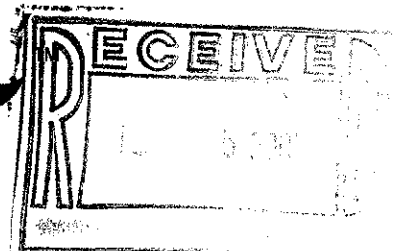


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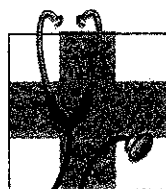
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# Police hit brakes on Go-Peds



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The Canton Police Department has said Go-Peds are a no-go on community

**Canton Police will ticket anyone riding a motorized scooter on township sidewalks, streets or other public pavement. Scooter riders nationwide have experienced a rash of accidents and injuries.**

sidewalks and streets. Riders will be ticketed if caught using the motorized scooters on public pavement.

"The law isn't new, but the Go-Peds are," explained Lt. Pat Nemecek.

"They've become very popular and the kids started riding them everywhere, on the sidewalks and on the streets."

The motorized scooters, which have become popular over the last few years, can reach speeds of between 11 and 20 mph. The Michigan State Police recently determined that Go-Peds fall within the definition of a Moped and are subject to all laws which regulate their operations.

The department began receiving phone calls from concerned residents and motorists.

"They were mostly concerned about the kids in the street," Nemecek said. "We weren't really sure of where those fell legally, so we started looking into it."

What the department found is the vehicles are allowed in very few places.

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## Having an equine summer

### Clinic helps local riders prepare for fall trials

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While sleeping in, part-time jobs and goofing off may be summertime favorites among the teenage crowd, equestrians Katie Lindow and Katie Filios have spent their summer preparing for riding competitions.

Lindow, 15, of Canton, and Filios, 15, of Plymouth, along with teammate Sarah Engel, 15, Northville, will ride in the Honey Run Team Challenge Horse Trials in Ann Arbor this September.

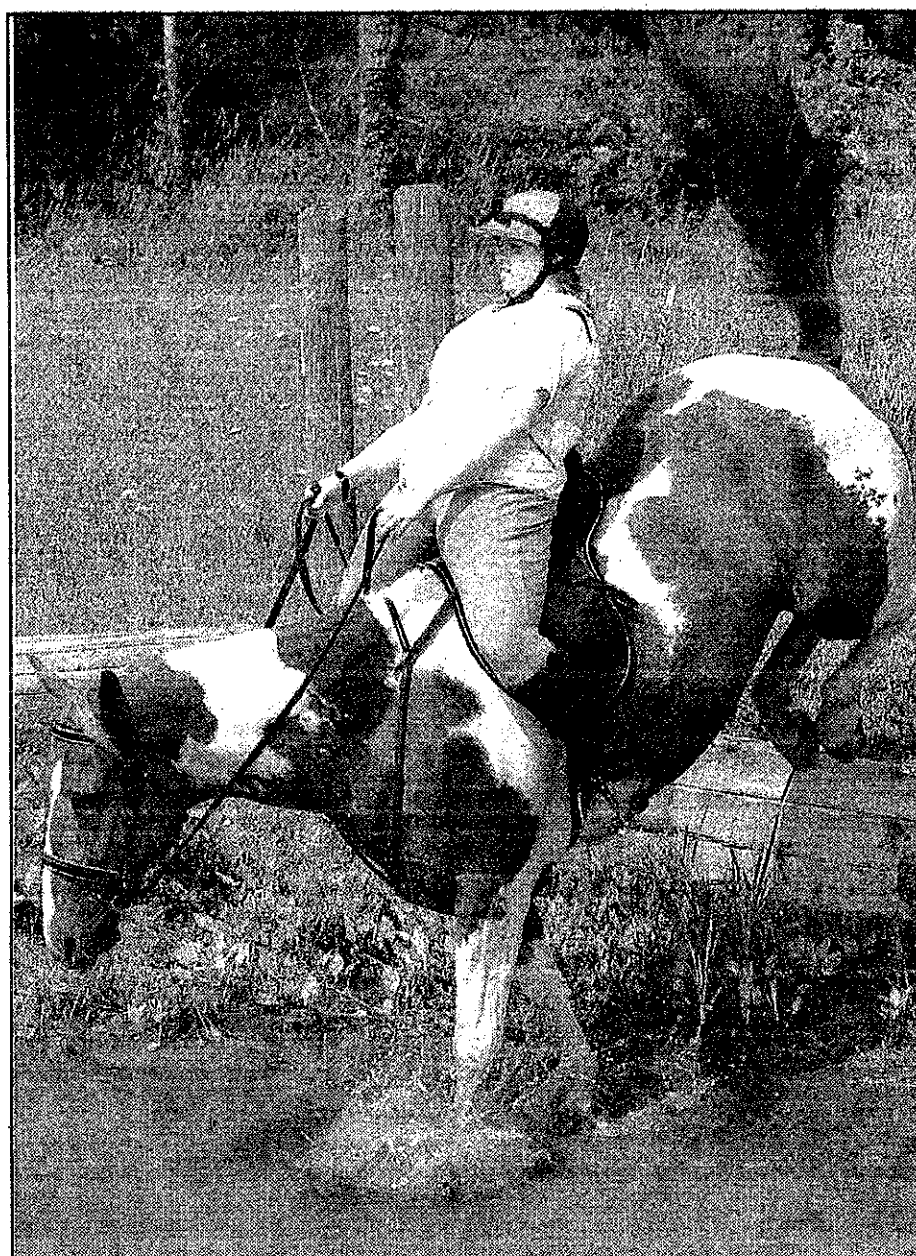
The competition is unique because participants and their horses earn points as a team event rather than as individual riders. The competition will challenge the riders to dressage, which is "sort of like ballet without the music" according to Lindow, and cross-country and stationary jumps.

To prepare, the girls attended a training clinic in Ann Arbor last month.

"When we go to training like this it helps a lot," said Filios. "When we go into competitions, we get nervous because we don't know what it's going to be like, and the horse gets scared and doesn't want to do the jumps, so the more you've schooled on the jumps, the better and more confident your horse will be."

Filios began riding when she was just 7 years old.

"I started out riding at a pony camp, then began taking lessons," she said. "Then I started competing



STAFF PHOTO BY HEATHER SONNITAG  
**In the saddle:** Katie Lindow, 15 of Canton, riding her horse, "I Like Ike." He's a quarter horse painted.

in little shows then steadily went to bigger shows as I got better."

Even though the riders are friendly and often become longtime friends, the competition is fierce, she said.

"We are definitely competitive, even though we're nice to each other

and supportive of each other," Filios said. "This is a very serious sport."

Lindow also began riding as a youngster, after one almost fairy tale-like holiday.

"I was 5 years old and Santa

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## Missing teen returns home

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A 16-year-old Canton resident missing since June has returned home safely.

Angelica Jennifer Montero arrived in Canton about 8:30 p.m. Wednesday from Arizona. She had been missing since June 14 and left for Arizona on June 21.

"I'm very happy to be back," Montero said. "This is home, I realized."

The teenager had been in Arizona for approximately six weeks, Canton Police Sgt. Charles Raycraft said.

"I thought I was having family problems," Montero said after her return. "And being 16, I thought I could do anything. I was just rebelling."

Montero and her family had moved to Canton from Phoenix in November. Before her disappearance, she had some trouble adjusting after the move, according to her mother, Trinidad Estefan.

Immediately before Montero's disappearance, Estefan said her daughter seemed to be adjusting better, and told her mother how happy she was, and that everything was going to be fine.

After Montero's disappearance, her



Angelica Montero

## THE WEEK AHEAD

### TUESDAY

**Township board:** Canton Township trustees will discuss a proposed water park and give an update on the performing arts center during a study session at 7 p.m. in the municipal complex, 1150 S. Canton Center Road.

### THURSDAY

**Music in the park:** Marar-itaville – a Jimmy Buffet tribute band – is the featured attraction for the summertime concert series in Heritage Park. Parrotheads (and others) should gather at 7:30 p.m. for the free concert. Lawn chairs and blankets are welcome. Refreshments will be available.

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## Rising temps – rising dangers

### Teaming up to beat the heat

BY PAUL BEAUDRY  
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It's in the mind of virtually every parent of every athlete: If a professional athlete can die from heat stroke, can it happen to my child?

They're not alone. Coaches and administrators worry about it, too.

And they'll tell you there is no one answer to make sure it doesn't happen. A cooperative effort between coach, player, trainer and parent can help lessen the chance of it happening.

"There's a time to be a hero and a time to be smart," said Chuck Gordon, football coach at Westland John Glenn High School. "Players need to alert coaches if there's a problem and coaches need to realize that you're not going to get a team game-ready in one day so it's better off going slow, bring them along and do things the right way."

Tuesday's death of Minnesota Vikings offensive lineman Korey Stringer from heat stroke suffered during practice is a rarity. But with the beginning of high school football practice around the state on Monday, and many other fall sports on Aug. 13, combined with the hot, humid weather in the last couple of weeks, the fear of it happening here is a very real one.

"You don't want to learn from that kind of tragedy," said Marc Hage, Livonia's Churchill High School athletic director. "Any administrator will tell you that their biggest nightmare is a catastrophic injury. It's a phone call you don't want to make or receive. You can do everything right and it could still happen."

While school districts generally don't have hydration policies, many districts – Livonia and Garden City among others – follow guidelines on when to break for water and rest periods estab-



STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HAWLEY

**Drink plenty:** Andrew Shaw of the Clarenceville High football team takes time out in conditioning drills this week for water.

### ER cases climb, too

BY DAVE VARGA  
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Local hospitals report seeing more people – and many younger ones – for heat-related symptoms.

"Definitely, over the past several days we have seen an increase," said Dr. Donald Lawrenchuk, Wayne County medical director.

Heat-related illness isn't required to be reported, said Lawrenchuk, so statistics are hard to come by. Also, states record their data differently.

Still, the heat can be a killer. According to the Center for Disease Control, extreme heat kills more people in the nation each year than lightning, floods, tornadoes, hurricanes and earthquakes combined. From 1979 to 1998, the CDC said that 7,421 deaths around the nation can be blamed on excessive heat.

Exposure to excessive heat can cause heat exhaustion. At that point, the body is unable to perspire and dispel heat, said Dr. Lawrenchuk.

Symptoms include clammy skin (cold, sticky moisture), headache, dizziness, extreme fatigue and nausea. In extreme cases, a person can suffer a heat stroke – vision impairment, disorientation, loss of consciousness, temperatures of up to 108

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To place a classified ad:



# Business owner claims assault in parking lot

A Canton business owner claims he was struck by a mini van and dragged after confronting its driver.

The victim owns property near Ford and Canton Center roads. Since the intersection's closure for construction, the property owner said drivers have been using his parking lot for turnarounds, and has been driving over the grass to get out of the drive way.

A Canton Police officer has for a week been working special enforcement detail near the business and has witnessed the property owner approaching drivers to instruct them not to use his driveway, according to police reports.

The officer, fearing for the business man's safety, urged him not to approach the drivers.

Last week the business man claimed he approached a man in a mini van, and the driver struck him and dragged him through the parking lot.

Police questioned the driver, who had his wife and small child in the van with him. The driver told police he did not hit the business owner. He said the

### COP CALLS

alleged victim approached the van and put his hands on the hood of the vehicle, so he drove around him.

Police noted the property owner's clothing was neat, and did not look consistent with having been struck or dragged.

### Golf vandals

Washtenaw County Sheriff Department is investigating a vandalism at the Hickory Creek Golf Club on Ford and Napier roads Wednesday night. The vandals caused \$50,000 to \$70,000 in damage.

The vandals smashed the maintenance barn door, knocked over ball washers, knocked over a large section of fence and stole seven golf carts. They also drove over two greens.

The club is offering a \$1,000 reward for information on the vandalism.

### Drug fraud

Canton police are investigating a possible repeat prescription fraud offender who allegedly has been using a former coworker's name and insurance information to obtain the pain killer Vicodin.

The victim, a Van Buren police officer, told police he had no idea someone was using his name and insurance information until the CVS pharmacy in Canton called him to ask when he would pick up his prescription.

He told the pharmacist he does not use that drug store, and the investigation began. The person using the card has obtained Vicodin four times since March.

Police have a suspect, who has been convicted of prescription fraud twice.

### Booze bust

Two businesses were ticketed Tuesday by the Canton Police Department for selling alcohol to minors. The businesses were caught in a working decoy sting.

A total of nine businesses were checked. The businesses that sold to minors were Club Canton on Michigan Ave. and CVS at Joy and Morton Taylor roads.

The businesses that did not sell alcohol to minors were Diamonds Bar and Grill, Discount Drinks, Canton party Store, Pinetree Party Store, Country Deli, 7-11 on Warren road and the Farmer Jack on Morton Taylor Road.

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## Go-Peds

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"Go-Peds can only be used on private property," said Captain Laura Golles. "In most subdivisions that generally means the home owner's driveway."

Nemecek said not only are Go-Peds banned from streets and sidewalks, they are also not allowed in township parks.

"Our parks prohibit motor vehicles, so it seems like the kids who have these are out of luck," he said.

Non-motorized scooters and skateboards are allowed in some parks, but users should be sure to check postings at the park.

Scooters and skateboards are also allowed on sidewalks, but Nemecek cautioned skaters to be mindful of pedestrians.

"Pedestrians have always had and will always have the right of way on the sidewalks," he said. "People have to remember that."

Under state law, a Moped/Go-Ped is defined as a two- or three-wheeled vehicle which is equipped with a motor that does not exceed 50 cubic centimeters piston displacement, produces 2.0 brake horsepower or less, and cannot propel the vehicle at a speed of greater than 30 mph on a level surface.

Theoretically, if a Go-Ped were street ready, it could be driven on public roads, Nemecek said. Registration and licensing are required for Mopeds and Go-Peds. The vehicles also require a headlamp, stoplight, brakes, horn, exhaust and mirror.

"I'm not sure how that would go with the licensing, though because they may not be able to get up to the proper speed," he said.

Violators of the law regulating Go-Peds will receive civil infraction tickets for driving or moving in an unsafe vehicle. The ticket will carry an \$85 fine.

"That fine applies to Go-Peds because they do not have the necessary equipment," Golles said.

Go-Ped drivers create a hazard for other motorists and put themselves in danger, she added. She noted that motorized scooters were responsible for 3,600 emergency room visits and two deaths nationwide between January 1999 and October 2000.

## Missing

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family didn't hear until two weeks ago, when Raycraft said Montero called home.

Montero had been staying with friends in Arizona, and said her friends had urged her to call her mother sooner.

"I didn't call because I was scared of what my mom's reaction would be," she said.

After she called home, Montero eventually asked her family to send her bus fare.

The last time she had seen her mother was June 14. Montero called her mother that evening saying that she was headed for Westland Mall. Canton Police teamed up with Detroit Police and began looking for her. Her last known location was at a southwest Detroit house party she attended with a friend at about 9 p.m. that evening.

Michigan State Police recovered her vehicle, a green 1995 Ford Escort, June 15 in Southgate. A 21-year-old Detroit man was driving the vehicle.

On June 19, Canton Police and the Detroit Police Department's Fourth Precinct Special Operations unit executed a search war-

rant in the 4800 block of Trenton Street on Detroit's near west side. The purpose of the warrant was to look for the 16-year-old. Police learned that Montero had been at a residence on Trenton. The search was unsuccessful.

Canton police began to suspect Montero may have headed back to Arizona after detectives found a family the teen had stayed with in Detroit.

"We talked with them, and found out she had been staying with them for a couple of days. Then we found out she had made some calls to Arizona from her cell phone," Raycraft said. "We also found out someone had wired her money from Arizona right around that time."

Although Canton Police suspected she was in Arizona for the last few weeks, they were limited on releasing information for fear she would flee. They were also unable to search for her because of the distance and difficulty dealing with a major metropolitan police department in another state, according to Raycraft.

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A public hearing on the proposed 2002 budget for the Canton Public Library will be held on Wednesday, August 15, 2001, at 7:30 p.m. in the library community room. **The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed budget will be a subject of this hearing.** The library is located at 1200 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan 48188-1600. Copies of the proposed budget will be available at the library.

JEAN TABOR  
Library Director

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### STORAGE USA

Notice is hereby given that on August 14, 2001, Tate & Co. Auctioneers, Executive Administrator for Storage USA, will be offering for sale under the judicial lien process, by public auction, the following storage units. The goods to be sold are generally described as household goods. The terms of the sale will be cash only. Storage USA reserves the right to refuse any and all bids. The sale will be at the following location: Storage USA, 6729 Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48328 AT 12:30 P.M.

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H304 - Cindy Brown - 2 entertainment centers, living room and bedroom furniture, keyboard, vacuum cleaner, 2 bikes, several boxes and plastic bags, misc. household items.

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**Safety patrol:** Sabrina Meo, 5, center, leads a group of students around the Safety Town road course at Canton High School Tuesday.

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## 'Town' meeting

### Kids learn safety tips during 2-week program

BY KURT KUBAN  
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Several Plymouth Community firefighters taught a group of children how to stop, drop and roll, as well as other important safety measures last week at Canton High School as part of the community's Safety Town program.

The two-week program, which was designed to teach young children the importance of safety, is put on by both the township fire and police departments, in conjunction with Plymouth-Canton Schools.

According to firefighter Jim Haar, about 300 children participated in the program this year.

"The children learn all aspects of safety in the program. The police department is also involved. We taught them such things as electrical

■ **'These kids are just finishing up preschool. They are at the age where they really need to start thinking about safety.'**

—Jim Harr,  
Plymouth firefighter

safety and how to avoid fire hazards, as well as how important it is to have smoke detectors in the house," Haar said.

All of the children who participated in the program are going to be kindergartners in the fall. Haar believes that is a good age for them to learn safety lessons.

"These kids are just finishing up pre-school. They are at the age where they really need to start thinking about safety."



**Gearing up:** Mikaela Cesario, 4, left, and Ben Davis, 5, try on some fire-fighters' turnout gear during a Safety Town demonstration Tuesday at Canton High School.

# Minister will follow music dreams to Nashville area

BY CAROL MARSHALL  
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Opportunity has come a-knockin' on Otis Johnson's door again. And once again he's answering the call.

Johnson, his wife Gloria and children, Christian and Cristina, will leave their Canton home for the Nashville suburb Antioch, Tenn., in the fall so he can grow his record company.

"I like the opportunities and challenges down there," said the singer/songwriter who in June released his fifth album, *Pray for Me*.

Johnson has been dreaming about the move for decades. Since his days at Inkster High School and after graduation when he and his classmates swarmed on Motown Records to find fame, Johnson has had music on his mind.

But before he could launch a music career, he had obligations. A 30-year career at Ford Motor Co.'s Wayne Assembly plant, raising children and a call to ministry all needed tending first.

After that, multiple trips to the Philippines to enable his new bride, son, and baby girl to come to the United States, called him away from the move to Tennessee again.

He learned the trips to the Philippines were just part of a greater plan not only to bring home his family, but also to strengthen his faith.

"In the Philippines, life is so hard, but the people are happy. They're so dedicated. Then I came home and see how dedicated we are here, which is not at all," he said.

A year ago, his young family was finally able to settle into Johnson's home of 10 years and they're now ready to make the move south.

"I told God that I just needed to take care of this first, to bring my wife and children here, then I could devote myself to His work," said the gospel singer. "I don't know what He has planned for my life, but I like the work and look forward to the challenge."

Johnson has been following his faith for years. After his sister's untimely death from multi-



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHEMANN

**Dedicated to his mission:** "I don't know what He has planned for me, but I enjoy the work and look forward to the challenge," said gospel singer Otis Johnson.

ple sclerosis in 1990, he dedicated his life to helping women. His father's death four years later affected him deeply, and made him realize he needed more love in his life, which led to Johnson meeting his wife.

"I was going to meet Gloria, and set foot on a plane for the first time in my life, and the fear was gone. I just haven't had any fear since that day," he said.

The couple fell in love, married and had a baby daughter, who is now 3 years old. Johnson adopted his wife's son, who is now a bright and sensitive 9-year-old.

Johnson said he's grateful to have launched his musical career in Canton.

He enjoyed a two-year run on

the local access cable channel, and his show, *Gospel Hits*, helped him do what he loves best, which is to share what he's learned and his appreciation for gospel music.

Eight years on local Christian radio stations fulfilled yet another boyhood dream to be a disc jockey.

He doubts his move to Nashville will bring monetary riches, but Johnson said he considers himself a wealthy man.

"I have learned not to throw away any of the gifts I have been given. You don't have to be a super star, but you need to make the most of what you have. It's not about the money. It's all about helping people," he said.

## CAMPUS NOTES

### GRADUATES

Bernadette DeGuzman of Atlanta, daughter of Daniel and Nenita DeGuzman of Plymouth, received a Master of Public Health from the Rollins School of Public Health of Emory University in Atlanta at its commencement ceremony in May.

Jessica A. Metzger of Plymouth has received her degree from Virginia Tech in May. The event took place in Lane Stadium on the Virginia Tech campus.

Nathaniel David Hincer has received his Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering, with an Associate in Applied Science in Mechanical Design Engineering Technology from Michigan Tech University in May.

Erik R. Anderson of Plymouth received a degree at St. Lawrence University's commencement ceremony in May in New York. Erik graduated from Stratford Central School and majored in sport and leisure studies at St. Lawrence.

The following students have received degrees from Western Michigan University in April: Jonathan Robert Grey, BBA Marketing, Cum Laude, son of Cynthia Grey; Michael Thomas Lavander, BS, Automotive Engineering; Karen A. Lawson, BS Psychology, Criminal Justice, Cum Laude, daughter of James and Patricia Lawson; Angela Wing-Chee Lim, BS Biomedical Sciences, Cum Laude, daughter of Shew Hank Lim; Valerie Longiro, BA Theater, daughter of Antonio and Lynne Linigro; Kara A. McDonald, BBA Advertising and Promotion, daughter of Gary and Christine McDonald; Julie M. Ormond, BS Elementary Group Minors, daughter of Stephen and Kathie Ormond; Sara K. Schoeneman, BBA Accountancy, Magna Cum Laude; Amber Spencer, BBA Marketing, German; all of Canton; Vanessa R. Bodnar, BS biomedical Sciences, Magna Cum Laude, daughter of Dr. Timothy Bodnar; Matthew W. Daluisio, BBA Computer Information System; Katherine E. Law, BA History, Cum Laude, daughter of Gerald H. Law; Justin Lieser, BBA Food Mar-

keting, son of Laurence and Susan Lieser; Michelle Mangan, BS Biomedical Sciences; James Middlemiss, BBA Marketing; Alicia M. Samfilippo, BS Textile and Apparel Studies, daughter of James and Mary Samfilippo, all of Plymouth.

Tiffany Williams of Plymouth has graduated from Hope College and earned the honor of graduating Cum Laude for her four years of study.

### SCHOLARSHIPS

Betsy M. Radtke, of Plymouth, has won a corporate-sponsored Merit Scholarship award financed by the Dr. Forrest C. Shaklee Memorial Merit Scholarship. She is a graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School and her probable career field is biochemistry.

Ashley Sartor, daughter of Gerard and Carol Sartor of Plymouth has been awarded the Presidential Scholarship for Hope College. She had to achieve a GPA of 3.99 to qualify. She is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School.

Sarah Kindred of Plymouth has received the Appleton Papers Inc. award from Miami University's Pulp and Paper Foundation. Sarah is the daughter of Chris and Patti Kindred and is a sophomore.

### AWARDS

Howe Military School is pleased to announce that Cadet Brandon Underwood has been awarded the "Old Guard" Best First Year Cadet Medal for "D" Company and the Gauss Bronze Medal for the Radio Club. Cadet Underwood is the son of Robert Underwood of Canton.

Among the sixty Western Michigan University students honored at the 2001 Platinum Awards celebration was Eric W. Peterson, of Canton, Excellence in Academic Achievement Certificate, sophomore with a 3.0 cumulative grade point average or better. Peterson is majoring in physical education.

### HONORS

Sophomore Christopher Machnacki of Canton and a graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School

participated in Alma College's fifth annual Honor's Day. He presented two papers. The first was titled "Arming the United National," and the second was titled "Governmental Politics and Arms Control Policy." Mona Ramlawi of Canton, Plymouth Canton High School senior has been honored with a \$1,000 Burger King Scholars Award based on a combination of scholastic achievement and community involvement.

Lauren Tomlinson has been selected President of the Senior Class Council at Michigan State University for the 2001-2002 academic year. Lauren is the daughter of Roger and Jan Tomlinson of Canton. A 1998 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, Ms. Tomlinson will graduate from Michigan State University in the Spring of 2002. After graduation she will attend law school at Wayne State University.

The Eastern Michigan University Chemistry Department honored its outstanding students recently at its annual chemistry alumni and awards banquet. Among those honored was Andrew Jones, Maurice Decoster Chemistry Scholarship.

Molly Noonan of Canton has been inducted into the Eta Rho Chapter of Lambda Pi Eta, a national communications honor society at Western Michigan University. She was also recently awarded a scholarship for outstanding communications students by the Detroit Chapter of Women in Communications. Noonan is a senior at WMU majoring in Public Relations and Journalism. She is a 1998 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School.

Washtenaw Community College full time students who have achieved academic excellence were, from Canton: Brigitte Rose Anderson, Daman Steve Auvenshine, Govardhan Reddy Borra, Mary Caraballo, Ethan Michael Dailide, Tina Marie Fafalios, Jessica Denise Hankins, Carolyn Michele Hendra, Therese Anna Maria Hoglund, Laura Elizabeth Hucal, Deepa Seetharaman, Antonia H. Shaheed, Amanda D. Wade, and Sarah C. Walters.

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brought me a pony," Lindow said. "We went to the barn, and there was my pony with a red ribbon and everything." Lindow also began competing at a young age, and said she hopes to successfully lobby Plymouth-Canton Schools to sponsor an equestrian team. "A lot of other schools have one. Dexter and Chelsea have teams, but we don't," Lindow said. For Lindow, school and riding go hand in hand. "Being able to ride is definitely a reward for finishing my school work," she said. "But it also has helped me to learn focus and discipline that helps me in school." Lindow's mother, Diane Lindow, said it's difficult to even find riding clinics like the one the girls attended in Plymouth or Canton. "It's part of our roots disappearing," she said. "I grew up on a farm in Illinois and riding was part of my youth. In Canton today, it seems like everybody is always talking about progress, but sometimes I'm not so sure that's a good thing."

Driver causes pileup

A 48-year-old Westland man is accused of causing a five-car pileup that snarled traffic for an hour Tuesday afternoon at the Newburgh-Cherry Hill intersection. The man received cuts on his hands and was treated at Oakwood Hospital/Annapolis in Wayne following the 2:55 p.m. accident on northbound Newburgh. Others suffered apparent minor injuries, police said. The man, who seemed confused according to police, told officers that he was taking heart medication. He was tested for alcohol and drugs but police hadn't received the results Wednesday. The man, driving a 1985 Pontiac Grand Prix, was driving north on Newburgh when he slammed into the back of a Ford F-150 pickup truck that was stopped behind a Ford Tempo.

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# Schoolcraft studies four plans to develop property

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They came and the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees listened. Now, the board will spend the rest of August analyzing whether any of four distinctly different development proposals are enough of a potentially good fit to pursue further.

On Wednesday night, a special four-hour meeting enabled the developers to talk about their plans for a 45-acre parcel on the south end of Schoolcraft's Livonia campus. Board members also interviewed the firms to get a read on issues such as whether Schoolcraft would have input on project design and work around wetlands and the nearby Newman House.

After listening to presentations from Hines, Walkon/Etkin Partnership, DeMattia Group & Village Green Companies and Lincoln Property Co., the board decided to schedule a study session for 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 29.

"The biggest thing is we have to talk about whether we want to do anything" with the property, said board Chairwoman Carol Strom.

Schoolcraft College President Conway Jeffress emphasized to the board how important it would be to take a good, long look at the proposals.

"You need to sit down and meditate on these proposals and see, A, if you like anything and B, if you like some things more than others," Jeffress said, shortly after the fourth presentation/interview concluded.

## How to proceed

Trustee Gregory Stempien acknowledged the variety of concepts, and said perhaps the best way to go about choosing one of them — if any at all — might be to

**'You need to sit down and meditate on these proposals and see, A, if you like anything and B, if you like some things more than others.'**

**Conway Jeffress**  
President of Schoolcraft College

proceed "by process of elimination of concepts."

Schoolcraft is looking to lease the property and generate income in a way similar to Seven Mile Crossing, on the opposite end of the campus. Jeffress recently said such revenue would ensure the college staying progressive for many years to come in areas such as facilities and faculty training — without raising student tuition above the rate of inflation.

Hines was the first developer to meet with the board, discussing what would be a five-phase, "campus style" office park. Each phase would bring 100,000-to-150,000-square-feet of office space, with construction being staggered over five years.

"We view this as an excellent site, right on (Interstate) 275," said Hines project manager John Wood. "With the expansion of the airport to the south, we see that as the driving force for economic development along the 275 corridor."

The office park would be linked to the campus by way of pedestrian pathways and landscaping.

"We're looking to develop something that's complementary to the campus here," said Hines vice president Chuck Waters. "We have a strong desire on our part to do that."

The Walkon/Etkin Partnership detailed what would be known as Schoolcraft Commons, called a mix of high quality

retail and office that would annually pump \$1.1 million into the college's coffers.

"I've developed in this area for 11 years," said Marvin Walkon. "I'm not an unknown commodity in this area."

Walkon said his firm developed Livonia's sprawling Millennium Park, built on the former Ladbroke DRC site near Middlebelt and the Jeffries Freeway service drive.

He underscored that the Schoolcraft board would be in a partnership with Walkon/Etkin. "Retail is the engine that

drives the greatest (economic) return for you, pure and simple," said Doug Etkin, noting that Schoolcraft Commons would feature major retailers, shops and restaurants.

Gary Roberts of DeMattia and Jonathan Holtzman of Village Green described a unique office-residential project that would feature the kind of "live-work community" concept taking off in other areas of the United States.

DeMattia would develop high-tech buildings for offices and laboratories, while Village Green would build luxury apartments and a 6,000-square-foot university clubhouse. The latter would feature a resort-style swimming pool, racquetball courts, coffee bar and picnic area, attractive both for Schoolcraft students and office workers, Holtzman said.

The issue of adding to existing traffic loads on Haggerty and other surrounding roads was

brought up by Trustee Patricia Watson.

But Holtzman assured that because more people would be living and working in the same location, they would not need to drive as much. Such a facility would be "encouraging people to walk everywhere."

A residential project called The Crossings would bring something not available in the Schoolcraft district, stressed Lincoln Property Co. executive Kevin Keane. He and other members of his team discussed a development of building about 200 single-family apartments, all with individual garages, on 40 of the available 45 acres.

Asked about benefits to Schoolcraft, Keane said such a complex would provide "built-in student housing" and apartments for faculty. Although one board member said such an apartment likely would be too expensive for a student's limited

budget, Keane said it is common for students to "double" or "triple" up, to divide rent and other expenses.

They could live pretty good and walk to class," Keane said.

Unlike the other proposals, Keane said Lincoln Property Co. would not develop the entire parcel. About five acres would be left to be built at the college's discretion.

Whoever is selected would have to spearhead legal costs and take the project through necessary approvals with the city of Livonia, board members emphasized.



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## OBITUARIES

## RUTH OETTING

Ruth Oetting, 81, of Fort Wayne, Ind., died July 26 in Plymouth. She was born June 29, 1920, in Fort Wayne. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Oetting was a member of the Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Fort Wayne. Although Mrs. Oetting was a homemaker, she also was employed for a time in the East Allen County school system. She raised five daughters, and enjoyed her time with her family, as well as travel.

She is survived by her daughter, Rondalyn Oetting Majors of Plymouth.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

## R. BUD FARQUHAR

Services for R. Bud Farquhar, 55, of White Lake were held Aug. 2 at the Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev. Neil D. Cowling officiating.

Mr. Farquhar was born June 15, 1946, in Detroit and died July 29 in Commerce Township.

He was an installation supervisor. He served in the U.S. Air Force.

He was preceded in death by his father, Ralph B. Farquhar.

Survivors include mother, Betty Farquhar-Dow of Salem Township; daughter, Stephanie D. Farquhar of Canton; son, Scott B. Farquhar of Westland; daughter, Andrea C. Farquhar of Ann Arbor; sister, Patricia Ann Wauty of Ann Arbor; sister, Susan G. (Alan) MacDavitt of Saline; several nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society, 18505 W. 12 Mile, Southfield, MI 48078.

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## BERNICE ZAPALSKI

Services for Bernice Zapalski, 85, of Adrian were held Aug. 4 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton with the Rev. George Charnley officiating.

Mrs. Zapalski was born Sept. 3, 1915, in Detroit and died Aug. 2 in Adrian. She worked in production at Burroughs Corp. in Plymouth for 20 years prior to retirement. She was a member of Our Lady Queen of Angels Catholic Church in Detroit. She moved to Adrian from Brooklyn, Mich., in 1998. She was a very active member of her family. She enjoyed attending Polish functions through the Knights of Columbus in Detroit. She was a

loving mother, grandmother and sister.

She was preceded in death by husbands, Matthew Zapalski and Louis Cislo; and son, Fred Cislo.

Survivors include daughters, Dolores (Tom) Musson of Canton and Janet Loesch of Pittsburgh; grandchildren, Jeffrey (Heather) Musson of Waterford Township, Brady Musson of Aurora, Ill., and Jason Musson of Canton; brothers, Alex Szaro of Detroit and Edward (Molly) Tymczak of Detroit.

Arrangements were made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

## ROBERT C. ROEMER

Services for Robert Roemer, 84, of Salem Township were held Aug. 3 at Vermeulen Funeral Home with Mr. John Hooper officiating.

Mr. Roemer was born Nov. 25, 1916, in Detroit and died July 31 in Superior Township. He has lived in the Metro Detroit area his entire life, most recently in Salem Township. He was a member of the Nardin Park Methodist Church in his youth and was a patient and attentive father and grandfather.

He was a former Merchant Marine, serving on a troop transport in the European Theater and the Pacific during World War II. Before the war, he had been an able bodied seaman on Great Lakes Freighters, with the

Interlake Line. Following the war, he worked with O.W. Burke Construction Company, James & Savage, and Utley-James, as timekeeper and payroll accountant.

Mr. Roemer attended Michigan Normal (now Eastern Michigan University) where he played as an infielder on the baseball team. He also attended Wayne State University. He was proud of his family, loved dogs and children, (and always had some kids in tow, along with their friends, on Saturday errands). He was married to the same woman for 59 years. He and his family spent time at the family cottage, where he especially loved to watch the St. Clair River traffic.

Survivors include his wife, Jean E. Roemer of Salem Township; sons, Robert L. (Ann Margaret) Roemer of Dearborn, Charles (Jan) Roemer of Milford, and Mike (Donna) Roemer of Novi; daughters, Ann (Jack) Harrington of Oxford, Amy Roemer of Ferndale, and Cecelia (Walter) Evans of Plymouth; 12 grandchildren; and one great-grandson.

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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:

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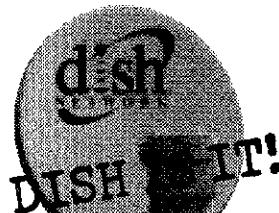
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# Teaming from page A1

ished by the Michigan High School Athletic Association and borne out of the grueling two-day football practices.

"A lot of it is making sure that kids drink fluids and eat well," said Garden City trainer Cindy Brandau. "The biggest thing is weight loss. If they lose more weight than they can replace in one day, then there's problems. Six years ago, we had several 100-degree days. What we did was weigh the players before and after practice. And if they came back the next day and didn't gain the weight back overnight, they didn't practice."

## Warning signs

The players need to be aware of the warning signs as well as being consistent with replenishing fluids.

"Kids don't understand that prevention is a big part of it," said North Farmington football coach Rich Burrell. "Even if they feel good, if they don't get a drink when they have the chance to, five or 10 minutes later they might not be the same."

"At conditioning (on Thursday) some of the kids said they didn't want water and our coaches said, 'Go and drink right now. Even if you don't feel like it, drink.' They can't worry about not being macho. They haven't had that many experiences with heat issues, so sometimes you have to make those choices for them."

Three football players have died since the beginning of the year and 18 high school or college football players have died of heat stroke since 1995.

Stringer is the only NFL player to die of heat stroke. University of Florida freshman Eraste Autin died on July 26, six days after falling unconscious upon conclusion of a summer conditioning session. Florida State linebacker Devaughn Darling died in February after a workout. On Wednesday, the death of an Indiana high schooler that was originally blamed on heat stroke, was determined to be a brain aneurysm.

And the worst part about heat is it's a silent enemy.

"But you can tell what's going on if you watch and pay attention to it," said Brandau. "If you start talking to the player and you think they're having problems, a lot of time you can tell

## Cool tips

To avoid heat illness, during extremely hot conditions, you should:

- Limit physical activity to cool morning or evening hours.
- Spend more time in air-conditioned rooms.
- Drink plenty of water for proper hydration.
- Wear lightweight and light-colored clothing.
- Wear a hat and sunglasses to shield yourself from the sun.

If you suspect a person is suffering from a heat crisis, the health department recommends:

- Achieve rapid cooling by removing unnecessary clothing.
- Spray the person with lukewarm water and position fans to blow air on the person's body.
- Apply cold compresses to the wrists, ankles, groin, armpits and neck.
- Have the person drink cool water.

"If the person vomits after the intake of fluids, or is confused, get prompt medical attention and continue to rapidly bring down the person's body temperature," said Dr. Donald Lawrenchuk, Wayne County medical director.

pretty quickly that they're just not with it. If you watch it, then you can catch it."

One way coaches can help avoid it during the preseason conditioning stage is to practice during the cooler times of the day or running conditioning stages without helmets or shoulder pads, which can trap heat instead of letting the body release it.

Coaches and trainers can only do so much. It's up to the parents and the players to do the right thing as well.

"They can't be afraid," said Hage. "You can't put reins on an athlete. They know their limits and we have to respect that. But kids have to watch things. They have to watch their diet, their body fat and weight as well."

It's something that also has to start well before any on-field training.

"Players need to get proper fluids throughout the day, every day," said Gordon. "They need to eat properly all the time. For years, we've had a doctor come in and address our teams with nutrition and eating properly. Everyone needs to be involved."

## Starting young

And it has to happen at an early age. Madonna University's men's soccer coach Pete Alexander makes sure the 5- to 18-year-old youngsters at his summer camps learn how to deal with the heat.

"Kids don't necessarily know their bodies at this age. We give them water breaks," said Alexander, who also encourages the youngsters to use sunscreen and makes the boys wear their shirts all day.

"If they need water, they don't even have to ask. We try to educate the kids as much as possible. Every 15 minutes or so, it's a mandatory water break. We try to let the kids relax and it's actually good for the coaches to relax and get out of the sun."

The final week of the kids camp and the first week of practice for the men on Madonna's soccer squad begins Monday.

The collegians will have two-day practices, but Alexander will also stress the problems with the weather to them, provide plenty of water breaks and use shorter segment games, rather than the full 90-minute training, in deference to the heat.

Players need to know their limits. Stringer, who'd been battling a weight problem throughout his career, told teammates he needed to work harder in practice the day he died, to make up for what he felt was a bad practice on Monday. The loss of internal fluids forced Stringer's core body temperature to 108.8 degrees, which caused a cascade effect of his vital organs shutting down.

"Years ago, if you needed water, it was a sign that a player wasn't very tough," said Gordon. "Now, it's important to make sure they get enough water or Gatorade and to be sure that the players know when they need it. If a player is telling you they're having a problem, then a coach needs to accept that at face value that the player's not being soft and address the concern."



STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER

**Cooling off:** Oakland County Sheriff Department's Special Response Team at a mock terrorist exercise at Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge campus in Farmington Hills wore heavy camouflage, body armor, masks and helmets Thursday. After the exercise SRT members cooled off in the spray from a fire truck.

# Temps from page A1

degrees and possibly death.

At St. Mary Mercy Hospital, the heat has been bringing in patients. "The last few days we have seen quite a few patients with heat exhaustion," said Dr. Ash Gokli, Emergency Room chairman.

Many have been younger people – out on the golf course, working construction jobs – in the intense heat, he said.

While no cases of heat stroke have been reported at Garden City Hospital, three people with mild cases of heat exhaustion were treated in the past week. The victims have been younger.

"People tend to get in trouble when they overdo it," said Dr. Mark Bacigal, an emergency room physician at Garden City Hospital. "And it seems to be the younger ones. The older folks seem to know what to do. Usually, it's people who work in the heat who know when to back off."

## Treated and released

Two people were admitted to Canton St. Joseph Mercy Health Systems' emergency room Thursday, one was a construction worker, both were suffering from dizziness and lightheadedness. They were hydrated and released.

That isn't a lot of reports, according to spokeswoman Lesia Golden.

"When we don't see a lot of

people for heat exhaustion and heat stroke, that's a good sign. It means people are aware, and are taking precautions and taking care of themselves," Golden said. "They're staying inside, drinking fluids, taking frequent breaks from activity or staying in the shade."

Bacigal said people tend to be more cautious when the temperature and humidity are high, but don't realize that those humid 80-85 degree days can be just as lethal.

"We see as many people then as we do with this kind of weather," said Bacigal. "People don't realize that when it's hot and humid that the sweat doesn't evaporate. You can't cool down when it's humid."

Lawrenchuk reiterated the importance of prevention steps, including drinking plenty of fluids to avoid dehydration. He noted the recent death of Corey Stringer of the Minnesota Vikings showed no one's immune.

"We still see fatalities." Heat-related illness is clearly preventable, Lawrenchuk said.

## 'Use your brain'

A hot environment and high exertion can lead to heat stroke, and things like alcohol consumption and medications like antihistamines and diuretics can make it worse and make people sensitive to heat, Bacigal said.

"What people don't understand is that some of the medications they're taking can pre-dispose them to that," he said. "So the important thing is to use your brain. Sometimes, when it's hot you don't have to do a lot to get heat exhaustion or heat stroke."

Gokli noted that people should be aware alcohol consumption the night before. "If you have a big night out with a binge of alcohol, that tends to dehydrate you the next day," he said.

With heat exhaustion, people need to rest, drink cool – not cold – liquids. Bacigal recommends water and athletic drinks for the liquids and staying away from pops like colas which have high salt and sugar content and don't quench the thirst.

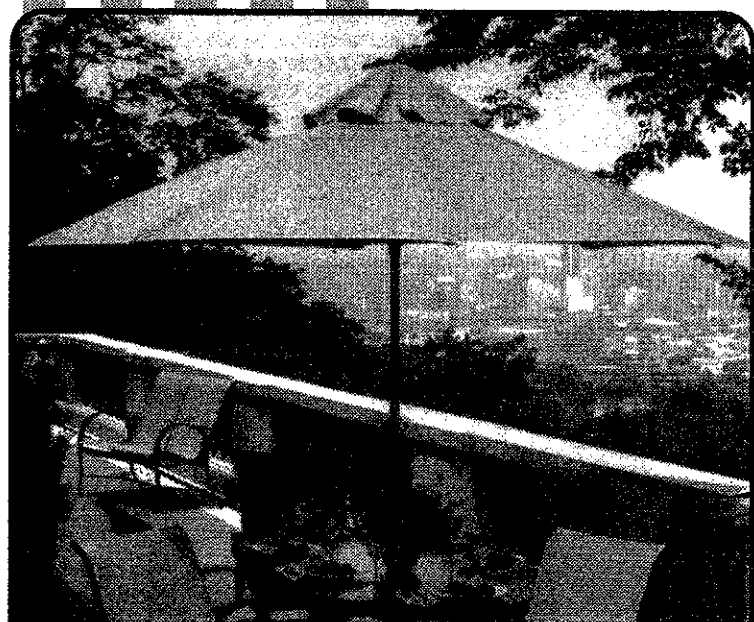
As for cooling down, "one thing that cools you down fast is a cool mist, not cold, and a fan," he said. "You don't want to jump in a tub of ice."

Since heat stroke is a medical emergency, he recommends getting the victim into a cool place and calling 911.

"You need to get medical treatment quick. You need to get those temperatures down," he said. "Basically, the liver and brains start to cook at the high temperature."

Staff Writers Carol Marshall, Julie Brown and Sue Mason contributed to this report.

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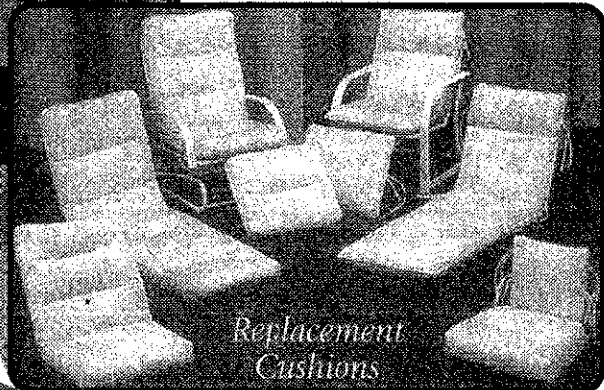


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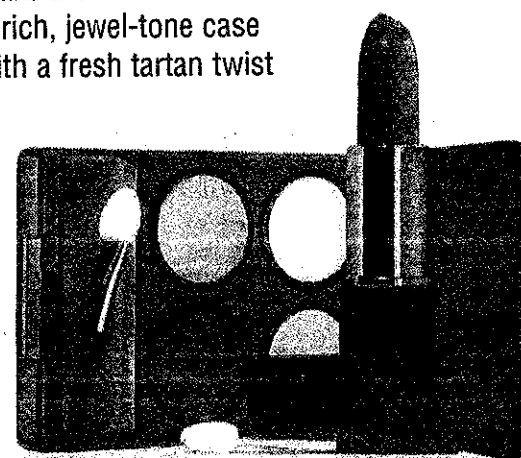
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## Plymouth skater shines

Alyssa Albers, a nine-year-old member of the Plymouth Figure Skating Club, earned a first-place finish on July 28 in the Detroit Figure Skating Club's annual competition.

Competing in the Preliminary Level, Albers outskated 15 others to earn top honors. A total of 90 clubs from all over the U.S. and abroad took part in the competition.

Albers, a Plymouth native, will enter fourth grade at Our Lady of Good Counsel this fall. She has been skating at the Plymouth Skating Club for 2 1/2 years; she will now advance to the Pre-Juvenile Level.

## HS hockey conditioning

Plymouth Canton's and Plymouth Salem's hockey teams will conduct a summer conditioning program over the next week for those in grades 9-12 interested in playing high school hockey.

Salem will meet at the Plymouth Cultural Center from 3:30-5 p.m. Wednesday, 4:30-6 p.m. Friday and 2:30-3 p.m. Sunday.

Canton will meet at the Plymouth Cultural Center from 2-3:30 p.m. Wednesday, 3-4:30 p.m. Friday and 8:30-10 a.m. Saturday.

Cost is \$15 per session or \$40 for all three sessions, payable by Wednesday. Checks should be made payable to Plymouth-Canton Hockey Booster Club.

For more information, contact Mary Maurer (Salem) at (734) 254-9234 or Chris Wolfe (Canton) at (734) 453-8332.

## Baseball tryouts

Tryouts for the summer 2002 Plymouth-Canton Mudcats, a boys 13-and-under travel baseball team, will be at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 25 at Plymouth Township Park (McClungha Park).

The Mudcats will play in the Washtenaw Amateur Baseball Association (WABA). For additional information, call coach Ron Myers at (734) 459-4026.

## Softball meeting

The Canton Community Junior Baseball and Softball Association is hosting an informational meeting for parents of girls interested in fastpitch softball, also to inform and enlist coaches for both Travel and Premier Travel teams.

The meeting will take place at 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 6, in the Dunning Room of the Plymouth District Library.

For more information call Tony Gould at (734) 397-8121.

## S'craft boys hoop camp

Walk-in 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).

The cost is \$100 per person.

The camp will be conducted by Schoolcraft men's basketball coach Carlos Briggs and his assistant Steve Norgrove.

For more information, call (734) 462-4400, Ext. 5254.

## Officials meeting

The Southeastern Michigan Officials Association will hold its sixth annual Football Officials Clinic on Saturday, Aug. 11 at Hazel Park High School.

The program, which costs \$5 including lunch and an information book, will feature rule enforcement updates and points of emphasis, reinforce mechanics, explain philosophies of the game and more.

The clinic will also allow officials to purchase equipment from Honig's Whistle Stop and attend the 2001 Michigan High School Athletic Association's football rules meeting at 1:30 p.m. and the basketball meeting at 2:30 p.m.

The day's registration begins at 8 a.m.

For more information, call Bob Williams at (313) 937-3578 or (313) 927-2324. You may also e-mail him at maoreff@aol.com or check out the website at [www.refs.org.smoa](http://www.refs.org.smoa).

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**On target:**  
For Butch Johnson, the National Target Championships in Canton were business as usual. Johnson won his second-straight title and the fourth of his career with a record-breaking performance.

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## Record-setting

Johnson breaks mark; Loesch gets 1st win

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Thing was, Vic Wunderle was happy. And why not? The native of Mason City, Ill., had come within a point of bettering the national record in the Senior Male Recurve competition at last week's National Target Championships, hosted by the National Archery Association at Canton's Heritage Park.

"I shot really, really well," Wunderle said. "I was just one point off the national record."

"But Butch just shot spectacular. He deserved it."

And he got it. Butch Johnson, from Woodstock, Conn., claimed his second-straight title Thursday with a record-shattering score of 2,699 — besting the former national mark by 37 points. Wunderle was a distant second at 2,661, followed by Jay Barrs (Salt Lake City, Utah) with 2,610 (see results).

It seems to be an annual rite, the duel for top honors between these two. Johnson, who won the championship last year with a record-setting performance and now has four national target titles to his credit, was beaten by Wunderle in 1999.

## U.S. TARGET

Both competed at last year's Olympics as members of the U.S. Team, with Wunderle coming home with a silver medal.

In the Senior Women's Recurve, Kathy Loesch of Fresno, Texas, maintained the slim lead she held from the opening day of competition to claim her first-ever national championship.

Loesch finished with 2,607 points to hold off the challenge of defending champion Karen Scavotto (Enfield, Conn.), who ended up second with 2,600 points. Janet Dykman (El Monte, Calif.) was a distant third with 2,578.

Jessica Carleton, from Redford, slipped a bit after a strong start to the tournament. She finished fifth with 2,574 points (she was second after two rounds, just six points out of first), one point behind Jessica Peterson.

Johnson, who was hounded by Wunderle throughout last year's tournament before finally winning the title by 10 points, had no such problem this time around. He led from start to finish, building a 19-point lead after two rounds and then doubling it by the

tournament's completion.

Which is just the way he liked it.

Loesch would have enjoyed a bit more of a cushion, too.

"It was hard," she admitted. "I just think it's harder to be ahead by less than 10 and try to keep it up. You slip once and people are right there on top of you."

Loesch had been to nationals five times as an adult (also once in the Intermediates), but had never won, placing second twice before — the last time in 1997.

"I worked really hard this summer," she said. "I don't think I ever wanted anything more."

If there was an element that favored her, it might have been the weather. "I live in Texas, so the heat didn't bother me at all," she said in reference to plus-90 degree temperatures. "It wasn't really a problem."

At least not for her. Loesch led by six at the tournament's midpoint and increased it to 10 after Wednesday's third round, with Scavotto moving into second.

In Thursday's final round, Loesch got a bit of additional support from her family.

"It was funny today," she admitted. "My daughter started saying real softly, 'Go Mommy.' People told her she could cheer louder if she wanted to, so the next time I heard her yell, 'GO MOMMY!' real loud."

One thing the tournament provided for all involved was a solid warm-up to the World Tournament, scheduled for September in Beijing. "This was nice to see, with the Worlds coming up," said Wunderle.

## U.S. Open

On Friday, the U.S. Open Tournament — an elimination event — found pretty much the same people at the top of the scorer's board in recurve competition.

In the Senior Male Recurve, Glenn Meyers (from Grand Rapids), who finished third in the National Tournament, bested Johnson in

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Evitts wins  
a title in  
compound

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Melissa Evitts has one rule of thumb when competing in an archery tournament.

Have fun.

The 16-year-old incoming junior at Livonia Churchill High School won by the narrowest of margins in the Intermediate (ages 15-18) Female Compound portion of the 117th U.S. Target Championships held last week Heritage Park in Canton Township.

She edged fellow Michigan competitor Annie Haffey by six points after four rounds while shooting at distances of 60, 50, 40 and 30 meters — 2,588 to 2,582.

Erin Macomber of Massachusetts was a distant third with 2,549.

Rounding out the top seven were Amber Smith (Michigan), 2,546; Ashley Butler (Pennsylvania), 2,485; Samantha Davoll (Ohio), 2,476; and Monica Mosko (Ohio), 2,441.

It was the first national title for Evitts, who was coming off a state Junior Olympic Development Archery conquest last month in Oakland County.

"I always have fun," Evitts said. "If you don't have fun, you shouldn't be doing it."

Evitts' parents, Perry and Lorraine, along with family friends, watched her battle shot for shot with Haffey.

To help alleviate the pressure, Evitts talked to her family and fellow competitors in between shots. (Her brother Christopher, 14, competed in the Junior Male Compound and finished 13th overall 2,583 points.)

Evitts led by eight at the halfway point (two rounds), 1,304-1,292. She also trailed by one, but through the four total rounds, Evitts hit a total of 100 tens, while Haffey had 89.

"I got a medal, I was really happy, and my parents were, too," said Melissa, who celebrated with family and friends after Thursday's final round at a local Chinese restaurant. "The heat played a big part. Everybody was getting tired. It was a long day."

Evitts was determined to win on her home turf after placing fourth in last year's Junior Compound Division in Canton.

"I tried to work on different things, but I basically practiced a lot more," she said.

This fall, Evitts will compete in the Fall Classics at Michigan State University.

As for next year, she'll move up to the Women's Open compound division and will be shooting at 70 meters.

"I may do some weightlifting to gain strength because they'll be

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**Double-winner:** Kathy Loesch had never won in five previous trips to nationals, but last week she finished first in the Senior Female Recurve competition, then won the U.S. Open Tournament.

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Decision Consultants, Inc. plans to get an early jump on the competition when the 16-team All-American Amateur Baseball Association (AAABA) gets underway Monday in Johnstown, Pa.

That's why DCI, the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League champion, left Friday morning and practiced Saturday at a local high school in nearby Breezewood, Pa.

"Our sponsor realizes the importance of our kids coming in and getting used to the surroundings," said DCI manager Mike George, who is taking his team to the 20-and-under Tourney for the fourth straight year. "It's a seven-hour ride and we have to report by 2 p.m. on Sunday anyway. He was gracious enough to put us up a couple days early and so far it's been raining ever since we hit Ohio."

Last year DCI finished 2-2 as the New Orleans (La.) Recreation Boosters won the double-elimination tournament. In 1998, George's DCI squad finished 4-

## AAABA BASEBALL

2. "This team has the best pitching we've ever had," George said. "We have five left-handers and four right-handers. Without a doubt, that's our strong suit."

Left-hander Ryan Ford of Eastern Michigan, who led DCI with a 10-1 record, will get the start on Monday in the opening round. (DCI's opponent will be determined Sunday night at the AAABA banquet.)

Slated to pitch Tuesday is Derrick Peterson, a 6-foot-3, 205-pounder right-hander from EMU.

George also picked up three additional hurlers made available from the LCBL to take to Johnstown — right-hander Dale Hayes (Madonna University), who went 9-1 with the Michigan Lake Area Rams; right-hander Jason Lukasik (University of Detroit Mercy) from Hines Park Lincoln-Mercury; and right-hander Brad McCloskey (University of Michigan) of the Rams.

Hayes played his high school baseball at Westland John Glenn, while Lukasik is a Plymouth Salem High graduate.

McCloskey, who prepped at Birmingham Brother Rice, picked up a win in relief last year for DCI in Johnstown.

Two additional players George wanted to pick up never materialized.

Rams utilityman Mike Macek (Redford Union) had to complete summer course requirements at Saginaw Valley State, while Michigan Bulls pitcher John Picco (of Villanova H.S. in Ontario) recently signed with the New York Yankees.

So George will not have to tinker with his starting lineup which posted an LCBL-best 27-6-2 record.

The starting infield will be Randy Ortiz (Michigan State) behind the plate; Peterson at first; Mario D'Herin (MU) at second; Jim Nowicki (Ball State) at short; and Dave Lusky (Eastern Michigan) at third.

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## NATIONAL TARGET CHAMPIONSHIP ARCHERY RESULTS

NATIONAL ARCHERY ASSOCIATION'S  
NATIONAL TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS  
Last week at Canton's Heritage Park

## Final Results

**Senior Female Recurve:** 1. Kathleen Loesch, 2,607 points; 2. Karen Scavotto, 2,600; 3. Janet Dykman, 2,578; 4. Jessica Peterson, 2,575; 5. Jessica Carleton, 2,574; 6. Dawn Chudy, 2,566; 7. Leah Clawson, 2,553; 8. Amy Green, 2,522; 9. Ruth Rowe, 2,521; 10. Judy DeVoli, 2,510.

**Senior Male Recurve:** 1. Butch Johnson, 2,699 (new tournament record; old record, 2,662, set by Johnson in 2000); 2. Vic Wunderle, 2,661; 3. Jay Barrs, 2,610; 4. Glenn Meyers, 2,602; 5. Jason McKittrick, 2,600; 6. Joseph McGlyn, 2,592; 7. Ted Holland, 2,585; 8. Christopher Shull, 2,558; 9. Brian Funston, 2,542; 10. Guy Gerig, 2,540.

**Senior Female Compound:** 1. Sally Wunderle, 2,742; 2. Mary Zorn, 2,734; 3. Jahna Davis, 2,731; 4. Nancy Zorn, 2,723;

5. Christie Bisco, 2,723; 6. Ashley Kamuf, 2,722; 7. Becky Pearson, 2,721; 8. Diane Hooper, 2,721; 9. Erika La Brie, 2,708; 10. Jamie Van Natta, 2,707.

**Senior Male Compound:** 1. Dave Cousins, 2,806; 2. Roger Hoyle, 2,783; 3. Richard Freitas, 2,761; 4. Adam Wheatcroft, 2,749; 5. Mark Penaz, 2,748; 6. Jeff McNail, 2,742; 7. Matt Cleland, 2,738; 8. T. Levi Reed, 2,734; 9. Frank Pearson, 2,731; 10. Jeff Button, 2,721.

**Senior Female Recurve Guest:** 1. Erika

Reyes, 2,609; 2. Petra Ericsson, 2,570; 3. Karin Larsson, 2,559; 4. Anna Mozhar, 2,534; 5. Zelma Novelo, 2,528.

**Senior Male Recurve Guest:** 1. Magnus Petersson, 2,626; 2. Mattias Eriksson, 2,602; 3. Mikael Larsson, 2,563; 4. Juan Marjarez, 2,555; 5. Keith Hanlon, 2,547.

**Senior Female Compound Guest:** 1. Ana Morton, 2,586; 2. Audrey Fliteau, 2,536; 3. Marthe Cusson, 2,430; 4. Carolina Chacon, 1,848.

**Senior Male Compound Guest:** 1. Alberto Balcazar, 2,698; 2. Phil Prowse, 2,679; 3. Miguel Brito, 2,675; 4. Alberto Balcazar, 2,657; 5. Juan Jose Wedel, 2,653.

**Intermediate Female Recurve:** 1. Taylor Barton, 2,442; 2. Leah Scheidler, 2,371; 3. Lynde Vanderstappen, 2,346; 4. Lindsey Carmichael, 2,296; 5. Oneida Cason, 2,266.

**Intermediate Male Recurve:** 1. Damian Wentzel, 2,526; 2. Jason Wong, 2,498; 3. Mark Wolke, 2,419; 4. Mike Madison, 2,400; 5. Kyle Stover, 2,269.

**Intermediate Female Compound:** 1. Melissa Evitts, 2,588; 2. Annie Haffey, 2,582; 3. Erin Macomber, 2,549; 4. Amber Smith, 2,546; 5. Ashley Butler, 2,485.

**Intermediate Male Compound:** 1. Mark Salisbury, 2,744; 2. Tony Cogley, 2,727; 3. David Vorobeychik, 2,678; 4. Brian Marvin, 2,637; 5. Joseph Edens, 2,631.

**Junior Female Recurve:** 1. Danielle McCullough, 2,626; 2. Sabrina Muchia, 2,591; 3. Kendra Harvey, 2,561; 4. Marie Victoria DeRegnaucou, 2,522; 5. Justin McCullough, 2,480.

**Junior Male Recurve:** 1. Ted Harden II,

2,721; 2. Dane Peterson, 2,710; 3. Garrett Krueger, 2,710; 4. Jared Juntunen, 2,658; 5. Jake Payton, 2,650.

**Junior Female Compound:** 1. Erika Anschutz, 2,813; 2. Aprilyn Witt, 2,783; 3. Jessica Mattson, 2,718; 4. Mary Taylor, 2,713; 5. Jessica Fasula, 2,691.

**Junior Male Compound:** 1. Braden Gellenthien, 2,851; 2. David Roth, 2,846; 3. Jedd Greshock, 2,839; 4. Reece Pulliam, 2,793; 5. Matthew Zurbrick, 2,790.

**FITA Competitive Female Recurve:** 1. Jennifer Nichols, 2,476; 2. Kristi Lynn Nelson, 2,373; 3. Carlissa Dragan, 2,339; 4. Danielle Heap, 2,310; 5. Kelsey Robinson, 2,298.

**FITA Competitive Male Recurve:** 1. Corey McCormick, 2,564; 2. Evan Clark, 2,526; 3. John Burkett, 2,475; 4. Tyler Benner, 2,470; 5. Luke Caviness, 2,444.

**FITA Competitive Female Compound:** 1. Marleigh Bogumil, 2,729; 2. Amber Dawson, 2,722; 3. Jessica Grant, 2,715; 4. Burgandy Bronson, 2,714; 5. Kristen Thomas, 2,647.

**FITA Competitive Male Compound:** 1. Jake Hall, 2,671; 2. John Klein, 2,671; 3. Drew Lahser, 2,657; 4. Cassidy Miller, 2,657; 5. Chris Glass, 2,655.

**FITA Competitive Male Recurve Guest:** 1. Juan Rene Serrano, 2,531; 2. K.P. Bijker, 2,469; 3. Adam Jablonski, 2,451; 4. Olmo Parrilla, 2,354; 5. Crispin Duenas, 2,332.

**Cadet Female Recurve:** 1. Maria Frangos, 2,710; 2. Lyndsey Marzec, 2,684; 3. Amber Freeze, 2,629; 4. Maggie O'Connor, 2,578; 5. Heather Koehl, 2,559.

**Cadet Male Recurve:** 1. Stephen Pfoeter, 2,711; 2. Maxwell Van Pelt, 2,703; 3. Michael Barber, 2,668; 4. John Nichols, 2,566; 5. Brian Brodine, 2,544.

**Cadet Female Compound:** 1. Kandice Spurlock, 2,814; 2. Kayla Meinen, 2,719; 3. Anna Frangos, 2,710; 4. Rachel Corey Worthington, 2,569; 5. Jessica Button, 2,556.

**Cadet Male Compound:** 1. Ryan Day, 2,860; 2. Kyle Shipman, 2,786; 3. Andy Hilger, 2,784; 4. Matthew Hermerding, 2,762; 5. Freddy Preece III, 2,731.

**Master (50-plus) Female Recurve:** 1. Julia Body, 2,207; 2. Jane McCarthy, 2,000; 3. Eva Fuller, 414.

**Master (50-plus) Male Recurve:** 1. Ronald McCormick, 2,416; 2. Ted Light, 2,391; 3. Robert Powers, 2,387; 4. Steve Robinson, 2,347; 5. James Bolduc, 2,339.

**Master (50-plus) Female Compound:** 1. Carol Bitner, 2,594; 2. Gwendolyn McMurray, 2,533; 3. Sue Thompson, 2,504; 4. Mary Wenzel, 2,255.

**Master (50-plus) Male Compound:** 1. Norm Newman, 2,703; 2. Ronald West, 2,689; 3. Don Howard, 2,678; 4. Rod Miller, 2,633; 5. Robert Baskind, 2,626.

**Master (60-plus) Male Recurve:** 1. Wilburn Wooten, 2,489; 2. David Braggfuss, 2,447; 3. Bob Walters, 2,365; 4. Nicholas Colatella, 2,164; 5. Jack Hoffarth, 2,096.

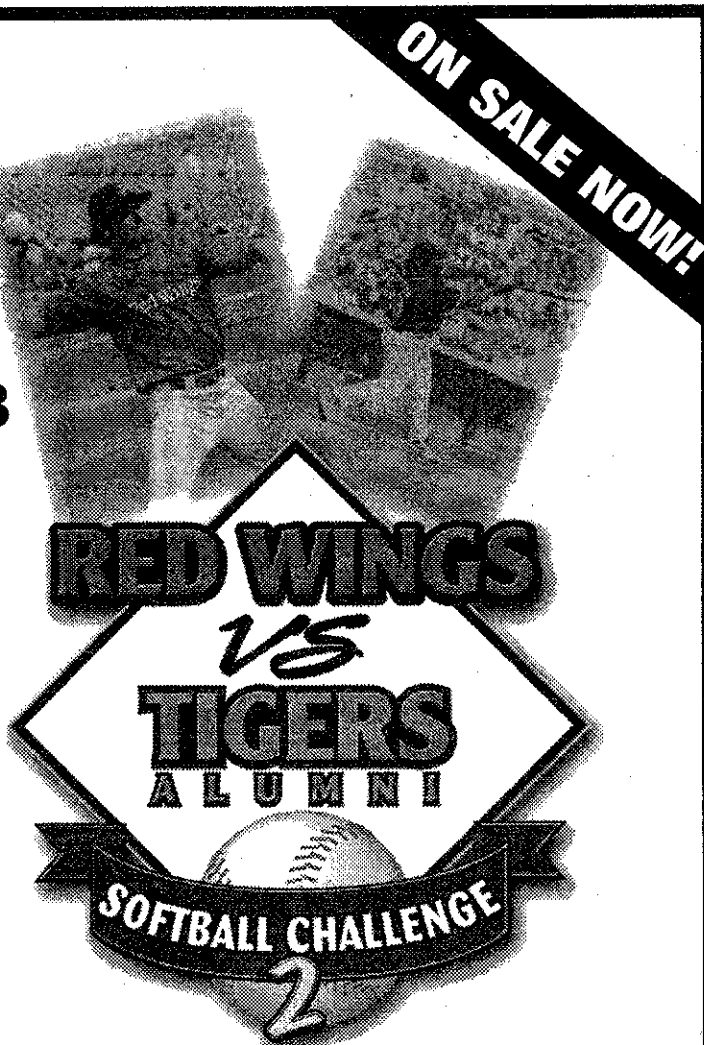
**Senior Male Barebow:** 1. Mark Applegate, 2,213; 2. L.C. Durham, 1,734; 3. Tim Humphrey, 1,469; 4. Norman Graham, 1,456; 5. Karl Nelson, 1,350.

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the finals, 111-107. Wunderle won the consolation finals to finish third.

In the Senior Female Recurve, Loesch outshot Dykman 107-104 in the finals to make it a double-win week.

The compound competition proved to be far different, and far more competitive. Both the male and female divisions needed shootouts to determine the winner.

In the male compound division, Jeff McNail — a sixth-place finisher in the Nationals — beat T. Levi Reed in a four-arrow shootout, the longest shootout in U.S. Open history.

In the female division, Marleigh Bogumil edged Mary Zorn in a two-arrow shootout to claim the compound title.

## National winners

In the Senior Male Compound competition, Clarkston's Adam Wheatcroft slipped a bit and finished fourth with 2,749. Wheatcroft had been third after two rounds.

Dave Cousins was the winner with 2,806 points, followed by Roger Hoyle with 2,783.

In the Senior Female Compound, Sally Wunderle finished first with 2,742 points, just ahead of Mary Zorn (2,734) and Jahna Davis (2,731).

In the Intermediate Female Compound, Livonia's Melissa Evitts held on to post a six-point win over Annie Haffey. Evitts scored 2,588 to Haffey's 2,582.

In the Intermediate Female Recurve, Taylor Barton was first

with 2,442, well ahead of second-place Leah Scheidler's 2,371.

In the Intermediate Male Recurve, Damian Wentzel was the winner with 2,526 points. Jason Wong was second with 2,498. In Intermediate Male Compound, Mark Salisbury took top honors with 2,744, followed by Tony Cogley with 2,727.

## Evitts — B1

changing the pounds on my bow and I'll have to have the strength to hold a full draw longer," she said. "I may also play some indoor soccer, I'm not sure."

But whatever she does, Evitts plans to make it fun.

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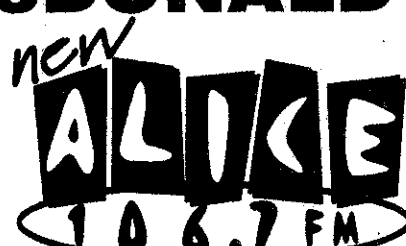
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## SPORTS ROUNDUP

## FASTPITCH CLINIC

The Our Lady of Good Counsel coaching staff is conducting its second Fastpitch Softball Clinic from 8:30-noon on Saturday, Aug. 18, at Plymouth Township Park (McClumpha and Ann Arbor Trail).

Cost is \$15 with a home run derby following the clinic.

Girls fourth- through eighth-grade are invited. The clinic features instruction, games, contests, snacks, cold drinks and a T-shirt.

To register or request more information, call Dave Hall (734) 455-8257 or Kim Del Col (734) 454-3403.

## VOLUNTARY PRACTICE

The Plymouth-Canton boys cross country team has begun non-mandatory summer conditioning. Any high school boys, including incoming ninth graders, interested in joining the cross country team can attend these practices.

The team meets at 8:30 a.m. at the high school track Monday through Friday.

For further information contact Ross O'Hara at 459-0010, Patrick Pruitt at 455-3497 or Brandon McClellan at 981-7438.

## BASEBALL TRYOUTS

The Michigan Indians will hold tryouts for its U10 baseball team at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 11, at Don Massey Field in Plymouth.

For more information, please call Jim Gendron at (734) 454-3708.

## SALEM SOCCER

Plymouth Salem soccer is having optional conditioning for all interested players entering grades 9-12. Sessions are scheduled from 5-7 p.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, July 16-August 10 in front of the Canton gym.

Official tryouts begin Monday, August 13 at Independence Park. Questions can be directed to Ed McCarthy 248 561-2846.

## FISHING MEETING

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 August 1st meeting will be Sandy Washmuth and Jay Smith, representatives from Cabela's, and they will discuss techniques for deep water fishing.

Visitors are welcome.

For more information, please call Jim Kudej at (734) 591-0843.

## 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 25-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 call-

ing 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.

## CONDITIONING

Redford Unified's hockey team will hold conditioning skates from 9-10:30 p.m. every Monday and Wednesday from now through Aug. 27. Full equipment is mandatory and the cost is \$10 per session. All high school players, including incoming freshmen, are welcome.

For more information, call (313) 534-5833.

## YOUTH BASEBALL TRYOUTS

Tryouts for the Michigan Indians, a 13-and-under travel baseball team, will be at 4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26 at Massey Field in Plymouth.

The Indians will play a 50-game schedule and offer winter conditioning and instruction.

For more information, call Mark Glover at (248) 349-3392.

Tryouts for the Michigan Indians 10-year-old team for the 2002 season will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11 at Massey Field in Plymouth.

For more information, call Jim Gendron (734) 454-3708.

## 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' junior varsity field hockey and a girls' junior varsity tennis coach.

For more information, please call Ladywood athletic director Sal Malak at (734) 591-2923.

## 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.

## CELEBRITY SOFTBALL

The Detroit Red Wing Alumni are playing the Windsor Sport All-Stars at 8 p.m. Aug. 18 in a celebrity softball game at Father Cullen Stadium in Windsor's Mac Park, part of a three-day event sponsored by Circle of Seven Charities.

Entry fees for the Aug. 17-19 slo-pitch softball tournament are \$185 per team or \$200 with 15 celebrity All-Star game passes included. Men's and women's B, C, D and recreational divisions plus co-ed intermediate, recreational and masters are offered. Call Rick Fecteau in Windsor at (519) 966-8564 or (519) 776-

8102.

Past and present NHL and other sport stars will be on hand for celebrity softball game, with admission at \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under 12. Photo and autograph opportunities will be available.

## 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.

## 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.

The 11th Annual Mercy High School Meg Mallon Golf Outing and Dinner will be Monday, Aug. 20, at Walnut Creek Country Club.

For information regarding golf fees and sponsorship opportunities, call Mercy High School at (248) 476-8020, ext. 253, or send an email to jhearle@mhsml.org.

St. Agatha will hold its eighth annual golf outing at 11 a.m. on Saturday, Aug. 11 at Links of Pinewood Golf Course in Walled Lake.

The event will cost \$125 per golfer and include golf, cart, lunch, dinner, open bar in the clubhouse, door prizes, a live auction, prizes on the course and other raffles. Hole sponsorships are available for \$150 and dinner-only tickets are available for \$45. No metal spikes will be allowed on the course.

For more information, please call Fred Grifka at (248) 473-1144, Tim Lafferty at (810) 996-9956, Lee Petersen at (734) 425-8576 or Janet Smith at (313) 255-7116.

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# One's not enough: Golfer gets 2 aces

BY PAUL BEAUDRY  
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Brian Bedgood first took up golf six years ago to get closer to his soon-to-be stepson.

After the last three weeks, his stepson won't have anything to do with him - at least on the golf course.

See, most people go a lifetime without seeing, let alone hitting a hole-in-one. Bedgood has two to his credit - both on Sundays and both in the last three weeks.

"I'd never even seen one before," said Bedgood. "And now I've done this. I've been so pumped up over this."

The first ace for the 43-year-old came on July 8 on the 152-yard 14th hole at Dearborn Hills Golf Course in an outing that included his stepson, Brian Harnos - who was a standout golfer for Garden City High School and now Schoolcraft College.

Bedgood used his 6-iron, swung, watched the ball hit appear to roll off the back of the green. It didn't.

"I didn't think it was going in, I thought it was rolling off the back," said Bedgood. "But everyone else was going nuts. They ran to the hole before I got there and made sure it went in. It was such a charge to have Brian there and my brother-in-law, because they're both such good golfers."

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At that time, Bedgood was also introduced to that time honored golf tradition - paying for drinks after hitting his hole-in-one. As luck would have it, the beverage cart came rolling around the corner right after the ball went in the hole.

"It was worth it, the whole experience was," said Bedgood. "I got a plaque made with a picture of the hole, the date, the ball and all of that. I mean I figured I would do every thing to remember. It wasn't like I was going to do it again."

At least, not for another three weeks. For this very Sunday, at the 17th hole at Hilltop in Plymouth, 144 yards from tee to pin, with the same 6-iron, the same thing happened.

"It went right at the flag, came down, rolled five feet and dropped in the center of the hole," said Bedgood. "I was golfing with people from work (General Fasteners in Livonia) and they rushed to the hole before I could get there. They went nuts too."

Being the benevolent golfer, Bedgood also bought the beverage rounds that day. Being the benevolent stepfather, Bedgood also called Harnos while he was working at Westland Municipal to inform him that lightning

had struck twice.

"He took it well," said Bedgood. "He told me this has to stop right now. He's a good golfer and this put the hurt on him. The funny thing is I picked up golf because of him. I figured it was something we can do together, so I bought clubs and learned to golf."

He's also been thoroughly bitten by the golf bug.

"It is the most awesome feeling," said Bedgood. "I love to golf so much and now it's even more. I never would have thought I would get one, let alone two. You read about the people who get one what they shot for the round, then you realize that all it is is one shot."

Bedgood, who carries a 43 average at Warren Valley, doesn't remember what he shot for the round the first time. And he barely remembers what he shot the second time - 96.

But you can bet, right now, that he'll have plans to golf on Aug. 19. If he hit two, three weeks apart, you know he has to try for his third in six weeks.

"I absolutely will be golfing that day," said Bedgood. "I don't know where, who with, or where I'll be. But I will be golfing. I doubt it will happen again, but I can't tempt fate and not try."

# Teacher picked as new Borgess basketball coach

BY PAUL BEAUDRY  
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Redford Bishop Borgess officials didn't have to go far to fill their vacant girls basketball coaching position.

Jim Zabawski, a history and physical education teacher at the school, was named the new coach on Tuesday. Zabawski replaces Monique Johnson, who left the post earlier this month to become the head coach at Hamtramck High School.

"I'm looking forward to it," said Zabawski, who was also a finalist for the vacant boys basketball coaching job, filled by for-

## COACHING

mer Redford Union coach Lloyd Praedel earlier this summer.

"I was interested in the position last year, but they really wanted a woman coach to come in, so that left me on the outside. But I'm looking forward to this."

The hiring is none too soon. Not only does practice officially start on Monday, but the Spartans have to replace five of their eight players from last year's 18-3 team that was ranked No. 1 in Class C for much of the season.

Amber Taylor graduated and Joie Clyburn, Ashley Gibson,

Raechelle Hampton and Queyata Hines all transferred to Detroit Benedictine after the first semester last year. Only three players return from the team - Tara Charles, Lizann Charles and Natosha Smith.

"We're not going to be as talented as last year, but we're trying to get more depth," said Zabawski. "We're going to really lean on the girls who are coming back. It doesn't look like we'll have a freshman or junior varsity team, but we'll just try and get as many players out as we can."

Zabawski, 35, hasn't coached at the varsity level, but was an

assistant at Berkley High School under long-time boys head coach Steve Rhoads.

"He's coached before, knows the girls he's going to be coaching and knows the situation he's walking into," said athletic director Rodney Geter.

"We only have three experienced players back and there's a lot of green players out there. He knows that and still wants to do it. He's been pretty loyal to the school and wants to take a step up and help rebuild the program. He's got a good rapport with the kids at school and hopefully that will transfer to the court and we can do something with it."

## MEN'S OPEN GOLF TOURNAMENT

- Men's 36-hole medal play: Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 18 & 19
- 18 holes at Whispering Willows, 18 holes at Fox Creek
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- Entries close at 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11
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## AAABA from page B1

Lusky, who plays football for EMU, does not have to report to practice in Ypsilanti until Saturday, Aug. 11.

The starting outfield will consist of Spencer Hynes (Oakland University) in left; Shawn Dobson (Toledo) in center; and Tim Andrzejak (U-D Mercy) in right.

Andrzejak has been the team's top hitter this season. Meanwhile, Dobson committed just one error in 35 LCBL games.

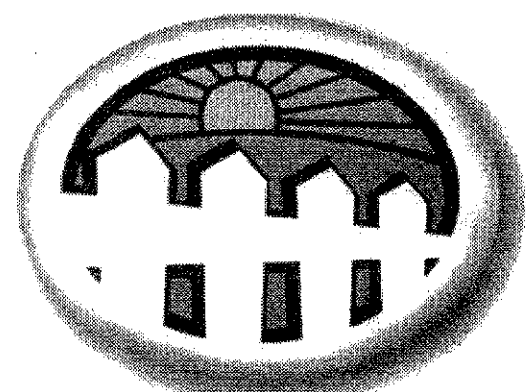
"Our outfield play has been excellent all summer, we've

made only four error out there," George said. "For this team it's been pitching, then defense then offense."

"We've had only six homers as a team, so we've tried to be aggressive by running the bases, going with suicide squeezes and delayed steals."

The AAABA Tourney in Johnstown at one time was a hitters paradise, but no more.

"The wood bats evens out things a lot," George said. "You used to see 18-14 games, now it's more like 5-4, 5-3 and 6-4 type games."



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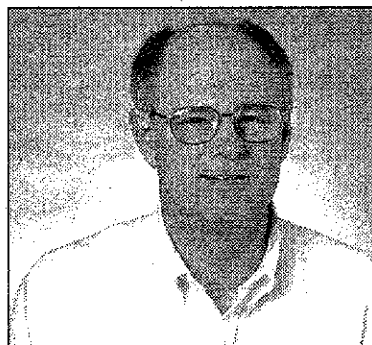
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## NATURE NOTES



TIM NOWICKI

## A cardinal flower offers color, history

Red is a very noticeable color to humans. Stop signs and stop lights are red because it draws our attention.

Hunters used to wear red so they would be seen by other hunters. Most animals, except primates and birds, cannot detect red. But for advertisers to humans it is a powerful color.

The other day I was walking around a wet forest at the developing Lyon Oaks County Park near Wixom identifying some flowers. I came upon some swamp milkweed which has a reddish-pink colored flower. It attracted my attention, until I saw the cardinal flower out of the corner of my eye. There is no red like the cardinal flower red in the wildflower world.

A streak of sunlight hit one of the flower stalks and made it glow against the lush green background of grasses and other plants. Several red blossoms were blooming along the upright stem.

Below the spike were long lance shaped leaves that radiated from the main stem. Each plant in this cluster of three stood about four feet tall. High enough above the surrounding plants to boldly stand out.

Cardinal flower is native to North America and was one of the first plants to be shipped back to Europe. By the 1600s it was cultivated in gardens. Its common name was derived from the similarity in color to the robes of cardinals in the Catholic church. The same can be said for the name of our red color finch the cardinal.

Once cardinal flower became popular in Europe it developed a lore and myth of its own. Certainly the showy color of the flower made it very distinctive and matched the color of passion.

Folklore indicates that the plant was used as a love charm. After a root of the plant was removed and cleaned using a ceremonial procedure, the root was touched on all parts of the body. Though it was suppose to work on all people, it reportedly worked the best on elderly ladies.

Native Americans had a more practical use for the plant. They boiled the root and made a tea which was suppose to cure intestinal worms. Too much of this tea would cause sweaty palms, irregular pulse, dizziness and nausea.

Like the milkweed nearby, cardinal flower has a white milky fluid in its leaves also. This does not mean they are related. Cardinal flower is in the lobelia family, while milkweed is in the family of its own namesake.

Long tubular blossoms of cardinal flower make it impossible for bees to pollinate. Although some bees have been observed chewing the side of the blossom to get into the nectar at the base of the flower. Unfortunately for the cardinal flower, this does not allow pollination.

Pollination of cardinal flower is primarily accomplished by hummingbirds. Birds of course see color very well, and red is particularly attractive to hummingbirds, as those of you who feed them well know. They are able to hover at each blossom and probe into the tube with their long tongue.

While they are probing for nectar, pollen inadvertently collects on the forehead of the hummingbird. As the hummingbird flies from flower to flower it pollinates the blossoms.

This is the beginning of the season for blooming cardinal flower.

If you canoe, watch the river bank for the bright red cardinal flower, or if you walk near wet forests; keep your eyes open. Discovery of a wild cardinal flower can be very rewarding.

BY JOHN WUKOVITS  
SPECIAL WRITER

Sports fans sometimes criticize golfers on the PGA Tour for being stoic-faced automatons so intent on their work they allow little emotion and/or fun to interfere with their work.

That was not the scene at the TPC of Michigan in Dearborn, where area teenagers played nine holes of golf with Senior Tour fixtures like Vicente Fernandez, Jim Colbert and Gary McCord.

One of those fortunate teenagers happened to be 16-year-old Aaron Friedman of West Bloomfield. Friedman, a star on the West Bloomfield HS golf team, navigated the tricky front nine at the TPC with Fernandez, a veteran Senior player and winner of three Senior PGA Tour tournaments.

"Fernandez was great," gushed Friedman after his round. "He gave me some tips on how to improve my game, but mainly we went out and had a good time."

Friedman joined 47 other area teenage golfers who had been selected to play based on a combination of factors. Foremost among them were a grade-point average of 2.5 or better and a golf handicap below 25. The tournament is held each year on the Monday before the Ford Senior Players Championship to honor the memory of golfer Larry Gilbert, who died of cancer in 1998.

The idea of the outing is not so much to groom the teenagers for tournament golf, but rather to have fun and keep an interest alive in the sport.

"My main purpose is to bring enthusiasm to the game," said Colbert, the winner of 27 tournaments on both the regular and Senior PGA tours, including the 1993 Ford Senior Players Championship. "So many kids play golf until age 18 or so, then give up the game until they are in their 30s."

"Maybe this will help keep interest



**Big drive:** Aaron Friedman knocks one down the fairway as playing partner Justin Jackson (left) and golf pro Vicente Fernandez (middle) watch.

going."

McCord, who also provides commentary as part of the CBS television golf team, agrees that fun is the emphasis in this brief event.

"You talk to the kids to see what's going on in their lives," McCord said. "It's more to have fun than to get serious."

The day began for Friedman with a practice session at the driving range. Fernandez and 15 other Senior Tour professionals handed out golf tips to the three teenagers with whom they would play.

Fernandez did not have to offer much to Friedman, who started playing at age five and normally shoots in the upper

70s to low 80s for 18. He watched the youth's rhythm as Friedman hammered a number of balls 250 yards and more down the driving range, then focused his attention on the other two teenagers in the group, Ryan Bishop from Big Rapids and Justin Jackson from Detroit.

Friedman and the other two youths in his foursome then headed to the first tee with their professional golfer, where they were greeted by a small gallery, including Friedman's proud parents, that walked with them.

"I loved watching how the professionals interacted with the teenagers," said Mrs. Friedman. "I was not too nervous as Aaron played, not as nervous as dur-

ing some of the tournaments he enters during the school year."

Once on the course, Aaron noticed the conversation swayed from golf to other topics. Fernandez kept the group loose with questions about their lives and comments about fellow players. If his intent was to relax the teenagers in his group, the tactic worked.

"On the first tee I was a little nervous, but then the nerves were gone after that," Aaron said. "The professionals tried to make us have a good time."

The round of golf proved to be as fun and exciting as Friedman had hoped. His biggest fear, he admitted, was making a fool out of himself by hitting the ball only a few yards, but that fear never materialized.

"I hit the ball really well off the tee and made one or two good ones from the fairway," he said.

Friedman will relish the par-four fifth hole for quite a while. He split the fairway with a perfect drive that traveled even farther than Fernandez's drive, then followed that by arcing a beautiful wedge shot to within four feet of the hole and draining the putt for a birdie.

On the next hole, Friedman attempted a shot he would not normally try — a drive directly over 275 yards of water to the green on the par-four hole. Friedman barely missed pulling it off when the ball splashed into the water only a few feet from the green's edge.

"I figured it was a fun day and I had nothing to lose," he explained, adding he would never attempt such a risky shot during serious competition.

Friedman enjoyed his day in the sun with the professional athletes and other teenagers. He claims he will always retain fond memories of his opportunity to play nine holes with a pro golfer like Fernandez and talk with McCord and other Senior PGA stars.

"It was fun," he said. "I hope I can pursue golf as a career someday."

## OUTDOORS CALENDAR

### ACTIVITIES

#### TOP BASS TOURNAMENT TRAIL

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 [rivrerrat122@home.com](mailto:rivrerrat122@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](http://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. 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 activities, 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.

#### HUNTER SAFETY COURSE

The City of Livonia Parks and Recreation Department is staging a hunter safety course from 6-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21 and 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 at the Shelden Senior Citizen Center, 10800 Farmington Road (south of Plymouth Road).

The cost is \$10 per person. Minimum age requirement is 11½. Participants must show a social security number. (Persons born after Jan. 1, 1961 or later need certification in order to obtain a

hunters license.)

Pre-registration is required beginning Monday, Aug. 13 at the Parks and Recreation office. Registration is from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For more information, call (734) 466-2410.

### 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.

#### 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.

### OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

#### COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS

Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all nature programs at Oakland County Parks. Call (248) 625-6473 to register or for more information.

#### FISHING CONTESTS

Addison Oaks and Independence Oaks county parks will be the site of fishing contests through Labor Day weekend. A valid Michigan fishing license is required. Call (248) 693-2432 or (248) 625-0877 for additional information.

### STATE PARKS

#### STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS

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 & Examiner's Outdoor Calendar send information to: Outdoors, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009; fax information to 248-644-1314.)

# Top female bowlers to hold clinics

#### TEN PIN ALLEY



AL HARRISON

Here is a window of opportunity for any and all bowlers who want to start the new season on the right foot.

Aleta Sill and Michelle Mullin are going to hold several one-day clinics at different locales to get you or your friends better prepared to start the season right and to develop your bowling skills to the next level within your own ability.

Sill, as most already know, is the first woman bowler to top \$1,000,000 in career earnings. She is a member of the Ebonite Pro Advisory Staff, and she has coached a lot of bowlers to where they have vastly improved their games.

Mullin is also a PWBA champion with four national titles and has now moved to this area as a resident. She has great credentials, also.

Michelle is a former Team USA coach and is one of only 22 in the world to be certified at the gold level.

Personally, I think Aleta and Michelle are also the prettiest bowlers on the ladies pro tour.

The first session will take place Saturday, Aug. 18, at Novi Bowl, located on Novi Road between Eight and Nine Mile roads.

The next one will take place the following day, Aug. 19, at Drakeshire Lanes in Farmington Hills on Grand River near Drake Road.

And for those who cannot make either of those dates, the next opportunity will be Aug. 25 or 26 at Sterling Lanes in Sterling Heights.

Each clinic features video analysis and on-lane coaching, a sure way to see yourself bowl and learn how to improve.

There is a segment dedicated entirely to effective spare shooting. This is the key element to higher scores.

The Practice Plan is to enable you to get the most out of your practice opportunities, whether in pre-game or leisure time practice.

Each session begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends around 4 p.m. The cost per session is \$109 per person; better yet, bring a friend for \$89 each.

Class size is limited to the first 16 bowlers, so get your reservations in early. Call (313) 274-1227 to enroll.

■ Thirty-six hours and two minutes. The Guinness Book of World Records lists this figure as the longest time for anyone to have performed continuous bowling.

Now is your chance to try to beat that record and

help raise money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association at the same time.

The Loyal Order of Moose-Taylor Chapter is planning this event, which will take place over 48 hours at Ford Lanes in Dearborn Heights starting at 7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10.

Next time you go Moose hunting, remember they do some very good things.

Ford Lanes is an active member of the Bowling Centers of Michigan and is located on Van Born East of Telegraph Road.

Many businesses have donated gifts of raffle items and money for the MDA. Participants will be mostly Moose Lodge members, but a limited number of spots have been held open for non-members to partake as well.

Each participant is required to obtain pledges to bowl. Ford Lanes will be open for business around the clock that weekend and will donate the use of the lanes and coffee for the participants.

The goal is to have someone break 40 hours of continuous bowling. For further details call Bob Bull of Loyal Order of Moose at (313) 291-1398 at the lodge or (313) 336-6433 at his home or Marc Smoltz of Ford Lanes at (313) 292-1700.



# CALENDAR

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## AROUND TOWN

### FUN RUN

■ Chris Ponder and the Northville Township Firefighters Union will hold the second annual fun run at 10 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 25, at the Northville Township Hall. This is an event in which kids of all ages can participate and help out other kids in need. For anyone who is interested in signing up or if any business would like to become sponsors for this event, please call Chris Ponder at (248) 348-4238.

### CREATIVE MOVEMENT

■ Metro Dance presents Creative Movement for Boys and Girls 9-9:45 a.m. Aug. 13, 15, 20 and 22. The class is limited to 3-4 year olds and costs \$30. Call (734) 207-8970 for further information.

### POMPON CLINIC

■ The Plymouth Canton Chieftettes Pompon Squad holds its annual clinic from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 22, at Hoben Elementary School on Saltz Road. Any girl entering first through eighth grade may attend. The \$35 registration fee includes lunch and a Chieftette T-shirt.

Clinic participants may wear their T-shirt and perform in the Chieftette Variety Show in October. Registration forms are available in the Plymouth and Canton Public Libraries as well as online at [www.daniellevoyles@hotmail.com](http://www.daniellevoyles@hotmail.com) and must be signed by a parent.

### ANNIVERSARY PARTY

■ Bird Elementary School will celebrate 50 years of learning with a '50s-style party and open house noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, at the school, 220 Sheldon (northwest corner of Sheldon and Ann Arbor Trail). Parents, students, alumni, former administrators, teachers and support staff may attend. For more information, call the Bird School office at (734) 416-3100 or the Bird 50th hotline at (734) 454-0487.

### ICE CREAM SOCIAL

■ Sen. Thaddeus G. McCotter will hold his annual ice cream social 1-3 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8, at the Summit on the Park. The social is free to senior citizens. Entertainment and door prizes will be provided. For more information, call Don Knapp at (734) 522-8293.

### COLLECTIBLE TOY SHOW

■ The Plymouth Collectible Toy Show returns 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11, to the Plymouth VFW Hall, 1426 S. Mill St. Admission for adults is \$4, kids younger than 10 free. For show or vendor information, call (734) 455-2110.

### SCHOOL REGISTRATION

■ St. Mary Catholic School in Wayne is accepting registrations for kindergarten through eighth grade. For more information, please call the school office at (734) 721-1240.

### PRE-NATAL FITNESS

■ St. Mary Mercy Hospital presents "Pre-natal Fitness" classes offered by the Marian Women's Center. A new six-week series will run Aug. 1 through Sept. 5. Classes meet 6-7 p.m. weekly in the hospital's West Addition B. To register, call (734) 655-1100.

### WORSHIP SERVICE

■ First United Methodist Church in Plymouth presents its Sunday evening worship service, "Weeds and Pests and Buys ... Oh My!" by Debbie Leach at 6:30 p.m. Aug. 5.

### BIKE RODEO

■ Kids (ages 7-12) can join the Plymouth Township and City Police Depart-

ments for a bike rodeo, 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 7, at Plymouth Township Park.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

■ Plymouth Community Chorus is selling 2002 Entertainment Books to pay for its charitable and educational activities. Buyers ordering now will receive a free 2001 Values Book, while supplies last. Cost of book has been reduced to \$30. To order, call Stan at (734) 459-6829.

### METRO DANCE DAY CAMP

■ Learn tap, jazz, ballet (no experience necessary), arts and crafts, picnic at Kellogg Park, mini-recital. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Aug. 13-17. The cost is \$140. Call (734) 207-8970 for further information.

### SUMMER ADVENTURE

■ A summer program of local service projects, crafts, Bible stories, snacks, games, and music will be presented 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. July 11 to Aug. 15 at Geneva Presbyterian Church. Children and youth, pre-kindergarten through eighth grade completed, are welcome. For more information and to register, please call the church at (734) 459-0013.

### ROLLER HOCKEY

■ Fall Inline Roller Hockey Leagues for all ages at Skatin' Station II in Canton. Ten-week session \$120 with one game a week. This includes shirts for champion teams, a game jersey and referee fees. All hockey stats will now be posted on the Web. Registration is under way. Call (734) 459-6401 for more information.

### COOKIES AND MILK

■ Cookies and Milk Drop-In Play Center for children through age 4, 11 a.m. Monday-Friday at the Golden Gate Shopping Center, 8515 Lilley. Call Cathy Propp at (734) 207-1655 for further information.

### MAYBURY STATE PARK

■ Summer Evening Series 7 p.m. each Thursday. Each week a different topic is covered from Maybury's natural or cultural history with hikes and slide programs. All programs are free; however, a state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry to the park.

### SUMMER ARTS CAMP

■ Plymouth Community Arts Council is offering five weeks of camp this summer. Camps are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday-Friday. Kids are to bring a lunch and drink. There will be a show/exhibit at 7 p.m. Fridays at the end of each camp week. The cost for each week is \$100 for PCAC members. Call (734) 416-4ART for further information.

### DUFFERS & DINERS

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

### PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

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

### SUMMER DAY CAMP

■ Summer day camp is being held 8:45 a.m. to 4:14 p.m. at Summit on the Park. Campers take part in crafts, gym activities, daily swim time and go on field trips on Fridays. There are pre- and post-care options available. To be eligible for



**Restoring the roar**  
**Pool party:** The Canton Lions recently had a reception and swearing-in ceremony for new members at the home of Pat and Nancy Williams. Picture (from left) are: Nancy Williams, Bob Boyer, Ron Ziemba, Paul Schrauben, Barbara Morgan, Pat Williams, Larry Wegryn, Debi Greene, Duane Bordine, Greg Greene and Tom Adamusik. Lions membership has grown during the past year to more than 50 people.

camp, campers must have completed the first grade through a maximum of having completed the fifth grade. Call (734) 394-5460 for further information.

### BICYCLE RIDES

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

### HEAD START

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

### TINY TOTS

■ The Salvation Army is accepting registration for Monday-Wednesday-Friday for 4 year olds; Tuesday-Thursday for 3 year olds for the fall 2001-2002 session. Call Peggy Blaisdell at (734) 453-5464 for further information.

### PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION

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

### HISTORICAL MUSEUM

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

### VILLAGE MUSIC

■ Group classes in piano and hammer dulcimer for

people ages 5 to adult. The complete Kindermusik curriculum is offered for new-borns to children 7 years old. For information, call Norma Atwood at (734) 354-9825.

### HATHA YOGA

■ Classes in Plymouth 7:30-9 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays. Call Cynthia Gray, (734) 420-2418, for further information.

### TAI CHI

■ Beginner tai chi classes starting at 7 p.m. are offered in Livonia. Classes at 7 p.m. Monday and Wednesday available in Livonia and Bloomfield Hills. Livonia location has day classes for seniors.

Observers welcome. Call (248) 332-1281 for further information.

### RECREATION

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

### SKATING CLASSES

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

### CREATIVE MUSIC

■ The Creative Music Center of Plymouth/ Canton has registration for its Kindermusik classes. Ages infant to seven years old. Classes are held at the First Baptist Church of Plymouth, 45000 N. Territorial (just west of Sheldon), beginning Sept. 4. For information, call Amy Brewer at (734) 513-5855 or (734) 207-8654.

group's monthly meeting.

### COMMUNITY DEMOCRATS

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

### TOASTMASTERS

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

### WESTSIDE SINGLES

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

### K OF C BREAKFAST

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

### ARTS COUNCIL

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

### KIWANIS BREAKFAST CLUB

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

### BUSINESS NETWORK INTERNATIONAL

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

### MOPS

■ The Plymouth Baptist Church holds the Mothers Of Preschoolers meetings 9-11:30 a.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. These meetings provide a time for moms to develop new friendships with other moms. Child care is provided. The church is at 42021 Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, between Lilley and Haggerty. Call (734) 453-5534. Space is limited.

### MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES

■ The Plymouth-Canton Mothers of Multiples Club meets 7 p.m. the third week of each month on

alternating Mondays and Tuesdays. Play group meets twice a month on alternating Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Call Pam Heestand at (734) 981-3341.

### M.O.M.

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

### MOMS CLUB

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

### HUMAN RIGHTS GROUP

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

### PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS

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

## VOLUNTEERS

### AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

■ Volunteers needed for its Road to Recovery program. Volunteers help to drive cancer patients to and from medical centers throughout the Detroit area. Call (248) 557-5353 for further information.

### DISCOVERY SHOPS

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

### LUTHERAN SOCIAL SERVICES

■ The agency needs foster parents and help publicizing its work. Call (877) 464-3264 for further information.

### U OF M CANCER CENTER

■ The Patient Education Resource Center at the U of M Cancer Center is looking for volunteers to help patients and families obtain information about cancer. Basic computer skills and knowledge of the Internet required. One four hour shift per week during business hours. For more details, call Ruti Volk at 936-9947.

## SUPPORT GROUPS

### GRIEF SUPPORT

■ Angela Hospice offers grief support groups every second and fourth Tuesday of the month. August meeting dates at 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 14 and 28. All groups are free and open to the community. Call Ruth Favor at (734) 464-7810.

### GRIEF SUPPORT

■ New Hope Center for Grief Support is a Christian-based bereavement outreach and resource center in Northville. All its services for adults and children are offered at no cost to the participants. This group meets 7-8:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday night of each month at St. Kenneth's Church in Plymouth. Please call (248) 348-0115 for further information.

## CALENDAR FORM

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

Event:

Date and Time:

Location:

Telephone:

Additional Info.:

Use additional sheet if necessary



## ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS



LINDA ANN CHOMIN

## French jazz group needs host families

Bill Cameron is running out of time. As chairman of Friendship Exchange for the Livonia Rotary Club, Cameron must find enough families and singles to host 19 musicians and 10 family members of Ecole de Musique d'Improvisation Jazz from Elbeuf, France - Friday-Sunday, Aug. 10-12.

The French jazz group, which is part of the Blue Lake International Exchange Program, will perform at 1 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 12, at the Rotary Community Barbecue at Rotary Park on Six Mile Road in Livonia. The event will also feature performances by Ron Coden and a bluegrass group, and games for kids, 5 p.m. dog show, and antique car display.

"I like people, I like music," said Cameron, who has volunteered to coordinate the hosting of more than a half dozen international music groups over the last several years. "I like the organization of it," he said. "The hardest part is finding hosts for the musicians. This year we have 29, but we've hosted as many as 54 so I'm running out of friends."

Cameron, a resident of Livonia, is hosting a mother, father and son, but families and singles can open their home to as few as one of the musicians

who range in age from 15 to 63. All that's necessary is a welcoming attitude.

### Happy returns

Cameron feels he gets back as much as he gives. In 2000, he hosted the Sonus Brass Ensemble

### Ecole de Musique d'Improvisation Jazz

**When:** 1 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 12  
**Where:** Rotary Park on Six Mile Road at Hubbard, Livonia  
**Tickets:** \$8 advance, \$10 at door, includes chicken dinner, call (734) 522-2643



PHOTOS COURTESY OF DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

**Self discovery:** This untitled work is one of the more abstract in Gordon Newton's head series. The 1990 mixed media drawing combines crayon, paint, varnish, and collage.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
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Gordon Newton never limits himself to an idea or medium as a 30-year retrospective of his drawings shows. Some themes remain the same as Newton returns again and again to work through them with a fresh perspective. Manipulating materials such as crayon, tape and varnish, Newton, whose work is now on display at the Detroit Institute of Arts, carries on

the tradition of the Cass Corridor movement of the late 1960s and early 1970s.

Newton was one of the leading figures in the movement, working in a studio in a former new car convention space shared by several artists on Cass Avenue. According to an essay by Marsha Miro in a catalog accompanying the Detroit Institute of Arts exhibition, Newton, born in Detroit in 1948, and his family, traveled from Plymouth to Ohio, to Kansas, and finally back to Michigan before settling in Port Huron.

After taking art classes with Vincent McPharlin at the Port Huron Community College boathouse on Lake Huron, Newton was inspired to move to Detroit and enroll at the Society of Arts and Crafts (formerly Center for Creative Studies, now College for Creative Studies). He didn't stay long, and eventually became a student at Wayne State University where he "rarely attend-

### Gordon Newton: Selections from the James F. Duffy, Jr. Gift

**What:** A 30-year retrospective of one of the leading artists in the Cass Corridor movement  
**When:** Through Sunday, Nov. 4. Viewing hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, until 5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday  
**Where:** Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Ave.  
**Admission:** \$4, \$1 children, call (313) 833-7900

ed class."

### Restless spirit

That restless spirit and energy shows in his early black and white drawings in the first gallery. Along with the sensitive, almost animated shapes and forms, Newton creates highly-controlled graphite works in which he uses tape to achieve a hard edge.

Newton continuously experimented with materials and tools. For a 1972 landscape, he told curators Nancy Sojka and MaryAnn Wilkinson, he used his hands and feet.

Newton met on several occasions with the DIA curators to sort through 500 drawings and 40 sketchbooks donated to the museum by James F. Duffy, Jr. in 1999. A massive undertaking, Sojka and Wilkinson began selecting drawings for the 150-piece exhibition from the large body of work last fall. *Gordon Newton: Selections from the James F. Duffy, Jr. Gift contin-*

ues to Sunday, Nov. 4 at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

"What you see is a tremendous imagination at work, terrific composition, creativity," said Sojka, associate curator of graphic arts. "For over 30 years he has never stopped thinking. It's idea after idea. There's a certain harshness and brutality and yet a beauty."

"Gordon is really an artist's artist. He works all the time. The exhibit is

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**Early work:** Gordon Newton unleashes his energy in this untitled crayon and wash drawing from 1971.



**Big band sound:** The 19-piece Ecole de Musique d'Improvisation Jazz performs tunes ranging from Duke Ellington to Count Basie.

from Austria and the Big Band and Choir from Flensburg, Germany in 1999. They were in town for the Livonia Arts Commission-sponsored *Music Under the Stars* program. He learned about differences and similarities in cultures, and expects to do the same with the French jazz group. They play a variety of big band tunes from Duke Ellington to Glenn Miller and Count Basie. The musicians, from the School of Improvisational Jazz in Elbeuf, recently released their first CD. Before playing in Livonia, they'll stop in Bay City for a performance.

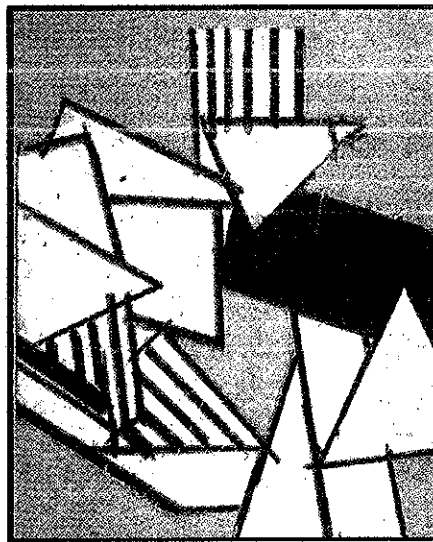
### Reunion

Trisha Taylor originally heard them play last year when she toured Germany, Denmark and France as a saxophonist with the Blue Lake Fine Arts Jazz Ensemble's International Exchange Program. Taylor thought she would never see any of the musicians again, and is excited about them coming to the U.S. for a two-week tour. Taylor plans to host two of the musicians in her Livonia home. She thinks they'll especially like going out to dinner because that's what she wanted to do the most when she was in Europe.

A graduate of Stevenson High School, where she played with the jazz band, Taylor spent three summers at Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp in northern Michigan, and one summer in the international touring program.

"They play old style jazz - big band and swing," said Taylor, who will begin studies in music education and French

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**Geometric pondering:** This Untitled 1972 work was done in crayon.

## PRESERVING TRADITION

# Locals keep spirit of ancient dance alive

BY LANA MINI  
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The Shawaza tribe has a goal: To preserve and uphold the integrity of the world's oldest dance.

In America, it's known as belly dancing. In Arabic it's called raks sharki, meaning "Oriental dance." Others know it as Middle Eastern dance. Whichever the term, it's a dance that celebrates femininity.

Shawaza, meaning "enchantment" or "bewitchment," is a performing belly dance tribe comprised of women from Wayne, Oakland and Macomb Counties and Windsor.

With precision and controlled movement, Shawaza will artfully perform ancient belly dance moves at local corporate and community events, charity fund-raisers, libraries, bookstores, hospitals, weddings, festivals and birthday, retirement and engagement parties.

If you want to learn Cedena Boukkaa teaches Middle Eastern/belly dance for beginner adult women, and little girls, in separate classes.

■ Adult beginner classes offered Wednesday nights at the Bailey Recreational Center in Westland. To enroll, call (734) 722-7620.

■ For more information about upcoming classes for children and adults this fall, call Cedena Boukkaa, (734) 422-1246 or e-mail cedena@voyager.net.

■ Classes, workshops and shows are posted regularly on the Navel Academy Web site at www.navelacademy.net.

land.

Outposts of The Navel Academy are located throughout Wayne and Oakland Counties with classes taught and dances choreographed by Boukkaa.

Every form of dance is a discipline,

The tribe's leader, Cedena Boukkaa of Westland, also teaches the uplifting dance to children at birthday parties, summer camps, Boy and Girl Scout events and libraries. Registration is open for fall classes for young girls.

Boukkaa encourages women of all ages, skill levels, ethnic origin and size, into the tribe.

"The notion that a belly dancer should have an hour-glass figure is a myth," said Boukkaa, a trained belly dancer who is founder, choreographer and instructor of Shawaza and owner and instructor of the Navel Academy dance studio for belly dance in West-



**Cultural diversity:** Cedena Boukkaa's students are women of all ages - from little girls who gain confidence through the creative dance, to more mature women who perform at local events. Boukkaa teaches belly dance in Wayne County.

Boukkaa explains. In Middle Eastern dance, emphasis is on artistry.

"With ballet, and other Western dance forms, emphasis in the class-

room is on discipline," she said. "With Middle Eastern dance, emphasis is on

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arranged thematically and shows his ideas being worked out in series, progressing into new ideas, movement and ideas coming around. An architectural element underlies all this work."

Sojka and Wilkinson succeed in showing Newton's broad range of concepts. From adding color and varnish to *Roller Coaster III* in 1977 to the latest work in the center galleries, the exhibit traces more than 30 years of imagination and creativity.

### Abstract to representational

"Gordon flips in and out of abstraction and dealing with recognizable themes," said Sojka. "By 1974 we're starting to see things more recognizable. The *Fuselage* series plays on the tail of an airplane and deals with specific structural themes. In the *Construction* series from 1974, he's exploring media and bizarre

constructions of media on paper. Tape holds the pieces together and echoes the drawings on the opposite wall. In 1972 he was drawing shapes, sometimes tearing up drawings he didn't care for."

### Materials

Tape, yellowed from age, provides the only color in a 1972 drawing. Newton mixes abstraction, color, collage, and sculptural elements in other works. Primarily known as a sculptor, Newton, like other Cass Corridor artists, created works from found objects. A Plexiglas, cardboard and resin assemblage constructed in 1974 shows him thinking about structure.

"Gordon told us about the medium, the early works with a litho crayon, later ones with Conte or oil stick, the materials picked up in a hardware store," said Sojka. "Materials are so interesting but in the end don't

matter. He used whatever was lying around that might have an effect."

### Subject matter

While Newton never left Detroit, he dreams of designing and building a perfect living space in his *On the Thames, English Cottage* series from the early 1980s. Like all of his work, Newton draws subject matter that holds meaning for him.

A few of the series in the early 1980s seem open to interpretation like *Anthology* with its black scenes and architectural themes, and *Untitled Family Tree* where he achieves texture by combing wax with paint. In the 1980s and 1990s, Newton explores the machinery of agriculture and warfare. In fact, Newton returns to the military tanks nearly 10 years later to darken his palette and abstract the form to make it appear more sinister.

The *Cast Cement* drawings

began as a proposal submitted to then DIA director Frederick Cummings for a sculptural garden on the grounds of the museum. The project fell through but Newton revamped the drawings by adding firecrackers and figures. They seem to tell a story related to chaos and rioting. The Cass Corridor artists were deeply affected by the 1967 riots which took place in the streets of Detroit.

"He speaks enthusiastically about the Cass Corridor era," said Sojka. "Several of the early works in the first gallery look botanical. They're representations of energy. He talks about how he felt alive - everybody going to each other's studios and meeting at night, bouncing ideas off each other, but it left little time to work."

"The Cass Corridor movement was a wonderful moment in time locally but reflected so much going on internationally. The artists looked at a completely

untraditional way of making art. It's 2001 and we're used to so much. Perhaps it doesn't look as radical as it did 30 years ago but it's all about creativity and imagination. It's exhilarating to see how open minded he was. That one person had such a broad range of ideas. It's the pleasure of seeing the mind at work."

### Sculpting line, shape, form

MaryAnn Wilkinson sees the drawings as being "more about building and making." Newton creates drawings systematically as if constructing an assemblage or sculpture.

Wilkinson first became familiar with Newton's work 20 years ago. In 1989 she wrote an essay for joint exhibits by Newton at the Susanne Hilberry (Birmingham) and Joy Emery (Grosse Pointe) galleries. It was at that time Wilkinson spent hours talk-

ing to Newton about his art. She also interviewed him extensively in March and April of this year for an essay in the catalog accompanying the DIA's exhibition.

"Gordon was part of the Cass Corridor group that influenced a whole generation of artists and established what has followed," said Wilkinson, curator of modern and contemporary art at the DIA. "Gordon's never had a big show. Most of the things have never been seen by anyone but Gordon and Jim Duffy. It shows how strong he is as an artist and intellectual."

"The early abstract drawings are beautiful, very complicated but very immediate, fresh, like they were just done," said Wilkinson. "The heads are so mysterious. They're beautiful but kind of eerie and balance the notion of being human and abstract all at the same time."

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at Central Michigan University this fall. "Most European jazz is old style. Funk and fusion hasn't hit yet. They heard us play and were amazed at the different styles of jazz."

"It was the best experience ever," said Taylor. "I got to see different kinds of people, stay with the families, and see how they lived."

If you're interested in hosting the musicians, and their families, call Bill Cameron at (734) 522-2643 or send e-mail to bumpy@juno.com.

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

## Food writer shares surprises

"Comfort Me With Apples," by Ruth Reichl (Random House, \$24.95).

BY VICTORIA DIAZ  
SPECIAL WRITER

Reading this memoir by the editor in chief of *Gourmet* magazine is a little like having dinner at a trailblazing restaurant. Some of the fare may delight, some may prove a mite disagreeable, but practically none of it will be less than intriguing to experience.

Ruth Reichl, who has been the restaurant critic for both *The New York Times* and *The Los Angeles Times*, started her restaurant career at a tiny bistro in Ann Arbor, and went on to become a professional chef at a West Coast dining spot called *The Swallow*. (She wrote about

early times in a debut memoir, "Tender at the Bone.") "Comfort Me With Apples" opens in the San Francisco Bay area in 1978, as she begins to

try her hand at restaurant reviewing, with an eye toward leaving the kitchen behind.

Along the way, she meets up with the likes of chef Wolfgang Puck (readers can witness the absolutely frantic opening of his new restaurant in Tinseltown), popular food writer M.F.K. Fisher, and Alice Waters of the highly lauded California dining spot, *Chez Panisse*.

### Appetizing travels

We also get to know some lesser-known lights in Reichl's life - her husband, artist Douglas Hollis; her slightly dotty mother; a few colleagues; her housemates at a Berkeley commune; people

she encounters on her assignments; Michael Singer, who eventually plays a large role in her life; and many others.

She travels to rural China, sweetly scented Spain, romantic Paris, "the sexy stew of Bangkok," and other fun spots - eating all the while, of course, and more than you can imagine sometimes. (Actually, you may wonder, while reading this book, why Reichl doesn't tip the scales at around 500 pounds. One meal she describes goes on for six hours, another starts at lunch and continues through dinner - events that may

leave some readers shaking their heads and mumbling about world hunger.)

Reichl obviously delights in food, glorious food - in fact, it's a little startling sometimes just how worshipfully she (and her co-workers) regard it. At the drop of a hat, they can wax poetic about such things as an asparagus tip, or grow rapturous at the sight of raw calves' brains offered at a butcher shop. It's part of the secret, I suppose, of being an effective food writer, but, to an ordinary diner, the prose can seem a little gassy and over-rich at times. (Foie gras is "molten velvet." A forkful of scrambled eggs is "like biting off a piece of the sun." Some Thai soup tastes "as if lemons had once gone gliding through and left their ghosts behind.") Most of the time, though, Reichl makes it fun to read about the pleasures of dining on such exot-

ic fare as slugs, jellyfish salad, goat honey, Swiss pumpkin, and Wolfgang Puck's oyster feuilleté with beurre blanc. She also adds to the fun by peppering the book with several recipes.

### Love and life

"Comfort Me With Apples" is most definitely not a cookbook, though. In fact, sometimes it is not even about food, but more about Reichl's own joys and disappointments in love and life. We learn of her painful separation from her husband of 11 years, an adoption gone awry, her complex relationships with her parents, even a couple of heated, romantic trysts. (She has a real knack for capturing on paper the characters who play a role in her life - even if they're not all particularly likable.) Her description of her break-up with her husband is a highly articulate and sensitive account of how two people can grow apart, though they still love each other. And the brief story of how she loses an (almost) adopted child is powerfully written and genuinely heart-wrenching.

This is a book with a deliciously satisfying ending, though. Its closing pages may make many readers believe in the old adage that life is full of great surprises - and that some of us do, indeed, get our just desserts.

Victoria Diaz is a Livonia resident and writes about books, theater and movies for the *Observer & Eccentric Newspapers*.

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### BENEFITS

#### DOWNRIVER COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS

The Home Gallery presents a fine-arts sale and exhibition through Sept. 29 to support the Ashes to Action Fund which provides assistance to artists affected by the March 16 fire in Wyandotte. Artists wishing to participate in *Ashes + Action* = Art should call (734)287-6103.

### CALL FOR ARTISTS & AUDITIONS

#### AMATEUR PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Cranbrook Gardens is providing the landscape. Amateur photographers are invited to take photographs and submit them by Aug. 15. A week-long exhibition of all entries will take place and winners will be honored. For entry forms and information, call (248)645-3149.

#### LATINO EXHIBITION

The Creative Arts Center, north Oakland County, is accepting entries for the 2001 Latino Artists Juried Exhibition. Selected works will be featured in an exhibition entitled *Salsa: Colorful Expressions of Latino Culture* Sept. 15 - Oct. 15. The grand prize winner will win a one-person show at the center. Open to Latino artists, 18 years or older living in southeast Michigan. For an entry form and more information, call Colleen Hunt at (248)333-7849.

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#### MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE

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### CONCERTS

#### BOSTON POPS

The Boston Pops Symphony Orchestra will perform at the Fox Theatre at 8 p.m. Aug. 16. Tickets on sale at the Fox Theatre and Joe Louis Arena box offices and through Ticketmaster (248)433-1515.

#### BLUE LAKE FINE ARTS CAMP

Presents an opera based on an Old Testament story at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 15. The opera entitled *Ruth* is in celebration of the camp's 35th anniversary. For more information, call (800)221-3796.

#### PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY

*Passport to the Arts & Culture* program features a free family concert at 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5 in Heritage Park. For more information, call (734)451-2112.

#### SOUNDS OF SUMMER

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra heads to the Meadow Brook Music Festival for a five-week summer session through Aug. 12. *Big Band Bash II* is Aug. 5 and *Marvin Hamlisch* is Aug. 12. Single professionals, ages 25 to 45, are invited to attend *Tchaikovsky Spectacular*

Saturday, Aug. 10-11 followed by cannons and fireworks. Located on the campus of Oakland University in Rochester Hills. For tickets and information on more concerts, call Orchestra Hall box office at (313)576-5111 or TicketMaster at (248)645-6666.

#### THORNETTA DAVIS

And her band perform 6 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 8 in front of Intermezzo restaurant, 1407 Randolph, in Harmonie Park, Detroit. No charge, (313) 961-7708.

#### BENNY GOODMAN TRIBUTE

Featuring Paul Keller's Bird of Paradise Orchestra, Jim Wyse of Livonia as Benny Goodman, Susan Chastain on vocals, 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 26, Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall, Livonia. \$12 in advance, \$15 at the door, (248) 476-2674.

### DANCE

#### DETROIT BALLET

Classes in child and adult classical ballet, tap and jazz. Adult beginners welcomed. Classes offered at the Betty Johnston Dance Studio in Farmington Hills at Folsom and Nine Mile. (248)474-3174.

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#### DEBBIE FELTON'S ACADEMY OF DANCE

Offering summer dance camps through Aug. 22. Also taking registrations for fall enrollment. 16312 Middlebelt, Livonia. (734)524-0104.

#### JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER

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#### KAMMUELLER DANCE CLASSES

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### EVENTS

#### CONSTRUCTION

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#### CHURCHILL HIGH

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#### CHAINSTITCH EMBROIDERY

#### RUG COLLECTION

A collection of crewel rugs inspired by designs from the Arts and Crafts movement and artists like Kandinsky, Klimt and Matisse through Aug. 15. The Print Gallery, 29173, Northwestern Hwy, Southfield. Franklin Plaza at 12 Mile.

#### FOLK FESTIVAL

All ages are invited to join in celebrating the richness and variety of American culture through traditional music, dance, storytelling, food and crafts at the National Folk Festival Aug. 10-12. All festival events will take place in or near downtown East Lansing. For more information, call (517)351-2735 or visit [www.nff.net](http://www.nff.net)

#### INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE OF METROPOLITAN DETROIT

To save space for its coming 75th Anniversary Original World Market in September, the International Institute is having a unique garage sale Aug. 17-19. The institute welcomes donations to the garage sale in the form of small furniture, trinkets, purses, knick knacks, vases, jewelry, CDs and sports equipment. No clothing please. 111 E. Kirby, Detroit. (313)871-8600.

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### FOR KIDS

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#### COMMUNITY SERVICE CAMPS

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

#### METRO DANCE

Dance camp for ages 5-8 featuring ballet, tap, jazz, crafts, a picnic and more, Aug. 13-17. Ballet, tap, hip hop and stretch and tone classes offered through Aug. 30. 541 S. Mill, Plymouth. (734)207-8970.

#### MULTI-CULTURAL CAMP

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### GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)

#### ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

Through Aug. 7 - Works of local artist Hamil Ma on location at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, 5325 Elliot Dr., Suite 109, and at Espresso Royale Café, 324 S. State, through Aug. 21. Through Sept. 2 - *Domestic Relations* highlights the accomplishments of Ben Upton and Sarah Innes. At the art center, 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734)994-8004, ext. 101.

#### BHA GALLERY

Through Aug. 11 - Ramon Angel Guadiana. Bagley Housing Association, 2715 Bagley, Detroit. (313)964-5942.

#### BIDDLE GALLERY

Through Sept. 5 - *Up With Downriver* featuring paintings, photographs and sculptures. 2840 Biddle, Wyandotte. (734)281-4779.

#### CPOP GALLERY

### Roof raising



**Open invitation: Invitational '01: Under One Roof'** features the works of more than 70 artists from the Detroit metropolitan area including this sculpture by Ruth Coulson of Clarkston. Other exhibitors include members of the Birmingham-Bloomfield Art Center, the Birmingham Society of Women Painters and Paint Creek Center for the Arts in Rochester. The exhibit runs through Aug. 17 at Lawrence Street Gallery, 6 N. Saginaw in Pontiac. For more information call (248)334-6716.

mer day camp for low-income children ages 6-12 from various ethnic backgrounds. Confetti Camp sessions start Aug. 6 and run through Aug. 24 focusing on traditional art, music and drama of various cultures. Child care prior to and after the camp will be available. 47 Williams, Pontiac. (248)333-7849.

#### SECOND CITY SUMMER CAMP

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

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Through Sept. 1 - 19th Century art exhibition direct from Sotheby's and Christie's. 235 Main, Rochester. (248)656-8559.

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#### ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Through Sept. 1 - *Fresh Paint* featuring more than 30 contemporary artists. 107 Townsend, Birmingham. (248)642-3909.

#### DAVID KLEIN GALLERY

Through Aug. 31 - Chicago modernist William S. Schwartz *Paintings, Drawings and Lithographs from the 1920s*. 163 Townsend, Birmingham. (248)433-3700.

#### LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY

Through Aug. 17 - *Invitational '01: Under One Roof'* 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (248)334-6716.

#### LIVONIA ARTS COMMISSION

Through Aug. 30 - *"Off the Wall"* colored pencil portraits, flowers and animals, by Sherry Eld, Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road. (734)466-2490. Oil Paintings through Aug. 30. Livonia City Hall Lobby, 33000 Civic Center Drive. (734)466-2540.

#### MANISCALCO GALLERY

Through Aug. 25 - Love, an exhibition celebrating the July wedding of Robert Maniscalco and Amanda Poland. 17329 Mack, Detroit. (313)886-2993.

#### OAKLAND COUNTY GALLERIA

Through Aug. 24 - Creative Arts Council exhibit. 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac. (248)858-0415.

#### PARK WEST GALLERY

Through Aug. 9 - An exhibition and sale of works by French artist Linda LeKinnf. 29469 Northwestern, Southfield. (248)354-2343.

#### POSA ART GALLERY

Through August - Pontiac Oakland Society of Artists Art Gallery is featuring *Zoo Animals* and a range of pottery, glass and multiple media paintings and collages at its new location between the picnic area and Kohl's in Summit Place Mall. 311 N. Telegraph, Waterford. (248)738-8720.

#### RONALD PAVSNER

Through summer - An exhibition of new prints, paintings and sculptures by Ronald Pavsner at the Java Hutt, next to the Birmingham Theatre, downtown Birmingham.

#### PEWABIC POTTERY

Through Aug. 31 - *Student, Staff and Faculty Show* featuring wall pieces, functional pottery, tiles, ceramic sculpture and installation pieces. 10125 E. Jefferson Ave., Detroit. (313)822-0954.

#### ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY

Through Aug. 31 - *Summer Magic: Children's Book Illustration* featuring original art and new, limited edition lithographs by children's book illustrators including Lynn Munsinger, Wendell Minor, Jane Dyer, Elisa Kleven, Cicely Mary Barker, Robin Brickman, Dr. Seuss and Cyd Moore. 536 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham. (248)647-7040.

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Through Aug. 11 - *Foreign Soil* features ceramics from Australia, The Netherlands and Switzerland. 202 E. Third, Royal Oak. (248)544-3388.

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Through Aug. 31 - John L. Wagner's *Michigan Lighthouses*, An Aerial Photographic Perspective, will be displayed in

the West Gallery. Amy Bao presents her color pencil drawings and watercolors in *The Line of Beauty* in the East Gallery. Loren Shiffring and his students' pastels will be featured in *The Art of Being Yourself* in the Lobby Gallery. 510 W. Big Beaver, Troy. (248)524-3543.

#### WASHINGTON STREET GALLERY

Through Sept. 15 - Barry Avedon, professor of painting and drawing at Eastern Michigan University, will have his works featured in *Painting and Drawing*. 215 E. Washington Street, Ann Arbor. (734)761-2287.

### MUSEUMS

#### CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM

Through Aug. 19 - Cranbrook Academy of Art Graduate Summer Exhibition. Through Aug. 26 - Harry Bertoia's monotypes and sound sculptures are featured in *Visualizing Sound*. Through Sept. 23 - *Cranbrook in the City: Verifying Visions With Detroit* presents the work of Academy of Art alumni and students. Through Sept. 30 - *Shaping the Heart of Detroit*, the Saarinen Family's plans for the Waterfront. (248)645-3300.

#### CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

Through Sept. 3 - *The Young Stargazer's Journey and The Atoms Family*, an exhibit designed to teach energy concepts and their relevance to daily life. Through December - An exhibit of Great Lakes fur trade with 18th and 19th century artifacts. 39221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. 1-877-60-CRANBROOK.

#### DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Through Sept. 9 - *Island in the City: Belle Isle, Detroit's Beautiful Island*. 5401 Woodward, Detroit. (313)331-7760.

#### DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

Through Sept. 2 - *Reflections in Black: Smithsonian African American Photography* featuring works of 100 photographers documenting the black experience from slavery through present day. *Building Detroit*, a look at the city's architectural achievements, runs through Sept. 30. Through Oct. 14 - Gordon Newton: *Works on Paper*, a retrospective exhibition of the Detroit's Cass Corridor artist's 30-year career. 5200 Woodward, Detroit. (313)833-4005.

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Aug. 9 - The Jeff Haas Trio & Friends will celebrate the Detroit 300 with a 7:30 p.m. free performance at the museum. To reserve a ticket, call (313)494-5800. Through Sept. 16 - *Detroit Collects Mayhew*. Through Jan. 13, 2002 - *Jazz in Detroit Before Motown: A Photographic History* tells the story of jazz in Detroit from 1920-1960 through photos, maps and recorded music. 315 E. Warren, Detroit. (313)494-5800.

### THEATER

#### BROADWAY ON STAGE

Presents *Crimes of the Heart* through Aug. 25, a comic play by Beth Hensley. 21517 Kelly, Eastpointe. (810)771-6333.

#### PLOWSHARES THEATRE COMPANY

Michigan's only professional African American theater company presents *Continued Warm* through Aug. 5 at the Anderson Center Theater in Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village. The play is about the Belle Isle Riot of 1943. For tickets, call (313)872-0279.







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the artistic and cultural aspects of the dance, which creates more freedom for personal expression. Not to say that discipline isn't important, because it certainly is. But children also need to be accepted for who they are as individuals, not merely for their accomplishments alone."

Boukrra also teaches the dance to help build self-esteem in her dancers.

"This is especially true for young girls, so that they develop self-confidence and a positive body image early on in life, she said. "The need for social conformity and acceptance starts at a very early age. Young students develop a perception that a dancer ought to be thin — even to the point of malnutrition. But with belly dance, there is no such thing as an ideal body type. Positive body image is an important virtue for young ladies to learn, and hopefully, I can use that aspect of the dance to help make a difference."

The dance, she said brings people together of all ages. The

Arabic music, upbeat in nature, is fun for the children who are motivated by happiness.

They're also attracted to the colorful and eclectic costumes, and noise-makers such as finger cymbals and coin belts. Part of the children's classes are spent making jewelry and decorative plates, which the girls love.

## Universal language

"Together, music and dance create a universal language which enables us to better understand other cultures. For young children, cultural diversity is another important benefit they can derive from their lessons.

Whether it's intriguing belly rolls, isolated hip shimmies, elegant "snake" arms, or mesmerizing body waves, traditional and modern forms of "Oriental" belly dancing are alive worldwide.

Vanessa Vogler, a Shawaza member and student of Boukrra, discovered personal expression and femininity through belly dancing with her sister Paula Vogler. Ironically, Boukrra, who

has danced professionally for eight years, also discovered the dance along with her sister.

Boukrra, also a drummer, teaches students several styles of belly dance including veil and zil (castanets) dances. Shawaza recently performed Boukrra's own zil composition and dance at the BellyJam dance convention in Cincinnati, a prestigious event for "Oriental" dancers.

Boukrra and her students in Shawaza have formed a bond of encouragement and support — and that touches the Vogler sisters.

"The tribe is very close. We all enjoy dancing together as well as the social company. I love the new friends I've made," said Paula Vogler. "We all learn through each other."

While belly dancing is exotic, Shawaza is adamant to break myths that it's erotic. Boukrra works to bring tradition back to the stage with elaborate costumes, creativity and ethnic music.

The group is serious about the

art form, speculated to have originated as a birth ritual in Mesopotamia. There, the dance was performed by temple priestesses as a sacred, highly esteemed ritual to celebrate the magic of birth. As civilizations evolved, so did religious beliefs and practices. The birth ritual then endured as a cultural religion and has become a common form of entertainment for special occasions in America and overseas, Boukrra explained.

The term "belly dance" was coined in 1893 by promoters of the World Fair in Chicago, where America's first Oriental, or Middle Eastern, dance was performed. Today Boukrra is dedicated to promoting Middle Eastern dance and culture in the metro-Detroit area.

The interest in Middle Eastern dance and culture is strong in the area, Boukrra said, but there aren't many instructors available. At the International Women's Show in Novi this year, the Naval Academy promoted Middle Eastern dance and cul-

ture to women of Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw Counties.

"The number one thing we heard from visitors at our booth was that they wanted to take lessons for years, and could never find an instructor. Our presence there was very significant for those communities throughout the state where Middle Eastern dance was previously not accessible."

Shawaza also brings the dance to many local communities through public performances, which are free to the audience. Recent appearances include the Westland Public Library, Borders Books & Music stores, and Gilda's Club.

Dancing for improved health. "Even pregnant women benefit from the dance," Boukrra said. "Mothers who belly dance are known to experience less difficulty during labor and have a faster recovery."

Student dancer Katherine Vincent, of Berkley, is currently pregnant and has been encouraged by fellow Shawaza mem-

bers to dance throughout her pregnancy. Part Iraqi, she appreciates the dance as her heritage.

## Exercise

"It's a good form of exercise and it's very beautiful," Vincent said.

For seniors or women described as obese the dance is beneficial because it isn't aerobic but tones muscles and builds stamina, Boukrra said. Since it's low-impact, there's little risk of injury.

And most students aren't Middle Eastern. Boukrra says she enjoys instructing American students and teaching about Middle Eastern culture, because students then learn that many common perceptions of Middle Eastern people are untrue.

"Cedena is our mentor. We look for approval from her all the time and we all fight for her attention," Vanessa Vogler laughed. "She is so encouraging. The chemistry of all us together is something unheard of for a group of people. I love this bunch of women."



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## Use makeup brushes for the best results

### DISCOVERING BEAUTY



MARY ANNE TOCCALINO

It's probably a good time to take inventory of our makeup brushes. We have all the summer essentials in our makeup kit and are awaiting the debut of fall colors.

Brushes are the secret behind makeup that looks like it's been done by a professional, and makeup artists are extremely attached, figuratively and literally speaking, to their makeup brushes.

A brush brings life, dimension and precision to the application of color cosmetics.

I believe the right brush can transform a less than remarkable face into a work of art.

Brushes come in different shapes and sizes, from a thick dome of European goat hair to a fine strand of Russian sable hair, for a variety of uses. So the question is: Which brush is the right one for a particular job?

Unfortunately, the answer to that question varies as much as the brushes themselves. There are no set rules about makeup brushes, only guidelines.

Beyond those basic guidelines, however, makeup artists do consider certain characteristics when selecting brushes. They are: hair type, density, cut, shape, size and handle weight.

In the end, matching up particular characteristics is a personal choice based on how the brush feels. But, generally speaking, makeup artists are looking for balance, control, strength and swiftness when using the brush.

### Splitting hairs

The type of hair used to make a brush is probably the most important factor for consideration.

There are three general categories of brush hair: synthetic, natural and bristle.

Manufactured (acrylic) hair has a coarse feeling and a tendency to get stiffer, rather than softer, with use. Therefore, they usually are not the best choice.

Natural animal hair brushes in general are ideal. Natural hair has a middle structure called the medulla, which is covered by a thick sheath and covered by a shell of scales called the cuticle. The scales in the cuticle structure hold and trap various makeup matter when picked up. They then release the matter when pressure is applied through the brush.

Bristle is a category of natural hair most often made from a hog or a boar. It is stiff and firm in texture. Its interlocking structure give the hair a natural curve and a split tip called a flag. The flag allows the brush to hold a maximum amount of color and act as a "paint brush" during application. Both of these features make it ideal for grooming and laying down makeup at the same time.

Hair type has a tremendous effect on brush prices. A fine Kolinsky Russian sable hair brush, for instance, is one of the most costly available. A common boar bristle brush, on the other hand, would be relatively inexpensive.

While expensive brushes are nice to have, you can own a set of high quality brushes without spending a fortune.

Decent quality brushes are made from pony and goat hairs. Hair blends such as squirrel, mink and weasel, are also used in higher quality brushes.

In general, the better the grade of hair, the better release and control (of makeup product) afforded by the brush. A good release gives you the control needed to apply and blend a pigment.

Hair texture has a great deal to do with the amount of product it holds. The softer the hair, the less it picks up and delivers to the surface for blending, which nets a lighter, more sheer application.

### A cut above

The method used to harvest hair also makes a big difference in brush quality.

Top grade brushes use the softest hair of first-cut animal fur. Brushes using first-cut hair are made from the tip of shorn animal fur, a process considered to be cruelty-free. Less expensive brushes are obtained using the blunt-cut process, which involves a second cut of animal fur. Though these brushes are cheaper, their hair is more coarse in texture.

### Basic kit

There's an overwhelming selection of makeup brushes from which to choose. I recommend purchasing a core set and relying on them for consistent results. Based on my own use, I suggest the following basic brushes:

■ A **powder brush** should have soft hair, a full dome shape and a beveled tip. It can be used to apply loose or pressed powder or to dust off excess powder.

■ A **blush brush** with a small, compact dome shape, tight hairs and rounded tip works best for sweeping color across the cheeks.

■ An **eye shadow brush** with a chisel style is a popular choice. Those with a "fluffy" shape sweep on color, while a flatter brush will define and blend.

■ Look for a **crease/contour brush** with an angled chisel shape and either a flat or small round head. Use the brush to create depth in the eye lid crease and blend a contour on to the eye area's outer corner.

■ **Eyeliner brushes** come in a variety of styles. It's ideal to have two, one with a plume shape tip for blending and the other with an ultra-fine tip like a pen for applying eyeliner. Small angle or bullet type brushes are my favorites.

■ **Lip brushes**, either one with a nylon tip that is round, has a knife-shaped edge and flat sides, or one with a natural bristle tip that is flat but more rounded. These brushes enable high definition lining of the lips and aid in shaping and making corrections.

■ A **camouflage or concealing brush** made with a synthetic blend like taklon work best. You will need a brush that enables you to take up and move creams and oils on the skin without absorbing them. It should also remain firm and flexible when used.

Regardless of chosen hair type and cut, these essential brushes will deliver speed and accuracy when applying makeup, not to mention, beautifully finished results. With practice and the right tools you'll be looking like a pro in no time.

Mary Anne Toccalino is a professional makeup artist and skin care consultant. She studied at Joe Blasco's School of Cosmetics in Hollywood where her training included work in special effects for film and print. Send your questions to Mary Anne by e-mail at [matm@up@yahoo.com](mailto:matm@up@yahoo.com).

## Fall style

### Tahari favors a plentiful dose of denim and classic black

Don't toss out those black wardrobe basics; retrieve denim jackets, skirts and jeans from the back of the closet, too.

At least one major designer, Elie Tahari, is reviving the comfortable classics.

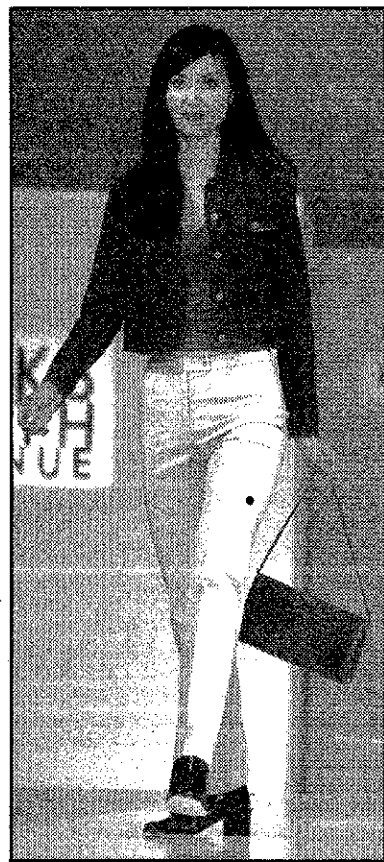
His fall 2001 collection and designs for the Theory label, both of which were shown Friday at the annual Concours Du Mode fashion show at Meadow Brook Hall in Rochester Hills, seemed to revolve around black and denim, the most American of fabrics.

But Tahari's denim dodges any association with ordinary blue jeans. In shades of blue and chocolate, it looks more like a heather fabric. Shaping and design produce a good and tidy stretch fit, too.

Aside from traditionally cut denim jeans and jean jackets, of which there were many in his collections, tied-at-the-waist trench coats and even a tailored jacket were done in denim. Other denim jeans were embossed with modern jacquard prints, which created texture and sheen.

All but three of Tahari's evening ensembles were black, and of course several pairs of denim jeans were black.

— Staff Writer Nicole Stafford



STAFF PHOTOS BY MELANIE MAXWELL

**Old favorites:** Elie Tahari's fall designs, which were presented Friday by Saks Fifth Avenue at Meadow Brook Hall in Rochester Hills as part of the Concours d' Elegance weekend, both favored denim and the color black. Other comfortable favorites included pants in stretch twill and corduroy and jersey tops.



## Non-profit groups set up shop, courtesy of Schostak Brothers

Schostak Brothers, a commercial real estate and property management firm based in Southfield, is taking an unusual step to aid Michigan children, families and animals.

On August 1, three Schostak Brothers properties, Laurel Park Place in Livonia, Macomb Mall in Roseville and Pointe Plaza in Grosse Pointe Woods, turned over store space to the non-profit world.

Dubbed Store of Dreams, the program will provide free store space to non-profit organizations, enabling the groups to raise awareness and shoppers to help favorite charities.

The program is slated to run through Dec. 31. Five non-profit organizations will be simultaneously housed at each of the participating shopping malls.

The schedule is as follows:

■ Michigan Department of Education, in conjunction with Wayne RESA Macomb Intermediate School District and Grosse Pointe Public Schools, will offer free R.E.A.D.Y children's reading kits to the public.

Entertainment and education events are also slated for shoppers. In addition, the public is encouraged to bring in gently used books, especially children's, for donation.

■ September – Capuchin Soup Kitchen's Earth Works Garden, a unique program that helps underprivileged families to farm their own food, will collect canned goods to help feed the homeless.

■ October – Michigan Humane Society, a private organization that has been serving animals since 1877, will sell merchandise to collect needed funds.

In addition, the organization will host animal adoptions on weekends.

■ November – St. Vincent DePaul, one of the oldest social service agencies in Michigan, will collect donated clothing to help those in need during the winter months. Coats are especially needed by the organization.

■ December – Covenant House, a facility that offers shelter to young people from abusive homes and the streets, will encourage shoppers to sponsor a child during the holidays.

Founded in 1920, Schostak Brothers' Michigan developments include Laurel Park Place in Livonia, Macomb Mall in Roseville, Pointe Plaza in Grosse Pointe Woods, Shelby Corners in Utica, and Cherryland Mall in Traverse City.

**Retail, style and special store events** are listed in this calendar. Please send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/o Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. By fax, (248) 644-1314. E-mail, [nstafford@oe.homecomm.net](mailto:nstafford@oe.homecomm.net). Deadline for publication is two weeks in advance.

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

#### CONCERTS IN PARK

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra presents the second in a free, two-concert series for families, 2 p.m. in Plymouth's Heritage Park. For more information, call (734) 451-2112.

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 7

#### CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile Road, hosts "Wanted OK Kids," a children's entertainment program featuring puppetry, clown capers and storytelling, 11 a.m. For details, call (248) 476-1160.

#### CHILDREN'S STORY TIME

Friends from the Macomb Literacy Program read a story to kids of all ages at Lakeside Mall in Sterling Heights, noon, children's play area. For details, call (810) 247-1744.

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

#### KIDS ENTERTAINMENT

Lakeside Mall in Sterling Heights presents "You're Wonderful" as part of the shopping center's Imagination Celebration, a series of music, story and theater shows for children. Shows are slated for 7 p.m. every Wednesday through Aug. 22, Fountain Court. In addition, non-perishable goods will be collected for donation to the Macomb Food Program.

## ADDED ATTRACTIONS

Each child who brings a box or can of food will be entered into a prize drawing. For more details, call (810) 247-1744.

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 9

#### ST. JOHN ON RUNWAY

Saks Fifth Avenue, the Somerset Collection in Troy, presents St. John's fall 2001 collection to benefit the Junior League of Birmingham, wine and hors d'oeuvre reception at 5 p.m., fashion show at 6 p.m., St. John Boutique, second floor. Tickets are \$35 and \$50. To purchase tickets, call (248) 614-3317.

#### TRUNK SHOW

Sally's Design at the Orchard Mall in West Bloomfield hosts trunk shows of Garfield & Marks and Plenair, through Aug. 11. Show hours are 10 a.m.-7 p.m. Thursday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday. For more information, call, (248) 626-0886.

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

Art Van Furniture stores throughout metropolitan Detroit offer child identification fingerprinting at no charge to parents, 1-3 p.m. (materials provided by AAA of Michigan). For more information, stop by a nearby Art Van Furniture store, visit the retailer's web site at [www.artvan.com](http://www.artvan.com) or call the Warren store at (810) 983-2189.

#### BODY & SPIRIT EVENT

The Tree House for Earth's Children, 22906

Mooney Street in Farmington, presents spiritual art work, tarot readers, body workers, arts, crafts, organic foods and more, 11 a.m.-7 p.m. For more information, call (248) 473-0624.

#### TOY SHOW

Vendors and collectors sell new, used, antique and collectible toys of all kinds from the 1950s, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Plymouth V.F.W. Hall, 1426 South Mill Street in Plymouth. Admission is \$4 for adults. Children under age 10 are admitted free. For additional information, call (734) 455-2110.

### WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15

#### FRAGRANCE DINNER

Enjoy dinner and learn about the fragrances of the season at Nordstrom, the Somerset Collection in Troy, 6:30-8 p.m., Cafe Nordstrom, third floor. Cost is \$25 per person. Customers who purchase \$75 or more during the event will receive a collection of miniature fragrances. To make a reservation, call (248) 816-5100, ext. 1690.

#### PLYMOUTH RESTAURANT CRAWL

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce presents the 2nd Annual Old Village Restaurant Crawl, 6-9 p.m., featuring 10 local restaurants. Advance tickets are available by calling (734) 453-1540. Tickets are \$15 per person and \$5 for children under age 12.

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 25

#### STUART WEITZMAN VISITS

Well-known shoe designer Stuart Weitzman visits Roz & Sherm, 6536 Telegraph Road in Bloomfield Township, to celebrate the store's remodeled shoe salon, meet with customers and talk about his fall 2001 collection, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. For details, call (248) 855-8877.



# WHERE CAN I FIND?

This interactive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that's difficult to find through reader feedback. If you have a request or information about where a product is sold or service is available, call (248) 901-2555 and leave a message with your name and phone number.

Please be patient about your requests and feedback; we receive an overwhelming number of phone calls. If you don't see information about your request, we couldn't find it. Requests are published twice.

#### WHAT WE FOUND:

- White bobby pins are sold at stores that sell uniforms for health care workers. There is one located on Middlebelt Road, south of 7 Mile Road.
- Used bridesmaid dresses can be taken to **Once Again**, at 34312 Harper and 14 Mile roads in St. Clair Shores, call (810) 792-1736, and to **Rosebuds Consignment Bridal Exchange** in Waterford, call (248) 666-3035.
- **Car Talk** with Click & Clack airs on **WDET 101.9 FM**, 7-8 a.m. on Saturday and noon-1 p.m. on Sunday. The radio talk show also airs on **WUOM 91.7**.
- A 1-inch roller for closet doors can be purchased at **Draper Building Supply** in Hazel Park, call (248) 566-7915.
- **Adult dance wear** is sold at **Dance World** on Merriman and 7 Mile roads in Livonia.
- **Refurbished and used vacuum cleaners** are sold at **Down River Vacuum** on the northwest corner of Plymouth at Beech Daly Road in Redford and on 14 Mile Road, east of

Livorno (Main), in Clawson.

- **Bissell glass cleaner** can be purchased at the Big Lots store in Westland and other area **Big Lots** stores.

- To have print removed from a photograph and reproduce it, try **Hite Photo**, at 3641 West Maple Road near Lahser Road in Birmingham, call (248) 593-6286.

- For crystal repair, try the **House of Renew** on Merrill Street in Birmingham, call (248) 642-0363.

- **Fruit of the Earth aloe vera skin cream** is sold at CVS in Waterford.

#### WHERE CAN I FIND?:

- A store that sells Coty cosmetics particularly lipstick for Irene.
- A store or business in the Southfield area that transfers 8-millimeter and super-8 film on to VHS tape for Deanna.
- A store where women's, short-sleeve, pajamas in a polyester/cotton blend can be purchased for Jo, who resides in Farmington Hills.
- A store where an old-fashioned sapphire needle tip for a phonograph can be bought for Art, a resident of Livonia.
- A store that sells women's clothes by Carroll (Winkelman's sold the line) for Casey.
- A store in the Livonia area where a hair piece for use with thinning hair can be purchased for Jean.
- A store that sells Franco American macaroni and cheese in a can for Margaret, who lives in Livonia.
- A store that sells LA Look Extra Super

**Hold Gel Blast**, an alcohol-free spray, for Geraldine, who resides in Redford.

- A store where a **Mary Proctor ironing board cover and pad** can be bought for Ann.

- A store that sells **Fisher Price child safety pedestal fans**, which are manufactured by Honeywell, for Michelle.

- A store that sells children's flash cards for colors, numbers and the alphabet.

- A store where the baby book **All My Life** can be bought.

- A store where women's soft polyester knit night gowns by Lorraine can be purchased (Crowley's sold them) for Eleanor.

- A store or business that would buy international **Madame Alexander dolls** on consignment for Sharon.

- A store where a **Color top greeting card rack** can be purchased for Joyce.

- A store where **turtle wax** by **Scotch Guard** is sold for Colleen.

- A store where **round place mats** are available to purchase for Mary.

- A store that sells **Gilchrist & Soames shampoo** from London, England for Sue, a resident of Canton.

- A store where a **Rainbow Brite doll** can be purchased for Sally, a resident of Redford.

- A videocassette tape of the **Detroit Institute of Arts television commercial You Gotta Have Art** for Veronica.

- Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

## Retailer of the year nominees sought

Do you know of a retail business with exceptional community spirit?

You can nominate that business for a 2001 Michigan Retailer of the Year award.

The Michigan Retailers Association is accepting nominations for its Fourth Annual Michigan Retailer of the Year Awards, which honors Michigan retailers who make a significant contribution to the community through involvement in civic, charity and volunteer programs.

Recipients will be selected by a panel comprised of individuals working in business, higher education, media, state government and charity organizations.

Awards will be presented in three categories based on annual sales volume.

An awards luncheon will be held Nov. 8 in Lansing.

Anyone may nominate a business for Michigan Retailer of the Year, and retailers may nominate themselves.

Nominations must be received by Sept. 17.

For more information or to request a nomination form, contact Retha Lachance at (800) 366-3699 or by e-mail at [rlachance@retailers.com](mailto:rlachance@retailers.com).

The Michigan Retailers Association, a state trade association of general merchandise retailers, has more than 5,500 retail business members.

## New downtown Plymouth event has Hollywood theme

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce presents **Plymouth After Dark: When the Stars Come Out**, a new summer event featuring entertainment and a Hollywood theme.

Slated Friday, Aug. 10, the event begins with the sounds of Bobby Lewis and the Cracker Jack Band at 7 p.m. in Kellogg Park.

The music continues at 8:30 p.m. with several bands playing on downtown sidewalks.

A bright Hollywood-style search light will guide shoppers into downtown Plymouth where carriage and limousine rides may be taken.

While red carpets will be placed outside the doors of downtown retailers and restaurants, celebrities will be inside the establish-

ments to greet shoppers.

Correctly identify all the celebrities on a "Hollywood Squares" prize board that will be distributed during the event and qualify for a drawing for a downtown Plymouth gift certificate and three hours of limousine service.

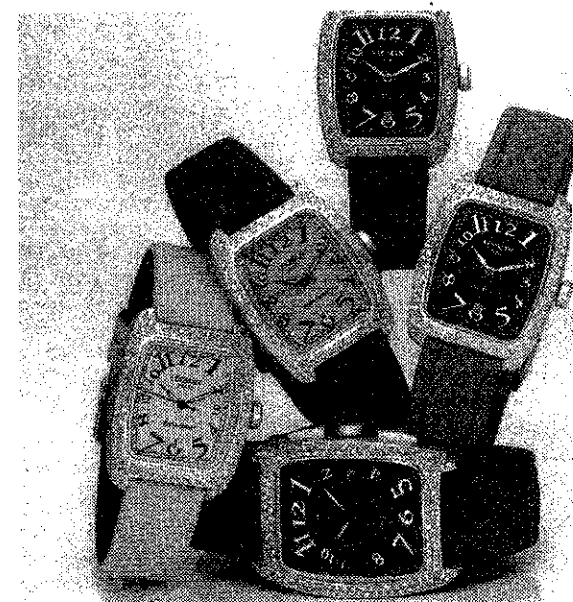
In addition, several downtown businesses have planned special store events, including refreshments and hors d'oeuvres.

The event runs to 11 p.m.

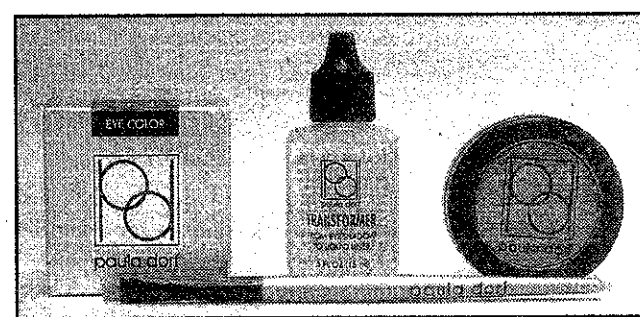
For more information about **Plymouth After Dark: When the Stars Come Out**, call (734) 453-1540 or visit [www.plymouthmi.org](http://www.plymouthmi.org) on the Internet.

## a la carte

### STUFF WE CRAVE



**High time:** Celebrities are wearing Locman watches and now they're available in metropolitan Detroit. Designed less than a year ago by Locman of Italy, these timepieces have a lightweight aluminum case surrounded by one to four carats of diamonds. Leather and alligator bands come in a variety of bold colors, \$1,740-4,400, available exclusively at Tappers Diamonds and Fine Jewelry, Orchard Mall in West Bloomfield.



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**Clean lines:** If you've been lining your eyes with eye shadow and a brush using moisture from the tip of your tongue - let's be honest, ladies, makeup gets done on the fly - you're probably in the market for a way to transform your bad habit. Paula Dorf's **Transformer**, which turns eye shadow into liquid liner, will do just that, \$14, at department stores.

# Coloring Contest

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## TRAVEL

## Cleveland Rocks!

## Beatles exhibits add new dimension to musical legends

BY ALICE RHEIN  
STAFF WRITER

My 3-year-old son is an absolute Beatles fanatic. He knows the Fab Four by name, he sings the lyrics to entire songs, and even recites dialogue from *A Hard Day's Night*, the band's seminal movie.

I don't mind. It's better than that smarmy toddler music, and it does make for interesting — albeit embarrassing — trips to the grocery store when he's belting out *Lucy in the Sky with Diamonds*.

So when I told him we'd be taking a trip to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum in Cleveland, he naturally didn't know what the heck I was talking about. He is, as I mentioned, only 3.

## John Lennon exhibit

But when I told him there was a special exhibit about John

Lennon, well then, we couldn't get there fast enough. Is the "Are we there yet?" marker been isolated by geneticists yet?

This summer, the I.M. Pei-designed museum on the shores of Lake Erie actually is host to two Beatles exhibits, both well worth taking the two-and-a-half-hour drive.

**Lennon: His Life and Work** features artifacts from the personal collection of Yoko Ono Lennon. Clothing, including the white tuxedo from *Magical Mystery Tour* and numerous guitars owned by the late musician's son, Julian, are among the many items in this special exhibit that extends over three floors of the six-story pyramidal structure.

With the remaining Beatles still making headline news daily — Ringo's All-Starr Tour, George's cancer and Paul's recent engagement — it seems only logical that light be shed on

## If you go...

The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum is located at One Key Plaza in downtown Cleveland, Ohio.

**Museum hours:** 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily, Wednesday evenings until 9 p.m. You should allow three to four hours to view the exhibits.

**Admission:** \$15 adults, \$11.50 children 9-11 and seniors, and free to children under 8. Many Cleveland hotels include free admission to the museum as part of their overnight stay package.

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John's memory. It was, after all, 20 years ago that he was shot outside the Dakota in New York City.

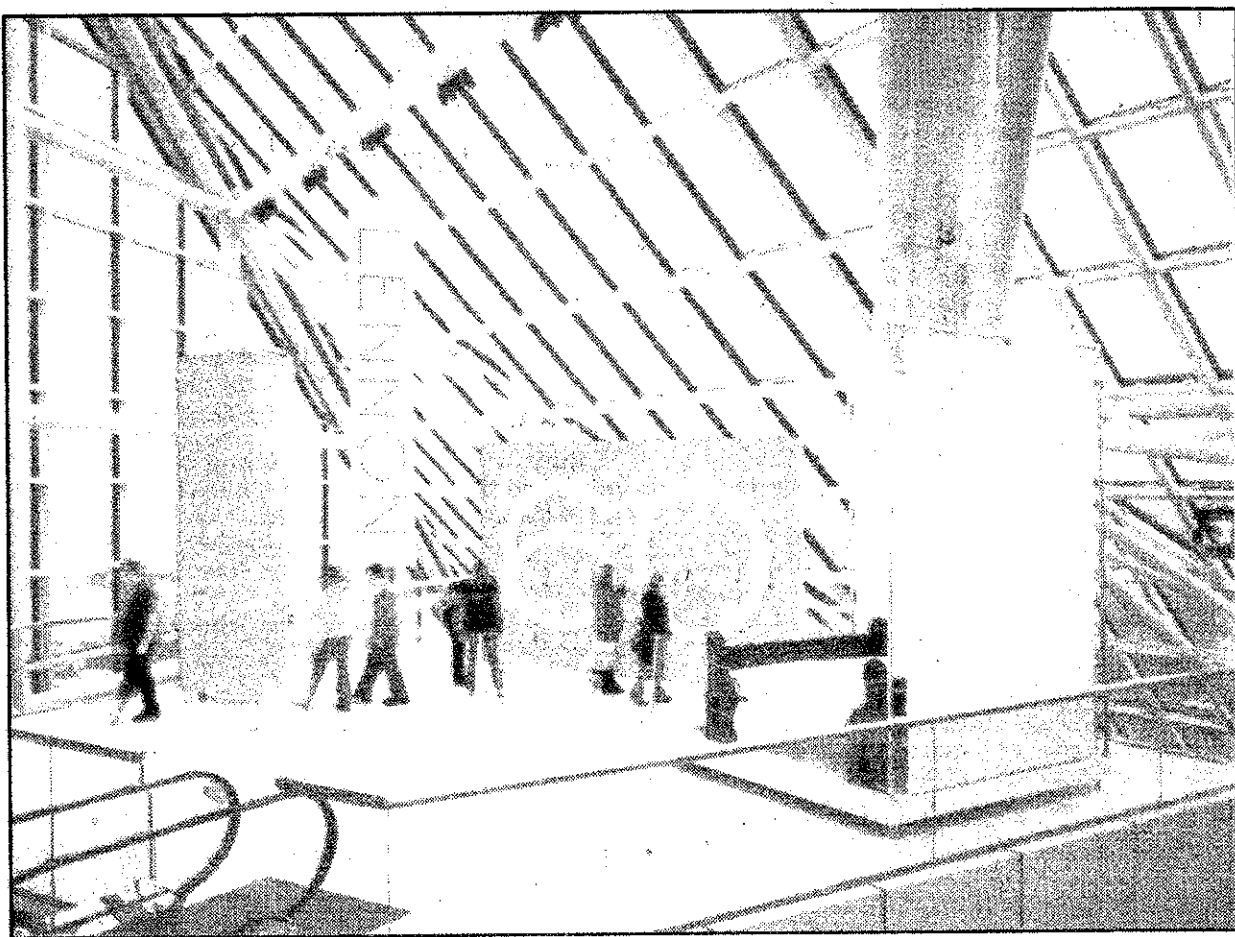
## Let it Be

The exhibit includes a movie that chronicles John's life during and after the Beatles, with narratives from Yoko, Julian and John's first wife, Cynthia.

For those who grew up with the Beatles, the information is nothing new, and the colorized version of the Shea Stadium concert is downright pandering. But for those who are new to the Beatles' mystique, it's an engaging visual history lesson.

Lennon's Steinway piano, the bed from John and Yoko's famous "bed-in" and school report cards are also among the memorabilia. There's also nearly 40 original drawings, collages and paintings by Lennon, many which he drew for his son Sean.

The top floor is devoted to handwritten lyrics, which are the best example of the musician-as-artist. It's interesting to see that the lyrics to *Glass Onion* were first penned on the back of a brown envelope. Yet the room is strangely silent, making you that much more



**In my life:** Yoko Ono Lennon contributed many items to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in memory of what would have been John Lennon's 60th birthday.

aware that lyrics are only half of what makes an extraordinary song.

## It's got a Backbeat

Along with the Lennon exhibit, the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame is also featuring *Stuart Sutcliffe: From the Beatles to Backbeat*. The exhibit documents the short life of Sutcliffe, a founding member of the Beatles who left the band in 1961 to pursue painting. He died in 1962 of a brain aneurysm.

In addition to photographs of the band that were taken by Sutcliffe's girlfriend Astrid Kirch-

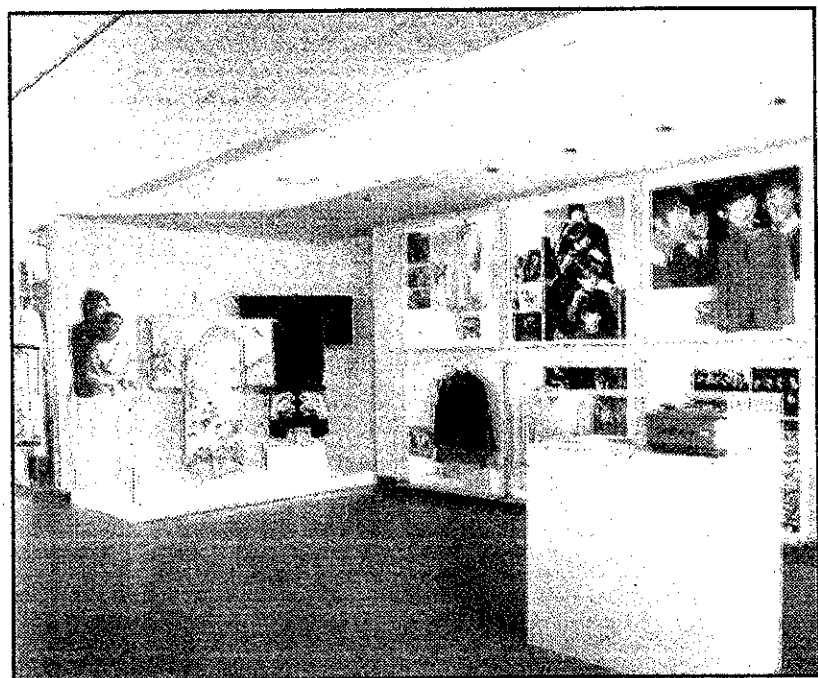
herr, the exhibit contains numerous drawings, paintings and sketches by the artist. And these works serve to show that what Sutcliffe lacked as a bassist, he made up for with a paintbrush.

His bold abstracts convey a sense of timelessness and brooding. And his drawings capture a range of emotions. The bombardment of other rock artifacts is strong on the lower level where this exhibit is located, but it's worth the effort to glance briefly at Bono's and Madonna's stage outfits and spend a little more time with Sutcliffe's work.

When the 150,000 square-foot

Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum opened in 1995, many dismissed it as a ruse. Won't having a museum devoted to a genre that's inherently rebellious signal its spiraling decent into the mainstream?

Well, that hasn't happened. The emergence of rock 'n' roll unites the boomer generation in the same way that World War II does for its predecessor. And let's face it, visiting the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum may not be as historically significant, but it sure is a lot more fun than seeing a Civil War battlefield. Any 3-year-old can tell you that.



**Double Fantasy:** The Lennon exhibit features photos and artifacts including the kimonos John and Yoko wore in the video from *Starting Over*.

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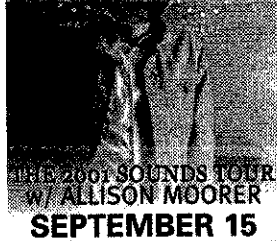
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## Babcock wines new to Michigan

**H**ave you ever enjoyed wines from southern California? How about the Santa Barbara area? Too warm you say? Let's talk geography.

Most mountain ranges in California run north-south, but the mountain range that creates the Santa Ynez Valley, in Santa Barbara County, runs west to east from the Pacific Ocean. This means that the marine influence creates a cool climate at the western end. Vineyards further inland get gradually warmer.

Cool climate varieties such as pinot noir are favored at the western end of the Santa Ynez Valley, while the eastern end is warm enough to grow Bordeaux varieties. All of the preceding is important because we'd like to introduce you to the wines of Babcock Winery and Vineyards, made in Santa Barbara and new to Michigan.

Bryan Babcock uses the myriad climates and exposures of the Santa Ynez Valley to produce the grapes needed to make great wines. He describes what he does for each.

The 2000 Babcock Eleven Oaks Sauvignon Blanc \$22.50 is an assertive style without being aggressively grassy. It is a bright, refreshing summer white with a mineral note that is quite unique and pleasant. A

complex glass of white wine.

Babcock said that the 2000 growing season provided consistent ripening in both the warmer end of the Santa Ynez Valley as well as the cool, ocean-influenced end. Three vineyards provided the grapes. One gives green apple and citrus notes, another contributes mango/guava and the cool, estate vineyard offers assertive lemongrass/gooseberry and a mineral component.

The 2000 Babcock Chardonnay \$17 has the mineral note of a fine Meursault Burgundy with pear and citrus. The toasted oak component comes from 20 percent new French oak. Babcock said that some of the fruit came from a location, not open to the ocean and therefore slightly warmer. These grapes produced effusive tropical characteristics, while the fruit from another warm, eastern vineyard gave flower petal and citrus notes. A vineyard nearer the ocean contributed delicious apple aromas and flavors while the estate vineyard yielded spice, citrus, mineral notes and crisp acid.

The 1999 Babcock Grand Cuvee Chardonnay Estate Grown \$25 is a sensationally seamless wine with incredible balance. All elements are in harmony.

"With all of the great chardonnays in the market today," Babcock emphasized, "we need great farming, great winemaking, and a great vintage to compete. We practice an integrated method of determining what the vines need and respond to those needs as quickly as possible. This means more effort and the financial risk is greater, but it is the only way to produce world class fruit."

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### LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

- Simplify your eating
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BY MIKE MURPHY  
SPECIAL WRITER

**W**hether you say to-may-to or to-mah-to makes little difference. Fact is, millions of the freshest of those tasty summer favorites will be rolling into area farmers markets and produce departments and onto kitchen tables in the coming weeks.

What to do with them doesn't take much imagination. You can throw them in salads or drop them in sauces. Slice 'em and dice 'em for now, or freeze 'em or can 'em for later.

Or, salt shaker in hand, you can take the deep plunge and bite into a whole one.

They taste good and they're good for you. A list of famous tomato lovers would roll off these pages. A couple though, are notable: Thomas Jefferson and Chilean poet Pablo Neruda, whose "Ode to the Tomato" includes these delicious lines of verse:

the tomato,  
star of earth, recurrent  
and fertile  
star,  
displays  
its canals,  
its remarkable amplitude and abundance,  
no pit,  
no husk,  
no leaves or thorns,  
the tomato offers  
its gift  
of fiery color  
and cool completeness.

Now the most widely grown "fruit" or "vegetable" in the United States, the tomato took awhile to catch on in the United States and Europe.

#### Packed with vitamins

The "love apple," as the tomato came to be known to Europeans first introduced to the productive plant by the Incas of South America, was once thought to be poisonous because of its membership in the nightshade family of plants.

Now, of course, most of us know that's not the case. To the contrary, tomatoes are packed with Vitamin C, fiber and Vitamin A in the form of health promoting beta-carotene.

Of special interest to men, the deep red tones of the tomato are an indication of the presence of lycopene, which medical experts believe may play a role in fighting cancer, especially prostate cancer.

As far as the fruit or vegetable debate goes, though, it depends who you talk to.

The Internet Shrine to the Tomato, an actual Web site, argues that tomatoes are fruit since they represent the maturation of a flowering plant and contain seeds. But they're not the only ones with a say in the matter.

"We consider it a vegetable," said Dave Smith, executive director of the Michigan Vegetable Council. "Some people consider it a fruit because the edible part is the fruit of the plant. That's a good coffee shop argument, I guess."

Smith said that this year's Michigan

# SUMMER

## From the garden to the kitchen, there's nothing as good as a sun-kissed tomato

tomato crop has the potential to be a good one, but added that cool weather in May and the hot, dry weather of July might translate into a crop that will arrive a little later than usual.

#### Tomatoes impact markets

Hannah Stevens, a horticultural agent for Michigan State University Extension Services, is in agreement. Stevens said that locally grown tomatoes are coming late, but coming nevertheless. Once they do, she said, area supermarkets will feel the pinch.

"It's the one garden crop that seriously impacts supermarket produce sections," Stevens said. "They taste so much better than what supermarkets carry that supermarkets don't even attempt to compete with them."

Stevens said the reason for the taste difference between store bought and locally produced tomatoes has to do with refrigeration.

Much of the produce available in supermarkets is cooled during shipment and temperatures below 50°F can ruin a tomato's rich flavor. Large commercial farms also pick tomatoes when they're green and let them ripen during shipping, Stevens said.

"Most home growers are smarter than that, though," Stevens said.

According to Stevens, the most common mistake home growers make is in picking their tomatoes too late.

"Believe it or not, a tomato can be picked when it shows its first blush of pink," said Stevens, who instructs growers to let the tomatoes ripen for a couple of days in a dark, warm area.

"They're going to be very tasty, and firmer," she said.

#### Selecting them

Tomato pickers should choose a firm, ripe tomato without blemishes and the tomato should give slightly to gentle palm pressure. They should be stored for only a day or two. Tomatoes should not be refrigerated or set in the sun.

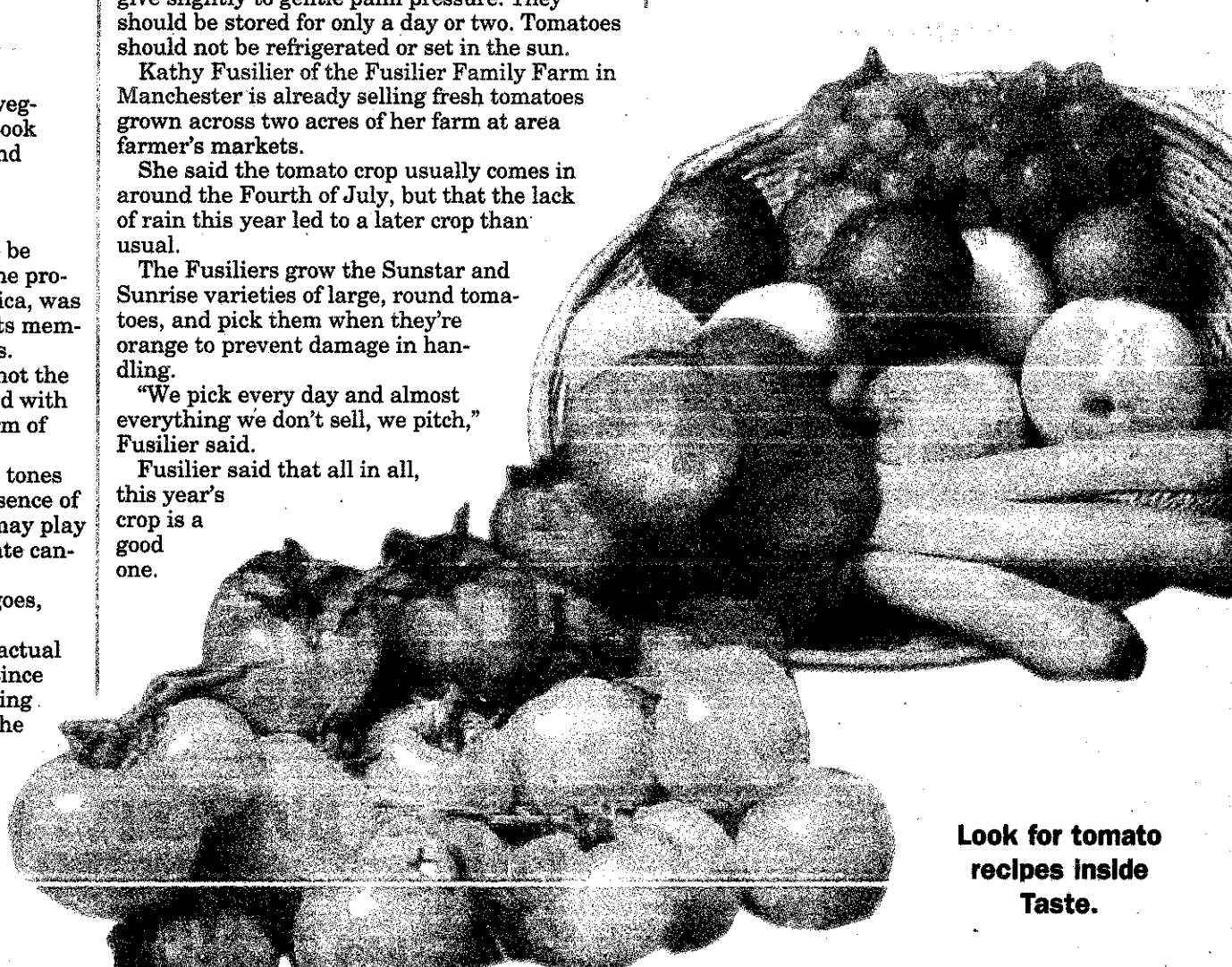
Kathy Fusilier of the Fusilier Family Farm in Manchester is already selling fresh tomatoes grown across two acres of her farm at area farmer's markets.

She said the tomato crop usually comes in around the Fourth of July, but that the lack of rain this year led to a later crop than usual.

The Fusiliers grow the Sunstar and Sunrise varieties of large, round tomatoes, and pick them when they're orange to prevent damage in handling.

"We pick every day and almost everything we don't sell, we pitch," Fusilier said.

Fusilier said that all in all, this year's crop is a good one.



Look for tomato  
recipes inside  
Taste.

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## Business is booming for organic growers

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#### Meeting standards

Organic farms must meet the following standards: All products labeled organic must originate from farms or handling operations certified by a state or private agency accredited by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, except farms that sell less than \$5,000 worth per year of organic agricultural products. They cannot use genetic engineering methods, irradiation or sewage sludge for fertilization to be classified as "organic."

What are the health benefits of eating organic foods? Kim Lifton of Huntington Woods doesn't eat organic foods exclusively. "But I started adding fresher foods - organic, flax seed meal,

**Organic farms... cannot use genetic engineering methods, irradiation or sewage sludge for fertilization to be classified as "organic."**

kashi cereal, granola - to my diet in May," Lifton said. "I did so because I felt sick from all of the processed foods in my diet. I had been eating processed cereal, breads that were not whole-wheat, artificial sweeteners, canned fruits and frozen veggies." She finally consulted with a registered dietitian.

"All she had to say was time to eat organic, and she knew I would listen," Lifton said.

Today, Lifton is down 10 pounds from eating healthier foods. Although everything she eats is not organic, her choices are much healthier, including whole grains and lots of fresh vegetables. "I feel like I am 10 years younger, feel very good about my self,

and I have a lot of added energy," Lifton said.

#### Where to buy

Where can you purchase organic foods? Surprisingly, many full-service grocery stores are carrying a wide-variety of organic foods along with specialty grocery stores and health food stores. Some neighborhoods organize "co-ops" to purchase organic foods, therefore saving money through a buying group which delivers right to your doorstep.

Is "natural" food the same as "organic"? Just because something is natural does not mean it's organic. Natural could mean that a fruit drink is made from fruit, but that still doesn't mean that the drink is made from fruit grown on an organic farm. The term is used very loosely.

Beverly Price is a registered dietitian and exercise physiologist. Look for her column on the first Sunday of each month in Taste. See recipes inside.



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### SUMMER SIDES

Summer meals can sometimes be a dilemma. Learn new approaches to familiar favorite summer side dishes made with local and seasonal vegetables at a class offered 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9. By using seasonal and local varieties of produce, you will learn how to create terrific chilled and warm soups for a main meal or a side dish. Class fee is \$52, \$41.60 for seniors.

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## Wine from page D1

of those vines per acre, how much do you plan to charge for this wine?"

Babcock's 1999 Syrah Black Label Cuvee \$50 is inky black with blackberries, spice and anise characters. With lush fruit, it shows a broad palate and great balance. It's worth every penny.

1999 Babcock Fathom \$35 is a

Bordeaux blend of 45 percent cabernet franc, 45 percent merlot, and 10 percent cabernet sauvignon. The blueberry nose of cabernet franc - plus supple notes of merlot - combine to create a wine of unfathomable depth. This wine rocks. You won't find this much depth in a Bordeaux for \$35.

Babcock has discovered that in the cool climate of Santa Ynez

Valley, cabernet franc is the Bordeaux variety that ripens best. In the far eastern end of the valley, where it is warmer, great merlot can be grown to complement the franc. He also has hopes that one day great cabernet sauvignon will also be grown.

After you taste his wines you'll know why Bryan Babcock was named one of the "Top Ten

Small Production Winemakers in the World," the only American to be considered.

The Healds are Troy residents who write about wine, spirits, food, and dining for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. To leave them a voice mail message, dial (734) 953-2047, mailbox 1864#.

## Tomatoes from page D1

The 20-by-20-foot garden plots at Greenmead are relatively large in relation to the normal backyard garden and the pungent smell of the tomato plant permeates the air.

Doda Sinishtaj of Novi tends about 100 tomato plants in his garden. For the most part, he grows the large Big Boy and Beefsteak varieties, but he's already harvesting grape and cherry tomatoes, which he also includes in his garden.

Sinishtaj said he grows all his plants from seeds that he culls from previous harvests.

"They're going to ripen in a minute," Sinishtaj said.

He said that he has no problem getting rid of his crop. He cans a quite a few of his tomatoes and he sees a lot of familiar faces come harvest time.

"I have a lot of relatives and they all come and visit me around this time for tomatoes. We find out we're related," Sinishtaj said.

Maria Pasqualone of Farmington Hills has about 45 tomato plants, many of them the pear-shaped, Italian varieties.

Her plants are tied to stakes set up in a teepee-like structure and are about 6 feet tall. She said last year that too much rain made for a bad crop, but this year should be different.

"This year looks good," Pasqualone said. "They're not ripened yet, but once they start to ripen they should be OK."

Pasqualone doesn't even know anymore what varieties of tomatoes she's growing. Friends give her seeds and they end up in her garden. Once they come in, the tomatoes land on sandwiches, in salads and in spaghetti sauce.

"You name it. I use tomatoes," Pasqualone said.

Gard Andresen of Northville is a lot more scientific when it comes to tomato growing. His garden contains a smorgasbord of tomatoes and he's well versed at naming them.

There's the Early Girl, Big Boy, Celebrity, Rutgers and Fantastic. And then there are the Roma types as well as four different types of cherry or grape tomatoes.

The reason he grows them might be the most important reason of all.

"For the fun of it," he said. "Everybody likes tomatoes, and the ones you grow yourself are so much better than the ones you buy in the store."

Mike Murphy is a Livonia resident and writes about food, theater and movies for the Observer Newspapers. He has two tomato plants in his backyard, but so far no ripe tomatoes.

See recipes on D3.

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# Delight in summer produce with this apricot kuchen



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**Sweet kuchen:** This apricot kuchen, moist as pudding in the center, has a light, cake-like crust. With their thin skins, apricots needn't be peeled first.

BY DANA JACOBI  
SPECIAL WRITER

In these days of industrial agriculture, when luscious but fragile Blenheim and Royal apricots have been replaced at the supermarket by cardboard-dull, reliable Pattersons and firm Castlebrites, enjoying delicious apricots becomes rare.

Fortunately, a careful shopper can still enjoy them.

First, shop knowledgeably, selecting apricots showing no tinge of green, and offering at least some aroma. Store firm fruit in a brown paper bag until it feels soft and ripe, usually two to four days. Apricots ripened this way, particularly when poached or used in baking, yield rewarding results.

(For poaching, bring to a boil one cup of water with a half-cup of sugar and a vanilla bean. Add four halved fresh apricots and simmer gently 3 to 4 minutes. Leave the fruit in the syrup as it cools. Serve it warm or at room temperature. Any extra syrup can be used to flavor iced tea and lemonade.)

About 95 percent of the fresh apricots grown in the United

States now come from California. Every summer I feast on heavenly, scarlet-cheeked, velvet-skinned apricots grown in upstate New York. David Karp, a California-based fruit expert, says improved, commercial apricot strains are being developed, including sugar-sweet white apricots.

Kuchen, a casual, cobbler type of fruit-topped cake that is usually made with Italian plums, is delectable made with apricots. Kuchen means "baked good" in Yiddish and German, and there are probably as many versions as there are bakers from Alsace to Vienna. This one, moist as pudding in the center, has a light, cake-like crust. With their thin skins, apricots needn't be peeled first. Enjoy this kuchen even in winter, using fresh apricots from Chile.

## SUMMER FRUIT KUCHEN

Canola oil cooking spray  
1 cup unbleached all-purpose flour  
1 cup cake flour  
1/2 cup granulated sugar, plus 2 tablespoons

2 teaspoon baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 cup non-fat milk  
1 large egg  
1/3 cup canola oil  
1 teaspoon vanilla extract  
2 pounds fresh apricots (or fresh plums or peaches with skins removed, or canned Italian plums)  
1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
1/4 teaspoon ground nutmeg  
2 tablespoons lemon juice  
1/4 cup confectioners sugar for garnish (optional)

Set oven rack in middle. Preheat oven to 350° F. Generously coat jelly roll pan (15 1/2-by-10 1/2 inches) with cooking spray. Cut apricots in half. (If using plums or peaches, cut into eighths.)

In large bowl, combine flours, 1/2 cup sugar, baking powder and salt. In separate bowl, whisk milk with egg, oil and vanilla. Pour mixture into dry ingredients. Beat vigorously until batter is stiff and smooth, about 1 minute.

Transfer batter to prepared pan and spread evenly. Reserving a 1-

inch border of batter, arrange fruit in rows, (skin side down for apricots), placing fruit close together to cover batter.

Combine remaining 2 tablespoons sugar and spices in small bowl. Sprinkle evenly over fruit. Drizzle lemon juice on top. Cover cake loosely with piece of baking parchment or foil.

Bake 15 minutes. Remove covering. Bake 20 minutes, until sides are brown and pick inserted in center comes out clean. Fruit should be cooked and topping bubbling. Remove from oven. Cool on rack until warm. Cut into 12 pieces. Serve warm or at room temperature, dusted with confectioners sugar, if desired. Makes 12 servings.

**Nutritional information per serving:** 211 calories, 7 g. fat (less than 1 g. saturated fat), 35 g. carbohydrate, 4 g. protein, 2 g. dietary fiber, 196 mg. sodium.

Dana Jacobi, writes for the American Institute for Cancer Research and is author of *The Joy of Soy*. He also creates recipes for the AICR.

## Enjoy garden-fresh tomatoes in these recipes

This coarse textured salsa is more of a relish or Pico de Gallo. The ingredients can be finely diced or use a medium for chunky salsa. Serve with traditional tortilla chips or use as a side dish with grilled meat, squash cakes or anywhere you want a bright, tart, savory accompaniment.

### FRESH GARDEN SALSA

2 large ripe, red slicing tomatoes, cored and chopped  
1 small white onion, chopped  
1 green onion, top included, chopped  
1 to 3 jalapeno peppers, finely chopped  
1/4 cup cilantro leaves, minced  
Juice of lime  
1 teaspoon salt

Using a serrated knife, chop tomatoes. If using plum tomatoes, add 2 tablespoons water.

In a medium bowl, toss together the tomatoes, onions, peppers, and cilantro. Squeeze lime juice over the mixture and sprinkle on the salt. Allow to rest 30 minutes before serving to allow salt to draw juice from the tomatoes. Stir again just before serving. Makes

about 2 cups.

Adapted from the University of Illinois Extension Web site (<http://www.urbanext.uiuc.edu/veggies/tomato1.html>)

### TOMATO SALAD

4 ripe tomatoes, peeled and sliced  
1 shallot, minced  
1 tablespoon chopped fresh tarragon  
1 tablespoon chopped fresh chives  
2 1/2 tablespoons olive oil  
1 tablespoon fresh lemon juice  
salt and freshly ground pepper to taste

Place the tomatoes in a salad bowl. In a small bowl, whisk the remaining ingredients until emulsified, and pour over the tomatoes. Toss and serve.

Recipe from "The Best American Recipes 2000" by Fran McCullough and Suzanne Hamlin, (Houghton Mifflin, 2000).

### EAST STUFFED TOMATOES, ROMAN STYLE

2/3 cup long-grain white rice

3 cups water  
salt  
8 medium tomatoes (2 1/2 pounds), ripe but firm  
2 medium garlic cloves, minced  
3 tablespoons chopped fresh mint  
3 tablespoons olive oil  
salt and freshly ground pepper  
1 tablespoon tomato paste diluted with 1/2 cup water  
mint sprigs, for garnish (optional)

Preheat the oven to 400 degrees F. Boil the rice in a saucepan of boiling salted water for 10 minutes. Rinse with cold water and drain well.

Cut off a slice from the bottom (smooth) end of each tomato, cutting about one-fourth of the tomato; reserve slice as a "hat."

Remove pulp and seeds with a spoon. Finely chop removed pulp; reserve. Sprinkle interior of tomatoes and cut side of hats lightly with salt.

Mix garlic with mint. Mix rice, garlic mixture, 2 1/2 tablespoons oil, 4 tablespoons chopped tomato puree, and salt and pepper to taste. Mix well.

Put tomato shells in an oiled baking dish. Fill with stuffing, mounding slightly, and cover with hats. Pour diluted tomato paste around tomatoes; sprinkle them with remaining oil.

Cover and bake 20 minutes. Uncover and bake, adding a few tablespoons water to pan if it becomes dry, for 10 to 20 more minutes or until tomatoes are tender. Serve hot or cold, garnish with mint sprigs.

Makes 8 side-dishes or 4 main-course servings. Recipe from "Faye Levy's International Vegetable Cookbook."

Got a Taste story idea? Submit it to Taste Editor Ken Abramczyk, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or e-mail [kabramczyk@oe.com](mailto:kabramczyk@oe.com).

## Want to can some tomatoes? Call MSU Extension Service

If it's been a while since you've canned tomatoes — you may want to call the Michigan State University Extension Service to get the latest canning information, says Sylvia Treitman, home economist.

Many varieties of tomatoes vary in acidity, so the U.S. Department of Agriculture recommends the addition of acid to insure a safe product.

For safety's sake add one of the following to all home canned tomatoes:

2 tablespoons bottled lemon juice\* per quart,  
1 tablespoon bottled lemon juice per pint,  
1/2 teaspoon citric acid per quart, or

1/4 teaspoon citric acid per pint

(\*Bottled lemon juice is recommended rather than "fresh" lemon juice because the acidity of bottled is standard. The acidity of fresh lemon juice can vary between lemons and may not produce a safe product.)

All home canned tomatoes need to be processed as well. The Michigan State University Extension Food and Nutrition Hotline can help you with canning updates.

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An estimated one million children in this country sustain a traumatic brain injury each year. Every 21 seconds, a head injury occurs in the U.S. The majority of these are mild closed head injuries, also called concussions.

A concussion is a head injury in which the skull has not been broken. The brain can be injured from the inside by banging and bouncing against skull walls. Sudden movement within the skull can cause bruising, tiny tissue tears, swelling, and chemical changes. Very often, x-rays will not detect the damage. However, the impact on a child's functioning can be drastic.

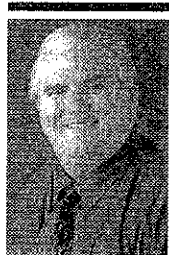
It was previously thought that the head had to hit something for there to be a concussion-like injury. This myth has been proven wrong during recent years. A whiplash-like motion of the head back and forth can cause damage. A loss of consciousness is not necessary for the brain to be injured and this myth has been repeatedly disproven in research and clinical studies. Actually, any disruption in consciousness no matter how brief, such as mildly dazed, constitutes concussion. And repeated concussions can have a cumulative effect as often seen in boxing. Even more dramatically, it takes only three seconds to permanently damage a child's brain as in the so-called shaken baby syndrome.

Common after-effects of significant concussion injuries to children can include: problems with attention and concentration, with memory and learning, frustration, irritability and anxiety. These may not show up immediately after injury but may develop as weeks and months pass and chemical changes that take place inside the brain become more pronounced.

It can be a good idea to have a child who has experienced a head injury to be examined by a neuropsychologist. He would conduct tests that measure memory, intelligence, verbal and non-verbal reasoning, perception, motor skills and emotional functioning.

Then the neuropsychologist would consult with the school and might work in conjunction with a rehabilitation specialist to develop a treatment plan. Special education laws now include programs for traumatically brain injured children. Treatment could consist of individualized cognitive exercises, memory retraining, and psychological therapy for emotional trauma often acquired in accidents. After accidents from motor vehicle collisions, assaults, falls and sports related concussions, there may also develop post traumatic stress reactions, commonly seen after a sudden traumatic experience.

More resources than ever are now available for children, parents and teachers to learn about these conditions and ways to remedy the consequences of such injuries. In addition to the natural process of brain heal-

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## Breast-feeding

LaLeche League offers  
support for women  
who choose to nurseBY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI  
SPECIAL WRITER

When Julie Boyer Hanley's son was 10 months old she began noticing disapproving glances when she breast-fed him in public. That's when the Plymouth mom decided to attend her first LaLeche League of Plymouth-Canton meeting hoping to get words of advice and support from other women who felt the way she did.

"People's perceptions about breast-feeding start to change as your baby gets older. I found a lot of other women, like me, who nursed older children," said Boyer Hanley.

Her second son was born when her first son was 21 months old and she managed to exclusively breast-feed both. The challenge took on more hurdles, because she had to pump her milk so her children could be fed by someone else while she worked part-time as a nurse.

A lot of people don't realize that mothers can nurse during pregnancy or that they can nurse two, different aged children, at the same time, said Boyer Hanley who stopped nursing her first son shortly after his third birthday.

Her second child is still nursing.

She was comforted to know that the American Academy of Pediatrics suggests that mothers nurse for at least one year and the World Health Organization recommends that mothers nurse for at least two years. One of the best outcomes of LaLeche meetings, Boyer Hanley said, is that women can listen to questions they might not think to ask.

"When it happens to them, they can say, 'I remember that,'" she said adding that a lot of women stop breast-feeding earlier than they want to, because they don't have the support or advice they need to keep going. Issues of where, when and how to breast-feed always come up.

"A lot of people who nurse feel like they can't do it in public or are uncomfortable," Boyer Hanley said. "Which I think is a shame. You shouldn't have to feel like you have to hide to do it."

It's amazing that actresses can display their breasts in a transparent gown at the Academy Awards, she said, but breast-feeding mothers get snide remarks.

"I get dirty looks and people say, 'He's a little old for that,'" she said. But, public reactions aren't all negative. "I've also had a lot of encouraging comments," Boyer Hanley said. "Breast-feeding is a very natural thing we do, and it's also a learned experience. If you don't have someone to guide you it can be difficult."

## Support system

LaLeche League of Plymouth-Canton has about 40 members who meet monthly. Each month there is a topic of discussion, however, the first priority is to answer mothers' questions.

"There are times that we don't get to our planned topic," explained Stephanie Socha, a LaLeche League leader for the Plymouth-Canton group. "They not only hear from the leaders, but from other mothers who have gone through the same thing."

The pregnant mother of three said she probably wouldn't have nursed her children if she hadn't gone to a LaLeche meeting. She lists the benefits of breast milk like she was reading from a nutrition chart on the cereal box: "Human milk contains all the nutrients your newborn needs and is more easily digested than any other food," Socha said adding that the temperature is always right.

"Superior nutrition is only one of the advantages you and your baby gain from breast-feeding," she added. "Living substances that are unique to your milk inhibit the growth of harmful bacteria and viruses in his still maturing system. One study shows that premature infants who had been given human milk scored significantly higher on IQ tests at 7 and 8 eight years of age than children who had received formula."

Breast-feeding also encourages a normal weight gain, which is good insurance against a future tendency toward obesity, she said adding that breast milk is also known to be a good safeguard against allergies.

"The child reaps the benefits for as long as they're breast-feeding," Socha said. "The milk doesn't go bad after a year. If you are uncomfortable breast-feeding in public, there are discrete ways to breast-feed. I went to craft shows and parks without anyone knowing I was breast-feeding."

There's a litany of rewards for the breast-feeding mom, too. After delivery, for instance, breast-feeding causes the uterus to contract and reduces the flow of blood. It also results in the uterus getting back in shape more quickly.

## Numerous benefits

Aside from saving time and money that goes into feeding babies formula, breast-feeding uses up extra calories for the mom. The breast-feeding mother's metabolism changes, which means most mothers can lose weight gradually without dieting.

Breast-feeding also protects the mother from cer-



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Julie Boyer Hanley  
— Plymouth resident

tain health problems. For instance, studies show mothers who breast-feed for even a few months are less likely to develop breast cancer, than women who have given birth, but never breast-fed, Socha said adding that breast-feeding also protects against ovarian cancer, urinary tract infection and osteoporosis.

Despite the rewards of breast-feeding, a lot of women in the United States tend to wean early, because women who nurse their children past a year are sometimes seen as odd, Socha said.

Two months ago, after the birth of her second child, Calisa O'Keefe, attended a LaLeche League of Plymouth-Canton meeting hoping she could avoid the pitfalls, including painful infections, that she faced while she breast-fed her first child for two weeks.

The Northville mom didn't have friends and family members to ask questions about breast-feeding.

"Nowadays your pediatrician is recommending that you breast-feed, but at the same time you don't have the wisdom handed down from mothers or sisters," she said. "You don't have the community that people did a long time ago."

That could be changing. The number of mothers who initiated breast-feeding at birth grew to an all time high of 62.4 percent in the United States in 1996, according to a September 1998 "Mothering Magazine" article. O'Keefe credits LaLeche for giving her the information and "loving support" she needed to continue breast-feeding even during times she was ready to quit.

In 61 countries, every month LaLeche League International gives guidance and information to more than 300,000 women, like O'Keefe and Boyer Hanley. The Plymouth-Canton leaders take upwards of 30 to 40 calls monthly.

"We get so many calls when people leave the hospital and there's no one there to help them," Socha said.

Moms ask anything from how to get started to what they should do if they want to return to work, or how to breast-feed a two-year-old and how they can get rid of infections. Some moms wonder what they should do if they have a medical illness and what medications are safe to take. Or, if they can breast feed after a breast reduction. Most moms want to know if their children are getting enough milk.

There are legal issues, too. For instance, what does a breast-feeding woman do if she's called to jury duty? Usually, all it takes is a letter of explanation to the court and the mom is excused, Socha said.

LaLeche League International says that breast-feeding relationship should continue as long as it's mutually desirable by mother and child. Some cultures nurse until the children are 3, 5 and 7 years old, Socha added.

11th Annual World  
Walk for Breast-feeding

Area women involved with LaLeche League of Plymouth-Canton will be joined by moms in countries across the globe during the 11th Annual World Walk for Breast-feeding.

The local group invites the public to attend a fund-raiser 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Saturday, Aug. 11, in Pavilion South 1 at Heritage Park in Canton.

They ask that participants bring their own picnic lunches and take part in a one-mile symbolic walk through the park. There will be children's games, face-painting, door prizes and contests for the best stroller and sign decorations.

Walkers will also collect money from sponsors and prizes will go to the people with the most support and the most money collected.

Everyone is welcome and there is no charge. The world walk for breast-feeding is LaLeche League's biggest fund-raising effort. While LaLeche League services are free, money goes to run a toll free hot line that mothers can call for emergency questions and books for lending libraries, as well as leader training and seminars.

## Valuable resource

LaLeche League philosophies and breast-feeding tips are outlined in the book, "Womanly Art of Breast-feeding," which is produced by LaLeche League International. It is available at LaLeche lending libraries and area bookstores.

LaLeche International is a non-profit, non-sectarian organization founded to provide information and encouragement mainly through personal help to mothers. Call (734) 420-8960 or (734) 981-1381 for more information about LaLeche League of Plymouth-Canton meetings times and locations.

To contact the Detroit-area LaLeche League call (313) 488-1015. Or, visit their Web site:

www.lalecheleagueinternational.org



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## We want your health news

There are several ways you can reach the Observer Health & Fitness staff. The Sunday section provides numerous venues for you to offer newsworthy information including Medical Databook (upcoming calendar events), Medical Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field), and Medical Briefs (medical advances, short news items from hospitals, physicians, companies).

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## MEDICAL DATEBOOK

## THUR, AUG. 8

## STORE OF DREAMS

Wayne RESA's "Store of Dreams," open throughout the month of August, will focus on "Growing Healthy Children" from Aug. 2-8. Free interactive activities and presentations will include nutrition demonstrations and screenings from the Wayne County Health Dept. Laurel Park Place, 37700 Six Mile, Livonia. Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday noon to 5 p.m.

## MENOPAUSE

The Menopause Support Group will meet 7-9 p.m. at St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia, West Addition B. Join other women and share concerns, feelings and experiences about menopause, as well as other mid-life and health issues. Free. Call (734) 655-1100 or (800) 494-1615.

## DIABETIC HEART CARE

The Diabetes Support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital will host a discussion, "Take it to Heart," 7-8:30 p.m. in the hospital's auditorium. Learn what diabetics need to know about preventing cardiovascular complications. Call (734) 655-8940.

## BMW FUNDRAISER

Drive a BMW and raise money for cancer research. The Auto-Strasse dealership on Auto Mall Drive off Jackson Road in Ann Arbor will present "The Ultimate Drive" 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. For every mile test-driven, BMW will donate \$1 to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, which supports local cancer research at the U-M Comprehensive Cancer Center. Call (877) 4-A-DRIVE.

## THURS, AUG. 9

## WALK-IN PHYSICALS

Student school and sports physicals/immunizations will be offered every Thursday through August (Aug. 9, 16, 23 and 30) from 8-11 a.m. and 1-4:30 p.m. at Oakwood Healthcare Center - Westland (corner of Palmer and Merriman roads). First child, \$30; second child, \$15; cash or check only (no insurance accepted). Call (734) 727-1000. All students must be accompanied by a parent, and should bring their shot record with them. The tetanus vaccine is not available.

## STORE OF DREAMS

Wayne RESA's "Store of Dreams" open throughout the month of August, will focus on back to school preparation from Aug. 9-15. Free interactive activities and presentations will consist of school bus safety information, healthy lunch tips and fingerprinting for children 0-8. Laurel Park Place, 37700 Six Mile, Livonia. Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday noon to 5 p.m.

Injuries *from page D4*

ing, the likelihood of recovery or adjustment to closed head injuries can be increased by working with rehabilitation specialists.

We need to devote attention to prevention. It's estimated that 90 percent of closed head injuries and concussions could be prevented if people took more

## TUES, AUG. 14

## POSTPARTUM SUPPORT

The Mother-Baby Postpartum Support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, will meet 10-11 a.m. in West Addition B. A certified lactation specialist will discuss the post-partum period of adjustment. Call the Marian Women's Center at (734) 655-1100.

## GRIEF RECOVERY

Hospice of Washtenaw will present a five-week Grief Recovery Series beginning Tues., July 17. Each session will be held 7-8:30 p.m. at the Senior Health Building on the campus of St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, 5361 McAuley Drive, Ypsilanti. Registration required. Call (734) 327-3409.

## WED, AUG. 15

## STOP SMOKING

Providence Medical Center-Livonia: Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia, will host a Smoking Cessation program 6:30-8:30 p.m. One-time fee of \$59 includes hypnotic session, cassette tape, booklet and unlimited free repetitions of the seminar if needed. Call (877) 345-5500.

## BASIC LIFE SUPPORT

St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia will offer a two-day Basic Life Support Training Class designed for health care providers. The course provides an opportunity to build or refine life-saving skills to aid adults, children and infants during cardiac and choking emergencies. CPR methods and the proper use of automated external defibrillators (AEDs) will be addressed. The training will be provided on Wednesday, Aug. 15 and Thursday, Aug. 16 from 6-10 p.m. in the hospital auditorium. The fee is \$50 per person and advance registration is required. Call (734) 655-8940 or (800) 494-1650 (for out of town callers).

## MON, AUG. 20

## WEIGHT CONTROL

Learn to control overeating, bingeing, snacking and emotion eating by attending the Wellness Seminar for weight control hosted by Providence Medical Center-Livonia: Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia. One-time fee of \$59 includes hypnotic session, cassette tape, booklet and unlimited free repetitions of the seminar if needed. Call (877) 345-5500.

## WED, AUG. 22

## HOLISTIC CARDIOLOGY

Dr. Kirk Lamen will speak at Unity of Livonia (28630 Five Mile) at 7 p.m. A board certified cardiologist, he uses a holistic

approach to healing. Call (734) 421-1760.

## WED, AUG. 29

## COMPLEMENTARY CARE

Oakwood Healthcare System Cancer Center and Dr. Clinton Greenstone, director of Oakwood's Complementary and Alternative Medicine Center, will present "Complementary Medicine in Cancer Care" 6-7:30 p.m. at Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center - Dearborn, Cancer Center Conference Room. Greenstone will discuss complementary therapies in treating the mind, body and spirit of the cancer patient. Free. Pre-registration by calling (800) 543-WELL.

## WED, SEPT. 5

## MENOPAUSE SUPPORT

The Menopause Support Group of St. Mary Mercy Hospital will meet from 7-9 p.m. Sept. 5 and Oct. 9 to discuss concerns, feelings and experiences about mid-life health issues.

## THUR, SEPT. 6

## INFANT CARE CLASSES

St. Mary Mercy Hospital will offer a two-part class designed for parents and caregivers of newborns. Classes will include "Getting to know your newborn" on Sept. 6, and "Caring for the sick infant" on Sept. 13. Both classes will be held from 7-9 p.m. in West addition "A". The fee is \$18 per class or \$35 for both classes. Pre-registration is required. Call (734) 655-1100 for more information.

## TUE, SEPT. 11

## BREAST CANCER

The Breast Cancer Support Group of St. Mary Mercy Hospital will meet from 7-9 p.m. Sept. 11 and Oct. 9 to help survivors address topics and concerns relating to breast cancer.

## MOTHER-BABY POSTPARTUM

The Mother-Baby Postpartum Support Group of St. Mary Mercy Hospital will meet from 10-11 a.m. with a lactation specialist to talk about the post-partum period of adjustment. Infants welcome.

## WED, SEPT. 12

## ARTHRITIS

St. Mary Mercy Hospital will present the Arthritis Foundation of Michigan's "Arthritis Self-help Course" during a series of three classes to meet on Wednesdays, September 12th, 19th, and 26th. Classes meet from 1-3 p.m. in the hospital's Pavilion Conference Room A. The seminar costs \$20 per person plus \$5 for a spouse, family member or a friend to attend with the registered participant. Pre-register by calling (734) 655-8940.

## Lowe's, YMCA sponsor safety program

Rover, the home safety hound, is opening the doors to Lowe's on his "Great Safety Adventure."

In his giant house children can walk through an interactive exhibit to learn how to spot and prevent dangerous safety hazards in and around the home. This "field trip on wheels" is rolling into the Detroit area from Aug. 17-26, visiting Detroit area YMCAs and Detroit Lowe's stores.

Complete with a 20-foot entranceway, living room, kitchen, bathroom, bedroom and backyard, Lowe's Great Safety Adventure educates children about how to prevent common household injuries. The tour focuses on four primary hazards: fire, poisons, choking and falls. The exhibit also includes animated productions and hazards that magically disappear when children yell Rover's safety battle cry, 'Code Red Rover,

grownup come over!'

For a preview and virtual tour of the Great Safety Adventure, visit [loweshomesafety.org](http://loweshomesafety.org)

All the events are free and open to the public 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 23 at the YMCA in Livonia (14255 Stark Road) or Lowe's Home Improvement Warehouse (6555 Newburgh Road, Westland) 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 25-26.

## Hands-on lessons

Rover, the home safety hound, guides children through Lowe's Great Safety Adventure. The exhibit is sponsored by Lowe's Home Safety Council, a non-profit organization founded in 1993 with the vision of creating safer American homes.

Each year, 13 million children ages 14 and younger - 1 out of 4 - are injured seriously enough to require medical attention. In

## FREE EVENTS

other words, more children are affected by home injuries than by all childhood diseases combined. Lowe's Home Improvement Warehouse and Lowe's Home Safety Council created the Great Safety Adventure to help decrease the number of children affected by household injuries — 90 percent of these injuries are preventable.

Children, dubbed as safety rangers, are given special flashlights to help them identify various hazards in Rover's home. Once a hazard is located, safety rangers call out, 'Code Red Rover, grownup come over!' and the hazards magically disappear. Children also reenact an actual emergency fire escape when Rover's bedroom fills with simulated smoke.

## MEDICAL NEWSMAKERS

## Visiting Nurse

Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan has named **Mollie Keen-Fritz** of Redford the first recipient of the 2001 Alfred I. and Sandra M. Sherman Award. The award recognizes the personal excellence of home health aides as paraprofessionals in the home-care industry.

Keen-Fritz has worked as a VNA home health aide for six years. She holds an associate degree in nursing and has expanded her skills through numerous company-sponsored inservices. Her award is based on patient satisfaction endorsements and recommendations from clinical managers and peers.



**Honor:** Dr. Ernest Chiodo (l-r), VNA associate medical director; Mollie Keen-Fritz, VNA home health aide honoree; Sandra Sherman, VNA board member; Kathleen J. Holycross, president and CEO of VNA, Inc.; and Dr. Alfred Sherman.

## County health care director

Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara has named **Joyce Brown-Williams** of Canton the new director of Wayne County Health and Community Services' Patient Care Management System. She will be responsible for various programs including PlusCare, which provides indigent health coverage; HealthChoice, a health care program for small businesses; and County Card, Wayne County's new senior discount prescription drug program.

Brown-Williams has a B.S. degree from Western Michigan University and is currently enrolled in an MBA program at Davenport University in Dearborn. She also serves on the Canton Human Relations Commission.

## Top pharmacist

**Mark Isopi** of Livonia, a clinical drug specialist at Henry Ford Hospital and an adjunct instructor of pharmacy practice at Wayne State University, has been named a Fellow of the American Society of Health-System Pharmacists.

The award recognizes excellence in pharmacy

practice, including contributing to publications and research. The American Society of Health-System Pharmacists is a 30,000-member national professional association that represents pharmacists who practice in a variety of medical organizations.

## Orthopedic position

**Dr. Patricia A. Kolowich** of Northville, an orthopedic surgeon at Henry Ford Hospital, has been elected the first woman president of the Michigan Orthopedic Society. She is a senior staff physician in the Department of Orthopedic and Sports Medicine at Henry Ford Hospital. She also serves as a team physician for the Detroit Red Wings.

As president of the Michigan Orthopedic Society, Kolowich will oversee the 450-member association's educational efforts to train physicians and residents in the latest orthopedic technology.

## Media recognition

**Dr. Veronica T. Mallet**, a subspecialist in urogynecology at Oakwood Healthcare System, has been named one of the nation's leading physicians by *Black Enterprise* magazine. Since joining Oakwood in 1999, she has been appointed director of Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center - Dearborn's OB/GYN educational programs. Earl Graves, publisher of *Black Enterprise*, said Mallet's story of achievement "is reflective of our African-American heritage, and an inspiration to many...a great legacy for future doctors and other professionals."

## Internal Medicine

**Dr. Shari R. Pierce**, a board-certified internal medicine physician, has joined the medical staff at Botsford General Hospital. Pierce has a special interest in women's health issues and serves her patients as their primary care physician.

A graduate of Nova Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine in Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Pierce completed her clinical post-graduate training at Botsford. Pierce is a member of the American Osteopathic Association and the American College of Osteopathic Internists.

Pierce sees patients at Midwest Internal Medicine Associates located at 20317 Farmington Road in Livonia.

## Ophthalmologist

**Dr. Elliot Fisher** has joined the staff of Henry Ford Eye Care Services. He practices at Henry Ford Medical Center - Livonia, and at the Henry Ford OptimEyes Super Vision Center in Westland. Fisher specializes in eye surgeries, including corneal transplantation, cataract removal and laser vision correction. Fisher comes to Henry Ford from the University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey where he served as associate director of Cornea, External Disease and Refractive Surgery.

He received his medical degree from the Albert Einstein College of Medicine in the Bronx, New York. He served as an intern at Staten Island University hospital, as resident and chief resident at Long Island Jewish Medical Center, and as a fellow in the Corneal and External Disease Division of the Mount Sinai-New York University Medical Center.

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## BUSINESS CALENDAR

## TUE, AUG. 14

## PRE-BUSINESS WORKSHOP

Have you ever wanted to start your own business? SCORE -- the Service Corps of Retired Executives is hosting a pre-business workshop Tuesday, Aug. 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Topics include: Analyzing opportunities; money and finance options; business planning and information sources. The workshop location is: One Stop Capital Shop, 2051 Rosa Parks Blvd., Detroit. Fee for the workshop is \$40. To register, call SCORE at: (313) 226-7947.

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A business plan workshop for small businesses is being offered by SCORE -- the Service Corps of Retired Executives. Topics include: Planning process overview; marketing and management questions; financial statements; examples of business plans and sources of help. The workshop location is: One Stop Capital Shop, 2051 Rosa Parks Blvd., Detroit, and is scheduled from 8:45 a.m. to 12 p.m. Cost for the workshop is \$40 in advance, \$50 at the door. For more information, call SCORE at: (313) 226-7947.

## SAT, AUG. 18

## SMALL BUSINESS WORKSHOP

The Wayne State University School of Business Administration will host a 2-hour free workshop, in Dearborn, entitled "How to Start or Run a Small Business." The seminar will be held Saturday Aug. 18, at the Troy Marriott Hotel, 1-75 & Big Beaver Rd., at 9:30 a.m.

The workshop will cover such items as the 10 "hottest" businesses for 2001, how to slash hundreds off your taxes, why 90% of business opportunities are a rip-off, the 20 biggest pitfalls in starting and running a small business, how to price your product or service, the secret of making money on the Internet, and how to start with very little cash. The free workshop is open to the public. No reservations are necessary. Wayne State University has presented these "shirtsleeve" workshops for 20 years, and has helped thousands of individuals transform their ideas into growing businesses. This workshop will include a free work book and all the latest tax law changes.

## AUG. 28-30

## NAFTA CONFERENCE

To help suppliers tackle the legalities of the North American Free Trade Agreement, the Automotive Industry Action Group will host five sessions on customs and regulatory reporting at its annual AUTO-TECH

Conference & Exhibition at Cobo Center in Detroit. Subjects include: How to develop NAFTA-related policies and procedures for your business; Record keeping requirements to meet U.S. Customs regulations; and Mexican customs updates. In addition, the AIAG will host a Customs Town Hall Meeting with top-level executives from the U.S. Customs Department 1-4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 27 at Cobo Center. For AUTO-TECH registration and conference information, contact the AIAG at (248) 358-3570. Those interested in exhibiting at the conference should call (248) 358-9764.

## OCT. 25-26

## SOLUTIONS FOR MFG.

The IT Executive Forum 2001 is an one and a half day education and networking program for senior OEM and supplier executives. The forum provides insight into IT business planning, investment strategies, and case studies on current IT application and supplier collaboration efforts. The forum will be held at The Dearborn Inn, Dearborn, Mich., and is managed by the Society of Manufacturing Engineers. For more information contact: Heather Boylan of SME at: (313) 271-1500, Ext. 2221; or by e-mail at: boylhea@sme.org.

## BUSINESS NEWSMAKERS

■ Ewa Gala, a Livonia resident, is among the top thirteen travel agents honored by AAA Michigan for outstanding sales achievements in 2000. She works in the Travel Reservations Center in AAA Michigan's Dearborn headquarters. She has earned the Accredited Cruise Counselor designation from the Cruise Lines Industry Association, by taking cruises on two ships and conducting inspections of 10 more.

Among the other honorees were Renee Wheat and Nancy Degroat who work at AAA Michigan's Livonia office.



Gala, (left to right) Degroat and Wheat.

## New associate

■ Jennifer L. Sabourin has joined the Detroit office of the law firm of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone P.L.C. as an associate in the Labor and Employment Department.

Prior to joining the firm she was an attorney with Joseph M. Xuereb, P.C. of Dearborn.

A Livonia resident, Sabourin received her law degree from Wayne State University Law School, and her undergraduate degree from the University of Michigan- Dearborn.

Send items regarding business newsmakers to Renee Skoglund, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150, rskoglund@oe.homecomm.net or call (734) 953-2128. If you would like the photograph back send a self-addressed stamped envelope.



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## BUSINESS MARKETPLACE

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LOC Performance of Plymouth, a maker of vehicular components primarily for tanks and large trucks, earned Contractor of the Year designation from the Schoolcraft College Pro-

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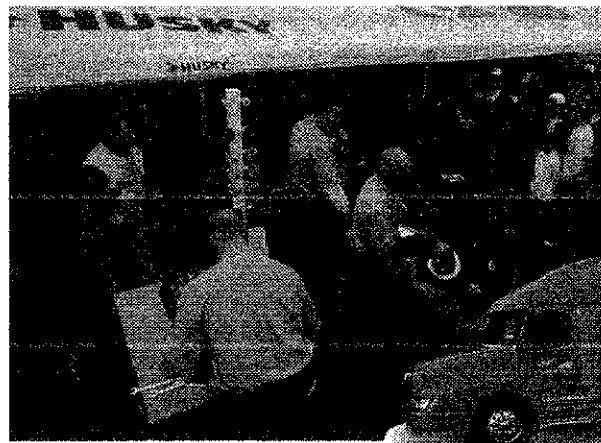
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## New sub going up west of Ann Arbor

Westridge in Dexter may seem distant. But it took just 30 minutes during a recent Monday afternoon from entering M-14 at Sheldon Road in Plymouth to get to the detached condominium development 26 miles away just west of Ann Arbor.

(Exit 167 off I-94, take Baker Road north until it dead-ends in town, then go west under bridge to Westridge.)

"We have two different communities within one, two different markets, really," said John Shekerjian, president of JR Homes and the more widely known John Richards Homes, a builder of custom, upper-end houses.

"It appeals to a wider ... a little broader ... market, definitely," he said.

### The Preserve, Park

Four floor plans, all less than 2,000 square feet (less optional upgrades), are available in The Preserve section of Westridge.

They range in price from \$188,900 for a 1,619-square-foot two story with three bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths to \$230,900 for a story-and-a-half of 1,919 square feet with three bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths.

Five plans, all more than 2,000 square feet, are available in The Park section of Westridge.

They range in price from \$245,900 for a two story of 2,165 square feet with three bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths to \$293,900 for a 2,832-square-foot two story with four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths.

A fireplace is standard in The Park, a \$2,900 upgrade in The Preserve. A separate tub and shower in the master and first-floor laundry are standard at homes in The Park.

All homes at Westridge include a two-car garage, basement, dishwasher and carpeting throughout.

Air conditioning (\$3,000) and textured ceilings (\$1,000) are extra in all.

Buyers will be attracted to Westridge for a variety of reasons. "Dexter is very close to Ann Arbor for those who do business there or shop," Shekerjian said. "It's a little more rural in nature. The downtown Dexter feel is great."

"There's two important things people are impressed with," said Teresa DeHart, sales representative. "The inside of the home, the craftsmanship, completeness of the product."

"The other thing is the site. We try

to keep as many trees here as possible. We didn't come in, bulldoze everything and start all over."

"The (Dexter) school system is very good," Shekerjian said. "Brand new schools have been built in the last couple years."

"A lot of people don't understand or realize how close we are to Ann Arbor — two exits (off I-94) west," DeHart added.

"It's the best of two worlds, a small community but two exits away from Ann Arbor. It's just a small-town setting I think people want to get back to," she said.

"The John Richards name, itself, over the years has lived up to quality," DeHart said.

### Metroparks nearby

Three Metroparks, Dexter-Huron, Hudson Mills and Delphi, nearly surround Westridge. A cider mill is nearby.

Two models have been constructed.

The Elderberry, built for The Preserve, is a two story of 1,995 square feet. It features a living room with volume ceiling, dining area, kitchen/nook, family room and laundry on the main floor.

The master with sloped ceiling has a two-sink vanity, walk-in closet and separate tub and shower. The other two bedrooms up have sloped ceilings and share a bath with combination tub/shower.

Base price is \$219,900, the model as is with upgrades about \$260,000, which includes finished basement, landscaping and premium lot.

The Briarwood, built for The Park, is a two story of 2,500 square feet. It features a library with sloped ceiling, great room with volume ceiling, dining room, kitchen/nook with island, first-floor laundry and three-car garage.

Four bedrooms are upstairs.

The master with cathedral ceiling, contains a two-sink vanity, separate tub and shower and a pair of walk-in closets. Three other bedrooms and a full bath also are up.

Base price is \$280,900, the model, as is with upgrades, including finished basement, landscaping and premium lot about \$370,000.

### Other tangibles

Westridge is served by Dexter's water system and sewers. The community has sidewalks.



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**Briarwood:** This two-story of 2,500 square feet contains four bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths and plenty of volume ceilings.

The property tax rate is \$42.23 per \$1,000 of state taxable value, half of sales price for new construction. That means the owners of a \$250,000 home there would pay about \$5,300 the first year.

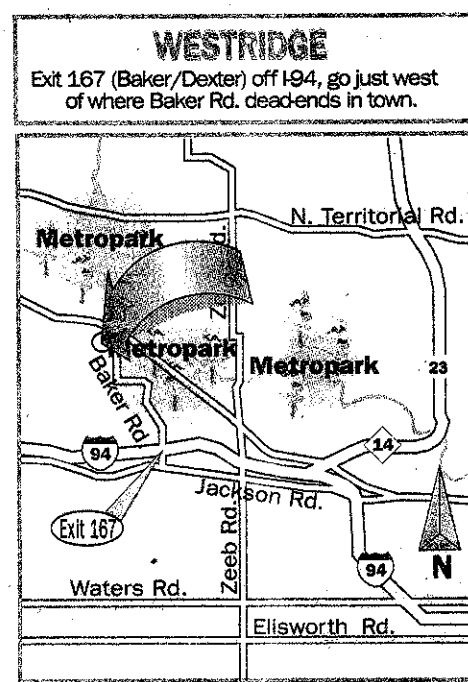
The annual maintenance/association fee is \$200.

Joe and Deanna Semisero moved into a story-and-a-half in the Preserve with children, Jay and Alexandra.

"The school district played a big part," Deanna said. "We really liked the site. It appeared nicer than others we looked at. We like the community being close to Ann Arbor, but far enough away to feel like country."

"The great room we have is 17-by-19 and the master bedroom is on the main floor away from the kids," she said.

The sales office/models at Westridge, (734) 424-1500, is open noon to 6 p.m. Friday through Tuesday, closed Wednesdays and Thursdays.



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The step-up master suite is very elegant and has a whirlpool. There's wonderful additional living space in the finished walk-out basement with its recreation room with fireplace, bar, large finished multi-purpose room and bath.

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# Paying bills with mortgage money can make sense



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There is an undeniable connection between home ownership and other sectors of our economy, such as employment, interest rates and the expansion and contraction of credit. When one area "moves," another must respond.

The economy has certainly moved these past two years, and so has consumer debt. One financial resource that many families have utilized to pay off debt during these turbulent

times is the non-conforming mortgage.

Conventional mortgage lenders such as banks must follow strict regulatory guidelines.

Oftentimes, a person who has lost a job, had a late payment or is carrying too much debt must be turned down for a home loan. This can happen even when creditworthiness is affected for only a short time, perhaps due to a family illness or interruption of income.

In contrast, non-conforming lenders, who aren't subject to the same regulations, can and are willing to assume greater risk. In return, a non-conforming loan may carry a higher interest rate.

A borrower can use a non-conforming loan to roll all outstanding balances, including home mortgage debt, into one package

with one monthly payment, at one interest rate. For those whose financial picture is troubled, this loan may be the second chance they need to help them return to financial stability.

Although the interest rate on a non-conforming mortgage is typically higher than that of a conventional mortgage, it is usually lower than the interest rate on most credit cards. In addition, because total debt service is tied to a home mortgage, the interest paid may be tax deductible.

Additionally, many non-conforming lenders are licensed to issue second mortgages on a percentage of a home's value. This lets a homeowner tap into built-up equity, while still retaining an existing, lower-rate first mortgage. The home's entire value need not be refinanced.

Here is an example.

A Southfield couple has monthly mortgage payments of \$860 and \$30,000 equity in their \$90,000 home. The couple also

had accumulated credit card and other debts totaling \$30,000, on which they were making monthly payments of \$750.

Using their local bank's loan-to-value (LTV) ratio, the couple only qualified for a \$5,000 loan. This was \$25,000 short of what they needed.

With a non-conforming second mortgage, the couple was able to access 100 percent of their home's equity. They kept their low first mortgage rate on the larger \$60,000 balance, and utilized the equity loan of \$30,000 to pay off bills. The \$750 monthly obligation was reduced to \$346.

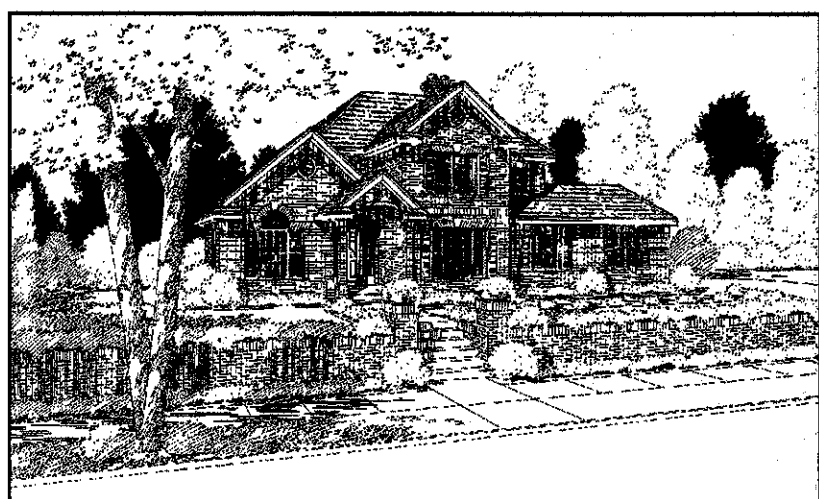
Non-conforming lenders can set their own loan standards catered to meet the needs of the consumer. Most banks have strict lending guidelines that must be followed. In our industry we must be able to think 'outside that box.' When a loan makes sense and it helps the consumer, we work hard to make

the loan.

While non-conforming loans are not for everyone, as niche products, they can function as an important "relief valve" for people who have overextended their credit. Conventional lenders are becoming more flexible but remain stuck with an 'in the box' banker's mentality. By contrast, non-conforming lenders are simply the most flexible when con-

sidering the special needs of the consumer.

*Bob Pilcowitz is president and CEO of Southfield-based Franklin Mortgage Funding, a wholesale non-conforming mortgage lender. Franklin Mortgage Funding works with more than 200 brokers statewide. He can be reached at (248) 799-4000.*



## Good-looking house

The Falcon Crest (G24-710) with its many roof angles is very distinctive to the eye. The use of brick and shutters around the large windows with fanlight transoms overhead adds to the attractiveness of the home. Two-stories containing 2,439 square feet with an optional basement of 1,383 square feet could make this home spacious for a large family.

Entering the Falcon Crest across a covered porch brings one directly into a formal foyer. To the right through French doors is the study/guest room. By its convenient location, this room could also be used as an office. It does not have a closet, however, one has been noted as an option. Beyond the study down the foyer hall is a full bath with a shower, also ideal for the guest room concept.

The laundry room contains a large broom closet as well as a door to the two-car garage. On the opposite hall wall is lovely

landing staircase to the second floor as well as stairs to the optional basement. Just past the stairs around the corner is large pantry, easily accessible to the kitchen.

The entire back of the Falcon Crest is open with the kitchen on the left and the family room on the right. The kitchen is L-shaped with an island in middle. The breakfast nook has large windows bathing the area in light. A wonderful feature has been in a see-through fireplace, between the kitchen and the family room. French doors open to the back yard off the family room. It adds warmth and a great aesthetic look.

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Adjustable mortgage	6.32%
FHA-insured mortgage	7.18%
Fed. funds	3.82%

#### Finance Rates

Prime Rate	6.75%
Discount Rate	3.25%
90-day T-Bill	3.54%
6-mo. T-Bill	3.47%
1-yr. T-Bill	3.53%
2-yr. T-Note	3.79%
10-yr. T-Bond	5.07%
30-yr. T-Bond	5.51%

#### ECONOMIC CALENDAR

This week's releases:

- Aug. 6 - Federal Reserve Board, Selected U.S. Interest Rates
- Aug. 6 - Department of the Treasury, 13 & 26 Week Treasury Auction Results
- Aug. 7 - Department of Labor, Productivity and Cost
- Aug. 7 - Federal Reserve Board, Consumer Installment Credit
- Aug. 8 - Federal Reserve Board, Summary of Economic Conditions (beige book)
- Aug. 9 - Department of Agriculture, U.S. Export Sales
- Aug. 9 - Bureau of Labor Statistics, Unemployment Insurance Weekly Claims Report

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7/balloon	6.500	6.564	0/0	\$295	5%	\$6.737
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### Michigan Averages

This week:	Avg. Program	Avg. Rate*	Avg. APR*	Disc. pts.	Orig. fee	Mo. pmt.	Income required
30-Yr. fixed		7.00%	7.10%	0%	0%	\$665	\$26,612
15-Yr. fixed		6.50%	6.65%	0%	0%	\$871	\$34,844
5/1-Yr. ARM		6.50%	6.71%	0%	0%	\$632	\$25,282

SOURCE: The Meyers Report. 1-847-205-9222

## MEYERS ON MORTGAGES

### DON'T LET SMALL ROOF PROBLEMS TURN INTO BIG ONES

by GARY S. MEYERS



The answer may seem simple: "Call a roofer and have it fixed." But how do you get the most for your roofing dollar? With a little homework, you'll be surprised at how much time, money, and aggravation you can save.

Aside from simply keeping you dry, your roof also holds the entire house together and gives the whole structure its strength. This is so important that in hurricane-prone areas, special fasteners are required by insurance companies to ensure that the roof stays on the house in extreme conditions. If the roof blows off, the rest of the house will collapse within minutes or even seconds.

Now, do you really want to mess around up there?

With proper care, a well-installed roof can last as long as 20 years before it needs replacement. That doesn't mean, however, that it may not need repair once in a while. Roof damage can begin in many ways. Tree limbs, high winds, hail, or even a carelessly-hit baseball can take their toll on the best roof.

"A lot of damage comes from normal freeze-thaw cycles," says Tom Bollnow, Technical Director for the National Roofing Contractors Association (NRCA). "And, if you try to fix a roof yourself, you can often make the damage worse."

While the damage may not be apparent at first, it can grow until the precious shield between you and the elements is breached, and it's usually at the worst possible time.

Q. Okay, I'm awakened in the middle of the night by a leak in my ceiling. What's the first thing I should do?

A. The first thing you should NOT do is put a pan under it and forget about it until morning.

"You can save a lot of time if you do some investigation right away," says Bollnow. "First, if you have an attic space that you can get to, go up and see if you can find where the water is com-

ing in. Often it will come in at one point and follow the pitch of the roof or the insulation to another point before coming through your ceiling. Once it stops raining, you may not be able to find the leak."

Once you have found the leak, says Bollnow, mark it for the contractor. While you're in the attic, go ahead and set up your bucket. It's better to put a catch-er under the leak in the attic to help preserve the ceiling below.

"You also should note the weather conditions," Bollnow advises. "There are several questions you can answer that will help the contractor."

• Did the leak start right away? If not, how long after the rain started did the leak begin?

• Was the rain light or heavy?

• Was the wind blowing, and if so, from which direction? Did the leak accompany the wind? If so, the wind may be blowing the rain under a loose shingle.

Q. Can't I just leave the bucket in the attic?

"It's not a good idea to just forget about it," warns Bollnow. "Even if the leak is small, there may be dirt or debris in it, and the next heavy rain could wash it away, revealing a much bigger problem." Besides, unintended problems never get better.

Q. How do I start looking for a contractor?

Bollnow advises that you start with your local contractors association if your area has one.

"One thing they can do for you is recommend two or three contractors in your area," he said, "and it's better to get someone relatively close, because they can respond more easily."

Bollnow adds that your own neighborhood can be a good source of information.

"Find out if any of your neighbors have had work done on their roofs recently, and if they're happy with the job," he says. "Word of mouth is still one of

your best resources."

Q. What do I do if the contractor tells me my roof needs to be replaced?

A. A little knowledge goes a long way here. If you know when your roof was replaced last, you can pretty much tell if he's on the level.

"The average roof lasts about 20 years," said Bollnow. "So, if you're close to the end of that, he's probably right. If it's only three or four years old, it would have to suffer some major damage to need replacement. In any event, you will want to get a second opinion, and maybe even a third."

If there is a problem with a new roof, it probably is under warranty. You immediately should start with the installer.

Even if the roof is in dire need, Bollnow adds, "there's usually something he can do about the immediate problem until you can get some estimates and do it right."

Q. What is my liability if the contractor gets hurt on my roof?

A. Whether you're just getting an estimate or having major repairs done, you should make sure your contractor carries general liability and workers compensation.

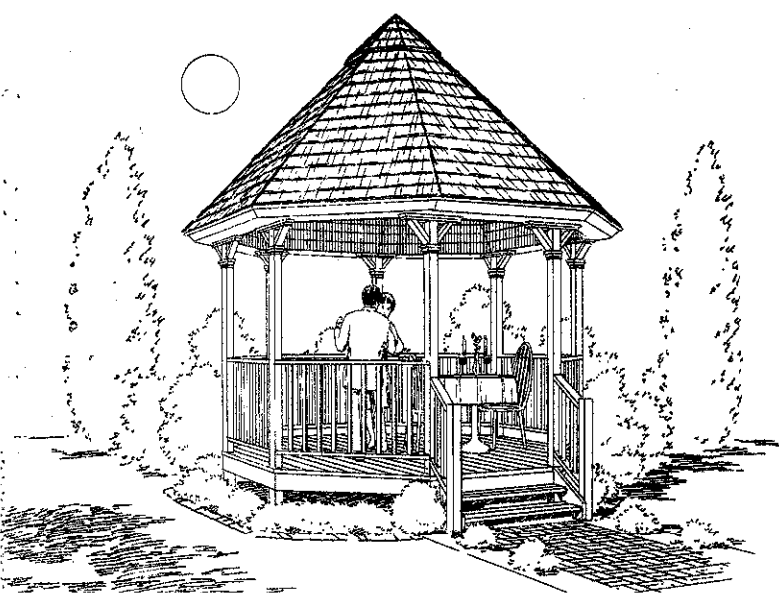
"Your homeowners insurance will cover it, but it shouldn't have to," said Bollnow.

Remember, your roof is the key to the entire house. Take care of it while it's still in good shape, and it should give you years of good service. Neglect it, or try to fix it yourself, and you could be letting in a world of trouble.

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## The Weekly Do-It-Yourselfer



## 3 styles of gazebo

This week's Home Improvement Feature offers a romantic addition to your yard. This Build-It-Yourself project plan offers you easy-to-follow instructions that reduces the time involved and cuts the waste. Octagonal in shape, this project plan offers you three sizes of diameter - eight feet, 10 feet, or 12 feet. The stairs railing and roof plans are all included. You will receive two sets of plans. One is for you or your builder, the other is for the building officials for your town. Two complete sets of the

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## Inexpensive ways to lower cooling bills

The majority of Californians in a recent study indicated that rising energy bills hit them harder than rolling blackouts.

You can make a few quick and inexpensive home improvements that immediately go to work to beat the rising costs of natural gas and electricity.

Consider these from the CertainTeed Home Institute:

■ Upgrade your attic insulation. If your home was built before 1980, chances are it needs more insulation to meet today's Department of Energy-recommended levels for residential insulation. Don't forget the

joints of corner trim and siding and the joints of roof eaves.

■ Install an automatic setback or programmable thermostat. Programmable thermostats can help control a home's temperature around your living schedule. When you're working away from home, program it to a higher temperature in the 80s. Before you return home, it lowers to the 70s.

■ Plant trees and shrubs. Strategically planted landscaping in your yard can help reduce your energy costs. Hardy, low-lying evergreens and shrubs planted close to the foundation of a home helps slow conditioned

air from escaping during the summer. This won't make much of a difference this year, but it will in the future.

■ A plant that shades your air conditioner compressor (but does not block air flow) will ease the strain on your air conditioner and your budget.

■ Wrap exposed pipes and HVAC ducts. For additional information on energy saving projects, write to the CertainTeed Home Institute, P.O. Box 860, Valley Forge, PA 19482, or call (800) 782-8777 for the "Tips to Avoid Higher Air Conditioning Bills" pamphlet.

## Get the dust out

Getting rid of dust and allergens would make the biggest improvement to indoor air, according to a survey conducted by the Aprilaire Center for Indoor Air Comfort.

"More than 37 percent of homeowners surveyed said removing dust, pollen and other allergens is the one thing that would most greatly improve their indoor air," said Sean McCarthy, director of the Aprilaire Center for Indoor Air Comfort. "And that's not surprising, given the rising number of people with allergies."

The next most popular responses were adding humidity to the air in winter, and heating or cooling more evenly throughout the house, according to McCarthy. Others said they'd like to remove stale air and odors, or reduce indoor air pollution.

"Homeowners seem to be more demanding these days when it comes to the quality and comfort of indoor air," McCarthy said. "We know more homeowners are concerned about indoor air pollution, and this survey shows that most of us can identify at least one area of improvement we'd like to make to our indoor air."

"Fortunately, it's not as difficult as it once was to keep our indoor air clean and comfortable," McCarthy said. "New technology makes it easy to deal with household problems like dust, allergens, dryness, odors and more."

For instance, a variety of air cleaner models are on the market. The latest technology allows some high efficiency air cleaners to capture not only dust and other allergens, but the very smallest particles such as bacteria and viruses, according to McCarthy.

"Technological advances have also taken whole-house humidifiers to the next level. We recommend looking for one that has a built-in computer to automatically maintain the proper level of humidity in your home," McCarthy said.

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## Thomas Ervin Let's Talk About Real Estate

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When buyers make an offer on a property, their Realtor asks for a deposit before presenting the offer to the seller. This deposit is in the form of a check made out to the real estate company.

Each state mandates that these monies are to be put into a separate account and not co-mingled with the general funds used by the real estate company to pay its ongoing expenses. These sums are held by the Realtor until the closing of the sale and then paid to the seller as part of the purchase price. This procedure of asking for a deposit serves two purposes:

### DEMONSTRATES THE SERIOUSNESS OF THE BUYER

Money talks! A buyer who is not willing to submit a deposit along with a signed offer is not a buyer who should demand a serious response from the seller. Deposits are often referred to as "earnest money" deposits. The buyer must be willing to put some of his or her money up as proof that he or she is prepared to follow through on the promise to complete the sale.

### PROMPTS THE SELLER TO BARGAIN IN GOOD FAITH

The seller wants to be assured that the house is definitely sold after the negotiations with the buyer are complete. A deposit by the buyer shows a serious intent to purchase the property. The deposit also may provide the seller with monetary damages if the buyer is found in violation of the purchase agreement and must forfeit the deposited amount to the seller.

**ADVICE:** The Realtor plays many valuable roles in the negotiation and sale of real estate. One of these roles is as a third party to the transaction who can hold the earnest money deposit until the closing or forfeiture, whichever the case may be. It is to both the buyer's and seller's advantage that a knowledgeable and accountable professional provide the service.

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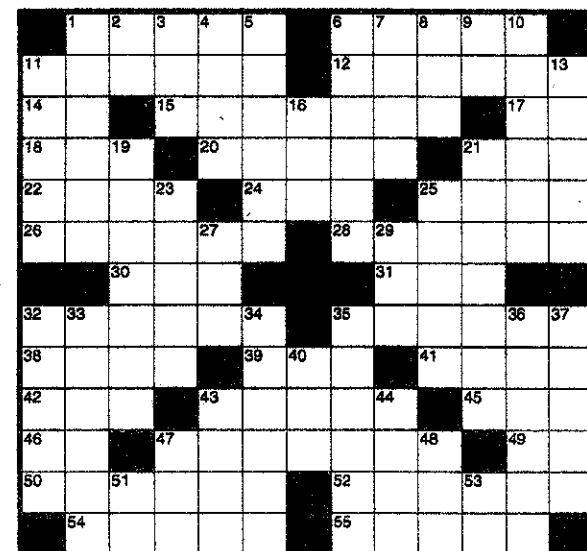
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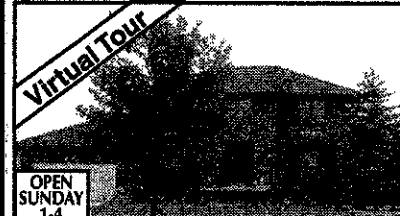
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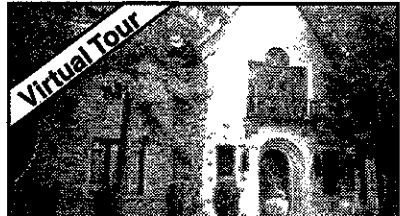
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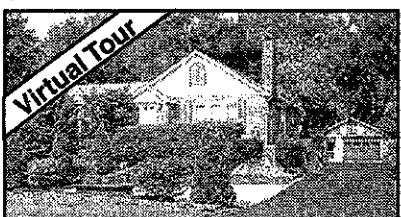
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# Paying bills with mortgage money can make sense



Bob Pilcowitz

There is an undeniable connection between home ownership and other sectors of our economy, such as employment, interest rates and the expansion and contraction of credit. When one area "moves," another must respond.

The economy has certainly moved these past two years, and so has consumer debt. One financial resource that many families have utilized to pay off debt during these turbulent times is the non-conforming mortgage.

Conventional mortgage lenders such as banks must follow strict regulatory guidelines.

Oftentimes, a person who has lost a job, had a late payment or is carrying too much debt must be turned down for a home loan. This can happen even when creditworthiness is affected for only a short time, perhaps due to a family illness or interruption of income.

In contrast, non-conforming

lenders, who aren't subject to the same regulations, can and are willing to assume greater risk. In return, a non-conforming loan may carry a higher interest rate.

A borrower can use a non-conforming loan to roll all outstanding balances, including home mortgage debt, into one package with one monthly payment, at one interest rate. For those whose financial picture is troubled, this loan may be the second chance they need to help them return to financial stability.

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Additionally, many non-conforming lenders are licensed to issue second mortgages on a percentage of a home's value. This lets a homeowner tap into built-up equity, while still retaining an existing, lower-rate first mortgage. The home's entire value need not be refinanced.

Here is an example.

A Southfield couple has monthly mortgage payments of \$860 and \$30,000 equity in their \$90,000 home. The couple also had accumulated credit card and

other debts totaling \$30,000, on which they were making monthly payments of \$750.

Using their local bank's loan-to-value (LTV) ratio, the couple only qualified for a \$5,000 loan. This was \$25,000 short of what they needed.

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While non-conforming loans are not for everyone, as niche products, they can function as an important "relief valve" for people who have overextended their credit. Conventional lenders are becoming more flexible but remain stuck with an 'in the box' banker's mentality. By contrast, non-conforming lenders are sim-

ply the most flexible when considering the special needs of the consumer.

Bob Pilcowitz is president and CEO of Southfield-based Franklin Mortgage Funding, a wholesale non-conforming mortgage lender. Franklin Mortgage Funding works with more than 200 brokers statewide. He can be reached at (248) 799-4000.

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The next most popular responses were adding humidity to the air in winter, and heating or cooling more evenly throughout the house, accord-

ing to McCarthy. Others said they'd like to remove stale air and odors, or reduce indoor air pollution.

"Homeowners seem to be more demanding these days when it comes to the quality and comfort of indoor air," McCarthy said. "This survey shows that most of us can identify at least one area of improvement we'd like to make to our indoor air."

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## When job hunting, experts say don't give up

BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI  
SPECIAL WRITER

Ann Wagner was beginning to wonder, after four months of looking, if she'd ever land a job.

Her confidence plummeted when she mistakenly thought she found the position she was looking for as an office manager with a husband and wife sales team.

After the first interview Wagner sensed that the wife was impressed by her work experience and other qualifications. Her confidence escalated when she went for a follow-up meeting, this time about 45 minutes, with the husband.

But, when she hadn't heard from them, Wagner said: "I called back and they said they ended up going with someone else."

Her heart sank and self-doubt set in. "You wonder what you did wrong," Wagner said. "What's wrong with you? and What's wrong with your resume?"

She learned about the job from Harper Associates, a 30-year-old permanent placement recruiting firm based in Farmington Hills.

Her luck changed, however, when she got a call from Gloria Bobrowski, Harper director of clerical placement. Wagner thought she was going to be sent out on another job possibility, but it turned out that Bobrowski wanted her at Harper as an administrative assistant. "I love this job," she gushed.

In retrospect, Wagner said, she's happy she didn't get the other jobs that she thought were the right fit.



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Keeping busy: Ann Wagner works the front desk at Harper Associates.

### Don't give up

Her advice to other people who are looking for work: "Don't give up. It's hard, but eventually, you'll find the job you want."

That's exactly what Bobrowski tells rejected applicants.

"A lot of times if this one doesn't work out for them there might be something better waiting," Bobrowski explained. "We're looking to make the best fit for them, as well as the clients. So, maybe it wasn't meant to be."

She tells applicants to try to improve their interviewing techniques in order to increase their chances of success.

Understanding that other people are being considered for each job, the best ammunition is to investigate what is entailed in the position and find similarities between what the company is looking for and what you want.

Makesure the interviewer knows that

you're a good match.

"If given the opportunity, they need to highlight their personal traits that make them a valuable employee and they should give examples of some of their work achievements," Bobrowski said. "Basically, they should remain confident and avoid desperation."

### Something will come

Barbara Cusmano, a recruiter with Snelling Personnel Services in Roseville, said newcomers to the job market are usually the most sensitive when it comes to rejection.

"If they're rejected the first time, if they're not a really strong, strong personality, they're just absolutely devastated," Cusmano said. "Those who have been in the marketplace for awhile, generally speaking, handle it well. There may be disappointment if they

Please see HUNTING, G2

## Employees want constructive criticism

Q. Here is a different kind of question for you. I need more constructive criticism on the job. My boss never suggests improvements in my work or behavior. At first I thought it was great, but I don't think I'm learning very much. I'm considering quitting.

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A. Has the premium placed on being "nice" caused some managers to walk too softly and, in some cases, abandon their responsibility to correct subordinates? Maybe. I once worked for a guy who, from the day I started, never offered a hint about how I was doing. Like you, I kind of suspected that I wasn't perfect. Finally, I confronted him. "Tell me I'm great, tell me I'm stupid, but Larry, please - tell me something!"

Polite silence happens in relationships between organizations, as well.

For example, a consulting firm could provide a valuable service to a client for years and naively think that everything is going along just swell. Suddenly, the contract is cancelled despite the obvious and significant savings to the client. Without question, it is a service provider's responsibility to constantly solicit performance feedback.

But what if you ask and meaningful complaints or suggestions are still not provided?

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don't get the offer, but they say: "There's something else out there for me."

"Some people may have all the right personal traits and work experiences that are needed for the job and still lose the offer, because they just don't interview well."

"You're either a good person to talk to and you're a good listener, or you're not," she added.

"Some applicants talk too much during the interview and others sit there like a lump and don't participate at all. The job seekers who do the best give the personnel manager a wealth of information about themselves without saying too much."

"Once you start saying, 'When do I get my first vacation and first raise?', they're participating in the wrong way," Cusmano said.

## Ask about position

Instead, ask questions about the position and the responsibilities. Extra points are made if you can tell how your experience will benefit the company or how a personality trait, like having an uncanny ability to stick with something, will get the work done.

Most novices, Cusmano said, ask themselves the same self-doubting questions Wagner did: "Why didn't they like me?" and "What did I do wrong?"

While the applicant shouldn't take the rejection personally, asking themselves where their weaknesses were during the interview might help the next time.

Never stop trying, Cusmano added.

"Make a concerted effort and don't ever feel that any company is rejecting you as a person, but as a candidate, and probably along with several other people," Cusmano added.

Above all, Cusmano said: "Always be yourself and don't try to be somebody else."

Having a friendly demeanor is the first rule to follow in an interview, she said. Always shake hands and thank the people interviewing you for their time. And sending thank you notes is a good way to keep your name in their minds just when they're making the hiring decisions.

Barbara Oliverio, administrative support, with Dorsey Staffing based in Madison Heights, said her company usually sends four or five applicants out for each job opening. For every person who lands a job, Oliverio is dealing with at least four rejected applicants.

"We explain that we're still going to keep looking for them," Oliverio said.

"We never discourage them, whatsoever."

However, if recruiters believe that the applicants didn't get the jobs, because they didn't have adequate training, they refer them to Dorsey Business School, which is affiliated with Dorsey Staffing.

She also tells applicants to pursue a lot of possibilities at once.

"Never keep all your apples in the same barrel," she said. "They should check other services and have more than one agency working for them at the same time. Keep very upbeat all the time and never be negative."

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unacceptable or, at least, needed some adjusting. It's conceivable that a person could carry on for years as a total loser, abuser or slacker, surrounded by people too hands-off or too genteel to perform the requisite upbraiding. Then, when somebody points out the flaws, the incredulous and logical reaction is: "What do you mean? This has never been an issue before."

While criticism doesn't have to be framed negatively to be effective, it sure works on me if it stings just a little. The best boss I ever had was a genuinely nice guy, but he certainly wasn't cuddly when it came to stating what I had done wrong and how I should do things in the future.

By embarrassing me a little, he got my attention and caused me to think.

Would I be mad? Sure. But I learned how to conduct myself with senior level people, how to prioritize projects, how to organize my time, how to communicate with my associates, and when to keep my mouth shut. I thank him every day for his directness and tutelage.

Make one last effort to open a candid dialogue with your supervisor. If the silence continues, get a resume together and start looking. It sounds like you are anxious to grow. Go do it.

George Hayes is an outplacement consultant, recruiter and a regular columnist. Contact him through [www.emplexcorp.com](http://www.emplexcorp.com).



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## 500 Help Wanted General

**DELIVERY PERSON**  
Looking for a dedicated, energetic and dependable person for high volume deliveries and pick-up of legal documents and office supplies. Would involve some heavy lifting. Must know the tri-county area roads well and have a clean driving record. Would be utilizing company cargo van.  
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Mail resume to: P. O. Box 5054, Southfield, MI 48066-5054

## 500 Help Wanted General

**DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST**  
Large human services organization seeking high school graduate with computer and people skills to work in busy development office. Duties include data-base management, tracking and coordinating donations and special events planning. Microsoft Office knowledge is required - Raisers' Edge, previous development experience preferred. Salary range \$21,500 to \$27,000. Send resume to K. Kinski, Spectrum Human Services, Inc., 28303 Joy Rd., Westland, MI 48185. EOE.

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**DIRECT CARE STAFF**  
Dependable & serious for full & part time positions in Livonia with Everest, Inc. Eligible for 100% company paid benefits in 30 days. Certification through CLS preferred, but will train. Call for immediate interview. Mon-Fri, 10am-2pm: 734-524-1361

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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Midwest Wine Consultants is looking for experienced sales people with a love and knowledge of wine to work in the areas major retail stores.  
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needed for construction company located in Farmington Hills. Must have CDL license & good driving record. EOE pay benefits. 248-476-5122

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Livonia based building material distributor needs full-time driver with CDL Class A & Haz Mat. Home nights. No weekends. Benefits. Fax or send resume to: 13420 Wayne Rd., Livonia, MI 48150. FAX 734-427-0986

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**DRIVER**  
CDLA & Medical Card required. Good wage & Benefits. If interested please mail or fax resume to: Argus Corp. 12540 Beech Daly Rd. Redford, MI 48239 Fax (313) 937-7932

## 500 Help Wanted General

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Excellent for high school graduate. Must have good driving record & be familiar w/metro Detroit. CDL license helpful but not required. Full-time. Apply in person 9:30am-4pm. Mon-Fri. or send resume to: Downriver Refrigeration Supply 38170 N. Executive Dr. Westland, MI 48185. Fax: 734-728-0799, Attn: Kevin or Rob.

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**DRIVER FOR small package**  
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Manufacturer in Redford needs full/part-time driver to load & deliver doors. 14' truck, no CDL. Drug screening. \$13.00-\$15.00. (313) 531-7180.

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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**DRIVER'S ASSISTANTS**  
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## 500 Help Wanted General

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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**DRIVER**  
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**DRIVER WANTED - CDL-A**  
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## 500 Help Wanted General

**DRIVER WAREHOUSE**  
Good driving record. No experience necessary. Start \$9.50/hr. Wixom area. 248-446-4500.

## 500 Help Wanted General

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HELP w/warehouse of mail, food and deliver mail to post office. Must have valid Michigan driver's license and an excellent driving record. Pay commensurate with exp. Benefits after 30 days. Corporate Mail Service, 37500 Amherst Road, Livonia, MI. (734) 432-1800

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**DRIVER WITH CDL license B**  
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**EARN \$25,000-\$50,000/YR.**  
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**DRIVER/ WAREHOUSE**  
SRI/Surgical Express, a leader in manufacturing of surgical supplies/services, seeks a dependable, organized individual to perform warehouse duties and serve as a back-up driver. Must be able to push/pull 50 lb. load, CDL Class A license and computer experience preferred. Fax resume including salary history to 734-805-7844 or apply at 39120 Webb Drive, Westland, MI 48185. EOE.

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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## 500 Help Wanted General

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Immediate Opening for residential new construction electrician. Apply in person: Basic Electric, 5773 Canton Center, Suite #2, Canton MI 48187

## 500 Help Wanted General

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**EXCITING CAREER OPPORTUNITIES & FLEXIBLE SCHEDULES**  
Come join our team at the Livonia Marriott. We are now hiring friendly enthusiastic individuals for the following positions:

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• AM Expediter  
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• Banquet Houseman  
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• Front Desk Lead  
• Housekeepers  
• Host/Hostesses  
• AM Bartenders  
Full Marriott benefit tuition reimbursement, discounted room nights, medical, dental, fun, professional development. The night interviews are being held Mon. Aug. 6, 12-4pm. Call HR Dept. 734-462-3100 ext 7706.

## 500 Help Wanted General

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**FACILITY/OPERATIONS SUPERINTENDENT**  
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Plastic Injection Molding company in Canton seeks several dependable people to fill entry level positions on 2 shifts. Starting pay \$9 per hour. Drug screening required. ANSON MOLD, INC., 7779 MARKET ST., CANTON, MI 48107 or call: 734-454-1180



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**LEASING CONSULTANT**  
Leasing position available for enthusiastic individual who enjoys working with the public in a fast-paced office. Must present a professional image and be able to work every other weekend a must. Enjoy earning over \$10 per hour plus commission. Great benefit package, paid vacations & many extras. Fax resume to: 734-455-1159 or send resume to Box #1214 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150

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S&S Services seeking dependable, professional, and ORGANIZED individual for office position in Westland/Plymouth area. 40 hours, pay commensurate w/experience. Benefits after 90 days. Must work SOME weekends. Very pleasant work environment. Contact Rebecca at (734) 451-5215

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Assist in setting daily priorities and delegate work to Adult Services staff. Provide direct reference and readers advisory service; collection management responsibilities. Requires: Master's degree in Library Science from an A.L.A. accredited university, plus two years experience as a professional librarian. Supervisory experience, effective presentation skills, and ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with residents, co-workers, and customers. Salary \$39,514 - \$48,735, plus a comprehensive benefit package. Apply by 5:00 p.m. July 9, 2001 at the City of Southfield Human Resources Department, 26000 Evergreen Road, Southfield, MI 48076. EOE M/F/VH DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

**MACHINE MAINTENANCE**  
A Livonia distribution center is accepting applications. The qualified individual must have experience in electrical 220-440, troubleshooting, blueprint reading and mechanical ability. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience in the field. Excellent salary and benefit package. Mail or fax resume to: Detroit Heading LLC, 6421 Lynch Rd., Detroit, MI 48234. Fax 313-267-2061

**MACHINE SETUP/OPERATOR**  
Storage Equipment manufacturer looking for a dependable responsible person with good mechanical skills to maintain, setup and run an automated stamping/roll forming machines. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience with skills and experience. Call, fax or send resume to SPM - Attn: Personnel, 11844 Hubbard, Livonia, MI 48150 Phone: (734) 523-9070 Fax: (734) 523-9071

**MACHINIST/SHEET METAL FABRICATOR**  
10 yrs. experience. Good wage & benefits package.

If interested please mail or fax resume to:  
Argus Corp.  
12540 Beech Day Rd.  
Redford, MI 48239  
Fax (313) 937-7932

**MAILING**  
Looking for a person who has working knowledge of postal regulations and computer experience running mailing programs that will CASS certify customer mailing lists. A plus if you have experience running BBC Mail Manager Software. Excellent wage/benefits package. Call Tom at: 734-941-6300 or Fax resume: 734-942-0920

**MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT**

Position available to work under direction. Must have transportation. Apply at Farmington Health Care Center, 34225 Grand River, Farmington.

**MAINTENANCE/BUILDING SKILLS**  
Clean cut, experienced in several trades, own tools & transportation. Full time & full benefits. Kramer-Triad Home Services 734-216-4666

**MAINTENANCE/FREE GOLF**  
Salem Hills Golf Club is hiring for the grounds maintains department. (248) 437-9640

**MAINTENANCE FULL-TIME**  
We are looking for a dependable person who is responsible for the daily maintenance and upkeep of property grounds, facilities and equipment, general knowledge of maintenance and minor repair work preferred. Valid driver's license and good driving record required. We offer competitive pay, medical benefits and 401K plan. Fax resume to: 734-397-8307 or call 734-397-0400. EOE.

**MAINTENANCE/HANDY PERSON**  
Skilled in carpentry, electric, plumbing, Truck & tools required. Excellent pay, benefits. 734-762-5006

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Multi-skilled. Own tools & truck. Must take pride in work and want to work with company. \$25K-\$40K per year. People & quality oriented. Farmington. 248-476-4435

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EXPANDING chemical packaging co. has an opening in the Facility Services Dept. Duties include cleaning of plant & warehouse floors, light building maintenance, painting & office cleaning. Light shift. Mon-Thurs. 9:30pm-7:30am, \$9 - \$12/hr. Full benefit package after 90 days. Apply in person: Excoidea Manufacturing 12785 Emerson Brighton MI 48116 (248)456-3600 EOE

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**MAINTENANCE PERSON**  
needed, flexible hours, for apartment complex in Canton. Experience necessary, heating & cooling helpful. 734-981-4490.

**MAINTENANCE PERSON**  
Must be qualified for light maintenance/groundskeeping. Call Kelly At Laurenella's & Associates 248-258-0200 (EOE)

**MAINTENANCE PERSON**  
Needed for apartment communities in the Livonia and Canton area. Grounds/Maintenance experience. Please call Kathy (734) 981-4545 or fax resume (734) 944-1537

**MAINTENANCE POSITION**  
Westland Area. Grounds/maintenance experience. Great benefits. Fax resume: 734-729-4833

**MAINTENANCE POSITION**  
for large apartment community in Westland. Full time, benefits available. Ask for Mark or Martha. 734-459-7890

**MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR/SAFETY COORDINATOR**  
Small, light manufacturing company located in Plymouth seeking a self-motivated, reliable individual to head-up the maintenance efforts. Responsibilities include: supporting production and maintenance, general facility maintenance, repairs or modifications to electrical, plumbing & existing building structure, as well as general maintenance on machinery & equipment. Additional responsibilities will include: corporate safety issues, education & enforcement of company safety policies. Send resumes to: Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150.

**MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN**  
Immediate opening for general maintenance technician in apartment community in Canton area. Must have own tools & basic maintenance knowledge, compensation includes top salary & benefits. Fax resume w/salary requirements to 734-455-1159 or mail resume to Box #1173 Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150

**MAINTENANCE TECH**  
Southfield Property Management company has openings for various locations. Must have 2 years experience in heating, electrical, plumbing, & be A/C certified. Benefits. EOE For consideration, fax resume to 248-352-2837, or call Beverly Hills 248-646-9880

**MAINTENANCE TECH**  
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SRI/Surgical Express has an immediate opening for a Maintenance Technician for first or second shift in our Westland facility. Duties include preventive maintenance and machinery repair. Electrical/mechanical experience a plus. Must have valid driver's license and transportation. Fax resume including salary history to 734-595-7644 or mail to: SRI/Surgical Express, 39120 Webb Drive, Westland, MI 48185. EOE.

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Farmington Hills, MI 48334  
FAX: 248-632-6513  
EOE/AA.

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Immediate Opportunities for experienced processors in Brighton & Canton. Excellent pay and benefits plan.  
**SHORE MORTGAGE**  
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**MUSEUM SERVICES SUPERVISOR**  
Cranbrook, an internationally renowned center for art, education and science, is seeking a part-time Visitors Services Supervisor to provide supervision of staff and galleries at Cranbrook Art Museum. Responsible for the safety of art objects and visitors in galleries, opening and closing (including cash drawer balancing), and assisting incoming Museum visitors. High school diploma required; customer service experience and supervisory skills desired. Must have ability to work with public, staff and volunteers with ease and enthusiasm, and manage multiple tasks. Send resume to: Cranbrook HR, P.O. Box 801, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303. Fax: 248-645-2014, or email: humanresources@cranbrook.edu.

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**POLICE OFFICER**  
The City of Wayne is accepting applications to establish a Police Officer eligibility list based on completed written application. Salary range \$34,431 - \$48,780, commensurate with experience. Must possess a valid State of Michigan driver's license with no more than three (3) current points. Applicants must be accompanied by proof of the following: MCOLES written and physical ability certification from time of application until appointment. Must have a minimum of 60 credit hours at an accredited college/university. College requirement will be waived for those applicants that are currently enrolled in an MCOLES certified police academy or that have two years full-time experience as an MCOLES certified police officer. Must pass a background investigation and be physically and psychologically adequate for performance of work. Applications are available in the Personnel Department, 3335 S. Wayne Rd., Wayne, MI 48184 or at our website: www.ci.wayne.mi.us/personnel.html. Completed applications must be received in the Personnel Department by 4:30 p.m. on August 10, 2001. Resumes without applications will not be accepted.

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**REAL ESTATE ASSISTANT**  
Viacom Outdoors seeks full-time administrative assistant. Proficiency in Word, Excel and Outlook required, along with strong organization and communication skills. Real Estate background preferred. Must have car and valid driver's license. Office. Great growth opportunity. Send resume, salary requirements to: Viacom Outdoor, 88 Custer Ave., Detroit, MI 48220. Fax: (313) 872-2910

**REAL ESTATE PROCESSOR**  
REAL ESTATE APPRAISAL SERVICES, a subsidiary of First Federal of Michigan is looking for an Appraisal Processor. Opportunity for successful candidates to join our team in an entry level capacity with upward mobility in the future. Qualified candidates should have a working knowledge of the Real Estate Appraisal/Mortgage Lending process and strong word processing (Excel and Word) experience.

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**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE ADMINISTRATIVE CLERK**  
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**Accounts Payable/ Payroll Specialist**

Park West Gallery, an international fine art and auction company, seeks a highly motivated, experienced Accounts Payable and Payroll Specialist. Candidate must possess strong organizational skills as well as a commitment to quality and accuracy. Computer skills a must. Minimum 3 years prior experience required.

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Attn: APP

## PARK WEST GALLERY

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Small, light manufacturing company, located in Plymouth, seeking a professional, self-motivated individual to handle the administrative duties for the general manager & management staff. Requirements include proficiency in Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access, as well as, strong math skills. Send resume to: Box #1217  
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Livonia, MI 48150.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

For construction office, full or part time. Office Exp. preferred. Send resume to: 30057 W. 8 Mile Rd., Livonia, MI 48152 \*EOE

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Full-time in a busy, health care setting. Organization & communication skills a must. Send resume & salary requirement: PO Box 530306, Livonia, MI 48153-0306 fax: 248-476-4990

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**The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers**  
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Livonia, MI 48150  
Fax: (734) 953-2057  
E-mail: ebibik@oe.homecomm.net  
Must include job code: RSA

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

### Administrative Assistant

Full time for ceramic tile company in Farmington Hills. Must have excellent telephone answering skills, multi-line, and PC experience. Benefits, profit sharing and 401k. Call: HR Manager, 248-476-7850 ext 2264 or fax resume 248-476-4532.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT PART-TIME

3 days a week, \$10/hr. Call (248) 746-0841

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

General office duties for Farmington Hills CPA Office. Word, Excel, Part-time flexible hours. Fax resume to: 248-737-4759

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

For investment management firm. Computer knowledge a must. 35-40 hrs. per week. Fax or email resume 248-650-3839. mlvly@rjfs.com

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

To \$42,000 - 2 openings (Ran Cen, Ann Arbor). 5-7 years corporate level experience. Strong Power Point. Lots of variety. Well known firm. Benefits. Call Barbara 810-772-6760. Snelling Personnel Services.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

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## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Looking for an individual with 5 years experience capable of handling general office responsibilities. Advanced computer skills a must. Top wage and excellent working conditions and benefits package. Send resumes to Precision Gauge Dearborn-LLC, 32330 Ford Road, Garden City, MI 48135. Fax 734-422-8249 or email: info@precisiongauge.com

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT/SECRETARY

Part-time, 10 to 18 hrs. a week, from 9:30am to 4:00pm. Rush hour traffic. General office and secretarial duties. Excellent opportunity for dependable, self-directed, semi-retired or individual with school age children. \$15 to \$20 per hr. - paid holidays, health benefits, vacations, etc. Located in Bingham Farms. Call: 248-646-2310 or Fax resume to: 248-646-2051.

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Law firm seeking full-time experienced administrative assistant for office (moving to Northville). Candidate must be highly professional with excellent organizational, typing and professional telephone skills; legal experience a plus. Send resume to: 30057 W. 8 Mile Rd., Livonia, MI 48152 \*EOE

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Full-time in a busy, health care setting. Organization & communication skills a must. Send resume & salary requirement: PO Box 530306, Livonia, MI 48153-0306 fax: 248-476-4990

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

### Administrative Assistant

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT needed for brokerage firm located in Plymouth. Must be able to work independently with little supervision. Must have excellent computer, organizational, and phone skills. Ability to communicate effectively and conduct some sales calls. Must have some professional office experience, preferably in securities industry. Part-time position with growth potential. Please forward resume to: HR@xucapital.com or Fax: 734-929-9267, Attn: HR or email: XCU Capital Corporation 5962 LaPlace Ct., Ste. 210, Carlsbad, CA 92008

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Premier Health Care Management is currently interviewing for an Administrative Assistant position. Premier is an industry leader in the long-term health care business. Organizational, multi-tasking, and prioritizing skills are essential for this unique position. Primary duties include: letter writing, party planning, light errands, and secretarial work. This person must be creative, detail oriented, and a team player. Please fax resume to Vicki Gione at: 248-645-1902.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

for COMMERCIAL DEVELOPMENT COMPANY located in West Bloomfield. Challenging and rewarding career opportunity. Ideal candidate will provide administrative support, be familiar with real estate development, have some accounting abilities, and be a team player. Requires organizational skills, excellent computer skills with knowledge of Microsoft Office. Type 45-wpm. Minimum 4 years experience. Resume with salary requirements may be faxed to: 248-539-9449 or emailed to: 102807@aol.com or mailed to: PO Box 251961, West Bloomfield, MI 48255-1961.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

A Bloomfield Hills consulting engineering firm is accepting applications for an Administrative Assistant. Applicants should have at least 2 years experience in a financial department including accounts receivable, payroll and benefit administration. Successful candidate will be comfortable with computer applications and have a high level of capability with Excel. Individual should be a quick learner with an interest in a variety of tasks. Firm is an equal opportunity employer and offers an attractive benefit package. Wage commensurate with experience. Interested parties should submit a resume, including wage history to: Administrative Assistant, Director of Human Resources, P.O. Box 824, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303. Fax: (248) 333-4345; email: bmccland@hrc-engr.com.

## ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Chicago Title is seeking a full-time Administrative Assistant for our Farmington Hills office. Qualified candidates must have one year experience, excellent communication skills and proficiency in Microsoft office. Please send or e-mail resume to: 37000 Grand River, Suite 365 Farmington Hills, MI 48335  
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## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

### CLERK TYPIST

City of Farmington Hills Clerk Typists assist the public at the counter, answer phones, file and type. Positions are available in the following Departments: Building Division: Process applications & issue building permits and licenses. Police Department: registration/inspection, fingerprinting, record checks. Special Services: Recreation registration, creating flyers. 1-2 yrs. general office exp.; typing 45 wpm; MS Word and data entry; good customer relations skills; R.S. grad or equivalent. Salary \$22,444-\$26,161 DOE + benefits. Apply by 8/17/01.

## Human Resources Dept.

City of Farmington Hills 31555 W. Eleven Mile Rd. Farmington Hills, MI 48336 www.ci.farmington-hills.mi.us An Equal Opportunity Employer

## Client Services Specialist

Document Management Distributor seeks self-starter for an immediate full-time opening in our Livonia office. Responsibilities include order processing, customer service, and general clerical duties. Candidates must be proficient with Microsoft Word and Excel, or WordPerfect, possess strong communication skills and have two years prior experience in customer service or sales support capacity. Competitive wage, full benefits and bonus plan. Send resume to Human Resource Manager/CSS, P.O. Box 81619, Lansing, MI 48901-8169.

## Controller

Novi distribution company currently seeks a Controller and full-charge Bookkeeper. Controller will oversee accounting department and be involved with budgeting, forecasting and strategic planning. Full-charge bookkeeper will manage 3-4 accounts payable staff and perform general ledger thru financial statements. Excellent salary & benefits. Qualified candidates please e-mail to: nac@ezkeeper.com or fax your resume to: (248) 540-7376

## CUSTOMER SERVICE REP WANTED

Receive phone orders, customer service, various clerical functions. Full-time, days with benefits. PPG Auto Glass Livonia. (734) 525-3612

## CUSTOMER SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE

Large contracting firm seeks person w/solid organizational skills. Must possess good communication abilities. Full time position with great benefit package. Come and join our winning team! To schedule interview call (248) 545-7070

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ASC, Inc.  
34165 Unity Rd.  
Livonia, MI 48150  
Fax: 734-261-1877  
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## BUS DRIVERS

Paid training provided; \$11.12/hr. after training period; for 12hr. application requirements refer to internet site: www.pccs.k12.mi.us or call job hotline (734) 416-2744. Plymouth Community Schools, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, Transportation Dept. 1024 S. Mill, Plymouth, 734-414-8160

## EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

Support Chairman of International firm. Interface with clients, handle travel arrangements, prepare reports. Strong Microsoft Office. Farmington Hills office. Call Barbara (810) 772-6760. Snelling Personnel Services.

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Mostly weekends for Canton area New Construction subdivision. Please call John at (248) 846-3000 ext. 203.

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- Personal Lines CSR
- Commercial Lines CSR
- Telemarketer

Fax resume to: Attn: P&C Dept 248-675-2550 Wage plus benefits.

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## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

### LEASING AGENT/CLERICAL POSITION

Start immediately. \$11.00 hour, full time with some Sats. in a very busy office. Must be computer literate with MS Office experience & resume to SHOW PROMOTIONS. 43700 Expo Center Drive, Novi, MI 48375.

## OFFICE HELP

Looking for bright, communicative, organized person willing to learn new skills in our title dept. Salary/full benefits. Bloomfield Hills area. Fax resume 248-642-4035

## OFFICE MANAGER

Experienced person for light bookkeeping, payroll duties, data entry in a casual environment. Send resumes to: 4268 Second Ave. Detroit 48201 or Fax to: 313-831-4022

## OFFICE SALARY POSITION

Commensurate w/exp. Dependable, exc. phone manner, computer friendly w/QuickBooks knowledge, type 60 wpm, send resume Reddi-Ride Attention HR 23077 Greenfield, Ste 148, Southfield, MI 48075.

## OFFICE SECRETARIAL

A growing fast paced company looking to fill a secretarial position. Person needs to be highly motivated, have good computer and typing skills. Position offers excellent pay and benefits. Call 800-660-0636 for interview.

## ONE UPBEAT INDIVIDUAL

to work in our busy office. Strong verbal skills. Basic computer knowledge a must. Duties include heavy phone, light clerical work. Mon. thru Fri. 8am-5pm. Call 313-278-0100. Competitive salary.



**503 Engineering****ENGINEER**

The Senior Environmental Employment Program has an engineering position at the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the Traverwood/ Plymouth Rd. complex in Ann Arbor.

Required: Must be 55+ years, B.S. in physical sciences or engineering or 3 years related experience in automotive engineering. Need computer word processing and spreadsheet skills, plus excellent communication and writing skills.

Duties: Report writing, outreach, technical assistance, and test scheduling to assist EPA in the automotive emissions and fuel economy programs. 40 Hours per week.

Benefits: \$11.39 Per Hour, 2 weeks paid vacation and sick leave paid, health insurance, 10 Federal holidays and excellent working conditions.

Send resume to: Mary W. Reilly, Mid-West Field Rep., NSCERO, The Senior Health Building, P. O. Box 995, 5361 McAulay Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48106. Fax: 734-528-4281

**504 Help Wanted-Dental****CAREER CHANGE?**

Dental Assisting Classes meet on Mondays, 8:30-5:30 for 11 weeks. This training prepares you for the jobs you see in this paper. Classes start Sept. 17. Call: Dental Careers, 248-644-1810

**CERAMIST**

Ramsey Dental now hiring Ceramist. 5 years-plus experience in all phases of porcelain. Full time/full benefits. Call Phil (248) 442-4848

**CHAIRSIDE ASSISTANT** needed for Farmington Hills general dentist. Must be experienced & x-ray certified. Full-time. Exc. benefits. No Sats. 248-476-8330

**CHAIRSIDE DENTAL ASSISTANT** CDA or RDA preferred. Full or part time position available. Contact Delora 734-261-9696

**COLLECTIONS INSURANCE SECRETARY** - Dearborn Heights dental office seeking someone with experience in dental insurance billing and collections. Full-time working environment. Full-time w/benefits. Call 313-278-8800

**DENTAL AIDE** Full-time. Will train. To include 2 evenings a week & every other Sat. Southfield. Call Marie. (248) 352-7722

**Dental and Orthodontic Staff**

Growing dental offices seeking DENTAL and ORTHODONTIC ASSISTANTS and PATIENT COORDINATORS, preferably with some dental experience. Positions located in Livonia, Troy, Waterford & Novi. Great benefits, including Blue Cross medical. Contact Lisa at: 248-203-1120 or fax resume (preferred) to: 248-203-1112.

Dental Assistants • Hygienists • Receptionists... being recruited for various Wayne & Oakland county offices. Performance Plus 810-997-6380

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Enjoy work & join our team. Great office! Full-time. Exp. necessary. Livonia. 734-425-4206

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Willing to train enthusiastically, reliable person to join busy W. Bloomfield family practice. Part or full-time (248) 626-3528

**DENTAL ASSISTANT & RECEPTIONIST** Full time positions. Some experience preferred. Friendly pleasant office staff. Livonia area. (734) 525-3150.

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Modern Novi office. Experience preferred, 30-35 hrs/wk. Benefits - 248-442-0400

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** needed for friendly Plymouth office. Great pay - great boss. Call 734-453-4150 Fax 734-459-1828

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** part time chairside, 12-15 hrs/wk. Friendly, responsible & motivated. Experienced only. 248-855-4800 or fax 248-855-4833

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Experienced. Mon-Thurs. Beautiful new office in Southfield join our hardworking & friendly staff. 10 mi.-Beach Drive (248) 354-8364

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Part Time Experience preferred, great staff, pleasant office, Ford Rd & Beech drive (313)278-4700

**DENTAL ASSISTANT** Group practice. Full-time position for experienced person. X-Ray experience helpful. Top salary and excellent benefits. 401K. 734-722-5130.

**DENTAL ASSISTANT**

Mature - experienced - for a growing practice in the City of Wayne. Beautiful office w/ state-of-the-art everything yet old fashioned in dedication to quality, service & care. Health insurance, 401(k), excellent salary & bonuses. If you enjoy your work & like people call 734-722-1617

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** 25+ hours. Benefits. Profit sharing. Dearborn Heights area. (313) 565-0373

**SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR****BIG BOY RESTAURANTS INTERNATIONAL, LLC**

One of America's most loved brands has an exciting opportunity available! This candidate will possess the ability to perform set-ups, installations, tuning of systems and databases, perform upgrades of hardware, and be responsible and implementation of new technology for continuous improvements.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

Strong organizational skills, attention to detail, communication skills, time and project management skills. BS in Computer Science, Computer Engineering, Information Systems or equivalent work experience, that includes three or more years of computer systems experience. Strong knowledge of UNIX, TCP/IP, Windows NT/2000, Oracle databases, and networking.

**BIG BOY OFFERS:**

Competitive Salary, Superior Benefits, Quality Work Environment.

Interested candidates may mail or fax their confidential resumes with salary requirements attached to:

Debra Murphy  
Director of Human Resources  
Big Boy Restaurants International, LLC  
4199 Marcy • Warren, MI 48091  
FAX: (810) 755-8551

**504 Help Wanted-Dental****DENTAL ASSISTANT**

Seeking a people-person with dental assisting experience for a position in our brand new, state-of-the-art facility in Farmington. We offer an excellent salary/benefits package, a 4 day work week, and a chance to join a team that actually ENJOYS working together! Please call Linda @ (248) 477-1501 to schedule an interview.

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** - Our modern Southfield office is in search of an Hygienist 1-2 days/wk. Mon., Tue & Wed., 7:30-5. 12 Mile & Northwestern. A great place to work! 248-356-8790.

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** Part-time for progressive group practice. Wed. 12-7. Fri. 8-3. 2 Saturdays per month, 8-1. S. Cantonville area. (734) 897-7000

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** Hardworking Hygienist needed for Ann Arbor practice, and a chance to join a team. Call Danielle 734-996-9969

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** State-of-the-art Livonia office is anxious to meet you. Flexible full or part-time. Some Sats & evening hours. Attractive benefit package. Call (734) 525-2552

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** needed for a few days per week at west Dearborn dental practice. Please Call 313-274-5060

**Dental Hygienist** Full-time position for friendly Farmington office. Benefits. (248)478-3285

**DENTAL HYGIENIST & DENTAL ASSISTANT** for busy dental office. Full/part-time. 2 office locations. 248-624-1910 734-454-1070

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** Part time w/ option to grow into full time, no Fri., or weekends. We are changing into a value oriented practice, come grow with us. We need you now! Call (248)477-7230

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** Full/part-time. Group practice in Westland. Enthusiastic person who enjoys people. Pay commensurate with experience. Excellent benefits. 401K. Call Della: (734) 722-5130.

**DENTAL HYGIENIST** Our team is searching for the right person to join us. Part to full-time in Plymouth. If you have dental insurance billing and communication skills and are excited about quality dentistry, Call: 734-454-2890

**DENTAL RECEPTIONIST/ DENTAL ASSISTANT** For growing Canton office. Part-time. Some evenings & Saturdays. Experience needed. Call 313-515-9792

**DENTAL RECEPTIONIST** Exp. & reliable. Full/part-time. Westland/Livonia. Call: 734-522-6470 Fax 734-522-9937

**DENTAL RECEPTIONIST** For growing Canton office. Part/full time. Some evenings & Saturdays. Experience needed. Call 734-455-2510

**DENTAL RECEPTIONIST** Needed in Bloomfield Hills office; Mon & Fri., 8am-2pm and Tue., Wed., & Thurs 8am-5pm. Experienced only. Knowledge of insurance and great people skills a must. 248-642-0400

**DENTURE TECHS NEEDED** at busy full-service lab. Good benefits, 401K, friendly atmosphere, latest technology. Call (734) 595-7000 ask for Steve or Dave.

**FRONT DESK** - Full-time. DENTAL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED. Great benefits. Call Cheryl 734-261-9696.

**FRONT DESK/INSURANCE CLAIMS** Outgoing person in person at Canton dental office. Send resume to: Box #1117, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

**FRONT OFFICE STAFF** Full/part-time. Must have dental assisting experience for 2-doctor office in Livonia. Call 734-425-6920

**HYGIENIST & DENTAL ASSISTANT** Needed for Growing 2 Doctor practice full time. No evenings or weekends. (248)347-4250

**HYGIENIST - FULL TIME** w/benefits. Experience & cross training a plus. Highland area (248) 887-8371

**HYGIENIST** MONDAY-THURSDAY. Excellent pay & benefits. (734) 459-4960

**HYGIENIST** Part time for Farmington Hills dentist. Wed. only 11 am - 8pm. Exp. preferred. 248-476-8330

**NORTHVILLE, DOWNTOWN** 3 bedroom, possible 1st floor office, 2 cars, narrowwood floors, garage. No pets. \$1,350 + security. Before 6pm (248) 349-7492

**ORAL SURGERY RECEPTIONIST** Busy multi-office oral surgery group looking for friendly team-oriented receptionist for Livonia. Full-time, no evenings, benefit package. Experience and computer background helpful. Please call (734) 427-2330

**PATIENT COORDINATOR** Friendly, progressive office currently seeking a Patient Coordinator. 734-421-5220

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Our growing Canton practice is searching for a multi-talented person who has excellent people skills. The position calls for appt. scheduling, telephone skills, financial & bookkeeping ability. If interested, call Theresa 734-459-1950

**Receptionist / Hygienist** Now accepting applications for Receptionist and Hygienist. Dental experience necessary for busy Redford office. Please call (313) 592-1100 or fax resume (313) 592-0061 Attn: Danielle

**SOUTHFIELD DENTAL HYGIENIST** Full time. Approx. 10 hours per week. Some evenings. Health insurance, pension. Southfield. Call Marie (248) 352-7722

**506 Help Wanted-Medical**

**A GROWING** billing company seeking experienced Medical Billers.

• Full-time  
• Benefits  
• Great opportunity  
Fax resume to: 313-240-7301

**ALLERGY: MA, LPN, RN** Full time for western suburb. Extensive allergy experience necessary. Benefits. Send resume to: Box #1218, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150.

**ALLERGY/Part-Time MA** Experienced. Livonia. 248-478-5221.

**ANGELA HOSPIE** FULL-TIME HOME CARE ON-CALL NURSE & HOME HEALTH AIDE

• Current Michigan Nursing License  
• Current Health Aide Certification  
• Hospice Homecare experience a plus

Full-time positions. Competitive Wages. Excellent benefit package. 401K eligibility.

Angela Hospice 14100 Newburgh Livonia, MI 48154 Fax resume: (734) 779-4601 or call for interview: (734) 953-6035.

**ASSESSMENT/ADMISSION NURSE** FULL-TIME

Due to our continuing growth, we currently have positions open for Full/Part-time HHA's & CNA's. Monday-Friday schedule with one weekend every 8 weeks. If interested please fax your resume to: (248) 945-3333. EOE.

**ASSISTANT FOR Psychiatrist** in nursing home setting. Part-time permanent. Can be Medical Assistant, LPN or other based on experience in medical field. Up to \$10/hr, depending on experience. Call Mon. Thurs. (734) 425-6680

**BILLER/RECEPTIONIST** Immediate opening for full time person for busy medical practice. Seeking motivated, multi-tasked person with good communication & computer skills. Fax to: (248) 737-8759

**CARE SPECIALISTS** We need competent, reliable dedicated & experienced people to provide services to older adults in our beautiful Assisted Living Residence. Full time employees are eligible for medical and dental insurance. E.O. Apply in person at 3220 Walton Blvd., Rochester Hills - Michigan (between Adams & Squirrel Rd.).

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**CENTRAL OFFICE BILLING MANAGER** ★ see classification 500 under "management" ★

**CUSTOMER SUPPORT REPRESENTATIVE** For medical computer company. Knowledge of medical billing & Computers required, previous customer support experience preferred. Full time. Fax resume to VantageMed (248)684-5903

**CVT/TECHNICIAN** For medical lab in Southfield part time, flexible hours. Fax resume to: (248)223-9658

**DERMATOLOGIST** Technician needed to perform skin care treatments at upscale CosMedix. Competitive salary plus commission/benefits. Call 248-646-4191

**EMT's - PARAMEDICS** Concord E.M.S. is a growing company needing qualified people to provide quality patient care. We are developing new areas of business and need licensed Medics, Specialists and EMTs who want good equipment, good pay and flexible hours with accumulative benefit results.

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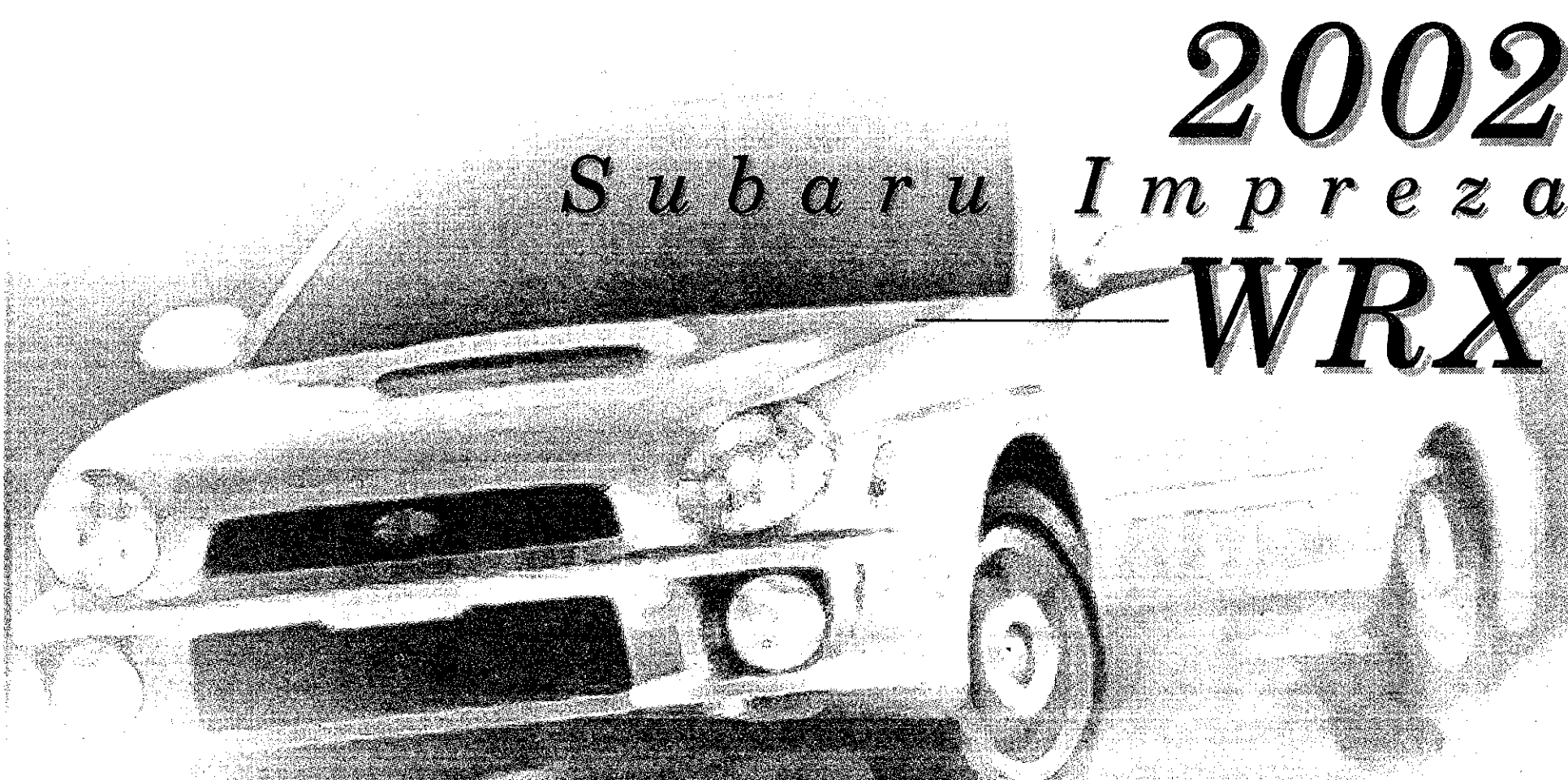
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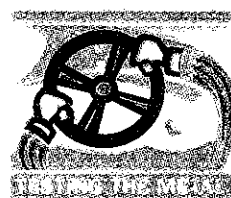
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I've always like Subarus. Heck, I'm one of the few writers who liked the Impreza 2.5 RS just the way it was. Sure, it could have used a little more power, but what car couldn't?

But it was a very impressive and fun car to drive just the way it was. And now Subaru has finally responded to all the comments. The 2002 Subaru Impreza WRX is a true performance car by any measure.

A 2.0-liter, 227-horsepower turbocharged engine powers the WRX. Like all Subaru engines, it is a flat, opposed design.

It seems that Subaru has followed the European

tradition of making its turbocharged engines smaller than the regularly aspired one it replaces (the RS had a 2.5-liter). Why I don't know, but who can argue with 227 h.p.? And with 217 pound-foot of torque at 4,000 rpm the WRX accelerates from 0-60 mph in just 6.1 seconds with the manual transmission.

The standard 5-speed manual transmission is teamed with full-time viscous-coupling All-Wheel Drive (AWD). The optional four-speed electronic automatic transmission (4EAT) comes teamed with Variable Torque Distribution All-Wheel Drive (VTD). For my money, you should stick to the 5-speed manual in the WRX, it's more fun to shift for yourself, and the fuel economy is pretty good at 20-mpg city and 27 highway.

Like all Subarus, the WRX is equipped with full-



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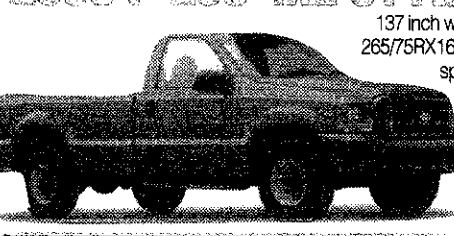
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time AWD for great grip on all types of road surfaces, dry or wet. A viscous limited-slip rear differential ensures that the rear tire with the best traction receives the most power.

What this means to you and me (and your kids, should you buy them a WRX) is that it's really hard to get into trouble. That doesn't mean that you can't get in over your head. But if you drive prudently, the WRX will not let you down or embarrass you.

The down side to AWD is that you can't do any smoky burnouts. Do you have any idea how tough it is to get all four wheels spinning when you leave a stoplight? Common sense and respect for the machinery limited my attempts.

Just in case someone else runs into you (say one of those oversized SUVs) every 2002 Impreza has three-point seatbelts for all five seating positions (pre-tensioners and force limiters in front), a four-channel and four-sensor anti-lock brake system (ABS), and dual front airbags. The WRX models add standard front seat side impact air bags.

To help you be seen, every Subaru has daytime running lights. And in case your kids like to play in the car's trunk, there is a self-illuminating internal child safety trunk release handle.

Bet you were wondering what WRX stood for, weren't you? I know the WR stands for World Rally (Championship). I'm not sure about

the X (experimental?). The World Rally Championship is kind of like the X-Games on wheels. Madmen (and women) drive over, through, and around impossible terrain at ungodly rates of speed in quasi-stock vehicles.

The Subaru Impreza World Rally Championship racecar won the World Rally Championship for three consecutive years. The WRX is inspired by the race car. That's why it's got those muscular, blistered fenders.

The WRX is only available as a four-door whereas the Impreza RS 2.5 was a two-door. Standard high-performance equipment in the Impreza WRX includes sport-tuned four-wheel independent suspension, four-wheel disc brakes with twin-piston front calipers and 16 by 6.5-inch alloy wheels with 205/55 R16 Bridgestone Potenza RE92 tires. Your dealer can install accessory 17 x 7-inch alloy wheels and 215/45 R17 tires for a price.

Inside the WRX you'll find bolstered front sport seats (to help keep you centered behind the wheel), a Momo four-spoke leather-wrapped steering wheel and aluminum alloy pedals with rubber grips. To add a little luxury to your rallying the WRX has air conditioning, an 80-Watt six-speaker stereo, six-disc in-dash CD changer, keyless entry, power windows and door locks, and a fold-down rear center armrest. During the time I had the WRX I also had another press car. This

was one of the few times I've allowed two cars to be delivered at the same time. The other car had already been scheduled when the WRX became available.

I was not going to miss the opportunity to drive the WRX. So one car sat out front and while one wracked up the miles. Any guesses as to which one?

Much of my real road time was on the highway back and forth to Sacramento, not really what the WRX was designed for. But it was fine. Sometimes sport seats aren't real comfortable on the long haul. These were. I also made some time for some back road driving. Great fun. A couple of times I purposely drove into a corner that was wet or sandy, downshifting into second gear and nailing it for a quick exit. No problem, no wheel spin, just rapid acceleration towards the next corner.

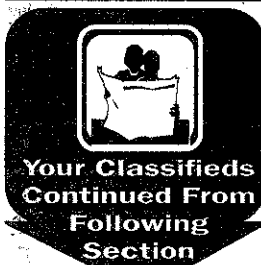
Price for the WRX is competitive, if the dealers don't get too greedy. One complaint I've heard is that most WRXs on the lots have automatic transmissions and most buyers want a manual. Maybe Subaru misjudged the mix.

The base price is \$23,995.00 plus \$525 destination charge and delivery. Subaru is on a definite roll. Every since the Outback's introduction, it seems it can do no wrong. Now Subaru seems to have found performance. The rumor is there are more good things to come.

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LIVONIA - Large sale! Aug 9, 10, 8am-4, Aug 11, 8noon. 14306 Houghton, off Lyndon, bet. 5 Mile & Schoolcraft.

LIVONIA-LOTS of good things! Woodbury Park Sub at 7 & Newburgh, Thurs-Sat, 9-4.

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LIVONIA 31101 Westfield, E. of Merriman N/joy Rd. Aug. 8-12; 10? Furniture, dryer, tv, clothes, more-bargain prices!

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REDFORD - Aug 9-11, 9am-4pm, 18614 Beech Daily. Between 6 mile & 7 mile

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**850**... Geo  
**852**... Honda  
**854**... Lexus  
**856**... Lincoln  
**858**... Mazda  
**860**... Mercury  
**861**... Mitsubishi  
**862**... Nissan  
**864**... Oldsmobile  
**866**... Plymouth  
**868**... Pontiac  
**870**... Saturn  
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**878**... Autos Under \$2,000

## 802 Boats/Motors

CELEBRITY 1994 27', immaculate, rack stored since new, 350 Mercruiser, full galley, aftcabin, microwave, shower, hot water, 260 hrs. \$26,000. 313-383-6388

Century Cortez 1981, 27' fiberglass boat totally rebuilt. Trailer. Make offer. 313-888-3252

CENTURY 1985 cuddy, 19ft. 140 Merc cruiser, new outdrive, radio, trailer. \$5800. (313) 274-7211

CHAPARRAL 1985 188CXL 170hp I/O w/trailer. \$4800/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)525-5158

CHECKMATE 1999 - 21', 200 hp Yamaha, go skiing or 70+ mph. \$15,999. 734-678-9880

CHRIS CRAFT 1995 Concept 18, 4.3L engine, exc cond., \$12,000. (248) 681-3478

CHRIS CRAFT CORINTHIAN, 1979, 33, New twin 350s, sleeps 6, well maintained, \$34,500/best. 734-721-8084

CHRIS CRAFT 1956 - 17ft, sportsman, w/trailer, KL engine. \$6,500/best. (248)471-9140

CLASSIC AMF Fiberglass 18 ft., sailboat with trailer, 1977, great shape, barely used, \$1350/best. 313-533-0211

CORRECTOR SKI 1988, 1988, w/trailer, restored. \$6,500, 1971 Corrector Skier w/trailer, incoor storage, \$6,500. (517) 546-7933

CRESTLINER 1994 Eagle 2160 outboard, 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 PONTON, 18ft, 25hp Johnson exc. cond. \$2,100. (248) 486-6098

CREST 2000 Pontoon - 22 ft., like new, best offer. Contact Henry. 248-380-1340

CREST POTOON - 25 ft. 35 hp Evinrude, ladder & chairs, \$2700. 248-682-6386

CROWNLINE 225 - Bravo 3 engine w/dual axle trailer, removable Bimini top, pair of water skis, 1 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, low hours. \$22,000. (248) 655-0139

CRUISERS INC. 1974 - Must sell. Good condition. Have receipts. \$1000. 810-294-1458

BAYLINER, 1986 21 ft. Trophy, ALL salmon fishing equipment included, always stored indoors, exc cond., must sell due to health. \$5000. (248) 625-5964

BAYLINER 1989 34' Avant, exc. cond., loaded, 13' beam, Lake St. Clair. \$49,900. 866-580-2200.

BAYLINER, 1996, 1950 Capri, bowrider, 18'6", i.o., 130 hp, trailer, \$7800. 734-748-7707.

BAYLINER CAPRI 1998 - 19 ft., like new, 25hp I/O, trailer. \$8000/best. (810) 871-3275

BAYLINER 1996 - 18 1/2 ft., Mercruiser 3.0L, Ford & Ski Sport trailer, electric trolling motor, front pedestal seat, live well, am/fm stereo radio/cassette, ship-to-shore radio, & covers. \$7400. 734-498-8705.

BAYLINER 1986 21 ft. Trophy, ALL salmon fishing equipment included, always stored indoors, exc cond., must sell due to health. \$5000. (248) 625-5964

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 1995 18' 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. 6 inches, 85 horsepower 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

CAL 20 - 5 sails, outboard, new electric, sleeps 4, good cond., \$1000 firm. (734) 416-1004

CANOE - 17' aluminum. Self or trade. \$300 or smaller canoe. 734-522-2652

CANOE, 18FT. - Only used once. Holds 800 lbs. \$450 313-592-8534

CANOE - MAD River Explorer, Red Royale w/wood trim. Used once, \$1200. 248-682-3475.

CARVER 1993 37 ft. Voyager, 250 hours, loaded, clean, twin 454 Crusaders, \$114,900. (248) 681-8995 after 6 p.m.

CARVER 1989, 30 ft. Express Cruiser, 11 ft. beam, all & heat, dinghy included, loaded, \$36,900. 734-591-9103

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FOUR WINNS, 1998, Horizon 22', open bow, I/O, exc. cond., only 25 hrs. \$23,000. 734-320-4895

FOUR WINNS, 1999 Horizon 170 115 OB, power trim & tilt, full canvas covers, Bimini top, like new, \$9,850. 734-459-6544

FOUR WINNS 1998 245 Sundowner, 5.8 EFI, 169 hrs., teal/white, \$29,000. 248-627-4531.

FOURWINNS 1993, 195 Sundowner, low hrs., V8, cuddy cabin, \$12800. 734-281-4331.

FOUR WINNS (1993) 245 Vista, 24' cruiser, 5.8L, 166 hrs., full canvas, head, VHS, fridge, extras, \$23,800. 248-477-4450

FOUR WINNS 2000- 248 Vista, only 10hrs., Volvo Penta eng, camper pkg, must sell, ext. warranty included, \$40,000 or make offer. (810)574-1005

25 FT Catalina sailboat-sold. 27 ft. Hunter sail boat inboard diesel. \$4100. (734) 668-5878 pager or call after 10 p.m. (313) 565-6126

22 FT. Tri-hull deck boat 1996. 150 horsepower Johnson, loaded, exc. cond. must sell. \$13,900 or best offer. (248) 624-4289

GLASTON CARLSON, 17', w/20' trailer with 2 new tires. Best offer. 734-422-4860

HARRIS PONTON 1990 120HP I/O, stereo, grill, Exec cond. \$9700. (734) 464-6917

HOBIECAT 18 ft with trailer, excellent condition. \$3500. (248) 627-1112

HOBIE 18SE like new, aluminum trailer w/bow. Must sell! \$3400. 810-227-5344

HYDROSTREAM 1986 Vegas 20', 200hp Merc, CLE lower unit, w/trailer, new wheels/tires, exc cond., \$6,000/best. 313-278-0996.

IMPERIAL 1988 - 24' cabin cruiser, 305 V8 Chevy, w/trim tabs, stereo, galley, head, Low hours. \$10,900. (248) 299-0205.

IMPERIAL 1963 - 18.5ft., 4cyl, inboard/outboard, very good cond. w/ trailer. 313-527-4968

IMPERIAL 1986 V6 - 20 ft., 185 h.p., bow rider, runs great, many extras, \$4,000. 810-227-5574

IMP. 1986 19 Ft. - High Quality - Deep V - Bowrider Boat & Trailer. 8 Cyl. 200 HP. Only 450 hrs., very clean. \$4900. (734) 454-5665.

IMP SPEEDBOAT 1986 - 25ft. twin 350's, low hrs. \$10,000. (313) 884-0599.

JET SKI - Kawasaki 1985, 750ST, 3 seater trailer, like new + extras. \$3200. 734-427-1101

JOHN ALLMAN 1989 23' boat w/dual 100 hp. Merc. \$10,000. (248) 435-8787.

JON BOAT - 14 ft. aluminum, w/trailer, removable casting deck, \$900 or best. 734-595-0422

KAWASAKI 750SS, 1986 - very low hrs, bought new 1997, used 1 summer, like new! \$3300. (810) 792-6367

KAWASKI Jet Ski. Needs work. Best offer. 248-626-7066.

LARSON 1997, 290 Cabrio, sleeps 6, dockside power, GPS, head, shower, swim platform, windless, am/fm CD cassette w/remote, stove, microwave, TV, VCR, cockpit cover, Bimini top, Volvo/Pinta 4.7L w/dual-prop. \$49,500. 810-939-0784

LARSON FIBERGLASS 18ft fishing boat. Outboard Johnson 35hp, new fishfinder, 2 batteries, Electric trolling motor, trailer. \$1700 (734)394-0369

LARSON 20 ft. 1984 4-cylinder, clean, cuddy cabin, \$5800 value for \$4000. 734-775-3123

LARSON (1989) 17 ft., open bow, 115 horse Yamaha, \$5000. Call after 5pm 248-628-7940

LARSON 2000 25 ft. V8, loaded, like new, \$33,000. (734) 671-8392

LASER II & trailer, pristine cond., sailed fewer than 20 times & garaged stored. Full set of sails & like trailer. This is a very athletic boat for those who love to sail fast! \$4500. 517-333-0597

LOWE/GRUMMAN 1999 - 19 ft Sport deck boat, Ski, tube, cruise, & fish. 115 Johnson, matching trailer with brakes, ALU/FIB, custom cover, Bimini top, fishing package including all fishing gear, like new! \$15,000. 734-454-1888, 734-459-4889

LOWE 1995 - 16', 30hp, trolling motor, live well, depth finder, \$3200. (248) 393-2432

LUND 1984 18', 120hp, trolling plate, new interior, low hrs. \$2700/best 248-887-9583

LUND, 1986, Pro V 1660, 60hp Mercury, low hrs, must sell. \$9,999. 248-559-5996

LUND TYEE, 1994 18' 130 Yamaha, Minn Kota trolling motor, Shorelander trailer, less than 100hrs. \$11,900. 248-682-0139

MALIBU, 1993 Echelon LX, open bow, low hours, custom trailer w/brakes, new am/fm/cd. \$15,900. 248-679-8701.

MALIBU, 1991, Skier 19'6", closed bow, 5.7 Mercruiser, trailer. \$10,500/best. 313-845-5833

MARADA 1993 18' open bow, 3.0 I/O. \$5500. 313-561-2624

Mariah Barchetta 1995, 192Z, 19' Bowrider, only 60 hrs. \$14,995. 734-476-5200.

MARIAH JUBILEE 1997 - Loaded Deck boat, 25ft., Low hrs, exc cond., 454 magnum, w/trailer. \$42,500 248-682-7822

MARIAH 1996 2212, extraordinary performance boat, equipped & appointed like no other boat. Brand new condition. Call for incredible details! Price to sell \$22,900. 810-264-6613 Cell 810-216-4423

MARQUIS RIVIERA 1979 - 17', Johnson 115 hp, newly rebuilt motor, \$1900. 248-620-1191.

MASTERCRAFT 1994 Merristar 25' - immaculate, low hours, center drive, cover & trailer, \$24,000. (248) 563-2223

MAXUM 1992 midcabin, trailer, full galley, sleeps 6, trim tabs, GPS, auto helm. Loaded \$19,500. (248) 932-3688

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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) 522-5059

MONTEREY 1997 new 1998 24 ft., cc, 5.7 liter I/O, with trailer, less than 50 hours. \$24,000 or best. (248) 478-4399

OPEN BOW/TRI HULL - 17', 70hp, Evinrude motor, trailer. Motor needs some work. \$1500. (313) 937-9665.

OUTBOARD motor, 9.8hp Mercury, electric start, long shaft, \$975. 734-429-5610.

PEARSON SLOOP 30 ft., 1984, very good cond., \$29,900. (248) 349-3476

PLAYBOY DECK BOAT 22', w/ 4.3L Merc. 175hp engine. Used one summer. Seats 9 & goes up to 50mph, great for tubing. Trailer available. \$15,000 (734)429-5991

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POLARIS 1996 SL780 waverunner, w/trailer & cover, low hrs. \$3500. 734-728-9207

POLARIS SL 700 Waverunner (1998) low hrs, warranty/trailer. \$3200/best. 810-755-4016

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PONTON BOAT: Harris Royal Heritage 1990 28' inboard/outboard like new, not used until 1993. Too many extras to list. \$13,500 (248) 681-7977

PONTON BOAT - (older), 25' 20' HP Johnson motor, new battery, low hrs. Needs new carpeting. \$1500, 248-681-1543

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PONTOON FISHING boat, inflatable, 1 of a kind, 7 ft. Flipper, oars & electric motor. Easily fits in trunk when deflated. \$800. Offer \$1800. Invested. (248) 476-8474

PONTOON 1993 20 ft. playboy 30 h.p. looks and runs great. \$5950. (248) 669-0096

PONTOON - 20', 25hp Mariner. Bimini top, recent deck, \$1800. Trailer available. 248-360-2539.

PONTOON, 1997, Premier Grand Majestic, 24 ft., aluminum deck, Honda 40, 35 hrs. \$18,900/best. 248-608-0718

PONTOON 1997 - Sunracer Party Barge 25', trailer, sink, port-a-potty, gas grill, 40 hp outboard. \$11,000 248-626-7066.

PONTOON 20' - with 25 hp outboard. \$1500. 810-629-6116

PRINDLE CAT 1977 16' Catamaran with trailer. \$500. Call after 7pm (313) 533-2733

RAVEN, 1986, 19 ft. bowrider, 130 HP Merc Cruiser, fully equipped. \$7,000. (734) 729-7272

RINKER - 1994, 190 Captiva. 4.3 LX, low hrs, well equipped. Roller trailer w/brakes. \$5995. (734) 658-7601

RINKER, 2000, 340 Fiesta Vee, 36' w/12' beam, twin Merc. Bravo III, sleeps 8, heat, air generator, 2 refrig. Corbin Cruisers. 10' quick silver dingy 6 hp Merc. \$95,000. 248-344-8890

RINKER 23 1989 - 4.3 Merc Cruiser. Loadrite trailer, exc cond. ready for salmon fishing complete. Many extras \$14,000 (734)425-9374

RINKER, 1987 - V190, I/O, 140 hp Merc Exc cond. loaded. Load Lite trailer, \$10,000/best. 734-591-9036 Sun-Thurs.

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RUNABOUT, 14 ft. fiberglass 1966, 55hp Johnson, trailer, new battery, cover, misc extras, \$1100/best. (734) 459-5243

SAFEMATE 16' 70 hp. Evinrude. Runs good, looks great. Lots of extras. Must sell. \$2300/best. (734) 776-6635.

SAILBOAT, CATAMARAN Dingo, 15 ft 6 inch, 24 ft. mast, \$725. (248) 698-2645

SEADOO, 2000 Challenger, 14.5' twin 85hp jets, trailer, 9 hrs., \$11,000. (248) 706-3134

SEADOO & dual holst - 1995 XP 720cc - \$1800/offer. Brand new - assembled, never used hoist - \$950. 248-960-9605

SEA-DOO 1994, GTX & SPX w/dual trailer, covers, low hrs., \$5500/best. Novr 248-348-4143

SEADOO'S (2) 1995 SPX, exc cond. very low hrs, double aluminum trailer, life vests & covers \$5500/best. 734-417-5191

SEADOO 1995 XP Jet Ski - exc cond., low hours, extras, \$3200. (248) 888-0236

SEA KING Outboard Motor. 9.6HP, short shaft w/tank \$400/best. 248-477-4576. after 6pm.

SEA NYMPH 16 1/2' fishing boat w/trailer, 50HP Johnson/loaded, \$8500 or best. 734-513-7241.

SEA NYMPH, 12', 1993, trailer, 1996, approx. 1967 9.9 Evinrude, \$1950. 810-694-6903.

SEARAB 1996 - 38 ft. twin 502's, custom paint, GPS, 175 hours. mint, includes tri-axle trailer, must sell! \$97,900. Port Huron 810-523-3664

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SEARAY 1994- 220 BR, 250 hrs. Many extras. \$14,995. 248-761-6692

SEARAY Express Cruiser 370 - 1995, loaded, clean, T455, refrigerator/shower/734-379-0918

SEARAY 1986 - 22 ft., 4 cylinder, 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

SEARAY 1992, 24 ft. Sundancer,



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**SUPRA** 1989 Comp ski boat, 20 ft. Good condition, runs great, \$8500, trailer, etc 248-686-7916

**SUPRA MARIAH** 1992 - open bow, mint, 1 owner, low hrs, trailer, \$15,700. 248-681-8440

**SUPRA SALTARE** 1987 - 23' 230 hours, new seats, trailer, exc cond \$9500. (248) 681-8529

**SYLVAN**, 1987 18.7' deck boat, 175 HP Merc IO, trailer, extras, \$9,995. (248) 783-8433

**SYLVAN** 1984 15' fiberglass bass boat, Bowmount trolling motor, raised seats, live wells, 35N Force motor, Shorelander trailer, like new, \$3500. (248) 433-0857

**THUNDERCRAFT** 1981 23ft. (rare), 5.7L, 10, 280 hp, AF/CA, sleeps 4, low hours, clean, Load Rite trailer (1996), \$12,500/best. limcha@aol.com. 734-762-9770

**TIGERSHARKS** 1997 (2), 1,000CC, 3 seaters, 5 hrs., everything as new, w/ double trailer, 2 hoists, covers, & jackets. \$7,800. (248)693-5118

**TOLLYCRAFT** FB Sedan 1973 - 26ft., inboard, full galley, sleeps 6, \$5500. (248) 476-4998

**TROJAN**, 1975, 36 ft. Double cabin, 255 twin Merc., \$39,500 or best offer. (810) 468-8791

**WAR EAGLE** - 2000 21ft. Rugged out for Walleye and handline. \$21,900. 734-207-8826

**WAYFARER** SAILBOAT, trailer, sails, extras. \$9,750. 248-824-9452 - 810-703-8586

**WELLCRAFT** (1996), 18' bow rider, deluxe trailer, much more, \$10,000. 248-693-8496

**WELLCRAFT** 1989, 192 Classic, 3.7 Merc Cruiser with trailer. Exc. cond. Garage stored. \$9000. 734-427-7959.

**WELLCRAFT** ECLIPSE 20.5 ft. 1997, bowrider, 5.7L Mercruiser, trailer, depth sounder, stereo, covers, low hrs, stored indoors, exc. \$16,500. (248) 673-9118

**WELLCRAFT**, 1984, 26 ft., aft cabin, \$12,000/best offer and cabin. (810) 468-8709

**YAMAHA**, 0r. L2000, fully loaded, 5 Yr. Warranty, 2 batteries, bow cover, ski pylon, GPS fish finder, Bimini top, much more. Mint condition. \$22,000. (248) 477-9959

**YAMAHA** outboard 8 hp engine, like new. \$900. 734-961-5848.

**YAMAHA** 1993 - (2) Wave Runners Pro VXR, including trailer. \$5000. (248) 683-2303

**YAMAHA** 1995 Yamaha VXR, Wave Runner, trailer & cover, like new, \$2900. 248-318-1469

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**BMW** 1997 R650R - Dolphin blue, perfect condition, 3500 miles, \$7500. 734-394-2147

**CLASSIC** 1999 - dark green stage 2 kit, \$16,600; FATBOY 1998 - black, extras, \$16,000. 313-487-3933, 248-465-1168

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**DUCATI MONSTER** 1995 lots of extras! Must see! \$6000/best. Call: (248) 613-6597

**DUCATI**, 1996, Monster, Yellow, 3K miles, Must sell. \$4500. 734-481-5033, 734-944-0035

**DUCATI** 1998 - 900SPE, 3800 miles, \$8500. Call after 6pm. (248) 437-4812.

**DYNA WIDE GLIDE** 2000 - vivid black, showroom cond., 2600 miles, \$17,900. 810-751-4897

**FLSTC** 1996, \$10,000 in extras, custom paint, Corbin seat, klean machine. \$18,400. 734-422-3435

**GOLDWING** 1993 SE - teal. Like new. Low miles. Asking \$13,500. 810-757-7734

**HARLEY** 1200 Custom (2000) black, low extras, 1800 miles. \$11,000. 252-000-7100

**HARLEY** 1998 1200 Custom Sportster, Anniversary edition, extras, mint. \$8800. 248-683-1981

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**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

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1998 Dyna wide glide, 4,500 miles, black, Lots of extras! Mint. cond. \$17,000 (248)634-5761

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 2000 Dynawide Thunderheader exhaust, 2800 miles, \$18,000 or best offer (734) 516-6510

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** Electric-glide Classic 2001, Exc. cond. 5000 miles, \$19,400. (734) 416-1013

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** Electric Glide Classic 1993, \$14,000. (734) 466-9817

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** Electric-glide Ultra Classic, 1996. Very sharp, black and green, lots of chrome & extras, 11,200 original miles, must see. \$16,000 or best offer (248) 682-1016

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 2000, Fatboy, big bore kit, many extras, 3000 miles, perfect. \$21,000. 248-348-5866

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1998 Heritage Softail, 6500 miles, exc. cond., \$15,400. 248-601-1135

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 2000 FXRA limited edition, 1 of 750 bikes, new only 9 miles. \$19,500. built, new only 9 miles. \$19,500. (248) 760-6411

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1995 Fat Boy, black, custom parts, steel \$13,000. 734-723-1657

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1999 Heritage Softail, 2300 miles, \$17,000. (248) 478-7649

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1991 Heritage Softail, impeccable cond., low miles. 734-261-2058

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1998 Low Rider, 7000 mi., showroom cond., \$2000 worth of accessories. \$14,800/best. 313-277-2920

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** Super-glide 1999, extras, clean original owner, \$17,000. Harley Davidson Sportster 883 1990 \$5000. (734) 522-9366

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**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1992 Sportster XLH Custom 883 only 6700 miles, very clean w/extras: slash-cut mufflers, windshield, bags, 2 upseats, Harley cover, \$6600/best. 734-981-2076

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 2001 Sportster 883. 600 miles, like new, \$7,550. (248) 650-9327

**HARLEY DAVIDSON** 1973 XLH - updated custom bike, very low mi., like new. \$4200/best. (734) 427-5776.

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**HARLEY** 1997 - Electra Glide, fuel injected, 15K, exc. cond. \$17,000/best. (248) 925-8281.

**HARLEY** 2000, Electra Glide Classic, 7.3K Miles, black, stage one screaming eagle performance kit. Lowered in windshield. \$20,000 (810)636-7817

**HARLEY**, 1992, Electric Glide Classic, tu-tone bike, low miles, exc. cond. \$13,000/best. Eves. 734-591-9431

**HARLEY** 1999 Electric Glide, 3K, 90% HD extras, Mint, Laser Red. \$21,000. 313-342-2852.

**HARLEY**, 1997, Fat Boy, lots of chrome, Samson pipes, silver/black, 1,800 mi. \$16,900. 248-641-5048

**HARLEY FAT BOY** 2000 900 miles, extra chrome & wheels, many extras & loaded. \$19,500. (734) 516-7434

**HARLEY** 2000, Fat Boy, thunderheaders, all touring accessories, black/red. 5500 miles. \$18,950. (248) 932-3480

**HARLEY** 1982 FLHS - completely refurbished, documented thru Milwaukee, exc. cond. \$12,500. (734) 735-8274

**HARLEY** 1989 FLHS - performance enhanced, new paint, many extras. Sweet ride. \$12,500. (248) 693-7361.

**HARLEY**, 1998 FLHTC, black, 22K, extras, super clean, \$16,500. (248) 634-5001.

**HARLEY** 1997 FXDS Convertible with bags & windshield, 25,000 miles, exc. cond. \$13,500/best. (734) 354-6075

**HARLEY** 1994 FXRP - nice bike. Many extras. \$11,500. 248-681-2653

**HARLEY HERITAGE** Soft Tail 1994 - 10K, chrome front end, extras, like new. \$13,500. Leave Message. 248-688-9902.

**HARLEY**, 1998 Heritage, Softail Classic, low miles, first \$16,000/best. (734) 326-3079.

**HARLEY** 1994 heritage softail classic FLSTC only 4600 miles, black, exc. cond., \$15,500. 734-782-4852

**HARLEY** 1998 Heritage softail 5600 miles, studded leather, like new, \$16,500. 248-486-4716

**HARLEY** 1989 - Heritage soft tail, black/cream, Exc. Cond. \$12,000/best. (313)846-5947

**1997 Harley** Huggar. \$1500 in accessories, exc. cond. wife's bike. Must Sell New bikes due. (734)449-5125

**HARLEY** 1996, 883 Huggar, 325 miles, black, \$3500/best. \$8750/best. Trade - 248-644-3100

**HARLEY ROAD KING** Classic 1999 - 2400 miles, exc. cond. \$19,000 firm. (734) 286-9920.

**HARLEY** 1996 Sportster 1200CC, 17K, Well maintained, Extras, windshield, \$7900/best. Call Eves. 734-453-5617

**HARLEY SPORTSTER** Sport 1998 - 1200 black, screaming eagle pipes, 3000 miles, \$9500. (734) 673-3717

**HARLEY** 1997 Sportster 1200 Custom, like new, 1800 miles, black w/extra chrome & other extras. \$9000. 313-538-3647.

**HARLEY** 1999 Sportster 1200 custom. Black, many extras. 3200 miles. Immaculate. 1 owner. \$9500. 248-224-1030

**HARLEY** 2000, 1200 Sportster, custom, 500 miles, \$9950. Call after 6pm 248-641-9195

**HARLEY Sportster** 1998 - 12K miles, too much to list. \$8500. call after 3pm (248) 683-2979

**HARLEY** 1997 Sportster Custom, black, 8300 miles, \$5,500/best. After 6pm. 734-326-8934.

**HARLEY** 2001 - 1200 Sportster Custom, extended warranty, 1800 miles, \$11,000. (313)388-8796.

**HARLEY** 1997 Standard (Road King). Belt drive, 4,000 miles. Must sell. Getting divorced. \$14,800/best. (248) 625-5592

**HARLEY** 1999 ultra classic shrine edition, immaculate, 10,000 miles, \$20,000 or best offer (248) 655-0139

**HARLEY** 2000 - Ultra Classic, mint cond., many extras. \$20,000/best (248)437-0308

**HARLEY** 2001 Ultra classic, 3000 miles, pearl blue/silver, extras! \$22,500/firm. (248)652-7840

**HARLEY**, 1999 Wide Glide, super clean, lots of chrome, red & black, \$16,500. 734-326-2074

**HARLEY** 1979 XLS - rare, 16K miles, all new parts. Mint condition. \$5200. (248) 960-8373.

**Henderson** 1999 Initial Production model, 8500 miles, exc. \$16,500. (248) 7



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COBRA 16" chrome wheels, right condition, \$1,000/best. (248) 555-7967

CONTINENTAL 1989 \$650 Taurus, 1986 Npeds Repairs 248-474-1286

FIBERGLASS CAP - exc. cond. Shortbed Ranger pick-up 1994-2001. \$500. 313-822-7400

HEMI ENGINE 1956 (354). Best offer. Dean (734) 261-3951.

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NEW GM V6 engine, 2.8 and 3.1 L complete w/ignition & fuel injection, fit late 1980's and early 1990's. \$800 or best offer each. (248) 625-6055

SHORT BED for 1972 Ford pickup, very good condition, no rust. \$300. 734-522-4747.

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WINTER TIRES for BMW 3 Series, 1990-93. 51" Bridgestone Blizzak tires w/rite rack, fits & BMW wheel covers. \$200/best. 734-953-8974

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ALSO DODGE 1990 1 ton with lift gate. \$2700. (313) 527-4968

Chevrolet 1988 half-ton pickup 350 auto, runs good \$1213. 734-466-9270, 402-889-4510

CHEVROLET 1997 Silverado - 4 dr. dually, 59K, loaded, 120K GM warranty, \$21,500/best. (734) 522-4321

CHEVROLET S10 1996 pickup, extended cab, 3rd door, cap, power windows, locks, remote start, 810-419-9001

CHEVROLET 1999 S10 Xtreme all-options, V6, extended cab, sport side, 3rd dr. 21K, \$14,000. 734-844-1542

CHEVROLET S10 Z-R2 1999 - Loaded! Extended cab, 3rd dr, 20K miles, black, \$17,500. (734) 673-7536 or (313) 278-0379

CHEVY PICK-UP 2500 crew cab 2000 Short box, 4x4, 5.7L, auto, air, cd, cassette, all power, cab, bedliner, trailer package, 28,000 miles. \$25,500. (734) 753-3832

CHEVY 1994 pick-up, v6, 1/2 ton, air, fiberglass cap, 78K miles. exc. cond. \$6400. 734-522-4135

CHEVY 1999 pick up 1500, 4 wheel drive, 5.3 vortec, extended cab, auto V8, 3rd door, leather, loaded, transfer van, 46,000 miles. \$19,000. 248-737-8952

CHEVY SILVERADO 1999 3 door, 4x4, new style, black, mint cond., 27,000 miles. \$21,900. (248) 869-4960

CHEVY SILVERADO 2000 1600 extended cab, 27K miles, V8, air, ABS brakes, all oil changes, excellent condition. \$15,500. (734) 458-2515

CHEVY SILVERADO Extended 1990 1 ton, 87K, trailer package, cruise, am/fm cassette, 454 V8, \$7,800/best. (734) 421-6572

CHEVY 2000 Silverado, loaded, 15K mi., white/grey, \$12,999. (734) 595-5862.

CHEVY SILVERADO, 1995 4x4 - Extended cab, 8' bed, 5.8L V8, 45,400 V/W, 4.54 auto, w/widerider heavy duty trailer, Leer cap, bed mat, 70K, \$15,900. 734-421-7646

CHEVY 1988 S10 4x4 - locks dead, runs good, extras. \$2000. (734) 484-2714

CHEVY 2000 - S10 LS, auto, loaded, 4x4, bedliner, cap, 59K miles. \$10,900. 810-229-5913

CHEVY 1999 S-10 pick-up, extended cab, 4x4, V6, 1500, dark blue, 17,600 miles. \$15,800. 248-542-3226

CHEVY 1999 S10 pick-up, MUST SACRIFICE! Truck bed protector, low mi. Take over lease at \$187/mo. Days: 248-957-2438, E: 248-801-3977

CHEVY 1993 3/4 ton extended cab, 4 wheel, 8 ft. bed, loaded, \$12,900. 313-714-2311 Pager

CHEVY 350 1984 - 3/4 ton pickup. New tires. Is, \$900/best. Call: (248) 681-8873

CHEVY 1992 4x4, good condition, new tires. \$2200. (248) 601-1135.

DAKOTA 1997 SLT - 4x4, V8, cab, cap, CD, 5 speed, 39K, \$14,000. 313-534-6075

DAKOTA 1996 Sport, auto, tilt, Pioneer CD & kicker auto, tilt, leather & cover. 83K highway mi. \$5500/best. (734) 455-6753.

DODGE DAKOTA, 1989 - Good cond., 98K miles, air, \$2500. 734-397-8639 Canton

DODGE 1994 Dakota, new transmission, tires, brakes, CD, clean, runs good, \$4000/best. Call Ryan 734-416-8191

DODGE 2500 1996 diesel, extended cab, loaded, fiberglass cap, runs good, 107,000 miles. \$14,500. (248) 685-3310

DODGE 1995 Ram 2500, air, bedliner, toolbox, excellent work truck. \$6500. 734-261-2106.

DODGE 1990 Ram Charger - 4 wheel dr, 223K, new tires, radiator, hoses, large V6, good cond. \$4650. 248-470-2100

DODGE 1998 Ram 1500 Good cond. loaded, asking \$13,500/best. (734) 207-8826

DODGE RAM 1998 1500 Laramie SLT extended cab, long bed, loaded, 76,000 miles. \$12,900. 734-427-7283

DODGE 1996 Ram 1500 Laramie SLT Sport Club Cab, black, 6' bed, 5.2L V8, 80K, sharp, well maintained, \$11,500/best. (734) 261-3951

DODGE 1994 Ram 1500 Laramie SLT, 8' bed, new tires, bedliner, 6 cylinder, 108,500 mi, runs good, 4.75 V8, loaded. 248-446-7575 ext 11. 248-316-8499.

DODGE RAM, 1999 Quad Cab. 1/2 TON, 45,000 miles. \$21,000. 810-629-7556

DODGE 1999 Ram - 1500 quad cab, 4x4, loaded, shiny, asking \$19,900/best. (248) 375-5392

DODGE RAM 1995 SLT 2WD, \$10,300/best. 313-388-7716

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DODGE RAM 1995 1500 SLT - exc cond, 6' bed, 5.2L V8, 180K, many new parts, \$7000/best. Must see & sell. 248-366-9974

DODGE 1997 Ram SLT 1500, Radiant Red ext., new tires, bedliner, trailer hitch, 68K mi, \$12,000. Eves 313-562-6094.

DODGE RAM 1500 Sport 1997 extended cab, fully loaded, 28,000 miles, leave message 734 420-1183

DODGE 1998 Ram 1500, Sport, quad cab, V8, 4x4, long bed/liner, tow package, loaded, exc. cond. \$15,900. 248-626-7657.

DODGE, 1999 Ram Sport 1500, V-8, crew cab, loaded, leather, 45K, \$20,000. (734) 464-0558.

DODGE 1998 Ram 1500 sport, white, loaded, 55K mi., \$11,900. 734-454-1665; 313-530-5979

DODGE RAM 2000 - 1/2 ton, quad cab, loaded, \$24,900 248-866-0813

DODGE 1997 Ram 1500, 4x4, emerald green, loaded, 35K miles. \$17,500. 313-794-0547

DODGE RAM 1500, 2001 - 4x4 Quad cab SLT, 5.9 Liter, customer preferred package, 21K miles, 4 yr/75K mile added care warranty, \$25,000. Call 313-730-1942

DODGE RAM 1996 4x2, 1/2 ton, V8, air, 1 owner, great mileage. \$8700.

DURANGO 1999 Exc cond, 5.9L, 46K, \$21,800, Day 734-213-1780 Eve/wkend 734-241-5888.

EXPLORER 2001 Premium Sport, 4 door, air, loaded, only 6,000 miles! \$19,999. DEMMER FORD (734) 721-2600

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F-150 1993 Extended cab XLT, V8 auto, air, tires new, \$5000/best. 734-953-0836

F150 2001 extended, 4x4, off-road, power, air, new tires, 46K, \$21,800, Day 734-213-1780 Eve/wkend 734-241-5888.

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FORD 1999 F-150 Super Cab XLT Sport. 4x2, auto, tow package, many extras. 36K. \$18,250. (734) 323-7803.

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FORD 1998 F150 - V8, auto, extended cab, loaded, \$14,500. (734) 421-2437.

FORD 1990 F150, V8 custom, 100K miles, good condition. \$2500/best. 248-689-8211

FORD, 1995, F-150, V8, power windows, locks, well maintained, \$6,200. 248-437-0767

FORD F-250, 1999 - V10, XLT, 4x4, 45K miles, regular cab, loaded, \$21,900. 248-486-6957

FORD 1989 F250 - 2wd, clean, \$2800. (248) 421-1398.

FORD F-250 1992 4 wheel drive, with cap, 51,000 miles, \$6200. (734) 663-1908

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FORD 1998 F-150 XL, air, mint cond. never abused, 57K miles. \$10,000/best (734) 665-2384

FORD F-150 1997 XL, silver, 4.6L V8, air, 50,000 miles, exc. cond., \$10,500. (734) 420-4437

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MERCEDES ML320 1999 black opal, automatic, all wheel drive, 39,000 miles, 1 owner, \$31,000. (734) 997-9643

MERCEDES ML320 1999 - Black, 7K mi, navigation, Bose CD, \$36,900/best. 734-462-1312

MERCEDES 1988, 560SEC coup, white/blue leather, 135k well maintained miles. Exec. cond. \$12,900. 248-723-9639

MERCEDES 560SEC 1987 Luxury touring coupe. Blue/gray 135k miles. Exec. Cond. \$9,000/best (248)770-9503

MERCEDES 1987 - 260SE, exc. running condition, \$4500/best. (248) 736-5997.

MERCEDES, 1984 380SEL Black 4 dr, w/black interior, 1 Owner. Supreme cond., 140K miles. \$700/best. 313-477-0447

MERCEDES 1988 420 SEL - excellent condition, 140k, \$9,850. (248) 737-7998

MERCEDES 1986 560SEL gray, records, exc mechanical cond., no rust, 191K mi \$7995

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BREEZE 1998 - 70K miles, all power, clean car, \$7700/best. Must sell! 248-545-9771

BREEZE 1999 14,600 miles, loaded, exc. cond., \$10,500 or best. (734) 513-5486

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BONNEVILLE 1983 Exc cond. Loaded, no rust. 60,000 miles. \$3500/best. 248-887-0462

BONNEVILLE, 1988 LE - 3800, V6 1350, drives great! clean interior. Eves. 248-624-6843

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BONNEVILLE 1995 SSE - leather, fully loaded, car starter, CD, sunroof. \$7500. 313-963-8974

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FIREBIRD 1994, black/gray int. power, air, AM/FM w/CD, extras. Very sharp, exc. cond. 116K, \$5,900. (248) 620-0145

FIREBIRD 1999 - black, gray interior, V6, T-tops, Monsoon stereo system, great cond., \$15,500. Jennifer 248-593-6400

FIREBIRD 1992 - convertible, red, 5.0 L, all power, 37,600 miles, \$12,500. 734-721-8087

FIREBIRD 1991 Formula, T-tops, full power, body in great shape, runs excellent, 113,000 miles, \$4600/best. 734-697-7313

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FIREBIRD 1994 Formula V8, auto, 5.7 liter, well maintained, new tires, 63,000 miles, \$8900. (313) 937-1564

FIREBIRD, 1994, full power, CD, 33.9K miles, like new, red, \$8,800. 248-647-3061

FIREBIRD 1978, 36,000 original miles, mint cond. Asking \$6700. 248-476-9329

FIREBIRD, 1995 - Red, 41K miles, auto, loaded, clean. Must sell. \$7995/best. 734-432-1054

FIREBIRD 1994, red, T-tops, low miles, loaded, exc. cond., new tires. \$8,900. 248-347-2212

FIREBIRD 1998 red, T-tops, exc. cond., 40,000 miles, extended warranty, Monsoon 10 speaker with cd, full power stereo system, \$12,950. (248) 477-5480

GRAND AM 1992 - Black w/ sunroof, sharp, 54K mi. \$5500. Leave message. 248-489-5026

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GRAND AM 2000 4 dr., auto, air, full power, 18K, \$12,995. 248-476-9329

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GRAND AM 1997 - 2 dr, V6, auto, A/C, cruise/CD, pl, pw, new tires, 75K, \$6500/best. 734-547-0977

GRAND AM 2000 GT - black, gray leather, loaded, moonroof, chrome wheels, 11K, 2 yr. warranty left \$15,995 734-765-3445

GRAND AM 1997 GT 2 door, auto, cd, sunroof, black, 59K miles, \$9,795. (248) 347-4860

GRAND AM 1995 GT, 2 Door, 55K miles, white, exc. cond. \$6000 firm. (734) 721-1282

GRAND AM 1999 GT - 4 dr., black, 4 cyl, auto, cruise, power windows/doors, AM/FM CD, air, aluminum wheels, 40K mi. \$12,500. Eves: 248-478-9556 Days: 734-668-6222

GRAND AM 1997 GT - 82K, black, 2 dr., fully loaded, moonroof, \$5500/best (313) 441-1439

GRAND AM 2000 GT - loaded, moonroof, chrome wheels, 21K, 2 yr. warranty left, must sell, \$15,400. (248) 625-6503

GRAND AM 1998 GT, 63,000 miles, mint, loaded, \$10,500. After 6pm: (248) 549-5467

GRAND AM GT Sedan 1998-53K mostly hwy. Purple, extras, cd. \$10,500. 248-624-5846

GRAND AM 1994, GT, V6, 2 dr, red/tan interior, loaded, sunroof, aluminum wheels, exc., cond., \$5200. 248-541-6811

GRAND AM GT 1995 - white, 4dr, loaded, 66K miles, new tires & brakes. \$8200 (734) 421-3141

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GRAND AM, 1987 - 112K miles, exc. transportation, runs good, \$1500 or best. 313-295-7694

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GRAND AM 1991 2.3L, auto, air, stereo. Mint cond. \$2400. (619) 776-6548

GRAND AM 1995 - 1 owner, air, power, 4 dr., cruise, good condition. 70,000 miles, \$5200. 313-531-5548, 313-255-4384

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GRAND AM 1999 SE, 4 door, black, auto, CD, spoiler, cruise, power seats, 40K miles, \$11,000. 248-645-5095

GRAND AM 1997 SE - 4 door, green, CD, exc. cond., 98K miles, \$4800. 734-354-1818

GRAND AM SE 1997 4 door, very clean, exc. cond. inside & out, new tires, automatic, air, dual airbags. \$5900. (734) 729-5562

GRAND AM SE 1999 - 4 dr., all power, spoiler, cruise, 46K hwy. miles, exc. cond. \$12,000. Evenings (810)629-2861

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GRAND AM 1993 SE red, 2 dr, 92K mostly hwy, manual, pl, cassette, cruise, air, clean, 1 owner, \$3000/best. 734-420-1549

GRAND AM 1995 SE - V6, 4 dr., white, 83K, 1 owner, remote start, auto, loaded, new tires, \$7,000. 313-350-0960

GRAND AM 1997 - white, 68K miles, 2 dr., 5 speed manual, new tires, very well maintained, \$6300/best. 734-641-1302

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GRAND PRIX 1998 GT 2 door, exc. cond., 35,000 miles, power equipment, cd, white, \$13,700 or best offer (734) 455-5925

GRAND PRIX 1999 GT - exc. cond., loaded, green, coupe, \$9,900/best. (248) 669-5763

GRAND PRIX GT 1997 - Great cond., loaded, 71,000 miles, \$10,000. 248-645-9688

GRAND PRIX 1997 GT, 43K miles, loaded, extended warranty, exc. cond., \$13,000 or best (734) 673-3215

GRAND PRIX GT 1997 5 door, 1 owner, Black, Excellent. \$10,500. (810) 641-7825

GRAND PRIX 2000 GT - leather, moonroof, 4 dr, 9K miles, \$17,200. 734-981-3897

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TRANS-AM 1994 - Black, 6 speed, leather, Exc. cond., CD, air, \$9,800 (810)228-8043

TRANS AM, 1987, Exc. cond., 57K miles, T-tops, red. \$7500. (734) 981-0215

TRANS AM, 2000, Firehawk, Black, leather, loaded, T-tops, SHARP! \$29,900. 734-591-0913

TRANS AM, 1998, Fully loaded, stored winter, perfect. \$18,000/best offer. (248) 380-7456

TRANS AM 1997 Ram Air - black, charcoal interior, T-tops, CD, chrome wheels, exc. cond., not abused, 69K hwy. miles, \$17,500. (248) 390-3216

TRANS AM 1994 - red, CD, air, leather, T-tops, LT1 engine, performance shift, auto, 55K, \$10,500. (810) 750-8171

TRANS AM - 1996, T-tops, auto, Great summer car! Low miles \$14,500. (248)347-2810

**870 Saturn**

COUPE SC 1992 - Red, New alternator, struts, & tires. Very clean runs great! \$3000 (248)887-8851

SATURN 2000 LS-2 Sedan, cd, green/beige, 6 cylinder, loaded! 18,800 miles, 1 owner, non-smoker, \$14,500. 313-441-4215

SATURN LW2, 2000 - 13K, V6, leather, CD/tape, loaded, like new. \$18,900. 734-451-5695

SATURN 1996 SC2 - black 80K mi, 5 speed, air, tilt, stereo/tape, \$5800. (734) 354-1974

SATURN SC1 1999 5 SP., air, 46K, am/fm cassette, sunroof, \$9000/best. 248-530-3112

SATURN SC1 1997 - 5 speed, purple w/spoiler, alloys, 24-40 mpg, air, am/fm cassette, 1 owner \$7900/best 248-349-4082

SATURN SL1 1998 - Auto - 4 dr., air, AM/FM cassette, 42K mi., \$5100/best (248)929-9942

SATURN 1993 SL2 - 121K, moonroof, extras. New brakes/exhaust. \$3500 248-643-8425

SATURN SL2 1993 Sedan - red, auto, p/wpl, cassette, air, runs great, \$3300. 248-349-6246

SC2 2001 - air, cd, cassette, ABS, air bags, 12K miles, \$16,000/best. (248) 670-6933

SC2, 1997 - Black/tan, auto, air, power, cruise, alloy wheels, CD, 29K, \$11,600. 248-855-5756

SC1, 1993 - 2 Dr. 5-speed, 95K miles, air, ABS, exc. cond. \$4200/best. 248-922-3493

SC 2, 1998, 100K miles, 5 speed, air, 100CD changer, moon roof, all power, ABS, \$4400/best (248) 346-6973

SC2 1996 - Loaded! Dark green, leather, moon roof, 42K mi. \$7900/best (734)453-0677

**870 Saturn**

SC2 2001 - loaded, red, under 20K miles. \$14,500. 734-804-9195

SL2 1996 - Auto, ABS, 45K miles, alloy wheels, one owner, \$5,900 (248)651-9488

SL2 1997 - auto, air, 36K, am/fm, ps/pb, dark green, good condition. \$6800. 248-449-2835

SL2 1995 - auto, air, 91,000 miles, good overall, \$5200/best. (734) 425-0031

SL 1999 - clean, air, traction control, great MPG, 5 speed, 39K, \$6800/best 248-705-8997

SL2 1996 - 4 dr., air, auto trans, all power, remote entry, AM/FM cassette, ABS, warranty \$9,000. (248)878-1038

SL2 1998 - 4 dr., auto, loaded power sunroof, 45K miles, dealer maintained, well, \$8500. 248-299-4288 734-260-0970

SL2 1998 loaded, leather, 5 speed, power sunroof, cruise, premium sound, 41K miles, exc. cond., \$9400. (248) 649-5364

SL2 1997 - Loaded, ps/pb, moonroof, dark blue, auto, \$7,900. 734-459-0108

SL2 1997 sedan green, power windows/locks, tilt, cruise. Exc. cond. \$5900. 248-240-2424

SW2 1997 air, am/fm cassette, leather, 50K miles, runs well, red, good cond., asking \$7500/best. (734) 587-7901

**872 Toyota**

AVALON, 1997, super clean, white & tan, leather, sunroof, CD changer, 64K hi-way miles, must see, \$15,500. 248-645-0535

Toyota Camry 1997 XLE - 4 cyl. Super clean, must see. 43,500 mi. \$14,900/best. 734-961-1572

CAMRY 1991 - auto, loaded, 32,000 miles, great cond, runs exc. \$3200/best. 734-728-7787

CAMRY 1999 - Burgundy, beige interior, 30K miles, 2.0 liter, auto, air, ABS & PS, power windows/locks, CD, new tires, exc. cond., \$14,995 (248)926-8399

CAMRY 1996 - 4 door sedan, 91K miles, white, leather, sunroof, 103K miles, Great car! \$5,300. (734)822-1078

CAMRY LE 1998 alloy wheels, ABS, loaded, security system, \$14,850. 248-474-6245

CAMRY 1997 - LE-4, great value, loaded, exc. cond., beige, ABS, security system, 55K, \$10,900. 248-624-7747

CAMRY 1998 LE - V6, auto, 4 door, campaign, air, leather, sunroof, power locks/windows, security, cassette/CD, excellent, 26K, \$15,900. 248-688-1770

CAMRY LE 1997, white, sunroof, CD player, wood trimming, spoiler, exc. cond. 60,000 miles, \$11,900. 248-852-2291

CAMRY XLE 1992 - White, sunroof, 103K miles, Great car! \$5,300 (734)422-1078

CELICA 2000 GTS, black, 6 speed, air, sunroof, CD, power windows & locks, 16K miles, \$19,500. 734-354-6876

CELICA 1990 ST, charcoal, air, cassette, cruise, 5 speed, 99,800 miles. \$3500. 734-425-4571

CELICA 1995 ST - 56K, gold package, manual, 1.8 L, power, \$9000/best. (248) 377-6364

COROLLA 1999 CE, 5 speed, excellent condition, 20,000 miles, \$12,000/best. Serious calls only to (248) 546-1883.

COROLLA 1989 - 4dr, auto, air, 195K miles, runs well, some rust \$2500/best (248)634-5621

COROLLA DX 1992 Wagon, 82K, 1 owner, new exhaust, brakes. \$3500. 248-426-8945

COROLLA LE 1999 4 door, auto, air, power, 31K miles, \$9850/best. (248) 348-5970

COROLLA 1999 LE 4 dr, auto, air, \$10,895. (734) 453-3600

**SUNSHINE HONDA**

MR2 SPYDER 2001, rare mid engine roadster, 5500 miles, silver/black, \$24,500. 248-344-8177

PASEO 1993 - looks/runs good, 121K miles, reconditioned, sunroof, black, under bluebook price \$3995. (734) 207-8352

SUPRA 1996 - 23K miles, mint, auto, air, full power, custom, \$23,000/best. 734-341-0039

SUPRA 1991 Turbo, leather, moonroof, red, \$8,999. (734) 453-3600

**872 Toyota**

TOYOTA CAMRY XLE 1998 black, 40,000 miles, fully loaded, exc. cond., \$14,000 or best offer. (248) 231-4362

**874 Volkswagen**

BEETLE 1973 - auto, stick, new tires/battery, shocks, carb. Exc. cond. \$4000. 734-484-8119

BEETLE 1998 - Black, cloth, auto, air, cruise, power windows & much more. 30,000 miles. \$13,900. (248) 545-5210

BEETLE, 1999 GLS, White, 5 speed, 33K mostly highway miles, air, cassette, great cond. \$14,950 including 4 snow tires. (248) 737-4838

BEETLE 1999, GLS, yellow, auto, black leather, moonroof, CD, heated seats, 33K mi, \$13,900. (248)698-8564

BEETLE 1999 - green, 8,000 miles, auto, like new, \$14,900/best offer. (248) 624-8636

BEETLE, 1998 - Red, super clean, loaded - 6-disc CD. 19K miles, \$14,500. 248-656-1032

BEETLE 1999 - 5 speed, 15,500 miles, CD/cassette, Exc Cond. \$14,000 (248)623-4960

BEETLE 2000 Turbo - 5 speed, dark blue, gray leather, CD & more. 14.5K miles, \$18,600. 313-565-9845 days 313-617-3646 evens/wknds

BETTLER1999, BLACK, 5 speed, a/c, power windows & locks 40K miles. \$14,900/best (734)356-5443

CABRIO 1995 - Convertible Exp. Cond, 81K miles. 28 M.P.G.! \$9,500 (248)644-7805

CABRIO 1997 - White, convertible, tan leather, all options. 40K miles. \$14,000. (248)633-6795

GOLF 1998 K2 Snowboard board still in plastic, 62K, all original, loaded, superb cond., 6-CD changer, new tires/brakes, 1 of 800. \$11,800. (248) 336-2819

JETTA GL 2000 loaded, with sunroof, and sound system, low miles, \$17,000. (248) 952-1853

JETTA 1997 GL - 58,000 miles, 5 speed, 4 dr., green, \$9500/best. (734) 454-7094

JETTA GLS 1999 - All power, air, 33K miles, exc. cond. \$14,000/best (734)276-2661

JETTA 1995 GL - 5 speed, power sunroof, 94K, \$7000/best. Leave message 248-799-8247

JETTA 1997 GLS 5 speed, white, sunroof, \$9000, or best offer (248) 685-2588

JETTA 1997 GT, 65,800 miles, am/fm radio, air, cruise, moonroof, \$9850. 248-735-8231

JETTA 1994 - White. Security system. Blue book \$7700. Asking \$5000. 248-933-6512

KARMEN GIA, 1971 coupe, yellow/black interior, newer brakes, battery & tires, runs OK, \$3,000/best. (734) 207-1901.

NEW BEETLE 2000 GLX Turbo 1100 miles! Leather, side air bags, sunroof, cd changer, spoiler, warranty, \$19,000/best. 248-204-7357

PASSAT 1991 - 4 door, auto, moonroof, full power \$3000/best. 734-427-4743

PASSAT, 1994, GLX, 54K miles, exc. cond., leather, sunroof, \$9,400. 248-476-3918

PASSAT 2001 GLX - loaded/ mint cond. Silver/black leather, CD, sunroof, heated seats, Anthracite color. \$29,000. 248-661-6898

PASSAT 2000 GLX Sedan, 20,000 miles, factory warranty, auto, leather, CD, power roof, heated power seats, Anthracite blue, 17" wheels. \$23,900. 248-645-9482

PASSAT 1999 - 27,000 miles, good condition, Alloy wheels, silver, charcoal cloth interior, \$15,900/best. 248-981-5867

PASSAT 1990 - new air, tires, belts, exhaust, etc. 166K, good cond. \$3000. (248) 334-2787

SCRIOCCO 1987 16V, 113K miles, CA car, new clutch & transmission, etc. \$2500. 248-642-6573 or 548-2244

SCRIOCCO 1987 16V, 113K miles, CA car, new clutch & transmission, etc. \$2500. 248-642-6573 or 548-2244

SUPER BEETLE 1972 - needs work. \$2500. (248) 977-7504

VOLVO 960 Wagon 1993 - hunter's green, camel leather, 80K, \$9900. (248) 755-4475

**876 Autos Over \$2,000**

FORD, 1993 Tempo. Auto. Air 118K mi., new engine at 80K m \$3,000/best. After 3pm: 248-437-7782

OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS Supreme SL 1990, 81k, super clean, \$2,600. 248-828-9778

SUNBIRD 1994 LE, 3.1L, v6, auto, red, sport package, sharp car. \$3600/best. 734-612-4520.

TAURUS 1991 - silver, loaded, excellent, 100K,