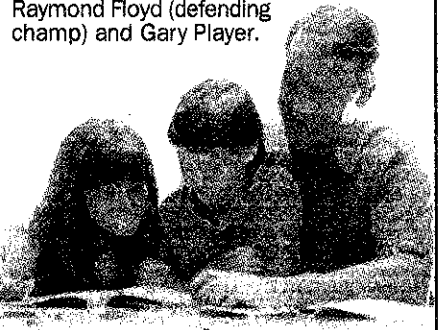


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Even if your essay isn't chosen for the big prize, you'll still have a chance to show your father how much he means to you. We'll have a special page on Father's Day, Sunday, June 17, where we'll publish the essays we receive. If you have a special picture you'd like to share, send it along.

Among the typical participants are Jack Nicklaus, Lee Trevino, Chi Chi Rodriguez, Tom Watson, Tom Kite, Hale Irwin, Raymond Floyd (defending champ) and Gary Player.



Mix-matched



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A question of identity: Arifa Javed holds workshops in acculturation, the philosophy of staying true to your culture rather than becoming Americanized.

Immigrant believes in maintaining
cultural identity in new community

BY CAROL MARSHALL
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Arifa Javed left her well-appointed home in Delhi, India, and packed into two suitcases the only items she would bring to the states.

Armed with doctorate degrees and better-than-modern resources, Javed and her husband brought their two chil-

To melt or not?

Should immigrants assimilate into American culture or should they try to maintain the ways of their homeland? Let us know via e-mail at: tschneider@oe.hometowncomm.net

dren to Canton six years ago. Javed was hopeful about find-

ing her way in America's melting pot.

It still hasn't happened.

Her experience and research led Javed to an attempt to reshape ideas about the melting pot. She now teaches classes and workshops to cultivate understanding.

"I tried very hard to fit in," Javed explained, but her black eyes look down toward her

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School site
fall injures
2 workers

■ Canton Police and OSHA officials are investigating a construction accident at Plymouth High School. Thursday's incident resulted in serious injuries for two steel workers.

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM
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After an initial investigation by the Canton Police Department, a state agency that oversees occupational safety is looking into an accident at a school construction site that left two men injured, one critically.

Two steel workers were injured at about 2 p.m. Thursday afternoon after falling from 25 feet at the Plymouth High School construction site at Beck and Joy.

The workers, Paul Webb, 24, of Jackson and Jeff Copeland, whom police believe is a Utica resident, were both working on a roof I-beam at about 2 p.m. when they fell 25 feet to the ground. A piece of structural steel also fell on the men while they were lying on the ground.

Canton police Sgt. Charles Raycraft said the incident occurred when a crane operator was placing a bundle of iron on a joist. The two steelworkers apparently signaled to the operator that they were finished with what they were doing and fell off the I-beam.

Raycraft said he was not sure whether the men fell onto earth or onto concrete and was not sure what caused them to fall.

The police investigation was brief.

"We wanted to make sure there was no foul play," Raycraft said. "I don't really see our investigation going any further — it was an accident."

Copeland, who was most seriously injured, suffered some head injuries, according to Raycraft. He did not appear to have broken any limbs, he added.

They were transported to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. Copeland was transported via MedFlight, said Mike Rorabacher, Canton fire chief.

"(Copeland) was the one with really serious injuries," Rorabacher said.

As of Friday, Webb was listed in fair condition. He suffered a fractured wrist, facial and hand lacerations and back pain. Copeland was listed in critical condition in the hospital's surgical intensive care unit.

Bill McCarthy, vice president of McCarthy Smith, the Redford-based contractor building the high school,

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Water park still on township agenda

BY CAROL MARSHALL
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Canton Township will continue its quest for a water park — with a little help from the neighbors. Plymouth and Plymouth Township, and Northville and Northville Township have thrown

their support behind Canton's proposal to Wayne County.

"Together the five communities would like to see that kind of facility in western Wayne County," said Plymouth City Manager Paul Sincock.

Wayne County communities learned recently there may be county recreation

money available for the construction of an outdoor aquatics park.

"We have very short notice and had to submit something quickly," said Plymouth Township Supervisor Tom Yack.

Under Canton's proposal, the township would provide the land — park land at Ford and Ridge roads — and

would pay up to \$5 million, of the construction costs, and would operate the park.

Teaming up

Plymouth and Plymouth Township had supported a plan in which

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Finances are hot topic
during candidate forum

School Board Election 2001

BY TEDD SCHNEIDER
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The four candidates running for an open seat on the Plymouth-Canton School Board expressed views on school financing Wednesday that were 180 degrees from those voiced hours earlier by state legislators taking up the issue at a Lansing hearing.

The comments came during an election forum at Plymouth City Hall sponsored by the Observer Newspapers and the Livonia League of Women Voters. The election is Monday, June 11.

Although they differed slightly in their approaches, all four rejected the idea of a local tax for Plymouth-Canton schools and said the legislature should address inequities in Proposal A.

"We can't have nearby school systems like Ann Arbor getting \$2,000 more (per pupil) than we are getting," said Fred Libbing. "That is what Proposal A was supposed to eliminate."

Libbing added he didn't think the chances of passing a local tax were very high, considering the district's voting record.

'Last resort'

Sheila Stirsman said raising local taxes would be a "last resort." She preferred to raise awareness of the issue in the community and use that to lobby legislators to change the school aid formula.

Veronica Fox agreed.

"Involving the community is the way to go and then, maybe look at a millage, although I'd have to see the wording of any proposal before I could agree to it," Fox said.

But the possibility of changing Proposal A at the state level got a cold shoulder Wednesday morning from representatives attending a subcommittee hearing on HB 4111, sponsored by Rep. Bruce Patterson, R-Canton.

The bill, if approved, would raise Plymouth-Canton's per-pupil spending from the current \$6,525 to \$9,000 per student — \$7,800 from the state and \$1,200 through a local tax.

But the measure stalled when the committee failed to vote on it.

School finances — in the form of Proposal A and possible budget cuts — dominated the discussion and was mentioned by each candidate as the top priority facing local board members.

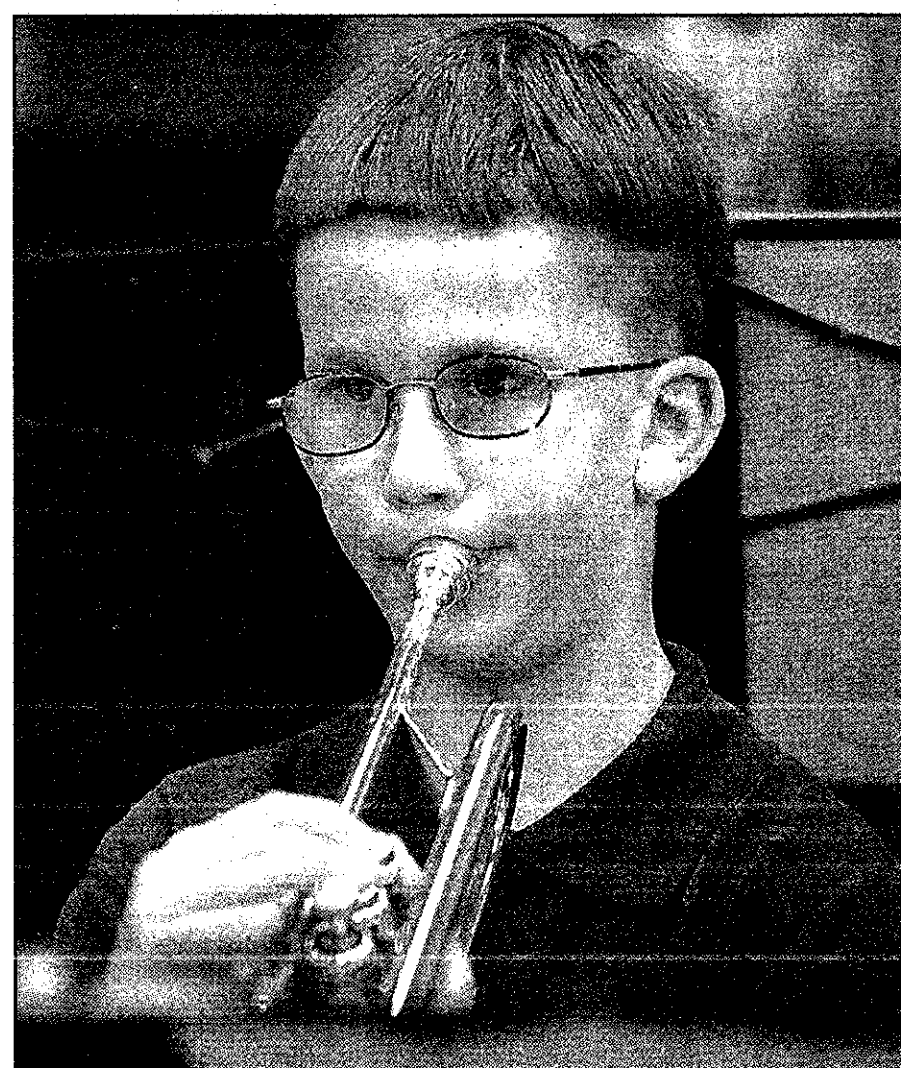
Tom Wysocki said he was particularly concerned about having the district's financial house in order as the new Plymouth High School opens in the fall of 2002.

Local issues

Other issues covered during the 70-minute forum ranged from the impact of charter schools to diversity among

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Play date



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN

Making music: Jason Braun of Canton, 10, plays his trumpet during a recent rehearsal of the CHEPA (Christian Home Educators Parents Association) Band at Northville Christian Assembly. For a story on the band for home-schooled students, please turn to Page A3 in today's Observer.

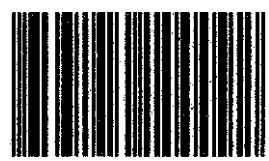
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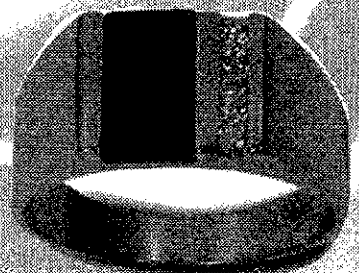
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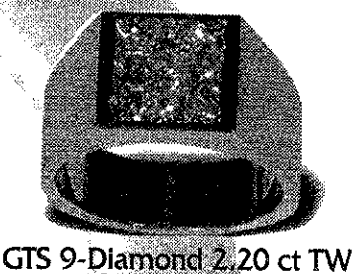


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Accident

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declined commenting specifically on the accident.

"There was a serious injury accident and one of the people is in critical condition," he said, referring to the men as iron workers. They are employed by McGuire Steel Erection Inc. in Green Oak Township, which is near Brighton.

The Consumer and Industry Services agency, a division of Michigan Occupational Health and Safety Administration (Bureau of Safety and Regulation), is investigating the acci-

dent.

McGuire Steel Erection Inc. has had 13 citations issued against it for serious safety violations over the past six months, according to Maura Campbell, spokeswoman for Consumer and Industry Services. Violations range from the most benign — categorized as "other than serious" to the most serious category, "willful serious."

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Scouts honor

Two Canton residents have been elected to the board of directors of the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council.

Verna George was elected president for the term that runs through 2004. George has been a Girl Scout for 29 years and has served on the board since 1991 as third vice president and secretary.

"I will help our board and volunteers imagine what is possible and assist them in making these dreams a reality," she said in a prepared statement.

George is self-employed as an automotive customer relations expert and has a BS Degree from Mercy College. She is also active in Canton volunteering with the D.A.R.E. and Neighborhood Watch programs.

Kara Christenson, a Canton High School junior, was elected as an advisor for the term that runs through 2002.

Christenson is a member of Troop 900 and a five-year member of the Mackinac Island Honor Scouts. She is active with her school's National Honor Society, Great Books Club and yearbook.

Top student

Jay P. Kelly of Canton has been named an All-American Collegiate Scholar at Valparaiso University in Indiana.

Kelly was nominated for the award by Gerald

Seely, dean of the Valparaiso College of Engineering. To qualify for the award, students must maintain a minimum 3.3 grade point average.

Kelly is the son of Patrick and Janice Kelly of Canton.

Business briefs

From grand openings to career moves, following are recent items in the Canton business community:

■ Canton resident Bill Osburn has been named to the newly created position of vice president of performance excellence at Art Van Furniture. Osburn comes to Art Van with more than 20 years experience, most recently as a partner and director of strategic planning at the BBO Seidman advertising agency.

■ Palmer Moving & Storage recently picked up a couple of awards during the North American Van Lines convention. The Detroit office, based in Canton, was named Top Broker of the Year. Terri Burton-Palmer was honored as National Account Sales Person of the Year.

■ Mary Corrado of Canton has been named president of member services by the Michigan-based American Society of Employers.

■ Canton resident Karen M. Stewart-Spica has been appointed vice president at John Bailey & Associates, a public relations firm. Stewart-Spica will be responsible for the agency's retail, health care, telecommunications and professional service accounts.

Bomb threat at Yazaki

Employees were evacuated Wednesday from Yazaki North America, 6700 Haggerty Road, after a bomb threat.

An employee of a Taylor staffing service said she received

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a call from a woman shortly after 2 p.m.

She said the female caller

asked if the company staffs Yazaki, then told her a bomb would explode at 6 p.m. The caller then hung up.

The staffing company employee contacted Yazaki's head of security, who then contacted the human resources vice president.

Several teams of employees searched the building and its perimeter for unusual packages. They found nothing.

As a precaution, employees were evacuated from 5:45 to 6:45 p.m. and returned to work without incident.

Liquor sting

Three Canton businesses were busted for selling alcohol to minors during a Canton Police Department sting Wednesday.

During the ongoing decoy operation, 11 businesses were checked for compliance with state liquor laws.

Rusty Nail Lounge, Mexican Fiesta and CVS Pharmacy at Haggerty and Palmer were cited for selling alcohol to a minor.

The businesses that did not sell to minors were: Meijer, Grapevine Wine & Deli, Outback Steak House, The Bowery, Richardson's Pharmacy, Cracker Barrel, Maria's, and Roman Forum.

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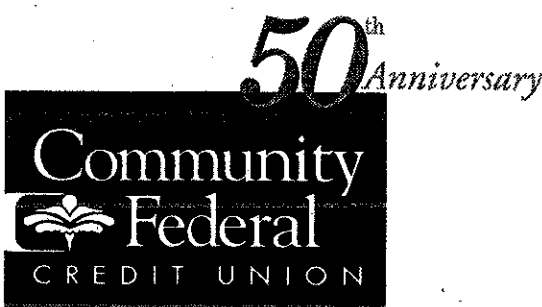
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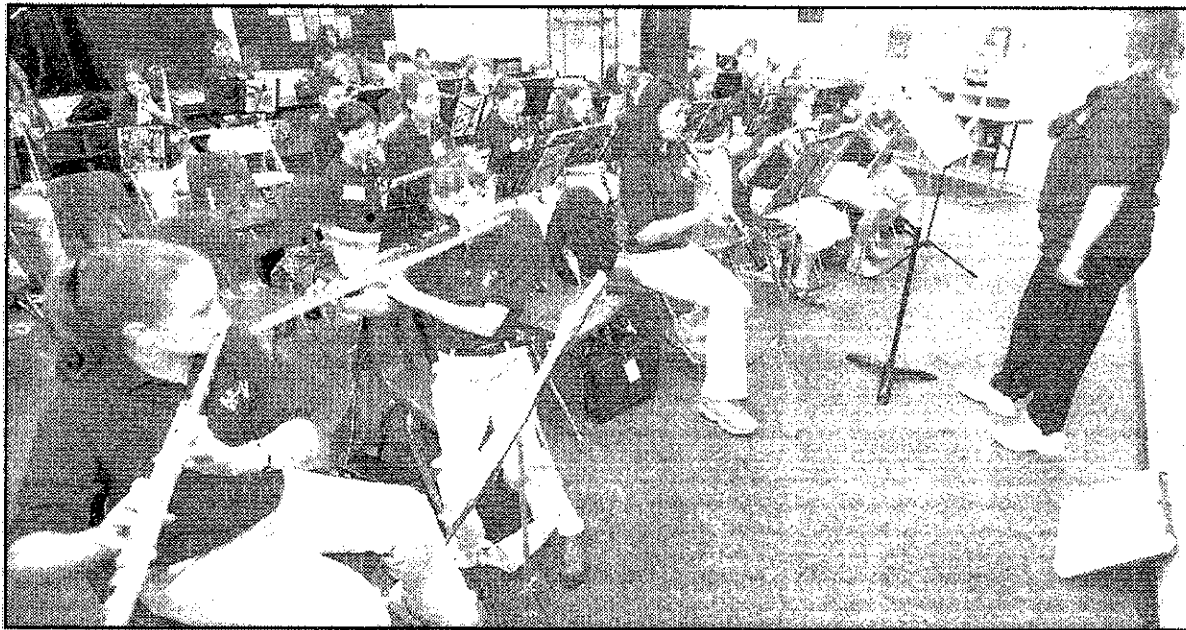
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Practice makes...The CHEPA band rehearses under the direction of Kay Baldwin.

Noteworthy

Home schoolers band together

BY CAROL MARSHALL
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With a flourish of her thin baton, Kay Baldwin quieted the cacophony and the 40 children creating it. From the chaos of musical scales and drills erupted well-rehearsed, precisely-played harmony.

"It's hard to believe these kids have only been playing since September," she said of her band of young students.

But then again they're not your average middle school band. The students in the CHEPA (Christian Home Educators Parents Association) Band are home-schooled.

And the stack of self-reported practice records piling up on Baldwin's desk illustrated the students' motivation.

"Our goal is to get everyone practicing at least 20 minutes a day," she said. But the number of 100-minute and 70-minute entries on the practice records explains why the group of 8- to 16-year-olds were able to obtain a "Superior" rating at their first invitational performance at Ohio theme park Cedar Point last month.

Making the band

The students gather for weekly group practice at Northville Christian Assembly. Most of the students are from communities nearby, but some travel from as far away as Ypsilanti, Monroe and Sterling Heights.

The students expressed interest in forming a band, so the CHEPA parents enlisted Baldwin's

help.

Baldwin, a music teacher at Canton's Agape Christian Academy, teaches the band after school and offers the students private lessons as well.

"She's just wonderful," said Canton mother of two home-schooled children, Karen Braun. "I can't believe what she's been able to do with these kids."

Braun said the Superior rating in Ohio also won the band a standing ovation when the crowd learned how little time the students had been playing.

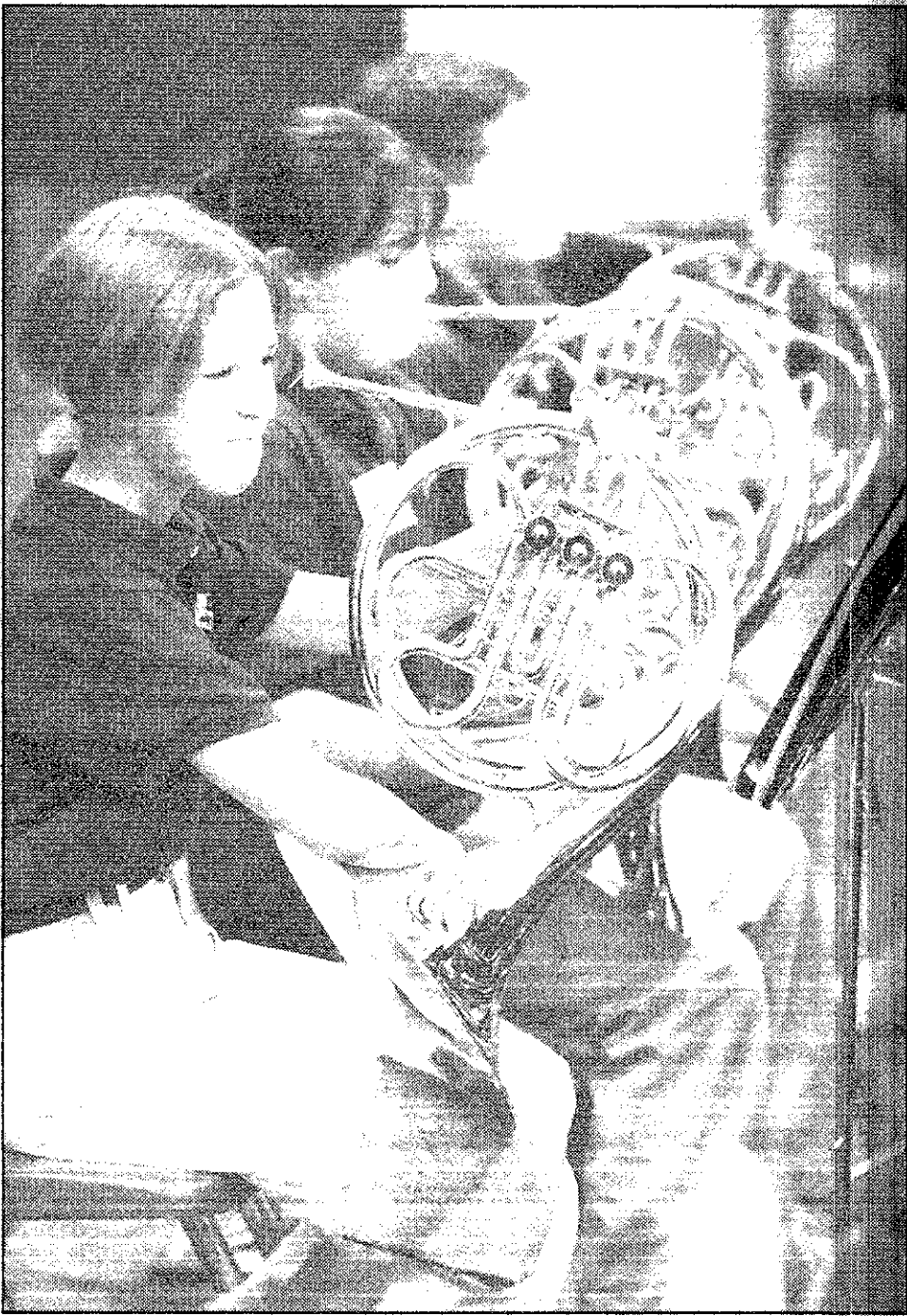
"These kids learned how to play in just a few months," she said. "But you just wouldn't believe how good they are until you hear them."

Livonia sixth grader Leandra Edwards, whose mother has always home-schooled her, said it was more than just her musical interest that brought her to band practice. Many of the students find value in the music they could never make by themselves.

"I always wanted to learn to play the flute," she said, adding she already plays the violin and piano. "But it's different in the band because you get to meet and play with all different kinds of people from other cities."

Kim McHenry, Plymouth mother of four, three of whom are in the band, encouraged her children to join the band for that reason.

"I like the idea of them being a part of something bigger," she said. "And developing the discipline to play with a group."



Horn section: French Horn player Chelsea Grow of Farmington Hills, 10½, left, scowls at a fellow band mate, as Christina Garmon of Canton, 12, and Oniel Pakala of Ypsilanti, 11, rehearse recently.

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Moms who teach

A small group of mothers gathered in the hallway explained that band is just one of many activities to which they tote their students.

"Anything that would be an extracurricular activity, and where there's a motivated enough parent to do it, it's available," said Braun, rattling off a list of activities the children can choose, from choir to French class to drama.

Most of the students are involved in two or three activities at any given time, and almost none are the only home-schooled child in the home.

Sally Pakala, Ypsilanti mother of seven home-schooled children aged 2 to 16, said the hours spent on the road every week is worth the effort and her family considers home-schooling as natural as other parents consider public schools.

"We wanted to be the main influence in our children's lives," she explained. "And we also think that learning is better in a home environment. It's just more natural. It's life."

Redford mother of three, Debbie McCallum, agreed.

"It's a lifestyle," she said. "I call it the great adventure."

Many of the mothers are inspired by something even greater, said Wendy MacLennan of Northville, whose fifth grade daughter, Kelsey, plays the very flute she played when she was a girl.

"There's an element of sheltering, and we want to be the primary influence in our children's lives," she said. "It's a God-given responsibility to teach our children."



STAFF PHOTO BY HEATHER SONNAG

Facing off: Plymouth school board candidates Tom Wysocki, from left, Veronica Fox, Sheila Stirsman and Fred Libbing answer questions at Wednesday's forum at City Hall.

Candidate forum

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students and staff to the possibility of a later start time for high school students. The later-starting-time idea led to a few quips about teenagers and their sleeping patterns.

Stirsman and Wysocki disagreed on budget cuts, should they become necessary.

Stirsman said busing, particularly at the high school, could be trimmed to save money. "Quite a few students drive (to the high school). I see buses that are quite empty," she said.

Wysocki though, called busing a sensitive topic and said other fixed expenses, such as money for supplies and energy costs, should be looked at closely.

"Eighty-seven percent of the budget is labor, and I think, if you're intent on keeping class sizes where they are, it would be difficult to cut that," he added.

Libbing said he would work with the administration to create priorities that "wouldn't cut into the heart of the program."

On diversity issues, all four candidates reacted to a question

surrounding the February publication of a student editorial in the P-CEP Perspective that challenged the validity of Black History Month and warned of a "race war." The issue sparked a heated meeting between mostly African-American parents and school officials and resulted in disciplinary action against the newspaper's staff adviser.

The incident galvanized her and indirectly led to her decision to run for the board, Fox said. "Before, I would look at these kinds of issues and feel it was up to them (others) to do something. Now I realize 'them' is me and us," she said.

"I really do think we are going to get something positive from this experience."

Libbing said the district could have done a better job of handling the incident and that written policies on diversity and related issues should have been in place prior to its occurrence.

Wysocki said he believes the administration did well, once the issues were made public. There

are positive programs already in place to address diversity issues, he said.

At the park

All four candidates said the high schools had adequate programs in place to deal with a campus of 5,000 students and get the extra attention some may need.

State-required changes in special education and a lower teacher pay scale at the Starkweather Center than other Plymouth-Canton schools were also a concern among the candidates.

"State and national funding in this area hasn't been complete. I do like the idea for more local control, but the funding needs to be there," Wysocki said.

"In today's society, we have to provide special education students with the same level of education as all students," Stirsman said.

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brown hands. "But I have some physical traits of my own that will keep me away from the melting pot."

She said her skin color and accent — which she said is much more easily understood by Midwesterners than it used to be — continue to set her apart.

A sociology professor by trade, Javed said her inability to merge is no failure. The truth is, the

melting pot doesn't exist.

"I'm trying to popularize the idea of *acculturation* as replacing assimilation," she said.

She coined the word after more than a decade of examining how immigrants express their cultural selves in the United States.

She said assimilation demands immigrants shed their cultural identity in order to fit into the

"pink suburbs."

Acculturation, on the other hand, more realistically encourages immigrants to carry as much "cultural baggage" as possible, said Javed.

Split personality

Javed teaches at the University of Michigan and Madonna University four days a week, and she strives to fit in with her colleagues — who, by the way, she adds, question why she is in the sociology department rather than in math and science.

The other three days of the week, she associates with friends she's made at the Mosque.

"That's when I don't have to speak English, be professional, and I can wear whatever I want," she said.

But finding that balance did not come easily. Javed said the first six months in Michigan were the most difficult. She said cold weather forced her to give up her traditional dresses — saris — which were not made to wear

with snow boots and had to be shipped back to India every time they needed to be cleaned.

"Dry cleaners won't touch them," she said. "I finally got tired of having to send them to India, and started wearing pants. But I miss them. I worry that my femininity is not properly expressed."

She said she had a difficult time with tasks that most take for granted.

"People asked me all the time if I know English, and I did. But I didn't understand the English you speak here," she said, adding her ear was more accustomed to the English spoken in the British colony of Delhi. "Mechanics and car dealers assumed I couldn't make any decisions without my husband."

The worst experience — one that's a struggle for many immigrant mothers — was a growing reliance on her children, who were at the time 10 and 9 years old.

She said she needed them at

the grocery store and on shopping errands in particular because she couldn't find things.

"I hated that feeling. It was like a role reversal," she said. "And I was *not* going to let my children continue to guide me."

Much more puzzling to Javed is her children's experiences.

She said they are as American as American-born children. They speak, dress and eat like American teens.

"But still they are always singled out as Asian," she said. While she hopes they will hold onto as much Asian culture as possible, she also fears they are sometimes left out.

Promoting understanding

Javed said nobody wins when a culture is segregated.

"America is really lucky to have us," she said of the new immigrants, which she said are typically very well educated, and are the most adventurous and industrious members of society.

In order to promote under-

standing and create a cultural "salad bowl" rather than a melting pot, Javed developed programs based largely on India's culture.

"Multiculturalism is in my blood. India is such a diverse country," she said. "Every 100 miles, you have a change in food, dress and culture. They are all unique, but still can blend together wonderfully."

Javed's efforts in educating the community about acculturation are threefold.


She offers diversity training workshops, focusing on programs for teachers. She also offers classes on positive parenting in two cultures. And she holds workshops on teen conflict to help young people better understand multicultural relationships.

Javed said she encourages people to contact her about acculturation issues and workshops at (313) 871-8600, Ext. 239.



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Northville Township would provide land near the Scott Correctional Facility off Five Mile and Beck roads, and operate the facility.

However, after a meeting late last month, the Plymouths and Northvilles decided to back Canton's plan.

"You have to be practical when you look at this," Sincok said. "Canton brought to the table more than the Plymouths and Northvilles could bring. It made sense to support the best proposal."

Sincok said the city's recreation master plan calls for cooperation with neighboring communities and the county.

"That proposal fits exactly with our master plan. We're kind of excited about the county possi-

bly looking at this. There would be a lot of give and take, but hopefully the park will be in our area for our residents to use."

Although Sincok added the location is a bit of a for Plymouth Township and Northville residents, it's still an easily accessible and attractive location.

"Everybody would like to have this kind of park in their own community, but obviously sometimes you just have to settle for the second-best choice," he said.

Other communities have also thrown their hats into the ring, though Yack said he doesn't know exactly which cities.

"The county is being very tight-lipped about it," Yack said. Two communities rumored to

have submitted proposals — Taylor and Allen Park — have not and are not in the process of doing so.

Southgate is submitting a proposal to build the park.

"I've seen Canton's proposal," said Southgate Assistant Administrator David Angileri. "We haven't done anything like that. We passed a resolution stating we would be interested in constructing a park here." Southgate is still putting together a proposal, he said.

Cool reception

Yack and Finance Director Tony Minghine presented the Canton proposal to the township board of trustees last month, and it was met with a lukewarm response.

Trustee Melissa McLaughlin and Treasurer Elaine Kirchgatter said they could not back the plan because the Ford and Ridge location was inappropriate.

"I'm sure the county would also like us to choose a location

that is south and east of the Ford Road location," Yack said after subsequent meetings with county representatives.

Trustee Robert Shefferly said he could only back a plan in which Canton builds the park without money from Wayne County.

At that time, Yack suggested Canton withdraw its tentative proposal to the county. More enthusiastic support from the board would be necessary to construct a successful project, he said.

Since then, Yack said the board has agreed to gather more information and visit other nearby aquatics parks before making a decision.

Canton should receive a response from the county after the other proposals are complete.

"Then they need to sell it to the county commission, and they are going to look at all of this very closely before approving the funds," Yack said.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Public Accuracy Test for the June 11, 2001 Regular School Election has been scheduled for Wednesday, June 6, 2001 at 1:00 p.m. in the E.J. McClendon Education Center at 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, Michigan.

The Public Accuracy Test is conducted to determine that the program(s) and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the election, counts the votes in the manner prescribed by the law.

JUDY L. MARDIGIAN
Secretary of Board of Education

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PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for **Canton High School Varsity Locker Replacement Bid**. Specifications and bid forms are available through Laura Hagan of the PCCS Maintenance Department at (734) 415-2953. Sealed bids are due on or before 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 13, 2001 and should be addressed to Dan Phillips, RE: Canton Laker Replacement Bid, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, 454 South Harvey, Plymouth, MI 48170. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

Bid Opening:	Wednesday, June 13, 2001 at 2:00 p.m.	
Resolution Due to Board:	Thursday, June 21, 2001 at 12:00 p.m.	
Board Review:	Tuesday, June 26, 2001	

JUDY L. MARDIGIAN, Secretary
Board of Education
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools

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PLYMOUTH CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for Plymouth-Canton community Schools New Plymouth High School - Bid Pack #4 will be received until **11:00 a.m.** local time on **Monday, June 11, 2001** at which time they will be opened and read publicly at Plymouth-Canton Community School, E.J. McClendon Educational Center located at 454 S. Harvey St., Plymouth, MI. Bids received after this time and date will be returned unopened, faxed proposals will not be accepted. This Bid Package will consist of a separate sealed bid for the following Bid Divisions:

Bid Division Description

- 112 Caulking
- 122 Interior Signage
- 124 Wood Flooring
- 127 Stainless Steel Casework
- 148 Landscaping & Site Irrigation
- 149 Building Security System
- 152 Athletic Fields & Site Irrigation
- 153 Athletic Field Fencing
- 154 Tennis Courts and Track Construction
- 156 Outside Bleachers
- 157 Athletic Field House Buildings
- 158 Selected Demolition

Bidding documents prepared by **French Associates, Inc.** will be available for public inspection at the office of the Construction Manager, **McSEV**, 26001 West Five Mile Rd., Redford, MI 48239; the FW Dodge Plan Room, Southfield; the Construction Association of Michigan Plan Room, Bloomfield Hills; and the Daily Construction Reports Plan Room, Detroit.

Bidders may obtain a set of bidding documents by contacting the Construction Manager, **McSEV**, at (313)535-1140. (Note: Bidders are issued 1/2 size plans for bidding purposes. Plan scales are to be adjusted accordingly.) Additional plans may be ordered and purchased directly from Dunn Blue Reprographics Technology, (248)353-2950. Bids are to be submitted in a sealed envelope supplied by the Construction Managers, **McSEV**. The bid division(s) being bid is (are) to be identified on the outside of the envelope.

Each bid shall be accompanied by the Bid Bond in the amount of at least five (5) percent of the amount of the bid, payable to Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, as a guarantee that if the proposal is accepted, the bidder will execute the contract and file the required bonds within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract.

If awarded a contract, the successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Labor and Material Payment Bond. Plymouth-Canton Community Schools reserve the right to reject any or all bids received and to waive any informalities and irregularities in the bidding.

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The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for **Farrand Elementary School Gym Flooring Replacement Bid**. Specifications and bid forms are available through Laura Hagan of the PCCS Maintenance Department at (734) 415-2953. Sealed bids are due on or before 1:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 13, 2001 and should be addressed to Dan Phillips, RE: Farrand Gym Floor Bid, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, 454 South Harvey, Plymouth, MI 48170. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

Bid Opening:	Wednesday, June 13, 2001 at 1:00 p.m.	
Resolution Due to Board:	Thursday, June 21, 2001 at 12:00 p.m.	
Board Review:	Tuesday, June 26, 2001	

JUDY L. MARDIGIAN, Secretary
Board of Education
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools

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PLYMOUTH DISTRICT LIBRARY
PUBLIC NOTICE

The Plymouth District Library Board will hold its REGULAR June meeting Tuesday, June 12, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. at 223 S. Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan 48170.

The Plymouth District Library will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tape of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon seven (7) days notice to the Plymouth District Library. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Plymouth District Library by writing or calling the following:

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S., Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 10:00 a.m. Thursday, June 14th, 2001 for the following:

FELLOWS CREEK GOLF CLUB
PARKING LOT, WALKWAY, GOLF CART PATH & CURB REPAIRS

Specifications are available at Dynamic Consultants, Inc., 44808 Gregory Lane, Plymouth, Michigan 48170 between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. The telephone No. is (734) 207-1963. A non-refundable plan deposit of \$20.00 shall be required. An additional non-refundable fee of \$15.00 will be charged for manuals mailed to perspective bidders. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services. Questions can be directed to Brad Sharp at (734) 394-5162.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF WAYNE
TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH
COMPENSATION COMMISSION ORDINANCE
SUMMARY OF ORDINANCE NO. C-2001-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR DETERMINING THE SALARIES OF ELECTED OFFICIALS; PROVIDING FOR MEMBERSHIP AND APPOINTMENT; PROVIDING FOR THE FILLING OF VACANCIES; PROVIDING FOR INELIGIBILITY; PROVIDING THAT THE COMMISSION SHALL DETERMINE THE SALARY OF EACH MEMBER OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD UNLESS THE TOWNSHIP BOARD REJECTS THE DETERMINATION; PROVIDING FOR COMMISSION MEETINGS, THE CONDUCT OF BUSINESS BY THE COMMISSION, COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT, PUBLIC NOTICES AND ACTION BY THE MAJORITY; PROVIDING FOR A CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMISSION; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE ORDINANCE BY RESOLUTION AND PROVIDING FOR PETITION FOR REFERENDUM ON THE ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES, SEVERABILITY, REPEAL, PUBLICATION AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. GENERAL PURPOSE.

Section 1. Title. This section provides that the title of this Ordinance shall be "The Charter Township of Plymouth Elected Official Compensation Commission Ordinance."

Section 2. Implementation by Resolution. This section provides for implementation by Township Board Resolution.

Section 3. Enabling Legislation. This section refers to the enabling legislation.

Section 4. Utilization to establish Salaries of Elected Officials. This section provides for the utilization of the Ordinance.

Section 5. Creation of Commission; Membership; Appointment. This section provides for the creation of a Compensation Commission and its membership and appointment.

Section 6. Terms of Office; Appointment; Ineligibility. This section provides for the term(s) of office of Commission members.

Section 7. Salary Determination; Effective Date; Rejection; Expenses. This section provides that the Commission shall determine the salaries of Township Board Members unless that determination is rejected by the Board and also provides for expenses.

Section 8. Commission Meetings; Quorum; Open Meetings; Notices; Majority Vote; Chairperson; Session Days; Expenses. This section provides for the Commission meetings, notice and open meetings requirements, quorum, majority vote, chairperson and expenses.

Section 9. Referendum on this Ordinance; Election. This section provides for petition and referendum/election on the Ordinance.

Section 10. Salary Decrease During Term of Office. This section provides that an elected officials salary shall not be decreased during the official's term in office.

SECTION 2. VIOLATION AND PENALTY.

This section provides that any person or entity that violates any provision of this Ordinance may, upon conviction, be fined not more than Five Hundred (\$500.00) Dollars or imprisoned not more than Ninety (90) days, or both, in the discretion of the Court.

SECTION 3. REPEAL.

This section provides that all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinances are repealed to the extent of such conflict.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.

This section provides that any unenforceable section can be severed from the rest of the Ordinance.

SECTION 5. SAVINGS CLAUSE.

This section provides that adoption of this Ordinance does not affect proceedings, prosecutions for violation of law, penalties and matured rights and duties in effect before the effective date of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. PUBLICATION.

This section provides that the Clerk for the Charter Township of Plymouth shall cause this Ordinance to be published in the manner required by law.

SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This section provides that this Ordinance shall take full force and effect upon publication.

The above is a summary of proposed Ordinance No. C-01-02 considered for first reading at the May 22, 2001, regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth. It will be submitted for second reading at the regularly scheduled Board Meeting on Tuesday, June 26, 2001. The ordinance, in full, is available in the Clerk's Office for public perusal at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170, during regular business hours 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Phone number (734) 354-3224.

MARILYN MASSENGILL, CMC
Clerk, Charter Township of Plymouth

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Candidates look forward to facing new challenges

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During a year when change is prominent at Schoolcraft College — led by Richard McDowell handing the reins to Conway Jeffress — voters will soon have to decide whether they want that change to extend to the college board of trustees.

On Monday, June 11, voters will choose three of five candidates, all vying for three, six-year board terms. Incumbents Mary Breen, Brian Broderick and Richard Reaume are opposed by challengers Fred Bolden and Kevin McNamara, the son of Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara.

During recent interviews with the Observer Newspapers, the candidates offered their views on issues such as leadership transition, expansion of the Waterman Campus Center and how to deal with a slowing economy and Schoolcraft's need to keep on top of technological advances.

Their views are as follows:

Impact of Waterman

The Waterman expansion (primarily the VistaTech Center) opens up solid potential for Schoolcraft's culinary arts and technology fields, noted Bolden, who has background in both.

"I studied culinary arts at a community college in Illinois, and I'm looking forward to watching Schoolcraft be able to compete on a national and international level in the culinary arts field," Bolden said.

The \$26.7 million project, once completed, should also provide Schoolcraft with an important drawing card, in competing with other community colleges for students, he said.

Although Breen said Schoolcraft has long been a leader in technological education and training, the expanded Waterman facility "will only open all kinds of doors."

"So many businesses come to



Bolden Breen Broderick McNamara Reaume

us to train their personnel, and we needed the space, that's the bottom line," she said. "It's going to help the college meet the community's needs."

Breen added that, with a larger culinary arts program, a long waiting list could be whittled more quickly.

Still, she advises high school students with an interest in the field to put in an application for Schoolcraft "before they even graduate from high school, so that they're on the waiting list."

With costs of higher education rising and the economy slowing, Broderick said the expansion will be timely and also heighten awareness of Schoolcraft as a drawing card.

"It's going to change the college completely," Broderick emphasized. "The ability to have the space to respond to ... business needs as well as student needs for this entire community will really change the college and change the nature of the school."

"I think it's going to have a profound effect on how Schoolcraft can respond to the needs of the students and community."

McNamara said the expansion could really help Schoolcraft recruit corporate sponsors for job training.

But moreover, "It means that it may not just be a chef's college anymore. Schoolcraft College has a chance to identify itself as a leader in technology training and (certification) with this new center."

He suggests that the college team up with the potential sponsors to design training programs.

"Bring them in and ask, 'What do you need?'" McNamara continued. "Develop the program with them in the room. Have them provide some of the instructors and put them on the

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line to hire all these grads. 'We're developing this curriculum for you, we want you to hire from these people.'"

Reaume, appointed to fill a board vacancy in 1999, said the expanded center will only be brick and mortar. "But what we're going to have the opportunity (to do) is to change lives."

Schoolcraft students will have better facilities to learn about everything from food research to coding for medical billing to training in fields such as occupational therapy training and public safety.

But, Reaume stressed, businesses will benefit from customized employee training programs.

"These are good, high-paying jobs that require either one-year certificates or two years worth of training to go into the field," Reaume said.

Working with business

Schoolcraft, first and foremost, must keep marketing itself so that businesses are more aware of facilities such as the business development center, Broderick explained.

It makes good sense to improve outreach efforts.

"There probably are a lot of businesses out there that don't know about Schoolcraft, or know what it offers," Broderick said. "We need to keep focusing on those citizens as well as those that already use it and provide the best product that we can."

In order for Schoolcraft to better connect with the business world, McNamara suggests that the college focus future efforts on reaching in some big corporate

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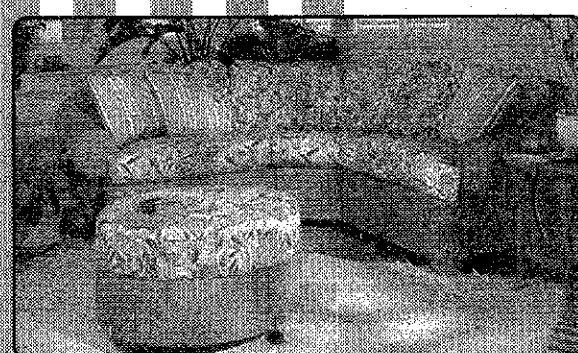
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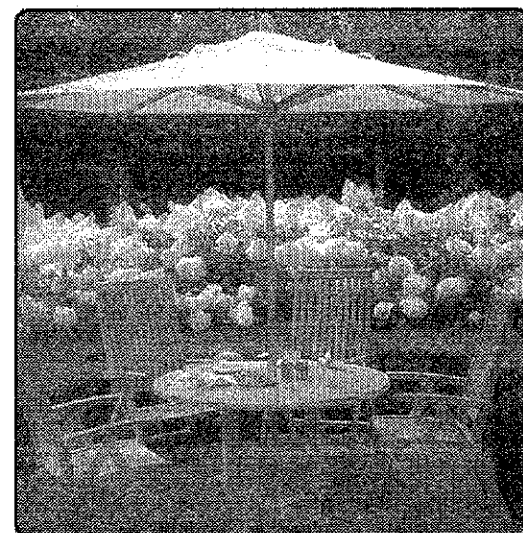


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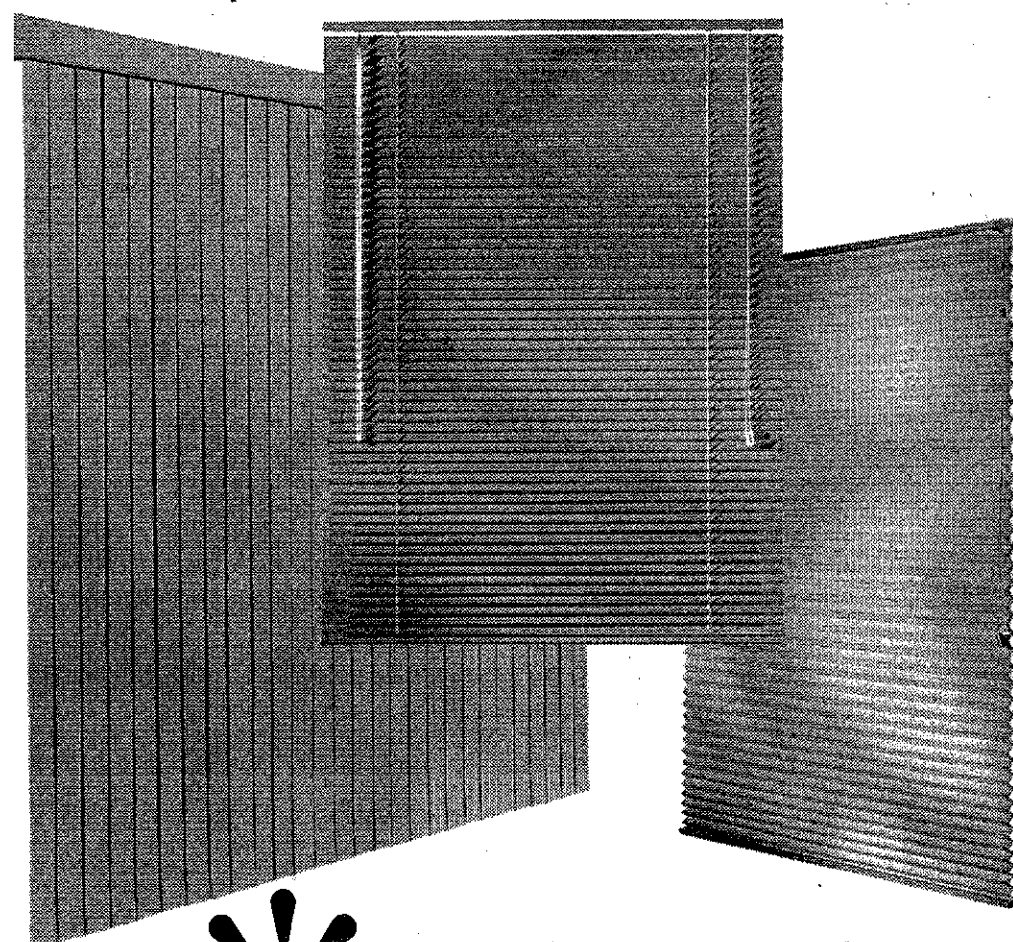
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AROUND TOWN

CAR WASH

■ The Canton High cheer-leading squad will be holding a car wash Saturday, June 9 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Classy Chassis Auto Wash on N. Canton Center Road in Canton. Due to road construction, enter at the Burger King/Supper Bowl entrance on Ford Road. For further information, call Richard Reaume, 459-9285.

LAWN CARE WORKSHOP

■ A River Friendly Lawn Care Workshop takes place from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 13, at the Summit on the Park. Learn from the experts how to grow a green lawn while protecting area creeks and the Rouge River. The workshop will cover basics such as mowing, watering and fertilizer selection, as well as cover the benefits of a slow release fertilizer and share various product options. To register, contact Canton's Public Works Division, (734) 394-5150.

SUMMER FEST.

■ Plymouth Compware Arena is the location for a new community family oriented festival for the entire family taking place June 14-17. This event will feature carnival rides, games, food, free entertainment, an arts and crafts area and fun for everyone. Call the Hot Line at (734) 453-9157 for further information.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

■ Veggie Town Vacation Bible School is accepting children 2 years old to completed sixth grade at the First United Methodist Church on N. Territorial Rd. in Plymouth, July 16-20. The fee is \$7 (\$20 maximum for immediate family). Call (734) 453-5280 for further information.

YOUTH SOCCER

■ City of Plymouth Recreation Department will be taking Fall Youth Soccer Registration the entire month of June at the Recreation Office during business hours, Monday thru Friday, 8-4 p.m. The fee for under 6 thru under 8 year old divisions is \$45 for residents and \$65 for non-residents. For under 9 and older divisions the fee is \$50 for residents and \$80 for non-residents. Call (734) 455-6620 for more information.

ANN ARBOR WOMEN

PAINTERS

■ Celebrating its 50th Anniversary with a special exhibition at the Jean-Paul Slusser Gallery, University of Michigan, School of Art and Architecture, 2000 Bonisteel Blvd., Ann Arbor. The opening reception will be held June 12 and will include a talk by juror Richard Rubinfeld, professor of art history at Eastern Michigan University. Call (734) 663-2825 for further information.

GYMNASTICS FUND RAISER

■ All Star Gymnastics will be hosting the SOCK HOP, HOP, HOP! In support of Ronald McDonald House 7-10 p.m., Friday, June 15. Children ages 7-16 can participate. They will also be accepting non-perishables, bed and bath items, along with laundry, office and entertainment items for supplying Ronald McDonald House. Drop off your items at All Star Gymnastics, 22525 Heslip Drive in Novi. Call Gina Blazo at (248) 380-5330 for further information.

JAYCEES PICNIC

■ The Plymouth Canton Jaycees will be hosting a membership information picnic at 1 p.m., Saturday, June 16 at Riverside Pavilion in Hines Park, on Edwards Hines Dr., west of Haggerty. Call (734) 453-

8407 for further information.

OPEN HOUSE

■ St. Mary Mercy Hospital will hold a Community Open House 1-5 p.m. Sunday, June 3. The public is invited to attend the events which will include hospital tours, a health car, health screenings and media celebrity appearances. All events are free.

TENNIS LESSON

■ The U.S. Tennis Association is offering a free tennis lesson to area families. Adults and children are welcome. Equipment will be provided. Wear tennis shoes. Huron Valley Tennis Club, 3235 Cherry Hill, Ann Arbor, 9-10:30 a.m., Saturday, June 9. Call (734) 662-5514 to register.

DUFFERS & DINERS

■ Sundays at the Golden Fox of Fox Hills, May thru September. Eighteen holes at \$100/couple - tee times noon-4 p.m.; 9 holes \$80/couple - tee times 2-4 p.m. Price includes your choice of steak or chicken dinner, golf & cart. Please call for tee times (734) 453-7272.

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

■ Willow Creek Co-op Preschool registration is taking place for the 2001-2002 school year. Classes for 3- and 4-year-olds; morning and afternoon sessions. For more information call Maria Panek at 326-9101.

SUMMER ART CAMP

■ D&M Studios in cooperation with Canton Leisure Services and the city of Plymouth Recreation Department presents "Australian Outback-Down Under," this year's Summer Art Camp theme. There is still room for preschool to teens. Call (734) 453-3710 for further information.

SUMMER DAY CAMP

■ Summer Day Camp is being held at Summit on the Park beginning in June. Campers take part in crafts, gym activities, daily swim time and are treated to "off-site" field trips on Fridays. Camp runs from 8:45 a.m. to 4:14 p.m. with pre- and post-care options available. To be eligible for camp, campers must have completed the first grade through a maximum of completing the fifth grade. Call (734) 394-5460 for further information.

NEW MORNING SCHOOL

■ New Morning School in Plymouth has openings in the kindergarten through eighth-grade programs. For information or registration, call (734) 420-3331. New Morning is a state-licensed and certified parent cooperative.

BICYCLE RIDES

■ Bike tours throughout the Plymouth community, start at 6:30 p.m., every Monday, May thru September at the Comerica Bank on Ann Arbor Rd., west of Sheldon. Find out how to bike to the area focal points while minimizing sharing the road with fast moving motorists. For further info, call Alan VanKerckhove (734) 455-9144.

HEAD START

■ Starfish Family Services has openings for preschoolers in its Head Start program. This is a free program for income-eligible 3 and 4 year olds and their families. It also accepts eligible foster children any children with disabilities. For information call (888) 887-9980.

TINY TOTS

■ Tiny Tots Pre-school The Salvation Army is accepting registration for Monday-Wednesday-Friday for 4 year olds; Tuesday-Thursday for 3 year olds for the fall 2001-2002 ses-

Local dancer wins regional

Caitlin Campbell, a West Middle School eighth grader, recently won the Mid-West Region 15-and-under Premier Scottish Highland Dance competition at Alma, Mich. Caitlin and the two runners-up, along with 14 other dancers from other age groups, will represent the Mid-West region in the United States Inter-Regional Highland Dance Championships held in July at the Queen Mary in Long Beach, Calif.

Scottish Highland dancing has a long history often depicting and honoring the fierce battles and warriors of the Scottish Highlanders. The costumes are the colorful tartan kilts and the dancing is done to the tune of the Highland bagpipes.

In the Alma Regional Championships last weekend, Caitlin, 14, competed against dancers in the 15-and-under Premier category. Her four-dance total earned her the overall trophy and the chance to dance for a national title against dancers from all over the U.S.

Caitlin has been regularly competing since she was 5 years old. She has competed in eight states as well as numerous cities in Ontario. Last summer she traveled to Scotland with her family where she not only danced in three competitions, but she was also part of a group of Michigan dancers who were invited to perform at the Inverness Military Tattoo, in Inverness, Scotland. Caitlin is also an honor



Caitlin Campbell

student at West Middle School, and she just finished participation in Plymouth's first Youth Leadership Program.

Caitlin studies under Janis Burkhardt of Novi. Her mother, Cindy Kopenski, also teaches Highland Dancing and has several successful students of her own competing successfully in the region. She will also be competing at the St. Andrew's Highland Games at Greenmead, in Livonia, on Aug. 4.

sion. Call Peggy Blaisdell at (734) 453-5464 for further information.

PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION

■ Dixboro co-op Preschool is accepting applications for children 3-5 years old for its fall semester. For more information, please call (734) 665-5632.

HISTORICAL MUSEUM

■ Hours for the Canton Historical Museum are 1-4 p.m., Tuesday and Saturday. Tours for school, Scouts or other groups may be arranged by calling (734) 397-0088.

VILLAGE MUSIC

■ Group classes in piano and hammer dulcimer for people ages 5 through adult. The complete Kindermusik curriculum is offered for newborns to children 7 year olds. For information, call Norma Atwood at (734) 354-9825.

LIBERTY FEST

■ Canton Township is looking for artists to be involved in the 10th annual fine art and fine craft show at Liberty Fest 2001. The displays will run 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, June 23, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, June 24. Artists can choose to display their work under the "big tents" or can bring their own tent. The show is juried, and each participant will be required to submit slides or pictures of his work from the approved categories: painting, prints, sculpture, ceramics, jewelry, drawing, pastel and selected fine crafts. No commercially produced merchandise will be allowed. For more information, call Sharon Dillenbeck at D & M Studios, (734) 453-3710.

ANN ARBOR RANGERS

■ The Ann Arbor Rangers U17 boys soccer club is looking for new team members for the spring "travel"

outdoor season. Interested people can attend one of the practices 8-9:30 p.m. Mondays at Mack School in Ann Arbor. For further information, please call Iris at (734) 995-0011.

HATHA YOGA

■ Classes in Plymouth, Tuesday and Wednesdays from 9:30-11 a.m. and 7:30-9:00 p.m. and Sundays, 3-5:30 p.m. Call Cynthia Gray (734) 420-2418.

TAI CHI

■ Ongoing tai chi classes are offered for ages in Livonia and Bloomfield Hills under the sponsorship of the Taoist Tai Chi Society. Afternoon classes are also available at the Livonia location. Observers welcome. For more information, call the society at (248) 332-1281.

RECREATION

■ The city of Plymouth is taking registration for its childrens/ tots gymnastics, dance, arts, Jump-A-Rama, tai kwan do, personal development, aerobics and more. For more information, call the recreation division at (734) 455-6620.

SKATING CLASSES

■ Learn to roller-skate at Skatin Station II in Canton for children or adults, 7-8 p.m. every Sunday. The cost is \$6 per session or \$30 for six weeks. Inline roller hockey leagues for all ages. Ten-week session with one game a week for all ages. Call (734) 459-6401 for information.

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

■ The Plymouth Optimist Club is selling Entertainment 2001 books. Proceeds will be used for children's causes throughout southeastern Michigan. Books are \$40 and will be delivered. Call Bill VonGlaun at (734)453-8253.

CREATIVE MUSIC

■ The Creative Music Center of Plymouth/ Canton has registration for its Kindermusik classes. Classes are pro-rated and held at the First Baptist Church of Plymouth, 4500 N. Territorial (just west of Sheldon). For information, call Lori Nelson at (734) 354-9109.

CLUBS

WEST SUBURBAN STAMP CLUB

■ Meeting first and third Fridays at 8 p.m. at The Plymouth Historical Society, 155 South Main Street, Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH REPUBLICAN CLUB

■ Open meeting being held at 7 p.m., Wednesday, June 13 at the Plymouth Public Library. Call (248) 223-8046 for further information.

PLYMOUTH CANTON JAYCEES

■ Looking for a few good people, age 21-39 interested in making new friends, helping with good causes and having an overall good time. The Jaycees meet every second Wednesday of the month starting at 7:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Township Clerk's office. Call (734) 453-8407 or show up at our monthly meeting.

DAR

■ Meeting Noon, Monday, June 18 for an annual potluck luncheon at the home of Pet Keyes, 43753 Westridge Lane, Northville. The program will be a Plant and Craft Auction. Please bring a salad, dessert or casserole and a craft or plant to auction. Also we are collecting books and toiletries and socks for veteran patients. Call (248) 349-6056 for further information.

CAREER WOMEN

■ The West Suburban Chapter is holding their June meeting on Tuesday, June 12 at 11:45 a.m. at Ernesto's in Plymouth. John Balardo, publisher of Hour Detroit Magazine will be the featured guest speaker. Cost is \$18 for members and \$22 for non-members. Call Brenda Durling (734)462-4670.

COMMUNITY DEMOCRATS

■ The Community Democratic Club meets at 7 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month at UAW Local 845 Hall. Business meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. The club serves Canton, Northville, Plymouth and the Livonia 13th District. For further information, call Becky Tavarozzi (734) 398-5845.

TOASTMASTERS

■ Develop your public speaking, communications and leadership skills. Guests welcome. No pressure to speak. Being held at St. John Episcopal Church in Plymouth. This group meets at 7 p.m. every first and third Monday of the month. Please call (734) 459-0715 for more information.

WESTSIDE SINGLES

■ Westside Singles presents dances every Friday night at the Burton Manor. Doors open at 8 p.m., dressy attire, bar, D.J., 21 and older, price is \$4 before 8:30 p.m. and \$6 after 8:30 p.m. Call (734) 981-0909 for further information.

K OF C BREAKFAST

■ The Knights of Columbus holds a breakfast buffet 8:30 a.m. to noon every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 150 Fair St., Plymouth. All-you-can-eat buffet. Newly remodeled breakfast room. Call (734) 453-9833 for further information.

ARTS COUNCIL

■ Every second Tuesday at noon you're invited to take your lunch and learn about art with the speakers from the DIA. The cost is \$5 for members and \$8 for others. Lectures are free to senior citizens. Winter 2001 classes for children-acting, singing, drawing, sketching and painting. For adults: photography, man r lndal-making, drawing, sketching, watercolor, salsa dance, and figure drawing with models. Art or drama birthday parties or Scout workshops custom designed for each group (any age) at the Plymouth Community Arts Council. For information, call (734) 416-4278.

KIWANIS BREAKFAST CLUB

■ The Plymouth-Canton Kiwanis Breakfast Club meets 7 a.m. every Tuesday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Guests are welcome. Call Charr Briggs at (810) 406-8489.

BUSINESS NETWORK INTERNATIONAL

■ The Canton II Chapter of Business Network International (BNI) holds its regular meetings 7-8:30 a.m. Wednesday at Roman Forum Restaurant, 41601 Ford Rd., Canton. The Laurel Park Chapter meets 7-8:30 a.m. at Archie's Family Restaurant on Plymouth Rd., east of Merriman, Livonia. The Plymouth Chapter meets every Thursday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Call the BNI regional office at (810) 323-3800.

MOPS

■ The Plymouth Baptist Church holds the Mothers Of Preschoolers meetings 9-11:30 a.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. These meetings provide a time for moms to develop new friendships with other moms. Child

care is provided. The church is at 42021 Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, between Lilley and Haggerty. Call (734) 453-5534. Space is limited.

GOURMET DINING GROUP

■ The Plymouth/Northville/ Canton gourmet dining group meets the second Saturday of the month through June. Planned menu and recipes for each meal. If interested in joining, call Dottie Brower at (734) 455-1206 or Pat Stokes at (734) 455-7446.

MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES

■ The Plymouth-Canton Mothers of Multiples Club meets 7 p.m. the third week of each month on alternating Mondays and Tuesdays. Play group meets twice a month on alternating Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Call Pam Heestand at (734) 981-3341.

M.O.M.

■ Meet Other Mothers (M.O.M.) presents guest speakers and discussions from 9:30-11:30 a.m. the second and fourth Friday of each month. Baby-sitting is provided. Call Cherece at (734) 416-6214 or Laura at (313) 538-7622.

MOMS CLUB

■ MOMS Club welcomes all western Wayne County stay-at-home mothers to meet at 10 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month. Play group meets every Wednesday. Call Lisa at (734)844-3685.

HUMAN RIGHTS GROUP

■ The Human Rights Group meets at 7 p.m. the first Sunday of the month at the Plymouth Coffee Studio, 600 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Call Paulette at (734) 416-9288 or Charlene at (734) 963-0649.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS

■ Plymouth Newcomers is a social organization dedicated to helping people meet others in the community through its monthly meetings and variety of special interest groups. Call Christine at (734) 416-0300.

VOLUNTEERS

COMMUNITY BUILT PLAYGROUND

■ Volunteers aged 14 and over are needed to construct a community built playground during Liberty Fest at Heritage Park. Shifts are available throughout the weekend starting on Friday, June 22 thru Sunday, June 24. Call Debby Bradley at (734)394-5193 to volunteer.

PLYMOUTH FAMILY YMCA

■ Looking for volunteers for their 22nd-annual run. Please call (734) 453-2904 for more information. or to volunteer for the run. Free T-shirt to all volunteers.

SENIOR PARTY

■ Work is under way for the all-night senior party to be held June 10. The committee is looking for volunteers to help in the party. The group is also in need of donations, either monetary or merchandise, to be given out as prizes on the night of the party. For more information or to volunteer, please call Joanne LaMar, 459-4539, or Dave and Marcia Garnice, 844-3855.

DISCOVERY SHOPS

■ The American Cancer Society's Discovery Shops are looking for volunteers interested in retail to make a difference in the fight against cancer. Various positions, flexible hours and training are available. For more information, call The American Cancer Society at (248) 557-5353 or toll-free at (800) 925-2271.

CALENDAR FORM

The Canton Observer welcomes Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Canton Observer, 794 South Main Street, Plymouth, MI. 48170, or by fax to 734-459-4224. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Thursday for the following Sunday's paper. Call 459-2700 if you have any questions.

Event:

Date and Time:

Location:

Telephone:

Additional info.:

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OBITUARIES

RICHARD K. OUELLETTE

Services for Richard K. Ouellette, 63, of Canton were held May 31 at L.J. Griffin Funeral Home.

Mr. Ouellette was born March 2, 1938 in Detroit and died May 27 in Ann Arbor. He worked as a salesman in food service.

Survivors include wife, Louise S. Ouellette; son, Richard K. (Laura) Ouellette; brothers, Gary Ouellette and Dan Ouellette; and sister, Ruth Van Oel.

LAURIE ANN YOUNG

Services for Laurie Ann Young, 39, of Westland were held May 31 at L.J. Griffin Funeral Home.

Ms. Young was born Jan. 19, 1962 in Garden City and died May 28 in Westland. She worked as a social worker for the State of Michigan.

Survivors include father and mother, Charles and Lilus Young; sister, Marilyn L. Vickers; brother, Tom C. (Carol); four nephews; one niece; and one great nephew.

SARAH C. LICKLY

Services will be held for Sarah

C. Lickly, 95 of Placentia, Calif. (formerly of Plymouth) June 4 at the Brown-Van Hemert Funeral Home in Hudson, Michigan with burial at Lickly's Corners Cemetery.

Miss Lickly was born Aug. 3, 1905 in Silver Creek, Neb. and died May 30 in Fullerton, Calif. She grew up on a farm in Hillsdale County and moved to Hudson where she graduated from high school in 1923. She graduated from Hillsdale College in 1927 and received her master's degree from the University of Michigan.

She taught school in Sparta for one year, and in 1928 began teaching mathematics at old Plymouth High School. She retired in 1971 after 43 years, during which she never missed a single day of school. She had many friends in Plymouth and resided for several years at the Mayflower Hotel. She was a member of the Michigan Education Association, the Eastern Star, and was a deacon and Sunday school teacher at Kirk in the Hills in Bloomfield Hills. She enjoyed travel-

ing and took a year off in 1960 to travel around the world.

Miss Lickly was preceded in death by her parents, Michael and Lena Treat Lickly, and also six brothers and sisters, Horace, Rex, and Lavern Lickly, Ruth Cruikshank, Margaret Foreman and Catherine Hart.

Survivors include 14 nieces and nephews.

Arrangements made by the Brown-Van Hemert Funeral Home.

WILLIAM EDWARD MEYERS

Services for William Edward Meyers, 70, of Canton were held privately at Thayer-Rock Funeral Home.

Mr. Meyers was born Oct. 10, 1930 in Blue Earth County, Minn. and died May 30 in Dearborn. He was a crane operator for Wiesman Construction, Angelo Di Ponio Construction and IaFrate Construction. He was a member of Teamsters Local 324. Survivors include sisters, Dorothy of Farmington Hills and Florence of Arkansas.

Arrangements made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home.

JAMES "JIM" O'CONNOR

Services for James O'Connor, 70, of Plymouth were held June 2 at St. Kenneth Catholic Church with the Rev. Joseph S. Mallia officiating.

Mr. O'Connor was born May 17, 1931 in Dearborn and died May 30 in Ann Arbor. He was a retired mechanical engineer for General Motors Corp. He also was an inventor - his latest invention was the Iron Cady. He came to the Plymouth community in 2000 from Northville. He was a member of St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth. He was a board member at the St. Linus Credit Union. He was a member of the Twin Beach Country Club. He loved to golf, travel, and go to the casino.

Survivors include his wife, Kathy O'Connor of Plymouth; children, Tim (Barbara) O'Connor of Dearborn, Terry O'Connor of Dearborn Heights, Kevin O'Connor of Dearborn Heights, Shawn O'Connor of Trenton,

Colleen O'Connor of Dearborn Heights, Jamie O'Connor of Huntington Beach, Calif., and Shannon (Tom) Bejster of Dearborn; nine grandchildren; four great grandchildren; sister, Mary (Bill) Barnard of New Smyrna, Fla.; sister-in-law, Donna Jean O'Connor of Arizona; and several nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association of Michigan.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

JOHN V. CLARK

Services for John Clark, 81, of Plymouth were held June 2 at Memorial Church of Christ with Mark McGilvery officiating.

Mr. Clark was born July 19, 1919 in England and died May 30 in Livonia. He retired from Ford Motor Co. after 30 years of service. He came to the Plymouth community in 1990 from Florida. Before that he previously lived in Northville. He was a

member and past elder of the Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia. He has been a member for over 50 years. He was a member of the Plymouth Elks No. 1780. He has held several trustee positions with the Elks in Michigan and Florida where he has been a member for 35 years. He was an avid baseball fan. He also enjoyed playing golf, tennis, and softball. He loved to travel, do gardening and birdwatch.

Survivors include wife, Shirley of Plymouth; daughters, Diane (David) Palm of Winona, Minn., Deborah Clark of Silver Springs, Mo., and Victorial Cheek of Laurel, Mo.; step-son, Arthur (Barbara) Desch, III of Winchester, Ore.; step-daughters, Pamela (Kip) Dottie of Glen Arbor and Suzanne (Rick) Becker of Madison, N.J.; and 13 grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the church, or Angela Hospice in Livonia.



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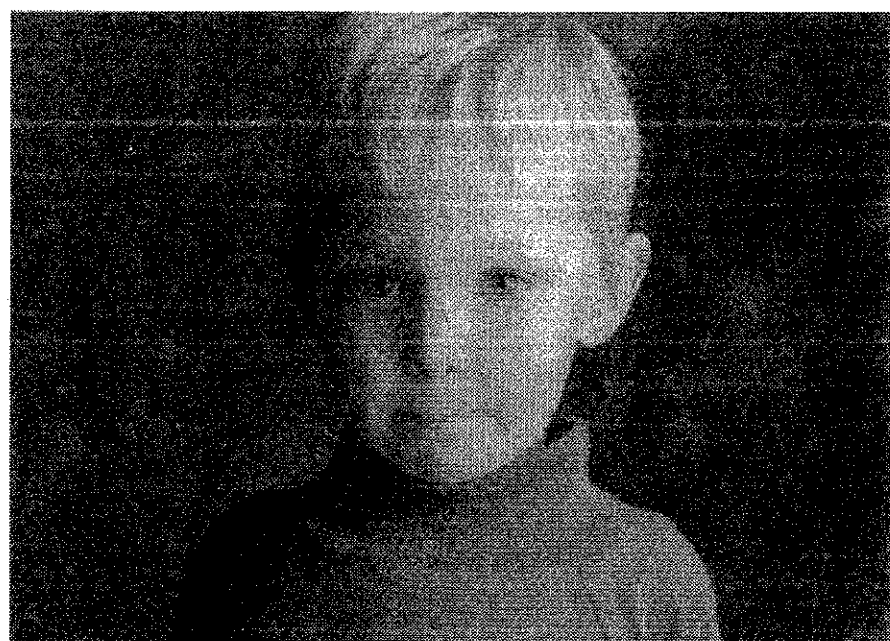
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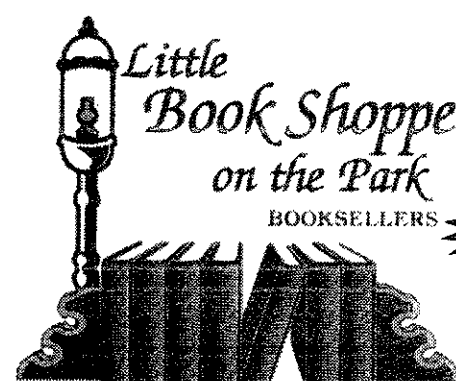
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fish – and making a financial splash that would help other businesses take notice.

Until that happens, McNamara said, Schoolcraft College won't be taken seriously enough in that arena.

"Once you get the Compuwares, and large companies out there joint-venturing with Schoolcraft and saying things like 'Boy, Schoolcraft really solved my problems,' ... when you start developing joint solutions with big corporations your name is going to get out there."

Meanwhile, the key to an increased relationship with the business community could be the VistaTech Center itself, Reaume said.

Businesses could enroll in classes, attend lectures, pick up pointers on how to bid for state or federal contracts, he explained.

"With the addition of the center, it will allow people to be more aggressive," Reaume said, "because now we'll have physical space and the technical tools."

According to Bolden, a good

starting point might be to invite business leaders from the various communities that feed into Schoolcraft and hold an open forum about issues that are pertinent to each.

"See what the trends are, look at programs that are part of Wayne County in police science," Bolden said. "Canton is offering a lot of training in that area. And then, I'd try to tie it over to the (Garden City-based) Radcliff Center."

Schoolcraft could take the lead in the field of bio-technology, particularly because the older members of the immense "boomer" generation are in their 50s, Bolden said.

Breen said the board remains ready and able to assist administrators in enhancing the connection with businesses, and even encourage "friends and people we know real well to come to Schoolcraft."

Beyond that, however, she said the work is better left to the professionals.

"The kinds of things that Dr. McDowell has done to encourage

■ The candidates offered their views on issues such as leadership transition, expansion of the Waterman Campus Center and how to deal with a slowing economy.

and increase involvement to everything that they've done with business and industry (have) been a plus," Breen said.

Pet projects

If McNamara defeats one of the incumbents, keeping Schoolcraft "affordable" would be a top priority, he said.

For that to happen, finding alternative sources of revenue – rather than just increasing tuition – would be essential.

He also wants the college to have its own lobbyists to "go after our own money," instead of sharing money with other community colleges in the state.

"I don't think we've scratched the surface" in going after other

sources of money, McNamara said.

As far as Reaume is concerned, the college needs to "continue to adapt quickly to the needs of the workplace," staying on top of innovative programs such as those for medical coding.

That also applies to technological training in the age of the Internet.

Teaching courses online, through the Michigan Virtual University consortium, is just part of what could be done.

"As it becomes more public, explained as a viable option, I think it will continue to increase," Reaume said. "... We continue to add computer capaci-

ty and bandwidth capacity, so more people can get in simultaneously. And we continue to increase the number of offerings available online."

Flexibility of scheduling is one reason Internet education is growing in popularity, Reaume said.

Bolden, an African-American, said Schoolcraft has a chance to be a leader in efforts to improve diversity in metro Detroit. Efforts could be multi-faceted, including adding the topic to the curriculum.

"Invite different minority groups in to talk, have a diversity fair, begin to do dialogues with the city (of Detroit)," Bolden said.

Another project favored by Bolden is building mentoring partnerships between Schoolcraft and businesses.

Other than continuing the programs already available at the

college, Breen and Broderick both said a top item on any to-do list is to increase revenues without resorting to tuition increases or tax increases.

Leasing out a chunk of Schoolcraft property, off of 1-275, for professional office space would be one way – an approach taken with Seven Mile Crossing. Rent money could keep tuition costs down and pay for nuts-and-bolts expenses.

"It's not going to be a Wal-Mart or anything like that," said Breen, adding that she made the proposal during a recent board meeting.

Broderick agreed that such a plan is important to keep the lid on tuition costs – which recently have gone up \$2-per-credit-hour for students living outside the district.

"It doesn't seem like much," Broderick said. "But we keep doing it every year, and that's a concern."

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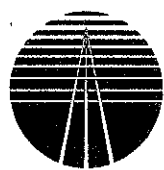
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Demsick sets record

A year ago, Canton resident and Plymouth Canton wrestling coach John Demsick set a record at the Health and Fitness state competition by doing 40 chin-ups. This year, he outdid himself.

Demsick, 48, did 45 chin-ups to break his own record at this year's competition, which is for all ages, all divisions.

"At 48, it's quite an accomplishment to be the best at something," Demsick said with a laugh.

He also tied Ed Schroeder of Gaylord for first in the dips with 40.

Brothers honored

Glenn Brothers of Canton, coach of the Michigan Twisters semi-pro football team, will be inducted into the American Football Association's Minor League-Semi-Pro Hall of Fame on June 9 in Canton, Ohio.

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Local gymnasts shine

The Michigan men's and women's Senior National gymnastics team, guided by John Cunningham and Pam Yockey of Canton, made the trip to the Madison, Wis., last weekend and did quite well in their competition.

Among the local finishers were Ryan Cunningham of Plymouth Canton, Michelle Wimberly of Livonia Churchill and Billy Ginnis of Ann Arbor.

Cunningham's 44.05 earned him an 11th in the all-around competition. He was 11th on the high bar, 15th on the vault, 14th on the pommel horse and 17th in floor exercise.

Wimberly was Michigan's high scorer in three events with an 8.45 on floor, an 8.35 on vault and a 7.65 on uneven parallel bars.

Ginnis was 13th all-around, placing 14th on horse, 15th on vault and 16th on high bar.

The boys team finished seventh and the girls were 11th.

Basketball camps

The Plymouth Canton Boys Basketball Summer Day Camps, conducted by Canton coach Jeremy Rheault and his staff and team, will have two sessions: from June 18-22 and June 25-29.

The camp for grades 4-6, will be from 8:30-10 a.m. on both dates, with the second, for grades 7-9, from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. on both dates.

Cost is \$65 per camp. For more information, call Rheault at (734) 414-8156 or the Community Education division at (734) 416-2937.

Soccer sign-up

The city of Plymouth Recreation Department will be conducting registration for its Fall Youth Soccer Leagues during business hours throughout the month of June at the recreation office, located in the Plymouth Cultural Center at 525 Farmer.

All registrations require a birth certificate. Cost for those under-six through under-eight divisions is \$45 for city of Plymouth residents and \$65 for non-residents; for under-nine and older divisions, cost is \$50 for city of Plymouth residents and \$80 for non-residents.

For more information, call (734) 455-6620 or check out the recreation web site at www.ci.plymouth.mi.us.

Football boosters meet

The Plymouth Canton Chiefs Football Boosters Club will have a Meet the Coaches meeting at 7 p.m. Wednesday, June 6 in the Canton HS cafeteria. Parents of all current and future Canton football players (including eighth graders) are required to attend.

For further information, call club president Angela Koerner at (734) 416-9120.

Anyone interested in submitting items to Sports Scene or Sports Roundup may send them to sports editor C.J. Risak, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI, 48150, or may FAX them to (734) 591-7279.

Salem survives challenge

Freshman scores 3 goals to lift Rocks past Novi in OT

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The game was ended and Plymouth Salem girls soccer coach Joe Nora held his hand to his chest, over his heart. "I think it stopped a couple of times," he said.

But he was smiling, and he had a right to be. When the regular season was winding down, Nora made the decision to elevate freshman Katie Boyde from the junior varsity to bolster the Rocks' scoring punch.

In Thursday's state district semifinal at Novi, she came through, scoring three goals — including the game-winner with 12:07 remaining in the second overtime to give Salem a 4-3 victory.

The Rocks, 13-4-1 overall, advanced to yesterday's district final against Western Lakes Activities Association champion Northville, which eliminated Livonia Stevenson 1-0 in OT in the other district semifinal. Novi bows out at 12-5-1.

The district winner advances to the regional semifinal opposite the Dearborn district champion. That game will be at 5 p.m. Tuesday at Novi. The regional final is slated for 6 p.m. Friday at Novi.

"It was tremendous," said Nora of the game-winning goal. "(Boyde) was our JV scoring leader, and I thought she could play for most team's varsity."

It wasn't an easy win to collect. The Rocks had the early control, leading 2-1 at halftime, but the young Wildcats — there's not a single senior on their squad — fought back with a determined effort in the second half, scoring twice to go up 3-2 with 12:32 remaining in regulation.

Salem seemed a step slower in the second half, and Novi took advantage. It wasn't until the Wildcats took the lead and the Rocks were facing elimination that they regained their motivation.

"Call it panic soccer," said Nora. "As (keeper) Jill Dombrowski said after the game, 'We've got to play that way for 80 minutes.'"

Boyde made Salem's renewed pressure pay dividends with 2:21 left in regulation when her shot from 18 yards out on the left side got over Novi keeper Kellie Pfeiffer and deflected into the

goal off the near post.

That led to overtime, and the Rocks were in command throughout. In the first 15-minute extra session, the ball rarely left Novi's end of the field. In the second, a corner kick taken by Janae Bucks was kept alive in the Wildcats box, and Boyde finished it for the game-winner.

"It was a good game for us," said Novi coach Brian O'Leary, noting his starting lineup which included two juniors, five sophomores and four freshmen. "This is the first close game we've had all season. The ones we lost and the ones we won were all by four or five goals. I think it showed how far we've come."

"Just to see that we could compete with a ranked team, and I saw us battle all the way. We're going to be better next year because of this."

Certainly the Wildcats weren't too bad this year. Salem struck first, with Jordan Falcusan knocking a loose ball that Novi's defenders could not clear from the box into the goal with 31:59 left in the opening half.

It took the Wildcats just 24 seconds to tie it. After the ensuing kickoff, a pass from freshman forward Maureen Pawlak got to another freshman, forward Nikki Herman. Herman threaded her way through a couple of Rocks' defenders and knocked the game-tying shot past Dombrowski with 31:35 left.

With 2:25 to go in the opening half, Boyde pounced on another free ball in the Novi box and drilled it into the net to give Salem a 2-1 lead at halftime.

Despite his team's lead, Nora wasn't particularly pleased with Salem's play.

"It was mediocre," he noted. "We were playing (Novi's) style, kick and run. We're much better when we try and out-soccer a team — spread it out and out-pass a team. We want to take on a team, find their weakness and exploit it."

The difference in the two halves became evident a few minutes into the second. The Rocks had played the Wildcats' game and outperformed them at it for the first half, winning nearly every contested free ball. That wasn't the case in the second half.

With 18:31 to play, Novi's Tina Fennelly flicked the ball to Herman — who scored three goals in the game — for



FILE PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHELMANN

Saving enough: It wasn't the easiest game of the season for Salem keeper Jill Dombrowski, who has 11 shutouts this season. But she did make several key saves to keep the Rocks' season alive.

the finish, tying the score at 2-all.

The tide was turning. Herman netted her third marker six minutes later, her shot rolling past a diving Dombrowski

to give Novi the lead with 12:32 to play. Pawlak earned her second assist.

"We've been testing our character

— Please see **SALEM SOCCER, B5**

Madonna improves its size, scoring

What Madonna University's men's basketball team needs is — well, a lot of everything.

When a team finishes 8-23, wholesale upgrading is essential. Which is why Crusaders' coach Bernie Holowicki went after players with size who could score.

Three of his recruits are from Western Lakes Activities Association schools: Steve Horn, from Walled Lake Central; Jason Clark, from Walled Lake Western; and Dave Gregor, from Northville.

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The fourth is Noel Emehiser, a 6-foot-5 forward from Woodlan HS in Indiana. An inside-outside player with three-point range, Emehiser averaged 18 points a game his senior year.

Horn played for the WLAA regular-season and tournament champion Vikings, earning all-WLAA accolades. An excellent shooter, the 6-4 Horn aver-

aged 17 points a game for Central.

Both Clark and Gregor were all-Western Division selections this past season. Clark, a 6-5 forward, figures to be a presense in the middle. He excelled at defending, rebounding and blocking shots for the Warriors, who reached the Final Four in the WLAA Tournament.

Gregor was a 6-7 forward/center at Northville, which reached the finals of the WLAA Tournament before losing to Central. He led the Mustangs in scoring and was one of their top rebounders.

Mercy mercies Ladywood for title

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Coach Jack Falvo and his Farmington Hills Mercy softball team have a Catholic League championship at long last, ending a string of attempts that ended in frustration and failure.

The Marlins dominated the 2001 final and mercied Livonia Ladywood en route to a 10-0 victory in five innings Wednesday afternoon at Dearborn's King Boring Field.

Mercy was the runner-up the past three seasons and had never won a league title in four tries under Falvo. The school's only other championship was in 1991.

"It's so neat but I'd be remiss if I didn't mention the '98 team because those seniors deserved to win, and we felt the 2000 team deserved to win as well," Falvo said. "This win is dedicated to them."

"The girls won it. They deserve it, and it's all theirs."

The Marlins (26-6) had another superbly pitched game by junior Megan Fediuk, who tossed a one-hitter while playing in her third straight championship game.

She had a no-hitter until Ladywood's Patty Kolinski hit a leadoff single in the fifth inning.



No contest:

Mercy's Erin Ageny slides into Ladywood catcher Stephanie Salinas during Wednesday's Catholic League final. The Blazers were no match for Mercy, suffering a 10-run mercy loss.

STAFF PHOTO
BY TOM HAWLEY

"It doesn't matter to me," Fediuk said, regarding the loss of the no-hitter. "I'm happy to be out there playing with my team."

"It's not about individual players. It's about coming out as a team, having fun and making the simple plays."

Fediuk, who struck out six, allowed just two other baserunners. Anne Marie Starasinich reached on an error in the first inning, and Kolinski received the lone walk by Fediuk in the second.

Both runners were left stranded at

second base, and Kolinski was out trying to steal second in the fifth inning.

"With Megan on the mound, we always have a chance to win," Falvo said. "She's been awesome since she was a freshman."

"I think Megan was on a mission, too. I think she was a little pumped up, and the ball was moving a little more than usual."

Aside from playing for the championship again, Fediuk approached the game just as she would any other.

"I think I was even more relaxed than in the past," Fediuk said. "I've been here before. The third time is the charm, I guess."

"I just really came out to play my game today. I just think about getting one out at a time, staying in the game and competing."

Mercy gained the momentum right away with three runs in the first inning and erupted for seven more in the bottom of the fourth.

Ladywood starter Michelle Moros, who took the loss, pitched to four batters and was relieved by Pam Smart without getting an out.

"It's not that it was her fault," Blazers coach Bob Lulek said. "I could see we needed a change. The defense made

— Please see **SOFTBALL, B7**

Canton loses 2 in regular-season finale

Plymouth Canton concluded its baseball season with a double-header loss to Redford Catholic Central, 5-4 and 6-5, last Tuesday at CC.

The Chiefs concluded their regular season with a 15-10 record. CC is 24-6.

Both games came down to the seventh inning, one featuring a rally that fell short, the other a come-from-behind victory.

"We showed a lot of character," said Canton coach Scott Dickey.

In the opener, Greg Neino started and worked the first three innings, surrendering five runs in the third. He allowed

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four hits and four walks, striking out four.

Matt Staley pitched the last four innings and gave up three hits and six walks, but did not allow a run while striking out two.

The Chiefs scored twice in the third on a double by Nick Musselman and a two-run home run by James Wisniewski. They still trailed the Shamrocks going into the seventh, but a double by Mike Tomasaitis and a walk to Wis-

niewski was followed by Jay Sofen getting hit by a pitch, loading the bases.

Brent Kwiatkowski came through with a two-run single, narrowing the gap to 5-4. However, with baserunners on first and second and one out, Canton couldn't get the tying run home.

In the second game, the Chiefs seemed to get better pitching, if not any hitting. Mark Hanson allowed one earned run — a solo homer by Mike Wadowski in the fifth — while allowing four hits and four walks, fanning four.

Carl McDevitt tossed the last 1 2/3 innings and took the loss, surrendering five earned runs on six hits.

Jon Los had a base hit and drove in two runs for the Chiefs, who led 5-1 in the seventh with two out, then gave way to a five-run CC rally.

CC 13, Mott 0: Redford Catholic Central prepped for Division 1 district play on Thursday with a non-league shutout of Warren Mott.

"They wanted to pick up the game and we wanted to stay sharp," said CC coach John Salter. "That's the second most runs we've scored this year and that's a good sign. The offense is coming alive a little more than it has been. There's been a lot of one-run games

lately."

The pitching worked well too as Andy Smith got the win in the five-inning game, giving up just one hit in his three-inning stint with three strikeouts and a walk.

Kevin Entsminger was 2-for-3 with a sixth RBI, helped in no small part by a grand-slam homer in the fourth inning. Ryan Rogowski was 2-for-2 with a walk, two runs scored and an RBI. Dave Tovey was 2-for-2 with a walk and two runs scored, while Charlie Haeger and Mike Wadowski both had two-run singles.

Northville eliminates Stevenson in overtime

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DISTRICT SOCCER

and his Livonia Stevenson girls soccer team.

Season-long nemesis Northville, getting the game-

winning goal from Lindsay Dunmead with only 26 seconds left in the first sudden death 15-minute overtime, ousted the host Spartans from the Division I state tournament, 1-0.

Northville (16-1-1) advanced to Saturday's district final (June 2) to face the only team to defeat them this year, Plymouth Salem.

For 14-4 Stevenson, the loss signaled an end of a couple of eras.

Kimble, who announced his resignation earlier this week because of job and family commitments, finishes his seven-year reign with 113-18-3 record, two state championships and one state runner-up finish.

All-State striker Lindsay Gusick, one of five Spartan seniors to play in their final game, finished her career with 97 goals, including 29 this season. She will play this fall for the University of Virginia.

"There's nothing you can really say right now that's going to make anybody feel any better,"

Kimble said. "There's little consolation from something like this."

Northville, which rallied for a 4-3 victory over the Spartans a week earlier in the Western Lakes Activities Association championship game, found itself locked in a defensive standoff.

The Mustangs had a golden chance to get on the board with 30:29 left in regulation when junior Larisa Fill rang a shot off the post.

Then, with just 1:31 into the first OT, Fill came close again, this time hitting the crossbar.

But the break the Mustangs were looking for came later in the first OT session.

Dunmead, a junior midfielder moved up front during the OT as extra offensive attacker by coach Ron Meteyer, found some open space down the right side and lifted a perfectly executed ball over the outstretched arms of Stevenson goalkeeper Katherine Koch for the game-winner.

"It was a hard, high one, no doubt," Meteyer said of Dun-

mead's goal. "I made an adjustment to push her forward. We felt by just her presence up there, it would be enough of a distraction."

Kimble also tried to find some additional offense, placing freshman Melissa Dobbey and midfielder Gusick in a dual-attack tandem.

"We tried to counter them by putting Dobbey and Lindsay up front," Kimble said. "I figured with those two we could make something happen because 90 percent of the overtime games are usually won in the first five minutes."

Stevenson successfully limited the opportunities of the dangerous Fill, who ran roughshod over the Spartans during the last meeting when she pumped in all four Northville goals.

"We played more inspired in the back," Kimble said. "They played tough, they won balls instead of playing like they were afraid of Fill. And I thought Ashley Aja did a nice job on her."

Kimble leaving Stevenson

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Jim Kimble hopes tonight's district tournament duel with Northville will not be his last game coaching the Livonia Stevenson girls soccer team.

But in some point in time during the state playoffs, Kimble will step down as coach of one of the state's winningest programs.

Kimble, who is 113-17-8 in seven seasons, including two state titles (1997, '98) and one runner-up finish (1999), handed in his letter of resignation Tuesday to Stevenson athletic director Lori Hyman.

The 32-year-old Kimble, citing increased work and family commitments, hinted as far as a year ago the 2001 season would be his last.

"I gave him the weekend to think it over and I naturally wanted him to stay, but I also want what's best for Jim and his family," said Hyman, Stevenson's first-year athletic director. "He's going to be a difficult coach to replace because he's done a wonderful job with this program."

Kimble, who also played at

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Stevenson and later at Central Michigan University addressed his players Tuesday night.

"It was a tough meeting for me when I met with the team, but my three captains — Lindsay Gusick, Dana White and Katie Beaudoin — all knew the first of the year this was probably going to be my last," Kimble said. "I talked to Lori (Hyman) two weeks ago and I had some concerns where I'm at between work and my family. I have two young daughters and my youngest always asks where I'm going every night, which is usually to practice."

"And right now I don't know if I can give the team the time and commitment needed to maintain this level of program."

Hyman and Kimble met Friday following Thursday's heartbreaking 4-3 loss to host Northville in the Western Lakes Activities Association championship final.

"I hate to see him leave because he has this program at the highest level, but I respect his reasons for leaving which are

work schedule and family," Hyman said. "The kids are fond of him both as a person and coach. He's also a great motivator. Hopefully his successor will be top-notch and this program will be in good hands."

The job will be posted internally within the Livonia Public Schools for 10 days, and Hyman said Kimble will serve on a committee to hire his replacement.

"We want to go through a thorough interviewing process and we'll open it up to outsiders if we don't have any suitable candidates inside, but right now I don't anticipate that," Hyman said.

Kimble's successor is anybody's guess, but assistant Chris Pinta, a former Stevenson player, may emerge as the No. 1 choice.

Kimble also coaches a club soccer team, the under-16 Michigan State Cup champion Hawks, who will play in the U.S. Youth Soccer Association Region Tournament in mid-June in Springfield, Mo.

Kimble said he is not sure if he'll return to coach the under-17 Hawks next season, but he's certain this will be his last year with the Spartans.

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Cummings named as Salem's grid coach

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Change? Yes, there is a change, and it's at the top of Plymouth Salem's football program, with Tom Moshimer, the only coach the team has had in the school's existence, stepping down.

But don't count on any substantial changes in the program. Because the guy hired to replace Moshimer hasn't just worked with the state Hall of Fame coach for the last 16 years, he's known him all his life.

Bob Cummings, who served as Salem's offensive coordinator for the past five seasons, was the man picked to lead the Rocks. His history is as linked to Salem football as blue-and-white; he played for them — and Moshimer — through 1984, then became the freshmen team coach the following fall.

Cummings has remained a part of the program ever since, coaching at every level (junior varsity and varsity as well as freshmen) and every position.

He received his bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan and his Master's from Marygrove College, and is currently a physical education teacher at Salem.

Indeed, Cummings father, Paul, also coached with Moshimer and served as the school district's athletic coordinator before retiring. So Bob's legacy

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is certainly established.

"This is something I've looked forward to for a long time," the new coach said. As for his coaching heritage, Cummings said, "It was tremendous (working with Moshimer). He's tough, challenging and he gets everything out of the people playing for him. (Assistant coach Jim) Jarvey was the same way."

Indeed, when Cummings accompanied Moshimer to coach's clinics around the country, "college coaches would come to him, and they all knew him. They'd say, 'If you want to know anything about the option offense, talk to this guy.'"

Now — with all that said, and knowing Moshimer has volunteered to help out if needed, don't think the 34-year-old Cummings will keep everything the same.

The offensive scheme won't be altered much. "I've been lucky," Cummings said. "The last five years I've been able to do what I want to do. It will be about the same. There'll be a few adjustments, depending on the personnel we have."

The place Cummings visited most frequently with Moshimer was Army, a strong proponent of the option offense. Cummings has been to clinics at Army three times.



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

Familiar face: Bob Cummings coached and played for longtime Salem coach Tom Moshimer.

The defense, however, will be switched. Cummings wants to install more of an attacking design.

"It will be a more aggressive-type defense," he said. "We'll go after people. There will be blitzing.

It's something I saw at Southern Mississippi — they call it 'organized confusion.'"

Cummings then added, "If you stay stagnant, you'll get run over in this league. You've always got to go out and change things."

There are several challenges the new coach faces, including the need to rebuild the aura surrounding a squad that has won just five of 18 games the past two seasons.

"We've been working on our team speed, doing speed training and working on our quickness," Cummings said. "And we're trying to get more kids out. That's probably the No. 1 thing, especially with the new school opening (next year)."

"You can't let an athlete slip by. But I don't believe in specializing in one sport — I think that time has come and gone. I want to get kids playing three sports. It'll be good for them and for us."

Although the program has slipped as far as success is concerned — last year's 2-7 record was the worst ever under Moshimer — the transition to Cummings will certainly be an easy one, and not just because everyone associated with Salem football already knows him.

It also helps when the players submit a letter of endorsement to the athletic director.

Cummings will face obstacles, in particular drawing more talented athletes to the sport, but unfamiliarity for all involved won't be one.

Former SC standout signs with Nevada-Las Vegas

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Lamar Bigby is thankful he's getting a second chance.

The 6-foot-5 swingman who played for Schoolcraft Community College during the 1998-99 and '99-2000 seasons, will become a Runnin' Rebel after signing an NCAA letter-of-intent earlier this month with the University of Nevada-Las Vegas.

Bigby was ticketed for San Jose State, while sitting out last year completing associate degree requirements at San Francisco City Community College.

But some personal and family issues allowed Bigby to get out of his commitment to San Jose, and the recruiting process started all over again.

The Highland Park native is returned home in the spring to take his final math class while working out daily playing pickup games at Schoolcraft.

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life and it helped me grow as a person," Bigby said. "I've got a child on the way and I'm getting married August 18 in Oakland, California. My fiancé (Lonyae Thomas) is due July 22. This has really been a blessing in disguise and I feel God has been watching over Lonyae and me."

In his second year at Schoolcraft, Bigby averaged 17.5 points, six rebounds and four assists per game as the 24-7 Ocelots won the Eastern Conference title and reached the state championship game.

The Detroit Northern graduate averaged 16.3 points and 5.5 rebounds per game his freshman year as Schoolcraft finished 26-5 and won the state title.

Once word got out that Bigby had asked to get out of his scholarship commitment with San Jose, the 185-pound swingman was pursued by DePaul, Toledo

and UNLV.

He took a visit to Vegas in late April and was impressed with new coach Charlie Spoonhour.

"They're looking for a guy who can defend and score," Bigby said. "I'm trying to get better at defending and hopefully I can fill that void."

"I still have some raw ability and he can help me mentally. He's a good teacher and I've heard nothing but great things about him. I remember his teams during his days at St. Louis."

Bigby was also hooked on the school.

"It's a nice environment to play basketball," Bigby said. "It's beautiful, a nice place and the campus is second to none."

Bigby is one of UNLV's four recruits. He joins Louis Amundson, a 6-7 forward from Louisville (Colo.) Monarch High School; Jamal Holden, a 6-9 center from Westark (Ark.) Junior

College; Marcus Banks, a 6-1 guard from Dixie (Utah) Junior College; and Earnest Turner, a 6-2 guard from Somerdale (N.J.) Sterling High School.

"We are excited to have signed such a good athlete in Lamar," Spoonhour said. "He has really shown an ability to shoot three-pointers. With his size and athleticism, he can turn into a very fine defensive player."

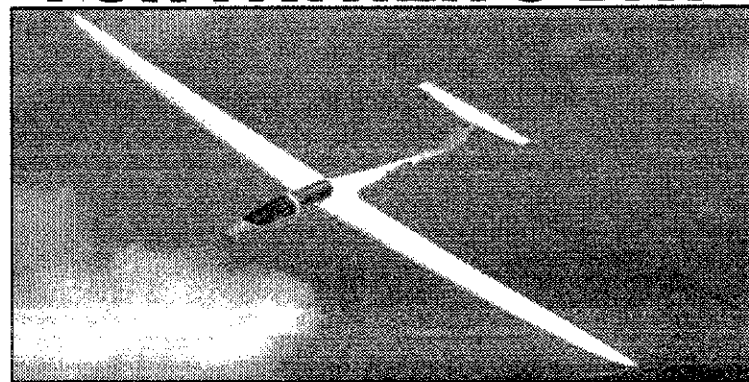
"He sat out a year, which has really helped him grow as a person. He has a family and has a chance to mature into a very fine person and fine basketball player here at UNLV."

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Michelle Bonior (Salem) 34-11 1/2
Christin Jury (Ladywood) 33-9
Tarin Dew (Harrison) 33-6
Samantha Foggio (Mercy) 33-6
Nia Henderson (Churchill) 32-11
Jennifer Early (Salem) 32-9
Jamie Irvin (Garden City) 32- 1/4
Susan Woodard (Salem) 31-5 1/2
Jenny Harb (Franklin) 31-5

DISCUS

Judy Telford (Mercy) 129-0
Anne Roosevelt (Mercy) 121-6
Sara Dudas (Ladywood) 109-11
Tarin Dew (Harrison) 108-4
Sue Hand (N. Farmington) 102-9
Ashleigh Shear (Salem) 102-7
Megan Kelley (Redford Union) 101-10
Christin Jury (Ladywood) 99-9
Jenny Harb (Franklin) 97-1
Katie Hogan (Churchill) 96-5

HIGH JUMP

Alexis Noel (Ladywood) 5-5
Karen Abramczyk (Luth. Westland) 5-4
Andrea Polasky (Stevenson) 5-2
Kelly Ward (Ladywood) 5-2
Rita Malec (Franklin) 5-2
Autumn Hicks (Salem) 5-1
Amy Driscoll (Canton) 5-1
Karen Kuszynski (Ladywood) 5-0
Shelby Griebek (Harrison) 4-11
Deldre Jones (Mercy) 4-10
Sarah Nallet (Farmington) 4-10
Maggie Condeni (Harrison) 4-10
Whitney Johnson (Mercy) 4-10
Cindy Rotramei (Canton) 4-10
Bethany Bartlett (Salem) 4-10

LONG JUMP

Alexis Noel (Ladywood) 17-3
LaTasha Chandler (John Glenn) 16-11
Elizabeth Easter (John Glenn) 16-5
Karen Kuszynski (Ladywood) 16-5
Mary Maloney (Canton) 16-4 1/2
Stephanie Dean (Churchill) 16-3
Jessica Shamberger (Salem) 16-2
Katie Pfankuch (Stevenson) 16-1 3/4
Melanie Banks (Harrison) 15-11
Kate Bouschet (Farmington) 15-9
Colleen Bosman (Stevenson) 15-9

POLE VAULT

Kim Wise (Garden City) 11-0
Amy Driscoll (Canton) 10-4
Andrea McMillan (Franklin) 9-9
Julietta Iarina (Harrison) 9-0
Jennifer Jedlick (Churchill) 8-10
Nicole Simonian (John Glenn) 8-9
Melanie Hein (Churchill) 8-9

Angle Matthews (Luth. Westland) 8-6
Laura Borovsky (Churchill) 8-6

Abbie Schrader (Stevenson) 8-3

100-METER HURDLES

LaTasha Chandler (John Glenn) 14.5
Whitney Johnson (Mercy) 15.7
Alexis Noel (Ladywood) 16.0
Stacey Schmedding (Salem) 16.3
Colleen Bosman (Stevenson) 16.5
Kristel Stricker (Farmington) 16.5
Angela Fodor (Harrison) 16.6
Latoya Burrell (Harrison) 17.0
Karen Kuszynski (Ladywood) 17.1
Megan Casey (Stevenson) 17.2
April Aquilino (Salem) 17.2

300-METER HURDLES

Whitney Johnson (Mercy) 46.4
Kristel Stricker (Farmington) 48.6
Erlane Bundle (Salem) 48.7
Rebecca Fedrigo (Churchill) 48.8
Stacey Schmedding (Salem) 49.1
Colleen Bosman (Stevenson) 50.4
Latoya Burrell (Harrison) 50.6
Angela Adams (John Glenn) 51.2
Sharifa Crawford (Mercy) 51.2
Mandy Hein (Churchill) 51.2

100-METER DASH

Jessica Shamberger (Salem) 12.5
Michelle Bonior (Salem) 12.6
Alexandria Marshall (Mercy) 12.7
To'nia White (John Glenn) 12.7
Meredith Fox (Canton) 12.7
Christina Redd (Canton) 12.8
Crystal Wise (Harrison) 12.9
Kathy Carey (Ladywood) 12.9
Celena Davis (Salem) 12.9
Alyse White (Churchill) 13.0
Vicki Rozalski (Salem) 13.0

200-METER DASH

Alexandria Marshall (Mercy) 25.7
Michelle Bonior (Salem) 26.2
Crystal Wise (Harrison) 27.0
Jessica Shamberger (Salem) 27.1
Autumn Hicks (Salem) 27.1
Kate Bouschet (Farmington) 27.2
Melanie Banks (Harrison) 27.2
Alyse White (Churchill) 27.2
Dominique Powells (Redford Union) 27.2
Vicky Rozalski (Salem) 27.2

400-METER DASH

Alexandria Marshall (Mercy) 57.8
Meredith Fox (Canton) 59.4
Autumn Hicks (Salem) 1:00.2
Laura Glynn (Harrison) 1:01.1
Deldre Jones (Mercy) 1:01.5
Michelle Phillips (Churchill) 1:01.6
Rita Malec (Franklin) 1:02.0
Angle Matthews (Lutheran Westland) 1:02.2
Lisa Montgomery (Stevenson) 1:02.7

Kristen Kulczycki (Stevenson) 1:02.8

800-METER RUN

Michelle Phillips (Churchill) 2:19.5
Clara Fletcher (Harrison) 2:26.5
Lisa Montgomery (Stevenson) 2:29.0
Linda Montgomery (Stevenson) 2:29.5
Kara Dendrinis (Salem) 2:29.5
Jordan Falcusan (Salem) 2:30.8
Tess Kuehne (Lutheran Westland) 2:31.9
Susan Duncan (Churchill) 2:33.0
Erin Jung (Lutheran Westland) 2:33.2
Anne Lieberman (N. Farmington) 2:34.0

1,600-METER RUN

Michelle Phillips (Churchill) 5:25.0
Heather Vandette (Stevenson) 5:27.1
Lisa Montgomery (Stevenson) 5:28.2
Nicole Moundros (N. Farmington) 5:31.6
Sara Pilon (Stevenson) 5:32.3
Susan Barrows (N. Farmington) 5:32.8
Susan Duncan (Churchill) 5:34.3
Heather Whittington (Salem) 5:37.1
Liane Griffiths (Salem) 5:37.4
Sarah McCormack (Canton) 5:37.5

3,200-METER RUN

Susan Duncan (Churchill) 11:24.8
Susan Barrows (N. Farmington) 11:39.0
Heather Vandette (Stevenson) 11:45.0
Nicole Moundros (N. Farmington) 11:45.2
Nicole Renaud (Churchill) 12:04.5
Sara Pilon (Stevenson) 12:04.9
Lisa Montgomery (Stevenson) 12:05.3
Tess Kuehne (Luth. Westland) 12:15.4
Claire Czaplicki (Farmington) 12:16.4
Liane Griffiths (Salem) 12:19.9

400-METER RELAY

Westland John Glenn 51.0
Plymouth Salem 51.5
Livonia Ladywood 51.5
Farmington Harrison 52.1
Livonia Churchill 52.3

800-METER RELAY

Plymouth Salem 1:47.7
Westland John Glenn 1:47.7
Farmington Hills Mercy 1:49.4
Farmington Harrison 1:49.8
Plymouth Canton 1:49.8

1,600-METER RELAY

Farmington Hills Mercy 4:11.4
Livonia Churchill 4:12.0
Plymouth Salem 4:12.5
Livonia Stevenson 4:12.6
Plymouth Canton 4:14.5

3,200-METER RELAY

Livonia Churchill 9:47.8
Livonia Stevenson 10:10.3
Farmington Harrison 10:12.5
Lutheran Westland 10:16.9
Plymouth Salem 10:17.4

OBSERVER BEST BOYS TRACK PERFORMANCES

SHOT PUT

Mark Snyder (Salem) 54-4 1/2
Nate Meckes (Lutheran Westland) 53-9
Josh Meckes (Lutheran Westland) 50-1
Eric Moten (Canton) 51-1 1/4
DeMarr Davis (Churchill) 47-8
Dan Zimmerman (Redford CC) 46-7
Brandon Kaploe (N. Farmington) 45-7
Adam Abels (Garden City) 45-4
Andrew Ribar (Churchill) 45-2 1/4
Scott Bowling (Redford CC) 45-1

DISCUS

Nate Meckes (Lutheran Westland) 165-4
Mark Snyder (Salem) 145-2
Josh Meckes (Lutheran Westland) 143-9
Andrew Ribar (Churchill) 138-6
Eric Moten (Canton) 135-11 1/2
Paul Stradtner (Garden City) 135-7
Steve Burke (Stevenson) 135-5
Nick Hendra (Churchill) 135-1
Brian Jackett (Redford CC) 135-0
Will Hurdley (Canton) 132-8

HIGH JUMP

Jordan Chapman (Canton) 6-5
Dave Hoskins (Salem) 6-3
Tom Grant (Redford CC) 6-3
Adam Carpenter (Clarenceville) 6-2
Jeff Ross (Harrison) 6-0
Mike Leach (N. Farmington) 6-0
Brad Waldmann (Canton) 6-0
Justin Bailey (Canton) 6-0
Jeremy Mazes (Farmington) 6-0

LONG JUMP

Tom Grant (Redford CC) 21-6
Eric Scott (Churchill) 21-3 1/4
Josh Meckes (Lutheran Westland) 21-1
Jose Kincannon (Borgess) 21- 1/2
Jawoin Spinks (Farmington) 20-6 1/2
Jordan Chapman (Canton) 20-6
Randy Lee (Wayne) 20-5 1/2
Tim Shaw (Clarenceville) 20-1
Ken Page (Canton) 20-1
Emmanuel Parker (John Glenn) 20- 1/2

POLE VAULT

Kevin Peterman (Churchill) 14-5
Shannon Simon (Garden City) 14-4
Jordan Chapman (Canton) 14-3
Dan Perach (N. Farmington) 13-6
Howard Whitefoot (Churchill) 13-4
Kevin Palmer (Canton) 13-0
Frank Baker (Churchill) 12-6
Kirk Laird (Harrison) 12-3
Adam Haller (Lutheran Westland) 12-0
Chris Duncan (N. Farmington) 12-0
Brian Page (Canton) 12-0

110-METER HURDLES

Tom Grant (Redford CC) 15.0
Mike Leach (N. Farmington) 15.4
Jeremy Morse (Churchill) 15.4
Dane Kobus (Canton) 15.4
Kevin Davis (Harrison) 15.5
Rob Greer (Lutheran Westland) 15.5
Ron Hoppe (Redford Union) 15.5
Brjan Sinar (N. Farmington) 15.7
Ron Friend (Franklin) 15.7
Rob Showalter (Salem) 15.7

300-METER HURDLES

Mike Leach (N. Farmington) 40.4
Tom Grant (Redford CC) 40.4
Ron Friend (Franklin) 41.2
Jeremy Morse (Churchill) 41.5
Rob Greer (Lutheran Westland) 41.6
Rob Showalter (Salem) 41.7
Jordan Chapman (Canton) 42.1
Kevin Davis (Harrison) 42.2
Kevin Kusch (Stevenson) 42.4

100-METER DASH

Darryl Anglin (Bishop Borgess) 10.4
Tim Shaw (Clarenceville) 10.8
Eric Scott (Churchill) 10.9
Jeremy Mazes (Farmington) 11.0
Agim Shabaj (Harrison) 11.0
Rob Gentry (John Glenn) 11.0
Randell Means (Redford CC) 11.0
Jerry Gaines (Canton) 11.1
Marcus Woods (Harrison) 11.1
Corey Walser (Canton) 11.1

200-METER DASH

Tim Shaw (Clarenceville) 22.0
Agim Shabaj (Harrison) 22.2
Darryl Anglin (Bishop Borgess) 22.2
Terrill Mayberry (Harrison) 22.5
Jeremy Mazes (Farmington) 22.5
Deris Rolle (Redford Union) 22.6
Jawoin Spinks (Farmington) 22.7
Tom McKee (Churchill) 22.8
Randell Means (Redford CC) 22.8
Mike Parker (Canton) 22.9
Eric Scott (Churchill) 22.9

400-METER DASH

Terrill Mayberry (Harrison) 49.8
John Moore (Franklin) 50.6
Jerry Gaines (Canton) 50.8
Brian Page (Canton) 51.0
Dave Novara (Stevenson) 51.3
Derek Hurst (John Glenn) 51.5
Will Chapman (Churchill) 52.6
Rashod Williams (John Glenn) 53.2
Kevin Forgette (Churchill) 53.2
Andrew Perez (Churchill) 53.5

800-METER RUN

Ryan Gall (Churchill) 1:55.9

Dave Novara (Stevenson) 1:57.6
Will Chapman (Churchill) 1:58.4
Marty Kane (Canton) 2:00.0
Fermion Tate (Harrison) 2:01.3
Jean Harris (Churchill) 2:01.7
John DiGiovanni (Redford CC) 2:02.5
Tim Henderson (Redford CC) 2:02.6
Doug Novack (Stevenson) 2:02.9
Ryan Lowry (Redford CC) 2:03.0

1,600-METER RUN

Ryan Lowry (Redford CC) 4:23.1
Donnie Warner (Salem) 4:26.4
Dan Krawiec (Redford CC) 4:27.8
Matt Daly (Redford CC) 4:28.1
Eric Mink (Stevenson) 4:28.4
Brian Klotz (Franklin) 4:31.4
John Krawiec (Redford CC) 4:32.6
Kyle Jekot (Redford CC) 4:34.0
Ryan Gall (Churchill) 4:36.0
Brian Coats (Harrison) 4:36.5

3,200-METER RUN

Matt Daly (Redford CC) 9:32.3
Ryan Lowry (Redford CC) 9:40.1
Dan Krawiec (Redford CC) 9:44.4
Donnie Warner (Salem) 9:47.6
John Krawiec (Redford CC) 9:55.0
Steve Stewart (Franklin) 9:57.1
Doug Gibbons (Redford CC) 9:57.9
Sean O'Halloran (Stevenson) 10:12.7
Justin Hajduk (Salem) 10:12.8
Logan Schultz (Churchill) 10:17.0

400-METER RELAY

Farmington Harrison 43.5
Redford Bishop Borgess 43.5
Farmington 43.7
Plymouth Canton 44.2
Lutheran Westland 44.4

800-METER RELAY

Redford Bishop Borgess 1:29.3
Farmington Harrison 1:29.7
Plymouth Canton 1:31.5
Wayne Memorial 1:32.3
Livonia Stevenson 1:32.5

1,600-METER RELAY

Farmington Harrison 3:24.2
Livonia Churchill 3:27.7
Livonia Stevenson 3:27.8
Plymouth Canton 3:27.9
Livonia Franklin 3:28.1

3,200-METER RELAY

Livonia Churchill 8:02.5
Redford Catholic Central 8:05.6
Plymouth Canton 8:08.1
Livonia Stevenson 8:29.0
Plymouth Salem 8:33.0

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Canton angler takes a 1st at bass tourney

OUTDOOR INSIGHTS



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While bass season in Michigan opened last weekend, a couple local bass anglers literally couldn't wait for the opener.

Mary Ashteneau of Canton, and Jeni Harless of Troy, teamed up to compete in the Northern Bass Anglers Association open tournament on Sandusky Bay, in the Ohio waters of Lake Erie, on May 13.

Not only did the two women compete in the tournament, they overcame the challenge of 32 other boats to win the tourney crown. Ashteneau and Harless combined to weigh a five-fish limit that tipped the scale at 18.55 pounds, a full five pounds heavier than the nearest compe-

tition.

"It was real nice to win it," Ashteneau said. "We were the only women in it - we're always the only women, I've been fishing with these guys for years - and it's hard to find another woman to fish with. Jeni and I fished a couple tournaments on Lobdell Lake (Genesee County) and won them both so that gave us confidence, last year we fished together all summer. We didn't win any tournaments, but we qualified for the (Angler's Choice) Classic."

To qualify for the Angler's Choice Classic, the team must finish in the top 15 in the standings after a seven-tournament circuit. On Sandusky Bay, Ashteneau said they jerk baits and tube baits to land the winning catch.

"Early in the morning it was pretty tough because the lake was mirror flat," Ashteneau said. "But I had three fish in the

boat by 7:30 because I know how to fish that situation. (The secret) is jerk baits. Later on, when the wind kicked up, we switched to tube baits - tubes and grubs. When the wind is blowing on Lake Erie all you can do is drift because it takes your trolling motor away."

The duo pocketed \$500 for winning the tournament and landing the biggest fish, which checked in at 4.3 pounds.

"I thought everyone else was catching them. We culled and culled and culled. We must have caught 15 fish," Ashteneau said.

"When we got back to the dock and started pulling those fish out of the livewell, the guys standing there said, 'Oh...those girls have some nice fish.' Second place only had a little over 13 pounds."

The local duo returns to Sandusky Bay on Sunday, June 10 for the start of the Anglers Choice Circuit. The next North-

ern Bass Anglers Association tournament will be Sunday, June 24 at Lake Erie Metropark.

Camping season is here

With warm weather finally arriving (well, sort of), campers are getting ready for the summer season. Before you head out to one of Michigan 96 state parks take a couple minutes to check and see if there is any construction taking place at that particular park.

The Clean Michigan Initiative, a bond program approved by voters in 1998, allocates \$50 to the Department of Natural Resources Parks Division for improvements at state parks.

We are presently in the second year of a five-year plan in which 230 projects at 53 state parks will be completed. This summer,

the state will be undertaking 62 projects at 36 of those parks. The improvements focus on five areas: water, electrical and sewage treatment systems, replacement of toilet and shower buildings, and road repairs.

In an effort to alleviate and problems campers may face, the DNR has established a link on its web site (www.michigandnr.com) to keep the public informed of construction projects.

"The Clean Michigan Initiative allows us to provide a whole new level of service in the parks," said Rodney Stokes, chief of the DNR's Parks and Recreation Division. "However, some of the construction could limit space availability or impact the campers' visit in certain parks this summer. We want park visi-

tors to have a great time when they visit Michigan State Parks, and this web site will help them plan a fun, successful vacation."

You can also obtain information on CMI projects through the DNR's toll-free campsite reservation system at 800-44-PARKS.

Take a moment to check on pending CMI projects before heading off to your favorite state park. You could save yourself a headache.

(Bill Parker writes a weekly outdoor column for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Hunters and anglers are urged to report their success. Questions and comments are also encouraged. Send information to: Bill Parker, c/o Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009.)

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Basketball camps

There will be two sessions of the Canton/Salem Girls Summer Basketball Camps, for those entering eighth and ninth grades in the fall and for those entering 4th-7th grades this fall. Both will be at the Canton and Salem HS gyms.

For those entering eighth and ninth grades, the camp will be from 1-3 p.m. on June 18, 19, 20, 21, 25, 26, 27 and 28.

For those entering 4th-7th grades, the camp will be from 1-3 p.m. on July 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18 and 19.

Cost for each camp is \$75. Checks should be made payable to the Plymouth Canton Commu-

nity Schools and sent to: Community Education Dept., Starkweather Center, 550 N. Holbrook, Plymouth, MI, 48170.

For further information, call 416-2937.

PCHA sign-up, sale

The Plymouth-Canton Hockey Association will be accepting membership applications for the 2001-02 season from 10 a.m.-noon Sunday, June 10 at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

Applicants must provide a copy of their birth certificate and proof of residency by showing a current utility or tax bill. Players will be chosen by lottery to

fill openings on fall house teams.

Also the PCHA's Used Equipment Sale will be held concurrently at the Plymouth Cultural Center. Tagging of items begins at 9:30 a.m., with the sale starting at 10:00 a.m. The hockey association keeps 15 percent of the sale price.

For more information, check the PCHA website at www.pchockey.org or call the hotline at (734) 254-9198.

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Salem soccer from page B1

every game," said Nora. "And every game someone's stepped up."

A further test was certain to await the Rocks in Saturday's district final. Marisa Sarkesian, Salem's all-conference midfielder, missed the match to play in an Olympic Development Program national tournament in Texas. In all likelihood, Sarkesian would be ineligible to play in the remainder of state tournament due to a violation of MHSAA guidelines.

"What can I say?" Nora said.

"This will give her recognition nationwide. It would also be good for the state and soccer within the state to let her do so. We're one of the only states that penalizes a player for playing in a national tournament."

Sarkesian joined three other costly losses, all to injury: senior team captain Maureen Griffith and sophomore Stephanie Baron, both defenders, and senior forward Kellee Mullin. All three were starters.

Griffith and Baron are most

likely done for the season. Mullin, who suffered a leg injury Memorial Day weekend, was day-to-day going into Saturday's match.

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Occasionally while hiking in the field, I come upon animals that are completely unaware of my presence. These opportunities are rare, but they afford great opportunities to watch wildlife.

The other day I was walking through a field in southern Oakland County when I spotted two deer munching on some bushes at the edge of a field. I could not see their heads because they were immersed in the bushes they were feeding upon. All I could see were their hind quarters.



NATURE NOTES
TIM NOWICKI

I was surprised I had gotten to within 35 yards of them because I was walking in the open all the time. But within a minute one picked up its head, turned around, saw me, then snorted to alert the other one of danger.

Then to my surprise, two other white tails I was unaware of flagged as they ran off with the first two deer.

Later that same day I was again walking through some high grass when two coyotes jumped up about 10 yards ahead of me. They were unable to run away quickly because the grass was so high.

In order to see me, they had to leap up and quickly look behind to see where I was. As they continued to lope away they periodically looked back to check on my whereabouts.

After they left the field and entered the nearby woods they began to vocalize. Both started

howl with a staccato yipping at the end for the next half hour.

I enjoyed the serenade, but I couldn't help but think that they were cursing me for disturbing their hunting, or what ever they were doing before I came upon them.

This was not the first time I've heard the calling of coyote in Oakland County. While fishing near Holly my son and I heard some calling. In fact, some communities are enlisting the help of students to survey for coyotes by enticing them to respond to tape recorded calls of coyotes.

Coyotes are hard to see, but they can be heard over long distances. This same basic technique is used to induce owls to call.

When I was in college I surveyed screech owls in a township by recording the number of responses from tape-recorded calls. The density of screech owls in forested habitat of Deerfield Township in Isabella County was calculated to be 6.1 birds per square mile.

On my return route I came upon a coyote in the field where I saw the deer. It was probably hunting for mice and voles in the tall grasses with its head down. That is why it did not see me until I was about 15 yards away. Then, like the others, it too had to bounce up above the grasses to get a good view of me.

It gradually moved to the edge of the forest where it must have pranced on its back legs in order to get high enough to look over the grasses to see where I was located. Watching its bouncing head was comical to see.

All three coyotes showed no aggression, or even hinted at threatening postures toward me. They probably did not appreciate being disturbed while hunting for a meal, but other than the half hour chorus of calls, they were off to start hunting again.

Since coyotes are going to be a regular part of southeastern Michigan's fauna, we should begin to enjoy the opportunities to see new wildlife.

(Livonia resident Tim Nowicki is a naturalist with Independence Oaks Park north of Clarkston in Oakland County. He can be reached at (248) 625-6473.)



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Easier than it looks: Stacy Jenkins (middle left) with Carol Fink (front) and Cherie Maslowe (back) kayak down the Huron River recently.

Kayaking more finesse than muscle

I was never the first, or even the fifth or sixth person to be picked for the team.

Dodge ball picks were right up there with eating green vegetables.

Falling off my bike was a regular, if not daily occurrence and I couldn't quite throw a ball overhand or properly swing a tennis racquet.



STACY JENKINS

But, as an adult, somehow I still have the guts to try sports. I'm not afraid to jump in on a volleyball game at the park, mountain bike down steep rock trails,

part of snowshoes in sub-zero weather and trek through the quiet, snow-covered woods.

I love outdoor recreation, despite my clumsy nature.

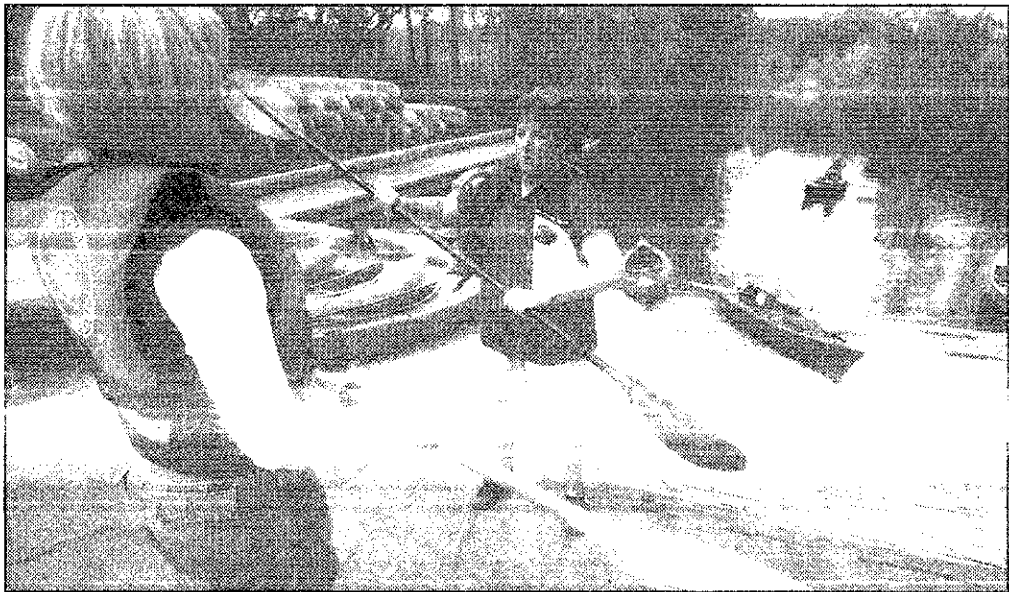
So, when I was offered the chance to kayak recently, of course I didn't hesitate. My instructors said kayaking is more about finesse than physical strength, so it's a great sport for women.

OK. But, was it a great sport for the moderately uncoordinated?

My instructor just laughed. I sat on the small, padded seat, nestled in the middle of the long, blue kayak before my "coaches" slid me into the Huron River at the Heavner Canoe Rental launch in Milford.

To my surprise, I was instantly comfortable. I was in control. My every movement was met with immediate response from the sleek vessel that sits low to the water's surface. I felt like I was sitting right in the water, but still able to traverse it's surface with relative ease and swiftness.

The double-bladed paddle was a bit tricky to handle at first, but eventually it became an extension of my own arms. The physical work actually came from my



Watch: Fink (right) shows Jenkins the best way to hold her paddle.

lower back and abdomen. My torso swiveled with each stroke as I pulled the paddle through the water. It's a smooth, controlled motion that can quickly put you into a relaxed state.

The Huron was calm and shallow — perfect for a first-time paddler. The wildlife nestled in the long reeds along the winding banks took notice of our crew, but didn't seem to care. A mother Canada goose didn't budge from the straw mound she sat on, which was probably covering her eggs. Meanwhile, a splashy gathering was taking place on another bank, where a crowd of newborn, fuzzy ducks were apparently celebrating life.

Although the water was only a few inches deep in some spots, the lightweight kayak cruised atop the water with ease.

Nancy Thornton, who works at Heavner, enjoys open water or sea kayaking

and has paddled each of the Great Lakes, except Lake Ontario.

But, she still enjoys the lazy, winding Huron River and she agrees it's a great place to learn the sport.

"It's not like you're going to jump out into the Great Lakes right away," she said. "You've got to be trained and conditioned. It's just not sensible to go out without any education."

Thornton, who has been paddling for just two years, is involved in kayak clubs and educational programs.

Like myself, Thornton said she was never good at other sports before discovering kayaking.

It's the solitude, the graceful movements, the symmetry and the toning exercises that make kayaking a great activity, especially for women.

Thornton said you don't have to be a "gorilla" to maneuver in a kayak.

"It's much more of a technique issue

and women have that finesse," she said. "I find that one of the reasons I like it, is that I can do it by myself. I find it very relaxing. It's a nice way to zone out."

Although I wasn't quite that relaxed my first time out, I can certainly see how gliding up or down a river or even crossing an open body of water, could be a work-out for the body and a respite for the soul.

The best part? I made it without tipping the kayak. And if I can do it, so can you.

For more information, call Nancy Thornton at (734) 953-2136 or by e-mail at sjenkins@oe.homecomm.net.

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Rec winners, a little humor and more

Just in from Livonia's Parks & Recreation Dept. are the results of the City Roll-offs for the its Youth Bowling program.

The winning team in the Bantam Division was the foursome of Adam Clay, Jacob Black, Alan Robinson and Nicky Svoboda of Merri Bowl Lanes.

In the Prep Division, the winning team was from Wonderland Lanes, Jason Krumbach, Samantha Sheppard, Barry Sheppard and Ashley Airoidi.

Champions in the Jr./Major Division was the Cloverlanes team of Darrin Mitchell, McClinton Brown, Ricky Griggs and Ronnie Sparks.

The 33rd annual event took place May 2-3 at Wonderland Lanes on Plymouth Road.

For more information on the Livonia Parks & Recreation Youth Bowling Program, call Karen Kapchonic at (734) 466-2410.

Last week's column contained a bit of satire, which might have been missed by those who don't know Todd Kurowski.

Kurowski made a 'speech' at the All-

Stars banquet when accepting the Joe Paulus Sportsmanship Award.

Now Kurowski is one of those people who doesn't say much. He lets his actions speak for him.

The entire acceptance address consisted of, 'Thanks a lot.'

Only those who were there would have seen the humor in the article, so I am taking this bit of space for everyone else to share in a little good-natured laughter.

You can visit Todd Kurowski during business hours at the Bowler's Aid pro shop inside Westland Bowl.

Todd might just talk you into buying a new ball while you are there.

Lisa Bishop of the All-Star Bowlerettes made an appearance on ESPN2 TV last week, in the second stop of the ladies pro tour.

She and Aleta Sill are among the match play finalists for this current week and both have a shot at making the TV stepladder finals.

The PWBA is supposed to air locally Mondays at 9 p.m., with a repeat on Thursdays at 1 p.m. With so many conflicting sporting events, the PWBA bowling event is now always shown when originally scheduled. Check your daily TV listings to be sure.

Seniors of either gender who are looking for some way to keep their game in tune during the long hot summer should take note.

Drop in at Merri Bowl Lanes in Livonia any Tuesday morning around 9 a.m. and bowl with the Seniors drop-in league. You do not have to commit to any number of weeks, just come in whenever you feel like it. There are no league standings, but you line up as teams. It is good practice for league play when the fall season rolls around and is a lot of fun with a great bunch of senior men and women in this area.

Cost is minimal. Call Merri Bowl Lanes at (734) 427-2900 for more information.

Harley, if you read this, I want you to know that all is forgiven.

No harm, no hard feelings.

At a recent banquet, Harley (his real name) came up to me and gave me a nice friendly pat on the back.

Unknown to him, he hit the exact spot where I had surgery only two days earlier.

It proved to be harmless and I am grateful that he did not use his bowling stroke, because he really has a good one and the outcome would have been different.

If you went downtown to Detroit for the Techno Music festival, there would have been all kinds of sounds being generated by computer.

What was missed is the sweetest music of all — the crack of a well-placed bowling ball pocket hit that results in a perfect strike where the pins pop as they topple each other.

I would like to see somebody take this sound and put it to music, even if they use a computer. Could any other sound be as good?

The name of this musical masterpiece might very well be 'Pin Dance.'

A simple reminder for your planner: the Pro Bowlers Tour will be coming back to Taylor Lanes this October, complete with the popular 'Pro-Am' leading up to the live TV finals.

Entry forms will be mailed out late this summer to previous entrants and the forms will be in all bowling centers in August. Plan ahead so you don't get shut out.

The bowling ball to be given out with each paid entry is the 'Trauma' by Storm Products.

Updated information will be in this column later.

(Al Harrison is a Garden City resident.)

TEN PIN ALLEY



AL HARRISON

Franklin coach retires

BY BRAD EMONS
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During his early days as Livonia Franklin's boys track and cross country coach, P.E. students and athletes affectionately referred to Bob Holmes as the "Golden Bear."

No coincidence that Holmes' bears a striking resemblance to Jack Nicklaus.

And as Nicklaus contemplates retirement from the game of golf, the 62-year-old Holmes, a Canton resident, has decided his coaching days are history.

"He'll be sorely missed, it leaves a huge void," Franklin athletic director Dan Freeman said.

On Thursday, Holmes left the Franklin track for the last time with little fanfare.

The track was empty other for than two of Franklin's 1,600 relay team members, Phil Calleja and Ron Friend, along with head coach Dale Lee, and former school record holder in the 110-meter hurdles, Pat Hayes (now running for Ferris State).

"It was no one thing, it's just time to move on," said Holmes, a retired P.E. teacher who got in a round of golf the morning of his last Franklin track practice. "There are young people out there who deserve a chance and if somebody is around, I won't stand in their way."

Holmes started coaching at Franklin in 1967-68 where he served as an assistant. In 1969, he became head cross country coach, remaining in that position for over 30 years.

Franklin won five Northwest Suburban League cross country titles under Holmes and produced two All-Staters (Mike White and Paul Coburn).

In track, Holmes was head coach from 1969 through 1993. In 1994, he took brief sabbatical before returning to work under Lee as an assistant coach.

"I needed that year off because I was beginning to get burned out, it started to get to me," Holmes said. "It was becoming a job and it had never been that way before. I wasn't sleeping well. I just didn't have the same energy level, plus I had to let

PROFILE

Dale do his own thing.

"I came back fresh (in 1995) and I've had fun. I've enjoyed track and the kids the last six years without the headaches of being a head coach.

"One thing I won't miss is the crummy, rotten early spring weather."

Franklin track teams excelled under Holmes during the early 1970s. His 1972 squad took fourth in the state Class A meet.

Northwest Suburban rival Oak Park, led by sprinter Mike Rollins, won it that year after Franklin had soundly beaten the Redskins in a dual meet.

"I think Oak Park scored more points at the state meet than they did against us in the dual," Holmes said.

Franklin captured four NSL titles under Holmes in the 1970s and two regional crowns (1972 and 1978). Eight Franklin school records still stand from the 1971 and '72 track seasons.

Holmes has some lasting memories from coaching track and cross country.

He watched Olympic gold medalist Henry Carr run 20 flat in the 220-yard dash for Pershing and most recently witnessed Rockford's Dathan Ritzenheim set new state standards for distance marks.

The best track and field athlete Franklin ever produced?

"Paul Terek, that's even easier now from what he's done and now proven in the decathlon (at Michigan State)," Holmes said.

"He's also the only state record holder from our school (16-6 in the pole vault)."

Lee, who attended Saturday's Division I meet at Rockford with Holmes for the last time, will undoubtedly miss his coaching compatriot.

"The amount of knowledge from his experiences that I've picked up is just phenomenal," Lee said. "I was lucky to work with him for 10 years and I'll certainly miss him."

Holmes ran track, cross country and played basketball at Detroit Mumford High School. He was heavily involved in

sports as a youth. His father was the athletic director at Pershing.

"I remember riding the bus as an eighth grader in 1953 when Jim Ninowski (former MSU and Lions quarterback) was at Pershing, that was really big for a kid my age," Holmes said. "I went to a lot of track meets, football and basketball games."

Holmes later became captain of the football and track teams at Wayne State. In track, his specialty was the 400.

"In cross country I was not very good, I was more of a sprinter," Holmes said modestly.

Holmes greatest attribute is that he courteous, personable and knowledgeable about his sports.

"I've never found anybody to say a cross word about him," said George Lovich, Franklin's former A.D. and Holmes' next-door neighbor in Canton Township the past 30 years. "I'd say he's the most even-tempered, most consistent coach Franklin has ever had. And that comes from the parents, teachers, kids and administrators.

"You could always depend on him to get things done on time and he's the kind of coach who can deal with problems and solve them without you even knowing it."

Holmes plans doing some traveling this summer with his wife

Karen, a math professor at Eastern Michigan University. He also plans to walk across the Mackinaw Bridge on Labor Day, something he couldn't do during the cross country season.

He also has two grown children.

His daughter Kelly is a certified public accountant, a former All-America pitcher at the University of Michigan. His son Kevin will graduate this month from the University of Chicago with his MBA and will join the firm of Merrill Lynch.

"Bob knows all sports, but he's also a well rounded person," Lovich said. "It's a big loss for the school."

Yes, there are some things he'll miss about coaching.

"The relationship with kids in track is neat because you don't have to deal with the egos like you have in football and basketball," said Holmes, who was briefly Franklin's boys varsity basketball coach. "It's easy to have a close relationship with the kids in track because nobody accuses you to playing favorites."

As what he would do in the fall, and Holmes responds: "Go watch some cross country meets."

Of course, this Golden Bear isn't quite ready to retire from the links just yet.

Softball from page B1

a couple errors. When those things start happening, you want the batters to see something a little different."

Smart held the Marlins in check until they scored six runs off her. Coryn Sandrowicz pitched to three batters before Shawn Fallon took over and got Ladywood (24-11) out of the fourth inning.

"One of the little things we did in preparation was to pitch five pitchers in batting practice," Falvo said. "So, as they were changing pitchers, we were waiting for that and trying to put the ball in play aggressively."

Mercy's first three batters — Molly O'Malley, Carly Tracy and Anna Schneider — reached base in the first inning and scored.

An error on Schneider's bunt enabled O'Malley to score. Krystle Shina put a bad-hop single through the infield, and Schneider beat the throw to the plate on Rachel Del Corvo's fielder's choice.

"What got us going was Molly O'Malley in the first inning," Falvo said. "We had been hiding from Ladywood the fact Molly is a pretty good slap hitter."

"They were defending her by moving everybody in. I think they thought the only thing she can do is bunt. She showed she can slap pretty well by hitting the ball through the infield."

The Blazers made two more errors in the fourth when the Marlins sent 12 batters to the plate.

Mercy had four of its six hits in that inning, as well as two walks. Schneider hit a two-run single; O'Malley and Shina knocked in one run each with base hits, and Lindsey Fedruk had an RBI on a fielder's choice.

"We did bobble the ball a little bit early," Lulek said. "You can't do that against them. If we make those plays, it might have been 0-0 going into the fourth."

"Defensively, we're usually very sound. If we make one error in a game, that's the max. That's not to take anything away from Mercy. They hit the ball and made us field it."

Both coaches agreed the score is not indicative of the quality team Ladywood has; Lulek added the Blazers still have the state tournament ahead for them, as do the Marlins.

"I told the kids to hold their heads up," Lulek said, adding the Blazers play Dearborn Divine Child in a Division II district game. "If we hold our heads down, they'll clobber us like Mercy did."

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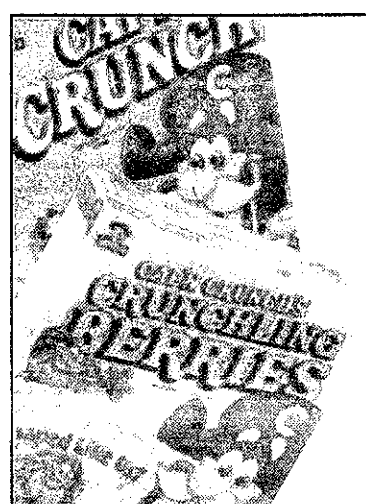


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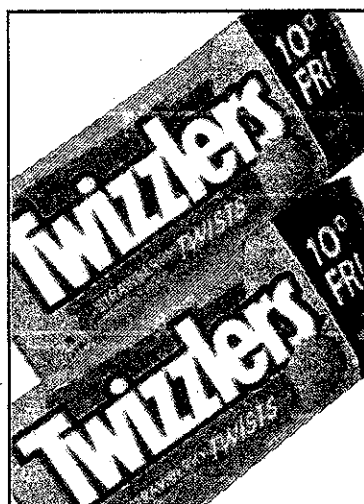
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ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS



LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Quaint art fair at Greenmead has stroll appeal

Next to working in the garden and taking Shamrock, my Irish Wolfhound to the park to run, my favorite summer activity is visiting art fairs with my sister Gwen. We call it "doing our sister thing." Sometimes we don't buy anything; other times we ride home adding up how much we spent. But we always have fun.

Each of the fairs has a special charm and we each have reasons for returning year after year. Art in the Park in Plymouth offers the opportunity to not only browse through hundreds of booths filled with art works but shop for jewelry and home accessories that you can't find at malls or chain stores.

While the Ann Arbor Art Fairs showcase almost triple the amount of artists as Plymouth, this granddaddy of street festivals does have its drawbacks. One year I carried a heavy

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You can pause in the middle of dirt roads imagining a bygone era, stroll through volunteer-tended gardens, or rest in the peaceful setting after visiting the 170 booths in the fair.

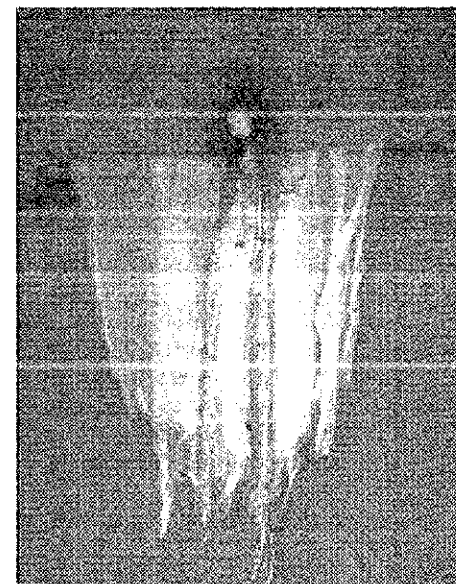
One of our favorite things to do is sit down and have a lemonade. Twenty-percent of the sales from J & J Concession & Nuts goes to the Southeast Region Committee of VSA arts of Michigan. The committee uses the money to provide grants for arts therapy programs for children and adults with disabilities. The non-profit organization also puts on a festival that showcases more than 150 disabled performers every May at Wonderland Mall in Livonia.

But no matter which food booth you choose, you'll feel good about buying that sticky, gooey cotton candy because a portion of the proceeds will go to charities.

Quaint

"Art in the Village is a little more quaint than the other fairs I've been to and the buildings will be open for tours," said Stephanie Skaggs, the Livonia Arts Commissioner who chairs the festival. "I think it's going to be a good show. Half of the artists are new this year so the public will see a lot of new work - acrylic, watercolor, pen and pencil, landscapes, por-

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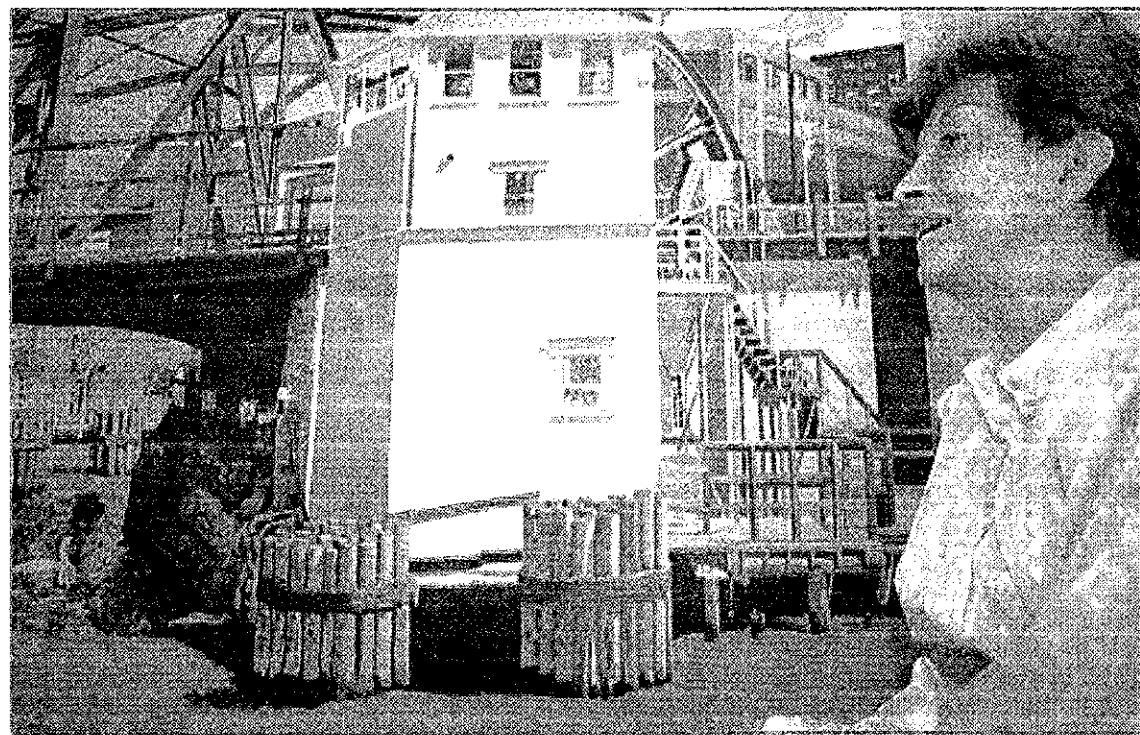


Mother nature: Kathy Sandberg, a Plymouth potter, uses natural materials to create figurative wall art.

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THROUGH THE YEARS

Livonia Arts Commissioners take turn showing work



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Looking back: Electra Stamelos was one of the original members who founded the Livonia Arts Commission back in 1974. Here Stamelos admires her painting, "What's a Mute Swan Doing in Chicago."

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Electra Stamelos expresses herself as colorfully in words as in paint when she talks about the founding of the Livonia Arts Commission in 1974. Standing alongside one of her large-scale works at a gathering of former Livonia Arts Commissioners, Stamelos vividly recalls then Livonia Mayor Edward McNamara calling her into his office to ask her to join the historical commission.

Even though Stamelos had been working to save Wilson Barn, she declined the appointment suggesting instead that McNamara create an arts commission to raise money to help save the barn, and transform it into artist studios and a gallery. Weeks later, he gave her the green light.

"I felt very strongly we were a bedroom community and needed some culture and couldn't find it here," said Stamelos. "No one I talked to



Seasoned artist: Dorothy Terwin, featured with an oil she painted nearly 10 years ago, joined the Livonia Arts Commission in 1980. She still sketches at age 86.

here had even been to the DIA. That pushed me to try to help save the barn. Originally 17 artists were set to have their studios and a gallery there."

But the city had other plans, and the studios and gallery were never created.

Cultivating arts

Disappointed but undaunted, Stamelos, along with that first group of commissioners, set out to develop a following for arts and culture in the communi-



Through the years: Jo Griffing-Witt (left), Barbara Stewart, Electra Stamelos, and Billie Thompson are among the artists exhibiting in a show featuring past and present Livonia Arts Commissioners.

ty. Their debut project turned city hall grounds into an arts and crafts fair.

"To me it was an exciting time to put on the very first arts and craft festival at city hall," said Jo Griffing-Witt who was appointed to the arts commission in 1975, and served through the 1980s. "It's really grown since then and there's now 170 exhibitors. We were all involved with going through and selecting the artists' work. You attend a lot of meetings. It takes a lot of time."

But Griffing-Witt would do it all over again. She's never regretted joining the commission

Artists Through the Years

What: A exhibition of works by past and present Livonia Arts Commissioners
When: Through Tuesday, July 31
Where: Fine Arts Gallery in the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road, east of Farmington Road. For information, call Livonia's community resources department, (734) 466-2536

after Stamelos suggested it while the two were taking a ceramic class together. She wishes other artists had felt the same.

"We had trouble finding artists to volunteer their time to serve on the commission," said Griffing-Witt. "They just wanted to paint. I

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Jazz quartet celebrates Father's Day benefit brunch

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Paul Keller expects "Daddy's Little Girl" to be one of the tunes he'll be playing for the Father's Day Jazz Brunch at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. It's a special occasion for the musicians in the Keller/Kocher Quartet. All are first-time fathers and still enjoying all the experiences that go with being a parent.

Keller doesn't seem to care that his new daughter Leah is screaming in the background during a phone interview. He likes his new gig as a father. Besides, his wife Michelle is there to take care of their 4-month-old little girl.

"It's the first gig all of our entire families will be there," said Keller about the annual brunch to benefit the Michigan Jazz Festival (Sunday, July 15 at Schoolcraft College in Livonia). "It's a good family event. It's not smoky. There's good friends, good food and good music. She'll be going to lots of music events. She's going to get more music than most kids."

As will Cary Kocher's 3-week-old daughter Ella, and Pete Siers (drums) and pianist Phil Kelly's toddlers Charlie and Evan.

"It's a lot of fun even in the midst of all the screaming," said Keller who works a lot of late nights and weekends. He returned the day before from playing a jazz festival in California only to play a steady Monday night gig at the Bird of Paradise in Ann Arbor. On Wednesday evenings Keller leads the house orchestra at the Bird of Paradise.

Keller doesn't know if Leah will want to follow in his footsteps as a musician as long as she realizes the road can be grueling.

Father's Day Jazz Brunch

What: Features a gourmet brunch (noon to 1 p.m.) and music by the Keller/Kocher Quartet
When: Noon to 3 p.m. Sunday, June 17
Where: Schoolcraft College's Waterman Center, 18600 Haggerty Road, between Seven and Eight Mile, Livonia
Tickets: \$25, proceeds benefit the Michigan Jazz Festival (Sunday, July 15 at Schoolcraft College). Call (248) 474-2720 or (734) 459-2454

Boogie woogie beginnings

"I started playing boogie woogie bass line and was hooked," said Keller who picked up the string bass at 12 years old and played jazz and classical music all through junior high and high school in East Grand Rapids. He went on to earn a bachelor's degree in performance from the University of Michigan School of Music in Ann Arbor where he now teaches.

"I met Cary in high school. We played in the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony together. In 1988, we formed the quartet which has regularly appeared at most of the festivals in the area."

Before they started the quartet, Keller took a five-night-a-week gig with Bennie Carew and John Shea.

"I was surrounded by jazz musicians," said Keller. "It became my jazz college playing with Bennie Carew and John Shea. I learned a lot from them, the reper-

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First-time dads: Keller/Kocher Quartet members Phil Kelly (left to right), Cary Kocher, Pete Siers and Paul Keller plan to bring their families to the Father's Day Jazz Brunch to benefit the Michigan Jazz Festival.

CONCERT

Show choir puts on polish for 'A Night with the Stars'

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Alana Arseneault works the front line of the Rising Star Singers like a pro. One of 16 young vocalists in a show choir founded by Norma Atwood, Arseneault moves to the music like she's been performing for years. That's quite a trick at age 7. However, she's not alone. All of these rising stars shine from the polish they receive during weekly rehearsals with Atwood at Village Music in Plymouth.

This final run-through is in preparation for a Tuesday, June 5 concert in the Plymouth Canton High School Little Theatre. "A Night With the Stars" will showcase not only group but solo vocal performances.

"I like the dancing," said Arseneault, a student at Isbister Elementary in Plymouth. "You never know the kind of moves you're going to get."

Atwood choreographed the majority of the numbers



PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

Broadway bound: Rising Star Singers Ashley Goachee (left to right), Alana Arseneault, Lauren Maslyk, Grace Griffin, and Katie Griffin rehearse like they're preparing for Broadway instead of a Canton concert.

on the program, except for "Footloose." Chad Gearig, a professional dancer, set the steps for this high-energy number.

"I liked working with the choreographer," said Allison Kirby, an 11-year-old student at Fiegel Elementary. Kirby takes private voice lessons with Atwood at Village Music. She'll also sing a solo, "So Emotional" by Christina Aguilera. "I'm really looking forward to performing 'Footloose' on stage. I'm not nervous about it because we sang at Domino's farms at Christmastime, but I get embarrassed dancing the solo in it."

A Night with the Stars

What: Rising Star Singers shine in a Broadway-like program
When: 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 5
Where: Plymouth Canton High School Little Theatre, Joy and Canton Center roads, Canton
Tickets: \$5, \$3 seniors/ages 5 and older, call (734) 354-9825

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traits, traditional to contemporary. I'm excited about the sculpture, everything from wood to stoneware, and bronze wildlife. There will be more scenic, landscape, wildlife, motion and nighttime photography as well as of the Amish country."

Ceramics, functional to decorative, and wood furniture, bowls and decoys are just some of the work that will be for sale. When Skaggs said there's something for everyone she was right. Judging by the long list of jewelry, glass, metal wall art, sculptures made from old bicycle parts, garden art, hand-made Ecuadorian musical instruments, and other items too numerous to mention, you'll have to be pretty picky not to find a little something to take home.

"In the village we have such a unique setting," said Skaggs. "Five of the buildings will be open. If they like history they should be interested in touring the buildings."

And for these two days only, the 1-4 p.m. tours are free. Take a peak inside the Greek Revival Shaw and Kingsley houses built in 1843 or the Newburg Methodist Church (1848) or Newburg School (1861). You'll feel like you stepped back into another time and place. And in fact you have.

Joshua Simmons purchased the property, now the site of the 103-acre historical park, back in 1824. That was 11 years before Livonia Township was established and 13 years before Michigan became a state. The village is divided into two time periods. The west-end illustrates what life was like in the mid-19th century while the east-end recreates the intersection of Newburgh and Ann Arbor Trail as it was from 1915 to 1925.

"The setting is so nice in between the historical buildings and a nice garden setting," said Kathy Sandberg, a Plymouth potter who's been in the festival

on and off for about 12 years.

Sandberg won Best of Clay for the past two years. This year she'll try to break her record by bringing new work, which in many instances is functional as well as decorative. Among the choices are large platters that double as wall art, a vase in the shape of a female figure and clay pieces, painted with water lilies or koi.

This is Julie Kachnowski's first year exhibiting her watercolor abstracts. A Redford artist, Kachnowski grew up in Livonia

and learned to love art while studying with John Wagner and Connie Cronenwett at Stevenson High School. She earned a bachelor of fine arts degree from Eastern Michigan University before starting a family. Her daughter Jane Alexandra is 6-months-old and Kachnowski can't wait to start painting again.

"I'm very excited to get back to focusing on my art," said Kachnowski. "It's one of the joys in life. All of my work is based in nature. I try to look to things

around me and paint them in a way all people can enjoy. I love color and shape and movement and try to portray them."

Kachnowski will find plenty of inspiration at Art in the Village at Greenmead.

"It gives you a chance to see what Livonia looked like in the 1800s. Even if you're not from Livonia you can see what your community was like," said Kathy Smith of J & J Concession & Nuts. Smith's been selling refreshments at the arts and crafts festival for 10 years.

And don't forget to buy some lemonade, almonds, fresh-cut fries or other snacks from her. Smith will be the one in the purple and pink T-shirt with the dog eating a corn dog on the front. Ask her about it. Smith swears the dog isn't one of the Newfoundlands she raises.

Have an interesting idea for a story? What's your favorite art fair? Call arts reporter Linda Ann Chomin at (734) 953-2145 or send e-mail to lchomin@oe.homecomm.net

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thought it was my civic duty and enjoyed what I was doing. It was exciting to be part of that.

Over the years, the arts commission nurtured groups such as the Oakway Symphony Orchestra (now the Livonia Symphony Orchestra) and the Theater Guild of Livonia-Redford in addition to hosting the arts and crafts festival, a bluegrass festival, and performances of opera and ballet. They even set up an arts hotline for community events.

"We started bringing in the Detroit Symphony and big bands on the lawn and big art shows," said 86-year-old Dorothy Terwin who joined the arts commission in 1980 and served as treasurer. "We were busy. The city bought many paintings and we took care of all the paperwork."

While the arts commissioners were securing works for city buildings, and hosting cultural activities, they never went back on their policy of not showing their own art, until now.

In addition to Stamelos, Griff-

ing-Witt and Terwin, past and present arts commissioners Barbara Stewart, Billie Thompson, Jack Olds, Bob Sheridan, Fred Acerri, Sara Dickson, Sy LeVine, Lucille Kimpel, and Anne Pritchard are showing their paintings, woodcuts, pastels, ceramics, sculpture, photography, collage, and mixed media in the Fine Arts Gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library through July. The venue is one of three the Livonia Arts Commission uses to showcase art on a monthly basis.

"Artists Through the Years" honors the memory of Marie Tuthill, one of the founding members of the arts commission as well as an award-winning artist and teacher. Tuthill, who died in 1999, chaired the first arts and crafts festival 25 years ago.

"I'm really excited about exhibiting with the rest of the commissioners," said Stewart who joined the arts commission in the 1970s and served for nine years. "I was flattered that they

asked me to join the commission. It was kind of a turning point for me. I could finally admit I was an artist."

Stewart now has paintings in galleries in Northville, Lewiston and Elk Rapids. She exhibits in her first one-woman show at Primary Colors in South Haven in August.

"I knew the work they were doing on the commission was important," said Stewart. "I made so many friends and I loved being around other artists."

Stewart loved serving on the arts commission so much she and Griffing-Witt helped form the Livonia Cultural League in 1978. The nonprofit League was founded with the purpose of supporting the arts commission.

"At the time the Livonia Cultural League was needed," said Stewart. "The Livonia Arts Commission, being a city entity, was limited to the money they could ask for. We were trying to do things we couldn't do as a city organization. We tried to get the

George Burns Theater off the ground but couldn't sell tickets."

By the time Billie Thompson was appointed to the Livonia Arts Commission five years ago, the league no longer existed but art and culture were well-established in the community.

"We were excited to start Fine Art in the Village (a fine arts competition) and to move it into the village at Greenmead and put fine art in the historic homes," said Thompson whose main duty was scheduling artists to exhibit in the Fine Arts Gallery at the Civic Center Library. "I had to return to work but might go back on the commission again. I enjoyed bringing artists into the gallery some of them for their first one person shows. To see 30 to 40 pieces of work together you really see the person, the progress of the work."

"That's why I joined the commission. I wanted to promote the arts in Livonia because I thought it was important. The cultural side of life seems to get short shift sometimes."

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Michael Schommer loves music so he isn't worried about strutting his stuff in the solo with Kirby. A student at Allen Elementary in Plymouth, Schommer joined the Rising Star Singers two years ago. He also takes a music class at school.

"I like all the songs we do and

Norma is fun," said Schommer who also sings a solo.

Unfortunately, Atwood hasn't been able to lead the young singers for the last three weeks due to surgery but she plans to be back on her feet by September when the fall session begins. In the meantime, Cynthia Hector is

taking over directorship of the choir which has produced accomplished vocalists such as Sylvia White, a first place winner in this year's Schoolcraft College Honors Recital, and Sean and Casey McIntyre. The brother and sister duo recently returned from a national tour of the

"Sound of Music" with Barry Williams from The Brady Bunch.

"We're shining it all up before the performance," said Hector who earned a bachelor's degree in voice from Grand Valley State University. "They've worked very hard and perfected a lot of their steps and learned to work under a different director. But the biggest goal is to have them enjoy what they're doing and to truly believe that when they're feeling the music, the audience will too."

"I'm so excited, so thrilled to work with these kids. It's a good experience for them and me. And Norma and I already have a vision for next year. By then we could have a chamber, madrigal and show choir."

Adriana Kalota, a student at Coolidge Elementary in Livonia, joined the Rising Star Singers three months ago because Atwood strives to present the show choir professionally. One way is by providing accompaniment by pianist Christy Slater of Northville. "I like the music that we do and being accompanied by piano," said Kalota. Working with an accompanist is also important to Rachel Arseneault, a 12-year-old student at West Middle School in Plymouth.

"I always loved to sing since I was little. I was in the chorus at school and plan to be in it again next year," said Arseneault. "My favorite part is singing and dancing and movement. It's helped me because I want to become a professional singer."

Several of the young vocalists plan on a career in theater or film. Amanda Kiel, a Hulsing Elementary student, has "always dreamed of being a singer" while Ryan Dooley revels in playing the part of the drama king during rehearsals with the Rising Star Singers. Dooley began acting at age six with the Whistle Stop Players at the Plymouth Community Arts Council. Later, he performed at the Marquis Theatre in Northville. He eventually, "wants to be a movie actor or director."

Christine Lietz, on the other hand, would settle for singer or psychiatrist. The 13-year-old Saline Middle School student joined the singers 6 1/2 years.

"I like being on stage and singing in front of people," said Lietz who'll sing "Hero" by Mariah Carey. "And I like being in the group, when new kids come to show them how to blend with their voices."

Showing younger singers the ropes is one of the reasons Kirby enjoys the choir as well.

"I like coming because this year I'm one of the older kids and she let me be in the back row," said Kirby. "Plus I want to grow up to be a singer or dancer."

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Presents Stewart Francke's Rhythm & Soul Revue 8 p.m. Friday, June 8 at Baldwin Theatre in downtown Royal Oak. (248) 541-6430.

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All levels of classes for recreational and professional students, including modern, ballet, pointe, tap and jazz for children ages 3 and older. 1541 W. Hamlin, between Crooks and Livernois, Rochester Hills. (248) 852-5850.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

Offering classes for preschool and children at the Oak Park campus, 15110 W. Ten Mile. (248) 967-4030.

Timeless romance



Abstract expressions: Love's Curtain and other paintings of Iranian-born Hessam Abrishami will be on display at the Danielle Peleg Gallery through June 14. Gallery hours are Tuesday-Saturday, 10:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. and Sunday and Monday noon - 5 p.m. Crosswinds Mall, West Bloomfield. (248) 626-5810.

KAMMUELLER DANCE CLASSES

Adult daytime summer ballet classes Sundays through Fridays, ages 16-60 years. Call Chris at (248) 932-8699 or Mo at (248) 960-0778. Keego Harbor area.

METRO DANCE

Ballet, tap, hip hop and stretch and tone classes offered June 5-Aug. 30. 541 S. Mill, Plymouth. (734) 207-8970.

EVENTS

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER

Presents a student pottery sale June 8-9. 1516 S. Cranbrook Rd., Birmingham. (248) 644-0866.

DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET

Working Spaces for Artists, a discussion of a variety of local studio/work spaces for artists, runs from 6-8 p.m. Thursday, June 7. 4719 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 832-8540, ext. 14.

FOR KIDS

BIRMINGHAM COMMUNITY HOUSE

Daddy Daughter Dance for ages 5 and up 7-8:30 p.m. Friday, June 8. Rita Kirsch's music classes for parents and children ages 3 months to 4 years. To register call (248) 644-5832.

COMMUNITY SERVICE CAMPS

The City of Wixom Community Services is hosting a wide variety of youth camps in June, July and August, including sports, science, horseback riding and more. (248) 624-2850.

SECOND CITY

SUMMER CAMP

The Second City comedy theater has a summer camp for kids ages 10-16 June through August. The two-week camps are designed to help kids become energetic, outgoing and creative performers. (313) 471-3453.

SUMMER ART CAMP

D&M Studios, Canton Leisure Services and the City of

Plymouth Recreation Department present *Australian Outback - Down Under Summer Art Camp*. Open to kids from preschool through their teens. (734) 453-3710.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (OPENING)

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Opens June 11 - Works by artist and author Nancy Swan Drew through July 1. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-8004, ext. 101.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER

Opens June 8 - *Art Is Where It's At*, an exhibition by Michigan members of the Colored Pencil Society of America will be on display through June 29. 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham. (810) 781-6903.

CENTER GALLERIES

Opens June 16 - *New Work/New York* featuring new work by emerging and established artists in New York City through July 15. 301 Frederick Douglass, Detroit. (313) 664-7800.

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

June 9 - The Friends of African and African American Art host the 38th annual *Bal Africain*. Call (313) 833-7967 for more information.

ture with Bill Rauhauser, Gene Meadows and Mary Desjarlais 6-9 p.m. 217 Farnsworth, Detroit. (313) 831-1250.

STARKWEATHER ART

AND CULTURAL CENTER

Opens June 10 - *Gail Eisner - A Study in Oils* through June 30. 219 N. Main, Romeo. (810) 752-5700.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

MUSEUM OF ART

Opens June 10 - *In Human Touch: Photographs by Ernestine Ruben* through Sept. 23. West Gallery, 525 S. State, Ann Arbor. (734) 764-0395.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Through June 12 - Watercolor and collage paintings by Linda Brokaw at Workbench Contemporary Furniture, 410 N. Fourth, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-8004, ext. 104. Through June 17 - Michigan Silversmiths Guild Competition. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-8004.

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Through June - The Gallery Shop will feature etchings and pastel paintings of Ann Arbor artist Laura Strowe. 117 W. Liberty. (734) 994-8004, ext. 101.

DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET

Through June - Ceramic artist Bob Nixon will present his works for sale in Detroit's Cultural Center. Through July 13 - *Sampler*. 4719 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 832-8540, ext. 12.

FOCUS: HOPE GALLERY

Through June 22 - *Focus On The Mission: The Photography Project* at Focus: HOPE features 52 Detroit metro area students who were challenged through activities and photographic assignments to think about the role of diversity in their lives and communities. Center For Advanced Technologies, 1400 Oakman, Detroit. (313) 494-5500.

GALLERY 212

Through June 10 - *Out of Spite*, an all media, juried exhibition. 207 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 665-8224.

ELLEN KAYROD GALLERY

Through June 8 - *Mixed Reviews*. 4750 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 833-1300.

LIVONIA ARTS COMMISSION

Through June 28 - *Sights in Michigan*, a photographic display at Livonia City Hall lobby, 33000 Civic Center Dr., east of Farmington. (734) 466-2490. *Clarenceville Young Child's Art Display* and *Arts Commissioners - Past and Present* will be on display during the month of June at Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington. (734) 466-2540.

MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY

Through June 16 - *The 54 Annual Michigan Water Color Society Exhibition* will be on view at Oakland University, Rochester. (248) 352-3973.

PARK WEST GALLERY

Offers a special sale through June 7 before the grand re-opening of the renovated gallery. 29469 Northwestern, Southfield. (248) 354-2343.

DANIELLE PELEG GALLERY

Timeless Romance, recent works by expressionist artist Hessam Abrishami. 4301 Orchard Lake Road, Suite 145, Crosswinds Mall, West Bloomfield. (248) 626-5810.

REVOLUTION

Presents *HA HAI* through June 30 featuring works of humor which explore various issues. 23257 Woodward, Ferndale. (248) 541-3444.

WASHINGTON STREET GALLERY

Through June 16 - Norma Gray's *The Five Elements Revisited* are based on the Tai Chi elements of fire, water, wood, metal and earth. Painter Jane Coates and her sculptor son Tom Coates are showing their newest works through June 16. 215 E. Washington, Ann Arbor. (734) 761-2287.

ZEITGEIST GALLERY

Through June - Detroit's Outsider Gallery presents John Elkerr and Karl Schneider with music by Amazon. 2661 Michigan, Detroit.

(313) 965-9192.

LECTURES

HUBBARD DIANETICS FOUNDATION

Presents a free lecture by Alan Kellman on *What Blocks You From Using Your Mind's Full Potential?* 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 5. 28000 Middlebelt, Suite 100. (248) 538-4675.

TALKING ABOUT SALES

A discussion on the literary, musical and psychoanalytic aspects of Jacques Offenbach's *The Tales of Hoffman* will begin at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, June 3 at the Michigan Psychoanalytic Center, 32841 Middlebelt, Farmington Hills. For reservations, call (248) 851-3380.

MUSEUMS

CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

Through Sept. 3 - *The Young Stargazer's Journey*. Through June 22 - Learn to attract wildlife to your backyard during the National Wildlife Federation's Backyard Wildlife Habitat exhibit. Through December - An exhibit of Great Lakes fur trade with 18th and 19th century artifacts. 39221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. 1-877-GO-CRANBROOK.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Through Sept. 9 - *Island in the City: Belle Isle, Detroit's Beautiful Island*. 5401 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 331-7760.

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

Through July 22 - *Dance of the Forest Spirits: A set of native American Masks, Abelardo Morell, and the Camera Eye*. 5200 Woodward, Detroit.

EXHIBIT MUSEUM

OF NATURAL HISTORY

Presents dinosaur tours and planetarium shows Saturdays and Sundays in June. (734) 764-0478. Through Sept. 30 - Drawings from the collection of Karen Anne Klein. 1109 Geddes, Ann Arbor. (248) 647-7709.

ORSON STARR HOUSE MUSEUM

Features Treasured Brides' Gowns from antique to modern during an open house 1-4 p.m. June 10. To exhibit a wedding dress, call (248) 585-1731 before June 6. 3123 N. Main Street, Royal Oak. For information, call (248) 588-0170.

THEATER

DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE

Presents *Eulogy: What I Would Have Said, Given The Gift of Articulation* through June 24. 13103 Woodrow Wilson, Detroit. Call (313) 868-1347 for tickets.

GENITTI'S-HOLE-IN-THE-WALL

Trapped in the Rubber Room featuring one-man show Timothy Campos June 6, 13, 20 and 27. 108 E. Main, Northville. (248) 349-0522.

JEWISH ENSEMBLE

THEATRE COMPANY Presents the comedy *Horowitz and Mrs. Washington* through June 10. 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield. (248) 788-2900.

THE MARQUIS THEATRE

Presents *Little Red Riding Hood* at 7 p.m. June 8, and 2:30 p.m. June 3, 9 and 10. Children under 3 years old not admitted. 135 E. Main, Northville. (248) 349-8110.

MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE

Presents *The Tales of Hoffmann* at 8 p.m., Wednesday, June 6. Detroit Opera House.

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YOUTH AUDITIONS

Paper Bag Productions, in conjunction with the Livonia Mall, is holding auditions for ages 8-16 for "The Sound of Music" 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 16 and 4-8 p.m. Monday, June 18 in the community room at the mall, 29514 Seven Mile at Middlebelt.

The newly re-formed Livonia Youththeatre will present the musical Aug. 2-5.

Registration fee is \$30 for the first child in the family, \$10 for any other children. All who register will be cast. The audition is merely to determine level of talent. Auditioning youth are encouraged to sing whatever they think they sing best. There will also be cold readings from the script.

Rehearsals begin Monday, July 25 and are scheduled 1-4 p.m. Monday and Wednesday for the Broadway cast, Tuesday and Thursday for the London cast.

For more information, call C.J. Nodus at (248) 476-8635 or (810) 344-7774.

SUMMER DAYS

Marilyn Wolff's exhibition of summer porches and little boys playing in the woods continues through Saturday, June 30 at Framing Corner, 27825 Seven Mile, west of Inkster Road, Livonia.

nia.

Wolff's 15 years of watercolor studies yield rich, vibrant works that make viewers long for the days of summer. Wolff's profession as a registered nurse at Providence Medical Center in Farmington Hills more than likely has influenced these sensitive and sentimental scenes. But see for yourself.

Viewing hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and Friday, until 7 p.m. Thursday, and till 4 p.m. Saturday. For more information, call Ruth Yheulon at (248) 777-1442.

PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Grab your camera and head out to any Metropark. You could be the one to take a winning photo in the first Metroparks Visitors Photo Contest.

New and old photographs can be entered in the categories of scenic/landscape, nature, activities/events, portraiture/family, action/sports and documentary/history. Photographs taken from 1942 through the contest deadline will be accepted. Unmounted prints in sizes 3 by 5 inches to 8 by 10 inches or 35mm slides will be accepted.

Entries must be postmarked by Nov. 1.

Winning photographs will be used on park brochures. First and second place winners will receive vehicle entry permits for 2002.

For more information, call the Metroparks at (800) 477-2757.

OPENING RECEPTION

Nancy Walls Smith opens her one-woman show with a reception 2-4 p.m. Sunday, June 10, at the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 N. Sheldon at Junction.

"Celebration of Color" features 35 watercolors. Walls Smith began painting five years ago after the death of her son Jason Alan Smith.

"I started painting just a few months after the death of my son," said Walls Smith, "and it has helped me in coping with this horrific loss in such a way that I find words inadequate to express my appreciation for this artistic gift I was, no doubt, born with."

"Celebration of Color" continues to Friday, July 5. For more information, call the arts council at (734) 416-4278.

CALL FOR ARTISTS

The Livonia Arts Commission is looking for artists to exhibit in their fine arts gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library in 2002.

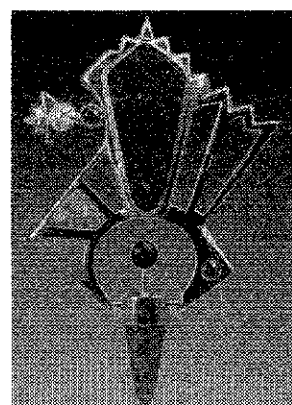
Each month, the arts commission presents solo or group shows as part of their ongoing mission to bring the best in fine art to the city. Original paintings, drawings and three-dimensional work are all welcome and have been shown in the gallery since its inception.

For more information or to apply, call the city's community resources department at (734) 466-2536.

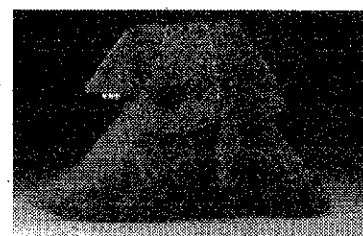


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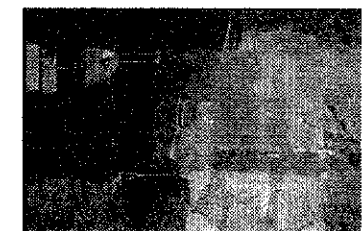
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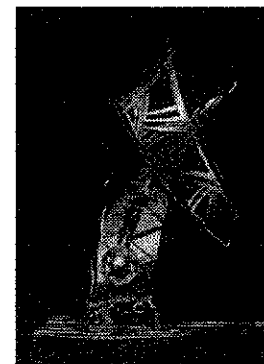
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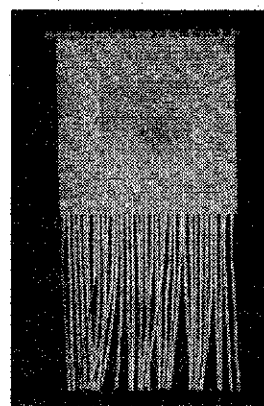
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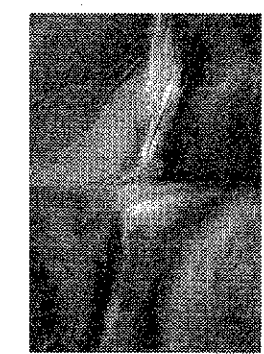
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"toire and work ethic. I learned that researching and playing new tunes is important for a jazz musician. Learning was just not my job but my hobby, too. It's very important to bring new material to the group."

Keller describes the quartet as having a George Shearing sound with vibraphone by Kocher.

"We're fond of standards," said Keller. "We'll play a tune somebody recognizes, then a tune

nobody recognizes, and a few of the originals from our CD *Pipe and Slippers*."

Challenging music

"It's easy to listen to, but it would be wrong to call it easy listening music. It's full of challenges," added Kocher who also plays vibes with Los Gatos every Wednesday night at the Bird of Paradise in Ann Arbor. "But after about 22 years, Paul and I

see eye to eye on a lot of stuff."

Including fatherhood. Like Keller, Kocher is looking forward to his first Father's Day.

"I'm the last guy in the group to join the daddy club and I love every second of it, changing every poop diaper," said Kocher, a middle school music teacher in Ann Arbor. "It's a family affair and how appropriate that we have four families to bring together that day."



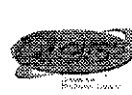
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If you have traveled to New York City, Los Angeles or Italy, you know street fairs and street vendors are the best sources for designer knock-offs.

Inspired by today's hottest labels and fashion trends, knock-offs offer designer looks at affordable prices. These goods are in no way affiliated with

the designers they mimic but make for the ultimate experience in comparison shopping.

So if you don't have a plane ticket in hand or desire to scour city streets in search of these bargains, shop the world of knock-offs from your desk top. Or, if you are clamoring for a designer piece, from Kate Spade to Gucci, grab your mouse and head to my newest favorite shopping web site, anyknockoff.com.

I recommend browsing the site by merchandise category, such as belts, shoes, purses or fragrances, depending on your interests.

I also suggest signing up for the web site's newsletter. And, for users who don't find the knock-off for which they are looking, the site accepts requests and descriptions of trends that customers are interested in seeing duplicated.

Keep in mind anyknockoff.com does not make promises about or offer warranties on merchandise. It also sells goods on an as-is basis.

On the other hand, if you buy a knock-off on the street, the same policies apply.

Here are a few of my picks from a recent visit to anyknockoff.com. for wear and use this summer:

■ A narrow "G" unisex belt inspired by Gucci with brushed alloy "G" buckle and a cut-to-fit leather belt strap that measures three quarters of an inch in width. It's priced at \$21, while the designer original runs \$275.

■ A neoprene tote inspired by Prada is priced \$37.00. Original designs run \$375.

■ A neoprene hobo bag, also inspired by Prada, sells for \$44, whereas original versions cost \$575.

■ A summer tote inspired by Burberry has a price tag of \$44. Compare that to \$350 for the original.

■ A miniature modern wallet inspired by Gucci is priced at \$17, much less than the original at about \$100.

Cari Waldman of West Bloomfield is a free-lance writer and stylist. Please send your Internet shopping questions to Cari at OECYBERSHOP@AOL.COM.

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Form and function

Makeup artist who dabbled in making jewelry stumbles on big idea



STAFF PHOTOS BY TOM HOFFMEYER

Magnetic idea: Amy Regal of Sylvan Lake presents pieces from her line of magnetic jewelry, AR Fusion. Regal, who works as a makeup artist at Silvin Limited Salon in West Bloomfield, stumbled on the concept while making a bracelet for a salon client. Regal's bracelets click together to form necklaces.

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Amy Regal, a makeup artist at Silvin Limited Salon in West Bloomfield, has been taking turns at making jewelry all her life.

And though she's always sold jewelry, some her own creations, from display cases beside her salon work station, her most recent turn has net a business ripe with potential.

Since it wasn't uncommon for clients to ask Regal to make custom jewelry, one brought in a photograph of an expensive bracelet she liked and inquired whether it could be duplicated.

Regal, who lives part time in Sylvan Lake and Boca Raton, gave the project her best effort. Her client loved the bracelet and ordered a second, slightly different, one. Then a funny thing happened when Regal, who had used magnetic clasps on the pieces, brought the two bracelets in for her client's approval. As the client was walking out the door of the salon, she turned around and from across the room requested that Regal make sure the two bracelets were the same length.

Hoping they already were, Regal held up the bracelets and, as

serendipity would have it, the magnetic clasps clicked together, forming a choker-length necklace.

"I rule!" Regal recalls her reaction. Instant realization she had stumbled on a big idea, jewelry components that can be put together and pulled apart to create different pieces and wear in a variety of ways.

Today, Regal is looking forward to a formal showing of her work and speaking with Neiman Marcus about a fall trunk show at the retailer's store at the Somerset Collection in Troy.

"I'm just so excited," says Regal, who has dubbed her concept and jewelry collection AR Fusion.

In the meantime, Regal is feverishly developing the concept of magnetic jewelry, given the potential benefits.

Some individuals believe magnets alleviate arthritis. But most women have struggled with the clasps on necklaces and bracelets.

"So not only did I eliminate the need for a husband, but you can pick up a whole new set of silverware on the way out of a restaurant," jokes Regal.

In addition to bracelet sets that click together to form necklaces, Regal is currently making belts, disco purses, earrings and extension components. Most of her

designs, which run \$85-1,000, feature sterling silver, cultured and freshwater pearls and marcasite.

She also works with Czech and Chinese glass beads, Swarovski crystals and 14-karat gold plated beads. One series of pieces is solely comprised of sterling silver and gold-plated beads.

The bracelets and extension pieces can be put together and purchased in an infinite number of combinations.

However, Regal suggests buying a set of three bracelets, one dressy, one casual and a third that suits both pieces. Wearers can form one 15-inch choker with two of Regal's bracelets. With three, they can make one 22-inch necklace or two different 15-inch chokers.

Regal also makes bracelets in sets of three designed to complement one another and provide wardrobe versatility.

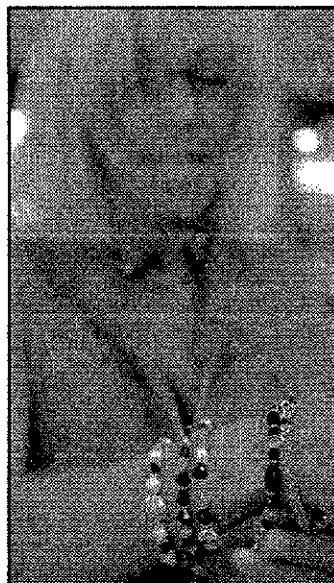
"Mostly, I've been working on pieces I can replicate and mass produce. My desire is to sell them through stores on a wholesale level."

Still, Regal can't help but experiment. "I didn't have belts a month ago. I didn't have earrings a week ago," she remarks.

Indeed, her approach entails both having fun with AR Fusion and treating it as a viable business. On the one hand, she's spoken with an agent, on the other, she's sold bracelets off her wrist in the lady's room of a bar.

"Where would I ultimately like to be? In a department store, of course. Right now, I'm just riding the wave."

To order AR Fusion jewelry or obtain additional information, call toll-free (866) 611-9300 or visit www.ARFusion.com on the Internet.



Three in one: The bracelets in Regal's jewelry collection click together to form necklaces of different lengths.

Retail, style and special store events are listed in this calendar. Please send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/o Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. By fax, (248) 644-1314. E-mail, nstafford@oe.homecomm.net. Deadline for publication is two weeks in advance.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

GOLF GIVEAWAY

Stop by any local Art Van Furniture store and register to win a golf getaway package at Shanty Creek including a 2-night stay and 2 rounds of golf for two people. Register through June 17. For details, call store nearest you: (734) 478-8870 in Livonia; (248) 549-2900 in Royal Oak; (248) 569-3770 in Southfield; (248) 674-4731 in Waterford and (734) 425-9600 in Westland.

HOME & GARDEN SHOW

The Somerset Collection's Home & Garden Show 2001 continues through June 24, North Grand Court. The event features a two-story Italian-style home facade and a 5,000-square-foot garden. For more details, call (248) 643-6390.

MONDAY, JUNE 4

MAMMOGRAM TESTING

The Karmanos Cancer Institute mammography van visits the Women's Health Boutique, 31209 Plymouth Road in Livonia, to administer mammograms and distribute breast health awareness information.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

To schedule a mammogram or obtain additional information, call (734) 762-9324.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

COSMETICS EVENT

Bring your favorite cosmetic to the Nars beauty counter at Saks Fifth Avenue, the Somerset Collection in Troy, and a Nars makeup artist will incorporate it into a new look for summer, through June 9, Cosmetics & Fragrances, first floor. Call (248) 614-3356 to book an appointment.

JEWELRY TRUNK SHOW

Saks Fifth Avenue, the Somerset Collection in Troy, hosts a trunk show of Roberto Coin fine jewelry with a designer representative, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. through June 9, Fine Jewelry Collection, first floor. To schedule a personal appointment, call (248) 643-9000 ext. 219.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

FAMILY BINGO AT MALL

Livonia Mall hosts family bingo with prizes, 11 a.m., free to the public. For more information, call (248) 476-1160.

RETAIL BENEFIT EVENT

Roz & Sherm, 6536 Telegraph Road in Bloomfield Township, hosts the 3rd Annual Michigan Parkinson Foundation Art of Food and Wine event, 7-9 p.m. Tickets are \$75 and include wine tasting, hors d'oeuvres, coffee and dessert. To reserve tickets, call (248) 433-1011 or (800) 852-9781.

SATURDAY, JUNE 14

DANA BUCHMAN COLLECTION

View Dana Buchman's fall 2001 special order collection including misses, petites and plus sizes, with assistance from a designer representative, through June 16, Designer Bridge Sportswear, second floor. To schedule an appointment, call (248) 614-3340.

SUNDAY, JUNE 15

SPORTS SHOW

Livonia Mall hosts a sports card and collectibles show with autograph signers for Father's Day weekend, through June 17. Mall hours are 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. For additional information, call (248) 476-1160.

ANNUAL JEAN TRADE-IN

Guys N' Gals clothing store at 6333 Orchard Lake Road in West Bloomfield sponsors their 12th annual jean trade-in clothing drive, 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Exchange clean, used jeans without holes for a new pair at half the retail price. Collected jeans are given to Oakland County's homeless population. For additional information, call (248) 851-1260.

WHERE CAN I FIND?

This interactive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that's difficult to find through reader feedback.

If you have a request or information about where a product is sold or service is available, call (248) 901-2555 and leave a message with your name and phone number.

Please be patient about your requests and feedback; we receive an overwhelming number of phone calls. If you don't see information about your request, we couldn't find it. Requests are published twice.

WHAT WE FOUND:

Size 4 stretch elastic slim leg pants can be purchased at Guys 'N Gals in the Orchard Mall in West Bloomfield.

Black toe socks can be purchased at the J.C. Penney store at Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi.

An old-fashioned hamburger press can be purchased at the Town Peddler Antique & Craft Mall (booth #1373) on Plymouth and Levan roads in Livonia.

A Sony Beta Max tape machine can be purchased at Spinning Jenny's Antique Mall on Dixie Highway in Clarkston, call (248) 623-3250.

Snackwell cereal bars are now made by Nabisco under the label Fruit & Grain cereal bars.

Women's travel clothing with pockets can be purchased through the Travel Smith catalog, call (800) 950-1600 to obtain a catalog.

WHERE CAN FIND?:

A store where an entertainment center that is made from metal or has a metal exterior (such as brushed stainless steel) can be purchased.

A store where the

out-of-print book *The Uncommon Gourmet* is available for purchase.

A store or business in Oakland County that repairs sterling silver jewelry.

A store that sells neutral color rugs made from a combination of sisal and wool.

A store that sells women's Daniel Green slippers for Sylvia, a resident of West Bloomfield.

A store that sells Faberge Organics shampoo for Eileen, who resides in West Bloomfield.

A store that sells Ben & Jerry's hot fudge sauce for Anne, a resident of Plymouth.

A store where a stirring spoon that hooks on to the side of a pot can be purchased for Connie, a resident of Livonia.

A store that sells Right Guard stick deodorant in Original scent (with a copper cap) for Tim.

A company or business that will rebuild sprinkler heads for 6-inch Rain Bird copper lawn sprinkler for Ronald.

A store where Schweppes Bitter Lemon carbonated drink is available to purchase for Marge.

A store where men's elevator shoes can be purchased for A.J.

A store where a 6-cup Corning teapot can be bought for Mary Ann, a resident of Garden City.

A store where a videocassette tape of the Rod Steiger movie *The Loved Ones* can be bought for Harold.

A store that sells hard licorice stick candy (1/2-by-4 inches) for John, who resides in Troy.

A store where the old Dick and Jane reading books are

available for purchase for Sharon.

A store that sells Disney's *Out and About with Pooh*, a set of 18 books published in 1986 (Grill & Learn Library) for Terri, a resident of Livonia.

A store where the book *Uncle Wiggly and His Friends* by Howard R. Garis with full color illustrations is available for purchase for June, who resides in Waterford.

A store that sells a cat statue that can be placed in a window to scare away birds.

A store that sells women's travel clothing with hidden pockets for Bonnie, a resident of West Bloomfield.

A store that sells women's Levi jeans in petite size 4 in a medium length for Janice.

A store that sells Irish Spring liquid soap for Ed.

A store that sells salt-free potato chips (a brand other than Better Made) for Lynette.

A store where the book *Your Capital and Mine* by Ellen Hathaway can be purchased for Judy, a resident of Livonia.

A store that sells elastic shoe laces for Lottie.

A store that sells ground-up corn cobs for mulch to be used in a rose garden for Shirley, a resident of Redford.

A store that sells a tabletop battery-operated washing machine for children for Susie, a resident of Garden City.

A store where the compact disc *Introduce the New Sound* by Huntington Kats can be purchased for Diane.

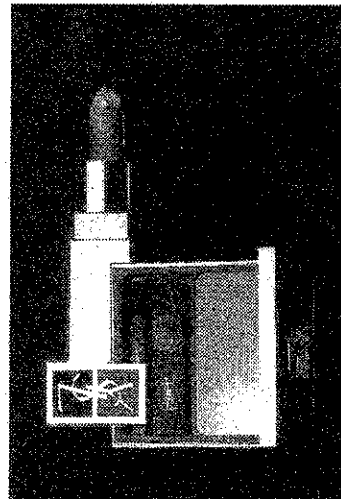
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STUFF WE CRAVE



Little hearts: Capture a little girl's heart with an antique style heart charm bracelet from *Hi Hopes*, sterling silver, \$20 in *Children's Accessories* at Jacobson's stores.



Changing faces: New from Yves Saint Laurent is *Camaieu*, a sheer wash of color that can be used on the cheekbones and eyelids, \$38, and *Fard A Levres Rouge Pur*, a marbled lipstick with colors that change, \$26, at department stores.

Mall launches e-mail bulletin service

Fairlane Town Center hopes to make shopping easier for customers with the launch of an e-mail bulletin service from its web site.

The free service automatically alerts shoppers to special deals and promotions at their favorite stores through custom weekly e-mail bulletins. The service aims to help shoppers save time and money, said Linda Rice, Fairlane Town Center's marketing director. By providing information about sales and promotions on the Internet, shoppers can decide what they want and where they want to go before arriving at the mall, she said.

Shoppers can register for and customize an e-bulletin on Fairlane's Web site at www.shopfairlane.com. Shoppers may cancel the service at any time. Once registered, e-bulletins will be received every Thursday. The bulletins contain a concise round-up of sales, special promotions and just-arrived merchandise, in addition to coupons that may be downloaded.

Every week through the end of the year, one lucky shopper who has signed up for the e-bulletin service will be chosen to win a \$250 shopping spree at the shopping mall.

Fairlane Town Center has a full-time Internet coordinator who regularly visits each of the mall's retailers and continually posts new information on the web site and data base for

the weekly e-mail bulletins.

Fairlane Town Center's web site also offers wireless applications* for accessing information via hand-held cell phones or personal digital assistants, such as a Palm Pilot. The shopping center, however, will never send unsolicited communications through wireless devices.

Shoppers who want to know more about Fairlane Town Center retailers can go to www.shopfairlane.com. The web site lists sales, featured brands and products, special events, discounts and other store-specific information for every retailer at the shopping center.

The web site also houses a pictorial gift guide categorized by ages, interests and seasons. An out-of-town visitor's page showcases package deals and special offers geared toward friends and family visiting Michigan. Other features include an e-mail gift-reminder service and the ability to purchase shopping center gift certificates on-line.

Fairlane Town Center, located just west of the Southfield Freeway, north of Michigan Avenue, in Dearborn, features more than 180 specialty shops and services as well as Saks Fifth Avenue, Hudson's, Lord & Taylor, J.C. Penney, Sears and a 21-screen Star Theatre.

For more information, please call (313) 593-1370.

Tour of metropolitan Detroit resale stores planned

For bargain hunters, shopping doesn't get any better than at a resale shop.

Nicole Christ, owner of Nicole's Revival resale clothier in Westland, has scheduled a local resale shopping tour for Friday, June 22.

Christ, who conducted her first such tour in 1994 and hosted a resale bus

tour of Paris and London, will lead the local tour of five to seven stores, including shops in Oakland County.

The tour will depart promptly at 9 a.m. from Nicole's Revival at 958 North Newburgh Road in Westland and return at approximately 5 p.m.

The tour fee of \$35 per person

includes a continental breakfast, a boxed lunch and chauffeur service on an air-conditioned bus with reclining seats. Group is limited to 47.

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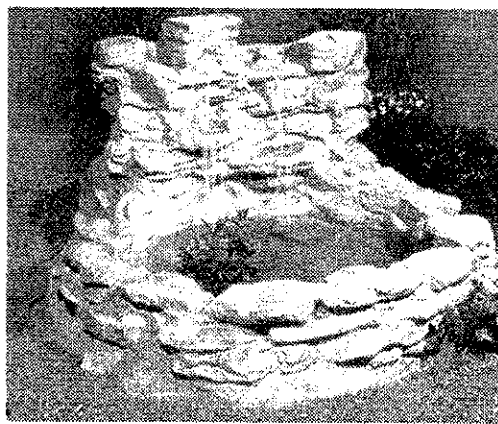
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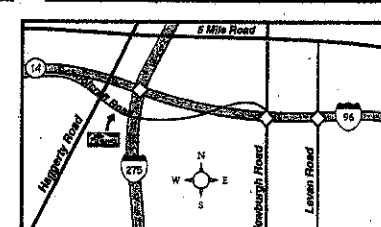
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TRAVEL

Simple charm

Bring an open mind, relaxed attitude to Punta Cana

BY LANA MINI
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American tourists altered their vacation demands when landing in the beautiful palm thatched roof airport of Punta Cana in the Dominican Republic.

As tourists, they were outnumbered by European visitors whose travel desires tend to vary from what Americans expect. They don't ask for much; just the beach, a simple room, a meal and to be left alone.

The Dominican Republic's style meshes well with Europeans.

Laid-back. Relaxed. Slow. Bilingual, with very little English. Clean and basic accommodations.

An example of life at a Dominican Republic resort:

When a desk clerk is on a personal telephone call, tourists need to relax and wait for the conversation to end.

No problem. Just smile and you'll get one in return. Try to speak Spanish. Europeans showed no problem with this. Americans did. Show patience and be treated as a friend in this land where merengue dance was invented and culture is rich.

Dominicans are educated, polite and laid-back. A country poorer than U.S., but no less in pride.

Mixing a mild breeze with 85 degree temperatures and constant sun enhances the genuine happiness of those who live there. In late April we took the last plane for the season from Detroit to Punta Cana — the lush, underdeveloped resort area on the eastern tip of the country that borders Haiti.

Punta Cana is a 25 resort town, no hotels higher than four stories, with a 40 mile stretch of white sand beach lined with coconut palm trees. Punta Cana lies where the stunning green waters of the Caribbean Sea and Atlantic Ocean meet and in April

Planning your trip

Visit

- www.mltvacations.com
- www.dominicanrepublicpage.com

Be prepared:

- Tip the housekeeping staff a dollar a day, and they'll fill your room refrigerator with bottled water, beer and soda.
- Drink only bottled water available at all the resorts or purified water from the resorts.
- Bring insect repellent. Punta Cana is environmentally friendly meaning there aren't a lot of pesticides used here. We were bitten our first day by "no-see-um" bugs and awoke with big welts on our legs. After using the repellent, we had no problems.
- Take a tour on The Monster Jeep Safari. An 8 by 8 old U.S. Army Jeep will take visitors through Higüey, into the mountains where guests can actually go into the homes of friendly locals, hear live local music, sample Dominican Republic coffee, then lay by a river in hammocks and enjoy lunch outdoors. The trip also took us to an authentic Voodoo house.
- Warning: It also took us to a cock-fight demonstration, legal in the country, which upset most guests.
- Bring lots of single dollar bills or toys; you'll want to give something to the young children who greet you at each stop. As the day goes on, and the deeper into the mountains you drive the poorer the children become.
- Treat locals with respect. The Dominicans are educated — often learning up to five languages by the time they turn 18.
- You will see the same waitstaff throughout the week at your hotel's restaurants. Tip early on and you will be treated with extra-courtesy.
- Learn a little Spanish; even if just the basics. Show a little effort to communicate and you'll make friends.

there were few ripples and no undertow. While tourism is the largest industry in the country, Punta Cana is less than 12 years old. And it's safe.

Resorts

Punta Cana is strictly a beach resort city. It's mellow and charming.

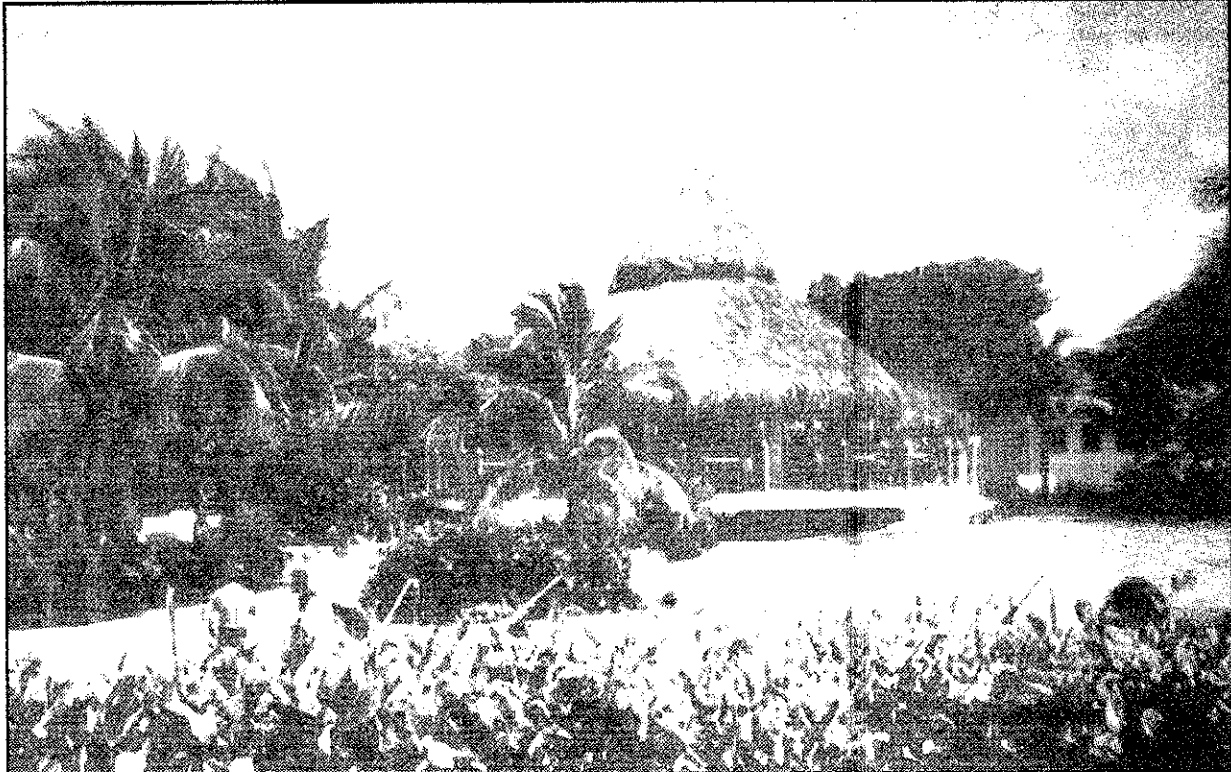
Cabs and guided tours can take visitors to the small but busy city of Higüey about an hour away where locals and tourists together enjoy El Presidente beer in outdoor verandas, or shop in open-air markets. But in Punta Cana itself, daytime choices are beach and boat related. (For golfers, the place to visit is the resort area of Capatzen on the northern side of the island about nine hours away.)

We stayed at the Villas Bavaro

Beach Resort, an all-inclusive hotel with little pink, green and yellow wooden buildings nestled amongst lush vegetation of the huge property. Our room was wonderfully basic: Bed, small refrigerator, small bathroom and closet. Three hotels are spread on the beautiful Bavaro property meaning we had access to all of its restaurants — two buffets and a sit-down international restaurant right on the beach — under the stars. The pools are stunning, surrounded by terracotta-colored brick floors and outdoor bars.

Daytime is for sunbathing, swimming or boat tours. We took the motorboat and pontoon. (You'll

drink rum concoctions, lounge and dance under the palm-made roof of the huge pontoon-style



Relaxation: A bar with a palm-thatched roof sits above the pools at the Villas Bavaro Beach resort in Punta Cana. Near the pool, also outdoors, is an entertainment area where live bands play jazz music at dinner and upbeat Latino music afterward.

boat. Snorkeling is good, but not as vivid as Cozumel.

At the beach, a five minute walk from our hotel, or tram ride away, we found enough lounge chairs to accommodate every guest — most being German or French as Americans make up less than 12 percent of tourists.

When the hotel shows end around 11 p.m., most guests are tired from the sun and go to bed. Some party-goers, however, walk to the outdoor beach disco for techno-flamenco and reggae music. When that ends about 2 a.m. night owls take a \$10 cab to the Mangu nightclub about 10 minutes away where music and dancing lasts until everyone leaves. It's the hottest nightclub in the Dominican Republic.

A quiet vacation

Punta Cana isn't a wild Spring Break destination like Cancun. To get anywhere outside the resort, a bus or cab is needed. Life is quiet at night with just a few discos and casinos. Beaches are relaxing for adults and children and etiquette is shaped by the European tourists, meaning mostly topless and tranquil.

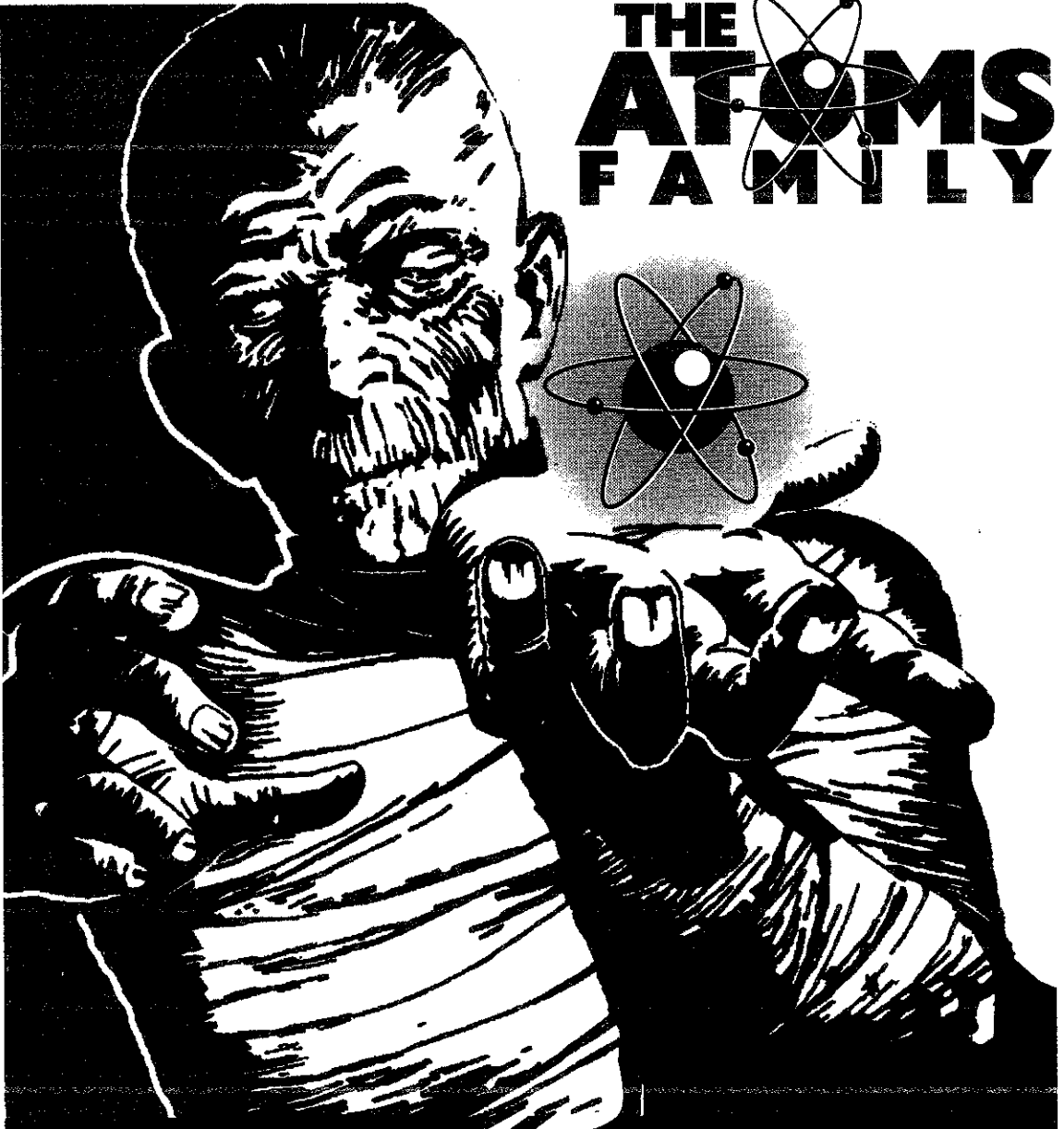
And thankfully this rich-in-culture country is keeping its Dominican style when it comes to dining:

No American food here except hamburgers or pizza on the beach at lunch. Dinners are wonderful spicy beans, rice, stewed vegetables, fried plantain, Mangu (mashed plantain similar to the Dominican mofongo) and

soups. Lots of cinnamon desserts. We had no problem maintaining our vegetarians diets. Carnivores, however, often dined on goat and lamb.

Shopping

Be sure to purchase a piece of rare jewelry made with the stunning Larimar stone, that is mined nowhere else on Earth except this island. The beautiful light blue opaque stone resembles the color of the ocean waters. Set in Sterling silver, be prepared to barter, but not like in Cancun because prices are already cheaper here. If they offer \$80, offer \$20 less. One American dollar is currently worth 16 D.R. pesos.



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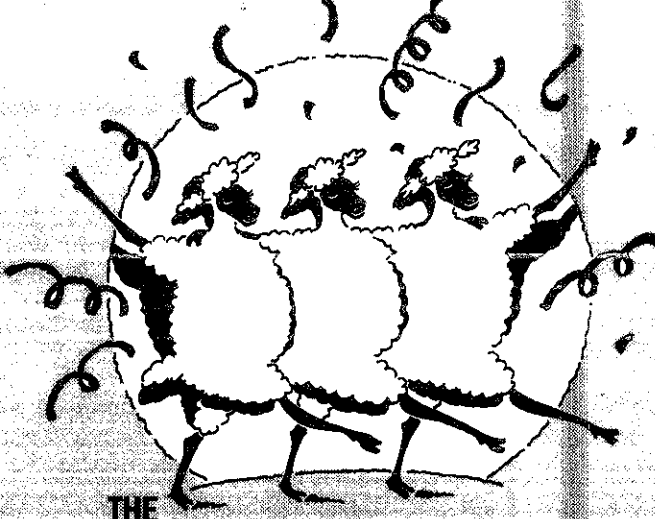
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Images, variety flavor the wines from Bordeaux

What's the first image that comes to mind if we say Bordeaux? A French city? Bottle shape? Wine blend? Chateaux? Unique taste?

Check all of the above and you have the number of images we'll try to cover in a short space.

The Bordeaux wine region surrounds the port city of Bordeaux in southwest France, 300 miles from Paris. As the center of the wine trade, its many warehouses store precious cargo from the largest and most important wine producing region of France.

Bordeaux blends

Regardless of where in the world a cabernet sauvignon or merlot-based wine is made, it invariably comes in a "Bordeaux-bottle," recognized by its long neck, square shoulders and straight sides. When the wine is also Bordeaux-based, French tradition is upheld.

Bordeaux wines are blends. Long ago, Bordeaux producers learned that a blend of cabernet and merlot and often cabernet franc made a more complex wine that tastes better.

Variety is the spice of life. One grape may contribute generous fruit or acidity, another body or certain spice component. The blended wine is the whole that is now better than the sum of its parts. Blending is at the heart of the wines of Bordeaux.

In Bordeaux, the wineries are called chateaux. Some are small, some large, some lived in, some not. In older chateaux, it may no longer be possible to make wine by high-tech methods, so it is made at a conventional modern facility. Nevertheless, the chateau remains the symbol of Bordeaux.

Use of chateau names and not varietal grape names on Bordeaux labels may cause neophyte confusion. But once you learn that the red wines are generally blends of cabernet, merlot and sometimes cabernet franc, and white wines are a sauvignon blanc and semillon blend, all you need do is learn what you like and remember the chateau name. Simple enough.

Unique tastes

Now things get more complicated. The Bordeaux region is divided into a number of appellations, principally based on the mystical French word terroir (tair-wahr), a quintessential French holistic concept, describing dynamic characteristics of wine inherited from vineyard environment.

Bordeaux wines are sometimes described as Old World in comparison to California as New World. California's climate promotes fruitier wines.

Bordeaux wines struggle for ripeness in cooler years and there is greater vintage variation than in California.

Herein lies a problem — the vintage seekers. They buy top Bordeaux wines only in the best vintages. They follow some wine press who rate the wines when they've barely finished fermenting.

Ignore this. It does not represent the majority of Bordeaux wines that today, when compared to the escalating price of California wines, are best buys.

Today's "Wine Picks" include many, from incidentally, the grand 1998 vintage.

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A DOMINICAN FIESTA

SIMPLE INGREDIENTS MAKE-UP TRADITIONAL CARIBBEAN DISHES

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In some countries mealtime, everyday, is a big event. Hearty meals with friends or family at breakfast, lunch or dinner is commonplace in the Dominican Republic.

Work hard, but remember to enjoy a leisurely meal.

No modern day high-protein/low-carb diets in this land of hot sun and cool breezes and still the people are healthy. Food on this proud tropical island, connected to Haiti, is very carbohydrate-based — and the ingredients are equally basic.

Sometimes the Dominicans accuse Americans of over-complicating life — including our recipes. Their meals contain simple ingredients and are interesting and truly delicious.

On the eastern end of the Dominican Republic lies the small but vibrant city of Higüey; about 20 minutes from the Caribbean sea and two hours from Santo Domingo, the country's busy capital. Higüey residents will dine on beef and goat, but vegetarian tourists there find many plant-based meals.

Plantain is a staple. So are black beans, mango, rice and coconut.

The dish of mangu is as popular to Dominicans as pasta is to Italians. Made from those wonderful plantain bananas that grow there in abundance; it's stirred with milk, cheese, celery and onion. It's the Dominicans' version of mashed potatoes when served hot. Chilled, it's similar to potato salad. Mangu is easy to make, healthy and inexpensive for the eight million people of this island. Mangu is so popular, the hottest nightclub in the area shares the same name.

While plantains for mangu are cooked while the fruit is quite raw and skins still green; plantain fried for breakfast is made with ripe fruit and skins very brown. Either way, it doesn't peel easily like a typical banana. A knife is needed and the plantain is very firm and starchy.

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Friendly and excited to discuss their lifestyles, the people of Higüey freely share their favorite recipes with tourists. Another popular dish is Higüey Rice. Made from corn oil, grated carrots, vegetable broth and rice the dish takes on a shade of orange — like the color of the sun.

To top the rice is the perfectly easy-to-prepare Dominican Black bean dish — simmered with tomatoes, pumpkin, onions and garlic. Serve with a side of green salad and mango-coconut juice and the meal is a perfect representation of this predominately Spanish-speaking West Indies country.

Want to throw a real Caribbean party this summer? Serve the rice & beans, Mangu and juice and after dinner do what many Dominicans do — eat a whole lot of delicious food you can spare to your companion dog or a stray animal in need. Good karma.

The following recipes are provided from residents of Higüey and from the Villas Bavaro Hotel in Punta Cana. The dishes are traditional Dominican-style and similar plates can be found at www.dominicanrepublicpage.com

MANGU

DISH OF THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

5 green, peeled plantain bananas cut
4 tablespoons margarine
1/2 onion chopped (optional)
3/4 cup dairy (or soy) sour cream
dash of salt
1 cup dairy (or soy) milk
1/2 cup water
1/2 cup celery, chopped (optional)

Place plantain in large saucepan and fill with water. Add a dash of salt. Boil for 15 minutes and fill with water again to keep plantain covered (evaporation may occur or fruit might absorb



STAFF PHOTO BY JERRY ZOLINSKY

Dominican flair: Plantain, rice, mango, coconut, carrots and black beans are basic staples in breakfast and dinner in the Dominican Republic. When skins are green and fruit is raw, plantain is mashed for the country's most popular dish called Mangu. When its ripe and skins brown, plantain is sliced fried. Rice, topped with simmered black beans; mangu and mango-coconut juice make a traditional meal.

water.) Boil another 40 minutes or until fruit feels soft enough to mash.

Drain water, rinse away any black residue that may have developed during the boiling process. This residue is merely the inside of the peels that may have stuck to the fruit.

The goal is to mash the plantain as Americans would do to potatoes. Because plantain are so thick, you may want to begin by mashing with a hand masher. Then, add soy or dairy milk and 1/2 c. water to help soften the fruit and switch to an electric hand mixer and beat for a smoother consistency. Add sour cream and margarine.

Stir in onions and celery (both optional.) Serve cold as you would potato salad, or warm as you would mashed potatoes. Holds well for several days. Makes at least 6 large side dishes.

DOMINICAN BLACK BEANS

1 can black beans (strained)
2 1/2 cans of water
3/4 cup pumpkin (canned is easiest to use. Or use fresh pumpkin by cooking it in saucepan for 15 minutes on medium-heat with a dash of olive oil. Then mash and simmer with the rest

of the ingredients)
1 cube vegetable bouillon
1 white onion, chopped
5 cherry tomatoes sliced
2 teaspoon tomato paste
2 teaspoon oregano
1 1/2 - 2 cloves garlic chopped
Dash of pepper

In medium-sized saucepan place tomato paste, pumpkin, garlic, pepper, vegetable broth, onion and oregano. Cook on medium and stir for about two minutes. Add beans and water. Cover and cook medium-low flame for about 25 minutes. With fresh or canned pumpkin continue to simmer low for additional 18 minutes. Serve over Higüey Rice.

HIGÜEY RICE

1 cup white rice (washed with water)
2 carrots, grated
1 cup water
1 1/2 tablespoon of margarine
2 tablespoons vegetable oil
1 cup vegetable broth
two pinches saffron

In a saucepan add oil, saffron and

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When summer arrives, it's time to change

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■ Eat least three vegetarian meals a week — it's good for the planet and your body.

"I was always health-conscious and just loved delectable vegetarian dishes," said Barbara Beznos, a registered dietitian, and co-owner of Integrated Nutrition in Farmington Hills. Beznos has been a vegetarian for more than 27 years.

Summer's a great time to give your kitchen and diet a healthy makeover.

Here are tips to help you get started:

■ Include vegetables at both lunch and dinner, concentrate on the "superstars" such as carrots and broccoli. Try a variety of colorful salad greens, such as romaine, green and red leaf, spinach, instead of iceberg and head lettuce, which have little nutritional value.

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"I always had a flair for creating my own special dishes and it turned into a passion. Friends and family always wanted me to write them down."

In Beznos' private practice, every client leaves with a cooking tip and her enthusiasm for a new, healthier approach to life. "The vegetarian way is a nutritional powerhouse for vitamins, antioxidants, phytochemicals and disease prevention," she said.

If a vegetarian diet is new for you, Beznos recommends substituting a vegetable for meat in main dishes. For example, substitute chickpeas for meat in your favorite stew recipe. Stock your refrigerator with seasonal vegetables from the farmers markets.

Keep it simple — one vegetable combination at a time," says Beznos.

■ When baking, substitute half the fat or oil with applesauce, pureed prunes or pureed sweet potatoes. I found that WonderSlim®, a fat and egg substitute, works great in baked goods such as brownies, cookies and cakes. Plus, you get more fiber since WonderSlim is basically dried plum juice concentrate and oat fiber.

■ Don't be fat phobic. Replace saturated fats (but-

ter, cream, shortening, animal fats) with monounsaturated fats such as nuts, seeds, olives, avocados, along with olive and canola oils. These fats help you feel full after meals, help lower cholesterol and control diabetes.

Grow produce

■ Grow your own produce. Besides saving money and avoiding pesticides, gardening is relaxing and gives you a sense of accomplishment.

■ Change your breakfast. If you're currently eating bacon and eggs, try lighter foods instead.

For a healthy summer breakfast, Patricia Covert,

a registered dietitian and co-owner of Integrated Nutrition, recommends whole wheat toast with a little jam and walnuts (for the Omega-3 fatty acids), plus a bowl of fresh fruit; an egg white omelet with spinach, tomatoes, peppers, mushrooms, whole wheat English muffin and a glass of orange juice; or a bowl of oatmeal or grits.

Beverly Price is a registered dietitian and exercise physiologist. Look for her column on the first Sunday of each month in Taste. For information visit www.integratednutrition.com

See related recipes inside Taste.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

HONEYED LAMB WITH COUSCOUS

- 2 large cloves garlic
- 1 pound lean ground lamb
- 1/4 cup honey
- 1 egg
- 2-1/2 teaspoons curry powder
- 1-1/2 teaspoons salt
- 3/4 teaspoon ground cumin
- 1/8 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 3 medium sweet bell peppers, mixed red, green and yellow, cut into thin strips
- 1 teaspoon olive oil
- Honey Lemon Sauce (recipe follows)
- 4 cups cooked couscous

Preheat oven to 375 F. Lightly

HONEY LEMON SAUCE

1/3 cup fresh lemon juice
1/4 cup honey
2 tablespoons olive oil
2 garlic cloves, finely
chopped
3/4 teaspoon ground cumin
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/8 teaspoon cayenne

Recipe from National Honey Board. On the Net: www.honey.com

1 clove garlic, sliced
1/2 large sweet Vidalia
onion, diced
1/4 cup marinara sauce
3 tablespoons olive oil
2 cups vegetable or chicken
broth
Seasoning to your taste
Fresh herbs or herb soup
starter

Cook in pressure cooker or covered pan 10-20 minutes until soft.

Serve over arborio soft rice.

4-6 small leeks
1 pound mixed wild mushrooms (crimini, shitake or oyster)
1/2 cup chopped red tomatoes
1/4 cup olive oil
Salt and pepper to taste
1 clove garlic, chopped
Fresh herbs (parsley, dill or any combination)
Broth (Vegetable or chicken for basting)

Simmer for 30 minute and when almost done, add herbs of

- 2 long, thin sweet potatoes, peeled and chopped
- 3 long, thin purple eggplants, cut into small pieces, and if so desired, peeled
- 1 large green pepper, sliced
- 1 large red pepper, sliced
- 2 medium tomatoes, chopped

Three ripe plantains (skins brown/yellow)
1 cup corn oil
Cinnamon
Raw sugar cane (optional)

Peel the plantain with a knife. Slice in circular pieces about 1/2 - 3/4 inch thick. In medium-size frying pan, heat corn oil in frying pan until it sizzles (on medium heat). Fry plantain in oil for two minutes or more. Make sure bottom of fruit doesn't burn. Before turning fruit over check the bottom, plantain should be very dark brown. Slight burning on the edges is fine. Fry the other side until it also turns dark brown, about two minutes or more. When the fruit is dark golden brown, remove from oil.

3 mangos peeled and cut in pieces
1/2 fresh coconut
1 1/4 cup water

In blender, puree coconut until soft — add a dash of water if coconut sticks to blades too much. Add mangos and puree and add 1/2 cup of water to reduce thickness (more water for thinner juice, less for a thicker.) Serve immediately. Optional: 1/4 cup coconut milk can also be used and reduce water to 1/4 cup.

Boguslawski is one of 10 chefs to have the chance to win a scholarship and trip to the famed French Culinary school, Le Cordon Bleu, and a month-long apprenticeship to executive chef Diane Forley at Verbena in New York City.

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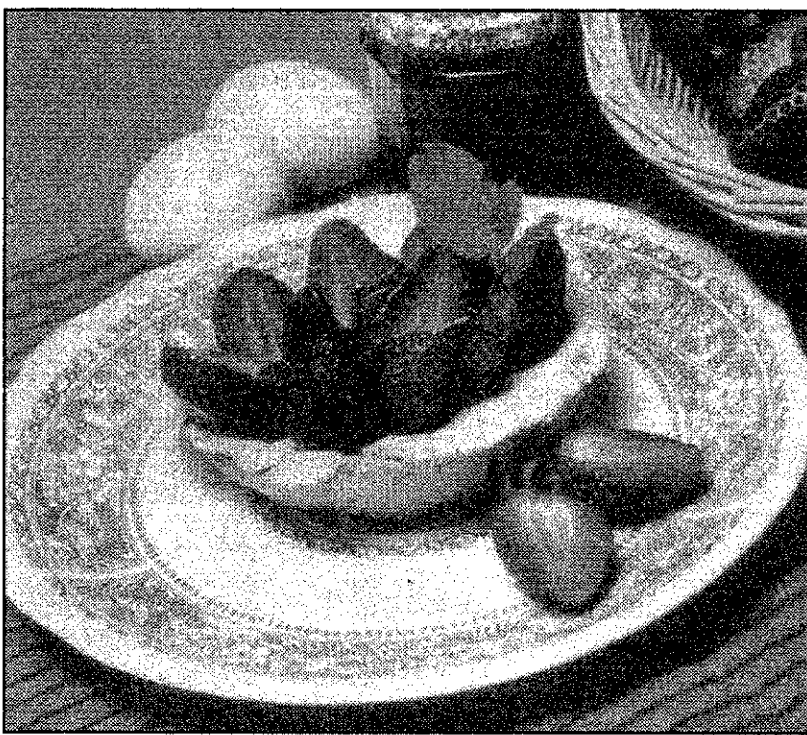
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We love strawberries because they are beautiful, nutritious and delicious. But strawberries also symbolize heart-felt ideals such as love and perfection.

In provincial France, strawberries were once regarded as an aphrodisiac and served to newlyweds in soups. In present-day America, strawberries are so treasured that many towns hold festivals to promote their harvest. And, thanks to California farmers, most of us can eat strawberries year-round no matter where we live.

Naturally sweet and juicy, these luscious berries are high in folic acid and provide a good source of dietary fiber and potassium. One serving of strawberries — about 8 medium berries — has 160 percent of the vitamin C our bodies need every day, more than an orange. All of these wonderful nutrients, which may help keep certain cancers at bay, are packed into just 45 calories.

Most supermarkets carry both fresh and frozen strawberries. Be careful taking fresh strawber-

ries home because they bruise easily. They are best stored unwashed in a large container lined with paper toweling.

Wash them just before using. Strawberries taste best at room temperature. You can freeze them for up to a year in an airtight bag, allowing one inch of head space.

Strawberries are an excellent addition to any meal — and not just for dessert. Add them to cereal, non-fat yogurt or salads. For an elegant fruit salad, combine strawberries with blueberries, oranges and melon, add a dressing of orange juice and honey, then finish with a sprinkling of chopped fresh mint leaves. Make a berry smoothie for a quick breakfast drink "to go." Combine frozen strawberries with a banana and a little orange juice in a blender and purée.

Make strawberry ice cream sandwiches with your kids by mixing sliced strawberries with plain or vanilla yogurt, spreading the mix in between two gra-

ham crackers, and then placing the sandwiches in the freezer until firm.

Adults can enjoy the traditional richness of strawberry pie, minus the extra calories and fat, with this airy version that ensures the best of both worlds — nutrition and good taste.

STRAWBERRY DREAMS

1/2 cup superfine sugar
1/4 teaspoon cream of tartar
4 large egg whites (1/2 cup) at room temperature
1-1 1/2 pints rinsed and hulled small strawberries
1/3 cup strawberry jelly

Make meringue shells the day before filling. Preheat oven to very low heat (200 to 275 degrees).

Sift sugar with cream of tartar. Beat whites with electric beater, first at low speed until frothy, then at high speed until stiff but not dry. Slowly add sugar mixture, beating until stiff and glossy.

Spoon mixture into 6 individual tart pans coated with spray canola

oil. (Alternately, shape meringue with spoons into free-form nests on non-stick baking sheets sprayed with oil. Bake until dry and crisp but uncolored, 1 to 2 hours, depending on oven heat and size of shells.

Shut off oven and allow shells to cool inside, preferably overnight. Carefully remove shells from pans (if used) and store in air-tight containers until ready to serve.

Just before serving time, cut strawberries lengthwise in halves. Melt jelly in microwave and pour just enough into bottom of shells to thinly cover. Arrange berries vertically in shells, stem-side down, in a circular pattern with cut sides facing inward. Spoon melted jelly over berries to form thin film of glaze. Serve immediately. Makes 6 servings.

Nutritional information per serving: 113 calories, 0 g. fat (0 g. saturated fat), 25 g. carbohydrate, 3 g. protein, 1 g. dietary fiber, 46 mg. sodium.

Recipe courtesy of American Institute for Cancer Research.

WHAT'S COOKING

Send items for Taste calendar at least two weeks in advance of event to Ken Abramczyk, Taste Editor, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150.

KITCHEN WITCH

The Kitchen Witch, 134 E. Main in Northville offers cooking classes, including one about Italian cooking from Ernesto's Trattoria with Chef Robert Gascoigne, who instructs 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, June 5. Gascoigne will discuss and prepare tortellini arrabiata, julienne savoy cabbage salad with genoa salami and bruschetta with roma tomatoes, fresh herbs and mozzarella. Learn about throwing your own tea party with Michele Bommarito as she shares recipes for tea sandwiches, scones and petit fours 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, June 6. One week advance registration necessary. Fees are \$30 for each class. Call (248) 348-0488 for information.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Schoolcraft College, 18600 Hagerty in Livonia, now offers the following Continuing Education

classes in the culinary arts department. Students can fax, walk-in or mail and, for repeat students, they can now phone-in, to register for any of these classes. For more information, call 734-462-4448.

SUMMER REFRESHERS

Refreshing smoothies, cool coffee coolers, delicious ice cream drinks and many luscious fruit drinks will lower your temperature and help keep you cool this summer. Learn how to make these and others that will cool you off and make a splash the next time you entertain family or guests at this class taught 6-9 p.m. Wednesday, June 27. Class fee is \$50, and for seniors \$40.

MAIN ENTREES

This two-day course, taught by Chef Jeff Gabriel is scheduled for 5:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 6, and Thursday, June 7, and will instruct the students in the art of roasting, braising, sautéing and grilling meat, fish and poultry. Through demonstration and hands-on experience, students will appreciate the art of cooking the main entrée. Complementary

side dishes will be demonstrated as well as tasted. Students can create holiday meals to take home. Class fee is \$160, for seniors, \$128.

QUICK EASY MEALS

This course is designed for the busy person who would like to create elegant meals using simple techniques with products from local supermarkets. The chef will demonstrate many dishes including soups, salads, entrees and simple desserts. There will be substantial tastings of dishes prepared and recipes will be shared. Taught by Chef Gabriel, the class meets 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 9. Class fee is \$70, for seniors, \$56.

SCONES, QUICK BREADS AND MUFFINS

When you say, "I'm going to bake," does that usually mean opening a box, adding an egg and some water, and 30 minutes later you're done? Change that scenario by learning how to make your own sweet savory scones, muffins, and quick breads at home...from scratch in this class 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, June 19. Class fee is \$50, \$40 for seniors.

Start off learning the difference between quick batters and yeast batters. Realize the advantages of quick breads, their convenience, nutritional benefits, and their versatility. Create poppin' fresh muffins and scones you and your family will enjoy. End the box-baking syndrome... forever.

FRESH SALADS

Learn to create salads you'll be proud to serve from this class 6-9 p.m. Thursday, July 26. Salad types such as composed salads, entree salads, and side salads, pasta and rice salads, and what salad would be complete without a great homemade dressing? Grace your fresh salad creation

with a vinaigrette or an emulsified dressing that will make your salad *la piece de resistance*. Class fee is \$52, \$41.60 for seniors.

SUMMER SIDES

Summer meals can sometimes be a dilemma. Learn new approaches to familiar favorite summer side dishes made with local and seasonal vegetables at a class offered 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9. By using seasonal and local varieties of produce, you will learn how to create terrific chilled and warm soups for a main meal or a side dish. Class fee is \$52, \$41.60 for seniors.

QUICK SAUCES

Dress up any plate and add flavor and moisture to all your dishes at this class taught 6-9 p.m. Thursday, July 12. From breakfast to dinner, appetizers to snacks, creating these sauces will add an exciting finishing touch to your meals. This course will teach you about lighter and modern versions of sauces.

RED WINES

Taste a wide variety of red wines from around the world. You'll discover new and exciting wines as well as some of the classics. You must be 21 or older. The class is taught for five weeks at 7-9 p.m. on Mondays, starting June 4. The course costs \$130, for seniors, \$104.

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Remembering dad

Through its Pathfinders program, Arbor Hospice and Home Care will offer a special workshop for children ages 7-13 who have experienced the death of their fathers. "The Toolbox: Building Connections at Father's Day" will take place 9:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, June 9, at Arbor Hospice Residence, 2366 Oak Valley Drive, Ann Arbor.

Under the guidance of therapists, kids will select one project and assemble it with real tools. At the workshop's conclusion, they will have an object they built themselves and a set of emotional "tools" to help them internalize the memories and lessons of their fathers. They'll learn that other kids have similar thoughts and feelings, and that resources are always available to help them.

The Pathfinders program ensures that children are cared for and supported every step of the way. The workshop cost is \$30 per child and \$15 for each additional sibling. A limited number of scholarships are available. For reservations and directions, call (734) 662-5999, Ext. 175. You may also register online at www.arborhospice.org

Way to fly!

Midwest Medflight, the air ambulance service affiliated with Saint Joseph Mercy Health System of Ann Arbor, took first place at Michigan's EMS Expo, a four-day event sponsored by the Michigan Association of Ambulance Services and the Michigan Association of Emergency Medical Technicians.

One of the most anticipated aspects of the conference is the team competition. Teams compete in all levels of licensure, from Medical First Responders to Advanced Life Support. Competition involved volunteer "patients" and procedure mannequins. Of the 19 teams from the state that competed in the Advanced Life Support division, Midwest Medflight took first place.

Midwest Medflight staff includes specially trained flight nurses, flight paramedics, dispatchers, mechanics and pilots. Nurses and paramedics have extensive certification and experience in critical care. Medflight pilots have over 3,000 hours of flight time experience.

Colon cancer screening

It is estimated that 135,400 Americans may be diagnosed with colorectal cancer this year, and 56,700 will die as a result. Oakwood Healthcare System, a member of the University of Michigan Cancer Center Network, offers awareness and screening programs at locations throughout Wayne County at no cost to the consumer.

The program targets people age 50 and older, and those at high risk for colorectal cancer. High risk factors include personal or family history of colon cancer, Crohn's disease, colitis and colon polyps. Free screening kits and information will be available at the following locations:

Wednesday, June 20 - Oakwood Annapolis Hospital, Wayne, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.

Thursday, June 21 - Oakwood Heritage Hospital, Taylor, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.

Friday, June 22 - Oakwood Healthcare Center, Canton, 9 a.m. to noon

Monday, June 25 - Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m.

Thursday, June 28 - Oakwood Healthcare Center, Southgate, 9 a.m. to noon

This quick, clean test kit is completed at home and mailed to the Oakwood Cancer Center for evaluation. Eligible participants who return the test will be entered into a drawing for a \$200 Fairlane Town Center gift certificate. For more information or to have a test kit mailed to your home, call (800)-543-WELL.

We want your health news

There are several ways you can reach the Observer Health & Fitness staff. The Sunday section provides numerous venues for you to offer newsworthy information including Medical Databook (upcoming calendar events), Medical Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field), and Medical Briefs (medical advances, short news items from hospitals, physicians, companies).

We also welcome newsworthy ideas for health and fitness related stories. To submit an item to our newspaper you can call, write, fax or e-mail us.

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Grillin' & Chillin'

Keep food safety in mind this picnic season

With outside temperatures climbing, the Wayne County Department of Public Health wants to make sure that food-borne illnesses do not spoil picnickers' warm weather fun.

"Disease-causing bacteria grow rapidly on food that is not cooked or served properly," says Steven Tackitt, Wayne County Department of Public Health's environmental health director. "Food poisoning has flu-like symptoms and can cause headaches, diarrhea, vomiting, stomach cramps and fever."

It is estimated that food-borne illnesses cause 76 million illnesses, 350,000 hospitalizations and 5,200 deaths a year in the United States. Children, the elderly, pregnant women and people with compromised immune systems are susceptible to bacterial infections.

Tackitt suggests taking these simple precautions to help reduce or eliminate your family's chances of getting a food-borne illness:

Grillin' safely

■ Don't use the same platter and utensils for raw and cooked meats and poultry.

■ Cook meat and chicken thoroughly. Use a thermometer for doneness. Red meat should be cooked at an internal temperature of 145 degrees F. It is important for hamburgers to be cooked thoroughly. Poultry should be cooked to 165 F. Properly cooked fish is opaque and flakes easily with a fork.

■ Prepare food on clean surfaces, using a diluted bleach mixture to sanitize food preparation areas (two capfuls of household bleach per gallon of water).

■ Wash hands with soap and water before and after food handling. Have towelettes on hand and if there is no running water available.

Chillin' safely

■ Never thaw foods, marinate meat or leave leftovers out at room temperature.

■ Have two insulated coolers with ice or frozen gel-packs. Use a cooler for water, juice and soft drinks and the other one for perishable foods. Having a separate cooler for drinks will help perishable foods in the other cooler stay cool.

■ Refrigerate leftovers or repack leftovers in a cooler right away. Food should not be left out for more than two hours or one hour if the temperature is above 90 degrees F.

■ Keep hot food hot and cold food cold. Tackitt adds another method for ensuring food is safe for consumption: "When in doubt, throw it out!"

Common bacteria

Bacteria that cause food-borne illnesses have big names, but they also produce some big symptoms. The *Control of Communicable Disease Manual* lists the following:

Campylobacter jejuni: These bacteria are the

■ 'Disease-causing bacteria grow rapidly on food that is not cooked or served properly.'

Steven Tackitt

Environmental Health Director,
Wayne County Department Public Health

most common cause of diarrhea. Sources: Raw and undercooked meat, poultry, raw milk and untreated water. Symptoms: Fever, headache and muscle pain followed by diarrhea (sometimes bloody), abdominal pain, nausea and vomiting. Incubation period: Two-three days; may last two to 10 days.

Salmonella: This group of organisms is the second most common cause of food-borne illness. Sources: Raw and uncooked poultry and meat, raw milk and dairy products, seafood, fruits and vegetables, improper handling of food. Symptoms: Stomach pain, diarrhea, nausea, chills, fever and headache. Incubation period: Six to 72 hours; may last several days to several weeks.

Lister monocytogenes: This organism causes

teriosis, a serious disease for pregnant women, newborns and adults with a weakened immune system. Sources: Soil, water, raw milk, soft cheese and improperly processed ice cream; raw and undercooked meat, poultry and seafood; and raw leafy vegetables. Symptoms: Fever, chills, headache, backache, sometimes abdominal pain, nausea, vomiting and diarrhea. Incubation period: Three to 70 days; may later develop more serious illness in at-risk patients (meningitis or spontaneous abortion in pregnant women).

E.coli 0157:H7: This bacterium can produce a deadly toxin. Sources: Meat, undercooked or raw hamburger, raw milk, unpasteurized apple juice or cider, uncooked fruits and vegetables, contaminated water, or person-to-person contact. Symptoms: Diarrhea or bloody diarrhea, abdominal cramps, nausea and malaise. Symptoms may last about a week in adults to three weeks in children. Incubation period: Two to eight days.

Please see GRILLING, D5

Lower the cancer risk of outdoor grilling

Just in time for this year's grilling season debut, a new brochure from the American Institute of Cancer Research (AICR), *Facts About Grilling*, tells how to minimize the health risks associated with grilling. Research has shown that the backyard grilling of meat, poultry and fish possible raises the risk of stomach, breast and colorectal cancers.

High-heat cooking methods such as grilling and broiling cause "muscle meats" like red meat, poultry and fish to produce compounds called heterocyclic amines (HCAs) that are known to be carcinogenic. Another class of carcinogens, called polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAHs), are formed when fat from meat, poultry or fish drips onto hot coals or stones. These potent carcinogens are deposited back onto food by the smoke and flame-up that blacken meat.

For these reasons, AICR has long recommended avoiding charred food and consuming grilled and broiled meat, poultry and fish only occasionally. The free *Facts About Grilling* brochure, however, incorporates recent research on the effects of various cooking methods upon cancer risk. This important new knowledge means that grilling can - with a few simple precautions - assume a place in healthy, cancer-preventive diets.

Melanie Polk, R.D., director of nutrition education at AICR, says there is no need to eliminate grilling and broiling completely. "Although animal meats are the major concern, grilled vegetables and fruits, or 'blackened' dishes, in which the seasoning is charred, present a substantially lower risk."

Recommendations

1. Grill veggies instead. Research has shown that muscle meats like beef, chicken and fish pose the largest risk of cancer-promoting HCAs when grilled.

2. Marinating meats before grilling may significantly reduce the amount of HCAs produced - in some studies, by as much as 92 percent to 99 percent.

3. Trim the fat. Choose lean, well-trimmed meats to grill, which will cause less fat to drip onto the coals (and hence fewer flame-ups.)

4. Pre-cook meat, fish and poultry in the oven or microwave, then briefly grill for flavor.

5. Keep meat portions small so they need only spend a brief time on the grill.

6. Avoid letting the juices drip into the flames or coals, which causes smoke and flare-ups. Use tong or a spatula to turn food, and cover the grill with punctured aluminum foil.

7. Flip frequently. Recent research has shown that cooking hamburger patties at lower temperature and turning them often helps prevent the formation of HCAs.

8. Remove all charred or burnt portions of food before eating.

Helpful marinades

Polk stresses, "It is still possible to enjoy barbecued meats. Marinating meats before grilling can significantly reduce the amount of carcinogen that might otherwise form."

Scientists aren't sure exactly how marinades act to reduce the formation of carcinogens. There is evidence, however, that marinades may act as a barrier or that their protective powers may lie in their ingredients. Acidic ingredients, like vinegar or citrus juices, or herbs, spices and oils all seem to contribute to the prevention of HCA formation.

About one-half cup of marinade is needed for every pound of food, although large pieces may need more to adequately cover the food's surface.

Total immersion is not necessary, but the food should be turned occasionally, so that all surfaces will be in contact with the marinade long enough to benefit. Use a non-metal container or a sturdy, resealable plastic bag to hold the marinating foods.

To receive a free copy of The Facts about Grilling, call (800) 843-8114, Ext. 06, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday-Friday.

CLASSIC MARINADE

1/2 cup rice or white wine vinegar
1 Tbsp. canola oil
1/4 cup finely chopped onion
1 small bay leaf
2 sprigs fresh (or 1/2 tsp. dried) rosemary, thyme, or oregano
2 cloves garlic, finely minced
1/2 tsp. freshly ground pepper

In a bowl, combine all ingredients until well blended. Add food to be grilled and turn several times until all sides are coated. Cover and refrigerate at least 30 minutes, occasionally turning food. So marinade is evenly distributed. Drain and discard marinade. Thread skewers with vegetables, meat or tofu. Grill, turning often to prevent charring.

Note: It is best to make separate skewers for meat and vegetables, since cooking times will vary. If desired, make additional marinade for basting. Do not baste with used marinade.

MEDICAL DATEBOOK

Items for Medical Datebook are welcome from all hospitals, physicians, companies and residents active in the Observer-area medical community. Items should be sent to: Medical Datebook, c/o The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, e-mail rskoglund@oe.homecomm.net or faxed to (734) 591-7279.

SUN, JUNE 3

CANCER SURVIVORS

The Cancer Center at Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center in Dearborn has scheduled its ninth annual Cancer Survivors Celebration noon to 2 p.m. at the Canfield Center in Dearborn Heights. The celebration includes a barbecue lunch, games, prizes, clowns, magic tricks and a tour of the fire station adjacent to the center. The event is for anyone with a history of cancer from time of diagnosis to the remainder of their life, be it months, years or decades.

Call (800) 543-WELL.

JUNE 4, 12, 18, 26

BIRTHING CENTER TOUR

Prospective and expectant parents, family members and support caregivers are invited to tour the Miracle of Life Birthing Center at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia. The tours are designed for adults and children age 10 and older. Younger children are encouraged to attend a "Sibling Class," which introduces

important child-care skills and addresses sibling issues. Participants in meet at 6 p.m. in the Pavilion Lobby. Call (734) 655-1100 or 1-800-494-1615 (out-of-town callers).

TUES, JUNE 5

TOPS

Michigan TOPS Chapter #29 will host guest speaker Betty Domeneo, president of TOPS International 6 p.m. at the Newburg Methodist Church, 36500

Ann Arbor Trail, between Wayne Road and Newburgh, Livonia. TOPS is the oldest international, non-profit, non-commercial weight-loss support group, with 10,550 chapters in the United States, Canada and other countries. Call Marie at (734) 762-0386.

CANCER SURVIVORS

The Josephine Ford Cancer Center will hold its annual Cancer Survivor's Day celebration noon to 2:30 p.m. at the Burton Manor in Livonia, 2777 Schoolcraft Road between Inkster and Middlebelt. Joe Caruso, a professional motivational speaker who survived a rare form of brain cancer, will be the featured guest. Registration is required. Call 1-888-734-5322.

WED, JUNE 6

MENOPAUSE

Did you know your brain catches fire at menopause? Join the Menopause Support Group 7-9 p.m. at the Marian Women's Center, St. Mary Mercy Hospital to discuss the books Wisdom of Menopause and Aging with Grace. Call (734) 655-1100

SUN, JUNE 3

COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE

St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, will hold a Community Open House 1-5 p.m. Sunday, June 3, marking its first anniversary as a member of Trinity Health. The public is invited to attend all events and activities, which will include hospital tours, a health fair, health screenings, U.S. Army MASH Unit demonstrations and media celebrity appearances. Prize drawings also will be held.

Please see DATEBOOK, D8

Substances under the sink can be a gateway to other drugs

Many parents worry about their children coming into contact with illegal drugs like cocaine, heroin and marijuana in school or even on the streets in their communities. But what some parents don't know is that there are other far more accessible and legal substances in their homes — right under the kitchen sink — that can be just as hazardous to a child's health as illegal drugs, when the substances are used improperly.

Abuse of common household products such as paint thinners, spray paint, shoe polish, rubber cement, glue and typewriter correction fluid, often called "huffing" or inhalant abuse, has gradually increased among the teenage population since the 1980s.

According to a nationwide survey done by the American Academy of Pediatrics, teenagers say about one-quarter of their friends have used inhalants.

And because inhalants provide the same high as illegal drugs, but are far more accessible and inexpensive, they are more likely to be abused by children and teens, especially boys, than by any other age group.

Side effects

Further, the effects of that cheap high, even after one use, can cause serious side effects including brain damage and in some cases it can result in death. To increase awareness about the potential dangers of inhalant abuse, the University of Michigan Health System's Teenage and Young Adult Program is working to inform parents and their children about its dangers and the signs to look for if they suspect their child or friends may be "huffing."

Since inhalants are volatile substances that work to stimulate, then depress the central nervous system, breathing and

other body functions, "huffing" even once can be fatal, says David Rosen, M.D., M.P.H., director of the Teenage and Young Adult Program at the U-M Health System.

"Inhalant abuse is particularly frightening to physicians because we don't have to wait for kids to become addicts before we see the effects it can have — and it often happens the first time someone uses these substances," says Rosen.

"Huffing" involves saturating a piece of cloth with the product or pouring the product into a paper bag where it quickly evaporates. By doing this, explained Rosen, the abusers can inhale the product's fumes to get high.

That high can often be a gateway to future drug use like marijuana, LSD, cocaine and heroin, even though inhalants are not being drunk, ingested or injected like many of these illegal substances.

"It's a well-supported theory that boys who start using these drugs are certainly more likely than boys who don't use them to go on and use other drugs after inhalants," says Rosen.

Symptoms

But, before that potentially deadly shift occurs, there are warning signs and symptoms that parents can watch for and be aware of if they suspect their child might be abusing inhalants. If a teenager is "huffing," there is often a distinct odor from the inhalant substance on their clothing.

Many abusers also will develop a rash or sores around their mouth from using a paper bag saturated with the inhalant. Another warning sign is an unusual number of bottles or cans of inhalants in a teen's room.

"Kids may not feel as compelled to hide the evidence of

what they're using as they would if they had marijuana, cocaine or some other illegal drugs," says Rosen. "Be suspicious when you start seeing changes in behavior, their relationship with you, school performance or in their peer groups. Whether it's inhalant abuse or some other drug, this behavior should prompt some evaluation and intervention."

Other behavior changes may include social isolation, withdrawn behavior, deteriorating school performance, an unusual insistence on privacy and new friends who do not visit your home.

If a parent suspects that a child or teen may be abusing inhalants, Rosen recommends that they consult a physician and attempt to confront their son or daughter about the problem, especially if professional assistance is needed immediately.

Possibly one of the best ways to prevent inhalant abuse, Rosen adds, is through parental supervision and on-going discussions about the effects of drugs.

Teenagers and preteens, especially those who have low self-esteem, poor judgment or little information about the potential consequences of using drugs, are most likely to become involved with inhalant abuse. So, Rosen encourages all parents to begin discussing the dangers of inhalants and drugs with their children a very early age.

"It's not too early to begin telling your kids about the dangers of drugs when they're 7, 8 or 9 years old," says Rosen. "But certainly by the time they are in middle school, when these drugs may begin to be abused, there should be discussion about the specific dangers associated with these drugs."

Facts about inhalant abuse

■ Inhalant abuse, also known as "huffing," has significantly increased among young boys since the 1980s. According to a nationwide survey done by the American Academy of Pediatrics, teenagers say about one-quarter of their friends have used inhalants.

■ Inhalants are often used as a gateway drug to other illegal substances like marijuana, cocaine or LSD.

■ Signs that a teen may be "huffing" include distinct odors from the inhalants on clothing, rashes or sores around the mouth, an unusual number of bottles or cans of inhalants in his or her room, deteriorating school performance, isolation, depression, decrease in school attendance and new friends who do not visit your home.

■ To help prevent inhalant abuse there should be parental supervision and discussion about the potential effects of inhalant and drug abuse. Discussions should begin at a very early age.

For more information, visit the following Web sites:

■ U-M Health Topics A - Z: Inhalants

www.med.umich.edu/1libr/subabuse/drugs13.htm

■ U-M Health Topics A - Z: Dealing with Substance Abuse

www.med.umich.edu/1libr/child/parent08.htm

■ U-M Health Topics A - Z: Drugs and Adolescents

www.med.umich.edu/1libr/subabuse/druguse01.htm

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Clostridium botulinum: This bacterium can produce a toxin that causes illness. Source: Soil, intestinal tract of animals and fish, improperly canned foods, garlic in oil, vacuum-packed and tightly wrapped food. Symptoms: Double vision, droopy eyelids, trouble speaking and swallowing and difficulty breathing. Incubation period: Twelve to 36 hours. Case fatality in the United States is 5-10 percent.

Clostridium perfringens: Called the "cafeteria germ"

because many outbreaks result from food left for long periods of time in steam tables or at room temperature. Source: Soil, dust, sewage, and intestinal tracts of animals and humans. Grows only in little and no oxygen. Symptoms: Diarrhea, nausea and gas pains. Symptoms may persist one to two weeks. Incubation period: Six to 24 hours.

Shigella: Found in humans intestinal tract; rarely found in animals.

Source: Person-to-person by fecal-oral route; fecal contamination

tion of food and water. Most outbreaks result from food, especially salads, prepared and handled by workers using poor personal hygiene. Symptoms: Diarrhea containing blood and mucus, fever, abdominal cramps, chills and vomiting. Symptoms can last few days to two weeks. Incubation period: Twelve to 96 hours from ingestion of bacteria.

Staphylococcus aureus: Found on humans (skin, infected cuts, pimples, noses and throats). Source: People to food through improper food handling.

The bacteria multiply rapidly at room temperature to produce a toxin that causes illness. Symptoms: Severe nausea, abdominal cramps, vomiting and diarrhea. Symptoms can last two to three days, longer if severe dehydration occurs. Incubation period: Thirty minutes to eight hours after eating.

For more information on food-borne illnesses, call the Wayne County Department of Public Health's Environmental Health Division at (734) 727-7400.

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You note daily pain or stiffness in your hands.

You find your activity limited because of joint pain and/or stiffness.
You should not hesitate to obtain medical help for arthritis if you find it difficult to:

Dress yourself, button shirts, or tie your shoelaces.
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Single female, lovable tomboy and lady. Enjoys boating, camping, cuddling, quiet evenings. Looking for a tall, nice looking, gentleman, 47 to 60, fit and trim, for a relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33734

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Seeking a country loving man, that likes country music, fishing, boating, outdoor stuff, romantic evenings, and doesn't mind a single big woman. Wayne County. BOX 33724

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34 yr. old white female, 5'4", blonde hair, hazel eyes, enjoys dining out, travel, music, swimming, concerts, movies, dancing, cats, seeking white male, 39-46, with similar interests, for relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33729

JUST A CALL AWAY

Professional, divorced white female, 41, 5'10", green eyes, medium build. Enjoys the outdoors, dining out, movies, good conversation. Seeking a male, 40-50, for dating and possible relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33730

THE HAPPIEST PLACE

On earth is the heart of this friendly white widowed female, 63, seeking friendship in a male 60 to 70, non-smoker. Let's get together and see if we enjoy each other's company. Oakland County. BOX 35991

SHOOTING STAR

Divorced, white professional female, 5'5", 125 lbs, brown/black hair and eyes, dislikes, looks 40 and stable. Seeking a divorced, white male, 57 to 63, attractive, 6', stable and a good sense of humor. BOX 31913

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Vivacious, upbeat, very attractive, blonde female, a professional, 5'7", 115 lbs, upper 50's, seeking soul mate counter part, 80's, a professional, for dating, possible long term relationship. Call me and see what life has in store for us. BOX 35996

TESTING THE WATER

Single female, 52", black hair and brown eyes. Interest include bowling, walking on the beach, movies, dining out and the mall. BOX 11584

HAPPY SUMMER

Single white Christian professional female, 45, attractive, with a heart of gold, great cook. Enjoys quiet times and movies, walker. Seeks well groomed white male, non-smoker, with Christian values. Wayne County. BOX 26052

CUTE AND CLASSY

Single black female, mid 50's, enjoys jogging, concerts and walks in the park. Seeking a gentleman over 60, with similar interests. Oakland County. BOX 26066

HONEST & TRUE

Petite, 5'1", 110 lb, attractive, white professional divorced mom. Enjoys working out daily, good conversation, music, sports, and is an optimist. Looking for a professional (college degree), divorced, white male, 40's, physically attractive, tall, no beard or mustache, good sense of humor, non-smoker, South Oakland county area. BOX 36098

LIFE'S PLEASURES

Single white female, 43 yrs young, attractive, 5'8", light blonde. Enjoys the outdoors, traveling, movies, dining out and romance. Seeking an easy going, attractive single white male, 37 to 47, 5'10" plus, with a good sense of humor and similar interest. BOX 11563

CELEBRATE LIFE

Baptist, divorced white female, mother of one, 24, non-smoker. Enjoys country music, Christian music, pool, bowling, walking. Seeking a white Baptist male to help me put it all together again. BOX 14920

MEETING OF THE MINDS

Divorced white female, 54, ample in every way, professionally, weight and interest. Seeking a divorced, widowed or single white, non-smoking male, 45 to 61, secure, professionally and financially, to enjoy movies, dining, travel, swimming, fishing and communication. BOX 26594

SEARCHING SOUL MATE

Single white female, 38, 250 lbs, looking for single white male, 35-40, likes dining out, bowling, and quiet evenings at home, someone with the same interest. Oakland County. BOX 35944

HAPPILY EVER AFTER

22 yr old single, petite female, light brown hair and blonde highlights, blue eyes, 5'4", 117 lbs. Enjoys long walks, dancing and cuddling with the right man. Seeks a man, 23 to 38, with similar interests. BOX 14683

COULD BE INTERESTING

55 yr old, single widow white female, 5'5", 135 lbs, enjoys all outdoors activities, boating, golf, fishing, biking, long walks, camping and much more. Seeking single, widowed or divorced white male, with some or similar interests, will answer all calls. BOX 26707

INTERESTED?

Divorced, Christian female, nursing student, looking for a friend to go to a show and just talk about most anything and everything. BOX 11503

SIMPLY IRRESISTIBLE

Pretty, petite, passionate, divorced white female, 40-ish. Seeks non-smoking, single white male, over 35, for dating and relating. Let's create sparks and watch them fly! BOX 25332

SEEKING SOUL MATE

Single white female, 45, slender, brunette. Seeking honest, sensitive gentleman, who enjoys team sports and spending quiet evenings at home. Ability to tolerate teenagers a plus. Non-smoker only. Wayne County. BOX 33717

DOWN RIVER FEMALE

Single white female, 40, 5'7", weight height proportionate, brown hair, hazel eyes. Enjoys horseback riding, swimming, dining out, movies. Seeking dependable, secure, single white male, 35-42, for possible relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33719

ATTENTION HARLEYS

Divorced white female, 41, no dependents, height weight proportionate, caring, considerate, cute and cuddly, enjoys just about anything with the right person. Seeking warm hearted, romantic, non-smoking, white male who is ready for a relationship. BOX 35480

PETITE ITALIAN

Attractive, divorced white female, 5'2", 110 lbs, seeks uncumbered, attractive, divorced white male, 45 to 55, for laughs, good times, possible long term relationship. Must be non-smoker, social drinker. Wayne County. BOX 35904

DON'T GIVE UP

Where are you...my Christian soulmate? You are 48 to 55, romantic, and active. You like being at home, take pride in your home and enjoy working around the house and yard. You are in the helping profession with teenagers like me. I love walking, the ocean, biking, movies, dining and church. Wayne county BOX 11518

SOULMATE SEARCHING...

... for a kind, sincere, single or divorced male, 48 to 60, non-smoker, for long term monogamous relationship. I am 51 yr old divorced female. I believe in romance and enjoy simple pleasures. Down River area. BOX 14471

TAKE A CHANCE

Single white female, divorced, 35, 5'6", 125 lbs, active, non-smoker, blonde hair, blue eyes, enjoys all outdoors activities, seeking single white male, sincere, honest, good sense of humor required, for friendship first. BOX 14807

LOOKING 4 BALANCE

43, single, white female, brown hair/eyes, considered easy on the eyes. Looking for white gentleman, 38 to 48, kids welcome, someone who is loyal and reliable. Oakland county BOX 23444

TALL ROMANTIC MAN

Fit, young looking 40, romantic Christian professional lady, tall, very attractive, optimistic, loves laughter, successful. Enjoys the good life, boating, water activities, travel and dining. Seeking the right one, tall, thin, attractive, honest, affectionate, positive attitude, successful with values. Ingham County. BOX 24972

SEEKS PERFECT MATE

Attractive, 50+ widow, fun loving, physically fit. Seeks male desiring travel, working out, bicycling, golf, mountain hiking, skiing, swimming, dancing, dining out, family, cooking, quiet evenings, closeness, sharing, intimacy, love. Requesting to much? Tell me. BOX 24980

NICE ASAIN FEMALE

55, looking for a nice white male, 60 to 75. Enjoys cooking, traveling and much more. Looking for a life-time relationship. Oakland County. BOX 24997

LOOK NO FURTHER

Single white female, 21, physically fit, 118 lbs, 5'6", works out everyday, long blonde hair, green eyes, likes the outdoors, water skiing, jet skiing, and camping. Seeks tall, white attractive male, 23 to 34, honest, caring and affectionate. BOX 26840

SUMMER LOVE

Why hesitate! Attractive single female, 43, 5'8" medium build, looking for a tall, easy going, and sincere gentleman, 40 to 50, to share life and love together. Enjoy the outdoors, sports, music, dining out, movies and more! Lives Down River. BOX 26643

LET'S CREATE SPARKS

Spirited, petite, youthful 62, enjoys life to the fullest, romantic evenings, sunsets, fine dining, dancing, movies and more. Desires quality white gentleman, honest, very intelligent, for a long relationship. Wayne County. BOX 35900

WORDS AND MUSIC

Vivacious, fuller figured, 47, blonde, 5'7", divorced white female, a professional musician, seeks intelligent, financially/emotionally secure, white Christian male, 40 to 60. Enjoys music, movies, theater, conversation, walking, biking and passionate about life. Oakland County. BOX 35924

ROMANCE IS THE KEY

25 yr old, single white female, 5'2", brown hair, blue eyes, medium build, seeking single white male, 24 to 30, to date, to go to movies, clubs, shopping, eating out and in. BOX 10650

SEE WHAT HAPPENS

I am a 52 yr old, queen size lady, 5'5", easygoing. Enjoy long walks, movies, staying at home relaxing. Looking for that special someone who is, 45 to 60, a black male, with a sense of humor. Could he also be loving, independent, with no drugs, and desire a possible relationship? BOX 11534

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

Early 50's, single white female, christian, enjoys art, flea markets, museums, passion is travel, seeking single white male, non-smoker, non-drinker, share some of our interests together, for companionship. BOX 14791

A LITTLE ON THE SIDE

28 yrs old, single white female, full figured, long brown curly hair, brown eyes, 5'9", race is open, seeking single white male, enjoys pool, carnivals, parks, anything fun, looks not important, for friendship possible relationship. BOX 14850

NICE AND SWEET

Warm and fun loving, 5'1", attractive brunette, professionally employed, Seeking a secure handsome male, 38 to 55, who enjoys life, especially travel for friendship and long term relationship. Oakland County. BOX 24975

FASHIONABLE

Attractive and healthy single white female, blonde, 5'4", 130 lbs., non-smoker, social drinker. Looking for a romantic, financially secure white male, sense of humor, 50 to 60, attractive, healthy, average build, who likes to travel, dance or just being friends. Oakland County. BOX 24979

LONELY WARM HEARTED

White widow, early 60's, 5'6", reddish hair, cuddly warm, romantic, seeks humorous, warm, romantic, single white male, 58+, 5'10"+. Wayne County. BOX 24986

GENTLEMAN ONLY

Attractive divorced white female, 34, professional, plus size, no dependents, financially independent. Seeks single white divorced male 35-45, emotionally secure, who appreciates the important things in life. Good communication skills. Wayne county, BOX 24987

PRETTY ENTREPRENEUR

Giving, loving, compassionate, curvy, lots of fun, great conversationalist, looking for sincere, successful Caucasian gentleman, 45-late 70's, to be my soul mate. Float your boat, make your day, answer my ad today. BOX 25322

JULIET SEEKS ROMEO

Divorced white female, 47, 110 lbs, red hair, blue eyes, non-smoker, fun and sincere. Has a wide variety of interests. In search of white male, 6' and under, 40 to 50, who's passionate, sincere, financially secure, for a fun and refreshing relationship to enjoy life together. Oakland County. BOX 26095

UNCONDITIONAL FUN

21 yrs old, single white female, full figured, blue eyes, dark hair, seeking single white male, who likes the full figure woman, and love to have fun. BOX 33521

HEY HARLEYS

This cute 42 yr old divorced white female loves riding Harleys, classic cars, boating, walking and fireplaces. No dependents. Looking for a humorous, non-smoking white gentleman to spoil me. Macomb County. BOX 33710

ONE WOMAN MAN

Black full figured female 44, saving herself for that special someone. Loves fishing, conversation, exploring the spiritual side of life. Seeking open minded, spiritual, trustworthy, one woman man, 40 to 60. Wayne county BOX 33714

VERY STRAIGHT

I'm white widowed, attractive, light hearted, well built, enjoy all the good things in life. Looking for an attractive, well built lady, under 59, for possible permanent relationship, Dearborn. Wayne County. BOX 35956

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Nice looking, youthful, spiritual, employed, single white male, 51, 5'9", 144 lbs, fit, keyboardist, song writer, many interests. Would love to respectfully adore a cute, slender, trustworthy, single white female, non-smoker. BOX 33793

IF U R LOOKING FOR

Attractive, honest, big-hearted, white, non-abusive, sober man. Active, secure, widowed, and lonesome. If you're under 60, attractive, slender, and serious, call me. I'm your man. Romulus. Wayne County BOX 33735

DIMPLES

Energetic, enthusiastic guy, 35, tall, dark and curly hair, likes roller skating, movies. Looking for someone, who is smart, and looking for a relationship or friends. BOX 11504

WAITING FOR UR CALL

Single male, 38, dark hair, blue eyes, medium build, likes camping, walks in the park, and movies. Looking for a young lady, 28 to 38, with similar interests. BOX 11611

SHARE A HEARTBEAT

45, 5'5", 135 lbs, medically retired, down to earth, likes the outdoors, sunshine and laughter. Looking for a friend, 45 or older, full figured, who also enjoy laughter and smiles. Wayne County BOX 33718

GOOD LOOKING

Good looking, 5'8" 180 lbs., 41 yr old male. Seeking young lady, 35 to 45, for romance, cuddling and tenderness. Looking for warm happy lasting relationship. Wayne county. BOX 35997

ALL AMERICAN TYPE

Mature, athletic type, 60 plus, blonde, 6'3", 205 lbs, professional attractive, diverse interest active lifestyle. Seeks outgoing, fit, attractive uncumbered single female. To create sparks through dating, travel, long term relationship. Oakland County. BOX 35995

SHARE A HEARTBEAT

Good looking, 5'8" 180 lbs., 41 yr old male. Seeking young lady, 35 to 45, for romance, cuddling and tenderness. Looking for warm happy lasting relationship. Wayne county. BOX 35997

COMPATIBLE

Charming and funny 69, widowed, black professional male, prefers open-minded, single white female for romantic dinners and trips. Oakland County. BOX 36001

LOOK UNDER THE STARS

Single male, 5'9", 175 lbs, Auburn hair and blue eyes, non-smoker, financially stable, enjoys camping, long walks, games, quiet times at home and more. Looking for a female with similar interests, for possible relationship. BOX 10700

I'M A SINCERE PERSON

If you are, 46 to 58, slim, white and attractive, call me. If you are looking for a non-violent, loving happy go lucky, non-drinking guy, call me. I'm 5'9", 175 lbs, attractive, widowed and lonesome, looking for a life time relationship. I'll answer your call. Down River. No games. BOX 24966

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

35 yr old, single divorced father of one, 6'2", with average build, enjoys dining out, biking, horseback riding, pool, bowling, movies and quiet evenings at home. Looking for a single white female, 26 to 32, for a relationship. Wayne County BOX 24992

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VERY STRAIGHT

I'm white widowed, attractive, light hearted, well built, enjoy all the good things in life. Looking for an attractive, well built lady, under 59, for possible permanent relationship, Dearborn. Wayne County. BOX 35956

WARM AND SINCERE

Heart of gold, 50, 5'6", 160 lbs, white male, no children, financially secure. Enjoys outdoor activities, dining out, movies, romantic evenings. Seeking white female, 30-50, same interests, for serious relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33727

FIRST TIME AD

Single white male, 44, 5'9", 170 lbs., blue eyes, brown hair, outgoing. Enjoys camping, fishing, dining out, children. Seeking single white female, 30-45, for friendship and possible relationship if the chemistry is there for us both. Wayne County BOX 33728

NEW BEGINNINGS

Born again christian, in search of a beautiful female, under 120 lbs, 5'3", who is into christian music and having a good old christian time. BOX 26531

A PERFECT PAIR

Single white male, 38, 5'11", 165 lbs, long brown hair and eyes, in search of an attractive female, 28 to 39, with long brown hair and brown eyes, to enjoy camping, movies, or staying at home watching a movie. BOX 26561

JUST LOOKING

46 yr old white male, divorced, 6'1", enjoys having fun, movies, dining out, fitness, concerts, bowling and more. Give me a call sometimes. BOX 26805

POPCORN 4 TWO

Single white male, 31, 6'2", 225 lbs, short brown hair and green eyes. Enjoys working out, video games, camping, movies. Seeking someone with similar interest. BOX 26827

TAKE THE TIME

Single white male, 49, 6'2", 230 lbs, blonde hair and blue eyes, employed. Enjoys dining out, beaches, fishing, boating, country cars, quiet times and open to anything. Seeking female 35 to 45, honest, fit, attractive, for a possible long term relationship. BOX 26681

WIN ME OVER

White male, 25, 5'11", 190 lbs, athletic build, attractive, sense of humor, intelligent. Enjoys having fun, talking, concerts, movies, cedar point, sports, and a night on the town. Seeks intelligent female, attractive, fun, sense of humor and willing to be friends first. BOX 26862

TRYING TO FIND YOU!

Attractive lady, under 60, slim, to fill my lonely heart. Widowed, attractive, gentle, big hearted, looking for a permanent relationship. BOX 33704

DOWN RIVER MALE

Single white male, 50, 5'8", 165 lbs, seeking female, weight/height proportionate, 40-50, sincere, honest, who enjoys movies, live bands, dancing, moonlight walks. No games, for possible long term relationship. Wayne County. BOX 33716

NO GAMES EVER!

Caring, affectionate, loving, hard working, divorced white male, 54, 5'7", silver fox hair, 170 lbs. Loves ocean beaches, spending quality time together. Seeking friendship for monogamous relationship, 40 to 50 yr. BOX 35913

SENSIBLE MAN

Single white male, 55, soft-spoken, down-to-earth, enjoys dancing, theater, movies, etc. Seeks friendly, relationship-minded, single white female, 40's to 50's. Oakland County. BOX 35983

Hospital stays grow shorter

The latest data on national trends in hospitalization show that the number of hospital discharges stabilized during the 1990s — after peaking in the early 1980s — but that the average length of a hospital stay continued to decline over the past decade. According to a report released today by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the average length of stay for hospital inpatients was 5.0 days in 1999, down from 7.3 days in 1980, as measured by the National Hospital Discharge Survey, conducted by CDC's National Center for Health Statistics.

"This annual survey is an important source of information to monitor the health care that our citizens receive," said Dr. Jeffrey Koplan, CDC Director. "Efforts to improve quality and access depend upon timely information," he said.

The drop in inpatient hospitalization is attributed primarily to an increase in ambulatory or same-day surgery, made possible over the past 20 years with new surgical techniques and less invasive procedures. Treatment advances including new drug

therapies have also contributed to fewer and shorter hospital stays as have as cost-management controls and alternative forms of health care organization and payment.

Looking back

In 1980, the rate of hospitalization was 168 per 1,000 population. That rate dropped nearly 30 percent to 122 per 1,000 population in 1990 and was 116 per 1,000 in 1999. Between 1990 and 1999, the discharge rate among the 15-44 year-olds decreased 17 percent and the rate among those 45 to 64 was down 14 percent, but this was more than offset by an 11 percent increase for those 65 and older, to keep the overall rate fairly constant during the 1990s.

Women were hospitalized at a rate 45 percent higher than for men in 1999 (due in part to hospitalization for deliveries and other obstetric and gynecological diagnoses), but men had slightly longer hospital stays. The hospitalization rate varied widely by region, from 93 per 1,000 in the West to 133 in the Northeast.

Six diagnostic categories — heart disease, delivery, pneumo-

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nia, cancer, psychoses and fractures — accounted for more than 13 million of the 32 million hospitalizations in 1999. Heart disease was the most frequent cause of hospitalization with 4.5 million discharges. Coronary atherosclerosis — a type of heart disease — accounted for over 1 million discharges; the number and rate of coronary atherosclerosis diagnoses more than doubled during the 1990s. Among those over 65, the rate more than tripled.

During 1999, over 41 million procedures were performed on hospital inpatients. Almost three-fourths of the procedures were in four categories: diagnostic and therapeutic procedures, obstetrical procedures, operations on the cardiovascular system and operations on the digestive system. Men had more cardiovascular procedures (particularly arteriography and angiography, cardiac catheterization, removal of coronary

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Young people sought for study of depression

One in 12 American teenagers may have depression, but far fewer get diagnosed and treated for it. Meanwhile, researchers still don't know if medications developed for depressed adults work exactly the same way in adolescent brains, or whether depressed teens' brain chemical and hormone balances are different from those of teens without depression.

Now, a new study at the University of Michigan Health Sys-

tem aims to help teens get medical attention for their depression, while at the same time looking at brain chemical levels, hormones and medication effects. The study's findings may lead to a better understanding of the causes of — and treatments for — teen depression.

U-M psychiatrists are looking for young people between the ages of 13 and 24, both with and without depression, for the carefully controlled study

involving the FDA-approved depression medication fluoxetine, or Prozac.

Participants in the study's first phase will receive a complete physical and psychiatric evaluation. Then, they will stay one night in a special clinical trial area of the U-M's University Hospital. There is no cost to participate, and both depressed and nondepressed participants will receive \$150 for each phase. Call (734) 615-4774.

Starting salaries continue to rise for Class of 2001

Average salaries for recent college graduates continue to increase even with the recent economic downturn, according to the American Society of Employers (ASE) 2001 Starting Salaries for Co-op Students and Recent College Graduates Survey.

Participating in the survey were more than 120 companies, with 60 percent representing the manufacturing industry. The majority of the companies are located in Oakland County and have an average company size of 382 employees.

The average starting salary for graduates with a technical bachelors degree is \$42,956, up 7.8 percent from \$39,843 a year ago; while non-technical bachelors degrees receive an average of

\$31,553, an increase of 5.8 percent from \$29,810 in 2000.

Based on the survey results, once a recent college graduate is hired, the targeted increase amount after hire is 3.9 percent for a person with a technical degree and 4.7 percent for someone with a non-technical degree. The average time frame to receive this initial increase is between six to 12 months.

In terms of desirable skill sets, responding companies pointed toward internships or prior work experience as a determining factor when making a hiring decision. Forty-five percent of companies indicated that such experience was a primary factor in their hiring decision, while computer skills came in second, with

30 percent of companies reporting that as a primary hiring factor.

When asked to list any shortcomings that were evidenced during interviews with potential employees, responding companies reported as follows:

■ Adapting to work environment (i.e. the transition from student to employee with various responsibilities)

■ Career expectations

■ Compensation expectations

The American Society of Employers is a not-for-profit human resource association headquartered in Southfield with additional locations in Detroit and Saginaw. Contact them at (248) 353-4500.

BUSINESS MARKETPLACE

New facility

Clean Air Management has moved from Davis Road in Plymouth to a larger facility at 13600 Merriman Road in Livonia. The new facility will provide the company with more office space, lab equipment and storage space, a conference room, and room to park an emergency response mobile lab van. The company will soon launch a new Web site.

"We were busting at the seams and long outgrew our old facility," says owner Jim Kukalis. "The new location is right off I-96 which gives us a central loca-

tion in Southeast Michigan with instant freeway access."

Clean Air Management, Inc. was founded in 1988 and provides sampling, analytical, and consulting services to building owners, contractors, and municipalities. In addition, CAM provides a variety of air, asbestos, lead, and mold testing, as well as complete Environmental and Occupational Health consulting services. They had revenues of close to \$1 Million in 2000. Contact them at (734) 266-0606.

Gold Award

Clips & Clamps Industries

of Plymouth recently received DaimlerChrysler's Gold Award for 2000. This award is presented to companies that meet or exceed performance levels in quality, delivery, supplier cost-reduction, customer support and technology.

Clips & Clamps Industries was founded in 1954. Its services include product design, prototyping, tool design and build, and gage design and build.

This marks the second consecutive year the company received the Gold Award. Previously, the Chrysler Gold PentaStar was awarded to CCI in 1993, 1995, 1996 and 1998.

BUSINESS CALENDAR

MON, JUNE 4

BUSINESS WOMEN

The Suburban West Business and Professional Woman will meet beginning 6 p.m. at the Holiday Inn at I-275 and Six Mile Road in Livonia. Dinner will be followed by induction of new members and general planning for next year. Call Mary T. Martin at (734) 422-7719.

WED, JUNE 6

BUSINESS NETWORK INT'L

The Laurel Park Chapter of BNI will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Archie's Family Restaurant on Plymouth Road, east of Merriman, Livonia. Call (810) 323-3800.

FRI, JUNE 8

BUSINESS NETWORK INTERNATIONAL

The Livonia Chapter of BNI will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at the Senate Coney Island on Plymouth Road, near Stark, Livonia. Call (810) 323-3800.

TUES, JUNE 12

CAREER WOMEN

The West Suburban Chapter, National Association of Career Women will meet 11:45 a.m. at Ernesto's, 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth. Luncheon cost is \$18 for members and \$22 for non-members. John Balardo, publisher of Hour Detroit magazine will be the featured speaker. Call Brenda Durling at (734) 462-4670.

THUR, JUNE 14

WOMEN AND \$\$\$

Attend the annual meeting of the National Association of Women Business Owners -

Detroit Chapter and celebrate NAWBO's accomplishments of the past year. Luncheon meeting 11:30 a.m. at the Detroit Athletic Club. NAWBO members, \$35; non-members and guests, \$45. Call (313) 961-4748.



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All events free of charge. Call (734) 655-1593 or visit www.stmarymercy.org.

SAT, JUNE 9

FAMILY FUN DAY
Garden City families can visit the Oakwood Healthcare Center at 29150 Ford Road, just east of Middlebelt, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for a day of games, refreshments, face-painting, safety programs and a free miniature golf tournament with movie passes as prizes. Representatives from the Garden City Police and Fire Department also will be there.

MON, JUNE 11

THYROID SUPPORT GROUP
The Michigan Thyroid Disorder Support Group will meet 6:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Library, 223 S. Main St. Guest speaker Dr. Robert Potter, a chiropractor and naturopathic doctor, will discuss the natural approach to thyroid disease 7-8:30 p.m. Call Tracy Green at 734-453-7945.

BLOOD DRIVE
Belleville Church of God will sponsor a Red Cross blood drive 2-8 p.m. at the church, 45170 Hull Road, Belleville. Call Tracy at (734) 697-5606. No appointment necessary.

JUNE 12-21

DIABETES CARE
St. Mary Mercy Hospital will

offer "Taking Charge of Living with Diabetes," a series of five classes for diabetics 18 years and older, 7-9 p.m. in the hospital's Pavilion A. Medicare and other insurance providers may cover program costs. Pre-register by June 5. Call (734) 655-8940 or 1-800-494-1650.

WED, JUNE 13

HOME SAFETY FOR SENIORS
Are your senses not as sharp as they used to be? St. Mary Mercy Hospital will hold a lecture on how declining senses may affect home safety for seniors 1-3 p.m. in the hospital's Auditorium. A team of healthcare specialists will discuss age-related changes and offer strategies for protection of accidental injury. Register for "Home Safety" by calling (734) 655-8940 or 1-800-494-1650.

MANAGING DIABETES
The Diabetes support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital will host a discussion, "What You Should Know About Your Diabetes Pills," led by Dr. Deborah Brigell 7:08:30 p.m. in the Auditorium. The support group presents a new topic on the second Wednesday of each month for adult diabetics and family members. Call (734) 655-8940.

STOP SMOKING
Providence Hospital will hold the Wellness Seminar for smoking cessation 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 13 at Provi-

dence Medical Center - Livonia: Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia. Session includes hypnosis and behavior modification. First 45 minutes is a free orientation. Afterwards, participants pay a one-time fee of \$59. Call 1-877-345-5500.

THUR, JUNE 14

WEIGHT CONTROL
Providence Hospital will host two weight control programs, 3-5 p.m. and 6:30-8:30 p.m., at the Providence Medical Center - Livonia: Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia. First 45 minutes is a free orientation. Afterwards, participants pay a one-time fee of \$59. Call 1-877-345-5500.

SAT, JUNE 16

CHEMICAL SENSITIVITY
The Multiple Chemical Sensitivity Friends Support Group will meet 2-5 p.m. at the Good Food Company, 42615 Ford Road, Canton (1/2 mile west of I-275 at Lilly). Please come unscented. Call 248-349-4972.

MON, JUNE 18

SCHIZOPHRENIA
To assist families of adult schizophrenia patients, the Department of Behavioral Medicine at St. Mary Mercy Hos-

pital will offer a free lecture titled "Schizophrenia & Family Support" 6-7 p.m. in West Addition B. Presenter Alesta Davis will provide information, discuss symptoms, and outline healthy responses to a patient's condition for family members. Specific support networking options also available. To pre-register, call (734) 655-2944 or 1-800-494-0277 (out-of-town callers only).

JUNE 21

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC
St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia will offer Infant and Child Immunization Clinics from 5:30 to 8 p.m. in West Additions A and B. Pending availability of serum, all routine childhood immunizations to children under age 18. Please bring all available immunization records to be updated. No registration is required. The fee is \$5 per child. Call (734) 655-8940 or 1-800-494-1650 (out-of-area callers

only)

JULY 23 & 24

SAFE BABY-SITTING
St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia will offer a two-day "Safe Sitter" course 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in West Addition A. Registration deadline is July 16. The class teaches boys and girls ages 11-13 how to handle emergencies when caring for young children, including basic life-saving techniques, accident prevention, guidelines for summoning help and child-care tips. To pre-register, call (734) 655-1100 or 1-800-494-1615 for out-of-town callers. A second session is scheduled for Aug. 6 & 7.

TUES, JUNE 26

THYROID CANCER
The Thyroid Cancer Survivors Association-SE Michigan support group meets 7-8:30 p.m. the

4th Tuesday on the month in the Gold Room of the Plymouth Public Library, 223 Main Street, Plymouth. Survivors, family and interested health-care professionals invited. Call (734) 397-2801.

JUNE 26-AUG. 7

CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION
St. Mary Mercy Hospital will offer "Childbirth Education," a series of six classes 7-9 p.m.: Tuesdays in West Addition A. The series also is offered Wednesdays, Aug. 1-Sept. 5; Mondays, Aug. 6-Sept. 17; and Mondays, Sept. 24-Oct. 29. Cost is \$55. The class teaches expectant mothers and their partners the Lamaze method for labor and deliver. A one-day accelerated workshop is scheduled 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 in West Additions A and B. The cost is \$75. Pre-register by calling (734) 655-1100.

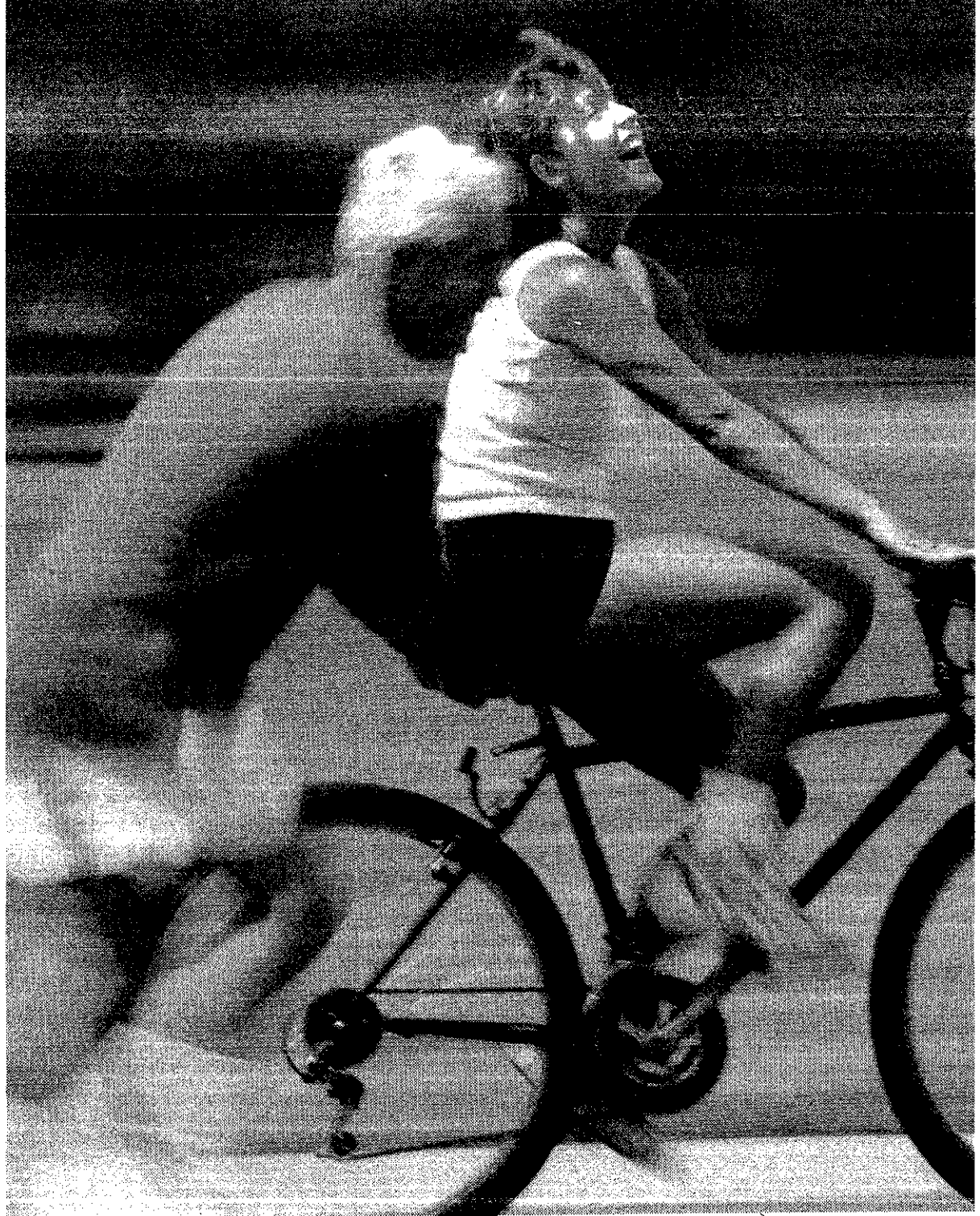
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artery obstruction and insertion of stents) than women, while women had higher rates of digestive surgery. About one-fourth of the operations on women were obstetrical proce-

dures. The National Hospital Discharge Survey collects data from a sample of inpatient records acquired from a national sample of non-Federal, short-stay hospi-

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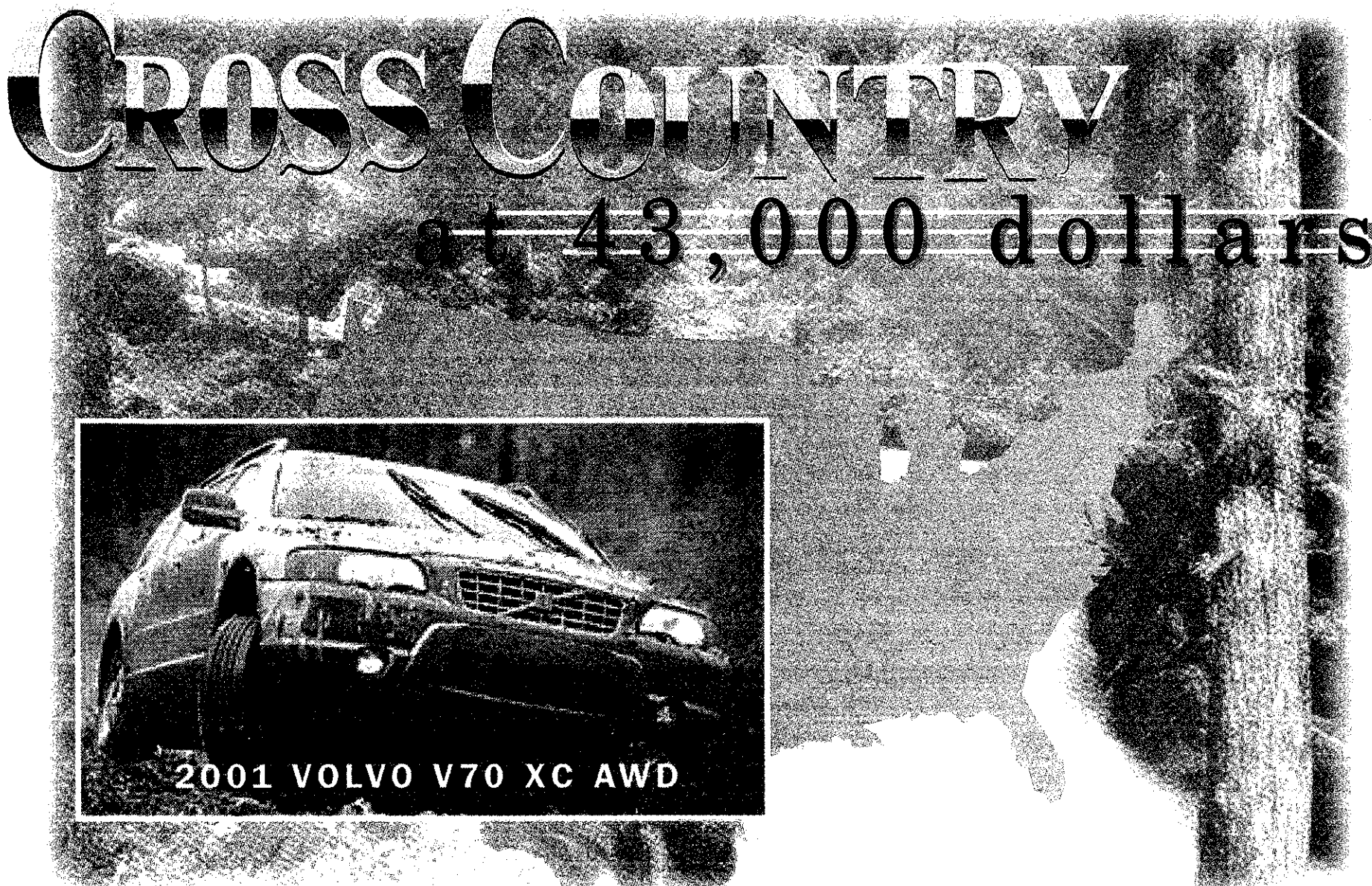
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2001 VOLVO V70 XC AWD

A super luxury Volvo XC AWD station wagon with all the goodies

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When AutoWire.Net asks people about luxury cars, most will name off the typical nameplates: Mercedes-Benz, Audi, or maybe Infiniti and Acura.

Some people might go on and on about Cadillac, or even Lincoln. But few people we know talk about Volvo. And that is truly unfortunate.

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wagon. That means the Cross Country all-wheel-drive version of Volvo's hot little station wagon series. It was added to the Volvo wagon lineup in 1998. In the middle of 2000, the XC received a complete makeover. It reminds us of the Subaru Outback, only more rugged and more expensive.

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The Cross Country also looks different on the outside, and is outfitted with unique body-side cladding, fog lamps, roof rails and a distinct grille and bumpers. Inside, this XC test wagon

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was equipped with Volvo's navigation system.

On sunny days, it's a little hard to see the screen, which pops up from the middle of the top part of the dash. But still it is very useful when you need help in locating a destination in an area you're not familiar with.

Of course, I was very impressed with the safety features inside the Cross Country — the whiplash protection seats, inflatable curtain, front and side airbags. It even has an Iso-Fix child safety seat. I guess I was just a bit surprised by the price.

The test XC topped off at nearly \$43,000. Now, I know there are plenty of luxury wagons out there in the same price range, but this is a Volvo. The S40 and S60 — quality sports sedans with plenty of amenities — are both reasonably priced. So what's up with Cross Country?

I guess when you tap into a market that cries for something different than the same old SUV, but provides the same utility and capabilities, you can charge a premium price. And if Volvo continues to roll out good-looking sedans like the S models and rugged wagons like the Cross Country, Volvo might be one of the first names mentioned when AutoWire.Net asks about luxury car lineups. And, as they say, at \$43 grand, you get what you pay for: A super luxury Volvo XC AWD Station Wagon with all the goodies.

Will your car keep its cool this summer?

Spring is one of the prime times for auto maintenance. That first wash and wax on a warm Saturday afternoon is liberating. Winter's gloom (to say nothing of grit and road salt) is literally washed away. Store the snow shovel, gloves and heavy boots until next season. Surely summer can't be far away.

Some preparation now will help ensure that your summer driving plans go as smoothly as you envision them. The experts at the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence offer the following tips on getting your car ready for summer.

■ Read the owner's manual and follow the recommended service schedules.

■ Have hard starts, rough idling, stalling, etc., corrected before the hot weather arrives.

■ Flush and refill the cooling system (radiator) according to the service manual's recommendations. The level, condition and concentration of the coolant should be checked periodically. (Be sure to let the engine cool down before removing the radiator cap.)

■ If you are not a do-it-yourselfer, look for repair facilities that employ ASE-certified automotive technicians.

■ The tightness and condition of belts, clamps and hoses should be checked by a qualified professional.

■ Have a marginally operating air conditioner system serviced by

a qualified auto technician.

■ Change the oil and oil filter as specified in the owner's manual. (Be sure to properly dispose of used oil.)

■ Replace other filters (air, fuel, PCV, etc.) as recommended.

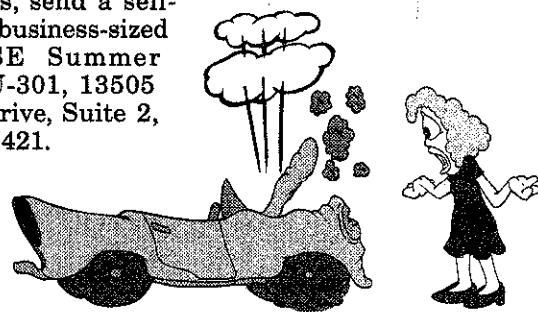
■ Check the condition of tires, including the spare. Let tires "cool down" before checking air pressure.

■ Inspect all lights and bulbs; replace burned out bulbs.

■ Replace worn wiper blades. Keep plenty of washer solvent on hand to combat summer's dust and insects.

For a free brochure with summertime automotive tips, send a self-addressed, stamped, business-sized envelope to: ASE Summer Brochure, Dept. NU-301, 13505 Dulles Technology Drive, Suite 2, Herndon, VA 20171-3421.

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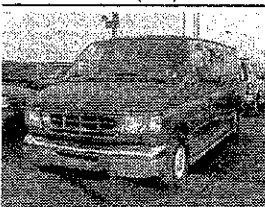
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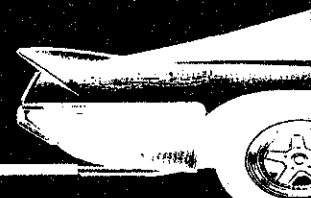
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Subdivision makes 7 plans available

Gilbert Homes promotes value for price at Loon's Landing, a detached condominium community in Commerce Township.

Just 23 homes will be built on an infill site off Benstein Road between Loon Lake Road and McCoy within view of Wolverine Lake.

"It's a well-built house with a lot of quality in it for the price," said Ken Down, sales representative. "Nobody around here has brick all the way around and nine-foot ceilings for that kind of money."

"We also will make changes to customers' preferences," added Bruce R. Gilbert, president.

Starting at \$260,000

Base prices range from \$259,900 for a ranch of 1,700 square feet with three bedrooms and two baths to \$315,000 for a two story of 2,700 square feet with three or four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths.

Seven plans, including a first-floor master, are offered.

All contain at base price two-car garage, first-floor laundry and basement. A fireplace, dishwasher and range in the kitchen, wood or ceramic flooring in the foyer, hallway and half bath, carpeting throughout and two recessed lights also are standard.

"We have beautiful bay windows, beautiful elevations," Down said.

Brick and vinyl siding are primary exterior materials.

"The area is very pretty around here," Gilbert said. "You're kind of out a little bit, but close to conveniences. Location is good, schools are good, shopping is close. Twelve Oaks is only 15 minutes away. Taxes are reasonable."

Coventry model

The model, a two story of 2,500 square feet, features a two-story foyer, library, living room, dining room, kitchen/nook with island and family room with cathedral ceiling.

The half bath is situated with easy access to the garage and laundry and more formal areas of the homes.

All four bedrooms are upstairs. The master contains a separate tub and shower, two-sink vanity and walk-in closet. A second full bath with combination tub/shower is up.

Base price of the Coventry is \$293,000. The model, as is with



Coventry model: This two-story home of 2,500 square feet with four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths is popular with Gilbert Homes customers.

upgrades and landscaping, runs about \$310,000.

The Coventry has served Gilbert Homes well in Rochester, Canton and Livonia.

"We've built this layout for 20 years," Down said. "The house is a very practical layout. It's very livable, a great family house."

"You can have a mess in the kitchen, the beds aren't made and toys are all over the family room, but when you come in the front door, you can't see it. All you can see is the living room and foyer," Down added.

"People ask why we're so cheap. I tell them we try to give you more for the money," Down said. "The more you sell, the more profit you can make even if you sell for less per house."

"It's about time someone came in here and built something more affordable with quality," he said.

Each homesite at Loon's Landing will be served by an individual water

well. The community will have sewers, but no sidewalks. It's within the Walled Lake school boundaries.

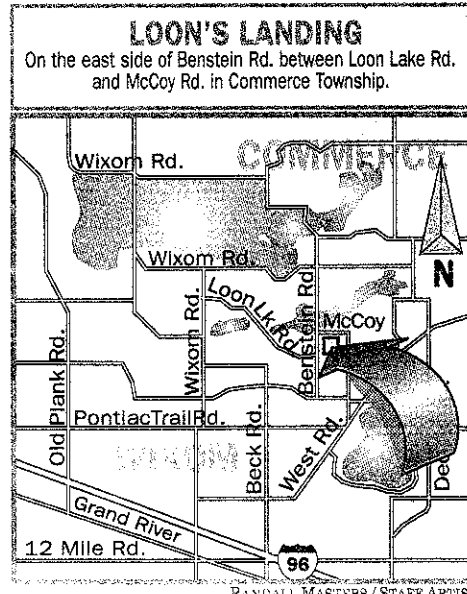
The property tax rate is \$25.53 per \$1,000 of state taxable value, half of sales price for new construction. That means the owners of a \$293,000 home there would pay about \$3,750 the first year.

The annual association fee is estimated at less than \$200.

Tom and Cheryl Bagnasco ordered a Coventry model for themselves and children Tom, Marshall and Michael.

"My wife fell in love with it," Tom said. "She liked the open floor plan. Personally, I thought the house was constructed very nice."

"I prefer to have one street of 23 lots rather than five streets with 50 or 60 homes," he added. "I like the privacy of going to the back yard and not having neighbors behind me."



The sales office/model at Loon's Landing, (248) 926-2290, is open 1:30-6 p.m.; closed Thursdays.

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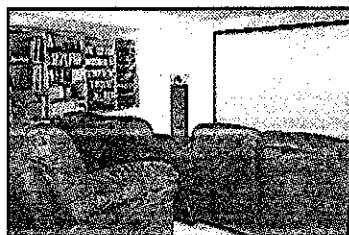


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The White Pine, a Cape Cod style home, features many custom amenities and is designed with maintenance-free living in mind. The dramatic two-story foyer leads to a spacious den with cathedral ceiling, stylish formal dining room, and the great room with vaulted ceiling and elegant fireplace.

The first floor master suite features a cathedral

ceiling, lovely bay window, spacious walk-in closet with built-ins. The master bath includes a double sink vanity, garden tub, and separate shower. The spacious kitchen boasts 42" cabinets, bayed breakfast nook with doorwall. The curved stairway leads to two or three additional bedrooms and full bath.

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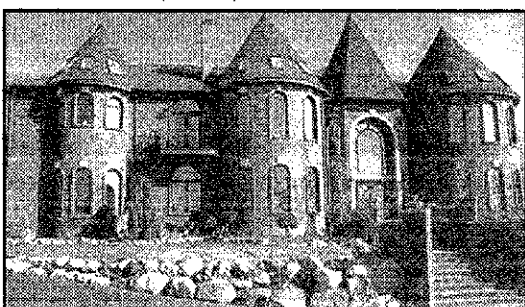
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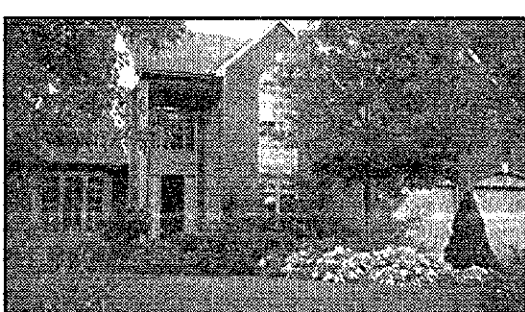
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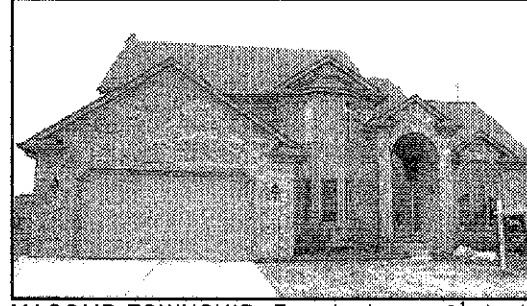
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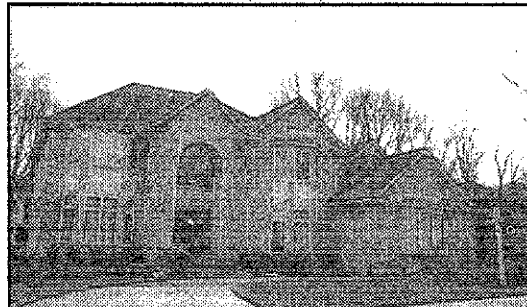
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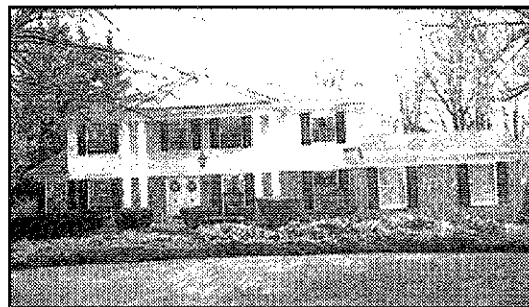
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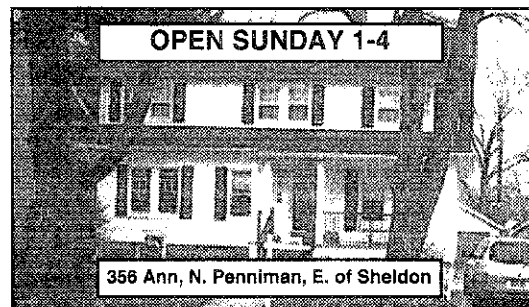
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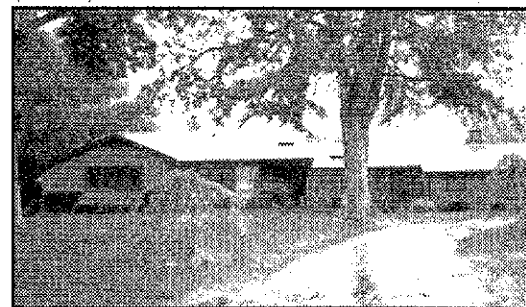
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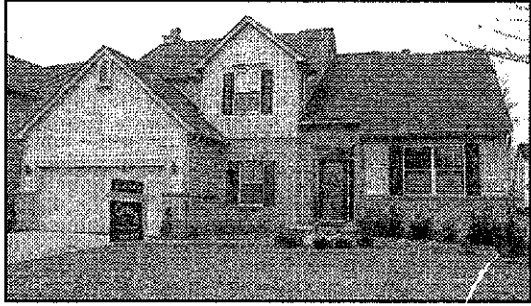
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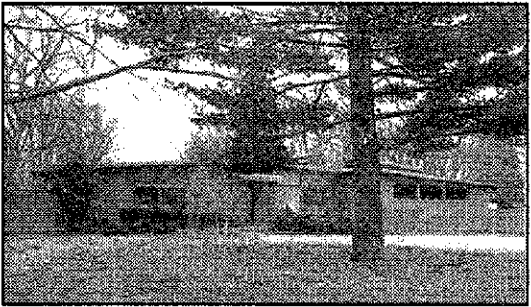
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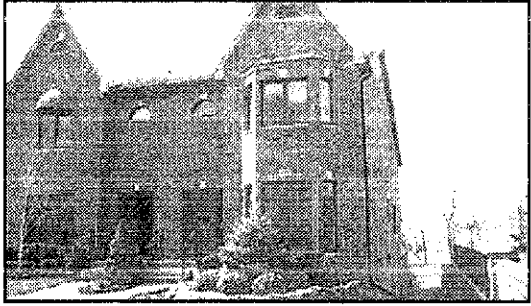
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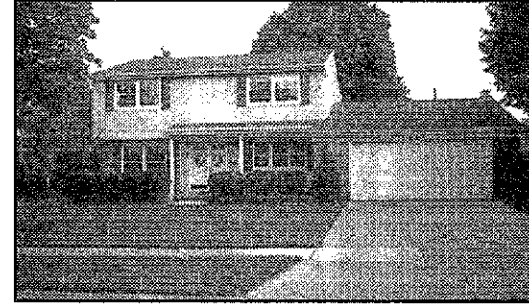
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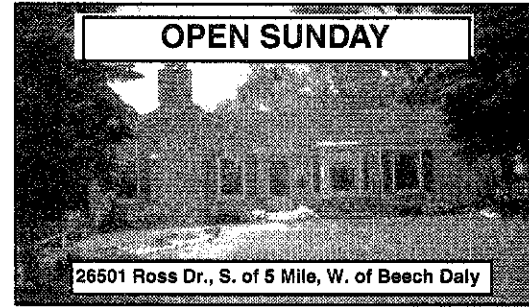
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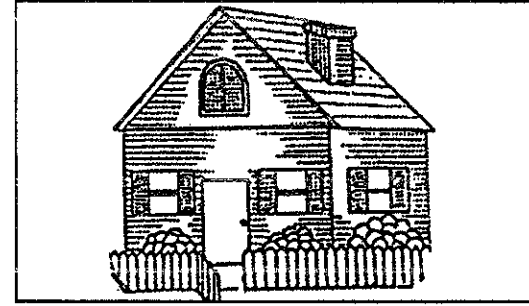
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(248) 561-1210

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(313) 537-3637

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248-848-3000
x211.

CANTON - By owner, 3 bedroom ranch for \$160,000 Many updates. 41976 Old Bridge Road. Open Sun., 1-4pm, or call (734) 394-0475

CANTON CONDO - OPEN SUN 1-4, 2129 Lone Wolf Lane, Wethersfield Sub. Palmer & Haggerty. Built 1999, great pond view, deck, 2 bedrooms-loft, 2.5 baths, kitchen appliances included, C/A, great room fireplace, dining room, 1st floor laundry, 2 car attached garage, basement, By Owner. \$200,000. 734-397-3971.

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OPEN SUNDAY 1-4PM
1554 Valentine, N. of Palmer, E. of Sheldon. Beautiful home w/many upgrades.
CURT DOZIER
REMERICA
HOMETOWN III
(313) 618-8534

Canton
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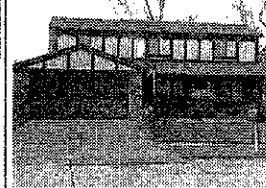
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Real Estate One
217 W. Ann Arbor Rd.
Plymouth

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CANTON - Open Sun. 1-4, 8671 Holly Dr., off Joy, E. of I-275. Brick ranch in popular Holiday Park Sub. Open floor plan with neutral decor. 3 bedrooms, marble floor in bath, island in kitchen, family room w/natural fireplace and oak wainscot. Many updates. Must see. \$174,900 734-453-1270

CANTON



OPEN SUN. 12-2
45444 Fieldstone
(Off Canton Ctr., past Warren)
Sunflower Sub.

CANTON RANCH
OPEN SUN. 2-4
44810 Cranbrook Ct.
(S/Palmer/W. Canton Ctr.)
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(N/Ford, W/Lilley)
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CANTON- 43813 Cranford
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Ask for Fred or Karen
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Canton 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial, neutral decor, open house 12-4, 41095 Westfield Circle, East of Haggerty between Palmer and Cherryhill. (734) 394-5623

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DETROIT - Open Sun. 2-5
3 bedroom, 3 bath, finished basement. 12946 Riverdale \$125,000. (313) 255-2092.

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DETROIT- Open 2-5pm. 7304 Heyden, N. of Warren, W. of Evergreen. 3 bedroom w/garage, basement, newer windows, new entry doors & more. \$85,900.
Century 21 Towne Pride
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S/Grand River, W/Farmington \$214,900.
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248-320-5744
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate
41860 E. Hills, Northville

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| <p>Open Sun 1-4 6215 Courtland Dr, Canton
4 bdrm colonial, 2 1/2 baths, 2436 sq ft, open floor plan, family room w/fpl. \$234,900</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 33614 Alvin, Garden City
3 bdrm ranch, 2 full baths, finished basement, lg eat-in kitchen, 2.5 car garage. \$134,900</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 7735 Beaverland, Detroit
3 bdrm home with 2 3/4 garage. Many updates! New oak kitchen, great landscaping. \$128,500</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 6530 Lathers, Garden City
Immaculate 3 bdrm ranch, 2 full baths, 2.5 car garage. Fin. Basement, Many updates. \$136,900</p> | <p>Open Sun 1-4 626 Ravenscrest, Westland
3 bedroom condo, basement, in-law quarters 2.5 car garage. \$224,900</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 289 Stephanie Drive Westland
4 bdrm colonial, 2.5 baths, cathedral ceilings in bedrooms, gas fpl, deck, pool. \$224,900</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 2006 Lathers, Garden City
Updated 2 bdrm ranch, large lot (80x150), garage. Mint condition. \$127,900</p> <p>Open Sun 1-4, 17334 Salem, Detroit
3 bedroom ranch, finished basement, 1.5 baths, 2 car garage. Large lot. \$99,900</p> |
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Other Available Homes

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| <p>42685 Keystone, Canton
3 bdrm, open floor plan, sunroom, 1500 sq ft, fin. Basement. \$194,900</p> <p>198 Kingsway, Canton
Totally updated 3 bdrm ranch, 2.5 baths, fin basement. Oak kitchen, New windows. \$189,900</p> <p>41438 Ayrshire, Canton
3 bdrm ranch, great location, near elementary school, newer furnace, roof, HWH. \$139,900</p> <p>11684 Berwyn, Redford Investment
Opportunity! Live on entry level, let upper level tenant pay your mortgage. \$142,900</p> <p>359 Robert Court, Canton
4 bdrms incl. master suite & bath, gourmet kitchen, Thousands in upgrades. \$429,900</p> <p>33715 John Hawk, Garden City
Beautiful show piece. 1400 sq ft. 3 bdrm Tri-level, new oak kitchen & much more. \$148,500</p> <p>1354 W. Saratoga, Ferndale
Beautiful 3 bedroom bungalow. Lots of updates. Master bedroom addition. Asking. \$174,900</p> <p>5867 Daniels, Taylor
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Sharp 3 Bdrm brick ranch, 1.5 baths, 2 car garage. Att Florida room, huge family room with fireplace. \$156,490</p> <p>969 Hidden Creek Dr., S. Lyon
1998 Pulte colonial, 3 bdrm, 2.5 baths, 2.5 car garage, finished basement. Master suite \$289,900</p> | <p>7635 Koppernick, Canton
2000 built, 3 bdrm ranch, 2 full baths. Great lot. approx. 2 acres., nice open floor plan. \$284,900</p> <p>28505 Clarita, Livonia
Vacant lot in Livonia school district, 138 x 140 approximately .42 ac \$79,900</p> <p>8886 Floral, Livonia
Newer construction 1996, country colonial, 3 BR, 2.5 baths, basement & garage. \$214,900</p> <p>11780 Camden, Livonia
1600 sq ft, bungalow with 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths. Country kitchen & spacious LR. \$115,900</p> <p>6480 Dillon, Garden City
Everything Newer. 3 bdrm ranch, 1250 sq ft, oak kitchen, 2 car garage. \$152,900</p> <p>26015 Lehigh, Inkster
4 bdrm bungalow, double lot, completely updated, 1200 square foot. \$72,900</p> <p>35471 Oakdale, Livonia
Large 4 bedroom colonial w/w of Golf Course Over 2700 sq ft. 2.5 car garage. Asking \$329,900</p> <p>30618 Krauter, Garden City
Updated 3 bdrm ranch on huge lot. Instant equity! Newer roof, furnace, C/A, windows. \$199,900</p> <p>560 Arlington, Inkster
3 bdrm brick bungalow. Huge master bdrm, basement. 1300+ sq ft. \$102,900</p> <p>12615 Murredes, Redford
Updated 3 bdrm ranch on almost a 1/2 acre. Perfect investment property or starter home. \$99,900</p> |
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Workplace actually is home away from home

Part 2 of 2

While the physical size of an employee's office has decreased during the last decade, the amount of space dedicated to conference rooms, technology support and employee amenities has increased.

Companies are continuing to make efforts to create cool space, i.e., pleasant living environments designed to accommodate needs on a 24/7 basis. At top employers, you might find a coffee bar, a health club, a game area or a day care center.

Evidence of this can be found in Fortune Magazine's 2001 list of the 100 Best Companies to Work For. A significant number of the winning companies offer on-site child care and/or fitness facilities. Insurance and financial service provider USAA boasts housing three health centers in its San Antonio headquarters. In Deerfield Beach, Fla., JM Fami-

ly Enterprises ups the ante by providing a free barbershop and nail salon in addition to its 24-hour fitness facility, complete with on-site health clinic and lap pool.

While not all companies are able to go to such lengths, some thought should be given to little extras that can boost overall morale. An experienced corporate real estate adviser can offer practical suggestions to fit your needs and budget.

Planning for Change

Since the economy is unpredictable, it will be important to have a contingency plan should your business continue to grow or begin to decline.

Relative to growth, consider your building's physical characteristics.

Can you expand either horizontally or vertically? Is your floor plan flexible enough to allow for additional personnel to be easily placed?

If you're leasing the facility, does your lease reflect a contingency plan? Will you be permitted to expand your space and extend your lease terms?

On the flip side, if you fall short, do you have the option of terminating, sub-leasing or scaling down?

All of these questions and many more should be answered before committing your signature to the bottom line.

Choosing a Partner

As you continue to think about ways to make your facility more attractive to potential and current employees, consider the advantage of working with a team of experienced professionals.

Beginning with your business plan, a full-service corporate real estate advisory firm can provide a comprehensive strategic real estate

plan that integrates your needs today with your objectives for tomorrow.

A team of multi-disciplined professionals can provide you guidance on strategic space planning; design and construction planning; space programming, space layouts, and corporate standards; cost estimating; project scheduling; architect and contractor selection; furniture programs; field office program management; building analysis; and project audits.

A worthwhile adviser will help you find the right space — space that is the appropriate size, in a desirable location and suitable to represent your corporate image — at the

right price.

In short, your real estate adviser should be able to help you make your corporate home a visibly pleasing space that is both functional and comfortable. An aesthetically pleasing work atmosphere can not only help you attract the best and brightest but can boost morale and stimulate productivity, helping keep them there.

Mark Cleary is the lead partner at Plante & Moran CRESA and part of the team that has contributed to making the firm a Fortune 100 Best Place to Work winner, three years running.

Summertime risks and solutions for homeowners

Before you head out to enjoy the sunshine, take a few minutes to secure your home and your safety.

That's the message behind the updated and expanded "Tips for Summertime" section on the Homesite Insurance Web site (www.homesite.com).

The comprehensive and timely online section helps homeowners evaluate their insurance situations and prepare for any problems that may arise. The section also offers advice on travel, home maintenance and safe recreation. "The warmer weather months bring about a different set of hazards that may increase a homeowner's exposure to theft of personal belongings, damage to the home and injury to visitors on their property," explains Manny Rios, vice president of underwriting for Homesite Insurance.

With these goals in mind, Homesite has developed an easy-to-use guide with sections that cover a range of critical topics:

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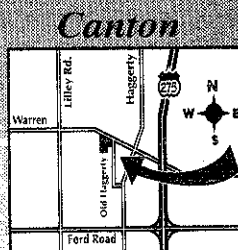
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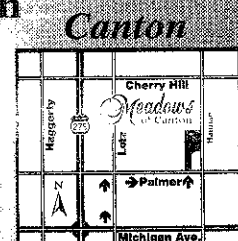
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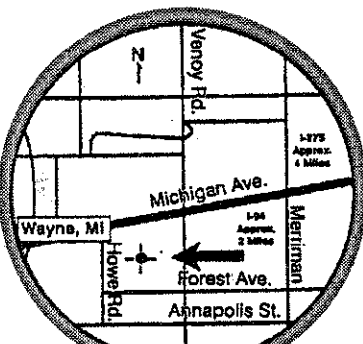
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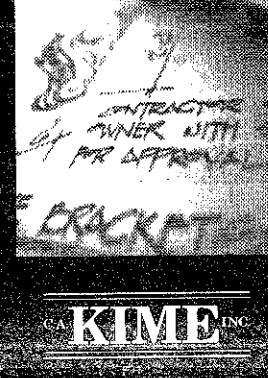
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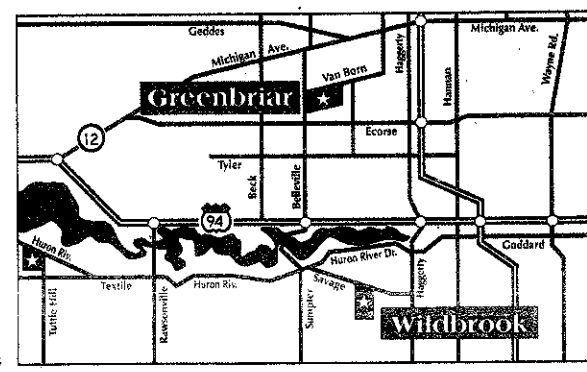
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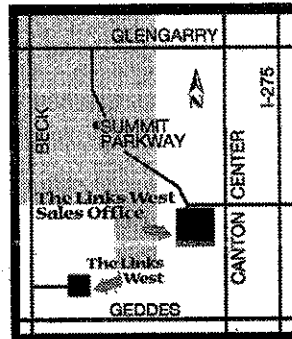
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Spring decorating makes home brighter, healthier

By ELIZABETH A. KENNEDY
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It's hard to get into the spirit of warm weather activities when the house is littered with blankets, thick drapes cover the windows and dust bunnies lurk in every corner.

A house in spring should feel "light and airy, less cluttered," says Rachel Ashwell, founder of the Shabby Chic stores in Los Angeles and Chicago and host of "Rachel Ashwell's Shabby Chic" on E! and style networks.

She suggests rolling up rugs and taking down drapes as the first order of business: "Pack them up and send them off to the dry cleaners."

If you feel too exposed without drapes, Ashwell says voile panels can be pinned over windows for a simple, no-fuss covering. Voile is a light, semitransparent fabric.

And if your hardwood floors are not quite up to snuff, Peri Wolfman, vice president of product design for Williams-Sonoma, suggests a thin, natural-fiber

■ Throwing out any dried flowers that are hanging around the house. They don't have the fresh, youthful feeling of springtime.

rug.

Light-colored slipcovers on furniture can make a room seem brighter, according to Ashwell, and replacing duvet covers with light bed coverings such as thin blankets and quilts is a cool option for the bedroom.

Ashwell also suggests moving green plants, which have probably been indoors all winter, to the deck or yard to give them some natural light. Fresh-cut daffodils or colorful weeds are good replacements. (See, weeds are good for something.)

Wolfman, who co-authored the book "A Place for Everything" (Clarkson Potter, \$25), suggests searching flea markets for "spat-

terware" jugs. The heavy, ceramic containers covered in spattered paint can be filled with colorful hydrangeas.

Tricia Foley and Mary Baltz, included in Ashwell's book, say displaying branches, including pussywillow, forsythia and apple blossoms, is a colorful way to bring spring indoors.

Peggy Kennedy, editor in chief of Victoria magazine, suggests throwing out any dried flowers that are hanging around the house. They don't have the fresh, youthful feeling of springtime, she explains.

Get rid of any leftover winter holiday decorations, too.

For the dining room, a floor-

length voile tablecloth gives an air of breeziness and color.

"People want their lives to be simpler, and their houses should reflect that, especially in spring."

"People don't want a lot of things around them if they're not useful or pleasing to the eye."

Although she admits that "painting" is an intimidating

word to those who are not particularly crafty, she says putting a layer of paint on something—shutters, a small table, a wall—gives a quick change in atmosphere.

After cleaning off your surfaces and doing some simple brightening up, there's only one thing left to do: scrub.

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30-Yr. fixed	7.19%	7.31%	0%	0%	\$678	\$27,118	
15-Yr. fixed	6.75%	7.17%	0%	0%	\$885	\$35,396	
5/1-Yr. ARM	6.38%	6.68%	0%	0%	\$624	\$24,955	

SOURCE: The Meyers Report, 1-847-205-9222

MEYERS ON MORTGAGES

UNION HELPS MEMBERS, THEIR KIDS AND PARENTS BUY AND KEEP HOMES

by GARY S. MEYERS



Unions continue to offer home buyer benefits to their members and their families. This week the Union Plus Mortgage and Real Estate Program helps you not only to get you into a house, but also provides a safety net to keep you there.

Run through the AFL-CIO benefits branch, Union Privilege, and funded by Chase Manhattan Bank, the Union Plus Mortgage Program is open to participating union members, their children and their parents. It provides for reduced closing costs, as well as a safety net for homebuyers who are laid off, injured, or are experiencing temporary financial problems.

The program will pay up to six months of mortgage payments for you, if you are unable to do so because you are laid off, injured or have another financial crisis. You then have another four months beyond that before you have to begin repaying the missed payments, and then that is only at rate of \$75 per month. Once the missed payments are repaid, you can re-use the benefit.

"It's a wonderful program," Jody Stephen, Chase's Midwest Area Coordinator for the program, said. "It has saved many members from ruining their credit rating or losing their home."

Usually it takes about two weeks to process the payment help request, so Stephen encourages participants to notify loan officers immediately if they will not be able to make their mortgage payments, instead of missing a few before calling. If the buyer misses a payment before requesting the benefit, the program will take care of the past due payment including late charges.

"Once you are behind, most banks do not accept a partial payment," she said. "You have to pay the full amount you are behind before they start accepting payments again."

Union Plus Mortgage also offers three other benefits, including: lower closing costs, a guarantee that the loan always will be held by Chase and never sold, and a special strike benefit.

The strike benefit only applies to strikes that extend beyond 90 days. Beginning on the 91st day, Union Plus Mortgage will make half the principal and interest payments for three months. In the case of a strike that continues after that, it will pick up the entire principal and interest for the next three months. This is limited to one use per loan, but never has to be repaid.

The program can be used with any loan product Chase

services, and is not restricted to first time homebuyers.

In the Midwest, Stephen has a toll free number (800) 475-7933. Union members who call it will be referred to a Chase office near them. The program has been in place through Chase for at least six years.

"It has been a challenge to make sure everyone knows about the Union Plus Mortgage Program," she said. "When I started a lot of union leaders didn't know."

Stephen heavily promotes it, maintaining close contacts with locals all over the area. The painters union has her speak to each new class of apprentices and she usually has a booth at state labor conventions. Union locals also run regular notices about it in their member newsletters, include it in mailings out to the membership or have her give a brief presentation at a local meeting.

Reader questions may appear in this column when e-mailed to GaryMeyers@mre-port@aol.com or snail mailed to 450 Skokie Blvd., Suite 400, Northbrook, IL 60062

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317 Garden City

OPEN SUN. 1-4
6719 Lathers - S. of Warren & E. of Middlebelt. Great 3 bedroom ranch, eat-in kitchen w/ new floor & appliances, stay, family room, hardwood floors, basement, garage, updates include: newer vinyl siding & windows, living room carpet & roof. Tons of curb appeal!
- \$124,900

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33411 Rosslyn, 3 bedroom ranch with pool and garage. Call Theresa - 734-728-8000 Century 21 Dynamic

OPEN SUN. 12-3
31205 Rosely, N. of Cherry Hill, E. of Merriman, great price on this 3 bedroom ranch with a finished basement, 2 car garage, 1 1/2 baths, central air, newer windows - \$127,900

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CASTELLI - 734-525-7900

\$144,900
Very well maintained Ranch w/ large eat-in kitchen. Full finished basement has 4th bedroom, 1/2 bath & family room. Large deck, on corner lot 80x122 with 2.5 car garage. (MA321)
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319 Hamburg

LOVELY 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath Colonial. Price reduced \$268,000. Open Sun. 12-3. 10787 Wynn Hill, E. of Merriman, great price on this 3 bedroom ranch with a finished basement, 2 car garage, 1 1/2 baths, central air, newer windows - \$127,900

RAISED RANCH in quiet sub. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 1700 sqft. New in 90's. Call Theresa - 734-728-8000 Century 21 Dynamic

Lot overlooks great room with vaulted ceilings, fieldstone fireplace, sprinklers, deck & much more! Call (734) 844-3674

320 Hartland

3 bedroom ranch, full decks, finished basement, new bath, \$143,900. 810-632-6154

FABULOUS 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch home, located in beautiful Hartland Twp. 1447 sq. ft., central air, full basement, central air, fenced yard. Call today! \$184,900. (734) 516-3512

FOUR BEDROOM 3 yr. old ranch, 2400 sq. ft. finished lower level, \$188,000. (810) 632-3221

HARTLAND Beautiful lakefront home. M59 & US23. Private setting, 5 acres, in-ground enclosed pool. \$469,900. Call 248-210-7487

Look What's NEW
LIKE LIVING up north? Private pristine lake, brick ranch, pond, treed 1 acre, 2.174 sq. ft., 1231 sq. ft. walk out w/ in-lake, \$275,000. (248) 887-8617

OPEN SUN. JUNE 3 1-4PM
PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP! Sharp 2 story home in great neighborhood of newer homes! Convenient area with easy access to US-23. This wonderful home has a pretty oak kitchen with hardwood floors open to a comfortable great room with fireplace, becker carpet and just a few minutes to Hartland. Call today! \$195,900. (734) 432-0311

CASTLE GARDENS SUB - Beautiful 3 bedroom ranch. Move-in condition. Many updates. New roof/windows. Formal entertaining plus a partially finished basement and a nicely landscaped yard with a large patio \$209,900. Hartland Schools. Take a drive South off M-59 then follow open signs to 1709 Dartmouth.

JUST LISTED! - Great ranch home situated on large corner lot in convenient Hartland neighborhood! Home includes 3 bedrooms, 1.5 bath, large living with natural fireplace and doorway to deck and nice backyard! Partially finished basement and car attached garage. Hartland Schools. \$225,000.

JUST LISTED! - Striking "new" three bedroom, 2.5 bath home nestled on 2 wooded acres in a well located neighborhood just outside the small town of Hartland! Spacious kitchen with Homecrest hickory cabinets open to great room with cathedral ceiling and beautiful natural fireplace. Good sized family activity room great for pool table or large TV. This wonderful 2432 sq. ft. home also includes a 2 car attached garage and a separate detached garage! Hartland Schools. \$269,500.

WELCOME HOME - to this attractive brick 1.5 story home with beautiful tree setting in well located subdivision! Home features sharp newer kitchen, brick fireplace in living room and wood stove in kitchen-dining area. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, and separate living quarters in walkout lower level. Hartland Schools. \$159,900.

SMALL WONDERS - Great little home in the Village of Hartland! Home includes 1 bedroom, 1 bath, kitchen with breakfast nook, 1st floor laundry and cozy living room 55x165 lot with storage shed. Great location just minutes from M-59 & US-23 - Hartland Schools. \$90,000.

ENGLAND REAL ESTATE (248) 474-4530.

321 Highland
10 ACREAGE, 4500 sq. ft. cont., new construction, below cost \$399,000. 810-665-1255, 248-613-8515

UNIQUE RANCH - 1600 sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, pole barn, 5 acres. State land surround, \$275,000. Serious only. (734) 449-9634.

321 Highland

HURON VALLEY SCHOOLS! This Victorian farmhouse will take you back in time! Set on nearly 3 acres of pines & apple trees boasts 2,600 sq. ft. Includes 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, gourmet kitchen, breakfast nook, maple & cherry floors, fireplace, transoms windows and so much more! \$289,900 (21034163) Call Sue Burkowski ext. 109.

CENTURY 21 HARTFORD
(248) 478-8000

JUST LISTED! - Attractive, comfortable cape cod with serene wooded setting in popular Dunham Lake Estates. This 1975 sq. ft. home includes 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, sharp kitchen with Kraftmaid cabinets and hardwood floors. Formal living room, family room with fireplace, formal dining, partially finished basement and 2 car attached garage. Lake privileges to Dunham Lake includes swimming beaches and nature trail for walking! Huron Valley Schools. \$238,000.

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322 Holly/Fenton

A RARE FIND! Secluded Lake front on +5 acres! Two Homes! Lake front estate offers seclusion on rolling, wooded acreage. 2,400 sq. ft. quality ranch, walk out basement and stone cottage quest home Over 500 ft. on beautiful lake front on private "Deep Lake" \$589,500.

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325 Livonia

ATTRACTIVE 1 1/2 story, 1360 sq. ft., cape cod on park-like setting of almost 3/4 acres. 3 bedroom, 1 bath, living room, dining room, heated garage w/2200 sq. ft. service, 1st floor, sliding windows. \$171,900. 14361 Newburgh 734-462-5850.

3 BEDROOM brick ranch, great condition, 2 baths, finished basement. Open Sun. 11-5. 9910 Harrison, \$148,000. (248) 624-4667

BEST BUYS
NEWLY LISTED! 3 bedroom custom built brick ranch, 2 full baths. Natural fireplace, 2 car garage. Asking \$165,900.

CAPTIVATING 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial. Family room, dining room, beautiful Florida room. Attached garage. \$269,900.

EXCEPTIONAL 3 bedroom ranch on 1/2 acre. Great room, 2nd floor master suite, 2 full baths, car attached garage. \$199,900.

LARRY MICHAUD
RE/MAX Classic 734-432-1100

BRAND NEW
Last home in Sub. 1900 sq. ft. brick Ranch. 2 1/2 baths, 1st floor laundry, hardwood floors, kitchen/breakfast, basement prepped for bath, side entrance garage, landscaped. \$314,900

BRIAN DUGGAN
AMERICAN CLASSIC REALTY
(734) 591-1900.

BRICK RANCH - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, newer kitchen w/appliances, family room w/fireplace, finished basement. Relocating! 734-432-2012.

BURTON HOLLOW WOODS Open Sun. 12-3. 10787 Wynn Hill, E. of Merriman, great price on this 3 bedroom ranch with a finished basement, 2 car garage, 1 1/2 baths, central air, newer windows - \$127,900

By owner, 3 bedroom tri-level, approx. 1536 sq. ft., 2 detached garage. Compton Village Sub. \$183,500. 734-421-8140.

BY OWNER - Livonia ranch, 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, finished basement, C/A, 1 car detached, new windows/roof, \$145,000. (248) 478-2408.

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LIVONIA: Beautiful, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial. c/a, Prime area. Must see. 18592 Southpoint, N. of Mills & Gills \$269,900. 248-478-5674.

LIVONIA-By Owner. \$252,500 4 Bedroom, 1.5 bath Colonial. Fully updated, deep treed lot. Finished basement. 734-421-6881

LIVONIA- 14929 Country Club, S. of S. E. of Levan. 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick Ranch, family room w/fireplace, 1500 sq. ft., 2 car garage. \$204,900. Al Thomas, Re/Max 100 (248) 348-3000

LIVONIA - 14149 Marie, Tiffany Park Sub. Move-in condition. 1130 sq. ft. ranch, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, new kitchen, many updates, c.a., 2 car garage. By owner. (734) 542-9011.

LIVONIA - Open Sun., 1-4pm. 19419 Rensselaer (N off 7, W of Inkster). Updated, 3 bedroom brick ranch, 2 bath, 2 car garage, basement, move-in cond., \$149,900. 248-471-6729

MINT CONDITION! Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch on dead end street with a private yard. Updates include bath, furnace, C/A, hot water tank, dishwasher, newer roof & refinished hardwood floors. Garage & partially finished basement. \$153,500. (21031755) Call Sue Burkowski ext. 109.

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Ranch, 2 bedroom, 800 sq. ft. Very clean & neat. Nice area. Reduced to \$87,000. Leave message. (248) 240-9808

RARE OPPORTUNITY
OPEN 1-4
17843 Woodside, 1/2 of E. of Oakwood, 2 bedrooms, 2 bath colonial w/family room & dining room. Great yard w/perennials & pond. \$259,900. Ask for Karen Camilleri, Century 21 Row, (734) 464-7111

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326 Milford

MOVE IN TODAY!
This elegant Eaton Williamsburg at Lakes of Milford is now available for quick delivery. Outstanding features include:

4 bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths, 9 first floor ceilings, master bedroom suite with private bath & jetted whirlpool tub, family room with wood-burning fireplace, central air, hardwood floors, Andersen windows, landscaping, soil & irrigation.

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LAKE POINTE
3 bedroom, 2.5 bath brick ranch with 2 car garage, finished laundry, huge garage, finished basement and great location. \$194,900. C7120.

328 Northville

ENGLISH TUDOR 3000sqft w/additional 1300sqft of finished walkout, 5 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, family room, living, dining room, library, gas fireplace, hardwood floors, new carpeting. Brick paver driveway, 2 1/2 car garage. Extensive landscaping, in Maple Hill Sub. \$485,000. Call (248) 349-7966 for all the extras.

EXECUTIVE TUDOR, W/4 bedrooms on a 1/2 acre lot. Master ste. w/dwining office. Gorgeous master bath w/Jacuzzi tub. Spacious gourmet kitchen, living room with fireplace, w/fireplace, 1st floor laundry. Beautiful landscaping. \$699,900. (GUHO-P)

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Owners have lavished lots of love on this wonderful 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch in popular NW Livonia subdivision. Amenities include great room, master suite, full basement and 2 car attached garage. Neutral decor, beautifully maintained and immediate occupancy. Priced for a quick sale at \$282,900.

MOTIVATED SELLERS
Want an offer on this great 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath colonial with many updates situated in popular Northwest subdivision. Walk to elementary and middle schools. Only \$218,000. (21031741)

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SUSAN & RACHEL RION
RE/MAX Great Lakes
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LIGHT-BRIGHT-AIRY
BRICK ranch w/3 bedrooms and 1 1/2 baths on quiet tree lined street! Full basement. Garage. Mint! The Firestone Team. RE/MAX 100 (248) 348-3000

Taft & 9 Mile. Large cul-de-sac lot. Northville schools. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, daylight basement. \$414,000. (248) 344-1884

329 Novi

MEADOWBROOK LAKE GEM
4 Bedroom, 2 1/2 bath brick colonial situated on a pine treed lot with many updates including kitchen. \$339,700.

Call Mary L. Bush 313.530.8750
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OPEN HOUSE - Sun., 12-5pm. Whispering Meadows Sub. 22135 Clover Lane. Huge lot, 2400 sq. ft. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, totally updated. Brand new carpet, ceramic floor, kitchen, recessed lighting, crown molding, entry doors, windows, roof. Giant master suite w/walk-in closet. Novi schools. \$139,900. (248) 349-3231

WOODS OF NOVI - By Owner. Beautifully landscaped wooded lot w/large deck w/play structure, 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, living, dining & family rooms, finished basement w/large play area & alarm, vaulted ceilings, C/A, a/c, Family sub w/widewalk-out, 2nd floor heater and w/laundry, circular driveway, some hardwood flooring plus a side entry garage. \$347,900.

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COLDWELL BANKER
SCHWEITZER - BAKE
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333 Pinckney
Look What's NEW
NEWER 1,250 sq. ft., 3 bedroom ranch, 3/4 acre, 2 baths, 2 car garage, fireplace, deck w/gazebo & hot tub. \$216,000. (734) 878-1026

334 Plymouth
BRICK RANCH - 3 bedrooms w/pond off deck. Finished basement, C/A, 2 car garage + workshop. \$198,500. 734-453-6108

BY OWNER. Desirable Lake-pointe, 2-story, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, w/many updates included, newer roof, windows, kitchen, finished basement. Above ground pool w/wooden deck. Open Sun. 1-4. Won't last at \$255,900. (734) 420-2201

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OPEN SUN. 12-3
522 Ann St. - N. of Farmer & E. of Sheldon, Sharp, tastefully decorated 4 bedroom 1.5 bath colonial. Large kitchen w/appliances, huge family room w/fireplace, finished basement, immediate occupancy, 1 year home warranty & more! Come see! - \$259,900

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OPEN SUN. 1-4. 8905 Tavistock Dr., 4 bedroom colonial, remodeled, 2 car garage. Huge lot w/pond. \$259,900
HELP-UB-SELL (734) 454-9535

PLYMOUTH TWP - Brick ranch, 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, family room, 2 car attached garage. By owner. 734-454-6597

CLAWSON - Great colonial, 1,300 sq. ft. Many extras, 3 bedrooms, \$199,000. By appointment. (248) 589-3122

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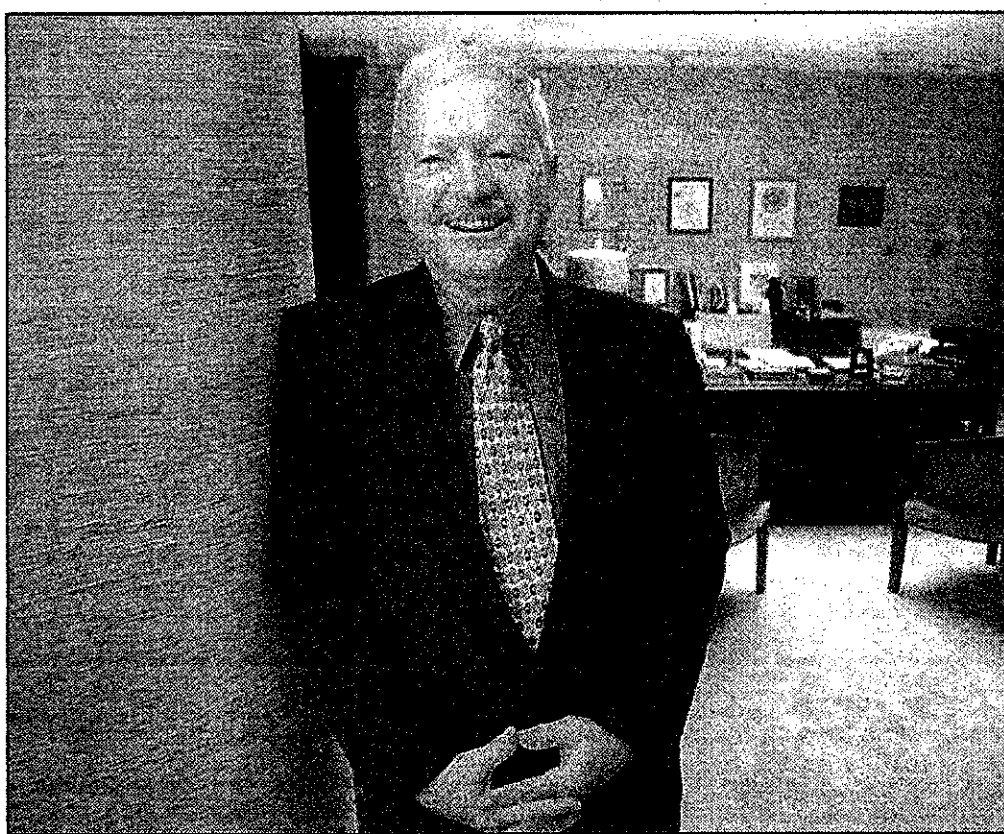
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Mayor Jack Kirksey
city of Livonia



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Government employee: Livonia mayor Jack Kirksey prefers working in municipal government because he can get things done.

BY PAM FLEMING
SPECIAL WRITER

Livonia Mayor Jack Kirksey had no intentions of running for political office. In fact, he told his family at one point that he would never be a candidate. And Michael Bsharah, director of Public Information for the city of Dearborn for two years, serving under Mayor Michael Guido, was also recruited.

But whether their jobs in government were planned or happenstance, they both said that working for the government is extremely rewarding and that more people should consider it as a career.

The best place to look for jobs in public service is to check out the web site governmentjobs.com. This site features current job listings, including a description of each job, on a state-by-state and city-by-city basis. In Michigan, there were recently jobs listed in the cities of Ann Arbor, Detroit, Kalamazoo, Mt. Pleasant, Port Huron and Southfield.

And, of course, newspaper listings and word-of-mouth are always good

sources of information.

Mayor Kirksey, the son of two teachers, is serving his second four-year term and has about 2-1/2 years left in office. He was a state representative from 1977 to 1985 and was an elected member of the Schoolcraft College Board for 3-1/2 years. He has had a life of public service in the U.S. Air Force, as a schoolteacher and an administrator.

"My family has a history of public involvement," Kirksey said. His brother, Bob, is a retired vice admiral in the U.S. Navy and was a highly decorated aviator, serving in Vietnam. Another brother, Les, who recently passed away, served in the Navy in World War II. The mayor served in the Air Force during the Korean conflict.

So why does the mayor like working in government?

"It may sound Pollyannaish or cornball, but it's the ability to help solve problems and create services that help people. In the Legislature, you have 148 chiefs - things are very complex and slow-moving. But in municipal government, you can really get things

done. There's a clear line of responsibility. I just have a great feeling that I'm making a difference - not single-handedly, of course," he said.

Mayor Kirksey described how he landed in political office. "In the 1960s, Jim McCann, who became a long-standing judge, his brother, Bob, was a civic activist, and we were both school principals. He asked if I would like to help his brother on his campaign. When I asked him what I'd have to do, his answer was, 'You hang some signs and have some cold drinks afterwards.' I didn't think that sounded too bad," he said with a laugh.

He became involved as a campaign worker and then a campaign manager. His wife, Patt, assisted him. "Then Sen. Bob Geake came to me and asked if I would run for his vacant House seat. I had told my family I would never be a candidate, just a supporter. We talked about it for a couple of weeks, and I decided to run. It was never part of a career ladder or plan, but I'm happy

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Job seeker's
behavior baffles
consultant

I must be a moron. After all these years, the behaviors and attitudes of some job seekers still fill me with childlike wonder. Just when I think things are unfolding logically - KABLAM! - somebody does something to refresh my lack of faith. Only an idiot would continue to be amazed.

Here are some recent examples.

While recruiting for a senior level position last week, I phoned one fellow who had responded to an ad a few years ago. Like most headhunters, I archive good resumes because most people are willing to listen, particularly if you catch them at the right time.

So the man wasn't home and I ended up talking to a person who was presumably his wife. I explained that Bob had sent in a resume back in 1999.

"Well, he has a good job," she said tersely. I acknowledged this, but indicated that he might have an interest in my opening, as well. "No," she said, "He's got a job. He's not interested."

Then she hung up on me.

If my wife is reading this column, I want her to know that if she ever does anything like this to me I will epoxy her knees together while she is sleeping. How can one person assume the power to veto opportunities for another? What if it was the guy's dream job? I guess he'll never know.

Also last week, I arranged an interview for an engineering candidate at company that was in dire need of someone with his skills. I knew that Walt had been interviewing with other firms, but he assured me that he was not close to concluding a deal. On the morning of the scheduled interview, I got a voice mail telling me that he had just accepted another job and wouldn't be keeping the appointment.

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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LEGAL SECRETARY

Full-time legal secretary desired for suburban law firm. Must have litigation skills and minimum 3 years experience. Competitive compensation package. Please submit resume to: DJP, 38505 Woodward Avenue, Suite 2300, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304.

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LEGAL SECRETARY

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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Downtown 6-attorney law firm needs nonsmoking, well-spoken and personable individual interested in the legal field. WordPerfect knowledge and excellent phone skills required. Excellent parking and profit sharing plan included in benefits provided. Send resume with work references and education to: Office Manager, 2600 Buhl Bldg, 535 Griswold, Detroit, MI 48226; or fax (313) 961-6142 or email: lmchgie@allardfishpc.com.

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RECEPTIONIST

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RECEPTIONIST / OFFICE ASSISTANT

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

REGIONAL SALES ASSISTANT

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RESIDENT MANAGER/ ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Ann Arbor apt. complex seeking an enthusiastic, team player with the ability to coordinate multiple tasks & assist in a variety of duties. Ideal candidate will have experience in the leasing industry & possess excellent data processing skills. Please send resume & desired salary level to: 1900 W. Liberty Ann Arbor, MI 48103

SECRETARIAL POSITION

Substitute Caller. Maintain full operation of substitute desk including computerized subcalling system, must be detail oriented, work well under pressure, possess problem-solving skills & possess excellent computer skills; school year hours 6:30am-3pm; 52 week position. Application & typing test required. Deadline 4pm, June 14. Refer to Hotline or Internet for additional requirements: 734-416-2744, www.pccs.k12.mi.us; Plymouth Canton Community Schools, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth.

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DENTAL ASSISTANT

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504 Help Wanted-Dental

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CANTON - Sub Sale - Sat., June 2, 8-6, Sun., June 3, 8-4, The Winds Condos on Haggerty between Palmer/Cherry Hill.

CANTON - Thur & Sat., June 7 & 9, 9am-3pm. 4052 Amanda Ct. (Geddes & Canton Center).

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FARMINGTON - 23523 Gll Rd. Thurs - Sat., June 7-8-9, 9 to 4pm. Garage Sale Treasures.

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LIVONIA - June 7-9, 9am, 38024 Howell, Newburgh & 5 Mile. Lots of everything!

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LIVONIA - Multi-family, 18916 Renwick (Levan & Six Mile), Thur-Fri-Sat, June 7-8-9, 9-5.

LIVONIA - S. of W. Chicago, W. of Farmington, 33432 Cindy, June 7 & 8th. 9AM-4PM. Furniture, household, clothes, electronics and much more.

LIVONIA - Streetwide sale, Richland between Stark & Farmington, S. of Plymouth. Thurs-Sat. 9-4.

LIVONIA 3 family sale-16323 & 16251 Houghton, 6 & Newburgh. June 6-7 & 8, 9am-3pm. Kids clothes, toys, household items, furniture & more.

LIVONIA - 4 Family. Kids' clothes, toys, books, misc. Thurs-Sat, June 7, 8 & 9, 9-5, 15023 Norman, S. & W/Newburgh.

PLYMOUTH MULTI-FAMILY sale! Antiques, furniture, misc., June 7th, 8th & 9th. 9-5, 1121 Hartsough E. of Sheldon W. of Main, N. of Ann Arbor Rd.

PLYMOUTH - 30 families. Special treasures. Great deals! Thurs, June 7th only, 8am-5pm. 1393 W. Ann Arbor Tr., 1 blk. E. of Sheldon.

PLYMOUTH - 3 Family Garage Sale, Thurs. 6/7 & Sat. 6/9, 9am-3pm. 1101 S. Harvey St.

PLYMOUTH - 44576 Erik Pass, W. of Sheldon, S. of Ann Arbor Road, June 8-9, 9-5pm. 2 Families. Antiques, etc.

REDFORD - June 7-9, 10-5, Baby & girls clothes, 0-4T, baby equipment. 15167 Salem Ct., S. of 5, E. of Beech Daly.

REDFORD The yard sale of your dreams! clothes, furniture, more! June 8th-10th. 10am-5pm. 15477 Woodbine off 5 Mile at Telegraph.

REDFORD - Thur-Fri-Sat, June 7-8-9, 9am-4pm. 8930 Brady (off Joy Rd. Arnold).

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6. Legal Notices

Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Stor-N-Lock, 7840 N. Wayne Rd., Westland, MI 48185-2009, (734) 261-6640 on Wednesday, June 20, 2001 at 12:30 p.m. where the following goods will be sold:

TENANT - Alfreda Harrison
SPACE NUMBER - #N-7D
CONTENTS - 5 bags, 10 boxes, 1 dresser, 1 snack table, 1 other misc. item

TENANT - Shannon Moore
SPACE NUMBER - #N-1G
CONTENTS - 4 bags, 4 boxes, 6 other misc. items

TENANT - Michael Miller
SPACE NUMBER - #C-18
CONTENTS - 5 bags, 2 bed box springs, 1 bed frame, 2 bed mattresses, 3 bicycles, 22 boxes, 3 kitchen chairs, 2 fans, 2 shelves, 1 snack table, 1 other misc. item

TENANT - Matthew Conway
SPACE NUMBER - #L-16
CONTENTS - 1 bed frame, 1 bed head board, 8 boxes, 1 sofa, 1 dresser, 1 portable TV, 1 other misc. item

TENANT - John Boyce
SPACE NUMBER - #J-5
CONTENTS - 21 boxes, 3 ladders, 1 TV stand, 1 freezer, 1 shovel, 1 rake

TENANT - Heather Klasen
SPACE NUMBER - #J-25
CONTENTS - 18 bags, 1 bed mattress, 13 boxes, 1 kitchen table, 1 TV stand, 1 plant stand, 1 tree

TENANT - Diane Noel
SPACE NUMBER - #N-1D
CONTENTS - 12 boxes, 2 kitchen chairs, 1 china closet, 1 dresser, 1 dryer, 1 fish tank, 1 table lamp, 1 kitchen table, 1 other misc. items, 1 washing machine

TENANT - Patrick Schomo
SPACE NUMBER - O-10
CONTENTS - 1 Pontiac Star Chief

TENANT - Ulysses Barnes
SPACE NUMBER - #N-33
CONTENTS - 10 bags, 1 bed box spring, 1 bed mattress, 1 ironing board, 1 floor lamp, 1 microwave oven, 1 sofa, 1 trunk, 1 other misc. item

TENANT - Basil Buck
SPACE NUMBER - #P-19
CONTENTS - 3 bags, 1 bed frame, 1 bed head board, 12 boxes, 4 kitchen chairs, 1 other misc. item, 1 electric stove, 6 cans of paint

TENANT - Lone Star
SPACE NUMBER - #D-18
CONTENTS - 1 misc. restaurant equipment, 20 boxes

TENANT - Paula Kugler
SPACE NUMBER - #P-6
CONTENTS - 1 baby stroller, 30 boxes, 2 beach chairs, 1 ice chest, 1 ironing board, 1 ladder, 1 floor lamp, 1 mirror, 1 folding table, 1 tool box, 1 vacuum cleaner, 1 other misc. item

TENANT - Taurus Lee
SPACE NUMBER - #P-7B
CONTENTS - 3 boxes, 1 leather jacket

TENANT - Datisha Berry
SPACE NUMBER - #G-14
CONTENTS - 3 bags, 1 bed frame, 1 bed head board, 9 boxes, 4 kitchen chairs, 1 kitchen table, 1 snack table

TENANT - Joseph Muliet
SPACE NUMBER - #M-28
CONTENTS - 2 bags, 1 box spring, 1 bed frame, 1 mattress, 6 boxes, 2 folding chairs, 4 kitchen chairs, 1 desk, 2 dressers, 1 microwave oven, 1 end table, 1 tool box, 2 lawnmowers, 1 snowblower, 1 computer, 1 gun rack, other misc. items

TENANT - Walter Gibson
SPACE NUMBER - #P-30
CONTENTS - 1 bed box spring, 1 bed frame, 1 bed mattress, 1 box

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5. Personals

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6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF THE CITY OF INKSTER
WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual School Election for the School District of the City of Inkster, Wayne County,

Michigan will be held in said School District on **MONDAY, JUNE 11, 2001** at the following places:

PRECINCT NO. 1: At the west entrance of Baylor/Woodson Elementary School, 28865 Carlyle Avenue, Inkster, MI (to be used by voters who formerly voted at the Woodson School)

PRECINCT NO. 2: At the Meek/Milton Elementary School, 1771 Henry Ruff Road, Inkster, MI

PRECINCT NO. 3: At the east entrance of Baylor/Woodson Elementary School, 28865 Carlyle Avenue, Inkster, MI (to be used by voters who formerly voted at the Baylor School)

PRECINCT NO. 4: at the Smith Chapel AME Church, 3505 Walnut Street, Inkster, MI

PRECINCT NO. 5 (ABSENTEE BALLOTS ONLY): Administration Building, Inkster Board of Education, 29115 Carlyle Avenue, Inkster, MI

THE POLLS WILL BE OPEN for said Annual School Election in each of said polling places from 7:00 am until 8:00 pm.

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN the four (4) year terms of two (2) trustees of the Board of Education will expire at the end of the fixed school year, JUNE 30, 2001. Nominees seeking to fill said vacancies shall be voted upon and elected at the Annual School Election, **MONDAY, JUNE 11, 2001. THE NAME** of the candidates to be voted upon for trustee of the Board of Education is as Follows:

FOUR YEAR TERM
James L. Richardson III
Lisa Perry

6. Legal Notices

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned that on Thursday, June 7, 2001 at 10:00 a.m., at **Mayflower Auto Transport, 5760 Belleville Rd., Canton, MI, County of Wayne**, a public auction of the following vehicles will be held:

1987	Pontiac	N/A	2 DR	2G2GJ11Z7H2201066
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1987	Ford	Econoline	VAN	1FDEE14H7HHB83057
1989	Ford	Aerostar	S/W	1FMCA11U4KZA06248
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1988	Dodge	Lancer	4 DR	1B3BX48K6JN112924
1993	Dodge	Ram	VAN	2B7HB21Y5RK579897
1974	Dodge	Monoco	4 DR	DP43K4D256601
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Pursuant to State Law, a sale will be held at Fullhouse Self Storage, 7886 Belleville Road, Belleville, MI, on June 21, 2001 at 11:00 a.m. The following goods will be sold:

TENANT - Linda White
SPACE NUMBER - #H-358
CONTENTS - 1 air conditioner, 1 baby crib, 3 bags, 5 boxes, 1 upholstered chair, 10 clothing, 1 dresser, 1 sofa, 1 kitchen table, 1 TV console, 5 other misc. items

TENANT - Veronica Nelson
SPACE NUMBER - #L-524
CONTENTS - 2 bags, 9 boxes, 1 desk, 1 dresser, 1 night table, 5 other misc. items

TENANT - Maurice Hopkins
SPACE NUMBER - #B-51
CONTENTS - 4 bags, 1 bed box spring, 1 bed mattress, 15 boxes, 2 upholstered chairs, 1 floor lamp, 2 sofa, 2 fish tanks, 1 suitcases, 1 table model TV, 10 other misc. items.

TENANT - Timothy Hopper
SPACE NUMBER - #G-451
CONTENTS - 2 bags, 6 boxes, 3 tool boxes, 5 other misc. items

TENANT - Ruth Bechowitz
SPACE NUMBER - #K-671
CONTENTS - 3 bags, 2 bed box springs, 1 bed frame, 1 bed mattress, 10 boxes, 1 dresser, 1 dryer, 1 fan, 2 sofas, 1 coffee table, 1 end table, 1 TV stand, 1 washing machine, 20 other misc. items.

TENANT - Steve Miller
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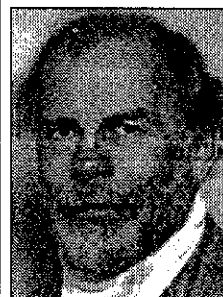
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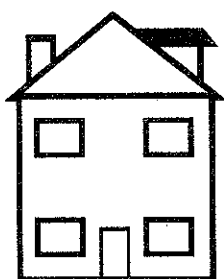
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