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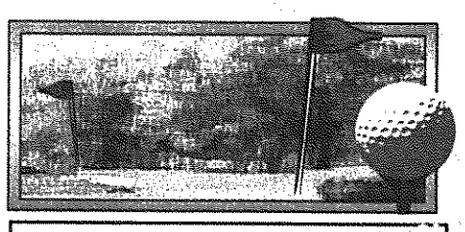

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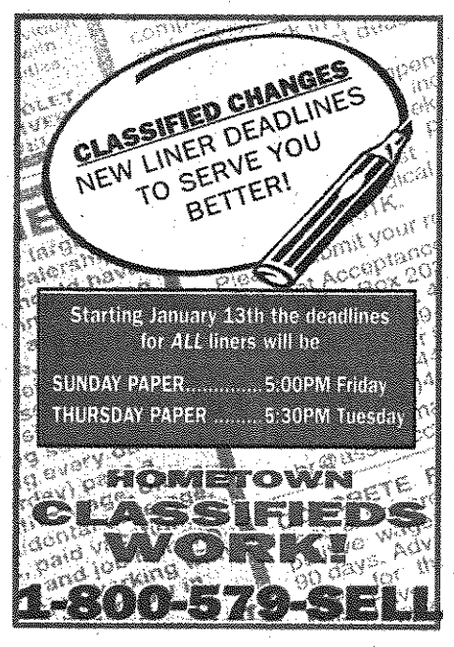

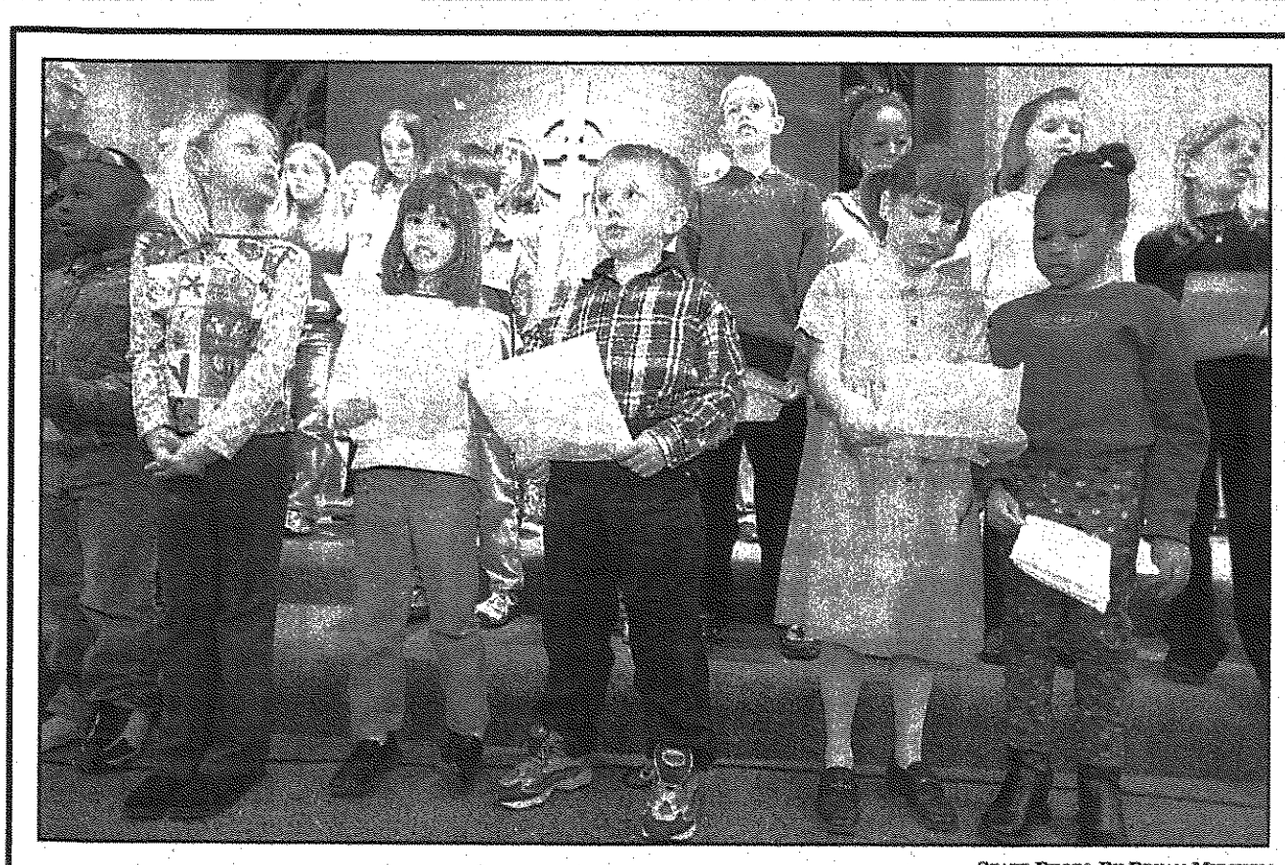

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Youngest celebrants: *Children attending the Racial Unity Service at Geneva Presbyterian Church Monday evening were invited up to the front to lead in singing during one of the hymns.*

Remembering King

Community marks holiday with celebrations, diversity workshops

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Nearly 300 people attended Monday's first Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday Celebration hosted by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools at the Salem High School cafeteria.

The luncheon and day-long diversity training workshop for district employees was one of several community programs marking the King holiday.

Some 200 Canton Township employees underwent similar training at morning and afternoon sessions at Summit on the park. The township co-sponsored the school luncheon as well.

King's legacy was also marked in an evening program at Geneva Presbyterian Church. It was the second year for the multi-racial assembly featuring song and prayer at the church on Sheldon Road.

The celebration at Salem was

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Enrollment gains add to district surplus

■ Because there are at least 200 more students attending Plymouth-Canton schools this year than planned, the district will see an additional $1.5 million in revenues. That picture could change considerably by next fall, however.

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As a result of a larger-than-projected enrollment increase for the 2001-02 school year, the coffers of Plymouth-Canton Schools are up an additional $1.5 million.

"We projected very conservatively, and we had more new students this fall than we originally projected," said Patricia Brand, executive director of business services. "The additional money comes from the state foundation grant." Currently, the district receives $6,825 per student as part of its state allowance.

The Board of Education passed an amended budget at Tuesday's meeting, which now estimates the fund equity at the end of the current school year to be more than $11.5 million. While that seems like a lot of money, Brand said "That's about five weeks of operating funds for the district."

Preliminary financial projections show that in 2002-03, the district will be spending nearly $178,000 more than revenues, this time reducing the fund equity. A major part of the budget will be an additional $2.6 million to operate Ply-

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Kmart troubles no surprise to shoppers

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See related Kmart column on page A9 by Tedd Schneider; story by Doug Funke on page A10

Shoppers at the Super Kmart store on Ford and Haggerty – and at some nearby competitor's stores – had some sympathy Wednesday, but not many encouraging words, for the beleaguered corporation, which filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection in federal court this week.

"I wish they could stay open if they can get out of the situation they're in," said Bob Odrowski of Plymouth, who said he's not a regular Kmart shopper.

Odrowski said he usually shops at Kohl's or Meijer.

"I do most of my Christmas shopping here though," he said. "I like the prices and they're reasonable. Some people I've talked to say they don't like the way the service is here."

Sandra Frey of Canton, leaving the grocery section with a small shopping bag, said she, too, is not a regular customer.

"I usually go to Meijer or Holiday market," she said. "Meijer is always well-stocked and they've got somebody there if you have any questions. I just came in today to get some Edy's Ice Cream because it's two for $6. Two gallons are left. I asked them if they had any more and they said no."

Connie Cislo of Fenton was dropping her mother, who lives in Plymouth, off

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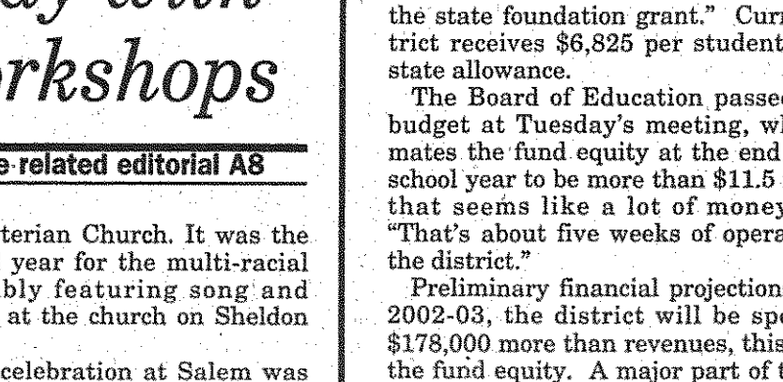

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Tough times: *The Super Kmart on Ford Road opened in the late 1990s. Shoppers at the store on Wednesday had mixed feelings about the retailer.*

Steppin' out at the Canton Winter Ball

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Flooring it: *David Bastianelli and Franca Tiano tear up the dance floor during the Canton Winter Ball last Friday night at Laurel Manor in Livonia. A story and additional photos from the annual benefit for the Canton Community Foundation are on Page A3 in today's Observer.*

Gymnastics center wins final OK from trustees

BY JACK GLADDEN
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A local gymnastics center got final approval from Canton's Board of Trustees Tuesday night to proceed with construction of a new $1 million facility near the Golden Gate Shopping Center at Joy and Lilley.

The board voted unanimously to approve the plans for Splitz Gymnastics to move ahead with the project.

After the meeting Greg Spicher, co-owner of Splitz, said he was happy with the board's action.

"We're just pleased that we're through that whole process and now we can get started putting the building up," he said.

■ 'If the weather stays like this, we could begin some clearing and groundwork in the next week or two.'

Greg Spicher
owner

While Spicher had originally planned to break ground in March or early April, he said Wednesday that with the unseasonably mild weather they might be able to get started a bit earlier.

"The way things are right now, we might be able to get a little bit done before then," he said. "If the weather stays like this, we could begin some clearing and groundwork in the next week or two."

Spicher and his wife, Eileen, presently operate Splitz Gymnastics on Ronda Drive north of Koppernick. They opened that facility five years ago with about 50 students.

Now, with about 500 or 600 students enrolled in their programs, the Spichers say they need more room.

The planned 20,000-square-foot building, which will be constructed just north of the Golden Gate center and south of the Auto Mall, will be designed specifically as a gymnastics facility and will include such amenities as an in-ground

Please see SPLITZ, A4

Summer fun

If you're thinking ahead to a family reunion in the park this summer, you'll find some new procedures in effect for renting outdoor facilities.

Beginning Monday, Feb. 4, requests for reservations of the pavilions or amphitheater will only be taken over the phone. Reservations will be made on a first-come, first-served basis.

Once a request is made, an application form will be sent in the mail. The form should be filled out and returned with payment to Canton Township Leisure Services Division.

For more information, call (734) 394-5460 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Report: Victims see red over vandalism spree

Vandals were busy painting the town red over the weekend, and residents were not happy about it. In a series of apparently unrelated incidents:

■ An employee of Rudolph/Libbe Inc., 7001 N. Haggerty, reported to police that when he arrived for work about 6:30 a.m. on Jan. 18 he found a company car had been vandalized.

Someone had sprayed red paint and both passenger side doors and the rear quarter panel. A mirror and headlight were broken.

Damage was estimated at $1,000.

■ A Canton resident told police that he was driving on Canton Center near Glengarry just after midnight on Jan. 19 when someone fired a paintball at his car. He said he didn't see anyone and wasn't sure where the ball came from.

After cleaning the paint off, he discovered a scratch on the driver's side front fender. Damage was estimated at $500.

■ A resident of the 43500 block of Lancelot said that sometime between 7:30 p.m. Jan. 18 and midnight Jan. 19 someone splashed red paint on the side of his white van.

The vehicle was parked on the street in front of his house.

Musical theft

The manager of the Guitar Center on Ford Road told police that sometime between 4 and 6 p.m. on Jan. 19, someone stole a Gibson Flatiron mandolin from the store.

He said someone had been in the store during that time but he didn't notice the mandolin missing until the man had left.

The instrument was described as a "unique instrument that few people look at." It was valued at $2,400.

Trailer break-in

A resident of the 46000 block of Geddes reported that between 10 p.m. on Jan. 19 and 2 a.m. Jan. 20 someone broke into his house trailer, causing $220 damage.

He said he noticed a piece of paneling broken in the kitchen when he returned home and thought maybe the dog had done it. The next morning he discovered that the front window had also been broken out.

Nothing appeared to be missing.

More vandalism

A resident of the 2800 block of Wakefield said someone shot out the driver's side window of his car between 10 p.m. Jan. 17 and 7 a.m. Jan. 18.

Police said damage appeared to have been caused by a BB gun.

The resident said his wife's car had been damaged the previous night.

– *Jack Gladden*

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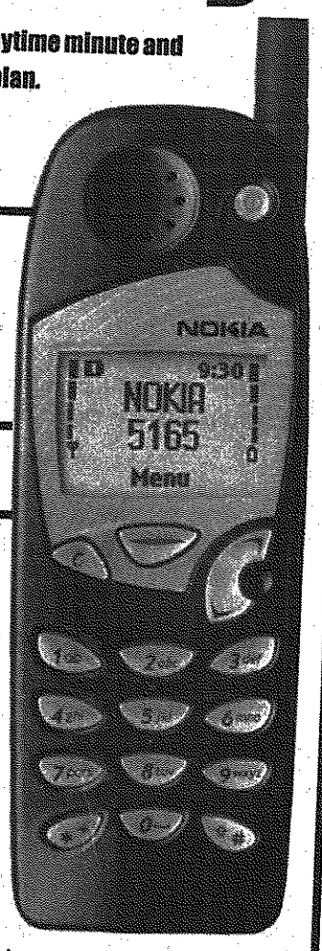

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Clarification

Getting it right: *This photo in Sunday's Observer should have identified the boy enjoying some cocoa and the snowy weather visiting the Plymouth ice fest as Ian Howick, 3, of Canton Township.*

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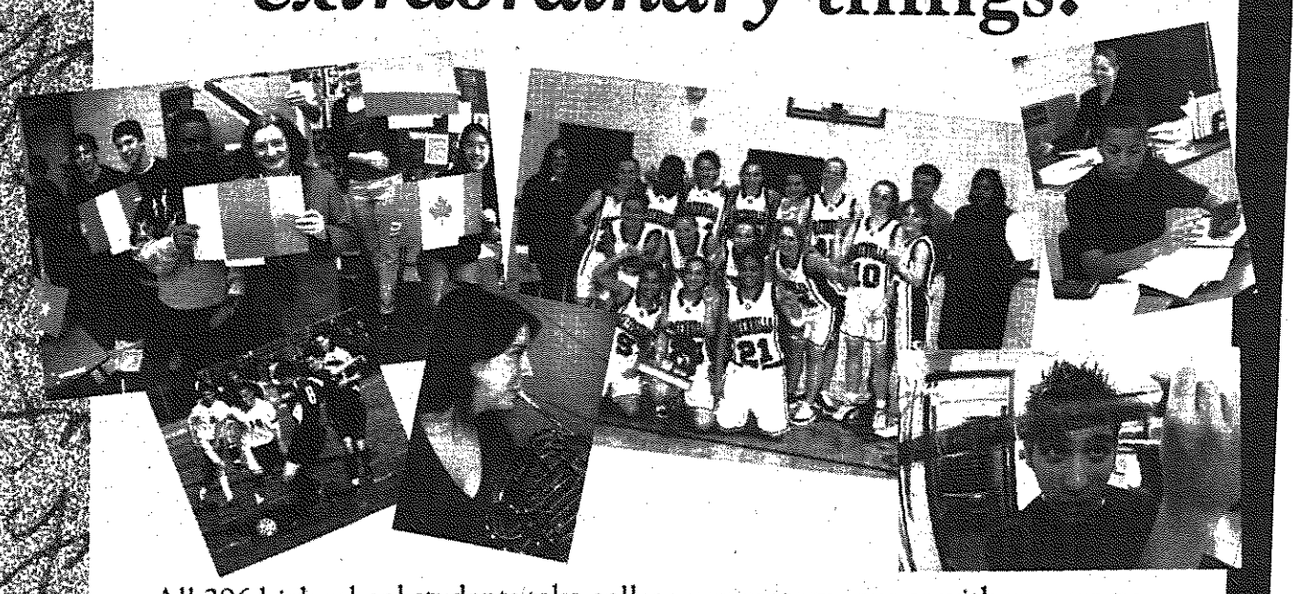

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THE RISK OF BEING REPETITIVE

Baby boomers age 35 to 54 are racking up sports injuries at an unprecedented rate, and much of the increase is due to repetitive motion injuries. While many of the injuries seen in younger people are caused by macro-trauma (like whacking an elbow with a tennis racquet or turning an ankle while running), most injuries among older exercisers involve micro-trauma or repetitive motion injuries resulting from chronic overuse or abuse. Contributing to the incidences of these injuries is the fact that our tissues become less compliant and tendons tend to degenerate as we age. Consequently, older exercisers need more recovery time between workouts and more time to heal after an injury. Failure to do so increases vulnerability to overuse injuries.

We all know how important regular exercise is to maintain optimum health, and also that adhering to an exercise routine promotes long term physical fitness. One factor that has been left out of this equation is the fact that, as creatures of flesh and blood, versus metal and wire, we do need to adjust our methods depending upon the messages our body is sending us. For help in translating your body's S.O.S., ask for a referral to the **HANDS ON CENTER FOR PHYSICAL THERAPY**, located in Plymouth, at **470 Forest Avenue, Suite 20**. For more information, please call **455-8370**.

P.S. While those who have exercised all their lives may be exempt, people tend to lose muscle mass at the rate of about 10% each decade after age 50.

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Having a ball

Winter gala still garners support

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It's a party with a purpose.

That's why they continue to attend the Canton Community Foundation's Winter Ball, even in tough economic times, several party-goers said Friday night.

"It's important to give back to the community. That hasn't changed," said Maureen Seratti, sitting at a table sponsored by A.R. Kramer Flooring on Ford Road. Seratti's husband, Tony, is a salesman in the store's carpet department.

For Jerry Majeske Sr., wanting to be a part of "all the good things" going on in Canton and at the foundation was the motivating factor for getting involved.

Majeske is a manager at Majeske Machine, the Plymouth Township manufacturing company owned by his son. The company sponsored two tables at this year's Laurel Manor gala, after employees were guests the last several years at tables sponsored by Canton Waste Recycling, he said.

Gary Denning, sales manager for Biltmore Development, said his company's involvement with the ball has been a three-year project. He expects it to continue.

Biltmore is one of three builders putting up homes in Cherry Hill Village, the neo-traditional neighborhood taking shape at Cherry Hill and Ridge roads.

"We really like what the township of Canton is doing," Denning said. "The foundation helps in so many ways to perpetuate the lifestyle we're trying to create."

Community agencies and programs receiving funds from the 12-year-old public, non-profit organization include the Special Olympics, area senior groups, Canton Project Arts and the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra, the Canton Chamber of Commerce and local students through the foundation's scholarship program.

Fund-raiser

Last year, the foundation spent $90,000 on those efforts in the community, including $27,000 as part of the scholarship program, said Mark Wolnowski, who chaired this year's ball committee.

The evening is the organization's largest single event fundraiser, said foundation President Joan Noricks. While Friday's attendance of 830 people was off by 100 compared to last year, sponsorships were actually up, she said.

Gross revenue for the 2002 ball was about $107,000 and the event netted $60,000 for the foundation, Noricks said.

She said Friday's program featured a few new touches. A promotional video highlighting the foundation's mission and programs was shown on flat-screen video monitors throughout the hall. The monitors and special lighting were donated by Yazaki North America.

"There's so many guests who get donated tickets so they don't really know what the foundation is all about," Noricks said.

Celebrity look-alikes (Marilyn Monroe and Austin Powers) took turns posing for photos with guests as part of the fun.

While community pride and an elegant, fun-filled evening is part of the mix, maintaining professional relationships and creating new business contacts is still on the agenda for many.

A.R. Kramer "does a lot of work in Canton and he (Tony) handles mainly new homes so it makes sense for us to be here, to be active in the community," Maureen Seratti said.

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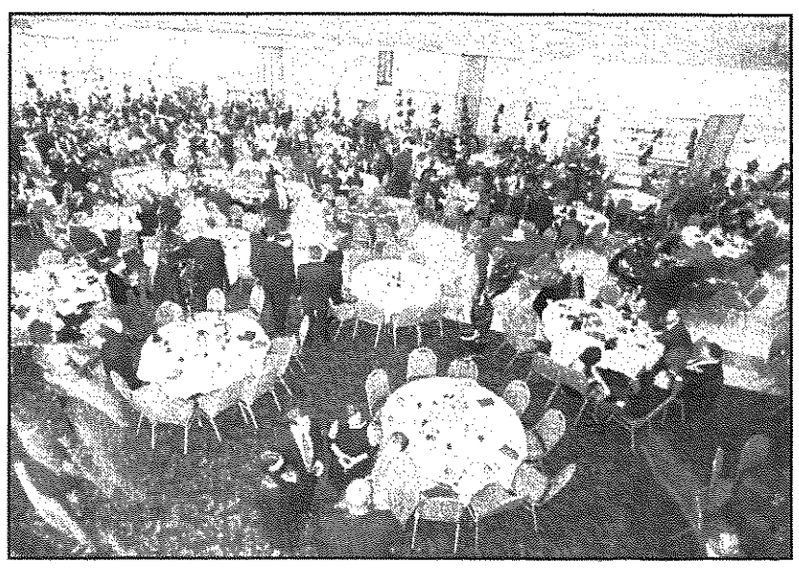
On stage: *Intrigue provided the beat at Friday's Canton Community Foundation benefit at Laurel Manor.*



After-dinner social: *Guests mingle at the eighth annual Canton Winter Ball on Friday.*

Youth series tickets on sale

Tickets are now on sale for the 2002 Youth Variety Series co-sponsored by Canton Project Arts and Canton Leisure Services.

This year's series, which is geared for ages 12 and under, includes The Chris Clark Magic Show, Odd Bodkins Variety Show featuring life-size puppets and Chautauqua Express.

Tickets for each show are available for $3 per person at Summit on the Park. Seating is limited, so advance ticket purchases are recommended. All shows will be held at the Summit Banquet and Conference Center.

The Chris Clark Magic Show opens this year's series from 10-11:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 23. Clark has been performing magic for adults and children for 20 years.

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Canton police nab driver in high-speed chase

A 26-year-old Arizona man was arrested early Wednesday after he led Canton police on a high-speed chase.

The incident started about 4:30 a.m. when the man, driving a 1987 Honda reported stolen out of Van Buren Township, was clocked doing 66 mph heading north on Belleville Road.

A Canton police officer began a pursuit and the man turned east onto Michigan Avenue. Speeds reached 80 to 90 mph down Michigan, according to police reports, before the man turned south on Haggerty and west on Van Born.

After going south on Belleville Road, then east on Tyler, the man turned in to the parking lot of a Meijer store. As he tried to leave the parking lot back on to Tyler, he crashed in to a Van Buren Township police car.

No one was injured and the man was arrested without further incident.

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Kmart *from page A1*

to do some shopping. Cislo said she is a regular Kmart shopper in the Fenton store.

"I usually get a lot of my vitamins and stuff like that at Kmart. But people are talking about Wal-mart a lot because we just had a grand opening of a Wal-mart kitty-cornered from our Kmart."

She said she had only been in a Wal-mart once in her life. "I prefer Kmart," she said.

A mile down Ford Road at Target, a Westland woman, who didn't want to give her name, said although she was shopping at Target that morning, she was a regular Kmart shopper.

"I'll go to them as long as their stores are open," she said. "I like Target for a variety of things, but Kmart is the one I always go to first."

But Dave Eben of Canton had a different view.

"I think they brought it on themselves," he said of Kmart's problems. "I've been in this area for 35 years and the Kmart on Ann Arbor Road used to be the big place for shopping. They used to have everything you wanted.

"But their service ... the way they treat their customers ... just went down the tubes. And their pricing ... they didn't stay competitive."

Eben said he's been shopping at Target for three or four years.

"I doubt if I've been in Super K in the last year or year and a half. And I used to live right down the street from it."

Farther down the road at Meijer, Wayne Bollinger of Canton said he used to shop at Kmart but is now a regular Meijer customer.

"I feel bad for Kmart," he said, "but call it mismanagement or whatever, I haven't been a Kmart shopper for more than five years. I used to live in Westland and moved to Canton and Meijer is closer. If I have to go to Kmart or Target to look for something I'll do it, but Meijer is closer and I like that."

At the Plymouth Township Kmart on Ann Arbor Road, customers said they'd like to see the company survive, but recognized the nation's third-largest retailer needs to make changes.

"I think it's a shame because it's a good store. They always have great prices on toys," said Nora Elder of Canton. "I think of all the people working there. It would be a shame if they all lost their jobs."

Missy Miller, who was helping patrons at the customer service counter, said there are concerns among employees.

"I hope this store stays open, but there's the Super K in Canton, just down the road," she said. "They posted a letter giving all the details. I think the company will survive."

Two store managers, attempting to be optimistic, are looking at the glass as being half full.

"It's not all bad news," said Nancy Dailide of Canton, speaking about the bankruptcy. "The company is regrouping. I'm not concerned about the future of our store."

Manager Al Boik said customer traffic seemed to be normal, despite the bankruptcy announcement only hours before.

"It's business as usual. It's going a lot like any normal day," he said.

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loose foam pit for practicing difficult skills and better lighting.

In other action, the board approved the purchase of four 2002 Ford Explorer SUVs for use by the Planning Services and Municipal Services departments.

One vehicle will be used by Planning Services for an inspection position, one will be used by Municipal Services by the Project Engineer for inspecting municipal project sites and two will be used by Building and Inspection services, replacing a 1989 Chevrolet Impala and a 1991 Grand Prix.

Total cost for the new vehicles is $91,384.

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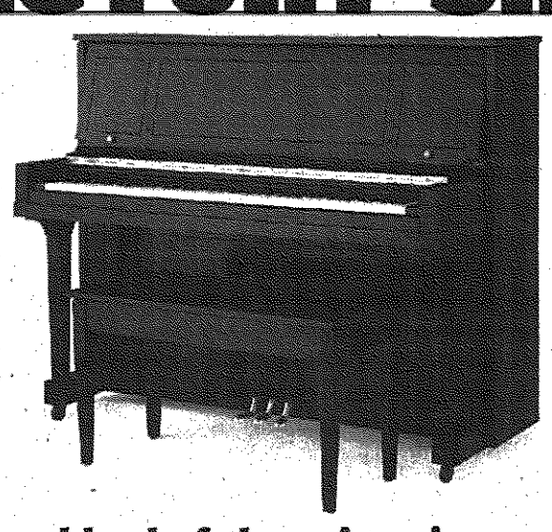

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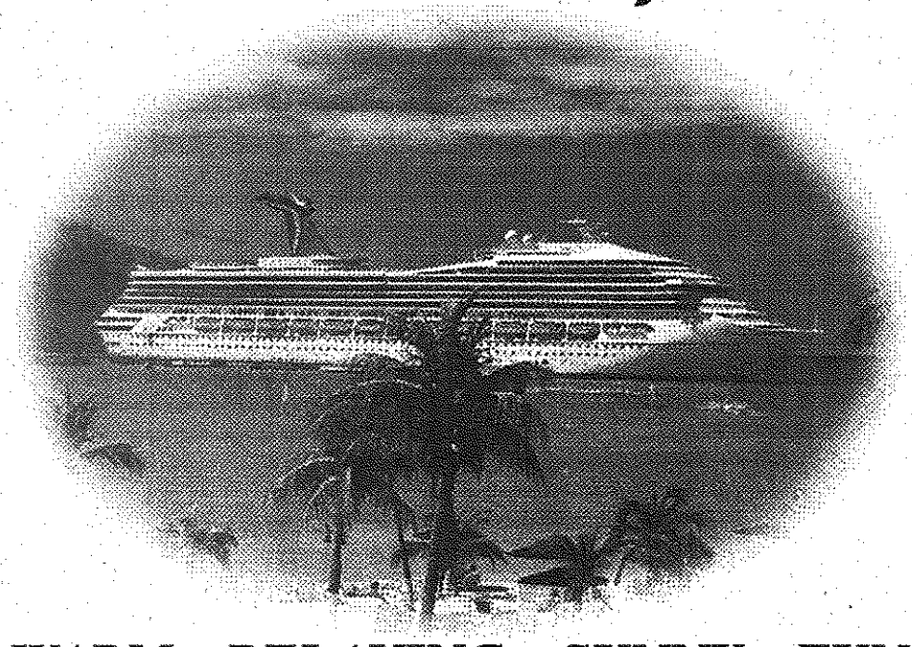

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Lift every voice: *Featured speaker Clifton Taulbert sings "We Shall Overcome" with others attending the King day celebration at Plymouth Salem High School on Monday afternoon.*

King *from page A1*

an effort by the school district to make amends for last year's controversy in which a high school senior wrote a letter in the school newspaper challenging the need for Black History Month.

"The most important message Dr. King had is not only are we diverse and unique, but we are all basically, at the core, the same," school board trustee Mark Slavens said in his opening remarks. "Another idea of Dr. King was that every single person can make a difference."

Superintendent Kathleen Booher welcomed those in attendance to the celebration of the life of Martin Luther King.

"Our presence here today signals our celebration of his life and the influence of history ... We know that Dr. King's message compelled freedom to ring from every corner of our land, and for all who are oppressed," she said.

The gathering listened to keynote speaker Clifton Taulbert, author of the book *Eight Habits of the Heart*, who is renowned for his poignant memoirs about growing up in the segregated South.

It's fitting

"I think this high school cafeteria is the fitting place to celebrate humanity, mainly because the youth of the world are our future," said Taulbert.

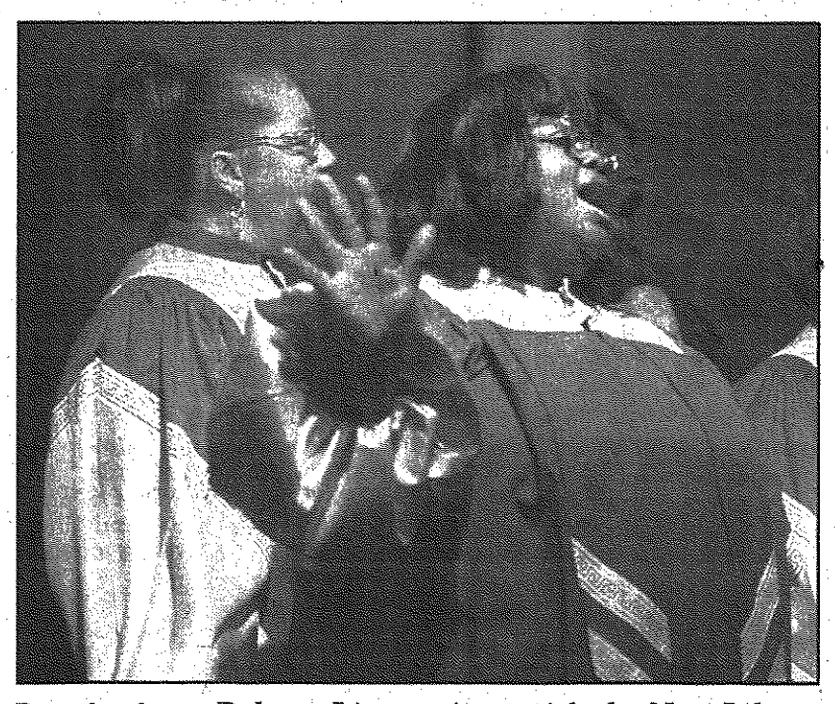
Earlier in the day, Taulbert addressed more than 1,000 Plymouth-Canton teachers and administrators before they participated in many of the 52 break-out sessions.

Rev. Joe Stevenson of New Liberty Baptist Church, who has worked with Plymouth-Canton Schools in developing a diversity program, acknowledged the district's efforts at bringing people of all races together.

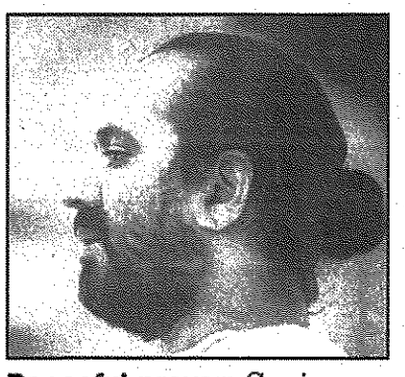
"It's a wonderful way to celebrate humanity, as well as bring all of the community together," said Stevenson. "It's a good start. I think we have to follow the admonishments of Dr. Taulbert and do our work on our shift."

Adrienne Davis, a member of Plymouth-Canton Association of African-American Parents, said she believes there is more misunderstanding than racism in the local community.

"What I find, because of the homogenous nature of the community, isn't racism, but ignorance," said Davis. "It's not about someone hating you, but someone who hasn't been around you."



Proud voices: *Delores Linear sings with the New Liberty Baptist Church Choir of Detroit during a Racial Unity Service at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton Monday to celebrate Martin Luther King Day.*



Peaceful prayer: *Senior Hindu Priest Chandrashekar Sharmaji gives a universal prayer and peace offering at Monday's luncheon at Salem High School.*

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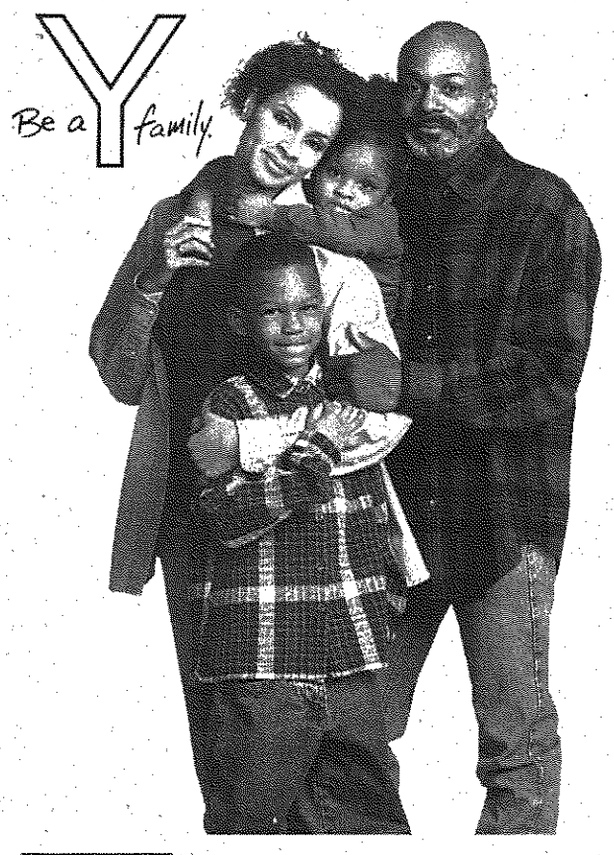

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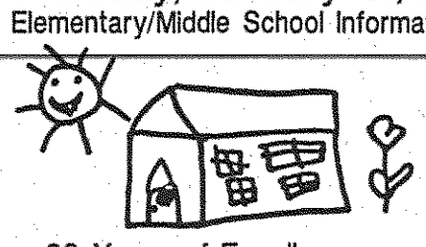

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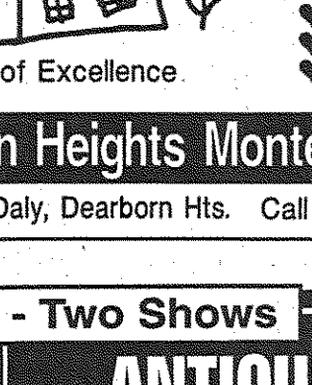

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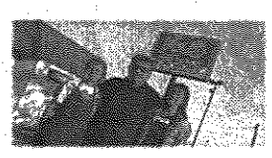

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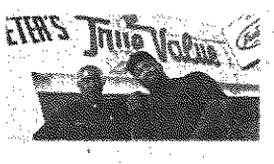

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mouth High School, which is scheduled to open in August.

Fund equity is projected to fall again by $106,000 in the 2003-04 school year, and by another $124,000 the next school year.

Brand said she is hoping for passage of a county-wide millage next August to pay for special education programs through Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency (RESA). Currently the district's budget includes more than $1.4 million to pay for special education services.

No pay raises?

The projected budgets do not include pay increases for teachers, who will be bargaining a multi-year contract this spring. Brand, who estimates a 2.5 percent wage increase would cost the district $1.3 million annually, said passage of the county-wide millage will make money available for raises, without considering alternatives such as budget cuts or using the fund balance.

"Foundation allowance increases barely cover our fixed-cost increases, such as retirement, health care and utilities," said Brand. "In the past, we were able to give raises because we had 200-300 more kids than projected. But in reality, foundation amount increases (without student count growth) just barely cover costs you can't control.

"The state determines what we can do, and what kind of raises we can give, because it controls 97 percent of our budget," she said. "And, it's every district in the state. Everyone has the same concerns."

School board trustees are aware of the range of fiscal possibilities, but said now is not the time to become alarmed.

"I don't think we should panic yet, because no one really knows (what the legislature will do)," said Susan Davis, board member.

"I'm pleased to see the administration is working on a process, should we have to face some budgetary cuts," said Trustee Tom Wysocki.

Cuts could give district $5 million deficit in 2003

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If Plymouth-Canton Schools don't receive a $200 per pupil increase in the state's foundation grant for the 2002-03 school year, cuts will be necessary to overcome the $5 million shortfall in the district's projected revenue budget.

The state earlier promised the increased funding for school districts statewide. However, because of state revenue declines, Gov. John Engler is reconsidering plans to increase the state foundation grants. Currently, Plymouth-Canton receives $6,825 per pupil in state funding.

Patricia Brand, the district's executive director of business services, said she's confident state officials will eventually decide to stick with the foundation allowance increase. However, she noted the district is making plans for program changes in case the state eliminates some, if not all, of the foundation grant increase.

"We've heard opinions from various sources about the foundation grant, and they all say something different," said Brand. "This is Gov. Engler's last year in office. It's a political year. I think he'll find a way to fund it."

However, Brand said the district is not sitting idly by while waiting for the final determination by Engler and the state legislature.

"We're not sitting waiting for potential cuts to happen," added Brand. ""We're going to gather information so whatever happens we can deal with it."

Within weeks, the district will be sending surveys to parents, PTO's, principals and the general community. The surveys will ask respondents to put values on the importance of classroom subjects such as art, life skills, music and physical education; student/teacher services like adult education, media center services, para professionals, the reading recovery program, and talented and gifted program; and ancillary student services; including transportation for athletics, as well as daily conveyance for students in elementary, middle and high schools.

"We want the community to look at everything in our budget and value them in terms of each other," sa id Brand. "We want them to base their decisions on the potential to entice families to move into the district, and to retain families already living here. We also want to know how they value each item based on its potential to support students achieving personal excellence.

"We do not want to reduce in terms of cutting dollars. We should be thinking what is the best education for kids," she said. "There are a lot of kids' lives at stake here, and that's why we need to be realistic as to what's going to happen."

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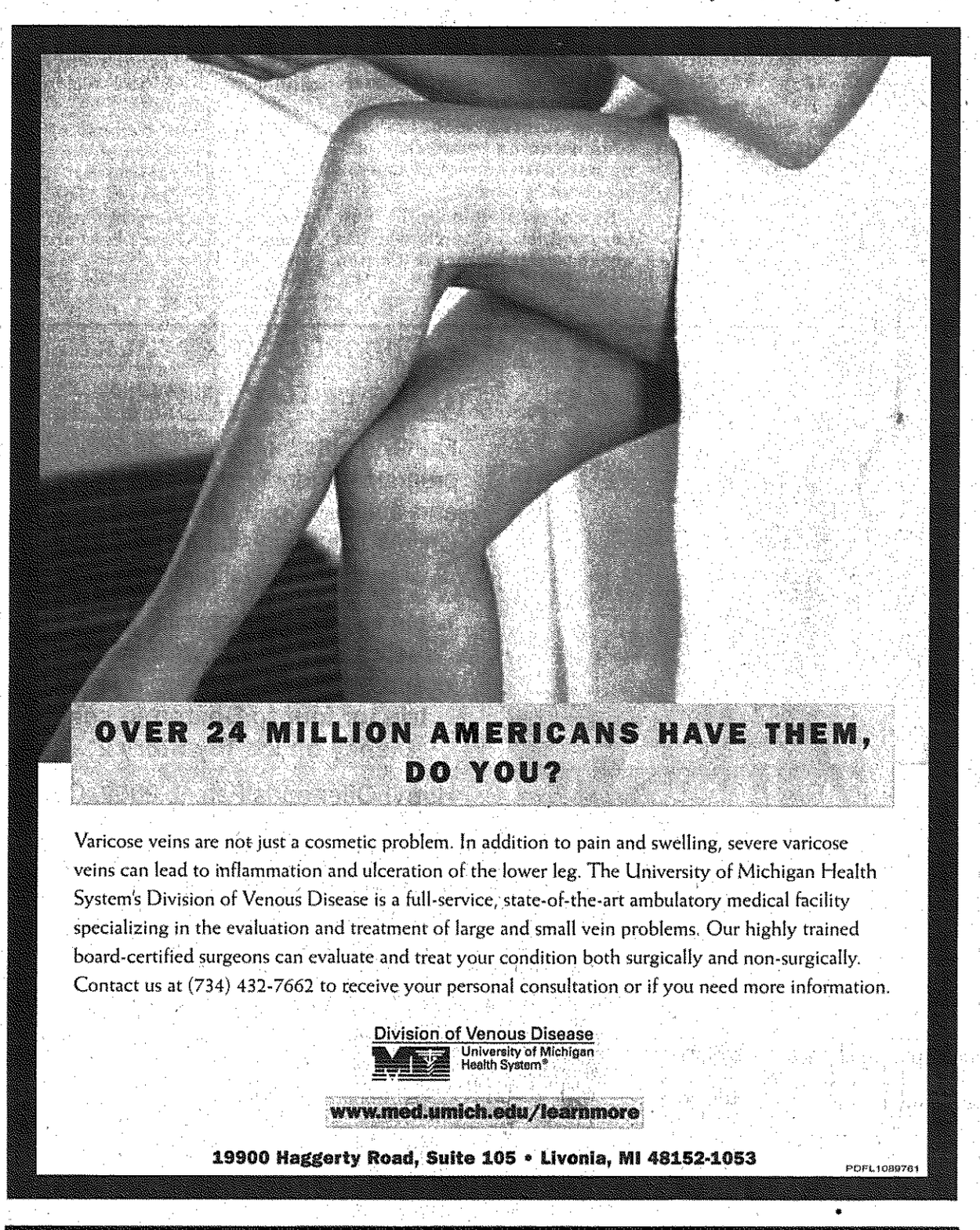

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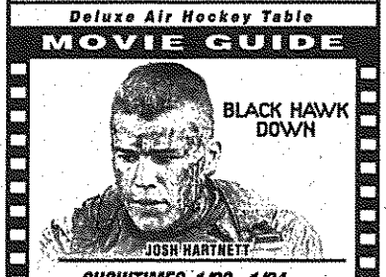

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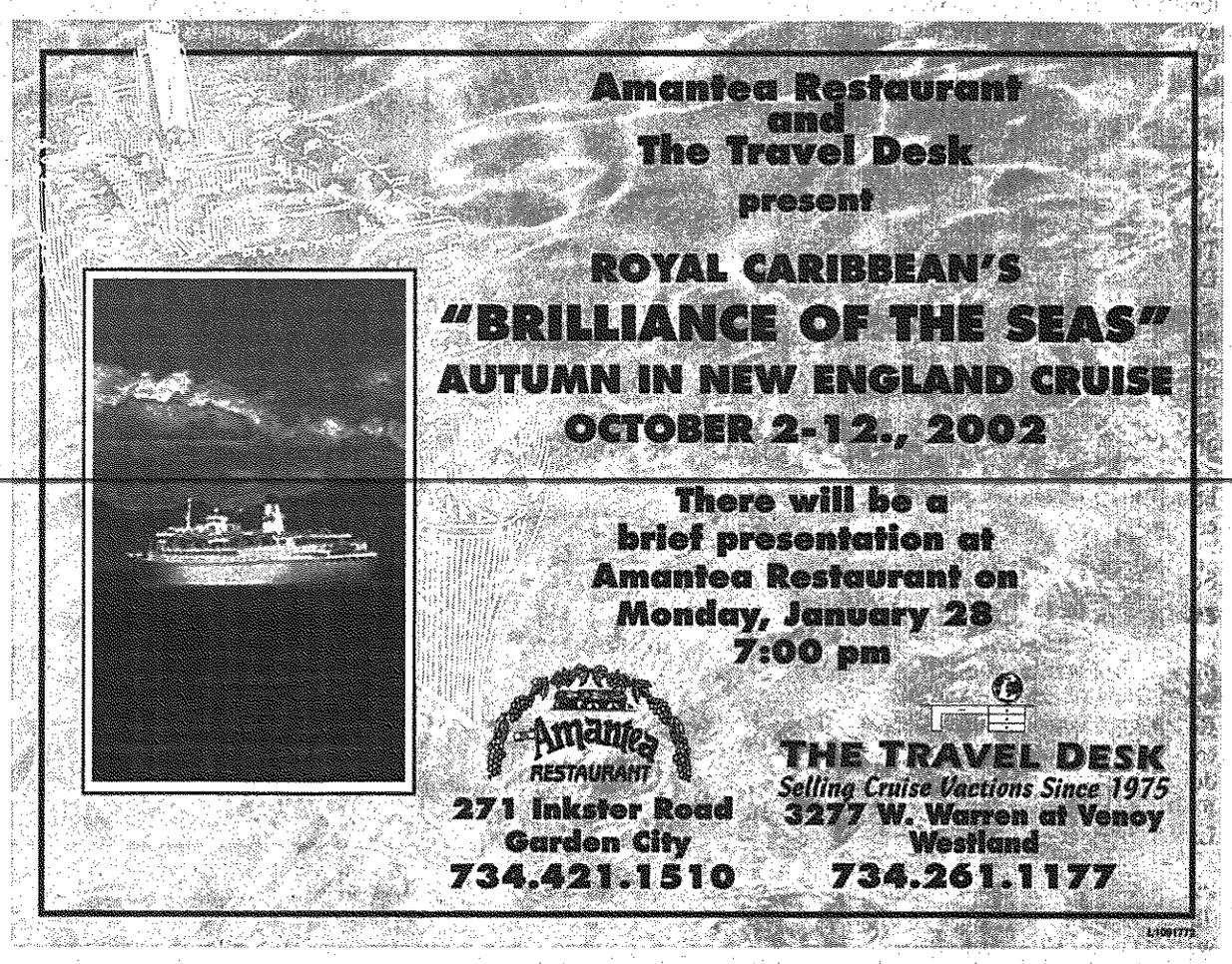

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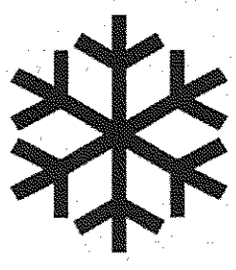

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CANTON OBITUARIES

MARIE B. BOLSER

Services for Marie Bolser, 89, were held Jan. 22 at the Neely-Turowski Funeral Home with the Rev. Kurt Radke officiating. Burial was at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West.

Mrs. Bolser was born July 22, 1912 in Detroit and died Jan. 18 in Garden City. She was a salesperson.

Mrs. Bolser was preceded in death by her husband, Ferdinand; and brother, Howard Srock.

Survivors include daughter, Donna (Donald) McGill; son, Howard (Barbara) Bolser; son, Ferdinand (Kay) Bolser; seven grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; sister, Mildred Srock; sister, Ruth Youens; and sister, Shirley Reynolds.

Arrangements made by Neely-Turowski Funeral Home.

ELIZABETH M. HOELSCHER

Services for Elizabeth Hoelscher, 78, of Canton were held Jan. 22 at St. Thomas a'Becket Catholic Church with the Rev. Andy Webster officiating. Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mrs. Hoelscher was born Sept. 12, 1923 in Detroit and died Jan. 19 in Canton.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Hoelscher.

Survivors include daughters, Mary (Mike) Olson, Susan (Michael) Dunn, Patricia Gaines, Kathy (Sid) Wells, Barb (Mark) Tomlinson, and Sharon (Terry) McKay; brothers, Ralph and Bernard Ziegler; and nine grandchildren.

Arrangements made by McCabe Funeral Home Canton Chapel.

PATRICIA L. BECK

Services for Patricia Beck, 56, of Northville Township, were held Jan. 22 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Doc Ortman officiating.

Mrs. Beck was born March 28, 1945 in Detroit and died Jan. 18 in Northville. She was a homemaker. She came to the Northville community in 1988 from Plymouth. She was a member of the Northville Newcomers. She loved golfing and belonged to the Par Shooters Golf League in Northville. She enjoyed cross stitch, crafts, photography, collecting Santas, and she was an avid bowler. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, sister, daughter, and aunt.

Survivors include husband, Richard Beck of Northville; children, Julia (Stephen) Schneider of Castle Rock, Colo., and Matthew Spicer of Fort Worth, Texas; grandchildren, Erica, David and Matthew Schneider; sisters, Judith Barron of N.C., and Deborah (Kevin) Cremeens of Novi; niece, Kristen Cremeens; nephew, Bryan Cremeens; and mother, Julia Barron of Westland.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

ELWOOD CORBIN

A Masonic Memorial Service for Elwood Corbin, 89, of Canton was held Jan. 22 at the Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington, under the auspices of Garden City Builders Lodge No. 587 F & A M with burial at Grand Lawn Cemetery in Detroit.

Mr. Corbin was born March 22, 1912 in Zelma, Mo. and died Jan. 20 in Farmington Hills. He was retired in 1978 as a drill maker for Whitmar and Barnes. He was a member of the Garden City Builders Lodge No. 587 F & A M.

He was preceded in death by his wife of 55 years, Betty; son, Gene; four brothers; and one sister.

Survivors include daughter, Sharon Uhes of Plymouth; sister, Velma Carson of Ill.; three grandchildren, Gregory, James, and John; and one great-grandchild.

Arrangements made by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington.

CARL MARTIN OSTLUND

Services for Carl Ostlund, 72, of Wayne were held Jan. 11 at McCabe Funeral Home-Canton Chapel with the Rev. Henry W. Roobeen officiating. Burial was at Knollwood Memorial Park.

Mr. Ostlund was born July 11, 1929 in Chicago and died Jan. 7 in Wayne. He was a master plumber for Ostlund Heating & Cooling in Westland.

He was preceded in death by his son, Carl Ostlund.

Survivors include wife, Jean Ostlund; sons, Bob Ostlund of Taylor, Tony Ostlund of Minnesota; and Bill (Ann) Ostlund of Livonia; daughters, Karen Gary) Schultz of Canton, Kim Gary) Harris of Canton and Samie (Tom) Shields of Westland; brothers, Arnie and Kenneth Ostlund; 15 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

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JOHN J. GUETTLER

Services for John Guettler, 71, of Ann Arbor were held Jan. 23 at the Vermeulen Trust 100 Funeral Home in Plymouth with the Rev. Paul E. Schaefer officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Mr. Guettler was born April 17, 1930 in Monroe and died Jan. 19 in Superior Township. He was a self-employed businessman.

He graduated from the University of Michigan in 1952 where he majored in economics. He enjoyed flying, having his first solo flight in 1963, and worldwide traveling with his wife. He was a long-time member of St. Peters Evangelical Lutheran Church in Plymouth.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Emily in 1992.

Survivors include step-brother, Bob Bartel; step-brother, Bill Bartel, Jr.; and many dear friends.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Humane Society of Huron Valley, 3100 Cherry Hill, Ann Arbor, MI 48105.

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HENRY A. BERGHOFF

Services for Henry Berghoff, 71, of Plymouth were held Jan. 21 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Sanford Burr officiating.

Mr. Berghoff was born Feb. 25, 1930 in Detroit and died Jan. 18 in Ann Arbor. He was a police officer in Plymouth for more than 32 years. He retired as a lieutenant in 1984. He was a member of the Good Fellows of Plymouth and The Plymouth Grange. He was a volunteer Fire Fighter in Novi and also served with the Plymouth Fire Department. He enjoyed gun collecting, his family and fishing. He was well known throughout the community and enjoyed participating with charity organizations.

Survivors include two sons; two daughters; four grandchildren; and one sister.

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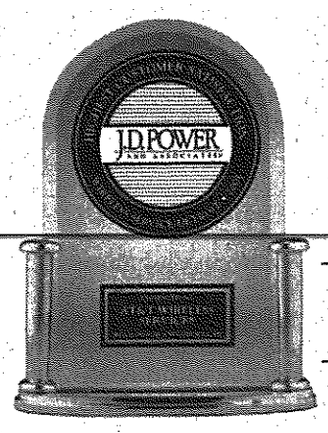

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Our fundamental purposes are to enhance the lives of our readers, nurture the hometowns we serve and contribute to the business success of our customers.

MLK Day training session a good start for district

We'd like to call Monday's celebration of humanity and the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King at Salem High School an unqualified success. But we can't, not yet anyway. To echo the sentiments of keynote speaker Clifton Taulbert, we'll find out beginning tomorrow. And in the months and years ahead.

We'll finally know the impact of this week's diversity and sensitivity training for some 1,000 Plymouth-Canton Community Schools teachers and administrators when the current generation of students begins applying classroom theory in the adult world. When they accept people of different races and ethnic backgrounds as equals, both on the job and in their neighborhood. We'll know when today's students become parents themselves – by listening to the thoughts and observing the actions of *their* children.

It's a long wait, we know. Especially when the issue is racism, where progress unfortunately is still measured in small accomplishments over decades, rather than giant leaps in tolerance and understanding that take place overnight.

The Observer believes Monday's session – a first for the district – was a good and necessary start though. Not just because of last year's controversy during Black History Month, when a Salem senior used a letter in the school newspaper to question the concept of setting aside a portion of the calendar for one minority. (Although that certainly played a part getting school officials to move forward.)

The fact is, tolerance is a required subject in our current, multi-cultural world. Just look at the school district itself. Some 30 languages are spoken in Plymouth-Canton and there are significant pockets of Asian, African-American, Hispanic and Native American students among the 16,425 enrolled in its schools.

We were also pleased to note the many Canton Township elected officials and employees at Monday's luncheon. The township linked up with the school district as part of it's own in-house training, which included morning and afternoon sessions at the Summit.

Using the King holiday as a jumping off point for wider discussions on diversity and acceptance has itself become a controversial issue in recent years. Some believe it waters down the civil rights leader's original message, or worse, is an effort to rub out his individual achievements and make the day less "black." Yes, it's important to remember events like the Montgomery, Ala. bus boycott and the March on Washington, events that framed the modern-day civil rights movement and shaped Dr. King's world. Those who ignore history are condemned to repeat it, the philosopher George Santayanna once said.

But also relevant is the idea that we must pick up King's mantle and apply it to life in the 21st century. Taulbert, an author and motivational speaker, said as much on Monday. He praised King and other champions of oppressed people including Nelson Mandela and Caesar Chavez for carrying the burden on their watch. Then added:

"Our challenge today is what will we do on our shift," Taulbert said. "What will corporate America do tomorrow? What will our elected officials do tomorrow?"

"What will we take from this pause in life that will be meaningful as we move ahead? In fact, it's not as much a pause as a call to action."

The students who returned to school on Tuesday will have the final say on whether we heeded that call.

Wake up and smell the school start time coffee

Virtually every child who notices that days are set aside to honor both mothers and fathers has asked, "Why isn't there a Children's Day?"

As any parent will tell you, every day is Children's Day. But kids are supposed to outgrow the idea that the world revolves around them. Parents should encourage their children to become independent and responsible, making choices that ensure a healthy, happy life.

We believe a plan under consideration by several local school districts flies in the face of that notion. They've decided high school start times should be changed – at great cost – to allow teens an extra hour of sleep.

The idea has strong supporters, but it's time for those who have championed this cause to wake up and smell the coffee.

Certainly, there's plenty of evidence to show teenagers need more sleep and function better later in the day. Studies have shown adolescents have biological clocks set to a later bedtime and an earlier waking time.

So do many adults. Some of us only recognize one 7:30, and it's not during daylight hours.

But no one who values a paycheck would ever think of walking into an employer's office and asking to start an hour later, because research shows their biological clock keeps them from getting up on time.

Adolescent sleep researcher Mary Carskadon, whose findings were cited in an article published last year in the Illinois School Board Journal, has linked changes in sleep patterns, sleep/wake systems and circadian timing systems (body rhythms that occur every 24 hours) to bodily changes that occur with puberty.

We'll buy that. Adolescence is a tough time, what with all the hormonal and emotional changes involved. Kids may suffer from excessive sleepiness.

But what else is happening with today's teenager?

Those who are motivated to attend college often take advanced level classes that require additional study time. Athletes, artists, actors, debaters and musicians spend hours at practices and in competition.

In some families, kids have to work to pay for a car, insurance, concert tickets and other necessities. Holding down a part-time job is common – and some kids heap the demands of extracurriculars or an accelerated academic program on top of that.

And the sad truth is, if you give kids an extra hour in the morning, those with the most crowded schedules probably won't use it to sleep.

No matter how much we might wish it so, each day consists of only 24 hours. Anyone who doesn't use around eight of those hours to sleep will eventually suffer health problems, or worse.

In a 1994 study, the National Institutes of Health identified drowsiness or fatigue as a primary cause in 100,000 traffic crashes every year. In more than half of those accidents, drivers under age 25 were behind the wheel.

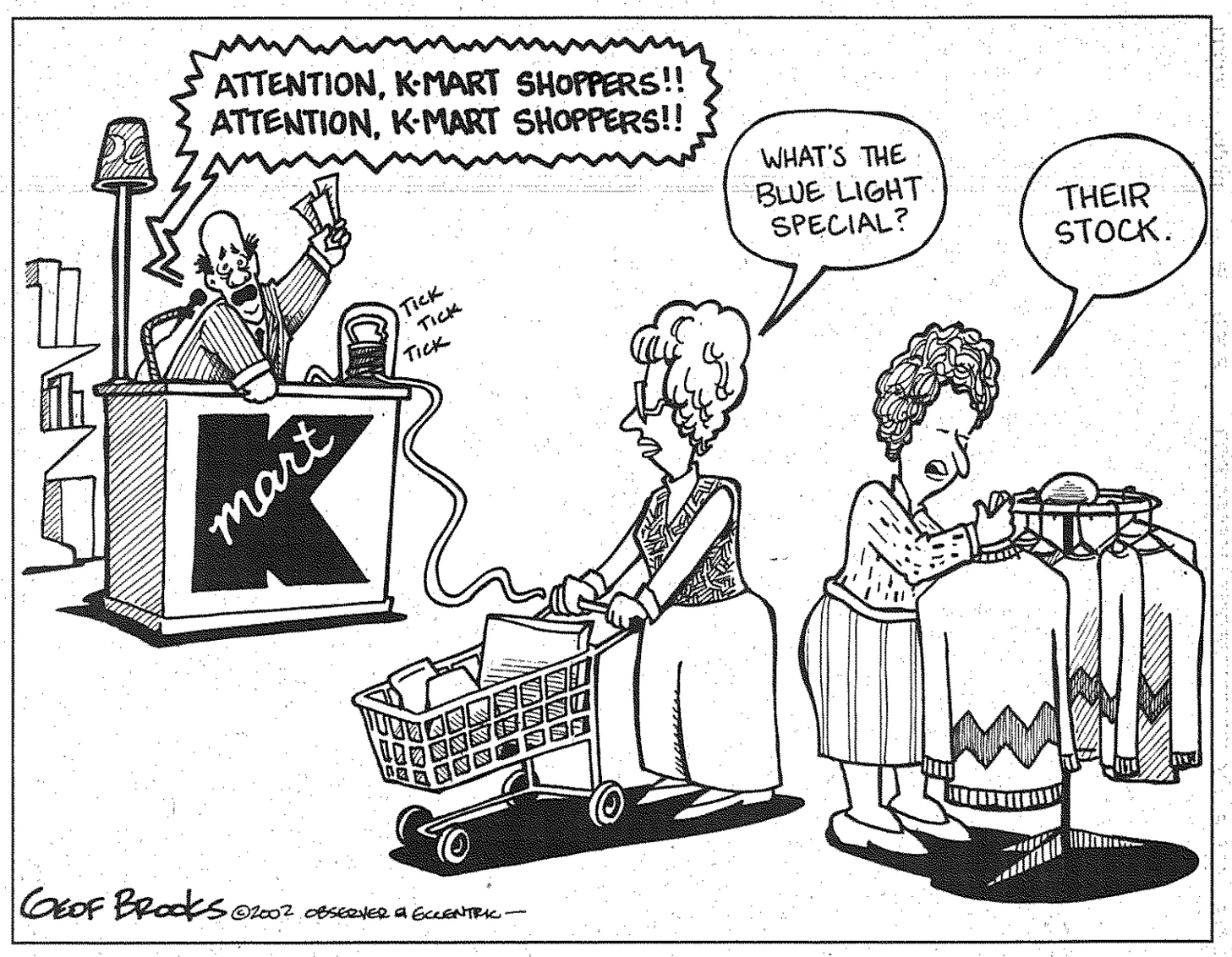
Sleepiness doesn't just affect academics, it's a real safety risk, a serious problem that won't be resolved by moving the alarm clock ahead a half hour or so. Kids have to learn how to cope with stress, how to prioritize, how to say "no" and keep their lives from becoming so cluttered they exhaust themselves trying to keep up.

We encourage school district officials to look at their own priority lists before even considering a move like this. Concern for students' best interests is admirable, but there's a bigger picture here.

The state and federal tugs of war over special education funding and impacts of a sluggish economy have many districts in dire financial straits, now and for the foreseeable future. We applaud officials in Plymouth-Canton and Livonia, who have publicly backed off the idea because they simply can't afford to look at this right now.

For taxpayers, that's the bottom line, and it's an important one. But an even greater concern should be guiding young people into healthy, balanced adult lives. Moving heaven and earth in their direction, rather than encouraging them to make decisions in their own best interests, won't accomplish that.

We urge any school district still on the school start time band wagon to think twice about giving kids another hour of sleep and pay more attention to what's happening in the light of day.



LETTERS

The wrong track

I am a little confused by the Observer editorial "Racial progress is slow" (Jan. 17). The Observer decries the fact that a recent census shows Detroit to be the most racially divided community in the United States.

A new study by a Detroit newspaper concluded that Detroiters live in segregated neighborhoods by choice. So is the Observer suggesting forced integration?

The Observer laments the fate of Detroit's children having to attend sub-standard schools. Recent reports point to administrative incompetence and corruption as the main problem with the schools in Detroit. Does the Observer see racism as the cause here?

The Observer tries to paint opposition to affirmative action as somehow racist. Many blacks as well as whites, consider the issue as one of common sense and not race. If we disagree, are we all closet racists?

I think that there has been real progress in race relations. I do however, see danger when people use race as a weapon or as an excuse.

I see danger when newspapers see racism in every social issue and a racist behind every bush.

I see danger when "white guilt" keeps people from speaking out when they see injustice.

I think Dr. King would be proud of our progress since his death but dismayed at the direction his movement and some of his successors have taken.

Janusz M. Szyszko
Canton

Who misleads?

I read with amazement Mrs. Booher's letter to the editor (Statement Misleading, Observer, Dec. 20). She comments about my recent statements saying they "could contribute to further misunderstanding in the community."

I believe it is actually Mrs. Booher who intends to mislead, in order to keep public attention and dialog away from what the media has labeled her "master plan," as school officials work to implement significant elements of it.

In October, a "final" plan document was presented to the board. As I read her document, the major elements (which started the controversy back in August) remain the same.

She still recommends the "repurposing" of Central, closure of Miller School and other buildings as neighborhood schools, the end of the Talented and Gifted (TAG) program as a magnet, and larger schools overall.

With this written recommendation, I was surprised at Mrs. Booher's suggestion that I was trying to mislead. Quoting Mrs. Booher, "I have not proposed an elimination of the Talented and Gifted program...my proposal proposed a 50 percent expansion of TAG ...

I am puzzled why he would continue to state that my intent is otherwise." While her statement makes for a pleasing sound bite, I don't think these words match her written proposals. Let's examine the facts.

While Mrs. Booher talks about expanding TAG, her plan still calls for conversion of Miller School (home of TAG) into an office building, and returning gifted students to their home schools.

The current TAG magnet program would be eliminated. Once talented children are returned to the general education population, it will be up to the classroom teacher to challenge these new students.

In my view, simply classifying more children as "TAG" within the general education environment puts an even greater burden on the already overtaxed classroom teacher, and potentially dilutes the quality of instruction offered ALL children.

Once we focus on facts and data, I believe that the community will readily see whose statement was intended to mislead.

Of course, the one word Mrs. Booher does not mention in her response is deficit. Unless her administration dramatically reverses the current trend of spending more than we take in, I'm afraid there will be no alternative to school closures and elimination of popular programs.

The deficit situation should be discussed openly and frankly with the community. The time to start an honest and open dialog is now.

Michael J. Maloney
Former Board President

Absolute powers corrupt

This is in regards to Phil Power's Jan. 3 editorial on the elimination of straight ticket voting.

Absolute powers corrupt absolutely and I very much doubt if the Democratic Party held the Governorship, controlled both houses of the Michigan Legislature and then held millions of dollars in political contributions over the heads of the Michigan Supreme Court and that they would have done any different.

How quickly we forget the 2000 election, millions of corrupted ballots, hundreds of corrupted officials and a final decision not coming from the people's ballots but the Supreme Court. We had a "non-partisan" Federal Election Commission chaired by three Democrats and three Republicans deciding millions of dollars in election funding for the Reform Party.

All that BI-partisanship talk about campaign finance and election reform what a joke. Where is it now? We have allowed a very small group of wealthy individuals to divide and then control our democracy. They unite us now not on the basis of peace, love and understanding but rather through war, hate and their own personal greed.

Who will stop all this corruption? The Michigan Supreme Court? An apathetic pro NFTA pro WTO Democratic Party, the party that set us on this global economic race to the bottom in the first place. There can never be a system of checks and balances under Republican or Democratic one party rule.

So Democrats, if you still think restoring straight party voting or the ending of having to report every last dollar to the state is campaign reform, walk a mile in the Green, Libertarian or Reform parties shoes. These parties are not even allowed on the ballot in the State's so-called "Democratic and Republican" primary elections.

This is not a democratic process, but is a private club the Democratic and Republican parties have created by and for themselves. It allows them to exclusively parade their candidate before an automatically divide public. Yet everyone, including Independent voters (who are the majority of Michigan's voters), and the people from the other three major parties must pay taxes for these phony elections.

Clearly the only way to fix the election process is create a fair level playing field for all the parties.

However, this will never happen as long the Democrats and Republicans are caught up in this private game of rigging and twisting the election law to their own party's advantage each time.

Eric Borregard
Farmington Hills

Honor with work

While the season in which several days off with pay for governments employees is upon us, it seems that a more appropriate way to honor a deserving person, whether he is George Washington, Abraham Lincoln, Martin King, Christopher Columbus, president, or some other future designee or designees for such a distinction, is not to shun work, but instead, on designated days for the honored, work twice as efficiently, twice as long, twice as hard.

There is no intrinsic worth in idleness; certainly not a commendable way to honor someone we value highly by it.

I am sure that these, by many highly regarded persons, if still alive, would feel much more honored by the latter worthy approach, that is, by honest work of their admirers.

Furthermore, working productively on these days would be praiseworthy from a patriotic point of view; the country would benefit from it by not losing tens of millions of public employees workdays.

The so honored, themselves, believed to be exemplary citizens, would certainly appreciate good citizenship of their honorers.

Joe Wira
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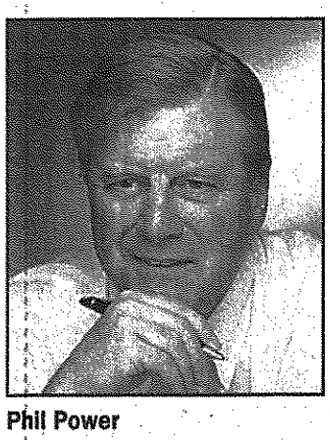
OTHER OPINIONS

Prospects looking grim for state's auto industry

It's no secret that the domestic automobile industry is facing terrible times.

Daimler-Chrysler is still preoccupied with the major downsizing and restructuring effort that followed what now looks like an ill-advised and badly executed takeover by the Germans.

Literally fighting for its life, Ford recently announced record losses and has just embarked on a plan to close five manufacturing plants and cut 35,000 jobs worldwide.



Phil Power

Even General Motors, amazingly converted from perennial also-ran into top dog, is still slashing costs. Worse, industry experts estimate that up to a quarter of all U.S. automotive supplier companies, tool and die firms and equipment manufacturers will face insolvency this year.

Although the relative dominance of the auto industry in Michigan's economy has declined considerably over the past decade, automobiles are still the heart and soul of what provides jobs, security and wealth for our people. Best estimates peg the auto industry as a whole as representing something like 20 percent of the entire Michigan gross domestic output.

To better understand what's really going on behind the superficiality of all the headlines, I called my old friend David Cole, president of the Center for Automotive Research and unquestionably our ranking expert on the automobile industry.

Cole's prognosis is grim: "The business model that has defined the auto industry for the past half century is broken and there is a clear understanding that the industry as a whole must restructure in order to remain competitive."

According to Cole, the basic economic logic of the supply side of the industry has been to run the plants at maximum capacity in order to reduce per unit manufacturing costs and to provoke the highest possible volume of sales. On the demand side, the idea has been simultaneously to reduce cost and add value — less emissions, better mileage, new models — to stimulate consumer demand.

Clearly, the workings of this largely free market have produced better products, great savings and good deals for customers. For example, buying a car 10 years ago cost the average consumer around 30 weeks of income. Today, buying a (much improved) new car costs the average Joe just a bit more than 22 weeks in wages.

But according to Cole's analysis, two major forces for change have today brought the auto industry to its worst place since the early 1980s:

The vastly increased competitive pressure exerted by three major world automotive industries — Asian, European and American — all focusing much of their production and marketing capacity on a single North American market. Everybody's trying to make and sell cars to the Americans, which results in very tough price and quality competition on the one hand and enormously expensive excess manufacturing capacity on the other.

In this intensely competitive environment, the ever-increasing costs of research and development, new product design and regulatory mandates simply cannot be fully passed on to customers.

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The result: Vast pressure on profits.

Ford is losing money at a never-before equaled pace; something like $10 billion in assets are gone from its balance sheet. Chrysler has lost $8 billion since the acquisition. Only GM is showing earnings in excess of projections, plainly the outcome of an enormous company-wide effort to cut costs and restructure the corporation that took place for the entire decade of the 1990s.

Cole reports all this is happening at greater and greater speed, witness GM's amazing reversal of roles with Ford over just the past 18 months. Just as great high school football players discover everybody's just as fast as they are once they start playing college ball, even giant players in the auto industry are discovering in shock just how fast things can change in a ferociously competitive environment.

Cole's bottom line: "Something's got to change. The old business model is simply not sustainable."

Maybe the recession will come to an end later this year, but I wouldn't bet that things will get a lot better in Michigan for quite a long time.

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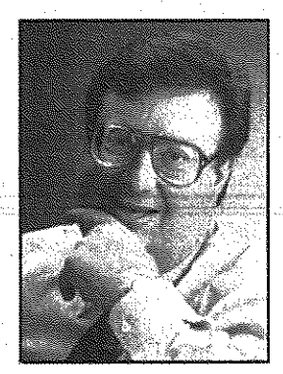

Tedd Schneider

Home court advantage doesn't buy much these days, retailers find

They're hometown stores, so we pull for them with the same kind of passion we exhibit for our professional sports teams. We all want Kmart and Jacobson's to succeed.

The local roots for both retailers run deep. Kmart has that gleaming headquarters building in Troy, of course. But the national discount chain ran its first-ever Blue Light Special from a single store (then owned by the S.S. Kresge Co.) on Ford Road in Garden City in 1962.

Jacobson's – the 134-year old Jackson-based company with 23 stores in Michigan, Ohio and Florida – forged much of it's identity as southeastern Michigan's premier high-end department store. In fact, as the original anchor store at Livonia's Laurel Park Place, Jacobson's played a huge role in making "upscale" shopping a short trip for people living and working in the western suburbs. Those (seeming) half-day commutes to Ann Arbor or the far reaches of Oakland County just weren't necessary any longer.

But because the two chains – whose financial difficulties have become front-page news in recent days – aren't nameless, faceless companies run from some far-away locale we also tend to give them a pass when it comes to measuring up to the competition. While that's only human, it's not necessarily the best way to ensure either their long-term business health or our range of shopping choices.

The sad fact is that while the current recession has certainly exacerbated the situation, there are other reasons Kmart was forced to file for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection this week, following Jacobson's move in that direction just nine days ago. Reasons that have nothing to do with poor holiday sales or the aftermath of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks.

Most local shoppers could probably rattle them off without missing a beat. And odd as it sounds, many (myself included) have considerable experience whipping out their wallets at both the tony department stores and bargain-basement discounters – sometimes during the same shopping trip.

Just step inside any local Kmart, particularly one of the older stores like the one on Seven Mile at Farmington Road in Livonia or the one on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth Township. You'll find cluttered, narrow aisles with merchandise stacked so high and haphazardly that it's difficult to see the directional signs hanging from the ceiling. The store layout thwarts anyone even thinking about making a five-minute stop at lunch hour or on the way home from work.

True, the Super K on Ford Road in Canton and other newer stores feature better lighting, wider aisles and a cleaner look. But if the retailer's own, southeastern Michigan back yard is an example of it's nationwide store replacement strategy, there just aren't enough of them to make a substantial difference. Not when you're competing with the likes of Wal-Mart and Target, deep-pocketed chains that have for the last decade seemingly opened a new store every other week in virtually every American suburb large enough to accommodate one of their monster-sized parking lots.

Convenience is one reason many consumers choose their discount store. But industry analysts will tell you that prices are the biggest factor. Finding heavily advertised sale items in stock at Kmart is sometimes a challenge. In fact, an acquaintance once suggested (in jest, I think) that they change the store name to Raincheck City. And sure enough, every Kmart CEO from Joseph Antonini to the recently demoted Chuck Conaway has talked at one time or another about "new technology" that will "revolutionize" the retailer's "inventory control system." Attention, Kmart executives: it hasn't happened.

Jacobson's also struggles to compete with national retailers in its category. This wasn't so much a problem when you practically had to hop in a car and drive all the way to Chicago (OK, maybe Troy) for the closest upscale shopping experience. But over the last 10-15 years, national chains like Neiman Marcus and Nordstrom's have built stores in or near virtually every Midwest city. They offer the same kind of merchandise, service and attention to detail that Jake's built its reputation on over more than a century.

They also offer something Jacobson's apparently can't match. Buzz, hype and image. Who doesn't know which store issues the famous (and really ridiculous, when you think about it) Christmas catalogue that gets guaranteed free print and television exposure every year? That may not have much to do with a quality shopping experience, but in an age where media – and attention spans – are more fragmented than ever, it counts for something.

Certainly, the hope here is that both retailers can turn things around in short order. For their employees, their investors and the local economy. But consumers – even those who carry fond memories of local institutions – won't turn a blind eye to their shortcomings forever.

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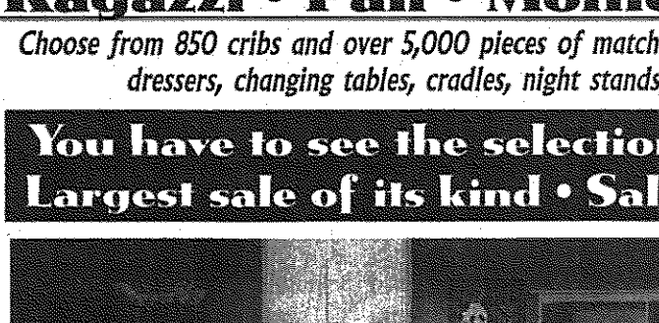

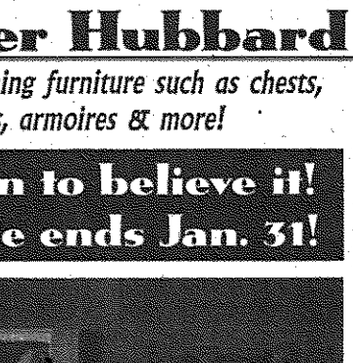

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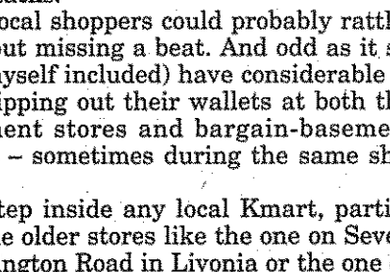

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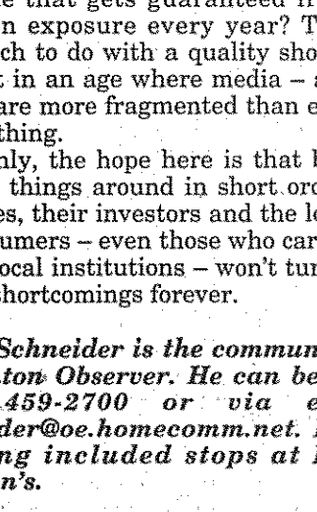

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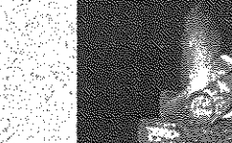

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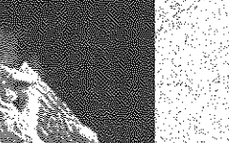

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Analysts differ on impact of Kmart bankruptcy filing

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It all officially started in 1962 with the opening of the first Kmart store in Garden City.

But its ancestry traces back 102 years to the dime store concept of the S.S. Kresge Co. in Detroit. Descendants like Kmart Super Centers with one-stop shopping, including clothing, housewares, garden supplies and groceries have followed over the years.

Now the retail giant, headquartered in Troy, totters financially, having filed for bankruptcy and protection from creditors while attempting to reorganize and survive.

"We're looking at possibly closing stores, but locations haven't been decided yet," said Stephen Pagnani, media relations manager for Kmart. "We're formulating a plan and expect to make and announce decisions soon."

Arrangements have been made to fund employee salaries and benefits with the bankruptcy filing, Pagnani added.

Analysts here differ on Kmart's future.

Bankruptcy doesn't mean certain death with massive job losses and vacant buildings, said Frederick Marx, partner and retail analyst with Marx Layne in Farmington Hills.

"A lot of retailers, Macy's, Bloomingdale's and Toys-R-Us, have gone through the process and come out successful," Marx said. "Without question, I think Kmart will go forward."

And Marx suspects metro Detroiters, whom he said often support the underdog, will rally to this longtime, hometown business in trouble.

"People here understand how important Kmart is in this community and I think they will support them more," Marx said. "I see an outpouring of customers. Even customers who abandoned the company for whatever reason, I think, will come back and give Kmart another chance."

Marx doesn't see many store closings or job losses here with bankruptcy.

"They have outstanding real estate ... strategic locations ... in metro Detroit," Marx said. "That's their ace in the deck. By and large, their stores in metro Detroit are among their best stores."

And if Kmart stores were to close here, they would be highly desirable and probably not vacant for long, Marx added. "All are on one floor and there's lots of parking."

James V. McTevia, chairman of McTevia & Associates, a firm that specializes in bankruptcies and business turnarounds, has a less optimistic view of Kmart's future.

"There's no doubt in my mind they will come out of Chapter 11 (bankruptcy) ... but in the next five, 10 or 15 years, there won't be a Kmart," he said.

McTevia's assessment for the short term: "A number of stores will have to be closed, downsized, a lot of people will lose jobs." Both here and around the country, he added.

Also, the publicly-owned company has lost the confidence of its investors, who have seen the value of their stock plummet, McTevia said.

"What a lot of people can't understand is everything in the world has a lifespan," McTevia said. "No one lives forever. No company lives forever.

"In essence, what bankruptcy gives Kmart is time," McTevia said. "Kmart has approximately 500 stores that are unprofitable and it (bankruptcy) gives Kmart the opportunity to get out of every one of those leases.

"It cleans up the balance sheet and gives the opportunity to pay creditors less than 100 cents on the dollar," he added.

What will it take for Kmart to survive?

"They probably will have to do some retrenching," Marx said. "Stores have to have stock they advertise and staff to get people through lines quickly. It's back to basics."

"Certainly in terms of providing absolutely the best customer service is essential and that's something every associate can do," said Tom Scott, spokesman for the Michigan Retailers Association.

"Go the extra mile to make sure the shopping experience is pleasant and worthwhile," he added. "Not getting a defeatist attitude."

Livonia, Plymouth, Canton, Farmington, Westland and Garden City all have Kmart stores within their boundaries. Two others, in Detroit and Southfield, are just outside Redford.

Duggan says don't prowl city for vices

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Wayne County Prosecutor Michael Duggan is warning suburban residents against driving to Detroit for prostitutes or drugs, saying authorities will seize their cars.

"Do not drive in to Detroit looking for prostitutes because you will get caught," Duggan said, "and you will lose your car."

Duggan's office and Detroit police have launched a program intended to seize vehicles used in prostitution and drug crimes, and first-time offenders will have to pay $900 to get them back in addition to facing criminal charges.

Those fines will increase by $900 for each additional offense.

Duggan's office has found that while many of the crimes occur in Detroit, 46 percent of the defendants come from the suburbs.

"There's no question that people think they can drive into Detroit to get a hooker," Duggan said. "If we have people driving in an area with money in their hands, we're going to continue to have prostitution problems."

Suburbanites seeking prostitutes know the "hot-bed areas" where the criminal activity occurs, he said.

Arrest records show that the majority of defendants are primarily "kids and young adults" who have no criminal history, according to the prosecutor's office.

Detroit policing agencies last year seized 11,123 vehicles from people involved in prostitution or drug crimes. Of those, 505 came from just seven Observer communities: Westland, Livonia, Redford, Garden City, Farmington, Plymouth and Canton.

Of those 505 suspects, 120 came from Redford, 116 from Westland, 104 from Livonia, 75 from Farmington and Farmington Hills, 51 from Canton, 25 from Garden City and 14 from Plymouth.

"Nobody would dream of driving down Five Mile in Livonia looking for a hooker," he said. "I'm trying to make suburbanites understand that they can't do that in Detroit, either."

Westland Police Chief Emery Price said suburban law enforcement agencies, too, have had similar crackdowns on prostitution and drugs.

"We've gone through that before even out in our area, in Inkster and Wayne along Michigan Avenue," he said. "Does it reduce (the problem)? Sure. But, it's something you've got to stay on top of and continue to work on."

Price said he believes such police crackdowns do deter some people from seeking out prostitutes and drugs.

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ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Comedy recalls memories of growing up Catholic

Playing Sister in *Late Nite Catechism* brings back a lot of memories for Jan Chimento. She spent plenty of time in the principal's office of a Catholic school while growing up. Now she finds humor in the situation, but back then it wasn't funny.

ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS

LINDA ANN CHOMIN

"I was suspended several times for talking back," said Chimento, a New Orleans resident who now gets paid for interacting with audiences in her one-woman show coming to the Costick Center in Farmington Hills on Saturday, Jan. 26.

Produced by Entertainment Events of New York City, *Late Nite Catechism* was written by Vicki Quade and Maripat Donovan in 1993 and debuted at the Live Bait Theatre in Chicago before moving to an Off-Broadway venue in 1996. Chimento began doing the comedy twice a week in September 2000 at Le Petit Theatre in New Orleans under the auspices of Donovan's company, Entertainment Events. Now Chimento flies around the country giving performances.

Clean humor

"It's a fun show, very clean humor. If you're not Catholic you'll still love it," Chimento said. "It's set up as an adult catechism class and Sister's upset because there have been a lot of changes in the Catholic Church. The play compares Catholicism before Vatican II and now. Sister's been teaching religion for 30 years. It shows us the changes she's been through in 30 years and three popes.

"They turned the altar around so the priest could face the people. The Mass is in English now, not Latin, so we have a hootenanny. Whacking with a ruler is out because of lawsuits and not eating meat on Friday is a thing of the past."

Stern disciplinarian: *Jan Chimento plays the stern disciplinarian in the interactive comedy "Late Nite Catechism" at the Costick Center.*

As Chimento talked, my own memories came flooding back. The nuns at St. Gabriel's School in Southwest Detroit were much like Sister, stern but in a loving sort of way. Well, except for when Kevin, the class clown, began throwing spit balls. But for the rest of us who rarely saw their wrath, the nuns held no threat. Of course, it was kind of scary when they'd twirl their huge rosaries, which were attached to their waist, as they talked.

Please see **CHOMIN, B3**

Late Nite Catechism

What: An interactive comedy starring "Sister," a nun who takes the audience to task as she teaches an adult religion class

When: 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26

Where: Costick Center, 28600 West 11 Mile, Farmington Hills

Tickets: $30, includes dinner catered by Gourmet Express. Call (248) 473-1800

Storytellers share cultural lessons, explore history

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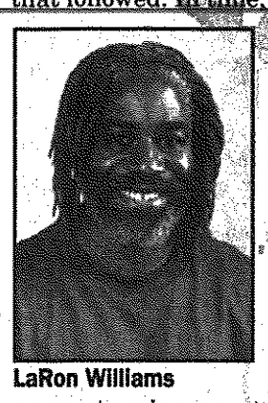
LaRon Williams believes that to "love one's own culture is not enough." People of all ethnic groups need to share their histories in order to appreciate the differences and similarities.

An African American, Williams relays the lessons of slavery and the Civil Rights struggle through tales about the perseverance of Africans originally brought to this country against their will and the generations that followed. In time, he hopes to promote understanding that will enable a united America to build a future on its strengths.



LaRon Williams

Too heavy a subject for children? Williams thinks not. It's all in the way a story is presented. With each turn of a page, books capture children's attention through pictures and color. Williams uses traditional African and American musical instruments, movement, language, and facial expressions to conjure up images that will hold the interest of children as well as adults.

On Saturday, Jan. 26, the Ann Arbor resident brings his one man show to the Storytelling Festival at Summit on the Park Community Center. Williams is one of three storytellers sharing multicultural tales in afternoon and evening programs presented by Canton Project Arts.

"The stories are woven around a message of peaceful conflict resolution, collective problem solving," said Williams. "They're stories about Africans and African Americans rooted in folk tales. I hook the story up with the flow of history. The more we know that history the more we're able to understand our society today."

Journey

Williams takes the listeners on a journey across America in a lyrical, down home-voice. A graduate of Eastern Michigan University, he taught preschool in Ann Arbor before becoming a professional storyteller 11 years ago.

"There were stories the children loved to hear over and over again," said Williams. "After reading them many times, I realized I hadn't even looked at the book. I knew it by heart."

Now Williams travels the Midwest telling stories woven around the African American experience.

"It's the same message for kids and adults," said Williams. "It's a very interactive, very energetic style geared to a 5- to 6-year old. Adults get bored with stories so I almost always use music. I play a variety of traditional instruments, djembe, an African drum, mbire, thumb piano and bones."

Yes, bones. Originally African Americans, and more than likely, Africans used the ribs from a cow or horse to create different rhythm patterns. Today, Williams uses bones manufactured from wood.

"Some people respond very much to music," said Williams. "Music helps to enhance the story, children especially like a story accompanied by music.

"I try to set them in a historical context to understand ourselves and society. We live in a society which has its underpinnings in racial inequality from the extermination of the original people who lived here to the exploitation of Chinese and African. We have to start to share our stories, common person stories, Chinese workers who built the railroads."

Corinne Stavish strives to educate children and adults about different cultures and their histories as artistic coordinator of the Canton Storytelling Festival. For the fourth annual event she invited Anne Shimojima, a Japanese American who specializes in Asian tales. A school librarian for 26 years, Shimojima gives workshops on the use of storytelling in the classroom.

Mary-Eileen McClear brings tales from her audio cassette, *Oh Canada! Strange but True Stories of Early Canada.* McClear founded the Second Story Workshop in a renovated barn in Baden, Ontario. It is a warm and welcoming venue for not only storytelling but workshops on the art.

Anne Shimojima

Diverse programming

"I'm excited about the diversity in programming this year. There's different cultures represented from Anne Shimojima to Mary-Eileen McClear who specializes in true unbelievable tales of Canada, wonderful, spellbinding stories. There are three ethnic groups we've not had represented in the festival in its first three years," said Stavish, a storyteller who focuses on Jewish folklore with a Russian flavor.

"My favorite tellers make me feel first and then think. As with all stories I respond to them with my heart. What I love about Ron is he's a warm and personable man. I've gained an appreciation for his culture. Mary-Eileen is Stratford Festival storyteller-in-residence. Each year she tells stories relating to the plays.

"The afternoon sessions are for children age 4 and up. There are great stories for kids that involve them and in the evening for adults."

According to Stavish, storytelling began as an adult medium.

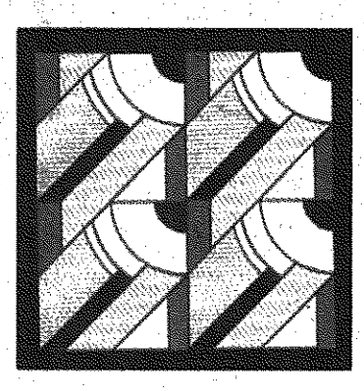
"Storytelling is the first form of theater," said Stavish who teaches a class in drama history at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield. "I'm encouraging my students to go to the festival in the evening to hear theater as scholars believe it originated with one actor doing all the parts.

"All benefit from storytelling. It's uplifting and such an exciting way for families to share an art form. At performances, I've watched families turn to one another and giggle."

EXHIBIT

Cranbrook shows major contemporary art collection

Modular painting: *This oil and magna on canvas by Roy Lichtenstein is one of 46 works recently donated to Cranbrook Art Academy by Dr. John and Mrs. Rose M. Shuey of Detroit. The contemporary collection continues on exhibit through April 7.*



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Geometric color seems to rush through space inside the gallery at the Cranbrook Art Museum as if, in a single moment, catharsis has struck a group of artists armed with brushes loaded with fluorescent and brilliantly tinted paint.

Director of the Bloomfield Hills museum Gregory Wittkopp and staff, along with a crew of Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate students, are in the midst of installing a collection of 46 contemporary works of art from a period spanning the mid-'60s to mid-'80s.

Recently donated to the institution by Rose M. Shuey of Detroit, the collection includes pieces by some of the most important artists of the post-World War II era.

Edson-Pelé, one from a series of star athlete portraits by Andy Warhol from the late '70s, leans inconspicuously against a wall in one of the museum's back wings.

A few steps to the left is Robert Rauschenberg's *Moon Burn (Scale Series)*, an intriguing piece comprised of vertical wood panels overlaid with horizontal bands of colored fabric, found objects, four dangling light bulbs and a reflective plane that juts out from the work's base.

Please see **CRANBROOK, B3**

What: *Three Decades of Contemporary Art: The Dr. John and Mrs. Rose M. Shuey Collection*, 46 major contemporary art works, including pieces by Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstein, Robert Rauschenberg and Bridget Riley

When: 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday, (until 9 p.m.) on Friday, through Sunday, April 7

Where: Cranbrook Art Museum, 39221 Woodward Ave. on the Cranbrook Educational Community campus in Bloomfield Hills

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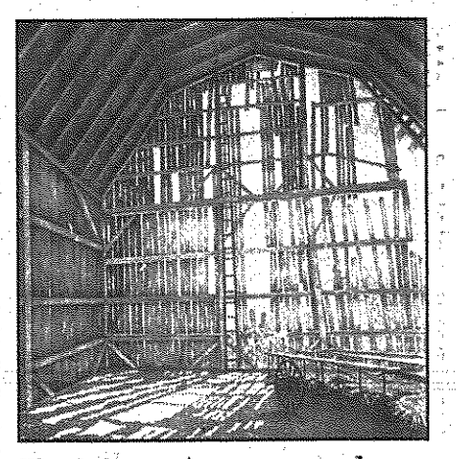
Interested artists should send resumes to Artist-in-Residence Initiative, VSA arts of Michigan, 51 West Hancock, Detroit, MI 48201. For more information, call (313) 832-3303 or send e-mail to vsami@ic.net.



Final days: *A one-man show of West Bloomfield artist Jim Patterson's watercolor paintings continues to Wednesday, Jan. 30, in the Fine Arts Gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington Road. For information, call (734) 466-2536.*

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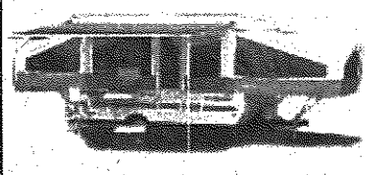

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Cranbrook *from page B1*

On the other side of the gallery, a grand-scale abstraction of fluorescent color has been revealed. Frank Stella's *Takht-i-Sulayman Variation I*, an enormous canvas attached to several stretchers, comes from a series by artist that presents variations on the protractor-drawn shape.

"It's the color that grabs you first," says Wittkopp of the works, which were assembled by Shuey and her late husband, Dr. John Shuey.

Appropriately, the exhibit, which runs through April 7, is entitled *Three Decades of Contemporary Art: The Dr. John & Mrs. Rose M. Shuey Collection.*

"They were really attracted to lush color," says Wittkopp of the couple's eye and sensibility as major art collectors.

It's been approximately a month since Wittkopp received official word that Shuey wished to donate the entire collection to Cranbrook. Although Wittkopp has been working with the collector for more than a year, he only knew that some pieces would be made available to Cranbrook for exhibition.

"I knew that it was right for us," he says of working with Shuey. "But when you're working with a collector of this magnitude, you don't make any assumptions," he says, adding, "It's been the most thrilling moment of my career."

Since most pieces in the Shuey collection existed in a private realm, having never been seen or loaned out, the Cranbrook exhibit provides a unique opportunity. "Visitors will get a very fresh view of contemporary art. This work is all very fresh," says Wittkopp.

By-and-large, the collection is quite accessible partly because of its strength in the Op Art and Pop Art movements.

The collection's accessibility has broader implications for the museum and, hopefully, visitors. "I would hope that visitors will get excited about these artists and these works and be ready to take the next step and approach other contemporary work," says Wittkopp.

Although the exhibit's catalog explores the 38 artists represented in the show through articles written by art historians, educational programs on the Shuey collection won't run until February in hopes of encouraging visitors to return. The collection was organized organically, rather than chronologically or in the sequence in which the Shuey's purchased the pieces.

Following the exhibit, pieces from the Shuey group will be presented in the art museum's permanent collections space, according to Wittkopp.

Cranbrook has recently sought to beef up its exhibition of contemporary art, and the Shuey donation will advance that goal. "It allows our collecting and exhibition programs to be more complementary," said Wittkopp. "It will allow us to contextualize our contemporary exhibition program."

The donation brought a change in the art museum's collections policy. Prior to the donation, the museum exclusively collected art associated with artists who worked or studied at Cranbrook, says Wittkopp. The new policy includes 20th and 21st century works with a special interest in work by artists associated with Cranbrook, which, as it turns out, matches founder George Booth's goals for the museum. "What this gift does is actually reaffirm the mission given by George Booth."

But only the future can tell what's in store for the art museum. With a new collections policy and a multi-million dollar collection of contemporary art from which to build, new visions are starting to form, including a pictuae of an expanded gallery.

"It's what we're starting to dream about," says Wittkopp. "Nothing concrete at this point, but that's the dream we're starting to test the feasibility of, and the acquisition of the Shuey collection makes a more compelling case for that dream."

Chomin *from page B1*

"The show is interactive and I leave myself open to discussions," said Chimento. "When I ask members of the audience if they misbehaved, people stand up like crazy. I can't believe they'd want to admit it. But we have a lot of fun. I give out prizes such a holy cards, the baseball cards of the Catholic church. They ask, 'does it get warm wearing a habit?' You thinks it's easy lugging around 20 pounds of gabardine? This isn't a fashion decision."

Fun evening

Nancy Coumoundouros isn't a Catholic but she finds *Late Nite Catechism* funny because she works with Catholics in the cultural arts department for the cities of Farmington Hills/Farmington. Ironically, her offices were formerly owned by the Sisters of Mercy.

"We're looking forward to a fun evening," said Coumoundouros, cultural arts coordinator. "When we conducted a community survey three years ago, one of the things it revealed was people wanted to see live performances, so when we programmed our Concerts at the Costick series last year we decided to try live theater. It's a challenge because we don't have a public auditorium but the response has been overwhelming to the series."

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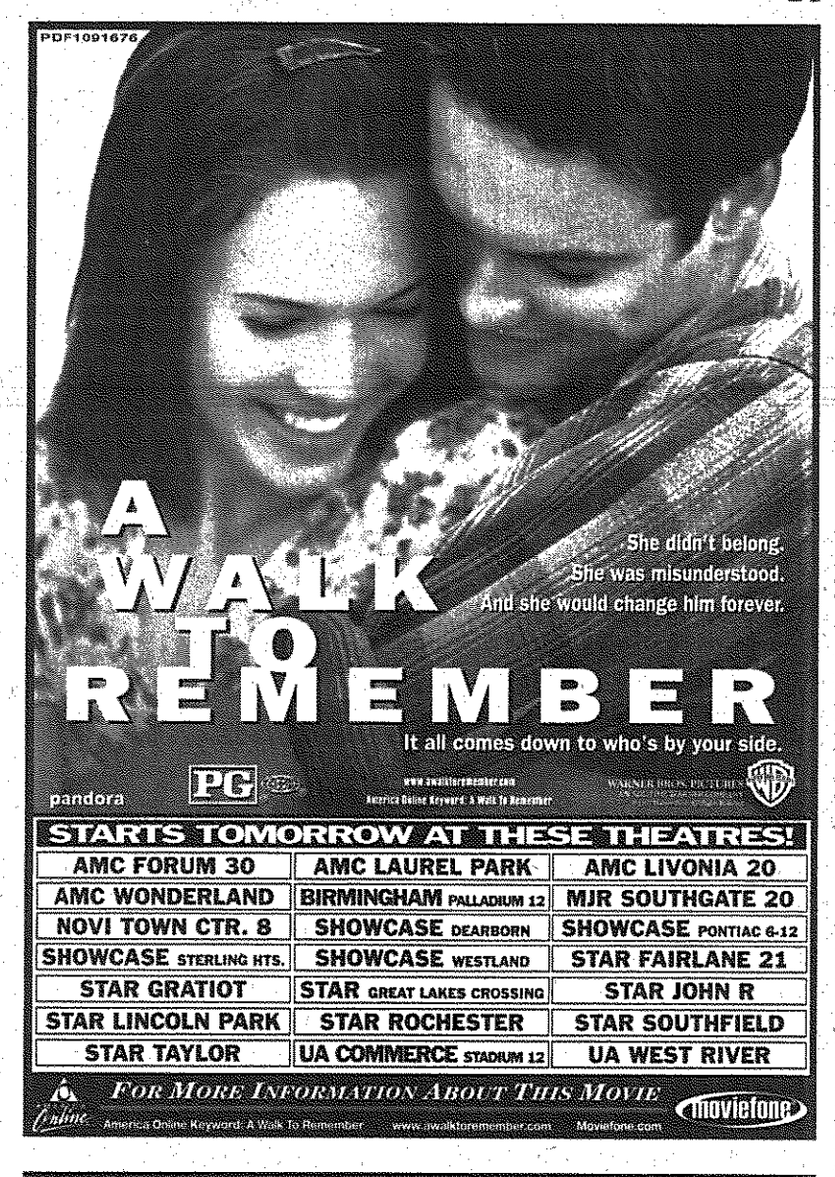

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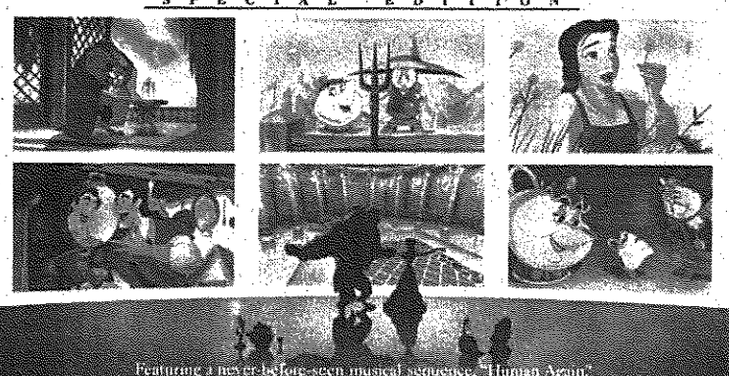

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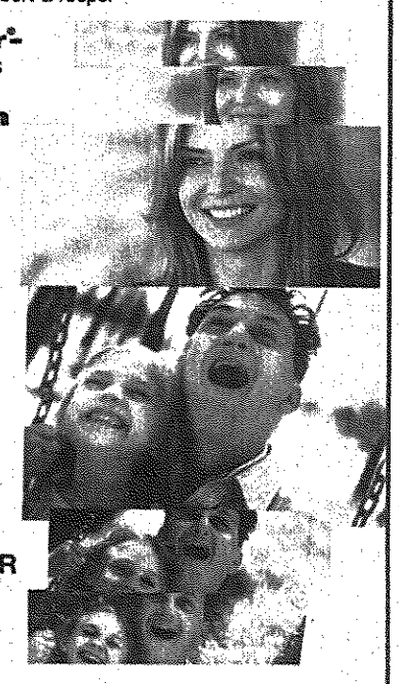

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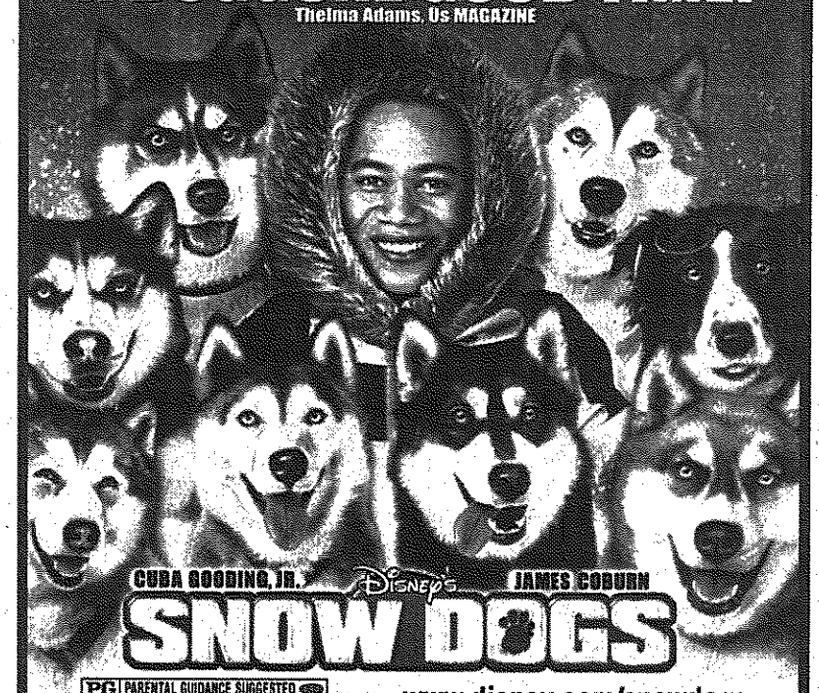

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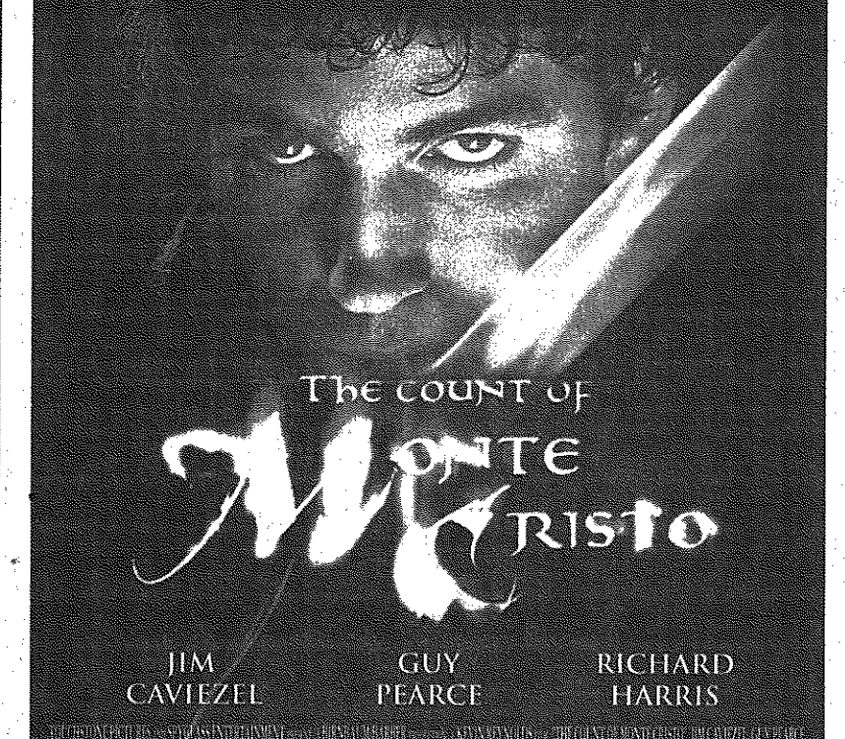

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CENTURY THEATRE: *Late Nite Catechism* opens Thursday, Feb. 7; 2 p.m. Thursday, 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday, Detroit. $24.50-$37.50. (313) 963-9800
DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE: *Jar the Floor* continues to March 17, 8:30 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, 3 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Detroit. $15. (313) 868-1347, www.detroitreptheatre.com
FISHER THEATRE: *South Pacific,* Tuesday, Feb. 19 to March 10, 8 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Detroit. $35-$70. (248) 645-6666, (313) 872-1000
GEM THEATRE: *Guys on Ice* opens Feb. 7, 2 p.m. Thursday, 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday. $24.50-$37.50. (313) 963-9800
MEADOW BROOK THEATRE: *The Mystery of Irma Vep* through Sunday, Feb. 3, Oakland University campus, Rochester. 8 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, 6:30 p.m. Sunday, 2 p.m. Wednesday, Saturday-Sunday, $26; 8 p.m. Friday, $34; 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, $38. (248) 377-3300
PERFORMANCE NETWORK: *Elizabeth Rex* opens Feb. 1 and continues to March 3, 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday, at the theater, Ann Arbor. $25, Friday-Saturday, $20 Thursday and Sunday. (734) 663-0681
UMS SERIES: Presents a solo evening with Laurie Anderson, UMS co-commissioned work, 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 2, at Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor. $16-$40. (734) 764-2538

COMMUNITY THEATER

CLARKSTON VILLAGE PLAYERS: *Other People's Money,* 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24. $10 Thursday, $12 Friday-Saturday, Depot Theater, Clarkston. (248) 625-2511
PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN: *Beau Jest* 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27. (313) 561-TKTS, www.playersguildofdearborn.org
REDBUD PRODUCTIONS: *Agnes of God* 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 24-26 and 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Jan. 26-27, at Riverside Arts Center, 76 North Huron Street, Ypsilanti. $14, $10 seniors/students. (734) 663-7167
RIDGEDALE PLAYERS: Neil Simon's *The Good Doctor* 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, 205 West Long Lake, between Livernois and Crooks, Troy. $12, $11 Sunday. (248) 988-7049
ROSEDALE COMMUNITY PLAYERS: *Wait Until Dark* opens Friday, Jan. 25. 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, Jan. 26, Feb 1-2, Feb. 8-9, 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, 21728 Grand River, Detroit. $11. (313) 537-7716 or (313) 532-4010
ST. DUNSTAN'S THEATRE GUILD: Neil Simon's Jake's Women 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 24-26, Cranbrook, Bloomfield Hills. $12, $10 senior citizens/students. (248) 644-0527
VILLAGE PLAYERS OF BIRMINGHAM: *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum* 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, Feb. 1-2; 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, at the playhouse, 752 Chestnut, east of Woodward Avenue, south of Maple, Birmingham. $14. (248) 644-2075

YOUTH PRODUCTIONS

ANDOVER THESPIANS: One Acts Festival with selections from Neil Simon's *The Odd Couple,* William Inge's *The Social Event* and Sam Shepard's *Fool for Love* 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 2 and 1:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, at Andover High School, Bloomfield Hills. $8, $5 seniors/students. (248) 645-4679
AVON PLAYERS YOUTH THEATRE: *Alice in Wonderland* 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, and 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Jan. 26-27, at the playhouse, 1185 Washington Road, east of Rochester Road. $8. (248) 608-9077
DETROIT PUPPET THEATER: PuppetArt presents *Firebird,* a Russian folk tale performed with rod puppets, 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26. Tickets $7, $5 children, (313) 961-7771
LET'S BE FRIENDS: Sesame Street's Elmo and Zoe find the more friends the merrier when they start an exclusive club, Thursday, Jan. 24 to Sunday, Feb. 3, Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. $10, $14, $18, limited VIP seats. Call (248) 433-1515, www.sesamestreetlive.com
PIPPIN PUPPETS: Present *Munchkin Holiday* 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Jan. 26-27, at the Theatre Guild of Livonia-Redford, 15138 Beech Daly, south of Five Mile. $5. Call (313) 531-0554
TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS: *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* 8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26; 2 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, Cathedral Theatre, Masonic Temple, Detroit. $5, $8 reserved box seats. (313) 535-8962

COLLEGE THEATER

BONSTELLE THEATRE: *For colored girls who have considered suicide when the rainbow is enuf* opens Jan. 25 and continues to Feb. 3, at the theater 3424 Woodward, Detroit. $8-$10. (313) 577-2960
HILBERRY THEATRE: The comedy *Season's Greeting* in rotating repertory to Saturday, Feb. 2; *The Importance of Being Earnest* opens Feb. 8 and plays in rotating repertory through April 4; William Shakespeare's *The Tempest* continues in rotating repertory to Thursday, March 28, 4743 Cass Ave., Wayne State University campus, Detroit. $12-$20. (313) 577-2972

SPECIAL EVENTS

BARBIE FASHION DOLL SHOW: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Plymouth V.F.W. Hall, 1426 Mill. $5, children under age 10 free. (734) 455-2110
UMS SERIES: Combines music and words in an evening with the American String Quartet and Da Camera of Houston in "Marcel Proust's Paris," features 19th century works by Gabriel Faure, Claude Debussy, Cesar Franck and Reynaldo Hahn interspersed with readings from Proust's *Swann's Way* and *Within a Budding Grove* 8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, at Lydia Mendelssohn Theatre, 911 North University, Ann Arbor. $25, $35. (734) 764-2538

VALENTINE'S DAY

ROMANTIC DINNER: Begins with a champagne reception and tour of Meadow Brook Hall, 110-room Tudor-revival style historic auto baron mansion at 7 p.m. followed by dinner at 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, Feb. 14-15, at Meadow Brook Hall on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester. $75. (248) 370-3140
SINGING VALENTINE: The Renaissance Chorus barbershop quartet will serenade your sweetheart at home, work or anywhere else in Wayne, Westland, Garden City or the Livonia area 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14 or Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 16-17. In addition to the serenade, your sweetheart will receive a red rose and personalized Valentine's Day card. The quartet will even deliver your special gift. $40. To reserve a time, call (734) 522-4258. Leave your name, phone number, location, directions, and time (within a 4-hour window) when you'd like your sweetheart serenaded. Orders will be taken until Wednesday, Feb. 13.
SMOKEY ROBINSON: In concert 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 14, at Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison, Detroit. $25-$100, a limited amount of tickets available for Valentine's Evening Afterglow. (313) 963-2366
VALENTINE CONCERT: Rita Kirsch and Candy Cow present an interactive program with singing, creative movement and puppetry for ages 2-7 and parents 7-8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, at The Community House, 380 South Bates, Birmingham. $4. (248) 644-5832 to register.

BENEFITS

BENEFIT CONCERT: 7 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, at Canton Charter Academy, Ford and Ridge Road, Canton. $8, $30 for family of four or more. Proceeds benefit the music program at the academy. (734) 667-2247 or (734) 454-3486
BIRMINGHAM-BLOOMFIELD SYMPHONY: Pianist David Syme performs during a Red, White & Blue Salute concert honoring area firemen, evening begins with a benefit dinner 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, followed by concert at 7 p.m. at Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph at 14 Mile, Bloomfield Hills. $50 for dinner/concert, $25, concert only, free for students. (248) 645-BBSO
BLACKTHORN: The Irish group performs for a benefit for the Groves High School Class of 2002 all-night graduation party 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, in Groves Little Theater. $20 advance, $25 at door. (248) 203-3530
DENIM AND DIAMONDS: A fundraiser for the Plymouth Community Arts Council, annual dinner dance and auction Saturday, March 2, at St. John's Golf and Conference Center, Plymouth. $75, $65 for members. (734) 416-4278. All proceeds from the benefit support arts council programming.
MARDI GRAS: The Livonia Symphony Orchestra offers two ways of celebrating Mardi Gras with a sit-down dinner, silent auction and performances by brass and string quartets, and orchestra Friday, Feb. 8, festivities begin at 6 p.m., concert at 8 p.m., silent auction closes 9:30 p.m., at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, Livonia. $50 includes dinner/concert and silent auction; $20, concert and silent auction. (734) 425-4855

CLASSICAL

DETROIT CHAMBER WINDS & STRINGS: Concert 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, Christ Church Cranbrook. $22 adults, $18 students/seniors, $10 children, (248) 559-2095
DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA: The 18-year old German violinist Julia Fischer makes her DSO debut performing Mozart's *Violin Concerto No. 3,* Neeme Jarvi conducting, also Mahler's *Symphony No. 7,* 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, and 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26; "Mendelssohn's Italian" concert with pianist Alexander Markovich 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1, 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 2, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. $20-$54, (313) 576-5111

AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

BIRMINGHAM CONCERT BAND: Looking for new musicians, 65-member adult band, all instruments welcome especially low brass and percussion. Rehearse Wednesday evening in the Groves High School band room. (248) 474-4997, (248) 647-7586 or visit www.birmingham-concertband.com
GREAT LAKES LYRIC OPERA: Auditions for *Love in a Village* Sunday, Jan. 27, prefer to hear tenors, five tenor roles available, all roles paid. For performances June 21-22. Call (248) 594-4594 for appointment or send e-mail to GLLO@mediaone.net
MARQUIS THEATER: Auditions for children ages 8-15 for *Jack and the Beanstalk* 2 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, at the theater, 135 East Main, Northville. (248) 349-8110
PERFORMANCE NETWORK: Seeks proposals from individuals and groups for 2002 Treetown Festival (May 29-Aug. 25), categories include theater, performance art, dance, new work and avant garde, each piece will be staged for one or two weekends with access to the Network's technical and marketing resources. Deadline for application is Feb. 14. (734) 663-0696 or send e-mail to pnetwork@bizserve.com for proposal packet. For application form visit the Website at www.performancenetwork.org
PONTIAC THEATRE IV: Open auditions for *Little Shop of Horrors* 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, and 7-9 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, Jan. 28-29, Tuesday for callbacks only, at the Ruth Peterson Center, 990 Joslyn Road, Pontiac. For performances May 10-11 and 17-18 in the Strand Theater, Pontiac. (248) 673-9827
SESAME STREET LIVE: Auditions for full body costume characters, live performer positions and hand/rod puppeteers for the national touring company VEE Entertainment Corporation, producer of *Sesame Street Live, Dragon Tales Live and Bear in the Big Blue House Live,* 2 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, at the Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward, Detroit. (612) 375-9670, ext. 704 or online at www.vee.com

POPS/SWING/ CABARET

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

JAZZ/BLUES

MARK ARSHAK: 9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 31, at Edison's, 220 Merrill, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150
RON BROOKS TRIO: 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. $5 cover. (734) 662-8310
THORNETTA DAVIS: 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 25-26, at Edison's, 220 Merrill, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150
LOS GATOS: 9 p.m. Wednesday, Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. $5 cover. (734) 662-8310
CHARLIE HADEN: And his Quartet West with Strings, 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, at the Lydia Mendelssohn Theatre, 911 North University Avenue, Ann Arbor. $20, $35. (734) 764-2538
WOODY HERMAN ORCHESTRA: 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 31, at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. $18-$49, (313) 576-5111
ROBERT JONES: Performs as part of the Northville Arts Commission's Winter Concert Series 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, in Genitti's Little Theatre, Northville. $7. (248) 449-9945, ext. 9950
PAUL KELLER: And ensemble provide the music for a Pre-Mardi Gras Party 3-6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall in Livonia. There will be room for dancing so call early to reserve tickets which are $12. (248) 476-2674
BRETT LUCAS BAND: 9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 24, at Edison's, 220 Merrill, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150
KRIS LYNN: 5:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, at Harlequin "Jazz" Cafe, Indian Village, Detroit. No cover. (313) 331-0922
MATT MICHAELS TRIO: 8-11:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 30 vocalist Barbara Ware, Ron's Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road, two blocks east of Middlebelt Road. (734) 762-7756
CARL MICHEL QUARTET: 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, at Fishbones, Southfield. (248) 351-2925 or www.jazzcorner.com/michel
LARRY NOZERO JAZZ QUINTET: Perform 8 p.m. to midnight Monday, at Mitch Housey's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520 or visit www.larrynozero.com
TONY POPE'S N'ORLEANS SIX: 3-6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, and every other weekend through June 1, at Tom's Oyster Bar, Southfield. $6. (248) 476-2674

FOLK/ACOUSTIC

LARRY ARBOUR: 7 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, at Flying Fish Tavern, 17600 W. 13 Mile, east of Southfield Road. (248) 647-7747

WORLD MUSIC

PAT MCDUNN: 8-11 p.m. Friday, at Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. No cover. (248) 601-1100 (Irish)
THE CHIEFTAINS: 3 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 27, at Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor. $16-$35. (734) 764-2538 (Irish)

CLASSIC/ MODERN DANCE

FIRE ROSE: Opens for Dame Maria Del Carmen's Grupo Espana Flamenco Dance Troupe 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 28, Fire Rose combines traditional Flamenco music and dance forms with elements of jazz, rock, Afro-Cuban, and New Age music, at the Penn Theatre, 760 Penniman in Plymouth. Tickets, call (734) 667-8313; for information, (734) 254-0021
UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN DANCE COMPANY: Evening of modern dance flavored by traditional performance in *Ancient Steps, Forward Glances,* 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 31-Feb. 2, 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, Power Center for the Performing Arts, 121 Fletcher St., Ann Arbor, $20, $15 reserved seating, students with ID $7. (734) 764-2538

SOCIAL DANCING

MOON-DUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands, featuring swing, fox trot, waltz, cha-cha and Latin, 8:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, at the Livonia Civic Center, 15218 Farmington Road at Five Mile. $5. (248) 967-1428
RHYTHM N' SHOES: Weekly ballroom/Latin dance party with DJ, 8:30-10:30 p.m. Thursday, 2172 Franklin Road, Bloomfield Hills. $7. (248) 334-0299
U-M BALLROOM DANCE CLUB: Ballroom dance lesson and open dancing 4-10 p.m. Sunday, at the Union Ballroom, Ann Arbor. $2. (734) 763-6984
WATERFORD-OAKS BALLROOM DANCING: 8-11 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1, at 2800 Watkins Lake Road, Waterford. (248) 673-4764

COMEDY

ANN ARBOR COMEDY SHOWCASE: Tim Cavanagh Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 31-Feb. 2, at the club, Ann Arbor. (734) 996-9080
COMEDY CLUB NIGHTS: Leo DuFour 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 30; Jef Brannan 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, at Texas Smoke Bar & Grill, 543 North Main, Rochester. $5 cover. (248) 650-8170
JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S: Al Romero Thursday-Sunday, Jan. 24-27; Sheila Kay Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 31-Feb. 2,at the club, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885
MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CLUB: Steve Bills Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 24-26; John Pinette Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 31-Feb. 2, $6 Thursday, $12 Friday, $14 Saturday. (248) 542-9900
SECOND CITY: New on Tuesdays, *Law & Disorder* and *Standing on Ceremony;* Jammin' Wednesdays features *The Best of Second City; Mayor-Go-Round* showtimes on Thursday-Sunday at Second City-Detroit. Ticket prices and show times vary. $5-$20. (313) 965-2222

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE: 39221 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. $7 adults; $4 children ages 4-17, students with ID and senior citizens ages 65 and older; free for children ages 3 and younger. 1-877-462-7262 or www.cranbrook.edu
DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS: Continues its Friday night programming with Family Friday Jan. 25, Puppet performance of "Bathtub Pirates" (6 & 7:30 p.m., Lecture Hall) by the Grey Seal Puppets; Debra Christian tells stories about heroes and heroines (6:30 & 8:00 p.m., North Court); Docent Tours (6 & 7:30 p.m., Prentis Court). Half-hour tour featuring highlights of the museum or Modern works with a DIA expert.
■ Detroit Film Theatre (7 & 9:30 p.m.), at the museum, 5200 Woodward. Free with admission $4, $1 children, free for Founders Society members. (313) 833-7900 or visit the Web site at www.dia.org
DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER: Lou Kasischke, one of only a few climbers to have survived the worst disaster in Mt. Everest history, speaks 7-9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, in the center's IMAX Dome Theatre, 5020 John R, Detroit. $25 for members, $30 non-members, includes lecture and showing of *Everest* continuing in the IMAX Dome Theatre noon, 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday in January. $4 plus general admission. (313) 577-8400
HENRY FORD MUSEUM: New hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. When Greenfield Village

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8 days a week

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reopens April 1 same hours apply. $7.50-$14. (313) 271-1620. For IMAX ticket prices and show times call (800) 747-IMAX (4629)

MEADOW BROOK HALL: Tours continue through June, 1:30 p.m., Monday-Sunday, and 2:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. Sunday, tea served 3-4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19 ($30, prepaid reservations required), at the hall in Rochester. Reservations required. (248) 370-3140 or www.meadowbrookhall.org

WRIGHT MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY: *In the Spirit of Martin: The Living Legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.* continues to July 28; Jacob Lawrence and the Story of John Brown comprised of a series of 22 serigraphs continues on exhibit through March 3. The images narrate the story of abolitionist John Brown and his quest to end slavery, in the Bank One Gallery at the museum, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. (313) 494-5800

LIVE MUSIC

ADRIAN BELEW & THE BEARS: 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 1, The Magic Bag, Ferndale. $18. (248) 645-6666

ALICIA KEYS: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 29, State Theatre, Detroit. $35.75-$43.25. (248) 645-6666

BARRY MANILOW: 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 15-16, Fox Theatre, Detroit. $17.50-$67.50. (248) 645-6666

CRAIG DAVID: 8 p.m. Feb. 10, The Royal Oak Theatre, Royal Oak. $25. All ages. (248) 645-6666

CREED: *The Weathered Tour*, With Puddle of Mud, Monday, Feb. 11, The Palace of Auburn Hills. $36.50-$42.50. (248) 645-6666

CROSBY, STILLS, NASH & YOUNG: *Tour of America*, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 6, The Palace of Auburn Hills. $43-$88.50. (248) 645-6666

DC TALK: 7:30 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 24, Hill Auditorium, on the University of Michigan campus, Ann Arbor. $19-26. (734) 763-TKTS

DOOBIE BROTHERS: 8 p.m. Jan. 29, Palace of Auburn Hills. $29 and $14. (248) 645-6666

GORDON LIGHTFOOT: 8 p.m. Saturday, April 27, Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor. $37.50-$42.50. (248) 645-6666 or (734) 763-TKTS

GREAT BIG SEA: Saturday, March 16, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. $25. (248) 645-6666

JASON HARROD: 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 6, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. $10, $8 for theatre members. (734)464-6302

JACK SCOTT: Birthday celebration/concert, 9 p.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26. Cover $15, T-Bonz, 1711 Auburn Road, Rochester Hills. (248) 293-9000

JUDAS PRIEST: With Anthrax, Iced Earth, tour is rescheduled to 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 19, The Palace of Auburn Hills. $18.50-$29.50. Tickets for the original date(s) will be honored or may be refunded at the point of purchase. (248) 645-6666

KHALED & HAKIM: 8 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 17, The Royal Oak Theatre, Royal Oak. $40 and $100. 21 and over. (248) 645-6666

LARRY MAXWELL: 8-11 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, at Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. No cover. (248) 601-1100

LEON RUSSELL: 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 8, The Magic Bag, Ferndale. $20. (248) 544-3030 for information, (248) 645-6666 for tickets

LINKIN PARK: With Cypress Hill, Adema and DJ Z Trip, 7 p.m., Monday, Feb. 4, at Cobo Arena, Detroit. $29.50. (248) 645-6666

LUTHER VANDROSS: 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, Fox Theatre, Detroit. (248) 645-6666

MIKE ROE: 8 p.m., Wednesday, March 13, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. $15, $13 for theatre members. (734) 464-6302

OAK RIDGE BOYS: 8 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 17, Ford Community & Performing Arts Center, Dearborn. $27-$30. (313) 943-2354

PAT METHENY GROUP: 8 p.m., Thursday, March 7, Detroit Opera House. $45-$75. (248) 645-6666

PETER, PAUL AND MARY: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, April 11, Detroit Opera House, Detroit. $42.50. (248) 645-6666

RANDALL BRAMBLETT: 8 p.m., Friday, Feb. 15, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. $10, $8 for theatre members. (734) 464-6302

RANI ARBO AND BROOKS WILLIAMS: 8 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 28, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. $10, $8 for members. (734) 464-6302

SUPER DIAMOND: Neil Diamond tribute band, Thursday, Jan. 24, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. $12-$13. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

SEVENDUST: 9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 26, The Royal Oak Theatre, Royal Oak. $10. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

SMOKEY ROBINSON: 8 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 14, Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison, Detroit. $25-$100. (248) 645-6666

TANGERINE DREAM: 9 p.m., Sunday, Feb. 10, The Second City, Detroit. $30. (248) 645-6666

TWIZTID: 9 p.m., Friday, March 15, The Royal Oak Theatre, Royal Oak. Tickets $16 advance, $17 day of show. All ages. (248) 645-6666

VICTOR WOOTEN: 8 p.m., Tuesday, Feb. 5, The Magic Bag, Ferndale. $18. (248) 544-3030 for information, (248) 645-6666 for tickets

CALL FOR ARTISTS

FRANKLIN VILLAGE BAND: Adult musicians from southeastern Michigan are invited to join the Franklin Village Band. All instruments welcome, but there is a special need for flutes and clarinets. The band rehearses Monday evenings in the Franklin Community Church social hall on Franklin Road between 13 and 14 Mile roads. For more details, call Bill Prisk, (248) 474-8869 or Bob Zimmerman, (313) 535-4119

POETRY LOUNGE: Join the Open Mic poetry series at Affirmations Lesbian and Gay Community Center, 195 W. Nine Mile Road, Ferndale. Bring original and/or published poems to read or just come and listen. Poetry Lounge every third Wednesday through April in the Pittman-Puckett Art Gallery within the community center. (248) 398-7105

SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS: The family of recently deceased artist Ricki Berlin have established a fund to honor her memory at the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center. Current and future artists seeking scholarships for classes at the Art Center are invited to submit requests to Deborah Callahan, education coordinator, Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham, MI, 48009

SINGER AUDITIONS: The Cantana Academy chorale periodically accepts experienced singers in all vocal ranges to join the chorale. Call (248) 358-9868 to schedule an audition. Singers should prepare a classical piece and be ready for sight reading. Auditions last approximately 15 minutes

VSA ARTS OF MICHIGAN: Looking for professional artists who are interested in sharing their creative processes in dance, drama, literature, music, poetry and the visual arts with students with disabilities. Artists must be interested in learning how to accommodate students with a variety of disabilities. Qualified artists will be trained to work with students at an Artist-in-Residence Training Institute to take place at the R.A. MacMullan Conference Center at Higgins Lake in Roscommon June 15-18. Following training VSA arts of Michigan will provide work for artists in artist-in-residence programs in K-12 schools throughout the state. Interested artists should send resumes to Artist-in-Residence Initiative, VSA arts of Michigan, 51 West Hancock, Detroit, MI 48201. For more information, call (313) 832-3303 or send e-mail to vsami@ic.net.

Puppet show: *Rob Papineau and his Pippin Puppets take a trip to Oz in the show Munchkin Holiday 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Jan. 26-27, at the Theatre Guild of Livonia-Redford, 15138 Beech Daly, south of Five Mile. Tickets are $5. Call (313) 531-0554.*

ART CLASSES

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER: Adult and youth courses including ceramics, jewelry making, figure sculpting and drawing, Renaissance painting, tilemaking, mosaics, glass blowing, pottery, puppetry, clay on the wheel and more. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-8004, Ext. 101.

ART GALLERY/STUDIO: Carol Knotts teaches basic drawing, for six weeks beginning 1-3 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7. Maggie Cooney and Kay Rowe teach watercolor in March and April. In the Sheridan Shopping Center, Garden City. (734) 261-0379

ART OF LIVING STUDIO: Drawing, scarf-dyeing and awakening your artistic vision classes, book conversation and poetry nights. 11 S. Broadway, Lake Orion. (248) 693-3632.

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER: Classes for children, teens and adults in art, music, drama and dance. Eight-week term began Jan. 19. 47 Williams Street, Pontiac. (248) 333-7849. Scholarships available for students with financial need.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL: Classes in drawing, paintings, ceramics, theater for children, mandala art class, 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 29. 774 North Sheldon. (734) 416-4278.

TOUCH OF LIGHT: The Studio and Gallerie of Handblown Glass offers classes in glass blowing. No experience necessary. Classes meet Wednesday-Friday evenings and Saturday-Sunday afternoons. 23426 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. (248) 543-1868.

PLYMOUTH REED AND CANE: Basket weaving classes, workshops and chair caning and seat replacement classes. Beginning Decorative Painting Class, fabric painting and other classes, 1200 W. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. (734) 455-2150.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-DEARBORN VISUAL ART ASSOCIATION OF LIVONIA: Classes in various arts forms including oil, watercolor, pastel and drawing at the Jefferson Center, Room 16, 9501 Henry Ruff, Livonia. Mary Ann Adams, (734) 455-9517

DANCE

ARGENTINE TANGO CLUB OF DETROIT: Tango group classes are offered weekly at various locations. For information on workshops and classes, call (313) 724-3262.

BALLET WORKSHOP: Suzanne Hawkins' Ballet Workshop offers ballet classes for teens and adults in beginning through advanced levels weekday mornings in Sterling Heights and Rochester. Also on Sunday mornings at 132 Varner Hall, Oakland University Rochester campus. (248) 652-3003.

DEBORAH CHASE SCHOOL OF DANCE: Accepting new students for a comprehensive program in dance, art and musical theater. 29820 Joy, Livonia. (734) 513-2004 or (734) 421-4212.

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

DEBBIE FELTON'S ACADEMY OF DANCE: Taking registrations for enrollment. 16312 Middlebelt, Livonia. (734) 524-0104.

EVENTS

MEADOW BROOK HALL: Offers Tea on Tuesdays, the third Tuesday of each month, 3-4:30 p.m. $30, reservations required. (248) 370-3140.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (OPENING)

A.C.,T GALLERY: Six Detroit-area artists exhibit works on the theme, *Location, Location, Location*, opening with an artist reception, 6-9 p.m., Friday, Jan. 25 and continuing through Feb. 23, 35 East Grand River, Detroit. (313) 961-4336.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER: Faculty exhibition continues to Feb. 1 with noon lectures by Sandra Belcher (Jan. 24), Danielle Bodine (Jan. 25) and Gail mallymack (Jan. 28. 1516 Cranbrook Road, Birmingham. (248) 644-0866.

COMMUNITY ARTS GALLERY: *Depopulated Landscapes*, recent paintings by Jim Nawara. Artist lecture 3 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 30 in the gallery. Exhibit continues through March 1. Open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 5400 Cullen Mall, Wayne State University campus. (313) 577-2423.

ELAINE JACOB GALLERY: *Some Readings* by Buzz Spector opens with a reception 5-8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25, continues to March 15, Spector uses the Polaroid Corporation's 20 by 24-inch camera to shoot still life. Wayne State University, West Hancock and Second, Detroit. (313) 993-7813. Artist lecture 3 p.m. Friday, Jan. 25 in the Music Recital Hall adjacent to the gallery.

LIVONIA CIVIC CENTER LIBRARY FINE ARTS GALLERY: *Watercolors and More*, a one-man show by West Bloomfield artist Jim Patterson, continues to Wednesday, Jan. 30; Birmingham Society of Women Painters exhibit mixed media Feb. 2-27. 32777 Five Mile Road, east of Farmington Road. (734) 466-2490.

SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE CENTER AND GALLERY: *War and Peace* exhibit by G. Jesse Gledhill continues to April 13, artist's reception 5:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 1. 33 East Adams, Detroit. (313) 963-7575.

REVOLUTION GALLERY: Amy Vogel's solo exhibition, *a girl, a monkey and a chicken*, and Kirsten Mosher's paintings, both through March 10, with artists' receptions, 5-7 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 2, 23257 Woodward, Ferndale. (248) 541-3444.

SYBARIS GALLERY: Annual teapot exhibition featuring works from more than 20 artists, opening with an artist reception from 2-5 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 26, continuing through March 2, 202 East Third, Royal Oak. (248) 544-3388.

TANGENT GALLERY: Gail mallymack retrospective, *Sticks and Stones* opens with a reception 6-9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, continues to March 2. 715 East Milwaukee, Detroit. (313) 365-8864

WASHINGTON STREET GALLERY: Leslie Sobel's exhibit of digital mixed media, *The Evolution of Moment*, through Feb. 23, with artist reception from 7-9 p.m., Friday, Feb. 1, 215 East Washington, Ann Arbor. (734) 761-2287.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)

ALFRED BERKOWITZ GALLERY: *Jazz in Detroit Before Motown: A Photographic History* continues through Feb. 8, in the gallery at the University of Michigan-Dearborn, 4901 Evergreen, Dearborn. (313) 593-5058.

BARBARA ADELSON STUDIOS: Frank Lloyd Wright art glass, windows and textile blocks by appointment. West Bloomfield. (248) 681-7227

CASS CAFE: Through February – *Scapes: An exhibition by Allen Berke*. 4620 Cass, Detroit. (313) 831-1400.

CPOP GALLERY: J. Otto Siebold *I Still know What I Did Last Summer, Part 1* and *Total Absence/Total Presence: The CPOP Gallery Black and White Group Show* continues to Jan. 27, 4160 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (313) 833-9901.

DAVID KLEIN GALLERY: Group show featuring Richard Anuszkiewicz, Dana Beli, Norman Bluhm, Stuart Davis, Luke Gray, Gus Heinz, Dana Hoey, Lester Johnson, Roy Lichtenstein, Louisa Matthiasdottir, George L.K. Morris, Paul Resika, Victor Rodrigues, through Thursday, Jan. 31. 163 Townsend, Birmingham, (248) 433-3700.

EXHIBIT A GALLERY: Marco Garcia continues his one-man show *Primordial*, multimedia investigations of creation, evolution and human interaction though Feb. 15. 288 E. Maple Road, Birmingham. (248) 258-9284.

GALLERY 212: *Colour Me Blue*, an all media exhibition featuring local and internationally-known artists, continues to Feb. 10. 207 West Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 665-8224.

HILL GALLERY: Dirk Bakker, new photographs from Mexico, through Feb. 9. 407 West Brown, Birmingham. (248) 540-9288

INTERMEDIA GALLERY: Mark Maynard and Kyle Miller show work in the exhibit *Head.Trap. (fear and laziness)* continues to Jan. 26. Gallery is at the west end of McKenny Union at Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti. (734) 628-3933.

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY: Group exhibition of paintings and sculpture through Saturday, March 2, 107 Townsend St., Birmingham. Includes work by Larry Rivers, Sam Gilliam, David Bierck, Harry Bertoia, Julie Heffernan, Joseph Piccillo, Kikuo Saito, Zoltan Sepeshy, Moe Brooker, Terry Dill, Daniel Maffia, Gary Kulak, Fritz Mayhew, Robert Schefman, Lisa Clague. Open 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 1-4 p.m. the first Sunday of each month. (248) 642-3909

MEADOW BROOK ART GALLERY: *Harmony in Variation: Form and Meaning in Native American Art*, a collection of Native American art amassed from Cranbrook Institute of Science, the Detroit Institute of Arts, Flint Institute of Arts, Beloit College's Logan Museum of Anthropology and private collections, runs to Feb. 17. 208 Wilson Hall, Rochester campus of Oakland University. (248) 370-3005.

MICHIGAN HOT GLASS WORKSHOW: *Funiture*, a selection of furniture by 12 local artists, curated by Maxwell Davis, through Feb. 16. 1604 Clay Avenue, second floor, Detroit. (313) 871-1798

PEWABIC POTTERY: Found Objects and Mixed Media group show, through Feb. 23. 10125 East Jefferson, Detroit. (313) 822-0954

PRINT GALLERY: Through Jan. 28 – Friedensreich Hundertwasser original posters. 29173 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. (248) 356-5454.

ROAM GALLERY: Andy Turner, bending the rules of sculptural integrity, through Feb. 9. 212 West 11 Mile, Royal Oak. (248) 245-ROAM

VOICES GALLERY: University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center's Voices Art Gallery features the work of Michael Samuelson, breast cancer survivor, advocate and author in Moments...Not Years continues. The show features photographs from Samuelson's recent trip to the mountain tops of Nepal. 1500 East Medical Center Drive. (734) 615-4012 or www.cancer.med.umich.edu

WOODS GALLERY: Adnan Charara & Louis Redstone exhibit paintings through Feb. 14, in the Huntington Woods Library Gallery, 26145 Scotia, south of 11 Mile Road, west of Woodward Ave. (248) 543-9720

WORKSHOPS

CHORISTERS GUILD: The Detroit area chapter holds a workshop Feb. 1-2, featuring Lee Dwozdz, director of music for Corpus Christi Cathedral in Texax and executive director of Corpus Christi Symphony, at First United Methodist Church, 22331 Woodward, Ferndale. $60, $50 non-members. (248) 646-6293 or (734) 451-1200

YOUNG AUTHORS: The Young Authors Program of The Detroit Writers Guild will conduct workshops through May for children grades 3-12, noon to 3 p.m. on the third Saturday of each month at The Schoolhouse, 19363 Livernois, Detroit. The free workshops consist of poetry, essay and short-story writing. (313) 272-7083

CLASSES FOR CHILDREN

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER: Offering dance classes for preschool children at the Oak Park campus, 15110 W. Ten Mile Road. (248) 967-4030.

METRO DANCE: Enrolling now for creative movement for 3- and 4-year-old boys and girls and ballet and tap classes for 5- and 6-year-old boys and girls. 541 S. Mill, Plymouth. (734) 207-8970.

VILLAGE MUSIC: Offers early childhood music classes newborn to 8 years old through the Kindermusik program. 130 E. Liberty, Plymouth. (734) 354-9825.

RESTAURANTS

Papa loves Mambo's – and so will everyone else

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Ask Rece Rainwater, owner of Mambo's, a new take-out restaurant in Livonia, what's in any of his mouth-watering Louisiana-style barbecue dishes, and he has a one-word answer: "Secret!"

Well, Rainwater deserves to keep his secrets, especially when he can bring your taste buds to their knees with his deep-fried jumbo shrimp, Cajun sausage, BBQ ribs and real, honest-to-goodness homemade gumbo. Then there's the daily specials, which include Wally Gator, Beer-Boiled Crawfish and frog legs.

"If you come to this carryout, you get everything fresh," he said, removing a jumbo shrimp from the refrigerator and dangling it in front of me between his thumb and forefinger. "I opened this place because I got sick of junk food, all that pre-packaged, pre-pressed, pre-manufactured stuff."

Rainwater, who has 25 years of experience as a chef, threw a slab of ribs on the grill and splashed it with a ladle of "secret" liquid. He fanned the aroma in my direction. My taste buds got ready to kneel.

"One of the things you don't do is load the ribs with a bunch of sugar and goo," he said. "You can't load them with a bunch of Open Pit and call it barbecue. I'm not giving you the razzmatazz. Our food is very good. I take a lot of pride in what I do."

Okay, so Rainwater talks the good talk, but can he make good on his claim? He can.

Admittedly, I didn't taste everything, but I did get to sample the shrimp, ribs, chicken, sausage, red beans and three kinds of gumbo. Let's start with the gumbo, which is the same soup but with either lobster, crab or shrimp added. I thought it had a nice smoky taste with just enough spice to claim a Cajun heritage. The ribs were succulent, the shrimp crisp, the chicken tender, and the sausage delicious, especially when it was topped by some hot yellow pepper slices.

"The taste is just sensual," said Rainwater about the sausage-pepper pairing. "It's a Cajun dreamboat."

Mambo's
Address: 15385 Merriman, Livonia (off Five Mile Road)
Phone: (734) 524-5670
Hours: 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday and Saturday
Menu: Louisiana-style barbecue: Ribs, chicken, shrimp, catfish, clams, sausage, gumbo and an assortment of sides. Specials on Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Prices: Dinners, $7.45-$10.50; snacks, $5.45-6.99; sandwiches, $5.25-$6.55
Extras: Children 10 and under eat free; Delivery on the weekends

Building customers

Mambo's location, in the shadow of a Rite Aid Drugs, makes it easy to miss. However, people are beginning to find it, and Rainwater and manager David Kwiatkowski are working hard to make sure customers keep coming back.

"You've got to be creative when it comes to fare people are not used to. Louisiana barbecue is not standard fare in the Livonia area," said Kwiatkowski, who claims the Wally Gator tastes like duck or chicken, depending if you bite into a dark or white chunk of gator.

"We get a lot of people coming in and asking for it," he said.

But are suburbanites really ready for a take-out of Lobster Voodoo, which takes its name from the spicy Cajun sauce produced by the Voodoo Lounge in New Orleans? Rainwater seems to think so. His version is tame enough for everyone.

"People get the impression that Cajun food is very hot and they're not going to enjoy it. Uh, uh, it's not."

In fact, nothing I tasted at Mambo's was overly spicy. Sure, it had some "kick" to it, but the true flavor of the food was always there. Next time, I'm going to tap into my French-Canadian heritage and sample the frog legs. Rainwater claims they're "the size of small chicken legs."

You do get your money's worth at Mambo's. Dinners average $7.45 to $10.50, and the Mambo's Famous Combo — shrimp ribs, perch and sausage for two — costs $14.95. All dinners include fries or rice, slaw and cornbread. Also, each child, age 10 and under, who comes in with a parent eats free.

Rainwater has no plans to make Mambo's a dining-in spot. He likes it just as it is — a place with cheerful Cajun music, a kitchen full of great aromas, friendly service and a menu just big enough to keep customers happy.

"I think people can enjoy themselves in the comfort of their own home rather than go somewhere with illusions of grandeur and be disappointed," he said.

STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGDFELD

Good stuff: *Mambo's chef, Rece Rainwater, prepares the ribs for an order of Mambo's Combo, a popular dinner-for-two item.*

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Good eats: *Livonia resident Steve Ferrier picks up a phone-in order from chef Rece Rainwater.*

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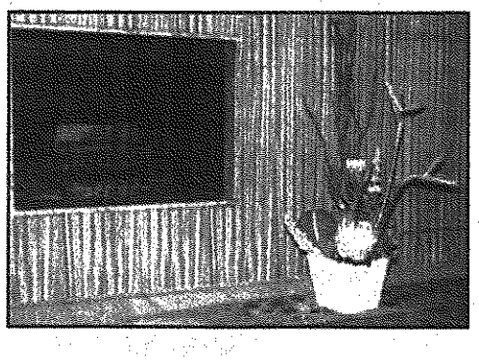

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Simplicity: *Colorful floral arrangements with Birds of Paradise, like this one created by Tiffany Florist of Birmingham, enhance the wooded Caribbean-feeling of this eclectic room.*

BY LANA MINI
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Sunlight is a welcome visitor in Michigan homes especially during winter months when sunshine makes only minimal guest appearances.

Inviting sunshine, and introducing other outdoor elements indoors, can change the mood of any room – and maybe even help you forget about the cold.

Fusing outdoors with indoors is still popular in homes across the globe. Working with natural sunlight is something that Robert Ziegelman, an architect with the Birmingham firm Luckenbach-Ziegelman, works with beautifully. Ziegelman understands the need for sunlight and the necessity to harmonize outdoor and indoor design elements.

Open spaces such as balconies, windows and bay windows, are design elements homeowners can use to invite sunlight.

"For example, what's wonderful about a bay window is that it's three-dimensional and it completely opens the view in a room," said Ziegelman while pointing to a picture of a home he designed in Colorado.

Ziegelman, a member of the American Institute of Architects, was the architect for the Pontiac Silverdome, and the Birmingham Fire Station. While his firm is best known for its non-residential designs, Ziegelman says home design is really where the fun is found. He has designed a number of homes and renovations for affluent Michigan residents.

Let the sun shine

Sun shines all day through windows he strategically placed in a Birmingham house. By rotating the roof structure 15 degrees in a Colorado home, Ziegelman created interesting spaces and corners that emit light and accentuate a mountainous view that compliments the interior decor.

The stunning Carribean-style home he designed on Turks & Caicos island in the Caribbean for a Michigan couple, smoothes the outdoor-indoor transition with elegant wooden "shutters" over screens, and slate flooring indoors and out.

In another home under way in West Bloomfield, Ziegelman is working with the movement of the sun so its rays will shine even in the lower level.

"It won't feel like a basement, or a lower level," he said with a smile.

Simple touches

Not everyone has Robert Ziegelman available to design or re-design their home, but we can learn from his breathtaking ideas and concepts. Some ideas come from the uncomplicated minds of children.

"Ask a child to draw a house," he said enthusiastically while discussing the Birmingham house he "lightened up."

"See what they draw."

They draw simple boxed houses. In the Birmingham home, he used that simple concept rather than create another 'Bigfoot' house.

"We did what was appropriate with an Early American Salt Box, rectangle," he said. "....a modern house with a variety of interior spaces with the discipline of a rectangle."

Again, sunlight and the outdoor view were incorporated into the design.

On a simpler scale, adding color and a few tropical accessories can help diminish that gray winter feeling, and lift your spirits.

Tropical plants, available at many local florists including Tiffany Florist in Birmingham, are colorful accents that warm any room.

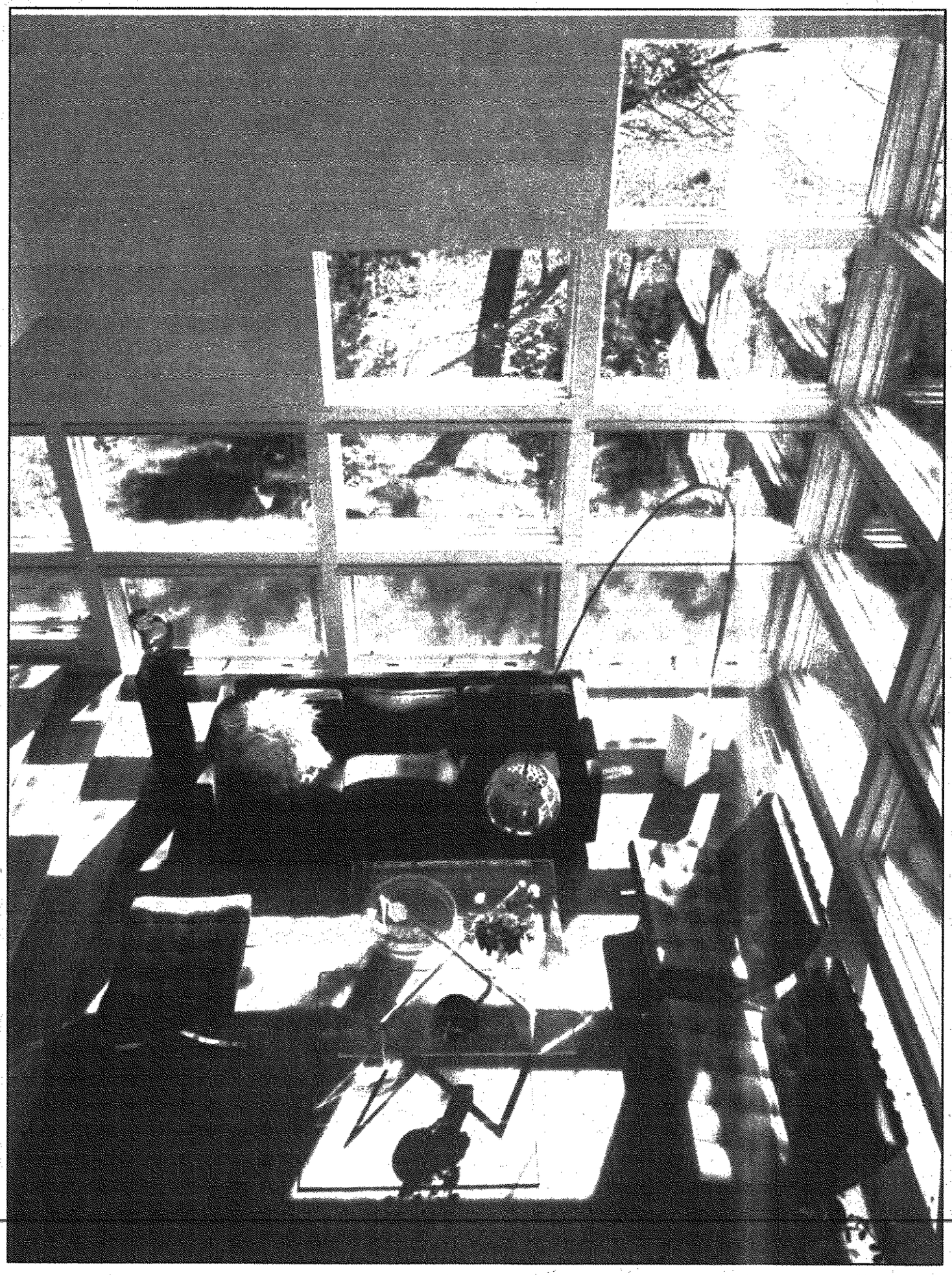
Paint bathrooms and living rooms, especially big open walls, with natural colors such as terra cotta, or faux wood paint to create an outdoorsy atmosphere.

Adding other earthly elements to your decor like stone, granite and marble also bring the outdoors in. Consider a natural stone bathroom vanity which can be found at companies like Booms Stone Co. in Redford.

For flooring check out places like T.J. Ceramic Tile of Southfield that specialize in granite, marble, and ceramic tile. Rattan furniture also lends a taste of the tropics to any room.

On the upper scale of home design, a grand plan is under way at 250 Martin Street in downtown Birmingham. Ziegelman designed the eight-unit condo building across from the city's picturesque Shain Park to include oversized outdoor living spaces.

By increasing the width of the balcony and creating railings that do not obstruct the view, Ziegelman kept true to his philosophy that sun and light are as essential to building as bricks and mortar.



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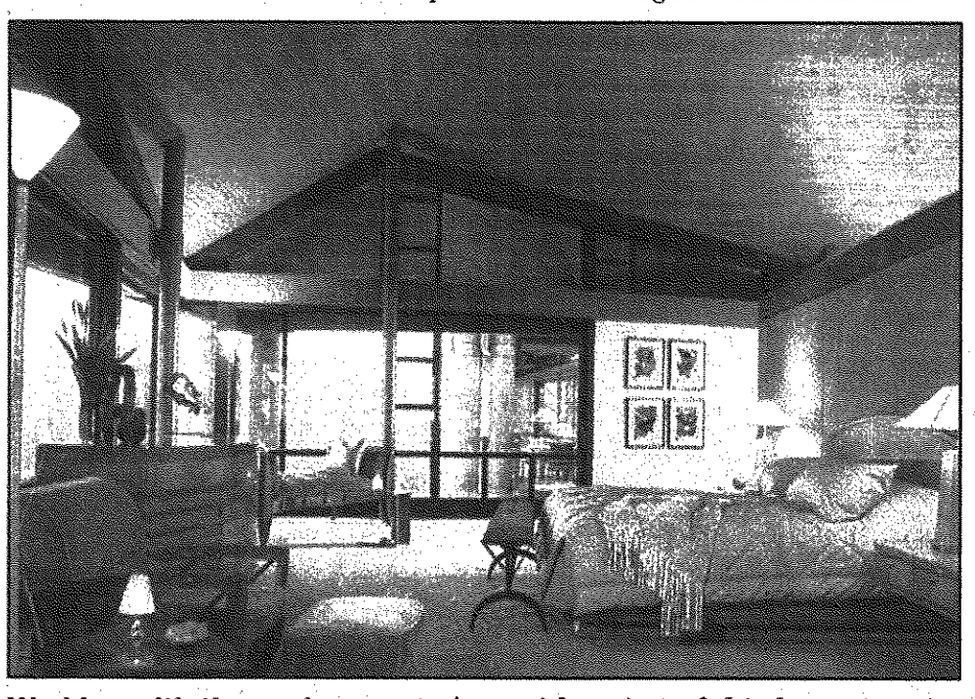
Michigan light: *Sun is a key element considered by architect Robert Ziegelman when he designs houses in Michigan. Ziegelman works with the rectangular shape of this Birmingham house to compliment the surroundings. Strategically arranged windows bring in sunlight at key times of the day, without letting too much light in. The placement of the windows give the living area the feeling of being open to the outdoors.*



Working with the environment: *A consideration of this home was its acoustics — members of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra perform there. Also, this home, created by architect Robert Ziegelman, shows how a home can blend into the environment. By rotating the roof structure 15 degrees, a simple geometric form becomes a complex series of spaces allowing the view of the Colorado mountains to shine through.*

Playful flying things brighten decor

"Things with wings" are popular for the garden. Indoors, the same is true.

Colors and creatures inspired by nature on prominent indoor areas create a smooth flow from the outside to the inside.

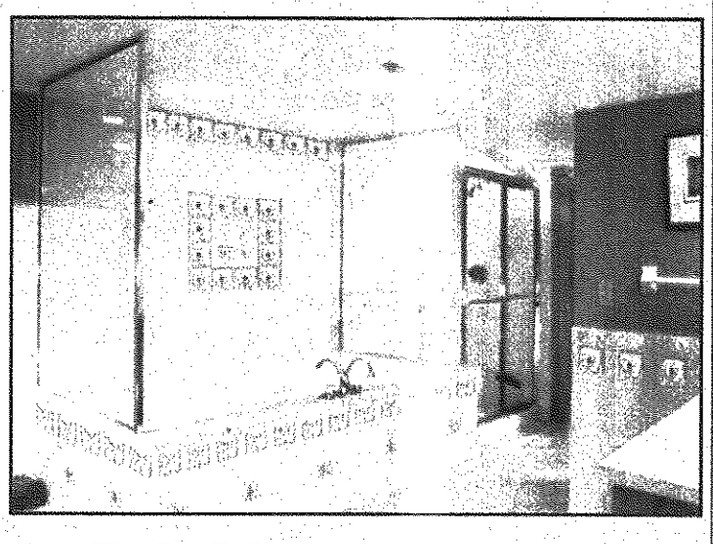
"Char green, sand, white, red, black, and dark brown are colors of nature ... Mahogany is the wood of choice since it enriches the environment. Slate flooring and polished concrete walls help create a natural, minimalist feeling," said Juan Forteza of the International Interior Design Association.

For a playful outdoor look in the bathroom, those colors can be combined with "things with wings." For the noncommittal, Stick' n Stile Design Appliqués by Environmental Graphics are a contemporary way to customize ceramic tiles. The peel-n-stick bath appliqués are removable to change with the styles.

Current choices are Fiji Palms, water and summer themes and geometric shapes. Just stick on to a clean tiles, shower doors, mirrors or ceramic tiles.

And when the trend becomes passé, just remove them with a heat from a blow dryer.

Stick' n Stile Design Appliqués are available at Bed Bath and Beyond Stores.



Faux: *The Fiji Palms peel-n-stick appliqués, from Environmental Graphics, are a close lookalike to true customized ceramic tiles.*

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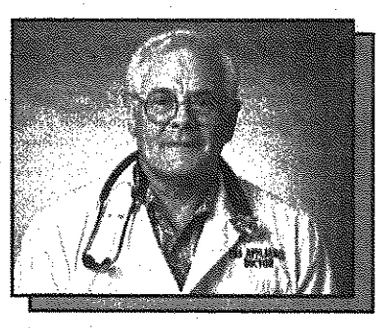

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Pet owners say the darndest things

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In keeping with this lower standard of entertainment, I present a column with no real substance.

Every year, I keep track of some of the stranger things my clients have said to me. I know everyone says things improperly now and again, and I am certainly not mocking these people. Some comments come from so way out of left field that they are pretty amusing.

Some misstatements are routine. It seems everyone mispronounces Rottweiller as "Rockwelder." I don't even want to discuss how people say Shih Tzu or Bichon. I get consistently asked for a "distemperment shot" for a mean cat or dog. (The vaccine protects

ABOUT ANIMALS

DR. BRAD DAVIS

against the virus called distemper...it has nothing to do with the critter's crankiness!)

There's a certain level of comment that stands out from the commonplace, a full step greater...or sillier, depending upon your perspective. So, please don't view this as an indictment of the intelligence of the people who said these things. It's just a moment in time.

And it's strictly entertainment.

■ A job applicant telling us about her experience: "I did a lot of euthanasia's at the Humane Society...they called me the Great Raper!"(We hope she meant "Grim Reaper.")

■ "Can you give me a Pacific diagnosis?"

■ "She can't control her peeing. I think she has continuity."

■ A suggestion of how a fish survived when he wasn't fed: "Maybe he eats allergy off the bottom of the tank."

■ Dog breeds always seem to inspire unique pronunciations. "He's part Doberman Pigeon."

■ About a bouvier/Labrador retriever mix: "He's half boobier ("boo-bee-ay") and half lavatory."

■ "He was eating vorociously." (I think that's voraciously plus ferociously)

■ "(He's) blind in one eye and deaf in the other."

■ "He got into a drawer and he suffercated!"

■ Describing her dog's diet: "Usually I feed him nothin' but vyeena sausages." (After she repeated this several times, I realized she was speaking of Vienna sausages)

■ "Can you tell me anything about Hand and Month Disease?"

■ "Could you check his prostaid?"

■ "He was throwing up so much I thought he was the Exodus!" (Unless the dog was parting the water in the swimming pool, I think he meant "exorcist.")

■ Sometimes comments are written, not spoken...this is from a thank you card:

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■ "He was vomiting vile."

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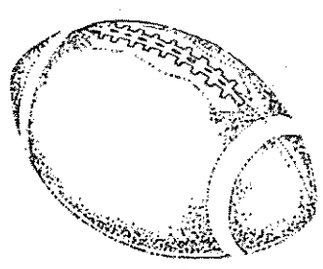
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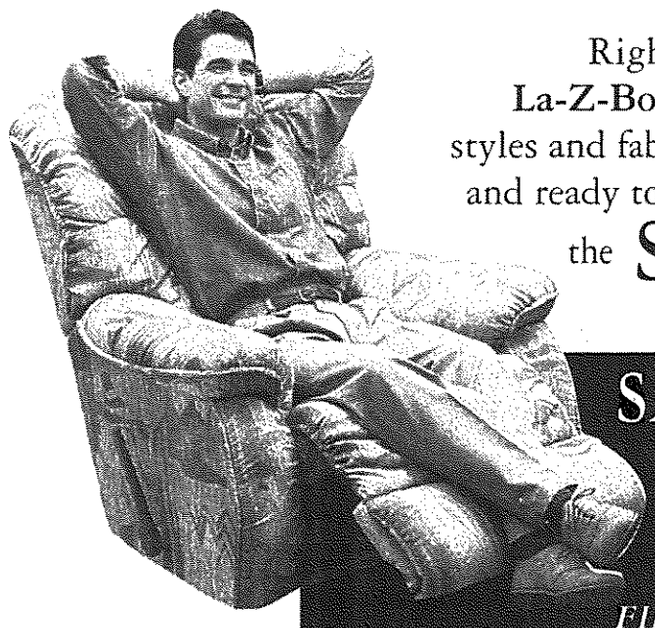
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Versatile vines

Plants can add beauty, privacy, shade and mystery

GARDEN SPOT

MARTY FIGLEY

Vines that trail, climb and cascade add a new dimension to gardens. They can be grown on structures to add height, sprawl along fences for vertical interest, or cascade from hanging containers.

Vines also provide privacy by decorating a lattice screen, or cover unsightly walls. When grown over a trellis, they add a bit of mystery as one enters a garden. Vines also provide shade and when grown over a roof-like structure create an outdoor bower. They are also most adaptable as groundcover.

Vines climb in several ways. Some twine their stems to a nearby support, others grab hold with tendrils, some cling by small disks or rootlets, others hook thorns into another nearby plant, and some just lean on their supports. Others don't climb at all but trail from hanging baskets, or trail across the ground.

Before you decide which vine to grow, find out how it 'works.' Many are quite heavy, others are massive and need solid support. A good book can guide in this respect, and this time of year is perfect for research.

Jan Zikakis, of Troy, grows a number of vines and other interesting flowers and shares these observations. Her moonflowers were grown from seeds. This year the plants were eaten to the ground four times by rabbits, but that didn't seem to deter them. When the rabbits ended their feast, the plant s grew rapidly. They like their partially shady spot and climb over an archway. Jan says, "It grows fast, and when I walk through, it's like walking through a door." The plants die down in the winter. The leaves are quite large and heart-shaped and the white trumpet-shaped flowers glow in the evening.

Two trumpet vines climb up tall cottonwood trees that grow near the center of the yard. The orange-red flowers bloom from mid-summer through fall and are a favorite of ruby-throated hummingbirds. This vine flowers on current season's growth and should be pruned in the spring.

The annual hyacinth bean vine, also called lablab, has purple to deep lavender pealike flowers followed by 4-inch purple pods. The interesting leaves are deep purple-green oval to triangular, in groups of three. Jan's plant is on a support that completely covers a flower-filled basket. Quite a show. Plants can be started indoors or sown directly in the ground.

A beautiful climbing hydrangea grows near the deck on the east side of the house. It sports large flat clusters of small white flowers and likes an acid soil. She feeds it tea to satisfy this need. The foliage on this plant, which is finely toothed, shiny and oval in shape, is outstanding. In the fall, it turns pale gold. After the leaves have dropped, the stems turn a reddish color. Three clematis clamber on an arch leading to the back garden. One is white, one purple and one lavender, which assures bloom throughout the season. No special care is given to them.

Two interesting plants also are worth mentioning. Angel trumpet has a double white bloom. She says, "This year it began blooming in July and has bloomed continuously since." Another plant, called the "Purple Horn of Plenty," sometimes called angels trumpet, according to Jan, grew 2 - to 3-feet tall with a 3-foot spread. Sweet potato vines grow in containers that sit on the deck. They cascade rather than climb and add a nice light yellow-green color and texture to the show.

A favorite vine is the passion flower. Two of them grow up trellises at the south side of the house and are quite beautiful with their unusual flowers. The Harrowsmith Gardeners guide, Vines (Camden House) describes these intricate flowers: "Like lotus flowers hung in midair, the blooms reach 4 inches in diameter, each boasting a colorful reproductive stalk arising from a crown of filaments against a backdrop of five broad petals and five broad sepals." Available in several colors, Jan's are a light pink/purple. The name comes from the unusual flower structure, thought by early discoverers to be emblematic of the crucifixion of Christ. Sometimes the vine produces a smooth lightweight oval fruit, that resembles a lime. The vines are cut to the ground in the fall after bloom and start coming up around the first of May. They really love hot weather.

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

Davis *from page C2*

■ "Is the stuff coming out of his butt the fastoola?" (Note: I never figured out what "fastoola" is, but it sounds like Italian food, doesn't it?)

■ "My dog's problems run the ga-moot."

■ Another doctor refused to write a prescription, concerned it might affect her Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) license: "She didn't want to prescribe it because she was worried she'd lose her DNA license."

■ "I'm really worried about hip displeasure."

■ "If he's kept in a cage, won't he feel annihilated from the rest of us?"

■ A jittery dog prompted an owner to warn me: "He's feeling a little nazi about all this."

■ After watching her son weigh himself on our lobby scale, a mom asked: "Does that measure human or animal weight?"

■ "I feed him Kibbles and Bips."

■ "Will I need to buy a yearn for the ashes?"

■ "I've been training canine dogs for over 10 years." (Canine dogs are the best kind of dogs!)

■ "Should I rub some Nero Sporum on the rash?"

■ An owner was very concerned about his dog's chipped canine tooth. "Can a dog do okay with a broken Kaline?"

■ "Isn't rat poison a coangelent?"

- A client, responding after hearing a cat had both eyes removed because of glaucoma. "She doesn't have any eyes? Is she blind?"

■ And one of my all time favorites, a client caught up in the Anthrax scare:

"I'm worried someone's going to get a dust cropper and start spreading Amtrak."

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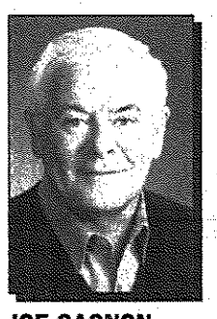

JOE GAGNON

I have just finished reading an article from the Associated Press, titled *Millions Drink Tainted Water*, and I'm thinking that this is probably about the 100th time I've read such material in the past 10 years.

I think about the many things we have to worry about in the world today and the subject of water keeps coming up. All of the studies done by different groups, universities, scientists, laboratories, etc., and I think I'm just a simple guy and all these people involved certainly know a lot more than I do, especially on the subject of water. They can't all be wrong or making up stories that scare the pants off of me.

There has to be some truth in these articles, and maybe there is more than meets the eye. In our home we have a water purification system installed even though we are on city water.

We have filtered water leading to the refrigerator ice maker and water dispenser system on the door. The reason I have this in our home is because I don't trust the water supply in this country. That is not only due to what I have read, but is also attributable to my eyes, nose and taste buds.

The other day we had a problem with the pressure tank that holds some 20 gallons of already pure water ready to use. The owner of the water company came over and changed the tank and we sat down at the kitchen table to shoot the breeze. He told me that he would take a drink of cold water from a refrigerator dispenser only if it had my system hooked up to it.

I asked him about the many millions of homeowners who drink from a non-filtered system.

How good is the water coming out of those refrigerators? Well, here's a guy who has been in the water business for more than 20 years, has a biologist on the payroll and won't drink water from the refrigerator used by millions. Why not was the question.

Folks, I give you his reply almost word for word: "I have taken apart several of the plastic storage tanks located inside the refrigerator, especially those without any kind of line filter, and just looking at these tanks was enough to convince me of the bacteria that is going into a glass of water."

He didn't have to say much more to prompt the writing of this column. I stop and think about the invention of water dispensers on refrigerators and what a beautiful gadget created to help sell a product.

When first brought out to the American public there was no such conversation about in-line filters. Then, it was recommended you buy one from the local hardware store and install it on the water line behind the refrigerator. Not changing the filter is like not changing the batteries in a smoke detector. And if they don't change batteries in a smoke detector, they certainly will not change the water filter.

Then in recent years some manufacturers get smart and installed the water filter right inside the refrigerator section with a warning light that tells you it is full of bacteria and needs to be changed.

The word bacteria keeps coming up in all conversations about refrigerator water dispensing systems. It should be as clear as the nose on your face. It is to me. Let me suggest that if you have this product in your home, install a filter system of some sort. If you need my help then there is a phone number at the end of this column, call me. If you already have a filter system installed then move the water through the product at regular intervals.

You wouldn't drink a glass of water that sat on the kitchen table for three days, would you? Try a little home test with the ice cubes. Fill a bowl full and let them sit on the kitchen counter for two days. Tell me what the water looks like. Stay tuned.

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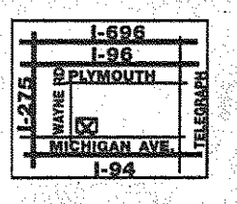

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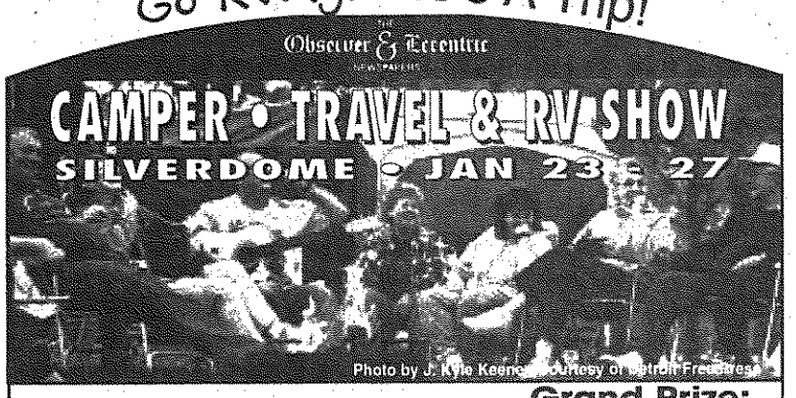

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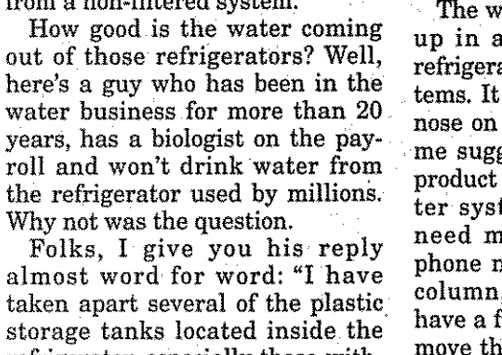

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UPCOMING

GUEST SPEAKER
The Rev. Dale Meyer, former speaker on The Lutheran Hour radio show and host of *On Main Street* television program, will speak at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175 Farmington Road, just north of I-96, for a 25th anniversary celebration service on Sunday, Feb. 10. The service, held at 9:30 a.m., will replace the normal 8:30 and 11 a.m., Sunday worship schedule. (734) 522-6830.

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WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS

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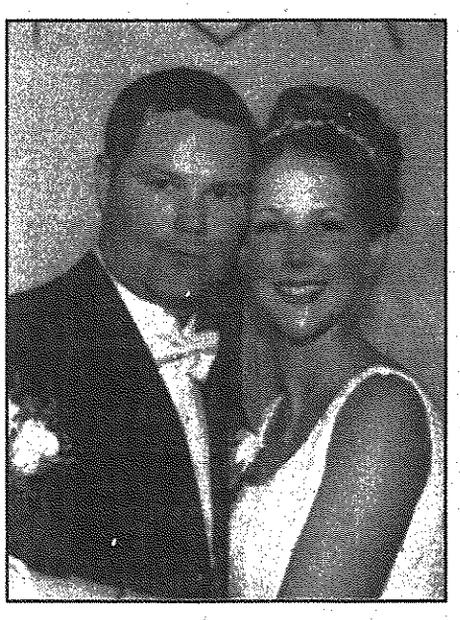


John and Linda Klotz of Livonia and John and Annette Wise of Livonia announce the marriage of their daughter, Lindsay Wise, to Donald Dixon. Donald is the son of Gary and Kathleen Dixon of Garden City.

The bride, Lindsay, is a 1996 graduate of Stevenson High School and is employed with Magna Dry.

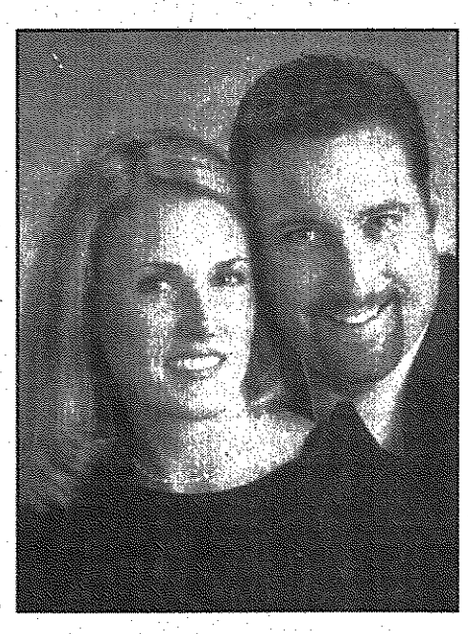
Her fiance, Donald, is a 1990 graduate of Franklin High School and employed with A & M Installation.

The couple wed July 27, 2001, in Laurel Chapel.

The bride was attended by Matron of Honor, Deanna Doyle, and bridesmaids, Shannon Daske, Laura Klotz and Corinne Sereno. Attendants for the groom were best man, James Daske, and groomsmen, James Dixon, Michael Dixon and Paul Trevino. Flower girls were, Whitney Daske and Ravyn Dixon. Ring bearer was Nicholas Dixon.

A reception was held at Roma Banquet Hall. The newlyweds honeymooned in Niagara Falls.

BARTALUCCI-STEFFEN



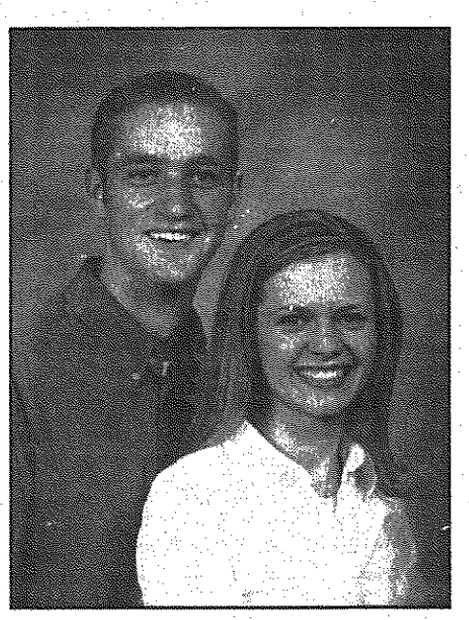
Ronald and Sharon Bartalucci of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne Eileen Bartalucci to Dewey Deane Steffen, son of Dr. Carolyn McKinnis Steffen of Birmingham.

Anne is a 1993 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, 1996 graduate of the University of Michigan with a bachelor's degree in psychology, and 2000 graduate of Wayne State University with a master's degree in school and community psychology. She is currently employed as a School Psychologist in the Wayne-Westland School District.

Dewey is a 1989 graduate of Birmingham Seaholm High School. He attended Schoolcraft Community College until 1993 when he transferred to the University of Michigan where he graduated in 1995 with a bachelor's degree in Economics. He is employed as a First Vice-President at Smith Barney in Detroit.

A June 29, 2002 wedding is planned in West Bloomfield.

DUNHAM-VENNING



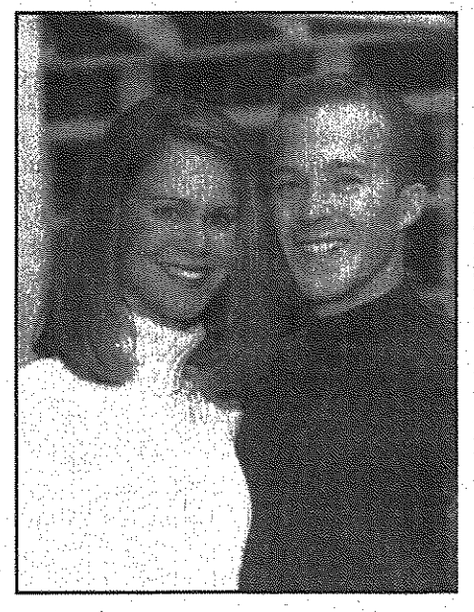
Jim Dunham of New Boston, and Roberta Lewis of Livonia, announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracey Dunham, to David Venning, son of John and Linda Venning of Livonia.

Tracey is a 1996 graduate of Churchill High School. She earned her bachelor of science degree in nutrition and food science from Wayne State University. She is currently in her second year at Meharry Medical College in Nashville, Tenn.

Her fiance, David, is a 1996 graduate of Catholic Central High School. He will graduate in May from Wayne State University with a bachelor degree in chemistry and plans to attend dental school in the fall.

A June 14, 2002, wedding is planned in Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Northville.

KIRBY-KOGUT



Verne and Marie Kirby of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Colleen, to Daniel Kogut, son of Paul and Barbara Kogut of Canton.

The bride is a graduate of Western Michigan University and is employed as an assistant category manager at Valassis.

Her fiance, Daniel, is a graduate of Albion College and employed as an analyst of DBA Finance at GMAC.

A June 2002 wedding is planned to take place in St. Thomas a'Becket Catholic Church of Canton.

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SQUEEZE THE DAY

LYNN WALDSMITH-PAWLIK

Let's pretend we're kids

The two 5-year-old best friends are in the playroom, entering their magical world of make-believe with alluring stage names and dress-up clothes from Target. I'm in the next room at the computer, trying to get a little work done. One word I hear about every 10 seconds or so, is "pretend."

"Pretend my name is Rebecca."

"Okay."

"And pretend my name is Clara."

"Okay."

"Wait, pretend my name is Rebecca Alexica."

"Okay."

"And pretend — "

"I'm Snow White," says Erin, the 2-year-old. But the more seasoned actresses don't seem to hear her. They're too busy playing house and using lovey-dovey terms of endearment.

"Bye honey. Are you sure you'll be home in time for the special dinner?"

"Oh yes dear.

"Oh honey, this is the most wonderfulest day I ever had! Let's get married hun-bun."

"I'm Snow White," the little sister pipes up.

Now sometimes I play make-believe with my kids, but at my age I'm too grounded in reality to be as good at it as they are. I need to stop hanging on to the notion that things should make sense.

"Mom, pretend my name is Sara, and your name is Maureen," my daughter will say to me five minutes after getting out of bed. "And let's pretend you're my mom."

"I am your mom."

"Oh yeah. Well, pretend we're in the jungle and we don't have any toothpaste so we have to use animal blood as our toothpaste."

"Animal blood? That's disgusting. I'm not going to brush my teeth with animal blood."

She reconsiders. "Okay, pretend no one knows it, but butterfly wings can make toothpaste, and so we make toothpaste from the butterflies we catch in the jungle."

Of course, I can be a pretty good monster with outstretched arms and a scary Frankenstein walk. And I can do a wicked laugh when called upon to be the mean queen. But I can't suspend my disbelief the way children can.

As Snow White takes her nap — a real nap, not a pretend one — Eileen and Rachel — their real names, not pretend ones — rehearse their show in the living room. I can hear lots of giggling, singing, and some occasional screaming.

"Keep it down please. Erin is sleeping." After awhile they insist I watch the show, but the room is dark and I have a hard time seeing them. They've closed all the window shades to create an authentic theatre-like effect.

Rachel introduces the show. "Ladies and gentlemen. This show is going to be perfect for everyone. You're going to love it. The baby is going to be born, then we're going to run away from the mean queen, and we're going to dance, and the princess and prince are going to kiss at the end, and then —"

"Rachel," I say, "Sorry to interrupt. But I don't think you're supposed to tell the audience everything that's going to happen. Why don't you just say the name of the show."

"Oh. It's called Sleeping Beauty II."

Twenty minutes later, following numerous costume changes and role changes, I sense the plot has become lost.

"Ah, girls? How long's this show anyway?" I ask because Sleeping Beauty is still a baby at this point. Anyway, turns out the show never did end, exactly. Snow White woke up from her nap so I had to go. But the young thespians didn't seem to mind.

"Come on Rachel. Let's play Barbies."

"Okay."

"Pretend my Barbie's name is . . ."

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FRIDAY'S CHILD

There's always

Time to Volunteer

Teen's generosity blossoms

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON
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Undeniably, flowers help to convey our emotions without the use of words. Jenny VanReuter of Livonia has found a way to turn gifts of condolence into unexpected bouquets of happiness.

The 16-year-old recently was nominated as an Observer Friday's Child by Phyllis Nelson of Livonia. Nelson first met Jenny last summer and wrote to the Observer after the encounter:

"We have a lovely young lady that delivers our Livonia Observer. Last summer she rang my doorbell, on crutches. She was inquiring if we had any old small vases that would hold flowers. I asked her how she would carry them and she said she had a backpack. She said that she puts flowers in the vases and takes them to nursing homes."

The Churchill High School student got the idea from a relative to solicit funeral homes for flower arrangements left by families after the service. Jenny collects the flowers, makes smaller arrangements with vases she buys at garage sales, then delivers the flowers to local hospitals and nursing homes. Neely-Turowski Funeral Home of Livonia has taken Jenny up on her request and provided flowers to her in recent months.

"I used to make cookies and pass them out to nursing homes," said Jenny. "Then someone told me about the idea of collecting flowers from funeral homes. It really brightens people's day. One lady even broke down she thought it was so touching."

Taking the time

While the idea sounds simple, Jenny said there's a lot of phone calling and leg work involved. "I have to call tons of funeral homes and have my name put on their lists. They call me if they have flowers available, so I don't always know ahead of time when I'm going to be able to make up vases."

'... someone told me about the idea of collecting flowers from funeral homes. It really brightens people's day.'

Jenny VanReuter
Volunteer

The daughter of Shirley and Lindbergh VanReuter of Livonia and sister to 12-year-old Samuel, Jenny is a member of Christadelphian Church in Livonia. She attaches a faith-based pamphlet to each vase.

"My church is really important to me. This way I can give people information about the Bible and help make them feel better," she said.

Because garage sales are seasonal, Jenny and her mom stock up on vases during the spring and summer months. She hoped to spend time some of her Christmas break making deliveries if a funeral home calls her.

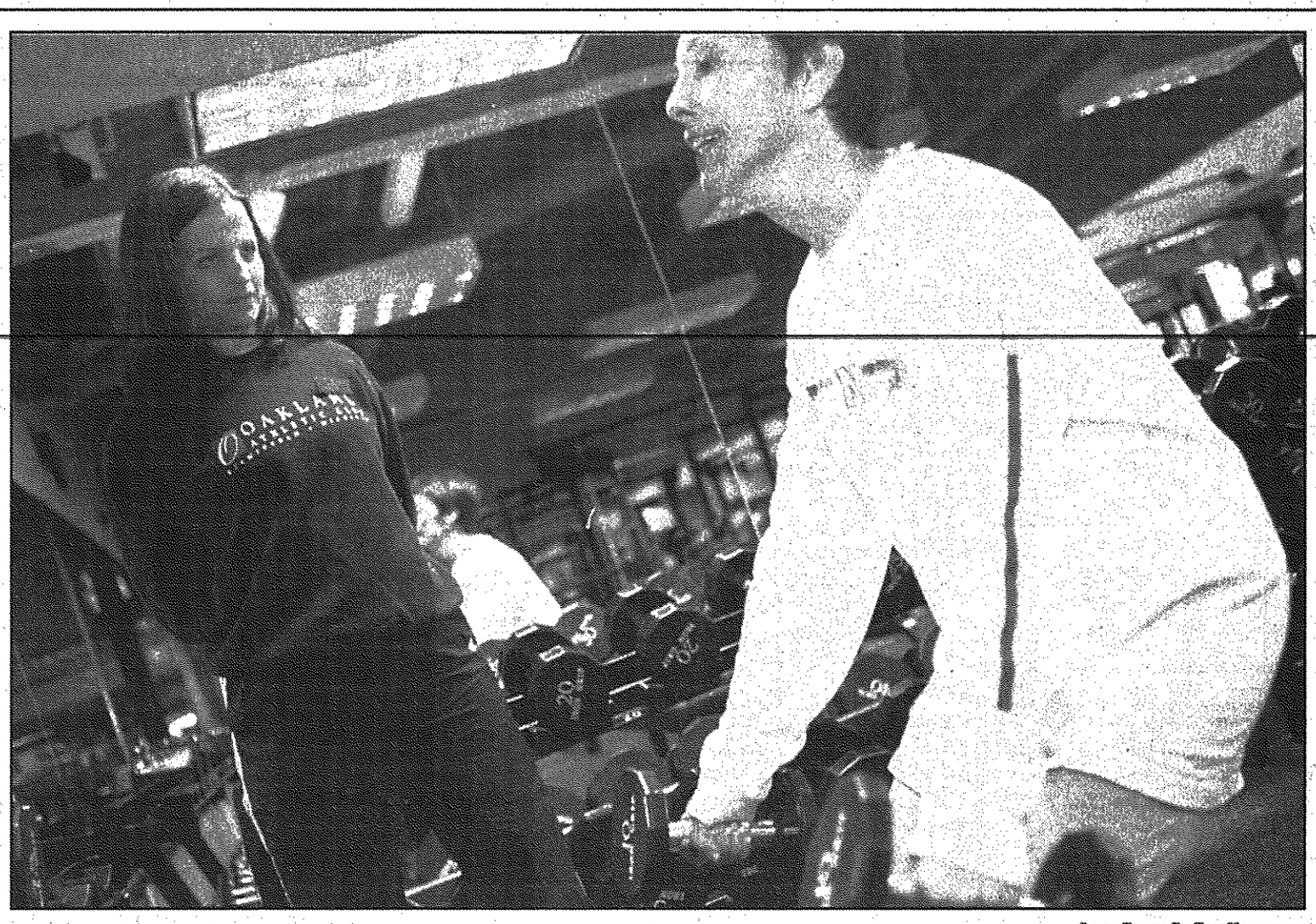
Jenny said going into hospitals has really helped to put her life into perspective. "There are a lot of really sick people out there. This is my way of helping to make them happy. To see the look on people's faces when I give them the flowers — it's worth all the effort."

Described as a "go-getter" by her mom, Shirley, Jenny has been involved with the Bible and Help Clubs at school as well as the youth choir at church.

"She gives 110 percent to everything she does," said Shirley VanReuter. "She gets up and she's going non-stop until she goes to bed. She likes going the extra mile for people and that shows in how much she cares."

Jenny met Phyllis Nelson for a second time last summer when the teen and her mom were out bargain shopping. "She also came to our garage sale looking for the same thing. She definitely is a good example of a Friday's Child," said Nelson.

If you have vases Jenny VanReuter can use for her project, please contact her at Exploring the Bible, P.O. Box 510953, Livonia, MI 48151-9828, Attention: Jenny VanReuter.



Last set: *Personal trainer Lauri Sam keeps a watchful eye on her client, Pat Nickol of Birmingham, as she nears the end of her workout.*

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Quest for fitness

Today's way is with a personal trainer

BY NICOLE STAFFORD
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There's not much to say about late January. At best, it's a period of transition, murky in focus and direction; holiday memories linger, winter vacations are a few weeks away.

People don't do much in January. Except, they do exercise.

Gyms and health clubs are never busier than in January thanks to new year's resolutions to shape up and lose weight.

Yet even health club regulars see their resolutions falter and new routines fall away come January's end.

It's tough to stick to an exercise program, which helps explain increased use of personal trainers.

But it's not the only reason working out with a trainer – a service once ascribed to the jet set – has become a mainstream lifestyle trend.

In today's health-savvy culture, people want knowledge about fitness, says Travis Summerville, a physical therapist for William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak who's also a personal trainer. "They want an educated experience or opinion."

At the same time, ideas about getting fit have changed.

On the one hand, exercisers are looking for convenient ways to incorporate fitness into their busy lives.

On the other, the fitness industry recognizes the need and call for an individual approach.

"I think people want a little more personal attention," says Summerville, "And there are many exercisers who want to train at home, rather than at a club or gym."

Also, many exercisers consult trainers after working with a physical therapist, says Summerville. And, in recent years, physicians have been making greater use of physical therapy treatments.

Working with a trainer costs between $20 and $100 per hour.

Everybody needs a little help

Growing use of personal trainers can also be understood from a different perspective, says Jennifer Jansen, a trainer at Oakland Athletic Club in Birmingham. Society has become comfortable, if not accustomed to, seeking out professional support and external motivation, particularly when self-improvement is at stake.

"Everybody has those days when they don't want to come in," says Jansen, whose clients run the gamut from working professionals to stay-at-home moms to senior citizens.

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"It is an indulgence, but at the same time, you're doing something very beneficial for yourself," she says.

Jansen says her clients split into two categories: Regular exercisers who reach a plateau and non-exercisers who need a trainer to teach the basics.

All and all, both types of clients are seeking a combination of inspiration and education, she says.

A real workout

"I wanted to learn how to use weights and needed help," says Pat Nickol, a Birmingham resident who works out with a personal trainer at Oakland Athletic Club. "I did aerobics, spin, all that. But I never used weights and I wouldn't have known what to do with them anyway."

More than two years later, Nickol, who's in her 50s, still meets with her personal trainer twice a week.

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Good form: *Jennifer Jansen, a personal trainer at Oakland Athletic Club, helps her client stay properly aligned during an upper body workout at the Birmingham health club.*

Nickol says her personal trainer keeps her focused on that approach and, most important, proper technique.

Another benefit: Exercise remains interesting because Nickol's trainer provides her with varied routines.

There's also something intangible about the relationship's effect on Nickol. "If she (Nickol's trainer) left, I would follow her. I don't want the club to think I would leave. That's just how attached I am to her."

How to find and select a personal trainer

■ Give strong consideration to a personal trainer's credentials, education and experience.

■ The National Strength and Conditioning Association is a reputable national organization that certifies personal trainers. The association also offers a personal trainer locator on its web site at www.nsca-lift.org/. Each trainer listing includes educational background and certification.

■ Although certified trainers are a good bet, there are excellent trainers without certification.

■ Many personal trainers have a degree in a health, fitness or exercise science program, such as sports medicine, physical education or anatomy and physiology.

■ Physicians and medical professionals are a good source for recommendations. Also, ask friends, family or other health club members for a recommendation.

■ Interview personal training candidates before hiring them. Be sure to ask about: client references, hourly rates, schedule availability, areas of expertise and years of experience, in addition to educational background and certification.

■ To evaluate training sessions, consider whether the trainer is motivating you, clearly explaining exercises and methods to you, and responding to your particular needs and goals.

■ For a comprehensive list of guidelines, visit the National Strength and Conditioning Association's web site and go to the "How To Select a Personal Trainer" link.

Good fit: *Look for a personal trainer who specializes in providing the particular services you need, says Jennifer Jansen, a trainer at the Oakland Athletic Club. Jansen's specialty is providing motivation.*

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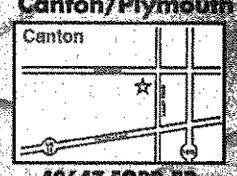

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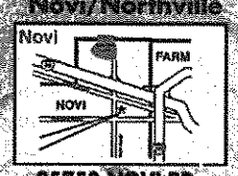

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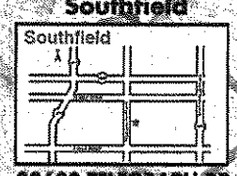

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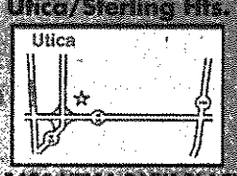

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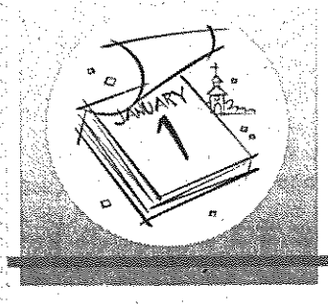

As we begin a new year, we should look forward to the future and be mindful of what we have learned from our past. The Bible tells us, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come (2 Corinthians 5:17). These comforting and inspirational words remind us that with Christ, a person can become new inside. With God's help we can begin the new year with the confidence that God's healing power can restore marriages and relationships, as well as our bodies and vocations. God cares about us and He wants us to be the best that we can be. He created each of us and has gifted us with various skills and talents that we should use for our benefit and the benefit of others. Only God knows what the future holds for each of us, but we should resolve that for the new year we will always try to do what is pleasing to our Lord. Our future reward for doing God's will is to hear Him say someday: "Well done, good and faithful servant, enter into the joy of your Master."

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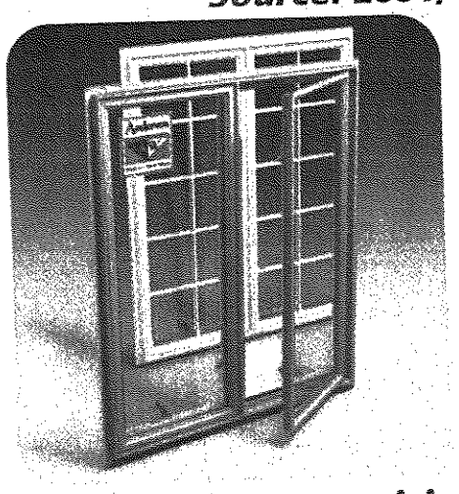

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Team skating

The Plymouth Figure Skating Club will host the Midwestern Synchronized Team Skating Championship Feb. 1-2 at Plymouth's Compuware Arena. More than 2,300 skaters representing 121 teams from across the midwest are expected to participate.

This year's competition will feature some of the nation's best synchronized teams, including PFSC's Gems on Ice, which will attempt to qualify for the fourth-straight year. Gems will put six teams competing this year against squads like Team Elan from Detroit Skating Club; Crystallettes from Dearborn Figure Skating Club; Fraser Eclipse from Fraser Skating Club; and the Hockettes from Ann Arbor Figure Skating Club.

The top 36 teams from various divisions will advance to the U.S. Figure Skating Association's Synchronized Team Skating National Championships, starting Feb. 26 in Lake Placid, N.Y.

Synchronized skating features 12-to-24 skaters performing intricate circles, wheels, intersections, lines and blocks in unison. Skaters range in age from six years to adult. For more information, call (734) 420-0462.

Tournament finalists

The Magic reached the final in its division of the Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association Tournament, thanks to 13-straight victories. The Magic were 11-0 in the regular season and finished 13-1 overall.

Team members are joe Halewicz, Tommy Anderson, Cameron Somarchburg, Tyler Pelto, Max Vaughn, Kulrat Sandhn, Dale Herriman, Josh Hammond, James Kaptur and Jon Kaptur. The team is coached by Doug Herriman and Dave Herriman; Julie Laselo is the team's statistician.

Top runners

Ian Searcy, a Plymouth Salem graduate, outraced the field to finish first in the 1-mile run at the Saginaw Valley State Collegiate Open last Saturday. Searcy, running unattached, was first in 4:20.82. J.P. Behnke of Lake Superior State was second in 4:22.08.

Conditioning class

A physical conditioning class is scheduled for 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays at the Plymouth Cultural Center. The class will deal with aerobics, body conditioning and kickboxing, and will run for 10 weeks.

For more information, call (734) 455-6620.

Salem baseball clinic

The annual Plymouth Salem Baseball Clinic will feature two sessions on consecutive Saturdays, March 23 and March 30. The 11-15 year-olds' session will be from 9 a.m.-noon on those dates; the 7-10 year-olds' session will be from 1-4 p.m.

Cost is $20, which will include instruction in hitting, fielding, pitching and fundamentals from the Salem baseball coaching staff and varsity players. Lunch will also be included (hot dog, chips, drink and snack).

Checks must be made payable to the Salem Dugout Club and received by March 20. A waiver of liability form is also required. Send checks and participant's name to Bob Wilson, 15223 Thornridge, Plymouth, MI, 48170. For more information, call Wilson at (734) 420-3569.

CCJBSA registration

The Canton Community Junior Baseball and Softball Association will continue its registration for the upcoming seasons at 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9 at the Canton Softball Center and 6-9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 26 at the Summit in Canton.

Boys and girls ages 4-18 years who are residents of Plymouth or Canton, or attend a Plymouth-Canton Community School, are eligible to register.

All players will be required to show a birth certificate or passport to verify age and residency. Registration is on a first-come basis. Space may be limited due to the possibility of limited field availability.

Fees vary from $70 to $105.

For further information, call Chris Angel (T-ball and coach-pitch) at (734) 981-3007; Mark Caples (baseball, 9-12 years) at (734) 416-7233; Jay Obsniuk (baseball, 13-18 years) at (734) 981-3272; or Rich Rehn (softball, 7-18 years) at (734) 398-5933. You can visit the CCJBSA website at www.ccjbsa.com.

Whalers roll past Ice Dogs, 5-3

OHL HOCKEY

Hard not to overlook these guys.

After all, the Mississauga Ice Dogs have been at the bottom of the Ontario Hockey League standings since its inception a half-dozen years ago. And the Plymouth Whalers have been at, or very close, to the top.

So when the Whalers scored quickly in the two teams' meeting Saturday at Plymouth's Compuware Arena, then added a pair of goals to their total to give them a 4-1 lead after two periods, well, who could blame them for thinking 'game over?'

Turned out a bit premature. The Ice Dogs answered the Whaler surge with two goals of their own in the third, making it a 4-3 game before Plymouth got an empty-netter to close out its 5-3 victory.

The win boosted the Whalers' OHL-leading record to 29-7-8-2. Mississauga is 10-31-3-1.

Stephen Weiss opened the game's scoring just 1:10 into the game, finishing off a pass from Greg Campbell. Chad LaRose also assisted.

The Ice Dogs tied it a minute later, John Kozoriz finishing a pass from Mike Wehrsted, to make it 1-1. The Whalers went ahead for good before the period was over, Damian Surma placing a shot past a sliding Matt Tanel, the Ice Dogs goalie, with 4:22 left in the first. Karl Stewart and Jonas Fiedler assisted.

Two second-period goals, the first at 8:26 by Nathan Tennant (from Fiedler) and the second at 15:38 by Weiss (from LaRose), allowed the Whalers to increase their lead to 4-1. But the Ice Dogs responded with a pair of third-period goals, by Greg Jacina and Kozoriz, in a one-minute span to make it 4-3 with 1:38 left.

Brad Yeo capped the victory for the Whalers with an empty-net goal in the closing seconds.

Paul Drew was in goal for Plymouth, which hosts the Peterborough Petes at 7:30 p.m. Friday and the Belleville Bulls at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, both at Compuware Arena.

Salem clips Chiefs in OT

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Perhaps there were those who thought Plymouth Canton, playing without their leading scorer — Andrew Meagrow was sidelined with an ankle injury — would simply throw in the towel at Plymouth Salem Tuesday and be satisfied enough with "a good effort."

They were wrong.

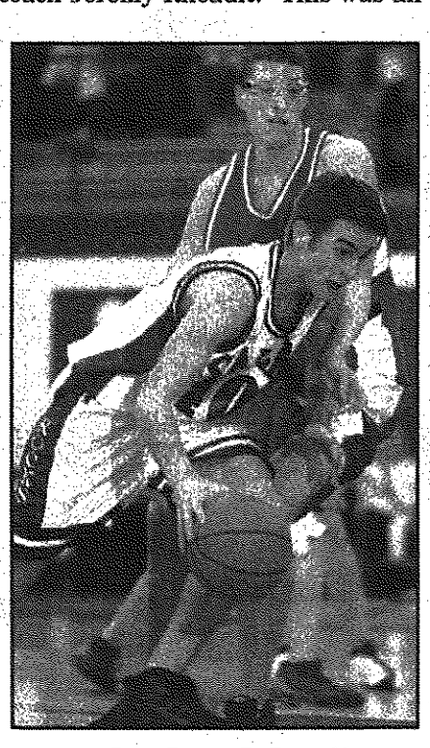
BASKETBALL

Canton took the Rocks to the limit, and beyond, stretching the game into overtime before succumbing 63-58 in a Western Lakes Activities Association basketball game.

The loss left Canton at 5-5 overall, 2-2 in the WLAA. Salem is 6-4 overall, 4-0 in the conference.

"When you have your best player on the bench and still have a chance to win the game, that's saying something," said Canton coach Jeremy Rheault. "This was an evenly-played game."

Can't argue that. Throughout the first half and into the second, the Chiefs led in the game, thanks in great part to the three-point shooting of Billy Gazsi, Kyle Lasko and Jason Priebe. They accounted for four of Canton's five first-half three-pointers and 24 points in all in helping the Chiefs build a 27-22 halftime advantage.



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Guarded closely: *Salem's Dave Hoskins (photo at right) tries to put up a shot over Canton's Brendan Murphy (12), which wasn't easy to do in Tuesday's game. While Hoskins was limited to 13 points, teammate Pat Abraham (with ball, above) poured in 24 for the Rocks.*

Still, it's hard not to play the "What if?" game, particularly when you have a 6-foot-6 wing man like Meagrow, whose shooting range is anywhere inside the halfcourt line, sitting on the bench.

"Would it have been different if Meagrow was in the game?" Rheault asked rhetorically, answering, "Absolutely it would have been different."

Salem's Bob Brodie didn't disagree. "It wasn't so much (Meagrow) being out," he said. "It was their toughness on defense. They played an aggressive man-to-man defense and we didn't do a very good job handling it."

With the third quarter approaching its midpoint, the situation wasn't looking much better for the Rocks —

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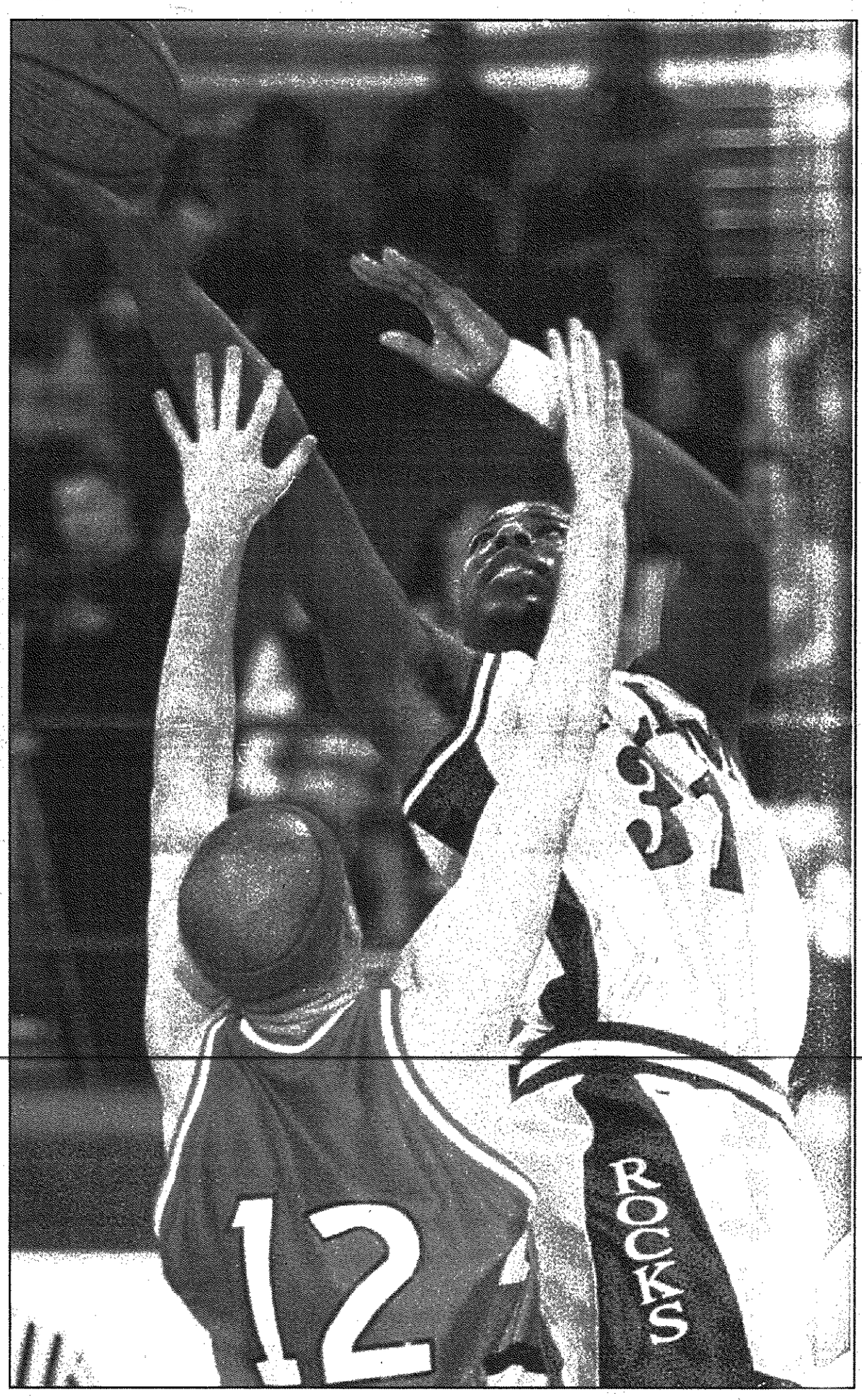

Canton seeks to defend area crown

BY DAN O'MEARA
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Redford Catholic Central's wrestling team is building momentum and could be reaching its potential just in time for the 11th Annual Observerland Tournament.

The Shamrocks, who have made gains following a slow start in December, are considered a top contender to win the 2002 championship – a role not unfamiliar to them.

CC has won the tournament more times (four) than any other school. Livonia Stevenson has three titles; defending champion Plymouth Canton, Plymouth Salem and Farmington have one each.

"They're just starting to come around," said CC coach Mike Rodriguez of his wrestlers. "We took a licking in the beginning.

"We lost our first four matches up at Bay City in the Michigan Tournament, and then we got wiped out by Hartland."

But the Shamrocks have come back to post a 13-6 record in dual meets, which includes wins over Canton, Salem and Stevenson, as well as wrestling powers Dundee, Roseville and Novi.

"We're late bloomers," Rodriguez said. "It's getting to be that time of the year."

That means the league, district, regional and state tournaments are in the near future.

"This is a team that went to the state last year," Rodriguez said. "That's where their mind is set again this year."

One reason CC had a slow start was the absence of senior Ryan Rogowski, who had surgery to repair a hernia immediately after the Shamrocks won the Division I football title in November.

Rogowski is 12-1 since his return and will be favored to win the 189-pound title Saturday as the area's No. 1-ranked wrestler at that weight.

He is one of two CC wrestlers and five overall who are defending champions, although most won't be back at the same weights.

Canton's 215-pound Phil Rothwell is the only one who will be. Rogowski won at 171; Garden City's Jacob Davis (103) has moved to 112 bracket; Livonia Churchill's Brian Clement (119) is now at 125 and CC's Blaic Naysmith (189) has made the jump to 215.

"We're pretty solid from 140 on up," Rodriguez said, adding Naysmith pinned a defending state champ from Bedford on Saturday. "(The Bedford boy) tried to get away from Rogowski and jumped into the fire."

CC's Nate Rodriguez (140), Trevor Stewart (145) and Chris Cracchiolo (171), who was third at 152 last year,

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OBSERVERLAND WRESTLING

What: 11th Annual Observerland Wrestling Tournament.

When: Saturday, Jan. 26. Competition starts at 9 a.m. The finals will begin at approximately 5:30 p.m.

Where: Livonia Churchill High School (Newburgh Road between Ann Arbor Trail and Joy roads). Additional parking is available behind the school.

Admission: $5 for adults, $3 for children (18 and under). Prices are good for the entire day.

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1995: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 2. Redford Catholic Central, 3. Plymouth Salem.

1994: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 2. Redford Catholic Central, 3. Plymouth Salem.

1993: 1. Redford Catholic Central, 2. Westland John Glenn, 3. Livonia Stevenson.

1992: 1. Farmington, 2. Plymouth Canton, 3. Westland John Glenn.

COLLEGE SPORTS

Crusaders claim 2nd-straight victory

■ MEN'S HOOPS

Playing without two of their top scoring threats didn't seem to bother Madonna University's men's basketball team against Tri-State last Saturday.

At least not in the second half.

Trailing 34-31 at halftime, the host Crusaders rallied to take the lead for good on a Noel Emenhiser field goal with 17:56 to play in the game, eventually stretching it to the final margin of 79-66.

The win left Madonna at 6-15 overall, 3-3 in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference. The Thunder slipped to 9-15 overall, 2-4 in the WHAC.

The Crusaders were playing without all-time leading scorer Mike Massey, a senior guard, and Steve Horn, a promising freshman wingman and the team's second-leading scorer this season at 12.9 points a game. Through mutual agreement, Massey — unhappy with his dwindling playing time — left the team. Horn has done the same.

Still, the Crusaders managed to persist, thanks in great part to Emenhiser, who finished with 24 points, including 4-of-6 on three-pointers.

A three-pointer by Nate Hoekje — who was 6-for-8 on triples and scored 31 points — pulled the Thunder to within 63-62 with 3:22 left in the game, but Madonna had the answer. Emenhiser drilled a triple and was fouled, making the free throw to push the Crusaders' lead to 67-62.

Two baskets by Aaron Cox and two free throws by Joe Greene increased their cushion to 73-62 with 1:39 to go, to much for Tri-State to overcome.

Joining Emenhiser in double figures in scoring were Cox with 17 points (and five steals), Greene with 11 (and six assists), and Tony Jancevski (from Plymouth Salem HS) with 10. As a team, Madonna made 30-of-56 shots from the field (53.6 percent), including 6-of-15 threes (40 percent). The Crusaders were also 13-of-15 on free throws (86.7 percent).

Two others, other than Hoekje, hit double figures in scoring for the Thunder. Brandon O'Leary and Paul Finnegan netted 12 points each.

SC 87, Wayne County CC 64: Javon Clark nailed six three-pointers Saturday as Schoolcraft College won its 18th straight game with its victory over host Wayne County Community College.

Schoolcraft, ranked No. 4 in the latest NJCAA Division I poll, sits all alone in first place in the Eastern Conference of the Michigan Community College Athletic Association at 5-0. Wayne County drops to 8-6 overall and 4-1 in the conference.

Clark finished with 18 points, while Mike Williams added 15 points, a team-high 11 rebounds and four steals.

Center Yaku Moton-Spruill (Westland John Glenn) contributed 14 points and seven rebounds. Ronald Dorsey came off the bench to score nine points, while point-guard Yulon Harris dished out eight assists.

Schoolcraft was 19 of 32 from the free throw line (59.3 percent) and 30 of 58 from the floor (51.7 percent).

Wayne County, which trailed 43-26 at the half, got 16 points from Darius Taylor.

Madonna women move into first in WHAC

■ WOMEN'S HOOPS

To run its record to 15-6, Madonna University's women's basketball team went back to the basics — good shooting, great rebounding, solid defense.

Those three elements were enough to propel the Lady Crusaders to a 76-60 victory Tuesday at the Indiana Institute of Technology.

Madonna improved to 15-6 overall, 6-1 in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference — first in the conference after Spring Arbor upended Cornerstone Tuesday. The Warriors are 11-10 overall, 4-3 in the WHAC.

The Crusaders started fast and never let up against Tech, taking a 40-28 lead at halftime. The Warriors made 10-of-34 floor shots in the first half (29.4 percent); Madonna was 18-of-35 (51.4 percent).

It didn't get any better for Tech in the second half. For the game, Madonna made 33-of-59 shots (55.9 percent) compared to the Warriors' 21-of-65 (32.3 percent). The Crusaders also had a wide edge in rebounding: 51-31.

Kathy Panganis led Madonna with 21 points; she also had eight rebounds and six assists. Mahogany Fletcher (from Farmington Harrison) contributed 15 points and three steals, and Lindsay Simmon finished with 14 points. Carissa Gizicki had just two points, but also totaled 10 assists, nine boards and two steals.

Tech was paced by Thyoshi Chambers with 18 points. LaShanda Conwell had 17 and Jennifer Swanson 11.

Madonna 72, Tri-State 66: A first-half cushion got away from Madonna Saturday, but the Lady Crusaders recovered down the stretch to hold off the Tri-State University Thunder and claim the victory Saturday at Madonna.

Tri-State fell to 10-9 overall, 4-2 in the WHAC.

Kathy Panganis and Lindsay Simmon each shredded Tri-State for 18 points, helping Madonna take a 36-26 halftime lead. The Thunder eliminated the gap eight minutes into the second half and, following two Ann Miller free throws, took a 54-51 lead with 8:12 to play.

But the Crusaders bounced back, getting six points apiece from Nikki Blaszak and Mahogany Fletcher. Fletcher finished with 11 points and Tera Morrill (from Westland/Livonia Franklin) had eight.

Tri-State was led by Julie Dobbs with 14 points, Crystal Hardesty with 13 and Miller with 12.

SC 74, Wayne County CC 43: By halftime, Schoolcraft College had built a comfortable, 11-point lead. To make certain there would be no comebacks, the Lady Ocelots padded their advantage with a 16-2 run to start the second half, taking them to a 48-23 lead with 16:23 left.

The win boosted SC's record to 13-4 overall, 5-0 in the Michigan Community College Athletic Association's Eastern Conference. Wayne CCC is 6-4 overall, 2-3 in the conference.

Rachel Eley led the Ocelots with 12 points, eight assists and six steals. Pam Wingate added 12 points and Keysa Hamilton scored 11. Devin Francois finished with nine points and nine rebounds.

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This is individual scratch play competition which pays out around $700 or more for first place. The top finishers in the two games then go on to single match play eliminations to decide the order of finish.

Last week there were over 60 entrants. And with added prize money, first place paid $1,000.

This is just the place to go after you have had some of Aleta and Michelle's digital coach program.

•The Greater Detroit Bowling Association announces the senior five-man team handicap tournament coming soon for bowlers 55 and up.

This year's 36th annual Karl Schmuck Memorial senior division tournament is dedicated to bowling's elder statesman, Jarvis Woehlke.

First place is $1,000, with $500 for second, and on down.

Prize fee is returned 100 percent, while the entry is only $15 per person.

Reservations close Friday, Jan. 25, with entries closing Friday, Feb. 1.

The event will be Saturdays, Feb. 9 and 1. Squad action starts at 9:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. at Shorecrest Lanes, located on Harper at Nine Mile Road in St. Clair Shores.

Entry forms are on the counters at most bowling centers, or call (586) 773-6350 for more information.

■ The latest figures from Greater Detroit Bowling Association revealed there were at total of 1,518 perfect (300) games in the last year (2000-2001). And based on the current data, there is a slight drop-off so far this season.

So far, there have been at total of 339 800 series in the GDBA this season.

These figures were among those passed along during the association's semi-annual meeting held recently at Renaissance Bowl in Detroit.

Hats off to GDBA president Marvin Dooley for the great job he is doing in his term in office.

■ A new local TV bowling show will kick off Saturday Feb. 2 and run through April 20 with WJR's Tom Mazawey narrating.

The Greater Detroit Bowling Bonanza and will be aired by WPXD (PAX Network), which is on all cable systems.

The format for the show is a two-ball match with prizes awarded for strikes or spares.

The producers of the show include Mazawey, Mark Martin and Jerry Harris of Novi Bowl, and Drakeshire Lanes plan to promote more bowling in the Detroit area by involving other bowling centers.

Watch the TV guide for exact times coming up on Saturdays.

■ Tom Shively of Redford captured every jackpot across the board last week in the Wonderland Classic League at Wonderland Lanes in Livonia.

He also scored the highest three-game series ever in this highly regarded league.

Rolling games of 299-277-290, Shively amassed an amazing 866 for the three games.

This is also the highest series by anyone at Wonderland Lanes in its 45-year existence, according to proprietor Ken Bashara.

Tom also had a 300 game earlier this season, but has never yet bowled a perfect game in any of the 800 series which he has recorded.*

League secretary Bob Mertz describes Tom's delivery as very smooth and precise, similar to the late great Earl Anthony.

Shively, a tool and die maker by trade, rolled 32 strikes out of a possible 36 in achieving his 866 score.

(Al Harrison is a Garden City resident.)

Finding water in winter not so easy for animals

NATURE NOTES

TIM NOWICKI

As the temperatures decline, the inability of animals to find open water for drinking increases.

Water is an absolute essential for living things at all times of the year. Animals must obtain water no matter what form it is in.

Liquid water is at least warmer than 32 degrees Fahrenheit. Snow is frozen water so it must be colder than freezing.

Ice takes a lot of energy to melt into a liquid, plus, once swallowed it cools the inside of an animal's body. Extreme cooling from the inside can cause hypothermia.

Animals in far northern climates, where all water is frozen, are able to obtain water from melting ice, or from eating snow. These animals must be adapted to tolerate such internal cooling. It was either adapt or die because of a lack of water.

In southeastern Michigan, animals avoid water freezing in their body cells by concentrating more salts and compounds inside. By concentrating more compounds in the water, the freezing point drops. We do the same thing with anti-freeze in the radiator of our car.

Sugar is often one of those compounds added to water to reduce the freezing point.

That explains why my injured red maple in the backyard was seeping sap the other day. Sugar maple sap is about 3-5 percent sugar, red maple sap concentration is probably just a little less. It's still enough to keep the sap from freezing.

Fortunately for the squirrels in my back yard, this seep also serves as a source of high energy water.

I have watched both fox and red squirrels clinging upside down next to the seep and licking the sweet liquid. Not only are they getting the needed water, they are also getting energy from the sugar.

Licking sap from a natural seep is not unusual activity for squirrels, but creating seeps intentionally is not unheard of either.

Observers in the northeast have watched red squirrels develop a sap line. Something like trappers developing a trap line.

Red squirrels were observed gnawing an opening in branches of maple trees to induce sap to flow. They did not lick the sap immediately, instead, they waited a couple days to allow the wind and sun to evaporate the water causing sugar to concentrate in the remaining ice.

Then, they would follow the same route and enjoy the sugar from the sap wells they created.

I feel this is the way native Americans learned about the sweetness of sap and that concentrating it made it even sweeter and more appealing.

There is something about sugar and sweets that is appealing to most humans and to many animals.

Think about the animals that rely almost exclusively on sugar water, or nectar. The development of sweet nectar has attracted many animals to its source.

Hummingbirds eat some insects for protein, but the bulk of their diet is nectar from flowers. Honey bees do eat some pollen, but nectar is the mainstay of their diet.

Butterflies, moths, sunbirds, some beetles, and many other animals rely on the energy of sugar from the nectar.

If you don't have a source of water for birds at your feeding station, you can purchase a safe heater that runs on a thermostat to keep water available for them.

Do not put sugar in the water. Warm sugar water can allow bad things to grow in the water. Let the birds get their sugar water from the sap of trees where they have been getting it for thousands of years.

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

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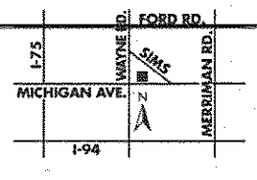

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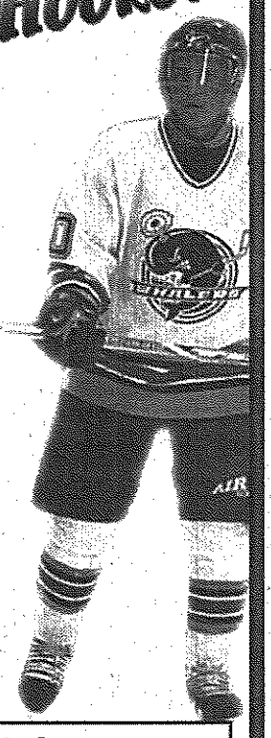

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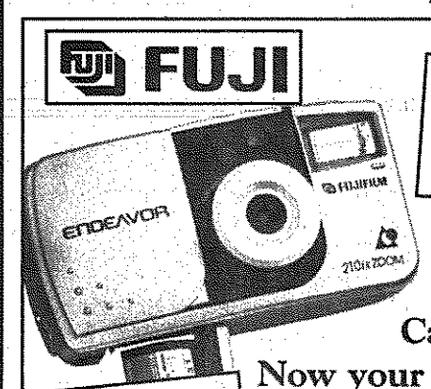

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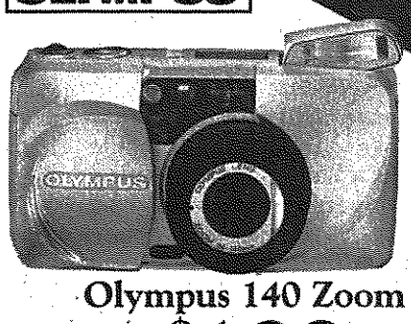

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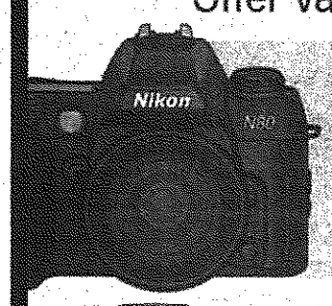

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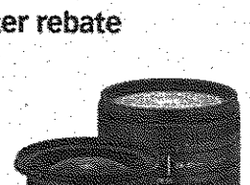

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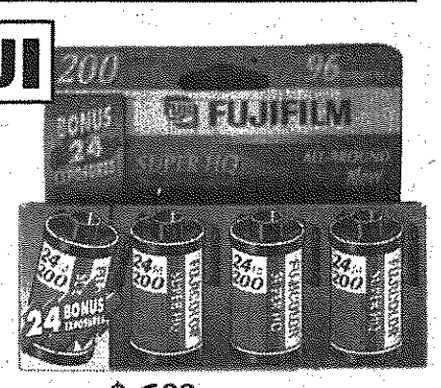

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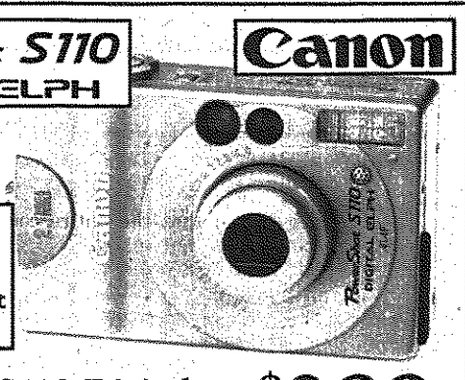

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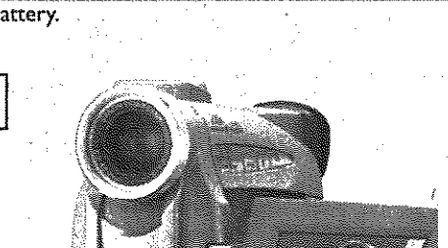

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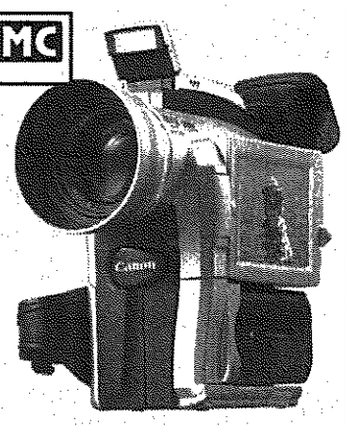

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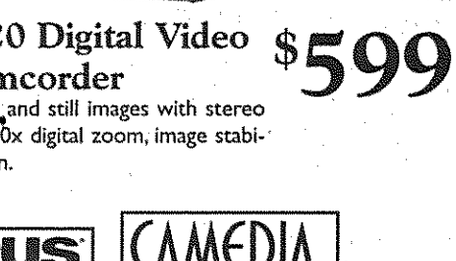

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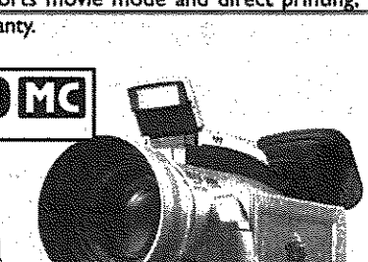

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are No. 1 at their weights in the weekly Observerland rankings.

Stewart is "a sleeper in the lineup," Rodriguez said. He's 30-0 with a victory over a defending state champ from Dundee. Others with impressive records are Rodriguez at 27-3, Cracchiolo 28-2, Naysmith 26-4, Matt Steintrager (103) 27-3, Matt Koziara (112) 25-5 and Pat Clark (275) 23-7.

Chiefs hope to challenge

Canton coach John Demsick isn't predicting a title repeat, but he expects the Chiefs to make a good effort in the attempt.

"It'll be a real fight for us to come out on top," he said. "I'd say CC and (Westland) John Glenn are probably the teams to go after. They look like they're one and two.

"We, along with everyone else, are going to get in there and fight and do what we can do."

Like CC, Canton has been improving since the start of the season.

"I think we started out a little lower than we had hoped," Demsick said. "But the last couple weeks we've been growing as a team and moving in the right direction."

While the Chiefs might not be the team favorite, they are one of the top five teams in the area, according to Demsick.

"I'm surprised (area coaches) totally took us out of the rankings," he said. "That was a mistake – that we're not ranked in the top five at this point.

"We've certainly had a couple disappointments along the way, but we still have some good strength to be a team that has a chance to do well."

The Chiefs have won three tournaments – team events at Flushing and Novi and last week the Jackson Northwest Invitational.

In addition to Rothwell (28-0), Doy Demsick (25-5) and Greg Musser (24-4) also have "the ability to make it all the way," according to the Canton coach. The Canton lineup also features Chris Hosey (25-6) and Shahein Rajaee (22-8).

"We're a little more well rounded than some people must think we are," Demsick said. "Observerland is one of those places you're going to need everybody helping out if you're going to do well."

Doy Demsick was second at 125 last year and is No. 1 at 130. Musser wrestles at 145, Hosey 140, Siegrist 152 and Rajaee 189."

Glenn a solid team, too

One team that could challenge CC on Saturday is Westland John Glenn, sporting a 13-2 dual meet record.

The Rockets are led by Nick Naber, a 103-pounder with a 21-1 record. He finished 4-0 last weekend in the Hartland Invitational dual meet tourney.

Glenn won three of four matches at Hartland, falling only to Grand Rapids Northview, ranked No. 5 in Division I. The Rockets earned wins over Fowlerville, Oxford and Monroe.

Other Glenn standouts include Kefentse Mandisa (119), who sports a 22-6 record; Phil Parker (125), 23-7; Rece Cox (130), 23-9; Phil Perry (135), 23-5; Enrique Garcia (140), 20-5; and Nick Wroblewski (160), 23-5.

Mandisa, Parker, Perry and Wroblewski all finished with 3-1 records at the Hartland tourney. Garcia (flu) did not wrestle, but is expected back at Observerland. The Rockets, however, might have lost 189-pounder Jake Fairchild (possible broken finger).

"I feel confident we can finish in the top three," Glenn coach Bill Polk said. "I'm sure CC is favored. They're winning matches up top, the higher weights. We're just the opposite. We're better at the bottom."

Polk knows his team must wrestle well to have a chance at the title.

"Canton has a tough team; they were right behind us at the CC tournament," he said. "Churchill has some good kids, and Wayne could have three or four in the finals. Every school has kids who can get to the finals."

Churchill is ranked No. 3 in the area and will be a factor in the tournament, too.

"It's going to come down to who is healthy to wrestle," Chargers coach Marty Altounian said. "Glenn is really looking good right now. It'll be a tight race between them and CC.

"Canton and Salem are tough, too. There are five or six teams that are going to be vying for the top three (trophy) spots."

Other individual wrestlers to watch include Ramis Bajrami, North Farmington, 112; Craig LaBaron, Redford Thurston, 119; Bryan Marsh, Wayne, 152; Steve Wallace, Wayne, 160; and Tony Martinez, Livonia Franklin, heavyweight.

Chiefs win invitational

WRESTLING

Wrestlers can't afford to be complacent.

That's a lesson Plymouth Canton's team learned last year at the Jackson Northwest Invitational, when several of its top wrestlers suffered early-round losses. The Chiefs vowed there would be no repeat this year, and last Saturday there wasn't.

With a pair of Chiefs earning individual titles and two others taking seconds, Canton managed to emerge with the team championship trophy, outscoring runner-up Jackson Northwest 193.5-183. Adrian was third (140.5), followed by Saline (135), Chippewa Valley (131), Portland (116.5), Dexter (106), Trenton (101.5), Albion (95) and Harper Creek (92).

"You can see the sparkle in their eyes right now when the team comes together before we compete," said Canton coach John Demsick. "They know the strength of being a team together. When guys know that others believe in them and are counting on them, great things happen. Right now, they believe, and great things are happening."

Greg Musser (145-pound weight division) and Phil Rothwell (215) each wrestled to division titles. Mike Siegrist (152) and Shahein Rajaee (189) finished second, with Steve Hogg (103), Rob Schnettler (112), Chris Hosey (140) and Mike Bonner (160) placing third. Doy Demsick (130) and Derek Robinson (135) were fourth.

Canton's first- and second-year wrestlers competed at the Garden City Novice Tournament last Saturday. Steve Hosey (135) finished first and Jimmy Kral placed third.

AREA WRESTLING RANKINGS

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Team rankings: 1. Redford Catholic Central; 2. Westland John Glenn; 3. Livonia Churchill; 4. Plymouth Salem; 5. Wayne Memorial.

103 pounds: 1. Nick Naber (Westland John Glenn); 2. Matt Steintrager (Redford CC); 3. Dan McAuliffe (Livonia Stevenson); 4. Brian Mervyn (Plymouth Salem); 5. Steve Hogg (Canton).

112: 1. Ramis Bajrami (North Farmington); 2. Gent Abdullai (Livonia Churchill); 3. Drew Conner (John Glenn) 4. Jacob Davis (Garden City); 5. Matt Koziara (Redford CC).

119: 1. Craig LaBaron (Redford Thurston); 2. Kefentse Mandisa (John Glenn); 3. Pete Bobee (Salem); 4. Dan Clement (Churchill); 5. Mark Valentin (Wayne Memorial).

125: 1. Mike Goethe (Salem); 2. Brian Clement (Churchill); 3. Shawn Parker (John Glenn); 4. Harry Leipsitz (N. Farmington); 5. Tim Hammer (Wayne).

130: 1. Doy Demsick (Plymouth Canton); 2. Rece Cox (John Glenn); 3. Jason Fischer (Stevenson); 4. Steve Lenhardt (Churchill); 5. Jon Schwartz (Farmington).

135: 1. Phil Perry (John Glenn); 2. Nate Dillard (Salem); 3. John Gourlay (Redford Union); 4. Chris Usher (Thurston); 5. Matt Nollar (Lutheran Westland).

140: 1. Nate Rodriguez (Redford CC); 2. Enrique Garcia (John Glenn); 3. Chris Hosey (Canton); 4. John Dobbins (Wayne); 5. Chris Hopkins (RU).

145: 1. Trevor Stewart (Redford CC); 2. Tony Kennard (Salem); 3. Greg Musser (Canton); 4. Lev Mergian (Churchill); 5. Chris McGlone (Wayne).

152: 1. Bryan Marsh (Wayne); 2. Matt Radley (Stevenson); 3. Brad Gregory (John Glenn); 4. Adam Schaffer (Salem); 5. Mike Siegrist (Canton).

160: 1. Steve Wallace (Wayne); 2. Brian Jones (Churchill); 3. Nick Wroblewski (John Glenn); 4. Dario Mainella (Stevenson); 5. Craig Blair (Salem).

171: 1. Chris Cracchiolo (Redford CC); 2. Jay Abshire (Churchill); 3. Jack Seres (John Glenn); 4. Jake Bongero (RU); 5. Cortland Bartlett (Farmington).

189: 1. Ryan Rogowski (Redford CC); 2. Alex Murray (Churchill); 3. Jake Fairchild (John Glenn); 4. Shahein Rajaee (Canton); 5. Josh Herrington (Thurston).

215: 1. Phil Rothwell (Canton); 2. Thom Vandenbossche (Churchill); 3. Zack Jensen (Salem); 4. R.J. Ramsey (Wayne); 5. Blaic Naysmith (Redford CC).

Heavyweight: 1. Tony Martinez (Livonia Franklin); 2. Jason LaDuc (RU); 3. Pat Clark (Redford CC); 4. Nick Renton (Wayne); 5. Mike Robinson (Stevenson).

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BOYS BASKETBALL
Thursday, Jan. 24
Inter-City at Ply. Christian, 7 p.m.
Macomb Christian vs. Agape
at Garden City United, 7 p.m.
S'field Christian at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 25
Churchill at Northville, 7 p.m.
Harrison at Franklin, 7 p.m.
Stevenson at Farmington, 7 p.m.
John Glenn at N. Farm., 7 p.m.
W.L. Central at Salem, 7 p.m.
Canton at W.L. Western, 7 p.m
Wayne at Romulus, 7 p.m.
Thurston at Allen Park, 7 p.m.
Crestwood at Redford Union, 7 p.m.
Lincoln Park at Garden City, 7 p.m.
C'ville at Luth. Westland, 7 p.m.
Notre Dame at Redford CC, 7:30 p.m.
Borgess at N.D. Prep, 7:30 p.m.
Mt. Carmel at St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.
Huron Valley at World Outreach, 7:30 p.m.
Ply. Christian vs. Greater Life
at EMU Convocation Ctr., 8 p.m.

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL
Thursday, Jan. 24
Huron Valley at Tay. Baptist, 5 p.m.
Mercy at H.W. Regina, 6:30 p.m.
Ladywood at Marian, 6:30 p.m.
C'ville at Lutheran North, 7 p.m.
PCA at Luth. Westland, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Woodhaven Tourney, 8 a.m.
Clarkston Tourney, 8 a.m.
Romulus Invitational, 8:30 a.m.
E. Kentwood Tourney, 9 a.m.

PREP HOCKEY
Thursday, Jan. 24
Red. Unified vs. Riverview
at Redford Ice Arena, 7:45 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 25
Franklin vs. Stevenson
at Edgar Arena, 6 p.m.
Salem vs. Canton
at Ply. Cultural Ctr., 6 p.m.
Farm. Unified vs. W.L. Western
at Lakeland Ice Arena, 8:20 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Red. Unified at Allen Park, 8 p.m.
Redford CC vs. G.P. North
at Redford Ice Arena, 8 p.m.

PREP WRESTLING
Thursday, Jan. 24
Churchill at Canton, 6:30 p.m.
W.L. Western at Franklin, 6:30 p.m.
Stevenson at Farmington, 6:30 p.m.
John Glenn at W.L. Central, 6:30 p.m.
Wayne at Gib. Carlson, 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Observerland Tourney
at Churchill, 9 a.m.

BOYS SWIMMING
Thursday, Jan. 24
Canton at Franklin, 7 p.m.
W.L. Central at Stevenson, 7 p.m.
John Glenn at N. Farm., 7 p.m.
Wayne at Trenton, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Salem, A.A. Pioneer
at Stevenson, noon.
Redford CC vs. U-D Jesuit
at Redford Union, 2 p.m.

GIRLS GYMNASTICS
Thursday, Jan. 24
Wayne-Westland vs. Brighton
at John Glenn, 7 p.m.
Friday, Jan. 25
Liv. Unified at Berkley, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Farmington Invitational, 9 a.m.

PREP SKIING
Thursday, Jan. 24
Ladywood vs. Hartland
at Alpine Valley, 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, Jan. 24
Redford CC vs. Pinckney
at Mount Brighton, 4:30p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Jan. 26
Schoolcraft at Alpena, 3 p.m.
Madonna at Spring Arbor, 3 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL
Saturday, Jan. 26
Schoolcraft at Alpena, 1 p.m.
Madonna at Spring Arbor, 1 p.m.

ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE
Friday, Jan. 25
Whalers vs. Peterborough
at Compuware Arena, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Jan. 26
Whalers vs. Belleville
at Compuware Arena, 7:30 p.m.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday, February 7th, 2002 for the following:

TOWING SERVICES

Bid forms may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department counter or you may contact Mike Sheppard at (734) 394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

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TERRY G. BENNETT, Clerk

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Notice is hereby given that the entire contents of the following storage unit(s) will be sold to the highest bidder by way of an open bid on: MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2002 at approximately 9:30 a.m.

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Unit #4238 – MICHAEL JAY – clothes, speakers, audio components, misc. boxes.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon two weeks notice to the Charter Township of Canton. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Charter Township of Canton by writing or calling the following:

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON - BOARD PROCEEDINGS — JANUARY 15, 2002

A regular study session of the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees held Tuesday, January 15, 2002, at 1150 Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan 48188. Treasurer Kirchgatter called the meeting to order at 9:00 p.m.

Members Present: Bennett, Burdziak, Kirchgatter, LaJoy, Shefferly
Members Absent: McLaughlin, Yack.
Staff Present: Director Durack, Director Conkin

Director Durack stated presently they have 3 full time Maintenance Technician III's working at the Summit. There have been ongoing issues regarding who these employees report to. The second ongoing issue relates to the contract companies who have done the cleaning at the Summit. Director Durack and Director Conklin are proposing to go in-house with the cleaning responsibilities at the Summit. This has been a long ongoing process. The plan laid out in the chart presented to the Board is within striking distance of what is currently budgeted.

Director Conklin explained currently there are 3 Maintenance Technician III's at the Summit. The total expenditure assessed for that is $219,704.00. This number includes a part time supplemental overtime. It does not include the Leisure Services portion of Bob Jenkins salary. That assessment is not included in that $219,704.00 total. The proposal is to have: two Maintenance Technician II's, one Maintenance Technician III and four Maintenance Tech IV and a Facility Specialist. Current staffing level for Maintenance Tech IV is zero. The proposal is to have four Maintenance Tech IV's at an expenditure of 143,079.0, slightly over the $85,000.00 being paid presently for contracted cleaning services.

A Facility Specialist is a new position being proposed. The proposal is for a full time person. Current staffing level is for 3 full time positions with an expenditure of $304,704.00. The new proposal is to go to eight full time staff for the expenditure of $352,653.00. The new proposed staffing includes zero contract people. Fifty hours of Building Attendants will still be needed under the new proposal. Part time Maintenance currently is at 40 hours per week, but under the new plan only 10 hours per week will be needed.

Fitness Center staff is currently 25 hours per week and will need to be adjusted to 56 hours per week. Expansion of the Fitness Center staff hours was anticipated with the opening of the new fitness area.

Director Conklin stated the overtime expenditure was rolled into the $219,704.00 figure and with the new proposal it should be drastically reduced. The new proposal anticipates approximately $13,759.00 in overtime expenditures. Expenditure for current part time wages is $141,805.00 With the new proposal part time wages should be reduced to $96,583.00.

Director Conklin indicated there will be some start up supplies at a cost of $12,000.00. Equipment purchases, such as vacuums, and cleaning supplies that presently are provided by the cleaning contractor will need to be made.

Total present Summit maintenance expenses for 2002 is $446,509.00. With the new plan, adding the full time staff expenses will be $461,236.00. The current expenditure of $446,509.00 does not include the $10,200.00 that is currently spent on overtime for cleaning Pheasant Run and Softball Center. The maintenance of the office at Softball Center will either be rolled into Diamond's responsibility or one of our part time people will be assigned to the cleaning duty.

One maintenance technician upgrades will be responsible for the total maintenance of the Aquatic Center; dealing with the chemicals and keeping the Aquatic area clean. Right now maintenance is split between a part time seasonal staff and a full time aquatics employee. The upgraded position will be in charge of ordering the chemicals, maintenance of the pool and the related locker room and service areas. There is a habitual problem in keeping the locker rooms clean. Maintenance will then be under one umbrella in the Aquatics Center rather than some of it being done by the lifeguard and some done by custodian.

Treasurer Kirchgatter questioned if the Maintenance Tech IV position would be more like a manager directing work. Director Conklin stated it is not a manager position, this person will actually be doing the work and

The Second open letter to all Bill Knapp's Guests from Jamie Brown

To our valued Guests

THANK YOU! Last fall I began communicating that Bill Knapp's was bringing back the Knapp's tradition. The tradition, as it has been defined by the requests of our valued guests. You told us to bring back a more homey decor, you said take the televisions out of the dining areas, you told us of your favorite menu items and continue to tell us what you would like to see return to our menu. But most of all, you said, "Thanks for bringing back the Knapp's I remember". Now, I'm thanking you! I am overwhelmed with the outpouring of support for the improvements we have made. Although the cold weather has not allowed us to change the outside appearance of our restaurants, there are plenty of improvements on the inside:

Decor Improvements:

- We've eliminated TV's, video games, music stations, chalk boards, pinball machines
- We have softer background music & much more subtle wall treatments (no more shower curtains!)

Menu Improvements:
including the return of many favorites like:

- Original Recipes for Chicken Fricassee, Cole Slaw and Chicken Gravy
- Johnston's Hot Fudge, Real Half & Half, Orange Nut Bread, Chocolate Milk
- Broccoli Quiche, Ham Steak, Seasoned Alaskan Salmon, Chef Salad
- Clam Chowder & Chicken Noodle soup (each available on select days)
- Apple Cranberry Salad, Cottage Cheese

Other Improvements:

- Larger dessert portions including Bill's famous chocolate cake
- 15 minute "Snap" Lunch guarantee for those in a hurry
- Improved Adult Birthday club and once again acceptance of personal checks
- Place mats have returned

Coming Soon:

- East Coast Clams and Tuna Salad in time for Lent! Cherry Pie starting President's Day!
- More menu returns like Ham Croquettes and Tenderloin Steak are on the way!
- Anniversary Celebration Specials

I am certain that there are at least a few items that appeal to you,your friends and family. I want everyone to know that the Knapp's tradition is back, so please share this information with the people you know. If there are other improvements that you would like to see, please feel free to contact me at 616-964-5306 or email Jamie.Brown@billknapps.com. I have appreciated and enjoyed reading and responding to the hundreds of emails and phone calls that I have received and look forward to hearing from more of you.

As a company founded on family dining traditions, we have worked to quickly get back on track. Although we are not finished, I again commit to you that we will work very hard to insure that you realize that we want to be your favorite family restaurant. We intend to accomplish this through our improvements, and continuing to provide a quality meal in clean, comfortable surroundings with friendly, competent service.

Again, I thank you for your support, for sharing information, and most of all..... For coming back! I look forward to serving you, your friends, and your family often. Please accept my personal invitation to visit Bill Knapp's soon. Present this letter to your server before March 31st, 2002 and receive 25% off your guest check just for coming to see the improvements.

Sincerely,

Jamie L. Brown, CEO and President

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they trailed 34-26 with 4:11 left. That's when Dave Hoskins, who was held scoreless in the first half (guarded mostly by Brendan Murphy), stole the ball and glided in for a dunk while being fouled by Lasko. His additional free throw trimmed Canton's lead to 34-29.

With 1:33 left in the third, a Nick Prentice basket gave the Rocks their first lead since the first quarter, 35-34. It didn't last; a three-point play in the closing seconds by Steve Thornton provided the Chiefs with a 37-35 advantage after three quarters.

Still, the Rocks kept the momentum building and midway through the final quarter, it was Canton that was in trouble. Baskets by Brady Pastalaniec and Hoskins, followed by a Pat Abraham three-pointer, put Salem ahead 44-39 with five minutes left. A Gazsi basket was but a minor detour; the Rocks followed it with a three-point play by Hoskins and another Abraham basket, pushing their lead to 49-41 with 3:04 to play.

Then the tide shifted back towards Canton. A Gazsi triple started it and a Lasko three ended it, with two Murphy putbacks in between; the 10-2 run in less than two minutes eliminated the deficit.

The Rocks took the advantage again on two Kevin Savitskie free throws and another by Hoskins, giving them a three-point lead with 20 seconds left. But Gazsi solved that, luring Hoskins into committing his fourth foul while he attempted a three-pointer; Gazsi nailed all three free throws and the game was tied at 54-all, leading to overtime.

There was a factor, however, that the Chiefs couldn't overcome: Salem's bench. With Meagrow hurt, Rheault had just eight players to call upon; Brodie used 10, believing that by game's end it would make a difference.

It did. The Chiefs made just one basket in overtime, to go with two free throws. Once Abraham scored and was fouled with 2:37 left in the extra period — he hit the free throw — Canton's fate was sealed. A steal and a layup by Stevland Davis with 2:26 left in OT, following Abraham's basket and free throw, gave the Rocks a five-point lead, which Canton could not overcome.

"At halftime (their three-pointers) was a concern," admitted Brodie. "But I knew they had a depth problem and I thought their legs might give out.

"Everybody came off the bench and helped us — Prentice, (Brad) Clark and (Ryan) Williams in particular. I think that made a big difference late in the game. Not that (Canton) is out of shape — they just play with such intensity."

The Chiefs did manage to muzzle Hoskins, putting him on the sidelines with two fouls early in the game and limiting him to 13 points, none in the first half.

"We neutralized him," said Rheault. "Murphy's defense on Hoskins was outstanding."

However . . .

"When you're dealing with two players like those two (Hoskins and Abraham), you take risks," the Canton coach admitted.

In this case, it was Abraham who took cashed in, scoring a game-high 24 points. Pastalaniec contributed 10.

Gazsi finished with 20 for the Chiefs. Lasko added 18.

Another tight finish to another game between campus rivals. Or as Brodie summarized, "Do you expect anything less from a Canton-Salem game?"

PCA 60, S'field. Christian 59: When is the lead most important to a team?

At the game's end, of course — which is exactly when Plymouth Christian Academy managed to wrestle it from host Southfield Christian Tuesday. James Bauslaugh intercepted a Southfield Christian pass in the closing seconds and drove in for a layup, only to be fouled with 0.2 seconds left in a tie game. Bauslaugh missed his first free throw but made the second to give PCA the victory.

Which improved its record to 5-4 overall, 2-2 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference. Southfield Christian is 3-4 overall, 1-3 in the MIAC.

It was an uphill battle for PCA through the first half and into the second, facing deficits like 15-11 after one quarter and 27-19 at the half. In the third quarter, PCA narrowed the gap to a single point before Southfield Christian answered, pushing its lead back to 10. Still, PCA persevered and managed to pull to within 44-39 entering the fourth quarter.

That's when Clay Welton took command, nailing a pair of three-pointers in the fourth quarter to close the gap. "He just carried us," said PCA coach Doug Taylor.

Welton finished with 15 points. Aaron Ciborowski added 13 points, eight rebounds and four blocked shots, and Bauslaugh had 11 points, four assists and four steals.

Free throws were a key factor in the game. At one point, PCA missed nine-straight from the line in the first half in going 1-for-10. That changed in the second half, with PCA converting 15-of-20 from the line (16-of-30 overall). Southfield Christian was 7-of-9 at the stripe.

PCA hosts Allen Park Inter-City Baptist at 7 p.m. tonight, then plays Greater Life Academy in its Homecoming Game at 8 p.m. Friday at Eastern Michigan University.

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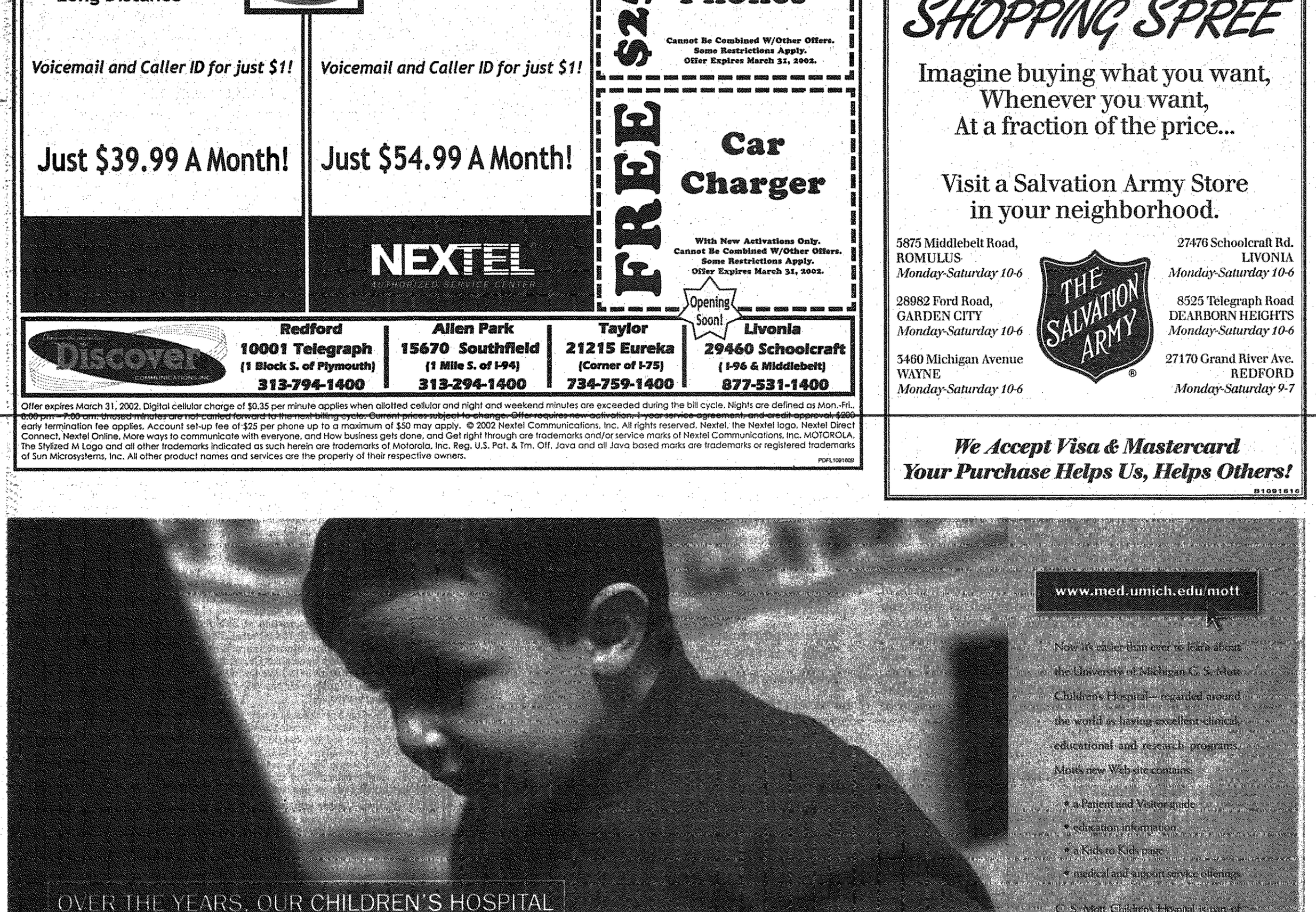

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REAL ESTATE

Advice on Vegas condo, building curb, sewers

REAL ESTATE QUERIES

ROBERT M. MEISNER

I am a developer who has been required to build sewers, curbs and other infrastructures to connect to utilities in order to get township approval to construct my development.

Do you believe this is a basis for these actions to constitute a taking or violate any constitutional rights?

This is an extremely difficult issue which may be clearly fact intensive based upon the particular circumstances of your case.

There is some authority out of the U.S. District Court for the Western District of Michigan that suggests that a township's actions in a similar situation don't constitute a taking, nor do they violate equal protection principles.

Consult with a knowledgeable real estate attorney.

I would like to buy a condominium near the Strip in Las Vegas. Are any new condominiums being offered in that area?

Most new construction in Las Vegas is outside the immediate environs of the Strip.

However, on a recent visit, I noted that units in a new luxury condominium are being offered in one of three high rise buildings on Las Vegas Boulevard.

These would afford you the opportunity to view the "City of Lights" very closely, but make sure you closely review the purchase agreement and inspect the model before you sign any binding agreement.

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Residential appreciation: *Sales prices reflect an increase in value for houses and condominiums here.*

Home prices keep climbing in healthy real estate market

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Home ownership continues to be a terrific investment. Median (half above/ half below) sales prices in almost every Observer & Eccentric community last year showed a gradual appreciation from year-end 2000 figures.

A 6- to 6½-percent rise was typical.

Prices jumped within that range in Auburn Hills, Farmington/ Farmington Hills, Oxford/ Oxford Township and Southfield in Oakland County, according to numbers provided by Realcomp II, a large multi-listing service for area real estate boards.

In Wayne County, Canton, Plymouth/ Plymouth Township and Redford all experienced that increase.

A couple were even higher — Rochester, nearly 19 percent, Lake Orion/ Orion Township 11 percent, Realcomp II reported.

Professionals attributed sales decreases in a couple of upper end Observer & Eccentric communities to statistical aberrations rather than actual value drops.

Following are year-end median sales prices by community starting with 2001 and dating back annually to 1996. The number in parenthesis refers to number of sales last year.

In Wayne County:

- Canton, (1,248 sales); $219,000; $206,500; $187,500; $171,000; $163,000; $149,900.
- Garden City (419); $126,900; $123,100; $112,100; $99,900; $93,000; $86,000.
- Livonia (1,456); $172,000; $164,000; $151,900; $140,000; $134,000; $126,000.
- Plymouth city/township (635); $217,000; $204,000; $180,000; $164,500; $161,000; $147,200.
- Redford (1,039); $121,250; $114,000; $101,000; $91,500; $85,000; $74,900.
- Westland (1,117); $135,000; $128,000; $118,900; $110,000; $96,500; $89,900.

In Oakland County:

- Auburn Hills (196); $151,000; $141,500; $130,000; $116,500; $110,000; $107,600.
- Birmingham (468); $240,500; $245,000; $227,000; $225,000; $192,000; $177,000.
- Bloomfield Hills (82); $320,000; $340,000; $347,500; $300,000; $419,000; $430,000.
- Bloomfield Township. (649); $259,100; $236,900; $235,800; $220,300; $204,000; $184,200.
- Clarkston/ Independence Township. (507); $230,000; $227,500; $219,000; $190,000; $169,000; $169,900.
- Farmington/ Farmington Hills (1,290); $222,500; $208,500; $192,000; $186,000; $172,500; $165,000.
- Lake Orion/ Orion Township. (506); $215,500; $194,000; $183,000; $169,000; $155,000; $148,000.
- Oakland Township. (189); $365,000; $355,500; $328,000; $330,000; $280,700; $284,500.
- Oxford village and township (240); $212,000; $199,900; $170,200; $170,000; $161,000; $151,700.
- Rochester (180); $268,500; $225,900; $168,000; $149,900; $140,500; $128,900.
- Rochester Hills (1,001); $240,000; $240,000; $226,000; $211,900; $198,500; $187,900.
- Southfield (889); $157,500; $147,500; $140,700; $132,000; $124,900; $112,000.
- Troy (896); $237,500; $221,500; $199,500; $190,000; $183,500; $171,000.
- Waterford (1,233); $152,500; $148,400; $139,900; $128,000; $120,300; $109,900.
- West Bloomfield (956); $220,100; $226,000; $203,000; $219,000; $205,500; $191,000.

The sales figures included existing houses and condominiums that changed hands, plus new stock that came on the market. Refinancings weren't included.

"People should feel fortunate the (residential) real estate market hasn't had bumps or bruises of other markets (corporate stocks, commercial)," said John McArdle, broker/ owner of Remerica Hometown One in Plymouth.

"At this time, with a combination of low interest rates and ample availability of homes, everyone wins," he added.

First-time buyers with a lack of cash for a down payment shouldn't be deterred by rising prices, McArdle said. "Mortgage product availability is increasing in scope and opportunity."

The specific sales price of a home depends on its style, size and condition, supply and demand, and willingness of sellers and buyers to negotiate.

Prices even can vary within a community depending on the reputation of different school districts and the lay of the land.

Care should be taken analyzing median sales figures, especially in upper-end Oakland County communities, said Karen Kage, CEO for Realcomp II.

In recent years, numbers have been understated for some sales of existing properties in Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills, she said.

Also, median sales figures in Bloomfield Township and West Bloomfield are averages of several different submarkets.

Reporting numbers can be deceiving and unless they're distressed sales, folks in Bloomfield Hills and Birmingham aren't selling for less money, said Bob Taylor, an associate broker with Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke in Birmingham.

He has 27 years experience and termed the Birmingham-Bloomfield markets stable.

"The sky is not falling," Taylor said. "I looked at every sale in Birmingham the last couple of years and only one house sold for less than the guy paid for."

The immediate future?

"I see people maybe being a little less aggressive about asking prices," Taylor said. "I think you're going to find homes will sell in a little less time.

"All things considered, I think that the market will stay stable, stay reasonable. Healthy is a very good word," Taylor added.

"You need wise counsel whether you're buying or selling. I don't see Realtors who know how to go out and get business sitting on the sidelines," he said.

Cash flow help for seniors

MORTGAGE BITS

TIM 'TIMBO' PHILLIPS

Our slowing economy has affected many people, but perhaps none as severely as the elderly. Under ordinary circumstances, many senior citizens are faced with the monthly struggle of trying to get a dime to fit where a quarter should go.

Of late, above average unemployment figures have made it even more difficult for some to find worthwhile ways to supplement their incomes.

Some of my senior clients have shared with me that maintaining a strict budget is the only way they can make ends meet. Predictably, when I share with these folks financial options that can significantly improve their monthly cash flow, the ideas are usually welcomed with open minds and big smiles.

Anthony DeSantis, the president of Affluent Solutions, LLC in Bingham Farms, is a pioneer in the field of Financial Engineering. "Personal financial planning is incomplete if one cannot spend the value of his home," DeSantis explains.

"Even people with large amounts of assets come to understand that their home's equity is the most efficient place to get cash. A correctly engineered financial plan improves cash flow while minimizing risk," he said.

Seniors who own their own homes have several mortgage tools available to them to help them improve their lifestyles. These financial products include reverse mortgages, Home Equity Conversion Mortgages (HECMs), FHA or conventional cash-out refinances, Home Equity Lines of Credit (HELOCs), no-document loans and no-income verification loans.

Each loan type has its benefits and restrictions, but they are all designed to provide specific benefits that can be tailored to a borrower's unique needs. Some allow seniors to qualify with just their Social Security or retirement income, and others require no income verification at all.

In some cases, seniors may need a "lump sum" cash infusion into their lives. Others may just be seeking a few hundred extra dollars a month to help put some "gold" back into their Golden Years.

Tim Phillips is a mortgage loan officer in Plymouth. He can be reached at www.vlender.com/p/phillipshq or at (734) 797-5522. Home buyers should always consult a professional for guidance specific to their situation.

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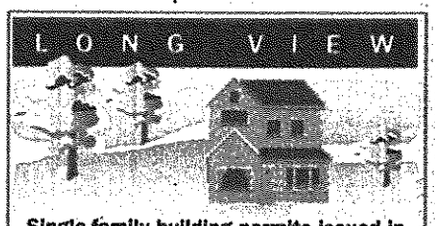

Single-family building permits issued in Wayne, Oakland, Livingston, Washtenaw, Macomb, Monroe and St. Clair Counties. 2001 figure is a projection.

YEAR	PERMITS
2001	14,025
2000	16,998
1999	18,641
1998	18,831
1997	17,634
1996	18,468
1995	16,208
1994	15,747
1993	12,075
1992	11,176
1991	10,292

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HOMES SOLD IN WAYNE COUNTY

These are the Observer & Eccentric-area residential real-estate closings recorded the week of Oct. 8 - 10, 2001, at the Wayne County Register of Deeds office. Listed below are cities, addresses and sales prices.

Canton

2752 Calloway	$232,000
6526 Carriage Hills Dr	$225,000
48661 Central Park Dr	$285,000
48881 Central Park Dr	$140,000
43775 Cherry Grove Ct E	$235,000
43795 Cherry Grove Ct E	$218,000
350 Cherry Grove Rd	$249,000
400 Cherry Grove Rd	$222,000
410 Cherry Grove Rd	$257,000
1796 Delancy Cir	$103,000
1826 Delancy Cir	$103,000
6999 Foxcreek	$285,000
43703 Fredericksburg	$202,000
1471 Glengarry Blvd	$325,000
48790 Greenwich Cir	$94,000
48797 Greenwich Cir	$98,000
48802 Greenwich Cir	$94,000
48803 Greenwich Cir	$142,000
48814 Greenwich Cir	$139,000
48828 Greenwich Cir	$94,000
48840 Greenwich Cir	$94,000
48841 Greenwich Cir	$97,000
48854 Greenwich Cir	$146,000
48855 Greenwich Cir	$357,000
45670 Hanford Rd	$258,000
49352 Manhattan Cir	$260,000
549 Manhattan Ct	$120,000
550 Manhattan Ct	$123,000
6447 Raintree Dr	$206,000

Garden City

323 Sylvan Dr	$81,000
811 Wellington Ct	$300,000
7704 Wheaton Dr	$236,000
5945 Deering St	$125,000
28623 Ford Rd	$45,000

Livonia

37929 Birch Run	$90,000
27714 Clarita St	$165,000
8948 Deering St	$122,000
35825 Dover St	$205,000
11635 Inkster Rd	$34,000
15691 Liverpool St	$218,000
14763 Marsha St	$178,000
15151 Santa Anita St	$125,000
35560 Schoolcraft Rd	$167,000
10061 Seltzer St	$145,000
9628 Westmore St	$136,000

Plymouth

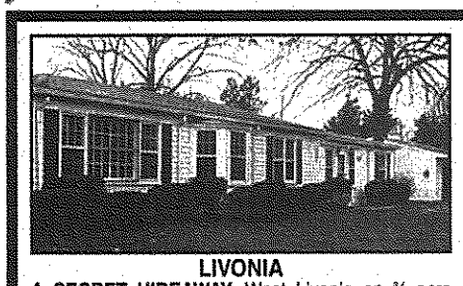
44728 Albert Dr	$209,000
1362 Beech St	$171,000
10816 Chestnut Dr	$210,000
314 Maple St	$175,000
51067 N View	$367,000
51246 N View	$350,000
8830 Oakview St	$158,000
51123 Plymouth Lake	$625,000
51039 Plymouth Lake Ct	$273,000
51052 Plymouth Lake Ct	$218,000

Redford

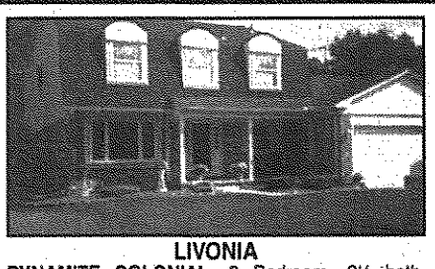
15430 Delaware	$146,000
20489 Denby	$89,000
14900 Fox	$375,000
19568 Imperial Hwy	$110,000
24024 Joy Rd	$110,000
20533 Poinciana	$118,000

Westland

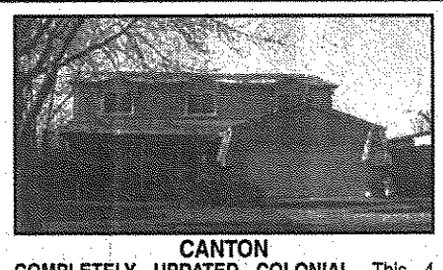
8177 August St	$154,000
31664 Conway Dr	$135,000
39113 Hayward Dr	$270,000
8516 Liberty Blvd	$140,000
31631 Lonnie Blvd	$86,000
7405 N Inkster Rd	$71,000
7345 Woodview St	$88,000



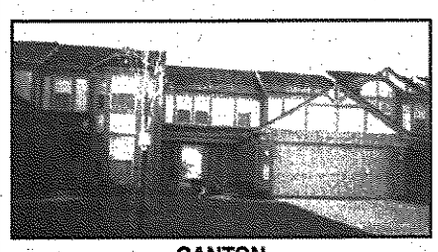
LIVONIA
A SECRET HIDEAWAY. West Livonia on ¾ acre backing to Hines Park. 2,568 square foot ranch, four bedrooms, two baths, waiting for someone to update her. A bargain. (P91PLY) $209,900.



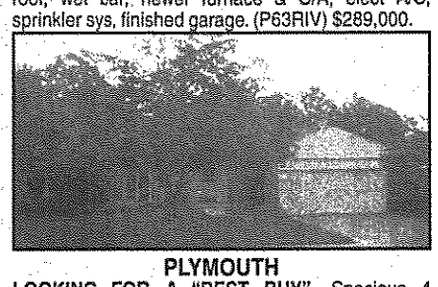
LIVONIA
DYNAMITE COLONIAL. 3 Bedroom, 2½ bath, w/Livonia schools. Finished basement, large bedrooms, all big ticket updates done, it is gorgeous. New throughout & neutral. Beautifully landscaped yard. Has built-in intercom sys, central vac, newer roof, wet bar, newer furnace & C/A, elect A/C, sprinkler sys, finished garage. (P63RIV) $289,000.



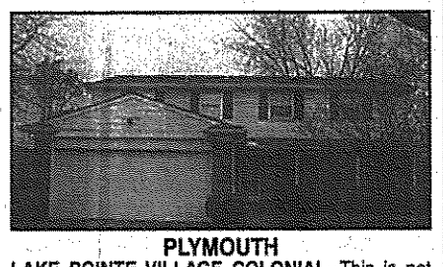
CANTON
COMPLETELY UPDATED COLONIAL. This 4 bedroom home features new oak kitchen, new windows, new furnace, tiered deck, tear-off roof, new gutters, family room w/wet bar & oak floor, new carpet, 1st floor laundry & finished basement. (P13PAL) $239,900.



CANTON
SPECTACULAR DESCRIBES THIS CONDO. Lovely 2 bedroom, 2½ bath, hardwood floor in foyer, skylights & natural fireplace in great room, loft, master bedroom. First floor laundry, full basement, central air, attached 2 car garage, beautiful brick paver patio with a wooded area backing to the lot. (P76WIL) $199,900.



PLYMOUTH
LOOKING FOR A "BEST BUY". Spacious 4 bedroom, 2 bath home! Light bright decor, living room with bow window, formal dining room, 25 foot family room with fieldstone fireplace. Great deck with seating, back yard with many mature trees. Immediate occupancy. Seller says "Bring offers!". (P52FAR) $234,900.



PLYMOUTH
LAKE POINTE VILLAGE COLONIAL. This is not your typical Colonial! Fabulous master, addition makes this home special, has sitting room, book cases, walk-in closet. Garden bath with whirlpool tub, 3 bedrooms with hardwood floors. Formal dining & living room, family room with corner fireplace, kitchen with appliances. (P51MAX) $259,900.

BELLEVILLE
BELLEVILLE RANCH. New three bedroom, two full bath Ranch on private road. Walk-out basement, 250' deep park-like setting lot. Walking distance to public lake and state park. Near town & easy access to freeways, large room sizes/walk-in closet in master bedroom. (P33SHE) $190,000.

DEARBORN
STANDARD EXCELLENCE AWARD. Move right into this charming ranch. New elec furnace, roof, driveway, C/A, copper plumbing, siding, windows, gutted kitchen, carpet, finished basement with 2nd bath, and more. (P15PEN) $129,900.

NOVI
EXCELLENT VALUE. Colonial 3 bedroom, 1½ bath with large family room. Novi schools. 1,433 sq. ft., just $184,900. (P16WAI)

NOVI
BEAUTIFUL, SPACIOUS CONDO. In Maples of Novi, 3 bedroom condo includes 3 baths, eat-in kitchen w/skylight, great room w/cathedral 9 ft. ceilings. Master bedroom can be on 1st floor or 2nd floor. Nice deck, full basement with loads of storage, attached garage. Golf Course community w/pool and clubhouse. (P61IND) $209,000.

NOVI
DETACHED CONDO IN MAPLES OF NOVI. Beautiful 4 bedroom, master suite with double vanity, 2½ baths, walk-out basement. In a golf course community with club house and pool. Hardwood floors, doorwall to deck, 2 car attached garage. Many custom features. Priced to sell. (P99COL) $225,000.

REDFORD
OUTSTANDING RANCH. Brick ranch 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, partially finished basement, 2 car garage! Updates includes new carpeting in living room & hall, newer roof tear off (incl. garage), newer windows (Wallside), except kitchen, glass block window, elect. C/A, lots of storage. Nice starter home! (P92LEX) $125,000.

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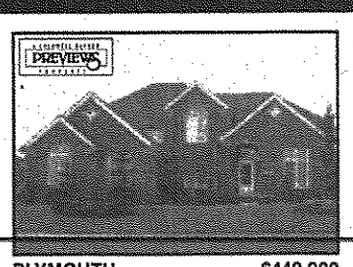
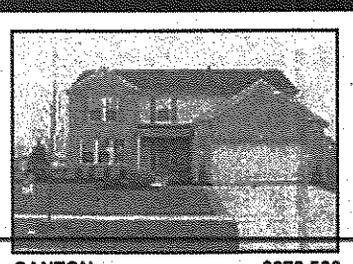
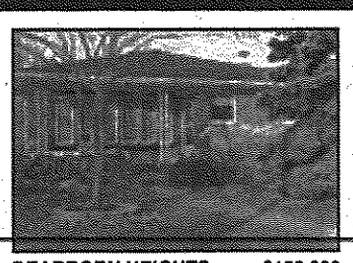


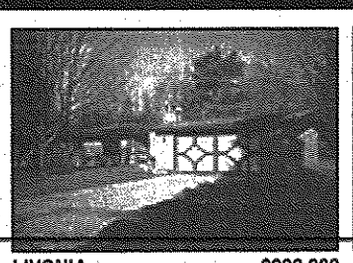
PLYMOUTH $449,900
Best home in Plymouth.... at this price level! 4 BR, 3.5 BA brick colonial-this home is a showplace & priced to sell! Kids BRs offer jack-n-jill style BA. 2nd BR has priv bath. Lots of HDWD flrs. (BGP-39Cob) 734-453-6800



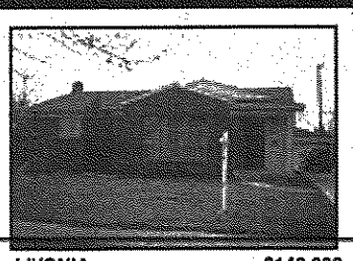
CANTON $279,500
Almost New Colonial! 4br,awesome master suite, 2 story foyer, hdwd floors, family room w/gas fireplace, C/A, security system, expanded garage and driveway. Must see! (BGN30FAI) 248-347-3050



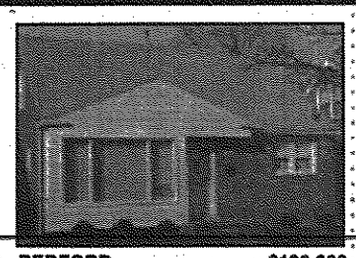
DEARBORN HEIGHTS $159,900
Great Curb Appeal. Well maintained 3 BR, 1-1/2 BA brick ranch w/bsmt, 2-1/2 car garage & fenced yard. 12x12 Florida Room, C/A, newer windows, storm doors, roof,
HWH & glass block windows. BGL-48WAR734-462-1811



LIVONIA $299,900
Seclusion at its Best. Wooded 1/2 acre backing to woods. 3 BR, 3-1/2 BA ranch, finished lower level, formal dining room, Anderson windows, updated oak kitchen. Attached 2 car garage. BGL-10ERN 734-462-1811



LIVONIA $146,900
Best Deal In Livonia! Three bedroom,1.5 bath Brick Ranch with full basement, 2 car garage & Flordia Room. North of Freeway, Livonia. (BGN11INK) 248-347-3050



REDFORD $129,900
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CANTON $379,900
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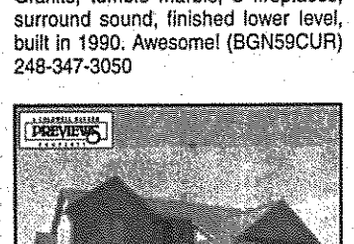
CANTON $249,900
Wide Open Spaces--Backing To Beautiful Commons! 4br w/new carpet & nice decor. Finished basement, huge porch & great location. Hurry or you'll miss this charmer. (BGN28MAI) 248-347-3050

INKSTER $115,900
Instantly Appealing W/quality Updates. is what you'll find throughout this 3 Bedroom brick Ranch. Remodeled Kitchen & Bath, new roof, windows & 6-paneled doors. Finished Bsmt. with Berber carpet & glass block windows. 734-591-0333

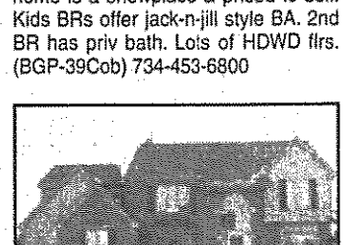
LIVONIA $269,900
Stately Rosedale Colonial. Much renovation completed in '94. Four bedrooms up w/huge master suite. Large family room. First floor laundry/lav. Two full baths up. Double corner lot. Must see. BGL-00MEL734-462-1811

LIVONIA $99,900
Nicely maintained 2nd story larger unit w/2 BR,2 BA. All appl. incld. Laundry fac. in unit, bsmt w/storage, carport. Balcony w/pool view. Assoc. fee includes heat, water. BGL-35BOB 734-462-1811

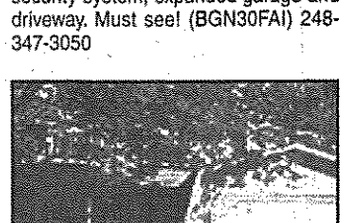
REDFORD $122,800
Located On Low Traffic Street. South Redford Ranch offers 1,000+ sq. ft. w/plenty of closet & storage space, a finished basement with newer furnace/CA, updated windows, doors, roof and electricity 734-591-0333



PLYMOUTH $675,000
A Power House.... 4BR, 3.5BA masterpiece has gourm kit w/custom maple cabinetry, handcrafted Maple woodwork T/O, lux mstr ste w/marble bath, oversized 3 car gar & putting green in back. (BGP-51Hun) 734-453-6800

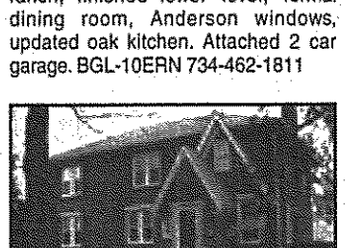


CANTON $309,900
Fabulous Home! 2-story entry w/circular staircase on private cul-de-sac. Decorated like a model. Spectular finished lower level w/classy wet bar, den/br & 3rd full bath. (BGN78WES) 248-347-3050

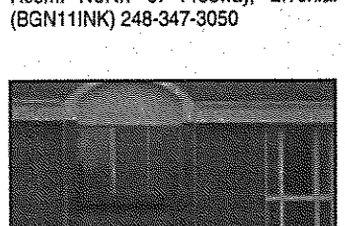


CANTON $248,500
Hard to find a nice clean.... 4BR, 2.5 BA Colonial w/over 2,000 sqft. Blt in 1993. Features inc lux mas ste w/vaulted clg, wic & full mas bath, formal din rm, liv rm w/bay window priced to sell! (BGP-81Aar) 734-453-6800

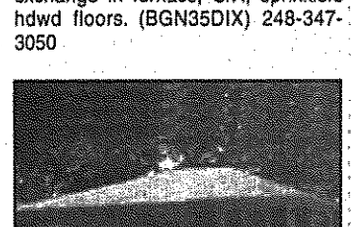
LIVONIA $324,900
Nottingham Woods Quad-level. This 2400+ Quad-Level features a one of a kind interior & is in pristine condition! Large Foyer, Living Room plus Family Room w/FP, Master BR w/bath, balcony & walk-in closet. 734-591-0333



LIVONIA $249,000
Fabulous 4 br Cape in Much Sought After Sub! Freshly painted in neutral tones.A cozy feel to a very spacious home.Beautiful gardens in this large yard.Warranty included. (BGN68WOO) 248-347-3050



PLYMOUTH $239,900
Beautiful Colonial! 3 bdrm, 4th in fin. bsmt. New windows, walks and driveway. Newer furnace carpet, paint. 1900 sq ft includes 4 season rm. Newer kit. Appliances stay. (BGN83GRE) 248-347-3050



SALEM TWP $329,900
Incredibly Rare & Much Desired! Completely updated 4 BR, 2 BA home on gigantic 1.2 acre setting. New kit & baths 99, furn & AC 2000, carpet & paint 99, new well 99, vinyl siding 2000. Must see! (BGP-72Hom) 734-453-6800

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Max Broock merges with Real Estate One

Max Broock Realtors, a fourth-generation real estate company founded in 1895, has combined with Real Estate One, a third-generation firm established in 1929.

Combining luxury home sales from the Real Estate One Family of Companies with Max Broock Realtors creates one of the largest upper tier agencies in Michigan marketing homes from $500,000 to $5 million.

Dan Elsea, president of brokerage services for Real Estate One, welcomes the realignment.

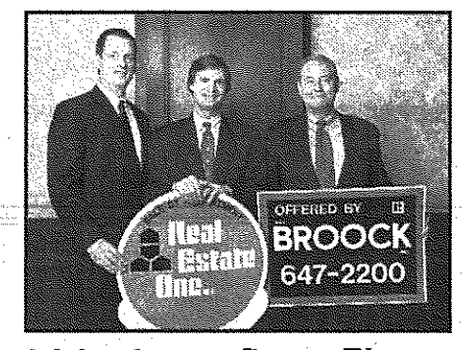
"Max Broock is one of the premier brokers in Michigan. We are excited about building upon their long history of success and look forward to the next 100 years of the Max Broock tradition.

"We both share a proud family heritage of serving the real estate needs of metro homeowners," Elsea said.

Bowen Broock echoed enthusiasm over the merger.

"Clients from both our companies will benefit from the knowledge and service our combined firms can offer.

"Clients and friends of Max Broock will be pleased to know that the Max Broock organization will retain its traditional identity while offering many of the exciting promotional and marketing programs developed by Real Estate One," Broock said.



Joining forces: *Stuart Elsea (left) and Dan Elsea, co-presidents of Real Estate One, welcome Bowen Broock and Max Broock Realtors into their family of companies.*

Last year, the firms combined sold over $1.7 billion in the Oakland County luxury market, earning a 30 percent market share of homes priced above $1 million, Real Estate One reported. Statewide, the firms' combined sales were in excess of $3.2 billion.

Max Broock has five offices in Oakland County located in Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, West Bloomfield, Clarkston and Rochester.

Real Estate One owns 38 company offices in the metro area, including Livonia, Plymouth, West Bloomfield, Westland, Farmington Hills, Commerce, Clarkston, Bloomfield Hills, Troy, Southfield, Rochester and Lathrup Village, and five offices in Traverse City.

There are 35 franchised Real Estate One offices outstate throughout Michigan.

For now, all the Broock offices will remain open and retain the Max Broock identity. Bowen Broock will be in charge of the Broock group. None of the agents associated with either firm is expected to lose his or her affiliation as a result of the merger.

MOVERS AND SHAKERS

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings, awards won and other news within the real estate, construction, architecture and mortgage communities.

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Steven Szymanski

Steven Szymanski joins KIRCO, a development, construction and property management firm in Troy, as chief financial officer.

He will lead all accounting, financial, human resource and information system efforts. He comes to KIRCO from SpectrumHR, an employee leasing firm he co-founded.

Szymanski, who studied accounting and computer science at Western Illinois University, is a certified public accountant.

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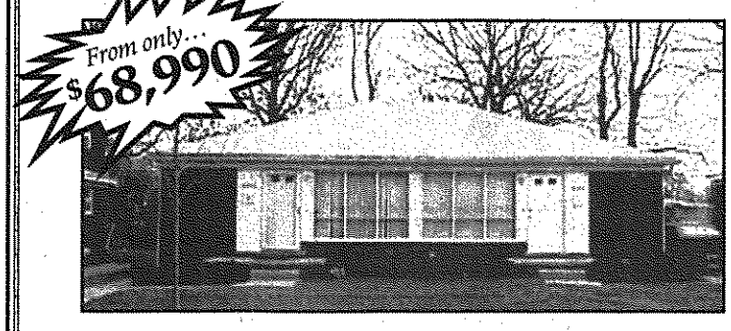
GREENVIEW CONDOMINIUM



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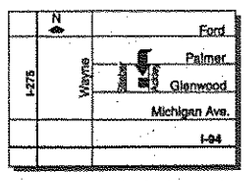

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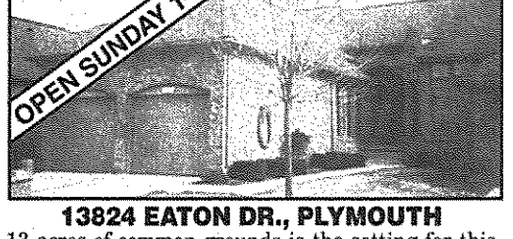

13824 EATON DR., PLYMOUTH
13 acres of common grounds is the setting for this 3000+ sq. ft. ranch condo unit. Marble entry to stately great room offering prime pond view. Master suite w/deck access. Second complete living area in finished lower walk-out level w/access to newer brick patio. $448,000/sale or $3,000/lease (24EAT) 734-455-6000
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ELEGANTLY APPOINTED CLASSIC
Elegantly appointed classic Plymouth property. 700+ sq. ft. entry level master wing designed to exceed expectations. Gourmet kitchen w/every convenience. Cherry family room equipped for entertaining. 4 bedroom upper level, includes "princess suite." Fully appointed lower level. Euro-style courtyard w/light & sound features. $890,000 (71WOO) 734-455-6000
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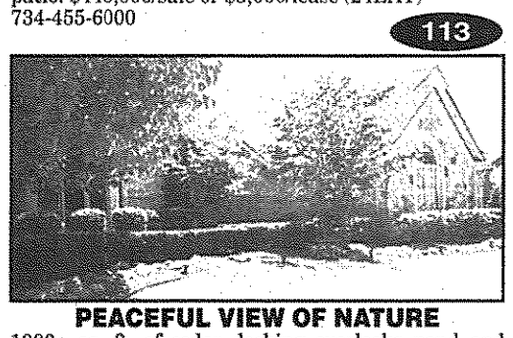

PEACEFUL VIEW OF NATURE
1000+ sq. ft. of cedar decking overlooks pond and treed commons. Custom built Cape Cod offers: a 1st floor master suite w/contemporary bath, large library with bay window + bookcase wall and vaulted great room w/fieldstone fireplace framed by French doors w/curved transoms. Finished walk-out level. $510,000 (67QUA) 734-455-6000
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ABSOLUTELY PRIME LOCATION
For this lovely 2-story is situated deep in a beautifully maintained tranquil, wooded sub. Convenient to this light and airy 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial are schools, shopping and x-ways. Neutral decor. $239,900 (50FOX) 734-455-6000
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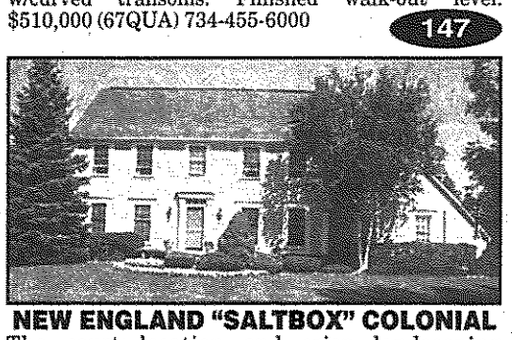

NEW ENGLAND "SALTBOX" COLONIAL
The court location and crisp landscaping compliments this Plymouth classic 2-story. Features: 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, large country kitchen, oversized family room, formal living and dining room, library, 1st floor laundry. $395,900 (00NOR) 734-455-6000
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JUST REDUCED!
Plus, $1000 offered by seller toward closing costs! Fantastic 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch with newer ceramic kitchen and baths. Basement doubles as family room/exercise room. Close to x-ways and shopping. $117,900 (15GAR) 734-455-6000
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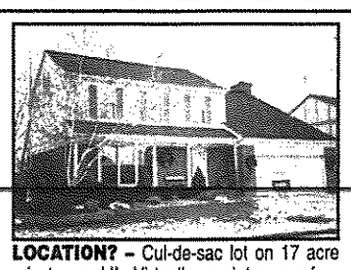
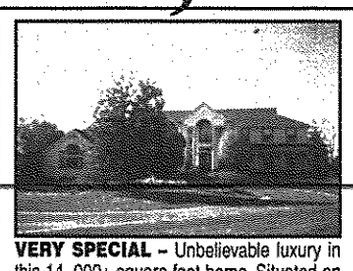
GREAT FAMILY NEIGHBORHOOD – Four bedroom, 2½ bath large Quad - new roof & gutters, freshly painted entry level, first floor laundry. Possible fifth bedroom in basement. $219,900 (121FA)



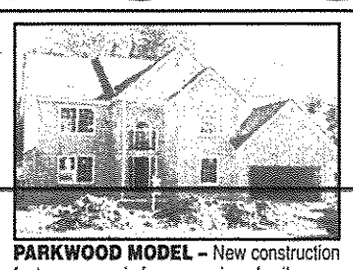
LOCATION? – Cul-de-sac lot on 17 acre private park!! Virtually maintenance-free exterior! Newer light oak foyer, ½ bath & island kitchen with light oak cabinets! Master with huge walk-in, double vanity, full mirrors & newer 12x12 ceramic tile floor! One month new carpeted second level! Custom window treatments! Central air, sprinklers, full brick natural fireplace. $279,900 (500OA)

CLEAN & TIDY – Original owner Tri, adjacent to Loveland Sub'n Park!! Kitchen with stainless steel sinks & all appliances!! All Nuprime vinyl insulated windows complete with Andersen doorwall! Updated steel insulated exterior doors, ceramic main bath & stall shower in lower bath, central air – '94 window treatments, 1 year home warranty, 1½ car garage! $195,000 (658RE)

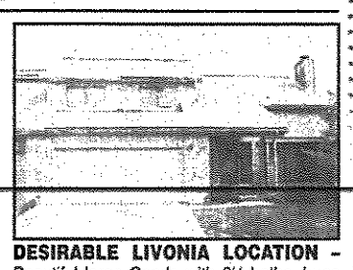


VERY SPECIAL – Unbelievable luxury in this 14, 000+ square foot home. Situated on 3.3+ acres offering picturesque views from every window. Five bedrooms, 7 ½ baths, custom everywhere! $2,100,000 (101RI)

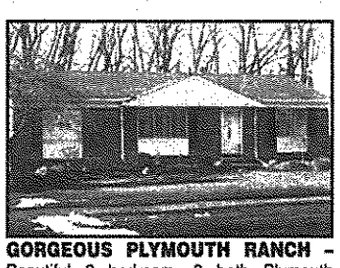
MAINTENANCE-FREE – Enjoy 9 foot ceilings, maple cabinetry, Corian counters, upgraded appliances, spacious loft overlook, study and premium trim package in this nearly new 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Plymouth Country Club Estates detached Condo. $367,500 (148NO)



PARKWOOD MODEL – New construction features ceramic foyer, spacious family room with fireplace, island kitchen, exceptional master suite, first floor laundry and attached 2 car garage. $325,000 (620CL)

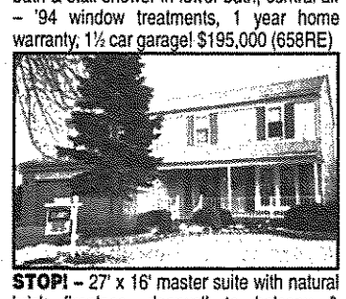


DESIRABLE LIVONIA LOCATION – Beautiful large Condo with 2½ baths, huge living room with cathedral ceiling, hardwood floor and fireplace. Large master bedroom. Finished basement with hot tub, large shower for 2, steam bath and a 2 car attached garage. $204,900 (540LA)

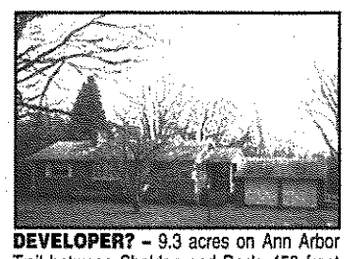


GORGEOUS PLYMOUTH RANCH – Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath Plymouth Ranch backing to wooded creek. New kitchen, new roof and new landscaping with newly finished rec. room in basement with possible fourth bedroom & full bath with jetted tub. $187,900 (145HA)

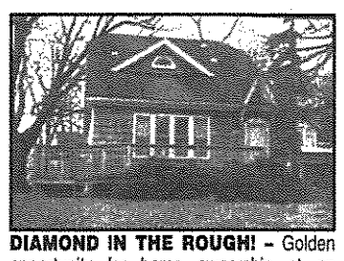
THREE BEDROOM BRICK RANCH – Updated windows, kitchen, bath, electrical and a fabulous finished basement. Two car garage, new furnace, central air and a central vacuum. $154,900 (539PI)



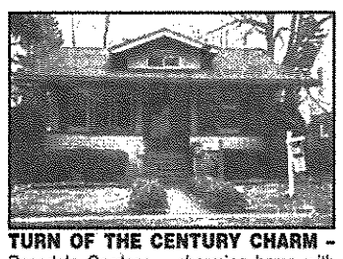
STOP! – 27' x 16' master suite with natural brick fireplace, doorwall to balcony & roughed-in for full bath! Vinyl insulated windows, new furnace 11/02, new roof shingles with tear-off, seamless aluminum gutters & downspouts – '96, 2 sets of glass paneled French doors, Jenn Aire island, Cherrywood kitchen, 16x15 sky-lighted sun room!! Cedar deck! $229,000 (065RO)



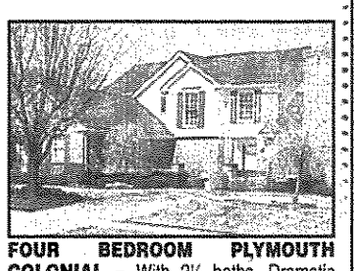
DEVELOPER? – 9.3 acres on Ann Arbor Trail between Sheldon and Beck. 450 front feet. Currently home to 2 older Ranch homes. $1,000,000 (170AN)



DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH! – Golden opportunity for home ownership at an affordable price! Being sold "as is" – a little T.L.C. and you'll have the home of your dreams with 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, formal dining room, finished basement and a 2 car garage! $53,550 (503WE)

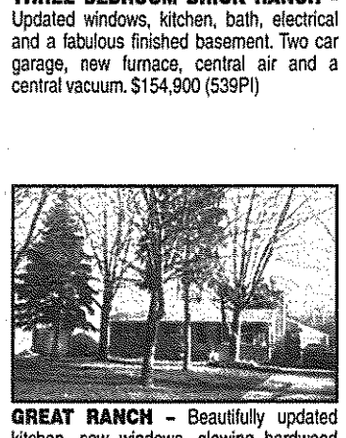


TURN OF THE CENTURY CHARM – Rosedale Gardens – charming home with new oak kitchen, huge sitting porch, central air, basement, garage and all the ambiance to go with it. $169,900 (908BE)

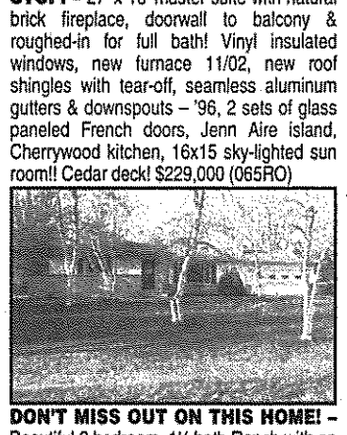


FOUR BEDROOM PLYMOUTH COLONIAL – With 2½ baths. Dramatic great room with cathedral ceilings and huge bay window. Ceramic foyer, large master bedroom with bath and walk-in closet. Large kitchen and library with French door leading to magnificent two-tiered deck with screened-in gazebo overlooking beautiful commons. $365,900 (828PI)

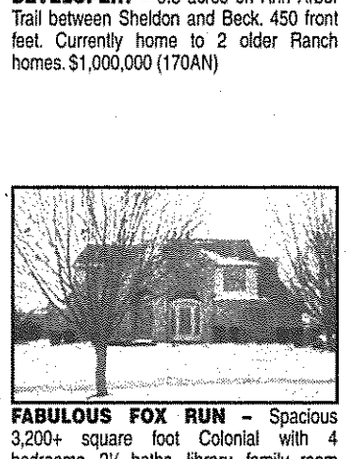
IMMACULATE NEUTRAL HOME – Owner hates to leave this wonderful 3 bedroom Colonial. Open floor plan with large great room. First floor laundry. Finished basement, 2 car garage and a large lot with deck and hot tub. $233,000 (435OA)



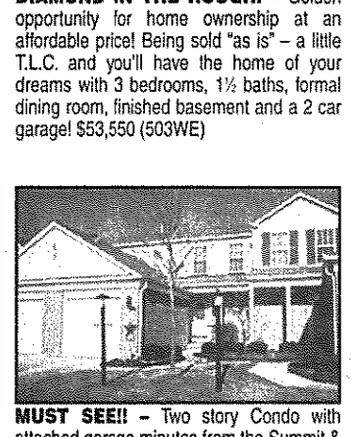
GREAT RANCH – Beautifully updated kitchen, new windows, glowing hardwood floors, plus much more in this Plymouth 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick Ranch. $194,900 (858BA)



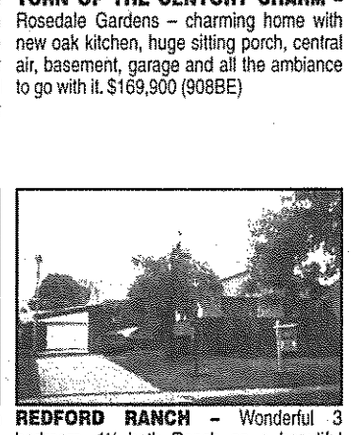
DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS HOME! – Beautiful 3 bedroom, 1½ bath Ranch with an ideal location! Amenities include first floor master bedroom, natural fireplace in living room & basement and in-ground pool. Easy access to 696. Call for details. $254,900 (125SP)



FABULOUS FOX RUN – Spacious 3,200+ square foot Colonial with 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, library, family room and more. Loaded with amenities. Situated on a beautiful lot backing to commons. $409,000 (015VI)



MUST SEE!! – Two story Condo with attached garage minutes from the Summit & Pheasant Run golf course. Completely updated home: new Berber carpet (7/01), ceramic tile countertops in kitchen/bathrooms, ceramic tile surrounds a natural gas fireplace, new light fixtures & ceiling fans, magnificent solid oak first floor. Refinished deck (8/01). $159,900 (616YO)



REDFORD RANCH – Wonderful 3 bedroom, 1½ bath Ranch on a beautiful tree-lined street. Neutral decor, new furnace and gorgeous redone hardwood floors. Newer roof and kitchen floor. Large, open living room, finished basement, screened porch & a 2 car garage. $134,500 (037CA)

CANTON 3 BEDROOM COLONIAL – Great clean, updated 3 bedroom Canton Colonial. Plymouth/Canton schools, located near shopping & schools. $219,000 (515AP)

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303 Open Houses

BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Open Sun. 1-4. Birmingham schools, 169 Wadsworth, Westchester Village Sub. (Maple & Lahser). 2450 sq. ft. Clean, move in condition tri-level on ⅓ pro landscaped acre, inground pool, 3 bedrooms, living room, dining room, recently remodeled 2 baths, large kitchen, family room, all year around sunroom w/fireplace, A/C, many extras. $370,000. By owner. 248-540-7361

BLOOMFIELD HILLS
639 WINDSOR RUN
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
The Heathers - Impeccable 3 bedroom townhouse. Large master bedroom, his/her walk-in closets, spacious master bath w/skylight. Island kitchen w/roomy nook, private library, two-way fireplace in living room/ dining room. N. off Square Lake, E. of Opdyke. $498,900.
JIM LEAHY
RE/MAX in the Hills
(248) 646-8606

--BLOOMFIELD--
PRIVATE SETTING
OPEN SAT. & SUN. 2-5
Nearly 3 acres with pond, fountains, waterfalls and a feeling of tranquility! Spacious open interior with high ceilings, walls of glass and extensive decking. Large rooms, new cherry/granite kitchen with 2 islands, 6 bedrooms, media center, guest house. Featured in the latest issue of ESTATES MAGAZINE. Plan to see 5025 PONVALLEY (S. of Lone Pine, W. of Lahser) $2,300,000 (PON502)
HANNETT·WILSON & WHITEHOUSE
(248) 646-6200

Canton-
OPEN HOUSE SUN 1-4
47011 Mornington
Fairways at Pheasant Run
S. off Cherry Hill onto Country Club
E. on Mornington
Beautifully upgraded 4 bedroom 1996 golf course community colonial with full finished basement, entertainment deck, vaulted ceiling in master suite, hardwood floors, plush carpeting, crown molding, chair rails and trim. Approx. 2700 sq.ft. at $399,900.
K.C. Mueller
REMERICA
HOMETOWN
(734) 459-6222

COMMERCE TWP. - Beautiful, spacious cedar & stone 3 bedroom contemporary in High Pointe Sub. Cathedral ceilings, large master suite w/garden tub. $258K Open Jan. 27th, 1-5pm. 248-960-5849 http://my.voyager.net/peaton

FARMINGTON HILLS - Open House/Moving Sale, Sat. & Sun., 10am-5pm. 20801 Rensselaer. $136,900. 248-596-1120

LIVONIA By owner 27831 Perth. Open Sun., Noon-4pm. (Schoolcraft & Inkster) 3 bedroom, 1 bath ranch, large kitchen, finished basement w/full bath. Beautifully maintained. Move right in! $189,900. Brokers welcome. 734-421-3722

LIVONIA - OPEN SUN. 1-4
4 bedroom Ranch.
15508 Brookfield.
KELLER WILLIAMS
734-266-9000.

LIVONIA - OPEN SUN. 1-4
WHAT A HOME for the money on this 1,229 sq. ft. 3 bedroom 1½ bath brick ranch w/new vinyl trim, brand new professionally finished basement w/French doors to den or 4th bedroom, huge updated country kitchen, 90+ furnace w/new central air, hardwood floors and tons more. $191,900. N/5 Mile, E/Merriman to Dorais. Call KEN GENTILE (734) 591-0333 Ext. 117
Coldwell Banker Schweitzer

NEED CASH?
Have A
GARAGE SALE
734-591-0900

BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE
Wonderful 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths w/many updates. 2 fireplaces, finished basement, large deck. Birmingham schools. Plus much More! Broker protected. $749,000. 248-647-7719

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CANTON • OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, January 26
1:00-3:00 PM
2131 Vineway Unit 102
East of Sheldon Rd. unto Palmer Rd., turn into Arbor Village Condominiums Follow Signs

Great 2 bedroom ranch condo. Features include Pergo flooring in living, dining and hallway area. Whirlpool tub in bath. Basement is semi-finished and plumbing for full bath. Has one space parking under carport. Small deck off living room. All appliances stay. $136,900.

ERA **ERA ROSEMARY DAVIS, REALTORS**
800-491-3005

303 Open Houses

NOVI
44933 LIGHTSWAY
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
DUNBARTON PINES - Gorgeous 4 bedroom backing to beautiful wooded 10 acre commons. 2½ baths, master has marble jetted tub, formal dining, kitchen with new hardwood and granite counters, new Berber carpeted rec room and Northville schools. $369,900. N. of 9 Mile, E. of Taft.
AL VAN ACKER
RE/MAX in the Hills
(248) 646-5000

OPEN HOUSE Jan. 27th
1-5 pm. Canton Forest Condo.
42033 Saratoga Circle.
(734) 844-1714.
1600 sq.ft. 3 bedroom, 2½ bath, new carpet, hardwood floor, partially finished basement, 2 car garage. $214,900

Open Sun., 1 to 4. Rosedale 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch, corner lot, completely updated, finished basement, oak kitchen, large deck, $175,000. 734-261-9997

PLYMOUTH - Open Sun., 12-6. 2200 sq.ft., 4 bedroom Colonial, 2 baths, 2 lavs, gas fireplace, finished basement w/wet bar, air. No brokers. 734-454-4404

REDFORD - OPEN SAT. 1-4
Updated Bungalow.
9600 Lenore.
KELLER WILLIAMS
734-452-1089.

REDFORD
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
17605 Sumner
(N. off Six Mile, just east of Beech Daly)
Neat mint condition 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch home. Immediate occupancy! Many updates, finished basement, above ground pool. Hurry @ $129,000. Call Mary L. Bush 313.530.8750

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248.477.5114
www.cornwellbush.com

REDFORD RANCH - Sun. 2-5pm 19201 Seminole. N. of 7 Mile/ E. of Inkster. Great starter home w/ basement. No updates needed. $109,900 (248) 866-5767

ROCHESTER HILLS By owner, fully upgraded model home in Thornridge Subdivision, 5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 3 car garage, 2 fireplaces, fully finished walkout basement, asking $475,000. For viewing call 248-670-1883

ROCHESTER HILLS
OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
2318 Arizona Ct.
N. of Walton, W. off Arizona
3 bedroom ranch with hardwood floors and finished basement. Country setting yet close to downtown Rochester. Immediate occupancy.
KELLER WILLIAMS
Henry G. Schultz
248-380-8800

--THE HEATHERS--
OPEN SUNDAY 12-5
Pond setting for this great 2 bedroom 2 bath condo. Two master suite, open floor plan, cathedral ceilings, fireplace. Tennis, golf, swim club, dining membership. Priced to sell. Plan to see 542 NEWBURN POINTE (N. of Square Lake, E. of Opdyke). $239,700 (NEW542)
HANNETT·WILSON & WHITEHOUSE
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WESTLAND CONDO - Open Suns., 1-3pm. 2 bedroom, 3 full bath ranch. Professionally finished lower level, attached garage. $196,500. 37176 Condor Ct. 734-728-7960

No matter what it is, I know will find it in my Classifieds!

303 Open Houses

WESTLAND - Open Sat-Sun., Jan 26-27, 1-4pm. Gorgeous Quail Run condo w/wooded backyard, attached 2-car finished garage, open floorplan, 2-story foyer in great room, vaulted ceilings, 2 bedrooms w/full bath each, main level ½ bath, 1st floor laundry, finished basement w/optional 3rd bedroom, ceramic tile, oak hardwood, built 1993, original owner, freshly painted, all new carpet, ready to move in. $189,900. Dave, 734-718-1018

304 Ann Arbor

ANN ARBOR NORTH EAST unique executive raised ranch in area of million dollar homes. 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, walk-out, total privacy on 2.5 wooded acres with pond and wildlife, appraised at $530,000. Leaving state must sell $447,000. (734) 668-0253

305 Birmingham/ Bloomfield

BEVERLY HILLS
Outstanding 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, brick ranch, marble entry/ bath, large living room with fireplace, finished basement with wet bar, plus to many options to list. $278,900.. 248-723-7925.

BIRMINGHAM - Built 2001. Over 2800 sq.ft., 3+ bedrooms, huge bonus room, custom granite kitchen, landscaping, basement. $599,900. Open week-ends or by appt. 888 E. Lincoln. 248-553-4466

BIRMINGHAM - charming 3 bedroom, 2 bath in desirable Poppleton Park area. New roof, furnace, c.a. Excellent move-in condition. $409,900. 787 Oakland (248) 433-3789

BIRMINGHAM HOME by owner move-in condition, 4 bedroom, 2½ baths in Midvale area. Open floor plan with great-room overlooking large cedar deck and inground pool, first floor office, white Grabill kitchen, designer decor, wood floors and much more. $657,000. (248) 540-3327

306 Brighton

BRIGHTON/HOWELL - 1550 sq. ft. new construction. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 2nd floor laundry, 2 car garage, paved roads & sewers. Immediate occupancy. $189,900 810-225-8944.

RANCH, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage, Lake View. $167,500. Call John Dennis.
REMERICA
HOMETOWN
(734) 459-6222

308 Canton

BEAUTIFUL 3 bedroom ranch, 2 full baths, finished basement 2½ car garage, Appliances stay. $179,000 734-455-2221

CANTON - Built 1994, just under 1400 sq.ft., like new, meticulously maintained, 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, colonial, full basement, 2+ car garage, c.a., large lot. $191,900. 734-981-4312

CANTON SCHOOLS 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, c.a, new windows, new furnace, fenced yard. $187,000. Call by appointment. (734) 844-2458 4salebyowner.com id# 1011449524

CHERRY HILL & Sheldon area. 4 bedrooms, 3½ baths, beautiful large fenced yard, backs to pond, finished basement, $264,900. (734) 981-4375

308 Canton

CANTON, 5 year old, 4 bedroom colonial. Stone front, bay window in dining room, open kitchen & family room, 1st floor laundry, 2½ baths, Only $249,900. Seller will help w/some closing costs. E. of Beck Rd. Call Bill Willis.
MAYFAIR REALTY
734-522-8000

COLONIAL - 1800 sq.ft. 3 bedrooms, 2 ½ baths. Updated, enlarged kitchen, heated rec room, wooden floors, air, 2 car attached garage, finished basement. Loaded w/ Extras! $255,000. 734-459-1441

NEEDS SOME TLC!
This ranch has 3 bedrooms, living room, family room, sits on a court lot, basement, 2 car garage, big deck and yard. $165,500.
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39614 Randall
S/Cherryhill, E/Lotz,
Enter in on Buckingham
All brick Ranch w/many quality upgrades. End of Street. Open Sun. 1-4
PAT ALLMAND
(313)325-6314
Real Estate One
217 W Ann Arbor, Plymouth

312 Detroit

BRICK BUNGALOW
Newer 2.5 car garage. 3 bedrooms. Neutral decor. Won't last long at $114,900.
JOE WILLIAMS.COM
(248) 348-3000
(313) 920-7887 Cell

314 Farmington/ Farmington Hills

BY OWNER - 3 bedroom 2 bath 4 car attached garage brick ranch. Finished basement. Large lot. Farmington Schools. 248-477-9673.

CHARMING CAPE COD
1½ acres of tranquility and towering trees. 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, 1st floor master bedroom. Remodeled kitchen, newer windows & carpeting. $214,900.
JOE WILLIAMS.COM
(248) 348-3000
(313) 920-7887 Cell

FARMINGTON HILLS - Northville Meadowhill Sub. Sharp & like new 3 bedroom, library, could be 4th colonial on court-like private location. Huge master, 2.5 baths, formal dining, fireplaced family room, finished rec room, sprinklers, air, deck, treed yard. $309,900.
AL VAN ACKER
RE/MAX in the Hills
(248) 646-5000

FARMINGTON HILLS
COUNTRY RIDGE #4
Fabulous 4 bedroom 2 full 2 half bath, large master bedroom w/jetted tub & dressing area, full finished lower level, 1st floor laundry, large gourmet kitchen with island & corian counters, large bay windows. $379,900.
(248) 851-6700
CENTURY 21 MJL CORP. TRANS. SERVICE

GREAT STARTER HOME
2 bedrom Ranch home w/Farmington Schools. 2 car attached garage w/drywall, 220 line & 3 car wide approach. Home in mint condition. $134,900
KAREN BROWN
RE/MAX 100 (248) 348-3000

314 Farmington/Farmington Hills

FARMINGTON HILLS
Updated 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath brick ranch in Westgate Sub. Spacious open layout, full finished basement w/2nd fireplace. (RI-30) $235,000

Deep in sub on commons. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath. 2440 sq.ft. Many updates. Immediate possession. (BR36) $285,000

Every room has been updated. Shows like a model. Ceramic tile, hardwood floors, new carpet in '99. Fabulous finished basement w/full bath and wet-bar. (RA29) $235,000
Real Estate One
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FARMINGTON HILLS
Located on premium commons in popular 9 Mile & Halstead area, 2000 sq.ft. 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Ranch. Finished basement & 2½ car garage. $279,900. (WO217)
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317 Garden City

NEWLY LISTED 3 bedroom colonial with a large family room, country kitchen, 1½ baths, Florida Room, 2 car garage, newer windows, on a huge lot. $136,900.
Century 21
CASTELLI - 734-525-7900

OPEN SUN. 1-4. Newly updated 3 bedroom, 2 bath all brick ranch. 2½ detached garage, finished basement, oak hardwood floors thru out, C/A, updated kitchen, new water heater, newly carpeted bedrooms, new 6 panel interior doors & molding. Inground sprinklers, move-in condition, $139,900. 30962 Hennepin, E. of Merriman, S. of Ford. 734-513-9735

320 Hartland

IDEAL SPOT TO RELAX! Charming 3 bedroom tri-level home in convenient Hartland Subdivision with very easy access to M-59 & US-23! Family room with beautiful brick fireplace and doorwall to patio. Very pretty treed setting! Walk to Handy Lake at end of the street! Move in and enjoy! Hartland Schools. $143,400.

JUST ONE LOOK....is all you'll need when you see this welcoming charming Cape Cod in convenient country location. The covered front porch and brick pavers welcome you to this wonderful home that features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, pretty kitchen with wood floor, formal dining room, living room with gas fireplace and daylight windows in basement! 2 car attached garage with pull down stairs for added storage, large deck and nice landscaping with sprinkler system! Hartland Schools. $240,000.

APPEALING...5 bedroom 3.5 bath home designed for comfortable living on an outstanding 3+ acre parcel! Home features beautiful full wall stone fireplace in family room, 35x16 deck off living room for entertaining and viewing the pond, finished basement with 60x30 recreation room, Pergo floor in kitchen, newer windows and more! 32x30 pole barn with cement floor in insulated, 2 car attached garage and Hartland Schools. $267,000.

ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888-211-9560 or 810-632-7427

321 Highland

SMALL WONDERS! - Cute-updated 1 story home in Highland Township! Home includes 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, large corner lot with shed and privileges to all sports Woodruff Lake for year round enjoyment! Huron Valley Schools. $117,500.

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322 Holly/Fenton

JUST LISTED! - Year round enjoyment in this neat and affordable lakefront home on Fish Lake! Home features a comfortable living room with wood burning fireplace and great view of private lake! This 2 bedroom home also includes row boat and dock for summer enjoyment! Holly Schools. $149,900.

JUST LISTED! - Affordably priced 1400 sq. ft. tri-level situated on ¾ of an acre! This home offers 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, living room, family room and 2 car attached garage. Plus the fenced yard includes a storage shed for your yard tools & mower! Holly Schools. $167,900.

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325 Livonia

3 BEDROOM brick ranch large lot, approximately 1200 sq. ft. central air, Stevenson schools. $164,900. (313) 215-2999

3 Bedroom brick ranch. Updates include carpet ('01), 2 car garage ('99), kitchen floor ('99), paint, furnace C/A, windows, circuit breakers, finished basement w/drywall and much more. $164,900.

4 Bedroom, 2 bathroom Livonia home. Newer windows, roof, vinyl siding, driveway & approach, front & back porch. Updated bath, ceramic floor in foyer & main bath. $169,900.

Century 21 Hartford North
(734) 525-9600

DEER CREEK Sub. 2623 sq.ft. 3 bedroom contemporary Cape Cod w/2.5 bathrooms, great room/fireplace, library, 1st floor master suite, full basement & oversized garage/estate sized lot. Call Pauline Condon 313-565-1000 ext 213.
Century 21 Curran & Christie

BY OWNER - $155,000. 3 bedroom, 1 bath ranch, 2 car detached garage, large lot. CA. Completely renovated in 1999. 734-525-0420

BY OWNER. 34597 Pinehurst - Beautiful 4 bedroom, 3½ bath, jacuzzi w/redwood enclosed, C/A, 2½ car garage. All appliances. $259,000. Possible lease/purchase option. 734-427-1045.

CAPE COD
On a large corner lot 4 bedroom, 2 bath home, fireplace in large living room, sunny family room, bright kitchen, formal dining room, wet plaster, hardwood floors, basement, garage. $198,000.

CUSTOM RANCH
Wonderful 3 bedroom, 2 full bath & 2 half bath brick home. Great room with fireplace, country kitchen, formal dining room, finished basement with wet bar, 1st floor laundry, beautiful landscape, attached 3 car garage. $359,900.

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COMPLETELY RENOVATED 3 bedroom, 1½ bath 1928 Dutch colonial on large treed lot. Finished basement, hardwood floors. $204,900. 734-464-7190

CUTE & COZY...
Brick ranch in the heart of Livonia, featuring 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2.5 car detached garage, finished basement with a bar, C/A, fenced yard, newer windows & concrete drive. Asking $163,000 (30Dee).
Call ROBERT CUFFE
REMERICA
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734-525-4200
www.remericaintegrity.com

JUST LISTED!
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SUSAN & RACHEL RION
Re/Max Great Lakes
(734) 522-2429

LAUREL PARK RANCH
3 bedroom, 3 bath ranch in Laurel Park South Sub. New roof, finished basement, Florida room, 2 car attached garage & more. $239,900. (39MAL)

BEAUTIFUL RANCH
5 bedrooms, 1½ baths, nicely landscaped. Large kitchen off family room w/fireplace. Updated furnace, CA, roof, windows & carpet. 2 car attached garage. $199,900 (04GAR)
Century 21 ROW (734) 464-7111

LIVONIA - 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, den plus Florida room, ½ acre lot; Livonia Schools. $186,900. (734) 901-4000

LIVONIA, 3 bedroom ranch. Hardwood floors, large kitchen, full basement. S. of 7 Mile @ $121,900 (this is a good price).
MAYFAIR REALTY
734-522-8000

LOOK NO FURTHER
on this 1,125 sq. ft. 3 bedroom, 2 full bath (main floor) brick ranch w/aluminum trim offering finished basement, new entrance, storm and garage doors, newer oak kitchen w/ceramic floor, roof, windows, rich hardwood flooring, updated baths and lots more. $187,900.
Call KEN GENTILE
(734) 591-0333 Ext. 117
Coldwell Banker Schweitzer

MOVE RIGHT IN! 14193 Park. Immaculate 1000 sq.ft., 3 bedroom brick ranch, quiet street, hardwood floors, open kitchen, a.c., 1.5 car attached, deck. $172,500. 734-464-0133

RANCH, 3 bedroom, updated bath, 2½ car mechanics garage. $149,950. Call Johanna Woodard.
REMERICA
HOMETOWN
(734) 459-6222

326 Milford

HISTORIC HOME
State registered 3 bedroom, 2 bath colonial renovated with modern amenities and 1880 ambience, has master suite with bath, basement, garage, and covered porch for your swing. $224,900.
(248) 887-6900
FIRST AMERICAN

328 Northville

BEACON WOODS Sub, 3,200+ sq. ft. 2 story, 3 bedroom, 15x25' family room, oak & ceramic tile, wrap-around deck, private yard. Low $400's. (810) 733-7480 x230

NORTHVILLE-HEAVILY TREED luxury estates, both in secluded privacy. Federalist style 8500 sq. ft. full every amenity-granite counter tops, marble bath, brick walls/floor, burl walnut walls in great room, 5 bedrooms, 5½ baths, lovely master suite, in-law suite, office suite on 1.5 acres$1,495,000. Fully bricked 6500 sq. ft. great home nestled in lush 3+ acres, 4 bedrooms, 4½ baths, 25x40 great room under construction, ready for your finishing touch-$995,000 248-349-1380 Builder

THIS IS IT!
This Cape Cod offers 4 bedrooms on large wooded lot, newer windows, furnace, roof, basement, $235,000.
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45500 FORD RD. - CANTON

329 Novi

Desirable Dunbarton Pines Large 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, 2 story foyer/family room, fully finished basement. $372,900. (248) 380-7979

2600 sq.ft. colonial with large covered porch in one of Novi's most sought after subs. 4 large bedrooms, 2½ car garage, 2 full & 2 half baths, extra large closets, plenty of storage, hardwood floors, brick fireplace, professionally finished basement, large double-level cedar deck, Novi Schools, easy freeway access. $395,500. 22229 Antler Dr (S of 9 Mile, W of Meadowbrook) Open Sun., 1-4pm. 248-347-3856

331 Orion Twn./Lk. Orion/Oxford

OXFORD - Gorgeous Newly Built Home by Owner in the Prestigious Waterstone Subdivision. ¾ Hardwood Floors, Walkout Basement, Oak Cathedral Cabinets in Kitchen. Much see! $329,900. 248-245-0265

334 Plymouth

BY OWNER - 3 units near Downtown Plymouth. 1 2 bedroom unit, 2 single bedroom units. $185,000. 734-453-2172

46707 SHAMROCK Lane. Plymouth. (734) 455-7222
4 bedroom, 3 bath. $499,900.

334 Plymouth

COLONIAL - Close to downtown. 2200 sq.ft., 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 lavs, gas fireplace, finished basement w/wet bar, air, sprinkler. No brokers. 734-454-4404

LOVELY HISTORICAL HOME w/up to 5 bedrooms on 1½ treed acres in an area of many newer homes. 2557 sq.ft.; 2 sun porches, basement & garage. Call 1-888-223-4800 x1102 for 24 hr recorded info call! (21093851)The Firestone Team, Re/Max 100 248-348-3000

335 Redford

LOVELY BRICK RANCH w/3 bedrooms, remodeled oak kitchen & bath! Huge 2½ car garage! Mint! Only $103,900. Call 1-888-223-4800 x1002 for 24 hr recorded info call! (21088080) The Firestone Team, Re/Max 100 248-348-3000

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SATURDAY 1-4
15860 Knight
N. Five Mile/W. Telegraph
Fantastic home! 3 bedroom, 2 bath, many extra's, basement, 3 car garage. $149,900.
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339 Southfield-Lathrup

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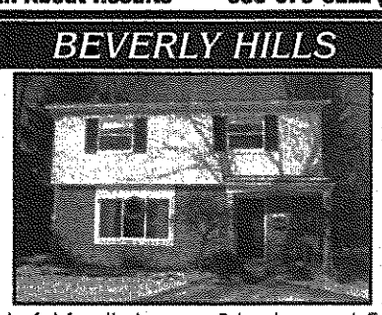
Wonderful family home. 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath colonial. Move-in ready. Many, many updates. Walking distance to Birmingham schools.
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WEST BLOOMFIELD
$429,900
Stunning 3,480 sq.ft., 4 bedroom, 3½ bath Ranch on gorgeous lot w/views of woods & stream. 2 story foyer. Great room w/floor to ceiling fireplace. Formal dining room. Additional 1600 sq.ft. of living area in finished walk-out lower level. Appliances stay. C/A. 2 car garage. West Bloomfield Schools. (PA319)

$349,900
Immaculate 1996 built, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath contemporary colonial w/2-story foyer, living room, dining room, family room w/fireplace & gourmet island kitchen w/granite counters & breakfast room. Master ste. w/vaulted ceiling & walk-in-closet. Basement. West Bloomfield Schools. (BL191)

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Immediate Occupancy
Spacious 2,774 sq.ft., 4 bedroom, 3 full bath multi-level Colonial. Living room, dining room, family room w/fireplace, updated kitchen & sun room. Finished basement w/rec room & storage++. Many updates. (WI247)

$269,000
Lovely 4 bedroom, 3½ bath colonial. Living room w/fireplace, formal dining room, library & large white kitchen w/ceramic floors. 1st floor laundry. Partially finished basement. Appliances stay. Patio. 2 car garage. West Bloomfield Schools. (TH480)

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346 Whitmore Lake

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348 Wixom/Walled Lake/Commerce

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354 Oakland County

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357 Wayne County

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361 Country Homes

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372 Condos

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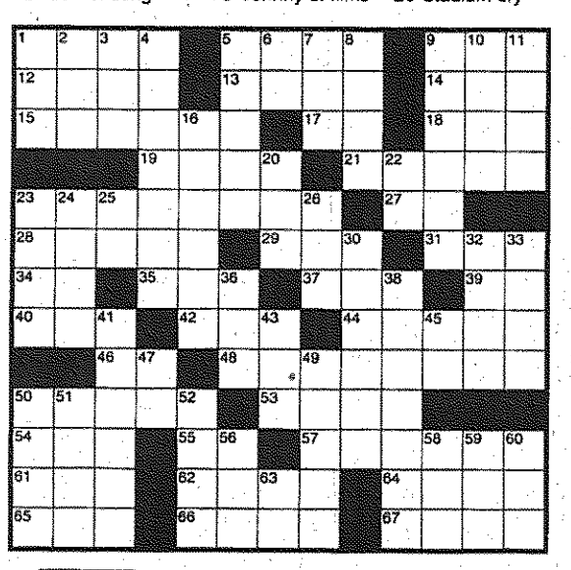

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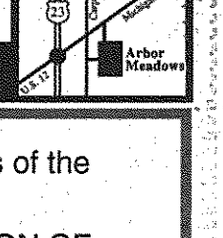

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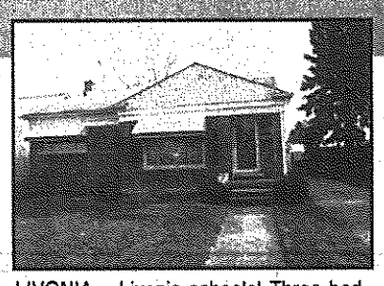

LIVONIA – Livonia schools! Three bedroom, 1½ bath brick Ranch with 2 car garage. Updates: newer windows, hardwood floors, new carpet in basement with ½ bath & covered porch out back! $148,900 (28ARC) 734-455-5600

WESTLAND – Great home and a great area! All brick Ranch with finished basement and 2 car garage. Large kitchen with updated ceramic floors and counters - opening to a generous family room with fireplace. Two additional bedrooms in finished basement. $164,999 (28HAM) 734-455-5600

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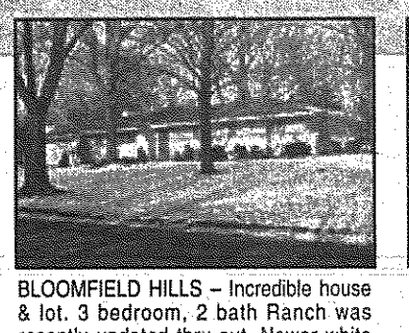

BLOOMFIELD HILLS – Incredible house & lot. 3 bedroom, 2 bath Ranch was recently updated thru-out. Newer white kitchen & basement, walk-in closet in master, jetted tub in master bath. Newer ceramic, oak floor & carpet thru-out. Brick paver walkway. Approximate. ½ acre treed lot. $231,000 (30BRA) 248-349-5600

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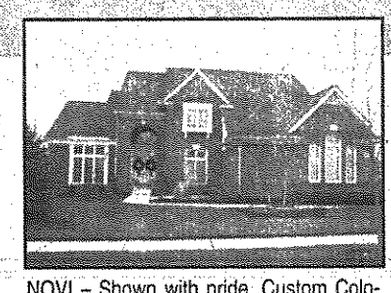
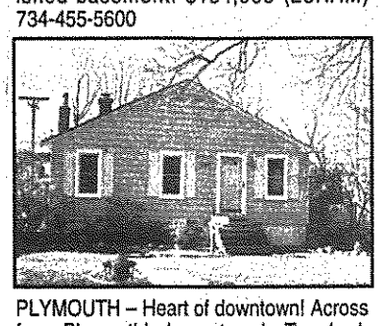


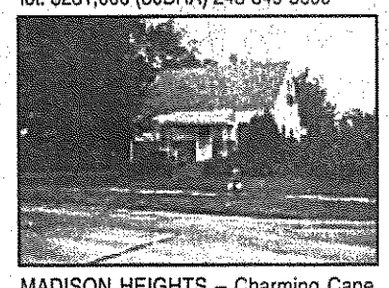
NOVI – Shown with pride. Custom Colonial with Northville schools. Great family area. Four bedroom, 3 bath, 3 car garage-2 years old. Overlooks protected area. Two story foyer, 9' ceilings, walk-out lower level. Large cedar deck. All amenities needed for living & entertaining. $569,000 (80BAR) 248-349-5600

VAN BUREN – Immaculate newer Colonial! Four bedroom, 2½ bath, 1994-built Colonial. Huge master suite. Hardwood floors in the foyer & kitchen. Two bay windows. Second floor laundry. Full basement. Fenced yard, 2 car attached garage! $239,900 (47BER) 734-455-5600

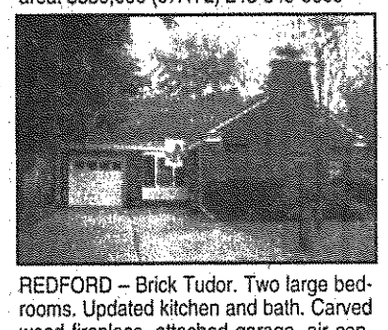


PLYMOUTH – Heart of downtown! Across from Plymouth's largest park. Two bedroom Ranch with open layout! Refinished hardwood floors, newer kitchen, loads of white cabinets & pantry. Kitchen appliances included. Newer vinyl windows. $177,000 (14HAR) 734-455-5600

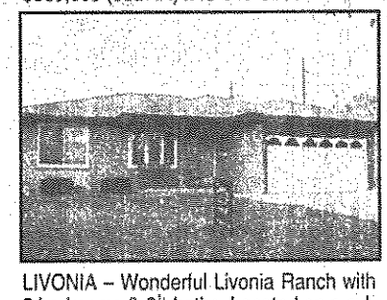
CANTON – Lovely updated Ranch. Three bedroom, 3 bath Ranch with newer air, water heater, roof, furnace & windows. Gorgeous kitchen. Newer carpet in basement & entry level. Hardwood floors in foyer & kitchen. Appliances. $204,900 (37SOU) 734-455-5600



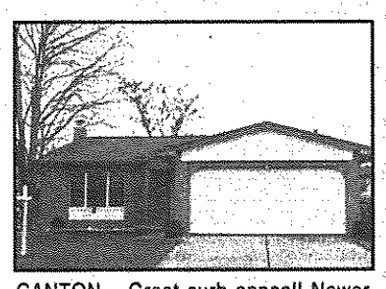
MADISON HEIGHTS – Charming Cape Cod. Four bedroom, 1½ bath well-cared for home with partially finished basement, central air & hardwood floors. Located on a double corner lot. Many updates. $135,900 (51BRO) 248-349-5600



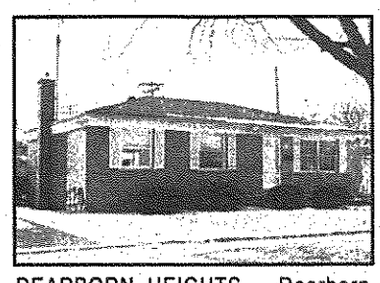
REDFORD – Brick Tudor. Two large bedrooms. Updated kitchen and bath. Carved wood fireplace, attached garage, air conditioning, fenced yard, basement lav., newer roof, furnace & windows. $129,900 (42SUM) 248-349-5600



LIVONIA – Wonderful Livonia Ranch with 3 bedrooms & 2½ baths. Located on a cul-de-sac setting. Newer hot water heater, air conditioning, roof, updated kitchen, newer windows, door walls, exterior doors... and the list goes on and on. $219,900 (99BAI) 248-349-5600



CANTON – Great curb appeal! Newer dimensional roof (99), vinyl siding, Hansen windows & meticulously maintained landscape. Open floor plan, recently painted, neutral decor, updated kitchen & bath. Three bedroom, 1½ bath. $185,900 (59BRI) 734-455-5600



DEARBORN HEIGHTS – Dearborn Heights delight! Three bedroom brick Ranch with 2 car 25 x 24 garage. Updated kitchen with newer oak cabinets. Newer Pella windows, furnace, central air, steel entry doors & storm doors front & back. $161,900 (25HAS) 734-455-5600

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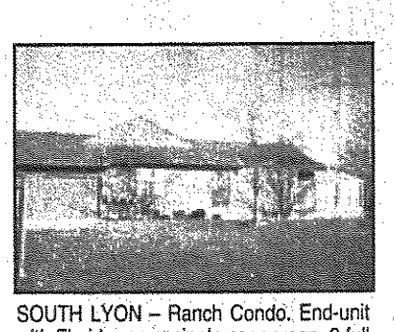
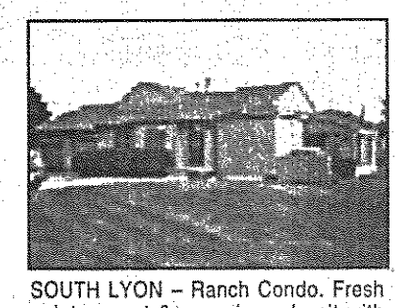
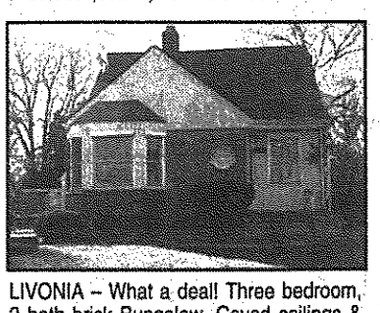


SOUTH LYON – Ranch Condo. End-unit with Florida room, single car garage, 2 full baths, Pergo/wood-like flooring & neutral decor. Short walk to club house & beach area. 55+ community. $100,000 (08SHE) 248-349-5600

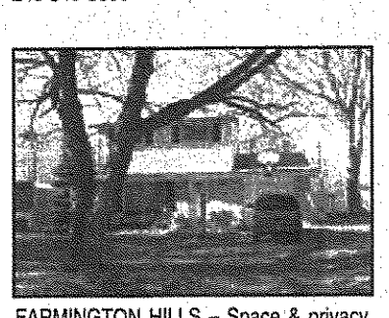


SOUTH LYON – Ranch Condo. Fresh paint, carpet & more in end-unit with attached garage & Florida room. Enjoy club house and beach on Crooked Lake. $100,000 (44ARL) 248-349-5600

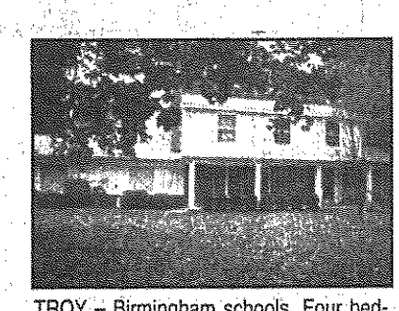


LIVONIA – What a deal! Three bedroom, 2 bath brick Bungalow. Coved ceilings & hardwood floors. Bowed window & built-in cabinet in dining area. Upgraded kitchen cabinets. Glass block windows in basement. Detached garage. $134,903 (15CAV) 734-455-5600

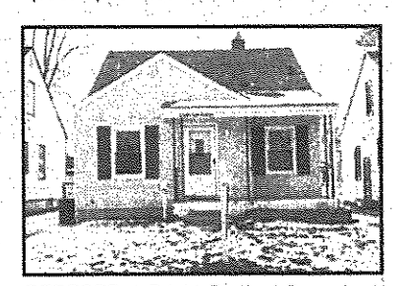
HOWELL – Better than new! Built in 2000 and backs to open park area! Hardwood foyer, bay window in living room and formal dining room. Kitchen with oak cabinets, pantry and appliances. Breakfast nook with deck to doorwall. Family room with vaulted ceiling. $227,500 (19OAK) 734-455-5600



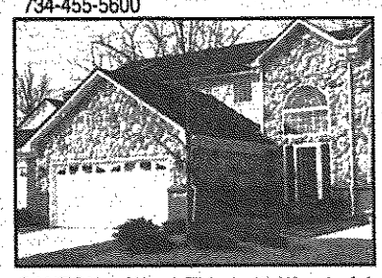
FARMINGTON HILLS – Space & privacy awaits. Don't miss this charming 3 bedroom Colonial with many updates. Newer roof, siding, windows & carpet. Fireplace in family room, finished basement, attached garage. Beautiful landscaping & large lot. $179,900 (09GLE) 248-349-5600



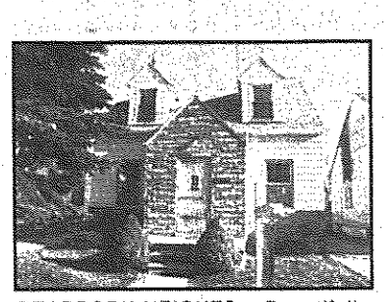
TROY – Birmingham schools. Four bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial on large lot with perennial gardens. Dining room, living room, family room with fireplace, basement, garage. Many updates: newer carpet, neutral decor. A lot of house for your home-buying dollar. $259,000 (80ADA) 248-349-5600



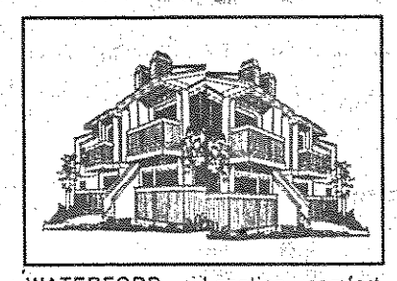
REDFORD – Bright Redford Bungalow! Many updates: newer vinyl siding, windows, doors & furnace. 11 x 7 deck, partially finished basement & updated electric with breakers. Carpeted thru-out. A lot of storage. FHA and VA. $112,900 (07CEN) 734-455-5600



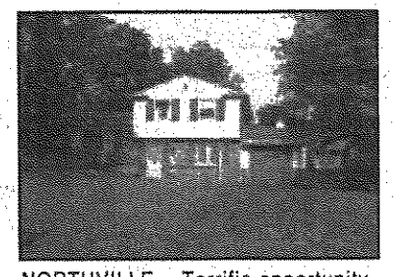
CANTON – Wow! This is it! Wonderful Condo with open floor plan! First floor master suite with gas fireplace, walk-in closet & full bath. Large living room with soaring ceilings. Eat-in kitchen with doorwall to deck. Upstairs bedroom with private bath. Walk-out basement & loft! $274,900 (20PRE) 734-455-5600



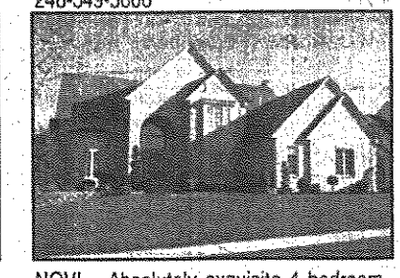
DEARBORN HEIGHTS – Beautifully updated! Close to Ford Woods Park. Spacious living room & formal dining room. Newly carpeted throughout. Newer vinyl windows & roof. Ceramic bath - completely redone. Bright cherry kitchen with new floor. $100,000 (30STE) 734-455-5600



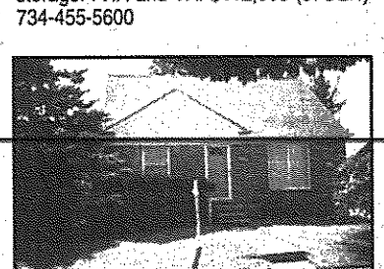
WATERFORD – Location, comfort Condo. Forget lawn mowing & snow shoveling. Condo life is so-o-o easy. Two bedroom Townhouse end-unit offers privacy and easy living. Many updates include: Pergo floor & finished basement for extra living space. $129,000 (05WOO) 248-349-5600



NORTHVILLE – Terrific opportunity. Three bedroom Tri-level offers the chance to live in Northville Township/Northville school district. Large lot offers recreation, garden & more. Hardwood floors in bedrooms, fireplace in living room, garage & shed for extra storage. $215,000 (95CLE) 248-349-5600



NOVI – Absolutely exquisite 4 bedroom, 3½ bath with view of a wooded nature preserve from the wrap-around deck. Huge gourmet kitchen with island & white cabinetry. Spectacular living quarters in walk-out lower level. Northville schools. $579,900 (00BAR) 248-349-5600



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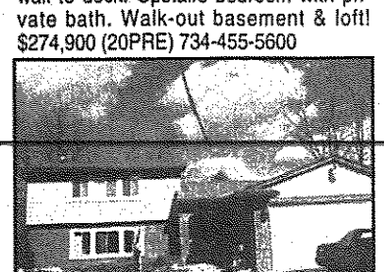

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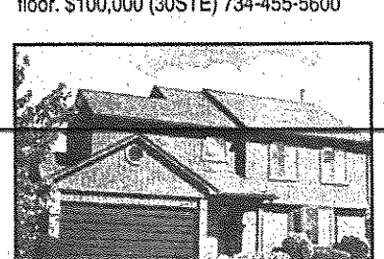
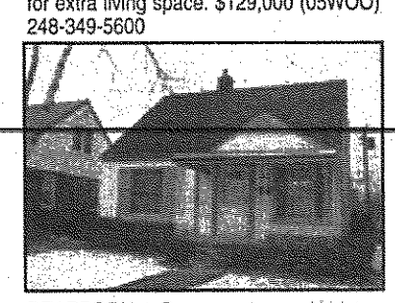
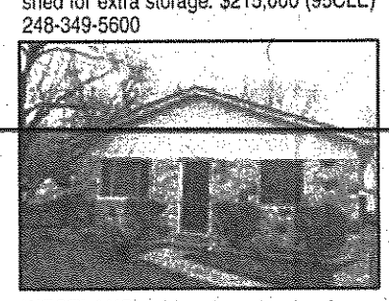


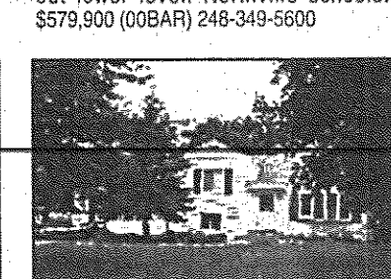
DEARBORN HEIGHTS – Entertain & enjoy! Four bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial with open floor plan of family room, kitchen & dining combo enhanced with fireplace. Formal living room. 1989-built with decor of recent paint and carpet, foyer tile floor and landscaped lot. $239,528 (62VAS) 734-455-5600



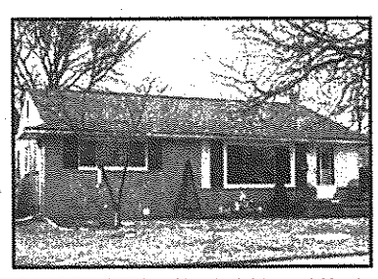
DEARBORN – Gorgeous home. Updates galore on this 3 bedroom Bungalow. White-wash oak in kitchen with ceramic floor & wall, ceramic bath, pre-finished hardwood floor, newer carpet upstairs, windows, shingles & siding. $153,000 (50RAY) 248-349-5600



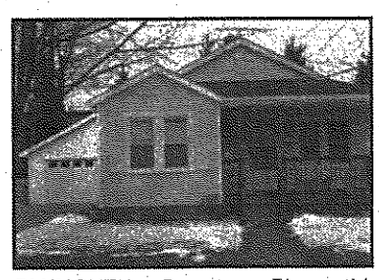
WESTLAND – Livonia schools plus a whole lot more. This cute & clean Ranch has 3 bedrooms, 2½ car garage & updates galore. Great for someone starting our or downsizing. Just turn the key & move right in. All appliances are included. $114,900 (68CAR) 248-349-5600



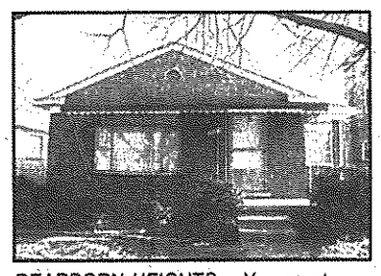
SOUTH LYON – Horse lovers' dream. Enjoy country living in this well-cared for home on approximately 7 acres. Updates include: kitchen, bath, newer furnace/air & newly added family room. Three-stall horse barn & fenced pasture are great for horses. $233,000 (01DIX) 248-349-5600



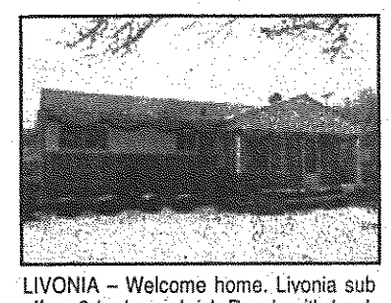
GARDEN CITY – Wonderful home! North Garden City. Three bedroom, 1½ bath Ranch with newer windows, roof & hot water heater. Beautiful oak kitchen with hardwood floors under. Roof stripped '01 & finished basement with wet bar. $158,900 (45GOL) 734-455-5600



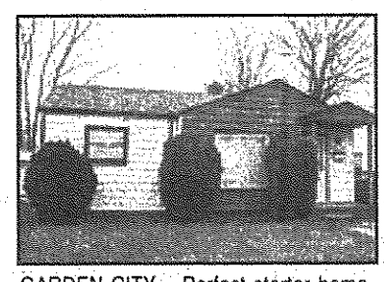
PLYMOUTH – Downtown Plymouth! Charming home is super clean and very up to date. Hardwood floors, 2 ceiling fans, one window air conditioner and first floor laundry. Beautiful kitchen and dining room. Appliances stay. One year old heated three car garage! $189,900 (70ROE) 734-455-5600



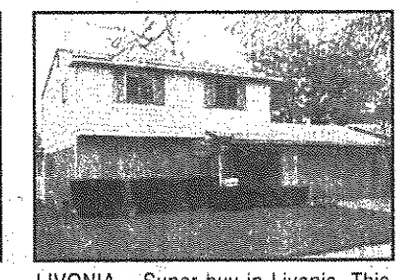
DEARBORN HEIGHTS – You must see this home! Three bedroom brick Ranch with 2½ car garage & part-finished basement! Newer furnace & central air, updated electric & hot water heater. Fresh paint. Dining room & hardwood floors under carpet. Dearborn schools! $129,900 (48VIR) 734-455-5600



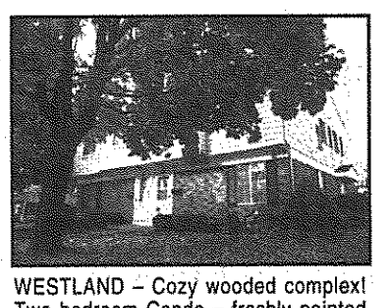
LIVONIA – Welcome home. Livonia sub offers 3 bedroom brick Ranch with hardwood floor throughout. Newer windows & central air. Updated electrical & plumbing. Rough-in basement with full bath and glass block windows. All new trim-fenced yard. Two car garage. $177,500 (47WES) 248-349-5600



GARDEN CITY – Perfect starter home. Two bedroom, 1 bath Ranch with dining area, laundry room, furnace & central air in 1994. Newer entry door & ceiling fans. Shed on concrete slab. Great way to start the new year, in your own home. $91,900 (32BLO) 248-349-5600

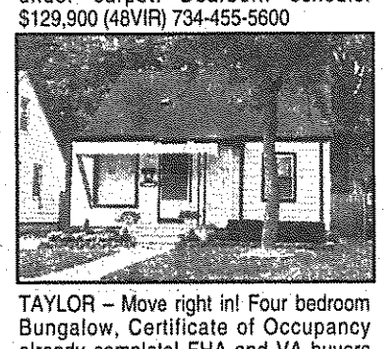


LIVONIA – Super buy in Livonia. This spacious 4 bedroom, 1½ bath Colonial is neat as a pin. Open floor plan that includes country kitchen family room with fireplace, formal living room & more. Finished basement adds to this wonderful home. Attached 2 car garage & so much more. $174,900 (62MER) 248-349-5600

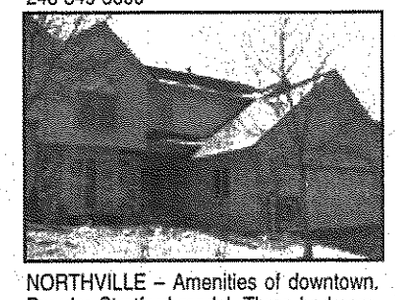


WESTLAND – Cozy wooded complex! Two bedroom Condo – freshly painted with neutral decor. One year old Berber carpet thru-out. Newly remodeled kitchen, lighting, flooring & bath. Custom blinds and appliances stay! $93,500 (40GRE) 734-455-5600

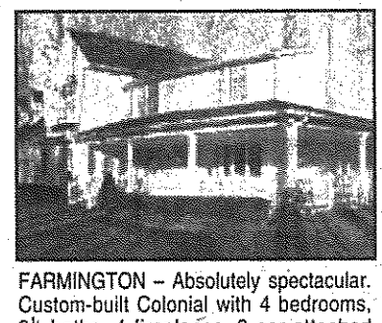
MILFORD – Step up and take a look! Three bedroom, 2 bath newer raised Ranch home! Beautiful hardwood floors in entry, great room, hall and dining room. Freshly painted and newer carpeting. Appliances stay! Oak trim throughout and oversized 2 car garage. $214,900 (55MIL) 734-455-5600



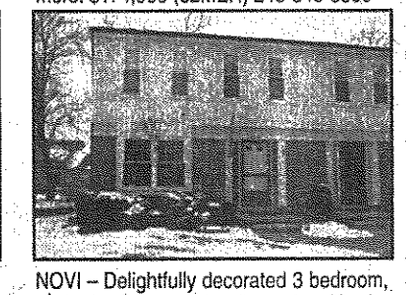
TAYLOR – Move right in! Four bedroom Bungalow, Certificate of Occupancy already complete! FHA and VA buyers welcome. Newer double-hung windows, kitchen remodeled in 2001, roof and carpet updated in 2001. $92,900 (48WED) 734-455-5600



NORTHVILLE – Amenities of downtown. Popular Stratford model. Three bedroom, 2½ bath Condo with kitchen & doorwall off of breakfast room to deck. Living room with gas fireplace & cathedral ceiling. Formal dining. Master with 3 closets. Full basement & 2 car garage. Northville schools. $310,000 (15SAI) 248-349-5600



FARMINGTON – Absolutely spectacular. Custom-built Colonial with 4 bedrooms, 3½ baths, 4 fireplaces, 3 car attached garage, finished basement. On approximately 1 acre lot that is country living in the city. Veranda surrounding 3 sides of this wonderful home that was rebuilt in 1996. $874,000 (05BID) 248-349-5600



NOVI – Delightfully decorated 3 bedroom, 2½ bath private end unit condo with pizzaz. Super complex Novi with pool and clubhouse. Living room, dining room area and family room. Lots of updates and a spectacular kitchen with new cabinets, floor and counters. $157,900 (47BAS) 248-349-5600

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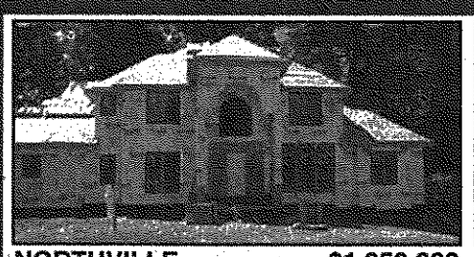

NORTHVILLE **$1,350,000**
SURROUND YOURSELF IN ELEGANCE in prestigious Fox Hollow! Dramatic ceilings, crown moldings, gourmet kit w/granite, magnificent mstr, ceramic & hdwd flrs, fin'd w/ o bsmt. Numerous amenities!(35WOO2)
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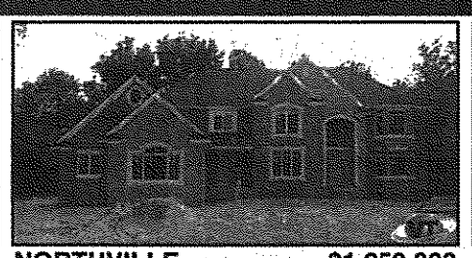

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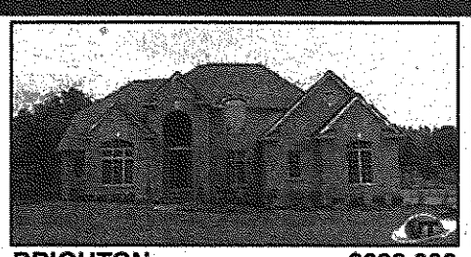

BRIGHTON **$699,000**
STUNNING 1ST FLOOR MSTR HOME! New construction, 3,882 SF plus finished w/o bsmt. Exquisite detail! Gourmet kitchen w/granite counters & backsplash. Perfection!(31BEA2)
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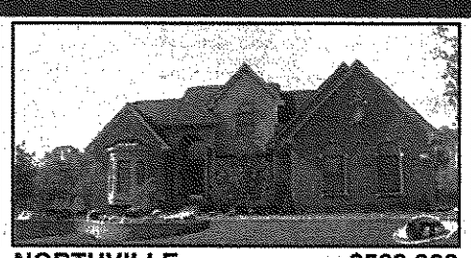

NORTHVILLE **$509,900**
LIKE NEW! Neutral decor, gourmet kit, cherry cab, granite cntrs, 2 way FP in GR & brkfst nook, 1st fl mstr, lib w/cath clngs, frml DR, 3 BR plus loft, 2.5 bths, 3 car gar(H16725)
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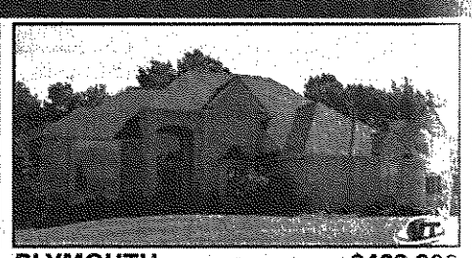

PLYMOUTH **$469,900**
MAKE IT YOURS! Custom built 4 bdrm, 2.5 bath col. Home backs to woods & has walk-out. Spiral staircase, hrdwd flrs in kit. Newer carpet thru-out. Mstr bdrm has trayed ceiling.(23Q8872)
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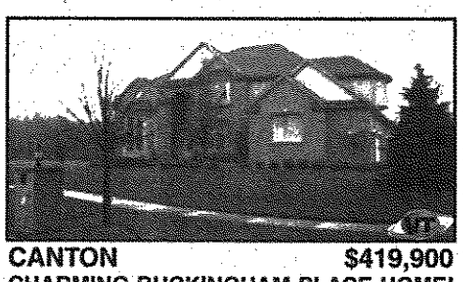

CANTON **$419,900**
CHARMING BUCKINGHAM PLACE HOME! 4 lg bdrms, 2 staircases, 3 car side entry, beautiful sunroom, court location deep into sub, backing to commons. Only 7 yrs old & better than new!(W48786)
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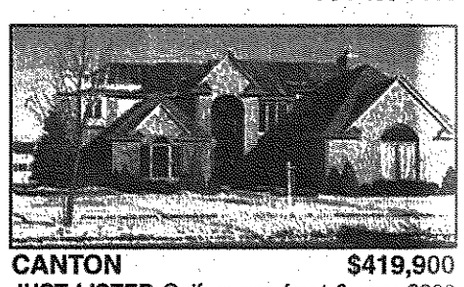

CANTON **$419,900**
JUST LISTED Golf course front & over 3200 sq ft of luxury. Custom features t/o accent this 4 BR colonial. Gourmet island kitchen, den w/ fp, mstr ste w/sitting rm, & more!(C277)
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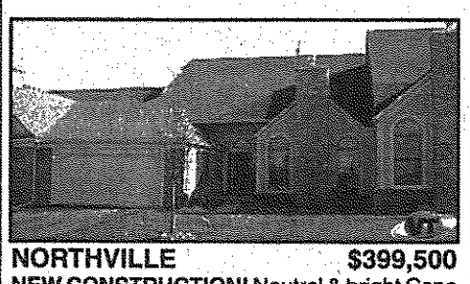

NORTHVILLE **$399,500**
NEW CONSTRUCTION! Neutral & bright Cape Cod, 3 BR, 2.5 baths, custom kitchen w/granite counters and island. 1st flr mstr ste w/soaking tub and separate shower.(14LOC2)
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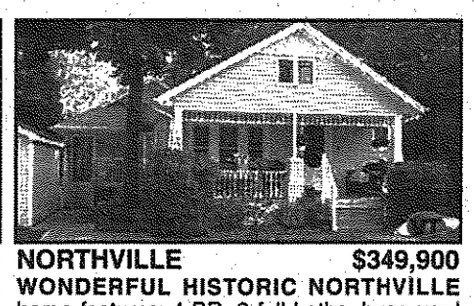

NORTHVILLE **$349,900**
WONDERFUL HISTORIC NORTHVILLE home features: 4 BR, 3 full baths, huge yard backing to the Rouge River. More square footage than it seems!(16ROU2)
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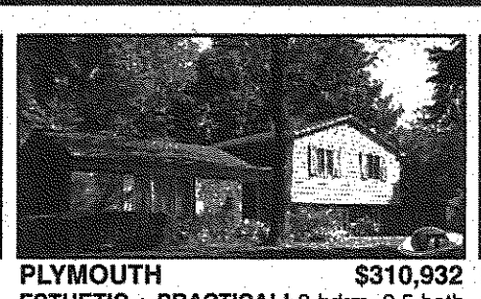

PLYMOUTH **$310,932**
ESTHETIC + PRACTICAL! 3 bdrm, 2.5 bath home plus den. Sits snugly on wooded interior lot in Woodlore. Fresh neutral paint, carpet & renewed baths.(23M9322)
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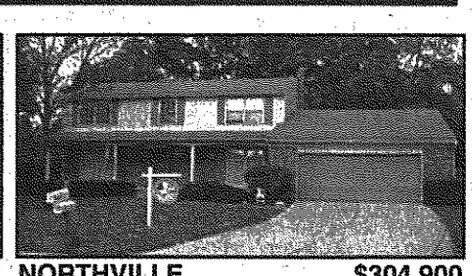

NORTHVILLE **$304,900**
GREAT CURB APPEAL Beautiful cul-de-sac location on private setting, well maintained, FR w/vaulted ceiling, deck. 4 BR, 2.5 baths, possible 5th BR. Over 2300 sq ft!(W42945)
734-591-9200

NORTHFIELD **$299,900**
BACKS TO GOLF COURSE! Only 2 yrs old. This Cape Cod style home has 4 BR, 2.5 baths, DR, GR, natural FP, appliances. Ready to move in!(99TUR2)
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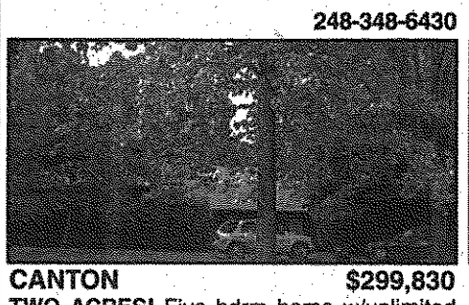

CANTON **$299,830**
TWO ACRES! Five bdrm home w/unlimited potential! Includes one bdrm apt or inlaw/teen suite. Canton schools. 3,100 sq ft. Needs your TLC & decor. Many more amenities. (23H47830)
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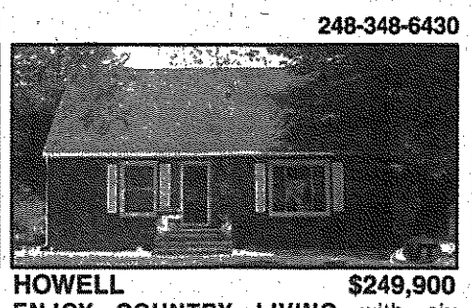

HOWELL **$249,900**
ENJOY COUNTRY LIVING with city conveniences in this 1,566 SF Bungalow! 10 plus beautifully wooded acres, 3 BR, 1 bath, full bsmt & 2-car garage. Many updates! (05KEL2)
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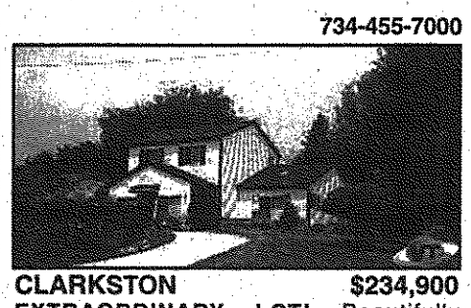

CLARKSTON **$234,900**
EXTRAORDINARY LOT! Beautifully landscaped. 1st flr mstr w/skylight & jacuzzi. 3.5 baths, storage galore! 18 x 30 2 story garage. Newer roof, siding, windows, furnace, & a/c.(23P4420)
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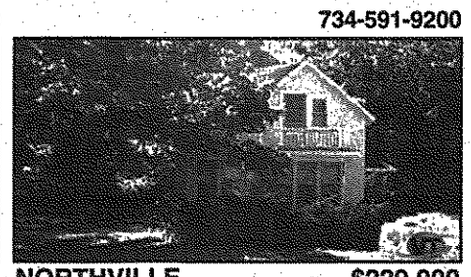

NORTHVILLE **$229,000**
LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION! Walk to downtown Northville, 4 BR, 3 bath Colonial, unlimited potential, possible 3-unit dwelling or build your dream home, 89x142 lot.(74WIN2)
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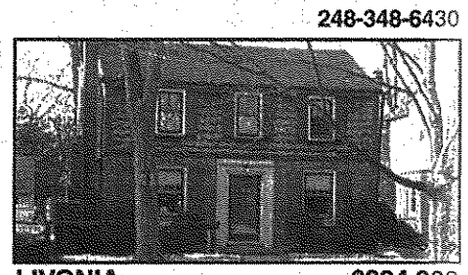

LIVONIA **$224,900**
JUST LISTED! Charming Old Rosedale offers this updated Tudor colonial w/all the extras. Family rm w/field stone FP, finished bsmnt, 2.5 car garage, formal DR, & more!(C11021)
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CANTON **$213,424**
EXPERIENCE THE GOOD LIFE! Breathtaking view of the beautifully landscaped pond area. Too much to list - 2 lg BR, f/p, attd garage. Canton location, brand new w/many to choose from!(C41525)
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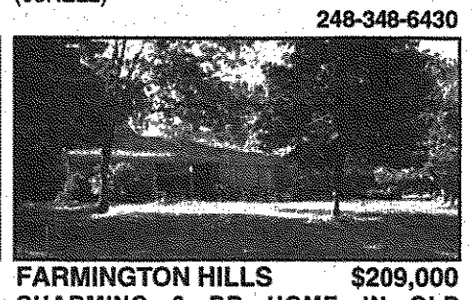

FARMINGTON HILLS **$209,000**
CHARMING 3 BR HOME IN OLD HOMESTEAD! Recent updates include: siding, windows, kitchen, drive, garage door & half bath. Large private yard. Immediate occupancy!(32HAR2)
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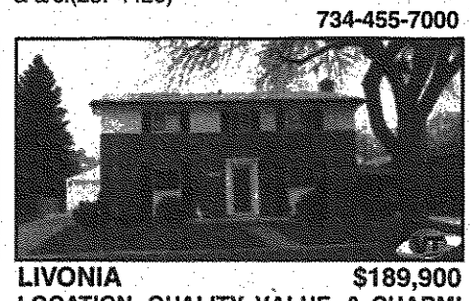

LIVONIA **$189,900**
LOCATION, QUALITY, VALUE, & CHARM! Brick quad level, 2100 sq ft of living area, 4 BR, 1.5 baths, new kitchen, a/c, roof, windows, & doors, 2.5 car garage, landscaped & fenced yard.(P19680)
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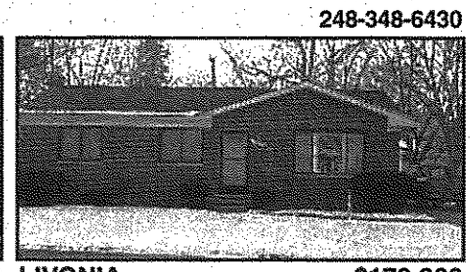

LIVONIA **$179,900**
GOLDEN RIDGE SUB All brick home, w/ 2.5 car garage, central air & furnace, done at same time. Unfinished basement & vinyl windows, roof, re-shingled early 90's.(H922)
PC 220072 **734-326-2000**

LIVONIA **$169,900**
CHARMING 3/4 ACRE COLONIAL in a nice location - updated kitchen - bath - 3 furnaces - over 1500 sq ft. 24x26 insulated garage - backs to elementary school with gate access. (B19610)
734-591-9200

DEARBORN HEIGHTS **$157,500**
ART DECO KITCHEN new furnace, new electrical, privacy fence, large living room, finished basement with 2nd kitchen, for that extended family and 2 car garage in the back lot.(N831)
PC 220082 **734-326-2000**

WESTLAND **$145,000**
IRRESISTABLE, SUPER CLEAN! New windows, updated kitchen and bath, finished bsmnt w/1/2 bath, 2 car garage, neutral decor, newer furnace, new landscaping w/lights, covered patio. Mint!(D214)
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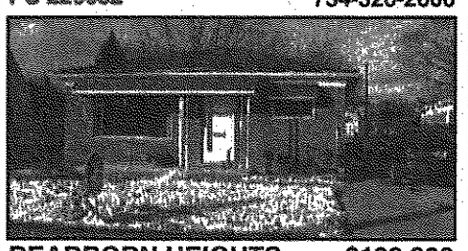
FARMINGTON HILLS **$139,900**
PICTURE PERFECT! Refurbished inside & out! Ready to move in with all new everything! 2 BR, 1 bath, workshop can be converted to 2-car garage. A must see!(32ROO2)
248-348-6430

CANTON **$129,900**
HURRY ! WON'T LAST! Move in & kick your feet up. Everything has been done. Great location. Very quiet. This 2 bdrm condo can be yours. Hurry!(23N41356)
734-455-7000

INKSTER **$129,900**
EXCELLENT INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY 2 Unit upper/lower has updated kitchen and baths, roof, windows, carpet and more. Live in one unit, rent the other. Wayne/Westland Schools.(O292)
PC 220412 **734-326-2000**



DEARBORN HEIGHTS **$129,900**
BEAUTIFUL, WELL LOVED HOME ready for new owners & updates abound. Bath with jetted tub, newer windows, AC in 00, new porch and privacy fenced yard. Finished basement w/gas log fireplace.(C564)
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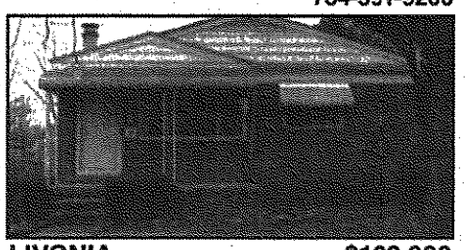
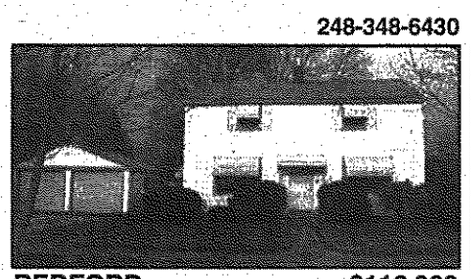


LIVONIA **$122,900**
FANTASTIC DEAL on this all brick ranch in Livonia. 3 BR, 2 full baths, FP, bsmnt, & pool. Newer roof & windows, 1 yr old furnace, 4 yr old HWH. A great house at a great price!(A19383)
PC 070072 **734-591-9200**



REDFORD **$116,900**
GREAT STARTER HOME! 3 BR South Redford colonial features large lot, home warranty, new driveway, c/a, & 1.5 baths. 1200 sq ft!(F26448)
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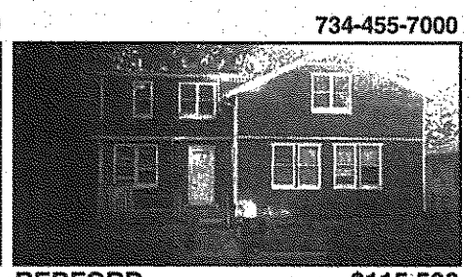

REDFORD **$115,500**
SPACIOUS 4 BR COLONIAL Hardwood floors, open fl plan, new roof, 2 car garage/work shop, some TLC needed, Clarenceville schools.(S20019)
PC 070462 **734-591-9200**

FERNDALE **$109,900**
CHARMING BUNGALOW w/open floor plan. Great kitchen with beautiful cabinets, refinished laundry room with lots of storage. Freshly painted in 2001. Motivated sellers!(60GRA2)
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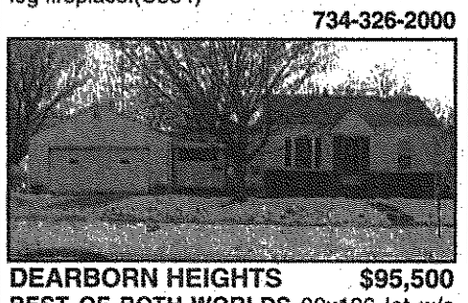

DEARBORN HEIGHTS **$95,500**
BEST OF BOTH WORLDS 80x136 lot w/a 15x22 covered patio, 2.5 car attached garage w/door opener. Newer windows & furnace that is prepped for air. Plenty of room to start then expand.(C565)
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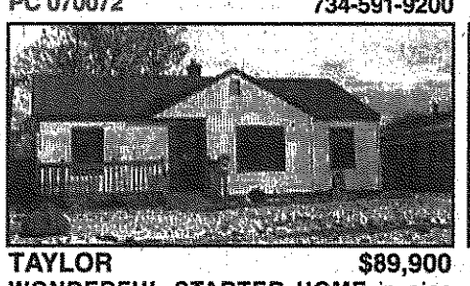
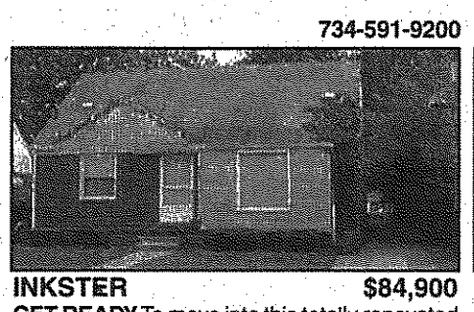
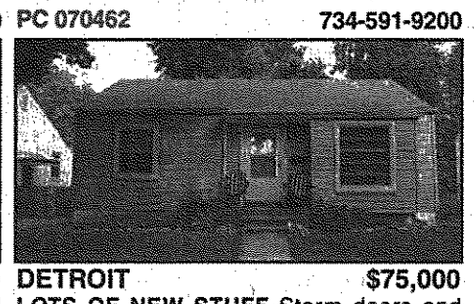


TAYLOR **$89,900**
WONDERFUL STARTER HOME in nice neighborhood! Lots of updates: cabinets in kitchen, hardwood floors, completely updated bathroom w/jacuzzi tub,5 ceiling fans, large back yard w/patio.(D584)
PC 220042 **734-326-2000**



INKSTER **$84,900**
GET READY To move into this totally renovated home. New kitchen & bath, windows throughout including glass block in bsmt, new carpet and fresh paint, steel entry doors.(W262)
PC 220392 **734-326-2000**



DETROIT **$75,000**
LOTS OF NEW STUFF Storm doors and screens, glass block in basement windows, all flooring, kitchen. Large living room and master bedroom. City inspection ordered.(W166)
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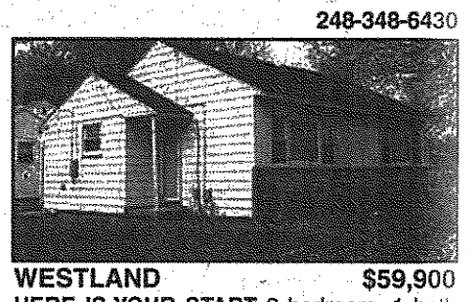

WESTLAND **$59,900**
HERE IS YOUR START 2 bedroom, 1 bath ranch on nice corner lot. Central air, furnace, wondows, hot water heater all updated for you. Make it your own.(R319)
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NORTHVILLE
WONDERFUL 2-STORY 3 BR, downtown Northville Condo! Open floor plan with GR, dining room & library. Finished daylight lower level!(10STL2)
$319,980 **248-348-6430**

FARMINGTON HILLS
UNIQUE & CHARMING! 3 BR ranch on the blvd. This home features lg FR, updated kit and baths, newer wndws & carpet, 2 furnaces; LR has natural FP, neutral decor. 80x360 corner lot.(O25535)
$179,900 **PC 070352** **734-591-9200**

CANTON
BEAUTIFULLY MAINTAINED RANCH in Holiday Park sub. 3 BR, 1.5 baths, FR w/natural FP, covered patio, partially finished basement, 2.5 car garage. Hurry - won't last long! (O8224)
$179,900 **734-591-9200**

DEARBORN HEIGHTS
MOVE RIGHT INTO THIS SHARP RANCH! Updates incl: windows, AC & furn '96, patio '98, roof '99, kit counter/interior painting '01. Fin bsmt & 2-car garage! Wonderful area!(82WHI2)
$139,900 **248-348-6430**

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375 Mobile Homes

PATRIOT, 1995 - 14 x 60, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, appliances. $17,900. (248) 474-2131 Flamingo MHC, lot #H27.

WESTLAND - 14x60 - 2 bedroom mobile home, $11,500. Good condition, 734-421-1572

WESTLAND - 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, large kitchen & living room, 8x10 front porch. C/A, appliances. $14,000 734-728-9538

377 Lakefront Property

ABANDONED WATERFRONT FARM $29,900!

Secluded acreage with hard bottom trout stream, wooded building site, road and electric. 8-8 Daily, Loon Lake Realty, TOLL FREE: 888-805-5320 www.loonlakerealty.com

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378 Lake/River Resort Property

BELLAIRE
1920'S stone farmhouse on 10 acres, updated with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, stone garage and 1800's barn. lakeview. $349,000.

167 acres of prime hunting and fishing with Cedar River frontage. $360,000.

2 acres on Green River Trout Stream with 4 bedroom Ranch. $159,500.

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379 Northern Property

GAYLORD OTSEGO lakefront 2-story house for sale. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, heated garage, $330,000. (248) 628-9451

HOUGHTON LAKE RV Village condo, like new park model w/full size edition on 2 lots you own. Furnished, fireplace, CA, community building w/heated pool. $58,900. 248-681-9146

380 Resort/Vacation Property

HARBOR SPRINGS
Luxury defined - new, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath condo overlooking Lake Michigan. Breathtaking views from Great Room, Front Porch, Master Bedroom. Very private association in residential neighborhood 1 blk from town. Beach in front and full 2 car garage per residence. Shown by appt: 513-236-3416 Harbor View Development LLC

381 Southern Property

EAST TENNESSEE
125 ft. on beautiful Tellico Lake. Large deep water lot, great fishing, fabulous view gentle slope to water, great climate. New construction brick and vinyl home maintenance free, 2620 sq.ft. living space, 3-bedroom, 3 bath, living room, dining, kitchen, custom cabinets & granite tops, large activity room, office, porches, decks, patio, 3-car garage & work shop and lots of amenities. Priced to sell - $359,000. (865) 856-3669. By owner.

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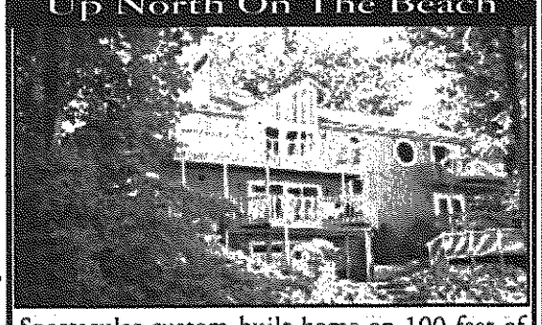
Up North On The Beach



Spectacular custom built home on 100 feet of sandy West Grand Traverse Bay frontage. 5 bedrooms, 5 baths, 4 fireplaces, 2 kitchens, extensive decks, sauna, wine cellar, and many more amenities. **$799,000.**

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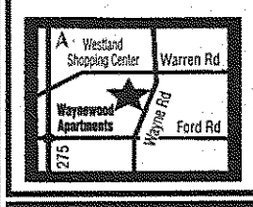

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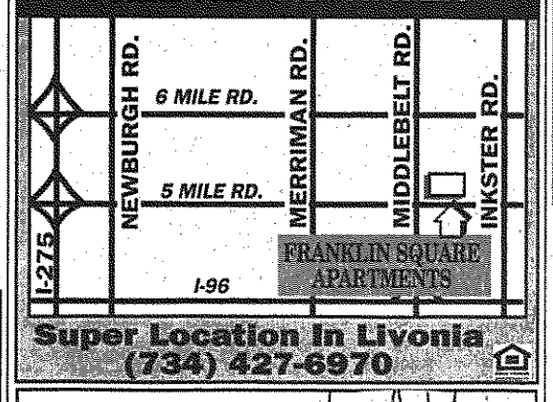

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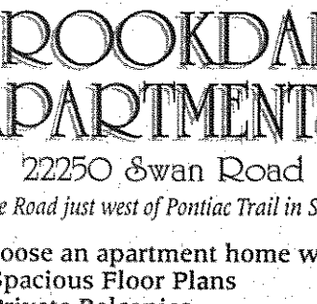

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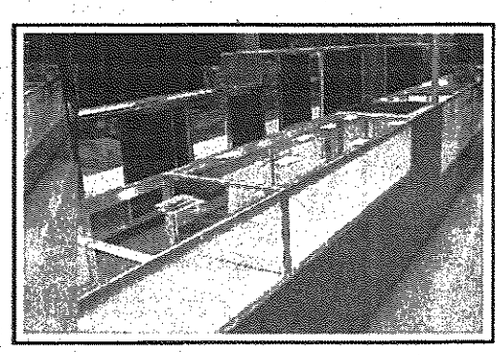

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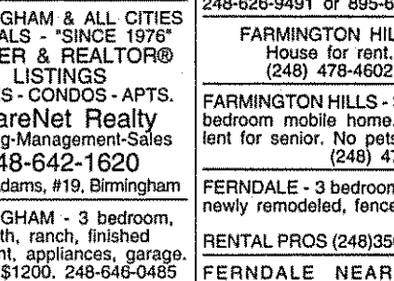

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For further information call 313-255-6295

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500 Help Wanted General

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500 Help Wanted General

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PAYROLL SUPERVISOR
Village Green Company, the Midwest's leading developer, builder & manager of luxury apartment communities is seeking a self-motivated Payroll Supervisor. The ideal candidate will be highly skilled in Payroll Processing and Tax Reporting.

Successful candidate will act as a liaison between the Payroll Department and our communities. Must have a working knowledge/experience with garnishments, taxes, and current in Department of Labor Laws regarding payroll. He/she will be responsible for reconciling payroll tax wages and posting to the General Ledger on a monthly basis. Responsibilities also include quarterly taxes and year-end processing including Form W-2 and annual reconciliations. To ensure payroll system functionality, excellent Ceridian skills are required, as well as a basic understanding of report writing tool.

REQUIREMENTS:
- Prior Supervisor/Manager experience required.
- Strong analytical skills, ability to independently research resolve problems, excellent communication skills both written & oral.
- Strong interpersonal skills.
- Ability to negotiate and resolve issues while being a team player.
- Strong Microsoft/Excel ability.
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Lsimpers@villagegreen.com
Phone: 248-932-2717
Fax 248-538-2717

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500 Help Wanted General

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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Livonia, MI 48150

Accounting Assistant
A Westland based co. is seeking an Accounting Assistant with 1-2 years of financial accounting experience. Accounts payable, data entry of sales & various internet functions. Excel & Word skills a must. Quickbooks experience helpful. Please fax resume to: 734-728-4475, or mail to: Easy Rust LLC., 6132 Executive Drive, Westland, MI 48185 or email to: mcles19@hotmail.com Attn Leslie. No phone calls please. Benefits include health, 401K, disability plan, & paid vacations.

ACCOUNTING CLERK
w/accounts receivable exp. Excellent pay & benefits. Send resume to Meadowbrook Country Club, Attn: Controller, 40941 W. 8 Mile Rd., Northville, MI 48167, Fax: 248-349-0086

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Part time, for Farmington office. Strong communication skills, computer knowledge, flexible hours. Fax resume to: 248-478-6437, or email: tonih@ameritech.net

502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE CLERK
Full Time for Accounts Payable Department. Duties include daily check runs, invoice entry, monthly closing and balancing of accounts payable. Qualified person must be able to handle multiple task, communication skills - both verbal and written.
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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
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Commercial/Industrial HVAC company in W. Dearborn seeking a full-time associate. Must be proficient in Microsoft office. A/R & A/P experience a plus. Call Philly between 9am-noon. 313-277-9098

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Permanent, part-time position in Plymouth. 20-25 hours week Opportunity for advancement for a professional individual with computer skills. E-mail resume to Louis Wright at louiswright.com

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Full time for busy Birmingham office. Computer knowledge helpful. Benefits. Send resume to: P.O. Box 1300, Birmingham, MI 48012-1300.

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Multi-employer benefit plan is seeking an individual to handle accounting operations and pension plan administration. Successful applicant should be a self starter and possess the following: * Strong accounting or pension administration background * Motivation and enthusiasm * Proven math and analytical skills * Proven organizational skills * Strong personal computer skills * College level and/or professional industry education preferred. Competitive salary and excellent benefit package. Please fax or email resume to Steven Greene at: (313) 532-7306 sgreene547@aol.com

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Fast paced sports & entertainment co. seeks an enthusiastic & dependable team player as a full-time administrative assistant to the company president. Exc. written & oral communication skills necessary. Requires professionalism in answering phones, customer relations & clerical responsibilities. Strong organizational skills, computer knowledge & ability to handle multi tasks required. Knowledge/interest in sports (especially hockey) a plus, but not required.
Send resume to:
Human Resources, Suburban Sports & Entertainment
23995 Freeway Park Dr.
Farmington Hills, MI 48335
Fax: 248-478-1601 or e-mail: jjohnson@suburbanhockey.com

SCHEDULING ASSISTANT
Southfield company needs experienced production and scheduling assistant. Must have good communication skills with customers and workers, computer skills using Microsoft and Act and be able to provide leadership in maintaining scheduling goals. Career opportunity with benefits for right candidate. Fax resume with compensation history to: 248-684-1612

ASSISTANT MANAGER
with BOOKKEEPING experience for American House Senior Living Residence in Wayne & Oakland County. Salary & benefits open. Great growth opportunity. Please contact Rachel Guilford at 313-278-6430

BOOKKEEPER
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BOOKKEEPER
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BOOKKEEPER - Part-time, for womens wear store located in W. Bloomfield. Quick Books Pro. Experience required. Flexible hours. Call (248) 487-4001 10-5:30pm.

CLERICAL/FILE CLERK/ RECEPTIONIST
for Livonia Medical office. Office exp. preferred. Part or full time. Call: 734-953-8874

CLERICAL - Southfield co. needs full or part time person for order entry, customer service. Fax resume 248-354-5197

CLERK
Oakland County law firm seeks full time clerk to do filing and general office duties. Personal vehicle required. Excellent benefits. Fax resume to: (219) 794-1892

502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

CUSTOMER SERVICE
Garden City Insurance agency is seeking a friendly team player w/ good communication and computer skills. Part time. Fax resume to: 734-425-8304

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY
for law firm specializing in P.I./Med-Mal plaintiff. Must have 3-5 years experience. Substantial salary & fringes.
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FRONT DESK
Growing Health Care office in Rochester Hills is in search of an energetic, motivated & multi-tasked front desk person, Computer skills or exp. required. Fax resume to 248-299-5740

GENERAL OFFICE
For Southfield non-profit organization. Tasks: phones, computers, etc. looking for reliable team player with good computer skills and basic office skills. references required. Salary and hours flexible.
Fax Resume 248-350-9928

GENERAL OFFICE HELP
1 person office. for Orion area Monday-Friday 9-5. Call (810) 758-5900

LEGAL SECRETARY
For Southfield Plaintiff PI law firm. Great opportunity for candidate with medical malpractice litigation experience. Includes complete benefit package. Call Darlene Kreish at (248) 351-2200.

LEGAL SECRETARY
full-time position immediately available in Southfield law firm. Candidate must be hard-working, professional, organized, and possess at least 2 years experience. Competitive salary and benefits commensurate with experience. Contact Sharee at (248) 355-3084

LEGAL SECRETARY
Livonia law firm seeks full time secretary. WordPerfect/HotDocs and high volume litigation exp. preferred. Send resume w/ salary requirements to:
33300 Five Mile Rd., Ste 210, Livonia, MI 48154
Attn: Judy
Or Fax: (734)422-0461

LEGAL SECRETARY
Permanent part time position in Royal Oak. 20-25/hrs per week. Legal Exp. & excellent customer service & computer skills required. 248-545-1010 Or fax resume to: 248-545-4340

MAINTENANCE PERSON
Full time afternoons, exp. required, full benefits. Apply Holy Family Catholic Church, 24505 Meadowbrook btw. Grand River/10 Mi., Novi. 248-349-8847 or Fax resume to 248-349-3711

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OFFICE CLERICAL
Part-time position open. Up to 35 hours per week. Claims office. Benefits include paid vacation, medical, dental, 401(k) option. Fax or mail resume to: Horace Mann Insurance Co. (248) 427-9726, Attn: R. Zemba, 29200 Vassar Rd., Suite 110, Livonia, MI 48152.

OFFICE MANAGER
Automotive retail company looking for a take-charge, goal oriented individual. Must have accounting background & be people oriented. Call Schreiber & Co. 313-388-0300

OFF-SITE TYPIST
80 wpm *Forward resumes to 36135 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 (Attn: Office Manager)

PARALEGAL / LEGAL ASSISTANT
Needed for busy Farmington Hills Insurance Defense law firm. Must have knowledge of Microsoft Word and type 70 wpm. Excellent benefits. Please fax resume to (219) 794-1892

PEAL ESTATE FINANCIAL
Service Company needs Administrative Assistant. Experience necessary. Send resume to: St. James Capital LLC. 300 Park St. Suite 385 Birmingham, MI 48009

Receptionist/ Administrative Support
Fast-paced company seeks experienced/dependable team player that is professional & self-motivated! Must be organized & handle multiple tasks. First-rate speaking skills, customer contact, strong work ethic & good attendance. Computer skills required, including but not limited to all general administrative/office work. Great wage/benefit package! Career individuals reply: HR, 24800 Drake Road, Farmington Hills, MI 48335. Fax: 248-478-1310

RECEPTIONIST
Answering phones, light clerical duties. Rock Shoppe, Plymouth. 734-455-5560

RECEPTIONIST / CLERICAL
Seeking dependable, hard working person with good, clear speech for multi-line telephones and various clerical tasks. Good wage with benefits. Send resume to: Ms. Glass
Specs Howard School
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Southfield, MI 48075
Fax: 248-746-9772
No phone calls please. OEO

RECEPTIONIST
Needed for fast-paced Farmington Hills law firm. Full time position. Benefits. Please fax resumes to: 248-478-4661

502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

RECEPTIONIST
Come join us at Snyder, Kinney, Bennett, & Keating. Weekend hours available. Must have pleasant phone voice, typing, & filing. Please call Nancy (248) 644-7000.

RECEPTIONIST
DOWNTOWN plymouth office is seeking receptionist must have good phone skills as well as typing and computer skills. Please call (734) 455-8120

RECEPTIONIST
Full time, excellent benefits, competitive salary. Answer phones, light clerical duties including Word Processing. Computer skills required. Livonia area. We are an EOE. m/f/d/v. Send resumes to: GZA, 38019 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI, 48150. No phone calls.

RECEPTIONIST
Livonia area home improvement co. seeks outgoing, friendly individual to answer incoming phone calls & schedule customer appts. Professional phone manners are essential, as well as basic knowledge of data entry & Microsoft products. This is a full-time position with benefits. Please mail resume to:
Champion Windows
31391 Industrial Rd.
Livonia, MI 48150
or Fax 734-427-6564
No phone calls please.

RECEPTIONIST
Real Estate Office in West Bloomfield. Benefits.
(248) 865-6900

RECEPTIONIST/ SECRETARY
Mature, dependable person to work part-time evenings and weekends. Must be available to train during the day. Please call Mon-Fri 9-4. (734) 425-9200.

RECEPTIONIST
2 days a week for Dr's. office in Livonia. Must type. Retirees welcomed. Call: (734) 953-6090

SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST FOR fast growing Marina. Computer skills & using a multi-line phone system a must. Apply at Wonderland Marine West, 5796 E. Grand River, Howell.
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WANTED: SECRETARY/ LEGAL ASSISTANT
to work in busy, two attorney Farmington Hills law firm, dealing w/ PI plaintiff, probate and general business litigation. Must be familiar w/ court filing procedures. Salary commensurate w/ experience. Fax resume (248) 932-1112

504 Help Wanted-Dental

ADDITIONAL STAFF needed for progressive modern dental office
- Dental Hygienist
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DENTAL ASSISTANT
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DENTAL ASSISTANT
Downtown Plymouth dental office. Looking for an energetic, friendly team player. Experience preferred but not necessary. (734) 453-1190

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Dynamic Hi-TECH practice in Southfield is searching for a self-motivated, energetic Assistant to add to our ever-growing team. Enjoy the merriment & fun-filled work atmosphere - must have expanded duties, great benefit package. Call Laura, Mon-Thur. 248-354-1555

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DENTAL ASSISTANT
Full time/part time.
Prefers experience but, will train right person. Livonia/Northville area. Call (734) 464-4497 or Fax (734) 464-0121

DENTAL ASSISTANT NEEDED
Monday, Wednesday & Friday in Southfield specialty practice call Stephanie at (248) 552-1195

DENTAL ASSISTANT
For Livonia periodontal office. Full-time, weekdays only. Exp. preferred. Benefits included. Call Karen 734-522-7313

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Our Livonia practice is looking for an experienced dental assistant to join our dental team, full time. Great benefits, good pay & hours. If interested, please call Julia at 734-427-2387 or fax your resume to 734-427-1766.

DENTAL ASSISTANT
4 days in Farmington Hills. No Sats. 10 Mile & Orchard Lake. 248-477-0208

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Family practice seeking enthusiastic, experienced dental assistant to join our team. Mon-Thurs., 8-5:30; 1 half Sat. per mo., 8-Noon. Benefits, bonuses. 734-425-9130

504 Help Wanted-Dental

DENTAL ASSISTANT/ HYGIENIST
Looking for experienced individual. Competitive wages and benefits offered.
Call: 248-569-0675
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DENTAL ASSISTANT
Full time for speciality practice. Exc. benefits & competitive wages. Seeking highly motivated individual. No phone calls, please. Send resume & cover letter to: Administrator, Michigan Oral Surgeons, 3150 Packard Rd. Ypsilanti, MI 48197.

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DENTAL HYGIENIST
Red Wing Team Dentist seeking dedicated hygienists with a positive attitude. Those interested in joining our growing staff in a newly remodeled facility, call: (734) 591-3636.

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST
Full and Part time. Excellent pay, flexible hours, previous exp. preferred. Apply at: Universal Dental Center, Universal Mall (586) 574-2620

FRONT DESK
Dental office seeking reliable, customer oriented individual. Full time, minimum one year experience for answering phones, appt. scheduling, misc. clerical. Dental knowledge helpful. Call: (734) 981-5455

FRONT DESK - GREAT Office & staff! Full-time. Dental experience & computer knowledge a must! Livonia. 248-380-5130

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HYGIENE ASSISTANT
Full time position open in Canton office for team-oriented, caring person searching for a meaningful opportunity to grow. Previous dental experience not essential, good customer service skills a must. Competitive salary/benefits. 734-981-5455 for appointment.

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WE ARE SEARCHING FOR a "Patient Loving" DENTAL ASSISTANT who has a gentle touch and would enjoy working in a busy, progressive dental practice. Experience necessary.
4 days per week. Full benefits. Call 248-651-8491 M-F 9-3pm

506 Help Wanted-Medical

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE
Medical equipment company has two full/part time positions available for accounts receivable/Medicare rejection. Experience helpful, will train. Fax or mail resume to: Metro Medical, 12985 Wayne Road, Livonia, MI 48150. Fax: 734-522-9380

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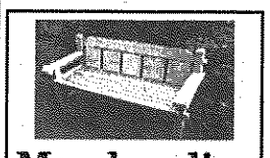

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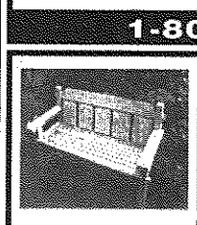

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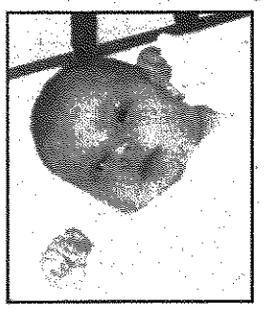

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ANTIQUES: Wooden butter churn, porcelain top work table, old kitchenware, tin dollhouse/ furniture, doll clothes incl. labelled Barbies, 1950-60 toys, 2 Technofix toys in box, Heavy Hauler train set by Real Life (M.I.B.), old linens, WWI GERMAN helmets, bayonets, belt/buckle, paper, misc., WWI US items, Prussian infantry officer's sword.
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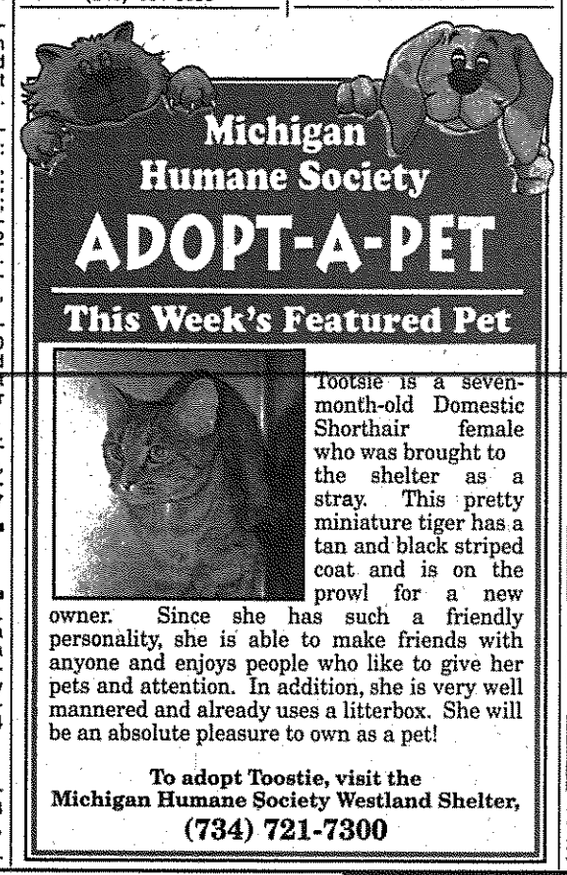

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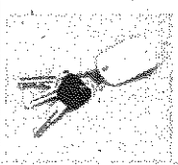

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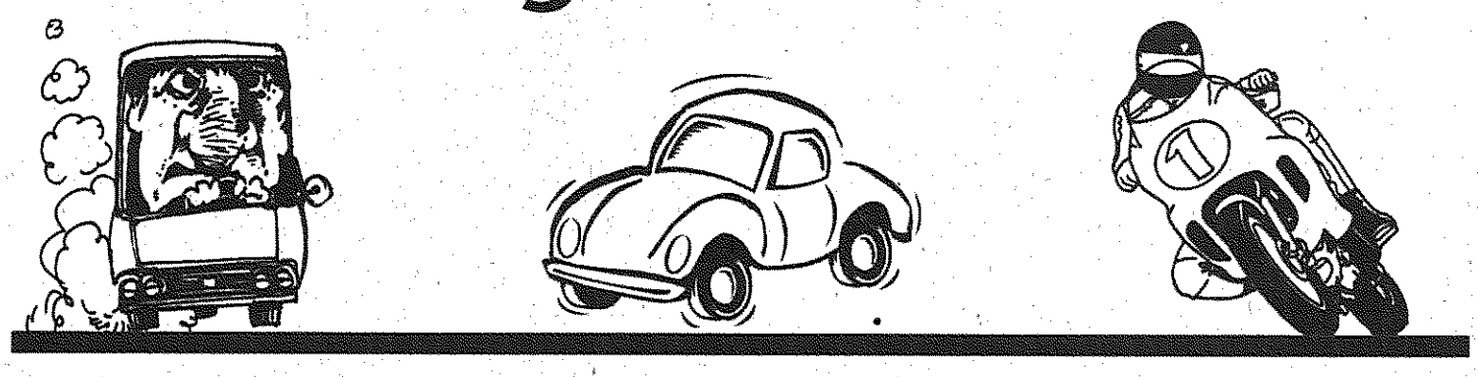

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Sweet, attractive, single white female, never married, 39, 5'6", slender, brown hair, hazel eyes, seeks sincere single white male, 30 to 42, never married, likes to laugh, dine out, dance and go for picnics. BOX 12854

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Petite, 5'1", attractive, white professional divorced mom. Enjoys working out daily, good conversation, music, sports, and is an optimist. Looking for a professional (college degreed), divorced, white male, 40 TO 55, physically fit/active, tall, no beard or mustache, good sense of humor, non-smoker, Oakland County BOX 36068

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Seek single white male, 26 to 48, for a passionate friendship, something casual, possible serious relationship later. You must be a non-smoker, employed, have transportation, easy going. I am curvy but full figured 36 yr old white female, 5'3". BOX 12794

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Late 50's, divorced white female, weight proportionate, Christian, attractive, intelligent, non-smoker, non-drinker, enjoys cooking, old music, some travel and laughter. Looking for a traditional, professional white male, 55-65, for friendship and more. BOX 12810

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29 yrs old, 5'5", 129 lb outgoing female, teach grade school, working on masters degree, enjoy running, new to golf, like family and friends. Looking for a man at least 5'9", 29-35, who is athletic, kind, honest and enjoys having fun. BOX 12877

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34 yr old female, long brown hair, 5'2", nice hourglass figure, attractive, intelligent, college grad, work in the medical field, no children, non-smoker, likes a glass of wine. Looking for a single male, 35-45, like law enforcement or fire fighter, attractive, medium to large build, humorous and honest. BOX 14259

UNCHAIN MY HEART
5'3", 125 lbs, single female, caring, thoughtful, hard-working with long hair, day shift blue collar worker, non-smoker, no children, homeowner, not into games. Looking for a man, over 40, who sincerely wants someone in their life and has the time for the relationship. BOX 14312

ENHANCE MY LIFE
Single mom, 37, 5'2", with short blond hair and green eyes. Looking for a single white male, 34 to 42, who's looking for a serious relationship. Enjoys horse back riding, nature, cuddling, working out, cooking, music and more. BOX 27360

TIRED OF GAMES
Attractive, divorced white female, 51, 5'4", long reddish hair, smoker. Seeking gentleman, 45 to 65, with a sense of humor for dinner (home cooked), movies, quality time and fun relationship. Oakland County. BOX 36013

NO GAMES
Single white female, 27, in search of a single white male, 29-39, financially, emotionally secure, family oriented, enjoys a wide variety of interests, like music, being by the water, reading, for friendship, possible relationship. Wayne County BOX 26997

GEMINI GIRL
Single white female, 47, slender, blonde hair, hazel eyes, enjoys golf, swimming, boating, people. Looking for a single white male, 42-53, who's genuine, down to earth, stable, for dating, possible long term relationship. Wayne County. BOX 35938

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Single white female, 48, 5'6", auburn/brown, seeking single white male, 35 plus, who is outgoing, enjoys life and optimistic about the future. Summer is here, let's get together. BOX 36035

MORE THAN WORDS
5'3", medium built, white, divorced, blonde, 45 yrs old female. Seeking a good looking white male 5'8" or taller, ages 43 to 49, for long term relationship. If you can rock my world - call me. BOX 12645

MOTOWN GAL
...Looking for a kind, sincere, single or divorced male, 48 to 60, non-smoker, for long-term, monogamous relationship. I am 51 yr old divorced female. I love Motown music and classic cars. I believe in romance and enjoy simple pleasures. Down River area. BOX 14471

ROMANTIC FEMALE
Single beautiful black female, 46, medium build, enjoys dining out travelling and movies. Seeking male with similar interest, race unimportant for dating and possible relationship. Wayne County. BOX 26981

NEW BEGINNINGS
Single white female 47, 5'4", 176 lbs, never married, 3 grown children, who enjoys candlelight dinners, movies, homebody, seeking black male 49 to 52, for dating and possible relationship. Wayne county BOX 27024

LOVELY BUT LONELY
Tall, slender, attractive, romantic, fun lady seeks honest, loyal, romantic, flexible gentleman, that's 55 plus, over 5'10", and fun to be with. Let's start as friends first. Oakland County BOX 27034

OAKLAND COUNTY GAL
Divorced female, grown children, long red hair, attractive, 51, nurse, smoker, 5'4", 155 lbs. Not into sports or mind games. Seeks honest male that I can have a relationship with. BOX 32503

ARE YOU THE ONE?
Single black female, 29, looking for a white or Hispanic male who's financially stable, well educated and looking to have fun. BOX 32518

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Petite, divorced, white female, seeks honest and secure, single, white male, 49-55, who likes to laugh and have fun, for friendship, possible long term relationship. Dearborn area. Wayne County BOX 35950

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On earth is the heart of this friendly white widowed female, 63, seeking friendship in a male 60 to 70, non-smoker. Let's get together and see if we enjoy each others company. Oakland County. BOX 35991

FIRST TIME AD
Educated, well traveled, loving professional single female, 5'2", medium build, non-smoker. Enjoys conversation, music, travel, quiet times, and theater. Seeking refined gentleman, 60-70, for friendship first. Oakland county. BOX 35999

LADY WITH PIZZAZ
Eclectic, attractive, slender, fun, romantic lady, enjoys golf, tennis, boating, dancing and more. Seeking special, fun gentleman, 59 plus, over 5'10", non-smoker, honest and loyal. BOX 36009

ONE IN A MILLION
Novi, very attractive, white female, 5'4", young looking 50, great shape. Seeks good looking 46 to 55 single white male with no dependents, honest, easygoing, non smoker, emotionally/financially secure, friendship/possible relationship. BOX 36031

CELEBRATE LIFE
Sympathetic, yet alluring, single white female that promotes understanding and meaningful communication seeks pleasant, good-natured single white male, tall, height/weight proportionate, 43 to 57, to interact with. Oakland County. BOX 36041

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Creativity and chemistry a must. White female, compassionate, curvy, looking for someone to have fun with white professional, 46 to 56, non-smoker, no drugs, love animals, water, boating, exercise, cooking, spiritual. Oakland County BOX 36051

LET'S SEE A MOVIE
33 yr old, single white female blonde hair, blue eyes, 5'8", non-smoker, who enjoys working out, movies etc. Seeking 29-39, single white male to spend time with. Wayne county BOX 36099

SOMETHING IN COMMON?
Sweet and sassy, red head, in my mid 60's, 5'1", 148 lbs, good health, active, would like to meet a white male, 65 or over, who enjoys fishing, boating, going up north, casinos and comedy clubs. Let me know if we have something in common! BOX 10874

GENUINE ONE FOR YOU
Attractive, honest, sincere, divorced, white professional female, 45, looks 35, 5'9", 140 lbs, fit, optimistic, well educated, affectionate, easygoing. Enjoys good conversation, good life, family, travel. Seeks white professional male, 38 to 55, fit, attractive, successful, values, romantic. BOX 12292

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Tall, attractive, single white male, 42, fit, athletic, animal lover, secure, homeowner. Seeking white female, fit, 30-45, with similar qualities. BOX 12943

LET'S TALK SOON
Divorced professional white male, late 40s, 5'10", 195 lbs, seek a young lady who likes music, dancing, dinner, finer things or basic things, that is compatible, pleasant, easy going, conversant, knowledgeable. Thanks. BOX 12949

THANKS FOR YOUR TIME
6', 200 lbs, black male, easy going, down to earth, enjoy people, dining out, quality time, sense of humor, good conversation. I am interested in a single white female, attractive and with a beautiful heart. BOX 12971

NO REGRETS
Single white male, 47, attractive, good sense of humor, very lonely, seeking a shapely good looking white female in her early 40s. You won't be sorry you called. Medford area. BOX 14344

AIM HIGH
Single white male, 5'10", 180 lbs, short brown hair, green eyes, goatee, no children, professionally employed, financially secure, practice martial arts, like outdoors, dancing, horses. Race open - looking for female under 45 for friends first, maybe more. BOX 14360

TIRED OF BEING ALONE
Widowed and lonesome male, 5'9", 168 lbs, social drinker, smoker, healthy, gentle and giving. Enjoys camping, fishing, travel, walking, games and quiet times at home. Seeks well put together female, under 60, with a nice personality. BOX 12547

HAPPY, HONEST...
handsome, single white male, 41, enjoys fun, adventure, comedy, romance. Seeks lively lady 31-49 with smiles to spare, for friendship and companionship. BOX 32373

HANDSOME IRON WORKER
5'11" male with mustache, 180 lbs seeks female, 40 to 55, slender to average build who is interested in travel, dinners, movies, quiet times at home, casinos, boating and more. Call if interested. BOX 12370

TAKE IT FROM THERE
Girl! Single male 47, 165 lbs, 5'9", brown hair, seeking long term relationship with a lady in early 40's with a nice build and shape. I live in the Wayne County area and will call you back. BOX 10746

ITS YOUR MOVE
36 yrs of age, looking for a single white female, 30-35, I like movies, shooting pool, playing chess. BOX 12937

LOOKING FOR A GIRL
Single male 47, 5'9", 165 lbs, seek long-term relationship with shapely lady, in her early 40's. Wayne County area! BOX 11110

OUT ON A LIMB
Single male, 6'5", retired, financially secure, with dark hair, blue eyes, likes camping, fishing and more. Looking for a single female for a lasting relationship. No hung up on looks and no games! BOX 12904

FUN FOR YOU 2002
Attractive, single white male, 37, seeks single white female, 30 to 29, size and bad habits not important but good attitude is! BOX 12910

HERE'S THE DEAL
Attractive white male, 65, 5'8", 190 lbs, retired, blue jeans and T-shirt kind of guy. Looking for a white female with a good sense of humor, common sense, affectionate who wants companionship and fun. BOX 12934

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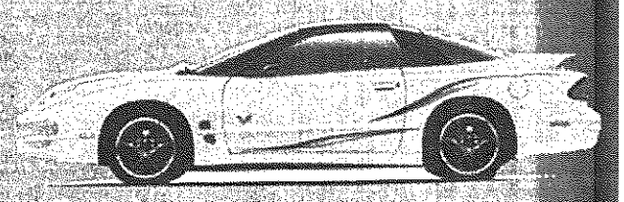

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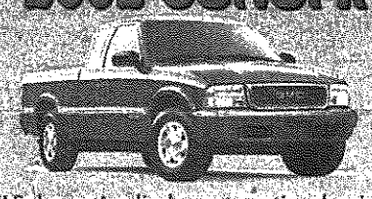

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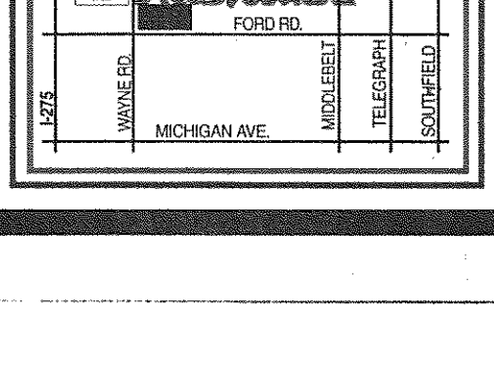

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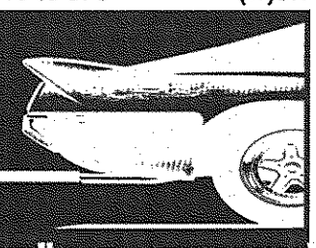

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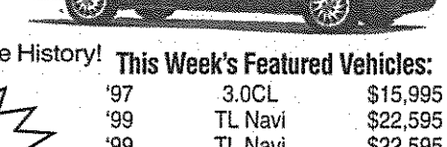

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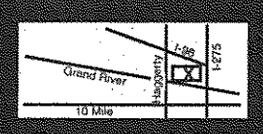

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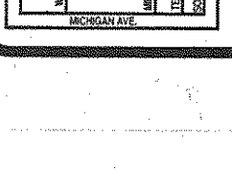

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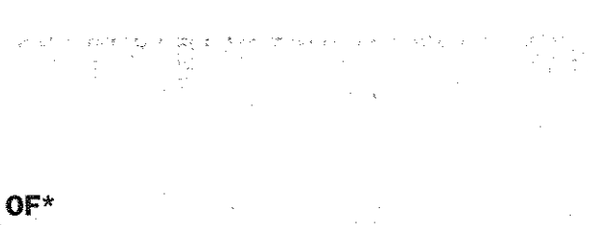

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Deep Wedgewood Blue C/C met. Dark green graphite cloth, XLT trim, 3.0L EFI V-6 eng., 5-spd. auto O/D trans., 3.73 Ratio limited slip axle, appear/Flareside regional pkg., flareside box, pwr equip. grp., pwr window/lock grp., remote keyless entry, AM/FM stereo/clk/dual media, air. *Stk. #22120*

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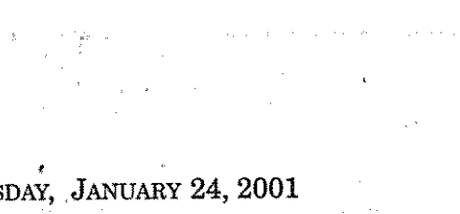
WAS $21,245 NOW $17,660*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$211.50** per mo.	$165.29** per mo.

2002 EXPLORER XLS



308 Explorers Available

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4X2 • 4 DOOR

Black CC, graphite cloth capt chairs, key standard equip.; P235/70R16 A/S OWL tires, air, CFC Free, radio, cass., wheels, full face steel, glass, privacy. Optional; 4.0L SOHC V-6 eng., 5-spd. auto O/D trans., 3.55 ratio reg. axle., Michelin tires. *Stock #22630*

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WAS $26,030 NOW $19,185*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$284.63** per mo.	$241.43** per mo.

2002 EXPLORER 4x2

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SPORT

Toreador red CC, dark graphite cloth cpt. chairs, order code 100A, 4.0L SOHC V-6 eng., 5-spd manual O/D trans. 3.73 ratio reg. axle, convenience grp; spd control/leather, tilt whl, puddle lamps, remote keyless entry w/keypad, cargo shade. *Stk. #21663*

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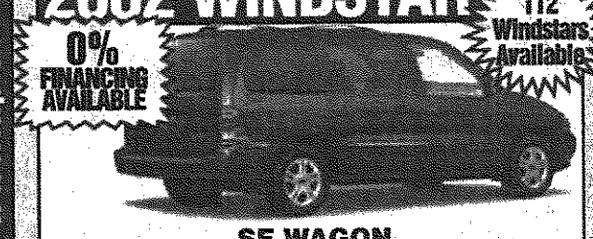
WAS $22,650 NOW $15,744*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$306.89** per mo.	$260.68** per mo.

2002 WINDSTAR



112 Windstars Available

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SE WAGON

Matador Red CC Met, medium Graphite cloth, 3.8L OHV EFI engine, 4 speed, auto O/D trans, 215/65R-16 BSW, much more. *Stk. #21936*

Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member

WAS $29,415 NOW $21,590.30*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$335.11** per mo.	$290.81** per mo.

2002 F-150 XLT

166 F-Series Available

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4x4 SUPERCAB

Black clearcoat, med. graphite, 40/60 split bench, pref. equip. pkg. 507A, XLT series, overhead console, AM/FM stereo/clock/single CD, air, 5.4L EFI V-8 eng., elec. 4-spd auto O/D, 3.55 ratio limited slip axle, regional 55R bonus discount, 6,500# GVWR pkg., elec. shift-4x4, trailer towing grp., Class III, Fx4 off rd. equip. grp. *Stk. #22178*

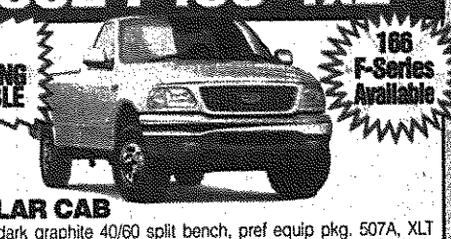
Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member

WAS $31,6640 NOW $21,871.50*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 24 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$364.65** per mo.	$296.63** per mo.

2002 F150 4x2



166 F-Series Available

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REGULAR CAB

Silver CC, dark graphite 40/60 split bench, pref equip pkg. 507A, XLT series, overhead console, air, 5-spd O/D trans, P255/70R-16 OWL A, 3.55 ratio limited slip axle, natl XLT equip grp 10, 6050# GVWR pkg., sliding rear window, 4-disc CD changer.. *Stk. #22620*

Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member

WAS $22,130 NOW $13,688.50*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 24 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$250.54** per mo.	$182.52** per mo.

2002 EXPEDITION

38 Expedition Available

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4X2 XLT

Arizona Beige CC metallic, medium parchment cloth,capt chairs, 4.6L EFI V-8 eng, prem elec AM/FM/Stereo/cass, privacy glass, XLT series, 4-speed auto trans, 3.55 ratio lim slip axle,comfort/conven group, 16" cast alum wheels, black power heated mirrors, aux heater/air, P255/70R-16OWL all-terrain, illum running boards, cloth cptns chrs/ console, third row seat, CD changer 6 (disc). *Stock #22967*

Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member

WAS $33,830 NOW $24,366.90*

★ Off-Lease Buy ★

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN
	$369.81** per mo.	$324.25** per mo.

MODEL	Down Payment	Total Due At Inception
RANGER SC	0 Down $1500	$423 $1964
WINDSTAR	0 Down $1500	$584 $2127
EXPLORER XLS	0 Down $1500	$501 $2045
F150 4X4	0 Down $1500	$616 $2133
TAURUS	0 Down $1500	$465 $2006
EXPEDITION	0 Down $1500	$621 $2162
EXPLORER SPORT	0 Down $1500	$554 $2095
F150 4x2	0 Down $1500	$495 $2012

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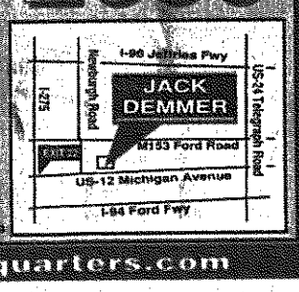

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2002 FIREBIRD

Air, 5-speed manual trans., 3.8 V-6 engine, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, AM/FM stereo w/CD, aluminum wheels. Stock #020013

SALE PRICE $16,595* | GM SALE PRICE $15,861*

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2002 GRAND AM GT

Power moonroof, air, auto. trans., 3.4 V-6 engine, power windows, locks, mirrors, tilt, cruise, AM/FM CD-cassette, chrome wheels, remote keyless entry. Stock #020347.

SALE PRICE $18,495* | GM SALE PRICE $17,693*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $259** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1759**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $236** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1736**

2002 GRAND PRIX SE SEDAN

Air, 4 speed auto. trans., tilt, power windows & locks, AM/FM cassette, 3.1 V-6 engine. Stock #020162

SALE PRICE $17,795* | GM SALE PRICE $17,046*

48 Mo. Smart Lease $249** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1749**

GM 48 Mo. Smart Lease $234** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1734**

2002 AZTEK

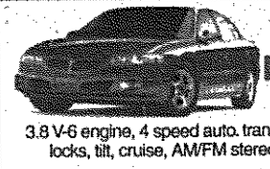
Air, auto. trans., power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, AM/FM stereo w/CD, remote keyless entry. Stock #020488

SALE PRICE $17,895* | GM SALE PRICE $17,108*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $299** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2124**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $274** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2074**

2002 BONNEVILLE SE



3.8 V-6 engine, 4 speed auto. trans., air, power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, AM/FM stereo CD. Stock #020420

SALE PRICE $21,995* | GM SALE PRICE $21,264*

48 Mo. Smart Lease $289** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1789**

GM 48 Mo. Smart Lease $269** mo. Due at Lease Signing $1770**

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2002 LESABRE CUSTOM

Automatic, air, tilt, cruise, power windows & locks, power seat, 3800 V-6, rear defogger & much more. Stock #INC.

SALE PRICE $20,361* | GM SALE PRICE $21,340*

2002 PARK AVENUE

1SE package, loaded including auto., air, heated seats, leather, On-Star system, AM/FM CD & cassette, gages, rear defogger, keyless entry & memory seats. Stock #023287. WAS $36,327

SALE PRICE $29,779* | GM SALE PRICE $31,199*

2002 CENTURY CUSTOM

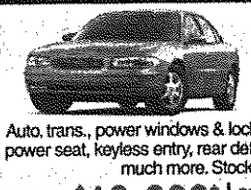
V-6 engine, automatic, air, tilt, power windows, power locks, rear defogger & much more. Stock #023084

SALE PRICE $17,299* | GM SALE PRICE $16,560*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $299** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2165**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $279** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2114**

2002 REGAL LS



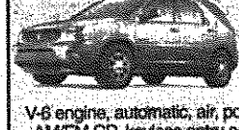
Auto. trans., power windows & locks, tilt, cruise, AM/FM CD, power seat, keyless entry, rear defogger, 3800 V-6 engine & much more. Stock #023253

SALE PRICE $19,999* | GM SALE PRICE $19,167*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $314** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2203**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $289** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2149**

2002 RENDEZVOUS CX



V-6 engine, automatic, air, power windows & locks,tilt, cruise, AM/FM CD, keyless entry and much more. Stock #023261

SALE PRICE $21,494* | GM SALE PRICE $20,491*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $273** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2109**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $243** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2052**

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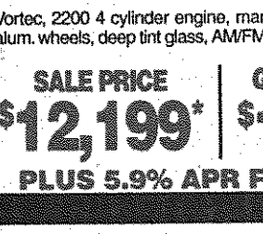
2002 SONOMA PICKUP



Vortec, 2200 4 cylinder engine, manual trans., air, tilt, cruise, alum. wheels, deep tint glass, AM/FM CD player. Stock #22105

SALE PRICE $12,199* | GM SALE PRICE $11,598*

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2001 SIERRA 1 TON 4X4 DUALLY EXT. CAB

Vortec 6000 V-8 engine, auto trans., air, tilt, cruise, locking diff., snow plow prep pkg., power windows/locks/mirrors/seats, HD trailer pkg. & much more. Stock #013144

SALE PRICE $28,595* | GM SALE PRICE $26,595*

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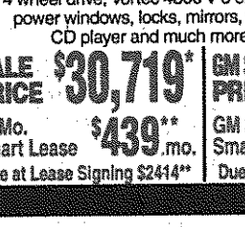
2002 YUKON



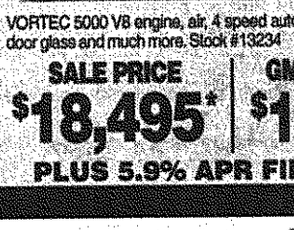
4 wheel drive, Vortec 4800 V-8 engine, air, auto. trans., power windows, locks, mirrors, tilt, cruise, AM/FM & CD player and much more. Stock #22357

SALE PRICE $30,719* | GM SALE PRICE $29,274*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $439** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2414**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $396** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2321**

2001 SAVANA CARGO VAN



VORTEC 5000 V8 engine, air, 4 speed auto trans, side & rear cargo door glass and much more. Stock #13234

SALE PRICE $18,495* | GM SALE PRICE $16,995*

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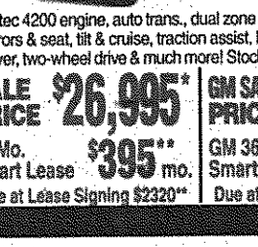
2002 ENVOY



Vortec 4200 engine, auto trans., dual zone A/C, pwr. windows, locks, mirrors & seat, tilt & cruise, traction assist, keyless entry, AM/FM CD player, two-wheel drive & much more! Stock #22239

SALE PRICE $26,995* | GM SALE PRICE $25,889*

36 Mo. Smart Lease $395** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2320**

GM 36 Mo. Smart Lease $358** mo. Due at Lease Signing $2258**

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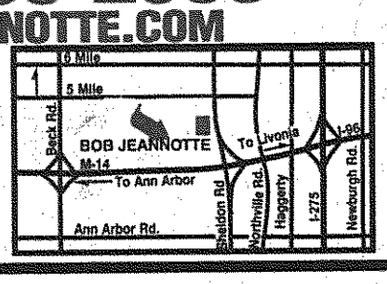

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