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Holiday closings: Canton Township offices will be closed Monday for the Independence Day holiday. The administration building will reopen at 8:30 a.m. Tuesday

Tuesday's regularly scheduled meeting of the Canton Township Board of Trustees has been canceled. The next regular. board meeting will be 7 p.m. Tuesday, July 13.

Summit on the Park will be open for swimming and other activities 8 a.m.-noon today (Sunday) and 6 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday. The Summit offices will be closed both days.

The Canton Public Library will be closed today (Sunday) and Monday. The library will reopen at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday

There will be no trash pick-up in residential neighborhoods Monday. Pick-up in for all neighborhoods will be one day later than usual for the balance of the week.

WEDNESDAY

Talking Y2K: A panel discussion on the Y2K problem will be held during the Canton Chamber of Commerce monthly luncheon noon Wednesday at the Summit. Panelists include experts from area banks, utilities and law firms. Admission is \$15 per person. Reservations can be made by calling the chamber office by Monday at (734) 453-4040.

THURSDAY

Live music: The band Counterplay is featured at the weekly concert in the park series at Heritage Park. Showtime is 7:30 p.m. Blankets and lawn chairs are welcome and concessions will be available.

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Roadway gunmen headed to trial



Two Canton men were bound over by Judge John MacDonald Friday, on charges stemming from a June 25 shooting spree on Palmer Road. Cash bonds were continued for the defendants.

What was supposed to be a night of letting off steam by shooting in the woods turned into the near murder of a 22-year-old Canton woman.

That's the statement Timothy Regan Boster gave township police hours after he and Zachary Scott Woodby pumped as many as 11 rounds into a Chrysler LeBaron driven by Dawn Davis, according to testimony in 35th District Court Friday.

The defendants, both of Canton, vere bound over for trial in Wayne County Circuit Court.

The shooting spree was supposed to be at trees, not people, according to the statement given by Boster. Both had had recent problems with women.

Canton Police Det. Steve Miller gave testimony about the statement during Friday's preliminary exam in front of Judge John Mac-Donald. Miller told the court that Boster said he fled when Woodby began shooting at Davis.

He said he freaked out." Miller said, "and ran away at that point." Woodby, 20, and Boster, 21₆ will face multiple felony charges July 16 at the Frank Murphy Hall of

Justice in Detroit. Cash bonds of \$250,000 and \$100,000 for Woodby and Boster, respectively, were continued by MacDonald.

Woodby waived his preliminary exam. He faces five felony counts including assault with intent to murder, three charges of firearms discharge at a building and one count of felony firearm.

Woodby was represented by Plymouth attorney Dennis Shrewsbury. He said that his client may be willing to accept a plea bar-

"I don't know what the prosecu-

tor will offer," Shrewsbury said. "If he offers something reasonable, (Woodby) might take it."

"Reasonable" means a reduction of the assault with intent to murder charge, he added.

"The prosecutor won't likely give that up easily," Shrewsbury Boster elected to have his hear-

ing with MacDonald. He faces three counts of firearms discharge at a building and one count of felony firearm. Plymouth attorney Gerald Con-

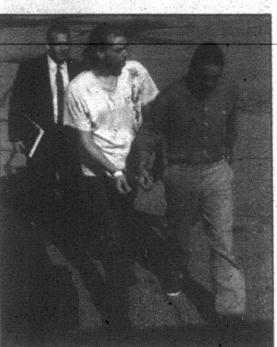
ley represented Boster. He declined to speculate on whether the case would be pled out or tried at the circuit court.

MacDonald threw out the felony firearm charge against Boster. Misdemeanor charges of carrying a dangerous weapon in a motor vehicle and transporting a long gun were added, however.

The shooting occurred at about 2:30 a.m. on June 25.

Davis was heading westbound on Palmer Road and stopped at the intersection of Sheldon. Two gunmen were standing on the side of the road and opened up on the

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STAFF PHOTO BY PETER WILLIAMS

Exam: Canton Police detective Steve Miller (from left) escorts defendants Zachary Woodby and Timothy Boster into court Fri-

A round of applause for summer



Clap, clap: Kyle Ceci, 17 months old, of Westland dances with his mother Kristie Ceci to the music by Bobby Lewis & The Crackerjack Band at the summer concerf at Heritage Park in Canton. For more photos from Thursday's concert, please turn to Page A 4 in today's Observ-

WTUA faces building dilemma

BY SCOTT DANIEL

To build or not to build

That's the question Western Township Utilities Authorities members Canton, Plymouth and Northville townships will be asking themselves over the next few months.

Board members from all three communities met at a Wednesday study session at Summit on the Park in Can-

At stake is the authority's future. Options were winnowed from five to two at the meeting, namely keeping and expanding WTUA's role with a wastewater treatment plant in Ypsilanti or building its own facility

Canton Supervisor Tom Yack is leaning towards construction of a WTUA facility. The primary issue in his mind is control - something the Ypsilanti community Utilities Authority (YCUA) is unwilling to relinquish even slightly.

"They're not going to give us a voice, said Yack. "I'm very disappointed by their position."

Having representation on YCUA's board would allow the authority some control over operational and capital costs, he added. That translates to control over how much WTUA's more than 100,000 users pay each month in water

"I firmly believe control is important," Yack said. "We want to be viewed as a partner, not a customer."

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Please see WTUA, A2

Conservatory seeks to buy former music store

BY SCOTT DANIEL STAFF WRITER

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The Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory is working on a deal to purchase its current digs.

The conservatory occupies township landmark Arnoldt Williams Music building on Canton Center Road just north of Ford. SMAC Director Jeff Myers hopes the transaction will be complete by early next month.

"It would make us a lot stronger," he said. "We'll have a firm commitment to the community. We want to stay in Canton. The community has been unbelievably supportive of what we

The conservatory opened in June of last year. Since then, the township has paid about half of SMAC's \$160,000 monthly rent on the building.

That agreement runs out at the end of this month. Myers said the conservatory can't afford to pay the full rent

"It would be very, very difficult," he

Purchasing the building could save the conservatory as much as \$50,000 per month, said Myers.

"The reason we're looking at doing this is purely economic," he said. "It would provide us with lower payments and some equity."

If the deal goes through, a sale of half the parcel is likely. It would put SMAC in an even better financial situation, said Myers

"If we can sell the front parcel," he explained, "it will really capitalize us. It would basically pay our mortgage for five years.

An appraisal of the building and parcel should be complete in about two weeks. Myers thinks it will ultimately cost about \$1 million to make the pur-

"We're confident it will be in that neighborhood," he said.

Monroe Bank and Trust would finance the deal. SMAC has worked

Please see CONSERVATORY, A3



Looking to deal: Conservatory director Jeff Myers says an outright purchase of the former Arnoldt Williams building makes sense. The conservatory would then sell a portion of the land to Wayne County.

help in San Diege. Their general manager came

asked me to help out."

through and I guess they liked my work, so they

He went from late-season help to scout to even-

tual scouting director for the Padres. Smith was

hired as assistant GM for the Colorado Rockies

Before coming to Detroit in 1996, he spent

1993 at the age of 29, he

became the youngest GM

in major league history, a

record which still stands.

appointed, he coordinat

ed the so-called "fire

sale" in San Diego when

no player was safe from

the trading block. He has

acquired future all-stars

and a league MVP and

hired a National League

But Smith, 35, con-

tends that for a GM (who

is in charge of judging a

person's potential), a glit-

tering past doesn't go

"It's just like being a

player," he said. "You get

stuck living in the past

and you're not going to

last very long. It's a per-

formance game and

you're counted on every

year to achieve some

goals, whatever they may

Perhaps the most

nteresting thing about

Smith's job, though, is

that thousands of peo-

ple, nearly all of whom

have never been in a

contract negotiation or

scouted the Latin Ameri-

can leagues

very far in the business.

Manager of the Year.

Two weeks after being

three seasons as the GM of the San Diego

Padres. When he was named to the position in

in 1991 before returning to San Diego.

WTUA from page A1

Kathleen Keen-McCarthy said she's looking for a consensus from her board before supporting either option. She thought the study session was helpful.
"It was well-done and present-

ed," said Keen-McCarthy. It brought all board members up to speed, she added. "It was good for us all to be in the same

WTUA Operations Manager. Tim Faas is hoping all three boards will make a decision on which option should be pursued "We need to move on this as

soon as possible," he said. WTUA was formed in the tackle environmental problems with combined sewer overflows

and stormwater drainage prob-

It's overseen by a three-member board comprised of each township's supervisor.

On average, WTUA pumps 9 million gallons per day from its sanitary sewer to Ypsilanti and 8 million gallons to Detroit through pumping stations at Joy and Haggerty and at Michigan Avenue and Haggerty.

Enough capacity currently exists for WTUA communities with its Ypsilanti and Detroit arrangements. Both deals could be terminated in about a decade,

The authority intends to leave the Wayne County system by 2012, Faas said: The cost of improving that system, which could range from \$1 billion to \$4 billion, is a primary reason. Faas said it's unclear how much of help pay or leave and fend for already in place. that price tag suburbs will be hit itself

A 38-year-old Ann Arbor said

woman could face a felonious

assault charge for allegedly

causing a "road rage" accident at

7:15 a.m. Monday on M-14, near

"The Mustang was heading

eastbound on M-14 at Beck

when the driver of a Pathfinder

changed lanes in front of her.

The driver of the Mustang

became angered, passed the

Pathfinder and slammed on her

brakes," said Michigan State

The 1997 Pathfinder rolled

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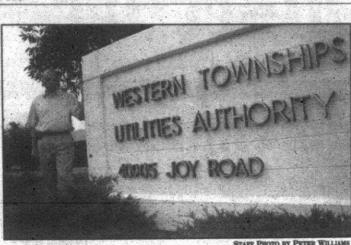
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three times before coming to a

stop in the eastbound lanes, he

Trooper Shawn Barton.



early 1990s by the townships to Making plans: The utilities authority intends to leave the Wayne County system by 2012, said Tim Faas, WTUA operations manager.

munity, possibly downriver, long

before that date. Faas said the

long as the capacity is sold to

being a large hurdle at this

YCUA is currently at 80 per-

The 24-year-old Pathfinder

driver, also from Ann Arbor, was

taken by ambulance to Saint

Joseph's Hospital for multiple

later that day, Barton said.

minor injuries. She was released

The report is being sent to the

Wayne County prosecutors' office

to charge the driver of the 1998

Mustang with felonious assault

for causing the accident, Barton

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one of its existing members.

point," Faas said.

years, Faas said.

eading for Ypsilanti.

Both scenarios make it imper-The authority hopes to sell its ative for WTUA to act now, Faas Detroit capacity to another com-"Additional capacity is going to

be needed," he said. "We realize county supports that idea so it will take time to build that The YCUA could expanded by

"We don't perceive this as 2004, while a new authority facility would take about a year longer to complete. Each option That would leave all flows has its own strengths. A WTUA facility would be \$20

million cheaper to build. Operacent of its capacity. A large tional costs would also be lower, increase from WTUA or from its and the authority could exercise own members will create the greater control over them. State and local approvals has

need to expand within a few already been received for YCUA Once the YCUA's board expansion, making it a sure decides to expand, the authority thing, said Faas. Management has 90 days to decide to stay and and other necessary facilities are

Charges possible in M-14 crash the Canton Police station. while, were seen running

Canton officers eventually

An 18-year-old Canton man tion. However, when he stopped at the stop sign at Joy the driver of the Expedition began flashing his lights at him. Finally, at a red light at Ann Arbor Road, the

was reported to Plymouth Towncause an accident. ship police later the same day. A 49-year-old Northville man could The teen told the driver to be charged with malicious READER SERVICE LINES

destruction of property for dent-ing a car in an alleged fit of rage about 8 p.m. Monday.

told police he exited his subdivision onto northbound Beck Road near Joy with "plenty of room" in front of a blue 1998 Ford Expedidriver of the Expedition pulled A second "road rage" incident alongside his 1999 Chevrolet yelling that he was going to

> "lose the ... attitude," which caused the driver of the Expedition to block in his 1999 Chevrolet and begin kicking the driver's side door and hood.

The Canton man wants to press charges. Police are investi-



Victim on stand: Driver Dawn Davis testifies during Friday's exam. Judge John MacDonald is in the background.

Gunmen from page A1

Davis' Chrysler LeBaron was hit 11 times, police say, with rounds from an AK-47 assault rifle. Three adjacent homes and a day care were also struck with gunfire. · Amazingly, Davis was only

slightly injured with a piece of metal shrapnel grazing her right lower leg. Davis fled from her car and

made it over to the shoulder of the road. She stopped a passerby, who then gave her a ride to Woodby and Boster, mean-

between homes south of Palmer. They then left the subdivision and fled southbound on Sheldon in a dark blue Pon-

where they had crashed into a belonged." 1989 Ford minivan heading westbound, police reports said. As for Boster's exam Friday, numerous pieces-of seemingly

Canton Officer Eric Kaledas apprehended Woodby after the Michigan Avenue accident. He said he recovered three weapons from the vehicle Woodby was driving, including

Woodby were made.

two shotguns and the assault "He had an incredible amount of ammunition draped around him," said Kaledas. Woodby, he said, also made a

"He said he didn't deserve to straight into the air. be in society," Kaledas testi-

apprehended Woodby and fied. "He said he deserved to be Boster on Michigan Avenue in jail and that that's where he

Officer Scott Hughesdon told MacDonald that he recovered numerous spent gun shells from Woodby's AK-47 at the intersection of Palmer and damming testimony against Sheldon roads. All three weapons, he added, were still loaded when he processed them for evidence at Canton's police station.

Miller, who headed up the department's investigation, testified that all recovered bullets from Davis' car and homes around the intersection were from Woodby's assault riffle.

He also testified that Boster likely only fired his weapon, a small caliber shotgun, once,

Police: Two bank robberies may be work of same man

BY SCOTT DANIEL STAFF WRITER

An undisclosed amount of money was stolen from a Ford Road bank Wednesday by an unarmed bandit, according to

A man described as 25-40years-old, 5-foot 10-inches tall, about 150 pounds and wearing

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an orange construction hat hit the man, who then fled east-Comerica Bank near Canton bound on Ford in a station Center Road

Officer Leonard Schemanske said the robbery is likely related to a Monday incident. A man fitting the description attempted to Michigan at Ford and Haggerty, but got no money.

"His description and M.O. said. "I hope he sticks around so we can grab him."

Wednesday's incident occurred at about 3:10 p,m.

The man entered the bank, leads," said Schemanske. walked up to a teller and demanded money, police reports should contact Canton Police at said. The teller handed over an (734) 397-5344. undisclosed amount of cash to

Monday's incident, which occurred at 9:45 a.m. was simi lar. The man used a note in ask ing for money, reports said. He rob a First Federal Bank of fled the bank without gaining Schemanske said the man is

believed to then have left Canton were identical," Schemanske and rob a Dearborn Heights bank, also on Ford Road.

Both Canton robberies have been turned over to the FBI. "We're assisting them with

Anyone with information

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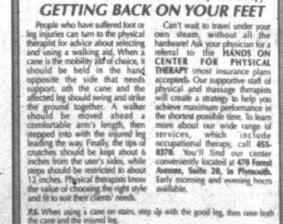
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the job," he said of "It's seven-days-aweek and you're on call, like a doctor, 24hours-a-day. You go to spring training in February and you go a day off but, even

Safe at home

Tigers GM faces tough season,

but finds comfort in hometown

Seasonal guy: Smith, a native Texan, says he likes the change of seasons in Michigan and enjoys his home in the mer player help your Plymouth area.

cause? Or a retired coach? Broadcaster perhaps?

BY DUNCAN E. WHITE

makes Smith's day a

little different than

In fact, only a few

dozen individuals

hold the same job as

Smith: General

Manager of a major

league baseball

"No day is ever the

same ... that's proba-

bly the best part of

his rare occupation.

You're doing some-

thing you love but

it's a labor of love.

until the end of

September. There's

very seldom a day

off. The players have

then, we're still in

So, how does one

become a baseball

Would being a for-

For most of us, our mornings start out pretty

much the same as Plymouth Township resident

Randy Smith's: Wake up ... cup of coffee ... grab the paper ... head for the office.

Then we get to the "Which Major League base-

ball player should I trade today?" question that

Yet, Smith is none of the above.

His secret? Simple. Keep a baseball executive around the house while growing up.

"I grew up in baseball," he said. "My dad (Tal) has been an executive in the league for over 40 years now. I grew up around the game and knew a lot of people

Smith, an honest, straight-shooting Texan began his career in Beaumont, Texas as an intern with the Padres then double-A Texas League affiliate.

"I did everything that year, from pulling the tarp, to selling programs to selling tickets," he recalled. "It just happened to be the year that the Padres went to the post-season and they needed

prospects, feel that they can do it better. "I was driving to work one day and I was (surprise!) stopped in construction," he recalled.

There was this guy laying cement on the freeway and I thought to myself, I have no idea how to tell that guy how to do his job. But I'd be willing to bet that he could tell me how to do mine."

Smith said the move to Michigan and, more specifically, Plymouth, a few years ago was a nice change that allowed him to find the right work-

"I had a choice between Detroit and two other teams," he said. "I took this because it was the right fit with the right people."

Smith got the job but what he found was much

have come in from out of town say it looks like here. the set from 'Back to the Future.'

"Two weeks after we moved in, I had to take our dog to the vet. We pulled up to the office and

CANTON CONNECTION

Newburgh

Wider is better

Drivers have been testing the new pavement on the reopened Canton Center since early last week. The newly widened stretch - from Ford to Cherry Hill - officially opened to traffic with a ribbon-cutting ceremony on Tuesday, although cars were allowed onto all five lanes a day or so

The year-long, \$3.3 million project is the second phase of an \$8 million improvement plan for Canton Center by Wayne County. Work on the next segment - widening Canton Center to five lanes between Ford and Warren roads, will begin next April.

"We appreciate the community's patience with this project as we look forward to the next phase," said Tom Yack, Canton supervisor. "Once complete, the widening of Canton Center will well serve the community

Roads part II

Joy Road is closed to through traffic from Haggerty to Hix while bridge repairs over the I-275 freeway are being done.

east of the bridge but won't be able to cross over of Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind.

the summer. McCabe donation As part of an ongoing effort, McCabe Funeral Iome recently presented the Canton Public

the bridge. Residents who live west of I-275 will

only be able to access Joy from Haggerty. Resi-

dents east of I-275 will gain access from Hix or

The work is expected to continue throughout

The collection was established in 1993. "Grieving can be a lonely process, and everyone has his or her individual way of coping with the loss of a loved one," said Kevin McCabe: "We established the bereavement collection to provide Canton residents with another way to assist them through the grieving process.

Library with a check for \$500 to buy new books

for the "Special Collection on Bereavement."

Getting organized

Canton Chamber of Commerce Executive Dissetor Ryan Ambrozaitis recently completed a week-long program of study with the Institutes Local traffic will have access both west and | for Organization Management at the University

Conservatory from page A1

extensively since its inception in organization." ment and operating funds. They have a big stake in our a larger more permanent home lessons again.

enterprise," said Myers. reliant on the bank, but still township's," he said. receives as much as 20 percent of Growth in student population up by the end of this year.

new company," said Myers. "It has more than 700. gone through some immense staff to 36 employees," Myers kids." growing pains. But we've been added

with the financial institution able to turn it into a fairly strong

in Canton, said Myers. The conservatory is less "Our plans are in-line with the

its monthly operating capital. has been key. SMAC started "Everything is set up and in

Summer is a slower time for the arts conservatory Various terms of improvements, equip- Purchasing the building won't camps tide the company over change any plans in constructing until fall when students begin

Myers expects SMAC's student growth to continue He thinks more than 1,000 will be signed

"We've had struggles like any with just 88 students and now place for them now," the director added. "We're focusing on elehas been a heck of a year. We've gone from almost no mentary and middle school-aged



team through its last season at Tiger Stadium. Smith hopes his team's play will improve by the time they move to Comerica Park next spring.

"I've enjoyed the seasons," he said. "I've never he was just getting in his car and you know lived anywhere where we experienced all four what? He got out of his car, went inside, got us seasons. And Plymouth has kind of a small town what we needed and told us to pay him another atmosphere with it's quaintness. Friends that time. That was a nice feeling when we first got

> Just one request from Plymouth, Randy First stop with the championship trophy in a

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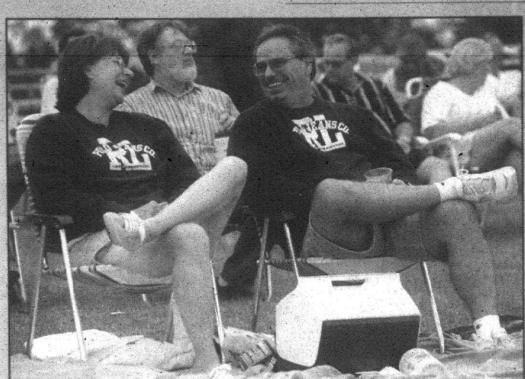
Sex offender released

After spending five weeks in a private clinic near Phoenix, in one of the leading programs for the treatment of sexual addictions, Randall Horace has moved to Plymouth and has registered with the police department as a sexual offender.

The former Canton man was caught last October by police and charged with indecent exposure for exposing himself to children at the Plymouth District Library, and leaving lewd photographs of himself around

Horace's attorney, Daniel Weberman of West Bloomfield, confirms that Horace spent time at The Meadows near Phoenix, which has become well known for its treatment of people with sexual disorders. Weberman said the treatment was part of a plea bargain which resulted in Horace receiving five years probation after being arrested on four counts of indecent exposure. "Mr. Horace is the kind of per-

son who needs treatment, not incarceration," said Weberman. In February, a court-ordered psychological report stated Horace "suffers from a disorder called Exhibitionism, which involves recurrent intense sexual urges and sexually arousing



Lawn seats: Marcia and Chris Drake of Canton enjoy Thursday's concert in Heritage Park, singing "Under the Boardwalk." At right, Roxanne and Jeff Boczar of Canton, their 2-month-old son, Jack, and greyhound Roundy attended the ow featuring Bobby Lewis & The

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On stage: Bobby Lewis sings the opening number with his band, Bobby Lewis & The Crackerjack

OBITUARIES

Services for James F

Albright, 70, of Westland were

June 30 at the Schrader-Howell

Funeral Home of Plymouth with

the Rev. Joseph Lowing officiat-

ills Memorial Gardens in Novi.

Mr. Albright was born Dec. 13,

1928, in Obion, Tenn. He died

floor inspector at Dunn Steel in

Plymouth prior to retirement.

Camp Polk, La., and loved gar-

came to the Westland communi-

Cindy Fletcher

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Band, at Heritage Park in Canton.

Services for Diane Troutman, 51, of Plymouth were June 28 at Vermeulen Funeral Home of Plymouth with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia.

Summer concert series in high gear

Mrs. Troutman was born Nov. 3. 1947, in Detroit and died June 24 in Plymouth.

She worked as an administrative assistant and was a member of the Northville Eagles, Plymouth VFW, and Northville Moose. She attended St. Raphael Catholic Church.

She was preceded in death by her-husband, James Troutman. She is survived by her parents, Genevieve and Angelo Ditri of Spring Hill, Fla.; her son, Daniel L. Franklin II of Livonia; her brothers, David (Tracie) Ditri of Oceanside, Calif.; Donald (Lynn) Ditri of Novi and John (Heidi) Ditri of Novi; sister Angel (Bill) Trail of Novi; and many nieces and

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er Joseph Albright of Joliet, Ill. Memorials may be made to the Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society, 29350 Odyssey Hospice a Odyssey Southfield Road, Suite 110, Health Care, 41651 W. 11 Mile. Southfield, MI 48076.

Novi MI 48375. Arrangements were made by Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home in Schrader-Howell Funeral Home JAMES F. ALBRIGHT

OWEN J. BUSH

Services for Owen J. Bush, 37, f Plymouth were July 3 at Gesu Catholic Church in Detroit with the Rev. John Sullivan officiating. Burial was at Holy Sepuling. Burial was at Oakland chre Cemetery in Southfield Funeral arrangements were made by John N. Santeiu & Sons Inc. in Garden City. June 26 in Westland. He was a

Mr. Bush was born Nov. 24. 1961, in Detroit. He died June 29 in Plymouth. He was a dis-He served in the U.S. Army at trict manager for 7-Up. dening, bowling, basketball, and playing cards. Mr. Albright

He is survived by his father James (Shirley) Bush, and his mother Maureen (Ronald) Marion, and sister, Mary Elizabeth

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operators "due to their troubled

Dunleavy also found the air-

port was owed \$1.2 million in

bills from companies in 1997-98.

He has yet to audit the 1998-99

In a May 26 letter to the com--

mission, Wayne County Chief

Financial Officer Thomas

Naughton said he was "puzzled

dan Dunleavy in a report to as to how they could get it so have been implied in the Auditor

"The report would suggest that said.

the truth.

financial state."

making it the fourth busiest airport in the state. A 2,600-acre facility located about 10 miles west of Detroit Metro Airport straddling Wayne and Washte naw county lines, Willow Run offers facilities and services for regional and international cargo carriers, and corporate and private aviation companies Willow Run handles nearly

BY KEN ABRAMCZYK

last six years.

county charter.

Wayne County taxpayers have

perations of Willow Run Airport

as the facility has not operated

That was the conclusion of the

county's Auditor General Bren-

county commissioners. The audi-

tor general is required to audit

county departments at least once

every two years, according to the

Commissioners approved the

report on June 17, along with

recommendations to address

Dunleavy found that an Enter-

prise Fund, which through user

charges - landing, rental and

oncession fees - provides funds th pay for the airport's operations, fell short. Operating rev

enue has declined \$387,616

ween 1996 and 1997. During 1997, 21 percent of its cash

cans from other Wayne County

t appears that Willow Run is

chrrently unable to operate in

such a manner without reliance

on financial assistance from the

ounty's pooled cash," Dunleavy

Fourth busiest in state

stated in the report.

rements were financed by

problems found by auditors.

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picked up part of the tab for the

100,000 tons of cargo annually Carriers transport a wide range of cargo, including automotive and electronic components. emergency medical supplies, mail and packages.

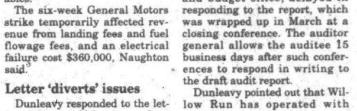
Dunleavy attributed the revenue reduction to less business for one of Willow Run's largest



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General's report," Naughton

Audit shows taxpayers picking up tab for Willow Run

Naughton said. "Simply put, who fell behind in payments and issues" identified in the report. nothing could be further from "have negotiated payment plans Dunleavy said airport manag and are current on all receiv-

Naughton said Willow Run ing capital (funds) from operastrike temporarily affected revtions in excess of \$2 million since enue from landing fees and fuel closing conference. The auditor 1993 and over \$1.8 million in flowage fees, and an electrical general allows the auditee 15 positive cash flow from operaousiness days after such confer-

Letter 'diverts' issues

ter with one of his own on June cumulative net losses in excess Willow Run cannot continue to Naughton said Willow Run 7, stating Naughton's letter of \$2 million since 1994. Willow operate independently due to representatives met with two of attempts to "spin and distort" serious cash flow problems," the airport's largest operators the facts, and "diverts the real ing capital in each of the six

Dunleavy said airport management, and county's management

Run also has had negative work-

Working capital is defined as current assets over current liaand budget office, delayed in bility, Dunleavy said. That only improved by \$870,000 and responding to the report, which remained at a negative \$510,000 was wrapped up in March at a

at the end of 1997-98. "The inability to build cash reserves has forced Willow Run to rely on financial assistance ences to respond in writing to from the county's pooled cash,' Dunleavy pointed out that Wil-Dunleavy said. "As a matter of fact. Willow Run has only carried a \$500 petty cash balance at

the end of each year since 1993."

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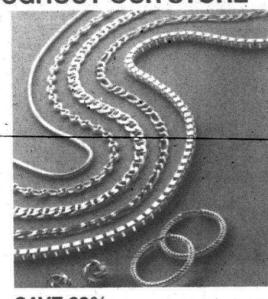
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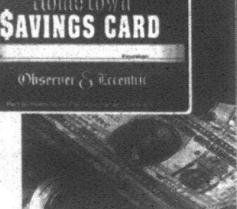


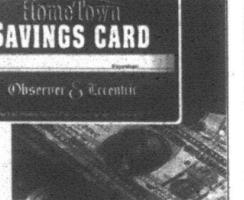
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Commission balks at relinquishing charter powers

By KEN ABRAMCZYK STAFF WRITER kabramczyk@oe.home

County commissioners rejected County Executive Edward McNamara's reorganization plan Thursday as several commissioners raised concerns about allowing McNamara the opportunity to add an unlimited number of division directors and deputy division directors.

They were also concerned the plan would relinquish some of their legislative duties in the charter concerning the approval of those division directors

McNamara's plan originally created 13 new department divisions and added 26 administrative appointed divisions.

Since the reorganization plan outlines the structure of county government, the rejection means the county does not have an approved plan as is required

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under the charter. Commissioners cannot amend the county executive's plan, only approve or reject it.

Commissioners also approved five ordinances that established county departments for the airports, jobs and economic development, environment, community justice and information technology. Commission counsel Ben Washburn told commissioners the ordinances allowed them to reserve the right to approve 10 appointees in those depart-

June West, McNamara's press secretary, said McNamara will review the commission's decision and Wayne County's corporation counsel will examine the ordi-

county executive's plan, but it won't disrupt any of the county operations," West said. "It's not the end of the world."

The original plan was reviewed by Auditor General Brendan Dunleavy, Fiscal Adviser Jim Smith and Commission Counsel Ben Washburn, who raised questions whether a county executive's reorganization plan may modify the powers and duties of the legislative branch the commission - or more specifically the power to reject the county executive's appointments.

Their review asked: "May the legislative branch irretrievably delegate any of the powers and the duties with which it has been vested to the chief executive officer?"

Commission Chairman Ricardo Solomon, D-Detroit, met with McNamara Wednesday after commissioner voted 8-2 to reject the plan Tuesday at a committee of the whole meeting. Solomon

"It's their right to reject the said the commission had "come to terms with 95 percent of the

> "We just did not reach an agreement," Solomon said.

Commissioners wanted the final say on department directors. Solomon named management and budget, parks, environment, along with management and budget appointees, calling them "absolutely critical."

"We reserve the right, and we should have the right, to approve these," Solomon said. "I think those (appointees) are critical to our fiduciary responsibility. Solomon agreed with Washburn in that the 10 department heads should come before the commis-

Commissioner Bernard Park er, D-Detroit, said McNamara "is calling these divisions, we consider them departments.

Commissioner Lyn Bankes, R-Livonia, who served as a charter commissioner prior to voters approving the charter in the early 1980s, said the charter creates a "strong" executive. Bankes was the lone vote against the motion approved by 12 commissioners to reject the plan.

Bankes pointed out that the commission's earlier disagreements with the plan were raised only over the McNamara's change of the senior citizen department into a division of Health and Community Services. McNamara later changed that proposal back to its former department" status.

"I think this is a bunch of fooling around with the plan,"

Bankes said.

Earlier, Bankes had said she opposed the ordinances because she thought the commission didn't need to bind the county executive with the ordinances and get into approval of division appointments.

That's micromanagement, Bankes said

Bankes also "did not have any problems" with McNamara's plan nor a county executive with decision-making power, she said.

Vice Chair Kay Beard, D-Westland, said the ordinances could be rescinded at any time. "It's important for us to have this in writing. It's critical for us to adopt the five (director) positions, so they can continue in their job performance."

Commissioner George Cushingberry, D-Detroit, read from the charter that stated that commissioners are empowered to approve the county executive appointees of deputy county executive, directors, deputy directors, members of boards and commissions, and "all other officials or representatives not in classified service.

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approved recommendations that called for an accounts receivable analysis on a quarterly basis and a study by county officials of fees and rents and an exploration of raising rates to increase rev-

Commissioners also want to

"ensure sufficient oversight of the accounting function" in the reporting of amortization, fixed assets, promissory notes and workers compensation.

Dunleavy is expected to audit the 1998-99 expenses and compliance with the recommendations at a later date.



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Sauvignon blanc pairs perfectly with food

auvignon blanc is the most ver-satile wine with food. Yet, only four percent of more than 300,000 vineyard acres in California produce it. With an increasing U.S. interest in pairing wine with food, this planting neglect is disappointing.

Despite this, no one is more enthusiastic about showcasing sauvignon blanc's versatility with food than chef Sunny Cristadoro at St. Supery Winery in the Napa Valley.

Versatile varietal

"Because sauvignon blanc is the most versatile varietal with food, some, even professional chefs, have taken that to mean they can put anything with this wine, and that's an overstatement," Cristadoro began as we chatted at Birmingham's Big Rock Chop & Brew House where she was an invited celebrity chef.

Cristadoro agrees that sauvignon blanc's freshness makes it an ideal aperitif: a sipper, even without food. But the freshness, coupled with clean flavors, matches the spiciness of Thai foods, all Asian cuisine and harmonizes well with Mexican dishes.

"Even with the broad range of sauvignon blanc wine styles, if the wine is balanced and so is the dish, the chances of the wine pairing with the food are quite good," she said. "Cajun and Creole cooking are popular, but sometimes with outrageous amounts of cayenne pepper. That's not authentic New Orleans cooking. Excessive amounts of cayenne put the dish out of balance and it will not match any wine."

To achieve the best harmony of sauvignon blanc with food, Cristadoro suggests assessing the style. Warm climate sauvignons yield grapefruit,

lemon and slightly grassy characters. "This directly relates to citrus qualities perceptible in food matches," she added. "Grassiness suggests cilantro, chives, basil and light green herbs. There's a direct correlation and a simple complement."

Saucing is another of Cristadoro's focal points. Chicken can pair with any wine from sauvignon blanc to a big red, she notes. But you have to ask, "what are you putting on the chicken as a sauce?" It's not just the main element you're working with, alongside it.

Fruit characters

Cristadoro likes to play on the fruit characters of sauvignon blanc. Sea bass with a salsa made from mango, kiwi, papaya, ginger, cilantro, and lemon juice is a winner. Sea bass can be posched in sauvignon blanc or seared if a crisp crupch is desired

"The key is to let the buttery quality of the fish, particularly sea bass or halibut, add its own richness to the dish," she said. "Tropical fruits bring out the same elements in the wine.

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Wine Picks

Picks of the pack: Two reds worth cellaring for special occasions are 1996 Shafer Cabernet Sauvignon, Napa Valley \$38 and 1996 Benziger Reserve Merlot

Try the following delicious sauvignons using food pairing suggestions in the wine column: 1998 Marquis de Chasse Sauvignon Blanc/Semillon blend from Bordeaux \$8.50; and 1998 Mason Sauvignon Blanc, Napa Valley \$14.

III Flavoriul whites at purse-pleasing prices: 1998 Santa Julia Torrontes \$6 is made from the little-known torrontes grape that has astounding aromas and flavors matching it to Asian cuisine. The 1998 Marques de Caceres White Rioja \$6 makes a great aperitif or will pair with any

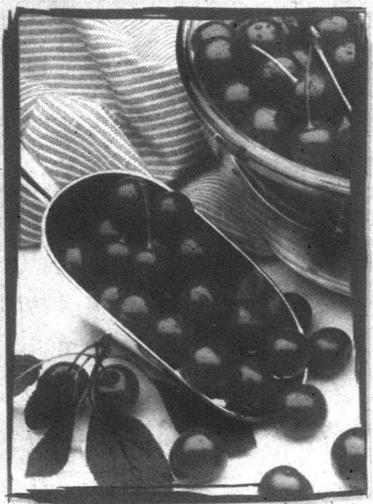
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LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

2 Unique Main Dish Miracle





Cherries, cherries tart and sweet now ripe enough to eat and eat

Once upon a time, along the sandy shores of Old Mission Peninsula, a Presbyterian minister named Peter Dougherty defied the advice of local Indians and planted a cherry orchard.

He prayed the waters of Grand Traverse Bay and nearby Lake Michigan would temper the cold Arctic winds and cool his orchard in the summer.

That was in 1852. Today, Michigan grows 70 to 75 percent of the nation's tart cherries and about 20 percent of the sweets. About 40 percent of the state's 36,000 acres of cherry trees are concentrated in the Grand Traverse Region, with Traverse City dubbed the "Cherry Capital of the

A spring ceremony known as the "Blessing of the Blossoms" was initiated in 1924 to honor the region's cherry-growing prowess. The event evolved into the National Cherry Festival, held in Traverse City this

year July 10.

But you don't have to travel to Traverse City to get your fill of cherries. Local cherry growers say the tarts are ready for picking, and the sweets should follow in about

Peter Blake, owner of Blake's Orchard & Cider Mill in Romeo, expects a medium-size crop this year due to spring frosts. He grows the tart Montmorency cherry (excellent for pies, preserves, jellies, and juices) and the popular Bing and Van sweets.

"I'm partial to tart cherry pie, warm with a scoop of cold ice cream," said Blake, who prefers his cherries bedded down between two flaky crusts. Others like

their cherries au naturel. Eaten plain, cherries are low in fat, calories and sodium and contain no choles-

terol. They contain more vitamin A, calcium, iron magnesium, phosphorus and copper than apples, cranberries, strawberries and peaches. They have about the same amount of

potassium as peaches and grapes. Current medical research also suggests eating about 20 tart cherries per day could reduce inflammatory pain and provide antioxidant protection as well.

Both tart and sweet cherries freeze well. Just remember to pit

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Berries, berries plump and juicy save just one for Auntie Lucy

The berries are here! Let summer begin.

Produce sections of your local market already are dotted with boxes of these summer jewels sapphire blueberries and ruby raspberries. If you want your berries very fresh, you can pick them at area farms.

Berries are small but mighty when it comes to flavor and nutrition. Just one cup of fresh blueberries gives you five grams of fiber more than most fruits and veggies and 15 percent of your daily vitamin C. All this for

just 80 calories. The blueberry is a native recipes American species. Early settlers used blueberry

juices and syrups for coughs, and the root was used to make a pungent tea given to women during childhood. However, today's magnificently plump, sweet and juicy cultivated blueberry is a far cry from the small, wild highbush blueberry cherished by Indians and pioneers.

Choose blueberries that are deep-colored and fully ripened, with smooth skins that invite a pin prick. Do not wash berries before refrigerating or freezing. Washing

results in a tougher-skinned product. If freezing blueberries, place them one layer deep on sheet pans. Freeze, then place in freezer containers. Both frozen and fresh blueberries should be rinsed and drained just before serving.

Raspberries

Barb Middleton, owner of Middleton Berry Farm in Oakland County, loves her raspberries. "On cereal, ice cream, raspberry pie. I'll just eat them anyway I can.

Middleton grows both summer and fall raspherry crops. Summer varieties are available for approximately the next three weeks. Fall raspberries, ripening the first week in

September, are smaller and sweeter than the summer variety. Middleton has no preference. "A true raspberry lover doesn't care. She oves them all."

Besides great taste, raspberries have the most bang for the caloric buck when it comes to dietary fiber. One cup of unsweetened raspberries offers 3.7 grams of dietary fiber at a cost of just 61

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Avenue and two miles east of Romeo Plank Road, U-pick: tart cherries, raspberries and peaches, sweet cherries, black raspberries, apricots, plums, nectariries, blackberries; U-pick apples and pampkins. Open May 1 to

M Drivers Serry Farm South Lyon, (248) 437-8461, 1-96 to Milford Road, exit south to 10 Mile Road, west to South Lyon. Two miles west of South Lyon, furn right and drive one-and-a-half miles. Or, take U.S.-23 to Silver Lake Road,

Exit 55, south of Brighton, Go east three miles, follow signs. U-pick: early blueberries and thornless red raspberries - both in July. Fall raspberries starting in September. Open daily 8 am to 8 n.m.

勝 Erwin Orchards U-Pick & Cider Mill South Lyon, (248) 437-4701 (recording) or 888/824-3377, www.erwinorchards.com on the web 1-96 to Kent Lake Road (Exit 153), south one mile to Silver Lake Road. turn east and follow signs. Located near Kensington Metro Park. U-pick: summer and fall thorniess red and yellow raspber ries. U-pick apples (14 varieties) and u-pick pumpkins. Open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily mid-July to mid-November.

The Good Earth Farm Howell, (734) 878-3149. I-96 to D-19 intersection (Pickney Road). South on Pickney Road six miles to Brighton Road. Left on Brighton one and a half miles to Brady Road. Right on Brady to farm. U-pick: fall raspberries in late August. Picking is good uniti Oct. 20. Open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Mon day-Saturday

III Makielski Berry Farm Ypsilanti. (734) 434-3673 or (734) 5720060. One mile south of US-12 (Michigan Avenue) and one-half mile west of US-23.) U-pick: fall red and yellow raspberries: 14 acres. Open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. from approximately Aug. 25 to Oct. 31.

M Middleton Berry Farm Oakfand, (248) 693-6018 (hotline).

I-75 to Exit 81 (M-24, Lapeer Exit). M-24* north two miles to Silverbell Road, turn right. Go four miles to Adams Road, turn left. Go four miles to dead end at Stoney Creek Road, turn right. Go three-quarters mile to farm on left. U-pick: peas and raspberries. Call for hours. # Park U-Pick Fall Raspberry Ferm

8779 Dixbero Road, South Lyon, (248) 437-1631. Seven miles west of Plymouth and 11 miles northeast of Ann Arbor, one

mile west of Pontiac Trail and 1,000 feet south of 7 Mile Road. U-pick: fall red raspberries starting approximately September 14. Open 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. daily

B Rapp Orchards

Romeo, (810) 752-2117. Three miles south of Romeo on M-53 between 29 and 30 Mile Roads. U-plok: cherries - two acres of sweet and tart.

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M Spicer Orchards

Fenton, (810) 632-7692. U.S. 23 three miles north of M-59 or 10 miles south of Fenton to Clyde Road (Exit 70). Go east one-fourth mile. U-plok: raspberries, blueber ries, tart and sweet cherries, and plums (end of July). Also u-pick fall raspberries and apples. Picked peaches and pears for sale Open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily beginning July 10.

M Wasem Fruit Farm Milan, (734) 482-2342. U.S. 23 to Willis.

Road (Exit 31), three miles east to Pitman Road, south one mile to Judd Road. Or, take I 94 to Rawsonville Road (Exit 187) south four-and-a-half miles to Willis Road. west four and a half miles to Pitman Road. south one mile to Judd Road. U-pick: tart cherries from approximately July 1-20, Open

Enjoy Michigan cherries and berries

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DOUBLE CHERRY PIE

4 cups frozen unsweetened tart cherries

1 cup dried tart cherries 1 cup granulated sugar

2 tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca

1/2 teaspoon almond extract Pastry for 2-crust, 9-inch pie 1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg 1 tablespoon butter

Combine frozen cherries, dried cherries, sugar, tapioca and almond extract in a large mixing bowl; mix well. (It is not necessary to thaw cherries before using.) Let cherry mixture stand 15 minutes.

Line a 9-inch pie plate with pastry; fill with cherry mixture. Sprinkle with nutmeg. Dot with butter. To make a lattice crust top. cut remaining pastry into 1/2-inch wide strips. Arrange strips on pie at 1-inch intervals. Fold back alternate strips to weave crosswise strips over and under. Fold bottom pastry over strips. Seal and flute edge. (If desired, a solid top crust can be used. Cut slits in pastry to allow steam to escape.)

Bake in preheated 375-degree oven about 1 hour, or until crust is golden brown and filling is bubbly. f necessary, cover edge of crust with aluminum foil to prevent it from getting to brown. Makes 8

Recipe compliments of the Cherry Marketing Institute.

SPINACH SALAD WITH CHERRIES

1/4 cup olive oil 1/4 cup red wine vinegar

2 teaspoons honey 1/8 teaspoon black pepper

5 cups cleaned torn spinach leaves, stems removed

1 cup bite-size fresh pineapple chunks 1/2 cup dried tart cherries

1/2 cup thinly sliced red

Crumbled feta cheese, option-

For the dressing, combine oil, vinegar, honey and pepper in a medium bowl; mix well. For the salad, combine spinach, pineapple cherries and onion in a large salad bowl. Spoon dressing over spinach mixture; mix to coat salad with dressing. Serve topped with feta cheese, if desired. Makes 4 serv-

Recipe compliments of the Cherry Marketing Institute.

> BLUEBERRY BUTTERMILK MUFFINS

2-1/2 cups all-purpose flour 1 cup sugar 1 cup buttermilk 1/4 lb. butter

2-1/2 teaspoons baking pow-

1-1/2 cups fresh or frozen blueberries, rinsed and

2 eggs, beaten

large bowl. Make a well, add buttermilk, eggs and butter which has been melted and browned slightly. Mix well. Fold in blueberries. Fill well-greased muffin tins half full and bake at 400°F for 20 minutes.

Sift ingredients together into a

Serve warm. Yield: 24 small Recipe compliments of Michigan Blueberry Growers Associa-

BLUEBERRY & TORTELLINI

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FRUIT SALAD Dressing: 1/2 cup Low Fat Poppy Seed Dressing Salad: 1 (9 ounce) package

Three Cheese Tortellini pasta 1 cup fresh blueberries

1 cup sliced fresh strawber-

1 (11 ounce) can Mandarin Orange segments, drained 3/4 cup green grapes

1/4 cup sliced almonds Cook pasta according to directions on package; drain. In a large bowl, add pasta and salad ingredi ents. Pour dressing over salad and toss lightly; refrigerate until ready to serve. Yield: 6 one-cup servings Note: Three Cheese Tortellini pasta is found in the refrigerated

section of your grocery store. Various other fruits such as bananas, peaches, apples, and oranges may

Recipe compliments of Michigan Blueberry Growers Associaion, MBG Marketing

BLUEBERRY TORTILLA PIZZA

whipped cream cheese 1 tablespoon confectioners sugar

1/2 cup ricotta cheese or

1 pint fresh blueberries 1/2 cup sliced strawberries

1 large (10-inch) flour tortilla 1 tablespoon butter, melted 2 teaspoons cinnamon sugar

1/4 cup toasted shredded

Preheat broiler. In a small bowl, combine ricotta cheese and confectioners sugar; set aside. In another small bowl, combine blueberries and strawberries. Arrange tortilla on a broiler pan; brush with butter and sprinkle with cinnamon sugar

Broil about six inches from heat source until lightly browned, about three minutes. Cool slightly. Spread ricotta mixture on the tortilla; top with blueberry mixture and then sprinkle with coconut.

Serves 4.

(To toast coconut, place in a skillet over moderate heat until pale gold, stirring constantly.) Recipe compliments of the North American Blueberry CounBLUEBERRY FRUIT SMOOTHIE 1 cup low-fat vanilla ice

cream 1 cup fresh or frozen blueberries (do not thaw)

1/2 cup light peaches. packed in water or natural luices, chopped 1/2 cup unsweetened pineapple juice

1/4 cup low-fat vanilla yogurt Place all ingredients in a blender. Cover and mix until

RASPBERRY NUT MUFFINS

1 1/2 teaspoon baking pow

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1 3/4 cup flour

1 teaspoon salt

3/4 cup sugar

yogurt

2 eggs

6 tablespoons butter

1 cup plain or raspberry

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1 cup each raspberries

(frozen-drained or fresh)

6 tablespoons milk

Washington Red Raspberry Comabout 30 to 45 seconds. Yield: 2 servings (about 1-1/4 cup per serv-Recipe compliments of Michigan Blueberry Growers Associa-

EXTREME RASPBERRY SAUCE

1 cup chopped nuts

Combine flour, baking powder

Add eggs, one at a time, beating

well after each. Combine yogurt,

and yogurt mixture alternately to

the creamed mixture. Fold in rasp-

perries and nuts. Fill greased muf-

Recipe compliments of the

fin tins 3/4 full. Let stand 5 min-

utes, then bake at 350°F for 25

minutes. Yield: 18 2 1/2-inch

lemon juice and milk. Add flour

soda and salt. Cream butter and

Great sauce for poultry, beef, pork, ham and especially salmon. 12 oz. bag red raspberries

1 cup ketchup 1/2 cup water

5 tablespoon brown sugar 1 shake tabasco 1 teaspoon lemon juice

1/4 teaspoon liquid smoke 1/2 teaspoon dry mustard

1/2 teaspoon chili powder 1/2 teaspoon garlic salt Dash of pepper

Mix all ingredients in blender until smooth. Pour into a saucepan. Simmer on low heat for

Recipe compliments of the Washington Red Raspberry Commission

Wines from page B1

Looking at opposite flavors from the ones found in a wine is the palate. That's why people more challenging than simple like beer with spicy food. It's tion. complements, but it yields won-

Cristadoro points to spicy food qualities as opposites which natch well with sauvignon blanc and she kept coming back to hai foods as a great pairing.

"It works because of sauvignon lanc's refreshing acidity," she

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cooling and cleansing on the nalate. But sauvignon blanc also does the same thing for creamy components such as an Alfredo sauce. A buttery chardonnay because there are no textural differences. To my way of thinking, the same thing happens with

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Cristadoro's sure-fire matches for sauvignon blanc include oysbores the palate in this case ters, prawns, filet of sole, sea bass, mussels, clams, crawfish, shrimp, sushi, sashimi and scallops. Meat preferences are sauvignon blancs that are barrel chicken, veal, sweetbreads,

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remarked. "The wine cleanses fermented in new oak and go quail, turkey, pork and prosciut-

Wine-friendly vegetables are asparagus, cucumber, spinach, green olives, bell peppers, endive, baby vegetables, celery, carrots, corn, zucchini, potatoes hot peppers (anaheim, jalapeno, poblano or serrano), green onions, onions, peanuts, parsnips, beets, mushrooms and

Among the best cheese matches for sauvignon blanc are: fresh goat cheese, Parmesan, feta, pepper jack, cumin jack, Gruyere

> Grains pairing well are pasta, rice polenta and couscous. Condiment suggestions are: olive oil, wasabi, horseradish, balsamic vinegar, pickled ginger, soy sauce and garlic.

We've recommended St.

Supery Sauvignon Blanc a number of times in this column because it is always one of our favorites. At \$12, the 1998 is drinking handsomely now.

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, dias (734) 953-2047 on a touch-tone

Cherries from page Bi

before you freeze. Blake said cherries freeze well up to a year. His orchard washes and pits cherries for its U-pick cus-

Besides loving the taste of cherries, I have fond memories of spending a cherry-picking years ago, while my then 16- the tarp. year-old son, Chris, worked the

laden tarp taut as it wound its orchard. Chris would pull huge tarps way toward a vat of icy cold under the trees just before the water. The cherries were then cherry shaker, which resembled transported by truck back to the a lobster on wheels, wrapped its processing plant. pinchers around a tree trunk

It was backbreaking labor, my and shook the cherries loose. son said, but at times beautiful Sometimes a mouse would fall especially when shooting stars from the tree and bounce onto arched across the black sky. For Afterward, Chris and another some of us, life can be just a night crew at a local cherry worker would hold the cherry- bowl of cherries.

Berries from page B1

Raspberries may also help fect raspberry is sweet and bril-

selecting raspberries. The per- single layer on a pan, freeze, fight cancer. Research at liant red in color. Hold up that frozen or fresh berries just Hollings Cancer Center in container and check bottom for before serving. Charleston, South Carolina, juices or weeping. A raspberry Whether you eat your fresh indicates red raspberries, the should be just firm to the touch. berries as a snack or in baked

then put into a container.Rinse

richest food source of ellagic | Like blueberries, raspberries | goods, remember, the growing acid, may inhibit the growth of freeze well. Pack unwashed season is short. Enjoy them berries into a container, leaving while you can. Be "berry" careful when a half-inch head space or place a

Seven-layer salad appealing dish

cated recipe-makeover column, 827. Tuna Noodle Casserole, "Cook It Light," regularly offers which once weighed in at just lower-fat and lower-calorie versions of favorite food prepara-

Seven-Layer Salad, an appealing summer dish, is one of 200 revised recipes in her new book, "Jeanne Jones' Homestyle Cooking Made Healthy" (Rodale Press, \$27.95).

"In these makeovers," Jones writes, "I have kept two goals constantly in mind: The revised dish must taste as good as the original, and the revised dish must meet current nutritional guidelines for healthy eating." Her previous books include

"Healthy Cooking for People Who Don't Have Time to Cook" and "Canyon Ranch Cooking." In this book, her new version of Chicken Potpie has 8 grams of fat per serving instead of the tra-

litional 41 grams, and the calo-

(AP) - Jeanne Jones' syndi- rie count is reduced to 411 from over 1,000 calories and 41 grams 1/2 cup (2 ounces) shredded of fat per serving, is reborn with

622 calories and 14 grams of fat. Reductions are similar for this undated summery salad, with 198 calories per serving and 7 grams of fat. Serving it in a glass bowl lets everyone at the table in individual layers. Carefully see the pretty layers before the salad is tossed and served.

SEVEN-LAYER SALAD 6-ounce package (8 cups) assorted young greens, torn into bite-size pieces 2 large ribs celery, thinly

10-ounce package frozen

1/2 pound trimmed radishes. 2 scallions, sliced 6 slices turkéy bacon, cooked and drained

11/2 cups fat-free mayon-

extra-sharp Cheddar Place the greens in the bottom of

a large glass bowl. Add the celery, radishes, scallions, bacon and peas spread the mayonnaise over the peas, covering the top completely and sealing to the edge of the bowl. Sprinkle with the cheese Cover the salad tightly and refrigerate at least 2 hours but no longer than 12 hours to blend the flavors before serving.

To serve, toss the salad and spoon onto chilled plates. Makes 6 servings.

Nutrition facts per serving: 198 cal., 7 g fat, 25 mg cholesterol. 761 mg sodium, 23 g carbo., 10 g

Pack healthy snacks for your family vacation

It's not always easy to eat healthy foods when you're on vacation. Those people who have made it a routine to eat healthy just take their favorite foods

Regina Goebel of Livonia always carries a blender wherever she goes. She takes tofu that does not need refrigeration. Her travel pack includes canned fruit for tofu smoothies "I can't live without my soy I learned the hard way on my

first trip away without it," she A client of mine went to visit her mother out of town last month. In the past, her healthy nutrition plan went by the wayside during visits home. Howev-

Roll-up sandwiches, packed in er, this time she decided to take an insulated cooler, are wonder charge and introduced her mothful road snacks. Take whole er to Morningstar Farms wheat lavash bread and top it Grillers. Now, her trips back with your favorite sauce such as home are filled with healthy barbecue, pesto, honey mustard, meals that both she and her ketchup, tofu cream cheese, lowmother enjoy. fat salad dressing, low-fat may Our family always packs mini onnaise, or tamari sauce. Add soy milk boxes for the road. veggie fillings such as shredded When we arrive at our destinacarrots, broccoli, sliced mushtion, we seek out the nearest

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A VIEW OF THE RIDGE

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bag for day trips Cathy Fresia of Huntington ries, raspberries, or blueberries Woods is spending the holiday weekend in Boston. She packed Don't forget beverages. Pack jugs of water for long trips. Health Valley Cheddar Lites and Red Cherry and Blueberry Tarts

Hain's Animal Graham Crackers

and Cookies, Barbara's Cheese

Bites, Garden of Eatin' Sesame

Blue Chips, Stretch Island Fruit

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Licorice Bars and assorted raw

vegetables. Fresia keeps a picnic

basket in her car at all times for

snack emergencies. She freezes

containers of yogurt ahead of

time to use for ice blocks and a

healthy snack.

Stop for a stretch break when traveling long distances and along with Good Health Cheddar Guppies and Peanut Butter have a safe and healthy trip SUNNY ALMOND SPREAD filled) Pretzels for her family to 1 cup raw almonds Her picnic basket also contains 1 cup sunflower seeds

1 small carrot, grated

2 tablespoons lemon juice 1/4 cup water 1/4 cup soy mayonnaise 1/4 cup chopped, fresh pars-

2 tablespoons Bragg Liquid Aminos 2 garlic cloves, pealed 1/8 teaspoon cayenne pep

Put almonds and seeds in medium bowl. Cover with water. Soak-6 to 12 hours. Drain, rinse and drain. Put soaked in food processor, and process for 30 seconds. Add remaining ingredients and

Try watermelon, cantaloupe or process until smooth. Cover and honeydew balls, and strawber- chill before serving. Makes 3 cups. Recipe from "May all be fed,"

CHIK PASTA SALAD 2 Morningstar Farms Chik

> 3 cups cooked whole-wheat linguine 1/2 cups low calorie Italian

Patties, thawed and diced

salad dressing

3/4 cup frozen peas, thawed 1 small onion, chopped 1 large tomato, diced 3/4 cup sliced carrots

3/4 cup diced celery 3/4 cup sliced zucchini 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder Dash of paprika

Combine all ingredients and blend well. Chill several hours.

BETSEY'S BEST OATMEAL RAISIN COOKIES 6 tablespoons Wonderslim

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1 egg

flour

1 cup packed brown sugar 1/2 cup sugar

1 cup whole wheat pastry

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

3 cups rolled oats, uncooked

Heat oven to 350°F degrees

Coat cookie sheets with non-stick

cooking spray. Combine Wonder-

vanilla; beat until well blended

In a separate bowl, combine

flour, cinnamon, baking soda and

salt. Add to sugar mixture; mix

well. Stir in oats and raisins. Drop

by rounded tablespoons onto cook-

e sheets. Bake for 10 to 12 min-

utes. Remove from cookie sheets;

cool on wire racks. Store in tightly

covered container. Makes 3 dozen

slim, brown sugar, sugar, egg and

1 teaspoon cinnamon

1/4 teaspoon salt

1 cup raisins

1 cup frozen raspberries 1 teaspoon vanilla extract 1 banana

> 2 cups pineapple orange juice Blend until smooth. Serves 2.

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Menopause support

The menopause support group hosted by St. Mary Hospital will meet from 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, July 7 in the West Addition Conference Room B (use the South Entrance off Levan Road). Marian Women's Center, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. For information call (734) 655-1100. The guest speaker will be Hossein Nabai, M.D. Dermatologist, St. Mary Hospital. Nabai will discuss changes in skin as it relates to menopause.

Macrobiotic recipes

Macro Val of Garden City offers personal, hands-on instruction on how to cook balanced meals. Classes include recipes, instruction, and a meal you prepare. July 7 class "Fun Foods" (7-9 p.m.) and July 21 and 28 (6-9 p.m.) Meals include vegetable roll-ups, cinnamon crisps, macrobiotic donuts, celery soup, creamy bean salad and sparkling berry dessert. To register call Val at (734) 261-2856.

Weight control

The Mission Health Medical Center in Livonia will host a weight control class from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Aug. 12. This program combines behavior modification techniques with the power of self-hypnosis to help change your way of thinking regarding weight loss. First fortyive minutes is a free orientation. \$59. Call (877) 345-5500 to regis-

Health night

Michael A. Roth, M.D., OBGYN, will conduct a free seminar at 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 14 at The Ortho Pharmaceutical Corp. will be sponsoring this event. The seminar will be held at the Wyndham Garden Hotel, 42100 Crescent Blvd., Novi (located at the Novi Town Center). Anyone interested can call (248) 347-6100 for information or reservations. Topics discussed will include birth control options, menopause, osteoporosis, and diet and nutrition. Hor d'oeuvres and hments will be served.

Immunization clinic

Immunizations provided except chicken pox. Bring your child at the most convenient time from 4-7 p.m. Wednesday, July 14. No pre-registration required. Bring child's immunization records with you. Clinic held monthly at Saint Joseph Mercy Arbor Health Building, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth: Call (734) 414-1010.



A HELPING HAND

Nurse reaches out to Kosovo refugees

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER

harlene Teeter R.N. spent two weeks away from her family volunteering as a member of the Michigan-1 DMAT team at Fort Dix treating the medical needs of eth nic Albanian refugees seeking temporary asylum from their war-torn

The Garden City resident said the time away from her family was hard but incomparable to the experiences displaced Kosovars shared with her and the other DMAT volunteers during the Provide Refuge operation.

"I heard the gamut of stories some that brought tears to my eyes, said Teeter. "I can't ever imagine being uprooted from my home and family like that."

Teeter, the Nurse Manager of the Emergency Department at Oakwood Annapolis Hospital - Wayne has been a member of the Michigan-1 DMAT (Disaster Medical Assistance Team) since 1987 A volunteer organization that

serves as a branch of the National Disaster Medical System, DMAT members are activated during medical emergencies when local resources are unable to meet the needs of their community in a crisis situation. The M-1 first response team, which includes 120 members total, can remain self-sufficient for up to 72

hours in the field and of 120 volunteers - a full team element consists of 35 staff. One of the most recent activations

of the Michigan -1 team called for members to establish a fully function al emergency room for the "village" of refugees at Fort Dix Army post in New Jersey.

The base h more than 3,000 refugees who were temporarily residing in barracks on the Army post that is largely occupied by reservists. Teeter, another nurse, two paramedics and a physicians assistants were activated from the 35 member team of MI-1 DMAT and arrived at McGuire Air Force Base where the refugees were flown by the

The DMAT members were responsible for evaluating the status of the refugees upon arrival, then providing health assessments in a makeshift emergency department. Some of the general tests included immunizations, chest x-rays to rule out tuberculosis, and gynecological and obstetric exams for female refugees.



Annapolis Hospital - Wayne, blows bubbles to entertain young Kosovo refugees at Fort Dix in New Jersey.

'We did everything from setting up a crash cart to building shelves, writing protocols and ordering supplies. All in all we saw approximately 60 to 70 people a day, working 12 and 14 hour shifts for the two weeks I was there.'

—Charlene Teeter, R.N.

"We did everything from setting up a crash cart to building shelves, writing protocols and ordering supplies,' said Teeter. "All in all we saw approximately 60 to 70 people a day, working 12 and 14 hour shifts for the two weeks I was there."

Making friends

During Teeter's two weeks at Ft. Dix she befriended both young and old Albanians. One 87-year-old woman in particular, who was not able to exit the plane unassisted was accompanied by the Oakwood registered nurse to a wheelchair and then into an awaiting van that took the elderly woman to the Ft. Dix clinic run by the DMAT members. The woman kept referring to Teeter as "the queen" and repeatedly said 'Everything will be okay, I'm in America now,' said Teeter.

"Every time I saw her in the village she would say 'the queen, the queen.' Teeter said she saw a wide variety of conditions being treated ranging from patients (cardiac, diabetic) who had gone without critical medication for weeks to broken bones, psychiatric distress, fatigue, and infection.

Several refugee women arrived at the Army base at varying stages of pregnancy and it was Teeter who cared for the first baby born by a

named, Amerikan. The 7 lb., 5 oz. baby boy was born at Virtua-Memorial Hospital in Burlington County and received post-partum care from the Oakwood nurse. "The attention he and his parents

refugee couple ... appropriately

received was overwhelming," said Teeter. "It was such a media event." Children throughout the village came to know Teeter as the bubble lady. She wore a small bottle of bubble solution around her neck and blew bubbles wherever young refugees

gathered. "They would see me around and hold their fingers up in front of their mouth and act like they were blowing bubbles to get me to do it. It was something so simple and something they'd never seen. They got a lot of enjoyment out of."

Teeter came away from the experience affected emotionally. Recalling some of the people she met and the stories she heard brought her to tears. "It was an experience I'll never for-



Support system: Teeter (far right) stands amongst her medical colleagues who worked with ethnic Albanians during their stay in the U.S. They include (1-r) Dr. Xhevat Sinanaj, translator; Michigan-1 DMAT team members Michaelene Schultz, R.N. and Marshall Hudson, paramedic; and Dr. Alexander Pali,

Disaster team mobilizes during crises

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER

The Michigan-1 DMAT team, rated Level 1 by the Federal Government, means that a team of 35 individuals and \$200,000 worth of supplies and equipment can be moved anywhere in the United States within hours.

Members, like Charlene Teeter, R.N. Nurse Manager of the Emergency Department at Oakwood Annapolis Hospital - Wayne, come from diverse backgrounds including healthcare professionals representing hospitals (physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, physicians assistants) emergency medical personnel (EMTs, paramedics) and support staff (cooks, ation of everyone involved. I thrive on City Hospital, Henry Ford Health supply persons, office administrators,

Teeter has provided her medical Team also provides disaster simula- ters, Oakwood Healthcare System- readiness.

(1992), Hawaii; earthquakes (1994), California; Olympic bombing (1996), Atlanta; tornadoes (1997), Detroit; Comair plane crash (1997), Monroe this work," said Bob Miljan, executive County, Mich.; ice storm (1998), New director of HEMS, Inc. (Health Emer-York and on standby during Hurri-

cane George (1998), Alabama. "The nature of this work is so where earthquakes have occurred and rewarding. It's so impressive to go have slept in places where there is no into an area you're not familiar with and set up a field triage and support thing. I'm so respectful of the caring services during a crisis with hundreds of people I've never see or worked need." with before. Making a tent or building into a fully functional facility is an whose member organizations include undertaking and requires the cooper- Botsford General Hospital, Garden

that," said Teeter

Fermi Power Plant, and the GM Proving Ground. "It takes a rare kind of person to do

gency Medical Services) of Wayne. "These individuals go into areas Aid system on three different levels: provide additional resources after a running water, no electricity, no anydisaster when local resources can no

HEMS sponsors the Michigan team System, Oakwood Annapolis Hospital, strive to be organized and well The Disaster Medical Assistance Providence Hospital and Medical Centrained and in a state of constant

feelings they have toward people in

expertise during federal activation tion and training locally during drills Canton, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, situations such as Hurricane Inniki at Detroit Metropolitan Airport, St. Mary Hospital, Downriver Fire Service Mutual Aid Association and Western Wayne County Fire Department Mutual Aid Association.

> Teeter said Level 1 status requires members to provide medical care as part of the National Medical Mutual as a medical response element to

longer meet the communities needs. as a patient reception or evacuation unit, or as a disaster field triage and treatment component

as volunteer team members they

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THUR, JULY 8

PARKINSON SUPPORT Western Wayne Parkinson Support Group, a discussion and support group for people with Parkinson's Disease and their family members and friends meets the second Thursday of every month at 7 p.m. Livonia Senior Citizens Building, Farmington at 5 Mile. Call (734) 421-4208 to register.

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ton Hills. Call (877) 345-5500

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This class can help your child

get a healthier start towards a

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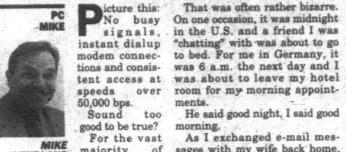
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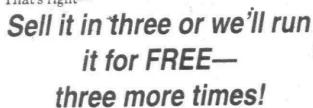
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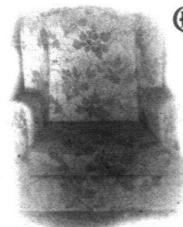
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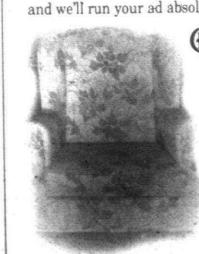
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THE POWER OF LOVE SWF, 57, 5'4", full-figured, who enjoys music, traveling, movies, long walks and more, is looking for a sincere, compassionate SWM, 52-62. Ad#.7141

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Charming SWCM, 42, 6'1", who enjoys outdoor activities, the theatre and dining out, is seeking a fun-loving SCF, for a LTR. Ad#.1414

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OPEN YOUR HEART TO ME Hardworking, Catholic DWM, 47, 6', 195lbs., with brown hair and blue eyes, seeks a Catholic SWF, 35-55, for friendship first. Ad#.3524

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LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Conductor travels the world

illiam Savola dreams big. It's something he started doing as a kid. When other 15-yearolds were playing baseball, Savola was organizing, then conducting, a 45member orchestra. This spring he traveled to Bucharest, Romania to conduct the George Enescu Philharmonic Orchestra,

Savola goes after his dreams, and guest conducting foreign orchestras was one of them. A letter he sent to the Romanian orchestra landed him the guest conducting role there. And at the age of 69, the Plymouth resident who spent 28 years teaching music in Livonia Public Schools, is not slowing down. While in Romania, he visited the Cuban Ambassador to discuss guest conducting one of that country's orchestras in the future.



Sky's the limit: William Savola guest conducted the George Enescu Philharmonic Orchestra in Romania earlier this year.

"This is something of a dream," said Savola, who waves a baton before the Marquette Symphony in November. "I'm a dreamer. Back in grade school I knew I wanted to be in front of an orchestra. I wanted to be a showman. All the dreaming, it's just part of me.

Although Savola's guest conducted orchestras in Finland, Ecuador and the Philippines, Romania quickly became one of his favorite countries

"There's two million people in Bucharest. With 17 McDonald's, Pizza Hut and cell phones, it feels like home. Fast food is big with standing room only," said Savola. "It's the pro-American attitude that anything American, they love."

Don't get the idea that Savola is flighty and always chasing a dream. Born in Marquette, Savola has conducted orchestras on a full-time basis as well. He's served as music director of the Women's Symphony of Detroit (now defunct), the Scandinavian Symphony of Detroit, and the Allen Park Symphony.

It was while he was with the Scandinavian Symphony that he became friends with Mischa Mischakoff, who was then concertmaster. Mischakoff, a former concertmaster of the Detroit Symphony and the NBC Orchestra under Arturo Toscanini, honored Savola by giving him a special gift, a baton that had been used by Toscanini. Savola was a 19-year-old concertmaster with the Northern Michigan University Orchestra when he rode 21 hours on a train to Texas to see Toscanini conduct. He never forgot the experience of watching this legend lead the orchestra in which Mischakoff was then concertmaster.

"I will save it in my violin case all of my life. I never felt I could use that baton," said Savola, who spent a year as a guest conductor in Finland. "I won't let anyone touch it. Toscanini is the only conductor I recognize as great '

On the road again

After leaving Northern Michigan University to continue his music stud-

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On the Job: Norris Hardeman captured these Joshua trees on film in Arizona last August.

FAIR DRAWS ON DIVERSITY OF ARTISTS

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN STAFF WRITER

iane Quinn is pushing the limits again — extending Art in the Park down Main Street so she can feature more artists. This year's 19th annual show in downtown Plymouth features more than 400 artists from 34 states displaying a variety of media ranging from lacquer painting to mouth stick art. Quinn's also sched-uled a long list of entertainment, and children can paint a square in a ninefoot-long mural designed by 16-yearold Kristen Dillenbeck of Canton.

"I have the best job and can't think of anything else I would rather do," said Quinn who founded the show with 33 artists. "How rewarding it is to see so many people enjoying my

A new garden art center located on the lawn of Central Middle School is one of the highlights for Quinn because it exemplifies the overall



Pain-staking: Will Pardee, a quadriplegic, created this pen-cil drawing of a deer using a mouth stick.



Patience plus: Elena Arnaoutova painted dozens of layers of oil to achieve this lacquer miniature painting.

diversity of the July 10-11 fair.

"Even though we have some great paintings, I still will have a show that every person attending should find some enjoyment and interest in," she said. "To buy a little snail created by a 7-year-old with his mom's leftover clay can be as much fun as buying a \$5,000 painting.

Stimulating environments

Norris Hardeman jokes that his job for Ford Motor Co. takes him to Minnessota in January and Arizona in August, not exactly ideal months. The Canton photographer takes advantage of these harsh environments, where he oversees the testing of cars, by shooting landscapes. He's bringing a variety of his works to Art in the Park.

Dramatic images of a lone, leafless tree in the snow or craggy old tree in the desert relay emotions for the viewer to decipher.

"At a test facility in Yucca, Ariz.,

there's no life during the day," said Hardeman. "The desert comes to life at night with owls and rabbits."

Hardeman's memories of being stuck in the snow may overshadow the Minnessota photographs but weather never detracts from his enjoyment of shooting Michigan scenes. Hardeman's shot over 50 images of lighthouses, one of his favorite subjects. To photograph them he must sometimes lug 50 pounds of equipment to a rocky site, but no matter. The destination is worth the trek.

"I try to find that unique perspective, what is this saying to me," said Hardeman. "Anyone can document. I want to find meaning in the subject. 'Alpine Twist' is a tree that's a work of art. The wind weathers them and they become gnarly. I'm able to see the raw, rugged beauty, when altitude testing (cars) at 14,000 feet, that few people

Hardeman admits to "practically sleep walking" for the early morning shots. He prefers sunsets himself unless he's photographing the Grand Canyon.

"When I'm standing on the edge of a cliff, my wife gets nervous," quips Hardeman. "But it's the experience of . the big outdoors and nature. I like seeing what the Creator has put out

Time-honored art

Elena Arnaoutova spends dozens of hours layering Rubens-like oil paints on top of each other to create the miniature, lacquer still life and florals

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Art In the Park

What: More than 400 artists and craftsmen display wares, including paintings, photography, wood block prints, ceramics, jewelry garden art, wood and glass. Special booths in Kellogg Park offer art by children. When: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, July 10, and until 5 p.m. Sunday, July 11.

Where: In Kellogg Park and the surrounding streets — Main, Ann Arbor Trail, Penniman

and Forrest in downtown Plymouth, For more

information, call (734) 454-1314.

Wilson sisters road-test new material

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO

Ann Wilson has watched her sister Nancy perform numerous times since they formed Heart in 1973. After all those years and performances, Nancy Wilson still gives her sister the chills.

"I went and saw her in a club and her singing just kind of blew me away. She's going to be amazing on this tour," she said.

The tour about which Ann Wilson is speaking is a series of acoustic shows -including Tuesday, July 6, at Pine Knob Music Theatre - they are doing to road-test new material. This is the first time the Wilson sisters have played as a duo.

On the tour, Nancy Wilson is playing electric and acoustic guitars, mandolin. dulcimer, dobro, blues harp, bass and piano. Her sister takes on bass, rhythm guitar, piano and flute.

"Nancy and I we've never really done it before. This is the first time we've er gone out as a duo. We have been



writing all this new stuff. We wanted to go out and develop it in front of peo-

The new material includes "Having It All," a song they co-wrote with Burt Bacharach, a songwriter admired by the Wilson sisters.

"We finished it up together in his music room, which was really a thrill, in his big mansion in Hollywood. It's the mansion that hits built. You walk in there and it's so extreme. The song. it's very retro. It's a song for a woman to sing and he's gotta be the king of that. He really knows how to write melodies for women to sing. It was really a cool experience.

Hits like "Barracuda" and solo material from Nancy Wilson are also on the set list. Adapting hits to a two-person format has been a smooth transition, she explained.

"We had to edit a little bit just because we don't have the big huge drum set, keyboards, and all that kind of stuff. The songs we've chosen to do are ones that translate really well to being played by two people. It's not only an acoustic thing. We're bringing electric stuff, too. It's going to be big and gentle at the same time

"It's gonna be fun for us. Nancy's gonna be singing way more than she's ever sung. She's amazing."

An Acoustic Evening with Ann and Nancy Wilson of Heart, with special guest Duke Daniels, is Tuesday, July 6, at Pine Knob Music Theatre, 1-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. Tickets are \$24.50 pavilion and \$12.50 lawn. Showtime is 7:30 p.m. For more information, call (248) 377-0100 or visit http://www.palacenet.com.

MUSIC FESTIVAL

classic touch in the great outdoors

BY FRANK PROVENZANO STAFF WRITER fprovenzano@oe.homecomm.net

Colorado Summer Festival.

Typically, around this time of year, the Detroit Symphony Orchestra would be getting ready for a trip to Vail, where they've performed for the last five years at the annual Bravo

This year, the closest mountain range orchestra members can expect to see will be rolling suburban hills, as in Rochester Hills.

Beginning this Friday, the DSO will travel north on I-75 from their intimate acoustical gem, Orchestra Hall in Detroit, and embark on a five-week season of outdoor concerts at Meadow Brook Music Festival on the campus of Oakland University.

By expanding its summer season from three to five weeks, the DSO will perform 15 concerts Friday-Sunday, through August 8.

Fitting in

"We looked for what would appeal to

fit into the outdoor setting," said Charles Calmer, artistic administrator of the DSO.

"The audience is substantially different than the audiences at Orchestra Hall," he said. "Most live in Oakland County.

While it's important for the orchestra to "keep the faith" with the classical-musical form, Calmer said the upcoming season provides a way for the DSO to honor the past, stretch its repertoire and fit in with the interac-

"The Planets," a multi-media concert

What: Detroit Symphony Orchestra opens its summer concert series on Friday, July 9, at Meadow Brook Music Festival, on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester Hills.
Five-week season of concerts presented by

Hudson's Project Imagine Ticket Information: Four and five-concert packages, \$40-\$185; July 11 Burt Bacharach concert, \$15.\$40, Call (248) 645.6666 or (313) 578-5120, discounts for students under

a broad audience, and what would also on Saturday, July 31 offers a glimpse at perhaps the future direction for orchestral concerts. The program includes images, ani-

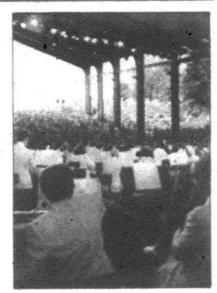
mation and film from NASA's unmanned spacecraft projected on giant video screens. The presentation will be set to John Adams' "Short Ride in a Fast Machine," and Wagner's "The Flying Dutchman" Overture.

Don't expect wispy, light string music that dissipates with a passing summer breeze. Calmer is planning on fireworks, literally.

Displays of fireworks will be a regular feature every Friday, along with explosive soloists on Saturdays such as violinist Pinchas Zukerman and pianist Per Tengstrand. Meanwhile, Sunday's line-up includes programs dedicated to the music of Gershwin, Broadway, Big Bands and Hollywood

One of the most celebrated American songwriters, Burt Bacharach, will per

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Outdoor concert: Fans listen to the Detroit Symphony Orchestra under the stars at the Meadow Brook Music Festival on the campus of Oakland University.

Gallery exhibits, art shows, classical concerts

The Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009 or fax (248) 644-1314

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Art Fair from page C1

Born in Orsk, Russia, the Bloomfield Hills artist studied painting for years, first at the Youth Institution and then the prestigious Moscow Institute of Art in the Park. and Industry, before moving to the U.S. in 1995. During her five but I never took an interest until years at the Moscow institute, she interned summers at the art Fedoskino thereby earning a · the shows." degree as Master Artist.

"There is a month exam in painting, drawing, composition and history to get into the institute." said Arnaoutova, who teaches the time-honored skill at works take three to fourth the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center. "If you do not go to all those schools when you're young, I was 10 when I started, you can not get in when you're older."

Arnaoutova can labor up to a vear on a single painting so prices for the larger works top \$6,000. For the average person, the lacquer master paints brooches, barrettes and napkin rings starting at \$8.

"It's very unique, very rare, with 30 coats of oil and 16 coats of lacquer," said Aranaoutova. "When you start doing some thing Rubens would do hundreds of years ago, it's rewarding to get three dimension with layer after layer of paint."

artist

Will Pardee's violent collision 18 years ago with the bottom of quadriplegic able only to turn pages with a mouth stick. After the diving accident, his wife Sarah suggested he try drawing

es at Westminster Choir College

and Indiana University, Savola

toured Europe as a violinist in

the U.S. Army Symphony

he first developed a taste for

she'll bring to Art in the Park. the state of Michigan. He's bringing a variety of pencil and color pencil drawings of lighthouses, wildlife, country scenes, and an old Model T pickup to Art

"The Lord gave me the talent then," said Pardee. "Now I meet a lot of really nice people and I villages of Palekh, Kholui and like to minister while I'm doing

> Pardee usually begins by drawing the nose of an animal. Then he lays out the eyes and a creates a general outline before beginning to shade. Larger months to complete, the 9-by-12inch pieces two to three months. Quinn receives great satisfac-

tion from giving artists like Pardee, who spend hundreds of hours creating their work, the opportunity to exhibit. The satisfaction of knowing that she's helping artists is all Quinn needs to continue the massive task of producing Art in the Park. It's taken her and daughter Rachel a year to set up exhibitors, entertainment, vendors, and a tent for the mural to penefit C.S. Mott Children's Hospital in Ann Arbor.

When the task of jurying artists applications is completed n early spring, Quinn is "ready for the fun-part to begin." Coor-From the mouth of the dinating the more than 60 volunteers, is gratifying, she said because every year there are more people who want to work."

visited 77 countries, many of

them since retiring from Livonia

Public Schools 13 years ago.

Language has sometimes been a

traveling. Over the years, he has barrier by using the words all orchestra and they understood."

Orchestra. That's probably when problem in his travels but in ducting comes from. I was con-

the Muskegon River left him a Participating local artists Among the local artists exhibiting in this year's Art in the Park are Tom LeGault, with a pencil adapted for his painting; Michael McCullough, mouth. Today, Pardee travels to wood block prints; Village Pot-30 art shows a year throughout ters Guild; Ted Nelson, photog-

Expressions from page C1

Mouth stick art: Will Pardee creates lighthouses and animal drawings with pencils adapted for his mouth.

raphy; Katherine Kidston Ren- berg, ceramics; Sharen Dillenberg, jewelry; Alicia Conger, ceramics; Joseph Wisniewski and Christine Fleischer, glass; Diane Dunn, tiles; Kathy Sand-

musicians understand.

Romania, Savola overcame the ducting the music not the

"As a conductor, it all has to

come from the face and the

hands. That's where good con-

beck, painting, and Robert Krasofski, custom hand-forged iron designs including pot racks, tables and ranch signs

performing arts, call arts

reporter Linda Ann Chomin at

Zukerman in a program of If you have an interesting idea Ruch's Violin Concerto. for a story involving the visual or

Emperor," features Sweden's foremost pianists, Per Tengstrand Beethoven's Piano Concerto No.

form with the DSO on Sunday,

July 11. Dionne Warwick, Bar- to participate in master classes bra Streisand, B.J. Thomas, The 5th Dimension, Neil Diamond and Elvis Costello are among the many artists who've recorded Bacharach's songs over the last

During the last two weeks of

In the last five years, the DSO endowment has grown from \$25 million to \$53 million. While the two-fold increase is impressive. Woodward noted that most major orchestras around the world have endowments two-tothree times as large.

Family Fun Friday Series Concerts begin at 8 p.m. with following or integrated into the

Of approximately 400 applica-

July 9 - "Opening Fanfare." conducted by Marin Alsop. Program includes Copland's Fanfare for the Common Man, and Joan Tower's Fanfare for the Uncommon Woman No. 1

July 16 - "Pictures at an Exhibition, features music director Neeme Jarvi conducting the

July 23 - "Handel and Vivaldi," a program of Baroque music including Handel's Royal Fireworks and Water Music, Bach's Brandenburg Concerto No. 3 and Vivaldi's Concerto for Two Trumpets.

busters," features Bach's Toccata and Fuge, and Stravinsky's Fire-■ August 6 - "Tchaikovsky

Spectacular," features violinist Konstanty Kulya and the University Musical Society Choral Saturday Classics

(Concerts begin at 8 p.m.) July 10 - "Beethoven Outdoors," features violinist Pinchas

July 17 - "Beethoven

"Music education is one of our primary responsibilities," said Jill Woodward, spokesperson for the DSO.

ART

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DSO CONCERT SCHEDULE

firework displays immediately Meadows," features conductor

multi-media presentation. (with canons and fireworks).

■ 7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 11 -The DSO performs a concert

Sunday Summer Pops (Concerts begin at 7:30 p.m.) July 18 - "Gershwin Gala,"

features Maestro Jarvi and the DSO along with soprano Geraldine McMillian, baritone Peter Lightfoot and the Brazeal Den nard Chorale. Selections include July 30 - "Symphonic Block-An American in Paris, and Rhapsody in Blue performed by pianist Matt Herskowitz.

July 25 - "A Song of Broadway," features conductor David Alan Miller in a program featuring soprano Audra McDonald winner of three Tony Awards for her roles in Ragtime, Carousel

■ August 1 - "Big Band Bash," features the hits of Glenn Miller, Tommy Dorsey, Count Basie and Duke Ellington

Starlight," features music from "Gone with the Wind," "Titanic, "Schindler's List," "Raiders of

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Summer Institute

Brook Summer Institute.

tions, one-quarter were selected and rehearsals with the DSO.

"As our endowment has grown.

July 24 - "Mozart-in-the-Jaime Laredo in a program of Mozart's A Little Night Music. July 31- "The Planets," A

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DANCE CAMPS

Michigan Dance Express will host its Summer Dance Camp July 25-29 at Camp Copneconic in Fenton. Each year, dancers ages eight and older attend the camp that combines four hours of daily dance training with traial summer camp activities such as swimming and boating. Styles of dance include ballet, tap, jazz, and lyrical along with classes in modeling, production and swing.

This is the eighth year for the camp which ends with a "Dance the students perform their

newly-learned routines. The Birmingham; Elaine Redmond, member of Dance Masters of America, Dance Educators of America, and the Cecchetti Council of America. Students come from all over the state of Michigan to attend the camp.

For more information or to obtain a brochure, call (734) 397-9755 or (313) 562-1203.

Alice McGee, a long-time Livoand information, call (734) 281-

Spectacular Showcase" where all before it closed. Barbara Abel,

nia resident, is showing two of VAAL WORKSHOPS her black and white photographs in "Shot at Mario's" through July 16 at the Biddle Gallery, 2840 watercolor monotypes and batik Biddle, Wyandotte. For hours in July and August.

The juried show of fine art photography was shot at Mario's Mannequin Studio in Detroit



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camp is directed by Jan Sickle, a and Patricia Izzo are among the other artists exhibiting. McGee began studying photog-

raphy 10 years ago and is currently a student at Oakland Community College in Royal Oak. Her mannequin shots were taken during photography work shops at Mario's. Lately McGee's taken to shooting pho tographs in old cemeteries in **EXHIBITORS NEEDED** and around the Detroit area.

The Visual Arts Association of Livonia presents workshop

Katie Wall Fox teaches the ancient oriental art of batik 1-3 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, July 13-16. The cost is \$100 VAAL members \$105 non-members, and covers all supplies including frames. brushes, fabric, dyes, and wax Expect to complete four or more satiks in the workshops.

Lily Dudgeon presents a work shop for monotypes 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 20 21. The cost is \$45 for VAAL members, \$50 non-members Bring watercolor supplies, and sketches or photos for subjects to paint. Dudgeon will sell print paper at cost. Call Dudgeon for an instruction sheet, (313) 561-

To register for the VAAL workshops, call Mary Ann Adams at (734) 455-9614.

ARTISANS AFTERGLOW

The Ann Arbor Artisans' Market Art Fair Afterglow will be held 5-10 p.m. Saturday, July 24 and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. July 25 at the City Market, 315 Detroit Street in Kerrytown

David Swain and his band will play swing, blues, jazz and rock 6-10 p.m. Saturday. Acoustic guitarist Ken King performs traditional and modern folk music from noon to 3 p.m. Sunday.

A wide variety of arts and crafts will also be for sale. Look for jewelry, jackets and dresses. puppets, quilted wallhangings and home accessories, woolens and weavings, glass, furniture. baskets, medicine wheels, herbal wreaths, birdhouses, jams and vinegars, and plants and flowers at the market.

gallery, 23257 Woodward Ave. Ferndale. Proposals must be received by Sept. 30. (248) 541-3444

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TRANSFORMING VISIONS Swords into Plowshares Gallery

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CLASSES ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Gallery lecture by Deanna Sperka on "Little Boxes," 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 7, 117 West Liberty. (734) 994-8004.

ARTS AND CRAFTS CENTER Weekly classes for children and adults in oil painting, decorative painting and rubber stamping now through August 2. Taught by North Carolina artist, Carol Cockram, in a Westland home (734) 728-0670.

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PAINT CREEK CENTER

Handful: The photography of Rashid Johnson is included in "Art of the

City," an exhibit through July 30 at G. R. N'Namdi Gallery, 161

Summer semester runs July 19-Aug. 20 at the center, 407 Pine St., Rochester, Classes for preschoolers to adults. (248) 651-4110.

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Jazzstage featuring Marcus Belgrave 8:30 p.m., Friday, July 9. Meadow Brook series opening weekend, Friday Sunday, July 9-11. (313) 576-5111. LIVONIÁ ARTS COMMISSION Thursday, July 8, 7:30 p.m., Joe

Velda Kelly, violinist, 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 7, 29887 W Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills (248) 476-8860. TROY SUMMER CONCERTS Chautauqua Express featuring

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Fair AfterGlow will be held on 5

Ann Arbor Artisans, Market Art

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THEATER

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Actor Alliance Summer Theatre Conservatory for ages 7-18, 9 am 4 pm. July 12-23. Get Up and Move Camp for ages 4-6, 10 11:30 a.m. Tues, & Thurs, July 6-29 at the Southfield Center the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road Southfield (248) 424 9022.

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Detroit Symphony Orchestra

Performing Arts Summer Camp 9 a.m. to 4 a.m. July 19-30. Latchkey available. (313) 535-8962.

LITERARY POETRY AT THE OPERA HOUSE Sean Thomas Dougherty, Joe Weil, Chicago's Charlie Rossiter & Avant Retro with M.L. Liebler & the Magic Poetry Band, July 12 at the Detroit Opera House. 1526 Broadway, Detroit. Sponsored by the Writer's Voice of the YMCA. (313) 267-5310. extension 338.

CRANBROOK POETRY Faculty at the Retreat for Writers present their work from July 9-17, 8 p.m. at the Cranbrook Schools Thornlea House, 550 Cranbrook Road, Bloomfield Hills (248) 645-3664.

MUSEUMS

CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM Serious Moonlight benefit, Saturday, July 10, 8 p.m.-midnight. Order tickets at (248) 645-3361. "Contemporary Art from Cuba: Irony and Survival or the Utopian Island," through Friday, Aug. 13. 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. 248) 645,3361

CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCI-

(313) 833-7900:

AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY

"The Third Root: Africans in

Mexico," runs through Aug. 22.

GALLERY

EXHIBITS

(OPENING)

Opens July 9 - "Regional Art: A

Legacy to Acquire." through

Pontiac. (248) 333-7849.

A.C.T. GALLERY

August 28, 47 Williams Street

Through July 24 - "Numeric

Expressions," works of artists

Suzanne Andersen, Jeanne Bier

Mark Esse. Sherry Moore and

Alan Watson, 35 East Grand

Through July 25 - "Content

Contained," Lecture on "Little

Boxes," 7:30 p.m., Wednesday,

Ann Arbor Art Center 117 West

Liberty Ann Arbor, (734) 994

Collection" of oils by Jeremy

Jarvis, sculptures by Martin

Eichinger and glasswork by

Road, West Bloomfield (248)

Grand River Ave. E. Detroit

ART LEADERS GALLERY

BIDDLE GALLERY

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BIEGAS GALLERY

(313) 961 0634

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

River, Detroit. (313) 961-4336

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER

315 E. Warren, Detroit. (313)

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494-5800.

Pontiac. (248) 333-2060 *Kitchen Chemistry, 11 a.m. to 4 SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY p.m., July 4: Nature Place open for daily activities, also "Scream Machines: The Science of Roller Coasters," exhibit through Sept. 6, at the institute, 1221 N. 642-8250 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, 1-ROBERT KIDD GALLERY 877-GO-CRANBrook.

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS Opens July 11 - "Where the Girls Are: Prints by Women from the DIA's Collection through September 26. Ancient Gold: The Wealth of the Thracians. Treasures from the Republic of Bulgaria through August 29. Kathleen Marshall within a group 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit show of Roy Lichtenstein.

J-M MUSEUM OF ART Hammond. 163 Townsend. Through September 26 - "Paris Circa 1900." Through July 25 -Gina Ferrari: Garden. 525 S. State, Ann Arbor. (734) 764-CHARLES H. WRIGHT MUSEUM OF

cup and saucer theme, 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 334-6716. MOORE'S GALLERY

304 Hamilton Row, Birmingham (248) 647-4662. G. R. N'NAMDI GALLERY

Through July 30 - "Art of the City." 161 Townsend. Birmingham. (248), 642-2700. NETWORK

alumni and students, 7 N Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 334

Through August 19 - "View and Visions," an exhibit of the Milford Village fine Arts Association. 1200 North Telegraph, Pontiac

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE

Detroit (313) 822-0954

PLYMOUTH ARTS COUNCIL Through July 21 - The Romance Through July 9 - "A Walk in My Gargen" exhibition and sale work by Susan Skibicki, 774 N. Laurel Fyfe, 33216 West 14 Mile

> REVOLUTION a multi-artist presentation.

Biddle Road, Wyandotte (734) ARTS Through July 31 - "Artists That Teach," exhibition and sale 35

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER Through July 23 - The Palette and Brush Club's annual spring

S. Cranbrook, Birmingham (248) 644-0866 CARY GALLERY

Through July 17 - "Beaches." acrylic and watercolor paintings of Ron Teachworth, 226 Walnut

Boulevard, Rochester; (248) 651-CENTER FOR CREATIVE STUDIES

Through July 24 - "On the Verge of Abstraction." 301 Frederick Douglass, Detroit. (313) 664-

CREATIVE RESOURCE GALLERY Through July 31 - "Promising Abstractions," Opening reception, 6:30-9 p.m., Thursday, July 8. 162 North-Old Woodward, Birmingham: (248) 647-3688

DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET Through July 16 - "Containers of Memory," 300 River Place. Detroit. (313) 393-1770. JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN MUSEUM/GALLERY

Through August 12 - Exhibition and sale of works by Jay Lefkowitz. Opening reception 6-8 p.m., Thursday, June 24 at the Jewish Community Center, 6600 West Maple Road, West Bloomfield. (248) 661-7641 GREATER DAKS MALL

Through July 1 - works of refugees of the Freedom House in Detroit. On display outside Jacobson's at the Greater Oaks Mall in Rochester HABATAT GALLERIES Through July 24 - works of Judith LaScola. 7 North Saginaw.

Through July 17 - Works of emerging New York artist Melissa McGill 555 S Old Woodward, Birmingham. (248)

Through July 31 - Glass sculpture by Chris Hawthorne and "Construction: Shields" by Danielle Bodine, 107 Townsend Birmingham. (248) 642-3909. DAVID KLEIN GALLERY Through July 17 - "Interiors." solo show of Paris artist

Nicholas Maravell and Kara Birmingham. (248) 433-3700. LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY Through July 9 - "Have a Cuppa clay competition incorporating a

Through July 10 - Sale of Shona sculpture, paintings and crafts.

Through Aug. 21 - "Incomplete Notebooks," functional art created by Cranbrook Academy of Art

EXHIBITS 3911. (ON-GOING) OAKLAND COUNTY GALLERIA

> Through July 23 - "Art & Nature" an exhibit using natural and man made materials 407 Pine Street

Through July 17 - "Incubation Works by Emerging Graduate Students * 10125 E. Jefferson

Sheldon, Plymouth (734) 416

23257 Woodward, Ferndale

SOUTHFIELD CENTER FOR THE

exhibition "Point of View " 1516

Tom Huck at the Elaine L. Jacob Gallery, 480 W. Hancock, Detroit, 313 993 7813

(248) 858-0415.

Rochester (248) 651-4110 July 7: box assemblage workshop PEWABIC POTTERY 1-4 p.m., Saturday, July 10 at the

Through July 31 - "Aqua/ Agua. Through July 16 - A photography exhibit "Shot, at Mario's," 2840 248 541 3444

> Through July 30 - Art created by Hashim Al-Tawil 24350

> > Southfield Road, Southfield

(248) 424 9022 SYBARIS GALLERY Through July 10 - "Turned Out Working in Wood" by Laufa

Foster Nicholson and Petra Class 202 E. Third, Royal Oal 12481 544 3388 WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

Through Aug. 6 - Woodcuts by

TOM CLAYTON

Don't stop wearing old jewelry, just redesign it

THE JEWELRY

Dear. Jewelry LADY

What are the chances of losing one of my diamond stud earrings at the beach? My husband wants me to remove them before we head for the sand, but I think they look great with a DENISE bathing suit. What do you think?

Bathing Beauty

Dear Beauty,

Congratulations! You are married to a bona fide worry wart. Let your husband know that, if your earrings are properly adjusted and you check them before heading out to the sand and sun, it's unlikely you'll lose them.

However, as a precaution, consider checking your homeowner's insurance to make certain you're covered in case of loss. (Otherwise, that worry wart will never forgive you for losing those diamond studs!)

Another alternative: consider having your diamonds reset in Eurowires which clip more securely behind the ears. Even if you bury your head in the sand, there's no way you'll lose one of those babies!

Dear Jewelry Lady,
I am very annoyed with my jeweler. I recently took my engagement ring in for a cleaning, and he told me I should have my prongs re-tipped. My jeweler also said I would eventually I need a new set of prongs for the ring. ! thought diamonds were forever. I feel

Feeling Cheated

Dear Cheated,

Diamonds are forever, but they are susceptible to cracks and chips. After all, diamonds don't come out of the ground fully faceted; they have to be cut and polished to bring out their

Furthermore, your jeweler isn't talking about your diamond, but the prongs of your ring, which are probably made of gold. Since gold wears over time, your jeweler is doing you a favor by suggesting you keep the mount in good condition. Otherwise, you might lose the diamond.

If you wish to avoid such maintenance, I suggest replacing the gold head (the set of prongs) for another one made of platinum. Platinum is tougher than gold and much less vulnerable to wear

Dear Jewelry Lady,

I am maybe what you'd call a "jewelry-aholic." I regularly buy new rings and necklaces and then stop wearing older pieces in my jewelry box. It seems like a terrible waste. What should I do with my old jewelry? Loaded with Baubles

Dear Baubles,

You have a wonderful problem, and The Jewelry Lady knows numerous jewelers who would be more than happy to make your acquaintance.

But seriously, have you considered redesigning some of your older jewelry? Many independent jewelers also work as jewelry designers and would jump at the chance to sketch some designs that utilize the precious gems and metals you already have.

The beauty of gold, platinum and precious gemstones is that they can be reworked again and again into new and cutting-edge pieces.

Another option: leave your outdated pieces on consignment with a jeweler who sells estate pieces, and take the money and run. Just imagine the number of new pieces you'll be able to buy in coming years!

Also consider having your outdated jewelry professionally cleaned and polished, and then give them as gifts to special people in your life. What you see as old and outdated, might tickle another person's fancy. (After all, beauty is in the eyes of the behold-

Finally, you can let your older pieces collect not only dust but also value in a safety deposit bex until you pass them on to family, friends or a favorite

Send your questions to the Jewelry Lady by: e-mail, rodgers@mich.com fax, (248) 582-9223 or mail, The Jewelry Lady, c/o Observer & Eccentric, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009.

Bonding mother and child

Retailers address motherhood today

BY NICOLE STAFFORD

Twenty, even 10 years ago, Johnson & Johnson baby oil and talcum powder were enough to soothe and pamper soft bottoms and baby-soft skin. Likewise, little boys and girls were delighted by the addition of tear-free baby shampoo

Today, products for mothers, babies and children seek to do more than show tenderness and pacify: they strive to help the parent-child bonding process. Recently introduced personal products aimed at mother and child include Bylgari's colorfully packaged Petits et Mamans line, Bobbi Brown's extra gentle, dye-free, baby essentials and a baby care line from Origins, a subsidiary of

The Petits et Mamans line includes an alcohol-free fragrance touted as a bonding agent when worn by mother and daughter. Origins' top selling baby care product is "Bear Hug," a massage cream said to promote bonding between parents and babies

Of course, massage and other forms of sensory stimulation are always beneficial to newborns and help with bonding, but many of today's mothers, who hold down full-time jobs, have less time and energy to devote to such activi-



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Like mother, like daughter: Matching cotton floral dresses by Cornelloki are priced at \$76 for mom and \$40 for daughter at April Cornell, the Somerset Collection in Troy.

Retail, style and special store events are list-

ed in this calendar. Please send information to: Malls

& Mainstreets, c/a Observer & Eccentric Newspa-

pers, 805 East Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. Fax: (248) 644-1314. Information must be received by 5 p.m. Monday for publication the following Sunday. TUESDAY, JULY 6

Borders Books & Music in Farmington Hills hosts

local yo-yo instructor Dennis Grzesiak for a yo-yo

View the Fall 1999 special order collection of design-

Avenue, the Somerset Collection in Troy, 10 a.m.-5

The Boardwalk shopping center on Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield holds its 15th Annual Side

er Geoffrey Beene through July 8 at Saks Fifth

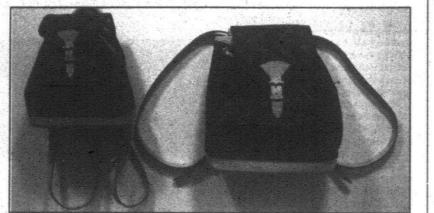
seminar for children of all ages, 7:30 p.m. WEDNESDAY, JULY 7

YO-YO CLASS FOR KIDS

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walk Sale through July 10.

p.m., Designer Salon, second floor.



Motherhood at a price: Matching leather backpacks for busy mothers and children, \$595 and \$535 at Louis Vuitton.

Arguably, baby massage cream not only acts as a vehicle for sensory stimulation but also as a reminder to take time out for bonding. When mother and daughter dot on fragrance from the same bottle before rushing out the door to work and school, they've had a shared - albeit brief - experience.

"Petits et Mamans has great relevance to the lives of today's mothers, who may not have as much time as they wish to bond with their children," says Connie Ruscio, vice president of sales for Bylgari's distributor. And when mothers do have extra time to spend with their daughters, luxury bath and beauty products enhance those "precious moments," says Ruscio.

Bath products aren't the only goods on store shelves aimed at uniting mother and child and mitigating working mothers' guilt over limited family time. Sleepwear designer Karen Neuburger launched a line of nightgowns, pajamas and robes for mothers and daughters in March. Available at Jacobson's, Neuburger's women's pieces run \$35-60 and children's pieces retail at \$24-42.

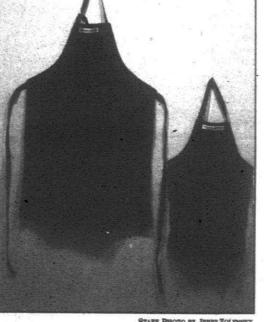
Numerous stores at the Somerset Collection in Troy also carry goods for mother and child. William Sonoma sells appropriately sized cooking aprons for joint ventures in the kitchen.

Louis Vuitton offers matching leather backpacks priced at \$595 for mother and \$535 for child. And several retailers carry matching clothing for mothers and daughters, including Laura Ashley, April Cornell and Oilily, all at the

Another factor at work behind the trend is society's changing attitude towards motherhood and pregnancy. The prevalence of expectant mothers in the workplace, coupled with working women's increased discretionary income and a slew of stylish pregnant stars in the media, has encouraged high style among soon-to-be moth-

"It's in style to be stylish when you're pregnant," says Karen Karzmar, assistant manager at A Pea in the Pod maternity store in down-Birmingham where body-hugging, "french fit" maternity clothes have replaced oversized garments that conceal curves and bulges.

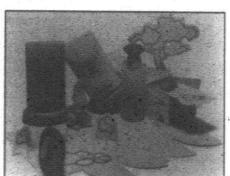
Diana Mahacek, store manager at Mimi Maternity at Laurel Park pregnant."



Place in Livonia, agrees, Kitchen ventures: Williams-Sonomo carsaying "women have ries cotton twill cooking aprons for mother fit clothing. ... They're ers, \$19, and daughters, \$16, for bonding saying 'I'm proud I'm in the kitchen, the Somerset Collection.

As mothers, these women demand the same quality, luxury and style in the products they buy for their babies and children

"Parents who purchase designer items for themselves are likely to do so for their children," says Ruscio at Bulgari. "Therefore, the idea of a shared bath line for mothers and children is especially appealing. Another contributing factor is that motherhood has become very trendy and glamorous, thanks to star moms such as Madonna."



Bonding agents: Bulgari's Petits et Mamans fragrance and bath collection is designed for use by both mother and child. Comprised of six soaps, bath gel, shampoo, body lotion and a 3.4-ounce bottle of fragrance, Bulgari's Essential Set sells for \$112.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS THURSDAY, JULY 8

SUZEN TRUNK SHOW Roz & Sherm in Bloomfield Hills hosts a trunk show of Suzen for Fall 1999 through July 10 during regular store hours. FRIDAY, JULY 9

ART IN THE PARK Visit your favorite downtown Plymouth businesses and peruse the work of more than 400 artisans during Art in the Park, 7 p.m. downtown Plymouth. SATURDAY, JULY 10

DINE & DANCE Wonderland Mall in Livonia hosts the Steel Gratitude Band as part of the center's Dine & Dance series for families, 6-9 p.m., Food Court. CLASSIC CHRYSLER SHOW

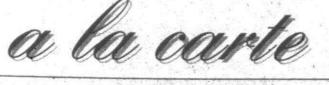
MeadowBrook Village Mall in Rochester Hills overflows with antique and classic Chrysler, Plymouth and Dodge cars during the Classic Chrysler Show through July 11 during regular mall hours. Donations benefit the Rochester Lions Club. For more information, call (248) 375-9451. SUNDAY, JULY 11

BEANIE BABY SHOW Plymouth hosts an All-Beanie Baby Show, 11 a.m.-3

p.m. Plymouth Cultural Center at 525 Farmer Street. For more information and admission fees, call (734) 455-2110.

TUESDAY, JULY 13 **CAROLINA HERRERA FALL SHOW**

Saks Fifth Avenue presents the Fall 1999 collection of Carolina Herrera at a black tie benefit for the Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA). Tickets, at \$400 each, include a cocktail reception and strolling supper at 5:30 p.m., a formal fashion show at 7 p.m. and attendance at the "Under the Stars Gala XX" on Nov. 13. For additional information and tickets, call the DIA at (313) 833-7969.

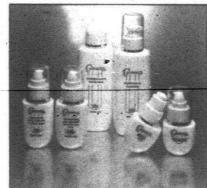




Mediterranean beauty: New at Jacobson's, Giovanna-Italy skin care products contain virgin olive oit and complexes of botanic elements, herbs and minerals from the Mediterranean

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Jacobson's stores.



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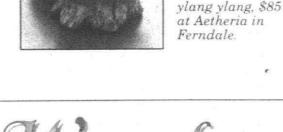
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This feature is dedicated to helping readers Faye, who lives in West Bloomfield. locate merchandise that's difficult to find. If you've and leave a message with your name and phone for Barbara. number. We publish readers' requests for merchandise twice. If you don't hear from us or see informa. Live," for Teresa of Livonia. tion about the item within a few weeks, we were

WHAT WE FOUND:

Snap Straps for sheets are available at Bed Bath & Beyond and through the Miles Kimball catalog, (800) 546-2255, or the Domestication catalog, (800) 746-2555.

We also found: a small kitchen cupboard, a Tupperware cake taker, a tape of "Eloise" by Kay Thompson, a boutonniere and buttons, a stem for a 6-cup Pyrex coffeepot and an organ grinder

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR:

A person who make quilts with pho- Pat tographs on it for Nancy A lipliner by Ultima II in "Tawny" for Carol

Rose Milk Skin Care lotion for Vivian A stamped cross-stitch baby quilt (not prequilted) for Marie. A used baritone musical instrument case

A 1960 Highland Park High School yearbook for Caro - The video "The Great Mouse Detective" for

Avon's Natural Exfoliating Body bar soap A cabinet that opens into a dining room

- Coty L'ESSLEUR cologne for Joanne in Rockford socks with red heels and toes for of assorted dogs playing poker or shooting

Noreen of Livonia - A 1953 Central High School yearbook for

A person who refinishes rocking chairs seen or are looking for an item, call (248) 901-2555 and Schlenhouse German cabinet white wine - A Doubleday Cookbook, as seen on "Cooking

> Vietnam, WWI and WWII uniforms for Sheila, an American history teacher who wants to use the items in her classroon Someone who makes graded wool rugs for

> Florence of Westland Individual storage bins on wheels with brown/tan lids for Nancy An instruction manual or company

> address for Springcrest drapery fixtures A Lollipop undershirt worn by elderly women and Bill Blass cologne/perfume for Caroline, a Royal Oak resident. A telephone number for people who

accept trophies for the Special Olympics for MP STAR WEARS: EPISODE 1 TH PHANTOM MENACE (PG) A 1952 Fordson High School yearbook for

A 1950 Central High School yearbook for A 1997 Adams High School yearbook for A denim handbag made from rayon-like

material that was available at the Fossil Store at Birch Run for Jeanine - An English golf cart by Clubster for ladies in good condition for Mrs. Letro A 1951 Central High School yearbook for

Ellen who lives in Westland An instruction manual for the BMI Home Gym for John of Garden City A stem for a Pyrex 9-cup coffee pot for

Dorothy of Livonia A hearing impaired group that is travel-ing on New Year's Eve and a picture or poster

Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

OBSERVER & ECCENTRIC

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Wonderful Hawaii

By SANDRA ARMBRUSTER STAFF WRITER sarmbruster@oe.homecomm.net

"I wonder," said my seat mate thoughtfully as we looked at the snowy runways on our approach to Metro Airport last March. "I wonder if anyone gets off the plane, turns right around and asks for a ticket back to Hawaii." The idea of heading back to this paradise was especially tempting after a 10-day stay that included an American Hawaii cruise among four islands - Oahu, Kauai, Maui and Hawaii, which is also known s "the big island."

Much of the uneventful flight ack on Northwest had been spent listening to passengers ebate which of the four was the

best" island.

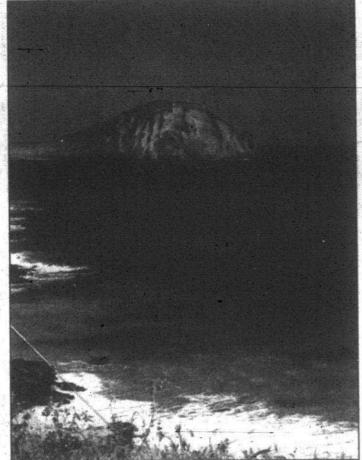
That would be a tough debate o win. In my travels, from Alasa to the Virgin Islands, no other tate provides opportunities for such varied contrasts in climate or activities. The islands hold comething for everyone, from the jush greenery of Kauai to the moonscape of a dormant volcano on Maui to the snow-capped Mauna Loa on Hawaii.

Snow skiing in Hawaii? Yes, it's possible in winter on Mauna Kea - at an elevation of 13,700 feet.

In contrast are the picturepostcard beaches for sunning or catching the 20-foot waves offshore on Oahu in December. Visitors can look up at the largest telescope on earth, look down at living coral while snorkeling and watch out for humpback whales playing at sea. There is, of course, much more

The people, the culture

If travelers look only for the typical tourist sites, however, they will miss much of what the islands are all about. There is the temperament of the island people, which is as mild as the temperature. Both vary little, from season to season or subject to subject. Even when a native Hawaiian gets passionate about his heritage or protecting the



Offshore beauty: The island of Mokolii offshore Oahu is a way station for those who want to catch a wave. Watch out, warns a tour guide, for gray shadows swimming beneath you.

state's environment, it is done so

only in the most gentle of voices.
"Cousin," tour bus drivers will say, looking back over their shoulders. "We're all cousins, you know." You know a story is coming, no doubt one of many you're likely to hear on the trip.

Drivers like to remind tourists it wasn't just traveling ships discovering the islands. Missionaries and capitalists from the mainland, some of whom were missionaries themselves, came and conquered the islands. That's why, the tour leaders add, there are few people left on the islands who are solely of Hawaiian heritage.

Many native Hawaiians have gone to the mainland to earn a living, while big venture capitalists own much of the property. Programs are now in place to reestablish the Hawaiians' land ownership rights.

An average home can cost. \$250,000 and, as everywhere, location is everything. Waterfront property is prime, but a downturn in the Japanese economy has made some sites more



Moonscape: What looks like a forbidding scene from the moon is actually a portion of the dormant volcano Haleakala on the island of Maui. Its pink cones and unusuat shapes were formed by erosion..

"affordable" in recent months.

Concern for the environment is paramount on the minds of those who live in the islands to preserve their biggest revenue source — tourism — as well as for quality of life reasons. Tourism became their biggest industry, since the sugar cane industry all but dried up. Hawaiians know that without their unpolluted air and unspoiled waters, few would make the trip of nearly 5,000 miles from the metropolitan Detroit area.

Island adventures

My adventure in Hawaii began with a stay in Waikiki. Yes, it's a typical tourist town and, frankly, its famed beach is outdone by those elsewhere on Oahu and other islands. Waikiki/Honolulu area is built up, but it's the place to go if you're interested in nightlife or shopping. Don Ho is still crooning, and it seems as though every hotel is touting its own version of shows representing cultures in islands of the South

There are several major shopping areas, and transportation is easily accessible by way of The

To be fair, there are the Arizona Memorial (see related story), fine museums, churches and a zoo which make a stopover there worthwhile.

Get outside the city, however, and it's like being in another world best seen from the top of Mt. Tantalus. Take a circle tour of the island and climb to the rim of Diamond Head, and enjoy

the coral and fish which swim up to bathers on Hanauma Bay beach, a non-smoking area. Sometimes it is so crowded in season it needs to be closed to protect the environment.

Time it right on the tour, and ou might get to see the "blow hole" rock formation spouting sea water. While in the area, be sure to keep an eye out for the green sea turtles. Look offshore for Molokai island, and around on the north shore are friendly. smaller communities playing host to beautiful beaches and monster waves.

Travel is easy between the islands, by air or by boat. Those of us - and there were many who chose a cruise smiled at how one could watch airplanes lift off one island and rise slowly in the air only to quickly set wheels to firm ground on a neighboring

Traveling solo

We left Honolulu at the Aloha Tower aboard the S.S. Independence in festive style, to the sounds of kettle drums and water spouts from a fire boat, all courtesy of the Honolulu City Council

The trip for many of us had been organized by AAA Travel branches throughout the country. Lucky for solo travelers like myself, the Independence has a few rooms for passengers traveling alone. That's a distinct advantage over other ship lines, which may charge a hefty supplement to those solo passengers who wish to bunk alone.

Air was included in the pack-

age and as with many ship lines, that meant transfers were taken care of - a welcome aid for those of us who have difficulty handling baggage.

Agent Diana Ralston of the Birmingham AAA branch recommended a large table for dinner on board ship, to avoid getting stuck with an obnoxious passenger. That was never the case on this trip, as congenial passengers laughed and chatted our way through a day at sea before arriving in Kauai.

A warning: The venerable ship was built during the 1950s and doesn't have the stabilizers or size of more modern ships. So if you're prone to sea sickness, come prepared.

But don't let that stop you. The captain and his crew are proud of their ship and can't do enough to make your stay memo-

Next week share the adventure aboard the S.S. Independence with a helicopter ride on Kauai, whale-watching off of Maui and viewing a live volcano in Hawaii. Try, if you will, to think of the "best" island to visit.

Sandra Armbruster is editor of The Lake Orion and Oxford Eccentric papers. She recommends spending time to "know before you go" by reading about the history, culture and adventure of Hawaii and its people in books such as "Adventuring in Hawaii," a Sierra Club travel guide available on the Internet or at your favorite book store.

GREAT ESCAPES

Great Escapes features various travel news items. Send news leads, story ideas or your own travel adventures to Keely Wygonik, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36351 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150 or fax to (734)591-7279 or e-mail to kwygonik@ oe. homecomm. net

Every summer, regular as the season's turn, residents of southeast Michigan head Up North for recreation, relaxation and inspi-

We'd like to know where you go when you go Up North. Tell us about your favorite Up North spot. Is it a beach house on Lake Michigan, a resort around Traverse City, a cabin in the deep. woods, a river cottage near Lake Huron, a bed and breakfast on Mackinac Island or a hideaway in the UP? Do you enjoy boating on the Great Lakes, golfing on the designer courses, hiking the rugged trails, biking the back roads, antique hunting, fudge eating or simply watching the sunset on a beautiful beach?

Tell us in 50-75 words about your favorite Up North place and if you have a photograph send it along for a travel story about Michigan's special paradise.

Send your stories and pictures to Keely Wygonik at the Observer & Eccentric, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. Or email your comments to kwygonik@ oe. homecomm. net

TORONTO STREET FAIR

Yonge Street comes alive July 9-11 with entertainment as part of the second annual Celebrate



Toronto Street Festival. Five intersections will be closed for events ranging from a beach party to extreme sports. The festival will have 10 multiple stages. For more information, call the event hot line at (416) 338-0338.

TOUR HOSTS

Jane and Ed Wojtan of Livonia are hosting several tours in the coming year. The couple have been hosting tours to Poland since 1993. This year, they are again hosting a trip to Poland and have added a tour to Ireland and a tour of the Southeast Asia countries of Malaysia and Thailand. For the year 2000, they have a limited number of spaces

for the once-a-decade Passion . Play staged a Oberammergau, Germany,

Jane is a retired registered dietitian, who worked at Oakwood Hospital. Ed is retired from the automotive industry, having held management positions at Ford Motor Co., American Motors and Chrysler Corp.

For information on these tours, call Jane or Ed at (437)425-2727.

MYSTERY TRAIN

A train excursion will run from Dearborn to somewhere at 8 a.m. July 17. Lunch will be served. and the train will return at 5 p.m. For what little more information is available or for tickets, call (248) 541-1000.



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OBSERVER **SPORTS**

Michigan Open results

Plymouth Salem High product Jeff Roth, the defending champion in the Michigan Open, finished runner-up to Escanaba's Scott Hebert in the fourday tournament which concluded Thursday at the Grand Traverse Resort Bear in Acme.

Hebert, firing a final round 69, won by three shots over Roth. Hebert's, a 30-year-old who has played on the Hooters Tour, shot 71-69-73-69 for a 282 total.

Roth shot 72-70-69-71 for a 285. Livonia Stevenson's Steve Polanski, the Division I state individual medalist in 1998 headed for Texas Christian University, was second low ama-

teur with 73-75-74-74, tied for 18th with a 296 total. Russ Cunningham was low amateur with a 295.

Women's Suburban Golf

Dearborn's Diane Wazney shot an 5 to take first flight low gross honor Friday at the Women's Suburban Golf stop at Glenhurst in Redford Town-

· Lillian Vandebroker (Dearborn Heights) was second with an 86.

Low net honors went to June Wright (Livonia) with a 66. Mary Gene Stefanec (Dearborn) was second with a 68.

In the second flight, Penny Irwin (Westland) won low gross with an 85, while Bernie Evans (Franklin) was runner-up with a 98.

Low net went to Pat Henke (Wayne) with a 59. Jinny Valentine (Dearborn) was second with a 65.

Livonia Youth Fitness

The 1999 City of Livonia Parks and Recreation Youth Fitness Meet (ages 7-14) will be at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Rotary Park, located at Six Mile and-Hubbard roads.

Registration is from 9-9:45 a.m. All registrants must live in the Livonia or Clarenceville school districts. Cost is

Age divisions for boys and girls include Class A (13-14), Class B (11-12), Class C (9-10) and Class D (7-8). Class is based on age as of Dec. 31,

Evens include standing long jump, running long jump, chinning, 75-, 60or 50-yard dash, agility run and softball throw.

First place finishers in each class will represent Livonia in the Detroit Metropolitan Youth Fitness Meet Thursday, July 22 at Metro Beach Metropark. (Uniforms, transportation and lunch will be provided to those youngsters representing Livonia.)

For more information, call (734)

Youth soccer champions

The Canton Soccer Club's under-9 girls team, a member of the Huron Division of the Great Lakes Travel Soccer League, chosed out its first undefeated season recently with an 8-0-1 record.

CSC outscored its opponents, 34-7, including four shutouts.

The team's defense was anchored by stopper Allison Schmitt, along with fullbacks Jenny Novak, Beth Radkoski, Jennifer Williams and Elizabeth Wolf, as well as goalkeepers Beth asanese and Clare Baptist.

Offensive goal scorers included Clair Madill, Cara Boyer, Adrienne Gibson, Melissa Klusek and Autumn Knoerl. The team leaders in assists were Mollie Williams and Ashley Stoeckle.

The team is coached by Tom Baptist, Mike Stoeckle and Dick Williams.

Founders Festival races

The Farmington Founders Festival of Races will be Saturday, July 10 at Shiawassee Park, located on Shiawasse one-half mile west of Orchard

Part of the proceeds will go toward a college scholarship fund for disadvantaged and inner-city youngsters.

The four-mile race and three-mile walk starts at 9 a.m. followed by the one-mile fun run at 10:30 a.m.

All kids milers will receive a medal. Awards will also be given in the fourmile race, along with the top 15 walk-

Race day registration is \$18 with the kids one-miler \$10 (includes T-

shirt and refreshments). For more information, call the Farmington Hills Parks and Recreation Department at (248) 473-9570.

This letterman comes full circle

EMU awards ex-hoop player Pierce letter 48 years later

BY BRAD EMONS SPORTS WRITER

Mac Pierce is a prime example of the old adage: "Good will come to those who wait.

This story certainly is a lesson in patience.

Nearly 48 years later, the 70-year-old retired elementary school teacher from Plymouth received his varsity men's basketball letter from Eastern Michigan University.

Pierce, a 5-foot-11 junior guard, played for EMU (then called Michiga State Normal College) during the 1950-51 season as an invited walk-on, but left the team in early February to be with his ailing father Cyrus, who died at age 51 shortly after from colon can-

Michigan Normal coach William Crouch told Pierce, who was a key reserve, he understood his decision to leave the team, but would not earn a letter if he did not finish the season.

"I was never the kind of guy who asked favors in return for favors." Pierce said. "It was our last road trip (to Northern Illinois) and told him (Crouch) I was not going because I had to take care of him and my mother needed my support.

"I told him it was a privilege to play college basketball and I appreciated what he had done for me.

On June 26, as part of a golf outing, Pierce was stunned to learn that one of his former fifth-grade students at Bird Elementary School, longtime friend Bruce Gerish, had written the EMU Athletic Department in Nov. of 1998 on

A few months later, Gerish received



Never too old: Plymouth's Mac Pierce received his letter in men's basketball from Eastern Michigan University 48 years later with the help of his former fifth-grade student Bruce Gerish.

in the mail the varsity letter and a message from EMU interim athletic director Carole Huston.

Gerish, a former Plymouth Salem High cager and baseball player, immediately framed the two items together to present it to Pierce at Gerish's annual Legends Hall of Fame outing.

"Malcolm deserved it, he's been a good supporter of EMU over the years," Gerish said. "Mac made the right decision, as his dad passed while the team

"Having to support his mother financially, and work his way through school made it impossible for Mac to play his senior season.

"He's lived with the decision knowing it was the proper one for him and his family, and has never been bitter about Bill Crouch's stance on the letter.'

Pierce was nearly speechless when Gerish asked him to come forward in front of a large gathering at his house. His wife Marilyn, along with his three sons and daughter, also witnessed the surprise presentation.

"I loved basketball, that was my game," Pierce said. "And it sure means a lot to me. It means more 48 years later, more than walking on some girls' "I wondered why my wife was invit-

ed. I thought she was baby-sitting (the grandchildren). And to get it from one of my fifth-grade students - I was really choked up."

EMU's men's basketball media guide

can now enter the name Malcolm Pierce to its list of letterwinners right alongside such famous hoop names as George Gervin, Gary Tyson, Kennedy

McIntosh, Harvey Marlatt, Lindell Reason, Earle Higgins, Fred Cofield, Grant Long, Carl and Charles Thomas, Marcus Kennedy, Earl Boykins, Brian Tolbert and Derrick Dial.

"Because of a lack of statistics, our records really don't go back that far and sometimes things like this are difficult to document," Huston said. "But given the time and the circumstances, we thought it was the proper thing to do. We've had history of trying to do the right thing here and I'm sure we made the right decision.

Pierce enrolled at Michigan Normal in 1948. He was a three-sport standout at Northville High School where his dad was principal.

During an intramural game at the Please see CAGE LETTERMAN, D2

Bass angler nets 4th, \$35,000 check



Livonian 4th: Realtor David Reault turned in his best professional finish.

BY BILL PARKER STAFF WRITER BPARKER@OE.HOMECOM.NET

Livonia's David Reault took advantage of the home-lake advantage in the Wal-Mart FLW Tour Forrest Wood Open, a professional bass fishing tournament, which concluded June 26, on Lake St. Clair.

A real estate broker at Century 21 in Livonia, Reault finished fourth in the 164-angler field with a finals limit of five smallmouth that tipped the scale at 15 pounds, 14 ounces.

It was Reault's biggest cash pay day as the 42-year-old father of three netted \$35,000 for his efforts.

"In terms of professional tournaments this is the best I've done," said Reault, who fishes the local bass tournament circuits when he can get away

from his full-time job. "I won a Red Man Regional a few years 230 and got a Ranger bass boat and a pick-up truck. But this was a lot more prestigious and there was much better competition here."

FLW tournaments follow a unique format.

The anglers weighing the top 10 cumulative weights in both an angler division (professionals) and the coangler division (amateurs) after the first two days of competition advance to the third day.

Anglers then start from scratch and the top five on the third day advance to the final day of competition where they again start from scratch.

Co-angler competition ends at the conclusion of the third day.

The Forrest Wood Open featured

some of the world's best bass anglers. In fact, the other four top-five finalists in the angler division are all fulltime professionals.

Rochester's Art Ferguson III, a twotime qualifier for the BASSMASTER Classic, posted his highest finish to date in a major tournament when he wound up third.

On the final day of the four-day tournament Ferguson weighed a five-fish limit of smallmouth that tipped the scale at 17 pounds, 10 ounces.

He pocketed \$50,000 for his efforts.

Pete Thliveros of Jacksonville, Florida, a seven-time BASSMASTER Classic qualifier and the Angler-of-the-Year in the inaugural, Wal-Mart FLW Tour in 1996, won the Forrest Wood Open and a check for \$200,000 with a finals

Please see BASS ANGLER, D4

Livonia drag racer rather run a Buick

Drew Edwards treats his 1970 Buick Gran Sport like a baby - except when he puts it on a quarter-mile track.

The 33-year-old Livonian, who restored the vehicle eight years ago, won his Bracket 2-B2 class and a \$1,000 check, not to mention a nice trophy, at the Buick GS Nationals, June 26, at National Trail Raceway in Columbus, Ohio.

Edwards, who outraced a field of 96 cars, covered the quarter-mile track in 11.8 seconds in his bracket for racers who compile speeds anywhere from 11.5 to 12.5 seconds. (The Super 16, Bracket I-B1, are the quickest, 11.5 seconds and under.)

"It was my first win down there and a big meet for me because I didn't have a lot of luck there," said Edwards, a wet surface grinder for S.E.E. Gage Co. in Wixom. "I had to win seven rounds." Most summer weekends Drew Edwards and his brother Darren are either at

Buick GS Club of America races or shows. They'll usually do testing Wednesday nights and hit the road on Fridays. Fourth of July weekend the brothers loaded up the trailer and traveled to

You can also find them other weekends at venues such as Milan or Norwalk, Ohio, the latter track where Edwards has earned three wins and one runner-

Edwards' Buick Gran Sport can also be spotted on Woodward Avenue Cruise where he treats his vehicle with tender loving care. Founded 17 years ago, the Buick GS Club of America has grown to 5,000



1st in class: Drew Edwards of Livonia (front) took home \$1,000 and first-place trophy in the Buick GS Nationals at National Trail Raceway in Columbus, Ohio.

Edwards' affinity for racing started when he turned 16.

"It started with the Chrysler-Mopar and Chevys," he said. "Then I found a Buick GS for sale at a swap meet and I fell in love with it. "I went to technical seminars and learned about restoration and high perfor-

mance." Edwards' win also pleased his sponsor, Mike Temaszewski of T.A. Perfor-

mance of Scottsdale, Ariz. (where he gets discount on parts). Racing at speeds upward of 114 MPH, the Livonia drag racer is well aware of the risks of his sport-hobby.

"There's always danger involved," said Edwards, who pushes his 455 cubicsch motor to the limit, "But both the National Hot Rod Association (NHRA) and the International Hod Rod Association (IHRA) have pretty good track records as far as safety goes."

SUMMER SANDLOT BASEBALL

Feigner's legacy endures

Anne Marie Feigner was sur-

women while playing first base known they wouldn't be recep-for The King and His Court tive to her playing freshman against a local team of softball ball the next fall.

And if there was, nobody said, "the very first one at Cancared. It was mostly part of a ton. farewell tour for Eddie Feign- S.

whom quite a few in the audiice remembered as Anne farie Dozbush, former Canton

Dozbush went to East Midthe School in the early 1970s Texas when The King and His when Feigner officially retires. and was so good an athlete the Court barnstormed through reach. "Mr. Bartlett, asked me Feigner was impressed, asked cosch. "Mr. Bartlett, asked me Feigner was impressed, asked "What happened to basketto come out for the boys team. her to sign on to promote his ball when Michael Jordan his was in eighth grade. "He was the math teach hen. I hear he's still teaching

"He's teaching at Canton tenior-to-be at Salem who litched two innings for the All-Stars against The King & His.

She shouldn't have been. Anne Marie Feigner took time after the game to chat with DeKarske - and anyone else who was interested - and give her advise on how to approach Central Michigan University about playing softball for them

when she's done at Salem. Feigner had an interesting experience playing for the East with the Canton Community Middle School boys baseball Junior Baseball and Softball

prised at how many people 'team. Interesting if you're remembered. interested in archaic attitudes. When word got around that Feigner returned to Canton When word got around that with her husband, Eddie, promoting athletics for girls and ball, some area schools let it be

They left at 6 a.m. Saturday

"I've been promoting girls softball for 25 years," she said. It was how she met her hus-

Eddie Feigner isn't a fulltime player any more. Time has taken care of what opponow," said Liz DeKarske, a nenta could never do - retire

1990," Feigner said. "I just had out and watch the team

man. That's all I ate for years to promote athletics for girls So Feigner works the microphone, sets up and delivers those famous one-liners, and trots out to throw the phantem

Barnes, Vice President-Girls

Sherry Harper, a fourthgrade teacher in the Wayne-Westland school system, itched three innings for the

The Feigners and their team, which includes pitcher Rich Hoppe and catcher shortstop Eddie Aucoin, will make other benefit appearance on the farewell tour July 8 in

norning to drive to Ludington so they could ferry across Lake Michigan and do some dates in Wisconsin. They would ferry orts for Anne Marie Feigner, ing that footnete to Canton back for their Westland game and then leave again.

It was a good show when it started in 1946 and it's a good

"Who cares?" he cracked. team and eventually married retired? What happened to baseball when Babe Ruth

"It will go on. "Hopefully, Anne Marie and my son will keep it going." Anne Marie Feigner thanked "I had a heart attack in the crowd for choosing to come e-bypass surgery and I've instead of staying home to

> She never missed a minute and gave advice to every kid who asked about getting into college or how to improve their

"You have to help children," two-strike pitch he's famous she said. "We see it everywhere we go. "Communities that support

children have low crime rates. "We have to take care of our

Lasers, Knights split twinbill in Incredible Girls Fastpitch

The Livonia Lasers and Livonia Knights split a double-header Thursday in the Incredible Girls Fastpitch Softball National League at Churchill High

The Knights, behind pitcher Meghan Misiak's five-hitter and 13 strikeouts, took the opener, 4-

Each team collected five hits. Sallie Kuratko led the Knights with two hits. Amy Sandrick and Jamie Lin-

den each collected two singles for

the Lasers. Linden had an RBI Losing pitcher Tara Muchow struck out 10 and walked three in seven innings.

The Lasers (1-3), scoring six times in the opening inning, captured the nightcap, 9-0.

Jeanette Bertrand doubled twice to lead the eight-hit Lasers' attack. Sandrick also contribut a pair of singles, while winning pitcher Nicole Zabkiewicz, Shari Drayer, Jenie INCREDIBLE FASTPICH SCHEDULE

FASTPITCH SOFTBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCHEDULE (double-headers start at 6 p.m.) Tuesday, July & Diamonds vs. Lance ut North Farmington; Cobras vs. Lasers at Canton; Knights vs. Thunder at Livonia Churchill: Lightning vs. Cyclones at Ply mouth Salem; Hornets vs. Wildcats at Farmington Hills Mercy.

Thursday, July 8: Diamonds vs. Laser

hite Sox at Livenia Stevenson. t. North Farmington, Lancer vs. Knights at Livonia Ladywood; Cyclones vs. Cobres at Livonia Stevenson; Thunder vs. Wildcats at Pfymouth Salem; Hornets vs.

D'Annunzio and Monica Little collected one apiece.

Lightning at Farmington Hills Mercy.

innings, allowing just three hits and three walks. Rene Ritz was the losing pitch-

In American League action Tues- 1) dropped the nightcap, 9-8.

engs vs. Southfield Brancos at Farming on Hills Mercy: Pranklin Ladybugs vs. vonta Gistory et Livonia Franklint Walled ake Wings vs. Livonia Red Sox at Walled

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ake Western: Livonia Rangers vs. Livonia Thursday, July 8: Livonia Gators vs. ermington Hills Mustangs at Livonia urchiil: Livenia Red Sox vs. Franklin adybugs at Livonia Ladywood; Southfield Broricos vs. Livonia White Sox at Beverly Hills Country Day; Walfed Lake Wings vs. Livonia Rangers at Walled Lake Western

day, winning pitcher Shawn Fallon doubled twice and had an RBI to Zabkiewicz pitched six lead the Livonia Red Sox to a 6-5 win in the opener against the host Farmington Hills Mustangs

Elisabeth McGhie went 2-for-2 •RED SOX 6-8, MUSTANGS 5-9: with three RBI as the Red Sox (5-

Blue Jays, D-backs vie in final

respective divisions in the Girls Prep League division of the Canton Community Junior Base-

ball and Softball Associaton. They will square off in a best two-of-three championship series July 8, 13 and 15, if necessary. All games are at 6:30 p.m.

Remaining teams begin a one-game elimination tournament July 8, with play continuing July 13 and concluding July 15. All post-season games are at CEP

of the sixth to clinch the win.

them in the standing by a half-game. The Jays were 11-3 while the Sox finished 10-3-1. Kaitlin Downey hit a home run in the bottom

The Diamondbacks got a well-pitched game

CANTON GIRLS LEAGUE

by beating the White Sox, 9-8, Thursday to pass

from Lauren Delapaz and some good fielding by

The Blue Jays clinched the Eastern Division Jessie Martin in beating the Athletics, 10-4.

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coach Pete Mazzoni had two assists. . WILDCATS 6, HUSKIES 2: Shaun Harrington racked up four assists and Darrin Silvester contributed two goals and one assist Wednesday as the Wild cats (1.3) collected their first win of the season at the expense of the Huskies (2.1) at the Cultural Center.

Joe Kustra.

Mike Swistak and Vic Decinal each added a goal and two assists. Kevin Bushey and Rob Oldham tallied the other goals Dan Dobrowski and Aaron

Jones split time in the nets for the Wildcats. Phil Pietila and Jim Tudor each scored twice for the Huskies Glen Pietila contribut

ed two assists. Goaltender John Picklo went all the way in goal for the

Morrison and Tom Gallus, who was also one of the hitting

Morrison pitched 2% innings and Gallus came in with two outs and two runners on base in the seventh inning. The only batter Gallus faced hit a grounder between first and second base that hit the Hines Park baserunner for an out, ending the game. Stevens, who set down the first nine batters in order,

improved his pitching record to Gallus, strictly a pitcher at Eastern Michigan University, contributed even before given the ball on the mound in the seventh. He had two hits coming in as a late-inning replacement in left field, where he also made a

splendid diving catch. One of his singles drove in three runs in the sixth for a 5-1 lead, scores that proved to be more than just insurance.

Gallus came into left field when shortstop Chris Kimball njured his knee and had to eave the game. A Hines Park player accidentally fell on Kimball's knee after tagging him out near second base in a run-down. Berryman moved Lance Sieg-

wald from second base to short stop and Joel Halliday (Redford Union) from left field to second base, creating the opportunity for Gallus. Gallus has three hits in four

plate appearances this year, so maybe it won't be the last time he hits. Ben Rush was 1-for-3 with two

Padre hurler Berryman on mend

DCI turns back Michigan Rams

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GREAT LAKES

WOODEN BAT LEAGUE

Sunday, July 4

Penthers at North, Ohio, 1:30 p.m. (2

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enthers at Grand Lake, 7:15 p.m.

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Panthers vs. Michigan Rama, TBA.

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isor Selects, norm (2)

Berryman's son, Brian Berryman, a minor league pitcher for the San Diego Padres, is rehabilitating his surgically repaire

There's a tie for first place in

the Adray Metro Baseball Asso-

DCI defeated the Michigan

Lake Area Rams, 8-3, Friday at

Ford Field in Livonia to give

both teams 22 points, most in

Jason Popham (GRJC) pitched

a five-hitter and struck out six to

lead DCI, now 10-5-2, to its vic-

First baseman Mike Gates

went 2-for-3 and drove in two

runs while both Troy Bergman

(MSU) and Eric Harden (Oak-

land U.) went 1-for-3 with an

RBI. Chris McChristion (MSU)

Phil Kommer took the loss for

the Rams, although four of the

six runs he gave up were

unearned. He struck out five in

Chet Rees went 1-for-2 with a

two RBI and Peter Varon went

1-for-3 with an RBI for the

No Adray games were sched-

ouled in Windsor on Wednesday

night because of the Freedom

The Michigan Lake Area Rams

even felt the effects of traffic for

Outfielder Ricky Green could

and pitcher Shawn Morrison

WMU) arrived late, missing a

Coach Rick Berryman gave the

ball to Jeremy Stevens (Madon-

na) and he was the winning

pitcher in a 5-3 victory over

Stevens threw 4% innings

n't make it in from Lake Orion

Festival Fireworks Show.

their at Ford Field.

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tory. The Rams are 11-10.

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went 1-for-3.

five innings.

He is working out three hours again, lightly, in September, the elder Berryman said.

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The Metro Summer

Hockey League-leading

Bulldogs proved they have

both bark and bite follow-

ing Wednesday's 14-5

thrashing of the Spartans

at the Plymouth Cultural

The Bulldogs head into

the Fourth of July weekend

break with a 4-1 record

thanks to Ferris State's

Corey Swider, who pumped

Matt Grant and Darin

Fawkes each chipped in

with two goals and one

assist, while Brian Halas

contributed a goal and two

assists. Jason Basile col-

lected a goal and two

assists, while Brad Yone

murra. Trov Milam and

Matt Prater each scored a

Jed Martens and Phil

Osaer split the goaltending

The Spartans, who

dropped to 2-3 in MSHL

play, got a pair of goals

ach from Adam Krug and

Robert Scott contributed

goal and one assist, while

Redford Unified hockey

duties for the winners.

and Eric Bratcher each

with three assists.

return is next May. He was pitching for the Class py can be painful.

A Fort Wayne (Ind.) Wizards elbow at MedSport in Ann Arbor. and having a successful season the surgery was successful and when he went down after throwa day and may start throwing ing a pitch in a game around Memorial Day.

"His spirits are up and down,"

The target date for him to Rick Berryman said. "He'd rather be playing and the thera-

'It's tough, an adjustment but he's continuing to get stronger Berryman was drafted out of high school by the Houston Stafford three hits and one RBI. Vojtkofsky also Astros befor going to Michigan.

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Early fireworks finds Concealed in control

Concealed Security baseball player Andrew afford lives on the east side, so it's no wonder ne felt right at home (plate) on Thursday in the 5th annual Firecracker Classic at Halmich

tafford, who lives a short drive from the park

Sterling Heights, was a combined 4-for-6 as needled's 12-under team won its first two mes Thursday at the Fourth of July tourna-"Guess he likes playing close to home," joked oncealed couch Lou Pirronello, whose team is

Concealed has the Rochester Reds, 12-2, in a game shortened by the eight-run , four inning Jeff Richard (West Bloomfield) moved his record to 5-0, pitching a one-hitter with four

strikeouts and two walks. The two runs were Stafford collected a pair of doubles in three plate appearances. Richard was 2-for-2 and Scott Szpryka (Orchard Lake 2-3 with an RBI

Lance Latkiewicz had an RBI double and also Stafford went 4-for-4 with two RBI and three stolen bases as Concealed beat Manchester, Ohio, in the second game. Ryan Shay (Garden City) was the winning pitcher, allowing four

its with 10 strikeouts in a complete-game Chris Russin (Canton) had two hits and Eric Vojtkofsky (Wayne) also had two hits, both doubles. Steve Karchefske was 2-for-4 and Szpryka and one hit and three RBI. Stafford also had three stolen bases had

Chris Russin (Canton) had two hits, Eric nitkofsky (Wayne) had two doubles Steve Karchefske was 2-for-4, he's a pick-up. Szpryka one hit, three RBI.

Concealed, 54-11 overall, played the last game of the regular season on Wednesday, beating the Michigan Indians, 19-2, at Stepping Stone Park in Farmington. Alan Hagedon (Westland) threw a one-hitter

over five innings to improve his pitching record Matt Rodeghier (Farmington Hills) pitched

Concealed collected 25 hits so there was plen-

ty to go around. Eric Drieselman (Garden City) went 3-for-6, including two doubles, with two RBI. Russin had three hits, missing only a home Szpryka had three hits and three RBI and

YOUTH ROUNDU

Richard collected two hits and two RBI, Mark mello (Livonia) two hits and two RBI and oey Patievic also had two hits.

Thunder rules Allen Park tourney Michigan Thunder, a 12-year-old Little Cae-sars travel baseball team out of Livonia and Westland, recently captured four straight names to win the Allen Park Athletic Club

Members of the Thunder, who outscored their opponents 61-23, include: Justin Deon, Mike Evenson, Colin Gibbings, Scott Krystoff, Jon Leins, Zach MacVoy, David McGrerty, David Niemiec, Alan Olson, Garrett Radford, Robbie

tiehl and Matt Sinkovitz. The Thunder is coached by Max Riehl, Matt linkovitz, Sean McGrorty and Jim Radford.

Blue Jays capture Livonia F-Major The Blue Jays, posting a 10-7-1 record in the Livonia Junior Athletic League's F-Major (13-14) Division, will represent Livonia July 30-31 at the Michigan Parks and Recreation State

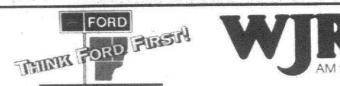
nament in Clarkston. Members of the city champions include: Ryaz Cox, Dan Karczynski, Matt Lang, Shari Drayer, Don Preiss, Jake Horgan, Jeremy Horgan, Mike Bebow, Paul Stiem, Bobby Geisinger, Chris Ebbitt, Dave Posler, Jamie Fry and Corey

The Blue Jays are managed by Jim Clearman Coaches include Dennis Karczynski and Jeff

Indian 11s runner-up in Battle Creek The Michigan Indians 11s reached the finals of the Mayor's Invitational baseball tournam 26-27 in Battle Creek winning five straight games before losing to the Kalamazoo Inferno

The Indians defeated the Oakville (Ontario) Canadians, Kalamazoo Inferno 12s, Sylvania (Ohio) Mavericks 11s, Macomb Battlecats and the North Farmington-West Bloomfield 11s en

The Indians, representing Michigan, will compete July 31-Aug. 7 in the AAU National Chamaship at Disney's Wide World of Sport in.

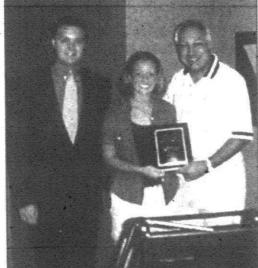


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Hubbard Lake.

Bashara (79).

he program.

CANTON HOOP GOLF OUTING

The third annual Plymouth

Canton baseball golf outing

Tee-off is at 11:15 a.m.

The cost is \$70 (includes cart

and dinner) or \$340 (includes

nole sponsorship, a foursome

for 18 holes, plus cart, and din-

ner afterwards at Plymouth

(after 3 p.m.) is \$10 per person.

JUNIOR, SENIOR OLYMPICS

after registration

Registration payment must

arily celebrate

our nations

Independence

Day with grand

displays of fire-

works, there

have been plen-

ty of fireworks

going on in the

local tourna-

First and fore-

most, it was

Richard Dolph

ters at Bowl One Lanes in Troy.

presented by Linda Malavolti of

His 248 match game average

Winning his semifinal match

Wenzloff needed to close out

with a spare and nine to win, but

Dolph's win moved him to the

Other bowlers from O&E com-

munities who fared pretty well

included: Rich Hamilton,

Rochester, seventh; Dan Wagn-

er, Troy, 12th; Scott Miller.

Waterford, 15th; Paul March

Southfield 30th: Kevin Coshatt

Livonia, 38th; David Simmons,

Westland, 49th; and Bob Worley,

222 average division next year.

The next 198 division tourna-

ment will be held on Sunday,

July 18 at Rose Bowl Lanes in

Bielawski at (313) 365-8449.

Those interested should call Al

·There are three weekends

al'years, and scoring continues

to be like another fireworks

Mark Milasinovich has taken

the singles lead in actual and

handicap. He is 23 years-old and

carries a 212 average. He rolled

games of 279-267-245-279 for a

four-game scratch total of 1.070

and with his 24 pins in handicap

he has the lead, for \$25,000 with

For more information on the

Hamtramck Singles Classic, call

(248) 546-0070

This is a repeat

for David Mahaz,

owner of David's

Right Line Pro

shop located in

Cloverlanes in

David has expe-

rience on the Pro

Tour and has

In the past sev

deliver the ball physically.

numerous other David Mahaz

tournament titles. Cloverlanes

eral months we have had various

ing the conditions, the types of

balls to use and the ways to best

this information come together and

Livonia.

The Midstates Masters is

212 division, where he should do

with top qualifier Joe Wenzloff,

248-246, proved to be the turn-

started with his third 300 game

this year in the first round.

ing point for his win.

only got a seven count

very well.

Livonia, 55th.

Windsor.

Hazel Park Bowl

The final date is July 26

ment scene.

ALLEY

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Grosse Pointe Monday, July 12 2 p.m. at Grosse Pointe Library 10 Kerchavel

Hamtramck Wednesday, July 7 10 a.m. at Hamtramck Library 2360 Caniff

Plymouth Thursday, July 22 2 p.m. at Bill Knapp's

40900 Ann Arbor Rd.

Redford Monday, July 12 Tuesday, July 27

2 p.m. at Tim Horton's 11307 Telegraph Rd.

South Livonia Tuesday, July 13 Wednesday, July 28 2 p.m. at Bill Knapp's 32955 Plymouth Rd.

> Westland Friday, July 23.

Thursday, July 8 2 p.m. at Bill Knapp's 36601 Warren Ave.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

Olympics include 35, 50, 75 JUNIOR GOLF DIVOTS and 100 yard dashes, running Three area golfers earned relays and field events (softball qualifying spots in the Golf throw, high jump and long Association of Michigan Junior State Tournament July 21-22

at White Pine National in also are offered in the Senior In Wednesday's qualifier at Participation fee is \$2 for Ann Arbor's Leslie Park, the trio of Evan Chall (Livonia

students and \$3 for adults. Medals and ribbons will be Churchill), Ryan Shamrock given to the winner of each (Westland John Glenn) and

Will Bashara (Churchill) each There will be a concession stand available throughout the Saline's T.J. Shelton and day. There will be no make-up Brett Sanderson tied for date in case of rain. medalist honors with 74 each, SC NEEDS HOOP ASSISTANT followed by Chall (75),

The Schoolcraft College Northville's Brian Downing men's basketball program is (75), Shamrock (79) and seeking a second assistant Jeff Hunter (Churchill), who coach willing to work practice hours from 2-6 p.m., scout and shot an 81, played for an alterattend games.

Those interested should contact SC men's basketball coach Carlos Briggs at (734) 462-4400, Ext. 5254.

will be at 10:30 a.m. Sunday S'CRAFT BOYS HOOP CAMP Aug. 1 at St. John's Golf The second annual Schoolcraft Camp of Champs for boys The event is sponsored by will be from 9 a.m. to noon, Canton basketball coach Dan Monday through Thursday, Young, his staff and parents July 26-29 (ages 6-13) and 9 The outing is open to present a.m. to 1 p.m., Aug. 16-19 (ages and past Canton basketball players, along with friends of 14-18)

The cost is \$100 for each ses-

The camp will be conducted by Schoolcraft men's basketball coach Carlos Briggs, who led the Ocelots to 26 wins last season and its first-ever Michigan Community College Ath-Township Park). Meal only letic Association playoff cham-

Briggs, the former standout be received by Tuesday, July at Baylor University, was also named MCCAA Coach of the For more information, call Fred Sofen at (734) 453-4901 For more information, call or Dan Young at (734) 591-

(734) 462-4400, Ext. 5249. PICO/SPINAL GOLF CHALLENGE

annual Redford Township Parks and PICO/Spinal Victory National Recration is staging its annual Junior and Senior Olympics on Golf Challenge to benefit the Kent Waldrep National Paraly Tuesday, July 13 at Hilbert sis Foundation will be Monday. July 26 at TPC of Michigan, The Junior Olympics begin One Nicklaus Drive, Dearborn. at 10 a.m., an hour after registration. The Senior Olympics The Foundation was estab-

start at 5 p.m. also an hour to find a cure for paralysis for Children up to 11 years of spinal cord injury and brain age may participate in the Registration and breakfast Junior Olympics. The Senior will be at 8:30 a.m. followed by Olympics are for anyone 12

the Dennis Walters Show, featuring the only person parathose in their age group. There lyzed below the wait who earns a living as a professional are no residency requirements. Events in the Junior golfer.

at 9:30 a.m. with a shotgun start scheduled for 10 a.m.

Cocktails and a silent auction will be a 4 p.m. with din-Running and field events ner served at 5 p.m. The awards ceremony is at 6 p.m.

Corporate sponsorships and player spots remain available. For more information, call (972) 248-7100.

COLLEGIATE NOTES

Oakland University sopho more swimmer Yvonne Lynn who carries a 3.07 grade-point average majoring in elemen tary education, was one of 36 OU student-athletes to earn All-Academic honors for the spring season in the Mid-Contintent Conference.

Redford Catholic Central product Greg Rogers, a member of the OU baseball team, was also recognized. The senior marketing major carried a 3.15 GPA.

BUTKOWSKI DISPLAYS ARTISTRY Ashlev Butkowski, 7, of Westland, came up with winning entry in the 5-8 age division with her rendering of recently retired Denver Bronco quarterback John Elwauy in the Upper Deck NFL Football Frading Card Contest.

More than 3,000 contestants submitted entries in one of three age division. Rules of the contest provided a format free of restrictive guildelines with a mission to draw, sketch paint or creat their version of a col lector's Upper Deck NFL MVP trading card featuring their vorite player.

Entries were based on creativity, overall presentation and athlete likeness.

The sixth annual "Just Zoo it. Gift of Life" five-kilometer run and 1.5-mile fun walk will being at 9 a.m. Saturday, July 7 at the Detroit Zoe. The family-style eventis an

pportunity to celebrate the 'gift of life" and learn more about organ and tissue dona-Race day registration includes entertainment, prizes lished in 1985 to fund research

refreshments, admission to the Zoo, and two free tickets to the Detroit Rockers home opener Nov. 7 (along with commemorative T-shirt).

Children under-12 will be admitted to the Zoo before 10

For more information, call

Cage letterman from page D1

final against the Arm of Honor team.

His performance caught the eye of Crouch, who was the school's baseball and basketball coach. "I had him (Crouch) in class - anatomy and physiology," Pierce recalled. "One day he asked to see me after class. My first thought was, 'I'm

flunking his class." There was a kid hurt. We had 12 players and no

"And when I joined the team I never worked so darn hard in my life. I remember all the running

and taping ankles." During the 1950-51 season, EMU finished 7-13, 2-10 in the conference.

Among Pierce's teammates were former Pontiac Central coach Ralph Grubb, Joe Brodie (father of Plymouth Salem coach Bob Brodie), Sherman Collins, Charles Paige, Bob Sims and captain Joe

"We had a pretty good club back then, but we

"I remember playing a double-header at the that." State Fairgrounds. Lawrence Tech played Wayne

school's practice auditorium in 1950, Pierce scored State in the first game and we played the Univer-37 points for his fraternity (Theta Chi) in a playoff sity of Detroit with Brendan McNamara and Norm Swanson. They had a pretty good team.

"I played all year. I didn't start, but I played some. I was probably the seventh- or eighth-man." During his senior year Pierce stayed at home, attending night school while studying and working during the day. He went on to earn a Masters degree at Michigan (where he also had the good ortune of meeting his wife)

"My mom worked in the (school) office and I commuted back-and-forth while I did my practice teaching," Pierce said. "At first I wanted to be a dentist, but I wasn't cut out for those classes.

"Once I stepped into the classroom, it felt natural like I belonged there." Pierce spent 33 years at Bird, retiring in 1985.

He also continued to support EMU and has been a longtime member of the school's athletic club, along with being a season ticket holder for the Eagles' football and basketball games.

"Being a school teacher I always felt it was right also played a good schedule," Pierce said. "We did- to teach honesty and to play it straight," Pierce n't have a home court. We played at Ypsi Central said. "I didn't want any favors. When Bill (Crouch) made his decision, I never said anything after

Good things do come to those who wait.

Bass angler from page D1

limit that weighed 19-13. pocketed \$100,000 with a limit finals and didn't have a strong Tour Angler of the Year that weighed 18-6.

Former BASSMASTER Classic fishing.

the sixth and final regular sea- liked to win it and should have in the shallows to feed and son stop on the 1999 Wal-Mart been focusing more on that." FLW Tour, the most lucrative Reault led the field after the catching them a little further out bass fishing series in history. Championship, Sept. 22-25, on a cumulative total of 37-6.

Okla, where the winner receives Although Reault had his sights set on a top-five finish, the ists were Clark Wendlandt, . The Forrest Wood Open will be fourth-place showing left him three-time BASSMASTER Clas- televised at noon, July 17, on hungry for more success.

champion Larry Nixon, of Bee "In retrospect, I realize that Branch, Arkansas, rounded out where I set my goals is where I the top five with a limit weigh- can expect to finish. I wanted a one area of the lake," Result ing 15-4. Nixon earned \$30,000. tep-five but I wasn't focusing on said. "The fish were pretty much The Forrest Woods Open was winning it. I really would have done spawning, but they stayed

first day with a five-fish stringer in transition. The top five finishers advance that went 19-7. He was second

Ft. Gibson Lake in Wagoner, With some of the best bass fishermen in the world advanc- my area as opposed of moving ing to the third day - along out, like they were from the with the above mentioned final- (spawning areas)." sic qualifier; Tom Mann, Jr., ESPN.

"My plan ran out after the seven-time BASSMASTER Clas-Kalamazoo's Kevin Van Dam, third day when I made the top sic qualifier, Craig Daniel, twothree-time B.A.S.S. Angler-of- five," admitted Reault. "I really time Classic qualifier, and David the-Year, finished second and didn't put any thought into the Walker, 1999 Wal-Mart FLW plan for that day. I just went Reault again rose to the challenge and advanced to the finals by finishing fourth at 15-13. "I caught most of my fish from

different types of balls. Most of us who are pretty good at the regain some strength. I was balls to select from.

"They really started showing to the Wal-Mart FLW Tour after the second day (17-15) with up two days before the start of the tournament. "I felt they were moving into

"You need to pick your favorite ball a different arc of the ball on the lane out and practice, practice, practice,"

It was a tough condition, so the scores were generally lower

The championship crown went Thunderbowl Lanes in Allen to B.J. Galloway, who came all

ation (NSBA) event June 5 at

the way from Alpena way to Galloway qualified in the No. 7 sition and downed Jeff Curtis HARRISON om Lansing in his first match.

He then made better adjust-

III from Waterford who captured ments to the conditions to best the 198 division championship Marvin Newsome, 245-202. June 26 in the Midstates Mas-In the semifinal game, Galloway defeated Livonia's Ed Dolph qualified 31st in the Dudek, setting up the final field of 180 entries and won all match against Ernie Segura six match-play games to capture (bowling's version of golfer Chi the \$2,100 top prize and trophy

> Segura's Mexican hat dance worked well in his prior wins against Joel Eitner, Rico Odorico and Al Bilheimer, but B.J. played his own game and easily defeated Segura, 248-198 The next stop on the NSBA schedule is Aaturday, Aug. 7 at

Oak Lanes in Westland. For Information on the NSBA call (248) 932-LANE · Congratulations to Tim Wiec-

zorek of Troy for being selected to serve as an associate director of the Greater Detroit Bowling

Tim is a Professional Bowlers Association (PBA) member, a USA Bowling certified coach who owns and operates the Rack Attack Bowling & Trophy Pro shop, located within Thunder bird Lanes in Troy.

Wieczorek has been fitting bowling balls since 1979, and is the father of two future bowlers going to have a test run with a

They include son. Brian. 10 and daughter Nikki, 7. The GDBA is fortunate to find onle who are so knowledgeable the sport to make up the

Board of Directors for now and building towards the future. Another wise choice was the remaining (after July 4) for the prointment of Jack Dahlstrom Hamtramck Singles Classic at Redford for another associate rectorship

Bowlers still have time to cash Dahlstrom is the current presiin on the big prize list that will dent of the Mayflower Men's be paid out at the end of August. Senior Classic League and the vice-president of the Monday The entry numbers are Seniors and Friday Seniors increasing each of the last sever-

leagues at Mayflower Lanes. He is a role model for senior citizens who would like an active estyle for he averages over 200 at the age of 75. Dalhstrom rolled his first 300 game at the

tender age of 72. He is a great competitor and his teams usually finish at or near the top. Jack and his wife Betty have

joyed his retirement now for

Serving as an officer in a local association gives a bowler a hance to give something back to •The seniors had some sky- the game

tile than others and can be sanded or

lane conditions.

hat you are.

PRO TIP OF THE WEEK ence, especially in the types of cover- work well on oil. If you are limited to two or three balls, you want them as "Some balls are much more versa-

"Then, you can vary them more by

that will work best for your style of

for people who like to play an outside

line versus those who prefer to go

racy. If you bowl on a lot of heavily

oiled lanes, the pin placement would

be between 3 or 4 inches from the

center of gravity, this would be like a

leverage weighted ball and would do

"On dry conditions you would no

"Ideally, you want a skid, roll and

"To do that takes knowledge and

the right combination just by luck. In

well from an outside angle

early hook and a roll-out effect.

potential

potential on oilier lanes. This will put experience, and that means to get

depends on whether you prefer to *Consideration should be given shoot outside, or an inside line. when you buy a new ball, as to the "Let your ball fitter know what you pin placement for the type of bowler want your ball to do on the lanes, the best way for you to find the pocket "Do you want to be known as a with plenty of hitting power in the

polished to change the ball for the different drill patterns. That also

'cranker' or a 'roller, or a 'tweener?' This will help your pro shop deter-"You may have to experiment mine how to set up your ball to your some, but it will all be worth it, you pros offer solld advice on lane play- advantage. Remember, the objective will bowl better and have more fun is to get the ball to the pocket and to and higher scores. hit the pocket with the most power "When you get a new ball drilled you can apply in terms of a very effecup, have your pro get the pin position

David tells us how to make all of tive roll. "If you have oil carrydown condibe able to apply this kinowledge to tions, you will want a ball they will finish well. If you bowl on mainly dry "First, there are many variables." lanes, the ball must get you through says David. "Every bowler does it dif- the heads and the pines to arrive at ferently, the lanes conditions will the pins where you want it to and always vary, and there are so many with plenty of energy left for hitting the control of your shot, better accu-

choices when it comes down to balls power. "It may be necessary to add sur "All-Star and Classic league bowlers who are carrying over a 200 face (rough up the ball) prior to the average will have an arsenal of many games when there is a lot of oil out there. A good item for your bag is a "They pretty well know which one plastic scouring pad which will come to use in whatever lanes they are on in handy for that.

Some of the newer balls like the game and average in the 170s to Columbia Chaos, which hooks on want a duff finish ball. It just would most oil carrydown conditions would not get through the heads without 190s may have two, three or four be a good choice if you bowl mostly "This should really be sufficient if on that kind of a condition.

the balls themselves vary. I suggest ... That is a very aggresive ball. I flip or hook action no matter what the that each ball is that of a different would suggest two or three aggres condition is. That is the way to hit the sive balls but from different compa pocket with the maximum scoring "Each manufacturer has its own nies coverstock technology and types of . Use a ball that has a high flare

and work from that. You can learn to with each revolution, and will be able David adds: "Some bowlers will hit play the conditions that are there to ride through the oil. "By having some surface" on the pro bowling there is no room for

"If you have a choice of balls, it will ball, it will react much better to the guesswork, the bowlers have to figure help you as long as there is a differ lane oil. A super shiny finish will not it all out very quickly.

Dolph shows stuff in Midstates **Predators** play a role rockets of their own as the Be sure to mark this date on National Senior Bowling Associ- your calendar - Monday, Aug 23 - the 63rd annual John Gavie Memorial Tournament

BOWLING & RECREATION

which is the traditional kick-off century, people climbed Hawk Mountain in Pennof the bowling season. As usual, it will be hosted by sylvania to kill hawks that nigrated through the area Park. The starting time is at 7 Coyotes were killed war only, along with wolves

The entry fee is \$75 for a fiverizzly bear, and cougar. person team and the prize cate-Predators in genera gories will be in men's, ladies were killed without consid ering their role in the This is always a great opportutem and their impo nity to renew old acquaintances tance in maintaining vnamic natural system.

Back at the turn of the

be killed

Leopole

and other

managers

began to

teach the

value of

predators

to students

and the

general

were passed to protect

predators from uncon-

Through the years people

have changed their atti-

tudes toward predators and

today their are more of the

gan than we have had in a

surviving natural highs

and lows due to disease

and their food supply

Wolves were almost extino

in the Upper Peninsula

A recent survey conduct-

ed this past winter con-

firmed the presence of 174

wolves across the Upper

Earlier this decade they

were restricted to the west-

during this time.

large predators in Michi-

trolled killing.

long time.

wildlife

indiscrim

nately

NOTES

Aldo Leopold, author "A Sand County Almanac Entry forms will be out soon, a classic in natural history or for more information, call and conservation writin once held the belief tha •1999 qualifying for the Team predators were bad. He USA 2000 Bowling Champin realized that they are

onships will be Saturday and not bad and that they Sunday, July 10-11 at Cherry Hill Lanes South, 300 N Inkster, Dearborn Heights. A total of eight games will be bowled Saturday with the top 16

and get back into the swing of

qualifying for Sunday with another eight games. Cumulative scratch total pinfall will letermine the state champion. One in 10 bowlers will advance to the National Finals in Reno. Nev. First place in each division (men and women) will have allexpenses paid to the nationals.

The cost is \$100 buy-in fee plus lineage). Lineage fee is \$28 in the 1940s or both Saturday and Sunday. Since then, this principle Check-in Saturday is 11:45 of conservation has been .m. with a 1:15 p.m. start proven in studies time and Check-in Sunday is at noone time again. Laws in turn

with a 1:15 start. For more information, call Mary Mohacsi at (734) 427-0378.

BOWLING HONOR ROLL

Tuesday Seniors: Dick Brown, 222/544 Walt Arsenault, 208-205-202/615; Larry Slavin, 202-201/573; Don Thibault, 209

523; Andy Wright, 214/600. The wolf population is a Friday Seniors: Chet Zajac, 217, Jo good example Buhagiar, 222; Irvin Nadolny, 201; Bot For many years since the Golm, 230; Tony Rye, 216; Howard Simon 1970s, the only wolves Mike Swetina, 201; Jerry Page found in Michigan were on Isle Royale in Lake Superi-Wonderland Lanes (Livonia) or. This population main-tained itself for many years

Summer Trio Classic: Jeff Pinke 298/973 (four games); Paul Surmacz, 903; Rvan Wilson, 883. Woodland Lanes (Livonia

Tuesday Trio: Keith Caldwell, 300; Rob Guys & Dolls: Nathan Olli, 225; Kri Maki, 249/620; Scott Chmello, 279.

Family Foursome: Mike Kowalsk 278/711; Ron Baese, 223/626; Dusti Summer Trio: Ken Kubit. 278/700; Rot

Schepis, 722. Bowlerettes: Sue Ivancik, 264/664 Bowl One Lanes (Troy) Thursday Singles: Bob Nelson, 300.

James Ward, 288. ern counties, close to the Metro Tour: Chris Smith, 290-279 Minnesota border where Midstates Masters: Dane Bertrum, 299 they most likely came from. Today wolves are scattered

Gavie Supply Trio: Scotty Laughland. across the length of the 257-254-300/811

U.P. in at least 30 packs. Coyotes, too, are increasng in numbers across the state. They are found in every county within the

Despite extensive poisoning programs, hunting and trapping, this canine. cousin has increased in numbers despite man's expansion. Their modest size and adaptable appetite has enabled them to survive in marginal habitats.

As man encroaches on the traditional habitats of predatory species, some individuals are able to adapt to the presence of man because we have learned to leave them alone. If man is not a threat to their survival some can telerate their

Bald eagles are another good example.

This past winter the bald eagle count was 708 for the entire state - that is 16 more birds than were counted last year. That is incredible news.

considering in the '70s hald eagles were almost extirpated from the state. Nature can be very flexi-

ble and adaptable if given a chance. This may not be true for all species, but if we understand that each species has an important role to play in the natural system, then by maintaining a population we can learn what that role is in

relation to other species. But the species has to be there before it can be stud-

ARCHERY

The newly renovated Livonia Archery Range is open to the public. The range features seve field lanes and one broadhead lane and is open 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sundays: Cost is \$4 for adults and \$2 for children. Livonia residents shoot free of charge. The range is located on Glendale Aveynue east of Farmington Road, Call (734) 466-2410 for more informa-

JUNIOR ARCHERS

A weekly program for junior archers begins at 9 a.m. Saturdays at Detroit Archers in West Bloomfield. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

SEASON/DATES

ELK SEASON Application deadline for the Sept. and Dec. 1999 Michigan elk seasons is July 15.

FISHING TOURNAMENTS TOP BASS

Top Bass Tournament Trail a series of open singles draw bass tournaments, continues on Sunday, July 11, on Lobdell Lake. Registration is \$60 and the pay back is one place cash for every seven contestants. Boaters and non-boaters are welcome and there is no pre-registration. Call Elmer Daniels at (734) 729-1762 or Steve Randles at (734) 422-5813 for more information. Additional stops on the Top Bass Fournament Trail are July 17 on Wixom Lake, July 31 on Sanford Lake, and Aug. 14-15 on Wixom

land Bass Masters will hold

CLASSES/SEMINARS

Dan Harrison will present a clin

MOUNTAIN BIKE DESTINATIONS

c on mountain bike trails in

Lower Michigan beginning at

n Northville. Call (248) 347-

ing safety, technique, equipment

and terminology. The course is

children, Call (248) 347-2100 for

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

5027 for more information.

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club

third Wednesdays of each month

at Livonia Clarenceville Junior

High School, Call (810) 478-14

The Four Seasons Fishing Club

Wednesday of each month at the

Civic Park Senior Center, 15218

Farmington Road, in Livenia

Visitors are invited and refresh

ments will be served. Call Jim

Kudej at (734) 591-0843 for more

meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. the first

meets at 7 p.m. the first and

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

for more information.

FOUR SEASONS

information.

CLUBS

2100 for more information

Lakeville Lake.

OAKLAND BASS MASTERS Oakland Bass Masters will hold its annual Tournament for Toys a two-man team open charity ass tournament, beginning a 5:30 a.m. Sunday, July 18, on Lake St. Clair. Entry fee is \$80 per boat. To register and for ore information call Roy Ran end of August at Maybury. dolph at (248) 542-5254. Oak-

additional tournaments Aug. 8 on Orchard Lake, Aug. 29 on Lobdell Lake, and Sept. 26 on

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS Most Metropark programs are nal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are the following numbers: Stony

ington, 1-800-477-3178.

Take a guided hike and discover

Children ages five-12 will discov er the miniature world of insects

begins at 2 p.m. Saturday, July current schedules and additional 10, at Indian Springs. DAWN PATROL Get up early and search for

July 11, at Kensington.

SMALL FRY SAMPLER

Kensington **ESPECIALLY FOR KIDS** Ages eight-10 will discover what ives in flowing water during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Wednesday, July 14, at

1999 PERMITS

HURON VALLEY STEELHEADERS The Huron Valley Steelheaders meets the third Thursday of each month at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 27600 Hall Road, Flat Rock, Call Carroll White at (734) 285-0843 for more informainformation

BASS ASSOCIATION

The Downriver Bass Association. a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the (734) 676-2863 for more informa- er@oe.homecomm.net)

OUTDOOR CALENDAR

STATE PARKS STATE PARK REQUIREM

Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area, and Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permi is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation tional information on the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2187.

SNEAKY SNAKES

of the snake during this program, which begins at 10 a.m Thursday, July 8, at Highland **ENVIRONMENTAL KIDS**

help save the environment dur ing this program, which begins

Highland. SPECIAL SEEDS Bring an old soup can for a special project and learn about seeds during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Thursday, July 15, at Highland.

CONSTELLATION HIKE this program, which begins at 8:30 p.m. Friday, July 16, at

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which begins at 11 a.m. Saturday, July 17, at Maybury. SUMMER EVENINGS

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Metro-West Steelheaders meets

Ages four and five will learn how children and weeds grow during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 13, at Kens-NATURE DISCOVERY

offices. Vehicle entry permits are \$15 (\$8 for senior citizens). The annual boat launching permits are \$18 (\$9 for senior citizens). Call 1-800-47-PARKS for more

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For programs at Island Lake call (810) 229-7067.

Learn about the unique lifestyle

at 10 a.m. Tuesday, July 13, at

Learn the importance of recy-

cling and other ways kids can

Explore the night sky and learn Native American folk lore during

world of insects and other small creatures during this program,

Explore the park's natural and ultural history through a variety of weekly hikes and interpre ive presentations during this class, which will be held at 7 p.m. each Thursday through the

METROPARKS

.m. Wednesday, July 14, at REI

many of the things above and An introductory climbing course for the novice and firsttime climber is offered at various begins at 10 a.m. Saturday, July times at REI in Northville. The BUG HUNT

wildlife during this guided hike. which begins at 7 a.m. Sunday,

at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparoto at (248) 476-

Ages six and seven will learn what makes mammals different from other animals during this program which begins at 10 m Wednesday July 14

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Vivacious, shapely DWF, 45, Virgo,
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SWF, 49, with varied interests,
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SWPM, 29, 61°, 215bs, blond/blue,
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Seeking, fun-loving SF, 35-50, N/S.
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LONELY HEART
Seeking someone, 40-47, who likes
bowling, billing, walking, and anything else. I file flow, and anything else. I file kids and dops.
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whom to share life's offenings.
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SUMMERTIME ROMANCE & FUN
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