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ice time: The Plymouth Ice Sculpture Spectacular continues through Monday in downtown Plymouth. Sunday events include professional, amateur and student team competition. For more information check the Observer / festival Web site at: http://www.oeoneline.com/plymouthice.

MONDAY

Meeting canceled: The Canton Planning Commission meeting originally scheduled for today has been canceled. Developers of Electropolitan, an entertainment facility planned for Haggerty Road, aren't ready to move ahead on their special land use request, according to township officials.

THURSDAY

Update breakfast: Canton Supervisor Tom Yack and Public Safety Director John Santomauro will give a briefing on the township community policing program at the free monthly Third Thursday Update breakfast 7:30 a.m. at the Old Country Buffet in the Harvard Square Shopping Center, Sheldon, north of Ford.

Family skate: Canton Parks and Recreation is sponsoring a family skate night 7-9 p.m. (weather permitting) on the Heritage Park pond. The ponds will be lighted for evening skating, and refreshments will also be available. Admission is free. No registration necessary. For more information, call Canton Parks and Recreation Services at (734) 397-5110.

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Oh, Baby!

Local families choose foreign adoption through agency

BY LILLY A. EVANS STAFF WRITER

Denise Beson of Canton cried and cried when she answered the phone and a representative International Family Services said, "Congratulations, you are going to be a mom. Your final paper work is in the mail, and a photo of your baby girl will accompany it.' After 10 months of

paper work, phone calls, seminars, searching the Internet, and dreaming; her hard work was turning into reality. The 41-year-old, single, corporate trainer was going to adopt a baby

girl from China. "It was a pretty big step. The marriage thing just wasn't happening, and domestic adoption



just doesn't happen with singles,"

Richard and Karen Ross of Canton were ready to have a family, but Karen's physician told her it would be risky for her to carry a child. So her doctor recommended

a foreign adoption. The 32-year-old emergency physician and the 30vear-old former coordinator of organ transplants went to Russia to get their blond-haired, blue eyed, 10-month old son, Alexander Nikolai.

They said they chose Russia for a few reasons: They didn't want to have problems with the open adoption law in the U.S.; they wanted the child to look like them; and they said Russia didn't have

strange regulations on adoption. And of course, the fan-tasy of Alexander being a hockey

I already handed down my first hockey stick to him," Richard said with a chuckle

All three new parents went

Please see ADOPTIONS, A3

days for condo residents

■ Ice dams on the roofs of homes at the new Copper Creek condominiums have left residents with sagging walls, spongy carpet and other damage.



BY SCOTT DANIEL STAFF WRITER sdaniel@oe.homeo

As newlyweds, Jeff and Josephine Crawford's first major purchase together came

The Canton couple paid more than \$170,000 for a brand-new condominium at Copper Creek, a 73-unit development on Warren Road west of Haggerty. Recent snowfalls, however, have turned their dream home into a leaking,

We really didn't think this would be a problem because it's new construction," said Josephine. "We can't use our front door. It's frozen shut."

Leaking began shortly after the early Jan. 2 blizzard. It started in one of the Crawfords' bedrooms and quickly spread to a second bedroom, the unit's entry area and basement.

Dry wall in both bedrooms has become spongy, carpet has been ruined in the entry area and an ice pouch filled with paint has formed above the front door.

According to Copper Creek manager Susan Delgado, the damage was unavoidable. "Ice damming," she said, has damaged 80 percent of the roofs at the complex.

"It's got nothing to do with anything but the eather," Delgado said.

Ice dams are created when snow over the heated area of the roof melts then runs into unheated eaves and refreezes. The water and ice eventually back up under roof shingles and leak into the home, causing damage.

With several feet of snow and ice on the roofs at Copper Creek, Delgado said it's too dangerous to send anyone up to clean it off. Until the snow melts and everything dries out, she said there's

Please see SOGGY, A2

Command officers get raises in 3-year pact

BY SCOTT DANIEL STAFF WRITER sdaniel@oe.homecomm.net

Two down, one to go.

Canton settled the second of three contracts with township police unions Tuesday as the board of trustees voted unanimously to approve 3 and 4 percent raises for sergeants and lieutenants, respectively, over each of the next three years.

"We only had three negotiating sessions," said Administrative and Community Services Director Dan Durack. "The negotiations were amicable and the parties were able to agree quickly." Talks between Canton and the Police

PUBLIC SAFETY

Lieutenant and Sergeant Association (POLC) began in late October, A tentative agreement was reached by early December between the township and the 10-man bargaining unit.

Speedy negotiations haven't always

been the case, said Durack. Some contracts have taken as long as 18 months to hammer out. The township also had to go to arbitration to settle one contract, Durack said.

Please see CONTRACT, A2

Several factors led to a fast settle-

Tale time: Storytellers take stage at Summit

BY LILLY A. EVANS STAFF WRITER

Pssst ... let me tell you a story,

are you ready? Then pull your family away from television, computers, and video games Saturday, Jan. 23, and expose them to the art of storytelling at the first Storytelling Fes-

tival sponsored by the Canton Pro-

ject Arts at Summit on the Park in

Canton. Award-winning international storyteller Debra Christian of Plymouth will be there to present you with an art she says you will become enthralled with.

"I think it will be a delightful, high-quality event full of fun, laughter and good story because everybody wants to hear a story," she said.

At the afternoon workshops, children can listen to stories while adults are learning how to tell a story. There will also be an evening family show.

Please see STORYTELLERS, A4

Shopping center, tenants begin reroofing effort

STAFF WRITER sdaniel@oe.hor

About \$500,000 worth of damage was done to the Golden Gate Shopping Center in Tuesday's roof collapse.

A 15- to 20-foot section of the roof covering a coney island restaurant and an electronic repair shop came down at about 5:25 p.m. No injuries resulted, but the two businesses were virtually destroyed.

Since then, a dozen shops in the center's southern end have been forced to close. A Golden Gate spokesman said he's hoping most can reopen by mid-

As for the coney and the repair shop, it will take considerably longer. "I think they're looking at two to

three months," the spokesman said.

More than a foot of snow and ice had built up on the roof and caused the collapse. Canton building and engineering officials were at the shopping center Wednesday morning to assess dam-

UPDATE

Township building official John Weyer said three things must happen before any of the shops can reopen.

Remaining snow must be removed, the fire alarm and sprinkler systems must be restored. Weyer said his department will inspect and sign off on those requirements before stores

Workers began clearing snow off of both the southern and northern roofs of Golden Gate Wednesday. According to the center spokesman, sprinkler and fire alarm systems were expected to be operational Friday

Meanwhile, Golden Gate owner Nick Tusenkjian has hired Inrecon, a national firm specializing in reconstruction, to inspect all roofs at the

The spokesman said each shop's roof would be checked for damage. He Please see SHOPPING CENTER, A4



STAFF PROTO BY PAUL HURSCHMAN

Shovel brigade: Workers clear snow from the roof of the Golden Gate Shopping Center Wednesday. Most tenants could be open by midweek but a coney island restaurant and electrical supply store could be closed for months.

Copper Creek Homeowners'

Advisory Committee member Dawn Zuber agreed. "People have unrealistic expectations about how quickly this can be fixed," she said. "There's nothing you can do until it thaws and dries out."

Once that happens, said Zuber, who works as an architect, help will be on the way.

On Thursday, Copper Creek. management and committee members met with insurance and reconstruction specialists. State Farm, which acts as the insurer for the condominium home owners, will cover the costs of external and internal repairs, said Delgado.

already got his money." Any personal items damaged due to leaking or other problems would likely be covered by each resident's home insurance, she

Zuber, who has lived in the complex since early last fall, said she's satisfied with how Copper Creek management has handled the situation

"They were all very responsive," she said. Josephine Crawford disagreed.

her unit two weeks ago. "If they had just communicated with us," she said, "there ouldn't have been a problem. Crawford added that it has

been difficult watching her home crumble around her. "It's frustrating," she said, "because I like to keep everything clean and neat. But I have to come home and see all this.". Crawford said she loves her

She said she and her husband

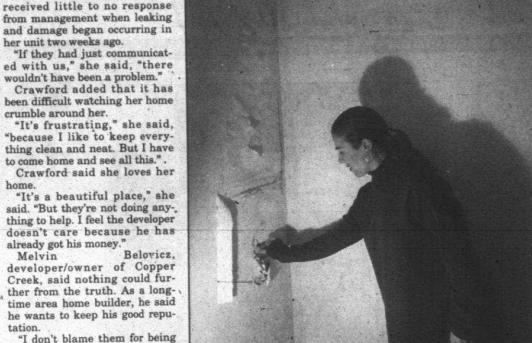
"It's a beautiful place," she said. "But they're not doing anything to help. I feel the developer doesn't care because he has

Melvin developer/owner of Copper Creek, said nothing could further from the truth. As a longtime area home builder, he said he wants to keep his good repu-

"I don't blame them for being upset." he added. "But we're doing everything we can. We're doing what we can to mitigate

10 Week Beginne

Keyboard Classes



Leaking: Josephine Chapman points out various spots in her Copper Creek condominium where water is leaking through the walls and ceiling, causing dam-



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ment, according to negotiator and Canton police Sgt. Charles tenants work 12-hour

On the issue of holiday compensation, the township agreed to pay POLC members time-anda-half pay. Previously, they mas and New Year's days. A total of 11 holidays are covered

under the new plan.
Sergeants and lieutenants work 12-hour shifts and a total of 84 hours in two weeks. They'll now receive time-and-a-half pay for four hours in each two week

Improvements were also made to health care coverage for retired officers, Raycraft said. In return, he added, the township got the "professional standards" it wanted for promotions. Sergeants wishing to move up to lieutenant will now have to have a bachelor's degree in a related field of law enforcement.

As for pay, sergeants with more than six months with Canton will earn \$55,211 in base salary in 1999. That number jumps to \$58,573 in 2001. Lieutenants will make \$59,840 in base pay this year. That fig-

end of the contact. Raycraft characterized the agreement as a good one for both

shifts and a total of 84 hours in two weeks. They'll now receive time-and-a-half pay for four hours in each twoweek period in addition, they will be paid at time-and-a-half for 11 holidays including **Christmas and New** Year's Day.

With the POLC contract done, Canton's two police captains remain the only bargaining unit without an agreement. Durack said he expects the board to approve their new deal at its Jan. 26 meeting. The captains will receive a raise "in the same ballpark" as

sergeants and lieutenants, he ure goes up to \$64,722 by the

The third bargaining unit, police officers and dispatchers, settled late last year. Members received 3 percent raises.

OBITUARIES

DONALD C. TOTH

Services for Donald C. Toth, 67, of Huntsville, Ala., formerly of Canton, will be 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 12, in St. John Neumann Catholic Church with the Rev. George Charnley officiating. Burial will be in St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Local arrangements were made by the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Ply-



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He was born June 20, 1931, in Pontiac. He died Jan. 7 in Huntsville, Ala. He worked as a tool engineer for Detroit Diesel, Romulus. He retired in 1988 and moved to Huntsville, Ala. After retiring, he continued to work in Alabama as a regional sales manager for a large tooling company. He moved to Canton Township from Westland in 1985. He served in the Navy on a submarine from 1948 until 1952. He was an avid golfer. Golf was his passion; he was a golf instructor and loved to play the game. He was very mechani cal and rebuilt car engines.

Survivors include his wife, Violet Toth of Canton; two daughters, Susan A. (Henry) Tkachuk of Canton, Elizabeth A. (Michael Kim) Toth-Nowak of Canton; three grandchildren, David Nowak, Meghan Tkachuk

A memorial service for former

Canton resident Debra Druce,

Owosso. Arrangements were

Mrs. Druce died Jan. 1 in

husband of 29 years, David;

nade by Nelson-House Funeral

Mrs. Druce is survived by her

ons, Jeremy, Norman and Jef-

Schwalm of Livonia; brothers,

Robert, Bruce, Michael and

uncles, cousins, nieces and

Mathew; sisters, Pamela and

Darlene; and several aunts and

Memorials may be made to the

National Cancer Institute. For

more information, call (800) 4-

frey; parents, Robert and Delma

49, of Owosso was Jan. 3 in

Homes of Owosso.

DEBRA DRUCE

and Daniel Nowak. Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association of Michigan or to the family.

Karen said, "Everybody raves until Beson picked her up at 11 North Gate Wesleyan Church in ' over what a good baby he is."

Alexander was one of 60 babies in an orphanage with five babies didn't get much stimula-

come to a home."

· Beson said she adopted from said.

care workers. Karen said the the service matched 71 children said. with U.S. families in 1998. Couples and singles of all ages come

cessful adoptions and China has

baby didn't have to be a part of

daughter. She's a beautiful,

and saying "Bah Bye."

months old.

Information sought

about preschools

In 1965, just 5 percent of 3-year-olds attended preschool or nursery school. Today, more than 41 percent of 3-year-olds attend

With an increased number of working mothers, there has been

a center-based program, and nearly 80 percent of all children

have attended some type of formal program (preschool, nursery

an increased need for preschools for 3-, 4- and 5-year-olds. And

that need has created the parental search for quality care for

preparing a story about preschool programs and a roundup of

nome-based) in the Livonia, Redford, Westland, Garden City,

reschools, nursery schools and day care facilities (center- and

Programs interested in being part of a story can complete the

following form and send it by no later than Friday, Jan. 22, to Sue

Mason at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia

For more information, call Sue Mason at (734) 953-2132.

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Plymouth and Canton communities.

school or child care center) before entering first grade.

"Once I got over the fact that a

"I think I am very lucky. We

Beson attributes the good

bonded very fast. She's so happy

separation anxiety," Beson said.

Overcoming blizzard boredom

"All of us are born, so none of and fees.





Adoptions from page A1

through International Family an abundance of baby girls. Services and say they would perform a foreign adoption again. IFS handles adoptions for China, Russia, Bulgaria, Roma- me, I knew I wanted an Asian nia, Vietnam, Mexico, Ukraine,

Snowy hideaway: Canton

buddies Brian Sinischo (top)

and Kyle Wardynski I, home

on holiday break from Michi-

respectively, built their own

igloo outside Sinischo's home

on Saltz Road last week. The

includes shelf space and a

Stacie Ludwig looks on in

"spinning disco ball." Friend

gan State University and

University of Montana,

home away from home

the photo above.

beautiful gift," she said. Latvia and India. One month later, Amelia Rose The Rosses said the conditions is crawling around Beson's conin Russia were bad. dominium, eating American food "It was an 'unvacation.' We

couldn't wait to get home," Richard said. He said the hotel room they stayed in was furnished with and well adjusted. She had no four wool blankets for a mattress and flour sacks for pillows. Karen said the weather was cold nature and health of her daugh-

ter to a few factors. and the food was bad but their new son is bright and beautiful. "Shortly after we came home, dadda. He's very well adjusted,"

Beson and her 71 year-old accompanied her to China) thought China was a delightful lies turn to her.

China because she heard of suc- Gardner said adoptive par- 3811.

their children.

ents-to-be have more control with a foreign adoption than with a domestic adoption. Richard Ross said the couple

had a bad experience with their attempt at domestic adoption. "The birth parent wanted to exert control over the child. She wanted to control whether the child went to public or private

school, and then it came down to religion, we said forget it," he The U.S. has an open adoption law. The law states that birth parents have a right to see their children and change their minds.

Foreign adoptions are closed when you receive the baby. Amelia was abandoned on an The wait may be two to five orphanage doorstep when she he started saying mama and was newborn. Two days later she years for a domestic adoption, was placed with a foster family and you still might not get a baby if birth parents don't chose you. If you're not wealthy

IFS Midwest representative young and married, you don't Jane Gardner of Northville said have much of a chance, Gardner Gardner said domestic adoption may be less expensive than to her. She said adoptive par- a foreign adoption. Beson said father from Bay City (who ents aren't always infertile, but from start to finish she may have infertility is a crisis when fami- spent \$10,000 for home inspec-

"It was a trip of a lifetime," us inherited infertility. It is an For more information on adop-"I was going to get out-of-control situation, so when tions, call the Wayne County somebody who was waiting to they come to our agency, we give Department of Social Services them control back," Gardner or, for information about IFS, call Jane Gardner at (248) 349-

Students join symphony

Young musicians will perform along with Plymouth Symphony Orchestra ensembles 8 p.m Saturday, Jan. 30, in the Plymouth Canton Little Theatre 8415 Canton Center Road in

The Young Artist Co.npetition is held each year in December by the PSO to recognize young talent in the Plymouth, Canton, Northville, Novi and Belleville areas. Each applicant performs with accompaniment before several music judges. The competition is open to all orchestral instruments except piano. Every musician competes for a \$1,000 prize, which is donated by the Jupanese Business Society of Detroit Foundation community. It supports local organizations that work for cultural, educational and artistic goals.

Immediately following the concert, an after-glow will be held at Willow Brook Inn. 44255 Warren Road, just east of

Tickets for the concert are \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors or college students and, in conjunction with the educational program, students in kindergarten through 12th grade are admitted free of charge. Group rates are available upon

Salem grad sings her way through TV's 'L.A. Doctors'

BY TONY BRUSCATO STAFF WRITER

Jack and Angela Farrow of Plymouth will not only watching Monday night's episode of "L.A. Doctors," they'll have two VCRs taping the program. The Farrows are big fans of the CBS television program. Well, at least for one

This could be the big chance for their daughter, Melanie, a budding actress who has a guest starring role on the medical drama. "We'll see the show three

hours before Melanie does a.m. the next morning," she said. in L.A., and she'll be on the "And, after learning an aria, I phone talking with us while it's then had to learn a new pop friend' on," said Angela. "Hopefully this will help get her a job because The Plymouth native said she she's unemployed at the was dazzled by the whole experi-

The 1992 Plymouth Salem the episode. grad moved from New York, where she was performing musical theater on Broadway, to Los woman ... I was really Angeles after meeting Vic Levin, impressed," she said. "And when the executive producer and head writer for the sitcom "Mad About designer-label clothing. I thought, "This is heaven!" "

" 'L.A. Doctors' needed a singer, and originally the role was for a big, opera-type woman," said Melanie, 24, during a recent visit to Plymouth. "When I went in and sang for it, they rewrote the entire role because they decided they wanted me to do it ... an incredible compliment because that never happens."

But despite Melanie's solid performance, there was still one more obstacle ... CBS.

"I heard on a Thursday afterand acting classes twice a week," noon the producers, casting Melanie is hopeful her acting director and director wanted me, classes with Milton Katselas will but the network wanted a give her the advantage she celebrity," she remembered. needs to further her career. "Luckily, they couldn't find one and by Friday evening the job Jenna Elfman who is the star of 'Dharma and Greg,' " she said.

Busy time

It was then a weekend of earning a script and music. "At 10 p.m. Sunday night, I received a revised script, and Melanie hasn't forgotten home, who s had to be ready to shoot at 9 and keeps in touch with her work."

"I always thought she had the ability to be a great performer," said Gloria Logan, the theater arts director at Plymouth Salem and Canton high schools, who directed Melanie in several lead parts. "She was just a great kid ... hard working and very mature. I get updates from her all the "Melanie was a mar-

velous student, always well-prepared," added Sue Welker, a high school humanities teacher who still keeps in touch with the future star. "She's the kind of person you want to be your

To the big time

Everyone is hoping Melanie's ence of having a major role in role on "L.A. Doctors" is her big "They give you a trailer, a hairdresser and a costume

"When I graduated from college, I pretty much knew what my job prospects were," said her father Jack, an engineer. "In act-\$30,000 worth of brand-new ing, there is no idea. And sometimes it has nothing to do with

Melanie isn't giving too many hints as to her storyline in the show. However, she suggested nize her talents and offer her we might find a character named Francesca whose singing career "I'll be pounding the pave- is threatened by a medical prob-

ment, mailing letters, making lem "My part includes five scenes phone calls, networking. It's which stretch over the entire hard work, and not all glamorous," she said. "There are show. I sing opera in the beginauditions four or five times a ning and a pop song at the end week, business lunches, working We did some pretaping and lip sync, but the singing is really as a waitress to make money,

> And when you look for the credits, she will still be Melanie

"My stage name will be my "I'm in the same class as real name. It's been working for "My coach has also worked with

Bette Davis, Ted Danson and "In the L.A. phone book I'm listed as M. Farrow," she said. "I Although in Los Angeles, keep getting calls from a woman Melanie hasn't forgotten home, who says 'Mia, I love your

New Year Prompts Women's Commitment To Healthy Lifestyle. Livonia Fitness Center Provides Emphasis On Low-Impact Exercise,

opened my closet there was

Now that the fun part is over,

Melanie is busy promoting her-

self, hoping someone will recog-

another acting job.

Healthy Living And Individualized Support. he new year is gaining Add cardiovascular sessions via with 'real' grocery store foods premomentum and, for most treadmills, stationary bicycles and pared the way our they like to eat". American women, the recumbant bicycles for a compreshe says. "With the addition of s

Tom Selleck."

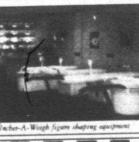
new year. For many, it is a roller- Counselor at Inches-A-Weigh. coaster of fad weight loss She adds, "What sets us apart is schemes, dietary upheaval and our combination of personal supstress lasting into the Spring port, low-impact figure shaping Inches-A-Weigh, a national fit- equipment plus sensible nutrition-

ness and nutrition center for al guidance." women located in Livonia, pro- Inches-A-Weigh nutritional vides a solution to seasonal consultant, Lisa Hughs, points out weight gain based on principles that a responsible eating plan adopted by health experts and the should include the foods clients American Heart Association. enjoy eating. "We believe our

idea that permanent fitness requires routine low-impact exercise that our clients can live with", says Barbara Horowitz, owner of the bustling business. "The unique figure shaping equipment at Inches-A-Weigh provides isometric resistance exercise gently enough for clients with back pain, arthritis, or even diabetes."

annual conversation is pre- hensive approach to a slimmer fig- minimal dietary supplements and dictable; holiday pounds and our ure. "We ensure that proper levels realistic modification of a client's resolutions to get rid of them. of exertion are maintained in each eating habits, we establish a foun-For most, this task is a ritual hour-long session, 3 days a week", dation of good health. From there, occupying the first weeks of the says Julie Roach, the Exercise our shaping equipment restores the figure that our chent has lost, and allows them to

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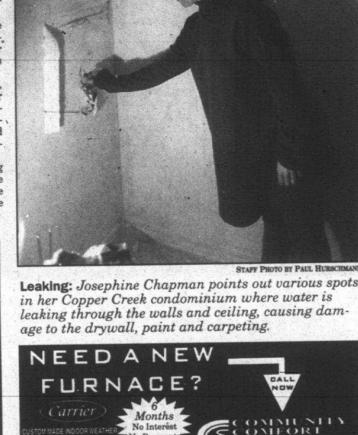


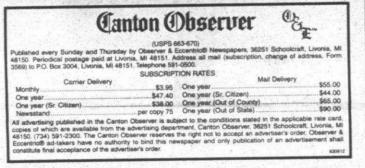




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fline about new drugs for arthritis. If you have osteoarthritis, you may feel you should make an appointment now to see your doctor so you can benefit from these advances in therapy. Most likely, your doctor will not be able to accommodate you. First, while the banners talk about arthritis, the small print notes that the new drugs are

Second, it is possible that a class of new drugs, the COX-2 inhibitors, may help in the pain of sarthritis. However, no studies to date have shown that the COX-2 types wi display in the new agents slow the cartilage wear and tear that characterizes osteoarthritis. At least for now, the adage holds that the old ways remain the best ways, in the treatment of osteoarthritis. If you have knee involvement and are overweight, then losing at least some of the excess pounds will help relieve strain on the knees. For other joints, treatment requires a variety of response. Acetaminophen for pain and removal of joint fluid if it accumulates, are the basics of therapy. It is also important to continue daily activity to maintain your muscle stamina and flexibility. Finally no matter what your age, you should consider joint replacement when the

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Storytellers from page A1

Christian said story-telling brings the family

together.
"Storytelling is a way to pass down information from generation to generation and teach character building," Christian said.

Christian is a speech pathologist in the Garden City Public Schools by profession and the daughter of a Michigan history teacher. She has traveled the U.S., South Africa, Eastern and Central Europe and the Mediterranean, researching and storytelling. She has been storytelling for 13

Along with Christian, professional storytellers Mountain Man Marc LeJarret of the west side of Michigan, 35th District Court Judge Ron Lowe of Canton and Judy Sima of

LeJarret will be sporting his Southfield will be performing to mountain gear and telling tall stimulate your imagination and tales. Lowe will share children's put folklore in your day.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for the purchase of Electrical Parts. Specifications and bid forms are available at the front desk of the E.J. McClendon Educational Center located on 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, MI. or by contacting Dan Phillips in the PCCS Purchasing Danactures at (724) 416-776. Scaled bids are due on or before 400 nm. Department at (734) 416-2746. Sealed bids are due on or before 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, January 20th, 1999. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the

ELIZABETH M. GIVENS, Secretary

For families: Storytelling brings the

(kneeling, second from right).

family together, says Debra Christian

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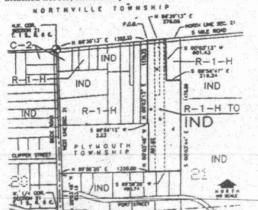
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NOTICE OF ADOPTION PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NO. 83. 96

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BY AMENDING THE ZONING THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

The Zoning Ordinance No. 83 of the Plymouth Charter Township. is hereby amended by amending the Zoning Map, by changing those areas indicated on the Amended Zoning Map No. 105 attached hereto, and made part of this Ordinance.



TAX I.D. NO'S.

(a) R78-010-99-0005-000(b) R78-010-99-0004-000 e) R78-010-99-0003-000(d) R78-010-99-0002-000

LEGAL DESCRIPTION
PART IF THE NORTHWEST 1/4 OF SECTION 21. TOWN 1 SOUTH, RANGE 8 EAST, PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN DESCRIBED AS: COMMENCING AT THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF SECTION 21;

THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION 21, N 86°39'13" E 1322.33 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING; THENCE CONTINUING ALONG THE SAID LINE, N 86°39'13" E 275.05 FEET, THENCE S 00°03'13" W 601.43 FEET, THENCE S 89°56'47" E 216.24 FEET, THENCE S 00°03'44" E 1476.89 FEET TO THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF "PLYMOUTH CORPORATE PARK", A SUBDIVISION RECORDED IN LIBER 104 OF PLATS, PAGES 57 & 58, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS; THENCE ALONG THE NORTH LINE OF "PLYMOUTH CORPORATE PARK", S89"58'20" W, 490.74 FEET SAID POINT BEING N 00°03'48" W 653.16 FEET & N 89°58'20" E 1320.00 FEET FROM THE WEST % CORNER OF SECTION 21, TOWN 1 SOUTH, RANGE 8 EAST; THENCE N 00°03'48" W 891.92 FEET; THENCE S 89°56'12" W 2.23 FEET THENCE N 00°03'13" E 1170.73 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, CONTAINS 20.4176 ACRES. SUBJECT TO RIGHTS OF THE PUBLIC AND OF ANY GOVERNMENTAL UNIT ANY PART THEREOF USED, TAKEN OR DEEDED FOR STREET ROAD OR HIGHWAY PURPOSES, SUBJECT TO EASEMENTS AND RESTRICTIONS OF RECORD

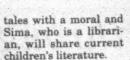
ORDINANCE NO. 83. 96 AMENDED ZONING MAP NO. 105 PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Part II. CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any ordinance o parts of Ordinance in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Part III. EFFECTIVE DATE. The revisions of the Ordinance are hereby declared to take effect on February 12, 1999.

ADOPTION. The Ordinance was adopted by the Township Board of Charter Township of Plymouth, by authority of Act 184 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1949, at a meeting duly called and held on January 12, 1999, and ordered to be given publication in the manner prescribed by law.

Adepted by the Board of Trustees on January 12, 1999 Effective Date February 12, 1999



There will be afternoon workshops and/or evening entertainment. The children's workshops will-include: Stoytelling Fun and James and Animal Tales, Fables and Stories for Kids. The adult workshops will consist of Building Character Through Story and Weaving the Family Together.

The afternoon events will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. with a an hour of children's storytelling before lunch. Lunch will be sold on site. The evening family show will start at 7

Volunteer Coordina tor Kathleen Salla said after storytelling went over so well at the Liberty Festival the Canton Project Arts is looking forward to making this an annual event at the

The event appeals to families with elementary or middle school-aged children, Christian said. Tickets for both sessions are \$3 single or \$8 family, tickets for the day or evening event are \$2 single or \$5 family. For more information or tickets, call (734) 397-6450.

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TAX LD. NO.'S.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION

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expected those inspections to last into next

Roof repairs will be covered by Golden Gate's insurance. The spokesman added that the coney island and repair shop would be restored to "white box" condition, meaning walls, ceilings, floors and internal utilities will be like new.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for the purchase of HVAC Parts. Specifications and bid forms are available at the front desk of the E.J. McClendon Educational Center located on 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth,

MI. or by contacting Dan Phillips in the PCCS Purchasing Department at

(734) 416-2746. Sealed bids are due on or before 4:00 p.m., Wednesday,

January 20th, 1999. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the school

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites

The Board of Education of the Tybodis. All interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for the purchase of all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for the purchase of Two 1999 Ford E-350 Extended Cargo Vans and One F-250 4x4 Super Duty Pick-up Truck. Specifications and bid forms are available at the front desk

of the E.J. McClendon Education Center located on 454 S. Harvey,

Plymouth, MI. or by contacting Dan Phillips in the PCCS Purchasing

Department at (734) 416-2746. Sealed bids are due on or before 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, January 20th, 1999. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

NOTICE OF ADOPTION

PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP

ORDINANCE NO. 83. 95

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING MAP OF THE CHARTER

Part I. The Zoning Ordinance No. 83 of the Plymouth Charter Township, is

R78-017-03-0349-002, R78-017-03-0049-003, R78-017-03-0051-008

PART OF LOTS 49, 50, AND 51 OF SUPERVISOR'S PLYMOUTH PLAT NO. 3 OF HOLCOMB'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF

PLYMOUTH AND PART OF SECTION 23, T, 1 5., R 8 E., PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN AS

RECORDED IN LIBER 55 OF PLATS, PAGE 38, WAYNE COUNTY RECORDS, BEING MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED AS;

BEGINNING AT THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF SAID LOT 49; THENCE S. 76°30'58" W., 575.13 FEET ALONG THE SOUTH LINE

OF SAID LOT 49; THENCE N. 13°01'20' W. 120.19 FEET; THENCE N. 76°32'54" E. 373.01 FEET; THENCE N. 13°01'20" W. 274.51 FEET

TO A POINT ON THE SOUTHERLY LIMITED ACCESS RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF M-14; THENCE 217.28 FEET ALONG THE ARC OF

A CURVE TO THE LEFT HAVING A RADIUS OF 2,544.42 FEET A

ENTRAL ANGLE OF 04°53'34" AND A LONG CHORD BEARING

N. 84°53'29" E. 217.23 FEET ALONG SAID LIMITED ACCESS

RIGHT OF WAY, THENOE S. 02°20'30° E. 54.94 FEET, AND THENCE S. 12°49'50° E. 299.53 FEET TO THE POINT. OF

BEGINNING CONTAINING 2.51 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR

LESS, SUBJECT TO ANY AND ALL EASEMENTS OF RIGHT OF

ORDINANCE NO. 83. 95

AMENDED ZONING MAP NO. 104

PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP

WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN Part II. CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any ordinance or parts

Part III. EFFECTIVE DATE: The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby

Part IV. ADOPTION. The Ordinance was adopted by the Township Board of Charter Township of Plymouth by authority of Act 184 of the Public Acts of Michigsn. 1949, at a meeting duly called and held on January 12, 1999 and ordered to be given publication in the manner prescribed by law.

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by amended by amending the Zoning Map, by changing those areas

TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP

adicated on the amended Zoning map No. 104, attached her

THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Store owners, he added, will be responsible for

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repairing or replacing their own equipment. That will likely be covered by the business' insurance, the spokesman said. PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS Bob's of Canton manager Katie

Carmody said the grocery store will use its insurance to help offset losses during down time. Minor damage was done to the store during the collapse with a portion of the ceiling sagging. Carmody said wooden beams

were installed at Bob's Tuesday night to support those areas. She thinks problems could have been avoided i center management had cleared the roof or

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"It had been leaking in our back room for three weeks," Carmody said. "But (management) said they couldn't do anything." Wever said the

township is working to avoid any more roof calamities. Two to three Canton building inspectors are currently examining buildings in the township for snow and ice build-ups. It will take the inspectors several days to look at about 100 buildings in

the township, said Weyer. "We're trying to be proactive," he added.

Hospice wins accreditation



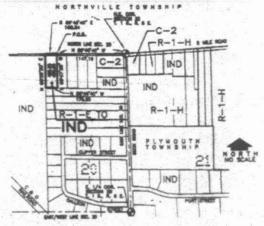
Community Hospice & Home Care Services Inc. announced its recent Accreditation with Com mendation from the Joint Commission of Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. This is the highest level of accreditation by the joint commission, which is the nation's oldest and largest accrediting body.

"We are extremely pleased to have achieved this designation," said Maureen Butrico, executive director of CHHCS. "Everyone here goes the extra mile every day to provide the best possible health care to our patients. Receiving Accreditation with Commendation is just the icing on the cake."

NOTICE OF ADOPTION PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP **ORDINANCE NO. 83. 97**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE ZONING MAP OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BY AMENDING THE ZONING MAP. THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Part I. The Zoning Ordinance No. 83 of the Plymouth Charter Township is hereby amended by amending the Zoning Map, the changing those areas indicated on the amended Zoning Map No. 106 attached hereto, and made part of this Ordinance



LEGAL DESCRIPTION LAND IN THE TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH, WAYNE COUNTY. MICHIGAN, DESCRIBED AS BEGINNING AT A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION 20, T. 1 S., R. 8 E., PLYMOUTH WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, DISTANCE 89°46'40" W 1147.16 FEET FROM NORTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 20, AND RUNNING THENCE S 00°47'28" W. 495.05 FEET THENCE N 89*46'40" W 170.25 FEET: THENCE N 00°59'20' E 495.05 FEET TO A POINT ON THE NORTH LINE OF SECTION

20, 158.54 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING ORDINANCE NO. 83, 97 AMENDED ZONING MAP NO. 106 PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Part II. CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any ordinance of parts of Ordinance in conflict herewith; are hereby repealed. Part III. EFFECTIVE DATE. The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to take effect on February 12, 1999.

Part IV. ADOPTION. The Ordinance was adopted by the Township Board of Charter Township of Plymouth by authority of Act 184 of th Public Acts of Michigan, 1949, at a meeting duly called and held on January 12, 1999, and ordered to be given publication in the manner prescribed by law.

Adopted by the Board of Trustees on January 12, 1999 Effective Date February 12, 1999

Don't dump snow in Rouge Schoolcraft seeks outstanding alumni

Snow removal contractors may Graham said. wonder what to do with all the white stuff dumped on Wayne County in the month of January. but they are being advised not to dump it into the Rouge River.

In a joint statement, representatives of the Clinton, Detroit, Huron and Rouge rivers urged municipal governments, businesses and snow removal contractors to avoid using the area's rivers and lakes as convenient dumping spots for snow plowed from streets and parking lots. "Dumping snow into our rivers

and lakes could result in critical damage to these waterways," said Jim Graham, executive fall, blocking the streams and director of Friends of the Rouge increasing chances of flooding. and spokesperson for the river organizations.

flow rates and water quality, rivers," Graham noted. "Dump-

been dug out of streets and "Snow may look pure and parking lots is much more than clean, but it has been contaminated by salt and snow-melting irreparable damage."

chemicals, oil and other fluids that leak from our cars and trucks and by air pollution," Graham said. The contaminants in snow can severely reduce oxygen levels in lakes and rivers, killing fish, insects and aquatic Large amounts of snow

dumped into a river or lake will also cause water levels to rise rapidly and the increased speed of water flowing in rivers will wash out banks, cause trees to "Our rivers and lakes will organized by community groups

have more than they can handle Dumping truckloads of snow when the snow begins to melt, into a river or lake can have a because storm sewers in this potential of the region's river negative impact on water levels, area drain directly into our systems.

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In addition to Friends of the Rouge, the coalition of metro Detroit river groups includes the Clinton River Watershed Council, Friends of the Detroit River and the Huron River Watershed

On Saturday, June 5, the four river organizations will co-sponsor "River Day" activities in each of the watersheds, such as river cleanups, nature walks, streambank plantings, canoe trips, fishing demonstrations and picnics and businesses to focus public attention on the problems and

Regional blood emergency continues

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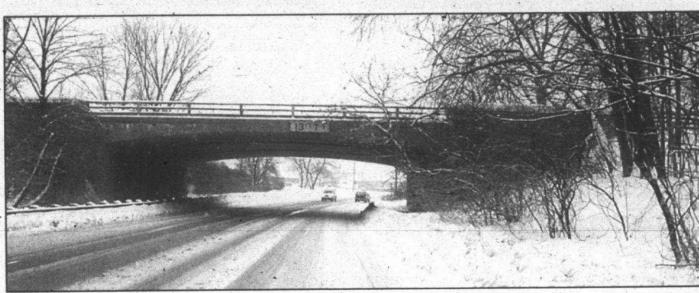
Hines, Lilley bridges eyed for historic recognition

A bridge in Canton and one in Livonia are among 132 Michigan bridges expected to be nominated by the Michigan Historic Preservation Review Board to the National Register of Historic

The Hines Drive bridge over Ann Arbor Road in Livonia and the Lilley Road bridge over the lower branch of the Rouge River in Canton are listed for consideration along with 14 other oridges in Wayne County. The National Register of Historic Places is the federal government's official list of properties that are deemed to be worthy of preservation because of their mportance in American history

to consider the sites at 10 a.m. Friday, Feb. 5, in the Lake Superior Room, first floor, of the Center, 717 W. Allegan Street, will be forwarded to the Nation-

al Parks Service.



The Michigan Historic Preser- Preserved: The Hines Drive bridge over Ann Arbor Road in Livonia is being considering for historic recognivation Review Board will meet tion because it represents a rigid frame construction bridge commonly used for freeways. Historic sites are eligible for federal tax incentives and other preservation assistance.

prevalent during that era.

"These rigid frame type

officials are considering the bridges were commonly used for the Rouge River's lower branch uation includes the structure or Michigan Library and Historical Hines Drive bridge because con- freeways," said Robert Chris- in Canton was cited by consul- site's quality of significance in sultants hired by the Michigan tensen, national register coordi- tants for its "pony-truss" con- American history, architecture, in Lansing. People are encour- Department of Transportation nator of the State Historical struction. It was originally con- archaeology, engineering and aged to write a letter to com- found the bridge was in good Preservation Office. "They were structed on Telegraph Road over culture. Structures should ment on the nomination, which condition and represented a common in Wayne County, and the Rouge River in the 1920s, reflect integrity of location, rigid frame construction bridge, it is a representative example of but it was sturdy enough to be design setting, materials and

a much larger group. The Lilley Road bridge over

relocated to Canton in 1933.

Supreme Court rulings

Survey shows party factor is limited

MDOT began a bridge assess ment and inventory of potential historical structures in 1994, updating an earlier 1985 survey, "they know what they have," Barondess said. Historic sites according to Margaret Baronare eligible for federal tax incendess, cultural resource coordinator with the Michigan Departtives and other preservation ment of Transportation.

MDOT hired two consulting "Preservation is something County and Livonia historical firms -Hess Royce of Minneapolis and Frazier Design of Loveland, Colo. - to complete basis," Barondess said. "Some-

the survey. The survey was completed so Michigan bridges could participate in the National Historic Places program. That recognition is limited to structures that are 50 years old.

"The nomination itself is 'honorific,' "Barondess said. "It doesn't restrict what they want to do with the bridge unless they use federal aid." Most bridges are owned by MDOT, but many also are owned by counties or the

"It's a good project because it benefits long-term planning."

The list is expected to be approved by the state in February. It includes all bridges built before 1955, so it will be up-todate through the year 2005. "It will be a list that all planners

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By Mark Slavens, P.C.

CAN YOU SUE?

urt and no damage was done, the other driver cannot be sued simply because he or she was negligent. While a reprimand and "serious impairment" are vague may be in order, it is up to the police to charge the driver with a traffic violation. What constitutes negligible damage o There are three elements that must exist efore a person has a chance of prevailing in a civil action: He or she must show that the negligent person failed to meet an accepted standard of care, he or she must be able to show that his or her niuries are "objectively manifested" and

must be able to prove that the other

injury to one person may constitute Furthermore, to cite negligence, one defendant might have foreseen and/o

■ Two liberals - Michael before the time limit within which you Cavanagh, 58, of East Lansing must file expires, seek legal counsel. and Marilyn J. Kelly, 60, of review the circumstances of your acciden Bloomfield Hills, both elected as

beth Weaver, 58, of Glen Arbor

and Clifford Taylor, 56, of East
Lansing, both elected as RepubBrickley.

almost as much a maverick as sity student. The four males Cavanagh, Brickley, Mallett and STAFF WRITER trichard@oe.homecomm.net Rarely did Michigan Supreme

lines in 1997-98, an analysis of 10 major cases shows. Instead there are:

■ Two conservatives - Eliza-

Court justices split on party

lican nominees in Gov. John Engler's era.

Brickley, 70, of Traverse City, a Engler recruits - Maura Corrig-Milliken-era Republican and for- an and Robert Young Jr., both of mer U.S. attorney who neverthethe Grosse Pointe area and both less votes against prosecutors frequently; Patricia Boyle, 62, of Detroit, a Blanchard-era Democrat who is the prosecutors' good friend; and Conrad Mallett Jr., 45, of West Bloomfield, a Blan-

Boyle retired Dec. 31, and Mallett resigned the same date. ■ Three swing votes - James They were succeeded by two One gender split

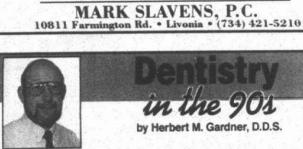
In only one study case did the 1998 court split entirely on gender. That was the rape convicchard-era Democrat who is tion of a Michigan State Univer-

Cavanagh, Brickley, Mallett and Taylor - said the trial judge should have pierced the "rape shield" law and allowed testimony about the complainant's past remarks. The three women -

Boyle, Kelly and Weaver would have prohibited the testitried for a felony. mony and upheld the man's con-In a Troy double jeopardy

Twice the court did split on

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THE THREAT OF GUM DISEASE

Not only can gum disease cause tooth loss, as likely to suffer stroke. The good news? Gu but research shows it can threaten overall health. First, North Carolina researchers found that pregnant women with periodontal disease were at risk for delivering low birth weight babies. Then, a study published in the made up of well-trained professionals who weight babies. Then, a study published in the British Medical Journal showed that men and women with periodontal disease has a 25% higher risk of coronary disease, and a 46% higher risk of dying from all causes, than This was the study of people without gurn disease. This was confirmed by a Boston study showing that us help you in keeping your healthy smile. Call people with the worst gurn disease were twice 478-2110 to schedule an appointment. as likely to die of heart disease and three times Smiles are our business.

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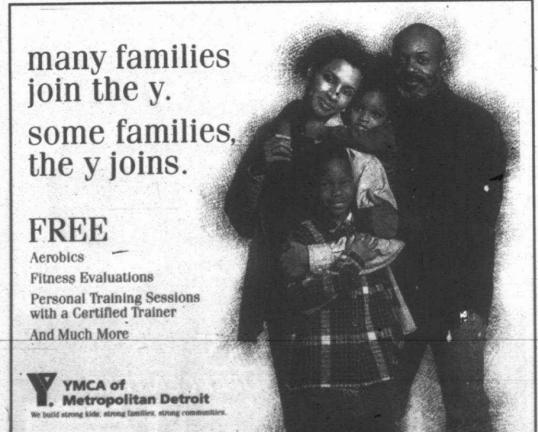
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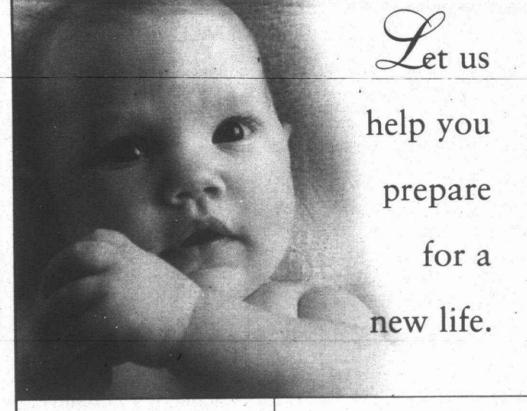
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dition it can't be saved. At Listing in the register benefits MDOT, we've been able to preserve a lot of bridges on the list." the site with recognition of significance to the nation, state or the community, and consideration in the planning of federal or ments of the day. federally assisted projects, so

rials, technology and design ele- sioner. "Wayne County was a leader in the country for designs for bridges and for roads. "Wayne County showed roads and autos

sible nomination of the bridges.

The Livonia Historic Preservation Commission didn't nominate it, and we're not aware of Bridges represented the mate- it," said Cathy Glynn, a commis-

> ment on the proposed nominato Robert Christensen, national

Residents who wish to comtion can submit them in writing register coordinator, at State Historic Preservation Office, Michigan Historical Center, 717 W. Allegan Street, Lansing, MI that happens on a case-by-case experts were unaware of the pos- 48918-1800. Christensen can be contacted at (517) 335-2719.

nia is accepting scholarship applications beginning in January through Monday, March 1, from admitted students for the 1999-2000 academic year.

Scholarship applications may be obtained at the University Financial Aid Office or by calling (734) 432-5663. The majority of the awards stipulate that the recipient be an admitted fulltime student who possesses a nimum grade point average of 3.2 on a 4.0 scale, however, there are some exceptions as

Some of the Madonna Univer- oriented degree programs; and sity scholarships available for the 1999-2000 year include: Detroit Edison Foundations Endowed Scholarship, awarded to minority students pursuing science, especially prospective teachers in elementary schools: the Kristen Hallerman Scholar-

Garden City High School. Also offered: the William Randolph Hearst Scholarship,

ship, awarded to a beginning

nursing student from either Ply-

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Scholarships available at Madonna

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Other scholarships include the Bishop Moses Anderson/Frank Hayden Scholarship, awarded to African students or American students of African heritage; Lion/Lioness Club scholarship, awarded to hearing-impaired students; Livonia Jaycees Scholarship, awarded to junior or senior students; and the Joyce and Don Massey Scholarship.



In a teacher pension case; the four Democrats ruled an Adrian teacher could accumulate pen sion seniority when she was col lecting worker's compensation for an on-the-job leg fracture. The decision gave the teacher a bigger pension. The Republicans, led by Taylor, accused Democrats of substituting judicial opinion for a plainly written law that said she couldn't col-

And in a case brought by a female Novi police officer, the Democrats said she had a sexual harassment case under the Civil Rights Act. Republicans said Democrats subverted the law; that she had a case, but not for sexual harassment. (The case became an issue in the Nov. 3 election because GOP candidate Corrigan had ruled against the female officer in the Court of Appeals.)

Dissents strong

Cavanagh and Kelly were joined by Brickley in minority dissents in several cases.

In an Oakland County motor tampering case, they disagreed with the majority's reasoning that a garage operator could be

case, they said a Marine sergeant shouldn't have been convicted in Oakland Circuit Court after being convicted in a military court. The majority upheld the conviction. Brickley joined the three

Democrats in a Jackson County landlord-tenant case. The landlord had refused to rent to two unmarried couples. Kelly wrote the majority opinion saying the landlord violated their civil rights, and that there was no violation of the landlord's religious rights.

Brickley wrote the opinion, and was joined by the three Democrats, in a Calhoun County child support case. The father sued the mother, who was on welfare, for child support. Brickley said the lower court couldn't impute income to a parent on welfare, thus favoring the moth-

Kelly, who began her political career in the Kennedy era, cou usually be counted on as a staunch liberal vote, but she broke with her party on one key case. That was when the high court struck down a Lansing fee for a sewerage system, ruling it was a "tax" under the Headlee amendment to the constitution. Kelly agreed with the three Republicans that it couldn't be levied unless voters approved it.

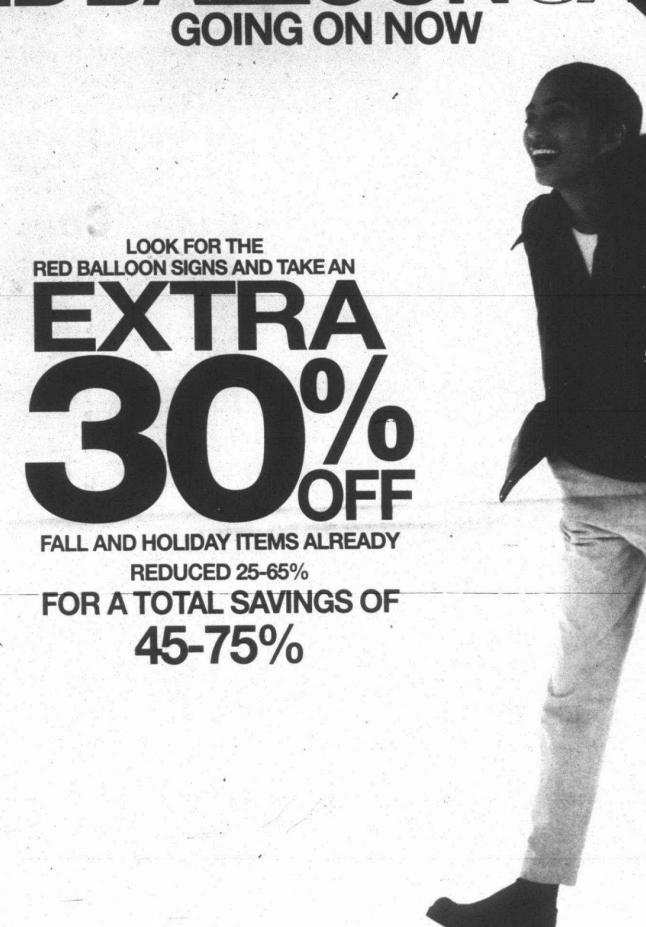
Nonpartisan' vote

Supreme Court justices are nominated at partisan conventions but elected on a nonpartisan ballot. Logic-chopping pundits ridicule the system, but in 38 years no one has succeeded in putting a constitutional amendment on the ballot.

Moreover, it's an illusion that all seven justices are elected. On the 1997-98 court, four justices got their jobs originally by gubernatorial appointment: Brickley (Milliken), Mallett and Boyle (Blanchard) and Taylor (Engler). Voters later chose to keep them in office.

The 1999-2000 court is likely to be more (choose your favorite term) conservative, textualist, strict constructionist, less prone to substitute its beliefs for the Legislature's. That is because it will have four Republican members of the Federalist Society on board: Chief Justice Weaver. Taylor, Corrigan and Young. Look for Cavanagh and Kelly to stick together, particularly on

damage suits. And look for Brickley to continue to be a maverick.



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McNamara's agenda: Crime, parks, health and economy

BY KEN ABRAMCZYK STAFF WRITER kabramczyk@oe.home

Not many people noticed Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer as he entered the back of the auditorium at Redford High School, slipped off his boots and walked briskly to the front.

He arrived just in time to view the oath of office administered to Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara by U.S. 6th Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Damon Keith and state Attorney General Jennifer Granholm. A few moments later, McNamara called up Archer for a few words, which Archer used to try and repair some public relations damage due to Detroit's lack of snow removal on city streets.

"We're changing at a moment's notice a policy that's been in place for over 50 years," Archer said, in reference to Detroit's snow removal policy. "That change was made easier with the relationships and friendship we have.

McNamara freed up about 15 vehicles the city of Detroit could rent to remove snow, Archer said. By Saturday, Archer hoped the city could remove snow from all 285 Detroit public schools with access to city streets for classes next week.

McNamara expanded on that theme in his inaugural address, stating that Wayne County residents have given his administration "an overwhelming mandate" to run their county.

He outlined his agenda for the next four years:

Crime: A promise to "intensify efforts" to make communities safer by rehabilitating convicted criminals, "channeling them away from crime and trouble and toward a useful, meaningful life."

Juvenile programs: Redirecting delinquent children into "productive lives" under an agreement with the state.

■ Economic development: New growth has increased the county tax base by 40 percent and resulted in 15,000 new jobs.

McNamara also promised to

improve parks and recreation programs, provide better health care services to residents and restore neighborhoods.

McNamara briefly drew on memories of his youth, growing up in a house on Blackstone Street on Detroit's west side and his education at Redford High School, where he graduated in 1944. Four years later he married Lucille Martin in Christ the King Church just three blocks from the high school.

Homecoming

Fifty-four years after his graduation, McNamara stood in his alma mater's auditorium, citing his accomplishments as county executive, listing the new morgue, jail, youth home and golf course among them.

"We recently completed a \$12 million cleanup of Newburgh Lake. For the first time in 25 years, it is safe to boat, canoe and fish in that beautiful lake.

"We also led the campaign to bring the Tigers and the Lions to downtown Detroit, to provide an economic stimulus for the entire

In two years, Wayne County will have the "finest airport facility in the nation" when the midfield terminal is completed at Detroit Metro Airport, McNamara said. He pointed to the county's upgrade of its parks through the parks millage approved by voters in 1996.

We constructed Crosswinds Marsh, a 1,200 acre nature preserve in Sumpter Township. It is a major refuge for wildlife and recreation facility for families of southeast Michigan

McNamara called his alternative workforce program one of Wayne County's most successful programs.

"They have spent more than 220,000 work hours cleaning up Wayne County.'

McNamara's speech did not include any surprises. One county commissioner thought his address didn't quite go far enough on an issue that is near and dear to Republicans.

"I thought it was good, but I wished he would have talked

he will in his budget address. Bankes, who also graduated from Redford High School, presented McNamara with a plaque for his dedication to the Redford High School Alumni Association.

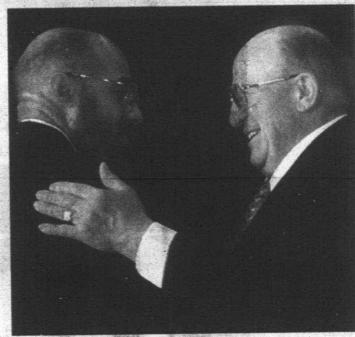
about a tax cut and the county's

rainy-day fund," said Lyn

Bankes, R-Livonia. "But maybe

Bankes credited McNamara for founding the group and leading its effort to trim trees and install sidewalks at the school, drumming up alumni support in the process. McNamara wants the alumni association to raise money to resurface the track, for which the group has received \$50,000 in contributions. A June golf outing is planned.

"Thank you for the opportunity to give something back to the community we care so much about," Bankes told McNamara



Another term: Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara, top photo (left) takes his oath of office Friday to officially begin his fourth term. State Attorney General Jennifer Granholm and U.S. 6th Circuit Court of Appeals Judge Damon Keith administer the oath, while Lucille McNamara holds the Bible and watches her husband. McNamara also greeted Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer, who commended McNamara for his work as county executive.

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CHEF RANDY EMERT

Be worldly, try hearty German fare

ach year, my family and I sit down and create a list of potential goals for the new year. My wife has vowed to clean and organize the linen closet, my son wants to stop drooling (I know he's only six months old, but it could happen!), and I want to try some new "worldly" recipes.

In the past I have made New Year's resolutions that were impossible, and I always felt defeated by the end of the year. But not this year - 1999 is the year for me!

I'm a real fan of German food, especially the way Germans use rich meats, flavorful spices and unique mixes. To help make my New Year's resolution come true, my staff and I are preparing an authentic German meal on Monday, Feb. 1. Seven courses, complete with the proper accompaniments, the German dinner will be a sure hit so stop by! Call the restaurant for information and reser-

If you cannot make it to our dinner, try this recipe at home for your own "German night," and thanks for helping me check that resolution off my

HONEY GLAZED ROAST PORK LOIN WITH BACON BUTTERMILK MASHED POTATOES

AND BRAISED CARROTS AND LEEKS

Serves 4

For Pork Loin: 2 pounds Pork loin (almost three pounds if still on the bone)

1/4 cup honey

1/4 cup pineapple juice

1 large shallot, minced 2 cloves garlic, minced

Salt and pepper to taste Mix all ingredients except pork in a small bowl and set aside. Make sure all fat and sinew is removed from the

pork loin. It is best to cook the loin on the bone because it retains more moisture, but it is not absolutely necessary, as long as you don't overcook the meat. Preheat oven to 400°F.

Start out by seasoning the loin on all sides then sear until golden brown color. Cook in the oven uncovered for about 25 minutes with the bone or about 15 minutes without.

Always use a meat thermometer to check the internal temperature. It should be at least 160°F, at the thick-

est spot, when fully cooked. Once the loin is about 3/4 of the way through the cooking process, brush an even coat of the honey mix-

ture on the loin. Let finish cooking. When loin comes out of the oven let it set for 5 minutes to rest. Slice the loin into 1/4 inch slices and serve immediately

BACON BUTTERMILK MASHED POTATOES

4 large potatoes peeled and large

1/2 stick of butter

1/4 cup buttermilk

2 tablespoons sour cream

8 strips of bacon cooked and chopped

Salt and pepper to taste

Boil potatoes until fork tender (fork comes out easily). Strain. Mash the potatoes until no lumps

remain. Then add all other ingredients and mix well. Serve immediately.

BRAISED CARROTS AND LEEKS

2 small carrots cut on the bias

1 large leek cut on the bias, (the white to the pale green part of the leek only)

1 stick butter

1 clove garlic, minced

1 shallot, minced

Salt and pepper to taste

Please see TRADITION, B2

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

Cheers for Beer

Recipe to Share

Wine Revolution

TAKING PLACE IN THE SHADOW OF THE ANDES



Revolutionary: Mariposa specializes in Argentine malbec from choice vineyards along the eastern flank of the Andes Mountains.

WINE FACTOIDS

If you like Chianti Classico, two outstanding vintages now available are 1997 Chianti Classico DOCG and 1995 Chianti Classico Riserva DOCG. Italian wine, at 34 percent, is the top imported table wine in the U.S. It's followed by French wine at 32 percent and Chilean wine at 15 percent. While that's true, domestic wine accounts for 83 percent of all wine sales in

Over the last 10 years, the wine consuming age group has grown by 27-percent (about 17 million people) and is expected to increase another 23 percent by the year 2008.

■ Women dominate consumption of white table wine (58 percent) while men rule red wine consumption at 68 percent. But more women (54 percent) consume wine than men (at 46

Most wine (80 percent) is consumed at home Does this indicate that people think restaurant wine is over-priced? Could be!

BY ELEANOR & RAY HEALD SPECIAL WRITERS

here's a wine revolution in progress in the shadow of the Andes! At the forefront is American-owned Mariposa and its reserve-level wine Tapiz.

Jess Jackson, the man behind the Kendall-Jackson brand and Artisan & Estates wineries such as Edmeades, Lokoya and Cardinale, has added Argentina to his growing wine

"Jess knows that good coastal land for grapegrowing in California is limited and getting more expensive to purchase," said Lynda Hanson, Mariposa's winemaker. "He set his sites on Argentina because its geography and climate compare well to the best regions of California.

Hanson explained what she called the "Andean foothill benefits" to growing fine wine grapes. The glacier-covered peaks of the Andes Mountain range reach elevations of 24,000 feet. The foothills and benchlands have outstanding

vineyard potential. Well-drained soils are sandy, decomposed Andean rock.

"Grapes for red wines grow well there because vegetation is reduced," Hanson continued. "Cabernet sauvignon and malbec do especially well at elevations between 2,000 and 4,000 feet.

"In the Argentine province of Mendoza, located just north of midway along the Andean chain, the weather is continental. In summer, days are hot, but cold nights, colder than California, keep acid levels in the grapes high. There's adequate water created by Andean

New winery

Some California wineries are buying bulk wines from South America to cope with current shortages. Unlike them, Jess Jackson bought land in Argentina, and has planted 70 acres of vineyards with 430 acres more to be planted. A modern winery with a 200,000case potential is targeted for construction in the year 2000.

To implement plans, Jackson leased a winery and bought grapes to launch the Mariposa and Tapiz brands. He chose Lynda Hanson, who has not only worked in California wineries, but Chateau Lafite in the Pauillac region of Bordeaux, to make the wine.

"We've introduced the latest viticulture and winemaking techniques to Argentina," Hanson said. "Until our vineyards come into production, we're sourcing the best fruit and paying top grape prices to growers willing to practice our

techniques, proven to grow high-quality grapes. Readily available in the Mariposa brand are the fruit-driven 1997 Chardonnay \$9; 1997 Merlot \$9 with bright cherry characters and mellow finish; and the just-released 1997 Cabernet Sauvignon \$9. The explosive fruit and big structure of this wine are nearly unparalleled at this price.

But malbec is the jewel of Argentina. In other red wine regions of the world, malbec has either been dismissed, or if grown, is found in a blend with Bordeaux varietals such as

cabernet sauvignon, merlot and cabernet franc-The newly-released 1997 Tapiz Reserve Malbec \$15 is reminiscent of zinfandel from California with deep, dark color and rich, dark fruit flavors. Peppery spice edges in the finish make this a spunky wine, standing up to full-flavored, savory dishes. If you favor red wines, you've got to

Look for Focus on Wine on the first and third Sunday of the month in Taste. To leave a voice mail message for the Healds, dial (734) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, mailbox

Get a pot and start stewing, it's good for you

BY LINDA SPARKMAN SPECIAL WRITER

Stick-to-your-ribs, and warm to the bones - that's the essence of Midwestern winter cookery, and nothing accomplishes that better than a hearty stew. Stews are among the easiest dishes to prepare, and they accommodate less tender, less expensive cuts of meat. These one-dish wonders are flavorful, nutritious meals you can feel good about serving.

Stews can be made ahead of time and refrigerated or frozen to serve on another day. Stew recipes can be easily doubled or tripled as your needs require with no undesirable consequences. The flavor of stew often improves with each reheating.

Pat Atkinson, a volunteer cook for the women's group at Garden City Presbyterian Church, makes a popular French Oven Beef Stew annually for 40 to 60 needy people. A tossed salad, rolls and volunteered desserts complete the meal

served each April at the Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church in Detroit by about 25 volunteers from the Garden City Church

"I was making meatballs for this dinner, until Sharon Garcia (also a member at Garden City Presbyterian Church) suggested this stew recipe be used instead," explained Atkinson. "It's very simple.

Atkinson's stew has a rich flavor, and "leftovers freeze well," she said. "The people are always very appreciative," she said. "The best comment is when they come back for seconds, and some of the men ask for thirds!"

If you're new at this stew thing, you might be surprised to hear you can make stew in an oven, but it works wonderfully. A hearty stew, simmering on the stovetop, or baking in the oven, will fill your home with that it's great-to-be-in-anice-warm home smell.

Many stew recipes begin with a good

stock - a flavorful broth made by slowly simmering a combination of vegetables such as onions, celery, and carrots with your choice of meat, and spices. Once you've made the stock, it can be stored in the refrigerator, or frozen until needed. Beginning a stew with this wholesome

broth, you'll only need to add meat, vegetables and spices to turn it into a fullfledged stew. Ready-made stock is available at the grocery store, but making your own gives you the flexibility of controlling spice selections, and the amount of salt and fat your stock will contain.

It's no wonder stew has survived America's changing food preferences for more than 150 years. Stews are easy to prepare, economical, tasty, and nutritious. Although the cooking time is lengthy, there's nothing more comforting than a hearty bowl of stew.

Linda Sparkman of Garden City is a free-lance writer.

■ See recipes inside

TIPS

Use the cooking liquid from vegetables or meats as a nutritious base for soups or stews. The liquid can be frozen until you need it.

Browning meats and vegetables gives soups and stews a richer flavor. Try adding 1 teaspoon sugar to the fat, then heat stirring often until the fat is hot, before browning the meat and vegetables. The sugar caramelizes and gives everything a beautiful color and flavor with negligible

sweetness. ■ Try cooking stew, covered, in a 350°F oven instead of on the stovetop. There's not as much pot-watching because the .

heat surrounds and cooks the stew evenly ■ Soup or stew too garlicky? Place a handful of parsley in a tea infuser or a cheesecloth bag tied with string and simmer in the

soup or stew for 10 minutes. Add an intriguing nuance to hearty soups and stews by stirring in 1/2 to 1 cup crushed gingersnap cookies (for 4 to 6 servings) 30 to 60 minutes before the dish is done. The cookies will also slightly

thicken the soup. mation from "The Food Lover's Tiptionary" by Sharon Tyter Herbit, (Hearst Books, New York, 1994)

When you're under the weather, stew soothes

FRENCH OVEN-STEW

Serves 8-10 2 pounds stewing beef cut into 1 1/2-inch cubes

2 medium onions, cut into

6 medium potatoes cut into chunks

6 ribs celery cut in large pieces 6 carrots cut in large slices

2 1/2 cups tomato juice

1/3 cup quick tapioca 1 tablespoon sugar

1 tablespoon salt, or according to taste

1/4 teaspoon pepper

1/2 teaspoon basil Preheat oven to 300°F

ing ingredients and pour over meat and vegetables. Cover and bake in 300°F. oven, about 3

> Recipe compliments of Pat Editor's note: I called Pat to verify that the correct oven temperature is 300°F and not 350°F.

Pat said she cooks the stew on a low temperature 300°F for a long **OLD-FASHIONED CHICKEN STEW**

Serves 8 3-5 pounds stewing chicken

2 cups diced potatoes (3: medium)

1 cup diced turnips

time, 3 hours.

1 cup diced carrots

1 cup diced celery 1 green pepper, diced 1/2 cup diced onion (about 8

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4-6 cups chicken broth Cover chicken with broth, Simmer 2 hours, adding broth or

Combine remaining ingredients and add to meat. Cook until vegetables are tender (about 30 min utes). If desired, thicken liquid for

Recipe from "Betty Crocker Cookbook," (General Mills, Inc.

BASIC SOUP OR STEW STOCK

Yield: about 8 cups 2 pounds chicken pieces, or

stewing beef 10 cups water

2 large onions, coarsely

chopped 4 celery stalks with leaves,

coarsely chopped 3 carrots, peeled and coarse-

inch pieces

1 large onion, sliced

1 clove garlic, crushed

1 beef bouillon cube

1-inch pieces

1/4 cup rice

1 tablespoon red wine vinegar

1 cup sliced carrots, 1/2-inch

1 large green pepper, cut into

In large bowl, combine flour, salt

2 3/4 cups water

pieces

um-high heat, combine chicken or 2 tablespoons all-purpose beef and water. Bring to a gentle 1/2 teaspoon salt

boil and boil for 30 minutes Add remaining ingredients. Boil 1/8 teaspoon pepper gently uncovered for 30 minutes. 4 slices bacon, cut into 1until vegetables are thoroughly

Remove from heat and strain through a fine-mesh sieve lined with cheesecloth into a clean container. Use immediately, or cover and refrigerate for up to 5 days or

freeze for up to 1 year.

ly chopped

1 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon pepper

1 clove garlic, sliced

In a large stockpot over medi-

Recipe adapted from "Stews, (Williams-Sonoma, Time Life Publishing, 1995).

and pepper. Add beef; toss to coat. In Dutch oven, cook bacon until EUROPEAN-INSPIRED crispy; drain on absorbent paper HUNTER'S STEW

1 1/4 pounds beef for stew Add onions to drippings in pan; cut into 1 to 1-1/4-inch cook and stir 3 to 4 minutes. Remove with slotted spoon to

small bowl and reserve. Add beef to remaining drippings in pan; brown evenly, stirring occasionally. Pour off drippings.

Add water, vinegar, garlic and bouillon cube. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to low; cover tightly and simmer 1-1/2 hours.

Add carrots and continue cooking, covered, 30 minutes. Stir in rice; cover and continue cooking 10 minutes. Add reserved onion and green pepper; cover and cook 10 ninutes or until beef and vegetables are tender. Stir in reserved bacon. Serves 4.

Recipe from the National Beef

RECIPE CORRECTION

The amount of water was left out of Chef Kelli Lewton's Cheese Bread recipe in the Sunday, Jan. 10 edition of Taste. Here's the corrected recipe.

CHEESE BREAD

2 cups whole wheat flour 2 1/2 cups white unbleached

2 (1/4 oz.) packages of Active Dry Yeast

1 cup milk, scalded 3 tablespoons sugar

1/4 cup melted butter

1 tablespoon salt

(reserve 1 tablespoon) 2 tablespoons minced

1/2 cup diced minced onions 1/4 cup lukewarm water

1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese 1/2 cup Mozzarella cheese, set aside

lightly saute onions and garlic. Cool until tepid.

yeast and let stand for 5 minutes. Add scalded mixture and butter mixture, add flour and Mozzarella cheese and half cup Parmesan cheese. Beat with mixture with wooden spoon for 2 minutes and then stir mixture with a wooden spoon for an additional 300

for 30-40 minutes until golden. Top with remaining butter and sprinkle remaining Parmesan for an additional 3-5 minutes.

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Allow dough to rise covered for 45-60 minutes. Stir dough down and beat for 1/2 minute. Divide dough into 2 greased 8 1/2- by 4 1/2-inch loaf pans. Cover and let rise again for approximately 60

Baked in pre-heated 350°F oven

1/4 cup Parmesan cheese

and serve immediately.

Cheese on top and return to oven

Place all ingredients in a medi-

Tradition from page B1

um sauté pan over low heat, covered and cook about 10-15 minutes or until vegetables are tender. Strain off any remaining liquid

Chef Randy Emert of Clarkston is the Executive Chef at Paint Creek Cider Mill & Restaurant, 4480 Orion Road, Rochester, (248) 651-8361. A on Sunday, March 21.

graduate of the award-winning culinary arts program at School craft College in Livonia, Emert was captain of the 1996 Michigan Culinary Team, which won seven medals at the World Culinary Salon. He is an active member of the American Culinary Federation and the Michigan Chefs de Cuisine Association. Look for his next column in Taste

Chicken soup recipes sought

in town? We'll be the judge of

Kol Ami's Ultimate Chicken Soup Contest. Entries must be postmarked by Sunday, Jan. 31. The top 10 finalists will be notified by Feb. 13. No shellfish or pork ingredients. Call (248) 661-0040 for an official entry form. Mail entry form to Temple Kol Ami, 5085 Walnut Lake Road,

West Bloomfield, 48323. Contest finalists will compete in a cook-off at Temple Kol Ami on Wednesday, Feb. 24. Taste

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Warm up with a bowl of vegetable borscht

BY MELANIE POLK

If your knowledge of Russian cooking is limited to Beef Stroganov and Chicken Kiev, then there's much to be learned about this hearty cuisine that is based on a variety of wholesome

Cabbage is Russia's national vegetable, and the cuisine is rich n cabbage-based recipes. Cabbage soup (shchi) is a staple food. Russia's most famous soup, however, is borscht - a hot, red, steaming dish made from beets see recipe below).

Traditional Russian bread is a

black rye bread and the staple

breakfast food is a cooked grain called kasha. Russians also love blinis, little pancakes used to enfold caviar or other delicacies. Russia is known as the land of the potato, and root vegetables. including onions, carrots and beets, help Russians survive ong winters when access to fresh vegetables is limited.

Cucumber pickles are eaten

These vegetables are commonly served chopped in "winter salads." sometimes mixed with meat, fish or hard-boiled eggs.

and tomatoes, when not in sea-

son, are also usually preserved as pickles. Mushrooms are popular in Russian cuisine as well, and a side dish of mushrooms is equently served with meals.

For dessert, Russians often

serve a pureed fruit concoction called kisel, which they make with fruits such as apples, apricots, strawberries, cranberries or As with any cuisine, there are

some things to enjoy only in moderation when sampling Rus sian cooking. Be wary of the dollops of sour cream so frequently added to a variety of dishes soups, salads, vegetables, fish, meat, eggs, stew, desserts. Other popular, high-fat Russian foods include sausage, savory pies (pirog) and egg dishes.

VEGETABLE BORSCHT 1 onion, chopped

2 large fresh beets, peeled and chopped

1 medium carrot, sliced 1 large potato, peeled and

12 ounces beef or chicker

1/4 small head cabbage.

shredded 1 tomato, chopped

2 tablespoons chopped fresh parsley

1/2 teaspoon dried dillweed Freshly ground pepper

1 teaspoon lemon juice

Garnish:

stock. Bring to

3 tablespoon low-fat sour cream or plain yogurt In large saucepan, combine onion, beets, carrot, potato and

a boil; cover and simmer for 30 minutes, skimming foam if necessary. Add cabbage, tomato, parsley and dill; simmer for 30 minutes longer, or until vegetables are tender. Season with salt and pepper to taste and lemon juice. Top each serving with 1 teaspoon of sour

Nutrition information: Each of the 8 servings contains 60 calories and 1 gram of fat.

Melanie Polk is a registered dietitian and Director of Nutrition Education for the American Institute for Cancer Research.

like soups, stews and chili just

A zesty, aromatic recipe like

Bold & Beefy Black Bean Chili is

a must for every cold weather

recipe repertoire. It begins with

pieces of beef chuck that are sim-

mered to fork-tenderness with

convenient. Mexican-style

stewed tomatoes, steak sauce

and chili powder. As it simmers,

the flavor of the beef melds with

the seasonings to make a bold,

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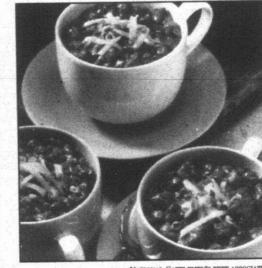


Hearty soup: Vegetable Borscht is a savory soup that's especially good in the winter.

Bold and beefy black bean chili chases chills away

Chill chaser: Come in from the

cold and enjoy a bowl of Bold & Beefy Black with tomatoes and



mering in a tightly covered pan until the beef is fork-tender. Don't neek - steam escapes and

Warming, satisfying classics the beef. BOLD & BEEFY BLACK BEAN CHILI 3 pounds boneless beef

> chuck, cut into 1/2-inch 2 tablespoons vegetable oil 1/2 teaspoon salt 2 cans (14 1/2 to 16 ounces

stewed tomatoes undrained 1/2 cup prepared steak

each) Mexican-style

3 tablespoons chili powder 1/4 teaspoon crushed red pepper

> rinsed Toppings: Sliced green onions, dairy sour cream, shredded cheese (option

In Dutch oven, heat oil over medium-high heat until hot. Cook and stir beef in 4 batches; brown

2 cans (15 ounces each)

black beans, drained,

evenly. Pour off drippings. Return beef to pan. Season with salt.

Stir in tomatoes, steak sauce, water, chili powder and red pepper. Bring to a boil; reduce heat to low. Cover tightly and simmer gently 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 hours or until beef is tender. Stir in beans; heat

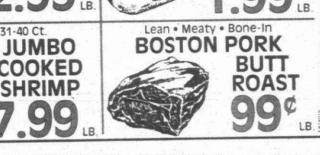
Serve with toppings, if desired. Makes 8 servings, 1 cup each

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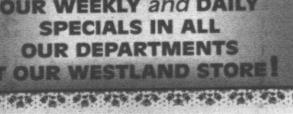


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MIKE WENDLAND

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was hyping a Y2K

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Col. James "Bo" Gritz

holding in the Lansing

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area. The conference was sponsored

by a group he runs called something

Oh yeah. After telling us how to

prepare for Y2K, "Bo" Gritz was also

going to teach us how to be lock-

I kid you not. Professional lock-

The world truly has gone Y2K mad.

Gritz, who likes to call himself "the

real-life Rambo," has joined a growing

list of whacked-out weirdos exploiting

the computer glitch that threatens to

disrupt computerized systems around

the world when Jan. 1, 2000, rolls

I know a lot of people think "Bo"

sure won a lot of military honors. And

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Gritz is a hero. Maybe he was. He

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MEDICAL BRIEFS

Schoolcraft Health Fair

Get in touch with your health at Health Yourself 1999, the annual Schoolcraft College health fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 20, in the Waterman Center.

Exhibits include: health-risk wheel with free prizes; spinal health screening; information on fitness, stress management, reading food labels, and choosing a dentist; materials on cholesterol, exercise, hypertension, weight, smoking and AIDS. The fair also sponsors free body fat composition screening and demonstration of

heart smart cooking with samples. For fees ranging from \$12 to \$25, visitors can receive blood pressure screening, a blood screening profile, a cholesterol check, prostate and ovarian cancer screening, and peptic ulcer disease screening.

Participating agencies include Botsford General Hospital, Kramer Chiropractic, St. Mary Hospital, Schoolcraft College culinary arts and physical education departments, Tri County Dental Health Council, United Health Organization and Wayne County Health Department.

Schoolcraft College is at 18600 Haggerty, Livonia, between Six Mile and Seven Mile, just east of I-275.

Rx for wintertime blues



Do you get depressed by these short winter days? Vitamin D may be the answer. In

a small study. college students who took 400 IU of vitamin D during the winter reported feeling more enthusias tic, inspired, and alert than those

who took a placebo Brenda Byrne, Ph.D., director of the seasonal affective disorder program affiliated with Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia, says this clue is worth following. "This finding should lead us to interesting further work,"

How could vitamin D fight depression? Some experts think it may affect levels of the mood-lifting brain chemical serotonin (Psychopharmacolory,

Reported in October 1998 issue of

Women's health

"Alternative Medicine: A Focus on Women's Health" is the theme of the Points Conference presente by Oakwood Healthcare System from 8:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 6, at The Dearborn Inn, 20301 Oak. wood Blvd.

Highlights include: Information packet, continental breakfast, lunch, information exhibits, discussion panel and two workshops. Choice of workshops include: Osteoporosis - Assessing Your Risk; Alleviating Arthritis; Heading off Heart Disease; and The Ayurvedic Approach to Women's . Health, Menopause & Breast Cancer.

Cost is \$30 per person for registrations received by Monday, Jan. 25. To register or for more information, call 800-543-WELL. Visa and MasterCard accepted through phone registration

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The beat goes on...

veryone's heart skips a beat not always due to love. That every now and then, and it's skipped, or "premature," beat represents a change in either the bers, two on the right side and speed or pattern of the heartbeat. two on the left. The upper two It is the most common form of an chambers, the atria, receive blood

pause in the action and the strong beat that comes at the end," said electrophysiologist and medical Vascular Institute on the campus

of Saint Joseph Mercy Hospital. This pause, said Winston, gives heat that follows

in tachycardia: too slowly, resultmay beat irregularly.

Arrhythmias occur in people as young as 12 and will show up for the first time in people as old as 80 or 90. Thirty-five to 40 percent of the population will experience premature heartbeats. Most of the spread through the ventricles, time, the beats will go unnoticed,

Feel the beat



Taking your pulse can help you determine how fast your heart is beating, and whether the beat is regular or not. To take your pulse, place two fingers on the underside of your wrist, just below the base of the thumb. Count the beats for 10 seconds, then multiply by 6. This will give you the heart rate per minute.

Source: HeartWise, 1998 by Health Trend Publishing

since activity suppresses them. "They're more easily felt at rest when you're more focused," said

Arrhythmias may cause palpitations, dizziness, fainting, chest pain or shortness of breath. Their the heart. They may go undetect- in families," said Harber. ed for many years and then manifest themselves as heart rates that are too fast or too slow.

Palpitations are the most common symptom of arrhythmia. "They're an unusual sensation starting in the chest, sometimes describe them as racing, skipping beats most commonly, and they are benign," said Dr. Daniel Harber, a cardiologist at Garden City

To understand the origin of arrhythmias, it is important to understand the structure of the

The heart consists of four chamreturning from the body and "What they really feel is the lungs. Working as the heart's priming pumps, the atria load the lower two chambers, the ventri-Dr. Stuart Winston, a cardiac cles. The ventricles, the heart's main pumps, then send the blood director of Michigan Heart and - full of oxygen and nutrients -

throughout the body. The heart's pumping action is controlled by the sinoatrial (SA). the heart more time to fill with node, located at the top of the blood, giving more "oomph" to the right atrium. Signals from the SA node travel through the atrium, Arrhythmias may cause the causing them to contract and heart to beat too rapidly, resulting pump blood into the ventricles. The signals then pass from the ing in bradycardia; or the heart atria to the atrioventricular (AV) node, located in the center of the

The AV node slows down the signals from the SA node, allowing time for the blood to enter the ventricles. The signals then causing them to contract and amp blood throughout the body. (See heart diagram.)

All four chambers work together to pump about five quarts (4.7 liters) of blood throughout the body each minute, or 75 gallons (284 liters) every day. The heart rests in between signals from the SA node.

If the heart works correctly, the signals from the SA and AV nodes keep your heart beating steadily and rhythmically at about 60-90 beats a minutes at rest. However, this rate is a norm. "Any heart rate from 30-100 beats can be considered normal if the person has

no symptoms," said Harber. Mitral valve prolapse also can cause palpitations and can be picked up by listening to someone's chest. It may cause chest pain but it is not associated with severity depends on type, frequen- five percent of the population. It's very effective and tolerated well," cy and underlying problems with not necessarily pathologic. It runs said Winston.

Treatment

In addition to the electrocardiogram, there are several diagnostic devices available to detect arrhythmias. Both Winston and Harber like "event" monitors, such radiating in the neck. Patients as the small, easily concealed Loop recorder, a self-activating device that can be worn for you have symptoms and it records 15 minutes. If you pass out, some-

Skipping the skips to see if it lowered choles

Dr. Daniel Harber, a cardiologist at Garden City Hospital, offered the following common sense tips for possibly preventing premature ventricular contractions, better known as "skipped" heart beats:

Eliminate caffeine, including coffee, tea and some aspirin products, like Excedrin. Soft drinks can also be a problem. "Mountain Dew is loaded with caffeine," said Harber. If you have the willpower, pass up the chocolate truffles.

Avoid over-the-counter cold remedies that contain pseudoephedrine or pheynl-

Avoid alcohol.

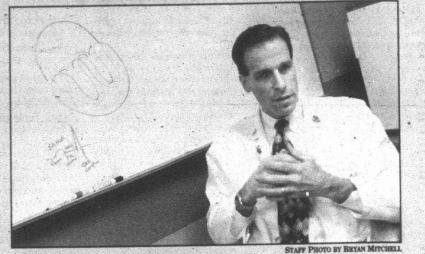
Magnesium tablets may help, as long as you have no kidney problems. Harber recommends 400 mg. twice a day.

Fish oil tablets (Omega 3 * fatty acids) may help. "The data base for this reason was terol. It lowered triglycerides. A large amount of people said they didn't have palpitations any more. The fish oil somehow stabilized heart tissue." Harber also said he's had an 80 percent success rate with fish oil. He recommends 1,000 mg. or 1 gram a day.

Exercise. The formula for determining your target heart rate at peak exercise is 85 percent of 220 minus your age. If you're age 50, your heart rate for a "conditioning effect" would be 85 percent of 170 or 144.5.

guidelines."

ablation. "If you are adverse to taking medications long term and However, any exercise is better than none. Dr. Stuart Winston, a cardiac electroyou have one of the arrhythmias physiologist with St. Joseph that can be cured by (catheter Hospital. He said a condition ing effect of 130 obtained by walking a half-hour each day is fine. "The main thing is you don't want to set rigid



Heartfelt: Dr. Daniel Harber, a cardiologist at Garden City Hopital, illustrates the electrical circuitry of the heart.

one can press a button and record the previous 10 minutes.

The transtelephonic EKG monitor (TTEM) is similar to the Loop. It is about the size of a small tape recorder. You place it against your chest when you have symptoms.

The decades-old, cumbersome Holter monitor, worn for a 24hour period, has lost some popularity. "I very rarely use a Holter because most of the time I get nothing," said Harber. In other words, symptoms don'ts always present themselves during the time the monitor is worn Winston said an echogram of

identifies the actual arrhythmia However, it "identifies underlying heart disease." After diagnosis, your doctor may prescribe antiarrhythmic drugs, surgical implantation of automatic devices, or non-surgical ablation

the heart or a stress test "rarely

All in the rhythm

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of the malfunctioning heart tissue. Medication involves beta blockers or calcium channel blockers. which work by changing the electrical signals within your heart that initiate rapid or irregular heart attacks." It occurs in about rhythms. "In many cases, they're

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Automatic devices include the artificial pacemaker, used for treating extremely slow heart rhythms, and the implantable carlioverter-defibrillator (ICD). The ICD, larger than a pacemaker, is used for people with life-threaten ing rapid heart rhythms.

Your doctor may also recommend an electrophysiology (EP) months. You press a button when study, during which electrode catheters are inserted into a blood vessel (through an insertion in the neck shoulder arm or groin) and threaded toward the heart.

The electrode catheters sense and measure electrical impulses. They can also induce arrhythmia for observation and testing of medication. As a result of the EP study, a physician may decide to do a catheter ablation to destroy the abnormal electrical pathway.

During a catheter ablation, the physician inserts a special electrode catheter into the heart and position it close to the abnormal pathway The tip of the catheter heats up and destroys the tissue that contains the abnormal pathway.

"In certain arrhythmias, there is a cure in 95-98 percent of cases," said Winston. "For young patients, this is a very appealing Harber also endorses catheter

ablation), I'd do that." The good news in cardiology today is that most heart arrhyth mias can be controlled or even cured, said Winston. "There's hope for nearly everybody, more than there was 10 years ago."

Types of arrhythmias

sified as rapid heart rhythms and slow heart rhythms. Common rapid heart rhythms include:

■ Supraventricular tachycardia (SVT) occurs when an extra pathway exists in the atria, in the AV node, or in between the atria and ventricles. It causes rapid heartbeats. Winston said SVTs are congenital and most often show up between the ages of 20-40. However, they can appear much later.

Artrial Ventricular nodal re-entry tachycardia (AVNRT) is the most common form of SVT. An extra node. An electrical impulse in this pathway may travel in a circular pattern, causing the heart to conin a very rapid, regular heartbeat.

Syndrome results from an abnormal bridge of wiring connecting the atria and ventricles. Electrical impulses bypass the AV node, resulting in a very rapid heartbeat.

Artrial fibrillation results from multiple sites in the atria firing uncoordinated electrical impulses The result is an irregular, erratic, and usually rapid heartbeat. It often causes a pounding or fluttering sensation in the chest.

Artrial flutter is similar to artrial fibrillation; however, contractions of the atria are more coordinated, and the heart rhythms are more ■ Ventricular Tachycardia (VT)

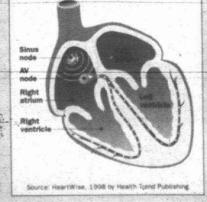
results from abnormal electrical pathways in the ventricles, usually in a heart muscle area that has been damaged by heart attack or lisease. An episode of VT may last only seconds. Occasionally, it may lats several minutes or, rarely, several hours.

■ Ventricular fibrillation results when multiple sites in the ventricles fire very rapid, uncoordinated impulses. The ventricles quiver and cease to pump blood effectively. Death follows within minutes without emergency treatment.

Common slow heart rhythms include: Sick sinus syndrome results when the sinus node fails to send electrical signals often enough, skips some signals, or sends too many signals. As a result, the heart may beat too slowly, pause for too long, or alternate between being too slow and too fast.

Heart block results from a partial or complete interruption of the electrical pathway to the ventricles. The ventricles are stimulated by a "backup pacemaker," which is slower and less reliable than the sinus node. Heartbeat may be very

The heart's electrical system



Generally, arrhythmias can be clas-

pathway exists in or next to the AV tract with each cycle and resulting ■ Wolff-Parkinson-White (WPW)

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Devine was project director and manager of the Environmental property assessment department also handle complaints about prehensive coverage. Consider a more economical type of collision 500 people dial up the toll-free coverage, but make sure you understand when you are cov-"The purpose of the hotline is ered and when you are not. If twofold," said Leanne Snay, you have an older car and it's not financed, you may want to drop ance Information Association of both collision and comprehensive

Michigan. "It is a ready source of coverage. Drive carefully. Most traffic ance. Secondly, personnel tickets and at-fault accidents respond to complaints and pro- will automatically increase your rates. Finally, talk to your agent. lution of disputes between poli- Find out what all your options

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that. But I think this hero is also a Y2K as I know about military stratestrategy, other than the fact that, like

judges, we shouldn't let some people rolls around. about Y2K. I've been reporting on it

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(COBRA) is a federal law that

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for close to three years now. So let me try to give you a realistic assessment on this whole issue before guys like "Bo" Gritz talk you into cleaning out all the ammo from the

local Kmart sporting goods section. First of all, I'll be the first to tell you that it is a fact that Y2K is one of the biggest technological headaches the world has ever seen.

He knows about as much about

I know nothing about military

I do, however, know quite a lot

stay in uniform too long.

But it is equally a fact that the problem is now being so over-hyped and exploited by everyone from religious zealots to quick-buck artists that perhaps the biggest danger is not

from Y2K but bad reporting. Just surf the Internet for proof. Yahoo lists 348 sites with Y2K in the

AltaVista counted 427,461 Web site references to Y2K. HotBot found 152,575 Web matches. Excite returned 80,306.

The vast majority of Y2K sites take a gloom-and-doom view. But I suggest hospital and medical equipment will

'Bo' Gritz, who likes to call himself 'the real-life Rambo,' has joined a growing list of whacked-out weirdos exploiting the computer glitch that threatens to disrupt computerized systems around the world when Jan. 1, 2000,

Be concerned, not crazy about Y2K issue

that instead of cashing in your 401(k) mutual funds for gold and silver, look closely. Most of the sites are also selling something, like Y2K survival gear, pre-packaged food or even parcels of land in "Y2K-safe communi ties" where people are supposedly moving to "escape the coming chaos

areas unsafe when the computers shut down." I get asked all the time how bad I think it will be and what precautions I'm personally taking.

that will make our more populated

Nothing I have seen leads me to believe that Y2K, in and of itself, will be catastrophic to society or the economy. Yes, I do expect disruptions and inconveniences. But every day, progress is being reported. The power grid is not nearly as vulnerable, it now appears, as the gloom and days, like when I read that the raildoomers have been claiming. Most roads are going to be hit really hard

work just fine. The automotive industry and most of its key suppliers are well on their way to being fully Y2K

compliant by summer. segment of society like the banking There really is some good news out there as the nation responds to this industry is well on its way to having its systems Y2K compliant, I relax a technological challenge. But good news doesn't sell freeze dried emer-

gency food rations. indications on just what's going to That said, my biggest worry is that happen. A prudent man plans for the the hype will get so out of control that worst. So, yeah, I am taking some preit becomes a self-fulfilling prophesy cautions. Nothing major yet, but I'm and all the sensational reporting and hysteria over this will bring about a ready to take a lot more if, come spring, it doesn't look very good. real panic. And that could have disastrous effects on society far worse than full disclosure, it's only appropriate what Y2K itself brings. for me to tell you that I, too, will be

A few extra cans

So, what am I personally doing? I am buying a few extra cans of food every time we go to the grocery

I plan to have hard copies of all my financial records. And I read everything I can about

the issue. Again, I do think there will be short-term service disruptions, maybe even some scattered power outages.

So, I'll have lots of candles, batteries for flashlights, some basic supplies. To be honest, I find myself going back and forth on this a lot. Some

nia, MI 48150; e-mail: kmortson@ oe.homecomm.

Mark C. Devine of Livonia has joined Applied

Science & Technology, the largest environmental

engineering and consulting firm in Livingston

County, as a senior associate. Devine, who has

more than 11 years of environmental engineering

and project management experience, will work in

the company's corrective actions group where his

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sponsored by WXYT Radio. But I promise this: If the radio station sets up stands selling Y2K survival supplies, I'll bow out and tell them to bring in "Bo."

home computers. This seminar is

conducting a Y2K conference.

It's coming up in March and it

deals with how to assess the Y2K vul-

nerability of your small business or

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Unfortunately, there are no clear

One more thing. In the interest of

Mike Wendland reports about computers and the Internet for NBC-television stations coast-to-coast. His radio show is heard every weekend on TalkRadio 1270, WXYT. You can reach Mike through his Web site at www.pcmike.com

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Welti joins Scapa Tapes with 15 years of experience in the auto industry. Before joining Scapa he served as Ford powertrain account manager for LDM Technologies. He has a bachelor's degree in management and economics from Northwood Uni-

requires certain employers to responsibilities will include client account and cor-

Lisa M. Kowalski, a certified public accountant, has joined the firm of Grant, Millman & Johnson, certified public accountants and business Environmental property assessment department consultants of Farmington Hills.

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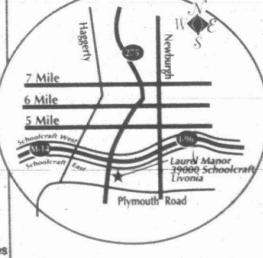
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LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Armenian cellist follows in his father's footsteps

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN

agram Saradjian brags that this is not his first trip to Detroit. Although the cellist's Jan. 23 concert with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra is the first time he's performed in the metro area, Saradjian has visited Detroit many times to watch friends



Slava Kozlov and Vlacheslay Fetisov play hockey at Joe Louis Arena.

"The Red Wings have won the Stanley Cup twice, vou know," said Saradiian in an interview from his New Jersey home. "I have many friends from the

sports world. I like very much different sports-soccer, hockey."

Saradjian stresses he is an avid sports fan along with being a professional cellist and professor of music. It was not an easy trip becoming an internationlly acclaimed cellist. Saradjian went against his father's wishes to become a musician. But what else would you expect from a boy who grew up listening to the classical music his father played in their Armenian home?

Saradjian longed to play an instrument. His father was a professor of piano and his mother, a singer. His older brother played piano and now is head of the piano department at an Armenian conservatory.

"It's a very interesting story," said Saradjian. "A neighbor was a cello player and liked my fingers and wanted to teach me. I was 7. In third grade, I played my first recital.

Saradjian's love for the cello led him to Moscow Conservatory where he studied under Mstislav Rostropovich for eight years. An awardwinning cellist, Saradjian took first place in the International Cello Competition in Geneva and the International Tchaikovsky Competition.

Saradjian played between 100 to 150 concerts a year under such conductors as Shostakovich, Khachaturian, Rostropovich, and Temirkanov until moving to New Jersey nine years ago to teach. A full-time professor at Purchase College in upper state New York and a part-time instructor at Queens University, Saradjian now plays about 30 concerts a year in Europe and the U.S. He's extensively recorded cello concertos by Schumann, Honneger, Haydn, and Dvorak with the Moscow Philharmonic Orchestra, Sardjian performs Camille Saint-Saens' Concerto for Cello and Orchestra and an aria by Arno Babadjanian with Livonia Symphony Orchestra on Saturday.

"Deja vu and Something New"

Saradiian learned about the Livonia Symphony from another friend, pianist Volodymyr Vynnytsky who performed a concert of music from Ukraine's mountains, valleys and steppes on May 30, 1998.

"He enjoyed playing with the orchestra very much," said Saradjian. "I'm looking forward to playing first time with them and I hope not the last time."

Conductor Volodymyr Schesiuk's reputation also played a part in Saradjian's decision to play with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra. Schesiuk, who immigrated to the U.S. in

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"Deja Vu and Something New"

WHAT: The Livonia Symphony Orches-Vagram Saradjian in concert.

WHEN: 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23. WHERE: Churchill High School audito dum, 8900 Newburgh, (north of Joy Road).

TICKETS: \$15 adults, \$8 children age 12 and under. Available at Ticketmaster outlets (248) 645-6666, or call (734) 421-1111, (734) 464-2741.

PHOTOGRAPHY

TRANSCENDS BARRIERS BETWEEN STUDENTS

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Vasudha Talla and Dametia Aaron never really noticed the racial or religious backgrounds of the students in their Focus: HOPE photography workshops. They were too busy get-ting to know them as individuals.

While that's not exactly the goal that project planners Jodie Bathish and Jim Aho had in mind, the result was the same- to bring together metro Detroit high school students in an exploration of photography and to introduce them to people of diverse racial, religious and socioeconomic backgrounds. The project was in keeping with the premises on which Rev. William T. Cunningham and Eleanor Josaitis founded the civil and human rights organization back in

Talla, a junior at Marian High School in Bloomfield Hills and Aaron, a senior at Highland Park Community High School, exhibit their images along with 66 other students through Feb. 1 at Summit on the Park Community Center in Canton. The show is co-sponsored by Canton Project

Arts and Focus: HOPE's' community arts department.

The sessions were more than diverse culturally and racially," said Talla. "It gave us a look into the lives of people who are personally diverse. We got to see what their rooms look like and their families. The exhibit is an incredible body of work. There are moving and emotional images made without using any complicated cam-

Although coming from distinctly different backgrounds, Aaron's and Talla's sentiments eacho each other.

"It was a cool group," said Aaron. "After the first class we started learning about each other. I thought it was just going to be city kids but they were from all over. I learned there's more people out there than just me. I'm thinking they have a different life but they don't, they're just like me."

During the introductory session, students read the Focus: HOPE mission statement that encourages everyone to work to "overcome racism, poverty and injustice" and to recognize "the dignity and beauty of every person." Students were then



Goln' in circles: David Calder took this photograph as part of Focus: HOPE's photography project for students of diverse backgrounds.

divided into groups of varying cultural, geographic, and socioeconomic

backgrounds. "Focus on the After a tour of Mission" Focus: HOPE, students were WHAT: Canton Progiven 35 mm ject Arts hosts the Photography Project a rolls of film and Focus: HOPE, which taken out into reflects students' per ceptions through the eye of the camera. the neighborhood surround-WHEN: Through ing the facility Monday, Feb. 1. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. for their first shoot. After-Monday-Sunday. wards, students WHERE: In the were sent home pre-function area of with the assign-Summit on the Park ment to photo-

graph their own

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Community Center, 46000 Summit Parkway, Canton. For more information, call (734) 397-6450. Also of note: Canton Project Arts hosts a Family Storytelling Festival featuring the

their images during the sectalents of Debra Christian, Ron Lowe, Judy Sima and Marc LeJar "It's really ret Saturday, Jan. 23 at Summit on the Park watch them An all day event with come in the first workshops taking day, shy and place 10 a.m. to 3 barely speaking p,m., a children's show to one another,' at 11:30 a.m., and said Bathish. family storytelling show at 7 p.m. Tickets community arts department for all events are \$8 family, \$3 individuals; manager and a family or children's Clarkston resishow only, \$5 family, dent. "When the \$2 individual students share Advanced tickets availtheir images, it able at the Summit helps other students find out (734) 397-6450.

where they're from and opens a dialogue. By the last session, they're exchanging phone numbers.

Photographers and mentors volunteer to work with each group of eight students. Gina Granger, an assistant educator at the Detroit Institute of Arts, was a mentor to students in projects in 1995 and 1997 and plans to volunteer her time for the third time beginning in spring 1999. She also serves on Focus: HOPE's arts advisory board.

"It's a great project because it involves young people with the camera," said Granger. "They use the camera to look at their environment, social group, neighborhood and the greater community. Each group

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THREE TENORS CONCERT:

nday, January 17, 1999

Announcement delivered with operatic flair

BY FRANK PROVENZANO STAFF WRITER fprovenzano@

It's almost inconceivable that any corporate event could come close to the spectacle of even a midemotional range opera.

But last week's opening-night extravaganza of the Detroit auto show certainly had the appropriate blend of ostentation and melodra-

As word of a major announcement by Ford Motor Co. swept through the ritzy, black-tie opening, legions of corporate employees filed steadily into the makeshift Trust Mark Auditorium inside Cobo Center.

Inside the 400-seat auditorium was Jacques Nasser, chief executive officer at Ford, standing alongside Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer. Most in the

erowd thought breaking news of a mega corporate merger was at hand.

Of course, there was an imminent announcement, but not the kind of merger news auto industry watchers had in mind.

In the tradition grand operatic gestures, Nasser announced Ford's unprecendented sponsorship of Michigan Opera Theatre's Three Tenors con-

cert, to be held at a to-be-determined site on July 17 in Detroit. Mentioned sites include Joe Louis Arena, The Fox and Cobo Center.

World stage:

Luciano

Pavarotti

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Domingo.

José Carreras

Detroit in July

bringing along

"The image of Detroit and the American automotive industry is inseparable," said Nasser.

"This event will put Detroit on the (cultural) map and further pol-

ish (the city's) image." The Three Tenors - José Carreras, Placido Domingo and Luciano Pavarotti - have been credited with broadening audiences through their PBS televised concerts, international concerts

and two best-selling CDs. Arguably, José, Placido and Luciano are to the opera world in the late 1990s what John, Paul, George and Ringo were to pop music in the late 1960s.

Midway through the press conference, a taped interview with the three tenors was played.

In heavily broken English, Domingo noted that a "surprise"

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WHAT: Three Tenors in concert, featuring José Carreras, Placido Domingo and Luciano Pavarotti. The concert is sponsored by Ford Motor Company.

WHEN: Saturday, July 17 WHERE: Location to be announced

For information, (313) 961-3500

LEGEND

Robin Hood steals the show at Madonna University

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER hgallagher@oe.homecomm.net

Americans love outlaws. We love the English rogue Robin Hood so much that we invent stories about our own less admirable desperadoes - Billy the Kid, Jesse James, Pretty Boy Floyd, Bonnie and Clyde --to give them Robin's most endearing claim to fame: He robbed from the rich to give to the poor.

ment in Elmwood Cemetary.

Every year since 1991 Richard Sax, dean of Madonna University's College of Arts & Humanities, teaches a popular workshop on the hero of Sherwood Forest - from his earliest incarnation in the 1300s to the latest TV and movie versions. Robin Hood is a hero

for all generations

For all eternity: Lindsay Crawford photographed this monu-

"I think he's popular with people, Americans especially, because we love counter culture heroes, as long as they embody community values and Robin does that," said Sax. "He does the right thing. He's selfless, noble, adept, competent.

The Robin Hood workshop, Friday evening and all day Saturday at Madonna University at I-96 and Levan in Livonia, involves a merging of disciplines. Sax gives students a background on the history of the Plantagenets, a introduction of the early Robin Hood ballads and a look at some film treatments of the legend

Most Robin Hood stories are set in the time of King Richard I, the Lion-Hearted, and his brother Prince (later

King) John.

"Richard the First was off fighting the Crusades. His brother, John, was thought of as cruel. I think Richard was cruel as well, but people thought of him as charismatic. John was unfairly taxing people and in Robin Hood we have a counter culture hero. But Robin was not the first."

Stories of other noble bandits such as Adam Bell were eventually folded over into the familiar Robin Hood story. The five original stories - Robin

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Deadly encounter: Robin Hood battles Guy of Gisborne after an engraving by Thomas Bewick, c. 1795, from Ritson's "Robin Hood."

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hooses a word from Focus: HOPE's mission statement to concentrate on so they're also learning about diversity. The project's a celebration of diversity; they live the diverse experience as they explore."

For the third session of the project, students went on a field trip which explored a variety of places from Elmwood Cemetery and Tyree Guyton's Heidleberg Project in east Detroit, to the Mexican Town area in southwest Detroit, and a mosque and the Arab Community Center in Dearborn.

"I observed a real passion," said Granger. "The students really got involved with the project. And students can actually find a new interest or even a career.

Talla and Aaron were two of the students so inspired by the project that they plan to study photography in college after graduation. Through Focus: HOPE both are now involved with a national girls photography and writing project which culminates with an exhibit opening in Washington, D.C. in spring 2000.

Aho initiated the photography project in 1995 after Focus: HOPE hosted the "Countdown to Eternity" exhibit of photographs taken during the last year of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s life. The touring exhibit brought him into contact with Pittsburgh's Manchester Craftsmen's Guild, who coordinated the tour and encouraged him to write a grant

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ism Olympics we hold for 150 for the prospective project. Focus high school kids with professionon the Mission and other comal journalist mentors," said Aho, munity arts department programs are now part of the Ford a Westland resident. "The objective wasn't to teach photography Foundation's national Communibut to bring young people togethty Development Corporation er from different racial and reli-Arts Resource Initiative to incorgious backgrounds. We were porate art and cultural programusing photography as a way to ming into community developinterest them into looking at ment organizations. Aho, a pubpeople of different cultures." lished photographer in his own Aho and Bathish have learned right, is assistant communications officer along with being along the way. For the third pro-

staff photographer for Focus: "The photography project was a take-off on the annual Journal-

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dents to spend together.

Hood and the Monk, Robin Hood and the Potter, A Gest of Robyn Hode (and a condensed Lyttell Gest of Robyn Hode), Robin Hoode his Death, and Robin Hood and the Curtal Friar - tell stories of adventure in the green-J.C. Holt, whose text is used by Sax, only briefly introduce the idea of an avenging thief.

Holt concludes that there wasn't a real Robin Hood, though two conflicting legends flesh out the early poems. One identifies Robin as a commoner, Robin of Locksly, who sets out to avenge the murder of his father by the Sheriff of Nottingham. The other identifies Robin as a noble, Robert, Earl of Huntington, who is unjustly stripped of his inherithat Morgan Freeman could be tance when he tries to bring jus- his sidekick. tice to the people.

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"A lot of the stories and some Robin Hood was a travesty," Sax of the incidents in modern-day said. "It's absurd to think he versions have some truth in could come back to England with borne, for instance, was a henchman for the Sheriff of Nottingham. There was a John Little of Hathersage and he's from one of British television series from the

John Little, renamed Little style. An episode from this series John, Will Scarlet and Much, the and the Flynn version are shown Miller's son, appear in all the to demonstrate Robin on screen. Robin Hood stories. The fair Sax said students enjoy the Maid Marian was added in the course because it allows them to 1500s. The stories always look at the character from so include a friendly friar but the many different perspectives and wood but according to scholar name Friar Tuck was taken from he enjoys teaching it because it an actual historic figure, a rebel- because it gives him a chance to lious cleric who lived 200 years seach something other than the after the setting of the Robin American literature that is his "I've always loved history and

But some modern version's add characters and situations I'm able to teach some British history in context and make it that are more fitting for the the times they were created. In the relevant," he said. 1930s, Errol Flynn made a dash-As Robin Hood has also been ing, hopelessly romantic Robin

the subject of music and art, he Hood. While more recently Kevin opens up a wide interdisci-Costner's version had Little plinary opportunity. John as a minor character so The course is offered 6-10 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 22, and 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday. The non-"I like Kevin Costner but his credit fee is \$100. It is also open for credit. Sax said that in addition to undergraduate Madonna them," said Sax. "Guy of Gis- a black man who was not a students, graduate students and people in the community have Christian and do what they did taken the class. Class is limited Sax said he prefers the gritty to 25.

For more information, call (734)432-5731.

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was part of every Three Tenors Brown, is \$2 million. concert. He hinted that a ed during their July perfor-

ject beginning this spring, they

sponsor. Nasser's wife, Jennifer, grams and create an endows on MOT's board of directors.

"In the 21st century, corporations understand what they do for the arts is what they do for

late 1980s, shot is cinema verite

Ford has been a longtime MOT ther develop educational pro-

students must attend all four sessions and be willing to learn and actively participate. For more information about this year's project, call Annette was concertmaster with the Lviv forming Arts in Kirghistan.

conductors of the National Opera conductor of the Kirghistan tan. Also a violinist, Schesiuk professor at the Institute of Per-

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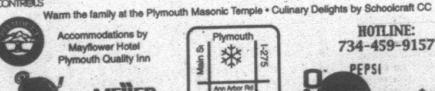
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Motown medley might be includ-

Detroit is only one of three venues this year for a Three director. Tenors concert. Tokyo hosted an dents listened to the professional early January concert, and in educators and photographers April the legendary tenors will sharing their experiences, they perform in Pretoria, South were anxious to get out there and start taking photographs.

their constituents," said David

DiChiera, MOT's managing The sponsorship, said house, retire its capital debt, fur-

The sponsorship of the Three DiChiera credits MOT long-Penors concert, according to time board member and philan- cert site will be released within Ford spokesperson Carolyn thropist Frank Stella with per- weeks.

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uading Pavarotti to come back to Detroit. Stella and Pavarotti have a long and storied friend-

Pavarotti marks his return to Detroit after performing at the inaugural concert at the renovated opera house in April 1996. Carreras last performed at the DiChiera, will help MOT com- opera house in March 1997, plete renovations at the opera while Domingo performed in 1994 at the Masonic Temple.

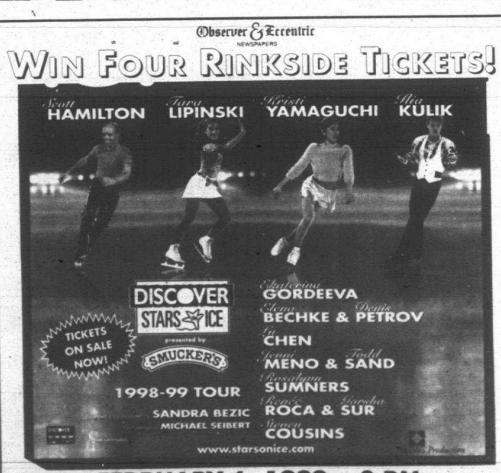
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1991, was an accomplished con- Opera and Ballet Orchestra for __ In addition to the guest perforductor in the former Soviet seven years and appointed con- mance by Saradjian, other selec-Union. A graduate of Lviv State ductor-in-residence for the Boltions on the program include Conservatory in Ukraine, Sche- shoi Theater in Moscow for two siuk was one of the youngest years. In 1985, he was named and Ballet Theater of Kirghis- Opera and Ballet Theater and Orchestra, and Beethoven's

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Fifth," conducted by Junichi

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"Martin Luther King, Jr.

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CHRIST CHURCH CRANBROOK Detroit Symphony Orchestra members in concert, 3 p.m. Organ concert featuring Richard Sunday, Jan. 24, Varner Hall. Hoskins, organist/choirmaster of Performance features works by Chicago's St. Chrysostom's Episcopal Church, 4 p.m. Sunday Schoenberg, and Mendelssohn. Oakland University, Rochester Jan. 17, Lone Pine Road, one Hills: (248) 370-2032. mile west of Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 644-5210. UNIV. MUSICAL SOCIETY CONCERT FOR CENTRAL

"Martin Luther King, Jr., Day Tribute," Rackham Auditorium, 3 p.m. Monday, Jan. 18; (734) 764-"Ginka Ortega and Friends," 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17, featuring

FUNDRAISER A benefit sponsored by the Kennedy, mezzo soprano Irena de Fanclub Foundation for the Arts for local arts education programs, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 30, Fisher Theatre, New Center Area, Detroit; (248) 584-4150.

LECTURE

Three-week lecture series on the work and life of Picasso: Jan. 22 "Picasso and Symbolism"; Feb. 12 - "The Spanish Artist as Social Critic"; March 12 - "A Portrait of the Artist." Lecture or photography, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 26. 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.

*The Problem of Roman Copies the process of copying and the interpretation of the Greek origi nals, a lecture by Brunilde Ridgway, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 20. Lecture Hall, Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Avenue. Detroit: 833-7899

MEETINGS PALETTE & BRUSH CLUB Artists interested in joining com-

to 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, Jan. 26 meeting, Southfield Cultural Center for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield; (248) 683-5461.

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MUSEUMS

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS Through Jan. 31 - "Ancient Glass from the Holy Land." 5200 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 833-7900.

MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY

Through March 14 - "Wade in the Water: African American Sacred Music Traditions." 315 E. Warren Ave., Detroit; (313) 494-

GALLERY (OPENING

COMMUNITY ARTS GALLERY

Jan. 21 - "Alumni Exhibit: Honoring artist who are dedicated educators of K-12," through Feb. 19. 5400 Gullen Mall, on the Wayne State campus, Detroit; (313) 577-2423.

COWBOY TRADER GALLERY Jan. 22-23 - Fourth Annual American Indian Art Show, 251 Merrill St., upper level, Birmingham; (248) 647-8833.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE Jan. 22 - "Beyond the Surface,

and "Water Marks," through Feb. 19. 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (248) 651-4110. REVOLUTION Jan. 23 - *Portrait of Our Time

," featuring work of Larry Fink, Ann Mikolowsky, Stephen Tourlentes and others, 23257 Woodward, Ferndale; (248) 541

3444 SYBARIS GALLERY Jan. 23 - "Teapots," featuring 21 artists, through March 6, 202 E

Third Street, Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388. SOUTHFIELD CTR. FOR THE ARTS Jan. 29-39 - An auction to help support the Southfield Federation for the Arts, featuring original works, hosted by Park West Gallery. Each night's auction begins at 8 p.m. 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield;

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GALLERY EXHIBITS ON-GOING)

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY Through Jan. 21 - New paintings by Fritz Mayhew. 107 Townsend St., Birmingham, (248) 642-

ELAINE L. JACOB GALLERY Through Jan. 22 - "Metaphors, works by Yvette Kaiser Smith. Wayne State University, 480 W. Hancock, Detroit; (313) 993-

SCARAB CLUB Through Jan. 28 - 85th Annual Gold Medal Exhibit & Holiday Sales Show, featuring fine art sculpture and photography by Scarab Club members, 217 Farnsworth, Detroit; (313) 831-

SOUTHFIELD CTR. FOR THE ARTS Through Jan. 29 - Artwork of the Lawrence Tech faculty, featuring Sandra Cardew, Steve Rost, Sally Tardella, Charles Pompilius, Gary Zych, Nelson Smith, Kelly Deined and Tom Regenbogen, 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield:

(248) 424-9022. CREATIVE ARTS CENTER

Through Jan. 30 - "Spirit of Memory," paintings and prints by Sawsan Elgamal, 47 Williams Street, Pontiac; (248) 333-7849. G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY Through Jan. 30 - Paintings by

Frank Bowling, 1616 Townsend Birmingham; (248) 642-2700 KLEIN GALLERY

Through Jan. 30 - Doris Lee's oils and gouaches from the 1930s and 1940s. 163 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 433-3700.

LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY Through Jan. 30 - Livonia Chapter of the American Needlepoint Guild exhibit; works of photographer John Copa of Orchard Lake. 32777 Five Mile

Road, Livonia; (734) 466-2490. YAW GALLERY Through Jan. 30 - "A Gathering of Spoons," works by

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Oakman Blvd., Detroit: (313) 494-5500. HENRY FORD COMM. COLLEGE Through Feb. 5 - "Art of the Iris," works by various artists Sisson Gallery, 5101 Evergreen

Road, Dearborn; (734) 845-6487. CARY GALLERY Through Feb. 6 - "Michael Mahoney: Paintings and Works

on Paper." 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester; (248) 651-3656. SWANN GALLERY Through Feb. 6 - "Tribute to the J.L. Hudson Building," a photography show. 1250 Library STreet.

Detroit; (313) 965-4826. ANN ARBOR ART CENTER Through Feb. 7 - "Artists Under the Italian Influence," featuring work of Juliana Clendenin, Jim Cosgwell, Susan Crowell, Ed Fraga, Mark Pomilio, Debra Bosio Riley and Mel Rosas. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (734) 994-

PLYMOUTH COMM. ARTS COUNCIL Through Feb. 10 - "Japan Revisited," featuring Yoriko Hirose Cronin and Emi Kumagai Watts. Reception 7-9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23, 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth; (734) 416

BBAC Through Feb. 12 - "Narrative Now," featuring four emerging painters, curated by Dennis Nawrocki. Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, Robinson Gallery.

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Through Feb. 13 - Paintings by Barbara Costello, 29 E. Grand River, Detroit; (313) 961-4336 ALFRED BERKOWITZ GALLERY

Through Feb. 14 - Diversity: Victims & Survivors." paintings by Richard Kozlow, selected inter views from the university's Holocaust Survivor Oral Histories," an archival collection assembled by UM-D Professor of History Dr. Sidney Bolkosky. 4901 Evergreen Road, #1165

AB, Dearborn; (734) 593-5058 C.R.A.I.G. GALLERY Through Feb. 21 - "Effects of. Light and Colour," new paintings by Neily, Sobran, Compton-Pappas. N. Old Woodward, one block north of Maple, downtown Birmingham; (248) 647-3688.

MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY Through Feb. 21 - "Picturing Paris: 1850 to the Present," pho tographs from the Detroit Institute of Arts. 208 Wilson Hall, Oakland University. Rochester Hills; (248) 370-3005.

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GALLERY Through Feb. 25 - "Extraordinary -Stitches: The art of fiber & thread," featuring works of 23 artists. Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road,

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30448 Woodward Ave., Royal Oak; (248) 549-5171. JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER Through March 15 - "Memory

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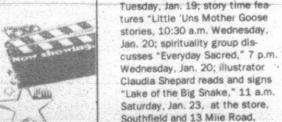
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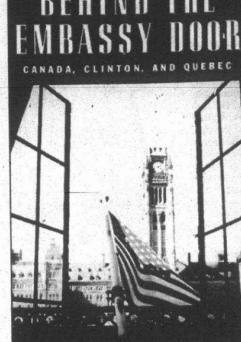
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Canadians trust government. Many Americans view it as the enemy.

cinated by Blanchard's and Canadians are nitpicky Clinton's deftly worded support of Canadian unity in the face of Quebec's 1995 referendum on cut a deal promptly.

sovereignty. The Globe & Mail game of free trade, until they reviewer thought Blanchard exaggerated the U.S. role in get to agriculture, fishing and persuading Quebec to vote no. I'm inclined toward Blanchard's extremely protectionist. (This view that he and Clinton made explains why CBE radio Bach Canada shouldn't even think American artist or company about separating - it's non-

negotiable, in his view. An independent Quebec would be as valuable an ally and trading tary, with 10 percent of our poppartner as Albania, and Quebec ulation and 1 percent as many itself would probably split like uniformed troops. But Canadian Blanchard says his book isn't hyperbole "war" in stories about political science. True, but it is loaded with insights on Canadian and U.S. politics that fulltime academics rarely provide.

One constant theme is the way Canadian bureaucrats (midlevel career people) try to give the shaft to their American have a stronger sense of nation-His message to young people stand why we shut down our federal governi s that you can get good things done in public service, outside

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That wasn't how young Jim Blanchard worked his way to the Washington inner circle. Young people should use Blanhard, not Clinton, as a perfor-

Young readers will, however be turned off at his description of two governmental agencies: the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (inept) and the U.S. Secret Service (so bullyish that it wanted a one-legged visitor to park 100 yards away, walk to the ambassador's door and climb to the second floor to talk

A personal note: Jim Blan hard has always been one of can't understand their idiocy in my favorite persons, even when disagreed on politics, because he has a sense of history. He sees himself as part of a continuum. He respects the people who preceded him (unlike the Kennedy existentialists) and knows his successors will

improve on his work. And Blanchard even has the decency and humility to spell out some of his errors. You'll never catch an Engler or Fieger doing that.

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Road, Bloomfield Hills (248)540-

Detroit Women Writers Open Mic

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Art Beat features various hap-

penings in the suburban art

news leads to Art Beat, Observer

Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft,

Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them

Pianist Arthur Greene per-

forms selections from Scriabin

and Rachmaninov noon Wednes-

day, Jan. 20 in the Forum Build-

ing recital hall at Schoolcraft

Michigan School of Music facul-

ty. Greene was a concert pianist

performing throughout the U.S.

Europe and Far East before com-

ing to Ann Arbor. He has

appeared as a soloist with the

Philadelphia Orchestra, the San

Francisco, Utah and National

symphonies, Czech National

Symphony, Tokyo Symphony

and in recital at Carnegie Hall

the Kennedy Center, and major

concert houses in Lisbon, Hong

College program are the Sonata-

Fantasy No. 2 in G-Sharp minor,

Opus 19, the Fantasy, Opus 28,

and Sonata Number 8, Opus 66

by Scriabin, the Etude-Tableau

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by Rachmaninov, and the

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FREE CONCERT

Michigan gov ernor Jim Blanchard tells the behind-thescenes story of his work as ambassador to Canada.

negotiators. Americans want to Canadians talk a great

culture, when they become a difference in that tight 1995 jock Shelagh Rogers never plays a classical recording by an just Canadian, British and

Canadians are anti-miliheadline writers love to use the disagreements with the U.S. They don't want to participate in an invasion of a Haiti but are quite willing to be a "peace-

keeping" force there. The U.S. has a more diverse nation and geography, but we hood. Canadians can't underthe realm of screeching talk allowing Quebec even to talk

shows. I would recommend you present this book to a high Blanchard has a strong school senior or college student respect for political people. An contemplating government and advantage of dealing with Canadian cabinet ministers, he finds, His best chapter is a compariis that they have had to win son between the two political election to Parliament whereas systems. The worst, most insult- many of our top administrators

There is a lesson Blanchard dian is "You're just like us." Canadians are decent, gentle implies but doesn't quite spell people, but politically they're out. It has to do with older people. The reason Blanchard did Canada has a parliamen-Chrysler loan package, I've been say you should bet he will.

James Steinberg discusses

discusses "Evolve Yourself:

Jan. 23 at the store, 34300

Woodward, (248) 203-0005.

BORDERS (ANN ARBOR)

Conscious Personal Evolution,

"Divine Distraction: A Guide to

the Guru-Devotee Relationship." 3

7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 21; Lisa

Hunter performs 8 p.m. Saturday,

Craig Holden signs "Four Corners

of Night," 7:30 p.m. Wednesday

Jan. 20; R.T. Stone signs 'The

Journals," 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 22,

at the store 612 E. Liberty, Ann

Story time features "The Snowy

Day," 11:30 a.m. Monday, Jan.

18 and 7:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 22:

Kathleen DesMaisons discusses

"Potatoes Not Prozac," 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 19; Readers Book

Club discusses Robin Maxwell's

BARNES & NOBLE (BLOOMFIELD

p.m. Sunday, Jan. 17: Rich Rahn

make change at will. Ours is a cooperate. You can see this in system of checks and balances first wife Paula Blanchard's 1990 book, "Til Politics Do Us Part," in the way he persuaded the crone Martha Griffiths to

Blanchard brings the same message to his Canada book when he beats up on Clinton's White House staff as disorganized, inept, the least professional staff anyone has seen in 25 years, incompetent - "a steady stream of young, arrogant, officious staffers who (push) other people around, hink nastiness and rudeness are signs of strength and effec-

and student and teen studio art. Paint away those winter blues during mid-winter break in our All-Day Paint Workshops 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Feb. 22, 23 and 25. The cost is \$15 for each day. D & M is also currently registering students for its ninth annual Summer Art Camp, "Circus! Circus! Under the Big Top." A 10 percent discount will be applied if tuition is received before May

To register for any of the classes or camps, call (

DANCE CONCERT To kick off Eastern Michigan University's 1999 Sesquicentennial Celebration, the dance program presents "Seconds" 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 22-23 and 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 24 in Quirk Theatre.

The concert features a diverse collection of dance styles including modern, jazz, ballet, hip-hop, and African Congolese. Canton dancer Tim Smola choreographs one of the new works presented and also dances in another selec-

Smola's "Scream" is a 1980s hip-hop dance set to music of the same title by Michael and Janet Jackson. The piece is a reaction to news stories on racism, hate crimes and suffering due to

Tickets are \$8, \$5 for students with current ID, and \$3 for seniors and children under age 10, Call (734) 487-1211.

ART MEETING Three Cities Art Club holds a meeting 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 1 in the Plymouth Township Clerk's office at Ann Arbor Road

and Lilley. Please bring a sample of your work. A ribbon is awarded at each meeting to the most popular painting as determined by a vote. You need not be a member

to win. February's program features Canton artist Kay Rowe who teaches painting at her Village Artists studio in Plymouth's Old Village. She will display recent paintings and demonstrate transparent watercolor tech-

For more information, call Annalee Davis at (734) 427-6524. FINE ART SCHOLARSHIPS

The Livonia Arts Commission is offering scholarship funds to world. Send Wayne County arts ' Livonia residents who are cur- classes for students in grades rently high school seniors or col- one to 12 in scene study, broadthe arts (music, art, architecture, design, graphics, dance,

Deadline for entry is March 1. Application are available by calling the Livonia Community Resources Department at (734)

tributed to qualified finalists ple, Detroit. selected by the Arts Commission.

A total of \$5,000 will be dis-

Tinderbox Productions offers lege students pursuing studies in way dance, hip hop, improvisa- CALL FOR ARTISTS tion, private voice coaching, and Canton Township is looking

> Showchoir and "The Ted Sulli- and Fine Craft show 10 a.m. to 9 van Show: A Variety Extrava- p.m. Saturday, June 19 and 11 ganza for Actors, Singers and Dancers." Classes meet Saturdays Feb. 6

> to May 15 in the Cathedral The under the "big tents" or can atre, Masonic Temple, 500 Tem-

Students will give two perfor-

Cathedral Theatre. For information or a brochure, call (313) 535-

the student booth. The student booth is sponsored so there is no participation in the Tinderbox for exhibitors for its Fine Art The art show is juried so participants will be required to suba.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, June 20 at Heritage Park. Artists can mit slides or pictures of their work from the approved catechoose to display their work

gories: painting, prints, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry drawing, bring their own tent. Deadline for application is pastel, and selected fine crafts.

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mances on Saturday, May 15 in Sharon Dillenbeck at (734) 453chandise will be allowed.

ed to display and sell their art in

Art students in the Plymouth Canton School District are invit-

Redford sculptor Mattew Hanna is one of a group of. artists exhibiting in "On the Wall" continuing through March at the Cass Cafe, 4620 Cass Avenue, Detroit. For information, call (313) 831-1400.

An opening reception will be held 7-10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23 at the cafe. The exhibit consists of relief sculpture, drawings pertaining to sculpture, and draw-April 15. For an entry form, call No commercially produced merings by sculptors.

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Quick fixes help resolve the makeup traumas

Tappy New Year! In point of fact, I am going to recomn fact, I am going to reconstructions several New Year's resolutions that I hope you will consider. They are the makeup "traumas" that have driven me crazy since I started. So, with tongue gently placed in cheek, we



and regardless of the color shadow she may have applied that morning, there always will be an aqua line in the crease of her eye. Why? Damned if I

Solution: Try an eyelid foundation in the crease. Or, if you have "hooded eyes," apply over the entire lid area. 2. The Enchanting Mascara-Spot Look: Come on, admit it. You've had it. Those black dots that resemble venetian blinds just under your eyebrows, and on your undereye...lug-

Solution: When applying mascara, apply it horizontally with the end up. Gently touch your lash ends with the tip only. That way you will not have great accumulations from the wand transfer to your person. Now the important part: Do not blink! Try not to and I promise you, you will be smudge-free.

3. The Lipstick on the Teeth Look: I personally cannot think of any makeup catastrophe that drives

Solution: After you have properly lined your lips with lip liner, fill in your actual lip area with the same. Using a lip brush, apply your lipstick and lip gloss at the same time. Do not blot your lips! You will then transfer the color to your choppers. Instead, try licking your lips gently. The saliva will actually "set" the color.

4. The More Makeup on the Collar Than On Your Face Look: Isn't this the tackiest you can think of? When I was a kid, my dad, who was in the dry cleaning business, used to have me go in on the weekend. I refused to sort the women's blouses due to the lovely orange halo around the collars. I used tongs to sort them! Solution: Make sure that your makeup base is 1/4 of a shade lighter than your natural color. That way you will not have to extend below your chinline with the color. When you apply powder, blow on your brush

prior to application. 5. The Overtweezed Prior to a Big Date Look: You know that look. Sort of like those women who have had three too many lifts, and always look...surprised! You have tweezed your brows just before a date into what you thought were perfect shape but in point of fact look like two tadpoles swimming to your nose bridge. Solution: Use a powder brush on brow to fill in gaps. A pencil will make you look even more grotesque (and a lot older). The less you do to

them the better.

6. The Overdone Curling Iron Prior to the (Above) Big Date Look: How many times have you for gotten about your hot rollers and wound up looking like you could smack a couple of bagels over your eyes and screech a chorus of "Tomorrow" at the top of your lungs? Just as you are singing the last (thank God) chorus, he is knocking at your door. What to do, Daddy Warbucks?

Solution: Put on a hat. Only kidding. Use a large brush and hand dryer to "straighten" each section, using a tiny bit of moisturizer at the hair root. Remember your guy will be in the living room while you are having a breakdown in the bathroom. Give him a drink.

For those of you who would like several more tips in person, here's the scoop on my personal makeover appointments at the divine Hotel Baronette in Novi: March dates, including a Saturday and Sunday for working women, will be available beginning Jan. 18. The \$125 minimum goes directly toward any Jeffrey Bruce aloe-based products used on you that day. The number to call is 1-800-944-6588 or E-mail me at jwbb@worldnet.att.net with any questions. Visit my Web site at: jef-

See you next month Detroit!

Chill-chasers... the stuff of springtime

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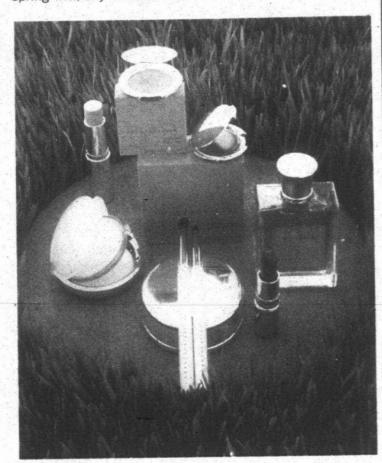
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Think warm thoughts with some fresh new products that will have you dreaming of sunny days, flower gardens, green grass and cool ocean breezes. Get a headstart on spring with any of these "cold remedies."



Cosmetic arts: Chantecaille's new French makeup and

from Neiman fragrance collection, available at Neiman Marcus. Old-world romance meets contemporary styling

Swarovski

crystal but

terfly hair

ornaments

ashion designer Joseph Abboud is no stranger to hard work, but his efforts customizing the interior of a GMC Sierra Pickup for the Jan. 4 Concept:

There is a smoky amber "worry stone" embedded in the center console. Weathered brass complements elements within the burgundy interior. Even the headliner

Cure Fashion Jam, was a bittersweet experience. "This event has been a labor of love for all of us as designers, especially customizing an entire automobile," said Abboud in an exclusive interview with the Eccentric. "However, it was especially meaningful for me because during the design phase my sister Nancy died of breast cancer." All of the funds from Concept:Cure events go toward research for, and awareness of, breast cancer.

Nancy Abboud Ashe, 52, succumbed to cancer in 1998, leaving a void in Abboud's life unmatched since the death of his mother from the same disease. "As you can imagine, Concept: Cure is a very special program for me. Breast cancer is a disease we really have to find a cure for."

and Abboud's spring line; luxurious fabrics, such as leather, interior, and linen shrouds Abboud's models on the runway. "As we get closer to the millennium and as technology speeds ahead, I think

people are attracted to more organic things in their everyday lives," said Abboud. "That's why my designs have centered around colors of the desert and elements

The Sierra's exterior is a soothing olive/khaki tone and the interior is suited for those seeking luxe comfort. The plush leather seats feature shearling headrests.

brass complements elements within the burgundy interior. Even the headliner adds interest: It features a map of the Old World, lending an antique touch to a thoroughly modern vehicle.

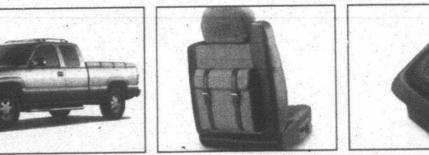
In fashion as well as car design, Abboud's creativity centers not on structure, but in the details. His suits have classic lines but feature surprising embellishments that push the envelope. Monochromatic ties blend perfectly with matching shirts; impeccably tailored models sport open-toe, urban sandals.

"I wanted to ignite men's creative expression and make a statement for summer," explained Abboud. "I wanted to show things that weren't so restrictive." There were few restrictions placed on the designers, whose only boundary was to stay within government and corporate safety regulations. "There were definite-

The interior of the Sierra and Abboud's current men's clothing designs march in ly safety issues we had to deal with, like not impeding the airbags or being sensilockstep: Earth tones strongly reminiscent of the desert dominate both the vehicle tive to the glass design," said Abboud. "Other than that, GM never said no to us in nic or creative aspects. So how did Abboud work with a large corporation notorious for its conservative

designs? "My collaboration with GM's design team was a dream. All the designers I worked with had such a great focus." - Rebecca W. Kalajian

To date, Concept: Cure has raised more than \$2.6 million for breast cancer research. Proceeds from the Detroit show benefited the new Walt Breast Cancer Center at the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute.



Earthy elegance: Fashion designer Joseph Abboud designed his GMC Sierra Pickup in subtle earth tones, with an interior of leather and shearling. A worry stone is encased in the console. The truck was featured at GM's Concept: Cure Fash-

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

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17

THE WORTH LOOK The Worth Collection presents fashions for Spring 1999 today through Monday, Jan. 25, by appointment only. Call (248) 540-4981 or (248) 865-0553.

The Collectible Toy Show comes to the Plymouth Cultural Center today 11 a.m.-5 p.m., 525 Farmer Street. Adults \$4; ages 4-12, \$1. (734) 455-2110.

GRIN AND BEAR IT The Somerset Collection presents the Disney Channel's "On the Road with Bear in the Big Blue House," a free live stage production. 1 p.m., 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. North Grand Court.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 19

THINK SPRING The Sansappelle collection makes an exclusive appearance at Roz & Sherm today and tomorrow, Jan. 20. The trunk show includes elegant silk and wool crepe designs.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

Saks Fifth Avenue presents "Breakfast with Chanel" to benefit the American Lung Association of Michigan: 10 a.m., Designer Salon. \$35-\$75. Somerset Collection. (248) 359-5864.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 21

HELP YOURSELF Rich Rahn signs and discusses his book Evolve Yourself: Conscious Personal Evolution, an exploration of man's individual relationship with life, the universe and God. 7:30 p.m. Borders, downtown Birmingham,

CALVIN COLLECTION

Neiman Marcus presents the Calvin Klein Spring Trunk Show 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Informal modeling. Designer Sportswear on 3. Somerset Collection.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 22

GEM-STUDDED GALA Jules R. Schubot Jewellers hosts an evening of Hollywood glamour honoring patrons to the Academy of the Sacred Heart's annual gala benefit. 7 p.m. 3001 W. Big Beaver, Troy. The Academy Award-themed

gala will be held March 6 at the Detroit Athletic Club. For Gala tickets, call (248) 646-8906.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23 MAGIC GARDENS

Ferndale Public Schools Community Education presents "Attracting Fairies to Your Garden," a class on planting a Victorian fairy garden with flowers irresistible to butterflies and hummingbirds. \$15.11 a.m.-1 p.m. 22111 Woodward, Ferndale. (248) 546-

WEB SIGNING

Local author Tom Grace autographs copies of his book, Spyder Web, 2 p.m. at Coopersmith's Bookstore in Laurel Park Place, Six Mile and Newburgh roads, Livonia. The thriller combines industrial espionage with cyberspace technology.

SNAKE CHARMER

Illustrator Claudia Shepard reads, discusses and signs her new children's book, Lake of the Big Snake The book, by Nigerian author Isaac Olaleye, is a story of two friends who encounter dangers ranging from quicksand to a run-in with the great snake himself. Shepard researched her rain forest illustrations at the Belle Isle botanical observatory in Detroit. 11 a.m. Borders Book Shop of Birmingham, 31150 Southfield Road.

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This feature is dedicated to ship Supervisor, (248) 969helping readers locate sources 9479.

for hard-to-find merchandise: If you've seen any of the items game Air Baron by Avalon in your retail travels (or basement), please call Where Can I Hasbro) can be found on the Find? (248) 901-2555. Slowly Internet at www.edmag.com. and clearly, leave your name, number and message. You & Bits, they carry old games.) should see your input in a few Also try Alcove Hobby on Van only publish the requested item Ford Road and Merriman. from us, we were unable to game Charge It also can be found at the stores above.

Once again, the aluminum Christmas trees and color Elvis Presley dolls from wheel can be found at about six or seven years ago. English Gardens on Coolidge Found a Kissey Doll for soap

Eileen and the four-sided Sue wants Tweed cologne Rubix cube for Mary and by Lentheric.

Diane wants the talking Mrs. Beasley doll.

or tape of the soundtrack For Deb, Amcrest's Lustre from the movie Scarface. Rose china, and Evening Lorraine wants someone to crochet together crochet time views. Sue called to say she pursquares.

chased the Skittle game at World Wide Games in Beverly called to say she

at Shopping Center Market on Orchard Lake Road in The video "A Year Without Santa" was seen at the Blockbuster on Van Dyke and

23 Mile Road in Shelby. PMS Mood nail polish can be bought at For Your covers blemishes and birth Entertainment at the Great marks. Lakes Crossing Mall in Auburn Hills for \$6.

locate the item. Thank you.

the Mr. Peanut ornament for

in Paris cologne for Ann.

WHAT WE FOUND:

lights for Bonnie.

Petoskey.

Found a 1944 Central Super 8 mm sound and High yearbook. Found two distributors of

Discovery Toys and they have Charlie Chaplin. Picture Peg. Walgreen's has the bars of

Dial soap on sale this week. To donate old bowling music stands. and golf trophies, call Greg Gilbert, Oxford Town- Jarackas

Debbie called to say the Hill (was recently bought by (The company is called Chips weeks. Due to the overwhelm- Dyke between 13-14 Mile ing response to this column, we roads and at Old Guard on two or three times. If you have Ryders on Liberty in Ann not seen a response or heard Arbor also might have it. The

WE'RE STILL LOOKING FOR:

Bob is looking for three Sue is looking for Yardley English Lavender liquid

Irene is looking for the CD Found 3/8. Christmas

Leah has a large train table already wired, but no trains. Joanne is looking for Revlon's Moon Drops Red has found Salada Tea (100) Pagoda (green tube) lipstick. Karen wants Kikkoman

> Sweet/Sour sauce mix or stir-fry mix. Kroger or Farmer Jack used to carry it. Bea wants flannel-lined jeans and Bison meat. Brim coffee for Shelly.

Joyce wants Colormark. It Mitchell wants to find a collector to purchase old

silent movies of the Little Rascals, Laurel & Hardy and Geri is looking for John-

son's Purpose shampoo. Jack needs 20 fold-up Compiled by

RETAIL DETAILS

Matt Prentice's Unique Restaurant Corporation warms the cold of Arden B., a contemporary women's apparel store, opens this winwinter with a flavorful celebration of the great American Southwest ter on the second floor of the Somerset Collection South. The 3,500-The Southwest Feast will be held on two separate evenings: Wednessquare-foot store is a newly launched retail concept by Wet Seal Inc. day, Jan. 27 at Morels, A Michigan Bistro (248-642-1094) and Thurs-"Our fashions are designed to accommodate the ever-changing day, Jan. 28 at No. VI Chophouse & Lobster Bar (248-305-5210). The lifestyle of the contemporary, active woman. We are coming out of menu includes five différent varieties of chile peppers, lobster, wild the gates with a truly fresh perspective," said Kathy Bronstein, vice chairman and CEO of Wet Seal Inc. The only Arden B. in the state of mushrooms, salsas, duck tamales and grilled swordfish. Cost is \$34.95 per person. A special beverage package will be offered by Michigan will offer dressy and casual apparel, as well as accessories

Ethan Allen Interiors offers 10 ways to survive the winter blues: · When you're stuck indoors, comfort is important. The Remington Chair provides perfect seating for an evening of curling up with a good book and a cup of hot chocolate. · Bring a touch of spring into your bedroom with the rose-covered

· Add a burst of sunlight to any room with an architectural table

• For cozy evenings by the fire, wrap yourself in a cuddly knit

. When it's 10 degrees outside and the snow is flying, breakfast in bed is a must. Serve it on a Country French bed tray.

· Driving conditions are treacherous work from home with a home office armoire. Sometimes even grownups

get snow days. · An entertainment unit makes staying home with a good movie feel

like a holiday. · Consider a rustic picnic indoors.

· Think about getting new window treatments to frame upcoming spring-

· Get a head start on filling your yard with patio furniture. It's fun to dream about warm days on the porch.

On Saturday, Jan. 30, the lobby of the Fisher Building will be transformed into a swanky swing lounge as the Fanclub Foundation for the Arts presents Swingtime '99. An exciting mix of live entertainment, food and wine from 28 restaurants, and dazzling art highlight the lavish event that benefits cultural organizations in metro Detroit. 7:30 p.m. \$50 in advance, \$60 at the door. Call (248) 584-4150 for tickets.

information, call (248) 642-5020.



Master Sommelier Madeline Triffon at an additional cost. Each feast begins at 7 p.m. Call for reservations.

Jeepers!, a leader in the family entertainment industry, recently opened a new 25,000-square-foot indoor amusement park at Northland Mall in Southfield. Jeepers! incorporates the rides and excitement of an outdoor carnival with indoor convenience and climate control. The entertainment options include a Python Pit roller coaster, a Jungle Junction train ride, a spinning barrel ride, a flying banana and bumper.cars. Also find a modular indoor playground, ImaginArea and skill games. Birthday parties are a specialty. For information, call (800) JEEPERS.

The Sybaris Gallery in Royal Oak celebrates the opening of its Teapot Invitational with an afternoon tea on Saturday, Jan. 23 from 1-5 p.m. The show, which features over 20 artists from the United States and abroad, continues through March 6.

The teapot has taken on many imaginative forms since the advent of tea drinking some 4,000 years ago. Ceramic artists in particular have been inspired to recreate the teapot as a pure art form, with unexpected whim-

Included in this exhibit are Adrian Arleo's human figure teapots, one of which features a beach ball lid delicately balanced on the hip of a reclining nude sunbather. Annette Corcoran's vessels illustrate her fascination with birds and are reminiscent of the Yixing teapots produced in China around 1510. "Mad Hatter's Tea Party" is one of Joan Takayama Ogawa's fanciful and child-like pots. The entire form is playfully repeated through miniature cups and saucers decorating the surface.

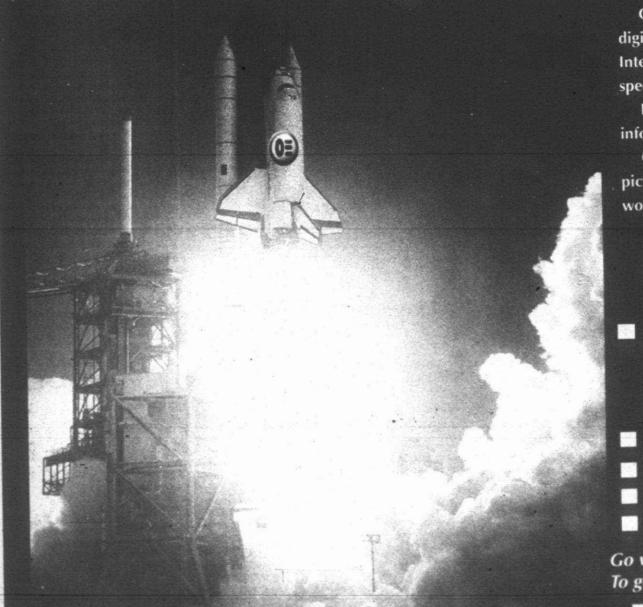
Ilona Romule creates erotic teapots out of porcelain. They often feature

men and women entwined in suggestive embraces. Dr. Robert Heller, a Birmingham cosmetic dentist, introduces Popular icons abound on Les Lawrence's paper-thin porcelain Smile Vision to Michigan. Smile Vision is a revolutionary new systeapots. The Mona Lisa and the American dollar bill decorate the tem that uses the Internet to help create a beautiful smile for surface of these black and white mono-printed vessels.

patients. Using a digital camera, an image of the patient's teeth and Pictured above is one of Mary Lou Higgins' intricate pictorial pots, face is sent via modem to a lab where a team of dentists and graphic titled "A Classical Tea." This 70-year-old artist's illustrations look artists work with Heller to design a brand new smile. For more

like they've jumped from the pages of children's folk tales. The Sybaris Gallery, 202 East Third Street, Royal Oak.

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TRAVEL

Busy Guangzhou is noisy, crowded and fun

BY JIM RADEBAUGH

With a population approaching 10 million, constant traffic jams, and an inescapable din of construction, Guangzhou, once known as Canton, can be a lot of fun.

Walk though the city's convoluted streets and you'll see crowds of hawkers selling everything from brassieres to bundles of live frogs, the later being tied together with string. (And if you stick around, you'll probably see some of the poor creatures skinned alive.)

You'll pass countless restaurants with stacks of cages out front, some holding long black snakes, some holding chickens, ducks or an occasional kitten.

Get out in the morning and you'll see the city's elderly practicing t'ai chi in the parks and on the walkways along the Pearl River. And you'll probably pass a free-lance barber or two giving haircuts on the sidewalk: a folding chair, a mirror tied to a tree, a pair of manual clippers . . . and they're in business.

As you walk, you might note some of the things being transported by motorcycle: the carcass of a freshly slaughtered pig, a cage full of chickens, a family of

A two-hour bus ride from Hong Kong, Guangzhou (pronounced Gwang Joe) is the largest city in Guangdong province, the relatively small area in southeast China. It's one of China's richest and most rapidly developing cities and it's captivated Joshua Kenny, an American from Madison, Wis., who has been living in China for more than a year.

"It's the most exciting and interesting city I've ever been in," Kenny says.

While admitting that as a tourist destination Guangzhou doesn't compare with Beijing, with its palaces, monuments and the Great Wall, or Shanghai, which is reclaiming its reputation as the Paris of the Orient, Kenny insists that Guangzhou has it's own charm. It's found. he says, in the traditional brick buildings that still line many of the smaller streets and in the openness of the Cantonese people, who speak to foreigners much more readily than people in the north.

"In Guangzhou, if you walk down the side streets, it's very different from what you see on the big avenues," he explains.

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For sale: Hawkers selling everything from socks to batteries to tissue paper line the sidewalks of Guangzhou.

"It's certainly more traditional, less Western. There's also a kind of street culture. You can buy your food on the street, you meet your neighbors, you sit out front and talk to them."

Kenny, 23, came to China as an English teacher, and it's teaching that has enabled him to stay long enough to get to know Guangzhou, its people and its language as well as to travel to other parts of the country.

After graduating from college last year with a degree in Spanish and linguistics, Kenny got his first teaching job: a 10-month assignment at Shantou University, in Shantou city. Afterwards, he came to Guangzhou and found a job teaching with a forprofit school that specializes in teaching English to the Chinese employees of multinational companies doing business here.

That school, ALTEC, is run by Chris Barclay, who grew up in East Lansing and is a 1985 graduate of the Cranbrook School in Bloomfield Hills.

Barclay, 31, started the school in 1995 with his wife, May, who is Chinese. Today, there are branches in several of China's major cities.

Barclay predicts that the demand for English training and for English teachers — will remain strong despite the falter-

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ing Asian economy.

But he warns that people interested in teaching here must be qualified. That means having a college degree and, preferably, professional certification, he says. It also means being adaptable, culturally sensitive and having some overseas work experience, preferably in Asia, he adds.

"So I can see the person has some exposure to another culture." he explains. "It doesn't mean the person will be a good teacher, but at least I don't have to worry that they'll freak out when they get here."

Surprisingly, perhaps, being able to speak Chinese is not a qualification. ALTEC's students are almost all college graduates who have studied English for 11 years. They're able to communicate with their teachers and don't need basic instruction. They need practice using the language and help learning English idioms and business-related vocabulary.

All the same, Kenny says that the experience of teaching in China will be far richer if the teacher makes an effort to learn the local language. He studied Mandarin, China's official language, for a year in college and has studied Cantonese since he's been here.

One of the hazards of teaching in China, he says, is that students here treat their teachers as "respected guests," building a wall of formality between the teachers and the culture they've come to explore.

"I think that whether or not you speak Chinese it's difficult to

break out of that 'respected guest' role," he says. "But if you don't speak Chinese, I think it's

almost impossible."

Like Kenny, Helen Yau taught at a university before joining ALTEC. Born in Louth, England, to Chinese parents, she came to China, she says, to discover her heritage.

She's managed to travel widely despite her teaching responsibilities, working in trips to some of China's most beautiful attractions.

For natural beauty, Yau, 28,

Where can you get more information about teaching overseas?

The Internet is a great place to start. Dave's ESL Cafe (www. pacificnet. net/~sperling/es|cafe.html) is an especially good site. It offers practical information for those already teaching English as a second language and job listings for those seeking employment. There are usually several postings for jobs in China and elsewhere in Asia as well as throughout the world.

recommends the Wuling mountains in Hunan province. With their craggy peaks and evergreens, they evoke scenes from countless Chinese paintings.

She also recommends a trip to the distant city Xiahe, in Gansu province near the center of the country. The main attraction is the Labrang Monastery, a nearly 300-year-old Buddhist monastery that Yau says is magnificent despite the visitors who flock there.

"It's magical," she says. "You have English menus, which spoils it a bit, but it's still so wonderful."

Of course, China's greatest attraction is the Great Wall, which can be reached by taxi from Beijing. Kenny visited the ancient structure last winter on a quick trip to Beijing – what the Chinese call "Seeing flowers from the back of a horse" – and

says it lives up to the hype.

But to get some insight into today's China, he recommends visiting Chairman Mao's tomb in Beijing's Tiananmen Square. There, the preserved remains of the man who created the modern Chinese state are on display.

"I think you see more of the social control," Kenny says. "They keep you moving at all times, and it's dark. You're having an experience that is much more geared to the Chinese tourist than to the foreign

Of course, not everyone who comes to Guangzhou feels a need to see all of China in a year or two, or even at all. Lisa Stouffer, another ALTEC teacher, came here eight years ago, and aside from a couple of trips home to the U.S., she's done very little traveling.

A former nurse from Salina, Kansas, Stouffer, 33, speaks Cantonese fluently and says that her home, her best friends, and, indeed, her life are all right here in Guangzhou. She plans to stay for at least the next 20 years.

Not that it's always easy. She admits that sometimes while spending more than an hour on a bus just to buy a few groceries, she misses being able to drive to a shopping center. But, she says, that's part of what makes her life here more meaningful.

"In your own country, you get in you own little rut, you take things for granted," she says. "But here you can't do that."

Jim Radebaugh is a former Observer & Eccentric reporter now living and teaching in China.





Lively city: Sha Mian Islan (left) is a relatively tranquil neighborhood in frenetic Guangzhou, where (right) bicycles make their way through the narrow streets of Guangzhou.

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Scholar-athletes

Plymouth Canton, Plymouth Salem and Plymouth Christian Academy were all represented when the Michi-gan High School Athletic Association announced its record list of 3,878 student-athletes nominated for Scholar-Athlete Awards for the 1998-99 school year. The previous record, set last year, was 3,782.

Canton was one of 14 schools statewide with 16 or more nominees. Those nominated from Canton, and their sport, are: Steve Antonucci, boys cross country; Jaclyn Bernard, girls track; Christine Broda, girls soccer; Andrew Copenhaver, baseball; Joe Cortellini, boys basketball; Rob Demsick, wrestling; Elizabeth Elsner, vollevball; Teri Hanson, girls swimming; Chris Houdek, boys tennis; Gretchen Hudson, softball; Brian Kulczycki, boys track; Kirt McKee, boys soccer; Biljana Pavlovic, girls cross country; Bill Stewart, boys swimming; Elise Thornell, girls basketball; and Ben Tucker, boys golf.

Salem nominees, and their sports, are: Bobby Cushman, boys cross country; Beatrice Ferguson, softball; Chris Longpre, boys soccer; Mashid Pirzadeh, gymnastics; Joe Rizzi, baseball; and Adam Wilson, boys basketball and boys golf.

From Plymouth Christian, those nominated and their sports are: Deborah Gulledge, volleyball and Andrew

Powers, boys golf. Every MHSAA member school is allowed to nominate one student-athlete per sport; an individual may be nominated for more than one sport. To qualify, student-athletes must have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.5 (on a 4.0 scale) and must have won a varsity letter in the sport in which they are applying. Students are also asked to have shown involvement in other school and community activities, submit two letters of recommendation and a 500-word essay on the importance of sportsmanship in educational athletics.

Finalists will be selected by a 58member committee of school coaches, counselors, faculty members, administrators and board members from MHSAA schools. Finalists in all sports will be announced Jan. 29. Fall sports scholarship winners will be announced Feb. 10; winter sports scholarship recipients will be announced Feb. 17; and spring sports winners will be announced Feb. 24.

A \$1,000 scholarship, underwritten by Farm. Bureau Insurance, will be presented to one winner in each of the 24 MHSAA-sponsored sports.

Warnke leads

Sarah Warnke, a junior forward for Wayne State's women's basketball team from Plymouth Canton, led the Tartars to a 54-51 victory over Findlay University Thursday at WSU. Warnke finished with a team-high 17 points; she also had 10 rebounds and four steals. Her basket with 2:21 left to play allowed the Tartars to knot the game at 50-all.

Kati Stedcke's free throw put Findlay ahead by a point with 1:34 to play, but WSU took the lead for good when Britta Anderson, a senior from Canton HS, nailed a jumper with :58 to go to make it 52-51. Anderson finished with five points and four rebounds.

WSU improved to 3-12 overall; Findlay is 10-6.

Kogut honored again

Dan Kogut, a senior at Albion College from Canton (and a 1995 Redford Catholic Central graduate), has been named to the all-Mideast Region NCAA Division III men's soccer first team. A midfielder, Kogut was an all-Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association selection all four years at Albion.

He led the Britons in goals scored with 10 and in points with 23 this season, and is a dean's list student.

Magic honored

The Plymouth-Canton Magic, an under-13 girls basketball team, was one of several teams honored by the University of Michigan in its salute to AAU basketball Jan. 10. The Magic played, and won, an exhibition game played on the Crisler Arena floor.

Team members are Lindsay Dew, Lindsey Freysinger, April Gibbs, Kim and Laura Guilfoyle, Erin Jensen, Alyse Kilijanczyk, Krissy Lake, Abby Pitt, Saba Raheem and Heather Richardson. The team is coached by Steve and Kristle Kilijanczyk.

Canton comeback catches Rockets



Teams are defined by how they react under pressure. Last Friday, Canton found itself wallowing under a 14-point deficit in the second half to John Glenn, but the Chiefs mounted a miraculous, game-saving comeback.

BY NEAL ZIPSER

Come out, come out, wherever you

Perhaps that was what Mike Major was thinking on the Plymouth Canton bench Friday as the junior guard tried to find his shooting touch.

After going two games without scor-

ing, Major rediscovered his shooting eye in time to help spark the Chiefs to a come-from-behind 52-49 overtime victory over visiting Westland John

Major came off the bench to score 13 points, including three key three-pointers and the first basket of overtime.

"I was hitting early in the season but had been struggling lately," Major said.

"I think coach has confidence in my shooting again."

The Chiefs improved to 3-6 overall and 1-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association. Glenn slipped to 2-4 overall and 1-2 in the league.

This was a big win for our basketball team," Canton coach Dan Young said. "We still have a long way to go and a lot to work on in order to become a more consistent team."

The Chiefs were led by 6-foot-5 junior center Jason Waidmann, who tallied 18 points. Senior guard Joe Cortellini finished with 13 points, including 6-for-6 from the free-throw

The Rockets received 13 points from senior guard Bill Foder and 11 from senior guard Stephen Woods. Senior center Ty Haygood chipped in with 10 rebounds and three steals, but was held to two points.

It appeared the Rockets had complete control of the game, with a 32-18 lead halfway through the third quarter. Canton began its comeback by going on a 8-1 run to end the quarter.

We were just trying to survive in the third quarter and Mike came in and hit some big shots for us," Young

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Still on top

Flyin': Salem's Paul Perez (right) did his share in the Rocks win over Canton, finishing first in the 100-yard butterfly and the 200-yard individual medley.



Chiefs are good; Rocks are better

It's a trying time for coaches and athletes, particularly those who focus an entire season of training on one or two performances.

Like those involved in swimming, a sport in which athletes start the season with mega-yardage workouts, then carefully taper to a fine edge. The plan is for the athlete to respond with his best times at the league meet or state finals.

With those goals in mind, a coach can actually map out an entire season of workouts before his swimmers ever hit the water. Sure, there could be some unforseen variables someone gets sick and misses a day or two, that kind of thing.

But what happens when the entire team misses a week of workouts?

That kind of stuff no one can plan for, and it's driving coaches like Plymouth Salem's Chuck Olson and Plymouth Canton's Kyle Lott crazy.

The last two weeks of constant snowfalls have had that effect. Each team has lost five (or more) days of practice due to school closings or poor weather (school rules prohibit prac-

ticing if school is cancelled)

One thing, however, didn't change: Salem still proved faster, beating rival Canton 99.5-86.5 in a dual meet Thursday at Salem.

The last two weeks have thrown everything off," said Olson, his team now ranked sixth in the state in Class A. "You think you have some sort of a plan, and then

Said Lott: "I think both teams swam real flat tonight. And I think that's to be expected, the way things have gone (with the weather).

It wasn't all bad, but the performances weren't what either coach would have liked to see from their respective teams at this point of the season. "I saw some good things," said Lott. "I saw a lot of my kids race

Best in that category for the Chiefs was Don LeClair. The senior was part of four of Canton's five firstplace finishes, winning two individual events himself: the 100-yard (51.10) and 200-yard (1:53.11)

Salem had one double-winner as well in Paul Perez, who finished on top in the 200 individual medley (2:09.59) and 100 butterfly (57.34). The Rocks had one relay and six individual wins.

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Whalers are star-bound; streak at 4



Five members of the Plymouth Whalers have been chosen to play as members of Team West in the Bell All-Star Cup Jan. 27 at the Sarnia Sports

and Entertainment Complex in Sarnia,

Those selected are forwards David Legwand, Harold Druken, Adam Colagiacomo and Jason Ward, and defenseman Paul Mara. For Legwand, Mara and Ward, this is the second time they have made the squad.

Colagiacomo leads the Ontario Hockey League in scoring with 24 goals and 52 assists (76 points). Druken, who did hold the league lead in scoring until leaving to play for Team Canada in the World Junior Hockey Championships, still is atop the OHL in goals scored with 40; he has 68 points. Legwand, the No. 2 pick in last spring's NHL Draft, has 20 goals and 46 points.

Mara has nine goals and 19 assists (28 points). Ward, who was obtained from Windsor in a trade Jan. 10 for winger Kyle Chapman, defenseman Max Linnik and two draft picks, has eight goals and 13 assists this season.

Whalers blast Battalion

Adam Colagiacomo and Julian Smith knocked in two goals apiece as the Whalers notched their fourth-straight victory Thursday, 8-0 over the hapless Brampton Battalion before a crowd of 2,123 at Plymouth's Compuware Arena.

Colagiacomo, who now has 24 goals, and Smith, who has 10, both scored in the first period, along with Harold Druken, who got his league-leading 40th goal. Randy Fitzgerald assisted on two of the goals.

Paul Mara (his ninth) and Colagiacomo added to the Whaler lead with second-period scores; Smith, Jamie Lalonde (No. 12) and Nikos Tselios (No. 13) got final-period goals. Tselies and LaLonde each had a goal and an assist for Plymouth, which improved to 31-8-3. Brampton fell to 5-34-3.

Rob Zepp was asked to make just 13 stops in goal to earn the shutout victory. Delta Vedova faced 49 shots (41 saves) for the Battalion.

Salem simply too tough for Patriots

The outcome might be a foregone conclusion when an unbeaten team plays a winless squad, but outmanned Livonia Franklin made sure Plymouth Salem worked for its win. "Franklin was scrappy," Coach Bob Brodie said Fri-

Winning performance: Canton's Don LeClair was first in all

his events, including the 100-yard and 200-yard freestyles.

day night after his undefeated Salem basketball squad riffed the winless Patriots, 73-43. "They kept coming after us and wouldn't die." Salem (7-0) put 11 players in the scoring column as

it improved its Western Lakes Activities Association record to 2-0. Franklin (0-6) has played two WLAA "We led from wire to wire," Brodie said, "but the

spread came later." Salem opened with an 18-12 lead after the first quarter and bolted to a 34-16 halftime lead. But the Patriots came out strong in the second half

onto their margin before running it ou, at the end. Aaron Rypkowski paced Plymouth 19 points, Rob Jones got 16 and Mike Korduba popped in 10. Eight players scored for Franklin, led by Derek

and the Rocks were only able to tack one more point

Schema's 11. Salem made 19-of-27 free throws while Franklin went to the line 12 times and made eight shots.

"It was a hard-fought game," Brodie said. "They're a young and scrappy team? We forced a lot of turnovers. We spread the game as it went on."

PCA 58, Baptist Park 45: Plymouth Christian Academy began play in the Michigan Independent



No match: Salem's Mike Korduba netted 10 points against Franklin.

Athletic Conference Friday the same way it's been playing its non-league slate - by dominating.

The Eagles led 15-7 after one quarter at Taylor Baptist Park Christian and 29-16 at the half in plowing under the Wildcats. For PCA, it was its seventh win in eight games.

Derric Isensee's 21 points and nine rebounds led the Eagles (1-0 in the MIAC). Evan Gaines added 10 points and Jordan Roose contributed nine. Taylor Baptist (0-1 in the MIAC) got 16 points from Rob

Agape 89, Cornerstone 39: Canton Agape Christian had its offense in high gear Friday against visiting Riverview Cornerstone, and Cornerstone could not keep pace in this Metro Christian Conference

The Wolverines led 24-15 after one quarter and 52-28 at the half. They added 37 more points in the sec-

ond half while limiting Cornerstone to 11. Steve Mecklenburg's 29 points paced Agape (3-4 overall, 2-1 in the MCC). Julian Wettlin added 19.

Reggie Coleman got 13 for Cornerstone (0-6 overall, 0-3 in the MCC)

Redford CC 72, DeLaSalle 57: Nicke Moore scored 20 points and Dan Jess added 17, leading Redford Catholic Central to a victory Friday over host Warren DeLaSalle.

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week of Jan. 25 at the Summit

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Farmington dual record: 4-9 overall, 0-

t 6-0 overall, 2-0 WLAA Lakes Divi-

played Saturday.

Madonna men outlast Concordia, 58-54

University's men's basketball team made the most of its resources and held off visiting Concordia College to post its first Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference victory of the season, 58-54 Wednesday.

The win improved Madonna's record to 5-12 overall, 1-2 in the WHAC. Concordia is 3-16 overall, 0-3 in the confer-

After a dreadfully slow-paced first half - the game was tied at 20-all, with Madonna shooting a meager 30.8 percent from the floor and the Cardinals just 32 percent - the tempo picked up

Other Salem individual win-

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COLLEGE HOOPS

in the second, with the Crusaders in front most of the way. After opening up a six-point advantage on two Jason Skoczylas free throws with 7:33 left, Madonna allowed it to slip away as Concordia fought back to knot it at 42all with 6:36 left.

That, however, was the final gasp for the Cards. Three-pointers by Madonna's Trevor Hinshaw and Mike Massey in a 40-second span pushed the Crusaders' lead back to six, a lead they never again

team-high 16 points, eight rebounds nd four steals. Mike Maryanski added 12 points, seven boads and three the WHAC after going 11-4 prior to the assists, Massey totaled 11 points and start of league play with Wednesday's two steals and Hinshaw got 10 points, three assists and two steals. Madonna had just eight players avail-

them all. Seven of them scored. Concordia was paced by Aaron Courture's 16 points and Kareem Hairston's

Concordia 68, Madonna 52 (women):

relinquished. Skoczylas finished with a The problems continue for Madonna's women's team.

The Lady Crusaders slipped to 0-3 in loss at Concordia (8-7 overall, 1-2 in the WHAC). Their fate was sealed early against the Cardinals, who jumped in able, and coach Bernie Holowicki used front 13-3 and never surrendered the

> Madonna trailed 38-27 at the intermission and was never closer than nine in the second half. Chris Dietrich led the Crusaders with 14 points, but she due to inclement weather. Both will be made up converted just 3-of-16 from the floor. Feb. 15 at OCC.

Madonna made just 15-of-59 shots from the field (25.4 percent). Concordia, which got 18 points from Sandi Reynaert, 16 points from Lindsay Rossow and 15 from Kristy Bilbie, was 21-of-58 (36.2 percent). The Cards had a 46-42

Madonna is now 11-7 overall. SC CANCELLED: The Schoolcraft College men's and women's basketball games at Oakland Community College were both postponed

rehounding advantage

"We did some of the things we changed Lott's thoughts on the could do," said Olson. "We're not Western Lakes Activities Associwhere we want to be. We're com- ation race. Six-time defending ing around a little bit, but we've champ Salem is still the king of got a long ways to go. We need to the hill, but that hill is shrinking. "I think we are better," said Lott. So are Livonia Stevenson ners were Andrew Locke in the and North Farmington, which 50 free (22.77). Greg Kubitski in should make for a far more inter-

diving (165.40 points), Brian esting finish to the season. Mertens in the 500 free (5:08.16) and Aaron Shelton in the 100 SWIM NOTES: Salem hosted its breaststroke (1:08.15). annual Rock Invitational Saturday, with The Rocks' relay win came in four of the state's top 10 teams competing: No. 2 Ann Arbor Pioneer, No. 3 the 200 medley, with Matt Casil-Birmingham Groves, No. 6 Salem and las, Locke, Perez and Mark Witthoff combining for the victory No. 10 Stevenson. Pioneer beat top ranked and defending state champ Birmingham Brother Rice last week at a For Canton, their other indirelays meet, and unranked Birmingham vidual win came from Aaron Seaholm - also in the Rock Invitational Reeder in the 100 backstroke

(58.06). The Chiefs also won the field - topped Groves in a dual meet. Canton is the sixth team competing. 400 free relay, with Kurtis Hornick, Brad Nilson, Reeder and The meet's format is unique. Each LeClair (3:34.9), and the 200 free team enters four swimmers in each Indirelay, with Hornick, Chad vidual event, one in each of four heats, Williams, Nilson and LeClair with each team's fastest swimmers going head-to-head, their second fastest "They're a step ahead of us," going against each other, etc. A first in said Lott of Salem, noting that the third-fastest heat is worth as many Thursday's meet was the first points as a first in the quickest heat, dual in a month for Canton. "Our which means superior depth is reward-

major goal was to get from the ed. flags to the wall, or finish, bet-ter. And we did that very well."

The defending champ is Pioneer, which beat Salem, last year's runner-up, The inclement weather hasn't by 50 points. Stevenson was third.

Canton hoop from page D1

The Chiefs cut the Glenn lead to 33-32 two minutes into the fourth quarter after Major's second trey. Foder broke a Rocket scoreless streak of nearly seven minutes with a jumper and a

three-pointer. But Glenn couldn't shake Canton. After Cortellini nailed his first shot of the game from behind the arc, Major hit again from 22-feet out to give the Chiefs their first lead at 40-39 with 2:45 remaining.

Two free throws by Reggie Spearmon and a banker by junior Eric Jones (seven points) put Glenn ahead 43-40. Waidmann, who had kept Canton in the game in the first half, then hit his biggest basket of the game - a layup with 50 seconds

left. Waidmann was fouled on ation three-pointer at the buzzer, but the ball bounced off the play and made the free the rim. throw to tie the game.

on late three-point attempts, necessitating overtime. Canton took the lead for good with 1:30 remaining in OT on a free throw by Jimmy Reddy. Cortellini put the game away

Both teams failed to convert

with his six-straight foul shots. "Joe wasn't getting a lot of a shots and that's a credit to simply had shots that were not Glenn's defense," Young said. "But he showed leadership and hit the tough free throws in overtime. He led us with his leadership and finished the game for us, which is what being a senior leader is all about. And the team showed great focus in getting him the ball. Jones put up a 25-foot desper-

Glenn struggled from threepoint range, making only 3-of-15 ries, and converted only 8-of-16 free throw attempts. The victory culminated a Perhaps the biggest change in

the halves was the rebounding.

outscored the Spartans 19-7 and

23-12 in the second and third

outscore Glenn 34-17 in the final After outrebounding Canton 16-9 16 minutes of play. Last Friday, in the first half (including eight the Rockets squandered a 17offensive boards), the Chiefs held point first-half lead in its loss a 20-7 advantage in the second against Walled Lake Western. half and surrendered only two "I don't think we let up," Glenr second chances. coach Mike Schuette said. "We "At halftime, we talked about limiting them to one shot," falling and theirs did. We also Young said. "When we began to

failed to get the ball down low to have success at that, that's when Ty down the stretch like we we began playing better in the needed to do." Part of the reason for Glenn's second half woes was its shooting. The Rockets shot 38 percent from the floor (19-for-50) com-

"I thought we could win the game if we played good defense," Major said. "They had the game at halftime, but we came out tougher in the second half."

Basketball from page D1

The Shamrocks improved to 2in the Catholic League Central Division, 6-3 overall. DeLaSalle is 4-4 overall, 1-2 in the Central. Paul Anderson led the Pilots with 16 points. Teammate Ryan Cryderman added 13.

Harrison 81. Stevenson 42: The Tuesday.

game to run their record to 5-1. Mike Teachman of host Farm- John Glenn. ington Hills Harrison said Friday night, "which we didn't do on of

hot Hawks blistered the sagging

Harrison hit 33-of-71 shots in Spartans in the middle of the its second home game of the season where it made just 7-of-34 in

comeback that saw the Chiefs

quarters to put the game away. Nick Hall scored 21 points. Dave Pesci had 11 assists and "We hit some shots," Coach the second half against Westland four points, Joe Hundley scored 13 points and had 12 rebounds After leading 15-13 at the end one period, the Hawks and Andrew Burt had 13 points.

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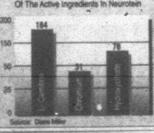
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Tuesday, Jan. 19

PCA at S'field Christian, 7 p.m

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Luth. W'sid at Clarenceville, 7 p.m

N. Farmington at Harrison, 7 p.m.

W. Bloomfield at Salem, 7 p.m.

S. Lyon at Farmington, 7 p.m.

Dearborn at Wayne, 7 p.m.

Fordson at Garden City, 7 p.m.

Gib. Carlson at Thurston, 7 p.m.

Edsel Ford at Redford Union, 7 p.m.

Huron Valley vs. Warren Zoe

at Marshall Middle School, 7 p.m.

Ecorse at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.

Churchill at Milford, 7:30 p.m.

John Glenn at Howell, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 20

Luth. East at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 21

N.B. Huron at Luth, W'sid, 7 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 22

Luth, North at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.

W.L. Western at Churchill, 7 p.m.

Franklin at Northville, 7 p.m.

Rec offerings • The Canton Parks and Recre-

> THE WEEK AHEAD Thurston at Annapolis, 7 p.m. PREP HOCKEY Crestwood at Redford Union, 7 p.m.

at Edgar Arena, 6 & 8 p.m Inter-City at Ply. Christian, 7:30 p.m. Huron Valley at Fairlane, 7:30 p.m. MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL Wednesday, Jan. 20 Madonna at Indiana Tech, 7:30 p.m. Schoolcraft at Delta, 7:30 p.m. Henry Ford at Oakland, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23

Madonna at Spring Arbor, 3 p.m. Stevenson vs. W.L. Western Alpena at Schoolcraft, 3 p.m. WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL Wednesday, Jan. 20 Schoolcraft at Delta, 5:30 p.m Henry Ford at Oakland, 5:30 p.m

Indiana Tech at Madonna, 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23 Spring Arbor at Madonna, 1 p.m Alpena at Schoolcraft, 1 p.m. ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE Sunday, Jan. 17

St. Agatha at Mt. Carmel, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 20 John Glenn at W.L. Central, 7 p.m. Salem at Stevenson, 7 p.m. Harrison at Canton, 7 p.m. N. Farm. at Farmington, 7 p.m. Wayne at Belleville, 7 p.m. Garden City at Southgate, 7 p.m.

Whalers at Erie Otters, 7:30 p.m. Borgess at Brother Rice, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 20 Stevenson vs. W.L. Central Redford CC at Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m

> Farm. Unified at Dearborn, 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 22 Churchill vs. Redford Unified at Edgar Arena, 6 p.m. Redford CC at E. Kentwood, 6:30 p.m. Franklin vs. Farm, Unified at Farm, Hills Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

> > at Lakeland Arena, 8:20 p.m. Seturday, Jan. 23 Red. Unified vs. W.L. Western at Redford Ice Arena, 1 p.m. Redford CC vs. Riv. Richard at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m. Franklin vs. Milford

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Ply. Christian at Grass Lake, 7:30 p.m.

John Glenn at Franklin, 6:30 p.m.

Luth. N'west at C'ville, 5:30 p.m.

Saginaw Valley Tournament, TBA

TBA - time to be announced

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Tuesday, Jan. 19 Agape at Saline Christian, 4:30 p.m. Huron Valley vs. Bethesda at Livonia St. Paul's, 6 p.m. Regina at Ladywood 6:30 p.m. Marian at Mercy, 6:30 p.m. Luth, N'west at Luth, W'sld, 6:30 p.m. Don LeCisir (Canton) 23.09 Wednesday, Jan. 20 Churchill at N. Farmington, 6:30 p.m.

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Ladywood at Riv. Richard, 7 p.m. Mercy at Notre Dame Prep, 7 p.m. St. Agatha at St. Alphonsus, 7 p.m. Macomb Christian at PCA, 7 p.m. Huron Valley at Fairlane, 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23 E. Kentwood Tournament, 9 a.m.

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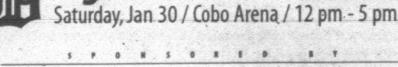
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night in WSU's divisional showdown game with Findlay (Ohio) before 693 at the Matthaei Building. But despite an off-night - 13 points,

seven below his season average on fourof-14 shooting and three rebounds -Goins and his Tartar teammates, ranked fourth in the latest NCAA Division II poll, emerged with a hard-fought 69-58 victory over the Oilers.

Wayne improved to 13-2 overall and 7-1 in the South Division of the Great and a 25-point, 10-rebound effort

Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Confer-

ence. Findlay is 12-2 and 6-2. "I know I'm not going to get 20 every night," Goins said. "Guys are coming out to get me. I just have to know when

"We're a balanced team now where open man. And he'll take good shots it was our point guard Charles LeSure onight they just didn't fall. (17 points, six assists) and Adam Jones (12 off the bench) who stepped up." With a 21-point effort or better in Sat-

urday's GLIAC game against Hillsdale, Goins will surpass Bob Solomon (1970-73) as WSU's all-time leading scorer Goins had 1,592 heading into the Hillsdale games and needs 1,612 to become the Tartars' all-time leading scorer. This season, Goins has scored in dou-

ble figures 14 of 15 games with 20 or more points in eight of them. He had a season-high 32 against Wayne (Neb.)

against Grand-Valley State.

He also leads the team in blocks (17), including a key swat of Findlay's Tony Dorsey with 3:02 left, helping clinch the

"People are going to pay a lot of attention to Tony and are going to play him tough because he's a league MVP type," WSU coach Ron Hammye said of the All-America candidate. "But he's good enough and smart enough to find the

"But we had other people step up. Tony knows he has to let the game come to him. That's what makes him a tremendous team player." Goins made first-team All-South last

year and was a second-teamer as a workout for summer competition. He's told me scoring is not everything. It's But an all-around game has develalso defense and rebound that makes oped this season, according to Hammye. the team win." "Tony's more physical then he's been

WSU coach said. "And defensively his junior. game has stepped up." Goins had 11 first-half points, includ-

when called upon.

"The last two years I've had good individual numbers, but we've gone 13-13

Goins averaged 14.2 points as a freshin the past and he's more active," the man, 17.0 as a sophomore and 19.9 as a

ing a sequence where nailed a three- and 13-13," Goins said. "I realized I had pointer and then brought the house to do something else to help the team." down with a thunderous dunk.

ed out of John Glenn High School.

Goins said. "He's helped me work on

certain moves and worked with me dur-

"And he's really a good one-on-one

ing the summer in the weight room.

That's where Aaron's expertise has With WSU adding size and strength "Michael is usually here at every ballup-front, Goins plays more on the perimeter, but can go inside or outside game and Tony looks up to him," Hammye said. "Michael is somebody I'd like

to have on my staff someday. He's a Much of the credit from his development goes to fellow Inkster native solid person, Goins, meanwhile, still has a lot of Michael Aaron, who was GLIAC Player of the Year for WSU in 1993-94. The two met when Goins was being recruit-"He (Aaron) is one of my best friends,"

basketball season left with the ultimate goal of getting back to the NCAA Division Regional. The Tartars last earned regional berth in 1993-94 (Aaron's

After he leaves WSU, Goins would like a shot somewhere in the professional ranks, which is a distinct possibility. If not, he will graduate and enter the working world, perhaps following the career of his father Robert, a foreman

for Ford Motor Co. "I came here to get a degree," said Goins, who is nine credits away. "I also came to play a little basketball. I'm hav-

ing fun here at Wayne State, that's all I

Vikings edge goalie-less Chargers The Mustangs opened the scoring with the

Wins and losses don't bother the Livonia Churchill hockey coach. Team growth is

Hatley did something few of his compatriots would even contemplate doing Friday night: he pulled his team's goalie in the wan-

ing moments of a tie game It backfired when host Walled Lake Central scored into an empty net with 23 seconds to play to give the Vikings a 2-1 victory over the struggling Chargers.

Central called timeout with 2:30 to play in a 1-1 game, at which time Hatley told his lads "we're either coming out of this game with a win, or we're coming out with a loss. "We're not coming out with a tie - we've

had five of them already Hatley noted that his team "seemed to be kind of complacent about our situation. "So I told them, 'We're pulling the goalie."

Churchill had some bona fide scoring chances over the last minute or so but was unable to put the puck in the net. Walled Lake Central took advantage of its opportunity and came down to get the game-winner. The victory was the first in seven Subur ban High School Hockey League games this season for Walled Lake Central (3-11) while Livonia Churchill (5-4-5) is now 4-3-1 in

league action.
"I'd do it again tomorrow," Hatley said

"Every one of my teams seems to go through a lull. And this seems to be the time." Churchill scored first, on a power play at the game's 4:59 mark, with Justin Charnock

getting the goal with assists from Chuck

Leight and Adam Krug. A Jordon Dodds goal, while Walled Lake Central was on a power play, tied the score at 13:22 of the first period and it remained deadlocked until Hatley's strategic ploy. C.J.

Kirk drew the assist on the score. Offensively," Hatley said, "the Chargers are struggling. Over our last five games we've only hit the 3-goal mark one time. We've given up just two goals in each of our last five games.

"We'll work out way out of it."

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Which is just what his move was supposed do. And may do yet.

lorthville 5, Franklin 1: A strong finish carried the Mustangs to the SHSHL victory. Northville scored the last four goals of the

game, two in each of the final two periods Friday night, to raise its record to 7-3-1 overall and 3-3-1 in the SHSHL. Livonia

Franklin is now 5-5 overall, 3-5 in league

Patriots tying it at 11:21 of the first period on a goal by Tony Saia, assisted by Nick Tilt. However that was it for Franklin's scoring. Northville broke the tie in the second period

and led, 3-1, entering the final session.

"Our team played the worst game we've played all year," Coach Terry Jobbitt of Franklin said. "We had some breakdowns

and didn't follow our systems at all. "We coaches all felt we could win this game - and the team went out totally flat. (Chris) Garbutt played a really good game in net. And (Rob) Williams did also.'

Northville put 21 shots on Garbutt, with four getting into the net. He was replaced by Williams at the nine-minute mark of third period. The Mustangs scored on one of five shots against him.

Redford Catholic Central and Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook was postponed Wednesday night for safety reasons, officials citing all the snow that's fallen on the Cranbrook Arena roof. Officials thought playing a game was too

CC postponed: The hockey game between

risky. Several roofs of businesses in the metro area collapsed last week because of heavy snowfall No makeup date planned as of Thursday

Raiders rough on Churchill

Warriors wreck Cranbrook;

Lutheran Westland piled up a 20-point lead — and it nearly rasn't enough

Senior forwards Ryan Ollinger and Tom Habitz scored 25 and 12 points, spectively, Friday night to lp the Warriors (3-2) post a 65-63 Metro Conference win

ver Bloomfield Hills Cran-

Visiting Bloomfield Hills anbrook (2-5) fell to 2-2 in by Tyrell Smith, who had 25

Lutheran Westland fashed an 18-12 lead after one riod and extended it to 39-23 the half, running out to a 20oint lead at one time in the cond half before Cranbrook

N. Farmington 64, Churchill 44: The Raiders muscled the hargers right out of the win. "North Farmington is very

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BASKETBAL ive," Coach Rick Austi said Friday night. "They're a very strong team. They were

more aggressive and strenge, than we were." Emir Medunjanin scored 25 points for Coach Tom Negor an's team with the Raiders 1) winning their second WL game in as many tries. Th hargers (3-4) are winless

Medunjanin's 25 points for Livonia Churchill and Avery

up scored 10. They did an excellent job of oing us out on the perime Austin said.

That was reflected in the free throw totals. Churchill had four free throws, making all of them, while visiting North Farmington was 10-for-19.

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Stevens overcomes handicap



John Stephens Plymouth bowls in the K of C'League Monday nights at Bowl Lanes in Livo-

Stephens HARRISON leads the league in averages at 223, has shot at

least a 700 series over the past five weeks and is truly one heck of a fine bowler.

The rest of the story starts back in 1970.

The place was called Vietnam, and there was an awful conflict going on between the forces of good and evil. There was also a land mine out there, and in a quick millisecond John Stephens'

life would never be the same. He lost one leg above the knee and the other was badly damaged. Bowling was the last thing on his mind after the lengthy

recent blast of

winter hitting

Michigan smack

dab in the face

snowmobilers

are out in mass-

es enjoying the

decent, lasting

cover of snow in

the southern

section of the

The thrill and

state.

excitement of snowmobiling has

allowed the sport to grow in pop-

ularity over the years to the

extent that it is now a major seg-

ment of Michigan's tourism

There are over 300,000 regis-

tered snowmobiles in the state,

and hordes of non-residents flock

to Michigan's winter wonderland

each week to enjoy the tremen-

dous snowmobiling opportunities

states in the country that offers

snowmobilers a large system on

interconnected, groomed trails.

With a 5,800-mile trail system

there is plenty of area to explore

It's certainly no secret that

snowmobiling is a thrilling and

exciting winter activity, but it

can also be very deadly when

common sense is clouded and

In 1996 there were 47 snow-

Bald eagles are very

Females are larger than

males and weigh from 10 to

14 pounds. Individuals

measure 34-43 inches long

with a wingspan that may

When you see one, they

look much bigger than the

common red-tailed hawk

frequently seen along the

Fortunately for those of

impressive birds.

be 6 to 7.5 feet long.

roadside

us living in Michigan, it is much easier to see

migration at Erie Marsh Metro Park. That is

a new record for this location. Back in 1973

only 83 pairs were nesting in the entire

state. Bald eagles have made a remarkable

Not only can we see eagles in summer, but

This past fall 143 bald eagles were seen on

Michigan is one of just three

awaiting them here.

with a snow machine.

safety rules ignored.

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an eagle these days.

of a

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rehabilitation and his return to Let's call this his home in Westland at that next item a profile in courage.

Some of his neighbors insisted that he join their team as a sixth man, and perhaps just to get out a little among his friends. It took awhile for him to figure out a way to deliver the ball, as his movement was quite limited.

He has an artificial left leg and wears a brace on his right, but he came up with a no step delivery, generated a powerful swing and let his own natural ability and determination take over.

Perhaps self conscious at first, John kept at it, did not give up, and accomplished something that others would think impossible. His courage and determination has paid off, as he has developed him into one fine bowler.

He has been over a 200 average for the last eight years. His high water marks are 290 and 778. He is retired from the

truck engine division of Caterpillar in Novi. · Every now and then a new innovation comes along. From

mobile-related fatalities in

Michigan and another 39 last

"It is crucial for people operat-

ing snowmobiles to drive safely

and drive smart," said Herb

Burns, chief of the Law Enforce-

ment Division of the Michigan

Department of Natural Resources. "Drivers should

always be aware of potential

hazards and use good judgment."

lowing safety tips to ensure that

you have an enjoyable and safe

. Don't drink and drive! Not

only is it against the law, but

drinking alcohol before or during

snowmobiling can impair judg-

ment and slow reaction time.

Alcohol also causes body temper-

ature to drop at an accelerated

rate, which increases the likeli-

·Slow down! Speed is a con-

tributing factor in half of all

fatal snowmobiling accidents.

Drivers should proceed at a pace

that will allow ample reaction

time for any situation. When

driving at night a speed of 40

mph could result in "overdriv-

•Always be prepared for the unexpected! When riding a

snowmobile always be sure to

have a complete first aid kit, a

flashlight, waterproof matches, a

·Stay alert! Fatigue can

Bald eagles out in record num

rely on road kills.

early spring.

Peninsula.

because they are primarily a fish eater. But

when fish are hard to catch, they can also

uary, have probably been a factor in eagles

staying north. Though the more eagles

raised in the state, the more eagles will like-

ly stay as close to the nesting area as possi-

ble so they can get the prime nesting sites in

ter eagle count sponsored by the Michigan

Department of Natural Resources.

will be tallied for the 1999 count.

Jan. 15 marked the end of this year's win-

During a 15-day period, sightings of eagles

In 1998, 593 eagles were seen in Michigan

These numbers are far above the 143

eagles reported in 1987, but not as high as'

the 751 birds reported throughout the state

Numbers of birds will vary from year to

- 250 were reported from the Upper Penin-

sula, while 343 were reported from the lower

Relatively mild winters, up until this Jan-

snowmobiling season:

hood of hypothermia.

ing" the headlight.

knife and a compass.

The DNR passes along the fol-

winter.

Don't drink and snowmobile!

gestion Brunswick representative Ken Lauterbach to the manageof

Mayflower Lanes in Redford came the Cosmic first Camp for Kids (ages 3 and up).

ment

The Jan. 11 camp was under the direction of Vickie Ingham of Livonia. It was indeed a wonder that so many kids showed up considering the miserable weath-

Most of the kids came from open bowling and were invited to take part in the event, a fourweek activity on Mondays.

It was all enhanced by the newly installed Brunswick Cosmic effects and music that was a delight for the kids and parents.

Cosmic bowling has special lighting effects that when coordinated with the music provide a totally fun atmosphere for young and old alike. The smaller chil-

and judgment. Don't be afraid to

take a break, or even a nap, to

·Beware of thin ice! Never

cross a body of water if you are

uncertain of ice thickness and

strength. Also, never travel in

single file when crossing a body

of water with a group of sleds.

Remember, snow cover can act

as a blanket and prevent safe ice

Dress for safety! Always wear

a full-sized helmet and goggles

or a face shield to prevent

injuries from twigs, stones, ice

and other flying debris. Wind-

proof and water-repellent cloth-

ing should be worn in layers and

should be just snug enough so

that no loose ends catch in the

· Avoid roads! Make every

attempt to stay away from auto-

mobiles, whether moving or

parked. When it is necessary to

cross a road be sure to come to a

complete stop, look and listen for

traffic, and always use hand sig-

upcoming weather conditions

before venturing out. Rapid

weather changes can produce

Adhere to the buddy system!

Never travel alone. Most snow-

mobile accidents result in per-

sonal injury to some extent. A

minor accident can turn into a

major emergency if a person is

dangerous conditions.

·Watch the weather! Check

recharge yourself.

from forming.

snowmobile.

the initial sug- dren had bumpers.

As an added attraction, the Cosmic 'Girl "Twinkle" came along in full regalia and handed out the glow bracelets for all the kids and helped out with the program.

There were refreshments for all and the kids could win prizes in the Red Pin Game.

There is a grand door prize, a cosmic bowling ball, which will be given out next week. This was designed to get kids involved in the fun of bowling, that will get them interested in the sport.

The Mayflower staff was very involved from the start with the full support of proprietor, Henry Mistele.

Each month will bring about a new camp, and a different day of the week will be used, so that more parents will be able to make it to the lanes.

Other bowling houses should take a good look at thisbecause it's great for the game and great for the kids who participate.

must travel alone, tell someone

your destination, travel route

and estimated time of arrival,

and be sure they check to see if

The DNR sponsors free snow-

mobile safety courses throughout

the state. Children ages 12-16

are required to pass a snowmo-

bile safety course in order to

operate a snowmobile without

adult supervision. Participants

who pass the course receive a

Classes begin Jan. 19 in

Berkley - call Robin at (248)

544-5815 for more information.

There are also on going classes

in Allen Park - call (313) 383-

For more information on snow-

mobile safety or upcoming class-

es contact the DNR's Livonia dis-

trict office at (734) 953-0241 or

access snowmobile class informa-

tion on the Internet at

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It was 50 years after the annual counted

A single bird was seen in 1988. Since then,

however, eagles have been seen in 1992,

water. When open water is not available, it

is a hit and miss proposition. In spring,

when courtship and nesting begin, eagles

near the Fermi Power Plant, and occasional-

ly they are seen at Crosswinds Park in

It'will be interesting to see how many eagles are counted this January with the

This year may be another dip in the graph

Some are nesting along Lake Erie and

their increasing numbers in the state.

can be seen in the Monroe area.

southern Wayne County.

cold and record snow fall.

started before a bald eagle was seen on the

8765 for details.

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St. Linus Men's Classic: Frank Chrzanows ki, 224-268-228/717; Dan Bollinger, 235-247-207/689; John Adomitis, 229-210-239/677; Ron Latimer, 214-247-214/675; Dave Clark, 249-225/672; Scott Whisenand, 222-224-225/671.

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Wednesday Senior Men's Classic: Rich Gorka, 265-203/639; Stan Gagacki, 265-201/645; Paul Temple, 214-259-214/687; Duane Kuras, 235-232/654; Ted Kress, 269/647; Jesse Macciocco, 221-233

MERRI BOWL (Livonia) Bowling Bags: Robin Barter, 207/586;

Malinda Wivell, 185. Early Risers: Wanda DeNardis, 202/560;

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214/543; Roy McMahan, 202/543; Betty Moore, 209/516; Carmen Leggert, 224/573, Youth leagues (Pin Busters): Andrew

Kozlowski, 139-130; Matt-Royek, 157; Bryan Anderson, 182; Romel Mirlor, 161; Joe Rizzo, 238/605; Ben Tibbles, 184. Pin Heads: Nate Hinton, 234-223/639: Heather Ringrose, 189; Michael Zak, 174-

168; Tim Knight, 180. Gutter Dusters: Kayla Blanchard, 164; Kelly Showers, 124Mario Vezzosi, 172; Nicole

Lewandowski, 156; Chrissy Happer, 147. Strikes & Spares: Brandon Mound, 226/576: Darin Gilbert, 187: Dale Donohue,

187; Kyle Shatara, 183; Melissa Saatio, 160. Pepsi Pros: Amy Keller, 219; Mark Majewski. 235; Brian Adams. 243/692; Dustin Willem, 220-233/666; Melissa Whitlow, 199; Andrew Murany, 237; Josh Smith, 222; Robby Ozenghar, 222.

CLOVERLANES (Livonia)

Kings & Queens: Todd Buhler, 640: Gleno

St. Aidan's Men: John Golen, 200-245/629; Jack Pomeroy, 240/602; Dave Weber, 227-231-212/670; Conrad Sobania, 200-205/604; Rob Jackson, 217-207.

FoMoCo Thursday Nite: Steve Guteskey. 279/712; Wayne Walters, 264/671; Craig-Fleischer, 248/660; Cal Collins, 683; Dave Diomedi, 671.

TNBA Annual Battle of the Sexes: Gwen inley, 279/666; Nick Henigan, 267-242/658; Eddie Towns, 245/699; Lonnie Fields, 277-212-269/758; India Smith: 253; Eric Hanley, 278/704; Marvin Parker. 266/732.

WONDERLAND LANES (Livonia) Father/Son (Sons): Glen Stempeck, 296

(141 pins over average): Mike Berini, 267/705; (Dads) Butch Risner, 265/692. Wonderland Classic: Rick Bingley, 265-/760; Mark Payne, 300/750; Dave Kroll.

290/747; Ed Malinowski, 730; Brad Wolter,

729; Greg Bashara, 718. Nite Owls: Mark Linsner, 253/706; Mike Piontek, 242/673; Anthony Young, 658; Jeff

Schiklan, 658; Curt Grangood, 279/651. WOODLAND LANES (Livonia)

Ford Parts: Vaughn Pistolesi, 266/677

Ford T & C Ladles: Faith Cuzzort, 233; Diane Reschke, 214; Sherry Wozniak, 224; Diane Broal, 201; Stacy Simson, 211; Lori Schedules" under the "Outdoor Bacon, 223: Sandy Gorman, 203.

> Tom Newbrough, Jr., 279-267/734; Ken Warren, 679; Larry Cooper, 685; Don Paquette 663; Shane Wyatt, 681. Jacks & Jills: Joe C. Monge, 287/676;

Denise Weeg, 202/524; Don Thor. 235; Denise Durkin, 226/578. Senior House: (Premium Bowling Prod-

ucts): Richard Posh II, 266/730; Gary Duarard, 288/755; Philip Caldwell, 245/702 Jeff Roche, 266/713.

Ladies Nite Out: Laura Zain, 266/643. Midnight Mixed: Dave Parker, 659; Bill lobertson, 687; John Hurley, 700. Midnighters: Tony Smith, 660.

Men's Trio: Jeff Adamczyk, 300; Steve Virant, 274/738; Erv Watson, 705; Dave Grabos. 257/717; John Muczinski, 256/717; John Weiss, 703 This upward trend is also reflected in the

Sparemakers: (an Relieperche, 256. Early Birds: Fran Carlson, 516: Mary Shar rar, 509; Laura Sakata, 515.

Gay 90s: Cliff Parker, 225; John Nelson,

Happiness Is: Susan Rodey, 266/663 Friday Kings & Queens: Andy Artero. 299. West Chicago Men: Ron Dedes, 300.

1995 and 1998. This is another reflection of Morning Glories: Marge Kelley. 204. Helen To see an eagle in winter, check near open Monday Seniors: Doug Arnold, 211, Fred

Pro shop owner Bill

Zacheranik runs the Z and Z Pro

Shop at Mayflower Lanes and

offers this advice to bowlers who

are not doing as well as they feel

"One of the most common mis-

takes today is people overwork

ing the ball physically. They are

trying to make it hook more,

which in return might actually

"In choosing a new ball, some

will select one that is too much

for their ability level and cause a

negative reaction. Sometimes a

ball that is too strong at the fin-

ish' works against them, and

they have to fight the ball to be

He adds: "The key with many

of the newer balls is to throw

with a more natural release so

the ball will not over-react, and

they should:

make it hook less.

on target."

'more natural release'

Local 182: Bob Monie, 214; Frank Bertani, 224/607.

WESTLAND BOWL

Sunday sleepers Invitational: Chris Kliczinski, 299/796; Billy Gerace, 270/756; Martin McMurry, 262/707; Jamal Hughes; 268/741; Gene Piotrowski, 278/712.

St. Mel Men's: Jim Slavin, 265/747; Bob Dorsey, 279/748; John Auty, 235/645; Mark Brooks, 247/652; Bill Gallagher, 233/675.

Friday Men's Invitational: Paul Velasquez. 245/691; Rommell Alif. 265/728; Sean Collins, 247/621; Joe Collins, 228/620; Ken Januarkowski 224/625: Steve Rzepka. 255/586; Steve Witkowski, 224/637;, Larry Malone, 268/601; Al Carpenter, 257/612; Mike Capps, 245/718; Jim Jendrusik;

COUNTRY LANES (Farmington)

Sunday Goodtlmers: Wayne Lanning, 236; Mike Kovacs, 207-206; Al Harrison, 205.

University Men's: John Flores, 269; Chris Semik, 268/711, Jerry Fiema, 698.

Monday Midnight Men: Mike Kassa, 246; Chicago Sha'sa, 244; Eddie Arsanos, 665;

Strikers: Edie John, 207/547; Due Yaldo.

Prince of Peace: Laura OiConnell, 209: Celeste Flack, 205/534.

Monday. Nite Men: Mark Gladden, 256; Steve Fortney: 256/707; Jack Treolar, 255; Ken Vann, 693.

B'Nai Brith Brotherhood (Eddie Jacobson): Jerry Rose, 217-264/672, Barry Fishman 242-227-201/670; Stuart Vinsky, 233-217/633: Mike Lieberman, 249/202/623: Mike Klinger, 233-226/616.

Tuesday Mixed Trio: Jeff Eisenberg, 248. Keith Kingston, 247/695; Wendy Lord. 213/540; Jackie Ulrich, 202.

Wednesday Nite Ladles: Sue Kin. 214/610:

Loon Lake: Derek Amolsch, 246/634; Chuck Cruz, 244/638; Curt Calola, 246.

Sports Club: Raad Dawood, 234/589. Robert Shammami, 222.

Wednesday Knights: Pat Testa, 279; Will Kassa, 267/696; Steve Lingertot, 267/749. EVER-7: Craig Servalish, 275/671; Barney

Knorp, Jr., 267; Dave Spitza, 256/665; Ron Mathison, 255/631; Bill Bica, 237/630. Farmington Schools: Matt Lash, 247/569

Steve Jaffe, 212; Laura Lazar, 158. Country Juniors: Mandee Garcia, 219/555;

Jason Hedger, 204/545. DRAKESHIRE LANES (Farmington)

B'Nai Brith Downtown Fox: Kevin Elbinger, 213-210/617; David Rose, 211-200; Jason Elbinger, 206-202; Neal Drillich, 225; Ron Jacobs, 224.

B'Nai Brith Morgenthau L'Chayim/Zeiger-Gross: Larry Garlinkie, 206-223-205/634; Jern Broida, 223-236/629; Marshall Spinner 226-205/620: Steve Hoberman, 224 215/619: Len Moss. 242/600.

SUPER BOWL (Canton) Youth leagues (Saturday 11 a.m. Majors):

Nicholas, Bowns, 203; Jessica Force, 233. Saturday 9 a.m. Majors: Pat Brown. 256/715; David Mintz, 213/579; Brian

Stack, 221/601; Ken Bazman, 235/562; Matt McCaffrey, 540. Saturday 11 a.m. Juniors: Tiffany Richards.

162: Melissa Siemasz, 166; Adam Lajoie Saturday 9 a.m. Juniors: Brent Moore

208/561; Michael Ligeski, 231. Saturday 9 a.m. Preps: Steven Howells,

Friday Majors: Brad Burmeister, 203; Tim

Moncrieff, 214/605. Friday Juniors: Matt Lipford, 173.

Friday Preps: Bill Schmeiter, 138; Danielle Reinhart, 138: David Roth, 125.

PLAZA LANES (Ptymouth)

Plaza Men; Mark Pennington, 256; Billi Clements, 289/694; Ron Way, 290/710; Don

Cathey, 258; Bruce Cauber, 274.

Powertrain Men: Clarence McClea. Pete Herman, 248-257/677 Sheldon Road Men: Don Radabagh, 265-

259; Dave Kowalski, 268; Derryl Alexander, 258; Dave Bogedain, 267.

St. Colette Men's: John Glasgow, 259: Bob Oatman, 254; Tim Hicks, 253 NOVI BOWL

Westside Lutheran: Tim Collins, 666.

Chuck Berry, 266/656; Lynn Lewis, 653; Mike Hasty, 636; Steve Faith, 630.

TROY LANES (Thoy) Rockin Rollers: Carrie Jubb. 253/685. Patti Stange, 234; Linda Popko, 230. Saturday Nite Special: Curt Benham. 244

237: Chris Papcon, 235 OFL N: Mark Ciluffo, 256 223/678. Dolls & Guys: Ted Achatz, 266, 691

Throw bowling ball with

year, but the trend for the eagle population of population results. Open water is important to bald eagles Mudpuppies aplenty in area waterways

Mudpuppies may be ugly creatures, but they still deserve to

many stay on into winter.

That's why the Michigan Department of Natural Resources urges ice anglers to throw mudpuppies back into the water - and not leave them "on

In southeastern Michigan, mudpuppies are often caught on Lake St. Clair and the Detroit River.

"Sometimes anglers leave mudpuppies on the ice to die, because they feel these salamanders are worthless or even danand streams but their populations have been declining severely in recent decades.

the food chain. They are not a throw-away species."

Mudpuppies are native to North American lakes and streams, but their populations have been declining severely in recent decades. They have flat-

They also have bushy, reddish gills behind their heads. Their color varies, and ranges from a brown to a grayish-brown with scattered dark spots or blotches.

typically eight to 12 inches long.

crayfish, snails, insect larvae. worms, and some fish eggs.

ice fishing season, the law requires its release back into the

considered salamanders and are protected under the laws that protect salamanders," said Lori Sargent, DNR Wildlife Division.

out of the waters from November 15 through the last Saturday in



Bowling pro

exotic drillings, Bill says: "For the average bowler it's not really neces-sary, but for somebody who wants to get more aggressively into the game. I highly recommend it enhances.

let technology

Asked about

do its work.

the back-end reaction and hit-"There are many ways to do

leverage leverage/axis weight or many other off-label drill patterns. "It can be done to make a ball

more aggressive or to tame one down. It really does work, so consult your pro shop on this."

game fish. Their diet consists of Mudpuppies are native to North American lakes

gerous," said Gary Towns, DNR tened heads, slimy skin, and four District Fisheries Biologist. "But every species, including the mudpuppy, is important in the environment and has a role in

legs with four toes on each foot.

Those caught by anglers are

There is no evidence that mudpuppies damage fish populations. They are not a menace to

If a mudpuppy is caught this

"Mudpuppies are technically

Mudpuppies cannot be taken