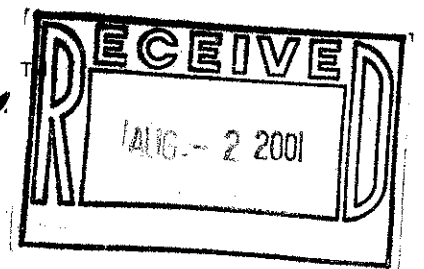


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Board
considers
merit pay**■ Canton Township trustees have hired a consultant to look at performance-based pay for township employees, as well as job classifications and other personnel matters.**BY CAROL MARSHALL
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By November, the Township Board of Trustees could be tackling the subject of merit pay for Canton's employees.

"It's a dicey subject because (often) it isn't managed well," said Ed Ura, consultant with Plymouth-based Management Resource Center Inc. "Or in some cases people don't get what they want, so there's a great forum to shout."

At a study session Tuesday, Ura and a panel of township employees brought the board up to speed on some of the changes in Canton's Merit Commission.

"The idea of having a Merit Commission yet no way to be rewarded on merit is inconsistent," Ura said.

Ura has been hired by the township to conduct a job classification study and make recommendations about revamping Canton's personnel department.

■ Consultant Ed Ura said while he would not recommend the change if it wouldn't work for Canton, it's worth examining in order to attract quality employees.

Ura has met with department directors, elected officials and township employees to gather information.

"One thing that comes up over and over is merit pay," he said.

"I'm a little anxious to hear further discussions on merit pay," said Trustee Philip LaJoy.

Trustee Melissa McLaughlin agreed, stating she has for a long time been an

advocate of merit pay or performance-based pay, but it has been a touchy subject for employees.

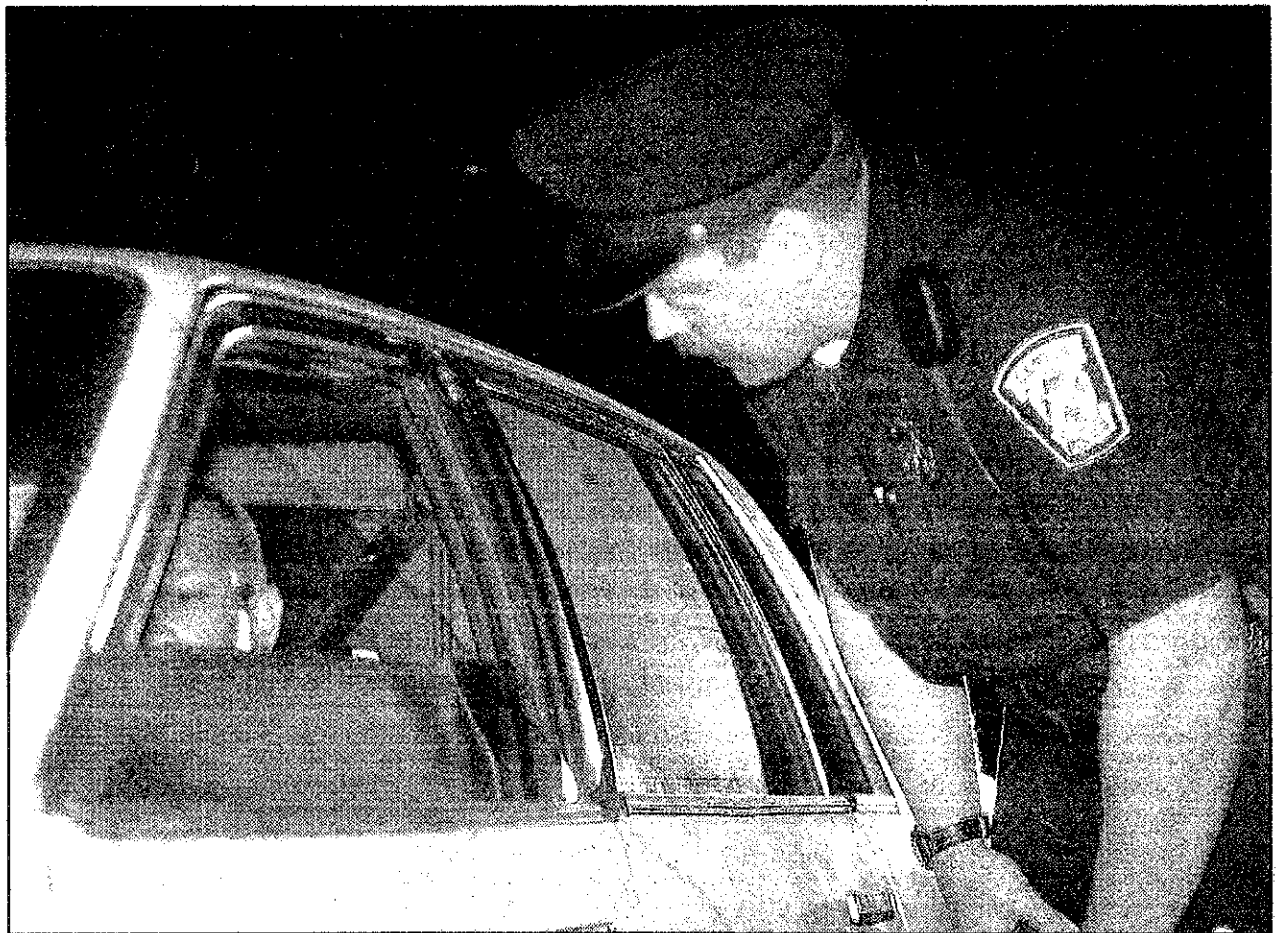
Ura said while he would not recommend the change if it wouldn't work for Canton, it's worth examining in order to attract quality employees.

The township has taken a proactive, entrepreneurial philosophy, he noted, and should hire customer-service minded people who are also capable of "thinking out of the box," rather than more traditional government employees.

"You want to hire a different kind of person," he said. "You don't want a person who thinks punching a clock is the thing to do and that 9:01 to 4:59 is where it's at."

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Riding the night shift



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Veteran officer
sees it all on
township streetsBY CAROL MARSHALL
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A dozen police officers filed into the briefing room and prepared for another unpredictable Friday night in Canton.

"It's going to be a busy night," said Canton Police Officer Scott Hughesdon, as he checked out the Ford Expedition Rapid Response Unit, decked out with heavy vests, body bunkers and a 223-round AR-15 high power rifle, and a Less Lethal beanbag rifle.

"Did I tell you I'm being followed by a poo poo cloud of doom?" Hughesdon asked his willing passengers, a Canton Observer reporter and photographer. "Just thought I would warn you because anything can happen."

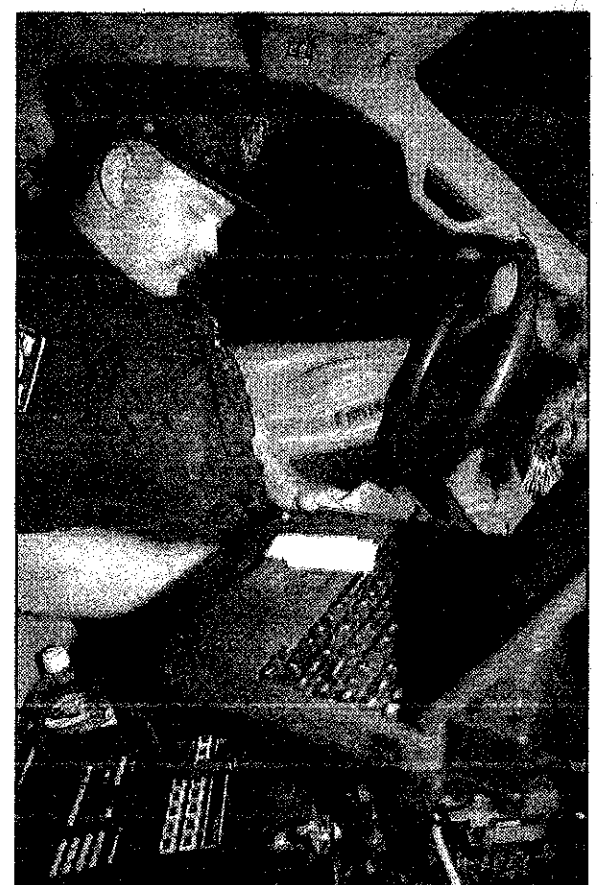
Fasten your seat belts

On the way to Hughesdon's assigned area, the southern end of the township known as "Charlie-30," dispatchers informed officers of drag racing complaints from callers near Dodson Elementary. Minutes later, officers were dispatched to a local fitness center, where a toddler's foot was caught in a treadmill.

Hughesdon made a few passes east and west on Michigan Avenue.

"I'm getting a feel for what it's going to be like out

Please see NIGHT SHIFT, A3

**Ticket time:** *One motorist wasn't having a lucky night, and Canton Police Officer Scott Hughesdon cited him for disobeying a traffic signal. Above, Hughesdon talks with a motorist after he ran a red light Friday night. That driver was also cited.*

First shot

Young archers take
to field as tourney beginsBY CAROL MARSHALL
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More than 100 of the tournament's youngest archers stood silent, pulled back their bows and, with as much concentration as pre-teenage children could muster, took aim. With a "whoosh" and a "thwack" they earned points toward victory.

After completing their shots, some archers returned to their parents with gleeful grins, others with tears.

"There's the smile. I can tell how she

Additional sports coverage, D1

did," said Kevin Heap upon his 12-year-old daughter Jessica's return.

The Heap family came to Canton from Hanover, Minn., for the 117th annual National Target Championships.

Canton has been home to nearly 600 archers this week as the National Archery Association staged its national target championships at Heritage Park.

Please see YOUNG ARCHERS, A5



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All done: *Brian Brodine of Rochester, N.Y. pulls his arrows after the final session for junior archers Monday at the 117th National Target Archery Outdoor Championship at Canton's Heritage Park.*

Historical Society flea market set for Saturday

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It's hunting season again, at least for treasure hunters and bargain hunters, as the Canton Historical Society hosts its annual flea market

Saturday at the historic Cherry Hill School.

"It's kind of a special, laid-back event," said society president Ronni Curtis. "It's not so huge that you've got people clamoring all over each other and you can't find anything, but it's big enough that we can have an

eclectic blend of merchandise."

The flea market will be held from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Cherry Hill School located at Cherry Hill and Ridge roads.

The offerings from 20-30 vendors include antiques, household items, arts and crafts, and garage-sale

items.

Many of the antiques are donated to the society for sale. This year, the society received a complete antique iron bed, including headboard, footboard and springs, which will be up

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Police investigate incident at roller rink

Canton Police were called to investigate an assault and battery complaint Friday.

The victim, a 17-year-old Canton man, said he was playing roller hockey at Skatin' Station, 8611 Rotunda. At the end of the game, he was allegedly assaulted by another player.

His alleged assailant is a Westland man, who the victim said is in his 20s.

The victim said the Westland

man hit him in the head several times and knocked his helmet off. He said after the man had pushed him to the ground, he continued beating him until referees intervened.

The Canton man was rushed to Saint Mary Mercy hospital, where he was treated for bruises on his face and head.

Police are still investigating.

Computer theft

Canton Police are looking into the theft of two computers from Plymouth Salem High School last week.

The computers, a monitor and a keyboard, were left in a hallway while the room was being cleaned. They were still there during summer school classes last Monday, but by the end of the day, they were missing.

The computer equipment is valued at \$2,800.

Ethnic intimidation

Canton Police are investigat-

ing an ethnic intimidation complaint from a 29-year-old mother and her 7-year-old son.

The woman told police she returned to her Canterbury Court home after being away on vacation to find a Confederate flag flying on her son's play structure.

Apparently, whoever hung the flag had also written ominous messages on it, including racial slurs.

The flag was 2-feet-by-2-feet, and appeared to be new.

The mother told police her son had never before been harassed and was very upset after seeing

the flag.

Pepper spray attack

A 24-year-old South Lyon woman told police she was assaulted with pepper spray after leaving a Canton watering hole last week.

The woman told Canton Police she was leaving Sneaky's bar at 8663 N. Lilley just after closing when she saw a group of other bar-goers gathered in the parking lot.

She said three women assaulted her and sprayed the Oleoresin Capsicum (OC) spray at her.

The women who allegedly attacked her — a 24-year-old from Belleville, a 28-year-old

from Ypsilanti and a 24-year-old from Benton Harbor — said they had seen one woman's cousin about ready to get into a fight in the parking lot.

They said the were trying to stop the fight, and none of them knew who produced the pepper spray.

They said a group of people began to approach them and threaten them, so they defended themselves with the spray and by hitting their assailants with their purses.

Police found the spray, which was 10 percent OC, 8 percent over the legal limit.

Canton Police are seeking assault and battery warrants on the three women.

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by Steve Mansfield

GETTING INTO SHAPE

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CANTON CONNECTION

Hazardous waste day

Get out your calendar and circle the date.

Canton Township will hold its second annual Hazardous Waste Round-up 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, in the parking lot of the municipal complex.

The round-up is open to Canton residents only. Items that will be accepted for disposal include light bulbs, oil-based and latex paint, paint thinner, paint stripper, primer, turpentine, varnish, furniture polish household batteries, pool chemicals and propane tanks from outdoor grills. (For a complete list of acceptable and non-acceptable items, call Canton's Public Works division (734) 394-5150.)

The Salvation Army will also be on hand at the event, accepting sellable furniture (not stained or torn), dishes, pots and pans, microwave ovens, toaster ovens and knickknacks.

Sauk Trail Hills Landfill will co-sponsor the event with the township and the Environmental Quality Co. will be packing the materials and sending them to the appropriate disposal site.

Residents are asked to enter the event at Heritage Park Drive, off Canton Center Road. Identification will be required.

Gold medalist

Canton resident Eric Rose will travel to Chili

to represent the U.S. in Tae Kwon Do competition after winning a gold medal at the junior nationals in Tampa, Fla.

Rose, a senior at Canton High School is a third dan black belt. His brother is also a medalist and a black belt.

The Rose brothers train at Kick's Tae Kwon Do and Fitness Center in Wayne.

Cleaner streets

Canton neighborhoods will be getting a clean sweep in the near future.

The township board this month approved a lease agreement for an Athney/Mobile M9-D Top Gun (we kid you not) mobile street sweeper. The sweeper will replace older equipment in the fleet and the township will have an option to buy it following the 36-month lease.

In addition to keeping local streets nice and neat, street sweeping will enhance the water quality in the township, officials said.

Police promotion

David Schreiner has been promoted to sergeant with the Canton Police Department.

A 14-year veteran of the force, he passed written and oral examinations to earn the promotion.

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Underachievers create problems, said Ura, and often managers find themselves catering to them.

"Fundamentally when it gets down to it, when you've got two people at a desk and one person performs very well and exceeds expectations, and the other doesn't, there's going to be resentment," between the

employees and between management and the employees. "When I write my book, I will entitle it, 'Stop Managing to the Wrong People.' You should manage to the people who give you the biggest return."

He said four talented, well-paid people can often do the work of six average employees. "People with that kind of men-

talities typically cost more," Ura said.

Canton taxpayers also want the largest return for their dollar.

"Regardless of how much I'm paying in taxes I want the best," he said. "People in Canton have come to expect that too."

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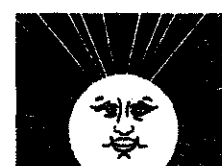


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here tonight. A lot of times you can tell right away. You can feel it when something's not right," he said. "People say they don't believe in the cycle of the moon, but you can tell without even looking at the sky when there's a full moon out."

Friday was not a full-moon night.

All the while, Hughesdon entered license plates numbers into his laptop computer.

"People say a lot of the time that we're picking on them or ruining their fun when we pull them over, but as you can see, it takes a lot to catch my attention," he said as he looks from keypad to the road, then back at the computer screen.

As night falls, Hughesdon pointed out how difficult it is to see the drivers in their cars.

"You can usually see if someone's wearing a seat belt. If you're lucky, you can tell how many people are in the car, and what color the vehicle is. If you know a lot about cars, you might be able to identify the make and model, but that's about it," he said. "That's why I get so angry when I hear allegations of racial profiling. Especially at night, you can't tell if a driver is black or white, or purple for that matter."

A quick run through a mobile home park leads to a search for a young man who was bleeding. During a squabble at home, the teen had cut his hand on a coffee pot, and was being transported to the hospital by a neighbor.

The midnight hour

"It's almost midnight and you can hear how the kind of calls we're getting now change," Hughesdon said. "People have got themselves a little liquored up, and things aren't working out for them."

Hughesdon spotted a car with a headlight out.

The Secretary of State computer system was out of commission Friday night, so officers could not retrieve driving records.

However, the computer indicated the driver's license had been suspended, and his police record popped up on the screen. He was wanted on a warrant in Pontiac.

"It looks like we'll have a passenger," said Hughesdon.

The passenger, Shawn, an easy-going Pontiac man was man just 25 hours shy of his 26th birthday.

He explained he was on his way to work as an exotic dancer.

"Guess I'm probably going to be late," he said. "After three years in the military and stripping for a while, you can pretty much handle anything without getting too upset."

Shawn took the incident in stride, and sent his passenger to an ATM machine to retrieve his bond money.



Street detail: Canton Police Officer Brian Schultz cleans up. Residents called early Saturday morning to complain about wood strewn across Haggerty Road near Michigan Avenue.

While he remained calm and respectful through processing, another young woman who had been brought into the station was not so personable.

The woman verbally assaulted officers and launched one four-letter insult after another at the exasperated but patient officer who processed her.

"Very few people are like that," Hughesdon said. "Most people just come in without incident, pay their bond and are on their merry way."

Answering the call

Hughesdon has been with the Canton Police Department for nearly 12 years. He's seen just about all there is to see in the community.

He said his most rewarding days, which were the years he spent on the Western Wayne Narcotics force, were far from stress-free. He often worked upwards of 70 hours a week, and any time of the day or night, when his pager went off, he was out the door.

"I loved the work, but my wife hated it," said Hughesdon, a father of two young children. "She didn't like that I was gone so much."

Hughesdon himself has had days he'd rather forget.

The first was more than a decade ago, when he was called to a domestic violence incident.

"The guy had a gun, and was holding his wife at gunpoint, and the next thing I know, it was pointed at me, and it was like an old Mexican standoff for a few minutes," he said.

Partly because of the danger and partly because it was his first time staring down his own job-related mortality, Hughes-

don said that was one of his worst days on the job.

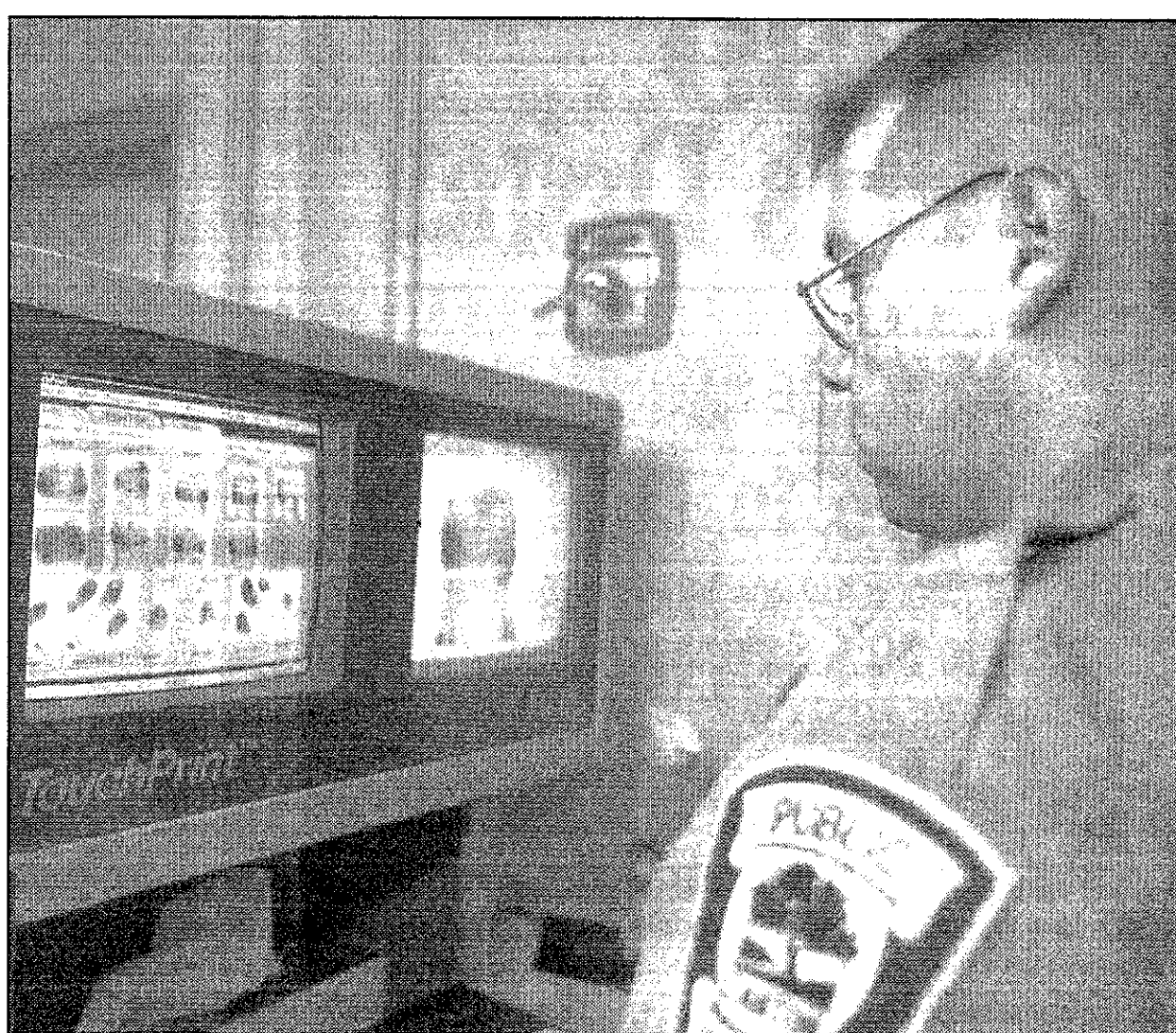
"You think you put on a badge and nothing bad can happen to you, but I came within a whisper's hair of my life. It very easily could have gone a very different direction."

But things do happen, and Hughesdon said another night to forget was in February, when he was led on a pursuit that ended in a deadly crash that killed 8-year-old Travis Miles of Garden City.

"There were so many things I wasn't allowed to say because that hasn't gone to trial yet," Hughesdon said. "But I'm a human being and a father too."

Despite having earned a degree in criminal justice, and having years of experience on the Canton Police Department, Hughesdon said his job hardly comes with set-in-stone rules.

"A lot of what we do is just a judgment call. You want to be fair, and not run willy-nilly giving out as much paper as you can," he said. "We meet people at their best and their worst."



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Taking the test: Canton Police Officer Dan Traylor administers a Portable Breathalyzer Test to a local driver early Saturday morning.

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Schoolcraft looks at vacant land

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Property on the south portion of Schoolcraft College could soon be developed.

Four architectural firms were scheduled to meet with the board of trustees Wednesday.

But Chairwoman Carol Strom said there is no guarantee any project will get the green light and - no matter what - board members won't permit skyscrapers to tower above the campus.

One of the first issues expected to be tackled by this year's board is how to develop a 45-acre parcel of property on the south end of campus. Strom said the hope is for a project to approximate the success of the Seven Mile Crossing, a retail-office development on Schoolcraft-owned property.

"What we're looking for is

something similar, something that will benefit the college and community and something that will fit," Strom explained. "One thing we're pretty firm on is we don't want high rises on campus, and we need to make sure it's developed appropriately."

"We have to make sure we're careful about what we do with our property. We're a public trust."

Scheduled to be interviewed during the special meeting were: DeMattia Group & Village Green Companies; Hines; Lincoln Property Co.; Walkon/Etkin Partnership. Strom said each firm would be interviewed for 45 minutes.

But that doesn't mean one of the companies will be permitted to lease the land. Among potential uses of the property are high-end apartments, retail, office buildings or research park,

said Schoolcraft business vice president Butch Raby.

"We will be interviewing people who have made proposals," Strom noted. "But that is not to say we'll do anything with that property at that time."

Starting fresh

About again heading up the Schoolcraft board, after being re-elected at the July 16 re-organizational meeting, Strom said she anticipates a challenging period of exciting changes.

On July 1, Conway Jeffress took over the presidency from retired Richard McDowell. Meanwhile, work also is progressing on the planned Vista Tech Center.

"Although I will miss Dr. McDowell, I'm looking forward to starting fresh with Conway," said Strom, a resident of Livonia.

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Q and A

Q: Do tarantulas spin webs?

A: It depends, the Italian species of wolf spider first given the name tarantula (from the town of Taranto) catches its prey by pursuit. In the American Southwest, tarantulas live in burrows; they eat anything from insects to toads and mice. However, certain South American tarantulas do build large webs; their diet includes small birds.

Source: *The Book of Answers* by Barbara Berliner

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Young archers *from page A1*

The world ranking event, which runs through Friday, draws youth and adult amateur archers of all ages from all over the country, as well as from Korea, Italy and China.

The Heap family make vacations out of their trips to tournaments, and Jessica's 16-year-old sister, Danielle, was also competing.

"Two weeks ago we were in Boston for a tournament," he said. "This is a great family sport."

Florida father Rick St. Louis agreed.

He brought his 8-year-old son, Bubba, and 10-year-old daughter, Billie Rae, to the tournament.

The children began shooting a year ago, and already Bubba has broken 11 records in Florida, and both children have won multiple state championships and southeastern United States championships.

Fun and focus

The tournament is more than just fun and games, explained Kevin Heap.

"There are only about four events across the country where archers can earn their points for ranking and trying out for the U.S. (Olympic) Team," he said. "This tournament in Canton is one of them."

He said Tuesday Danielle was in fourth place, and could be very close to earning the chance to try out for the Junior Team U.S.A.

"If she were to do something spectacular today and tomorrow, she might be considered to try out," he said.

Jessica is still learning how to be a poised competitor.

"This is a mandatory event if you want to make the U.S. Team, but for younger shooters, it helps them to get ready for advanced competition," Heap said. "The ones that can focus and keep their heads on the game are the ones that will succeed. It's a very disciplined sport."

The competition is not without stress.

"When they get in the higher ranks, when they throw a bad arrow, you can see the stress," said Heap. "But as a coach, you try to make it fun and take the edge off. If it's not fun for them, then it's not worth doing."

In the heat and humidity of the early afternoon, the stress finally got to the highest scoring girl, 11-year-old Kandice Spurlock, who came to the tournament from Indiana.

In between rounds of shooting, she sat with her father, Mike Spurlock, and could not continue to fight back her tears.

"She's up by quite a bit," said her father. "But she's not shooting as well as she can. You see it all the time in basketball games when a team is up by 20 points, then loses. She's trying to get focused, but she's a kid, and they have a hard time with that

Sale *from A1*

for sale.

Other items such as a glass butter churn and kitchen articles will also be for sale by the society.

In the past we've also had furniture, and may again this year, but we're still getting donations coming in," Curtis said.

The donations not only appeal to antique lovers, they also help carry Canton's past into the future.

"We use the money we raise to continue our efforts to preserve Canton's history," Curtis said. Much of the money goes toward supporting the museum, and the society is also planning special projects.

"What I really like about this event is the variety of vendors. We have some arts and crafts vendors, but we also have some people who just don't want to hold their own garage sale, or maybe they live in an apartment," Curtis said.

"I also really like the setting. It's so unique. You're not in a big, hot concrete parking lot. You're out on the grass in the shade, at an old crossroads village. It's just a very special event."

She added she hopes the flea market, like the society's first ice cream social in July, will continue to grow and become a Cherry Hill Village favorite.

There's still room for vendors, too, Curtis said. Vendor spaces are 10-feet-by-10-feet and cost \$15 for the day.

For donation or vendor information, contact Ronni Curtis at (734) 981-1475.

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Physical challenge

The physical strain also takes a toll on focus, explained Heap.

The archers shoot nearly 150 arrows during the course of a day, plus practice shots.

Younger archers use 20- to 30-pound draw weight bows, and adults use 50- to 60-pound tension bows.

To prepare for the event, the archers shoot every day. Heap's daughters practice at a range near their home, and compete in indoor and outdoor competitions. They also practice in the base-

ment of their home, Heap said with a genuine belly laugh.

"They can get a good 15 yards if they shoot through the bedroom to the other side of the basement," he said.

Many of the archers also train with weights for strength and aerobic exercise for endurance.

"It's a very long day especially when there's heat and humidity," Heap said. "And the parents need a certain amount of discipline, too, so they don't have heart attacks. I'd rather be shooting than watch Jessica shoot. It's much less stressful that way."



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International flavor: Team Mexico, Team Canada and Team Guatemala archers pull their arrows and check their scores during a hot session Monday afternoon.

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TAMMY LYNN RUMPA

A memorial barbecue was held for Tammy Rumpa, 34, of Garden City, on July 13. Tammy was a familiar face at

the local Bingo halls and was known for making crafts. She was preceded in death by her father, William Rumpa. Survivors include her mother,

Maxine Rumpa of Garden City; sisters, Jinny (Darryl) Babik of Ypsilanti and Sandy (Gary) Mackey of Delaware, Ohio; nieces, Julie Babik and Amanda

Mackey; nephews, Darryl Babik and Andrew Mackey; and special "Cruisin Buddies" Rose and Vickie Brown. Arrangements made by Griffin Funeral Home.

ROBERT A. ARRINGTON

Services for Robert Arrington, 81, of Plymouth were July 26 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Mark McGilvery officiating. Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Park Cemetery in Livonia.

Mr. Arrington was born July 20, 1920 in Mansfield, Mo. and died July 24 in Ann Arbor. He was a member of the Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia. He lived in Plymouth for 36 years and previously lived in Kansas, Missouri, New Jersey and New York.

He served in the Marine Corps during World War II throughout the South Pacific. He attended Kansas City School of Watchmaking and Rutgers University. He was a professional watchmaker and jeweler prior to joining Ford Motor Company. He retired from the Ford Motor Company after 32 years of service. His interests included

singing, dancing, golf, carpentry and his home and family.

Survivors include his wife, Bonnie of Plymouth; daughter, Deborah (Jim) McLaughlin of Plymouth; sister, Ruby Oshel of Overland Park, Kan.; sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Charles and Peggy Thompson of Liberty, Mo.; and several nieces and nephews and their families.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Arbor Hospice Residence in Ann Arbor or the Alzheimer's Disease Association (Detroit Chapter) in Southfield. Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

VANESSA GRACE GARR

Services for Vanessa Garr, 2, of Canton were held July 21 at Uht Funeral Home in Westland with the Rev. Jack Baker officiating. Burial was at Knollwood Memorial Park in Canton.

Vanessa was born July 6, 1999 in Wayne and died July 18 in Canton.

Survivors include father and mother, David (Lynn) Garr of Canton; brother, Alex Garr; sisters, Stephani Duncan, Laura Duncan, Heather Duncan and Stephanie Garr; grandparents, Jerry (Janet) Strickler; and grandparents, Larry (Carol) Garr.

Memorial contributions may be made to the United Cerebral Palsy of Michigan.

Arrangements made by Uht Funeral Home.

KELSEY CATHERINE MATTHEWS

Services for Kelsey Matthews, 2, of Westland were held July 31 at the L.J. Griffin Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was at Knollwood Cemetery.

Kelsey was born July 17, 1999 in Garden City and died July 28 in Ann Arbor.

Survivors include her parents, Bart (Sherry) Matthews; brother, Logan P. Matthews; grandparents, William (Sara) Matthews and Dennis (Carol) Gorceyca; great-grandmothers, Rose Matthews and Virginia Gorceyca; aunt and uncle, Mike (Carrie) Michalak; and many more loving aunts and uncles.

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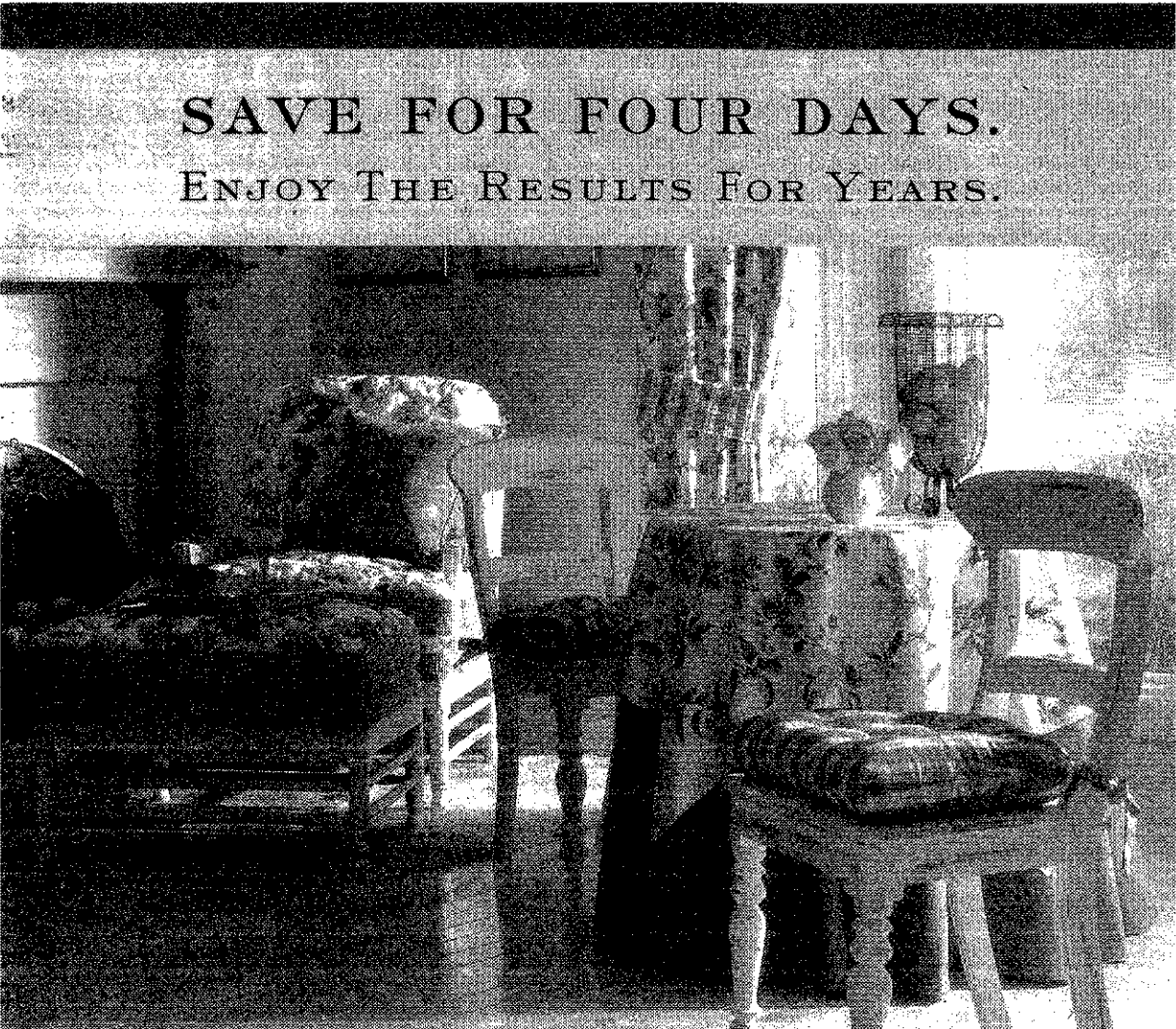
Services for William Roberts, 69, of Canton were held Aug. 2 at Neely-Turowski Funeral Home.

Mr. Roberts was born July 3, 1932 in Newark, Ohio and died July 30 in Dearborn. He was a mechanical general foreman. He was an active member of the Masons for many years.

Survivors include wife, Carolyn; daughters, Gail Church, and Dr. Carol (Ronald) Ricci; sons, Dennis (Susan) Church, Michael Roberts, and Richard (Veda) Roberts; and nine grandchildren.

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Ten women from Wayne County are vying for the change to represent the county at the Miss Michigan Pageant in June, as well as a \$500 cash prize, according to Sheila Sigro, executive director of the pageant.

The pageant starts at 4 p.m. at the church located on Six Mile just east of Beech Daly. Tickets are \$10 at the door.

Former Miss Michigan, Audrie Chernauckas, of Livonia, who is

about to start her second season as a Rockette, will be co-hosting the contest, along with former Miss Redford, Annette Hohol.

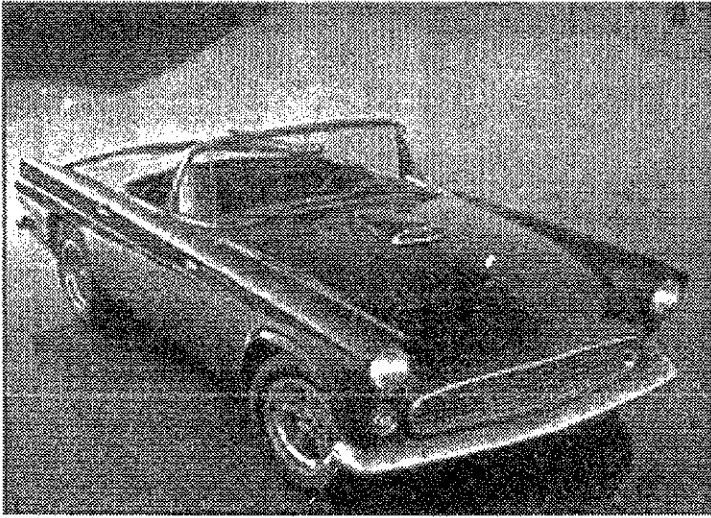
The contestants will be competing in four phases. Interview, talent, swim suit and evening wear.

The pageant is a non-profit organization started in 1991 by Sigro, a Redford resident and former Mrs. Michigan.

The contest has produced three state winners, one of whom made the top 10 at the Miss America Contest.

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Conway Jeffress settles in as Schoolcraft president

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The transition from just-retired Dick McDowell to Conway Jeffress at the Schoolcraft College helm is proceeding quite easily, as many predicted it would because of Jeffress' 19-year ties to the two-year learning institution.

But, only about one month into the Jeffress era, Schoolcraft's new leader is looking forward to future innovations and challenges. For example, during a recent interview, Jeffress talked about the community college gearing itself toward being students' "first-choice" for education and career training.

"In doing that, it sounds on the surface to be kind of a 'God, mother and country' statement," said the 57-year-old Novi resident. "To do that, there are hundreds of things that you must also do to make it happen."

For example, technology needs to remain on the cutting edge, curriculum must stay fresh and faculty members must continually update their skills.

"All of that goes into trying to be a first-choice provider of education and training," continued Jeffress, who in 1982 was recruited by McDowell to follow him to Schoolcraft from the Community College of Allegheny County. "It's a lot of infrastructure to come to that point in the pyramid."

"And while first-choice is the grand goal, I don't mind also being second, third and fourth choice. The idea is that I want people here in Schoolcraft, and whether that was the first thought that came to their mind or the second or third, really doesn't bother me — as long as they're here."

Bargaining chip

Asked about why his recruit-



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On familiar ground: Conway Jeffress has had no problem adjusting to his new role as Schoolcraft president.

ment was one of the first things McDowell did after becoming Schoolcraft president in 1981, Jeffress noted that it probably had to do with his expertise at the bargaining table.

"I had a lot of experience in collective bargaining," Jeffress recalled. "I was the chief agent for the (Allegheny) system. At the time, Schoolcraft had a very antagonistic bargaining situation. I think that was one of the reasons that made him interested."

McDowell also knew that Jeffress had a firm and prudent

stance on how to operate a college and knew that the college's instruction needed to be compatible with the needs of the business world.

After nearly two decades proving his boss right, in his position of vice president for instruction and student services, Jeffress was easily deemed the right person to take over Schoolcraft's presidency as the 21st century begins in earnest.

And, it's so far, so good for Jeffress in his move up the leadership ladder.

"There are differences in what occupies your time," Jeffress said. "... Mostly, those differences have to do with relationships with the board and with political figures' concerns with budget and all the directions that come from Lansing."

Right away, Jeffress is dealing with the possibility that Schoolcraft may need to forge relationships with different state and federal officials, because of a proposed legislative redistricting. One of Schoolcraft's longtime champions, state Sen. Joe Knollenberg, might no longer represent the college if the map survives various lawsuits.

"The only thing we can do, because we're powerless in that situation, is to try and develop relationships with the new people, and to sustain a relationship with those whose districts have changed," Jeffress said. "I like a lot of what Congressman Knollenberg does, so I would continue to be a supporter of his whether he is in this district or not."

■ 'We have a far greater impact on economic development and stability than some of our counterparts, meaning universities or other institutions. We are, at this point in time, the providers of choice when it comes to job training.'

*Conway Jeffress
on community colleges*

An icon

In mid-May, representatives from Knollenberg's office attended the groundbreaking for the VistaTech Center, a facility that Jeffress sees playing a vital role in the long-term future of Schoolcraft.

"The reaction has been great," said Jeffress, about the center — which will house expanded technology education and culinary arts programs, among other drawing cards. "I think a lot of people are looking for our ability to assemble all of the things that we've been doing piecemeal into one location."

"The college has done a great deal in the procurement area, to help businesses get government contracts, to help businesses see new opportunities in what they're doing."

Schoolcraft's culinary arts program already is highly touted in the area. And Jeffress is looking forward to an even-heightened reputation because of the "icon" of a facility now being construct-

ed on the Livonia main campus.

"It (VistaTech Center) gives testimony to our commitment to trying to help businesses innovate and stay healthy," Jeffress emphasized. "It also symbolizes our move toward taking culinary arts and moving it toward culinary science.... Because we recognize that the food industry, especially in Michigan, is bigger than cars if you talk about the whole tourism and all that that entails."

"We have lots of attractions here. And of course, if we bring people to the state then they have to eat. Restaurants, resorts are things to manage and we want to be a part of that industry."

Students would learn about how to prepare foods, research what makes certain foods taste one way or another and study the best ways to deliver products to consumers.

"There are a lot of companies that produce pizzas, for example,

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Belleville High School overhaul is overdue

Belleville High School needs work. Just about anyone who has been through the school – parts of which were built in the 1920s – agrees.

The old gym and locker rooms are a mess, marred by holes in the ceiling, a deteriorating floor and peeling paint. The basketball court in the newer gym (1956) can't be used for play-off games because the floor is shorter than state regulations require. Antiquated plumbing throughout the school renders many bathrooms nearly useless. Classroom space has been eked out of storage areas and other unlikely rooms to accommodate a growing student population (1,787 in 2000-2001). The term "Internet-ready" is a sad joke in a building that was barely "radio-ready" when its doors opened in 1926.

The last major improvements were a new cafeteria in 1991 and music wing, paid for with a 1998 sinking fund tax.

What Van Buren Public Schools administrators and board members apparently don't have a consensus on is how to move forward to ensure continued viability of the school in an era when competition with adjacent school districts is growing.

Trustee Ralph Nodwell, who won reelection in June, has publicly advocated construction of a new high school. David

Peer, another board member, doesn't support a new school but has said he will work with a committee pushing the issue to win public support for some renovations. Meanwhile, Superintendent Larry Tabor and other school officials – burned by previous defeats at the polls – are waiting for some signal that the public is ready to back a bond issue.

And that's the problem. When was the last time the public jumped up and demanded a tax increase or additional debt in the form of a bond issue?

We're sorry, but the burden for initiating a proposal falls squarely on the shoulders of the administration and school board. After that, it's up to the voters to decide if the plan is necessary, equitable and affordable.

While the soft economy may not seem an ideal time to seek voter approval, the district is saddled with a relatively low debt load compared to its western Wayne counterparts, many of whom have passed major bond issues in the last few years for renovation of existing schools and construction of new ones. By the time a proposal appears on the ballot, the worst may be over, anyway.

The Observer urges Van Buren officials to seriously consider such a move once the school bell rings Aug. 23.

Archers, volunteers can take a bow for tourney

Anyone who hasn't been over to Heritage Park this week for the 117th National Target Championships should stop by today or Friday and check out what's going on. And we're not just talking about the skillful archers carefully lining up their shots.

The spirit of community that has marked the annual event ever since its Heritage Park debut in 1997 is something to behold as well. Each year, 200 volunteers help set up and tear down

facilities and equipment, staff the hospitality tent, keep score and host foreign competitors.

Township residents and employees welcome the archers with open arms and form new friendships in an amazingly short timespan.

The finals for both men and women will take place Friday afternoon. Help cheer them on – and show your appreciation to all who make this unusual event a success.

Pressure is on for regional solution to our water woes

All you need to understand about why water use has become an issue for our communities is this:

■ The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department pumps water to nearly 3 million suburban residents, three times the population of its city customer-base. Its service area covers 1,011 square miles, 86 percent of which fall outside Detroit limits.

■ It does this through nearly 1,800 miles of water mains, 78 percent of them inside Detroit limits. Treated water from the Detroit River and Lake Huron is pumped as far north as 52 Mile Road in Imlay City and as far west as Livingston County's Augusta Township. (Suburban municipalities are responsible for maintenance of local water mains and some counties, like Washtenaw, run their own pumping stations and treatment plants.)

Pretty simple, huh? Now add in a summer dry spell, aging infrastructure in the city and inner suburbs, suburban sprawl. The only thing left to ponder is what took so long for the bubble to burst.

We note that the water department is planning \$4.3 billion in new projects and renovations during the next five years – including the installation of new filters at the Lake Huron pumping station that will increase its capacity by a third. But we wonder if that will be enough to push water further and faster to outlying communities.

While numbers make the problem easy enough to grasp, the solution is anything but simple. Money, politics and regional cooperation – never a strong suit in metro Detroit – all play major roles.

Let's start out by saying we're not advocating a takeover of the water department. The water distribution system in southeast Michigan has been in place for more than 150 years and has won high marks for quality and efficiency.

But the Observer believes some subur-

ban representation on a water board that makes decisions for an eight-county region is a good starting point. It's also a key element for building support for new revenue streams – read tax increases – to pay for improvements in the system.

Sounds to us like a good tonic for a Big Four (chiefs from Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties and the mayor of Detroit) powwow after the November

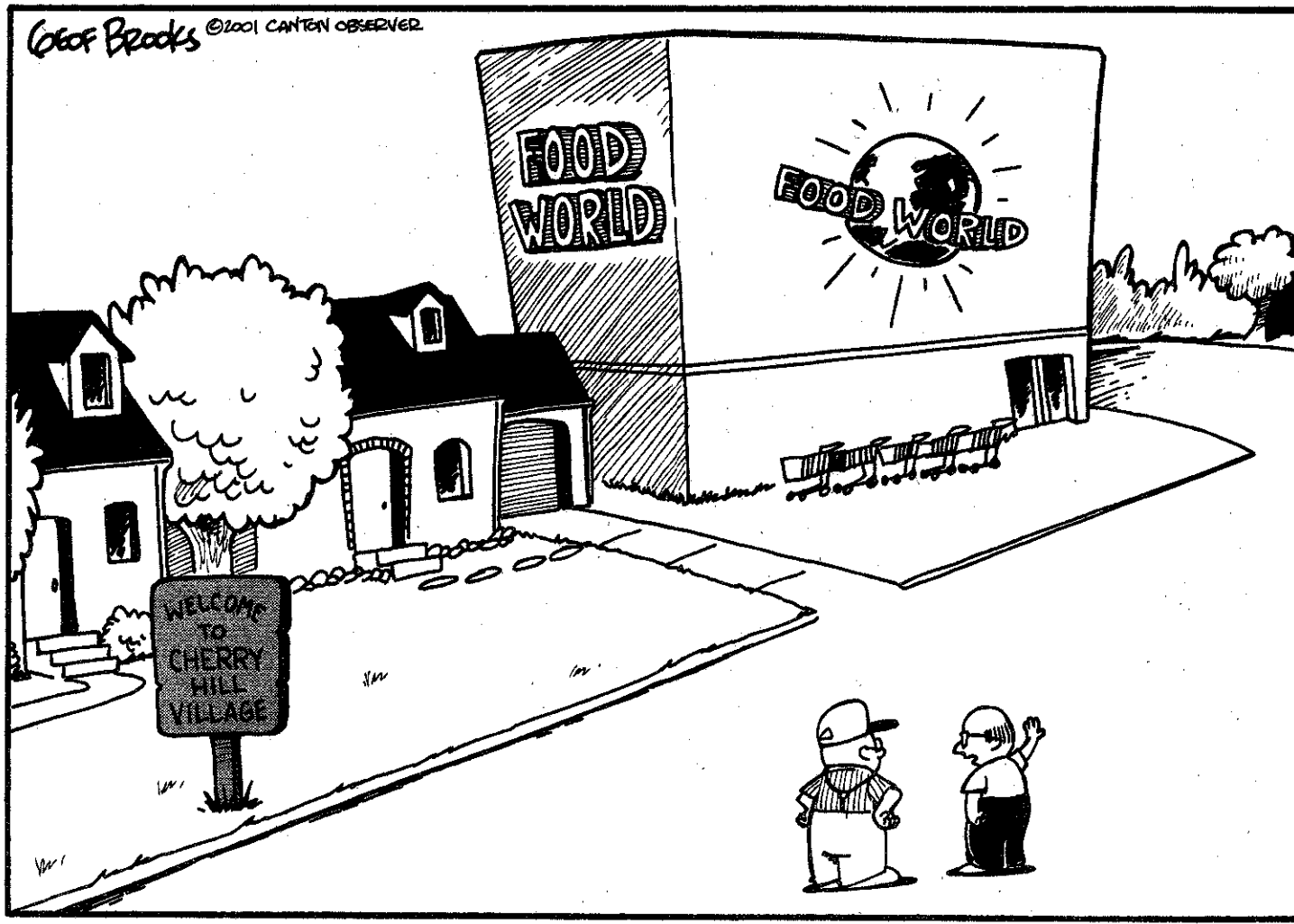
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The sprawl factor needs to be addressed – and not just as it relates to water use. The reality, though, is that people will always seek affordable housing and more space. For many, short commuting time isn't a deterrent, especially when the majority these days are going from suburb to suburb or even to outer counties like Livingston and Genesee.

Maintaining a supply of good, clean water and satisfactory water pressure are more than just conveniences. It's a health and safety issue second to none. Just ask the people in Wixom who lost their apartments last week when firefighters had trouble hooking up to an adequate hydrant; or the folks in Garden City using swimming pool water to flush their toilets.

Now is the time for action – before outside watering restrictions turn into something more serious.



"JUST SCREAMS 'QUAINT,' DOESN'T IT?"

LETTERS

■ No to supermarket

Cherry Hill Village Supermarket! (Canton Observer, July 29) What are they thinking? The last thing we need in Cherry Hill Village is a supermarket!

As a soon-to-be resident of Cherry Hill Village, I plan to do my "big" shopping (every week or two) at Farmer Jack (just down the road at Cherry Hill and Canton Center roads) or at Krogers or Meijers – all within a short driving distance. That would be like "going into town" for extended grocery shopping – like they did in the old days.

I would still frequent the small shops in my village between shopping trips "into town." It is my opinion that others would do the same. Let's keep the village quaint and unique. Please no supermarket!

Joan Vary
Canton

■ Poor neighbors

Regarding the article on a front-yard religious statue: one of the neighbors noted that it was "unsightly and oversized." (I drove by the home, and if I weren't looking for it, I might have missed the nicely decorated statue set back against the house.)

The head of the homeowner's association noted that other statues and lawn art exist contrary to association bylaws, but now that a religious statue is put up, "we will not do selective enforcement." If these homeowners are worried that their home values might decrease – they have. I, for one, would not want to move next to religious bigots like them, and I'll advise friends and co-workers to avoid that neighborhood, too.

Thomas Salapatch
Canton

■ Statue supporter

After reading about the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary that has become the center of attention in Canton's Stratford Park subdivision, I decided to take a drive this afternoon and see for myself what the hubbub was all about.

I knew where the subdivision was, but I needed a friend's advice as to where the house with the statue was actually located. I wasn't given a street address, mind you, I was just given some crude directions involving turns and the like.

I can tell you this for sure, I almost missed the house entirely.

When I did turn around and stop my car to look at the statue in question, I expected to see what everyone who had complained described as an "eyesore" or a very gaudy image. To the contrary, the statue of the Virgin Mary is tastefully erected within a few feet of the resident's home as part of his landscape. It actually complements the surrounding work that Mr. Saba and his family have done.

And I discovered something else that his critics failed to mention. Not more than 10 feet away from the statue is a fountain that stands at least an entire foot above the Blessed Virgin.

I visited with an open mind this afternoon when the Sabas weren't

home. I looked for myself to see what was happening.

Those that take issue with the statue claim that their complaint has nothing to do with religion. But yet, a note left in the mailbox belonging to Saba referenced keeping his religion "inside the home."

As I drove to leave the subdivision, I noticed other free-standing erected structures, some even taller than the Virgin Mary belonging to Saba. They included dolphins, basketball hoops and one display involving a household commode (read: toilet) with flowers in it. All of which I see no problem with.

Mr. Saba and his family are displaying a home that is very tastefully decorated and landscaped. And there seems to be some inconsistencies with their opponents' position.

We can talk all day about "a game of inches" when it comes to housing rules. But, from what I saw, the association had better be consistent with their enforcement. And to me, it doesn't appear to be that way.

Mr. Saba and his family have added yet another supporter to their long list of legal, church and citizen activists groups. They've done nothing wrong. Who ever left the cowardly, anonymous note should step forward and not be afraid to stand behind his or her act of religious bigotry.

Frank Finch
Canton

■ Non-legal solution

I have been following the recent controversy about the placement of a statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary on a homeowner's front lawn. I believe I have a solution.

I am an attorney. However, I can not take private cases because I am employed by a government agency. If I could take private cases, I would love to get in on this one. On either side, On the one hand, the homeowners can argue that restrictions on the use of land have been upheld by courts numerous times. The law calls them "covenants running with the land." In essence, they are contracts between you as new buyer and all the other homeowners in the subdivision.

On the other hand, the Establishment Clause of the U.S. Constitution prohibits the government from hindering the free exercise of a person's religious beliefs. In technical legal terms, this is what is called a "tough case."

In my opinion, (check with your friendly neighborhood lawyer on this), judges tend to "punt" when they get cases like this. This one would run up and down the court system enriching no one but the lawyers.

Oh, back to the solution. Both parties come up with \$500. Then find out the favorite charity of the other party and donate the money in that party's name. Then pray for one month. Then, at the end of the month, come together and discuss the issue. The problem will probably be solved by the two neighbors. It is worth a try and certainly is a lot cheaper than going the legal route.

Tom Hartnett
Canton

■ Legislature has right

I read with interest Mike Malott's analysis of the remarks made by Michigan Supreme Court Justices Stephen Markman and Marilyn Kelly on a recent Mitch Albom radio program. Malott begins by stating that Markman appeared on the program because the Supreme Court is feeling some kind of heat over its CCW petition drive decision. That is pure speculation on Malott's part. How would he explain the fact that Justice Kelly was also on the program? Could it be that she was there to justify the minorities opinion?

Malott belittled Markman's logic for voting to deny voter referendum on the issue. Possibly Malott's own strongly held position, like that of Albom, stood in the way of understanding Markman's position. Markman clearly said that the legislature as voted representatives of the people and on an overwhelming bipartisan basis voted for the CCW law. He also indicated that the law is clear that bills that include an appropriation must be viewed in a different light than those that carry no appropriation. Here is the part that Malott has a hard time dealing with, Markman reminded Albom that he is not a lawmaker, he is a jurist. If the people of Michigan have a problem with the law, then they should elect new representatives.

Malott then spends considerable time talking about "legislative rules" violated by the legislature on their way to passing the CCW bill. Even if that were true, expecting the Supreme Court to pass judgment on legislative rules is even more far reaching than to have them read the constitution to suit their own beliefs.

What Malott is clearly saying is that he would be comfortable with a jurist substituting their wishes for those of our elected representatives. Even though I may not see eye to eye with the legislature on this matter, I respect their constitutional right to make laws. I also respect Markman for not crossing the line between jurist and legislator...that line has been crossed too many times in the past!

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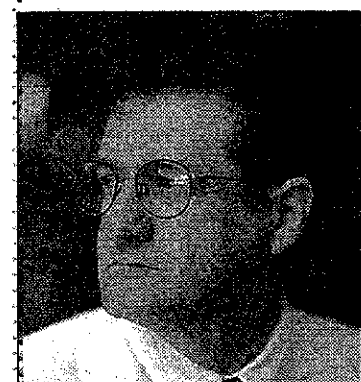
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Let's learn to live together whether it be city or 'burbs

The party's over. The ships have sailed away. Detroit celebrated its 300th birthday in fine style. Tall ships and long canoes, ceremonial reenactments and pulsating rhythm and blues declared that the industrial city on the bend of a river has come through all right.

Now comes the hard part.



Hugh Gallagher

The recent census reminds us, if we needed any reminder, that the Detroit metropolitan area is the most racially segregated in the United States. The suspicion, fear and miscommunication that have characterized this area for a long time are still with us.

A recent correspondence to one of our staffers suggests just how far we have to go. The writer made it very clear that she was "not a racist" and that "some of her best friends" were black. Of course, they were "intelligent, hard working, quiet" black people, unlike those other black people. You would think after all the ridicule such hedging has rightly endured over the years that no one could ever write a letter like that with a straight face. But, you might be surprised how many people express themselves this way.

The woman had no problem with Stevie Wonder performing, but why didn't they have a nice white person like Barbra Streisand performing, too? (Apparently the very-New York Streisand got her start at some Detroit clubs).

The woman had once lived in Detroit, but when it became unbearable, she had to move. And, after all, what had black people ever done for Detroit before 1960 anyway. ...

Hmm!

Whenever the subject of race comes up, you are likely to be blitzed with anecdotal stories about racial confrontations, about once "beautiful neighborhoods" that had fallen to decline, about business districts that were once vibrant and are now boarded over. And, anecdotally, those stories are true. What is missing, of course, is a wider view of generations of poverty, social isolation, real estate manipulation, drug peddling in poor neighborhoods, education and job discrimination and on and on and on.

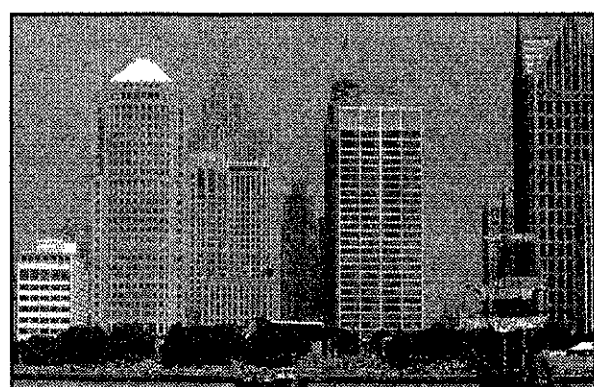
The usual response is, "Don't bother me with the facts, listen to my stories." And, no doubt, it's hard not to be sympathetic, especially to people who eventually found themselves the isolated minori-

ty, finally pushed out by a rising crime rate and real estate speculators.

The Observer Newspapers don't cover the city of Detroit. We do cover entertainment and cultural venues in the city, because they draw the majority of their audiences from our communities. We did stories on Detroit 300 because it was really a celebration of the settling of the Detroit area, not just the city. But, our focus is on the local communities that we serve.

Still, we understand the importance of the central city to the future of our suburban communities, and we know that many of the people who now live in the suburbs, white and black, were once Detroiters.

We understand that the racial divide hasn't served our community well, either city or suburbs. We are also aware that we need to encourage diversity in our suburban communities.



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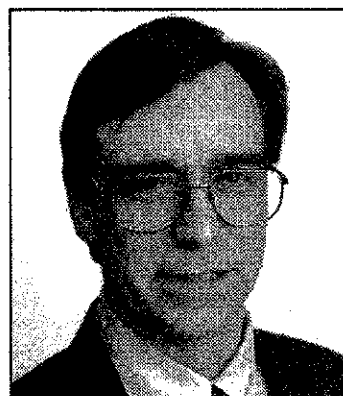
Majestic setting: The gleaming buildings of downtown Detroit were a fine backdrop for the tall ships during the celebration of the city's founding in 1701.

A good newspaper is a forum for ideas, a place where divergent views and contrasting stories might get us a little closer to the ever-elusive truth. A good newspaper will also challenge simple assumptions or easy presumptions with both anecdotes and the broader view.

Now comes the hard part: learning to live together as a united metropolitan community working toward common goals. It won't be easy and it won't be as graceful as a schooner skimming across the river, but it is absolutely essential.

Let the communication begin!

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Mike Malott

Proposal to break up phone company gains momentum

Didn't we just get done with a big statewide fight over local telephone services? Didn't our state lawmakers just wrap up a bill intended to rein in the telephone company and open the market to competition?

Didn't our typically pro-business governor get so ticked off with Ameritech that he favored a bill ordering mandatory rate cuts for customers?

The answer to all those questions is yes. And while you probably still have not seen any independent local telephone service providers pounding on your door offering to sell you a cheaper connection, you should get ready for another round of fighting on the phone front.

Expect it to get nastier, because the stakes this time are likely to be even higher.

Last week, the Michigan Alliance for Competitive Telecommunications issued a report called "Promises Made, Promises Broken: How Ameritech Took Advantage of Deregulation in Michigan during the 1990s."

The title pretty well says it all. MiACT accuses Ameritech of cutting staffing, curtailing investment in telephone infrastructure and allowing service problems to soar while all the time taking sizeable profits. From 1995 to 1999, Ameritech's "return on equity" exceeded 44 percent, double what local telephone providers elsewhere in the country typically made.

Ameritech, of course, has denied the accusations. It has contended staffing remains pretty much as it has always been, the employees are just counted differently today. Investment, Ameritech says, is going up.

The company acknowledges it had service problems last year but has a plan in place to reduce the backlog and has made progress. Ameritech has also argued it should be allowed to enter the long distance service market, and it has already made an application to the Federal Communications Commission for permission to do so. Ameritech has also gone to court to block implementation of last year's law and has had some success in doing so. The courts have overruled the state legislature's decision to order the companies to stop collecting a \$3.28-per-month end-user line charge.

Nonetheless, MiACT is now frustrated with the slow pace of opening the local phone market to competition. It is frustrated to the point that it is now calling on the Legislature to order up "structural separation" of Ameritech.

That was the main recommendation in its "Promises Made, Promises Broken" report. Not unlike the break up of AT&T ordered by the feds in 1984, "structural separation" would force Ameritech to sell off pieces of its system, in essence, breaking the company within Michigan into smaller companies.

MiACT suggests Michigan lawmakers draw a chapter from its own deregulation scheme for electric utilities, which calls for a separation of the delivery system from the sellers of the service. As it would apply to telephones, one company would own the lines and would then sell services to all companies that want to retail local phones services to individual customers. That would put Ameritech's sales operation, the reasoning goes, on an even keel with competitive local phone service providers.

A similar plan has already been introduced to the state Legislature, but frankly it has yet to get much interest. State Reps. Mickey Mortimer, R-Horton; Andrew Neumann, D-Alpena; and Robert Gosselin, R-Troy, introduced House Bill 4764 in May. That bill would force both Ameritech and Verizon - formerly GTE and Michigan's second-largest phone company - to break into "wholesale" and "retail" operations. The bill still rests untouched in the House Energy and Technology Committee.

But the need for consideration may be self-evident. While lawmakers have tried to open the market to competition, little has come of their effort. Today, Ameritech still has more than 5 million phone lines in Michigan, 78 percent of the total and 96 percent of the lines in its coverage areas. Verizon has 100 percent of the lines in its coverage areas in Michigan.

Last year, customers were outraged when phone repairs and installations were taking up to four months to complete. And the state has had to launch into its own program, LinkMichigan, to bring high speed data lines to the state because Ameritech's DSL program is taking so long.

Meantime, Ameritech's primary emphasis seems to be expanding into the lucrative long distance market.

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Military spending is eclipsing our nation's common sense

Addiction comes in many forms. Sometimes they are relatively harmless. Sometimes they are very destructive. We as a nation are collectively contributing to perhaps the most destructive social addiction of all - warfare.

As a nation, our United States will spend more this year on military than the next 13 nations combined. That's \$307 billion. The next biggest military spender (in billions) is Russia at \$55, followed by Japan \$41, China \$37.5, U.K. \$34.6, France \$29.5, Germany \$24.7 and Saudi Arabia \$18.4. Israel ranks 17th tied with Canada at \$6.7 billion.

One sixth of the federal budget goes to military. It's misleading to call this defense spending. There is not a single nation on the planet that would consider attacking the U.S. directly. It's suicide. But military spin doctors work overtime to convince us otherwise.

Some of the addiction is rooted in fear and paranoia. But most of it is rooted in greed and power.

Think about it. We will out spend Russia by more than a trillion dollars in only four years.

Military overspending prevents many domestic problems from being tackled. We're not only the No. 1 military. Among developed nations, we're No. 1 in child poverty, child mortality and people in prison. We're the only one that doesn't guarantee health care. Our roads, sewer systems, water treatment, energy facilities and other infrastructure are being neglected.

The threat du jour is China. Somehow, we're expected to believe China is a serious threat to the American people. Yet China has no navy to speak of. They have 20-30 intercontinental ballistic weapons capable of carrying nuclear warheads. We have more than 7,000.

Follow the money trail and military spending is a pork barrel extravaganza. Military contractors are huge campaign contributors.

Unnecessary military spending has become the poster child of institutionalized greed.

What we have is overkill. Threats to our nation are ridiculously exaggerated. Desert Storm demonstrated this well. At the time, Iraq was the world's fourth most powerful military. U.S. forces annihilated Iraqi's army. It was like a video game for us. 100,000 Iraqi soldiers were killed while our losses totaled fewer than 100. Keep in

mind, we went there to carry the battle.

Yet we're supposed to believe we must spend, spend, spend to keep the wolves at bay. What wolves? We are at peace. Historically peacetime means cutting military spending and increasing spending at home.

But U.S. leaders want increased spending. The strategic missile defense system is a top priority. This is a military scam at its finest. The Bush administration is willing to scrap the antiballistic missile treaty. The message to the rest of the world is fire up. Invest in nukes if you want to be somebody.

We are the only military and economic superpower. We have an opportunity to provide real leadership with regard to spreading military aggression or reducing it. Sadly, this administration and Congress choose the former.

The really obscene aspect to the military addiction is that our government seeks to control other nations for the economic advantage of select corporations. We the people see ourselves as the guys in white hats. In many cases, we're the global bully. We don't do what's right, we do what greed dictates. It's just business. And mainstream media ignores it.

Missile defense isn't about saving us from a hail of nuclear missiles. What nation would risk a U.S. retaliation? Missile defense is about developing technologies that can be used to control space.

Our leaders rationalize tyranny in the name of "national security." We helped Noriega control Panama. We helped Hussein during the Iran-Iraq war.

Despite the well-documented corruption and undemocratic practices of the current Columbian government, our government provides military and monetary support. We say we're doing it to stop the flow of drugs into our country. Baloney!

Our government is buying favor with the ruling government so U.S. corporations gain access to Columbia's substantial natural resources.

It's not about doing the right thing. It's about elevating economic interests above all else.

Using just Livonia as an example, taxpayers would cumulatively save \$19.4 million this year alone in federal income taxes were military spending reduced by 25 percent. A 25-percent reduction in military spending would not place our nation at any risk. We'd still outspend the next seven countries combined.

Our priorities need to be recalibrated. As Nobel Peace Prize winner Oscar Arias suggests, "Our priorities must be reoriented from national security to human security."

We can choose to proliferate peace and well being, if we have the will to kick our lethal addiction. We can become the good guys we think we are.

Scott Heinzman is a Livonia resident.

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and those pizzas have a slightly different taste to them. And it's more than just the hit-and-miss of a chef," he explained.

College partnerships

According to Jeffress, a successful ongoing partnership with Livonia's Madonna University is making it easier for Schoolcraft to try hooking up with other colleges in programs beneficial on both ends.

Walsh College and Ohio-based Franklin University are just two of them.

"What we're trying to do is develop relationships with colleges that advance advantages for our students, that's our first priority," Jeffress said. "And secondly, (a partnership helps) those colleges either in attracting more enrollment or in building a program that they could not do without us. In the case of Madonna, not only do we provide a stream of students for them, but we have technical facilities that Madonna does not have."

The partnership with Franklin is enabling Schoolcraft students to earn on-line credits, perhaps enough for a certificate or associate's degree.

Jeffress is fully aware of the impact of the Internet on the educational world, and wants to help his students use whatever resources are available. Meanwhile, one of the priorities at Schoolcraft is to make sure computers on campus are generally new and up to date.

In the next several years, Jeffress said technology will start to make inroads in areas of curriculum slow to follow trends — including accounting, economics and mathematics.

On tuition

With all the new technology and promises of sparkling facilities, Jeffress is very mindful of the need to keep tuition costs down. One area being strongly considered by the college board is to lease a parcel of land on the south end of campus, similar to the successful income-generating Seven Mile Crossing project.

That income would enable the college to continue going down a progressive road.

"It allows you to be on this cutting edge, to keep all of your staff up to date, to make sure salaries are competitive, to make sure the environment here is the kind of thing people expect from a college and expect from a first-rate college," Jeffress said. "It also would allow you to keep your tuition increases within the inflationary numbers."

Keeping tuition increases at 2-3 percent is an established McDowell philosophy Jeffress intends to keep.

"I would not see any change in that philosophy," Jeffress said. "The building of this center is not going to be funded by student tuition, let's just put it that way. I don't see an impact there."

College strives to help minority students

BY TIM SMITH
STAFF WRITER
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New Schoolcraft College President Conway Jeffress vows to do what he can to help minority students.

That means keeping tuition costs down, making sure the learning environment is not a hostile or uncomfortable one and looking at ways to improve transportation to and from the Livonia campus.

Jeffress said the transportation issue for the college's Detroit students in particular is already being addressed.

"We were successful in getting the bus system to come directly to campus," he said. "It used to be the closest you could get was

the mall, and then you'd have people walking from the mall to campus."

Once the students get to campus, Jeffress is intent on keeping them there.

The college offers programs where minority students "have the greatest probability of success. For this particular institution, when we started to reach out to minority communities, we looked at the culinary arts, because the food industry was a place we thought that the employment was good, and we also thought the level of acceptance of minorities in the food industry we thought would be very high."

Financial assistance also for minorities is vital, said Jeffress,

who is an African American.

"We've been able through board action and other sources to have enough money, so that if we get a person interested we can assure that if their grades are intact they can get a complete education here," Jeffress stressed. "This is not a 'I got a scholarship this week and it's gone next week' college."

The overall atmosphere at Schoolcraft remains a Jeffress priority.

"We try to make the environment here as friendly as possible," he added. "I do that with every student, not just minorities. But anytime anyone walks into an environment that's fundamentally different, there are always fears and trepidations.

What we try to do is make sure the staff and faculty are as cordial as possible when people come to Schoolcraft."

Minority enrollment at Schoolcraft is steadily growing, and was estimated to make up about 10.7 percent of last fall's enrollment. In 1998-99, the college had about 14,000 students earning credits toward various degrees and certifications.

Of those minority students, the breakdown was as follows, according to the college: Black/Non-Hispanic, 5.9 percent; Asian/Pacific Islander, 2.5 percent; Hispanic, 1.7 percent; American Indian/Alaskan, 0.6 percent; and non-resident alien, 0.01 percent.

I-96/M-14 roadwork shifts traffic flow

The Michigan Department of Transportation is moving into the next phase of the rehabilitation projects on I-96/M-14 and I-275 in western Wayne County.

The highlights of the project include the reconstruction of I-96/M-14 between Haggerty in Plymouth Township and Newburgh in Livonia; the reconstruction of the I-96/M-14 - I-275 interchange and resurfacing of I-96 between Newburgh and US-24 (Telegraph) in Redford Township. The project also features

rehabilitation of 51 bridges in the corridor.

Currently, the reconstruction of westbound I-96/M-14 had two-way traffic sharing the eastbound lanes and had the ramp from westbound I-96/M-14 to northbound I-275 closed. This week, crews will begin shifting traffic to the newly constructed westbound lanes and opening the ramp to northbound I-275, along with the ramp from southbound I-275 to eastbound I-96.

By the end of the week, the fol-

lowing are changes motorists should expect to encounter:

■ Two-way traffic will be sharing westbound I-96/M-14 between Haggerty and Newburgh. Two lanes will be maintained in each direction, separated by a temporary concrete barrier.

■ The ramps from westbound I-96 to northbound I-275, and the southbound I-275 ramp to eastbound I-96 will be open.

■ The ramp from northbound I-275 to eastbound I-96 will

close. Motorists will continue north on I-275 and exit at westbound Seven Mile, cross over the freeway and use southbound I-275 to eastbound I-96.

Despite moving into a new stage, some ramp movements will remain detoured. Those include westbound I-96 to southbound I-275, and northbound I-275 to westbound M-14.

These ramps will continue to be closed through the month of September.

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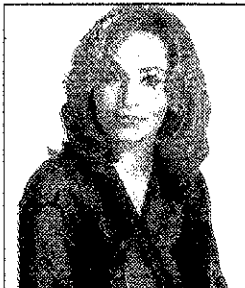
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Emmanuelle Boisvert

SATURDAY



Local blues musician Robert Jones performs and talks about the origins of this truly American music during Celebration of Emancipation, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Greenfield Village in Dearborn, (313) 271-1620.

SUNDAY



Bill Hildebrandt hosts a benefit performance featuring eight local comedians including JR Remick of Westland, 8 p.m. at Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase. Tickets \$10, call (734) 996-9080.

Graceful: Nadanta dancers, Gunjan Malik (front) of Bloomfield Hills, Neha Gupta of Grosse Isle, Jaya Badhwar of Riverview and Rutvee Desai of Troy strike a pose.

Celestial Enlightenment

Nadanta dancers retell the life and teachings of Buddha



In rehearsal: Choreographer and teacher, Chaula Thacker, fine tunes a part of Nadanta's dance-drama, Shiksha.

BY SHARON DARGAY
STAFF WRITER

The women teasingly drew veils beneath their kohl rimmed eyes and twirled across the floor in a blur of pastel, spangles and gold. Their layered dresses, all tulle, silky and studded with sequins, shimmered and floated along with each move.

Portraying enchantresses, they posed and stepped gracefully, creating an exotic tableau during a rehearsal in the Southfield Civic Center Pavilion.

Shiksha

What: Nadanta, an Indian dance troupe, performs a full length dance-drama, Shiksha, based on the Four Noble Truths taught by Buddha.

When: 3 and 7 p.m., Saturday; 3 p.m., Sunday; 2 p.m., Sept. 30

Where: Shows this weekend are at Meadow Brook Theatre on the Oakland University College campus, Rochester Hills. The group performs next month at the Michigan Theater, in Ann Arbor.

Tickets: \$17, \$27 and \$47. Call (313) 565-4301.

Four Noble Truths: Life is suffering. Cravings and attachments are the source of suffering. There is a way to overcome suffering. That way is the Eightfold Path: Right understanding, thinking, speech, attitude, livelihood, effort, mindfulness and concentration.

As one observer remarked, under proper stage lighting at Meadow Brook Theater this weekend, the scene will seem "celestial," almost heavenly.

It's a fitting description for a dance show about Buddha and his path to enlightenment.

"Buddha was born and raised in India. We're trying to show the stories and dances and occasions around his youth and his enlightenment," explained Chaula Thacker, choreographer, teacher and

founder of Nadanta, a Southfield-based Indian dance troupe.

"Buddha's philosophy is one thing. How to show it in dance is another. We're doing it all with movement and dance."

Minimal dialogue connects some scenes, although music, dance and costume convey the story line.

"When we do a dance drama, we like to show classical, folk, even creative dances. Some are ritual dances," Thacker said. "We start with a purely classical dance. Toward the end, when we show (Buddhism's) eight-fold path, we literally have eight women dancing with eight layers of saris."

A full cast, including Thacker's dance students and Nadanta's more experienced ensemble performers, will present *Shiksha: The Teachings of Buddha* at 3 p.m., Sunday, in Meadow Brook Theater on the Oakland University campus in Rochester Hills. The ensemble alone will perform two shows, at 3 p.m., and 7:30 p.m., on Saturday. Tickets are \$17, \$27 and \$47, available by calling (313) 565-4301.

Raja Jaikumar, a Farmington Hills resident and a manufacturing engineer for General Motors, plays Buddha. He discovered Nadanta through a friend while searching for a tangible link to his native India.

"I see it as a way to uphold my culture in the little way that I can. If you don't, you'll lose it," he said.

"This is probably the most challenging production ever done because this topic is so widespread. Everyone knows about Buddha, but it's a challenge to present it in a dance way. I've never seen a dance drama based on the teachings of Buddha."

Although the troupe is non-sectarian and secular, a member wrote to the Dalai Lama about the show. The Tibetan spiritual leader sent his blessings.

"We don't support or oppose any religion," Jaikumar noted. "This is purely a cultural or artistic show."

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Eye candy: Costuming creates a rainbow of color and texture as dancers step into a folk routine.

ATTRACTION

The New Detroit Science Center

What: Newly remodeled center houses hands-on exhibits, a planetarium, IMAX Dome Theatre, traveling science displays, learning laboratories for demonstrations in life science, electricity and magnetism, mechanics and motion, classrooms, a children's gallery with science-based play activities to help young children develop motor skills, a cafe and gift shop.

Hours: 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 9:30 a.m.-9 p.m., Friday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m., Saturday, and 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday

Location: 5020 John R. at Warren in Detroit's Cultural Center. (313) 577-8400

Parking: The Detroit Science Center lot is located at Farnsworth and John R. The fee is \$3

Admission: \$7 adults; \$6, senior citizens; \$5, children, age 2-17. Membership: All members are admitted free to permanent exhibit areas and receive free or discounted admission to the IMAX Dome Theatre and Digital Dome Planetarium. Free subscription to newsletter, discounts at gift shop and invitations to members-only events. Membership levels: Student and senior citizen, \$25; individual, \$45; individual plus guest, \$55; family, \$70; family plus two guests, \$90; premium family plus (everything free), \$150.

'Awesome' Science Center redo draws crowds

BY SHARON DARGAY
STAFF WRITER

Catherine Waller of Rochester Hills didn't plan to buy a new Detroit Science Center membership last week.

Neither did Heidi Butcher of Taylor.

"I was here a long time ago and it wasn't that impressive," Butcher recalled. "And then I found out they were refurbishing and figured that once it opened, we'd take a look."

But Butcher couldn't wait. Discovering that Bill Nye, host of a popular television show, *Bill Nye the Science Guy*, would perform at a members' only event in the expanded center, she bought a year-long family membership sight unseen.

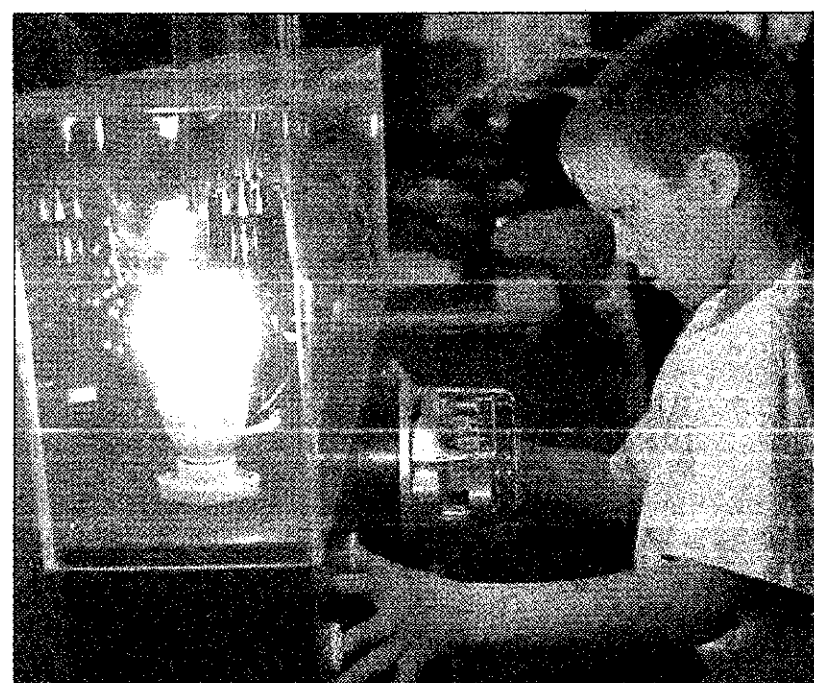
Waller, whose two boys also watch Nye's show, did the same.

"He's their hero," Waller explained. She signed up for a membership on the spot at the center's members-only Sneak Peek Preview Party, one of several events that brought metro Detroiters into the newly refurbished and expanded facility last week.

"It's been a long time since I've been here," Waller noted, watching her sons spin disks on a turntable in a hands-on exhibit about centrifugal force.

"I used to come here when I was a kid. It doesn't look like anything I remember. It's awesome now."

She and hundreds of others who attended a members preview last week became re-acquainted with the 25-year old museum in Detroit's Cultural Center. Teachers from through-



STAFF PHOTO BY JERRY ZOLYNSKY

Seeing the light: Nathan Fouratt, 8, Farmington Hills, checks out an electricity display during a members' preview at The New Detroit Science Center in Detroit.

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The St. Andrew's Society of Detroit presents the 152nd Annual Highland Games 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 at Greenmead Historical Park, 20501 Newburgh Road (at 8 Mile Road) Livonia. Admission \$10. No charge for children age 12 and under accompanied by an adult. Call (248) 593-5064, or visit www.highlandgames.com

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out southeastern Michigan Friday toured the building, which has expanded from 9,000 to 110,000 square feet. A free, 32-hour public open house brought thousands to the center last weekend to try hands-on displays in six different exhibit areas, see guest performers and watch *Journey into Amazing Caves* at the IMAX Dome Theatre.

Patrons, braving a blazing sun and humid, hot temperatures, waited for admission in lines that stretched along John R and Farnsworth each day of the celebration. They sipped juice and pop, munched snacks and listened to music wafting from the adjacent parking lot, which had taken on a festival atmosphere with food, art and information booths.

Members who attended the preview party found no lines outside the building, but queued at the mashed potato, beef, hot dog, salad and dessert bars that dotted the events lobby.

Dan and Palma Fouratt of Farmington Hills, who renew their membership every year, said the center helps feed their son and daughter's appetites for science.

"The kids like it," Dan said. "And we've gone to other science centers with this membership when we've traveled."

"It opens doors to places other cities that you probably wouldn't

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visit otherwise," his wife agreed.

Their eight-year-old son, Nathan, described the refurbished center as "cool."

"I like it all," he said.

His parents gave the renovation a thumbs up, too.

"It's a whole lot more colorful here," his father said. "Before it was kind of drab."

Missed the opening week hoopla?

Activities

Don't worry. You'll find lots of color, activity and hands-on fun during the center's regular operating hours:

■ *Journey into Amazing Caves* takes viewers on a cinematic journey into underground vaults, labyrinths of ice and unmapped chambers with expedition leaders Dr. Hazel Barton and Nancy Aulenbach. The film, shown on the 3 1/2-story IMAX Dome Theatre screen, runs hourly from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Fridays, 11 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturdays and noon-4 p.m., Sundays.

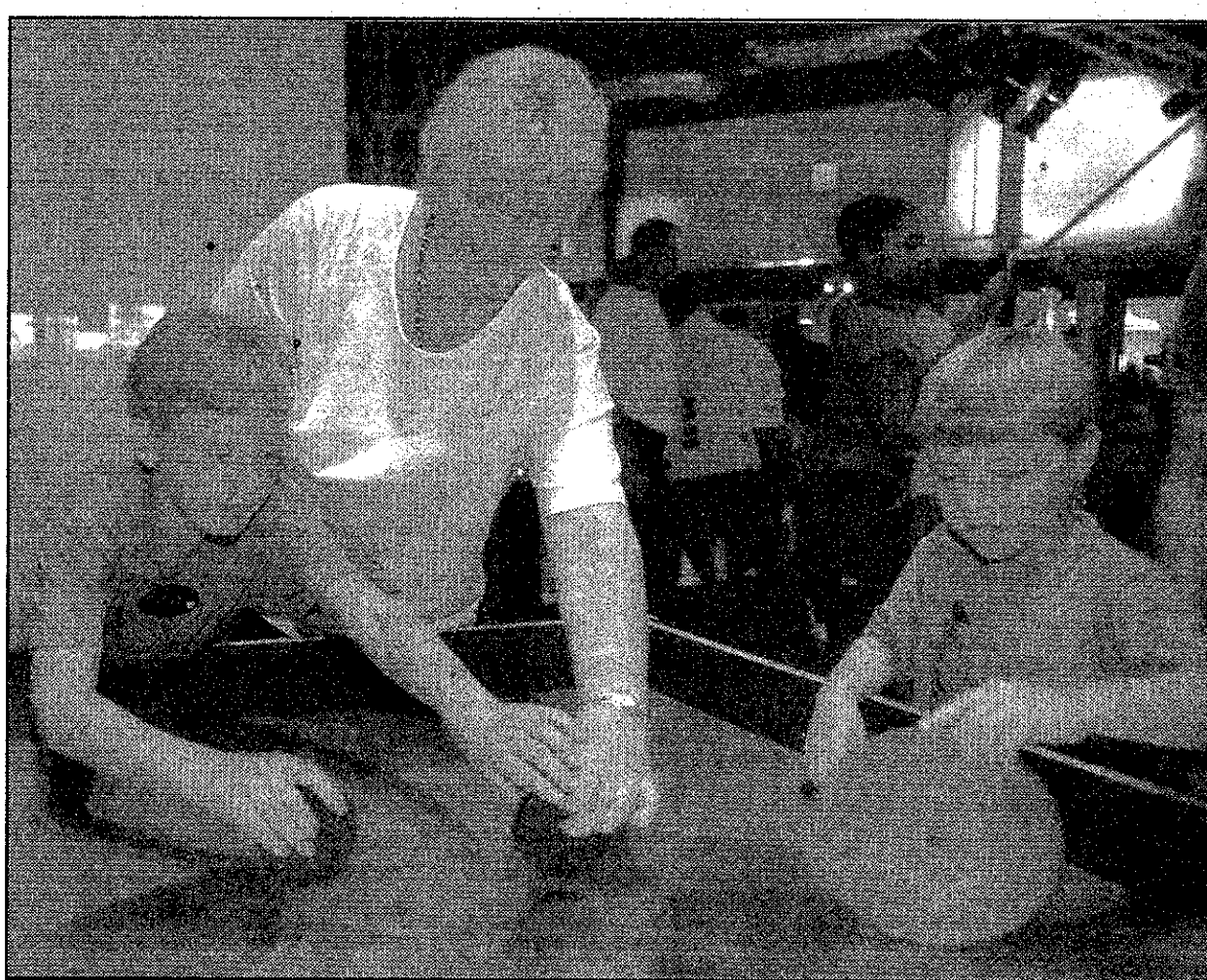
■ Preschoolers can strengthen their motor skills on science-related play equipment in the Ameritech Children's Gallery.

■ In the General Motors Motion Laboratory, visitors can demonstrate aerodynamics by operating a model airplane encased in a wind tunnel. Or they can crank gears, lift a 1,000 pound block with a lever and reassemble household items into different objects, among other activities.

■ Pound a drum set, play a laser harp, reflect, refract and scatter light through learning displays in the Waves and Vibrations Laboratory.

■ Life Sciences Laboratory houses an interactive waterfall that cascades three stories, rain forest displays and a demonstration area.

■ Visitors see lightning bolts and other electrical phenomena during Sparks Theater demonstrations, in the Matter and Energy Laboratory. Hands-on exhibits include a wind turbine, hot air balloon and tornado chamber.



STAFF PHOTO BY JERRY ZOLYNSKY

Playing with science: Rochester residents, Derek Wood, 10, (left) and his friend, Jaime Geddes, 7, spin disks at an exhibit about motion. Derek's mom, Catherine Waller, accompanied the boys to a members' preview night at The New Detroit Science Center.

Nadanta from page B1

But Thacker hopes audiences see more than ethnic dance in lavish costuming.

"I want them to see the dance company as a dance company, committed to dance. Yes, we are from India, but that's not our only message. I want to be a part of the dance community. We have made a commitment as dancers and actors."

Thacker, who holds an undergraduate degree in microbiology, grew up dancing, the daughter of a mother who sang and a father who loved music.

"Three generations in my fam-

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Chaula Thacker
Choreographer

ily went to the same institute of music and dance," she noted. "I got a degree from dance school. It was a deep study in dance."

Thacker practiced and now teaches Bharat Natyam, one of the seven classical styles of Indian dance. Each style differs in geographic origin, costume, hand gesture and foot work. Bharat Natyam came from Southern Indian temples where practitioners danced as a form of worship.

Thacker's students train in Bharat Natyam, building a foun-

dation in proper Indian dance technique that enables them to stay "focused and flexible."

"They can learn folk dances in literally no time," Thacker said.

Rutvee Besesai, 17, a Troy High School student and a member of Nadanta's ensemble, prefers classical dance.

"We have specific hand gestures we use. There are nine different expressions and structured eye movements and head movements," she explained. "It's fun. It gives you a way to express

yourself differently."

Like ballerinas, classical Indian dancers learn distinct foot and body movements, including the deep knee bends known as plie in ballet.

Thacker took ballet classes after moving to the United States with her husband in 1977. She also taught dance workshops at several colleges and took on a part time faculty position at Oakland University.

She founded Nadanta as a dance institute and non-profit cultural organization in 1980, earning support from the Michigan Council for the Arts and Cultural Affairs. Southfield Parks and Recreation and The Council of Asian Pacific American co-sponsor the group.

Thacker also organized the performing ensemble as a touring group. Members have performed in Moscow, Leningrad and Copenhagen. They've appeared at the Detroit Festival of the Arts, at community festivals and for cultural diversity events.

Although most Nadanta members claim some Indian ethnic heritage, a few are non-Indians who simply love dancing.

Cynthia Massenberg of Novi, who also performs with a Flamenco dance troupe, says the Bharat Natyam sharpened and improved her Flamenco technique.

Victoria Chehade of White Lake tried a few classes after her blonde-haired daughter, Kahlia, 8, began studying with Thacker.

"They have 27 finger positions you have to learn. Just being able to do the hand and arm movements at the same time and add eye movements really centers you," Chehade said. "It's such an old dance. It enlivens the spirit."

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Jazzy commemorative suite has 'Motown Mosaic'

The Jeff Haas Trio & Friends will celebrate the Detroit 300th anniversary with a performance at the Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9.

The trio featuring Chuck Hall on bass and Alex Trajano on drums, with legendary trumpeter Marcus Belgrave and multi-instrumentalist Rob Smith will perform an evening of original music including the premiere of Haas' new jazz suite, *Motown Mosaic*.

The suite was commissioned for the Detroit 300 Celebration. Haas began composing this commissioned work last year and has been rehearsing the 40-minute work with his band for the past two months.

"With *Motown Mosaic*, the

music broadens in scope to include a variety of ethnic influences that are a part of today's Motor City vibe - Eastern European, Middle Eastern, African American and Hispanic all in a contemporary improvisational context," said Haas. "It's a more traditional style of suite in terms of structure, based in dance forms with reoccurring melodic motifs. But a lot of the music is contemporary, sometimes edgy. Add the intensity and soul of these musicians and you definitely have a musical celebration."

Clinic

Haas' trio with Belgrave and Smith will also conduct a free clinic at the Museum of African American History for elementary

and middle school students 2-3 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8.

The group will perform several of Haas' compositions and talk about using music to promote better understanding between people.

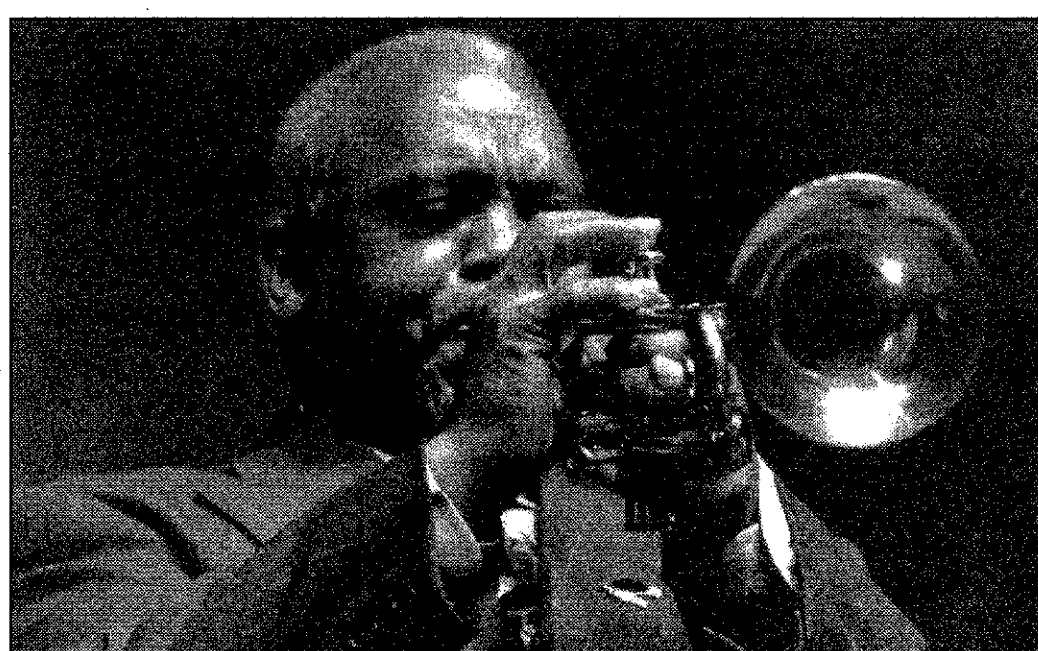
Haas will also talk about his motivation to compose music that combines the vibe of Jewish music with jazz.

Make your reservation

There is no charge for the Aug. 9 concert, but reservations are necessary. Call (313) 494-5800.

For reservations for the Aug. 8 music clinic, call Jane McGee (313) 494-5820.

The Museum of African American History is at 315 East Warren in Detroit.



Featured musician: Marcus Belgrave will perform with the Jeff Haas Trio & Friends, and help conduct a clinic for young musicians at the Museum of African American History.

One-man play uses words, music to tell story of Woody Guthrie's life

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Woody Guthrie he's not, but Bruce Liles does his best to help people imagine they're hearing Guthrie himself during a one-man play that tells the story of his life.

"His songs were great, but he said a lot of interesting things too," said Liles. "He was a true American folk hero, and very much an activist."

With words and music, Liles will introduce the Guthrie he has come to know during a one-man show 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church

in Detroit.

"I read as many books about and by Woody Guthrie as I could," said Liles. "It took six months to find stories from his life to tell."

He was initially inspired by lyrics to "This Land is Your Land," that "they don't teach you

in school. It's not all patriotic, everything's great. There's things that have to be changed."

The play begins with Liles talking about Guthrie's parents, his early life, and hard times. Songs move the story along.

There is no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be

taken.

Half the proceeds will benefit the Gwitch'in people who are seeking to preserve their culture by opposing oil drilling in Alaska's Arctic national Wildlife Refuge. A portion of the proceeds will also benefit the Woody Guthrie Foundation.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church is at the corner of Michigan Avenue and Trumbull, across from the old Tiger Stadium.

Refreshments will be served on the church lawn beginning at 6:30 p.m. weather permitting. Call (313) 849-1049 for information.

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- MEDELSSOHN THEATRE:** AlleyCat Productions presents *Madame X*, a musical drama continuing to Aug. 5, at the theater, Ann Arbor. (734) 763-8587 or www.seeMadameX.com
- PLOWSHARES THEATRE COMPANY:** World premiere of *...continued warm*, by Jeffery Chastang continues to Aug. 5, 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, and 6 p.m. Sunday, at the Anderson Center Theater in Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village, Dearborn. \$20, \$15 seniors/students, \$15 matinee. (313) 872-0279
- PURPLE ROSE THEATRE:** World premiere of Annie Martin's *Completing Dahlia* continues to Sept. 1, at the theater, Chelsea. \$22.50-\$32.50. (734) 433-7673

COMMUNITY THEATER

- RIDGEDALE PLAYERS:** Shakespeare Festival 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4 and 3 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, at the playhouse, Troy. \$11 includes an outdoor festival featuring entertainment, contests and fun. (248) 988-7049
- SRO PRODUCTIONS:** *Taming of the Shrew* 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4 and 10-11, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5 and 12, at Burgh Historical Park, Southfield. \$10, \$8 seniors/children. (248) 827-0710
- VILLAGE PLAYERS:** *Back to the Blanket*, a comedy by Robert Caemore 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4, at the playhouse, Birmingham. \$14. (248) 644-2075
- WOODY GUTHRIE:** Bruce Liles presents his one man show featuring the music and words of Woody Guthrie, 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, 1950 Trumbull, Detroit, across from the old Tiger Stadium. Refreshments served (weather permitting) 6:30 p.m. on the church lawn. No charge, pass the hat, proceeds benefit the Gwitch'in people who are seeking to preserve their culture by opposing oil drilling in Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge. (313) 849-1049

DINNER THEATER

- ANGEL FOOD CAFE:** *The Great Ypsilanti Train Robbery of 1916: An Evening of Historical License* returns 5:15 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, loosely based on a real heist, that's still unsolved. Ample amounts of historical license allow for a creative blend of history, comedy and music, at the cafe, 6 West Michigan Avenue, Ypsilanti. \$39.95 per person, includes choice of three entrees. Advance ticket purchase and meal selection is required. (734) 483-0135
- GENITTI'S HOLE IN THE WALL:** *Baptizing Junior*, an interactive comedy with the audience as guests at a baptism continues at the restaurant, Northville. \$45, includes 7-course family style Italian meal. (248) 349-0522 or visit the Web site for a coupon www.genittis.com

YOUTH PRODUCTIONS

- MARQUIS THEATRE:** *Pack Visits Storyland Live* on Stage 10:30 a.m. Tuesday-Friday, Aug. 7-10, 14-17 and 21-24, 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, 18 and 25 and Sept. 8 and 15, and 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 9, 16, no children under age three. (248) 349-8110

SUMMER CONCERTS

- CANTON CHAMBER ORCHESTRA OF THE PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY:** 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, Kellogg Park on Main Street, between Ann Arbor Trail and Penniman, Plymouth; 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, at Heritage Park off Canton Center Road behind the Canton Administration Building, south of Cherry Hill. (734) 451-2112
- CANTON SUMMER CONCERT SERIES:** Bobby Lewis & the Crackerjack Band 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2; Air Margaritaville, a tribute to the sounds of Jimmy Buffet 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, in the amphitheater in Heritage Park, behind the Canton Township Administration Building. (734) 397-5460
- GAZEBO CONCERT SERIES:** Paul King and the Rhythm Society Swing Orchestra 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, at Burgh Historical Park, Southfield. (248) 424-9022



Pipers: *The 152nd annual Highland Games presented by the St. Andrew's Society of Detroit, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, at Greenmead Historical Park, 20501 Newburgh Road (at 8 Mile Road) Livonia features a variety of activities including piping and drumming contests, Highland dance and heavy athletics competition, parade of clans, three stages of entertainers, children's activities, genealogy tent, and vendors selling Scottish related items. Admission \$10 at the gate. No charge for children age 12 and under accompanied by an adult. Call (248) 593-5064, or visit www.hIGHLANDGAMES.COM for details. Limited parking available on site for \$5, enter from Newburgh Road at the south entrance. Off site parking at Schoolcraft College, Haggerty Road, between 6 and 7 Mile roads, no charge, free shuttle to the games. Join the celebration of Scottish music at a Ceilidh 5-11 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, on the Greenmead grounds. Advance tickets, \$10, available until 4:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, at the Greenmead office, or \$15 at the tent. Includes Scottish dinner and soft drink, desserts extra.*

MUSIC AT THE ZOO: James Coffey's Animal Groove (children) 6 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8; Henry Ford Community College Big Band 6 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, on the front lawn of the Detroit Zoo, Royal Oak. \$8, \$6 seniors. Children ages 2-19. Zoo remains open until 8 p.m. on Wednesdays so visitors can enjoy the animals as well as the music. (248) 398-0900

MUSIC IN THE PARK: Laz of Gemini noon Wednesday, Aug. 8, in Kellogg Park, Main Street, between Ann Arbor Trail, and Penniman, Plymouth. (734) 416-4278

MUSIC UNDER THE STARS: Celestial Harp & Flute 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, at Wilson Barn, Livonia; Pix 'N Stix 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, at Wilson Barn, Livonia; Livonia Symphony Orchestra 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16 featuring vocalist Rebekah Walker, at Civic Center Park, Five Mile Road at Farmington Road, Livonia. (734) 466-2536

STARS IN THE PARK: Immunity 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2; Farmington Community Chorus 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9; Novi Community Band 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, in Heritage Park on Farmington Road, south of Eleven Mile Road. (248) 473-1856

SPECIAL EVENTS

LANDIS AND COMPANY'S WORLD OF MAGIC: Family show starts at 2 p.m. and again at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$12.50 pavilion, \$8 lawn. (248) 645-6666

REDFORD THEATRE: *Camelot* starring Richard Harris 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 10-11 and 2 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, organ overtures 30 minutes prior to film showing, at the theater, Detroit. \$6, \$3 age 16 and under. (313) 537-2560

X-TRAVA CON: Comic book, toy and non-sport card show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road between Seven and Eight Mile, Livonia. \$2. (248) 426-8059

NOVI ART FESTIVAL: At the Novi Town Center, 1-275 and I-96, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 4-5. More than 200 artists, international food fest, musical performances. (248) 347-3830.

CLASSICAL

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT MEADOW BROOK: Family Fun Aug. 3 Best of Baroque and Aug. 10 Tchaikovsky Spectacular; Sensational Saturday Series Aug. 4 Mozart in the Meadows and Aug. 11 Tchaikovsky Spectacular II with fireworks (special singles tickets including dinner available for \$45), at Meadow Brook Music Festival. (313) 576-5111

PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA: Along with the Plymouth Historical Museum, the Plymouth Community Arts Council, and Canton Project Arts, kick off the Passport to the Arts & Culture program with two free family concerts 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3 in Kellogg Park, Plymouth and 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5 in Heritage Park, Canton. The program features a chamber orchestra performing summertime music including ragtime, waltz, a little Gershwin, Alan Menken's Colors of the Wind, and the all American march - John Philip Sousa's Stars and Stripes Forever. (734) 451-2112

OPERA

DETROIT OPERA HOUSE: *Learning @ the Opera House* continues with lectures, lecture/workshops, performances and demonstrations for children, young adults, adults, seniors and special programs for the entire family Monday-Saturday to Aug. 26, at the opera house. (313) 961-3500

AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

HENRY FORD COMMUNITY COLLEGE: Auditions for *Winnie-the-Pooh* 7-9 p.m. Monday, Aug. 20 and Wednesday, Aug. 22, high school juniors through adult age actors, in the Mackenzie Fine Arts Center on campus, Dearborn. For 13 performances running Nov. 23 to Dec. 2. (313) 845-9817

LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS: Searching for a director. Rehearsals are held 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesdays September through May at Frost Middle School in Livonia. The chorus, composed of approximately 60 singers, presents two concerts a year at Christmastime and in the spring. (734) 427-5397

LIVONIA YOUTH CHOIR: Auditions for girls and boys (boys must have unchanged voices) in grades 4-8 (ages 9-13) residing in Livonia and surrounding communities 6:30-7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 5, at Faith Lutheran Church, 30000 Five Mile, west of Middlebelt, Livonia. (734) 425-1749

LIVONIA YOUTH PHILHARMONIC OF MICHIGAN: Call Wendy Bernard at (734) 591-7649 or visit the Web site at www.lypm.org for information about the philharmonic and auditions for the 2001-2002 season.

METRO DANCE JUNIOR COMPANY: Call for dancers ages 7-10 years old with two years ballet and one year jazz training for performances, conventions and master classes through 2001-2002 season, company class and rehearsals Saturdays beginning mid-September, no audition required. (734) 207-8970

ARS NOVA: A semi-professional 22-voice choral ensemble based in Royal Oak that rehearses weekly, and performs regularly throughout metro Detroit, is seeking new members, particularly tenors. Auditions will be held in late August and early September. Potential members should be prepared to sing a short selection of their choice (accompanist will be provided), sight-read a short section of music and vocalize to demonstrate their range. To schedule an audition, or for more information, call Dr. Craig Scott Symons (248) 414-7242 or e-mail at csymons@home.com. The 2001-2002 concert season is comprised of four concerts, and includes compact disc recording project.

RIDGEDALE PLAYERS: Auditions for *Once Upon a Mattress* 1 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, 20 adults ages 18 to 60s for auditions consisting of singing, dancing and reading from script, audition song must be either from the show or an upbeat character song, at the playhouse, Troy. For October performances. (734) 591-3405 or www.ridgedale-players.com

PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN: Belles, 7:30 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, Aug. 6-7, 21730 Madison, (near Outer Drive and Monroe). Production dates 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14-15, 21-23, and 28-30. Written by Mark Dunn, Belles is a character study of the relationships between six sisters who grew up in an alcoholic home and how their childhood continues to affect them as adults. A perusal copy of the script may be obtained from Alan Elias, director, by calling (248) 545-1748.

POPS/SWING

BIRD OF PARADISE ORCHESTRA: 9 p.m. Monday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310 (big band, swing, bop)

BOSTON POPS: 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, at the Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$37.50-\$75. (248) 433-1515

JAZZ/BLUES

RON BROOKS TRIO: 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

PAUL FINKBEINER'S JAM SESSION: 9 p.m. Sunday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$2 cover. (734) 662-8310

DALE GRISA TRIO: 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, at Sweet Lorraine's in the Livonia Marriott Hotel. (734) 953-7480

LOS GATOS: 9 p.m. Wednesday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

JEFF HAAS TRIO: With Friends including Marcus Belgrave perform 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, includes premier of Haas' new jazz suite *Motown Mosaic*, at the Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, Detroit. Free but reservations required. (313) 494-5800. Also a free clinic for elementary and middle school students 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8 at the museum. For reservations, call (313) 494-5820

ICOGNITO: 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 18, Fox Theatre. Detroit. \$27.50-\$47.50. (248) 433-1515

JAZZ ON THE RIVER: Joe Sample, Chuck Mangione, the Yellowjackets, Alexander Zonjic & Friends, Ken Navarro, Gerald Veasley, Tim Bowman, Brothers Groove, Detroit Jazz Fantasy, Spencer Barefield Detroit Jazz Fantasy, and Gordon Camp 1-9 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 4-5, at Elizabeth Park, Trenton. Free. (734) 261-1990

PAUL KELLER: And the 17 piece Bird of Paradise Orchestra play Benny Goodman's music, features Jim Wyse as Benny, 3-6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26, at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus, Livonia. (248) 476-2674/(248) 855-1342

MATT MICHAELS TRIO: 8-11:30 p.m. Wednesday, at Ron's Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road (east of Middlebelt), Garden City. Reservations recommended for the Jazz Room. Special guest Paul Vornhagen, saxophone, flute & vocals, Wednesday, Aug. 8. \$5 cover with dinner order, \$10 cover without dinner. (734) 762-7756

LARRY NOZERO JAZZ QUINTET: Perform 8 p.m. to midnight Mondays, at Mitch Housey's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520 or visit the Web site at www.larrynozero.com

STONE TERRACE PATIO PARTY: 7-11 p.m. Tuesday (Gratitude Steel Band) and Wednesday (The Warren Commission) through the summer, at the Big Rock Chop & Brew House, Birmingham. (248) 647-7774

URSULA WALKER/BUDDY BUDSON: 4-6 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, Aug. 1-2, 8-9, 15-16, 22-23 and 29-30 at Cafethe House, Detroit. (313) 898-3781; 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Saturday, Aug. 3-4, 10-11, 17-18 and 24-25, at Columbine's Champagne Cellar at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village, Detroit. (313) 331-0922

FOLK/ ACOUSTIC

ARK BENEFIT CONCERT: Featuring Owen McBride, Tret Fure, Kelly Willis & Bruce Robison, Stephen Fearing, and Danny Britt and Penn Harris 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$25. (734) 763-TKTS

MUSTARD'S RETREAT: 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$13.50. (734) 763-TKTS

RAMBLIN' JACK ELLIOT: 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 763-TKTS

COUNTRY MUSIC

TRISHA YEARWOOD: 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$34.50 pavilion, \$15.50 lawn. (248) 645-6666

WORLD MUSIC

MARY BLACK: And the Black Family 7 p.m. and 10 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$30. (734) 763-TKTS (Irish)

PAT MCDUNN: 8-11 p.m. Friday, at Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. (248) 601-1100 (Irish)

THE JAR: Saturday, Aug. 4, at Dick O'Dow's Irish Pub, Birmingham. (248) 642-1135

DANCE

BLACKBERRY CREEK DANCERS: Country western dancing 8-11:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, dance lesson at 7:30 p.m., at the Italian American Cultural Center, Warren. (313) 526-9432

COUNTERGROOVE DANCE COMPANY: New works in concert 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 10-11, in the Old Main Building at Wayne State University, Detroit. \$15, \$10 seniors/students with ID, children age 12 and under. (810) 945-0330

FIRST SATURDAY CONTRA DANCE: 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, at the Pittsfield Grange, Ann Arbor. \$8. (734) 769-1052

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U-M BALLROOM DANCE CLUB: Ballroom dance lesson and open dancing 4-10 p.m. Sunday, at the Union Ballroom, Ann Arbor. \$2. (734) 763-6984

WATERFORD-OAKS BALLROOM DANCING: 8-11 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, at 2800 Watkins Lake Road, Waterford. (248) 673-4764

POETRY/ SPOKEN WORD

POETRY @ THE OPERA HOUSE: Timothy Jeffrey, Ellen Hildreth, Lynn Cohn Schreiber and Jere Stormer 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 6, at the Detroit Opera House. Free. (313) 267-5300, ext. 338/(313) 237-3270

COMEDY

ANN ARBOR COMEDY SHOWCASE: Joel Zimmer Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4; Cascade of Comedy for Chrissy Burns (benefit) 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5 features eight comedians (donation of \$10 or more if you like), Burns, a regular Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase performer, is battling inoperable brain cancer, at the club, Ann Arbor. (734) 996-9080

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S: Frank G. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 10-11, at the club, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885

THE AMAZING JONATHAN: Comedy at 8 p.m., Friday, Aug. 31 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$20 pavilion, \$12.50 lawn. (248) 645-6666

MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CLUB: Dennis Ross Thursday-Saturday, Aug. 2-4; Kevin McPeck Thursday-Saturday, Aug. 9-11, at the club, Royal Oak. (248) 542-9900

SECOND CITY: *Three Guys Names Joe*, improvised musical concert by touring company member Topher Owen, and *Jenna Bushmills & Bailey's* sketch comedy show, 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, Jammin' Wednesdays featuring *The Best of Second City: Mayor-Go-Round* previews Saturday-Sunday through Aug. 15, officially opens Aug. 16, at Second City-Detroit. (248) 645-6666

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

CRANBROOK HOUSE: Tours continue to Oct. 25, walk-in Sunday tours at 3 p.m. for \$10, and 11 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. Thursday for \$10, \$15 for lunch (reservations needed), at 380 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 645-3147. Tours also available of Saarinen House, call (877) 462-7262

DETROIT ZOO: Dinosauria III exhibit continues through Sept. 3, at the zoo. \$7.50, \$5.50 seniors/students and ages 2-12. (248) 398-0900 or visit the Web site at www.detroitzoo.org

DOSSIN GREAT LAKES MUSEUM: *Frontier Metropolis*, an exhibit looking at the city of Detroit as it was recorded in pencil sketches, watercolors, and oil paintings before the invention of the camera, continues to Sept. 4, at the museum on Belle Isle. (313) 852-4051

HENRY FORD MUSEUM/GREENFIELD VILLAGE: *America's Hometown Celebration* continues to Sunday, Aug. 19 with dramatizations in the streets and buildings; The exhibit "Kids Stuff: Great Toys From Our Childhood" continues to Sept. 16, imax movies "N'Sync" and "Super Speedway" continue at the museum, Dearborn. Celebration of Emancipation, Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 4-5. Dramatic and musical presentations explore Michigan's connection to the Harlem Renaissance and life on a plantation before Emancipation. (313) 271-1620

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SCARAB CLUB: Architectural lectures and tours with Michael Farrell as part of Detroit 300 Partnership Program; World's Fairs and the Beaux Arts 9 a.m. (lecture) and 11 a.m. (tour) Saturday, Aug. 4, at the club behind the Detroit Institute of Arts. \$10 each for lecture and tour. (313) 831-1250

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LIVE MUSIC

ALBERTA ADAMS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 10-11, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

THE ALLMAN BROTHERS BAND: Susan Tedeschi, Ekoostik Hookah, 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 18, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$22.50-\$39.00. (248) 645-6666

ALPHAWAVE: 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 31, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

BACKSTREET BOYS: With Shaggy, Krystal has been rescheduled to 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$29.50-\$49.50. Tickets for the original July 24 date will be honored. Refunds available at the point of purchase. (248) 645-6666

ERYKAH BADU'S MARIMBA FESTIVAL: With Macy Gray, Jill Scott and Sunshine Anderson: 6 p.m. Monday, Aug. 8, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$32.50-\$59.50 (248) 645-6666

BARENAKED LADIES: With The Proclaimers, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 25, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$28.50-\$47.50. (248) 645-6666

JOHNNIE BASSETT AND THE BLUES INSURGENTS: 10 p.m. Fridays, Center Street Pub, Detroit. (313) 965-3651

THE BEACH BOYS: Thursday, Aug. 30, Michigan State Fairgrounds, Detroit. (248) 645-6666

JIM BIZER: CD Release Party, 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, Woodward Avenue Brewers, Ferndale. Free. (248) 546-3696

BLACK REBEL MOTORCYCLE CLUB: With PAIK, The Dirty Shame, 10 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

THE BLUE HAWAIIANS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

LLOYD'S BLUES MUSIC FESTIVAL: With B.B. King, Buddy Guy, John Hyatt & The Goners, Tommy Castro, 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 7, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18.50-\$39.50. (248) 645-6666

THE BLUES AIRMEN: Saturday, Aug. 4, 11, Nik's Bar & Grill, Romulus. (734) 326-9300

MICHAEL BOLTON: With Symphony Orchestra 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 31, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$23-\$44 (248) 645-6666

THE BRAWL AT THE HALL: With The Bump-N-Ugiles and Assorted Pro Wrestler, 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 25, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. All ages. \$12. (248) 645-6666

THE BROTHERS GROOVE: 10 p.m. Thursdays, Music Menu, Detroit. (313) 964-MENU

BUJU BANTON: With Dr. Israel, 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. 18 and older. \$25. (248) 645-6666

BURNING AIRLINES: With Shiner, Ania, 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8. All ages. (313) 833-9700

AL CARMICHAEL: 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 6, 13, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

NICK CAVE AND THE BAD SEEDS: 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. \$26.75. (248) 645-6666

CHAIN REACTION: Saturday, Aug. 4, Club Bart, Ferndale. (248) 548-8746

CHEAP TRICK: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, MGM Grand Casino's Special Events Tent, Bagley and Third Street, Detroit. 21 and older. \$10-\$20. (877) 888-2121

CHICAGO: 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$25.25-\$40.25, with 25 cents per ticket donated to charity. (248) 645-6666

CORPORATE AVENGER: With Insolence, 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. All ages. \$8. (248) 645-6666

CROSBY, STILLS & NASH: 8 p.m. Monday, Aug. 13, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$32.50-\$42.50 (248) 645-6666

CROUCHING FISH, HIDDEN FINGER TOUR: Features Reel Big Fish, Goldfinger, Homegrown, Movielife, 4 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, Phoenix Plaza Amphitheatre, Pontiac. All ages. \$18.50 advance. (248) 645-6666

BILLY RAY CYRUS AND AARON TIPPIN: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18.50-\$32.50. (248) 645-6666

ROY DAVIS JR.: Spinning Saturday, Aug. 25, Motor, Hamtramck. (313) 369-0090

THORNETTA DAVIS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 17-18, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

DEATHGIRL.COM: 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

DELTA 88: 11 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, 9 Mile and Woodward, Ferndale Art Fair; With Jo Serrapere, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, The Attic, Hamtramck. \$5. (313) 365-4194; With Enzo Garcia, 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$11 at the door. See <http://delta88.net>

DETEKTIVE RIOT: With Motor City Burgers, Forge, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

NEIL DIAMOND: 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 5-6, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$37.50-\$67.50. (248) 645-6666

THE DIRTBOMBS: With The Dishes, Ex-Models, 10 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

DISCO BISCUITS: 9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 13, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. (248) 833-9700

DOOBIE BROTHERS: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 22, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$15.50-\$27.50. (248) 645-6666

DOMESTIC PROBLEMS: With Calamity Jane, 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$7. (248) 544-3030

EIGHT BALL GRIFTER: With Psycho Charger, 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

ELECTRIC LIGHT ORCHESTRA: Featuring Jeff Lynne, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$29.50-\$62.50. (248) 645-6666

EL VEZ: 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$12 advance. (248) 544-3030

TERRY FARMER: 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, Crazy Wisdom Tearoom, Ann Arbor. (734) 665-2757

FORD DETROIT MUSIC FESTIVAL: With Luther Vandross, Maze featuring Frankie Beverly, Genuine, Alicia Keys and Missy Elliot. Master of Ceremonies is John Salley, 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 1, Comerica Park, Detroit. \$35-\$65. (313) 359-6110

45 CENTS: With Ten Ninety, -Sweatergirl, Split Habit, 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

GIRLS NIGHT OUT: With Reba McEntire, Martina McBride, Sara Evans, Jamie O'Neal, Carolyn Dawn Johnson, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$32.50-\$58. (248) 645-6666

GODSMACK AND DEFTONES: With Puddle of Mud, Cky, 7:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 20, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$28-\$41. (248) 645-6666

GRATITUDE STEEL BAND: 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, 9, 16, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

THE GUESS WHO: With Randy Bachman, Burton Cummings, Joe Cocker, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$20-\$48. (248) 645-6666

SAMMY HAGAR & THE WABORITAS: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 6, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18-\$35. (248) 645-6666

IMMUNITY: 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, Heritage Park, Farmington Hills. Free. (248) 473-9570

JANET JACKSON: With 112, 7:30 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, July 30-31, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$34.75-\$77.75 with 25 cents from each ticket donated to the Boys and Girls Club of America. (248) 645-6666

JIMMIE JACKSON: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

JAZZ MANDOLIN PROJECT: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$10. (248) 544-3030

THE JINX: With Eroick, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

JUNK MONKEYS: Celebrate the final night at the Gold Dollar, with The Wildbunch, Climax Divine, Saturday, Aug. 18, at the club, 3129 Cass Ave., Detroit. The show is expected to sell out. (313) 833-6873

KANSAS: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, MGM Grand Casino's Special Events Tent, Bagley and Third Street, Detroit. 21 and older. \$10-\$20. (877) 888-2121

JACOB FRED JAZZ ODYSSEY: 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$5. (248) 544-3030

DJ JAY LANGA AND IVAN PASKAL: "Stretch" Sundays at The Groove Room beginning this month, Royal Oak. Cover charge after 10 p.m. (248) 589-3344

LIVING COLOUR: Reunion tour, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$20 advance. (248) 544-3030

LIZ LARIN: Wednesdays, Good Night Gracie, Royal Oak. Free. (248) 544-7490.

LELAND: With April in Athens, Small Craft Sighting, 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 18, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

BOBBY LEWIS & THE CRACKERJACK BAND: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, Heritage Park, Canton; 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10, Kellogg Park, Plymouth; 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 25 Lincoln Park Days, Lincoln Park; 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30, Dearborn Hills Golf Course, Dearborn; Noon, Sunday, Oct. 7, Chili Cookoff, Plymouth. Call the Hotline at (248) 348-4399.

HUEY LEWIS AND THE NEWS: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$17.50-\$29.50. (248) 645-6666

THE LOST KIDS: With The Gore Gore Girls, The Buzzards, 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

LOVERBOY: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 16, MGM Grand Casino's Special Events Tent, Bagley and Third Street, Detroit. 21 and older. \$10-\$20. (877) 888-2121

CLUB CIRCUIT

ALVIN'S: 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. 18 and older welcome. (313) 832-2355 or www.alvins.xtcom.com

ARBOR BREWING COMPANY: 114 E. Washington St., Ann Arbor. Free. 21 and older. (734) 213-1393 or www.arborbrewing.com

THE ARENA: 2800 N. Milford Road, Highland. Located inside Olympic Lanes. (248) 887-1880

THE ARK: 316 S. Main, Ann Arbor. (734) 763-8587

ANDIAMO ITALIA WEST: 6676 Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 865-9300

BEALE STREET BLUES: 8 N. Saginaw Street, Pontiac. (248) 334-7900

BIRD OF PARADISE: 312 Main Street, Ann Arbor. (734) 662-8310

BLIND PIG: 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$3 in advance, \$5 at the door. 19 and older. (734) 996-8555 or www.blindpigmusic.com

BULLFROG BAR AND GRILL: 15414 Telegraph, Redford. (313) 533-4477

CARBON: Joseph Campau just north of Caniff in Hamtramck. (313) 366-9278

CAVERN CLUB: 210 S. First Street, Ann Arbor. (734) 332-9900

CLUTCH CARGO'S/MILL STREET ENTRY: 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. Free before 9 p.m. 21 and older Saturdays; 18 and older Wednesdays. (248) 333-2362 or www.961melt.com

COBO ARENA: 600 Civic Center Drive, Detroit. (313) 983-6616

COMERICA PARK: 2100 Woodward Ave., Detroit

CONOR O'NEILLS: 318 S. Main, Ann Arbor. Free live entertainment. (734) 665-2968 or www.conoroneills.com

COWLEY'S: 33338 Grand River Avenue, Farmington. (248) 474-5941

THE DECK AND THE FIVE HOLE: 2301 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 965-9500

DETROIT CONTEMPORARY: 5141 Rosa Parks Blvd., Detroit. (313) 898-4ART

DTE ENERGY MUSIC THEATRE: 7773 Pine Knob Road, at I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. (248) 377-0100 or <http://www.palacenet.com>

DUKE HUMPHRIES: Live music Wednesday-Saturday, 1254 Walton Blvd., Rochester Hills. (248) 601-1100

EDISON'S: 220 Merrill Street, Birmingham. (248) 645-2150

ELIE'S: 263 Pierce Street, Birmingham. (248) 647-2420

FAIRGROUNDS PARK: Woodward and 8 Mile Road, Detroit.

FIFTH AVENUE BILLIARDS: 215 W. Fifth Avenue, Royal Oak. (248) 542-9922

FLYING FISH TAVERN: 17600 W. 13 Mile; Beverly Hills. (248) 647-7747

FORD ROAD BAR AND GRILL: 35505 Ford Road, Westland. (734) 721-8609

FOX THEATRE: 2211 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 983-6611

FOX AND HOUNDS: 1560 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

GOLD DOLLAR: 3129 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

GROOVE ROOM: 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. nightly. 21 and older. (248) 589-3344 or www.thegrooveroom.com

HILL AUDITORIUM: 825 N. University, Ann Arbor. (734) 764-2538

JOE LOUIS ARENA: 600 Civic Center Drive, Detroit. (313) 983-6606

JD'S KEY CLUB: 1 North Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 338-7337

KARL'S CABIN: 9979 N. Territorial Road, Plymouth. (734) 455-8450

LA BOOM TEEN NIGHTCLUB: Dance night for teens ages 15-19, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday-Saturday, 1172 N. Pontiac Trail, Walled Lake. (248) 926-9960

LOVELY HEARTS CLUB: 211 E. Washington, Ann Arbor. (734) 913-5506

LOWERTOWN GRILL: 195 W. Liberty, Plymouth. (734) 451-1213

MAGIC BAG: 22920 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale. (248) 544-3030

MAINSTREET BILLIARDS AND THE ALLEY: Main Street, Rochester. (248) 652-8441

MAJESTIC THEATRE, CAFE AND MAGIC STICK: 4120 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (313) 833-9700

MEADOWBROOK MUSIC FESTIVAL: 3554 Walton Blvd., On the campus of Oakland University, Rochester Hills. (248) 377-0100. or www.palacenet.com

MEMPHIS SMOKE: 100 S. Main Street, Royal Oak. (248) 543-4300

MICHIGAN THEATRE: 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 662-8307

MOTOR LOUNGE: 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. (313) 396-0080 or www.motorlounge.com

MR. B'S FARM: 24555 Novi Road, Novi. (248) 349-7038

MUSIC MENU: 511 Monroe, Detroit. (313) 964-MENU

NIK'S BAR & GRILL: 31222 Ecorse Road, Romulus. (734) 326-9300

THE PALACE: 2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills. (248) 377-0100 or www.palacenet.com

PHOENIX PLAZA AMPHITHEATRE: 10 N. Water Street, Pontiac

PURE BAR ROOM: 1500 Woodward Ave., Detroit. 21 and older. Cover charge Friday-Saturday. (313) 471-PURE

ROCHESTER HILLS BEER COMPANY: 400 Water Street, Rochester. (248) 650-5080

THE ROOKIE SPORTS CAFE: 3632 Elizabeth, Wayne. (734) 729-7337

ROYAL OAK MUSIC THEATRE: 318 W. Fourth St., Royal Oak. (248) 544-7938

THE SCARAB CLUB: 217 Farnsworth, Detroit. (313) 831-1250

ST. ANDREW'S HALL/ THE SHELTER: 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (313) 961-MELT or www.961melt.com

7TH HOUSE: 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 335-3540

STATE THEATRE AND THE STATE BAR: 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and over. (313) 961-5451 or www.statetheater.com

24 KARAT CLUB: 28949 Joy, Westland. 21 and older. (734) 513-5030

313.JAC: Upstairs from Jacoby's, 624 Brush, Detroit. (313) 962-7067

THE TOWN PUMP TAVERN: 100 W. Montcalm, Detroit. (313) 961-1929

TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE: 38840 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. Discount for members. (734) 464-6302.

UNION STREET: 4145 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 831-3965

U.S. 12 BAR AND GRILL/WAYNE BREWERY: 34824 Michigan Ave. West, Wayne. (734) 722-7639

VELVET LOUNGE: 29 S. Saginaw St., Pontiac. (248) 334-7411

VILLAGE BAR AND GRILL/BEENY'S CUE & BREW: 35234 Michigan Ave. West, Wayne. (734) 729-2360

WAGON WHEEL TAVERN: 102 S. Broadway, Lake Orion. (248) 693-6789

WINTERGARDEN TAVERN: 33320 Seven Mile Road, Livonia. (248) 474-7159

WOODRUFF'S SUPPER CLUB: 212 W. Sixth Street, Royal Oak. (248) 586-1519

WOODWARD AVENUE BREWERY: 22646 Woodward Ave., Ferndale.

XHEDOS CAFE: Sista Otis performs 8-10 p.m. Sundays at the club, 240 West Nine Mile, Ferndale. All ages. Free. (248) 399-3946

ZIM'S IRISH TAVERN: 1350 Lapeer Road, Oxford. (248) 969-9467

DJ MAC D: Funka and Hip Hop, Thursdays, The Groove Room, Royal Oak. Cover charge after 10 p.m. (248) 589-3344

MADONNA: The Drowned World Tour, Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 25-26, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$45-\$250. (248) 645-6666

BARBARA MANNING: With Denise James, 10 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

MATCHBOX TWENTY: With Train, Old 97's, 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$25-\$45.50. (248) 645-6666

LARRY MAXWELL: 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. Free show. (248) 601-1100

MAZE FEATURING FRANKIE BEVERLY: With Keith Sweat, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. Tickets \$28.25-\$50.75. Due to the date change, tickets for the original July 21 show are honored or can be refunded at point of purchase; (248) 645-6666.

MB2: 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, Waterford Summer Festival. (248) 623-9389; 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, Heritage Park, Farmington Hills. (248) 473-9570

MEKKA: With Danny Tenaglia, Doc Martin, Armand Van Helden, Josh Wink, Junior Sanchez, Derrick Carter, H-Foundation, Stacey Pullen, Roni Size, Talib Kweli, DJ Jazzy Jeff, DJ Assault, Detroit Grand Pubahs and more, Noon, Saturday, Aug. 4, Fairgrounds Park, 8 Mile and Woodward Ave., Detroit. All ages. \$50. (248) 645-6666

JOHN MELLENCAMP: With The Wallflowers, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 28, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$25.50-\$55.50. (248) 645-6666

MEN AT WORK: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 23, MGM Grand Casino's Special Events Tent, Bagley and Third Street, Detroit. 21 and older. \$10-\$20. (877) 888-2121

MARCUS MILLER: 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, Gem Theatre, Detroit. \$35. (313) 463-4215

EDDIE MONEY: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 2, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$13-\$20. (248) 645-6666

LORRIE MORGAN: With Sammy Kershaw, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 29, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$20-\$29.50. (248) 645-6666

MTV TOTAL REQUEST WITH DESTINY'S CHILD, NELLY, EVE, DREAM AND 3LW: 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 23, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$29.50-\$49.50 (248) 645-6666.

MURDER CITY DEVILS: With Cave-In, Botch, 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$10. (248) 645-6666

VINCE NEIL: "The Voices of Metal," Ratt featuring Stephen Pearcy, Slaughter and Vixen, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 19, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$16.50-\$28.50. (248) 645-6666.

98 DEGREES: 7:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 6, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$23-\$42.50. (248) 645-6666.

ORIGINAL HITS: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, 14, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

O-TOWN: With Marcus, Thursday, Aug. 2, Meadow Brook Music Festival, Rochester Hills. \$22.50-\$30. (248) 645-6666

THE NEW RASCALS: With The Association, Gary Puckett, 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 17, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$16.50-\$26.50. (248) 645-6666

PARKER AND LILY: With Recorder, Ansonia, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, Gold Dollar. (313) 833-6873

PERPETUAL HYPE ENGINE: 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

QUEEN BEE: With Thrall, Radium, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 17, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

REGGIE & THE FULL EFFECT: With Hot Rod Circuit, Ultimate Fakebook, Koufax, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 21, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$12. All ages. (313) 833-9700

MARK REITENGA & THE MARKSMEN: 9:30 p.m. Thursday's, Rosie O'Grady's, Ferndale. (248) 591-9163; 7:30 p.m. Friday Aug. 3, Shield's, Southfield. (248) 356-2720; 9 p.m. Friday Aug. 10, Saturday, Aug. 25, Lily's Seafood, Royal Oak. (248) 591-5459

JACKIE ROUSH: 9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 25, Plymouth Coffee Bean, Plymouth. Free shows.

SADE: Lover's Rock Tour, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 19, The Palace of Auburn Hills. Tickets \$35.25-\$75.25. (248) 645-6666

SATURDAY LOOKS GOOD TO ME: With Slumber Party, DJ Aaron Warshaw, 9 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

JACK SCOTT: 9 p.m. Saturday, July 28, T-Bonz, Rochester Hills. Cover \$10 or \$15 reserved seating. (248) 293-9000; Also, Friday, Aug. 17 outside Duggan's Tavern on Woodward during the Woodward Dream Cruise, Saturday, Aug. 18 at Hunter House, Birmingham, during the Woodward Dream Cruise. See jackscott.rudysden.com.

DJ SHORTROUND: Spins house along with hosts El George and Kegger from Motor Detroit, for Sunday Night Rehab, 10 p.m. Sundays, Town Pump Tavern, Detroit. (313) 961-1929

THE SIGHS: The Witches, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

SIMPLICITY: 10 p.m. Thursdays in August, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 962-7067

SQUAREPUSHER AND PLAID: 9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 18, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. All ages. \$12. (248) 645-6666

SUDDEN IMPACT: Friday, Aug. 3, Mitch Housey's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520

SUGAR RAY: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, Freedom Hill Amphitheatre, Sterling Heights. \$20-\$30. (248) 645-6666

SWEATYSUEDELIPS: With DJ Aaron Warshaw, 9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

ROBERTA SWEED: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

MICK TAYLOR: 8 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$18. (248) 544-3030

THE TEMPTATION REVIEW: Featuring Dennis Edwards, Herb Reed, The Platters, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18-\$29.50. (248) 645-6666

THE TEMPTATIONS: Wednesday, Aug. 29, Michigan State Fairgrounds, 8 Mile and Woodward, Detroit. (800) 585-3737

THEY COME IN THREES: With Bogue, 10 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

38 SPECIAL: 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30, MGM Grand Casino's Special Events Tent, Bagley and Third Street, Detroit. 21 and older. \$10-\$20. (877) 888-2121

GEORGE THOROGOOD & THE DESTROYERS: 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 3, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18.50-\$28.50 (248) 645-6666.

3 DOORS DOWN: With Nickelback, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 8, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$20.50-\$31.50. (248) 645-6666.

TRANSMISSION OF BINARY SOUND CODES: With Detroit's W-Vibe, Chicago's Vertonen, Mechanik of Grand Rapids, Panicsville of Chicago and Philadelphia's Winterbrief, 9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (313) 962-7067

VAN'S WARPED TOUR: Featuring Rancid, AFI, Fenix TX, H2O, Me First and the Gimme Gimmes, The Bouncing Souls, Flogging Molly, Kool Keith, Morgan Heritage, The Vandals, Pennywise, Alien Ant Farm, Big Wig, Grand Theft Audio, Kill Your Idols, Lefty, No Motiv, Sum 41, The Ataris, Grade, Madcap, Pepper, Planet Smashers, Project Wyze, and The Line, noon, Sunday, Aug. 12, Phoenix Plaza Amphitheatre, Pontiac. Tickets \$27.25 or \$19.99 online at www.warpedtour.com. Call (248) 645-6666

THE WILDBUNCH: With Cobra Verde, LSDudes, 9 p.m. Friday, Aug. 3, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$6. (248) 544-3030

W-VIBE: With Panicsville, Winterbrief, Vertonen, Mechanik, 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. 18 and older. \$5. (313) 962-7067

DWIGHT YOAKAM: Allison Moorer, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18.50-\$35.50. (248) 645-6666.

PETE YORN: Thursday, Aug. 16, The Shelter, Detroit. (313) 961-8961

MOVIES

'Jurassic Park III' keeps the dinosaurs coming

By JAY M. GROSSMAN
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Run Barney. Those snarling Velociraptors, swooping Pteranodons, and some giant nasty fella called a Spinosaurus are back in Steven Spielberg's *Jurassic Park III*.

Sam Neill returns as dinosaur expert Dr. Alan Grant, the only man on the planet who can glance at a pile of dino poop and tell you it came from a Brontosaurus — not a Stegosaurus. Eight years after the first *Jurassic Park* movie stomped out of the jungle, Grant returns to the forbidden Isla Sorna after a 14-year-old boy disappears while vacationing off the coast of Costa

'Director Joe Johnston does a great job with the dinosaurs. The Pteranodons are especially menacing with their missile beaks and massive wingspans.'

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William H. Macy (*Fargo*) and Amanda Kirby (*The Family Man*) are desperate parents who hoodwink the doctor into joining their rescue mission by posing as wealthy entrepreneurs planning an aerial tour of T-rex island for their wedding anniversary.

Badly in need of cash to keep his fossil research alive, Grant cautiously agrees to go along as a guide. By the time he realizes

the plane is landing, it's too late.

Hear that thumping? Yep, a dinosaur is coming.

Director Joe Johnston does a great job with the dinosaurs. The Pteranodons are especially menacing with their missile beaks and massive wingspans. I liked them the best, almost as much as those evil flying monkeys in *The Wizard of Oz*. And there's a couple of fun scenes involving a cellular telephone.

But overall, only a few of the scenes in *Jurassic Park III* — not to mention the 1997 sequel — match any of the suspense captured in the original film. Missing are those truly scary moments, such as when the car stalled in front of the T-rex exhibit and a cup of water began to vibrate ominously. Or when the caged Velociraptors grabbed something extra for dessert after eating a live cow during their feeding.

Maybe there's only so much you can do with genetically engineered dinosaurs stuck on a tiny island. As one audience member said while walking out: "Pretty good . . . I just hope they're not planning a fourth."

Good advice. I give it three out of four raptor eggs.



Dino-tastic: *Jurassic Park III* still screaming in theaters.

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STREET SCENE

Detroit Grand Pubahs turn up the funk

■ The following is the second and final profile of artists performing at this weekend's Mekka Festival in Detroit.

BY STEPHANIE ANGELYN CASOLA
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If you've never seen the Detroit Grand Pubahs, you've never seen anything like this.

The Pubahs — Mack Goudy Jr., better known as Paris The Black Fu, and Andy "Dr. Toefinger" Toth met while working at Royal Oak's D'Amato's restaurant four years ago. Together, the duo mix sparse and funky electro-beats with satirical lyrics and outrageous showmanship.

In the beginning, they didn't know it would work. "We actually didn't know we would work well together," said Paris, speaking from his home. "I had been DJing for years. He had heard about me. He was studying ... to be an engineer, working on tracks and stuff."

Inspired by heavy-hitters like Prince, and funkmasters like

George Clinton and Rick James, Paris learned a little something about nuances in music. But his over-the-top attitude is pure punk rock, which he prefers in the form of The Clash and Iggy Pop. Toss a little Devo and The Doors into this mix and you'll almost be able to hear why the Pubah's sound is so hard to pinpoint. Paris calls it "funkno" and its available in full form Tuesday, Aug. 7 on the Jive Electro release, *Funk All Y'all*.

"It just comes off the top of my head," said Paris of his hilarious, often tawdry talent as the groups chief wordsmith. "I don't write lyrics 99 percent of the time. I just go in and whatever the track says to me, whatever the track makes me feel (comes out)."

While I can't detail his subjects of choice, let it be known if the Pubahs made movies, they'd be lucky to get an R rating.

Its all done with an air of humor. Part comedy-duo, part funkno sensation, the Pubahs have the market cornered when

it comes to flair. Last year's cult favorite on the dancefloor, *Sandwiches* sent heads spinning with its faltering vocodered vocals and tasty beats.

The Detroit Grand Pubahs were picked up by Jive Electro Records two years ago after DJ Brian Gillespie released their work on his *Throw* label. Paris says not much has changed. "It's given me the opportunity to travel a little bit more. Other than that, I'm still broke."

The duo has been both embraced and slighted in its hometown. When *Sandwiches* broke and Jive caught onto the act, words like one-hit-wonder were tossed around. But Paris believes it was just egos talking. He's proud of the work on *Funk All Y'all*. "I think it will surprise a lot of people," he said. "I think it's gonna do really well."

This time around, though, the Pubahs dabble in a variety of styles. *Dr. Bootygrabber* will make you laugh and blush. "It's about a guy who has his own practice in bootiatrics," is Paris's

best explanation. "My favorite track is *Funk All Y'all*," he said. "It's a little bit more involved."

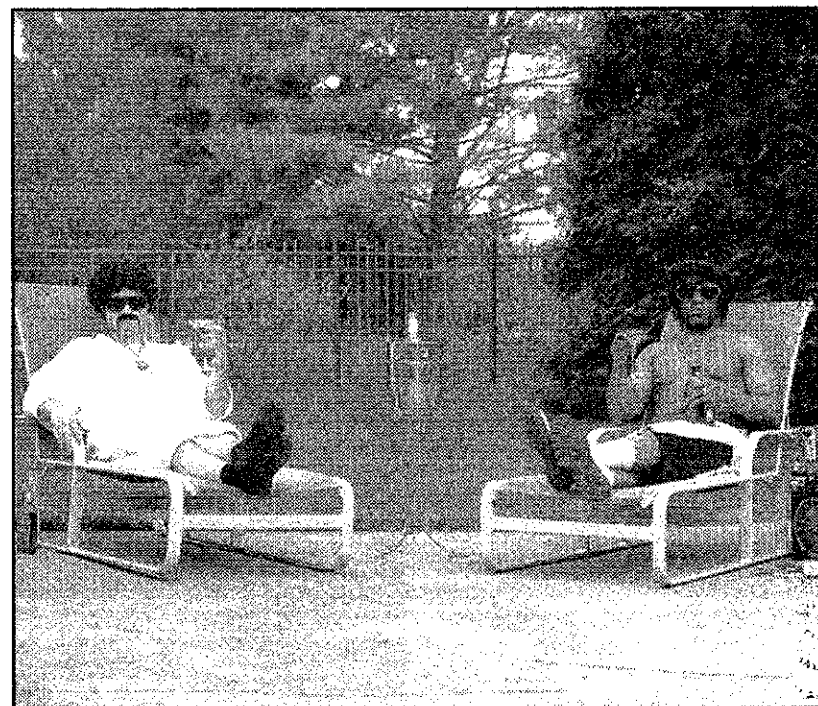
When the Pubahs aren't making you giggle, they're making you think. *After School Special*, recorded with guest vocals by Miss Kitten, takes a cold, dispirited trip through life as a prostitute.

The Pubahs reach their audience through music and show. It's not unusual to catch Paris sporting a thong, or even a diaper. "I've always worn costumes," he said. "I'd go out wearing a full beard, just to get a response from people."

It took Andy a little while to warm up to the idea of dressing up. "He didn't know what he wanted to do. He had to find his style."

Whatever they wear, the Detroit Grand Pubahs are, as Paris said, "bringing fun back to music."

See the Detroit Grand Pubahs at Mekka, along with Danny Tenaglia, Doc Martin, Armand Van Helden, Josh Wink, Junior



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Small Craft Sighting

After whispers and growing curiosity, LOGIC opens its doors this weekend. A combination of performance space, art gallery, and digital recording studio, LOGIC is located in a fourth-floor loft of Detroit's Cary Building, 229 Gratiot Ave.

The space supports local and national hip-hop, electronic, and underground rock artists.

This weekend, LOGIC presents a four-day festival open to music fans of all ages. Doors open at 7 p.m. and admission is \$5 per night. A weekend pass is

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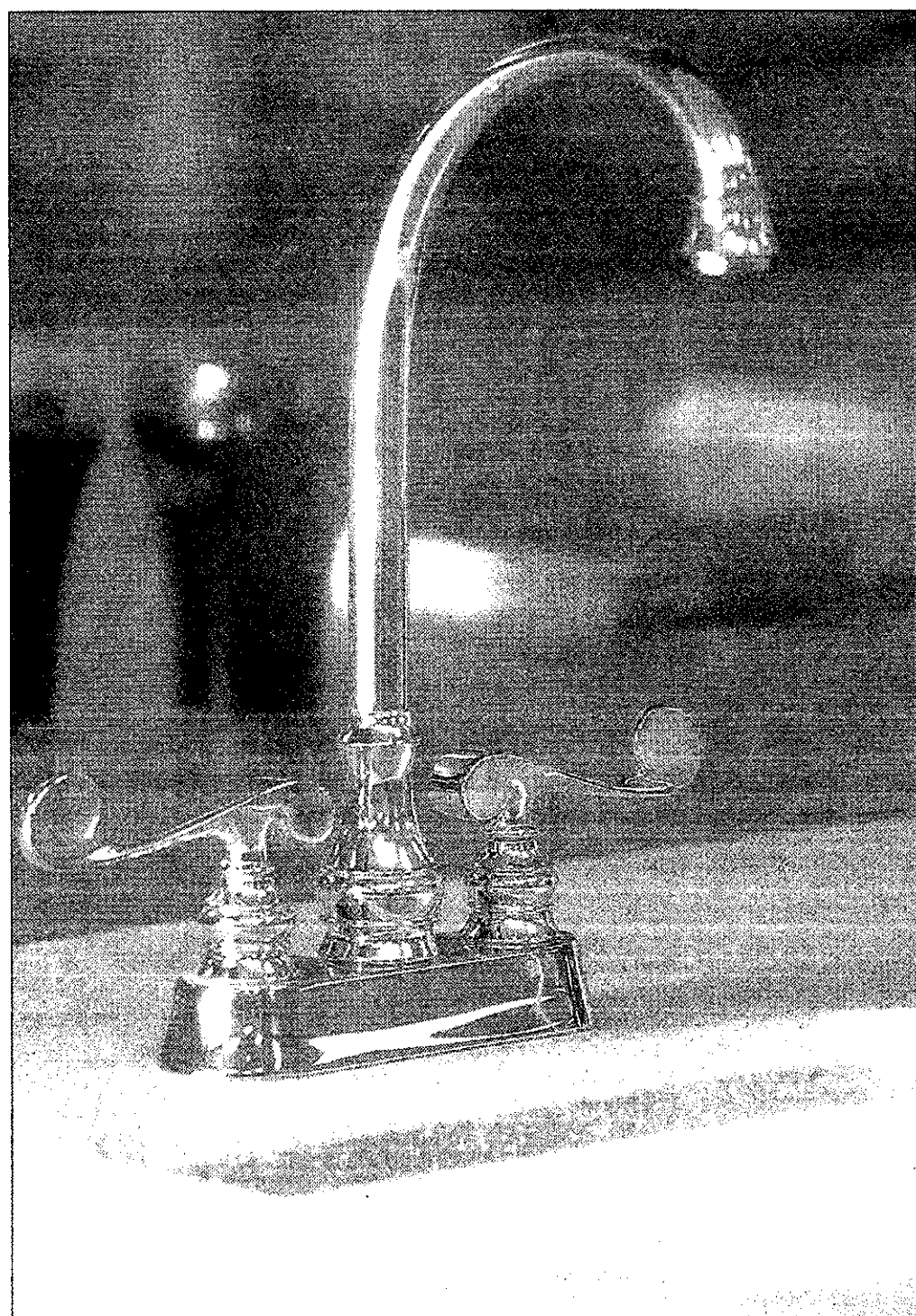
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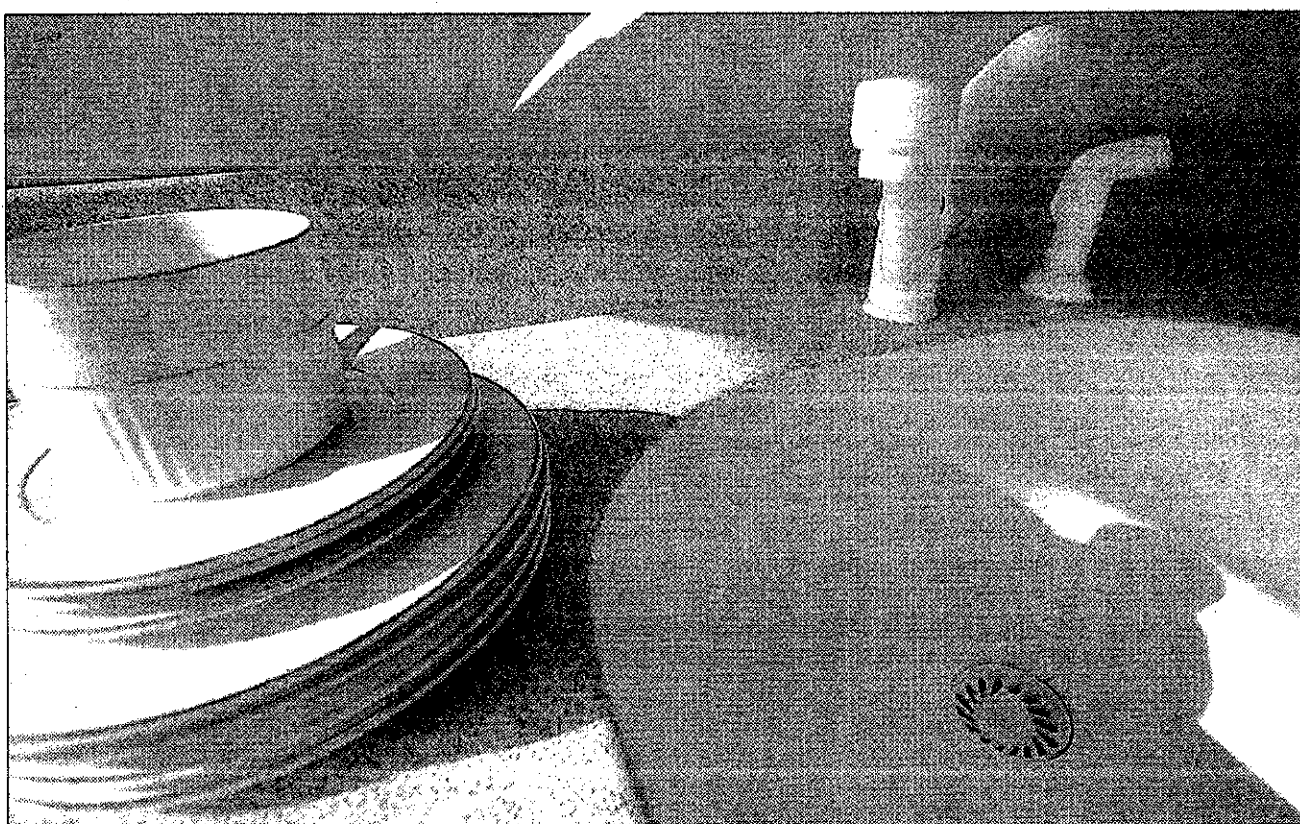
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Looking sharp: This Corian® solid surface features an accent strip in the integrated sink. The Revival faucet is made by Kohler.

Looking good

Today's kitchen sinks combine utility and design



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New look: This solid surface veneer countertop also features an integrated sink.

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When you first look at an integrated sink, you wonder how it is created. You might imagine workers pouring a chemical mixture into a giant mold, integrating the sink with the countertop, combining utility and beauty. It's seamless — there's no steel rim separating sink from countertop.

Customers often stop and marvel at the smooth edge and transition from countertop to sink, but what they really notice is the cleaning convenience it adds, said Michell Hendricks, a sales representative at New Concept Kitchen and Design in Livonia.

"You can just wipe right into it," Hendricks said of the sink. "They love it because they don't have to pick anything up and put it over the hump."

"People love the ease of cleaning," said Pat Aebersold, interior designer for kitchens and baths at KSI Kitchen and Bath Show-room in Birmingham.

Kitchen sinks have become a design feature like cabinets.

Homeowners can spend anywhere from \$40 for a stainless steel sink or more than \$1,000 for a seamless sink and countertop as part of a kitchen remodeling.

Solid surface sinks are popular with homeowners who are remodeling their kitchens, Hendricks said. "Usually our customers are remodeling, so most people here just don't just replace a sink," Hendricks said. And you have a choice — you can purchase one that matches the countertop or contrasts it.

What else is hot? Stainless steel is popular, says Frank Mathison, owner of Mathison Supply in Livonia. Mathison likes Blanco. "They are more money because the stainless steel is high quality," Mathison said. Stainless steel is attractive and easy to

clean.

Bacteria doesn't grow easily in stainless steel because there are no cracks or pores to start any germ growth. Mathison said the deeper sinks cost more money because a thicker grade of steel must be used during the stamping process to maintain the sink's thickness.

People also want stainless steel for the contemporary look in a kitchen that might have granite countertops. "The price of granite has dropped and there's more use of it," Mathison said.

Once ruled by Italians, the granite market now includes China and South American countries. "And in Georgia, they have an entire mountain of granite. All of a sudden, everybody wants granite. Corian® really lost its position in the market."

Richelle Lovullo, sales and design consultant at Kurtis Kitchens in Livonia, said stainless steel is popular with granite. "People also go with the cast iron or stainless steel," Lovullo said. "They need to check the steel's gauge," she said. "The lower the gauge, the better." Sinks with too thin of a gauge can be noisy and dent easily.

Customers can choose a brushed stainless steel for an elegant look or clear steel look that will reflect images back, Lovullo said.

Hendricks said Corian® and Wilsonart® offer the integrated sinks. Many also prefer stainless steel.

"Stainless steel will always be in there (in popularity), but it isn't as popular as it used to be," Hendricks said.

Cast iron sinks include a lot of nice styles, but they can chip. Solid color acrylic sinks are a less expensive alternative to the integrated countertops and work for those who only want a sink.

Self-rimming sinks are easy to install. Lighter sinks are secured with clips and screws. Enamel on steel sinks are attached with a separate steel rim, but grit can accumulate.

And you can "go deep" with sinks.

"People like the 8- and 9-inch sinks, and even the 10-inch sinks. You can get the stockpots underneath them," Hendricks said.

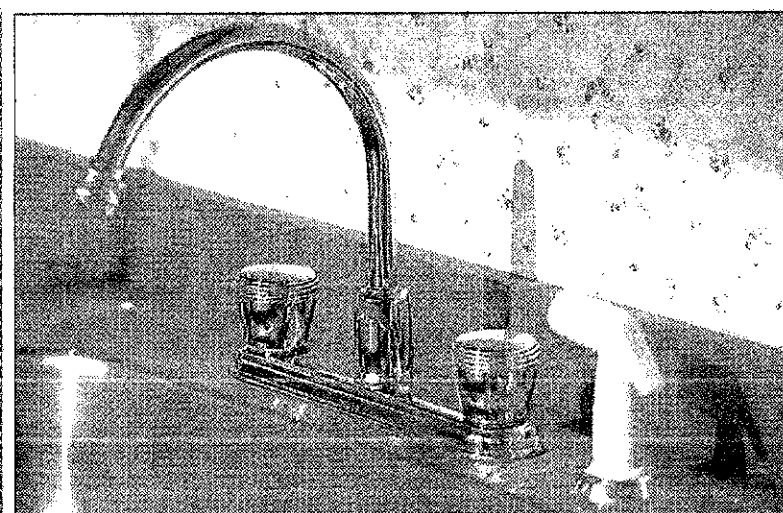
Faucets

With a new sink comes the need for a new faucet. Single-handed faucets with pull-out spouts and sprayers are popular for cleaning dishes, pans and even produce. Chrome faucet finishes are easy to wipe and clean. Waterfall and gooseneck faucets also are popular.

Aebersold said stainless steel is still very popular at her Birmingham store, along with the integrated and porcelain sinks. "Designers ask for the undermounted (stainless steel) sinks with the granite," Aebersold said. "Corian® is popular with the integrated sink."

More homeowners place the garbage disposal in the larger area. At one time, they placed it in the smaller sink, but that has changed.

"Usually the dishes stack up here," Mathi-



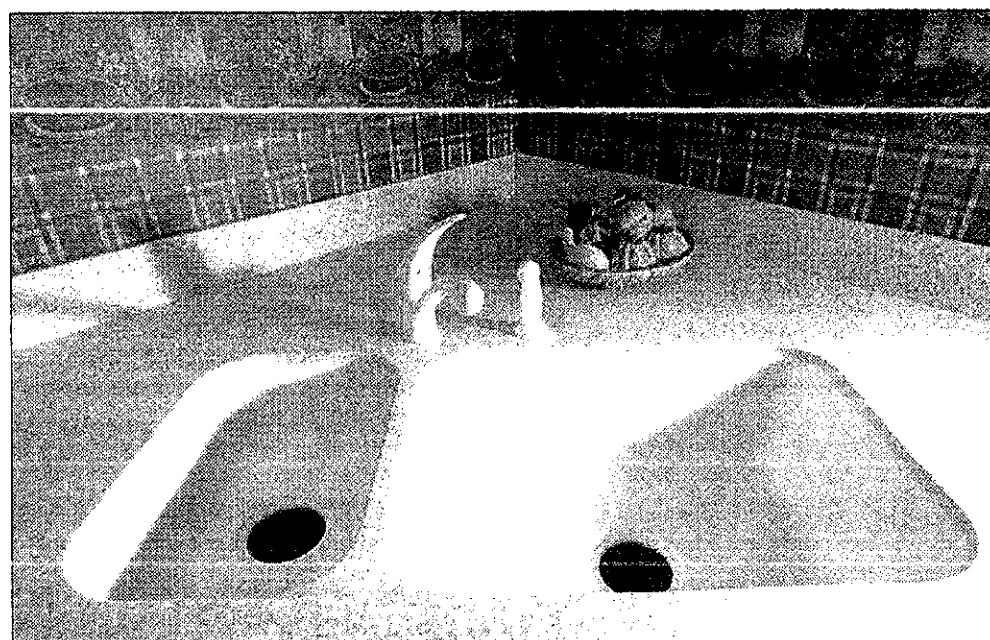
Elegant look: A stainless steel sink adds elegance to any kitchen. A gooseneck faucet by Delta adds convenience and room for filling stockpots.

son said, pointing to the larger of a double sink. "When you clean the table, all the scraps end up in the big sink, so why not put the disposer there?"

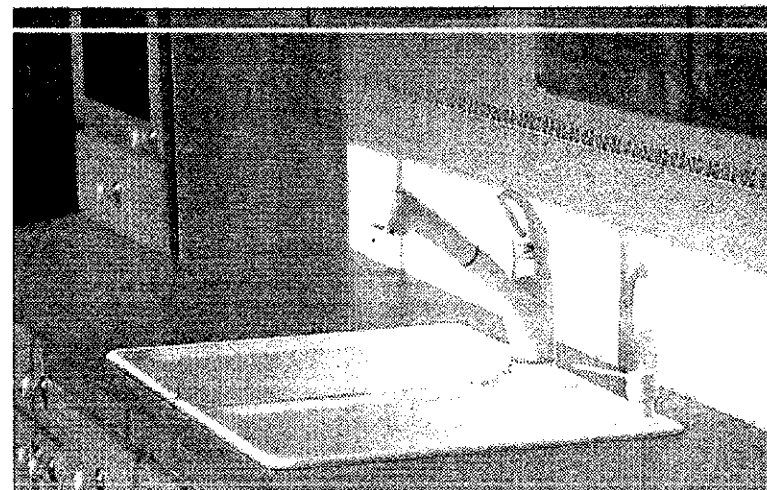
"And at one time, you would just pick up the scraps out of the drain and throw them in the garbage."

But one thing never changes with customers — they all care about cost.

"It doesn't matter whether they own a home that costs over \$1 million or a small bungalow, they always look for the price," Aebersold said.



Grand design: This Corian® solid surface integrated bowl features a Moen faucet.



Cast in iron: Sinks with porcelain on cast iron cost less than integrated sinks, but they also chip. Many faucets feature pullout spouts for easier spraying.

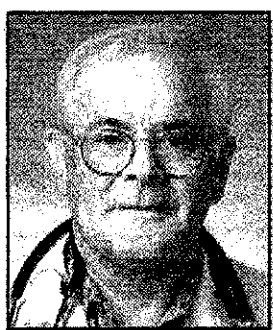


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PLEASE DO NOT CALL THE NEWSPAPER. Use the entry form below (or a facsimile) printed in this newspaper. Entries must be postmarked by Monday, Aug. 27, 2001. Fill in all the blanks. Clearly print or type the information. Include area code with your telephone number and the best time of day to call if we wish to take photographs. Children should include their ages. Your comments about how you care for the plants can also be sent along with the entry. This information may be passed on to our readers when we announce the winners. There are two categories of winners in this High Hopes Sunflower Contest: The tallest sunflower and the one with the largest seed head (not including the rays of the flower), grown in the 2001 season through Aug. 27.

1. Sunflower measurement must be taken from soil level to the base of the head where the stem attaches to the flower.
2. Seed head measurement must be taken diagonally across the seed head (not including the rays of the flower).
3. Participants must send the official entry form (or a facsimile) to: High Hopes Sunflower Contest, The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150. To fax call (734) 591-7279. Judges will notify contest finalists to verify height and size.
4. Winners will be announced in the newspaper in September.
5. Employees and families of the Observer and Eccentric Newspapers aren't eligible.
6. Decisions of the judges are final.
7. Entrants must live in Oakland or Wayne County to be eligible.
8. Gift certificates from English Gardens will be awarded to the winners — \$75 first place, \$50 second place and \$25 third place. Prizes will be awarded 1 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16 at English Gardens, 6370 Orchard Lake Rd., West Bloomfield, MI.

Winners must appear at awards to claim their prize.

My sunflower height is:

My sunflower's seed head is:

Name:

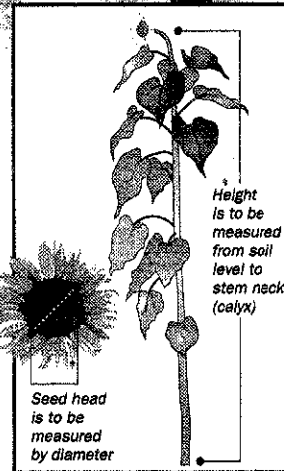
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Plant-care comments:



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CRAFTS CALENDAR

If you would like to announce an upcoming craft show, bazaar, or arts boutique — items can be sent to: Crafts Calendar, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI, 48150 or e-mail kmortson@oe.homecomm.net

CRAFTERS WANTED

We are looking for crafters for SummerFest 2001. Sault Ste. Marie, located in the UP of Michigan, (straight up I-75) on Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 7-8. Please contact Terri Badenski at (906) 635-7463 for more information and to have an app. faxed or mailed to you.

UP SUMMER FEST

There will be a giant Arts & Craft Fair during SummerFest 2001 in Sault Ste. Marie, located in the UP of Michigan, (straight up I-75) on Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 7-8.

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Do you have a crafting skill and would like to start earning money for Christmas? We are looking for you. St. Aloysius Church in Romulus is having a festival, Aug. 24-26 and we are in need of crafters. For additional information call (734) 941-5056 (Monday thru Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

FALL CRAFT SHOW

St. Damian Parish of Westland is looking for crafters for its Fall Arts and Craft Show that will be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13 throughout the school. For more information, please call (734) 421-6130.

CRAFT SHOW

St. Theodore Catholic Church will hold their Annual Craft Show from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 13 at the Parish Social Hall, 8200 N. Wayne Road in Westland. Table rental is \$20. Call Thelma (734) 464-9598 to reserve a table.

CRAFT SHOW

Crafters wanted and tables are

available for the Oct. 19-21 Harvest Moon Craft Show at Livonia Mall. Hundreds of crafts for sale. Call (248) 476-1160.

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Crafters needed for the 15th annual juried show Saturday, Oct. 20 at West Middle School (44401 W. Ann Arbor Trail) in Plymouth. The show will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call Terri (248) 349-5344.

CHURCHILL ARTS/RAFTS

Join us for the 10th Annual Fall Churchill PTSA Arts/Crafts Show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 20 at Churchill High School (8900 Newburgh Road) in Livonia. Admission \$2. Call for an application (734) 523-0022.

FALL CRAFT SHOW

Churchill High School PTSA is accepting applications for its 10th Annual Fall Craft Show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 20. We are located at 8900 Newburgh Road, just north of Joy Road. Admission is \$2. If you would like an application or more information call (734) 523-0022.

ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (24931 Union at Westwood) of Dearborn has tables available for its 20th Annual Craft Show on Saturday, Oct. 27. Eight foot tables are \$25. Call (313) 562-9246 for information.

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St. Robert Bellarmine at West Chicago and Inkster in Redford is sponsoring their annual Christmas Bazaar on Oct. 27 (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.). Table rental is \$25 for an 8 foot table. If you would like a contract mailed to you call Nancy (313) 937-1741 or Evelyn (313) 533-5255.

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

St. Robert Bellarmine Church (West Chicago and Inkster Roads) will host their Annual Christmas Bazaar Oct. 27. Table rental is now available. Contact Nancy (313) 937-1741 or Evelyn (313) 533-5255.

CRAFTERS SOUGHT

The "Home for the Holidays" Arts and Craft Show, sponsored by Farmington High School (32000 Shiawassee), is seeking crafters for its 12th annual show on Saturday, Nov. 3, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. For more information, call Susan Nichols at (248) 476-9674.

SCHOOLCRAFT FALL SHOW

Spaces are still available for Schoolcraft College Foundation Fall Craft Show Nov. 10-11. The show is juried, and a limited number of exhibitors are accepted in each category to maintain a balanced representation in each craft. Fee for a 12'x12' space is \$100; a 10'x10' space costs \$70; an 8'x9' space is \$55; and there is a \$55 fee for an 8'x4' hallway space. Applications can be obtained by calling Marketing and Development at 734-462-4417. Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile Roads just west of I-275.

CRAFTERS SOUGHT

Crafters are being sought for the Holiday Craft Show from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 10-11 at the Wayne Ford Civic League in Westland (Wayne Road). 7x12 tables are \$35. Call Sharon (734) 722-4857.

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Crafters are needed for the Fall Craft Show from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10 at St. Edith School (15089 Newburgh Road) in Livonia. Admission is \$1. Call Diana (734) 462-6037 or Joann (734) 464-9370.

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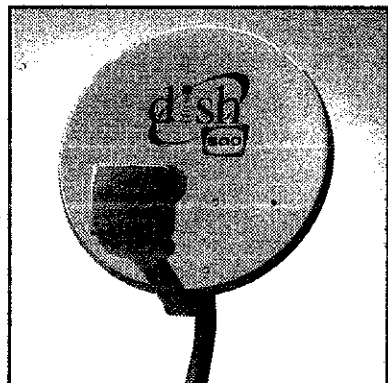
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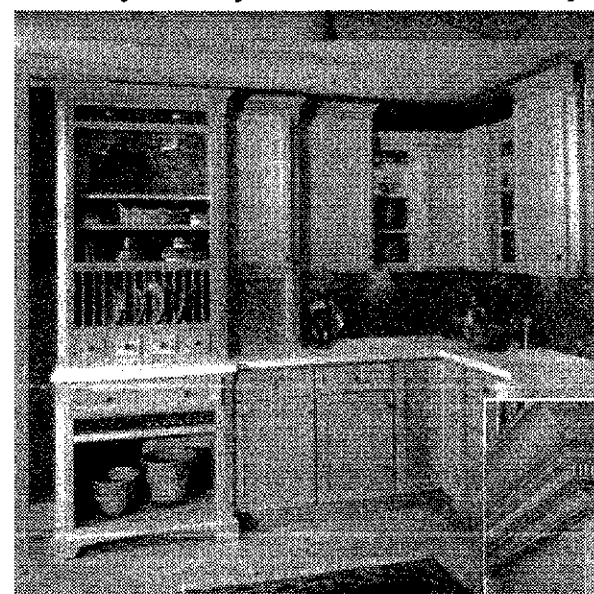


amazingly positive. Alan Young and Tom Novak, owners of the company, said the response from customers has been more than surprising. Alan explained that once people get a taste of this service, they tell friends and family members about what a difference this is from traditional cable. "It blows cable away," Novak said, "You're getting at least three times more programming. There are no gimmicks, people absolutely love it!"

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GARDENING

Clever gardeners reap compliments with plants

GARDEN SPOT



MARTY FIGLEY

It never ceases to amaze me when I learn of the clever ideas people come up with to grow plants.

Here are some examples:

Traci Ricelli, daughter-in-law of Rose and Leon Ricelli of Bloomfield Hills, fashioned a most unusual "container" that has captivated everyone who has seen it. It's on the property of the Ricelli home.

"Every weekend we have 'lookers' drive in to get a closer look," Rose said.

"Several come to the door to ask questions and most want to know where we got it. In fact, one lady banged on the door and said, 'I want one.' When we told her how it was made, she decided that would be too difficult."

Traci stuffed moss into plastic chicken wire, secured the edges with plastic ties and stuffed many different annuals in each little space of the wire. She made sure there was soil around the roots.



MARTY FIGLEY

On the grow: Grandson Ben is learning and having a good time watching his "mobile garden" grow.

Some of the plants used were petunias and dusty miller. This year Rose planted it and used all impatiens.

Either display is outstanding with the reds, pinks and whites, but what makes this "container" so unusual is it is wrapped three times around a very large tree—it is nailed to the tree.

To keep the plants alive and happy, it is watered daily; they have found that fertilizer isn't necessary.

The attractive display was

planted around the time of Memorial Day and will last until frost. The family calls it the Tree Hugger.

Our grandson, 3-1/2-year-old Ben, can reach his vegetable garden very easily.

His daddy, Dave, and momma, Annette, decided they didn't want to take up too much space for a garden in their small, shady yard, but had an extra-wide driveway that is in the sun. So Dave built two "mobile gardens."

The first is 2 feet by 4 feet by 16 inches deep and has wheels from an old wheelbarrow. They are growing potatoes from seed potatoes and the plants are about 20 inches high. They will add more soil around each plant to encourage growth so there is room for the potatoes to develop.

The second garden is 30 inches by 8 feet, 8 inches, and has wheels from an old lawn tractor. In this the family planted seeds of Swiss chard and green beans and plugs of head lettuce. All are

growing right on schedule.

Dave and Annette experimented with soil mixtures and the first combination, topsoil and sphagnum moss, was much too heavy and didn't drain. This was dumped out and they began again.

The successful mix is potting soil, manure and sphagnum moss and is much lighter. To help with drainage, Dave drilled additional 3/4-inch holes in the bottom, 6 inches apart, and drainage is fine.

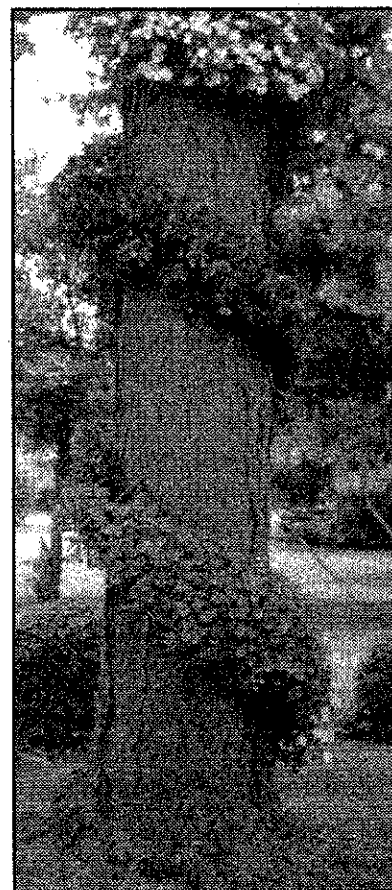
Every so often K-Grow or Miracle-Gro is applied with a hose-end sprayer. They are all anticipating their first harvest.

In a small area of the yard pumpkins for Halloween, cherry tomatoes, sunflowers and carrots grow.

"Each day Ben asks if it is time for him to pull a carrot," Annette said.

When we try new ideas in our gardens, especially when we include the family in on the fun, we learn together and build strong relationships.

Marty Figley is an advanced master gardener based in Birmingham. You can leave her a message by dialing (734)953-2047 on a touch-tone phone. Her fax number is (248)644-1314.



MARTY FIGLEY

Hugger: This unusual "container" brings many admirers to the Ricelli home.

GARDENING CALENDAR

Does your garden club have an upcoming event or meeting you want publicized? Send items for consideration in Gardening Calendar to Ken Abramczyk, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or e-mail kabramczyk@oe.homecomm.net. To send a fax, call (734) 591-7279.

TOLLGATE

An Evening in the Gardens, a series of educational workshops at the Michigan State University Tollgate Education Center in Novi, features practical knowledge every gardener or homeowner can use. The next workshop is A Season of Perennial Color, 9:30-11:30 a.m. Aug. 21 (\$15). It

will discuss the methods gardeners can use to maintain color in their gardens throughout the growing season. Instructor is Kathy Israel, an advanced master gardener with 25 years of experience. The sessions may include outdoor demonstrations in the MSU Tollgate Education Center gardens, so participants should dress comfortably for outdoor activities (bug repellent and rain gear recommended). The workshops fill quickly. Classes will close when registration reaches capacity. Phone reservations won't be accepted. For more information, call (248) 858-1639.

COMPOSTING

Learn the "how-to's" of Rouge River water quality protection

with backyard composting and yard waste reduction, while maintaining a healthy lawn and garden. Attend the Wayne County master composter training session as classes meet Thursdays, 6:30-8 p.m., Sept. 6-Oct. 11 at Summit on the Park Community Center, 46000 Summit Parkway, Canton. There is \$25 material fee due the first night of class. Register now as class size is limited. Call (734) 326-3936.

BOTANICAL GARDENS

Members of the Detroit Garden Center also will be visiting three botanical gardens at Michigan State University from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15. Lunch and transportation on an air-conditioned highway coach,

from an east and west side pick-up point, are included in the \$48 charge for Detroit Garden Club members and \$52 for non-members. Please call the Detroit Garden Club for reservations at (313) 259-6363.

ENGLISH GARDENS

English Gardens conducts free gardening seminars for the public 7 p.m. Tuesdays at its Royal Oak/Troy store, 4901 Coolidge Highway, between 14 Mile and Maple (phone (248) 280-9500), and 7 p.m. Thursdays at its West Bloomfield store, 6370 Orchard Lake Road, north of Maple (phone (248) 851-7506). The schedule includes Do-it-your-

self Landscaping: The Design Process, by Michael Boron Aug. 2.

In this week's seminar, learn about some of the more common problems you'll encounter during the gardening season. Solutions will be provided.

Next week's program is designed for those who wish to re-do their existing landscape or start from scratch. You'll get an overview of the evolution of modern landscape design, and an introduction to basic styles of design.

SAGUARO

Free lectures at Saguaro Nursery & Gardens, 470 W. Five Mile Road in Whitmore Lake are

scheduled at 1 p.m. Sundays August through October. The lectures are 45 to 60 minutes and are free. No registration is required. August lectures are: Aug. 5, carnivorous plants and how to grow them indoors and outside, Richard Tuttle, Saguaro owner; Aug. 12, the art of making succulent wreaths, Antonio Cuellar, Saguaro Nursery manager; Aug. 19, how to grow bromeliads, Penrith Goff, president of the Southeast Michigan Bromeliad Society; and Aug. 26, growing Michigan natives, Elaine Chittenden, collections manager of W.J. Beal Botanic Garden at Michigan State University.

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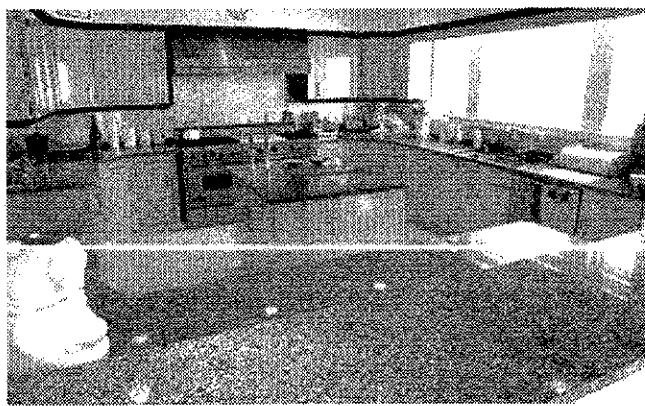
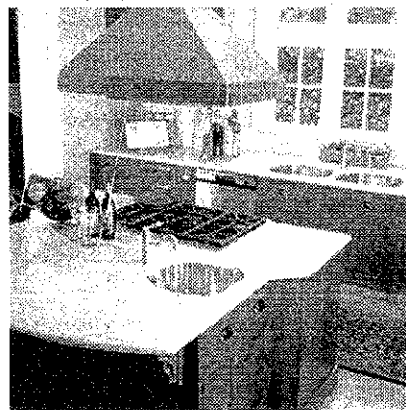
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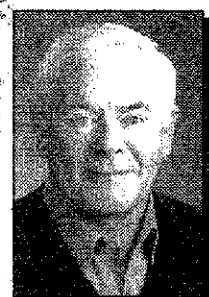
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JOE GAGNON

Do you realize that I've been writing this column for approximately six years and doing the radio show on Newstalk 760 WJR for the same time?

In those years, I have received

thousands of letters and they are appreciated. I also must apologize to the many consumers whom I've not replied to recently. The ABC headquarters in New York "froze" me out of the radio station's e-mail system because there was a backlog of thousands of e-mails, and I never removed them from the system.

This sent a message which, let me assure you, has not gone to

my head. And that message is quite simple: Consumers don't have any other place to go for information they need.

An example of mail

Let me give you an example of what kind of mail I get and I think you will get a kick out of it. It also might give you an idea of how long I've been around:

"Just wanted to thank you again for diagnosing our Amana. It's old (28 years) and should be replaced, but the carpenter doors are hard to give up.

"I took the back panel off and found a Meijer receipt blocking the flow of air. I cleaned the little accumulation of dust that is impossible to get from the front and noticed the black tube covering was all dried out and falling apart.

"I assume at one time this was insulation. I went to ACO hardware store and bought some pipe insulation and covered the tube. Did I help or hurt myself? I also

put a new piece of fiberglass on the back panel. The fan turns freely, but the air that comes out is not at the velocity or temperature that we are used to. The date on the receipt shows that it had been up to two months that it could have been restricting the air flow....

"Are there any refrigerators and freezers that are worth having? Does anyone make a unit that will accompany carpenter doors? Our unit is small (33 wide, 27 deep, 68 high) by today's standards.

"You are doing a great job and we wish you all the success in the world. (P.S. You were at our house 28 years ago with your Amana crew adjusting our doors.) Best regards, Bob and Jeanette."

Now folks, stop and think about that for a minute. I get tons of beautiful mail like this. Hiring someone to reply is almost impossible. Where am I going to find someone with the

experience of a service technician to sit at a typewriter all day? I know the answers, but it also depends on you. You can join me at the many appearances I make each year.

As I write this column I am planning to go to Onsted, Mich., near Irish Hills. I will be there for the opening of a new farm supply and hardware store and the owner hopes for a crowd of 3,000 people to show up. Many of these folks will have questions and I will enjoy answering them in person.

Keep those letters coming, folks, because they are very good for my head and heart, but please don't expect long and detailed answers in the reply. I would rather see you, face-to-face and eye-to-eye. Stay tuned.

Joe Gagnon can be heard Saturday and Sunday on 760 WJR. He is a member and past president of the Society of Consumer Affairs Professionals. His phone number is (313) 873-9789.

Build a relationship with contractor

Home builders and remodelers can fill your house with splendid amenities and build the home of your dreams. But first you must establish a business partnership with the right contractor.

"Make certain you and your contractor can agree on a method for reaching a mutual goal — your ideal house," said Stephen Taglione, president of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan (BIA) and of Westminster & Abbey Homes in Bingham Farms.

"Do your homework before hiring a contractor."

If you take the following steps, you will be likely to maintain a good working relationship with your contractor for the duration of the building or remodeling process.

When looking to hire a contractor, you should:

■ Ask for referrals. Visit the BIA Web site at www.builders.org, which can give you lists of its members who do the kind of work you need done. Ask your neighbors and friends for names of contractors with whom they have worked. And for new homes, check out newspaper ads for the types and price ranges of homes being built in your area.

■ Look for a contractor who has done projects similar to

yours.

■ Ask prospective contractors for a tentative job schedule. Contractors cannot always determine the exact amount of time they will need to complete projects because they cannot control some factors, such as weather or back-ordered building materials. But they can usually give you a rough estimate.

■ Talk about change orders. Some time during the building or remodeling process you might want to change your order. Ask prospective contractors the procedure they use for placing change orders. Most change orders include a description of the change, cost implications and resulting schedule delays.

■ Ask for a written estimate of the work to be done based on a set of plans and specifications.

■ If you compare your estimate with another, be sure each one is based on the same set of plans and specifications. You can't effectively compare estimates from contractors who plan to use different brands of building materials. If a contractor suggests deviations, ask him or her to present those ideas as options.

■ Let contractors know you aren't only interested in the lowest bid.

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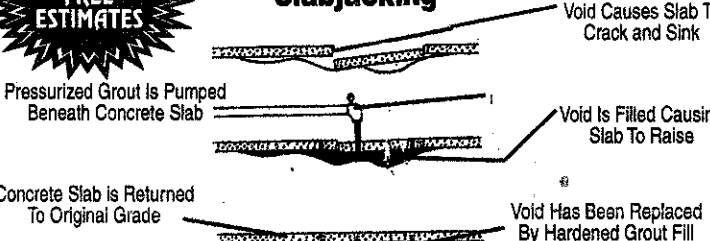
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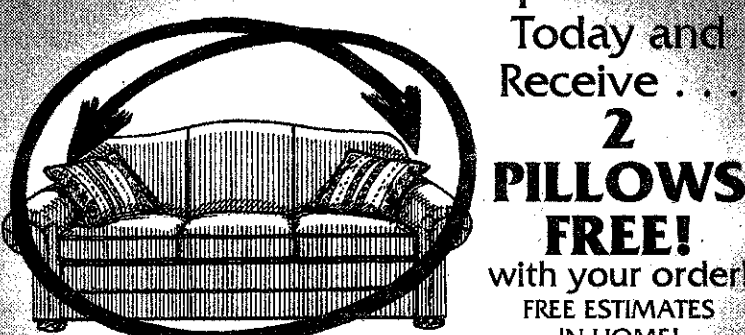
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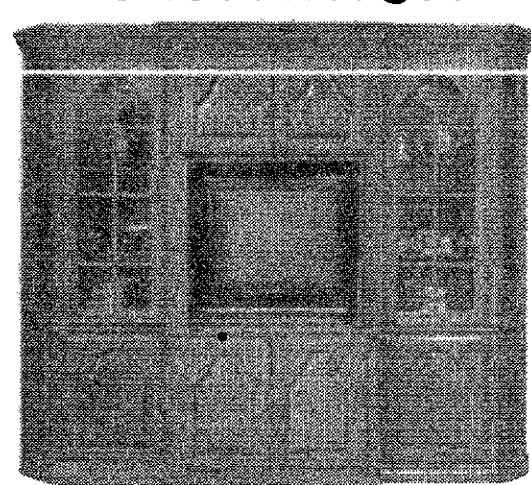
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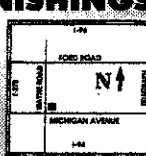
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Auten-Grandinett

Norm and Susan Auten of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Amber Leigh Auten, to D. Scott Grandinett of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University and works as a media planner at GM Planworks.

Her fiancé, son of David and (the late) Janie Grandinett of Livonia, is a graduate of University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. He works as a mechanical engineer at Ford Motor Company.

The couple were married in July at First Presbyterian Church of Northville by Pastor W. Kent Clise. Attendants included Lynn Knapp, Meghan Wilson, Adrienne Mitchell (brides sister) and Kelli



Grandinett (grooms sister).

The groomsmen were Greg Devore, Jerry Tiernan, Marc Moore and Troy Bracey. Ushers included Duane Wilder, Matt Breen and Kevin Tiernan.

The newlyweds received guests at Lauren Manor in Livonia and honeymooned in Maui and Lani. They will make their home in Livonia.

Levine-Fridman

Dr. Robert and Faye Levine of Bloomfield Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Aviva Rebecca, to Moses Alexander Fridman, son of Alexander and Irina Fridman of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bloomfield Hills Lahser High School and Kenyon College. She is currently attending graduate school at Wayne State University.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Livonia Franklin High School and Case Western Reserve University. He is an engineer at



Ford Motor Co.

An August wedding is planned.

Fried-Stefka

William and Barbara Fried of Livonia announce the marriage of their daughter, Kristina Louise, to Jakub Stefka of Olomouc, Czech Republic.

The bride is a graduate of Stevenson High School and the University of Michigan undergraduate and Medical schools. She completed her residency and internship at Northwestern Hospitals in Chicago and has been practicing internal medicine in Seattle for the past year.

Her husband, son of Zdenek and Sylva Stefka of Olomouc, attended medical school in the Czech Republic and practiced there before coming to Northwestern Hospitals in Chicago, where he worked on cancer research. They have both been working in Seattle and will soon move to Denver, where Jakub



will intern in the field of pathology.

The couple wed April 28 at Svaty kopecek, a church in Olomouc, in the Czech Republic. The bride's parents, brother Marcus, sister-in-law Cheryl, and brother Jason attended the wedding, along with friends of the bride and groom from the U.S. and many relatives of the groom from his hometown.

Bedigian-Bissell

Roger and Josephine Schembri of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Lynn Marie Bedigian, to Christopher Blaine Bissell of Lansing.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in dietetics. She is a registered dietitian at Providence Hospital as well as a graduate student at University of Detroit Mercy's Physician Assistant Program.

Her fiancé, son of James and Linda Bissell of Lansing, is a graduate of Central Michigan University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in exercise



physiology. He is manager of Noninvasive Cardiology at Providence Hospital.

An August wedding is planned at St. Aidan's Catholic Church in Livonia.

Pack-Diakiw

Dennis and Beatrice Pack of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Elizabeth, to Markian O. Diakiw.

The bride-to-be is a 1993 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and a 1998 graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn. She earned a degree in biochemistry. She works as a research scientist at Genomic Solutions in Ann Arbor.

Her fiancé, son of Alexander and Lidia Diakiw of Brighton, is a 1993 graduate of Catholic Central and a 1998 graduate from the University of Michigan, where he earned a degree in mechanical engineering. He works for Ford Motor Company at the Livonia Transmission Plant as a transmission calibra-



tor.

A September wedding is planned at Laurel Manor and the couple will make their home in Livonia.

Svec-Maus

John and Barbara Svec of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeanette Lee Svec, to Alan Thomas Maus of Romulus.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University and works as an elementary school teacher.

Her fiancé, son of Alan Anthony Maus of Romulus and Lori Almasly of Troy, is a graduate of Romulus High School and works for Trinty Wireless Services.

An October wedding is planned at St. Thomas a' Becket Church.



Anderson-Day

Colleen and Barry Price of Lake Angelus and Jim Anderson of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter, Carrie Terese Anderson, to Christopher David Day of Garden City, son of David and Rose Day of Livonia.

Both the bride-to-be and her fiancé are 2000 graduates of Michigan State University. Both are pursuing careers in education.

A December wedding is planned at Christ the Redeemer Church in Lake Orion.



Proctor-Scott

Thomas and Carol Ann Proctor of Garden City announce the engagement of their daughter, Sarah Jean, to Jeffrey Frederick Scott of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is 1998 graduate of Garden City High School and is attending Schoolcraft College in Livonia. She works as an optometrist at Goldstein & Oleinick Eyecare.

Her fiancé, son of Thomas and Shirley Harshberger and Jesse Scott, all of Taylor, is a 1989 graduate of Taylor Center High School and works as manager of Record Town at Westland Mall.



A June 2002 wedding is planned at The Little Wedding Chapel in Heritage Park, Taylor.

Heard

Charles J. and Kathryn J. (Darling) Heard of Garden City are celebrating 50 years of marriage. The couple wed Aug. 11, 1951 in Angola, Ind. and have lived in Garden City for the past 14 years.

They have four children: James Heard of Ortonville, Bob Heard of Garden City, Shelley Abare of Walnut Hill, Florida and Kathy Rath of Jackson. They also have 11 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Charles Heard worked for General Motors in the Hydramatic Cutter Grind Division and worked as a Plymouth Schools bus driver. He retired 13 years ago. His wife, Kathryn was a homemaker and girl scout troop leader. The Heards are members of the following organizations: Eagles, Moose, Masonic Lodge,



Scottish Rites, Detroit Shrine and Grotto. They enjoy traveling and socializing with family and friends and dancing.

The couple will celebrate this special anniversary with a party at the Al Matta Hall in Dearborn, given by their children and their children's spouses.

Reid-DuBuc

Donald Reid of Livonia and Constance Reid of Dearborn Heights announce the engagement of their daughter, Dawn Christine, to Steven Albert DuBuc of Berkeley.

The bride-to-be earned her bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering and will pursue her master's degree in business administration at University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She works in employment and business strategy at Ford Motor Co.



Her fiancé, son of Albert and Marge DuBuc of Walled Lake, graduated from Catholic Central High School in Redford. He earned his bachelor's degree in economics in 1992 and his master's degree in business administration in 1997, all from University of Michigan.

The couple is planning an August wedding at St. Hugo of the Hills in Bloomfield Hills.

Keith-Alexander

Frederic and Judy Alexander of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter Kimberly Ann to Jason Christopher Keith, son of Michael Keith of Dublin, Ohio, and Melody Keith of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be earned a bachelor's degree in business administration from Western Michigan University in 1993 and earned her MBA from Wayne State University last year. She is currently employed at Advance Capital in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a graduate of West Bloomfield High School and earned a degree in product design engineering from Ferris State University. He will finish his MBA from the University of Michigan-Dearborn in December.



ber. He is a senior account manager and resident engineer for Bosch Automotive in Farmington Hills.

An August wedding is planned at Orchard United Methodist Church in Farmington Hills.

Leach-Conkright

Robert Leach of Monroe announces the engagement of his daughter, Kristina Dawne, to Thomas Robert Conkright of Brownstown.

The bride-to-be, daughter of Robert and the late Natalie Leach, is a graduate of Monroe High School and she earned a degree in nursing. She is the owner and director of a daycare center in the downriver area.

Her fiancé, son of Beverly Conkright of Westland and the late Edwin Conkright, is a graduate of John Glenn High School and earned his bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan University.

An August wedding is planned



at the Huron River Wedding Chapel.

Denton-Khelil

Bill and Ida Denton of Canton announce the marriage of their daughter, Candie Lee, to Ramzi Rejeb Khelil of Dearborn Heights.

The bride is a 1999 graduate of Salem High School in Canton and attends Henry Ford Community College.

Her husband, son of Rejeb and Radhia Khelil of Bizerte, Tunisia, is a student at Wayne State University.

The couple wed March 31 at the Historic Church in Heritage Park, Taylor before Russ Grubaujh. The bride was attended by Lesley Denton, Dawn Elej, Jamie Denton, Henna Bousbin, Evonne Todd and Faith North.

The groom was attended by Julien Bousbin, Bassam Elej, Mourad Lounissi, Hassan Bous-



bin, Billy Denton and Moher Hadzele.

The couple received guests at Hawthorne Valley Country Club in Westland. They took a honeymoon trip to Florida and have made their home in Dearborn Heights.

Hirsch-Proctor

Larry Brogan of Whittier, Calif. and Kay Hirsch of Westland announce the marriage of their daughter, Rhonda Lee Hirsch, to Dennis Robert Proctor of Westland.

The bride is a 1995 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School and works as a medical office assistant at Wayne-Westland Cardiology in Westland.

Her husband, son of Thomas and Carol Proctor of Garden City, is a 1997 graduate of Garden City High School and attends Schoolcraft College. He works at Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan in Detroit.

The couple wed and received guests June 22 at Epicurean House in Trenton before the Rev. Robert McClendon. The bride was attended by Kimberly Hawkins, Rebecca Hawkins, Michelle Irvine, Jennifer Van DeWater, Natalie Proctor, Jackie Turner-Robinson, Emily Proc-



tor and Sarah Proctor.

The groom was attended by Sam Forsyth, Jesse Popp, Paul Fisher, David Van DeWater, Jonathan Brogan, Matt Tobey, Jay Proctor and Chad Roberts.

The couple took a honeymoon trip to Orlando, Fla. and have made their home in Westland with their 2-year-old daughter, Emily Jane.

Reid-Heegaard

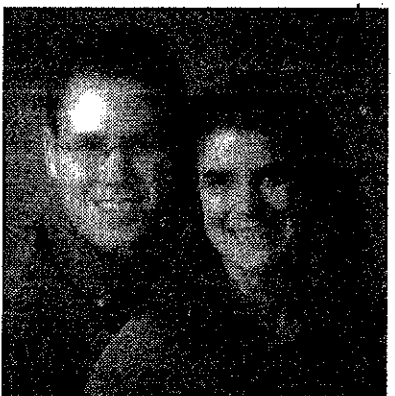
George Reid and Sharon Reid of East Lansing announce the marriage of their daughter, Jennifer Nicole, to Robert Anker Heegaard III of Dearborn Heights.

The bride is a graduate of East Lansing High School, University of Michigan and Marygrove College. She is a teacher.

Her husband, son of Robert Anker Heegaard II and Michelle Brown of Livonia, is a graduate of Churchill High School, Eastern Michigan University and Marygrove College. He is also a teacher.

The couple wed July 1 at the English Inn in Eaton Rapids before Judge Pamela McCabe.

The bride was attended by Susan Jakubiak, Mindy Leininger and Cheryl Reid. The



groom was attended by David Heegaard, Eric Heegaard and Brian Reid.

The couple received guests at the English Inn and took a honeymoon trip to St. Thomas in the U.S. Virgin Islands. They will make Dearborn Heights their home.

Chapski-Eyers

Mary Asdourian of Livonia and Karen Chapski of Northville announce the marriage of Christina Marie Chapski to William John Eyers Jr. of Saginaw.

The bride, daughter of Mary Asdourian of Livonia and Karen and the late Jan Chapski of Northville and formerly of Livonia, is a 1992 Stevenson High School graduate and a 1997 graduate of University of Michigan. She earned her master's degree at the University of Alabama in 1998 and now works at the Saginaw Valley State University as an assistant athletic trainer/adjunct faculty member.

Her husband, son of William Eyers Sr. and Marilyn Eyers of Saginaw, is a 1987 graduate of Arthur Hill High School and works at Perfection Bakeries as a shipping supervisor.

The couple wed June 9 at St. Helen Catholic Church in Saginaw before the Rev. Emmett Marceau. The bride was attended by her sister and maid of honor, Janice Bryans, and bridesmaids Bonnie Chapski, Melissa Eyers, Tara Humphrey, Katie Morgan, Holly Cummins, and flower girls Alyssa and



Helena Bryans and Emily Chapski. She was accompanied down the aisle by her brothers, Jon and Steven Chapski.

The groom was attended by best man Joseph Parks, and groomsmen Chip Zumer, Greg Mallek, Troy Goss, Earl Bush and Jim Niven. Thomas Bryans and Stuart McDonald were ushers and Shane Bryans was the ring-bearer.

The couple received guests at Pulaski Hall in Saginaw and took a honeymoon trip to Negril, Jamaica. They have made their home in Saginaw.

Eros-Balko

Craig and Theresa Eros of Pinckney announce the engagement of their daughter, Renée Theresa, to Kevin Richard Balko of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Pinckney High School and Eastern Michigan University.

Her fiancé, son of Denise Balko of Westland and Richard Balko of Livonia, is a Franklin High School graduate and a graduate of Schoolcraft College. He is attending Lawrence Technological University.

An August wedding is planned at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Northville.





JACQUE MARTIN-DOWNS

Collaboration makes summer project happen

BY JACQUE MARTIN DOWNS
SPECIAL WRITER

At a computer sits 6-year-old Diana, mesmerized by the colorful graphics jumping across the screen. Was this just another lazy day of summer play computer games at home? No. Diana is part of a unique reading program aimed at children who live in Canton's Sherwood Village Mobile Home Park.

Each day, Joe Craig a teacher from the Wayne-Westland School District, opens the doors of the clubhouse at the Canton mobile home park and sets up two computers to be used by 5 and 6-year-olds who attend Walker-Winter Elementary School on Michigan Avenue.

For two hours a day the children from the Canton park come down to the clubhouse for a 15-30 minute reading lesson. In addition to spending time on the computer, Craig works one-on-one with the children helping them with phonics and encouraging them to read aloud.



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

Guide: Teacher Joe Craig monitors the progress of two students participating in the WERP program in Canton.

His soft-spoken demeanor is a real plus in motivating his little charges.

Walker-Winter Principal Jim Edwards said having the computers in the mobile home park versus school allows the children to have consistent and easy access during the summer months. Through Wayne-Westland's Family Resource Center, Walker-Winter Elementary partnered with the Canton Community Foundation and Marshall Field's (formerly Hudson's) to bring the Waterford Early Reading Program to this group of Canton first-graders.

Proven successful

The Waterford Early Reading Program (WERP) is a comprehensive early reading curriculum designed to help children learn to read through the use of state-of-the-art technology. WERP is based on 10 years of research by educational designers at the Waterford Institute, a non-profit organization based in Salt Lake City, Utah.

WERP uses cutting-edge multimedia technology to provide research-based, individualized instruction. Participants benefit from this type of instruction because it:

- Adapts to each participant's individual learning needs. Through students' performance on assessment activities, WERP tracks students' progress and ensures that daily activities keep them constantly challenged. The computer-based instruction advances and challenges higher-level students while reinforcing concepts to students with fewer skills.

- Builds confidence. WERP empowers students to take charge of their own learning. The program engages participants in interactive activities and allows them to learn at their own pace without fear of criticism or failure.

"They love it when they have completed a story and can take it home to read to one of their parents," said Craig who sees the program as a self-esteem builder. The kids gain a real

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Teen takes lead role in family

FRIDAY'S Child

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON
STAFF WRITER
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Fifteen-year-old Joe Urban's former teacher describes him as "quiet and shy, but an excellent student." Joe's modest demeanor is undoubtedly related to the tragic 1999 murder of his father, Gary Urban.

On the brink of his teenage years, the Canton middle school student lost his dad at the hands of an armed robber who approached him in a parking lot outside the Dearborn Heights Ponderosa restaurant where he worked as a manager.

Gary was only 45 years old, husband to Linda Urban and the father of three children — Julie, Danny and Joe his youngest.

Making the best of it

"It's the kind of story that in the end you'd expect to hear the family crashed and burned," said Diane Montagano, Joe Urban's second-grade teacher. "But Joe has proven to be a godsend to his mother Linda and their story is actually a profile in courage."

Montagano nominated Joe as the Observer Newspapers' Friday's Child for the month of August. The family have remained close friends with Montagano since Joe's sister Julie was a student in her kindergarten class.

"Joe has really picked up the slack around the house and is doing all the duties his father was responsible for like mowing the lawn and shoveling the sidewalks," said Montagano a Plymouth resident who retired from the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools six years ago after a 37-year teaching career. "He even does yardwork for a neighbor."

Linda, Joe's mom, said after her husband's death the last thing she wanted to think about was yardwork, caring for their animals and household repairs.

"Joey just started taking care of everything Gary did," said Linda a paraprofessional at Fiegel Elementary School in Canton. "I didn't know how to use any of that equipment plus there was a lot of lifting and things. He cleans out the gutters, has done some roof work, trimmed trees and his grades have stayed good in school."

Joe will be a sophomore this fall at Canton High School. He's an avid football card collector and is looking forward to trying out for a spot on the Canton High School basketball team this fall.

The loss of his father has left a huge void in Joe's life. Montagano said the death of a parent is particularly hard but at Joe's age, the fact that it was his dad and the tragic manner in which he was killed seems exceedingly cruel.

Father and son

"They had a really tight relationship," said Linda. "Gary and Joey could play basketball for hours, would go for walks, talk to each other, whatever. It wasn't that they had to necessarily be doing something ... it was just them being together."

Among their favorite activities was playing crib-



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

Helping hand: Joe Urban and his mom Linda at their Canton home. Joe has taken over most of the household responsibilities since his father's death in 1999. He was nominated by his former teacher as the August Friday's Child.

bage, camping, walking their dogs and watching football. The Urban family are devoted football fans and Linda, a Wisconsin native, said there was a well-known rivalry between her family rooting for the Green Bay Packers and the Detroit Lions.

"That's one of the traditions we've tried to maintain. It isn't the same without Gary but we're doing

the best we can," said Linda. "The holidays will never be the same. They're just something we try and get through together."

The family also releases a balloon on the 10th of every month at 10:30 p.m. to mark the death of Gary

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Kids are the reason to observe special day

In an unprecedented partnership, four leading youth-serving organizations, Boys & Girls Clubs of America, 4-H, KidsPeace and YMCA have declared Sunday, Aug. 5 as the first National KidsDay.

Passes are available at all of the institutions plus, Boys & Girls Clubs, YMCAs, Blockbuster Video stores and all Detroit Public Library branches.

Free activities

Cranbrook Art Museum will offer all children and full-time students free admission; Cranbrook Institute of Science, 18 and under free with each paying adult; Detroit Institute of Arts, children under age 17 free admission for the day; Belle Isle Aquarium and Zoo, free admission for two children with one paying adult for the day; Detroit Historical Museums, free admission for children 18 and under with each paid adult; and Detroit Science Center, with one adult IMAX admission a child gets to see free "Journey into Amazing Caves."

Detroit Public Television-PBS is also providing free tours of the studio.

Ellen Galinsky, president/co-founder of the Families and Work Institute found that while children are happy with the amount of time their parents spend with them, they wish the time together was not rushed, but focused and rich in shared activities.

"National KidsDay is just as important to our nation's adults as to our youth," said YMCA of Metropolitan Detroit President/CEO Reid S. Thebault. "The day focuses the needs of kids, like mentoring, positive role models and nurturing — the needs necessary for them to grow as strong, capable citizens."



STAFF PHOTO BY HEATHER SONNITAG

THINGS TO DO

■ Redford Parks and Recreation Department has a few summer events left. Tour the Palace of Auburn Hills (includes tour of the locker rooms) Aug. 8-9, \$8. Arts and crafts are created free everyday from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. (parents need not be present. A carnival will be offered Aug. 16. For information call (313) 387-2650 and ask for Heather.

■ The Westland Parks and Recreation offers games, organized sports, arts and crafts free from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. every weekday until Aug. 10. There are five parks to choose from. Activities are geared toward children ages 6-12 and parents need not be present. Kids need to bring their own lunch. Also the Bailey Recreation Center has an outdoor pool and waterslide. Open swimming is available everyday from noon to

3:30 p.m. and 4:30-7:30 p.m. The cost is nominal. "Teen nights" are Tuesdays at the pool from 8-9:30 p.m. \$1 per night. They have "Disco Bill" spinning the tunes and lifeguards are on duty. Call (734) 722-7620.

■ "Fishing Derby" at the Friendship Lake (Central City Park East between Marquette and Ford roads). Event runs 9-11 a.m. Aug. 4 and is free. Ages 14 and under eligible. The goal is to catch and release as many fish as you can in 2 hours. Prizes will be handed out for the most fish. You must have your own fishing pole and bait. Juice, doughnuts and a hot dog lunch provided (coffee for the parents). Call (734) 722-7620.

■ The Great Canton Duck Derby will be held all day Saturday, Aug. 18

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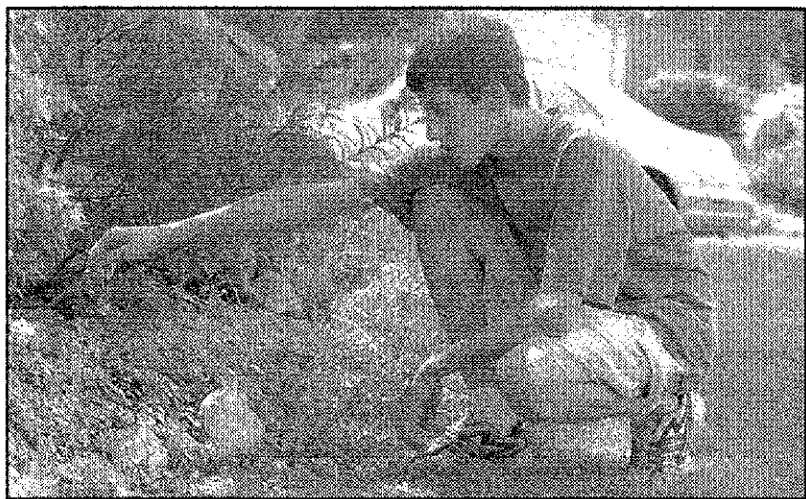
Devote a few minutes now to take the National KidsDay pledge with a special child in your life and remember the promise throughout the year:

"We pledge to spend meaningful time together. To talk. To listen. To learn and play. To share a moment, create a memory and make a kid's day."

Be a designated reader • Play catch • Take a walk and draw pictures of what you saw • Keep a family journal • Start a library of your favorite books to read together • Have a party • Host a talent show • Build a graffiti board • Play charades • Have a neighborhood carnival • Paint your faces (use washable face paint) • Play tug-of-war • Play beanbag toss • Have a sack race • Have a scavenger hunt • Start a scrapbook • Start a healthy habit • Sing songs together • Take funny pictures • Write a family newsletter and send it to friends and family • Draw a family tree and discuss who each person is and how they fit into your family • Do swap art, with one person starting a picture, then swapping it with another person to finish • Plant a garden • Turn a drive into story time • Camp in your backyard • Camp indoors • Play I spy in nature • Journey through a book • Take a family picnic • Take a family history field trip and show the kids places where you spent time as a child • Break up a quiet night with unexpected fun • Establish fun child-directed routines • Schedule daily parent/baby playtime or quiet time • Start planning your 2002 National KidsDay celebration.



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STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN

Chores: Joe now takes care of all the yard work at his Canton home including weeding and cutting the grass.

who was killed Nov. 10, 1999. Linda said her family in Milwaukee does the same and her two children in the service do their best to release balloons as well. "It's our way of maintaining some kind of connection," said Linda.

In addition to losing her husband, her two eldest children (Julie, 21, and Danny, 20) had enlisted in the Navy just months before their father's death and are unfortunately stationed out of the state and the country. "It was a big adjustment to go from five of us in the house to just Joey and I," said Linda.

One of the other responsibilities Joe carries is that of Gary's car. He is currently enrolled in driver's education courses and uses his dad's black Cougar to practice driving with his mom. "It's a cool car," said Joe.

Regarded by his friends and family as a devoted family, husband and volunteer, Gary Urban

was an animal lover. Linda said their two dogs were wayward before Gary brought them home. "Joe takes care of them now. They really rely on him for everything," said Linda. "He also takes care of our two fish tanks. That was something Gary did. It has taken Joey a while to get used to the filter system and cleaning it and everything. That alone is a big job."

Linda said her husband also restored a 100-gallon fish tank at Fiegel Elementary School in Canton that was in disrepair. This past fall the student body and staff dedicated the aquarium, around the time of Gary's birthday, in his honor by placing a memorial nameplate on the tank.

"I see a lot of Gary in Joey," said Linda. "He has much of Gary's sense of humor. I know Gary would be proud of him. Joe's my reason for getting up in the morning."

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by the Canton Recreation Division. Call the township for details.

■ Play Pokémon every Friday at the Bailey Center in Westland (Ford Road behind City Hall) 6-9:30 p.m. in the Multi-purpose room for ages 8 and up. Tournaments with prizes. Play, trade, buy, sell, build decks or learn from certified trainers. Event is free. Call (734) 722-7620.

■ Keep busy with free activities at the Westland Library. Make rope bracelets at 11 a.m. Aug. 8. Tie dye party at 7 p.m. Aug. 14, and chess night at 7 p.m. every Tuesday.

■ Redford Township will host a movie night at Capitol Park (Hemingway and Capitol) at 6 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24 "Aladdin" will be shown. The series is sponsored by the Commission on Children's Issues and the Redford Township Parks and Recreation Department. Residents may bring blankets and picnic items, but alcohol isn't permitted.

■ The Detroit Science Center just opened its doors after a significant renovation project. There are countless things to do for kids of all ages (adults too). Call (313) 577-8400 for information. Also features the 3/12 story high IMAX Dome Theatre.

■ Summer School is in session at the Perrinsville One-Room Schoolhouse. It is located at the corner of Warren and Cowan roads. Built in 1856, the schoolhouse has been restored to its 1890s appearance. The schoolhouse is open to the public on the last Sunday of the month, running through October. Hours are 1-4 p.m. Call at (734) 326-1110.

■ The Plymouth Collectible Toy Show returns 10-3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11 to the Plymouth VFW Hall, 1426 S. Mill St. Admission for adults is \$4, kids under 10 free. For show or vendor information, call (734) 455-2110.

■ Plymouth Lions Club presents the Kelly Miller Circus behind Plymouth Central Middle School on Saturday, Aug. 4. Performances are 2 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. Advanced tickets are \$7/adults; \$5/child. Circus arrives at 7:30 a.m. at site, and elephants and crew will set up tents, etc. at 9:30 a.m.

■ Kids (ages 7-12) can join the Plymouth Township and City Police Departments for a bike rodeo, 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7 at Plymouth Township Park. Kids will be challenged to a number of bike skills such as circling and changing direction and stopping ability.

■ Weekend at Camp Dearborn in Milford. Rent a tent for the weekend for under \$100. There's plenty to do such as beach fun, canteen for kid dances, fishing, paddle boats, row boats (all

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■ "Detroit Ducky Derby" at Kensington Metropark from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Aug. 26.

■ Maple Beach in Milford is having a free carnival for the entire family ending with the Second Annual Duck Derby. Many prizes and the chance to win \$1 million. Call (248) 683-5030 or www.detroitdukyderby.com.

■ Belle Isle Nature Center is operated by the city's parks department, and features trails, plants, gardens and wildlife. Open year-round Tuesday through Sunday. No admission charge. Call (313) 852-4057.

■ The Detroit Zoo offers a kit for \$12.50 that allows children to follow clues and solve riddles all relating to the zoo and animals. Call (248) 398-0900.

■ Sport-Way of Westland on Ford Road offers batting cages, go carting and miniature golf.

■ Cranbrook Institute of Science. Museum offers an observatory, Native American artifacts, mineral collection, nature center and weekend planetarium. Call (248) 645-3200.

■ Senator Thaddeus G. McCotter will hold his annual ice cream social 1-3 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, at the Summit on the Park in Canton. The social is free to senior citizens. Entertainment and door prizes will be provided. For more information, call Don Knapp at (734) 522-8293.

■ Go horseback riding at Showcase Stables in Northville.

■ The Detroit Festival of the Arts starts Sept. 14-16. There will be more than 60 arts and crafts (hands-on fun) activities for children.

■ Schoolcraft College will host "Kids on Campus" for children ages kindergarten through 12th grade Sept. 29 - Nov. 11. Events are every Saturday. For a list call (734) 462-4448.

■ Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village. Home to more than 93 indoor and outdoor acres of exhibits on transportation, industry, agriculture and domestic life. Now features an IMAX Theatre. Call (313) 271-1620 or (800) 343-1929.

■ Greenmead Historical Park in Livonia features a collection of historic buildings from the 1850s as well as period furnishings. Guided group tours are offer by appointment on weekdays. Call (248) 477-7375.

■ Plymouth Historical Museum offers a wealth of artifacts and displays on the history of Plymouth. 155 S. Main Street in Plymouth. (734) 455-8940.

This list was compiled with the help of Nicole Christ a Westland small business owner, who doesn't have children, but had an eventful childhood. She is also a regular volunteer for many children related organizations.

RELIGION CALENDAR

BEACH TREK

Get wet this summer. Join the Beach Trek Vacation Bible Experience, Aug. 6-10 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Timothy Lutheran Church (8820 Wayne Road), Livonia. Discover "water stories" about Jesus while learning in a fun-filled beach-themed program with crafts, music and games. There is no charge. Register by July 23. Call (734) 427-2290.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Memorial Church of Christ (35475 Five Mile Road) in Livonia will host Vacation Bible School from 9 a.m. to noon Aug. 6-10. Call (313) 563-6276 or Diane Jacobs (734) 522-1534.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Truth Trackers and the Secret of the Stone Tablets will be held from 6-8 p.m. Aug. 6-9. Supper will be served at 5:30 p.m. at Church of the Savior (38100 Five Mile Road), RCA in Livonia. Call (734) 464-1062 or e-mail cots.rca@juno.com

FAIR HAVEN BAPTIST

Fair Haven Baptist Church (34850 Marquette) in Westland continues its Summer Bible Conference at 7 p.m. Aug. 8. Pastor Jeff Link, Bible Baptist Church, Pinconning, will preach. Child care provided to those 5 and younger. Call (734) 718-4549.

POLAR EXPEDITION

Warren Road Church (33445

Warren Road) Westland will host Vacation Bible School Aug. 12-16 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Discover Jesus' love is cool during a Polar Expedition. Call (734) 458-7301 for details.

ST. MATTHEW VBS

Registration is being taken now through Aug. 12 for Vacation Bible School at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church (W. Six Mile between Merriman and Middlebelt) in Livonia. This year's theme is "Way to Go!" Good Neighbors Tours. Join us Aug. 21-23 from 6:30-8 p.m. and on Aug. 26 for a concluding celebration from 10-11 a.m. Call Sally Coughlin (248) 477-3777 or Anne Fairchild (734) 422-6038 or visit www.gbgm-umc/stmatthews-livonia

CCF BIBLE SCHOOL

Canton Christian Fellowship will be holding its first Vacation Bible School Aug. 13-16. Ages 2 to adult are welcome. CCF's VBS will be held at CrossWinds Community Church from 6-8:30 p.m.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church of Canton will host Vacation Bible School from 6-8 p.m. Aug. 13-18. The theme is "The Mystery Mansion: Unlocking God's Truth." Activities include music, crafts, games, snacks and the exploration of five Bible stories. Registering children ages 3

through sixth grade. \$10 individual cost; \$20 for families. Call (734) 522-6830.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Join us for "Courageous Kids — Stepping Out for Jesus!" From 6:30-8:30 p.m. Aug. 13 at Fair Haven Baptist Church (34850 Marquette) in Westland for those entering grades 1-6 this fall. Call (734) 728-4549.

VEGGIE TOWN VALUES

Livonia Church of Christ will host Vacation Bible School from 7-9 p.m. Aug. 13-16 at 15431 Merriman Road. The theme is "Veggie Town Values for the Family." Children's classes are for preschool through sixth grade. The adult classes will be "Parenting by Heart," by Minister Larry Stephens. Call (734) 427-8743.

NATUROPATHIC SPEAKER

Dr. Mary Roby will speak at Unity of Livonia (28630 Five Mile) in Livonia at 7 p.m. Aug. 15. He will lecture on holistic and spiritual healing. Call (734) 421-1760.

JIM LEE TO SPEAK

Rev. Jim Lee senior minister at the Church of Today, will speak at Unity of Livonia at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Aug. 19. Jim's wife Sheila Gautreaux will be the guest soloist. All are welcome.

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KEYS OF THE KINGDOM

"Keys of the Kingdom" a woman-to-woman ministry for hurting women is having a conference for all women at Calvary Missionary Church (29850 W. Six Mile Road) in Livonia from 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Sept. 10. Connie Shoemaker, a certified lay speaker for the United Methodist church for the past 11 years will be the keynote speaker. Lunch and a study guide will be provided for a \$10 fee (no checks). Call coordinator Louise Clarkson (313) 538-2412 or director Sandra Schou (734) 261-1176. For a brochure, while supplies last, visit Dickson Bible and Bookstore (Seven Mile west of Farmington) and Cokesbury Book Store of Livonia (Middlebelt between Five and Six Mile roads).

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GARAGE SALE

A garage sale will be held at St. James Presbyterian Church (25350 W. Six Mile Road in Redford Township) from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Aug. 17-18. Call (313) 534-7730.

FUN FAIR

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Do everything without complaining or arguing.
Good News Bible Philip 2:14

Future Friday's Child

Family instills volunteerism early

By KIMBERLY A. MORTSON
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Paige Isabella Cudini of Canton is learning to give back to her community in spite of her young age.

The one-year-old recently earned the title of National Baby America's Discovery Miss and has started volunteering as part of the responsibilities associated with her title. Her parents said they wanted to raise both their children with a strong sense of charity.

"I've been volunteering with the Michigan Humane Society since I was in college," said Kim Cudini. "We do whatever we can whether it's donating blankets and towels or food."

Paige started her volunteer efforts by donating dog/cat food and supplies to the Michigan Humane Society in Westland. The toddler and her mom also collect Heinz baby food labels that will benefit Children's Miracle Network through Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

"Later in the year Paige will be adopting a family for Christmas through SOS Community Service," said Cudini. "Paige



Kim Cudini and her 1-year-old daughter Paige.

also plans on helping out as a bell ringer for the Salvation Army."

The entire family, including dad, Scott, and brother Jacob, 3, gets involved in some form of volunteering. Cudini said they donate to more than 20 animal-related charities including Special Friends and People for the

Ethical Treatment of Animals (PETA).

Paige Cudini was nominated by her mom as one of the Observer Newspapers Friday's Child candidates. Although she doesn't meet the age eligibility for the project, the HomeTown Life staff wanted to recognize her early endeavors.

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sense of accomplishment when they learn to operate the computer on their own. "They may be more accomplished than their parents on it," said Craig.

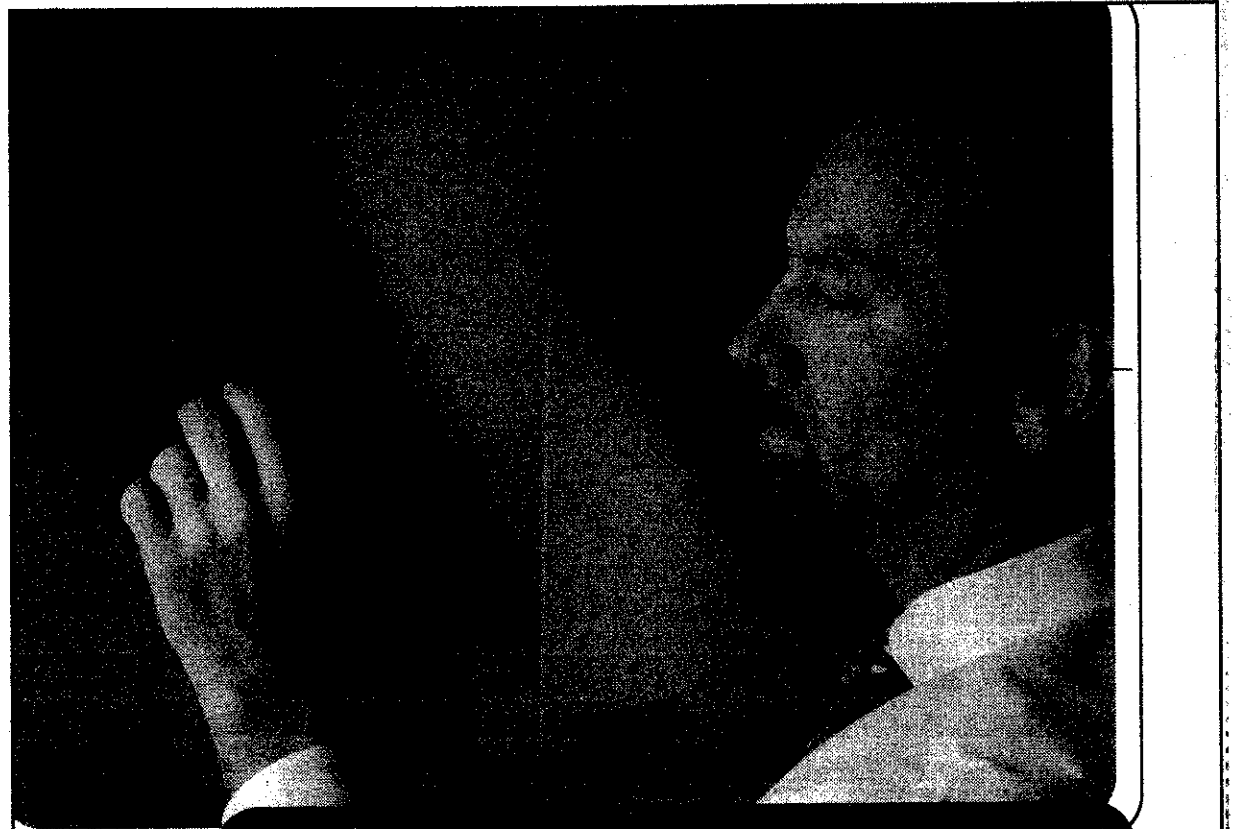
The Wayne-Westland teacher said he's been pleased with the progress the children have been making and was surprised by the

length of their attention spans on the computer. "The ones who come each day are really learning how to read," said Craig. "This is exciting for everyone."

The improvements have been particularly gratifying for Edwards who sees reading as the basis for everything.

Staff members from Marshall Field's are putting together a graduation ceremony, complete with certificates, for the students before the summer's end.

Jacque Martin-Downs is director of the Family Resource Center. Reach her via e-mail at doug.jacque@iopener.net



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13.004 Section 4. OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR SIDEWALK REPAIR; CONDITION.

This section provides that it is the responsibility of the owner of every lot or parcel of land in the Township to keep the sidewalk adjacent to his/her lot or parcel in good repair. Sidewalk sections (flags) shall be replaced when the condition of same is detrimental to the safety of the general public. This section goes on to describe conditions requiring replacement, i.e. displacement of more than 1/4" between sections, more than 2 cracks of 1/4" in width, a crack of more than 1/2", a tilt in excess of 1" per foot, more than 50% of the surface having scaled off to a depth of 1/4" or greater, or otherwise damaged, settled or undermined sidewalks.

13.005 Section 5. DEFECTS, COMPLAINTS AND POLICIES.

This section provides for notification of Canton's Risk Manager and records of the complaints. It also provides for the department to supervise all sidewalk construction, maintenance and inspection and for the establishment of a policy for the replacement and repair of sidewalks.

13.006 Section 6. INSPECTIONS; REPLACEMENT OR REPAIR OF SIDEWALKS; FINDING OF NECESSITY; ASSESSMENT AGAINST OWNERS OF PROPERTY; HEARING; EXCEPTIONS; NOTICE.

This section provides for the public hearing of necessity by the Township Board as dictated by Public Act 80 of the Public Acts of 1989. It also provides for inspections and for the resolution of the Township Board finding the necessity of the repair or replacement. This section provides for the Township to replace or repair when the homeowner fails to do so and for an assessment and lien against the property for failure to pay the assessment. This section further provides for exceptions for which the homeowner is not responsible.

13.007 Section 7. ICE AND SNOW REMOVAL.

This section prohibits a homeowner from allowing an accumulation of ice or snow for a period of longer than 72 hours.

13.008 Section 8. NEW SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION REQUIRED; NOTICE; HEARING; FINDING OF NECESSITY.

This section provides that the Township Board may require owners of lots or parcels to construct sidewalks where necessary pursuant to Public Act 80 of the Public Acts of 1989. This section goes on to provide for a hearing process and a resolution by the Township Board ordering the sidewalk construction, the finding of necessity, directing a lien against the property and allowing the property owner to construct the sidewalk.

13.009 Section 9. VIOLATIONS.

This section provides for penalties for violators of the Ordinance.

13.010 Section 10. SEVERABILITY.

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

13.011 Section 11. SAVINGS.

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.

13.012 Section 12. REPEALER.

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

13.013 Section 13. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This section provides that this Ordinance, as amended, shall take full force and effect upon publication as required by law.

Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available at the office of the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan 48188, during regular business hours.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy approve the proposed project, and agree to maintain the permitted retaining wall materials at no expense

to Wayne County; to indemnify and save harmless Wayne County and its employees against all claims, suits, and judgments of every name and description arising out of the operation covered by the permit or the issuance of the permit and to authorize the township clerk to sign the construction permit. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve the financing agreement on the Artic Edge Ice Arena Project, and further authorize the Clerk to execute the necessary documents upon request from TCF Bank. This approval is conditional upon the approval of the Small Business Administration of this agreement. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve the use of Heritage Park and Independence Park for the National Target Championships to be held July 28 through August 3, 2001. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the rezoning request of Ralph Rochon. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the rezoning request of Streamco, Inc. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the site plan for Shelley Lane Private Drive. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving final site plan for Darolfi Estates Site Condominiums. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to execute the agreement for Sewer Capital and Water Debt (Tap) Fees between the Charter Township of Canton and FCA Real Estate Holdings, LLC. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the services of Wade Trim & Associates to provide Lower Rouge Interceptor Sewer Flow Monitoring located near the intersection of Michigan Avenue and Haggerty Road for 6-12 months for an amount not to exceed \$2,400.00 per month. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to create and fill an additional Clerk Typist I/II position in Public Works Division. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to create and fill the position of Public Works Equipment Operator. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to create and fill the position of Public Works laborer. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to approve the purchase of the Mobile Street Sweeper being leased from Jack Doheny Supplies for the amount of \$35,000.00. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to approve the following budget fund transfer in the General Fund, Drain Maintenance Division for the purchase of the mobile sweeper. Motion carried by all members present.

Increase (Decrease) Appropriations

Equipment Rental - Stormwater #101-445-940-0000 \$(35,000.00)

Capital Outlay - Equipment-Drain #101-445-977-0000 \$ 35,000.00

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to award the contract for construction administration and inspection to Wade Trim & Associates for an amount not to exceed \$16,780.00 and to transfer this amount from the Sidewalk Construction bid (Purchase order 29665, Olson Cement) to a new purchase order payable to Wade Trim & Associates. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to adopt a resolution instituting odd/even outdoor water use restriction. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve and award the contract for the construction of the Human Services Center to Skyline Construction for \$2,337,100.00; in addition to establish a ten percent contingency for \$23,710.00 for construction costs and miscellaneous permits, for a total amount of \$2,570,810.00. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve an interfund loan of up to \$1,100,000.00 from the General Fund to the Capital Projects Building Fund #402 to provide funds for this project, this loan to be repaid to the General Fund From future Housing and Urban Development Community Development Block Grant funding allocations for the Human Services Center project. (This loan is treated like an interfund transfer for accounting purposes). Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the transfer of \$763,318.00 from the General Fund to the Capital Projects-Building Fund for the Human Services Center project, and the following budget amendment for this transfer and their interfund loan. Motion carried by all members present.

Increase Revenues

Appropriation from Fund Balance #101-000-699-0000 \$1,863,318.00

Increase Appropriations

Transfers to Capital Project Fund #101-959-965-4020 \$1,863,318.00

This budget amendment increases the Transfers Division budget from \$2,862,565.00 to \$4,725,883.00 and the General Fund Budget from \$21,572,925 to \$23,436,243.00.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to reactivate Capital Projects Building Fund #402 for the Human Services Center project. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the following budget for the Capital Projects Building Fund #402 for the Human Services Center project. Motion carried by all members present.

Increase Revenues

Transfers from General Fund #402-000-676-1010 \$1,863,318.00

Transfers from Federal Grants Fund #402-000-676-2740 \$ 707,492.00

Total \$2,570,810.00

Increase Appropriations

Building Construction #402-302-975-0000 \$2,570,810.00

This establishes the Capital Projects-Building Fund budget at \$2,570,810.00 for 2001.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve to amend the contract with McDowell & Associates for Professional Services to design the Public Safety Gun Range located at 5646 Lilley Road. The additional costs are not to exceed \$11,600.00. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to authorize the Architects Design Group contract for the design of the comfort stations at Pheasant Run to include the topographic survey and construction staking at a cost not to exceed \$11,832.00 and to increase the original purchase order (#28441) to \$65,732.00 with all funding charged to the Pheasant Run Bond. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly award the bid to W.F. Miller Company for the purchase of one (1) Smithco Super Star Bunker Rake in the amount of \$8,636.00 for Pheasant Run Golf Club and to charge the expense to the Pheasant Run Bond. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin award bid for the purchase of one (1) Heavy Duty Utility Vehicle, (1) Triplex Greens Mower and (1) Golf Car type utility vehicle in the amount of \$24,752.00 from W.F. Miller for Fellows Creek Golf Club. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to authorize Detroit Edison to install the line for the pump house on the new nine at a cost not to exceed \$22,594.70. I further move to authorize the Clerk to sign the underground easement required by Detroit Edison. Motion carried by all members present.

Adjourn

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy at 8:40 p.m. to adjourn. Motion carried by all members present.

The above is a synopsis of the actions taken at the regular board meeting held Tuesday, July 24, 2001. The full text of the approved minutes will be available following the next regular board meeting of August 14, 2001.

THOMAS J. YACK, Supervisor

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

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REUNIONS

MARIAN HIGH

■ Class of 1971

A reunion is planning for Aug. 11 at Oakland Hills C.C. Call Sally (248) 644-1946.

■ Class of 1981

A reunion is planned for Nov. 24 at Birmingham C.C. Call Patty Zack Ghesquire (248) 646-2525 or Nancy Caderette Kennedy (248) 641-8627.

■ Class of 1991

A reunion is planned for Nov. 24 at Rivercrest Banquet Facility. Call Jennifer Huber (248) 414-5647.

■ Class of 1996

Contact Jennifer Latimer (248) 646-9060 or Tina Malloy (248) 433-1795.

MCFARLAND JUNIOR HIGH

■ Class of 1966

Classmates are being sought for a 35th reunion. Call Karen (810) 573-7145, Vickey (517) 548-5133 or e-mail misst27@aol.com

MERCY HIGH

■ Class of 1951

A reunion is planned for Sept. 22 at Mercy High School. Call the

Alumnae Office (248) 476-3270.

■ Classes of '64-'67

A combined 35-year reunion is planned for Saturday, Oct. 27, for the class of 1964, 1965, 1966 and 1967. Call (248) 746-9618.

■ Class of 1971

A reunion is planned for Sept. 29 at the Great Oaks Country Club in Rochester Hills. Call Claudia Shalhoub Egan (248) 879-8270.

■ Class of 1976

A reunion is planned for Oct. 6 at Mercy High School. Call Janet Reno McCutcheon (248) 541-1046.

■ Class of 1981

A reunion is planned for Nov. 24 at St. John's Conference Center in Plymouth. Call Tammy Forfinski Morris (248) 348-3011.

■ Class of 1991

A reunion is planned for Nov. 23 at Shenandoah Country Club in West Bloomfield. Call Michelle Power Lavigne (248) 738-4868 or Gina Deagotino Gray at (248) 362-2200 Ext. 238.

■ Class of 1996

A reunion is planned for Nov. 10 at Mercy High School. Call Carrie Fling Monnette (734) 367-

0712.

MERCY COLLEGE

A reunion is planned for Sept. 15 on the Mercy campus. Call Pat (248) 682-1807 or Anne-Marie (248) 647-5378.

NATIVITY HIGH

■ Class of 1951

Alumni are being sought who graduated with the class of 1951 from Nativity High School in Detroit. A reunion is planned for Oct. 21. Contact Doris Kraft Fisher (810) 263-6133; or Margaret Caringi Leroy (248) 276-9730.

NORTH FARMINGTON

■ Class of 1981

A reunion is being planned for Saturday, Aug. 11, at the Doubletree Guest Suites in Southfield. Call Reunions Made Easy (248) 592-9565.

■ Class of 1991

A 10-year reunion is in the planning stages. We are looking for classmates. Call Reunions Made Easy (248) 592-9565.

NORTHWESTERN

■ Class of 1966

A 35th year reunion is planned for Saturday, Aug. 25 at the

Double Tree Hotel (Detroit Airport) in the Great Lakes Ballroom. Advance ticket sales only. Call Joe Barber (313) 837-8373.

■ Class of 1971

Saturday, Aug. 25, the Northwestern High School will celebrate its 30-year class reunion from 6 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at the Gem Theatre in Detroit. The goal is to raise money and make a donation to the music department, which needs of new instruments. Call William Ayler (313) 575-4165 or Karen Fort Hood (313) 224-2417.

Key to Scriptures continues to grow in popularity

Spurred by the resurgence of interest in spirituality and healing, the book *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures* by Mary Baker Eddy (1821-1910) sold its 10 millionth copy last month.

First published on Oct. 30, 1875, sales of the book reached this landmark figure just after its 125th anniversary of being in print. In the last five years alone, more than one million copies have been sold. "This is a monumental moment if one considers the humble beginnings of this book and its author," said Virginia S. Harris, publisher of The Writings of Mary Baker Eddy, which publishes *Science and Health*.

"Mary Baker Eddy wrote this book from an attic room in Lynn, Massachusetts, and now it is read by millions around the world."

Annual sales of *Science and Health* have exceeded 100,000 for the past seven years. In the last two years, annual sales have been more than 200,000 representing the highest sale years in the history of the books publication.

"Men and women are searching for a practical spirituality — a spirituality that can improve their health, family life and relationships, finances and careers," said Harris. "That's exactly what Eddy, a pioneer in the mind-body connection, sought to provide in *Science and Health*."

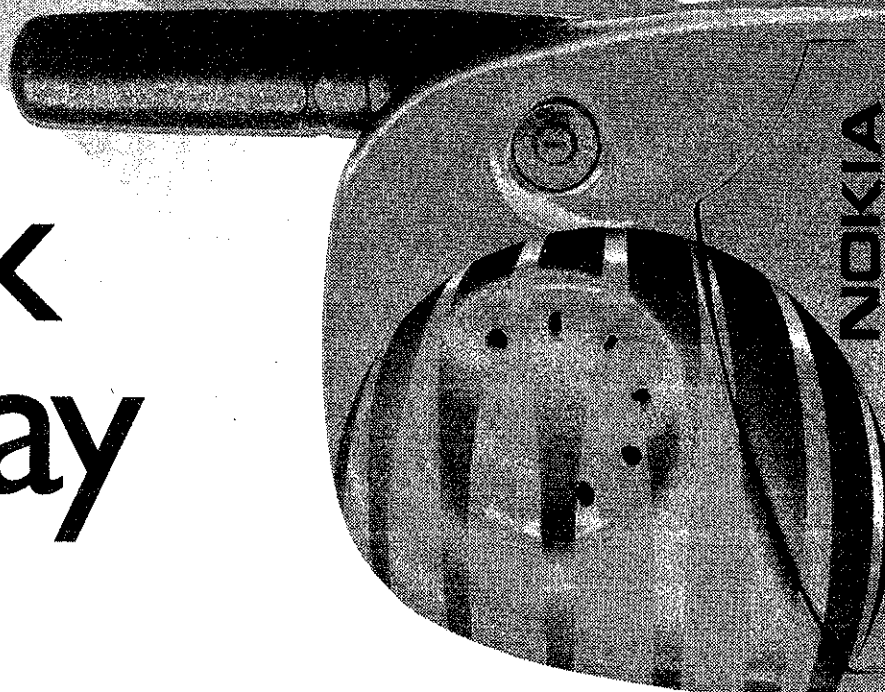
There is ample evidence that interest in spirituality is growing. A recent Gallup survey found that 78 percent of Americans feel the need to experience spiritual growth and that 91 percent believe a higher power helps them get through each day. According to American Booksellers Association, sales of spiritual and religious books increased 173 percent between 1991 and 1998, by far the fastest growing book category.

"People responding to polls may make themselves sound more religious than their actual practice would suggest, but when someone goes into a bookstore and spends \$20 on a book, that person has made a statement about what really matters to him or her," said Phyllis Tickle. Tickle is the author of *The Shaping of a Life: A Spiritual Landscape, The Divine Hours* and one of America's most respected authorities on religion, and a contributing editor in religion for *Publishers Weekly*.

Science and Health has readers in more than 130 countries and has been sold in 70 countries. An interactive, online community, www.spirituality.com, is inspired by *Science and Health*. The Web site is one of the new ways The Writings of Mary Baker Eddy is addressing the growing demand for the books ideas, especially how spirituality is made practical.

Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy is available locally at the *Christian Science Reading Room*, in Plymouth. Call (734) 453-0970 or at the *Little Book Shoppe on the Park* in Plymouth.

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Morrell sparkles

There's just no stopping her.

Anne Morrell, a Plymouth Canton graduate and two-time winner of the state's Miss Soccer title, led the U.S. Women's Under-21 soccer team to its third-straight Nordic Cup championship.

Morrell scored three goals, all on headers, in a 6-1 victory over Sweden in the title match. The tournament was played in Gjovik, Norway.

Davey disabled

Tom Davey (Plymouth) of the San Diego Padres was placed on the 15-day disabled list Sunday with a strained right shoulder.

The right-hander, who attended Plymouth Salem, has appeared in 39 games for the Padres this season with a 2-4 record and a 4.50 ERA.

He faced just one Milwaukee Brewer batter July 27 when he had to come out of the game with the sore shoulder.

Chiefs hoop tryouts

The Plymouth Canton Chiefs will hold tryouts for their three girls basketball teams Monday morning, Aug. 13, in the Canton gym.

Girls must have their athletic physicals taken by the first practice. Any physical taken after April 15, 2001, is valid for the coming school year.

Varsity tryouts will be at 8:45 a.m., followed by the junior varsity at 10 a.m. and freshmen at 11 a.m.

For more information, call Coach Bob Blohm at 459-1763, Brian Samulski at 453-9101 or his cell phone at (734) 673-2555 or Tara Schuler at (248) 380-6789 or her cell at (734) 223-3630.

Roth wins Pro Pro

Jeff Roth (Plymouth Salem) and partner Steve Brady captured first place by two strokes Monday in the Michigan PGA E-Z-GO Ahead Pro Pro championship at Oakland Hills Country Club.

Brady, a pro at Oakland Hills, and Roth, pro at Knollwood Country Club, shot a 61-64-125 to win \$1,200 each.

They were two shots better than three other pairs of professionals.

Canton Impact

The Canton Impact U-16 boys soccer team participated in the July 15-21 USA Cup Soccer Tournament in Minneapolis.

The Impact took their first seven games before losing to a Minnesota team in the finals in sudden-death overtime.

The event was held at the National Sports Center, which has 52 soccer fields.

Team members included Evan Baker, Steve Cox, James De Los Reyes, Ryan Fazio, Steve Kacaia, Mike Masters, Tim Oswalt and Alex Popescu from Canton; Kevin Sakata of Livonia and Jeff Hollowell and Iain Bryant of Plymouth.

Guest players included Keith Kulick of Plymouth and Ryan Busse, Scott Foess and Mat Tomaso of Canton.

The team was coached by Lucian Popescu and Tom Masters.

Chiefs Pompon

The Plymouth Canton Chieftettes Pompon squad will host its annual Kids Pompon Clinic from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. on Wednesday, Aug. 22, at Hoben Elementary School on Saltz Road.

Girls entering first through eighth grades are invited to attend.

The \$35 fee includes lunch and a Chieftette T-shirt. Participants are invited to wear their shirts and participate in the Chieftette Variety Show in October.

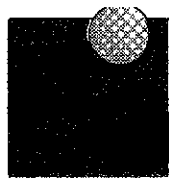
Registration forms are available in the Plymouth and Canton libraries at the information desks or online at daniellevoyles@hotmail.com. They must be signed by a parent.

The Chieftettes took top honors at the Mid American Pompon Competitions including a first place in the high kick kdan competition, fifth in the states and grand champions at summer camp.

For more information, call Lynn J. Rivers at (734) 416-1822.

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.

New to the game, but he gets an ace



Some things are meant to be, others are made to be the way they are, and still others are perhaps treated with too much respect — in other words, taking a simple game like golf and making it tough. Dana Lorber defied that.

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR
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For more than a century, every linksman worth his weight in golf tees would have you believe what a terribly difficult sport this truly is.

Then along comes Tiger Woods, so adept at this game he threatens to

redefine it. The very foundations of the golfing world tremble as Woods rolls to one victory after another, making it all seem — *gasp!* — easy.

But such challenges have been faced before by the gods who rule the golfing world, and they have always found a way to explain it away, and in a manner so simple it can be explained in a single word: phenom.

It's been used to describe any golfer who dares make the grand ol' game something less than it is, guys like Palmer, Nicklaus, Miller, Watkins . . . and yes, Woods.

Just by applying that label, the game is saved.

Well, now there's another name to add to the list: Dana Lorber.

So who is Dana Lorber, and just what has he done? Master Lorber, a Canton native, has mastered this game, and he's done it in just six weeks. He's managed to do something golfers who have played their entire lives have never managed to do.

He got an ace.

This occurred Monday at Fellows Creek in Canton. On the par-three 108-yard eighth hole (West Course), Lorber nailed his drive onto the green and into the hole.

Anytime someone gets a hole-in-one, it's something special. But when someone playing for just the sixth time in their life does it, well, those aforementioned foundations start quivering.

But that alone doesn't make this so threatening, and perhaps it wouldn't be — if that were the entire story.

That's right. There's more. You see,

Please see **LORBER, D3**



STAFF PHOTOS BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

The leaders: Jessica Carleton (above), from Redford, was third in women's recurve, while in men's recurve, Butch Johnson (below right) and Vic Wunderle were once again battling for first.



In the hunt

Carleton stumbles but remains in title chase; Johnson leads in men's

BY C.J. RISAK
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The scores on the board didn't really interest Jessica Carleton. At least not after three rounds.

"We still have another 72 arrows to go," Carleton said. "I try not to concentrate on what other people do, I just concentrate on my shot."

Can't argue with the results. Carleton, who recently moved from Westland to Redford, was still in the running through Wednesday's third round for the title in the Senior Female Recurve competition at the National Archery Association's National Target Championships at Canton's Heritage Park.

Going into Wednesday's round, Carleton, who finished fourth last year, was in second place, a scant six points behind leader Kathleen Loesch. However, she slipped a bit on Wednesday at the longer distances (60 and 70 meters), scoring 632 to fall to third.

Loesch continued her strong play despite the oppressive heat, scoring 639 for a three-round total of 1,944 points. Defending tournament champion Karen Scavotto jumped over Carleton with a Wednesday score of 637 for a three-round total of 1,934 — 10 behind the leader. Carleton was next at

1,931.

Jessica Peterson was fourth at 1,926.

"The longer distance, the 70 meter, was a little rougher today," said Carleton. "But my 60 meters was much better."

"It changes day to day. It all balances out in the end."

Loesch has outscored Carleton at the longer distances, but Carleton has gained ground on the shorter (30 and 50 meters) shots.

Competition in the Senior Female Recurve ends today.

After two rounds in the Senior Male Recurve, defending champ Butch Johnson opened up 19-point lead (1,346 to 1,327) over Vic Wunderle, who won the National Target title two years ago but placed second to Johnson last year. The third round of competition wasn't completed until early Wednesday evening.

Close behind Wunderle was Glenn Meyers, from Grand Rapids, with 1,326 points, with Jay Barrs a distant fourth at 1,310.

The Senior Male Recurve also ends today, as does the Senior Female and Male Compound competition.

After two rounds of the Senior Male Compound, Adam Wheateroff of Clarkston was residing in third place with 1,375 points. Dave Cousins was first with 1,401, followed by Roger Hoyle with 1,395.

In the Senior Female Compound, Sally Wunderle was on top of a tightly-packed group after two rounds with 1,369 — just one point ahead of Ashley Kamuf. In third was Becky Pearson with 1,366, followed by Nancy Zom with 1,365 and Jahna Davis and Mary Zom, each with 1,364.

One local competitor was resting in first place in her division: Melissa Evitts of Livonia had 1,304 after two rounds to lead the Intermediate Female Compound competition by 12 points over Annie Haffey.

As organizers had anticipated, this was the largest field ever at the National Target Championships, with 582 competitors — due in great part to its designation as a world-ranking tournament.

And although it would be nice to win in her own backyard, Carleton, a Michigan State graduate and an alternate for the U.S. Olympic Team last year, knows there are bigger trophies ahead. The World Championships are slated for Beijing in September.

"I'm really excited," she said. "This is good practice for the Worlds."

It will be her first trip to China. She did travel to Korea for a tournament in May.

Complete tournament results will appear in Sunday's Observer.

No struggle: Lakers rule

No overtime required.

After needing two overtime victories to make the championship game, the top-seeded regular season champion Lakers trounced the underdog Warriors, 7-3, Sunday to win the Metro Summer Hockey League tournament.

The Lakers opened and closed the second-period scoring with two goals to take a 6-3 lead into the final 15 minutes of play and kept the Warriors at bay the rest of the way.

Josh Shuryan closed out the scoring with a goal for the Lakers at 9:01 of the final period. He was the last of seven different Lakers to score goals in the playoff championship game at the Suburban Training Center in Farmington.

Brandon Kaleniecki (Livonia) got the upstart Warriors, the sixth seed in the tournament, off to a 1-0 lead with a goal just 1:13 into the game. Kaleniecki also scored with 6:09 left in the middle period, bringing his team up to 4-3.

But Mike Vigilante restored the Lakers' two-goal advantage with 4:08 to play and Nick Jardine made it 6-3 with just three seconds to play in the period.

Brian Jardine tied the score for the

Lakers at 9:48 of the first period and John Vigilante gave the regular season champions a 2-1 lead with a goal just 3:04 from the end of the opening period.

Matt Frick scored 1:06 into the second period and Sean Smith (Livonia) made it 4-1 with 12:55 to play.

Dave Moss (Livonia) scored the second Warriors' goal 2:01 later to slice the margin to 4-2.

Nick Jardine had three assists for the Warriors while John Vigilante had two.

John Picklo started in goal for the Lakers with Lanny Jardine taking over at 7:47 of the second period.

The Warriors split time with their two goaltenders, too. Joseph Rutherford opened the game and Mark Lavender (Farmington Hills) came in at 7:47 of the second period.



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Title shot: Canton's Jeff Harris helped the Warriors reach the MSHL finals.

Joe Moreau (Farmington Hills) had two assists for the Warriors.

The MSHL had a skills competition

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SOFTBALL

Hornets strike Lightning for Fastpitch title

The Farmington Hills Hornets-Lee's Coney Island capped a successful summer of softball by winning the Girls Incredible Fastpitch League championship Sunday.

The Hornets, who coasted to the North Division title and finished with a 16-1 record, defeated the Plymouth Lightning in the final at Livonia Ladywood, 4-3.

"It's the first year the Incredible has had two divisions with a playoff for the championship, so it's kinda special for us," Leo's assistant coach Rob Schrock said.

"We're real happy to be the first ones to win a championship like this. For the girls who are going to be seniors (Kristin Schrock, Jacqui Smylie, Heather Sinawi and Ellen Doughty), it was their last Incredible."

Please see **SOFTBALL, D4**

It's grid time again

East stars shine brighter than West in annual All-Star match

BY RICHARD SHOOK
SPORTS WRITER

"It's a lot of fun," Dan Wilson said, "but it's not just for fun." That, the former Livonia Stevenson flanker noted, is what

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the East-West high school All-Star football game is all about. Wilson was one of several for-

mer Observerland prep football stars to participate in the East's 38-14 victory Saturday over the West at Spartan Stadium on the campus of Michigan State University in East Lansing.

The game also featured Observerland players Dan Smitherman, a running back and cornerback from Westland John Glenn; Scott Wion, a linebacker from Livonia Clarenceville; and Matt LoPiccolo, a defensive lineman from Redford Catholic Central.

"It's a great experience," said Wilson, who is taking his football skills to Hillsdale College this fall. "Everybody's good. So it was a real good game."

"It's high intensity. You definitely go up there to win."

Wilson played wide receiver and caught three passes for 47 yards, each pass netting a first down that kept East drives alive.

Braylon Edwards, son of former Michigan running back Stanley Edwards, caught three touchdown passes in the first half to key the East's victory. Edwards is also going to Michigan.

"It was obvious," Wilson said, "that he was the best player there. Or at least that he dominated the most that day."

"It was one of the better football experiences I've had. I got to play with some of the best players I ever will play with, maybe."

"It was exciting to see all the players perform, and I was happy to be a part of it."

Wilson set up one of Edwards' touchdown receptions with a third-and-12 catch of his own that kept the drive going. Edwards scored two plays later.

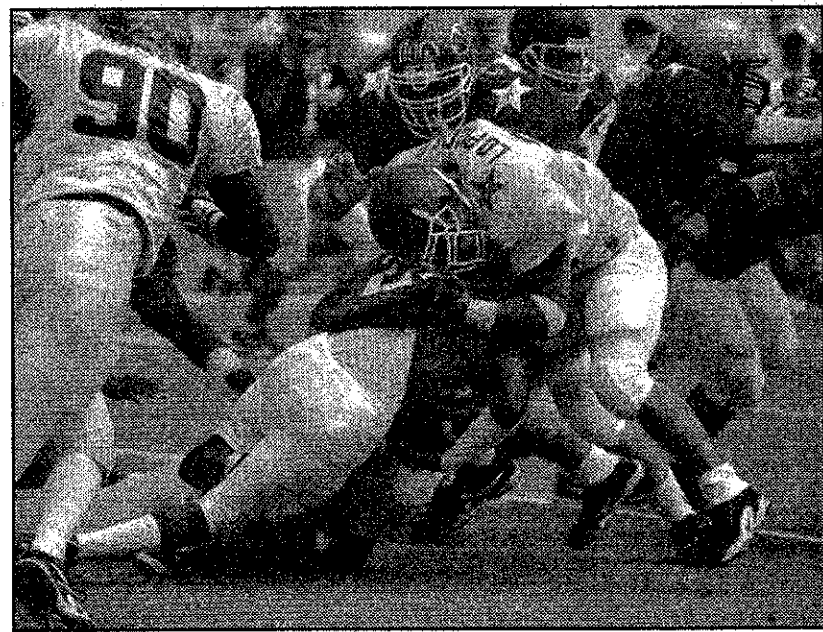
Now it's on to Hillsdale for Wilson. On Aug. 11, in fact, for the start of fall practice.

"It's a good program," he said. "I like the coaches a lot. They have real nice facilities. And a winning tradition. I'm excited to get there."

Smitherman, who played on both sides of the ball, reports Aug. 9 to Wayne State.

He had four tackles in the game and was pressed into service as a tailback because of injuries earlier in the week.

"We really had a great week of



STAFF PHOTO BY JOHN STORMZAND

Tough tackler: Matt LoPiccolo, a defensive lineman from Catholic Central, made three tackles in the game.

practice, the team was really together and the score showed that," said the 5-10, 178-pound Smitherman, who rushed for a school record 2,225 yards last year for Glenn. "We had a great time, something I'll never forget."

Smitherman got two carries on offense for two yards. He missed the final quarter when an old hernia problem flared up late in the third period.

"I landed hard and the doctor on the field said it was best I go to the bench," said Smitherman, who also played on special teams for the East. "I'm fine now and recovered."

Edwards not only impressed during the game, but also in practice during the week.

"He's a very talented guy," Smitherman said of the U-M recruit. "John DiGiorgio (Utica Eisenhower) and Mohamad Bazzi (Dearborn Fordson) also did a great job at linebacker."

"Bazzi is going to Wayne State and I'm glad of that."

The 6-1, 245-pound LoPiccolo, headed to Grand Valley State, also contributed to East squad in the trenches.

LoPiccolo had three total tackles, one solo, one initial hit and one assist.

"He's one of the guys I knew a little bit more before I got here," Smitherman said of the CC lineman (the two played against each other in last year's state playoffs). "We kidded around in practice alot. I had to go to offense on Thursday because they were short of guys and when I carried the ball he (LoPiccolo) always would tell me, 'I had you.'"

"He did a real fine job."

Wion, who played linebacker, was in on four tackles with two initial hits and two assists.

He'll report to Saginaw Valley State.

Newest recruits could transform Ocelots into a contender once again

BY BRAD EMONS
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BASKETBALL

Schoolcraft College basketball coach Carlos Briggs may be hard-pressed to duplicate the Ocelots' dream season of a year ago.

But the fifth-year coach is certainly not resting on his laurels.

Two more recruits were added to the fold this week including Westland John Glenn graduate Yaku Moton-Spruill, a 6-8, 255-pound center, and 6-1 point-guard Rulon Harris of Detroit Mumford.

Both are junior college transfers.

The much travelled Moton-Spruill played last season at Paris (Tex.) Junior College where he averaged 3.2 points in limited action with the 20-11 Dragons.

Harris, who played last year at Flint Mott, was second behind Schoolcraft's Dave McGlow in the Eastern Conference in assists (5.8 per game) and was third in steals (3.2). He had 15 points in Mott's 100-77 early-season win over Schoolcraft.

"Yaku is big, but also a guy who can run the floor and has good hands," said Briggs, who guided Schoolcraft to a 32-4 record last year and a berth in the NJCAA Division I Nationals in Hutchinson, Kan. "We tried to get him out of high school and we're fortunate to get him back. It's always good to get a local kid."

"He's a mid-major Division I player if he improves his skills. We feel he's a good kid who will work hard."

Moton-Spruill showed immense promise during his sophomore year at Glenn, but then decided to transfer his junior year to Mount Zion (N.C.) Christian Academy, the alma mater of the Orlando Magic's Tracy McGrady.

He was used sparingly, playing Magic first-round pick Steven Hunter, who played at DePaul. Other notable teammates included Marquis Daniels of Auburn and Tim Lyles of the University of West Virginia.

Moton-Spruill then returned to Glenn for a lackluster senior year as the Rockets finished 4-16 overall.

Owens Tech of Toledo, Ohio, an NCJAA Division II powerhouse, also pursued Moton-Spruill after he left Paris, but Briggs got him on the dotted line on Saturday.

"I wouldn't say I was homesick, but it's nice to be closer to home and it's a chance to show everybody back home I've got some talent," Moton-Spruill said. "It's only been a few years, but Schoolcraft is establishing a deep, rich tradition and I haven't heard a bad word about coach Briggs. Academic-wise I feel it's a good fit."

"My goal is to drop 20 to 25 pounds, get to know my teammates and try and play some good basketball."

The addition of Harris gives Schoolcraft an experienced playmaker.

"Rulon brings toughness, leadership and is solid academically," Briggs said. "He also has good support from his family, which helps at this level."

Briggs now has eight new players signed for the 2001-02 season, including some front line beef to go along with it.

Besides Moton-Spruill, Briggs also has 6-9, 260-pound center Justin Fiori (Sterling Heights) and 6-7, 270-pound Delvar Barrett (Detroit Cooley via University of Toledo) to play in the post.

They will be joined by other Briggs recruits Gary Johnson, a 6-1 point-guard from Wayne Memorial; 6-2 shooting guard Ryan Celeskey from Redford Catholic Central; 6-6 small forward John Burris of Ann Arbor Huron; and 6-5 guard-forward Ronald Dorsey of Detroit Pershing.

The three returnees include 6-6 Emir Medujanin (North Farmington), 6-foot guard Javori Clark and 6-8 Mike Williams (Detroit City), the latter whom sat out last season for academic reasons.

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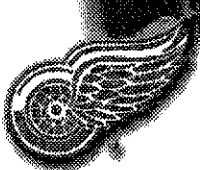
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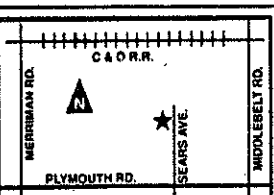
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prior to the playoff championship game.

Ryan Kesler (Livonia) took top honors for the hardest slap shot and hardest wrist shot.

Bryan Marshall (Livonia) was the fastest skater for a lap around the rink, Keith

Townsend had the most accurate shot while Chris Powroznik (Redford) was winner of the showdown shooters competition.

Rick Marnon (Canton) was the showdown winner among goalies while Art Baker (Canton) took the top prize for rapid fire stops.

Twisters rout Thunder

The Michigan Twisters decimated the Lima (O.) Thunder, 48-0, Saturday night in their season opener.

The Twisters, who went undefeated last year during the regular season, scored 21 points in the first period at Willow Run High School in breezing to the win.

Michigan goes to River Rouge to play the Motor City Cougars at 3:30 p.m. Saturday.

Jason Gibson scored three times including a 58-yard touchdown run while Donti Hamilton

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returned a punt 57 yards for a touchdown against Lima. Gibson ran 17 times for 144 yards overall.

Quarterback Rob Elswick was 7-for-10 passing for 110 yards including a 42-yard TD toss to Wayne's Reggie Brandon. Brandon caught three passes for 78 yards.

Elswick raced around right end for a two-yard touchdown

while Chuck Petitpas of Livonia converted six PATs and kicked two field goals, from 27- and 32-yards out.

The Twisters' defense limited the Thunder to 58 net yards offense — 28 yards passing (4-for-14) and 25 running plays that netted 30 yards.

Young players who look good for Michigan included Dorian Bow, Trevor Hayward, Steve Hohl of Garden City, Tim Simons, Lonny Bryant and Shaun Baylis.

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The under-18 Michigan Hawks were missing their big gun Anne Morrell, but they had plenty of ammunition left for the Snickers U.S. Youth Soccer Association Nationals.

Guided by Livonia's Tim Ernst, the Hawks took the coveted title with a 2-1 victory Sunday over the San Diego (Calif.) Surf in the finals at Lawrence (Ind.) Soccer Complex.

Goals by Livonia Stevenson's Lindsay Gusick (5th minute) and Milford's Abby Shepherd (56th minute) gave the club fourth national title overall and the first since 1991.

The Hawks has lost its two previous finals (1999 and 2000) to the Colorado Rush.

Morrell, Michigan's Miss Soccer who led Plymouth Canton to the Division I state title in June, was called to play for the U.S. under-21 national team in the Nordic Cup.

"The Thursday before we left (for Indianapolis) we knew she had gone to their training camp and there was a good chance she'd wouldn't be playing for us," Ernst said. "Had we had her it would have been great, but the other girls showed a lot of heart and character. These girls have done whatever it takes to win."

Ernst decided to use two forwards up front — the University

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of Virginia-bound and the North Carolina-bound Lindsay Tarpley (Portage Central) — in a 4-4-2 (alignment) instead of a 4-4-3.

Tarpley won the Golden Boot Award with six goals in four games, while Gusick added four goals.

"Both played great and stepped up their games," Ernst said. "Lindsay hit a few more posts, but both created a lot of chances and both created chances for each other."

The Hawks opened tournament play in the heat and humidity of suburban Indianapolis by defeating the H.B.C. Magic (N.Y.), 6-2, as Tarpley had three goals and Gusick added two.

Tarpley and Nicole Breger each scored goals in a 2-2 tie with the Surf.

The Hawks reached the final with a 2-1 victory over G.F.C. of Greenville, S.C. as Tarpley scored twice.

Injuries to Stevenson's Katie Beaudoin (knee) and Emily Wiegand (pulled hamstring) left the Hawks with just one reserve for the final.

But Lauren Monica (Madison Heights Bishop Foley), who won the goalkeeper award, kept the Surf off the board until the 73rd minute when Megan Kakadelas scored.

"We were kind of hanging on," Ernst said. "Playing four games in five days in the heat had an effect, especially when we had only one person available off the bench."

Ernst credited his backline of Amanda Lentz (Canton), Emily Carbott (Northville) and Lisa Grubb (Portage Central) with holding the fort.

The play of Breger, a member of 2001 Foley's state championship squad, was also pivotal.

"Nicole played great all week," Ernst said.

Ernst got help on the coaching sidelines from Stevenson High varsity boys coach Lars Richters.

"I've won three regionals and been to three nationals, but this was the biggest," Ernst said. "Especially without Anne."

Rounding out the Hawks' roster is Erin Carlson (Portage Central), Natalie Galas (Foley), Michelle Palazzola (Foley) and Michelle Peron (incoming sophomore at Michigan State).

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ble game. Kristin Schrock showed why she is the league's most valuable player, striking a season-high 14

batters while pitching a complete game. She allowed just four hits and walked six. The Hornets, who had six hits

off Lightning pitcher Michelle Jurcak, scored all of their runs in the second inning. Beth Leeb started the inning with a single, Doughty walked and Jenny Musick put down a bunt single that scored Leeb. On an attempted pickoff play at third base, the ball ricocheted off Doughty into left field. Doughty scored on a close play at the plate, knocking the ball away on the slide.

Abbey Cleland's RBI single scored Musick to make it 3-0, and singles by Schrock and Smylie brought Cleland around with the fourth run. The Hornets made some key defensive plays, too. With the score 4-3 in the seventh, right fielder Kelli Yekin went far into foul territory to make a running catch and retire the leadoff batter. Doughty turned a double play in the fourth inning. With a runner on first, she dove to catch a line shot off the bat of Rachel Heid and scrambled back to first base to double up the runner. The Lightning scored all of its runs with two outs in the top of the sixth. Schrock walked the bases full, and Heid's single to

right field would have scored one run at least. But an error allowed all three runners to reach home plate. Schrock struck out the next batter to end the half inning. Jurcak struck out three and walked five in six innings. Leo's Doughty and Liz Ghannam also had base hits. Maggie Tudor had two hits and scored a run for the Lightning (17-4). "We kinda thought our division was the weaker of the two this year," coach Schrock said. "It was gratifying to beat the other division winner in the championship game. It made us feel a little vindicated that winning our division wasn't a fluke."

Blue all-stars edge Red The international tiebreaker was needed to decide the Girls Incredible Fastpitch Softball League all-star contest Sunday at Livonia Ladywood. The Blue won the game in nine innings, 10-9, when Stephanie Day, who started the inning at second base and took third on a single by Stacey Courtney, scored on a wild pitch. The score was tied after seven innings, 8-8.

The Red loaded the bases with no outs in the eighth, and it took the lead when Amy Sandrick scored on a fielder's choice by Jenny D'Annunzio. Blue pitcher Corey Sandrowicz got out of the half inning without further damage with a strikeout and a popout.

In the bottom of the eighth, the Blue's Abbey Cleland scored the tying run from second base on Dawn Rini's double. The Blue enjoyed an 8-5 lead in the fourth inning, but Red pitcher Michelle Jurcak entered in relief and shut down the Blue for the next four innings, only to end up losing the decision. Sandrowicz, who pitched the third and fourth innings and returned to work the eighth and ninth, was the winning pitcher. She allowed three hits and fanned four overall. Rini, who had two hits, two RBI and scored a run, was the MVP for the Blue. Mandy Bradley had two doubles and scored two runs to earn the same honor for the Red. The Blue's Courtney was 3-for-3 and scored a run. Catherine Shaw had a single, a walk, an RBI and a run scored; Ellen

Doughty had a single and an RBI, and Cleland scored two runs. Stephanie Harrier was 2-for-2 with an RBI for the Red. Kristin Schrock pitched a hitless, scoreless first inning for the Blue, but she had to leave to go to work after that. The Blue all-stars were Adrienne and Catherine Shaw from the Farmington Flash; Brittany Behren and Courtney, West Bloomfield Blizzard; Julie Vecchioni and Amanda Jankowski, Livonia Lancers; Schrock, Doughty, Cleland, Jacqui Smylie, Heather Sinawi and Beth Leeb, Farmington Hills Hornets; Rini, Sandrowicz, Day, Liz Malik and Sue Malonis, Livonia White Sox. The Red team members were Jurcak, Amy Szawara, Maggie Tudor, Rachel Heid, Janese Chapman, Bradley and Katie Stropes, Plymouth Lighting; Sheila Gillies, Natalie Krieger, Sarah Carter and Katie Michniak, Livonia Knights; D'Annunzio, Sandrick and Olivia Maurizio, Livonia Lasers; Emily Bohr and Harrier, Plymouth Thunder; Katie Gietl, Katie Wilmering and Emily Salenik, Livonia Red Sox.

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Regular meeting called to order at 3:06 p.m.
Present: Thomas Yack, Ron Griffith, Mark Abbo
Agenda - adopted as amended; adding VII (c) Verbal Report from the Director of Operations.
Minutes of the regular meeting of June 25, 2001 - approved
Schedule of operating expenses totaling \$617,432.24 - approved.
Operations & Maintenance Report for June 2001 - received and filed.
3rd Quarter Revenue/Expenditure Report (FY2000/2001) - received and filed.
A Verbal Report was given by the Director of Operations updating the Board on Contract 6 Sewer Cleaning & CCTV Inspection, Lower Rough Wet Weather Treatment System meeting, Nextel Cell Phone Contract Amendment and Pump #3 Shaft and Seal Emergency Repairs.
The regular meeting was adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

THOMAS J. YACK,
Chairman

This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices located at 40905 Joy Road, Canton, MI 48187.

LEGAL NOTICE
1954 PA PROCEEDINGS
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT HEARING
Charter Township of Plymouth
Wayne County, Michigan

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that as result of Petitions of property owners within the Township signed by the record owners of land whose front footage constitutes more than 50% of the total front footage of the herein after described Special Assessment District and the Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth proposes road paving improvements in the Glenview Subdivision to create a Special Assessment for the recovery of the cost thereof by Special Assessment against the properties benefited therein.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth has tentatively declared its intention to make the hereinafter described improvement:

The proposed improvements shall consist of a two lane, one and a half inch (1½") asphalt pavement overlay with the required base and subbase improvements constructed over the existing asphalt road (approximately 8200 feet). The project commences at the south right of way line of North Territorial Road and proceeds southward along Glenview Road approximately 1700 feet to the point of terminus. Also along Bonnie Brook from the intersection of Glenview Road eat approximately 140 feet. Also along Betty Hill between Glenview Road and the pint of terminus approximately 1450 feet. Also along Drury Lane between Betty Hill and Glenview approximately 2050 feet. Also along Danbury Court between Drury Lane and North Territorial approximately 300 feet. Also along Le Blanc Road between Drury Land and Betty Hill approximately 1150 feet. Also along Danbridge Road from Drury Lane to Le Blanc Road approximately 1200 feet. Also along Danbridge Court from Danbridge Road to the point of terminus approximately 200 feet.

That is has further been tentatively determined that the following described lots and parcels of land will specially benefit from said improvements and will constitute a Special Assessment District against which the cost of said improvement shall be assessed:

The district limit for frontage along Glenview Road, Bonnie Brook, Betty Hill, Drury Lane, Danbury Court, Le Blanc Road, Danbridge Road, and Danbridge Court consists of Lots 1 through 2, and Lots 6 through 87, both inclusive of "Glenview Subdivision", also including parcel #R78-034-99-0011-000 located in the North-West ¼ of Section 28 of T1S, R8E., of Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth shall meet on **Tuesday, August 14, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. at the Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth Twp., Michigan 48170**, for the purpose of final assessment. All persons may then and there appear and make any objections they may have to such improvement and assessment. Appearance and protest at the hearing is required in order to appeal the amount, if any, of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal. An owner or party in interest, or agent thereof, may appear in person at the hearing, or may file an appearance or protest by letter. All parties or agents appearing in person at the hearing for purposes of protest should request the appearance be entered into the record of the meeting.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and recommendations of the engineer for said proposed Special Assessment District have been filed with the Township and are available for public examination at the office of the Township Clerk. The estimate of costs of such construction is in the approximate amount of \$124,000.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that periodic re-determination of costs for the proposed Special Assessment District may be necessary and may be made without further notice to the record owners or parties in interest in the property.

MARILYN MASSENGILL
Charter Township of Plymouth
42350 Ann Arbor Road
Plymouth, Michigan 48170
(734) 453-3840

Publish: August 2 and 5, 2001

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 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 16th, 2001 for the following:

AVID DIGITAL VIDEO WORKSTATION

Specifications are available at the Financial Services Department located on the third floor of the Administration Building, 1150 Canton Center S. Questions can be directed to Dave Harris at (734) 398-5241. 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 proposals. 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.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

Publish: August 2, 2001

PUBLIC NOTICE OF WATER SHORTAGE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Canton Township Water and Sewer System Ordinance No. 30 Sections No. 112.030 and 112.040 and in accordance with the July 18, 2001 Outdoor Water Use Restrictions Notice issued by the Detroit Water and Sewer Department, the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees institutes a Notice of Water Shortage which restricts and prohibits certain outdoor water usage and institutes an odd/even water use restriction to limit water usage. Individuals and businesses with odd numbered addresses are to do lawn watering, fill swimming pools, wash vehicles and engage in similar uses only on odd numbered days. Likewise those having even numbered addresses are to do watering, fill swimming pools, wash vehicles, and engage in similar uses on even numbered days. Individuals and businesses in violation of this Notice shall be subject to penalties as prescribed in the Canton Township Water and Sewer Ordinance No. 30.

Publish: July 29, 2001 and August 2, 2001

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 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 16th, 2001 for the following:

CANTON SOFTBALL CENTER & INDEPENDENCE PARK PAVILIONS

Specifications are available at Cityscape Architects, Inc. 33730 Freedom Road, Farmington MI. 48118. Please contact Mr Gregg Stouder prior to pick up at (248) 471-7877. A non-refundable plan deposit of \$75.00 will be required. Bid documents are available for review at the Engineering Department on the 2nd floor of the Administration Building. Questions can be directed to Brad Sharp at (734) 394-5162. 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 proposals. 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.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

Publish: August 2, 2001

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA
AUGUST 09, 2001

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals **THURSDAY, AUGUST 09, 2001 AT 7:30 P.M.** The meeting will be held in the First Floor Meeting Room in the Township Administration Building located at **1150 S. CANTON CENTER ROAD**. The following Agenda will be discussed:

Pledge of Allegiance to the flag
Roll Call: Blaylock, Cisek, Demopoulos, Johnson, Redfern
Acceptance of Agenda

- Richard Chrzanowski 45166 Joy Road Plymouth, MI 48170 for property at 44805 Joy Road Canton MI 48187 is requesting a variance to Zoning Ordinance Article 26 Section 26.02 Residential Setback for MR Parcel # 010-99-0003-000 (Planning)
- Michael & Julia Hillyer of 1934 Stonebridge Way Canton MI 48188 are seeking a variance to Zoning Ordinance 26.02 rear yard setback for building of a Deck & Gazebo. Parcel # 083-02-0074-000 (TABLED FROM JULY 26, 2001 MEETING) (Building)
- William Anderson, Atwell-Hicks, Inc. 7927 Nemco Way Suite 100 Brighton, MI 48116 representing Steve Atwood of Pulte Homes of Michigan, 26622 Woodward Avenue Suite 110 Royal Oak MI 48067 for property at 3545 Niagara Avenue Canton MI 48188 is requesting a variance to Zoning Ordinance Article 6.03 D 4; Cluster Setback Criteria Parcel # 115-02-0128-000 (Building)
- William Anderson, Atwell-Hicks, Inc. 7927 Nemco Way Suite 100 Brighton, MI 48116 representing Steve Atwood of Pulte Homes of Michigan, 26622 Woodward Avenue Suite 110 Royal Oak MI 48067 for property at 3465 Niagara Avenue Canton MI 48188 is requesting a variance to Zoning Ordinance Article 6.03 D 4; Cluster Setback Criteria Parcel # 115-02-0130-000 (Building)
- William Anderson, Atwell-Hicks, Inc. 7927 Nemco Way Suite 100 Brighton MI 48116 representing Steve Atwood of Pulte Homes of Michigan, 26622 Woodward Avenue Suite 110 Royal Oak MI 48067 for property at 3415 Niagara Avenue Canton MI 48188 is requesting a variance to Zoning Ordinance Article 6.03 D 4; Cluster Setback Criteria Parcel # 115-02-0131-000 (Building)

Approval of July 12 and July 26, 2001 minutes)

Publish: August 2, 2001

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

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

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

Publish: August 2, 2001

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 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 16th, 2001 for the following:

PHEASANT RUN GOLF COURSE TREE PLANTING

Specifications are available at the Financial Services Department located on the third floor of the Administration Building, 1150 Canton Center S. 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 proposals. 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.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

Publish: August 2, 2001

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 3:00 p.m. Thursday, August 16th, 2001 for the following:

PHEASANT RUN GOLF COURSE CART PATH REPAIRS

Specifications are available at the Financial Services Department located on the third floor of the Administration Building, 1150 Canton Center S. 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 proposals. 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.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

Publish: August 2, 2001

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE
CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to State Law 257.252, the following vehicle (s) will be sold at public sale at Mayflower Auto Transport, 1179 Starkweather Rd., Plymouth, Michigan, on the date and time listed below:

Thursday, August 16, 2001, 10:30 a.m.

VEHICLE (S):

YEAR/MAKE/STYLE/VEHICLE	ID NUMBER	CASE NUMBER
1992 Dodge Van Caravan	1B4GH54R1NX176452	01-1868
1993 Ford 4Dr Escort	1FAP1L4J8PW119771	00-66
1988 Chevrolet Van Mark II	1GBEG35H07182954	01-1536
1991 Ford Pickup Ranger	1FTCR10U8ME08188	01-1707
1987 Pontiac 2 Dr Sunbird	1G2JD11K0H7510824	01-1845
1990 Ford 2 Dr T-Bird	1FAPP6044LH181633	01-1929
1973 Suzuki MC 550	GS550E125933	01-3116
1969 Chevrolet Pick-up CST/10	CE149B822792	01-2970
1988 Merkur 4 Dr Scorpio	WF1BT81V2JE694745	00-62554
1991 Ford 2 Dr Escort	1FAP1282MW196857	01-3236
1992 Chevrolet 4Dr Cavalier	1G1JC544N7251424	01-3158
1983 Ford 2 Dr Mustang	1FABP28F7DF104891	01-3280
1985 Lincoln 2 DR Mark VIII	1MRBP98FOFY698604	01-2603

Inquiries regarding these vehicles should be directed to Officer Al Cox, City of Plymouth Police Department, at 453-8600.

LINDA J. LANGMESSER

Publish: August 2, 2001

PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE
CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2001
7:00 PM

A regular meeting of the Planning Commission will be held in the Commission Chambers of the City Hall to consider the following:

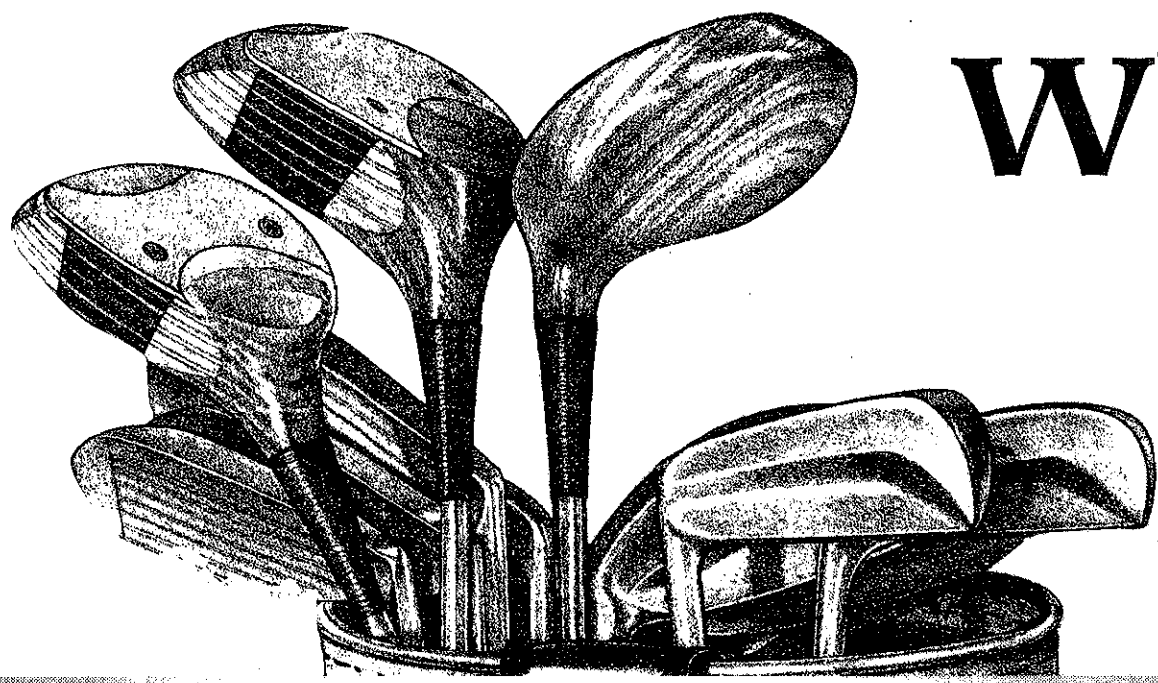
SITE PLAN APPROVAL FOR THREE SITE CONDO'S
1246 SHERIDAN AVE.
ZONED: R-1, SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL
APPLICANT: THOMAS LAING

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the City of Plymouth will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting/hearing, to individuals with disabilities. Requests for auxiliary aids or services may be made by writing or calling the following:

Carol Stone, ADA Coordinator
201 S. Main Street
Plymouth, MI 48170
(734) 453-1234, Ext. 206

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Publish: August 2, 2001



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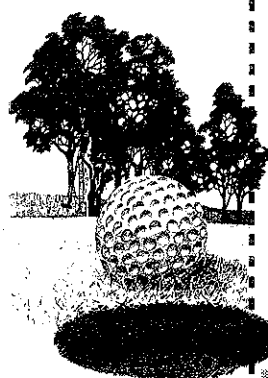
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EXPIRES 8-24-01

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EXPIRES 8-24-01

9 HOLE SPECIAL

\$18.00 with cart

Valid Monday-Friday after 12 Noon

EXPIRES 8-24-01

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* Resident Rate (Non Resident \$29.00)

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Coupon Expires on Sept. 17, 2001



**18 HOLES
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RATE APPLIES FOR BOTH
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WHISPERING WILLOWS**
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18 HOLES @ \$13

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per Foursome

Valid until 12:00PM

Not Valid w/ any other offers

Current offer Expires Sept. 17, 2001

IDYL WYLD G.C.

35780 FIVE MILE RD.
LIVONIA, MI 48154
(734) 464-6325



CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS - JULY 24, 2001

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton held Tuesday, July 24, 2001. Supervisor Yack called the study session discussion to order at 6:20 p.m. for discussion of the proposed electric franchise ordinance.

Attorney Tim Cronin explained that the constitution provides that the electric utility supplier must have franchise with the municipality in order to conduct business. The distribution system within the township, for purposes of this ordinance, would be the franchise. The electric supplier would obtain a retail license. The township has statutory control over where the distribution system is within the township. This ordinance would also include the following resolutions: A resolution to set the application fees, A resolution regarding retail licenses, A resolution setting a franchise fees. The ordinance covers the following regarding the process: insurance provisions, maintenance provisions, reporting provisions, right-of-way restorations and notification provisions among other considerations. In answering a question posed by Trustee LaJoy, Mr. Cronin explained that the regulations that speak to right-of-way repair is because the township must sort the issues of who caused damage in the right-of-way.

Jim Connelly, representing Detroit Edison, stated that he objected to a second notification after permit is county approved, however, he had no objection to a copy of the permit being sent to the township. Also, the ordinance provision states ten-day notification for installation, however, most customers want service sooner than that stated. Mr. Connelly believes that Edison has good reputation for right-of-way restoration as they keep excellent records of where crews work. Storm work is slightly more difficult as the primary concern is restore power first. Also, the franchise agreement that is proposed by Edison also has a notification provision. He also stated that any franchise fee would be passed on to the resident, Mr. Connelly would characterize as the first energy tax in Michigan.

Attorney Tim Cronin agreed with that statement as the supplier has the right to pass on the franchise fee to the customer/resident. Supervisor Yack called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Members Present: Bennett, Kirchgatter, LaJoy, McLaughlin, Shefferly, Yack
Members Absent: Burdick
Staff Present: Director Konkin, Director Durack, Director Machnik, Director Minghine, Director Santomaro

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve the regular meeting minutes of July 10, 2001. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to approve the study session minutes of July 17, 2001. Motion carried by all members present.

Eric Hampel and Steve Winer, addressed the Board of Trustees a new ordinance to prohibit ground feeding birds/wildlife in neighborhoods.

Motion by Kirchgatter, supported by LaJoy to approve payment of the bills as presented. Motion carried by all members present.

General Fund	101	\$275,273.48	Golf Fund	211	37,847.72
Auto Forfeiture (WWATEE)	267	3,211.34	Road Paving	403	2,200.00
Fire Fund	206	13,521.93	Cable TV Fund	230	240.77
Federal Grants			Bldg Auth		
Fund	274	65,119.48	Construction	469	27,890.10
Police Fund	207	302,057.65	Twp (Community)		
Auto Theft Fund	289	392.78	Improvement	246	89,779.51
Summit			Water & Sewer		
Operating	208	64,025.11	Fund	592	556,354.10
Downtown Dev			E-911 Utility	261	6,076.08
Authority	294	697.60	Total - All Funds		\$1,444,687.95

Trustee McLaughlin stated that the bell tower is in place at the Sheldon School. Also, the Canton Historical Society is hosting its annual flea market at the Cherry Hill School on August 4, 2001.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to open the Public Hearing at 7:25 p.m. to hear comments on the necessity of sidewalk repairs. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to close the Public Hearing at 7:40 p.m. to hear comments on the necessity of sidewalk repairs. Motion carried by all members present.

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to adopt a resolution requiring replacement of repair of sidewalks in Windsor Park #3,4,5,6,7, Westbrook Manor and various Miscellaneous locations as indicated.

John Morgan, Barbara Gaydos, and Herb Scott addressed the Board of Trustees regarding this issue.

Sidwell Number	Address	Street Name	007-01-0591-000	43186	LOMBARDY
007-01-0506-000	7207	EMERSON	007-01-0592-000	43172	LOMBARDY
007-01-0507-000	7221	EMERSON	007-01-0593-000	43160	LOMBARDY
007-01-0508-000	7235	EMERSON	007-01-0594-000	43148	LOMBARDY
007-01-0509-000	7255	EMERSON	007-01-0595-000	43136	LOMBARDY
007-01-0510-000	7305	EMERSON	007-01-0596-000	43124	LOMBARDY
007-01-0511-000	7321	EMERSON	007-01-0597-000	43112	LOMBARDY
007-01-0512-000	7333	EMERSON	007-01-0598-000	43100	LOMBARDY
007-01-0513-000	7345	EMERSON	007-01-0599-000	42986	LOMBARDY
007-01-0514-000	7357	EMERSON	007-01-0600-000	42974	LOMBARDY
007-01-0515-000	7369	EMERSON	007-01-0601-000	42962	LOMBARDY
007-01-0516-000	7381	EMERSON	007-01-0602-000	42950	LOMBARDY
007-01-0517-000	7393	EMERSON	007-01-0603-000	42938	LOMBARDY
007-01-0518-000	7405	EMERSON	007-01-0604-000	42926	LOMBARDY
007-01-0519-000	7417	EMERSON	007-01-0605-000	42914	LOMBARDY
007-01-0520-000	7429	EMERSON	007-01-0606-000	42902	LOMBARDY
007-01-0521-000	7441	EMERSON	007-01-0607-000	42890	LOMBARDY
007-01-0522-000	7453	EMERSON	007-01-0608-000	42878	LOMBARDY
007-01-0523-000	42915	RYEGATE	007-01-0609-000	42866	LOMBARDY
007-01-0524-000	42929	RYEGATE	007-01-0610-000	42854	LOMBARDY
007-01-0525-000	42941	RYEGATE	007-01-0611-000	42842	LOMBARDY
007-01-0526-000	42953	RYEGATE	007-01-0612-000	42830	LOMBARDY
007-01-0527-000	42965	RYEGATE	007-01-0613-000	42818	LOMBARDY
007-01-0528-000	42977	RYEGATE	007-01-0614-000	42806	LOMBARDY
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007-01-0530-000	43001	RYEGATE	007-01-0616-000	42781	SAXONY
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007-01-0533-000	43041	RYEGATE	007-01-0619-000	42745	SAXONY
007-01-0534-000	43055	RYEGATE	007-01-0620-000	42733	LOMBARDY
007-01-0535-000	43069	RYEGATE	007-01-0621-000	42721	LOMBARDY
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SPORTS ROUNDUP

S'CRAFT BOYS HOOP CAMP

A few spots remain available for the Schoolcraft college camp of Champs, stressing fundamental skills, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday, Aug. 6-9 (for grades 1-12).

Camp director is Carlos Briggs, head men's coach at Schoolcraft, along with assistant Steve Norgrove.

The cost is \$100 per person. For more information, call (734) 462-4400, Ext. 5254.

YOUTH HOCKEY PROGRAM

Suburban Hockey is taking registrations for the FUNDamental Hockey League at Suburban Training Center, 23996 Freeway Park Drive in Farmington Hills.

The 26-week program, which runs from September through March, consists of a weekly Mighty Mite program for kids ages 4-6, as well as leagues for mites (ages 6-8), squirts (9-10) and pee wees (11-12).

The league is dedicated to the development of skills and knowledge of the game with a focus on fun.

For more information on the league or other programs, call Suburban Hockey at (248) 478-1600 or visit the www.suburban-hockey.com Web site.

ICE HOCKEY LEAGUES

Ice hockey leagues are being formed this fall for ages 4-17 at the new Arctic Edge of Canton.

Applications are available through September in the Summit at the Park lobby or by calling the Canton Hockey Association at (734) 207-1002.

SOCCER PLAYERS WANTED

The Wayne-Westland Strikers, an under-13 girls select soccer team, is seeking players for the upcoming season.

Interested players (must be born after Aug. 1, 1988) should call coach Mark Allen at (734) 722-6762.

PLYMOUTH FALL SOFTBALL

The City of Plymouth's Recreation Division will conduct a men's softball mini-league this fall, with games on Mondays and Wednesdays.

Registration runs now through Aug. 13 or until the eight-team league has been filled. There is a \$275 team fee, including game balls, plus a \$100 additional non-resident deposit.

Each team pays umpires at the field, \$11 per game for one umpire or \$16 for two, and \$20 per player (maximum \$100/team) for non-Plymouth residents. Players must be 18 as of Aug. 27, 2001, when the season begins.

A round-robin format will be used with a minimum of eight games. All games are at Don Massey Field (Plymouth at Haggerty) at 6:15 p.m., 7:25 p.m., 8:35 p.m. (and 9:45 p.m. for rain make-ups).

Register at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer in Plymouth. Call (734) 455-6620 with questions.

GIRLS HOCKEY TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the Livonia Knights U15 girls hockey team will be held from 7-8:30 p.m. on

Fridays, Aug. 10 and 17 and Tuesday, Aug. 14 at Devon-Aire Ice Arena in Livonia. The team will also hold a conditioning skate from 1-2:30 p.m. on Sunday, July 29 at Devon-Aire.

For more information, call (248) 669-4618 or e-mail Coachjoe71@aol.com.

COACHES WANTED

Redford Catholic Central is looking for a freshman soccer coach. For more information, please contact head soccer coach Dana Orsucci at (248) 374-3298 or e-mail him at dorsucci@catholiccentral.net.

Livonia Ladywood High School is looking for girls' varsity and assistant swimming coaches and a girls junior varsity tennis coach.

For more information, please call Ladywood athletic director Sal Malek at (734) 591-2323.

TOTAL SOCCER CAMPS

Total Soccer of Wixom, located at 30990 Wixom Road, is staging a pair of summer soccer camps 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday, Aug. 6-10 and Aug. 13-17 for boys and girls ages 5-13.

Recreational and novice players welcome for the camp, which includes instructors from club, high school varsity and collegiate teams.

The fee is \$140 for each camp. For more information or to register, call (248) 669-9817; or email tswixom@bignet.net.

TOTAL SOCCER CLINICS

Total Soccer of Wixom, located at 30990 Wixom Road, will stage 45-minute weekly clinics stressing basic skills and individual development for ages 2-10 beginning Monday, Sept. 10.

Cost for the seven-week clinics are \$79 (includes T-shirt).

For more information or to register, call (248) 669-9817; or email tswixom@bignet.net.

YOUTH HITTING CAMP

Total Baseball of Wixom, located at 30990 Wixom Road, will stage its annual hitting camp from 9-11 a.m. (ages 7-12) and noon-2 p.m. (ages 13-19) Tuesday through Thursday, Aug. 14-16.

The fee is \$75 per player (\$10 discount for each additional child). Space is limited.

The camp offers techniques in batting skills from high school varsity coaches, along with former minor leaguers and collegiate players.

For more information and register, call (248) 668-0166; or email totalbballwixom@aol.com.

FALL BASEBALL LEAGUE

Total Baseball of Wixom, located at 30990 Wixom Road, will conduct a fall baseball league program for age divisions 7-8, 9-10, 11-12, 13-14, high school (Saturday) and high school (Sunday wood bat).

The 12-game season includes playoffs for qualifying teams. Games will be on Saturday and Sunday. The cost is \$215 per player or \$1,399 per team. There are no umpire costs or fundraising fees.

For more information, call

(248) 668-0166.

SOCCER PLAYERS WANTED

The Wayne-Westland Strikers, an under-13 girls select soccer team, is seeking players for the upcoming season.

Interested players (must be born after Aug. 1, 1988) should call coach Mark Allen at (734) 722-6762.

CITY GOLF

This year's City Championship Golf Tournament, sponsored by the city of Wayne Parks and Recreation Department, will have a new location.

The 36-hole tournament will be played at Gateway Golf Club, located at Van Born and Venoy in Romulus, on Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 4-5.

Saturday's round begins with a shotgun start at 1:30 p.m. Sunday's tee times begin at 10 a.m.

Cost is \$95 per golfer, which includes two 18-hole rounds of golf, golf cart and awards. The tournament is open to all men and women from the cities of Wayne, Westland, Canton, Romulus, Inkster, Garden City and Van Buren Township. Golfers must live in the cities they represent.

Golfers living outside of these cities can sign up in the Open Division.

For further information, please call Jeff Rutter or Steve Winkelman at (734) 721-7400.

SOFTBALL LEAGUES

The second session of men's,

women's and co-ed adult softball leagues are now registering at the Canton Softball Center, located on Michigan. Cost is \$625 per team plus a \$10 per game umpires' fee, which includes 14 games (all double-headers) plus playoffs (all teams qualify).

Play starts Aug. 6. For more information, call (734) 483-5600.

HOCKEY LEAGUES

Compuware Sports Arena will now offer youth hockey leagues in the Mites and Squirts divisions this fall and winter.

The Mini-Mites Division (born after June 30, 1994), Mite Division (from July 1, 1992 to June 30, 1994) and Squirts Division (July 1, 1990 to June 30, 1992) will cost \$560 per player, with a \$125 non-refundable deposit due at registration. Cost includes all ice time, referee fees, USA hockey individual and team registration, jersey, socks and trophies.

Players will also have the chance to receive free tickets to future Whalers' home games and Whalers' merchandise. All ice times will be at CSA. The leagues will not use a lottery and there will be no residency restrictions.

Registration will be at Compuware Sports Arena, 14900 Beck in Plymouth through Aug. 1. CSA is also looking for volunteers, coaches, sponsors and team managers. For further information, call (734) 453-6400.

SOCCER CAMPS

The Detroit Rockers will host a series of summer soccer camps for boys and girls ages 4-14.

The cost is \$135 (\$10 off for additional family members). Area camp dates include: 1:30-4 p.m. Aug. 6-10 in Redford (Bell Creek Park).

Each camper will receive personal instruction from Rockers players, tickets to selected Rockers home games, 2001 camp T-shirt and summer camp edition of official Rockers Magazine.

Hotter soccer camps (ages 4-14), designed for players to reach the next level, and advanced striker and goalkeeper camps (ages 11-16) are also available. For more information, call (248) 366-6254 or (877) 480-KICK. You can also visit the website at www.detroitrockers.com.

Schoolcraft College will host four sessions of summer soccer schools for boys and girls ages 5-16 — Monday through Friday, Aug. 6-11.

The camp is directed by Schoolcraft College men's coach Van Dimitriou, assisted by Dominic and Mario Scicluna.

For more information, call (734) 462-4400, Ext. 5249 or 5255. Sessions for advanced, beginner and intermediate players are from 9 a.m. to noon.

The cost for beginner and intermediate players is \$105 per session (\$95 each additional family member). The cost for

advanced players is \$135.

Group rates, (10 or more) are \$95 (beginners/intermediates) and \$125 (advanced).

GOLF OUTINGS

The first annual Wayne Firebirds Squirt AA hockey team golf outing will be Sunday, Sept. 9 at Warren Valley in Dearborn Heights.

The cost is \$90 per player or \$360 per foursome. Included in the cost is 18 holes of golf, cart, hot dog and refreshments at the turn, dinner afterwards and a two-hour bar.

There will be a prize for first place, 50/50 raffle, fundraising raffle and silent auction.

Money raised will be used to help purchase equipment and help defray tournament costs.

Hole sponsorships are also available for \$100.

For more information, call Ken Tomalak at (313) 563-4057.

The 11th annual Livonia Stevenson High school alumni and friends golf outing will be Sunday, Sept. 9 at Fellows Creek, located at 2936 Lotz Road, Canton Township.

Shotgun tee off start is at 8:30 a.m. Coffee and doughnuts will be served from 7:15-8:15 a.m. A buffet dinner will follow at 2 p.m.

The cost for golf and dinner is \$100. Dinner only is \$50.

For more information, call Dave Falzon at (734) 464-8201.



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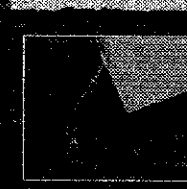
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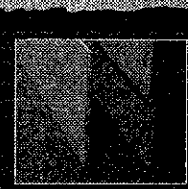
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ACTIVITIES

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Top Bass Tournament Trail will conduct an open singles draw bass tournament on Sunday, Aug. 11 on Lobdell Lake (Linden Marine Ramp) and Aug. 25-26 on Wixom Lake (Albright Shores Ramp). For specific times and fees, additional details and registration information, contact Elmer Daniels at (734) 729-1762 or Steve Randles at (734) 422-5813.

OAKLAND COUNTY SPORTFISHING ASSOCIATION

The Oakland County Sportfishing Association meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Wednesday of every month at Santia Hall, 1985 Cass Lake Road, Keego Harbor. Call (248) 693-4389 or visit the club's web site at <http://go.to/ocsa> for more information.

DOWNRIVER BASS ASSOCIATION

The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets at 6:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Gander Mountain (14100 Pardee Road) in Taylor. For more information, call Ron Fodor at (734) 676-2863 or send an e-mail to riverrat122@home.com.

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday

of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call Dominic Liparoto at (248) 476-5027 for more information.

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7:30 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Middle School, located on Middlebelt Road between Seven and Eight Mile roads. Visit www.mffc.org on the Internet for more information.

FOUR SEASONS

The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets 7:30-9:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Livonia Civic Park Senior Center, 15218 Farmington Road. The guest speakers for the Aug. 1 meeting will be Cabelas representatives Sandy Washmuth and Jay Smith and they will discuss techniques for deep water fishing. Visitors are welcome. Call Jim Kudej at (734) 591-0843 for more information.

HURON VALLEY STEELHEADERS

The Huron Valley Steelheaders meets the third Thursday of each month at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 27600 Hall Road, Flat Rock. Call Carroll White at (734) 285-0843 for more information.

SOLAR

The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation (SOLAR), a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activi-

ties, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658 for more information.

CLINTON RIVER BASS 'N RATS

The recently organized Clinton River Bass 'n Rats meets the first Monday of every month at 7:30 p.m. at the Gander Mountain Lodge. Call (810) 247-9900 for direction and additional information. The club is an affiliated chapter of the B.A.S.S. National Federation.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS

Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks toll free at the following numbers: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178; Hudson Mills, 1-800-477-3191.

FISHING FOR BEGINNERS

"Fishing for Beginners" is scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 4 at the Nature Center of Kensington Metropark near the Milford/Brighton area. Budding anglers will learn about fish and the sport of fishing before trying their luck. A fishing license is required for adults who wish to fish. Pre-registration is required.

For more information or to register, contact the Kensington Metropark Nature Center at 1-800-477-3178.

HORNS OF THE MOON

Organized groups will find out what the horns of the moon are during this evening walk scheduled for 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11 at the Stony Creek Metropark Nature Center. Be prepared to play moon trivia. Pre-registration is required. Call (810) 781-4621 for more information.

STATE PARKS

STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS

Lorber *from page D1*

Dana Lorber is 11 years old. He will enter sixth grade at Canton's Discovery Middle School in the next few weeks.

So was this rather spectacular feat exciting? "Yeah," Dana answered quietly. "I was just trying to get it on the green. It disappeared, so I thought it might have gone in (the hole)."

Dana had never played golf before entering the Parks and Recreation's junior program six weeks ago. After playing five consecutive Mondays, the program ended with a junior tournament Monday.

"What was kind of funny," said his mother, Denise, "was that

Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area, and Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration and additional information on the programs at Maybury call (248) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (248) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (248) 685-2187. For programs at Island Lake call (248) 229-7067.

WAYNE COUNTY PARKS

COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS

Wayne County Parks offers nature interpretive programs throughout the year. Advanced registration is requested. Call (734) 261-1990 to register and for more information.

(To submit items for consideration in the Observer & Eccentric's Outdoor Calendar send information to: *Outdoors*, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009; fax information to 248-644-1314.)

that ball ever again, Dana replied, "Nope." Probably wouldn't have to anytime soon anyway. Fellows Creek officials presented him with a box of 18 golf balls after his ace, which was witnessed by those playing with him and three accompanying adults.

And by the way — just in case those underpinnings supporting the sacred game haven't been frayed enough, here's something regarding a future tremor. On the very same hole that Dana got his ace, his brother Eric got a birdie.

And Eric is just nine.

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REAL ESTATE QUERIES**ROBERT M. MEISNER**

I am a homeowners association officer. The city is requiring us to have the association maintain the sidewalk outside of our property but not in the street right of way. Can it do this?

I am concerned for the association's potential liability. Do you have any comments?

According to a California court, the city CAN make you take care of that property.

In a recent case, a condominium association and not the municipality was deemed responsible for maintaining and repairing sidewalks between its property and a public street.

At first, you'd think the property is the city's responsibility. But many homeowners have discovered that they are responsible for repairing broken or slanted sidewalk squares.

The court further found that the association owed a duty to pedestrians to warn them of a dangerous condition or to make repairs.

To be perfectly clear about this, any disclosure documents and the master deed should set forth clearly to the association its responsibilities and liabilities.

This is especially important in the "gray" area having to do with the maintenance of the sidewalk. Association members need to know who's responsible for what so that there's adequate protection from a liability standpoint. The appropriate insurance should be obtained for the association.

Robert M. Meisner is an Oakland County area attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. You are invited to submit topics that you would like to see discussed in this column, including questions about condominiums, by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph, Suite 467, Bingham Farms MI 48025. His e-mail address is bmeisner@mich.com, and his Web site is www.meisner-law.com. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

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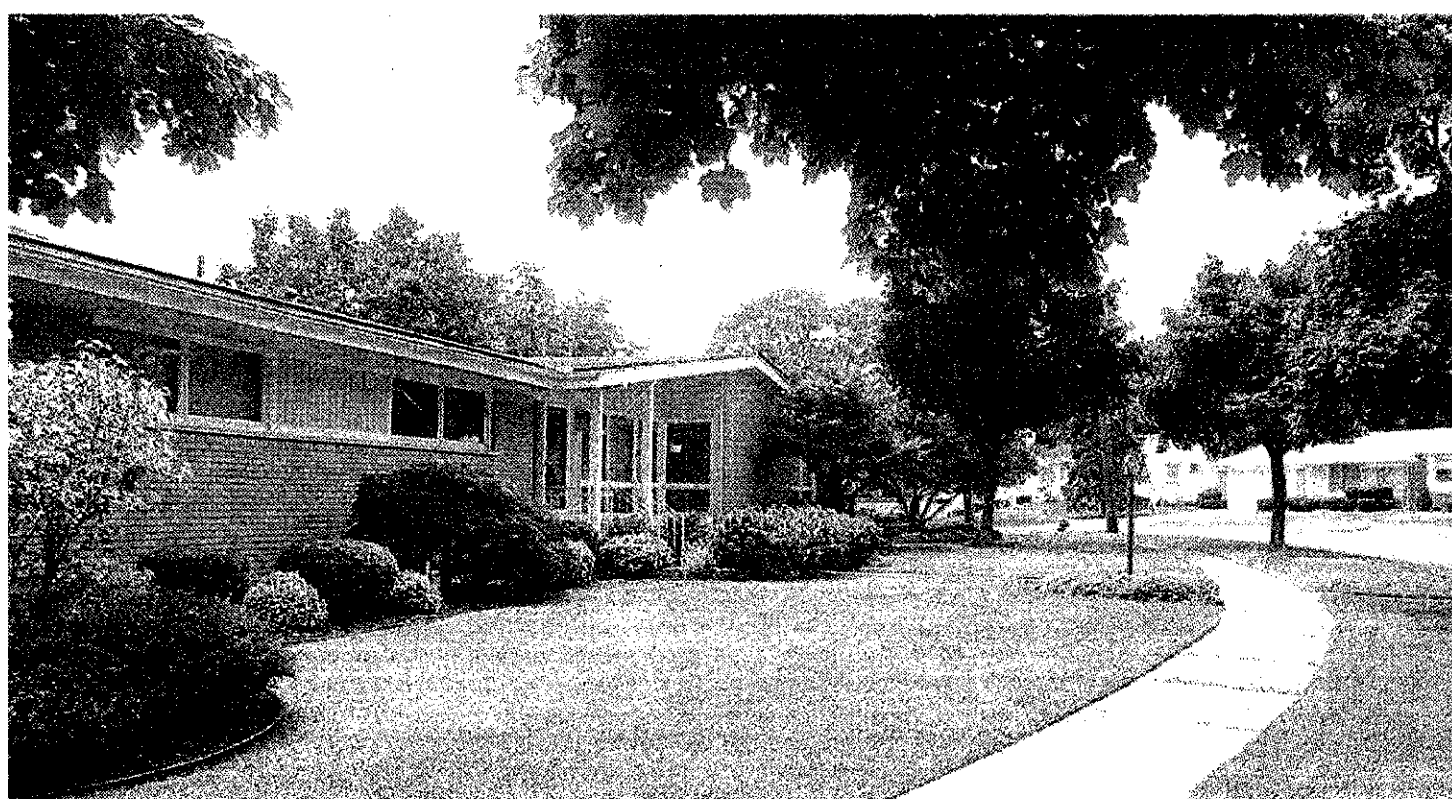
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Appreciation: Recent sales prices recorded by Realcomp II indicate that home ownership continues to be a good financial investment.

Home sales defy economy

BY DOUG FUNKE
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Sales prices for houses and condominiums in most Observer & Eccentric communities continued a trend of steady appreciation through the first six months of this year compared to the January-June period of 2000.

The increases varied widely, defying general analysis.

"Each market has developed its own niche," said Bob Taylor, president of the Birmingham Bloomfield Rochester South Oakland Association of Realtors. He's affiliated with Weir, Manuel, Snyder and Ranke in Birmingham.

"Before, if you had \$100,000, you only looked in certain neighborhoods," Taylor said. "Now, that's not the case. A lot of communities provide a substantial broader spectrum of houses than in the past."

The median sales price (half above, half below) climbed 20 percent in Rochester to \$288,888.

The sales price includes houses and condos, existing and new construction.

The median price in Canton Township leaped to \$220,000, a 12-percent increase over the first six months of last year, according to Realcomp II. In Oxford Township and the village of Oxford combined, the median sales price rose by 7.6 percent to \$213,000.

Both Canton and Oxford townships are high-growth, new residential construction communities. Soaring median sales prices usually accompany building booms because new generally sells for a lot more than existing.

Results also were mixed in older, more-established communities that didn't experience much growth in housing stock.

Southfield, \$155,000, and Redford, \$120,000, rose 9 percent, Garden City, \$124,700, rose 2.7 percent.

Birmingham remained exactly the same — \$245,000 as of June 30 this year and midyear 2000.

The median sales price slipped a bit in Oakland Township 3.5 percent to \$349,850, and nearly 1 percent in Independence/Clarkston to \$228,000.

Despite some short-term numbers, the median sales price has jumped substantially throughout the Observer & Eccentric coverage area over the past four years, far out-pacing inflation.

"The Detroit metro area has one of the highest percentages of home ownership in the country," Taylor said. "It's a standard practice. When you have money, interest rates stay reasonable and unemployment isn't an issue, people are going to buy."

Teri Spiro, president of the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors, said she advises clients not to wait for a lull or drop in the market to buy because it may never come.

"It's supply and demand," said Spiro, an associate broker with Century 21 Town & Country in West Bloomfield. "I see no end to prices getting higher any time soon."

"I advise clients the average first-time purchase is the critical one. You get your foot in the door. Buy a small condo, a two-bedroom home. You can get into a house or condo with some

lender programs for under \$5,000.

"The only way you can make it in the real estate market is jump in right away. Realize you're not going to get everything you want (in a starter home)."

Build some equity, then move up, Spiro advised.

In addition to basic economics, crime rates, reputation of the local public school district, municipal services provided and personal amenities impact individual real estate markets.

"You've got lakes, recreation, shopping all within close drives of work centers," said Jim Newton, president of the North Oakland County Board of Realtors.

"It (escalating price/ value) is great for people who live there, not for people who want to live there," added Newton, Realtor relations manager for Standard Federal Bank.

The age and quality of housing stock also affect actual sales prices within a community and across boundaries.

Median sales prices must be regarded with care, especially in Bloomfield Hills, Bloomfield Township and West Bloomfield, said Karen Kage, CEO at Realcomp II.

Over the years, some sales in Bloomfield Hills have been reported with no price.

Median figures in Bloomfield Township and West Bloomfield are averages of three submarkets, which can skewer the price of a single individual sale.

Also, fewer sales with large variances in prices will affect median price significantly.

Inflation threatens renters

MORTGAGE BITS**TIM 'TIMBO' PHILLIPS**

Why rent a home when you can own one? Interest rates are great and the selection of available homes on the market is excellent. In fact, if you are currently renting and your lease expires in the next 120 days, you should take a few minutes to explore possible financing options for a home of your own.

While it is remotely possible there is a good reason for renting year after year, there is one huge reason not to rent for that long ... inflation. To know inflation is to love inflation ... if you can get it working for you instead of against you.

Your inflation-savvy landlord owns property that will likely continue to gain value every year. If his operating expenses for your property squeeze his profit margin too much, he will tell you that you need to pay him higher rent. Your choice is to pay more or to move.

How can inflation compel you to own instead of rent? Well, in 1970 a U.S. postage stamp was 6 cents, a gallon of gas was about half a dollar, and a simple three-bedroom ranch put you back \$30,000. Today, you can mail the letter for 34 cents, tank up for 30 bucks, and that same home costs about \$135,000. Using the same historical inflation rates, in 2030 you will pay \$1.85 per stamp, \$130 to fill up, and a cool \$600,000 for that cute starter home.

Unless you believe that your landlord will "freeze" your current rent payment for the next 30 years, your decision is not whether to buy, it is how soon to buy. At today's interest rates, your \$1,000-per-month rent payment should get you a mortgage of \$110,000 to \$145,000, depending on your credit, down payment and loan type.

Mortgage lenders have many innovative loan programs to help renters get into a house. Some offer mortgages for borrowers with "bruised credit." Others require only a small down payment, while still others will not even ask how much money you make.

Create wealth for yourself, not for your landlord. If you are renting, ask a mortgage lender how far off you are from being able to buy. You may be pleasantly surprised.

Tim "Timbo" Phillips is a mortgage loan officer in Plymouth. For a free mortgage pre-qualification or credit assessment, you may contact him at PhillipsHQ@yahoo.com, or at (734) 797-5522 [24 hours]. Homebuyers should always consult a professional for guidance specific to their situation.

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Auburn Hills (103 sales)	\$149,100	\$142,250	\$124,250	\$122,900	\$105,500.
Birmingham (226)	\$245,000	\$245,000	\$227,000	\$234,500	\$187,000.
Bloomfield Hills (38)	\$320,000	\$262,450	\$320,500	\$361,000	\$480,000.
Bloomfield Twp. (290)	\$263,000	\$223,000	\$242,200	\$223,950	\$203,250.
Clarkston/Independence Twp. (253)	\$228,000	\$230,000	\$212,500	\$179,950	\$174,875.
Farmington/Ftn Hills (578)	\$221,000	\$204,000	\$192,000	\$180,000	\$169,900.
Lake Orion/Orion Twp. (250)	\$218,500	\$187,250	\$184,000	\$165,500	\$152,000.
Oakland Township (87)	\$349,850	\$362,500	\$306,000	\$330,000	\$271,060.
Oxford/Oxford Twp. (123)	\$213,000	\$198,000	\$164,000	\$173,900	\$159,950.
Rochester (89)	\$288,888	\$239,900	\$161,000	\$145,750	\$136,000.
Rochester Hills (505)	\$242,000	\$238,900	\$231,500	\$204,500	\$200,500.
Southfield (417)	\$155,000	\$142,000	\$140,000	\$129,900	\$122,000.
Troy (436)	\$234,000	\$215,000	\$197,250	\$187,500	\$182,000.
Waterford (589)	\$152,250	\$147,400	\$136,000	\$126,700	\$119,000.
West Bloomfield (436)	\$219,833	\$224,675	\$241,000	\$213,300	\$195,000.
Canton (630)	\$220,000	\$196,900	\$185,000	\$170,000	\$162,250.
Garden City (202)	\$124,700	\$121,400	\$110,000	\$97,750	\$92,000.
Livonia (691)	\$174,000	\$159,900	\$150,000	\$140,250	\$130,000.
Plymouth/Plymouth Twp. (271)	\$222,900	\$194,950	\$180,500	\$160,000	\$153,750.
Redford (459)	\$120,000	\$110,000	\$98,000	\$89,000	\$82,000.
Westland (549)	\$134,900	\$125,000	\$115,250	\$107,750	\$92,900.

Source: Realcomp II

HOUSING STOCK

Number of units - houses, condos and apartments - reported for select states. (All numbers in millions.)



LOCATION:	POPULATION in Million	STOCK in Million
CALIFORNIA	34.3	12.3
TEXAS	21.3	8.3
NEW YORK	19.1	7.7
FLORIDA	16.4	7.4
ILLINOIS	12.5	4.9
PENNSYLVANIA	12.3	5.3
OHIO	11.4	4.8
MICHIGAN	10	4.3
GEORGIA	8.4	3.3
N. CAROLINA	8.2	3.6

Source: U.S. HOUSING MARKETS

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Canton		4332 Hunters Cir E	\$156,000	31335 Elmwood St	\$50,000	29559 Lamar Ln	\$182,000	14927 Robinwood Dr	\$246,000	19907 Poinciana	\$120,000
		4407 Hunters Cir W	\$154,000	362 Lytle Pl	\$111,000	9072 Lathers St	\$160,000	49048 Woodway Dr	\$342,000	25511 Saint Martins Ave	\$85,000
		44920 Lemont Rd	\$228,000	6648 Whitby St	\$112,000	16547 Middlebelt Rd	\$80,000			9003 Seminole	\$156,000
		42771 Lilley Pointe Dr	\$122,000			38596 Northfield Ave	\$223,000	Redford		8841 Virgil	\$95,000
		43146 Londonderry Ct	\$206,000	Livonia		11623 Rose Linda Dr	\$64,000	15940 Beech Daly Rd	\$57,000		
		44422 Newbury Pk	\$106,000	9837 Brook Fld	\$159,000	11677 Rose Linda Dr	\$64,000	18686 Brady	\$89,000	Westland	
		43818 Palisades Dr	\$135,000	12447 Cavell St	\$91,000			15981 Denby	\$129,000	29925 Ann Arbor Trl	\$152,000
		4680 Pond Run	\$274,000	31117 Delhay St	\$170,000	Plymouth		11395 Dixie	\$119,000	33005 Chief Ln	\$141,000
		2929 River Meadow Cir	\$238,000	36440 Dover St	\$159,000	11820 Amherst Ct	\$256,000	24445 Elmira	\$131,000	37698 Colonial Dr	\$116,000
		47832 Royal Pointe Dr	\$360,000	8884 E Deborah Ct	\$193,000	12715 Andover Dr	\$287,000	19395 Five Points St	\$125,000	7770 Donna St	\$150,000
		41025 Southwind Dr	\$115,000	38637 Elsie St	\$167,000	44529 Marc Trl	\$194,000	15912 Kinloch	\$120,000	34983 Marquette St	\$110,000
		41134 Southwind Dr	\$115,000	14572 Fairway St	\$175,000	240 Parkview Dr	\$168,000	17202 Kinloch	\$121,000	35047 Marquette St	\$142,000
		6311 Winter Dr	\$194,000	20126 Farmington Rd	\$248,000	49962 Plymouth Way	\$161,000	18217 MacArthur	\$127,000	8112 Milburn St	\$119,000
				8929 Floral St	\$96,000	14801 Plymouth Xing	\$292,000	19444 MacArthur	\$119,000	8003 N Merriman Rd	\$41,000
		Garden City		20125 Floral St	\$36,000	49463 Pointe Xing	\$176,000	9090 Mercedes	\$144,000	38482 Terry Ln	\$207,000
		33648 Bock St	\$70,000	14209 Ingram St	\$185,000	169 River Oaks Dr	\$122,000	9589 Mercedes	\$144,000	36508 Tom Brown Ct	\$266,000
7678 Birkkian Dr	\$255,000										
2017 Brookline St	\$169,000										
1379 Clavey Ct	\$236,000										
46724 Club Ct	\$364,000										
39673 Dorchester Cir	\$266,000										
6047 Fairborn Dr	\$382,000										
45081 Horseshoe Cir	\$170,000										

Commercial real estate markets flat at midyear

Rising vacancies, lower demand and growing amounts of lower-priced space available for sublease put significant downward pressure on commercial real estate rental rates across metropolitan Detroit at midyear 2001, recent research by Colliers International found.

While asking lease rate averages remained at or near record-high levels, some landlords of office and industrial properties began discounting asking rents. More landlords also offered larger tenant improvement allowances and shorter lease terms to attract tenants in an increasingly competitive market.

A few office landlords even offered a month or two of free rent in markets with high vacancy rates.

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Overall asking lease rates averaged \$25.63 per square foot for suburban "class-A" office space and \$28.46 per square foot

for class-A office space in the Detroit Central Business District. Average quoted rents for warehouse/manufacturing space dipped slightly to \$6.01 per square foot in the suburbs and measured \$3.30 in Detroit. Asking rents in research and development/high-tech properties averaged \$9.98 per square foot in the suburbs and \$11.33 in the city.

Despite the softer market, the suburban Detroit warehouse lease market recorded a relatively healthy 8.1-percent vacancy rate, essentially the same as a year ago when the economy was booming. Colliers' brokers

reported an increase in building tours and general inquiries in that sector during second quarter. They also noted growing optimism among automotive suppliers, as automakers projected an increase in work for suppliers by summer's end.

None of it translated into new leases, however, as users of all types of real estate maintained their wait-and-see approach. Each product sector - warehouse, research and office - recorded more available sublease space as the wave of business consolidations and downsizing continued.

In metro Detroit's office mar-

ket, the 1.2 million square feet of sublease space available at midyear comprised 18 percent of the total vacant space. The overall vacancy rate in class-A buildings rose to 12.6 percent from 9.6 percent with sublease space added to space available for lease directly from landlords. The class-B vacancy rate climbed to 15.1 percent from 13 percent with the addition of sublease space, and the class-C market's vacancy rate rose to 11.9 percent from 10.9 percent.

Vacancy rates in metro Detroit's research market rose to 19.3 percent at midyear 2001 - 17.2 percent in the suburbs and

35.2 percent in the city of Detroit. This sector has softened tremendously since midyear 2000, when, in the midst of the dot-com boom, it posted a 5.9-percent vacancy rate.

Additional information and complete statistics are included in Colliers International's midyear 2001 industrial, investment and office market reviews, available free on www.colliers.com/ Detroit or by calling (248) 540-1000.

Colliers International offers commercial real estate from its main office in Bingham Farms.

How to cancel mortgage insurance

Homeowners have to buy private mortgage insurance when they put down less than 20 percent on a home loan. This insurance protects the mortgage holder against default.

The average cost of private mortgage insurance is \$85 a month. It's not the cost that outrages people, it is the fact that they often pay for the coverage long after they have reached 20-percent equity.

The problem of overpayment was addressed by the cancella-

tion provision of the Homeowners Protection Act 1999, which called for automatic termination once 22 percent equity was reached.

This law however, does not have a grandfather clause and only helps homeowners who bought after July 20, 1999.

However, homeowners can get tips and pointers on how to cancel PMI at homebiznet.nu/bwm/index.html and click on the banner toward the bottom of the page.

Existing home sales are holding up well

Sales of existing single-family homes slipped last month from the third-highest pace on record, but remain above year-ago levels, according to the National Association of Realtors.

Existing-home sales eased 0.6 percent in June to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 5.33 million units from a level of 5.36 million units in May. Last month's sales activity remained 2.9 percent above the 5.18-million unit pace in June 2000.

Sales remain very strong, said David Lereah, NAR's chief economist. "The current volume of existing-home sales matches the fifth-highest month on record, and sales activity has been fluctuating at exceptionally high levels for most of this year."

"With mortgage interest rates projected to rise slightly to around 7.3 percent during the second half of the year, and some expected sluggishness in the general economy, month-to-month home sales should

trend down from these high marks. However, we expect a total of 5.15 million existing-home sales in 2001, making this year the second highest on record," Lereah added.

The national average commitment rate for a 30-year, conventional, fixed-rate mortgage was 7.16 percent in June, essentially unchanged from 7.15 percent in May; it was 8.29 percent in June 2000, according to Freddie Mac.

Inventory levels increased in June, NAR President Richard A. Mendenhall said. "In many areas there have been shortages of homes available for sale, but raw inventories rose 9.1 percent last month with 1.68 million homes on the market. This is helping to bring buyers and sellers into a closer balance, but the market is still tilted in favor of sellers in many areas," he said.

The national median existing-home price was \$152,600 in June, up 8.8 percent from June 2000 when the median price was \$140,200. "The higher home price in June partially reflects the trade-up buyers' pref-

erence for larger homes," Lereah said. The median is the midpoint, which is a typical market price where half of the homes sold for more and half sold for less.

In the Midwest, homes were reselling at an annual rate of 1.14 million units in June, down 4.2 percent from May, but were 1.8 percent above June 2000. The median price in the Midwest was \$130,900, up 3.2 percent from a year ago.

Home resale activity in the West rose 6.6 percent from May to an annual rate of 1.46 million units in June; they were 5.0 percent higher than June 2000. The median existing-home price in the West was \$198,000, up 6.9 percent from the same month a year earlier.

Existing-home sales in the Northeast slipped 1.6 percent from May to a pace of 630,000 units in June; the sales rate was 3.1 percent below June 2000. The median existing-home price in the Northeast was \$150,800, up 4.1 percent from a year ago.

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CONTINUING ED

The sales and marketing council of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan sponsors a continuing education seminar to fulfill annual state real estate license renewal requirements.

The class goes 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, at BIA headquarters, 30375 Northwestern, Suite 100, Farmington Hills.

Cost, which includes continental breakfast and lunch, is \$50 for sales and marketing council members, \$55 for Apartment

Association of Michigan and BIA members and \$80 for others.

To register, call (248) 862-1033.

CAREER OPEN HOUSE

Real Estate One presents a free class on how to get into residential real estate sales noon to 1:15 p.m. Wednesdays, Aug. 8 and 22, at its West Bloomfield office, 7499 Middlebelt at 14 Mile.

Topics include licensing, training and evaluating a broker.

To register, call Steve Leibhan at (248) 851-4100 Ext. 105.

WOMEN REALTORS

Western Wayne Chapter of the Women's Council of Realtors holds murder mystery dinner 6-9 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10, at Longacre House, 24705 Farmington Road (between 10 and 11 Mile roads). Theme: 1920s Bugsy. 1920s dress optional. Price: \$35. Ticket information: Enid at (810) 309-8191.

MORTGAGE CONVENTION

The Michigan Mortgage Lenders Association presents its 23rd annual convention Sunday-Tuesday, Aug. 12-14, at Shanty Creek Resort in Bellaire.

For information, contact Brian Ludtke at (248) 945-5239 or Joanne Misuraca at (248) 356-6857.

INTERNET TECHNOLOGY

The Remodelers Council of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan hosts a seminar, "Internet Technology and How It Helps the Remodeler," 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 15, at its offices, 30375 Northwestern, Suite 100, Farmington Hills.

Cost, which includes dinner, is \$30 for BIA and Apartment Association of Michigan members, \$35 for nonmembers.

To register, call (248) 862-1008.

HOME-BUYING SEMINAR

Free seminar featuring tips on entire home-buying process presented 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 18, at Lewis College of Business, 17370 Myers Road, Detroit. Sponsors: Standard Federal Bank, Detroit Board of Realtors. Information: (800) 643-9600 Ext. 28812.

ULI GOLF OUTING

The fourth annual University of Michigan Real Estate Forum and Urban Land Institute Golf Outing takes place Monday, Aug. 20, at the U-M Golf Course in Ann Arbor.

Cost, which includes golf, prizes, lunch, beverages and a hot hors d'oeuvres reception, is \$150. Corporate sponsorship, \$1,500, includes one foursome and a hole sponsorship.

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BIA UPDATES

The Building Industry Associ-

ation of Southeastern Michigan now provides weekly updates of news and information affecting the construction industry to members via e-mail.

Contact Rosalie Lamb at the association, (248) 737-4477 for details.

CONTAMINATION SITES

VISTInfo, a publicly owned company based in San Diego, has a Web site that offers a free overview of environmental conditions - contaminated waste sites, hazardous waste locations and landfills - by ZIP code.

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tute can help community association managers and board members ensure that their playgrounds and tot lots are as safe as possible.

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The Fair Housing Center of Metropolitan Detroit continues a membership drive. Categories include individual membership (\$15), family (\$25) and organizational (\$50)

For information, call (313) 963-1274.

Fixed-rates fall; one-year ARMS rise

Rates on 30-year and 15-year mortgages around the country this week edged down for the second week in a row, while rates on one-year adjustable mortgages rose sharply.

The average interest rate on 30-year fixed-rate mortgages dipped to 7.03 percent for the week ending July 27, down from 7.08 percent last week, according to a nationwide survey released by Freddie Mac, the mortgage company.

Fifteen-year mortgages, a popular option for refinancing, fell to 6.58 percent this week, compared with 6.65 percent the previous week.

At the same time last year, rates for 30-year mortgages averaged 8.13 percent and rates for 15-year mortgages averaged 7.29 percent.

On one-year adjustable-rate mortgages, lenders were asking an average initial rate of 5.72 percent, up from 5.62 percent the week before. Last year, one-year ARMs stood at 7.29 percent.

These rates do not include add-on fees known as points, which averaged around 1 percent of the loan amount for all three types of mortgages.

"Mortgage rates have remained below 7.25 percent since the end of last year," said Freddie Mac chief economist Robert Van Order. "And, it is these affordable rates that are contributing to the continuing vibrancy of the housing sector."

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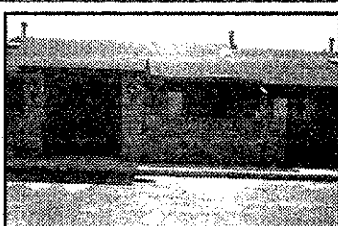
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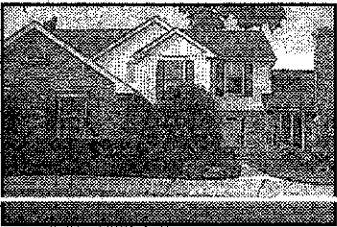
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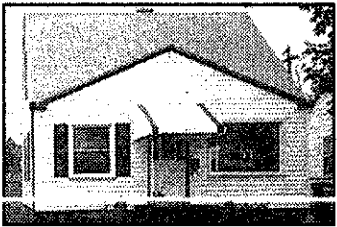
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NICE FAMILY-FRIENDLY NEIGHBORHOOD. A must see Fairways West Colonial featuring 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths, 2 story family room with gas fireplace. First floor study, traditional dining/living room. Master with luxury bath, guest room with its own bath. Nicely landscaped court location with deck, sprinklers & 3 car garage. Move in and enjoy! \$394,900 (352EL)



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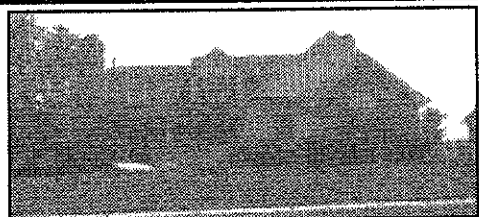
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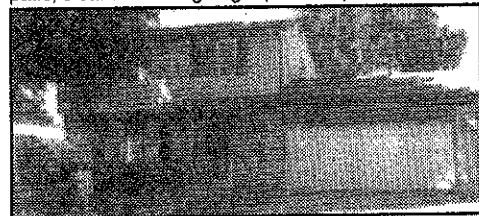
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CANTON COLONIAL! This 3 bedroom., 1 1/2 bath, family room w/fireplace, newer furnace and C/A colonial is priced to sell. Nice fenced backyard w/patio, 2 car garage w/side entry, walk to sub park. Owner motivated. Pre-Approved Buyers please. (P34RUD) \$201,900



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SPECTACULAR CAPE COD ON PHEASANT RUN 4 bedroom, open floor plan, perfect for entertaining. 2-story great room w/custom-built fieldstone fireplace, 1st floor master suite w/vaulted ceiling, 2 walk-in closets, garden tub & open stairway. Quality upgrades throughout & exceptional landscaping. (P32MU) \$379,900

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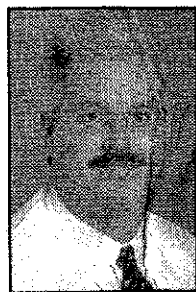
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TMP Associates, an architectural and engineering firm in Bloomfield Hills, announces several promotions.



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Clyde C. Wilson, AIA, a Livonia resident, was promoted to associate from staff member. He's a Lawrence Tech grad and a

member of the American Institute of Architects.

Jon Riebe, a White Lake resident, was promoted to principal from senior associate. He's a graduate of Lawrence Technological University.

James Bowers of Bloomfield Township was promoted to senior associate from associate.

John N. Miller, AIA, who lives in Birmingham, was promoted to principal from senior associate. He's a Lawrence Tech graduate and a member of the American Institute of Architects.

Dave Cheshire Jr. of Waterford was promoted to associate from staff member. He's a graduate of Oakland Community College and a member of the U.S. Green Building Council.

Christopher Nikonchuk of Oak Park was promoted to associate from staff member. He's also a Lawrence Tech alumnus.

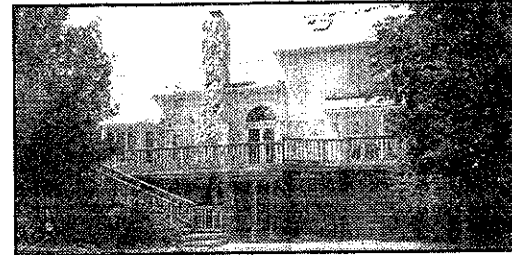
David Reece, AIA, has been appointed vice president with Etkin Skanska Design Build in Farmington Hills. He has been director of planning and marketing at the firm since February of 2000.

He has a bachelor of science degree in architecture from Lawrence Tech and is a member of the American Institute of Architects.

Reece lives in Rochester Hills.

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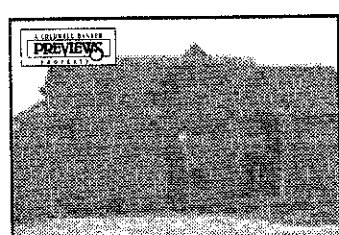
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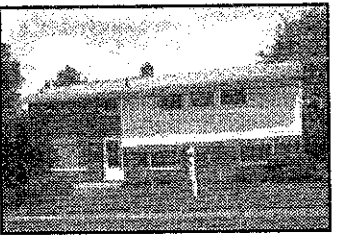
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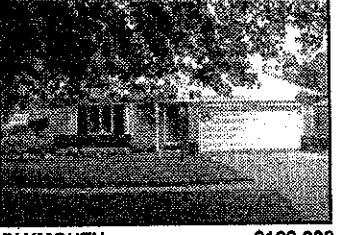
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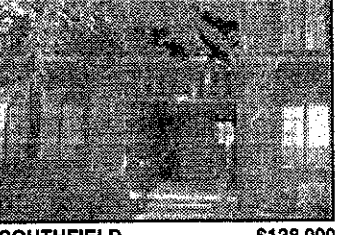
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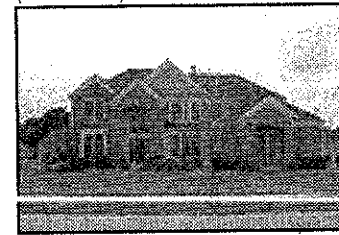
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Tastefully Decorated! Terrific upper condo in desirable Wellington Manor. Wonderfully maintained, very spacious room sizes, newer white kitchen w/appliances, new A/C & furnace. (BGL-31WEL) 734-462-1811



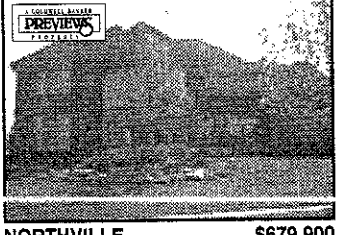
CANTON \$439,900
Exceptional 4 br, Colonial! W/many upgrades. 3 car garage, 3 baths, 2.5 baths. Luxurious master ste. Good location in sub. 2 story family room. Large kitchen w/nook, fireplace. (BGN96WAT) 248-347-3050



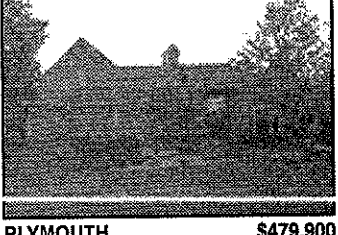
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Fabulous Jewel! This Tudor has been completely redone from top to bottom. Just move in & enjoy this beauty. 4 br, finished bsmt, private yard & updates throughout! (BGN40ROS) 248-347-3050



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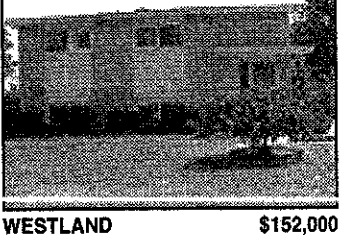
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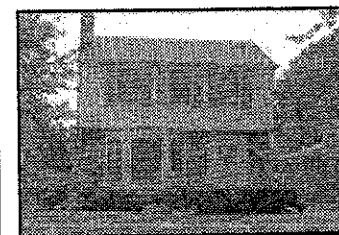
REDFORD \$109,900
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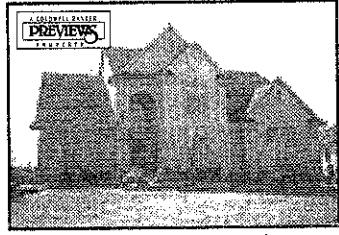
CANTON \$419,900
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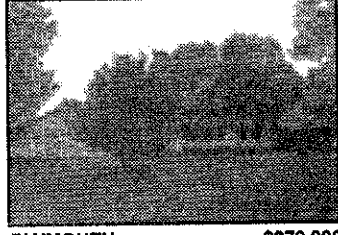
DETROIT \$161,900
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Open Sun. 1-5. 12510 Woodland Lane. 734-397-8627.</p> <p>CANTON - Exquisite Ranch 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, attached garage, finished basement, many extras. Must see 43926 Simsburg. Open Sun 12-5pm, or call for appt: 734-455-6599</p> <p>CANTON - Open House Sun. Aug 5th, 1-4pm. 2016 Sheldon, just S. of Ford Rd., E. of Canton Center. 3 bedroom colonial w/basement, garage. \$154,900. Angela Nefetto & Co. Real Estate (734) 697-6655.</p> <p>Canton Open Sat., 1-4 43584 Yorkville N. of Palmer, E. of Sheldon Light & Bright 2 bedroom, great room w/fireplace, deck, basement, white finished room, attached garage. \$159,500. Ask for Judy Powell, Pager 734-651-1643 Real Estate One... 734-591-9200</p> <p>CANTON - OPEN SAT. 1-3 44610 Cranbrook Court (S/Palmer, W/Canton Ctr.) JUST REDUCED! 10 year new brick ranch featuring 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, great room w/fireplace, master bedroom with bath, 1st floor laundry, full basement & 2 car attached garage. Vaulted ceilings, neutral decor. 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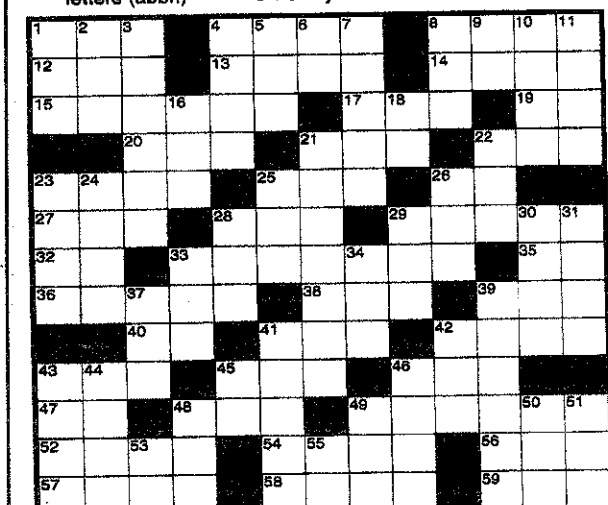
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323 Howell

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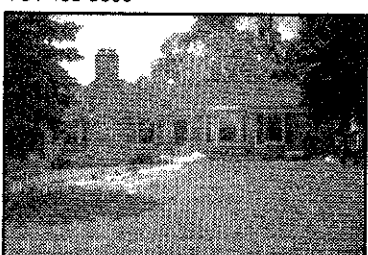
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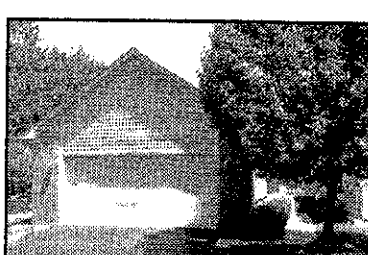
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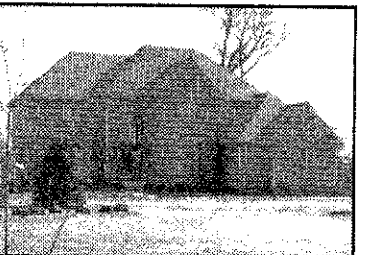
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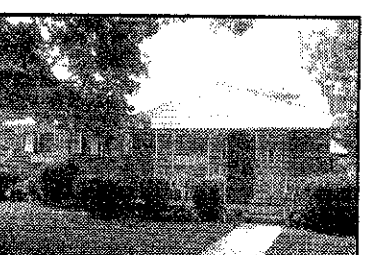
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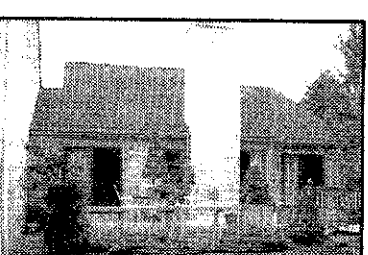
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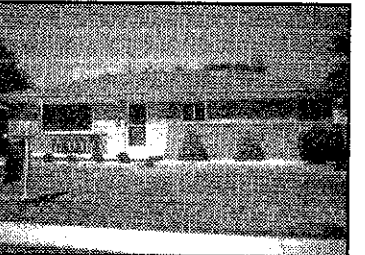
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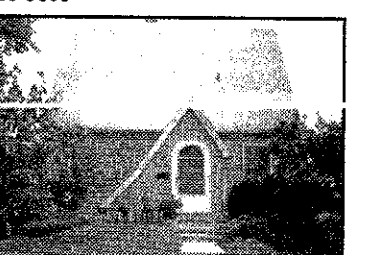
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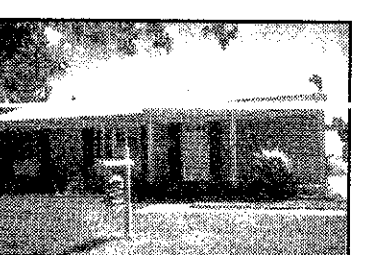
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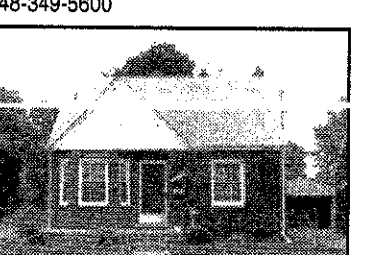
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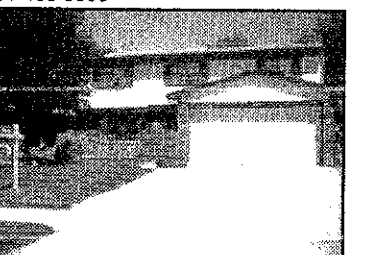
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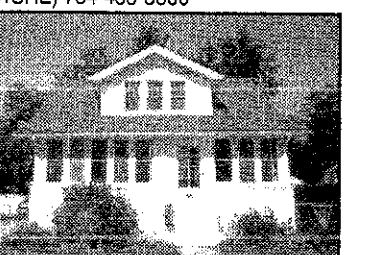
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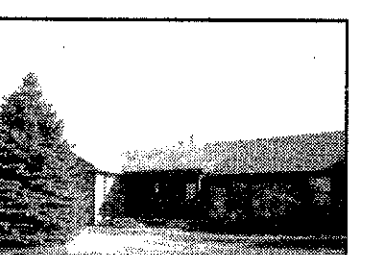
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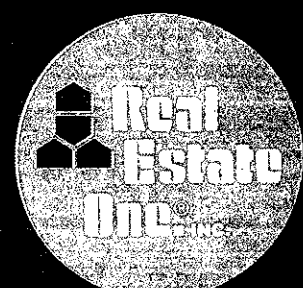
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PICTURE PERFECT Is this brick Colonial w/ over 2600 sq ft, 4 bdrms, hardwood floors, 2.5 baths, master suite w/his & hers closets, Jacuzzi, Library, full bsmt, 2 car garage. (K222)

734-326-2000



PLYMOUTH \$299,900
GET THIS 4 BR CAPE FAST! This home mostly brick, features some ceramic and hardwood, 2.5 baths, f/p, deck, basement needs ceiling to be finished, transfer sale. (W12710)

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CANTON \$299,900
BRING THE HOTDOGS! A BBQ deck surrounded by tall trees & flowers comes w/this 3 bdrm, 2.5 bath home. Kit w/gleaming hrdwd flrs. Open concept great rm. Mstr ste w/a huge closet. (23N47213)

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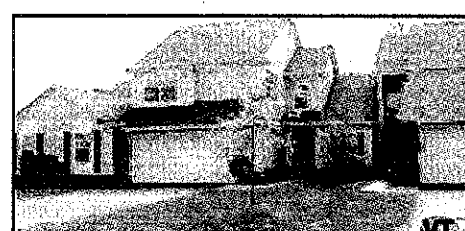
PLYMOUTH \$299,000
ABSOLUTELY MARVELOUS! This 4 bdrm, 2 bath cape cod is ready for a new owner. Upgrades include a beautiful kit w/custom cabinets, granite counters, tile flooring. Cozy LR w/ frplc. (23H1360)

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NOVI \$289,900
NOVI'S WHISPERING MEADOWS 3 BR colonial updated to perfection from new oak kitchen, new window & roof, FR w/fp, new doorwall to lg deck, & one of the larger lots in sub. Freshly painted. (S22391)

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CANTON \$284,900
BEAUTIFUL 3 BR CONDO! Spectacular view of Golf Course/11th hole & pond. 2-way FP & lg deck, cathedral ceilings, c/a, 2.5 bths, 1st fl mstr, 1st fl laun, some hwd flrs. (50TH12)

248-348-6430



LIVONIA \$277,900
GREAT LOCATION! This 4 BR colonial features newer windows, roof, copper plumbing, hrdwd flrs, power attic fan, 3 season enclosed porch, finished bsmt - too many xtras to list! (F17550)

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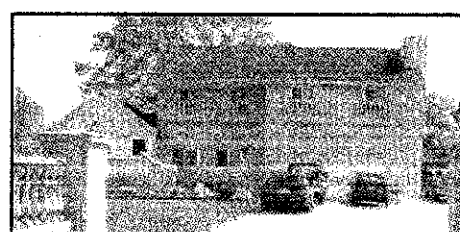
CANTON \$259,900
LOVELY, MINT CONDITION Move in perfect 3 BR, 2 bath, 1620 ranch, full brick, 2.5 car att'd car, open fl plan, 1st fl laundry, 2 yrs old, deep spacious bsmt, prof. landscaped. (S4643)

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PLYMOUTH \$249,900
POPULAR LAKEPOINT VILLAGE! Lovely 3 BR, 2 bath Quad w/1,560 SF, main bath updated w/granite, corian & jetted tub. New vinyl windows, oak cabinetry. (42FAR2)

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FARMINGTON HILLS \$247,000
RUN A BUSINESS & RAISE A FAMILY! Big house, big yard, completely remodeled. 5 BR, 2.5 baths, 3100 sq ft, 1st fl mstr, 2 car att'd garage, basement. Great Farmington Hills location! (A30595)

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LIVONIA \$242,500
THEY ARE ANTIQUE DEALERS AND CAR BUFFS! They have lovingly restored this 1933 classic home. Everything is updated. New kit made to look like original. Leaded glass wndws over f/p. Lot is outstanding. (M18665)

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PLYMOUTH \$209,900
PLYMOUTH COLONIAL! 3 bdrm, 1.5 bath col. New windows, roof, 50 gal hwh. Fam rm w/nat frplc. Newer kit. Mature pines provide year round privacy. Nearby access to elementary school. (23T9087)

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PLYMOUTH \$184,900
IMMACULATELY CARED FOR HOME! at the end of cul-de-sac backing to woods. 3 BR, family rm w/fp, 2 car garage, partly finished bsmt. Hurry! Won't last! (T8024)

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PLYMOUTH \$184,900
WHAT A VALUE! 4 bdrm, 2 bath ranch. Lg fam rm w/nat frplc leads to a covered deck. Many updates. Cul-de-sac location. Easy access to I-275. (23B8811)

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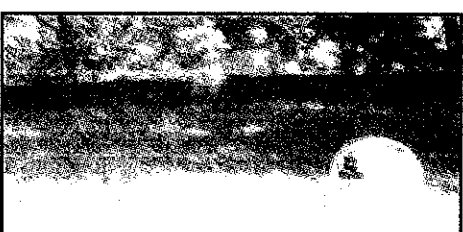
LIVONIA \$180,000
COUNTRY CHARMER! Huge park yard. 4 BR cape cod, 2 full baths, newer kitchen, family rm w/cathedral ceiling, drive thru garage w/ newer doors. (M20221)

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CANTON \$179,900
BROADFRONT RANCH Open floor plan. Newer windows, marble sills, furnace, steel entry doors, garage door. 3 season FLA RM, huge country kitchen, .92 acres. Many extras. (S474)

734-326-2000



PINCKNEY \$179,900
YEAR ROUND OR SUMMER RETREAT! Updated 3 bdrm Home overlooking Patterson Lake. Keyed boat access to chain of 7 lakes. 120x150 lot plus 50x100 lot that backs to 180 acres of State Land. (P114)

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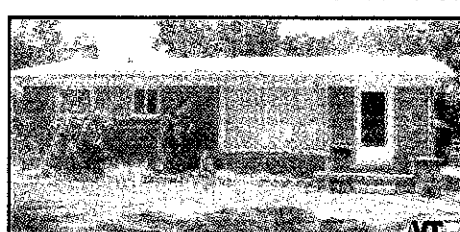
WESTLAND \$159,900
CLEAN AS CAN BE Is this 3 bdrm 2 bath Ranch. New roof, Wallside windows, updated kitchen, fireplace, additional bdrm/office w/full bath, finished basement, 2 car garage. (M281)

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CANTON \$159,900
NEWER CANTON CONDO! Sharp 2 BR, 1.5 bath, CA, 1st floor laundry, 1,180 SF, attached 1-car garage and nice yard. A pleasure to show! Exclusions! (27HUN2)

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DEARBORN HEIGHTS \$159,875
MOVE RIGHT INTO THIS SHARP RANCH! Updates incl: windows, AC & furn '96, patio '98, roof '99, kit counter/interior painting '01. Fin bsmt & 2-car garage! Wonderful area! (82WH12)

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WESTLAND \$153,900
PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP shows t/o this nice 3 BR Ranch. Many updates incl: most windows, roof, furn, a/c, garage door & exterior doors. Sharp fin bsmt w/plenty of storage. Hurry! (28APA2)

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GARDEN CITY \$139,900
AVAILABLE TODAY Be in for school with this clean and nicely decorated 3 bedroom brick Ranch in Garden City. Full basement, den, hardwood floors, ceramic bath, fireplace, C/A.

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REDFORD \$129,900
GREAT VALUE, GREAT LOCATION, GREAT HOME! Move right in. Clean & fresh as a whistle, newly painted, finished bsmt & home warranty. (64MAR2)

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REDFORD \$119,900
REDFORD TWO! 1,064 SF, Brick Ranch with 3 BR & 1 bath. Updates include: bathroom, windows, furnace, AC, electric, roof & gutters. (12KIN2)

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REDFORD \$119,900
A FAMILY RM, 2 BR, GARAGE, BSMNT, and huge deck highlight this 1230 sq ft bungalow. With a little TLC, it offers great value. P.S. -New roof! (W20427)

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WESTLAND \$119,900
SPOTLESS HOME w/many updates! Newer bath, windows, some copper plumbing. New roof 6/01, beautifully landscaped w/pond, 2.5 car garage. Shows well! (45B002)

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INKSTER \$83,000
SEARCH IS OVER Very well cared for 3 bedroom aluminum Bungalow. Newer roof and furnace. Garage, basement, fenced lot. (H283)

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WAYNE \$82,900
LOTS OF UPDATES Newer covered patio and carport, water heater and C/A. Privacy fence, shed. Open floor plan on main floor, upper bedrooms need closets, great for kids room. (H346)

734-326-2000



DETROIT \$75,900
CHARMING Quiet neighborhood, 2 bedroom, 2 car garage, hardwood floors, part finished basement, all appliances stay. City certs orders. (S767)

734-326-2000



DETROIT \$66,900
DON'T PASS UP THIS ONE! Updated 3 bdrm, 1.5 bath col. Within the last 4 yrs updates include: new roof, siding, 1st flr carpet, fixtures, hwh, c/a, windows, remodeled kit. Plus more!! (23F10337)

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DETROIT \$65,900
PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP Lots of new: windows, doors, roof, C/A, deck. Extra large lot, basement, garage. Listed below market r for quick sale. (N386)

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Northville
INCREDIBLE! Newer home with all the charm of a Victorian in downtown Northville. Huge yard with views of Mill Pond. In-law suite in lower level! (47RAY2)
\$725,000

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Northville
IMPECCABLE 5 BR COLONIAL! Hardwood floors, unfn. walk-out lower level, 3-car side entry garage. Backs to parks & walking trails. Absolutely move-in condition! (13COA2)
\$549,900

PC 511162

Livonia
COZY 2 BR RANCH 728 sq ft, 1 car garage, extra deep lot, c/a, great for 1st time buyers or investors (A15151)
\$115,900

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Redford
HURRY OVER TO THIS 3 BR, 2 BATH CAPE Major improvements - kit w/merrill cabs, oversized mstr suite w/doorwall to new deck, renovated baths, windows, roof, more! (N19374)
\$114,999

PC 070522

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MAINTENANCE TECH

Southfield Property Management company has full-time openings for various locations. Must have 2 years experience in heating, electrical, plumbing, & be A/C certified. Benefits. EOE For central division fax resume to 248-352-2837 or call Ann Arbor: 334-973-0640 Beverly Hills: 248-646-9880 Waterford: 248-681-6880

MANAGER

Tuxedo rental. Good pay & benefits. Will train. Dearborn location. 734-525-0020.

MARINE MECHANIC needed for fast growing marina. Possibility of making \$80,000 plus 401K, medical benefits. Exp. a must. Apply at: Wonderland Marine West, 5796 or 5800 Grand River, Howell, (617)548-5122

MECHANIC FULL TIME to work on heavy equipment/semi-trailers. 3 yrs. experience required. Top pay for right person. (248) 685-1101

MECHANIC HELPER For truck and trailer repair. Will need some experience starting pay 401K, dental & medical. Send resume to 41555 Koppennick Rd., Canton, MI 48187.

MECHANICS ASSISTANT wanted. Must have chauffeur's permit. Exp. required. Good pay & benefits. (248) 349-2922

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OPPORTUNITY OPPORTUNITY

Growing Mortgage Company Seeking The Right Person For The Following Positions:

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- 2) FHA Direct Endorsement Underwriter - Minimum of 2 yrs. exp.
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- 4) Insuring Clerk - Some exp. a plus, however, will train the right person.
- 5) Clerical - This is an entry level position that will allow the right person to grow with the company.

PLEASE SEND OR FAX RESUME TO: Gale Moore, Birmingham Bancorp Mortgage Corp., 6230 Orchard Lake Rd., Ste 280 W. Bloomfield, MI 48322 Fax 248-855-2031.

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OIL CHANGE TECHNICIANS

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Experienced only must have own transportation. Interior/exterior. Evenings (248)446-0026

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PEOPLE NEEDED NOW

Permanent Positions. Start immediately. Up to: \$40/wk. No exp. needed. Benefits available. Must be at least 18. Call 734-525-5555, or Fax: 734-525-6285 EOE

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Growing local company seeks individual experienced in scheduling and dispatching with an emphasis on customer service. Team player with a positive attitude a must. Benefits, 401K, paid vacation, sick leave, Holiday. Fax resume to 413-669-7650 or send to: Production - TL, P.O. Box 663 Walled Lake, MI 48390-0663

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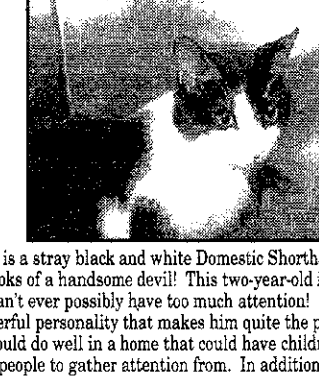
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AMERICAN SKIER 1985 - 285 hrs., 351 Ford inboard, out-standing cond. Must Sell! \$7,000/best (248)363-3051

AMF CATAMARAN Trac, 16' w/trailer. Perfect cond. Harken riggings & extras. \$2400. (248) 593-5154 cell# 248-361-8685

BAJA 1987, 350 V8, 196 Sun-sport Bow Rider, \$6500 w/trailer. 810-577-6579

BASS BOAT 1997 Ranger, 125 Merc, 17.1ft. R72 dual console, like new, low hrs. Never on big lakes, garage stored, 3 fish comfortable to many options to list \$14,900. (248) 669-2509

BASS BOAT 1982 Thompson, 40hp Mercury 1991 trolling motor, live well, needs upholstery work, includes new trailer. \$3000. Call (248) 643-4965, ask for Greg.

BAYLINER, 1989 34' Avant, exc. cond., loaded, 13' beam, Lake St. Clair, \$49,900. 866-580-2200.

BAYLINER, 1986, 1950 Capri, bowrider, 18'6" i/o, 130 hp, trailer, \$7800. 734-748-7707.

BAYLINER CAPRI 1998 - 19 ft., like new, 125hp i/o, trailer, \$9000/best. (610) 871-3275

BAYLINER 1996 - 18ft ft., Merc cruiser 3.0L, Fish & Ski, Escort trailer, electric trolling motor, front pedestal seat, live well, am/fm stereo radio/cassette, ship-to-shore radio, & covers. \$7400. 734-498-8705.

BAYLINER 1995 Jet Boat, Merc motor, custom cover & trailer, low hrs., like new, \$5300/best. Bloomfield Hills (248) 227-6899.

BLUE FIN 1500T 1991, 14ft, 25hp Merc electric start, w/trailer, depth finder. Like new! \$2,500/best 734-455-5767

BOSTON WHALER 15' 1987, 40HP, Exc. cond. Many extras, \$6800. 248-288-7601

BOSTON WHALER 1995 16' jet, Union Lake. Exc. cond. \$9500. (313) 506-3798.

BOSTON WHALER Montage, 17ft., Hydraulic steering & trim, 90 Mariner, bimini top, very clean, \$10,900. 810-598-0616 810-219-0661

BOWRIDER FIBERGLASS 18 ft. w/ trailer, outboard, runs great, \$3000/best (313) 563-4320

CADILLAC, 12FT. fishing boat & trailer, completely refurbished, like new. Good buy at \$950. Redford. 313-531-1101

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CARVER 1993 37 ft., Voyager, 350 hours, loaded, clean, twin 454 Crusaders, \$114,900. (248) 681-6995 after 6 p.m.

CARVER 1989, 30 ft. Express Cruiser, 11 ft. beam, air & heat, dinghy included, loaded, \$36,900. 734-591-9103

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CHAPARRAL 1985 198CXL, 170hp i/o w/trailer. \$4600/best. 248-681-7895.

CHAPARRAL 1998 1830 SS Bowrider, 4.3 Mercruiser, 70 hrs., mint cond., stored indoors yr-round includes trailer \$17,000/best. (248) 360-6552

CHAPARRAL 216SSI 2000, bow rider, 5.0L, trailer, all covers, stored inside, sharp, 30 hrs. \$27,800 (734)525-5159

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CHRIS CRAFT 1995 Concept 18 - 4.3L engine, exc. cond., \$12,000 (248) 681-3478

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CRESTLINER 1994 Eagle 2160 outcab, Johnson 120hp+10hp, trailer, many extras, exc. cond., \$17,000/best. 734-453-6853

CRESTLINER 1990 Fishing Boat - 17ft., 40 hp Evinrude, fish-finder/trolling motor, trailer. \$4000/firm. (313) 937-3846

CREST 2000 Pontoon - 22 ft., like new, best offer. Contact Henry. 248-380-1340

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CROWNLINE 225 - Bravo 3 engine w/dual axel trailer, removable Bimini top, pair of water skis, performance Slalom ski, huge intertube, several ski & life vests, low hours, great condition. \$18,439/best. (248) 693-8823

CROWNLINE 1998 deck, boat, 24 ft., bimini top, low hours, very clean, Merc cruiser, Bravo III! Many extra options. \$25,500. (248) 655-0139

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FOUR WINNS 2000, 21 ft. cuddly, 250 HP, low hrs., full camper, CD, extras, in water 3 times, \$22,000. 734-591-6921 Livonia

FOUR WINNS 1992 - 18 1/2 ft., exc. cond., low hours, rarely used, \$7900. (248) 625-1234

FOUR WINNS 1997 19 ft. 205HP, low hours. \$15,000. (248) 539-0799

FOUR WINNS 2000 Horizon 210 - 25th anniversary model, 6 mo. old, in water 4 times, 20 hrs. stored inside, loaded, extras, tandem trailer. \$25,000. (231) 533-8223

FOUR WINNS 18' Horizon 1998 190HP, low hrs. Asking \$14,000. (248) 478-1784

FOUR WINNS, 1998, Horizon 22', open bow, i/o, exc. cond., only 25 hrs. \$23,000 \$14,000. (248) 320-4895

FOUR WINNS, 1999, Horizon 170 115 OB, power trim & tilt, full canvas covers, Bimini top, like new, \$9,850. 734-455-6544

FOUR WINNS 1998 245 Sundowner, 5.8 EFI, 189 hrs. teal/white, \$29,000. 248-627-4531.

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MAXUM 1992 midcabin, trailer, full galley, sleeps 6, trim tabs, GPS, auto helm. Loaded. \$19,500. (248) 932-3588

MAXUM, 1997 Sport, 19' 6", Merc I/O under 100 hrs., extras, trailer, \$15,100. 248-474-5238.

MAYFLOWER SAIL/FISHING boat, 11' 9" with Lantane sail, vest, oars, \$350. (734) 522-0509

MONTEREY 1997 new 1998 24 ft., cc. 5.7 liter I/O, with trailer, less than 50 hours. \$24,000 or best. (248) 478-4999

OPEN BOW/TRI HULL - 17', 70hp, Evinrude motor, trailer. Motor needs some work, \$1500. (313) 937-9665

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POLARIS 1996 SL 780 wave runner, w/trailer & cover. low hrs. \$5500. 734-728-9207

POLARIS SL 700 Wave runner (1998) low hrs, warranty/trailer, \$3200/best. 810-755-4016

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PONTON 1997 - Sunracker 19 ft. Barge, 25 hp, 1000 lbs. port-a-potty, gas grill, 40 hp outboard. \$11,000. 248-626-7066.

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PRINDLE CAT 1977 16' Catalamaran with trailer. \$500. Call after 7pm (313) 533-2733.

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RINKER, 2000, 340 Fiesta Vee, 36", w/12' beam, twin Merc, Bravo III, sleeps 6, heat, air, generator, 2 refrigerators, 10' quick lift dingy 6 hp Merc. \$895,000. 248-344-8890

RINKER 23 1989 - 4.3 Merc Cruiser, Loadrite trailer, exc. cond., ready for salmon fishing complete. Many extras. \$14,000. 734-428-9374.

RINKER, 1987 - V180, I/O, 140 hp Merc. Exc. cond., loaded. Load Rite trailer, 10,000/best. 734-591-9036 Sun-Thurs.

RUNABOUT, 14 ft. fiberglass 1966, 55hp Johnson, trailer, new battery, cover, misc extras, \$1100/best. (734) 459-5243

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SEARAB 1996 - 38 ft. twin 502's, custom paint, GPS, 175 hrs, mint, includes tri-axle trailer, must sell \$97,900. Port Huron 810-523-3664

SEARAY 180 BOWRIDER 1994 53 hours, garage kept, new fm cassette, super clean, original owner. Includes trailer. Moring cover. \$9500 (248) 683-0062

SEARAY 1994- 220 BR 250 hrs. Many extras. \$14,985. 248-671-6692

SEARAY Express Cruiser 2007 - 1995, loaded, clean, T455, refrigerator/shower. 734-379-0916

SEARAY 1986 - 22 ft., 4 cyl-inder, 170hp, sleeps 4, stand-up head, sink, fridge, very clean, \$7000. (313) 535-0665

SEARAY 1978 - 30ft, 13ft beam, arch, custom upholstery, twin Chrysler engines, Extra clean. \$22,000. (734) 522-2709

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SEA RAY, 1999, F16XR Jet boat, 175 hp, V6, weedless intake, exc. warranty, 25 hrs, all the toys \$14,500. 810-725-7136

SEARAY, 1976, 18', 302 I/O, fishfinder, loaded, exc. con., trailer, \$2,900. 248-645-6451

SEARAY SORRENTO 1987, 19ft., Pachanga haul, trailer, mint cond. \$7500/best. (248) 202-0505

SEARAY 1997 197, 1982 - bow rider, Merc 470hp. New interior in 1998. Stereo, ez loader. Trailer, \$3,990. 248-349-7974

SEARAY 190SRV 1975, 18ft., 165hp Merc in/outboard w/ trailer. \$1,975 (248) 706-3302

SEARAY 1997 Sundancer 330. Twin screws, stored indoors. 70 hrs. \$129,000. 571-692-3615.

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SEARAY, 1993, Sundancer 300. Twin 350 Mercurs, A/C, heat, stainless props, many extras. \$56,900/best. 810-786-9937

SEARAY 204 Sundancer 1999 - white/blue, low hours, clean. \$38,000. (810) 758-0499

SEARAY 1999 340 Sundancer, T-7.4L, HT/A/C, GPS, charlink TV. Like new. 120 hrs. \$137,000. 248-709-1459

SEARAY, 1997 Sundancer, 25', exc. con., many extras, w/well, \$34,500/best. 248-852-1443.

SEARAY 2001 260 Sundancer, GPS Lowrance, air, well space, 6yr warranty. New Boat. Health problems. \$54,000. 248-797-7970

SEARAY 270 Weekender 1992 454 Merc/Bravo I/O looks great runs great. \$28,500. (248) 476-1804

SEARAY 1987, 21 ft, with extras, double axle Continental trailer. \$8000. (810) 246-9484.

SEA SPORT 19' center console, Mercury 125 o/bboard. New 1999, runs 30 hrs. \$12,500. 313-225-3335; 248-293-3718.

SEASWIRL - 1996 18' ft. center console, w/175 h.p. Evinrude Ocean Pro. Galvanized trailer, new mooring cover, Bimini top, \$14,995. (810) 463-6464

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SHORESTATION ALUMINUM boat hoist with canopy, good condition, \$1700. Call: 810-750-9466

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SKI CENTURION 1991, red & white, 25' 40HP Merc, 175 hours, trailer, exc. cond., \$9900. 734-394-0839

SKI NAUTIQUE/CORRECT-CRAFT 1997, cement/40 trolling boat, like new, with triple trailer, Asking \$20,000. (810) 229-8289

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STARCRAFT 1972 - 18ft, 70hp Johnson, trailer, electronics, downriggers, Fish or Ski. \$3800. (734) 591-0831

STARCRAFT 1990 Mariner, 22 ft, center console, 135 mercury, Black Mar. CR. Boat on cover, trailer, \$8000. (248) 577-4455

STINGRAY 1984 21 ft. cuddy cabin, low hours, \$16,000. 248-681-5654

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SUPRA 1990 Comp - low hours, 260 hp, world class ski boat. Make offer. (810) 750-1362

SUPRA 1989 Comp ski boat, 20 ft. Good condition, runs great, \$8500, trailer, exc 248-366-7916

SUPRA MARINER 1992 - open bow, mint 1 oiaer low hrs, trailer, \$15,700. 248-681-6440

SUPRA SALTARE 1987 - 23', 350 HP Merc, 175 hrs, 1000 lbs. exc cond \$9500. (248) 881-8529

SYLVAN, 1987 18' 7" deck boat, 175 HP Merc I/O, trailer, extras, \$3,995. (248) 763-6493

SYLVAN 1984 15' fiberglass bass boat. Bowmount trolling motor, raised seats, live wells, 35h Force motor, Shorelander trailer, like new, \$3500. (248) 433-0857.

THUNDERCRAFT 1981 23ft. (rare), 5.7L, I/O, 260 hp, A/C/A, sleeps 4, low hours, clean, Load Rite trailer (1998), \$12,500/best. lmlmha@aol.com. 734-762-9770

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WELLCRAFT, 1984, 26 ft., all cabin, \$12,000/best offer. (810) 468-8709

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DYNA WIDE GLIDE 2000 - vivid black, showroom cond., 2600 miles, \$17,900. 810-751-4897

ELCUSTO 1996 \$10,000 in extras, custom paint, Corbin seat, klean machine. \$18,400. 734-422-3435

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HARLEY DAVIDSON 1997 1200 custom sportster, leather bags, low miles, \$7500/firm. In Windsor (519) 250-4241

HARLEY DAVIDSON 2000 1200 Custom, red, extras, less than 70 miles. 734-591-3522

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1998 Dyna W/glide, black, 500 mi. extras, \$18,000. (734) 207-0696

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1999 Dyna wide glide, 2200 miles adult owned \$18,000/best. (734)261-2531

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HARLEY DAVIDSON Electro-glide Classic 2001. Exc. cond. 5000 miles, \$19,400. (734) 416-1013

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HARLEY DAVIDSON 2000 FXRP limited edition, 1 of 750 built, new only 9 miles, \$19,500. (248) 760-6411

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1995 Fat Boy, black, custom parts, must see! \$13,000. 734-729-1657

HARLEY DAVIDSON, 1977 FLH - 84" motor, custom paint, fast & clean. \$8500. 734-722-8409

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HARLEY DAVIDSON - 1999 Heritage Softail, 2300 miles, \$17,000. (248) 478-7449

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1998 Low Rider, 7000 mi., showroom cond., \$20,000 worth of accessories, \$14,800/best. 313-277-2920

HARLEY DAVIDSON 1999 Softail standard, 1,180 miles, like new cond. \$14,500. 810-577-2633

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SEVILLE STS 1993 black, loaded, exc. cond., 77,000 miles, \$13,000. (734) 281-6567

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JX CONVERTIBLE 1999, black, 22,000 miles, power steering, power brakes, power locks, one owner, garaged, well maintained. \$16,500. (248) 851-4372

Lebaron 1995 convertible, loaded, auto, 48K, good cond. \$7000/best. After 3: 248-437-7785

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LEBARON 1992 Convertible. Clean, white, leather, new tires. exc. Best offer. (248) 681-5999

842 Chrysler

LeBaron 1994 Convertible GTC, emerald green/tan, loaded. Very sharp, dependable & fun! \$8100 or best offer. 734-697-6144

LEBARON CONVERTIBLE 1994 6 cylinder, red, 54,700 miles, all power, alloy wheels, auto, good cond. asking \$4,250. (248) 788-0658

LeBaron 1991 - 4 dr. sedan, auto, air, cassette, V6, pw/pl, cruise, \$3800. (734) 261-4339

LEBARON 1993 Landau 4 door, pw/pl, V6, low miles. \$4,500. (248) 646-6263

LEBARON 1993 - white convertible, air, 132,000 mi. \$2750. 248-689-9662

LHS 1995 - black, loaded, excellent condition, 68K, \$8900. (248) 393-2397.

LHS 1995 - excellent condition, loaded w/options, black, \$5595. 734-726-9436; 734-746-9997.

LHS 1999 - fully loaded, sunroof, 35K, must sell. \$21,000. 248-755-0085

LHS 1996 - leather, alloy wheels, 35,000 mi. Exc. cond. \$12,000. 248-884-2326

LHS 1994 - white, auto, loaded, tan leather interior, 43K, 80K mi., \$6495. 734-414-0552

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NEW YORK

848 Ford

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THUNDERBIRD 1994 - V8, moonroof, all power, keyless entry, 78K, exc cond., \$6,250/best. 248-628-1343 after 5pm

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PRISM 1993 LSI - 115K miles, well maintained, sunroof, CD, 4 door, green, runs & looks great. \$3,500. (248) 477-0627

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PRIZM 1996 - 22K, auto, air, immaculate condition, cheap. TYME AUTO (734) 455-5566.

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TRACKER 1996 - 5 speed. Convertible top. 2 wheel drive. Good cond. 64,000 mi. \$5900. 734-547-0214

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ACCORD 1991 EX - good cond. 4 dr., 5 speed, air, power windows, locks, steering & brakes. Sun roof, tilt, cruise, AM/FM cassette, 16" alloy wheels, leather, Champagne/Burgundy interior. 80K miles. Very reliable. \$4,500/best. 248-514-3098

ACCORD 1995 EX - V6, 4 dr., sedan, loaded, light blue, \$9,500. (734) 397-9557

ACCORD, 1994 EX, white, auto, like new, new tires/timing belt, \$5,600. (734) 634-5902.

ACCORD EX 1993 w/sunroof, auto trans, moonroof, 85,000 miles. \$6,500. 248-681-1355

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ACCORD LX 2000 Black 4dr. 21,000 miles. \$15,300. (248) 851-8703

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ACCORD LX 1990 4 door, 4 speed, 110K, runs fresh, drives great, some rust, no a/c. \$2,250. 248-393-2150

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ACCORD 1996 LX - V6, 4 door sedan, very clean, remote start, \$11,000. (248) 922-9053

ACCORD SE 1997 - loaded, only 36,000 miles, CD, sunroof, Alloy wheels, mint cond. \$12,500. (248) 851-9030/348770-5200

ACCORD 1999, V6, fully loaded, 63,000 hwy miles, asking \$16,000. 517-46-7992

ACCORD, 1999, V6, loaded, 4 door, leather, electric sunroof, 4 door, \$19,000. 248-235-2917.

ACCORD 1995 - V6 loaded, 60K, showroom condition, \$11,500/best. 810-819-2994

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CIVIC 1999 DX - 22K, 4 dr., auto, cd, dual air bags, air, \$13,300. 313-292-0510 - 313-299-1580

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CIVIC, 1998 EX. Full power, 4 cyl., auto, 39K, remote walrims, ABS, \$11,199. (734) 844-0815

CIVIC EX 1996 great cond., 65,000 miles, moonroof, 1 owner, forest green, \$8,900 or best offer (734) 354-8724

CIVIC 2000 EX, 1.6 L, V-tech, green, 16K mi, fog lights, alloy wheels, full nose cover. \$13,500. (610) 254-0367.

CIVIC EX 1997 red, 5 speed, sunroof, 73,000 miles, 1 owner, nice. \$9,400. (248) 328-8171

852 Honda

CIVIC 1999 LX auto, 17K, silver, exc cond, power, cruise, a/c, dual air, \$13,000. 248-427-0817

CIVIC 1997 LX 4 door, 38,000 miles, silver, loaded, very good condition. \$11,500/or best offer (313) 945-9377

CIVIC LX 1999 - 4 dr, red sedan, Warranty 6yrs/75K miles, 25K mile, Exec. cond., auto, stereo/CD, All power, Cruise, air, dual air bags, \$13,000 (248) 591-6000.

CIVIC 1988 LX - 115K, power, air, 5 speed, records since 1994, gold, \$2,500. 313-535-3257

CIVIC, 1995, LX, 1 owner, auto, full power, sunroof, CD, 78.5K, exc. cond. \$6,900 /best. 248-207-0614; 248-168-1637

CIVIC 1994 LX, Special, 4 dr., white/tan, 82K, auto, ps/pb, am/fm, new battery, immobilizer, running lights, exc., 1 owner, \$5,990. Canton. 734-981-0959.

CIVIC 1991 SI - red, 3 door, 5 speed, CD, sunroof, runs/looks great. \$2,500. (248) 486-1987.

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PRELUDE 1991 SI - loaded, Black, CD, \$4,700/best. Call Beverly Hills. 248-723-5989

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CONTINENTAL 2000 - 11K, black/black, chrome wheels, exc cond. \$26,500. 810-716-8080.

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MAZDA 626 LX, 1997 - 70000 miles, 53,000 miles, electric d/r's, \$10,500/best. (248) 377-6364

MAZDA 1993 626 LX - Runs great. Power sunroof. 158,000 miles. \$2,200. (734) 420-9700.

MAZDA 1995 MX3 - 2 dr., 5 speed, air, 4 WD, 62,000 miles, \$5,000/best. (248) 669-8819

MAZDA MX3 1993 V6, 1.9 liter, 5 speed, 75,000 miles, white over gray, \$6,000 or best offer. (248) 944-8080

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MIATA 1999, 26,000 miles, stored winters, green, warranty CD, \$14,000. 734-844-1870

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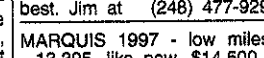
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866 Plymouth

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BREEZE 1999 - keyless entry, pw/pw, 2.4L engine, 63,000 miles, \$7,995. 734-266-7121.

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2002 Lincoln Blackwood is a real eye-catcher



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It drew a crowd everywhere I went - from Home Depot to Wal-Mart to driving on the road and parking in the driveway.

This pre-production 2002 Lincoln Blackwood is bound to create the same type of stir that came when the Mazda Miata was introduced.

Heck, I got pulled over by a cop just because he wanted to take a look at the Miata back then.

This week was no different. At Home Depot, workers swarmed around what they at first thought was a

pick-up made by Lincoln, commenting about the really "neat hard tonneau cover." When I got back to the Blackwood, I pressed the tonneau cover "open" button on the key fob and drew a bunch of "ooooohs and aaaahs."

I was driving from the local dog park to home and a guy in a Ford F-150 Crew Cab yelled, "I didn't even know Lincoln made a pickup" at a light.

At first glance, that's exactly what it looks like - a pickup with a Lincoln badge.

Nothing is further from the truth.

Classified, officially, as a sport utility vehicle, the Blackwood is no closer to a pickup than a Mustang is

to a panel van. Two years in the making, it has a production limit of just 10,000 every year, which will further make it a head-turner for years to come.

Let's go to the rear of the vehicle first. The 4-foot-long, 8-inch-tall cargo trunk - that's exactly what it is, a trunk - is plushly carpeted and features stainless steel trim and accent lighting. On either side of the trunk are pop-out storage containers for smaller items.

I can visualize four guys putting four sets of golf clubs in the trunk and comfortably driving to the golf course for an afternoon of relaxation. On the top of the trunk is the automotive industry's very first manufacturer-installed power tonneau cover. Press the button on the key fob and it will go up and down - silently, I might add.

You can also open the tonneau cover through a switch on the overhead console inside or through a code on the driver's door keypad.

Side-hinged Dutch doors are in the back, providing unsurpassed waist-high loading and unloading capabilities. Someone was thinking over there in California. Also on the rear are black wood accenting with perfectly placed striping along the side and back.

The front of the Blackwood is strikingly beautiful and distinctively Lincoln. With pronounced headlamps and wide front chrome-encircled black grille, it looks more like a passenger car's front fascia than anything else. Giving it a sportier stance are strategically mounted fog lamps situated in the front bumper.

Hop inside the Blackwood and you're greeted with nothing but luxurious appointments. You're sitting



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in black Connolly leather seats. The driver and passenger can enjoy climate-controlled seats that circulate heated or cooled air through the perforated-leather seat bottom.

These last few weeks have been near trying with the massive heat-wave stagnating over the Detroit area and I truly appreciated cool seat surfaces in just a few seconds. Leather can be murder on shorts-clad thighs.

The driver and front passenger seats are power-adjustable, and the driver's seat, mirrors and pedals have a memory feature. Three separate drivers can have their own settings with just the press of a button.

There are four bucket seats in the front and rear, with both pairs separated by a substantial console that had a leather lid. There are cupholders galore and five 12-volt

power points. On the front instrument panel, there is a cupholder and an ashtray. I'd love to see that become removable to become another cupholder for the non-smoking crowd.

The overhead console features a compass, miles to empty and a fuel economy readings. Also up there are controls for the power moonroof and the tonneau cover. The driver's side visor has the cool Homelink system that can remotely control three different devices.

Interior instrumentation is easy to understand and placed logically. No hunting here or there for anything. Everything is in easy reach of the driver.

The family and I took the Blackwood to northern Michigan (to try to get away from the heat - and couldn't) and the trip was totally

non-fatiguing.

Lincoln engineers achieved a 50/50 weight balance on the Blackwood and then tuned the suspension to create near-perfect ride and handling characteristics. It's effortless to drive the Blackwood, easy on the back and shoulders and is a really pleasant experience.

There is one stretch of road we're forced to take to get up north that has pavement bumps at 12-foot intervals. So we're forced to hear and feel "bump-bump" for a good number of miles. Didn't realize it until much later on the trip that I never heard, nor felt, the "bump-bump" that bothers me so.

Thank the independent short- and long-arm front suspension that couples coil springs and shock absorbers with acceleration-sensitive damping. All I can say is that

it's a really smooth ride.

Oh! We haven't even talked about the best part of the Blackwood. Powered by a 5.4-liter, 32-valve, dual overhead cam V-8 engine that produces 300 horsepower, the Blackwood can tow up to 8,700 pounds - a substantial boat, for example.

Turn the ignition and you can hear it start, but can't hear it run. The cabin is so, so quiet with all the windows rolled up.

Safety features abound, like front air bags, seat-mounted side air bags for front passengers, front shoulder and lap belts for all passengers that are height-adjustable (thank you), childproof door locks and child seat tethers in the rear and anti-lock brakes.

One more thing, in addition to the four-year, 50,000-mile warranty, Lincoln will also give you complimentary scheduled oil changes and tire rotations for the first three years or 36,000 miles of ownership.

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This truly is a beautiful machine, designed to meet the needs of many. The luxury, the ride, the handling, everything in the Blackwood is of the highest quality.

Now go out and get it.

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2002 Lincoln Blackwood
Vehicle class: Luxury sport utility vehicle. Power: 5.4-liter, 32-valve DOH V-8 engine. Mileage: Not yet available. Where built: Kansas City Assembly Plant, Claycomo, Mo. Price as tested: \$54,495

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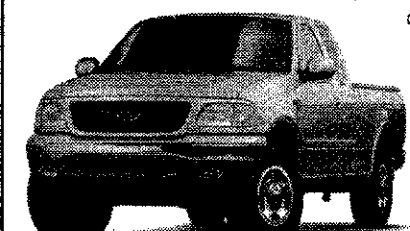
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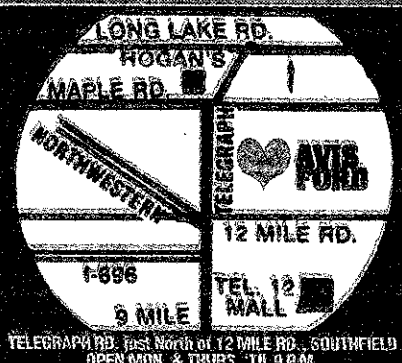
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