

food and nutrition hotline, weekdays at (248) 858-0904.

AP - The promise is, start to finish, it will take 20 minutes to make this Beef with Cucumber

The recipe is from Better Homes and Gardens "Fresh and Simple Series: 20-Minute Super Suppers" (Meredith, \$15.95

The introduction to this recipe explains, "In the oft-fiery cuisine What's your most requested of India, a respite is offered in the form of a raita, a simple, ooling salad made with yogurt and fruits or vegetables. Snipped

BEEF WITH CUCUMBER RAITA

1/4 cup coarsely shredded unpeeled cucumber

1 pound boneless beef sirloin steak, cut 1-inch thick

Fresh mint leaves (ontional) Preheat gas grill (see note) or broiler.

For raita, in a small bowl com bine vogurt, cucumber, onion, taste with salt and pepper; set

Trim fat from steak. Sprinkle incovered grill directly over medium heat or broil for 12 to 15 minutes for medium doneness, turning

Cut steak across the grain into

Note: Charcoal grill may be to reach proper temperature

Cool salad ready in 20 minutes

dish for four diners.

(248) 349-0505, or e-mail paperback).

> mint makes this raita particular y flavorful and refreshing."

> > One 8-ounce carton plain fatfree or low-fat yogurt

1 tablespoon finely chopped

1/2 teaspoon lemon-pepper seasoning

snipped mint and sugar. Season to

steak with lemon-pepper seasoning. Grill steak on the rack of an

thin slices. If desired, arrange steak slices on mint leaves. Top with raita.

used, but allow extra time for coals

Salads from page B1

1/4 teaspoon oregano uses Hellman's) Pinch of sage To make bread. Preheat oven to

1 cup grated Cheddar cheese 3/4 teaspoon salt 400°F. Butter a 9- by 13- by 2-inch 1/4 teaspoon pepper baking dish. Stir milk into

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ingredients. Spoon Sour Cream Copping over bread and sprinkle with paprika. Bake 20-25 minutes. Let stand about 10 minutes before cutting. Makes 12 servings.

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See related story on Taste ian as it is, but for a different taste add onion, garlic, and spices.

2 pounds ground chuck 1 large onion, chopped

2 cloves garlic, minced 1 (6 ounce) can tomato paste

1/2 cup red wine 1 teaspoon salt

1 large can tomato sauce (8 1/8 teaspoon nutmeg 1 pound fresh spinach

> 1 teaspoon oregano 1 pound ziti

> > grated

8 cups milk

1 teaspoon salt

Saute onion, garlic, and hot pepper in oil. Add tomato products and water and simmer for 5 min utes. Add rice and cook until almost tender. Season with salt and pepper. Add chopped spinach to rice and continue cooking until

Variation: This recipe is vegetar-

washed, dried and chopped

Adventure in Greek Cooking,"

published by the Ladies Society

of St. George Greek Orthodox

SPINACH AND RICE

2 large onions, chopped fine

2 cloves garlic, minced

1/2 hot pepper, minced

Salt and pepper to taste

3-4 ripe tomatoes, chopped

1/4 cup olive oil

ounce)

Lemon wedges

1 cup rice

1/2 cup at a time to prevent rice 4 eggs beaten from sticking to the pan. Serve with lemon wedges. To make Pastichio: In a frying

front. Recipes from "Yassoo: An add chicken broth instead of Saute for 5 minutes. Add tomato paste and wine, simmer for 10 water. minutes. Remove from heat and

PASTICHIO

1 teaspoon peppe 1/8 teaspoon allspice

and cook on low heat until thickened to consistency of a heavy 1/8 teaspoon cinnamor white sauce. Stir continuously to prevent scorching. Remove thick ened sauce from heat. Beat eggs

1/4 pound butter 3 eggs, slightly beaten 6 ounces Romano cheese

pan, brown meat, drain off fat and

Béchamel Sauce cheese and bake for 45 minutes at 1/4 pound butter 325°F until golden brown. Serves 1 cup flour

> Moussaka 1 1/2 pounds ground beef 1 large onion, chopped

2 cloves garlic, minced 4 tablespoons tomato paste

set aside. Boil pasta using direc-

tions on package, drain and rinse.

Mix pasta with melted butter.

beaten eggs and cheese. Put 1/2 of

cover with meat sauce and add the

To make Béchamel sauce: Melt

butter in saucepan, add flour and

well and slowly add to white

sauce, whisking quickly. Cover

Sauce, sprinkle with a little more

with Pastichio with Béchamel

mix well. Slowly add milk and salt

pasta on bottom of a baking dish

other 1/2 of pasta on top of this.

recipe above), sprinkle with

utes until golden brown. Serves 6. SPINACH PIE

spinach, thawed

1 bunch of green onions, fine-

ly chopped 1/4 cup olive oil 1 pound feta cheese

3 ounce package cream

and add it to the dry chopped

sheets of phyllo. Pour in spinach

cheese 6 eggs, separated

1 teaspoon dill, chopped 1 cup yogurt White pepper to taste

1 pound phyllo pastry sheets 1/2 cup butter, melted

If using fresh spinach, wash well and dry well by using a salad spinner or by rolling washed spinach in a large clean kitchen towel. 2 cucumbers, peeled, seeded Sauté onion in oil for 5 minutes, and diced

chopped Blend egg yolks and cream cheese in a mixer or blender. Add to the spinach mixture. Add green onions, dill, white pepper and feta

cheese to the mixture. Just before pouring into the pre pared pan, whip egg whites until foamy and then add to the spinach mixture. Mix well. Line a 12 by 19inch oblong pan with 10 buttered

nixture. Top with eight buttered sheets of phyllo. Cut through the top layers to mark the pieces. Bake at 350°F for 45-60 minutes o until golden brown. Remove from pan in pieces to serve. Makes approximately 40 pieces.

YOGURT SALAD

1 cup sour cream 3 tablespoons olive oil

1 tablespoon vinegar

2 cloves garlic, chopped 1/2 teaspoon salt 1/4 teaspoon white pepper

1 teaspoon fresh mint or dill

In a bowl blend together yogurt and sour cream. Add oil, vinegar, garlic, salt, pepper and cucumbers and mix thoroughly. Chill and sprinkle with dill.

Health Hint: Omit oil and substitute vogurt and sour cream with 2 cups of plain fat-free premium

Put some spice in your life with tropical salsa and good for you as salsa.

The English translation of the Spanish word salsa is sauce. But in Mexico, a salsa can be anything from a gravy or a cream sauce, to the chunky condiment most people scoop up with tortilla chips or load onto a taco,

burrito or fajita. The most familiar kinds of salsas, the kinds that have replaced ketchup as the best-selling condiment in the U.S. are made with tomatoes, onions and chile peppers. Cilantro, lime juice and garlic are also frequently used as ingredients. Together, they pack a powerful punch of complex flavors. And since they are mostly made without oil, there's no guilt in enjoying salsa liberally; they contain no fat or cholesterol and relatively few calories. The exception is when avocado is included, adding some fat. Over-

all, few popular foods are as good

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serve salsa. Staying in the Latin spirit, it is not unusual to find mouth aflame by using a salsas that include black beans or black-eyed peas. Served with pepper I use. baked tortilla chips, these dips can make a healthful first Adding to their unique approach is a group of Miami-

news that chefs are increasingly

sed chefs who have created a style of cooking called Nuevo Latino or New World Cuisine When it comes to salsa, disciples of this jazzy fusion cooking use fresh Caribbean and Hispanic ingredients like mango, papaya, ineapple, banana, ginger and other vibrant-tasting, visuallycolorful choices.

If you don't want to wait or depend on eating out for salsa excitement, here's a recipe that

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Considering this, it is good pineapple with summer-ripe nec tarines. It's moderately hot, but creative in how they make and you can turn it up more by using a serrano chile, or really set you habanero in place of the jalapeno

> TROPICAL FRUIT SALSA 1 cup mango, cut into 1/2

inch cubes 1 cup chopped nectarine 1 cup pineapple, cut into 1/2-

minced 1/2 teaspoon salt

1 jalapeno, seeded and

1 tablespoon defrosted

chopped

Juice of 1 lime 2 tablespoons chopped cilantro

orange juice concentrate

In a medium glass, plastic or stainless steel bowl, combine the mango, nectarine, pineapple, red onion, jalapeno, and salt. Mix in

the flavors to meld. This salsa keeps, tightly covered, in the

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Correction Notice

In our July 26 insert, we featured the White Westinghouse

WACO82G7A air conditioner as being available. Due to the unseasonably hot weather, supplies of this air

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30 minutes before serving to allow of fat.

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people younger than 40. There are pre-existing conditions, risk factors and genetic factors that may increase your risk of developing this cancer Pre-existing conditions include chronic gastritis, pern cious anemia and infection of the stomach with Helicobacter choices and include smoking. eating lots of dry, salty foods and

been decreasing since 1930 but

increasing, especially among

not eating enough fruits and

vegetables Genetic factors

cancer

include having a mother, father,

involves looking inside the stomach with an x-ray (upper GI) or a scope and obtaining a biopsy of any abnormal tissue. At the same time tests can be taken for the bacteria, Helicobacter pylori, which includes changes leading to . cancer of the upper half has been cancer. Symptoms that should lead

> The prognosis depends on the extent of the cancer (stage) and stomach) and may involve chemotherapy or radiation

Dr Eckenrode is board certified in Internal Medicine. Hematology and Oncology He practices at Oakwood Hospital and Medical Cente in Dearborn and at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center in Wayne

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you to your doctor include indigestion or heartburn, pain, bloating, nausea, lack of appetite More advanced symptoms are blood in the stool, vomiting and

the fitness of the patient. Treatment usually involves a partial or total gastrectomy (removal of the therapy Although cures are possible if the cancer is found early, it is usually found when it is more advanced and more difficult to control



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MEDICAL BRIEFS

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Keep grass short, but avoid mowing it yourself.

Don't dry clothes outside; pollen

sticks to the fabric. Plan outdoor activities when

pollen counts are low, just after a rain shower or late in the afternoon. Ban smoking at home; it aggra-

vates allergies. ■ Wash hair and shower every night; this removes pollen stuck to

the hair and body ■ Use eye drops if you have itchy or

watery eyes. Lower alcohol intake; alcohol can made allergic reactions worse.

■ Keep windows closed as much as

Chemical Sensitivity

Are smoke, fragrances, pesticides, cleaning supplies and new construction materials making your life miserable? Multiple Chemical Sensitivity Friends is a free support group for anyone who is hypersensitive to chemical and environmental irritants. The next monthly meeting is from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 2, at The Good Food Company-West, 42615 Ford Road, west of I-275. Call (248) 349-4972 for more information

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Want to stop smoking once and for all? Give Botsford General Hospital's "PowerStop" program a try. You're in control - you set the "quit date" and receive all the support you need to overcome physical, psychological and emotional withdrawal issues. This individual counseling program features a one-hour private consultation with a smoking cessation counselor, workbook, cassette tapes and five follow-up phone calls. Cost is \$75. Regis Iration required. Call (248) 477-6100.

Dads Class

St. Mary Hospital will offer a class for new and expectant fathers from 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 6. "Just for Dads...Childbirth and Beyond" helps fathers understand feelings and changes associated with the birthing process and teaches them to become an active participant in childbirth. The format invites open discussion on attitudes and beliefs about fatherhood and lifestyle changes. Cost is \$15. Registration required. Call (734) 655-1100 or (800) 494-1615.

Male volunteers

The Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute-West Region is currently recruiting male volunteer speakers for the Prostate Health Awareness Program in western Wayne County. Volunteers don't have to be prostate cancer survivors. Volunteers will undergo a two-part, six-hour training session and will receive a manual. Trained speakers are requested by a variety of community groups. Contact Nicole Williams at (313) 561-8880.

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BODY MASS INDEX

New weight guide shows most Americans are overweight

ody mass, we all have it. The problem is some of us have a lot more of it According to The ated with obesity. National Institutes of Health, 97 million American adults - a whopping 55 percent of the population - are now considered overweight or

Obesity is the second-leading cause of preventable death in the United States after smoking: Assessment of overweight, under recently released federal guidelines, involves evaluation of three key measures - body mass index (BMI), patient's risk factors for diseases and conditions associated with obesity, and waist circumference. However, it's "BMI" that's become the buzz word

of the health scene.

BMI describes body weight relative to height and is strongly correlated with total body fat content in adults. The new guidelines define overweight as a BMI of 25 to 29.9 and obesity as a BMI of 30 or more. A BMI of 30 is about 30 pounds overweight and is equivalent to a 6-foot-tall person weighing 221 pounds or a 5-foot-6-inch person weighing 186

Dr. Jerry Cooper, medical director of Medical hip Weight Loss Clinic, which has 24 clinics in Michigan, is 6 feet tall and weighs 192 pounds, giving him a BMI of 26 - just over the border into overweight territory

"I don't think I'm any more at risk with a BMI factor of 26 than I would be at 25," said Cooper. He also said "nobody calls me heavy.

Adult Obesity," a person 35 or older is obese with a BMI of 27 or more. A BMI of 25 or more indicates obesity for people age 34 or younger. A BMI of more than 30 usually is considered a sign of moderate to severe obesity.

Cooper's clinics use BMI as a guideline, not gospel. He said the BMI measurements may be "a little skewed" since they don't factor in age and slowing metabolisms.

The NIH article acknowledges the BMI measurement has some of the same problems as standard weight-for-height tables. BMI doesn't provide information on a person's percentage of body fat. "In my opinion, a BMI of 30 is significant unless

Pears vs. apples

you're a weightlifter," said Cooper.

Gale Cox, a registered dietitian and manager of Botsford Hospital's wellness programs, said where a person carries their fat is significant in predicting

Fat carried high on the body "presses against body organs" and is more detrimental than fat carried around the hips.

Women tend to collect fat in their hips and buttocks, giving their bodies a "pear" shape. Men usually build up fat around their bellies, giving them an "apple" shape. Some women become more apple-shaped

you're a pear or an

It's all in the waist-tohip ratio, according to the NIH. Divide your narrowest waist meaement by your widest measurement Women with waist-to-hip ratios of more than 0.8 or men with waist-to-hip

ratios of more than 1.0 are "apples." Their health risks are increased. The 24-member panel of health experts that devised the federal guidelines concluded that waist circumference is a better marker of abdominal fat -

According to an NIH article, "Understanding and a better predictor of disease risk - than the waist-to-hip ratio A waist circumference of over 40 inches in men and over 35 inches in women signifies increased risk in those who have a BMI of 25 to 34.9.

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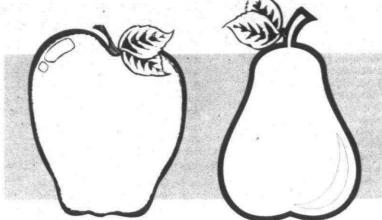
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There's reason to take those BMI figures without too many grains of salt.

Men and women in the highest obesity category have five times the risk of hypertension, high blood cholesterol, or both compared to individuals of normal weight, according to the NIH.

These individuals are at increased risk of illness from hypertension, lipid disorders, type II diabetes, coronary heart disease, stroke, gallbladder disease, osteoarthritis, sleep apnea and respiratory prob-

Smoking, a sedentary life style, and a genetic history of heart disease compound the risk factors. Dr. William Ross, a family doctor with Family



Apple or pear?: Knowing which body style you have can help assess your health risks when you are obese. The answer is in your waist-to-hip ratio. See article for the formula devised by the National Institute of Health.

> Care Associates in Plymouth, has been practicing medicine for 35 years. He said 45 percent of his patients are overweight or obese. He addresses the issue with them "a hundred percent of the time." "Doctors should start realizing obesity is an ill-

ness. They shouldn't gloss over it. It should be a major factor in a person's health." Ross said that Michigan is one of the top 10 states for adult obesity and one of the top five for

No magic cures

"The major problem is taking in more calories than you burn," said Ross, who stresses increased physical activity and behavior therapy in addition to calorie reduction He said a half hour of walking will burn more

calories than hundreds of abdominal crunches. Ross also said many people skip lunch then gorge at dinner. It's better to "graze" all day, eating smaller portions. Another mistake people make is to presume fat-free food means fewer calories

"They don't realize that eating a bag of fat-free potato chips is 2,000 calories in carbohydrates."

The 24-member panel of experts that devised the new federal guidelines advises physicians to have their patients try lifestyle therapy for at least six months before embarking on physician-prescribed drug therapy The panel suggested weight-loss drugs may be

appropriate for those patients with a BMI of 30 without additional risk factors or a BMI of 27 with two or more risk factors who have failed to lose or maintain weight under non-drug therapies. The NIH reports that total costs attributable to

obesity-related disease approaches \$100 billion annually. Cooper said few people lose weight because some-

body tells them to. Medical Weight Loss Clinic clients don't talk about their BMI. They're con cerned with genetic factors or how they look in the However, BMI is a helpful tool.

"With the federal government using the BMI

and save more lives by helping overweight and obese people lose weight. And, if we can help more people lose weight, it will also cut down on health costs for all of us," said Cooper.

The guidelines were developed by a 24-member expert panel chaired by Dr. F. Xavier Pi-Sunver. director of the Obesity Research Center, St Luke's / Roosevelt Hospital Center in New York City. They are being reviewed by 115 health experts at major medical and professional societies.

They were released by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute (NHLBI), in cooperation with the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK).

Blue Cross health line now available for members

(BCBSM) HealthCall service, a 24-hour from how to start living healthier to telephone health information service. is now available to more than three million Blue Cross Blue Shield and Blue Care Network members, making it the largest telephone health informa tion service in the state.

Experts estimate that 100 million Americans will have access to a similar sort of telephone health information line by the year 2001. HealthCall provides 24-hour, toll-

free access to registered nurses and audio-taped health information. It is one of more than a dozen disease management and wellness programs offered by BCBSM and Blue Care Network to help keep their members healthy and help those with chronic conditions better understand their ill-

The telephone line averages about 200 calls daily. Callers ask about everything from home treatments for treatment options. Calls have covered everything from croup to rashes, nauser to back pain.

My baby hit his head! Do I have mono? What foods are low in cholesterol? My feet are green! Nurses on the HealthCall line have been respond ing to questions like these ever since the service debuted.

"We put people at ease by answering their questions and making suggestions, whether it's treating the condition at home or seeing the doctor," said Lisa Barron, R.N., who fielded the call about the two-year-old who hit his

"The parents were understandably frantic, and I could hear the baby cry ing in the background," Barron said "but fortunately there were no serious

Richard Haubrick, R.N., who solved

the Mystery of the Green Feet, says

that sometimes a problem that seems minor is a big deal to the caller "The caller was recovering from

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surgery and wondering if he had gangrene." Haubrick said. He didn't. Like the veteran ER nurse he is, Haubrick probed for details about the caller's symptoms, concluding they were caused by the dye on his new green slippers. And so the conversation ended with the caller better informed less anxious and very glad he called

"HealthCall is an added service that provides our members with direct access to health care information," said Susan Berg, HealthCall director, "We believe the outcome of providing this information is that the member will make more informed choices in the

health care services they utilize. "For example, studies show that at least 32 percent of emergency room visits do not require urgent medical care. By providing access to health care information, our members can be

armed with knowledge that can reduce the number of unnecessary trips to the emergency room that take up valuable time and cause unnecessary worry."

HealthCall includes an audio health library that contains a wide variety of pre-recorded tapes on different medical topics ranging from specific conditions related to a given age group to general health questions.

The service is not a substitute for care from a physician. Instead, HealthCall complements the doctor's services and provides convenient infor mation 365 days a year. All calls are protected by confidentiality standards

Blue Cross Blue Shield or Blue Care Network members who have Health-Call available under their group coverage plan should already have received a brochure about the service. Eligible Michigan Blues group members can obtain program brochures or give HealthCall a try by dialing 800-811-1764.

Now showing on the World Wide Web: Joe Average doing nothing



man who, unknowingly, lives his entire life on TV. But on the Internet, everyday people living everyday lives already are being broadcast to a worldwide audience

of online voyeurs. Florida woman who gave birth on the Internet and the California teenagers who promised to lose their virginity before an Internet camera. But the Florida woman's net event was far from typical. And the site promising to chronicle the lost virgin-

But forget those bizarre incidents. Because the idea of hooking up a Webcam is something hundreds of others are have been experimenting with on the Net for months. For example, consider Ben Tolbert (http:// pages. prodigy.net/bentolbert/benny.htm) from Mt.

ity of the teens turned out to be a hoax.

Tolbert's an extrovert. So, when he's not working as an electrician at the nearby Selfridge Air National Guard base, he's on "Benny Cam," his live hookup to the Internet. A camera attached to his home computer shows the whole world Benny exercising . cooking ... hanging around. He takes the camera all over ... the back yard, the kitchen, his living room.

"It's just fun," said Toibert. "People ask me all the time, why I do this? and I just smile and shrug. It sounds kind of weird, I know, but it's fun. What can

Tolbert put his "Benny Cam" online in April. Since then, more than 2,000 people have logged in to check it out. He even has posted a schedule on his Web site so Internet surfers will know when to catch

"I don't do anything very exciting," he explained. "On Father's Day, I had the Webcam on my son and I as we played a chess game. That was a highlight. Then, one night I forgot it was on and fell asleep. That was my biggest embarrassment. Most times, it's just on, you know? Not a lot happens."

Still, Tolbert is having so much fun that he now has posted his telephone number online and, on Friday nights, talks with callers who click on his Web "I guess what amazes me most is how many peo-

ple think I'm interesting. Ben Tolbert is not alone when it comes to sharing his life online. At least 300 people have cameras sending nonstop pictures of them on the Internet.

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he Truman Show" is a young women who won't allow full access to their popular movie about a pictures until the surfer gives them a credit card

But most of the personal Webcam sites are ... like Benny's ... pretty mundane. For example, there's a live view of an Omaha.

Neb. family's living room and kitchen (http://www. probe.net/~bowerman/ispy.html). Again, what you By now, everybody's heard of the get is whatever's happening. Mom in the kitchen, the kids watching TV.

Then there's this site:

(http://www.spies.com/~arubin/alexcam.html) devoted to "Alex the Welsh Terrier," a California dog who mostly naps while his owners work. In San Francisco

(http://www.geocities.com/SouthBeach/5860/ homecam.htm), there's a woman who keeps a live camera trained on her at home. And at work. No nudity or weird stuff ... she just does it because she likes getting her 15 megabytes of fame. The Boring Guys site

(http://www.boringguys.com/boringframe.html) is just that ... four post-college New Jersey guys who sit around and stare at a computer camera. A site called EarthCam.

(http://www.earthcam.com/) offers up a complete list of personal Webcams ... and other live cameras

on the Net Here are some other Webcams you may want to check out: ■ Tommy's List of Live Cams

(http://chili.rt66.com/ozone/cam.htm) - Organized

by geographical locations, with brief descriptions of what can be seen. Live Cam (http://www.live-cam.com.ar/) - This site contains links to over 1,000 Webcams in 58 countries. My personal favorites? The live shot of the Turtle farm on Grand Cayman Island (http://www.live-cam.com.ar/) and Davis Station in

Antarctica (http://www.live-cam.com.ar/). KremlinKam (http://www.kremlinkam.com/) A live view of the Kremlin in Russia. Daniel's Live Cams

(http://www.geocities.com/RodeoDrive/1595/index. html) - You can choose between outdoor cameras and indoor cameras, all over the world. ■ WebCam Central

(http://www.camcentral.com/) - This is a huge site, most with full-color live pictures. Aquatic Garden Cam - This live camera from an small Massachusetts "aqua garden" features a

live fish feeding every noon.

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Firm recognized Livonia-based ZenaComp Incorporated was selected for the fourth consecutive year as one of Detroit's FUTURE 50 Companies for 1998. The company will be recognized for their outstanding business achievements in October. In May, ZenaComp incorporated was ranked the fourth fastest-growing privately owned business in the state due to phenomenal growth in company size and

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The Arbor Consulting Group, Inc., explains that companies should allow employees to make mistakes -- but learn from them. A company needs to create an environment of trust and respect, where employees are encouraged to be creative, make better decisions -- resulting in a more innovative, productive work environment. Employees feel good about their contributions and are recognized for them. With this type of environment, a company is more likely to be an "employer of choice." "Freedom to Fail brings the term "empowerment" from buzz word - to

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DWF, 33, 5'5, blond/blue, has variety of

DWF, 33, 5'5, blond/blue, has variety of interest, enjoys blking, traveling and dining out. Seeking warm, caring SWM, 35-48, with sense of humor, for compan-

48, with sense of humor, for companionship and possible LTR, \$28008 LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT Active, outgoing SVF, 35, 55°, 115bs, NIS, college-educated, financial/riemotionally secure, likes movies, staying in shape, diring out, seeks SVM, 32-45, NIS, similar qualities/interests, for LTR, \$28141

NJS, aimiliar qualities/interests, for LTR.

T27141

LET'S MAVE FUN

Attractive, affectionate DWF. 26, 52°,
prowrbbus, mom of 1, etglys deling out,
movies, trips up north, and romantic
evenings. Seeking friendly, secure
S/DWM, 25-35, NiS, who likes kids, for
frendship, possible relationship. T6236

CHANGE MY MIND

Pette DWPF, 33, brunette, mother of
two, seeks honest, sincere, fun-loving,
responsible guy, who lan't afraid of a
challenge. T6289

TOGETHER FOREVER

Attractive, outgoing SWF, 30, 5°2,
108lbs, red/genet, NJS, no dependents,
college-educated, enjoys rollerbiading,
skating, logging, long wellsk, mountain
biking, skiling, ternits, movies, cuddling,
seeks cuts, cuddly, physically fit, ambtous PM, 25-36, 178504

PRIEKDISHEP

Pretty, down-to-earth, educated BF, 30,

Pretty, down-to-earth, educated BF, 30, no depandents, financially secure, enjoys the arts, all types of music and lood, Sunday drives. Let's just be triends. \$26761

triends. \$2,8761

GENUINE AND LOVEABLE
SWF, 25, 577, 120lbs, blue eyes, h
beautiful smile, enjoys the outdoors, ing in/out, singing, cancers, clubs and traveling. Seeking down-to-earth, Christian male, 24-28, with sim-lar interests, for friendship, possibly DESIRES SPECIAL FRIENDSHIP

DESIRES SPECIAL FRIENDSHIP intelligent, passionals, gregarious, horset DWF, 5-7°, 128lbs, beauthful inside and out, willing to learn. Seeking fit, secure gentleman, 30-40, interest include sports, dining, theater, sportaneous hur. For friendship. \$\overline{T}\$9925\$

LUCK BE A LADY

She was the kind of dame who looked like an angel but disward great with.

She was the kind of dame who looked like an angel, but played cards with the devil, and always won. Slim SJF, 54, 57 blonds/blue, seeks SWM, 46+, for

devil, and always won. Slim SJF, 54, 57; blondeblue, seeks SWM, 46+, for possible relationship. 12*6470
LIVONIA LADY
DVF, 51; 57*, long blondeblue, educated, enjoys aimple things, movies, gardening, seeks caling, honest, downto-earth goy, 48-55, N/S, for frendehip and maybe more. Must have time for relationship. 12*6517.

EACHTIPUL SMILE.

Attractive, athletic SWF, 49, 57*, siender, college graduate, enjoys sports, movies, concerts, dining, and laughter. Seeking tall, healthy, honest, sincere, apontaneous SWPM, 50-55, N/S, social drinker, college graduate, to LTR. 12*6054.

DYNAMIC & DIVERSIFIED

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Captivating, vibrant SWF, leggy blonde, erigoge seminars, sports, car events, the outdoors. Seeking sensitive, goal-oriented, spiritual, shietic SWM, over 36.

5. NS, for good times, LTA, 179831
STRIKINGLY PRETTY
Brown-eyed blonde, stemder, intelligent, degreed professional with no dependents. Seekin security extender, intelligent, and interest with no dependents who is emotionally/linancially secure. N/S, social dirinter with no dependents who is remotionally/linancially secure. N/S, social dirinter with no dependents who is interested in an honese LTR. 178928
ATTRACTIVE WIDOW
Pretty, standard, tall, intelligent SF, 52, refilmed, fun, amoker, seeks gentlemma, 50-65, intelligent, tall, articuster, classy, confident, interested in finding someone with my above qualities. 176296
HAPPY, GRICERE, ACTIVE
Fun-loving, petito DF 54, blonde, seeks intelligent male, 52-60, N/S, social dirinter, who's a participant in life and all the fun it has to offer, enjoys, music, travel, arts, outdoors, wellong, biking, etc. 179414.

"CITE PETITE SLONDE."
mid-40s, tald under 5' 1068s, great, strayer, secure, honese, caring, frustling, N/S, N/D, prefers the same in non-look-ing, sith SWM, mol-40s to mid-50s, who wants a special ledy to share summent fun. 17:0052.

sing, sem SYMM, mod-out to microsis, who wants a special fieldy to share surment fun. 1876052.

BLL SEEKS TIM

This medium-blonde, 46, 53", single again, NS, no kids, from Royal Cuk, has the tools but needs the right puy to teach hair how to use them; maybe we can build an LTR. 1878051.

M'Drügs. South Lyon ereis. 279484
SUNSETS & MOONLIGHT
SWF. 44, 57°, brownhazel, N/S. enjoy sports, jazz. CM, quiet times et home. Seeking romants, honest, family-oriented S/DWM, 38-54, 57°, N/S. Al calls will be snewered. 277913
GORGEOUS GREGARIOUS
FR. F. 40, 57°, 13058, MA degree, into bleing, reading, antiquing, giggling, Seeking SWM, N/S, degreed, fit, outgoing guy, 176160
PRETTY NATURE LOVER
SWF, 43, 57°, 127bs, studying alternative medicine, into self growth, woods walking, singling, natural health, laughing, speaking furth, life. I'm spunky, unique, loving, Seeking N/S, soul connection S/WM, 36-48, 25°706
FUN-LOVING, UPBEAT LADY
Affractive, honest, fit SWFF, 40, 58°, brown/brown, N/S, enjoys summer activities, golf, dancing, travel, and more. Seeking stractive SWFPM, 36-44, 10°7°, with similar qualities, interests, for LTR, 176-480.

DWF, down-to-earth, former model, tall, great personality, N/S, S/D, enjoys dining, dancing, theeter, iong walks, good conversation. Seeking tall male, 56-65, with similar qualities, interests.

I NEED A MAN
Attractive, employed, educated BF, 50 (looks much younger), exercises daily.

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WF, young 62, Farmington Hills area, seeks compasionship/frendship with man of same age group. Loves animals, long walksudrives, dining in/out, movies and shows. Would like to meet for coffee, conversation. 3787.11

Very pretty SWF, mental heath care technician, youthful 48, 5'6", slightly overweight, blond/blue, seeks attractive SW medical doctor, 40-60, for com-

Non-smoking AF. 37, seeks attractive, health-conscious, dependent-free WM. 30-40, 5'9"+ for casual dating, possible LTR, 129010
I'M READY, ARE YOU?

TM READY, ARE YOU?

Can you relate to my diliemma?

Attractive SWPF, seeks an open, honest, physicatly fit, intelligent SPM, 45-55.

NS, loves site and challenges. It this fits, let's start with friendship, explore the possibilities. T8:243

LADY IN WAITING

Good-looking 46, DBPCF, 5'5', 140lbs, N/S, enjoy traveling, movies, reading, exercising, outdoor activities: Seeking SPCM, N/S, with similar interests, for friendship, opssibly more. T8:6446.

WESTLAND AREA

respects the fact that honesty is the best policy, for friendship first, possible relationship. 27:6512.

WILL YOU MAKE ME LAUGH?
De you have a luminous sout? Do you like whee, travel, dogs, antiques, arts?
Petitle SF, 49, Designer, who's classy and sassy, hip to ho-hum, seeks extraordinary, average guy to explore the hum. 27:759.

LOOKING FOR HONEST COMPANION.

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DWF, 43, rigodium build, seeks S-DWM, 43-50, must be employed, NS. like children, outdoor activities and sports, for possible LTR, 1278884
SPARKLING, EXPRESSIVE, Pretty DWF, 55, enjoys driving out, dancing, casinosis Seeking enforces, rest 54, 55+, race unimportant, with sense of humor and similar interests, for friend-ship first. Must have own transportation No begoging. 127994
Amybody out there locking for SWF, 53,

LOOKING FOR LOVE
Pretty, romantic, intelligent SWF, loves family, enjoys movies, dancing, concerts, theater, looking for smart man, 40-55, sincere, romantic, fun, kind-hearted. No games, no players. \$\frac{17}{22} \text{27} \text{32}.

SUGAR AND SPICE
Cute, classy DF, 40ish, 52", medium
build, very passionate and romantic,
seeks SWM, 38+, N/S, attractive, smart,
lun, no games guy who's available for
an intense LTR. \$28'93
LOVE IS A STRANGER
SWF, 37, attractive, peetite single-mother,
seeks male, 35-45, likes classical
music, theater, gardening, camping,
\$28297

enjoys horseback riding, cross-country sking, hiting, traveling, plays, concerts, seeks SVM, 35-45, NS, 6°+, similar interests, for LTR. 278515

SPECIAL.
Inside and out SBCF, 46, 5'4", seeks intelligent, kind, resul, strong yet gentile SBCM, 40-60. Do you believe all things are possible? 278708

CLIF 278708

Very classy, attractive, young PF, 45, 5', loves travel, day trips, antiques, dining. loves travel, day trips, antiques, dining, movies, seeks outgoing gentleman, 40-55, to make my Irish eyes smile.

T9889
ATTRACTIVE DOCTOR
SWF, 36, never married; worked hard, has time now for sincere relationship with similarly educated, honest, and secure WM, 35-42. T8703 LOOKING FORWARD TO SUMMER DOKING FORWARD TO SUMMER DIVIDED TO THE POWER TO THE TOTAL TO THE TOTAL TO THE TENT TO THE TENT TO THE TENT THE

Honest, serage-looking, easygoing DWF, 52 years young, 6', 130lbs, smoker trying to quit, enjoys walks, talks, motorcycles, good food; value family and good friends. Seeking similar in a male. 128849

OUTGOING WINONA TYPE
...without the singing Optimistic, fun
female seeks sideklok, 50-60, with a
good sense of humor. \$2,8810 good sense of humor. \$28510

MOTORCYCLE MOMA WANTS...
motorcycle dude. Attractive, sexy, slightly overweight, passionate, single mom with long brown/brown, is seeking you.
Are you DWPM, 36-52, 510**, and want to ride and how! at the moon?
\$28812

SHOW ME YOUR...
warmth kisses femininity ans (ii show
you my understanding, fatigrainess,
masculinity handsome swim 40s seeps
attractive swil 35-50, 129014
ALL BUT FORGOTTEN?
Kids? pats? smoker? smoker? That's all
old Easy-going, non-judge mental SWM,
39, open-minded, willing to meet an
available, sincere SWF, any age.
179016 LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT

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NO INTERNETERS
Essygoing DWM, 42, 5'6', 150lbs,
gray/green, smoker, social drinker,
seeks rach-headed or brunette DF, likes
motorcycles, Natscar, camping, 199020
FW THE ONE YOU WANT
Abraking, honest, nice, outgoing,

I'M THE ONE YOU WANT
Good looking, horset, rice, outgoing,
SWM, 23, 53", brown/hazel, seeks
pette, slender, SWF, 19-24, for friendship, possibly more, \$29026.

DWM, 50, 61", large muscular build,
good handy man, likes huntling, fishing,
motorcycles. Needs one down-to-earth,
blue jeans type girl, to share life. All
replys answered, NVD, DTree, \$279026

ALL MEN AREN'T THE SAME
Kind, caring, affectionate, easygoing

Kind, caring, affectionate, easygoing SWM, 31, 5°5', 170bs, dark brown-blue, N/S, social drinker, whose interests include: bowling, boating, cooking, camping, snowmobiling, seeks female, 16-35, \$29031

MR MOM...
to two beaufihi daughters, 13 and 7.
DWM, 44, 57, 1000a, professional, we enjoy camping, outdoor activities and going for ice cream. Seeking honest SWF, fit mom, 37-44, for L.TR. 279.79.
DWM, 6, 1900a, muscular, goatee, brown hair, enjoys biding, weight training, photography, computers. Seeking a tall, attractive SVP, 30-40, similar interests. 279.035
LOOKING FOR JUST ONE
DWM, 40, 627, bi-lingual in German/English, enjoys cooking, bon-fires, and quiet times. Seeking S/DWF-petite to medicam bulld, who understands mutual respect/affection, for monagamous LTR 279.038

paths to medium build, who understands mutual respect/affection, for monaga-mous LTR. 92938. LOYAL Honest, tail, slim, self-amployed DWM, 53, 64*, NS, in good physical condition, with sense of humor, Would like to meet a stender, somewhat altractive lady, 41-49, for companionship, possible LTR. 729024

rg, for companionship, possible LTR. 179024
THE PERFECT RELATIONSHIP—would consist of honesty, friendship, frust, communication, ornance, passion, adventure, tun. Handsome, articulate, confident, atthletic SWM, 25. 5111, enjoye music, people watching, outdoor fun, seeks sincere, pretty, siender SWF, 19-34. 179040
SEEKING COMPANION
Athletic DWM, 40, 195lbs, brown/brown, horneowner, with two boys, enjoys travelling, music, and sports. Seeking fix, stable S/DWF, 33-40, N/S, for a healthy, happy relationshipp, with many special

happy relationships.
times. 178938
MARRIAGE IN MIND

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SWCM, 50, argoys dancing, long walks, having fun, playing cards, traveling, Searching for a good woman. 40-50 to share my life, INS, EP900.

CARNIG C.

Outgoing, caring SBM, 38, tooks 25, 58°, 1600s, enjoys working out, travel, movies, clarcing, Seeking SWF, who can treat me nice, EP900.

WATERFROD GENTLEMAN

DWM, 40, 510°, 1800s, brown/greenenjoys movies, eating out travel, cooking for family. Seeking offertad woman, with values and personality, EP908

IDEALISTIC GUY

Intelligent, witty, warm OWPM, 39.

with values and personality, \$7998 |
DEALISTIC GUY |
Intelligent, witty, warm DWPM, 39, looking to \$50WPF; 30-40, for coffee, movies, walks, stimulating conversation. Looking for friend first, won't run from soutmale. \$79039.

STHERE. a vibrant, stylish, umpretentious woman, in har 50s, wanting to meet her male counterpart? Let's talk! \$79039 |
ADVENTUROUS |
SWM, professional, 28, 510°, 155lbs, considered good-looking, with dark hair and eyes, enjoys sporting events, trav-sling, conversation, working out, rotlerbiading, humor, and much more Seeting an outgoing and fun woman \$78705 |
ARE YOU INTO DEPTH |
Articulate, spiritual, somewhat meta-

ARE YOU INTO DEPTH
Articulate, spiritual, somewhat metaphysical, slim SJM, enjoys Borders, classical, jazz, beaches and art films
Seeking lifetime SF soul mate, 33-45.

18789

TAKE A CHANCE Communicative, curious, humorous, fit. flexible and persevering SWPM, 42. 5'8', no dependents, selectic taste in material more Stateling fit.

58*, no dependents, educitic state in movies, music and more. Seeking fit, emotionally available SWF, to share healthy, happy relationship. \$284.77

TRY THIS QUALITY GUY
Professional, sincere, normaritic DWM, 52, 510°, seeks honest woman with series of humor, for diring out, dancing, plays, weekend getaways, traveling, Seeking special intend to share great times with. \$2832

MOT RICH, NOT POOR.

hut book without special lady 28-42.

NOT RICH, NOT POOR...
but poor without special lady, 28-42, to light up my heart and life This European male, 40, tall, dark and handsome enjoys all, and wants to share titles experiences. \$2717

HERE'S LOOKING AT YOU!

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Attractive, outgoing, very carring, giving.

SWM, 46, with a variety of interests, loves to be remained; and cook. Seeking same in petitie SWF, for friendship, maybe more. \$250.18

ROMANTIC & UNDERSTANDING.

Active DWM, 58, 518", medium build. Active DWM, 58, 5'8', medium build full-time employed, N/S, D/D-free enjoys family outings. Seeking a special princess, 35-52, who would desire an horest trustworthy LTR, that might lead to marriage. \$78,738.

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SLEEPLESS IN LAVONIA if you're still looking for an official ryou're still looking for an old-fast affectionate, very caring, understi 49 year-old who seeks a soulim share a lifetime of contact share a lifetime of contentment and I'm here to share it all. 12/8700 LET'S HAVE FUN

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This tail, affectionate, attractive SWM,
27, 6'4', 230lbs, brown/blue, physically III, new to area, engoys codes of carbing, mails, sports, sports, sports, sports,
panionatile, socially more. \$27989
SEEKS THIN MODEL TYPE
Available congeous, romentic SYM, dark.

Athletic, gorgeous, romantic SWM. dark hair, seeks beautifut, stender, outspo-ken, affectionate SWF. 18-22, for friend-ship, roller-blading, biking, outdoor fun, romance, maybe more. If you have what it takes, cell now! 127922 NSHIP THE PERFECT RELATIONSHIP Would consist of honesty, friendship, trust, communication, romance, passion, adventure, tun. Handsome, articulate, conflictent, arthetic SVM, 25, 511°, enjoy music, people watching, outdoor fun, seeks sincere, pretty, stender SWF, 19-34, 179647.

Handsome, romantic, athletic, confident.

Handsonte, romantic, athletic, confident, honest, cléan-cut, Italian SWM, 25, 6', dark hair. Seeking attractive, slender caring, athletic WF, 28–45, for heaven by friendship/relationship, that will keep

y friendship/relationship, that w you smiling forever. 128719 URBANE AND WITTY... humorous and attractive, proportioned, professional SWM, 35, 6'2', 195lbs, enjoys conversation, culsine, candles and cuddles. Seeking an attractive, dark-haired, challenging charmer Livonia area. Al cells answered. \$279017 COUNTRY TO TUX.

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Professional, attractive SWM. 49, 6:
185lbs, brown/blue, very fit, reader, sports enflusiest. Seeking very attractive, silm SWF, 30-45, for love, laughter, tun, LTR, willing to enjoy fit to its fullest. T26483

SPECIAL LADY WANTED

Caring, affectionate. handscome DWM.

SPECIAL Law .

Caring, affectionate, handsome DWM, 51, 57", 180lbs, loves movies, drining out. Seeking SF, petite to rhedium, for friendship leading to monogamous relationship. 128791

ESCAPE

Add active, like long ESCAPE
If you are somewhat active, like long
walks, warm summer nights, are N/S,
social or N/D, petite-medium build, 35-45, you are the lady i'm looking for Call
me and escape. 37-698.

BUTHMATE MAN
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ULTIMATE MAN

Romantic, honest, extremely attractive, passionate, sexy SWM, 25.6;
great kisser, seeks siender, attractive, active SWF, age unimportant. If you like being swept off your feet, give me a call. \$\pi 8475\$

being aways of your teet, give me a can. 19475.

1 WORK AFTERNOONS

Widowed WM, 40, 55°, 170 lbs, fit, blondigneen, NS.ND, exceptional qualities, enjoys outdoor adventures. She could be attractive, intelligent, happy with a sweet disposition. Livonia area. 195714.

BEST FRIENDS FIRST

DWM, 46, 61°, 200lbs, enjoys warm weather, the water, concerts, sports, motorcycles. Seeking SWF, 30-45, for friendship, dating and possible LTR 19851.

HONEST AND SINCERE
Easygoing, Iun-loving DM, 40, 6
190bs, enjoys walking, scorts. Seeleing attractives, fun-loving SF, 35-42, who is not atraid and the seeleing state of the seeleing seeleing state of the seeleing seele

may include traveling and many other interests. \$28641 WAITING FOR YOU

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BEASTIE BOYS
Smashing Pumpkins, Led Zeppelin(my three favorites) Good-looking, Itali athletic outgoing SWM 22 great personality, enjoys concerts, the outdoors, music(all types) biking. Seeking slender SWF, 18-28, with similar interests

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QUIET AND SHY

Sincere SWM, 45, 6'2'', 220'los, baiding brown/blue, average looks, very' shy, employed, seeks petre, plain to aver-age-looking SWF, 30-45. For fulfilling, loving relationship. Tastes and dreams are simple: \$7519.

WHO READS THESE ADS?

answer this, I'm waiting here \$\text{TB886}\$ LOOKING FOR NORMAL Handsome, clean-cut DWM, 38, 63, 7215bb, nice, normal fun evenyday long of guy, successful small business owner. Seeking lady who enjoys the outdoors, sports and travel. Leave me a message! \$\text{TB764}\$ GUARANTEED.

GUARANTEED
Mass the interacy you deserve? Seeking an understanding man, for special times, free from accountability/hassis? Nice-tooking, intelligent, passionate emotionally/financially, secure DWM, 40+, 5'9'; 185lbs, admires assertive independent woman, smoker ok-

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WERY PERSISTENT
SBM, 37, 627, 215fbs, is attractive intel
legent, financially emotionally secure
Seeking SWF, 25+, 55°+, who is attractive, emotionally secure open-moded
and confident. LTR-minded 178(9)15
BIG TEDDY BEAR
SWM, 38, 510° brownhazel; who is

\$\text{T800}\$

STARTING OVER

Got a new Harley looking for a friend by new princess SWM 44 510' slocky brownblue Seeks SWF 26-40 H/W proportionate for possible LTR \$\text{T6788}\$

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READ THIS ONE!

Very horsest, fun DWM4 40: 59": 156ths, blondisch-brosenviblusch-green; good per sonsitilty entities working out rotlerblading, liste night seaking, suctive-unnings at home. Seeking SCOW: 35; medium-

VERY ATTRACTIVE
SWM, 27, 510°, 168lbs, enjoys mountain biking, tennis, basketball, pod,
anoing, movives, camping, white water
rafting, working out. Seeking SWF, 1927, for dating, possible LTR, 125691
CONSERVATIVE PHYSICIAN
Cuts, successful professional, SM, 37,
55°, 142bs, dark/dark, enjoys reading,
walking, cars etc. seeks intelligent,
attractive SWF, for a special relationship 129632. GOOD-LOOKING SM

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Good-looling, never married, SM, 42
years young, 6: 1900bs, NS, social
dinnker, enjoys travel, shopping, fine dining, romano. Seeking financishy stable
lady, 38-55, must be full-figured. \$\mathbf{T}\$0843

BAM BAM SEEKS PEBBLES
Attractive SVM, 510¹, 170bs, loves all
sports, roller blading. Seeking SWF, 3343, with similar interest. For friendship,
possible LTR. \$\mathbf{T}\$28916

PRESCRIPTION FOR ROMANCE
Medical doors SWM, 47, 5111, 1600bs,

PRESCRIPTION FOR HOBIANCE Medical doctor SWM, 47, 5111, 160lbs, worked hard. Has time now for sincere relationship with similarly educated, honest, emotionally/inancially secure WF, 36-45, \$278646 ING AT BORDERS

BROWSING AT BORDERS SWPM, 38, who likes browsing at Borders, seeks SWF, who enjoys film, music, and conversation. This 5°11', NS also plays tennis and the guitar. \$28479 BROWSING AT BORDERS SWPM, 38, who likes browsing at Borders, seeks SWF, who enjoys film, music, and conversation. This 5°17', NS to be allest tension and the cities.

also plays tennis and the guitar. 1378479. LAID-BACK LADY? LAID-BACK LADY?
Inactive underachieve? SWM, 40s.
kind of cute, seeks SWF. to lounge
around with, watch tv, order pizzas, etc.,
etc., and relax after a busy day. T8481
FRIENDS BEFORE LOVERS
Honest, sincere DWM, 58, 518; N/S,
with a pleasant personality. Seeking
siender, attractive SWF, 45-50, who
enous sonoth and cut-back Breath

ender, attractive SWF, 45-50, who njoys sports and outdoors. Royal ak/Huntington Woods area. ☎8634 ATTRACTIVE VETERINARIAN SWM, 39. 6', 190lbs, trim, warm, ath-letic, fun-loving, seeks very special Spice Girl type, very slim/trim, roman-tic at heart, fun-loving, family-oriented, passionate, for romantic relationship

HOPE TO HEAR FROM YOU

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46 year-old widowed WM, with kids, romantic, affectionate, trustworthy, odd sense of humor. Seeking attractive, fit WF. 35-40, to be soul mate, best mend, and more. Tr8698

FRIENDLY LOVE PATTER
Plenaissance man SWM, 42, appreciates the arts, history, travel, current events, living well. Seeks lively lady, to share with and celebrate life. Tr8702

CHOICE OR CHANCE?

Classy, straight-forward SWM, 45, good life-style, yet unpretentious, seeks warm, sincere, quality woman. Til bring out the best in you! Tr8704

SWM, mid-80s, 5101. 170lbs, receding gray harine, green eyes, enjoys good dinners, music, movies, concerts, slow deancing, travel, romancing, getaway weekends. Seeking WF. 58-66. N/S. N/D no dependents, possible LTR Tr8712.

QUALITY GUY OUALITY GUY
Honest, carng, understanding, SWM,
29, 6°2", 1800s, catholic, good sense of
humor, enjoys basketball, godf, biking,
reading, painting, music. Seeking sen-der SWCF, 23-32, tired of people who

der SWCF. 23-32, Irred of people who play mind games. TB872 or BOOKS AND LOOKS Good-looking SWM. 23. brown/blue 61° Studies hard and is looking for fun Enjoys football, tv. going to bars Seeking SWF. 21 plus, for a thendship, possible relationship. Shapely figure a SEEKING SOULMATE DCM, 38. 6°, 200lbs, short brown

DCM, 38, 6', 200lbs, short brown nar-seeks sweetheart, under 38, who has a heart to share, and would like a strong, confident man who wants to be sweet and tender '978650' SEEKING LOVE SWM, 33, 5'9' 180lbs, brown/brown, seeks a tervale, 25'-32, to date and for possible LTR '97863' CUT TO THE CHASE

CUT TO THE CHASE Introguing loyal charming, trustworthy SWM, 40, seeks lonely, teminine WF without tatoos, for LTR, No computer "geekettes" trucks or "friendship first" Small car owner preferred. "278923—HUNGRY FOR LOVE?
On the rebound? Sincere, sensual SWM, 47 has arms for holding, lips for kissing, compassion for comfort Seeking sincere SWF. Age open 278926.

#8926 CUTE DESPERADO

CUTE DESPENADO

6'4' blue-eyed bachelor partisan, seeks bombshell love, no war heads affached! Into calculus, nutrition, sympathetic vibration, \$28930 vioration. \$78930 intelligent, sympathetic intelligent, caring, Renaissance man, 24. blond/blue, seeks open-minded WF 18-30 likes movies, books, outdoor activities, for friendship, possible LTR \$7883

ry try to succeed Trial through fine con-versations is the basis. No barriers \$28937

SENIORS

YOUNG SENIOR LADY
Petite redhead, 61, high energy, enjoys
all ite offers, warris to reveal gentlemen
55-85 for deancing, camping, exploring
new places and things. N/S, Plymouth
area. 109021 SEEKS ACTIVE MALE SOULMATE

bependents \$280 A REAL GENTLEMAN SWM 51 very cute. NS. seeks an attractive romantic creative SWF 58-64 NS seeks of humor social dinities emotionally/financially secure for a LTR \$238. nts \$3829

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Handsome SWM, 35, 6, 190lbs,
trown/blue, varied interests, seeks
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Trave

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Sunday, July 26, 1998



Nature lover: Melissa Snyder, one of 15 artists exhibiting in an invitational show at Rio Bravo Cantina, works on a painting of a trout pond in Grayling.

Business works hand-in-hand with artists

hen Eric Drescher isn't busy managing the Rio Bravo Cantina in Livonia, he enjoys visiting local art fairs. So as the second anniversary of the restaurant approached, Drescher thought why not join the two in a celebration.

On Aug. 8, the Associated Artists' Invitational Art Exhibit and Sale will fill a 40- by 40-foot tent in the restaurant parking lot with more than 130 watercolor and oil paintings, colored pencil, photography, and fabric art.

"I wanted to entice adults to come and linger at the restaurant," said Drescher. "Going to an art fair is a

Associated Artists Invitational Exhibit

WHAT: A show of painting, colored pencil, photography, and fabric art by a group of independent artists. Admission is free WHEN: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 8. G.R.R. plays acoustic rhythm and blues 5-8 p.m. followed by rock n 'roll until midnight. WHERE: In the parking lot of Rio Bravo Cantina, 19265 Victor Park way, (north of Seven Mile, east of I-275), Livonia, Call (734) 542-0700 for

more information.

nice relaxing way to spend the day. It's a win-win type of situation for all of us and a big test for me. If it works well for the artists and the restaurant, we'll do it again."

Although

adept at serving up an entree. Drescher is the first to admit he has no experience managing an art show. In search of guidance, he contacted the city of Livonia's community resources department who in turn recommended Melissa Snyder.

Snyder chaired an exhibit by the Visual Arts Association of Livonia in May at Livonia City Hall. She chose the 15 artists for the invitational based on the best local art she's seen.

Party atmosphere

"It's a party atmosphere and a lot more like the Ann Arbor Art Fairs," said Snyder. "We have a great variety of styles from abstract to realism to impressionistic. Everyone's going to find something to like."

Relatively new at exhibiting herself, Snyder has met with her fair share of barriers when entering shows. The Livonia resident is looking forward to showing work with the freedom Rio Bravo Cantina allows.

"Every time you enter a show there's always restrictions," said Snyder. "You can't exhibit a painting older than two years. I wanted the artists to be able to show what they want. They'll be able to show an unlimited number of pieces, not just one or two. There are fewer artists in this than you find in a group show but more work by the individual artists."

From classic car paintings by Al Weber to florals by Audrey Harkins and Marge Masek, and fiber art by Saundra Weed, there will be a variety of subject matter, mediums and techniques in the show. Look for Snyder to exhibit oil paintings of still life, a blue heron and the exotic-looking spoonbill roseate common to Florida, Louisiana and Texas.

Snyder's Livonia backyard is home to 18 different species of birds. Seven feeders positioned around her yard attract yellow finches, woodpeckers, and hawks. Ducks frequently stop by for a swim in an above ground pool.

Learning to paint

Snyder never thought about painting any of this beauty until she injured her back in 1994. A one-time member of the Detroit City Ballet, Snyder was immersed in the world of dance. She'd taught the art of movement since her days at Mercy College. In fact, she earned a degree in psychology from Mercy College by teach-

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EXHIBIT

Carvers compete in creating quick sculptures

Wood Carvers Show

WHAT: The 24th annual exhibit, competition and sale of carved animals, birds and figures features the Michigan Chainsaw Carving Championship.

WHEN: 11
a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 1-2.
Carvers compete 10 a.m.
to 2 p.m. both
days.
WHERE:

days,
WHERE:
Eddie Edgar
Arena, 33841
Lyndon (at
Farmington
Road) in Livonia.

Admission is \$1 per person, \$2 for families. For more information, call (734) 421-8310. Jerry Wagner effortlessly slices the blade of his chainsaw through the wood log to carve out the arm of a bear. While art connoisseurs may consider Wagner's work an elevated form of whittling, chainsaw carvers use the same guidelines as sculptors working in marble, bronze and

Just as ice carvers have struggled for years to have their carvings recognized as art, wood carvers are just beginning the long, uphill battle.

Last August, visitors to the Livonia Wood Carvers Club Show marveled at Wagner's ability to accurately and imaginatively depict dozens of bears in all sizes.

He'll be returning to the show this year to demonstrate his craft, but he'll also be competing with 20 male and female carvers in the second Michigan Chainsaw Carving Competition taking place during the 24th annual show, Aug. 1-2. Wagner won third place in the first competition held last September in Oscoda.

Working as a carpenter in the Livonia, Plymouth and Canton area instilled a love of wood in Wagner. But it wasn't until he inherited property in Au Sable that he decided to change careers and move up north. Until 2-1/2 years ago, the only carving he'd



Chainsaw creation: Mike Wagner carves an owl from a single piece of wood

done was by hand as a hobby Watching Canadian chainsaw carver Al Herron create an eagle from a hunk of wood inspired him to switch from hand to power tools. Now, Wagner exhibits his chainsaw carving skills at 30 to 40 shows a year around the state. He and son, Mike Wagner, will compete at the Livonia Wood Carvers Show. Mike took first place in the Central Michigan Championships in

June. Jerry won fourth place.

"After seeing Al carve, I thought that's neat," said Wagner. "Working with a chainsaw is so fast. By hand, it would take two to three hours what a chainsaw can do in 20 minutes, and it's safer than hand carving. I've never cut myself with a chainsaw, but I have with my knife."

Chainsaw carving seems like it would require physical stamina. Wagner says, not so. In fact, women will wield saws alongside men at the Livonia Wood Carvers Show.

"One or two pulls and the chainsaws start," said Wagner. "The saws are lighter now. It's not as physical as you think. You can buy saws now that weigh 7-1/2 pounds."

Wagner primarily carves bears. He's found them the most profitable subject matter. He was recently commissioned to carve a 7-1/2 foot grizzly for a Manistee sportsman's lodge.

"I can't get away from bears; there's such a demand," said Wagner. "Cactus are hot, too, and a sleeping fawn that you can use for a doorstop."

Watching a carver hone the nose of a bear from a raw log is fascinating. On Saturday and Sunday, carvers will have four

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Hide and seek: Bears are Jerry Wagner's specialty.

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chefman, Kiki Smith and others. 538

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Through Aug. 15 - New paintings by

Winifred Godfrey and new sculpture by

Chris Berti. Opening reception 6 p.m.

rough Aug. 15 - "Treasures from the

Back Room: A Selection of Gallery

Artists," 202 E. Third St., Royal Oak

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On Saturday, the museum opened two exhibits that evoke memories of the former black Detroit communities along with an installation that reflects the celebratory spirit of an afterhours speakeasy in rural North

Together, "Detroit's Black Bottom & Paradise Valley: Help Us Collect Your Past" and the narrative sculpture "Juke Joint" offer "local stories as part of the broader American story," said

Telling stories

"Detroit's Black Bottom & Parrich black soil. adise Valley: Help Us Collect Your Past" is the first exhibit curated by the staff since the new museum opened in spring

The first of the two-part exhibit includes the display of about 1,500 photographs of Paradise mation into an exhibit, which is Alley and Black Bottom, an area expected to tour the country. once located between Lafavette

collection of a local real estate appraiser who found the pictures at flea markets and estate sales. The museum is encouraging anyone who has photos, memorabilia or a story about Paradise

Valley and Black Bottom to come ward to what is now I-375 still invokes proud memories of Duke forth and have their memories Ellington, Count Basie, Cab Calincluded in their expanding loway and Ella Fitzgerald com-In the few days prior to opening to town to play their juke ing, the curatorial staff already jumpin' jazz in smoky nightclubs had received nearly 100 calls teeming with people, black and from people interested in recording their oral stories of growing

"The 'Black Renaissance' was up in Black Bottom, a name going on in every major U.S. city, given to the area because of the but Harlem and Detroit had the "The history of this nation is

most excitement," said Organ. "We should remember that Paradise Valley was one of the kept in attics and basements," said Camp. "There are so many few places in the country where blacks and whites were coming Detroit stories that need to be together because of the enter-In 2000, the museum will

ouildings on the site.

But to many in the African

mention of the area that

stretched a block east of Wood-

Lured by automotive jobs and the promise of escaping Jim many of the city's first genera-Crow laws, thousands of blacks tion of black lawyers, professors migrated from the south to and physicians. In recent history, the former and Gratiot avenues. Many of location of Paradise Valley was Detroit. The black population

profound neglect and crumbling 1910 to 300,000 20 years later.

Ironically, the decline of Paradise Valley and Black Bottom is American community, the mere usually traced to urban renewal (which some blacks labeled "Negro removal"), and the inte gration of blacks into formerly all-white areas of Detroit.

With widespread integration came the bitter sweet reality of a lessening of the close-knit community, once held together by common racial heritage and the struggle against oppression.

According to Organ, there were more black-owned businesses in Paradise Valley than exist today.

"We wanted to preserve the legacy of this area," said Organ, who noted that Black Bettom was the home of former Detroit mayor Coleman Young, Joe Louis and former Secretary of State Richard Austin, along with

"It's an immersion experience," "This isn't the traditional way said Organ. "Visitors will literal-

something new."

for history of our area."

Juke Joint jammin'

By day, Willie Little's father's

find staples, produce and pickled

In a series of eight vignettes

the photos are from the personal only remarkable because of the increased rapidly from 5,000 in to develop an exhibition," said ly walk into the juke join

"We live in fast-paced times. It's important to slow down, to "But we saw the opportunity to imagine what it's like to go back get the community involved. We want to be the gathering place

Little's characters invoke the adult idiosyncrasies as seen from a child's perspective, including a man with a golf-sized goiter sufgrocery store was the place to fering from "vomit cough," and a woman with a laugh that sounds like grinding gears.

"I want people to feel like their But when the sun went down, the store became the socializing in the moment, to see the texture of the life of juke joints, center for blacks living in the rural area of Washington, North said Little. "

As American culture continues

to become more homogenized, Little contends sculptural reen-

Hand-in-Hand from page C1

No longer able to teach or dance, Snyder felt lost without an outlet for her creativity. She'd danced ballet and jazz from age five to 30-something. Only after receiving a set of oil paints from her husband did she consider art's ability to release the imagination. After six months of dabbling on her own, Snyder realized she "needed help" learning to mix the oils with turpentine before painting. Classes with Saundra Weed at Schoolcraft College and the Visual Arts Association of Livonia soon

"Originally I took up archery, but it wasn't creative," said Sny-

taught her the basics.

"Painting is a good alternative and I can do this till I'm 89. Dancing and painting are really a lot alike. They're very introspective and meditative. You can't think of anything else when you're doing those. And

when you do them you forget everything else."

incorporate the additional infor-

Snyder still misses dance but painting offers its own rewards. "In any performing art you get immediate feedback and the hot sun but this is only one day energy of the audience gives

feedback into the performance,' said Snyder. "There's no feedback in painting. It's very free. You don't have to worry about negative responses." Exhibiting outdoors in a tent is a new experience for most of the artists chosen for the invitational except for Weber. Billy Thompson, Yvette Goldberg,

Judy Granata, Olga Pawlowski, Bill Williamson, Marie Benzig, Joan Jerigk, Clare Killam-Villani, Helena Lewicki, and Dwayne Kremko frequently exhibit indoors at shows sponsored by the Visual Arts Association of Livonia, Livonia Artists Club and Farmington Artists

"We've never done a fine arts show outdoors before but it

sounds like a good idea," said Weber. "I exhibited in two and three day art fairs in Royal Oak and at Greenmead in Livonia for about three years. It was a lot of work and a lot of time under the

> and under a tent." Look for a second art show at Rio Bravo Cantina in September, possibly indoors. When Drescher contacted the community resources department he was given several names of local artists. He contacted Snyder and B. R. King of the Independent Artists of Livonia. A mix-up ensued when Snyder told him she could gather together a group of artists independent of any club affiliation for the show. Drescher has decided, in all fair-

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ness, to show art by King's group

in September.

a four-foot log. Pieces will be auctioned off after the competitions with a portion of the sales going to the carver.

Carvers from page C1

Judging

Jonathan Retzlaff is one of three carvers judging the competitions. The Plymouth/Canton land developer has never tried his hand at this form of sculpting but the rules are the same as judges will use in awarding ribbons in 40 categories of hand wood carving inside Eddie Edgar "It's just a different medium, a

different tool," said Retzlaff. "We'll be awarding six to 10 points in each category. We'll look at composition, form, style, and level of accuracy." Fun is the theme of the Livonia Wood Carvers Club Show

whether it's the competition outside or inside. The Livonia Wood Carvers Club decided to add the chainsaw carving competitions as an added attraction after a drop in attendance the last few



"We'll also have tables with the chainsaw carving competibooks, tools, and hundreds of diftion will add excitement to the ferent types of wood. Anyone annual show, the focus will remain on the hundreds of wood who's interested can start out carvings done by hand with a copying just to learn how to use knife. For a sneak peak at what the tools and then go on to more visitors to the Aug. 1-2 show will find, members of the Livonia

According to Morin, "the big Wood Carvers Club exhibit a small selection of wolves, bears rage" this year is canes and and miniature Dalmatians in the walking sticks, but visitors will showcases at the Livonia Civic also find ducks, wildlife, ani-Center Library through Thurs- mals, figures, and birds carved day, July 30. Hours are 9 a.m. to in three dimensions and relief.

ART BEAT

Art Beat features various happenings in the suburban art news leads to Art Beat. Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.

PARK CONCERTS

Several free concerts continue in the area among them the Plymouth Community Arts Coun cil's Music in the Park series. The Liberty Brass Quintet, a Plymouth Symphony Ensemble, performs noon Wednesday, July between Ann Arbor Trail and

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ford Township. PEWABIC SHOWCASE

craft and Plymouth Road), Red-

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The work of artist in residence upper level gallery. At the openity 6:45-9:45 p.m. Friday, July Keefer will read poetry from her floor of the Library. recent book "Married to the Sea."

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Hours are 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday to Thursday, until 4:30 p.m. Friday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays. For information, call (734) 432-5711.

KIDS CONCERT

Songstress/puppeteer Maureen Schiffman and her puppet pal Coco perform "Animal Fair" 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 4 at Bell Creek Park, corner of Five Mile and Inkster roads, Redford. Admission is free. For more

information, call (734) 261-9087.

FIRST WEDNESDAY COFFEE

The Plymouth Community Arts Council hosts a complimentary continental breakfast the opportunity to view the exhibit of floral radiography 8-10 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 5, at the Joanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 774 North Sheldon, Plymouth. Also of note:

Workshops for kids continue with Decorate Your Own Kite. Advanced Cartooning, Paint a Ceramic Tile, and Photography. There are also ongoing classes for in drawing and sketching for both children and adults. For more information, call (734) 416-

PLYMOUTH CHORUS GALA

The Plymouth Community Chorus is looking for past members to help celebrate its 25th anniversary Friday, Oct. 2 with a gala banquet and dance at Laurel Park Manor in Livonia. For additional information, call (734) 459-6829,

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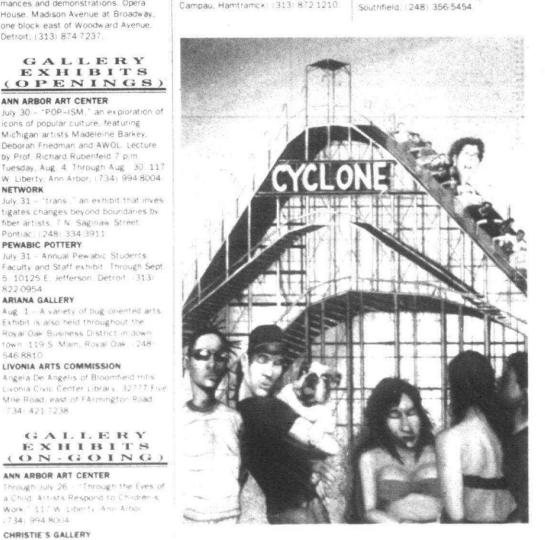
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good face lift? I hope not. You never want to hear a friend say, "I've always wanted to have my face done. Who's your plastic surgeon?' That's like telling a guy, "Love the toupee."

Plastic surgery has been around forever. When I was a teen-ager growing up on Long Island, almost every girl I knew received a nose job for her 16th birthday. They looked like a tribe of Miss Piggys since they all went to Dr. Diamond who gave them the "Dr. Diamond

When clients ask me if I think that so-and-so has had some work done, my response has always been, "You don't look like that at 50 (or 60 or 70) if you haven't had a tuneup. We all have our suspicions as to who's had some work done (think Raquel, Elizabeth, Joan), and we all know who's had too much (think Joan Rivers. Roseanne, and my personal faves

Morey Amsterdam and Rose Marie.) Personally, I'm all for it. Have I had anything done? Are you kidding? Has Joan Van Ark? When I was 35, I vowed that I would do my eyes if one more person came up to me and said, "Gee Jeff, you look so much younger in person than you do on 'Kelly and Co." Lo and behold, 10 minutes later. up she came. When I was back in New York. I went to see a friend of mine who was, and is, one of the city's top surgeons. I had my initial consultation, my "before photos," and within a week, I was "done." Did it hurt? Not at all. How did I look? Like I kissed a truck going 60 m.p.h. Five days later I looked gorgeous! No scars, no puffiness, no discolorations. Just clear, wide-eyed, bag-free eyes. How much? What a rude question!

More and more people are going the plastic route. Why? Because we are, thankfully, living a lot longer than our ancestors. Sixty-five isn't 65 anymore. In fact, my oldest client is 99, lives in Bloomfield Village and has had more work done on her than the Statue of Liberty. She's also a flaming redhead and dates only younger men! Of course, she's loony as a fruitcake, but as she says, "I know I'm not playing with a full deck, but I also know that I look fabulous!"

Now that I'm 51, I am going to do the old eyes again. It's been 16 years since the last procedure. I'm also thinking about the "Ally McBeal" waddle. Isn't that a precious thing to not too bad yet, but it definitely has

Is plastic surgery for everyone? Of course not. Does everyone want it? You betcha. Here are a few guidelines to help you find the surgeon who is right for you:

· Check medical malpractice suits filed with the clerk of your local Circuit Court. These suits don't necessarily mean that the doctor is bad, but several should be a warning sign

· Ask about credentials and training. Many surgeons advertise "board certified." But the requirements vary greatly depending on the particular board which is cited.

· Ask for references from trusted family physicians or other doctors who are knowledgeable about your local medical community.

· Make sure that the surgeon has hospital admitting privileges in case of complications after surgery.

· Ask if the surgeon carries medical malpractice insurance, and if not,

We have all heard of the horror stories that occurred on the operating table. Liposuction, in particular, gives me the creeps. But the bad is far outweighed by the good. When I see an adult with braces on her teeth, I think, "good for you." Why not feel the

best about yourself? What the world sees first is your face. We can't fight gravity, but we're lucky enough to be able to do something about it. Just be careful, be cautious and be educated.

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Sweet surrender: Take a coffee and cake break at the Sweet Shop in downtown Farmington.

Sidewalk Stroll

Historic Clarkston charms visitors

BY MEGAN SWOYER

Then Sue Baran orders pizza, nothing but the best will do. For the Baran household that means the cheesy Italhousehold that means the cheesy Italian pies at Rudy's grocery store in downtown Clarkston. "Their pizza is fabulous," says Baran, who has lived in Clarkston for eight years and tries to avoid chain pizza shops as often as she

Baran, like many who live in or visit Clarkston, is not only endeared to the charming community's local grocery store, but she loves to loll at the downtown bakery on Main and savor a hot cup of something while watching passersby. "We used to do that a lot more before our daughter was born," says Baran, referring to her 3-year-old energetic toddler, who on this summer afternoon insists on "going higher and higher" on the swings at Clarkston's kid-filled Depot Park.

The Barans and thousands of others enjoy living in Clarkston because of its homespun charm. With a population of 27,500 (only 1,000 or so live in the village of Clarkston), Clarkston is one of few communities with a bustling, quaint downtown, complete with a sports shop, antique emporiums and a nostalgic corner diner.

In addition, Clarkston has a significant past The village, which was named after the Clark brothers in 1842 when they platted the land, features not only some unique shops today but also a variety of architectural styles. Both the city and township blend Victorian farmhouses with Gothic revival and Greek revival homes.

"We love to ride our bikes around town to look at all the historic homes," says Michelle MacWilliams, a Clarkston resident. "This town is not a suburb. It really is a town," she adds. "I lived in Southfield and Bloomfield and then here and this is the only place I've lived that has a smalltown feeling." She and her husband, Steve, and their two sons often dine at downtown's Union Raw Bar, a "trendy spot with a gazillion beers on tap and great buffalo burgers," MacWilliams says. The MacWilliams clan and dozens of others routinely soak up Clarkston's family-style atmosphere at events such as summer's Friday-night concerts at downtown's Depot Park. "When you're in downtown Clarkston, it's like you know everybody, even though you don't." MacWilliams says of her town, which has been designated a National Historical Site.

Conveniently located just off of I-75, historic

News of special events for shoppers is included

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WEDNESDAY, JULY 29

Wanda the Fairy Godmother magically appears at

Livonia Mall at 1 p.m. on the stage near Crowley's.

FRIDAY, JULY 31

Saks Fifth Avenue presents the Emanuel/Emanuel

Ungaro Fall 1998 Collection, with sponsorship from

Elle and Mirabella magazines and the Chrysler Cor-

cours" luncheon fashion show. Held on the grounds

Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile Road, Livonia.

tion on Sunday.

MODE DU CONCOURS

Clarkston, which spans about one-half square | and garden, including cement figurines and mile, draws shoppers and antique lovers throughout the year. From points south, take I-75 north to the Clarkston exit (Exit 91). Go south and you will on Main Street as you head into the heart of downtown Clarkston. On the way, you'll pass the fun and upbeat Mesquite Creek restaurant and a great shop called The Birdfeeder (7150 Ortonville Road) for your fine-feathered friends, with unusual decorative treasures for your yard



Fairy dust: Spread some garden magic with a windsock from The Birdfeeder.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

of Meadow Brook Hall in Rochester, the event begins

the fashion show at noon. Tickets are \$50 and \$100.

Rajiv Khatau, curator of Eastern Art Arcade, will be

accessories. He will share the history and symbolism

in Art Van's Southfield store to meet guests and

introduce them to collectible African artifacts and

with a reception at 11 a.m., followed by lunch and

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that is involved with each piece. 1-5 p.m.

CULTURAL ARTS

poration, for the Concours d'Elegance "Mode du Con- Art Van Furniture, 22555 Greenfield, Southfield.

unique wind socks that feature designs such as pink flamingos, pigs and garden watering cans. On the right-hand side of Main Street as you

make your way into town, be sure to look for The Millpond Inn (155 Main St.). Situated near historic homes, window high in rows of pink, white and salmon-colored impatiens and geraniums, the B&B opened in 1995 as the first inn in the area. Built in the 1860s, Millpond was originally a residence. It has been completely renovated and features five guest rooms ranging from a Southwest notif to Victoriana at its prettiest.

At 21 Main St., you'll find a brownish barn-like structure called Main Street Antiques Country Store. It overflows with antiques and accessories and has a special collection of lamps and lamp shades.

The Coach's Corner (12 Main St.) scores with all kinds of sporting goods, including shoes, logoed sweatshirts and more. Racks of casual attire by Woolrich include a woman's sweater vest that's most unusual – it features a basketball pattern along with a three-dimensional basketball

Speaking of sweaters, the tiniest ones we've seen highlight the front window at Basketful of Varn hand-knit shon (5 Main St) Knitters car stock up on a variety of yarns here and catch a glimpse of cute, teddy bear-size sweaters. Hours vary, so call ahead at (248) 620-2491. In the market for a special piece of jewelry? At Tierra, Fine Jewelers (64 Main St.), you'll find gorgeous designs and a friendly staff who can help you choose a customized setting created by talented

jewelry experts. Don't leave Clarkston without a stop at the Parsonage (6 Church St., just off Main). Fresh flowers, decorative flower arrangements, affordable wreaths (an apple-themed one is especially clever) that can give your home a welcoming feel, a variety of framed, floral pictures, gardening utensils and more abound. Connected to the Parsonage is the Country Woodshed, which specializes in country-style furniture and accessories Two levels of treasures await your keen shopping eye. We especially liked the angel-themed wal hangings with inspirational wording that could make a perfect baby shower gift. A shelf full of green-glass objects - from dishes to candlesticks also caught our attention. Canoe-shaped shelves, tiny \$5 wooden fish, hutches, candles and a lot more will keep you here for at least an hour.

SUNDAY, AUG. 2 BRITISH ISLES BASH

(248) 569-3770.

Monday, Aug. 3

EVENING GLAM View an extensive collection of evening gowns from Melinda Eng, Badgley Mischka, Bob Mackie, Donald Deal and more at the Neiman Marcus fall couture show. Informal modeling 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Continues on Aug. 4. Somerset Collection.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 5

There's still time to get tickets to Hudson's Fash Bash celebrating British Isles Style. The show benefits Founders Junior Council of the Detroit Institute of Arts and is held at the State and Fox theatres. Patron Party begins at 5 p.m. with an auction following at 6 p.m. The fashion extravaganza is scheduled for 8 p.m. \$27.50-\$150. Call the Fash Bash Hotline for tickets (313) 833-6954.

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LETHAL WEAPON 4 (R) June wants the game "Ini-SMALL SOLDIERS (PG13) tial Reaction." Adrienne is looking for Mur-

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retractable clothesline Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

The Observer & Eccentric/ SUNDAY, JULY 26, 1998

Clarkston's vittle statistics

Pull up a turquoise chair or owned company, the fresh noo- everything from cappuccinos to

Village Cafe, on the corner of deli counter are several jars of Next door, at the Clarkston

can order a hearty breakfast at Farmington Hills family-owned and a great sandwich and entree

just about any time. Diners seat-restaurant is famous for its menu draw a regular local

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ucts fill Rudy's shelves.

slide into a booth at the Olde dles are delicious. Stacked on the

Main and Washington, and you Cafe Cortina pasta sauces. The

counter hear the splash of siz- just recently introduced them at

zhing fries while they watch fast- a few retail specialty shops in

order cooks create \$3.75 tuna the area. Rudy's impressive

melts, \$3.50 patty melts and wine collection includes a won-

for sweets? Sample the delicious tions, St. Julian, Leelanau Cel-

muffins, doughnuts and cookies lars (Summer Sunset is a nice

daily and as early as 6 a.m. on Chateau Chantal winery prod-

ket or find a table at several St.), which is open every day

scenic spots in downtown's Depot , serves up a wide range of fare on

and a precious gazebo. And the table cloths, including seafoods

Park, which boasts a pretty river its green-and-white-checked

best place to find items for your steaks and more. Like a New

picnic basket is at Rudy's Qual- England roadside inn, the cafe is

ity Market (9 S. Main St.). A a comfortable, casual place and

full deli counter with lots of now seats diners outside as well.

to the small grocery store. Spe- General Store and Sweet

include Elena's pastas. Produced Royal Oak-based Ray's ice cream

in Auburn Hills by a family is available here!), peddles

European-style breads, fresh- exhibit and penguinarium. Cor

baked bagels and croissants, cin-rectly guess the zoo animal

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Decisions, decisions on California's coastal highway

I voted for the 17-Mile-Drive around the Monterey Peninsula. My husband and 20-something daughter voted for the Monterey Bay Aquarium.

After driving down from San Francisco the day before, we really had just the morning in the area if we were to make our 3:15 p.m. tour at Hearst Castle, a couple of hours down the coast. Thus the need for a decision.

Actually decisions are a big part of the famous drive between San Francisco and Los Angeles. Where to spend time. Where to stop and eat. Where to stay overnight. For example, we had our choice between staying in Carmel and Monterey. Since all of us had been to Carmel and none to Monterey, that was easy.

We actually found Monterey more interesting. Once the capital of California, it attractions are based in history rather than on studied quaintness. Fisherman's Wharf, with its attractive assortment of restaurants and shops, was once the center of the fishing and whaling industries. Cannery Row, six blocks of harbor-front which John Steinbeck celebrated in two novels, once was home to fish-packing plants that processed sardines from Monterey Bay.

Then there's the aquarium. Now I'm not an aquarium aficionado. But I have been in some famous ones including in Boston, Chicago and Sydney. But this is the one I liked best. Come to find it's the largest in the U.S. And it's certainly the only one I've been in that featured sardines. I think differently whenever I open a can of sardines now that I've seen hundreds of the small, silvery fish swimming round and

round me. Sardines and 350,000 specimens of the sea life that actually

can be found in Monterey Bay make up this indoor-outdoor sea world. Sea otters from the open bay swim right into an aquarium pool. But what I liked best were the displays of jelly fish moving behind colored glass panels in a kind of "live" art work enhanced by dimmed lights and meditative

El Nino wrought our trip's only disappointment. The huge mud slides we saw on the news back home washing away mountain-side homes had also washed out Route 1 between the Monterey Peninsula almost all the way to Hearst Castle. So we missed Big Sur and the most spectacular part of the drive.

Instead, we went through Salinas, Steinbeck's birthplace, and the gateway to "America's Salad Bowl," - the Salinas Valley, where we soon picked up Highway 101. I think differently about salad these days, having driven through 50 miles of vegetable farms where much of the nation's lettuce, tomatoes and garlic are produced.

Time constraints had us rolling right by Castroville, the artichoke capital, where many years before we had stopped and enjoyed an artichoke roll at what in other communities might have been a hot dog stand. With El Nino especially hard on this ear's artichoke crop, perhaps it had been converted to hot dogs.

Wineries and horse farms greeted us in the Paso Robles area, as we had to actually go further south than San Simeon in order to rejoin Route 1 and reach Hearst Castle.

Yes, Hearst Castle, the former playground, museum and zoological park of media tycoon William Randolph Hearst, is as spectacular as everyone says. We found it very informative to look up the Hearst Castle web site on the Internet, which gave a good description of the subject matter,



Monterey Bay: This is a view from the aquarium.

length and cost of the four tours offered. Then we booked the two we wanted.

That afternoon, we took the general tour, of the pools and a bit of the gardens, a guest house and the first floor rooms of Casa Grande, where Hearst and his movie star girlfriend, Marion Davies, entertained the rich and famous.

It made our rather rustic, although beach-front, motel where we stayed for the night look even more rustic. Next time I would check out the accommodations in nearby Cambria, which has more charm. The next morning, we toured Casa Grande's upper floors - as well as the kitchen.

The Hearst Castle has been celebrating 40 years of being open to the public this year. The heirs to the Hearst fortune donated the castle and a portion of the surrounding acreage to the state of California - after no buyer could be found.

What I found most astounding as that Hearst didn't just collect thousands of paintings, pieces of sculpture and furnishings. Many of the doors, walls and ceilings of Casa Grande and the guest houses were imported from churches and castles around the world. It's also interesting that the architect he chose for the entire project way back in 1919 was a woman, Julia Mor-

As we headed south to L.A., we enjoyed the solitude of the dunes and beach overlooking Morro Rock and lunch in bustling San Luis Obispo, where we did a drive-by of the mission. Everyone told us to stop at the nearby infamous Madonna Inn, but I found it a spoof of Americana that I could have done without.

Pismo Beach not only hosts an eight-mile-long beach but probably eight miles of mobile home parks. We saw strawberry fields forever somewhere south of Pismo; then it was through the Lompac Valley, a world-class producer of flower seeds. Near the renown Vandenberg Air Force Base, we passed the appropriately-named "Spaceport Inn."

By late afternoon, we were ready to be enchanted by Santa Barbara - and we were. Starting at Old Mission Santa Barbara, we loved the art, architecture



Solitude: Judy Berne enjoyed the quiet privacy of the dunes and beach at Morro Rock

in Morro

Bay.

and landscaping of what is reportedly the most visited mis-

sion in the state. Most of the art is imported from Mexico and South America, but three stone statues - one depicting St. Barbara and the others the virtues of faith and charity - were carved by a mission Indian from pictures in a book. The chapel itself is painted in the warm, deep-hued colors of the southwest.

Stately palm trees line the ocean-front street where we parked our car and headed for a walk on the beach and no-frills pier. This seaside university town with its graceful theater, regional art museum and preserved adobes deserved more time than we gave it.

Decisions, decisions. We headed on to L.A.

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FAMILY SEARCH

The historic Raymond House Inn in Port Sanilac is offering guests a chance to search their family histories.

All guests who stay at the 128vear-old bed and breakfast Sunday through Thursday during the 1998 season will, if they choose, receive a personal genealogical consultation, including details as to how to begin and where to look to discover those elusive past generations, even how to enlist the internet.

Inquiries to the Inn, which is adjacent to the harbor in Port Sanilac on M-25 can be made at (810)622-8800 or (800)622-7229. Midweek rates throughout the season are \$65 per room including breakfast. Friday, Saturday and holiday rates are \$75 and \$85 in July and August.







Full sall: The dramatic sight of tall ships in full sail will take place July 25-27 in South Haven.

Tickets to the South Haven

Tall Ships Rendezvous, possibly the largest gathering of Tall Ships on Lake Michigan since the nation's Bicentennial, are now available.

The South Haven Tall Ships Rendezvous, which is part of the American Sail Training Association's Great Lakes Tall Ships

are scheduled to arrive in South Haven's harbor, including the America, a re-creation of the 1851 yacht for which competitive sailings' most coveted prize was named, and the brig Niagara, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania's reconstruction of the famous War of 1812 ship.

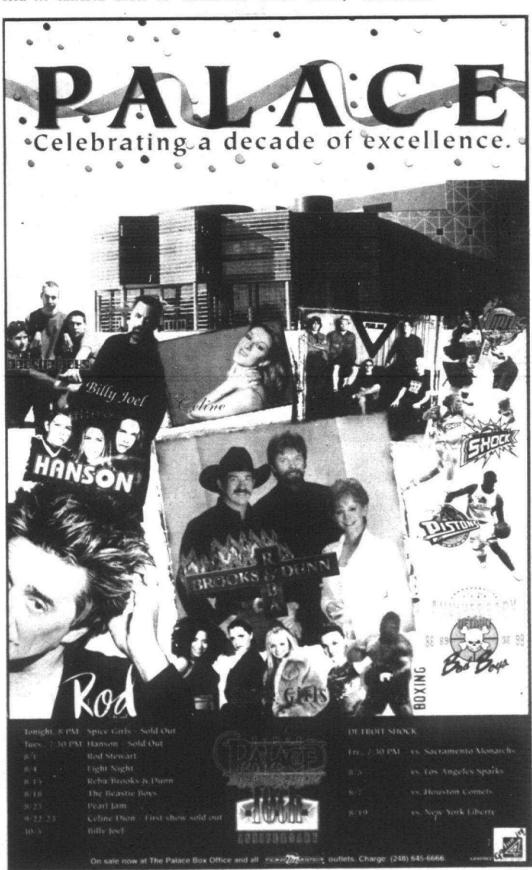
The ships will be open to the public for boarding 10 a.m. to 6 m Sunday Monday July 26. through July 28. Eight tall ships 27. Tickets are \$10 per day for

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adults and are required to board the vessels. Three-day passes for \$25 are also available. Admission for children under 12

accompanied by an adult is free. For information and a

brochure, call the South Haven/Van Buren County Lakeshore Convention & Visitors Bureau at (616)637-5252; For tickets, call TicketMaster at (616)456-3333.



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OBSERVER **SPORTS**

College soccer signings

Two former Schoolcraft Community College players, Nicole Gentry (Westland John Glenn) and Ann Hokett (Livonia Franklin), recently signed national letters-of-intent to play at women's soccer at the University of Central Arkansas (coached by Hollie

Gentry, a center-midfielder, played for SC in 1995-96, while Hokett, a midfielder and defender, played for the Lady Ocelots in 1996-97.

Canton hoop golf outing

The second annual Canton Basketball Golf Outing, to benefit the Ply-mouth 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 HS. Running shoes should be worn to the 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.

Golf standout

Livonia's Steve Polanski, the Michigan State Amateur runner-up, is off to a fast start through two rounds of the U.S. Junior Amateur in Lake For-

Polanski shot a 2-under 69 and a first-round 70 to put himself in sec-

He finished four shots behind leader Aaron Baddeley of Australia, who fired a U.S. Junior Amateur record 66 on the par-71, 6,721-yard Conway Farms Golf Club layout.

Falcon Run

The Falcon 5K Fun Run, sponsored by the Dearborn Divine Child Alumni Association, will be held Saturday, Aug. 15 at the corner of Silvery Lane and Wilson in Dearborn.

Registration is from 7 to 8:30 a.m. A one mile fun run starts at 8:45 a.m. a dn the 5K race starts at 9:10 a.m.

Entry fee is \$14 before Aug. 5 and \$17 on race day. Call Ron Debono at (734) 464-7145.

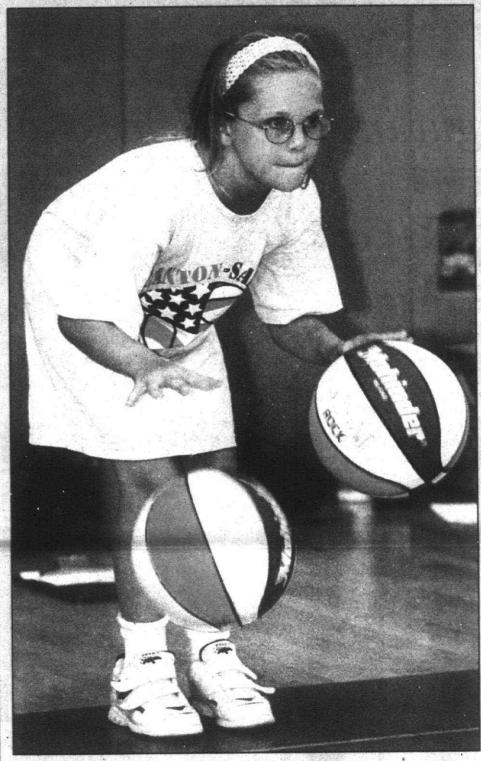
Titan Golf Scramble

The Detroit Titan Annual Golf Scramble is scheduled for Thursday, Aug. 27 at Glen Oaks Country Club in Farmington Hills, to benefit the University of Detroit Mercy athletic department.

Cost is \$80 per person, which includes a 7:30 a.m. continental breakfast; an 8:30 a.m. shotgun start, including 18 holes of golf with cart; contests for closest to the pin and longest drive; door prizes; hot buffet lunch following golf; and a premium giveaway item.

Also, \$100 hole sponsorships are available. To sign up or for more information, call the UDM athletic department at (313) 993-1700.

Camp Du Jour



Getting it down right: Even in the sweltering heat of summer, you'll find kids anxious to attend day camps in hot gymnasiums
— if it can help them master certain skills in the sport of their choice. At Canton and Salem, girls basketball coaches Fred Thomann (Salem) and Bob Blohm (Canton) have combined their efforts for more than a decade to help teach the finer points of the game to kids. Have their efforts been fruitful? Since both schools have been among the Western Lakes Activities Association leaders each and every year, the answer must be yes.



For any sport you want to play, there's a camp to teach you

A generation ago, when it was summer and there was a game to be played, a kid would grab his bat and ball and glove and rush out the door, down the street to the empty lot where he and his buddies had put together a ball field. That's where they would take on their rival neighborhood team in an on-going, summer-long series.

It's not like that anymore.

If you're going to play ball - or any sport, for that matter you don't waste valuable summer training hours screwing around with pals, trying to learn the game that way. You maximize your time. Learn quickly. Learn from the best. And be a

The best way to do that is at a camp.

Sports camps are, without doubt, the wave of the future. And the future is now.

Because many of the kids attending camps this summer, those grade-schoolers who are just starting to learn their sports, will be the stars of tomorrow. It will be the stuff they learn at these summer camps that will help elevate them to that status.

But it's a two-way street. Athletics are based on competition, and the faster start you get, the better your chances to succeed. Coaches like to teach their sport to kids in a structured atmosphere like a camp, sure, but there is a self-serving motive, too. A good athlete can be lured into several sports (it wasn't that long ago that Michael Jordan was playing baseball, was it?), so it's good business to stake your claim to an athlete early.

Varying reasons

Now for college coaches, it's a similar ball game, but different priorities. Camps are a recruiting ploy, make no mistake. Athletes are prompted to come to a big-time college to attend a bigtime basketball or soccer camp, run by a big-time college coach.

"The primary reason for a college to have sports camps is to get people on your campus," said Plymouth Canton basketball coach Bob Blohm. "When we went to the University of Michigan team camp, there were five camps going on at the same time. It's like a free recruiting visit for the coaches.

Getting a camp established and operating smoothly isn't easy, but it is essential. Whatever laurels coaches may spread about themselves, it must be remembered that above all they are still teachers. Camps provide them with the opportunity to coach at the most basic of levels.

If they're good at what they do, that's when it'll show

If they aren't, well, that'll show, too.

That's why Blohm and co-camp director Fred Thomann, the Plymouth Salem HS girls basketball coach, have been so successful with their camps. Also, it should be no shock that, year after year, both schools excel in girls basketball.

They have good teachers who spend their summers instilling a love of the sport in the schools' top athletes.

Van Dimitriou is currently in his 20th year of soccer camps at Schoolcraft College. He and Larry Christoff, Dimitriou's predecessor as SC men's coach and currently the Novi HS girls soccer coach, first got the camps established, with the support of another long-time soccer supporter at SC, Mary Gans. Which is the Ocelots have always fared well, on a national basis, in the

"We draw mostly the younger kids, kids who can't afford the big bucks to go away to a summer camp," Dimitriou explained. The Schoolcraft soccer camps don't just cater to the beginner, however: Dimitriou and his staff, Dominic, Mario and Tino Scicluna, handle everything from five-year-olds just learning the sport to advanced high school-level players.

And not just individuals, either. "We handle (teams), too," said Dimitriou. Indeed, last week he and his staff spent the afternoons at Farmington HS conducting a camp specifically for the

Falcon soccer team. "The advantages," he explained, "for the school are good PR. We're a teaching camp — we teach the basics, and we teach it well. We always have had a good response."

Last week was no exception. According to Dimitriou, since the World Cup Tournament visited the U.S. in 1994, the response to his soccer camps has grown steadily; last week, he had 120 enrolled (the most they can comfortably handle at that facility is 150, Dimitriou estimated).

A budget supplement

The money generated helps, too. "Schoolcraft gets a percentage of what we get," he said. "That goes into the athletic budget, it helps toward scholarships."

And for him? Does Dimitriou make much off it? "When we started out, we did it to make a living, to enhance our income and our sports program," he said. "The money helps, but now it's

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Huskies handle Lakers in Bakes showdown



between the top two teams in the Metro Summer Hockey League's Bakes Conference, the Lakers overcame an early deficit to take a one-

goal lead into the final period, but the Huskies got the equalizer to manage a 5-5 tie Wednesday at the Plymouth Ice

The outcome means nothing changes:

In a match-up The Lakers remain atop the Bakes with a 6-0-2 record, one point ahead of the second-place Huskies (6-1-1).

The Huskies had the early advantage, with a goal by Jim Tudor (from Canton) less than two minutes into the second period giving them a 3-1 lead. But the Lakers' one-two scoring punch of Brian Jardine and Eric Dolesh (Farmington Hills) turned that around quickly, Jardine - who had scored midway through the first period adding two more goals in the second,

with Dolesh also scoring twice in the second. Each had an assist as well.

The 5-4 Laker lead didn't hold up. however. The Huskies' Jesse Hubenschmidt (Redford) scored the game's only third-period goal, his second marker of the game, with 9:14 left; Tony Guzzo assisted, his second of the game. Guzzo also scored a goal. The Huskies other marker came from Sean Kass, who had an assist, too.

Nick Jardine added four assists for the Lakers.

Ryan Davis was in goal for the Huskies, Shawn Miller and Lanny Jardine divided time in the net for the

Wildcats 11, Wolverines 10: A second-period rally fueled first by Jack McCoy (Farmington Hills), then by Troy Taylor, got the Wildcats started. and Ron Lowrie's two third-period goals made it pay off for the Wildcats

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score of 28 on the

ACT no doubt

helped boost his

"Im definitely

excited," Tubaro

said. "It's an

lot of great play-

ers there. I'm just

glad I was recog-

Tubaro

play football at Kalamazoo College in the

fall. The Hornets' newly-hired head coach,

Tim Rogers, recruited Tubaro when he was

Tournament aim is to aid Shoen family

Tom Mach in the good education," Tubaro said. "Coach Rogers middle of the foot- was defensive coordinator before and I got to

ball season. His know him the best through phone calls and

3.1 grade point things of that nature. When I found out he

average and a was named head coach I was pretty excited."

honor. There are a month or three weeks," Tubaro said.

cases five days a week.

can't complain," Tubaro said.

Tubaro thinks this week's practice sched-

ule, which will include three-a-day practices,

will help him get a head start on the fall sea-

son. The coaches make it fun but also make

"We've got to learn a whole offense in a

Tubaro has also gotten a good workout at

his summer job at Action Distributors in

Livonia, where he loads and unloads beer

"It's a tough job and the pay is good -

There are three quarterbacks on the East

Team, including Frank Stanford of Walled

Lake Western and Derek Gorney of Mt.

week and you're usually doing that in a

it known players aren't there for a vacation.

Productive trip

Foray into Windsor is a winner for Livonia Adray

Maybe Livonia Adray coach John Moraitis should pay a visit to the casino next time he's in Windsor

His luck appears to be pretty good when ne crosses the river, winning an Adray Metro Baseball Association game at Mic-Mac Park for the second time this year, 12-7, on Wednesday against the Windsor

Winning twice at any park is significant for Adray, which has won only four games against 19 losses and one tie in occupying the basement of the Collegiate Division

Adray plays the majority of its games in Michigan, including Ford Field in Livo-

Dan Bunch preserved the win, making

DCI has all the right ingredients for a winning team

Mike George is happy having Livonia Decision Consultants Inc. as a sponsor again for his Adray Metro Baseball Association team. But at times he must feel tempted to

put Twist 'n Shake, the ice cream store he owns at 10 Mile Road and Meadowbrook in Novi, across his players' jer-

D.C.I. is 13-7-1 overall and leading

the Collegiate Division of the Adray Metro Baseball Association, making the slumping sales at his new store the only downer of the summer.

George surprisingly points to the muggy weather for declining sales. "I love the hot weather, but it's almost

too hot, people don't come out of the house, and when they do (the ice cream) melts," said George, the former Madon na University baseball coach. "It's better if it's 75 and sunny, no humidity. We'd be rocking all day long, like we were in May.'

George said he's lost 40 pounds since the store's opening and it's not because he smokes again. "I don't go out anymore," he said. "It's

like 12 hours of aerobics every day." Players come over from time to time for an ice cream treat, George said. **ADRAY RESULTS**

an acrobatic catch against the fence in the bottom of the sixth with two outs and the

Dan Hyott was the winning pitcher, going the distance.

Chuck Yassiain was Adray's hitting star, collecting three hits, including a two-run home run, and four RBI. Yassiain, who also doubled, scored three runs.

at the nearby Sports Academy in Novi,

little leagues - it was just like being

back in little league again," George said.

"Our strength has been our pitching

and defense and the fact that these guys

get along very well. It's a very close

group of kids for a summer team.

They're a real competitive team, fun to

The champion of the Collegiate Divi-

sion receives an automatic bid to the

All-American Amateur Baseball Associ-

ation national championship in John-

"They got a team discount, like all the

George had the whole team over.

Jimmy Rayes had three hits and Eric Hardin and Dan O'Neill (Madonna) two

Rams stay alive

The Michigan Lake Area Rams beat the ish second they still can qualify for the

The win moved the Rams' record to 12-11.2 for 26 points. The Rams staved a point behind first place Livonia D.C.I. in the Collegiate Division heading into Friday night's games.

at Livonia's Ford Field.

Baseball Association game on Thursday

D.C.I., 13-7-1, needed to win only two more games to clinch the Collegiate Division title and earn a berth to the All American Amateur Baseball Association National Tournament in Johnstown, Pa. D.C.I. was beating the Windsor Selects,

If the Rams fail to catch D.C.I. and fin-

Adray Kings, 6-2, in an Adray Metro National Amateur Baseball Federation World Series in Kentucky. Matt Pike threw a three-hitter, two of

> the hits being bunt singles, to win the game against the Kings. The Rams scored five runs in the first inning and one in the second to stake

> Pike to a comfortable lead. Joe Seestadt was 2-3, drove in two runs and scored one run. He also walked once.

Aaron Lawson and Rick Green each went 1-4 with a run scored and an RBI. Kevin Prader was 1-4 with a run scored and Pike 1-3 with a run scored. Lance 4-0, in the fifth inning of Friday's game at Siegwald and Eric Pierce each went 1-3 STANDINGS (through July 23)

Adray 12, Windsor Selects 7,

vonia Adray, 8 p.m.

Windsor Stars, 8 p.m.

tributed offensively.

tion," George said.

coached in 1997.

at Livonia's Ford Field

Sunday, July 26: Michigan Rams vs. Livonia

C.L. noon: Livonia Adray vs. Livonia D.C.I

:30 p.m.; Hines Park vs. Livonia Adray.

Wadnesday, July 29: Downriver Adray vs

lichigan Rams, 5:45 p.m.; Windsor Stars vs.

at Windsor's Mic-Mac Park

en Reds, 5:30 p.m.; Downriver Adray vs.

at St. Clair Shores

"They give us a pretty good combina-

The starting third baseman is C.J.

Ghannam (Farmington Hills Harri-

son/U-M) and Maki and Anthony Jones

(Newport/Southern Illinois) split time at

Patrolling centerfield is Jamie Linton

(Wayne State), while Jason Brooks

(Taylor Center/Wayne State) and Tim

Donohue (Adams/Henry Ford) split time

The team also has received a boost

in rightfield and Kirchenbaum is in left.

from catcher Ryan Kravetz, perhaps the

youngest player in the league. Kravetz

will be a senior in the fall at West

Bloomfield High School, where George

Wednesday, July 29: Livonia D.C.I. vs. War-

Sunday, July 25: Windsor Selects vs. War-

Adam Tubaro, who will play quarterback for the East Team in the 18th annual Michion: 1. Adray Kings, 17-7-0, 34 Warren Reds, 16-5-0, 32; 3, Windsor Stars. gan High School Football Coaches All-Star Game Saturday at Michigan State Universi-19-1. 25; 4. Windsor Selects, 5-18-1, 11. Uvania Collegiate Division: 1. Livonia ty, knows how to pick his friends. C.L. 13-7-1, 27; 2. Michigan Rams, 12-11-

Not only are Chris Dueweke and Don 26: 3. Hines Park Lincoln Mercury, 9-12-0. Slankster two of his better friends from Red-4. Livonia Adray, 419-1, 8. ford Catholic Central, they are the perfect RECENT RESULTS complement to his abilities. July 23: Michigan Rams 6, Adray Kings 2.

Dueweke played fullback and Slankster July 22: Adray Kings 5, Hines Park 4; Live tight end for the 1997 Class AA state champion Shamrocks. Tubaro must be spending ADRAY METRO SCHEDULE most of his workouts handing off to one and

throwing to the other.

"Definitely," Tubaro said. Kickoff is 1:35 p.m. at Spartan Stadium. CC quarterback an all-star

Admission is \$7. Tubaro made first-team All-Observer honors after completing 86 of 163 passes for 1,229 yards and 17 touchdowns, leading the Shamrocks to a 12-1 record and their fourth

state championship in the 1990s

It's not the battle of the sexes.

It's more like the sexes work-

ing together in the first-ever

Mike & Barbara Schoen Benefit

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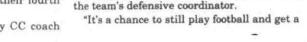
accomodate 32 teams on eight

The event will help raise

money for Mike and Barbara

Park in Livonia.

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Schoen permanently paralyzed

E CO-ED SOFTBALL

from the neck down. The team entry fee is \$175 with \$100 each going to help cover medical expenses to help

Registration forms must be ubmitted by Aug. 5.

championship final is expected 3196. to start at approximately 6 p.m. Each co-ed team must field at

Under American Softball Assominimum of four games with coordinating the tournament. the top four teams reaching the

playoffs. Umpires will also lonate their time

teams meeting at field No. 2. accepted with contributions Bicentennial is located on Seven being matched by the Aid Associ-Mile and Wayne roads. The ation for Lutherans, Branch No.

The Sideline Restaurant will also donate 10 percent of its receipts toward the Schoens that day, according to Laura Thomas, ciation rules, each team will play who along with husband Gary, is

For more information, cal Gary or Laura Thomas at (248)

Broncos 17, Falcons 2: Matt

Almas each added three goals for the Broncos (3-5-1), with Almas netting three assists and Silvester one. Josh Shuryan got two

CC's Tubaro to play for East Hockey from page D1

McCoy helped the 'Cats (4-5) overcome a 3-0 Wolverine lead after one period, scoring his team's first three goals of the second period. A goal by Bill Trainor (Canton) - he had two goals and three assists in the

But then Taylor got hot, scoring the Wildcats next three goals Together with goals notched by Kyle McNeilance (Livonia) and Shaun Davis, the 'Cats finished with an 8-4 scoring advantage in the second period. Jay Vancik accounted for two of the Wolves'

game - kept the Wolves in

goals in the period. Lowrie's second goal of the third period, with 6:53 left. proved to be the game-winner. pushing the 'Cats lead to 11-9. Trainor's second marker of the game, with seven seconds left. closed the gap for the Wolves but didn't eliminate it.

David Wallace added a goal and two assists for the Wildcats. McCoy and McNeilance also had three assists apiece in the game, and Taylor had two.

For the Wolves (2-6), Dave Street added two goals, with Dennis Schimmelpfenneg (Canton), Dan Trainor (Plymouth), Wes Blevins (Westland) and Jim Wheaton (Plymouth) getting one goal apiece. Dan Trainor and Brent Bessey (Canton) contributed two assists each.

Chuck Schervisch was in goal r the 'Cats. Joe Sorentino and John Trainor (Canton) played in the net for the Wolves.

angley poured in four goals and three assists to lead the Broncos past the Falcons Thursday at lymouth

Darrin Silvester and Corey

1 9 0 W L TPU 3 7 0 6 ric Dolesh (Lakers) McNellance (Wildcats) Troy Taylor (Wildcats) Eric Bratcher (Bulldogs) Scott Goleniak (Falcons) forn Taylor (Wildcats). Art Baker (Broncos). J. Weaks (Bulldogs) Bob Harrison (Bulldogs) Kevin Brady (Broncos) Ed Souilliere (Huskies)

goals and two assists, and Nick Smyth chipped in with two goals and an assist. Frank Bourbanais, Dwight Helminen and Eric Heltunen each added a goal, with Helminen netting five

Eric Evans had a goal and an assist for the Falcons (2-6), and John Sharp scored a goal. Kevin Brady (Livonia) and Art

Baker split time in goal for the Broncos. Matt Wierzba was in the net for the Falcons

Injury won't stop Raiders' McComb A potentially-devastating injury to her there to help me, because I didn't know what

"When we got to the hospital, that's when

it hit me. I didn't know how serious it was."

dic surgeon to finish in surgery.

to re-attach the tip.

McComb was seen right away in the emer-

The temporary delay didn't affect the

McComb returned home and had surgery

July 10 to cover the exposed bone to prevent

fection and accelerate the healing process

threaten her career. It was better it hap-

pened when it did instead of closer to the

"The first (doctor) said six to eight weeks,

even shorter amount of time, because it was

time for the injury to heal, she added.

"There was a sense of relief," McComb

wasn't sufficient skin on the finger to be able

right hand won't stop North Farmington to do," McComb said. High School sophomore Samantha McComb from playing sports again.

McComb, a standout basketball and softball player for the Raiders, lost the tip of her gency room but had to wait for the orthopering finger as a result of a dormitory accident July 8 while attending the All-State Basketball Camp in Traverse City.

drills with her hand heavily bandaged. McComb has continued to train and planned to attend basketball camp with her North teammates this week in Mount Pleasant. "I don't think that was even a question

While unable to play or participate in team

with Samantha," North coach Linda Perkins said in regard to whether or not McComb would play again.

"It was never an issue - 'Will I play?' It's 'As soon as I can, I'll be there, coach.' She is showing great perseverance and heart." When the accident happened, McComb

said she was standing outside a dormitory fight, a girl in the room, in an attempt to

avoid getting wet, slammed the door shut on McComb's finger at a point halfway down "It was a good thing a counselor was right

McComb was the starting point guard in basketball and starting shortstop in softball does, I'll have to adjust. It will help my left as a freshman, earning All-Lakes Division hand. I can tell the difference in just a week and All-Observer, second-team honors in of practice how much better it has gotten."

Raiders in rebounds (178), assists (103) steals (80) and blocks (14). McComb had a .380 batting average i oftball with five doubles, six triples and two

with 286 points in 22 games. She also led the

nome runs among her 32 hits. She also had 28 RBI. Defensively, McComb had a .930 result, according to McComb, because there fielding percentage "She's mentally tough enough and physi-

cally tough enough to rise above any adversity," Perkins said, adding McComb will be a am co-captain this year. "That's the kid I've known all these years.

It's not going to get in her way. She is tough. said, when she realized the injury didn't She's been out every day, conditioning and running, shooting with her left hand. "Actually, she has developed her left-hand start of the basketball season, allowing more

shot. She's shooting a couple hundred balls a day. She's getting so proficient with her left hand, once she gets back to using her right hand she'll have some other options. and the doctor down here said it would be an McComb said she doesn't anticipate the covered up. That made me feel even better.

injury will affect her ability to dribble, shoot Otherwise, it would be like nature taking its a basketball or throw a softball.

"It's the ring finger, so I don't know if it will have that much affect," she said. "If it

Camps from page D1

more for the love of the game. ing for a trickle-down effect, that which they can use to go to should be no downside. And as

running basketball camps in the area for two decades, first when he coached at Redford Catholic Central and now as Madonna University's coach. His camps continue to flourish.

"The kids like it," he said. "It seems like we do a good job."

The number of repeat customers he gets vouches for that. Indeed, the level of success Holowicki and Dimitriou have ment. reached in their camps, for their respective sports, is just where SC men's basketball coach Carlos Briggs would like his camps

That may take some time. Briggs, going into his second sea- the program." son as SC's coach, had "about 25" boys signed up this summer. Of course, if his team continues to flourish like last year's did, he ways, too. won't have much to worry about. Both Briggs and Holowicki. who is entering his fourth season

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MINI BIKES

"To tell the truth, I'd rather be some of their campers will show camps." up at the school later. As a So what goes around, comes mind, as both Blohm and SC's Bernie Holowicki has been recruiting tool, camps have around - right? worked for Dimitriou. And for Madonna coach Jerry Abraham.

"A lot of these kids who come to me started in my camps,' Abraham, who coaches Madonna's volleyball and softball teams, said. "It's a major part of recruiting. I think it's a good way to introduce young kids to the campus. I see it as an extension of the admission's depart-

At present, Abraham runs just a volleyball camp at Madonna. That could change, as early as next summer. "Everybody does them," he

said. "It's a way to supplement Smaller colleges do need the financial aid camps can provide. But the money helps in other

"One way our camps really help (our basketball team) is it helps of coaching at Madonna, are hop- the kids who run it earn money

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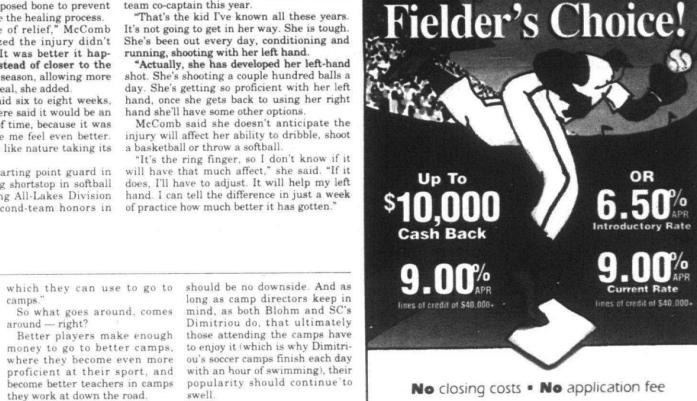
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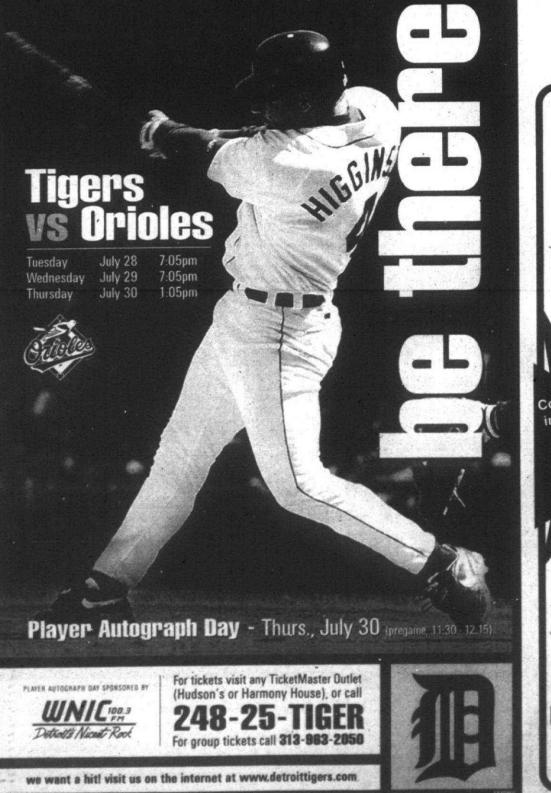


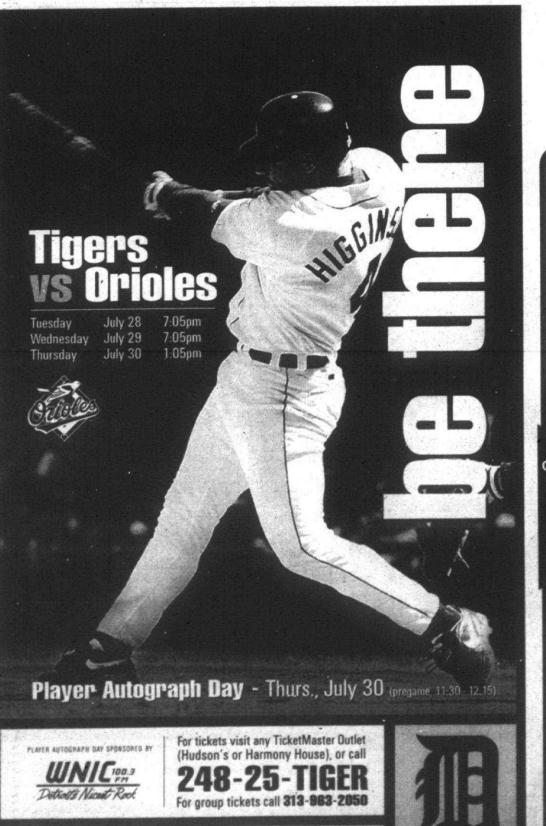
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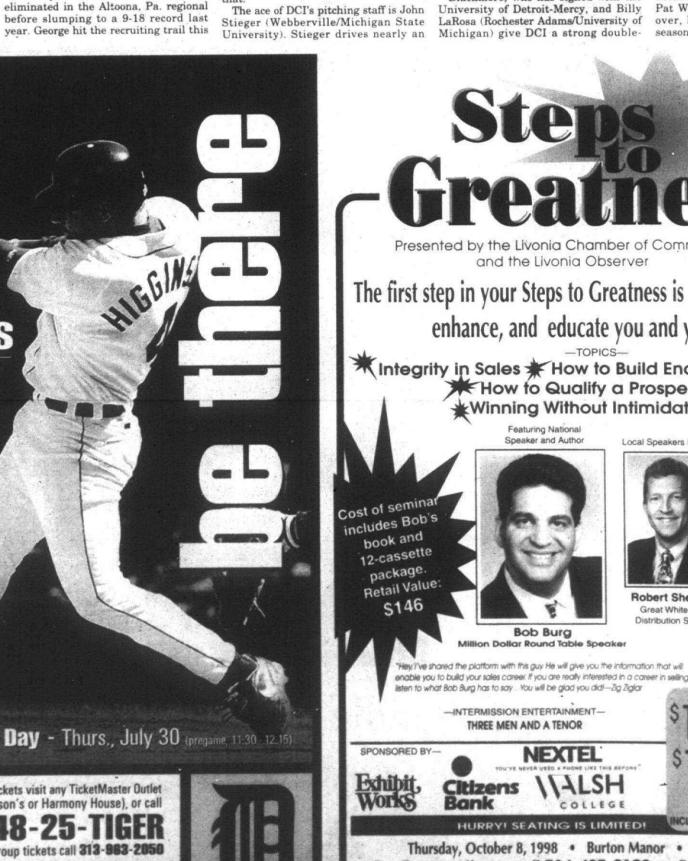
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mouth Salem/Henry Ford), leftfielder Storm Kirchenbaum (Country Day/Detroit Country Day) and first baseman Andy Maki (Wyandotte Mt. Carmel/Henry Ford) are back for a sec-"I'm happy for the kids we brought back who stuck it out," said George, who is assisted by Jim Solak and Frank Corej. "We appreciate (Henry Ford coach) Stu Rose sending his kids our way. We have seven or eight of them and all of them do a good job." Ford) also have been used starting rota-Said Blackmore: "I think the guys on the team this year love playing baseball. Last year we had guys show up here and there. And we've heard about

then the Livonia Collegiate Baseball D.C.I. placed second in 1996 and was

back, and landing many Henry Ford mmunity College players.

Infielder Ron Blackmore (Livonia Churchill/Henry Ford Community College), pitcher Ryan Andrzewski (Ply-

It would be the perfect topping to the regular season for D.C.I., which last went to Johnstown in 1995, the year Johnstown, how much fun that is, George brought a team into what was Everyone wants to go to a tourney. Coach George is disciplined but he lets

you play, swing on 3 and 0 and stuff like The ace of DCI's pitching staff is John Stieger (Webberville/Michigan State

year, inviting only a handful of players hour from his home, which says some- play combination. Both have played thing about his loyalty to DCI since the shortstop and second base and con-Lansing league is much closer.

"Whether he's throwing or not he's there," George said. "If he's not the best pitcher in the league, he's one of the top two or three.' Tim Miller (Livonia Franklin/Wayne

State) has been D.C.I.'s second most reliable hurler. Miller played for Livonia Little Caesars last year. "He's really improved for us this sumer," George said. "He doesn't throw

quite as hard as Steiger, but has a decent fastball, good curve and throws a Andrzejewski (Salem/Henry Ford) Matt White (Willow Run/U-D) and Jake Mathison (Walled Lake Central/Henry

The catcher and cleanup hitter is Chuck Vanroby (Adams/Henry Ford), who will be attending Oakland University next. Vanroby leads D.C.I. in RBI.

"He's had some very timely hits for ," George said. Blackmore, who has signed with the University of Detroit-Mercy, and Billy

"He's done a great job for a high school kid playing in that league, George said. "The kids like him and he's playing very well, catching eight or nine George resigned at West Bloomfield

because of his business endeavors and Pat Watson, the former JV coach, took LaRosa (Rochester Adams/University of over, leading the Lakers to a 20-win

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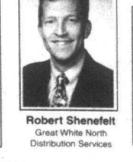
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Sunday's championship matches for singles, doubles and celebrities begin at 1 p.m.

The professional seniors tournament (for players 35 and over features some of the world's most famous players ever including Jimmy Connors, who

was recently inducted into the Tennis Hall of Fame, and John

Other notable players included Andres Gomez (No. 3 seed), Mansour Bahrami (No. 4 seed) Johan Kriek, John Lloyd and

The previous three Mentendent tournaments were held at the Fairlane Tennis Club in "We came (to the Detroit area)

almost four years ago, and from

the hot tennis event in town," said Hennessy, "We were bringing superstar tennis players to

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was great for us, but there just The singles champion will isn't the tennis fan base down pocket \$40,000 from a \$150,000 there like there is here in Oakland County. Oakland County has the hotbed of all tennis play

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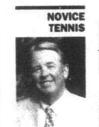
town. Our schedules didn't gel

but we continued to talk and

talk, and, finally after three

years, we got the two groups

"Fairlane Club in Dearborn



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After the seed has been extracted, the adult feeds the seed to their young. After a period of time the adult leads the young to the feeder, but does not feed the young. It's sort of a weaning period -

"I've shown you what and how to eat, now its time to try it your-

My family has also been watching a young hairy woodpecker being fed by an adult at ur suet feeder, as well as chickadees and sparrows in the tree.

one reason for feeding birds during the summer. There is plenty of food available without feeders but when an easy source of food is convenient birds will take advantage of it. Making food accessible to

adults while they feed nestlings may reduce the time it takes to can spend more time searching for insects which they feed to

The females feeding during the day are taking advantage of a

visit. Does have been feeding on

the corn, which helps make milk

When mom comes to feed, the

kids often follow. Once in awhile

we see the fawns playing and

investigating everything, just

raccoons feeding on sunflower

seeds. Watching these animals

search for whole seeds amongst

shells, pick it up between its toes

and carefully put the seed in its

mouth, never ceases to amaze

We have also been watching

like little human children do.

for their fawns.

ood source that allows them to stay healthy and make milk for their young. These animals are not sick because they are active during the day — just hungry.

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e larger than usual Hopefully you are also enjoy-

Mammals also take advantage ing young birds at your feeders.

•Phil Horowitz of West Bloom field went on a scoring rampage For all other leagues bowling in the July 18 National Senior Bowling Association monthly

Allen Park; noon to 7 p.m. Tues- 300-286. an 841 series which is a day, Aug. 11 at Sterling Lanes in NSBA three game record.

be out around the first week in His second match was against If any league officers have any close until the seventh frame in questions, the GDBA which Wesley had an open/split supply/school is the time to ask.

•It was a sad time last week as 268-234. the GDBA lost Director, Karl Karl, 87, was a life member of both bowlers having some diffithe association and lifelong

Detroit area resident. He had retired from the Detroit Police match. Department in 1976 where he served as a motorcycle officer. Karl loved to bowl, hunt, play star Scotty Laughland Phil

Sterling Heights; or noon to 7

way Lanes in Waterford.

Along with his wife of 67 years,

Gladys, they had traveled to all 50 states, many of which were in title and he received a check for Lanes, 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 14 the course of bowling in the ABC \$1,000 with the victory. tournaments.

This was a fine gentleman who day, Aug. 8 Super Bowl in Can-

He also set a record for six games with a 1.569 total, a 261.5

In the stepladder finals. books for all captains and the Horowitz easily defeated John

John Wesley of Utica which was

Don Clifford of Eastpointe with culty, but Phil prevailed again. 219-177 to set up the final

Windsor, Ontario senior supergolf and tell stories. He always started with the first five strikes had a pleasant smile for every- and Scotty was unable to keep pace as Phil won handily, 268

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PONTIAC LAKE

Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, and archery ranges. Range hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (248) 666-1020 for more information.

ORTONVILLE RECREATION Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (248) 693-6767 for more

STATE PARKS

Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area,

fourth Tuesday of every month are active after dark during this evening hike, which Taylor. Call (734) 676-2863 for

> Learn to identify some of the area's birds during this natu-ralist-led hike, which begins a 8 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 8 at Maybury. Participants should meet at the riding stable parking lot off Beck Road, 1/4-mile south of Eight Mile Rd.

FETROPARKS

Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nom inal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian

Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kenington, 1-800-477-3178. The 1998 Huron-Clinton Metroparks annual vehicle entry permits and boat laun ing permits are on sale at all Metropark offices. Vehicle

entry permits are \$15 (\$8 for enior citizens). The annual boat launching permits are \$18 (\$9 for senior citizens). Call 1-800-47-PARKS for more infor-

SEE OUR BONES Children ages six and older will learn about how animals

which begins at 1 p.m. Sunday, July 26, at Stony Creek. Learn all about dragon flies and what makes them so inter

esting and important during this program, which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday, July 26, at Kensington.

COUNTY PARKS

required for all nature programs at Oakland County Parks. Call (810) 625-6473 to register or for more informa-

FREE WOOD CHIPS Free wood chips from the Oak-

land County Parks Christmas tree recycling program will be available on Saturday, July 25, at Orion Oaks at the Clarkston asked to provide their own shovels and to load the chips by hand. No motorized equipment is allowed and no commercial haulers. Additional wood chip dates are scheduled for Aug. 29, Sept. 26 and Oct.

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Warren Teubert, GDBA rep.); ■ Farmington Hills - Country Lanes, 7 p.m. Saturday Aug. 8 (Terrell Smith, GDBA rep.); Drakeshire Lanes, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 13 (Jim Lhamon, GDBA rep.); ■ Troy — Bowl One Lanes, 1

p.m. Sunday, Aug. 9 (Jim Malinowski, GDBA rep); ■ Southfield — Plum Hollow body. Lanes, 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug 10 (Mike Mopson, GDBA rep.); Redford - Mayflower

(Ron Lancaster, GDBA rep.); ■ Waterford — Century Bowl. 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 13 (Doug will be missed by all, but for the ton. Call (248) 932-LANE.

tournament at Sterling Lanes. from noon to 7 p.m. Thursday. Phil led the six-game qualify-Aug. 20 at Thunderbowl Lanes in ing field and started with 255-

p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 12 at Air-Materials include the new rule vearbook for 1998-99 which will Milletics of Sandusky, 258-182

> giving Horowitz the room to win. His next match was against

This was Horowitz's second The next tournament is Satur-

welcome.) The club meets nonthly at Gander Mountain in Waterford, Call Mike Daly at (248) 666-8910 for more BASS ASSOCIATION The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass

.m. Tuesday, July 28, at the lighland Recreation Area.

this evening hike, which begins at 7 p.m. Thursday, July 30, at Maybury. Partici-pants should meet at the Farm Demonstration Building at the main park entrance off Eight Mile Road.

The monthly meeting of the state Natural Resource Commission will be Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 12-13, at the Holiday Inn-Petoskey, 1444 US 131 S., Petoskey. Persons who wish to address the cor sion or persons with disabilities needing accommodations for effective participation

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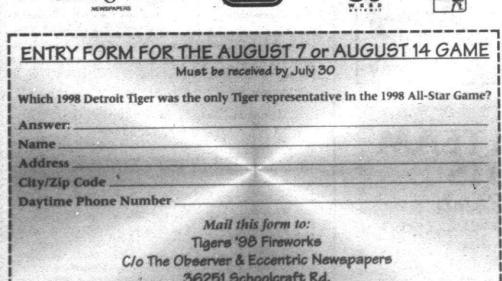
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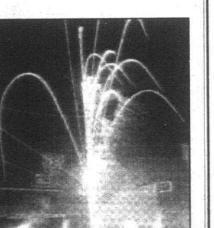
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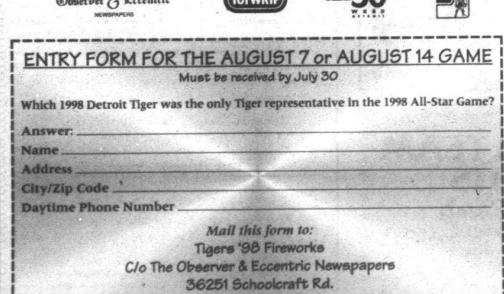
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