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■ Cheer club

The holiday season is here and so is the Plymouth-Canton Observer Cheer Club.

In fact, we're opening the club a week or so early this year because the need is always greater during tough times.

Please join us by bringing donations of new toys and canned or boxed food to our office at 794 S. Main in Plymouth during business hours.

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ed until Friday, Dec. 13, when we will turn them over to the good folks at the Salvation Army. They'll distribute the items to needy people in Plymouth, Canton and Northville.

When you bring your donations by our office, we'll ask you to leave your name and hometown. That's because we like to print donor names in the paper while the Cheer Club drive is on.

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Happy Holidays! Please keep our Cheer Club in mind.

■ Holiday closings

Canton Township offices will be closed Thanksgiving Day and the day after, Nov. 28 and 29. They will reopen with regular hours on Monday, Dec. 2.

The Canton Public Library will close at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 27, remain closed on Thanksgiving Day and will reopen with regular hours (9 a.m. to 6 p.m.) on Friday, Nov. 29.

Summit on the Park will be open on Thanksgiving Day from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. and will be closed the remainder of the day. It will be open on Friday, Nov. 29, with regular hours.

■ Sporty sale

If you're expecting a new set of golf clubs for Christmas, or maybe an exercise bike, you can make room for the new and get rid of your old sports stuff at Canton's annual Used Sports Equipment Sale.

The sale will take place 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7, at Diamond's Restaurant, next to the Softball Center at Victory Park on Michigan Avenue between Canton Center and Beck roads.

People wishing to sell items should bring them to Diamonds 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, to be priced and tagged. You don't have to be present at the sale. Just set the prices and Leisure Services staff members will do the rest.

Fifteen percent of the proceeds go to Leisure Services and the sellers keep the rest. Clothing items are limited to two per person.

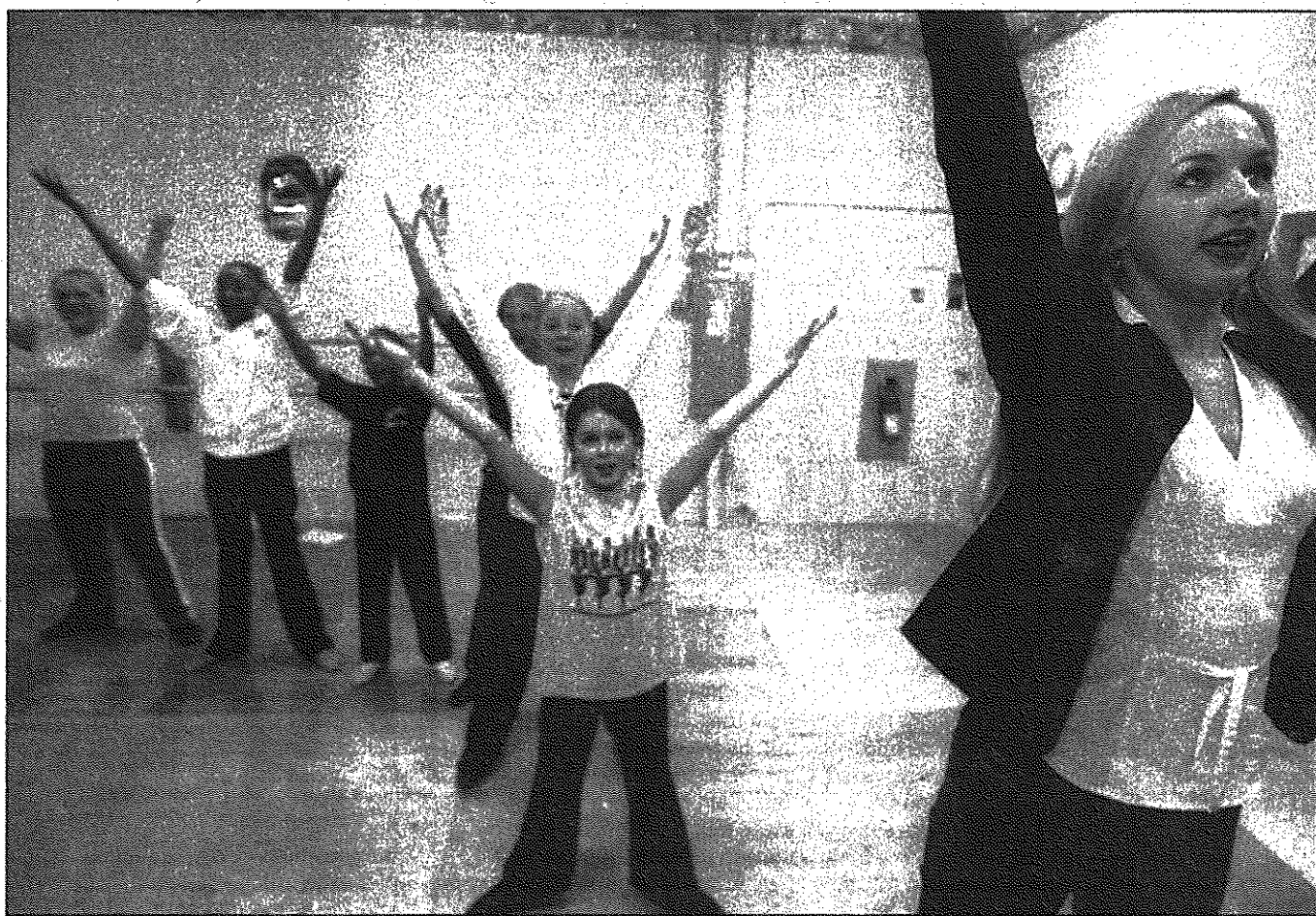
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Tumbling

Gymnastics can help children develop physical and mental skills. C6



PAUL HURSCHMANN | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Justine Blazer gives pointers to her performers during a rehearsal of Christmas carols at the Blazer dance studio in the Golden Gate Shopping Center on Lilley Road in Canton Wednesday for their upcoming area performances.

These 'Babes' just love the spotlight

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM
STAFF WRITER

One thing is for certain about Justine Blazer's song and dance class – if you're afraid of the spotlight, it's not for you.

Blazer, 19, inspired by spotlights directed toward Cedar Point stages last summer, decided to share her love of performing with young dancers. She formed "Blazer Babes" and named Blazer's Dance Studio, founded by her mother, Cindy. Her sister, Genevieve, teaches dance to toddlers.

All the "Blazer Babes" are at either an

intermediate or advanced level in their dance skills. They all take voice and dance lessons privately with her each week and rehearse together once a week, too. Their first performance was at the Plymouth Fall Festival. There, they donned tattered orphan clothes and sang "Hard Knock Life," from the Broadway musical "Annie."

The girls range in age from 7 to 15, and include a pair of sisters.

"They do get along very well," Blazer said. "You wouldn't even think age is an issue."

The girls began brushing up on their

holiday repertoire well before Halloween.

"The girls thought it was pretty strange working on the Christmas show in September," Blazer said. "Now, it feels right because it's so close."

Some of Blazer's students said they are beginning to feel the holiday spirit. Kristianna Mayo, a 10-year-old All Saints student, said she has recently begun to enjoy "The First Noel" more than she did previously.

"It's such a pretty song," Mayo said.

PLEASE SEE 'BABES', A11

Canton taking another look at massage parlors

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM
STAFF WRITER

Once upon a time, Canton officials thought that massage parlors were a bad thing – so they passed an ordinance that made them illegal.

Now, township attorneys are reviewing documents that may make massage establishments legal – if they are licensed and meet zoning criteria.

So-called "massage parlors" got a bad

rap years ago, because of their purported connection with prostitution activities, said Melissa McLaughlin, Canton trustee.

Instead of flat out saying "no" to all massage businesses, under the proposed ordinance, Canton would essentially say "Yes, but..."

"Massage parlors were once considered quasi-houses of ill repute," McLaughlin said. "Of course, you don't want things

PLEASE SEE PARLORS, A10

Unlocked cars invitation to thieves

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM
STAFF WRITER

An unlocked vehicle – especially one packed with valuables such as a cell phone, wallet, top-notch stereo equipment and CDs – is as good as an open invitation to thieves.

Keeping vehicles locked and parked in lighted driveways are two good ways to avoid finding valuable items missing, Canton Police Sgt. Charles Raycraft said.

"Most of our larcenies from automobiles are from unlocked cars. Sometimes people will walk down the street at 2 or

3 a.m. and just start checking doors – and taking whatever they can."

In addition to unlocked vehicle doors, unlocked garage and house doors also serve as an open invitation to thieves.

Some recent larcenies from unlocked vehicles and residences reported to police:

■ Home invasion, Wednesday, Nov. 20, 46000 block of Southwyck. Taken were a purse containing \$50, credit cards and a \$100 cellular phone. Entry reportedly gained through unlocked garage door.

PLEASE SEE THIEVES, A10



PAUL HURSCHMANN | OBSERVER

Kathryn Fedorko of Canton, 18, a Canton High School graduate, applies a wound to Jon Fostick of Canton, 12, during a stage makeup session. Regina Stone of Canton, 17, applies makeup to Allie Clark of Plymouth, 14, at left.

Students get day of drama

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

Courtney Sigworth wants someday to become a theater director because "I want to meet a lot of famous people and tell all my friends."

Sigworth, a 12-year-old West Middle School student from Plymouth, moved a bit closer to her dream after participating in the middle school Drama Day workshop put on by Canton High School drama teacher Shannon Henry.

"It was really fun, and helped me a lot," said Sigworth. "I'm thinking about performing in high school."

And that, said Henry, is a major reason she held the first-ever workshop at the Canton Little Theater.

"The workshop was an opportunity to develop more interest from middle school students in drama so when they get to high school they already know about it and will participate," she said.

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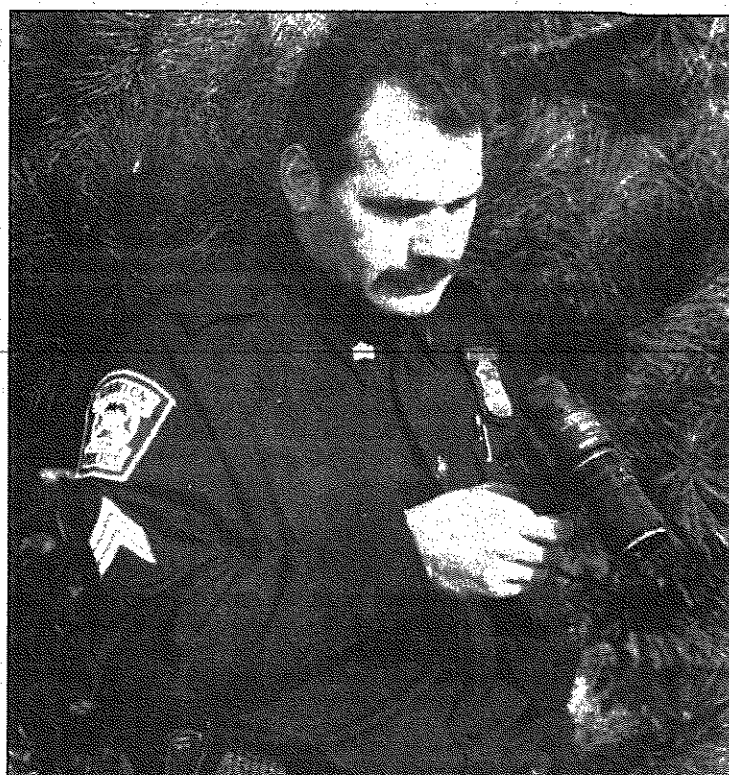
Drama queen
See how this Westland woman is taking the Park Players by storm, in Thursday's Observer.



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Canton Police Sgt. Dave Schreiner demonstrates the Krimesite Imager, a high-tech fingerprint locator recently purchased by the department.

BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

It may not be something you'd find in James Bond's tool kit, but Canton Police have added a high-tech gadget to their arsenal of crime-fighting equipment.

The "Krimesite Imager" is a high-tech fingerprint finder that eliminates the guesswork involved in dusting a crime scene with powder and trying to locate invisible prints.

"I first saw this thing when I was in charge of the evidence unit," said Police Lt. John MacDiarmid. "I said 'How can that be any good?' The guy came out and demonstrated it and it's pretty amazing. When you can stand across the room with a tripod and see 30 fingerprints on

the door, that's amazing."

He said that probably 90 percent of what is done at crime scenes is getting fingerprints and the hardest part is locating them.

The \$20,000 device works with the help of ultraviolet light. Sgt. Dave Schreiner said the UV light illuminates oils, salts and fats found in fingerprints, while the imager picks up the image.

"It's similar to looking through a nightscope or nightvision," he said.

A digital camera attaches to the back of the imager and gives police a chance to take a picture of the print immediately. Those pictures are considered valid forensic evidence, according to Schreiner.

MacDiarmid said two other

advantages of the imager are that it does not damage the print (as can happen with dusting powder) and it can locate prints on porous surfaces, something that didn't always work with the old system.

"A lot of countertops are just porous enough that print dust distorts the print," he said. "With this ultraviolet light, it just pops right out at you."

He said the fact that prints can be photographed immediately on the scene enables investigators to quickly send the print to the AFIS system, a bank of fingerprints submitted to the state after people are arrested and printed.

"You can take one fingerprint, put it into the system and it looks up and identifies the print," he said.

MacDiarmid said Canton is the first department in the area to have purchased the imager and has already assisted a couple of other departments in locating prints. He said Michigan State Police have the device, but he doesn't think it's in use.

The Krimesite Imager, which is manufactured by North Carolina-based Sirchie Inc., is currently used mainly at the federal level with the FBI, ATF and Justice Departments.

Schreiner thinks it will save Canton officers time and produce better results.

"It eliminates guesswork in trying to figure out where a print is," he said. "This will enhance our ability to find the print and use it as evidence."

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18-year-old arrested for drunk driving

An 18-year-old Livonia man was arrested for being a minor in possession of alcohol by consumption and for a second offense of operating under the influence of liquor at 3:02 a.m. Friday, Nov. 22, near Michigan and Hannan. A police report stated that police pulled him over for attempting to go the wrong way on Michigan. Sobriety tests were administered in addition to a Breathalyzer test, which showed a .22 level, exceeding Michigan's legal limit of .10.

BREAK-IN

Someone broke into a residence in the 8000 block of Honeycomb Thursday, Nov. 21, and removed a variety of firearms, a DVD player valued at \$200, a \$35 backpack, a \$150 camera and \$200 in change and \$2 bills. Entry was apparently gained by forcing open the front door.

WALLET STOLEN

Someone removed the cash and credit cards from a wallet

COP CALLS

at Come Little Children Day Care, 45050 Warren on Thursday, Nov. 21. The wallet's owner told police that the wallet had been moved to another room and that she discovered someone removed the contents.

EMBEZZLEMENT

Police are investigating the embezzlement of \$26,000 from Flagstar bank, 42200 Ford. A police report stated that a bank employee is being investigated for embezzling the money sometime before Tuesday, Nov. 19, then leaving a suicide/resignation letter and keys in the night deposit box.

SHOPLIFTING

■ Canton police responded to a shoplifting complaint Thursday, Nov. 21, at Home Depot, 39825 Ford, involving someone leaving the store with two chainsaws, valued at \$179 each. A store security officer said he saw a black

male in his 30s push the two chainsaws out to a vehicle in a cart. A license plate number was provided to police and the store is seeking prosecution.

■ A 17-year-old Oak Park female and an 18-year-old Canton woman were arrested for shoplifting at Kohl's, 44444 Ford, on Wednesday, Nov. 20. The Oak Park female was arrested for retail fraud, third offense and the Canton woman for a second offense of retail fraud. A store security officer said the two women went into a fitting room with several items of clothing and came out empty-handed with their coats zipped up. Various items of clothing and jewelry were reportedly concealed under their coats.

INDECENT EXPOSURE

A 25-year-old Toledo woman reported being approached by a man exposing his genitals Wednesday, Nov. 20, while using a drive-up pay phone at the Amoco gas station, 40401 Michigan. She told police that while she was stopped and using the phone,

she saw a man standing behind her car, then he approached her window and tried to get in her vehicle and look up her skirt. She reportedly told the man that she would call police and he left on foot. Police were unable to locate the suspect, described as being a 6-feet-4-inch tall, 240-pound white male in his 30s and wearing a Carhartt jacket and hat.

SCHOOL FIGHT

Two Canton females, both 17, were arrested Tuesday, Nov. 19, for assault and battery in connection with a school hallway fight at Canton High School. The victim, also 17, said that she did not remember all the details, but said that someone began grabbing at her face. A police report said that she suffered scratches to her face and a bump on her left forehead. Several witnesses provided accounts of the fight to police and to school security. An assistant principal handled the discipline of the students.

By Heather Needham

Firefighters complete training program

Four Canton Fire Department officers recently completed Eastern Michigan University's Fire Staff and Command School.

The 10-month-school, which began in January, focused on management of fire agencies, planning and decision analysis and fire personnel administration, among other areas. Fire Marshal Frank Barrett, Capt. Ken Arble and lieutenants Steve Berger and Dennis Draplin attended the school.

"The staff and command training will definitely help me in performing my job," said Barrett. "I picked up a lot of new skills."

Draplin agreed. "It was a good hands-on course," he said. "They put you in a lot of real-life situations." Students spent one week each month attending courses. Just like other students, firefighters had homework and a term paper to complete.

"My paper was on wellness and fitness in the fire service,"

said Arble, who's a marathon runner himself. "I focused on how firefighters have done in the past with their health, injuries and recovery. I also looked at what we can do to change, to be healthier, happier, live longer and perform better at work."

A good portion of the course focused on computer skills as a means of efficiency and communication. Students learned how to create and use digital presentations, for example.

"I learned a lot of new computer stuff," said Berger. "The instruction we received was very helpful."

Arble, who became a captain a year ago, enjoyed learning new management techniques.

"I am in charge of a shift of firefighters," he said, "so the interpersonal and organizational communications information that I received will help me influence and develop people I work with. It will help me understand what may motivate people and how to better lead and direct the workforce."

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DRAMA DAY

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"It also is a community outreach to introduce the kids to the high school park. It's large, and sometimes as freshmen they feel overwhelmed."

"There isn't a lot of extracurricular activity for students in the middle schools, and theater is a proven means of expression," said Henry. "By exploring another character or culture, they learn a lot about themselves."

Henry's class gave students an insight into acting, including voice and movement; improvisation; theatrical make-up; technical theater, which includes lighting and set design; as well as stage combat.

"Stage combat is important," said Henry. "Actors need to learn the safety techniques of fighting on stage, which sounds easy, but in reality can be hard."

At the end of the daylong workshop, students were able to show the best of what they learned.

"The stage combat was really fun, and my girlfriend and I got to fight on stage," said Sigworth. "All the others thought we were really fighting, and that was cool."

Henry said the workshop also provided students with an opportunity to learn to work together.

"It was a diverse group of kids, and they respected that diversity. It helps develop camaraderie," she said.

The workshop cost \$25 per student, with the profit going to a fund to raise money for renovations at the Al DuBois Little Theater at Canton High School.

"It's going to cost about \$200,000 for improvements such as lighting, sound and curtains," said Henry. "We made about \$800 from the workshop."

"But, we've got a long way to go. Thus far we've raised about \$25,000," she said.

Tax-deductible contributions for improvements to the Al DuBois Little Theater at Canton High School can be made through the Canton Community Foundation.

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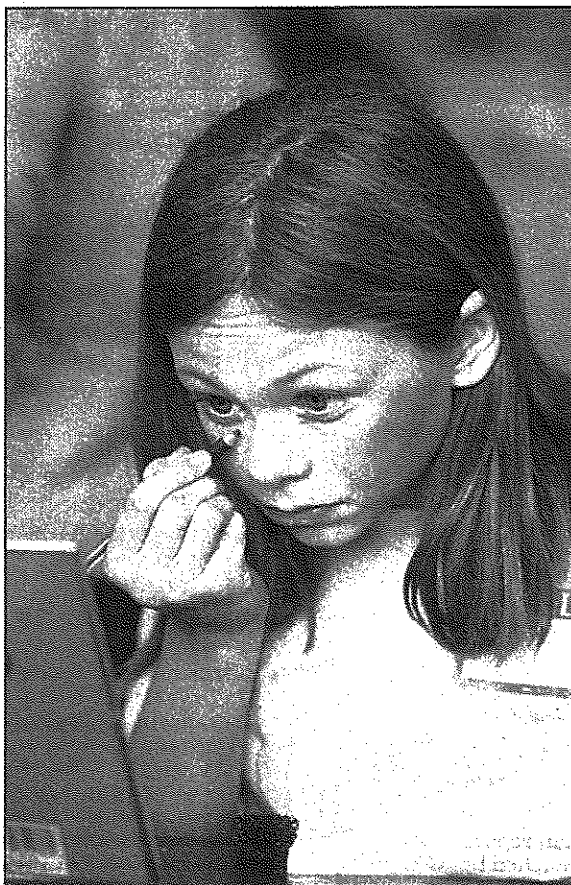


Middle School students Sara Ghannam of Plymouth, 11, left, and Kelcey Cross of Plymouth, 12, get help from high schooler Regina Stone of Canton, 17, with their makeup application during a stage makeup class.

PHOTOS BY PAUL HURSCHMANN | OBSERVER



Mariel Collins of Canton, 13, laughs during an improvisational comedy acting session as part of Middle School Drama Day at the Plymouth Canton Educational Park Saturday, Nov. 9. Middle School students from throughout the district had an opportunity to learn about improv, acting, stage fighting and stage makeup in the all-day workshop hosted by drama teacher Shannon Henry and the Park Players.



Ashley Jorgensen of Canton, 11, applies eyeliner during a stage makeup session.

Skaters flock to county's Concrete Jungle

BY DARRELL CLEM
STAFF WRITER

Westland's long-awaited skate park, Concrete Jungle, opened Saturday amid much fanfare from skateboarders, parents and city leaders, who praised the community's newest venture in youth recreation.

Eddie Domka, 13, became one of 230 skateboarders and in-line skaters to sign up to use the 17,000-square-foot facility, built next to the Bailey Recreation Center off of Ford Road.

"I thought it was awesome," said Domka, a Stevenson Middle School eighth grader who visited the skate park with friend Jacob Freeman, also 13. "It was my first time ever going to a skate park, and I was really excited to go."

Domka got his first skateboard last Christmas, but, like many of the sport's fans, he hasn't had a facility close to home that he could use.

That all changed Saturday as Mayor Sandra Cicirelli and other city leaders unveiled the \$370,000 skate park, paid for with a Wayne County recreation grant and money from donors.

The ceremony capped a nearly three-year effort and drew a crowd estimated by Westland Parks and Recreation Director Robert Kosowski at 350 people.

"I didn't know what to expect," Kosowski said, "but it was packed."

Concrete Jungle got its name from a 6-year-old Westland boy, Travis Moran, who beat out more than 100 youngsters that entered a name-the-park contest. He

will receive free admission for a year.

Accomplished skateboarders showed off their skills during Saturday's ceremony, impressing upstarts as well as adults who don't ever plan to try the sport.

"It's totally amazing what they can do on those skateboards," Kosowski said.

Skateboarders have complimented Concrete Jungle's design, saying they believe the park will be a popular destination for youngsters, particularly during the summer when school isn't in session.

Here are a few tips for skaters:

■ Concrete Jungle will be open every day, weather permitting. For now, hours will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekends and noon to 5 p.m. weekdays.

■ Park users younger than 18 will have to bring a parent or guardian to sign waiver forms during their first visit. Skaters may opt to take the paper work home, but they will have to get it notarized.

■ Admission is \$3 for Wayne County youth younger than 18 and \$5 for their counterparts from outside the county.

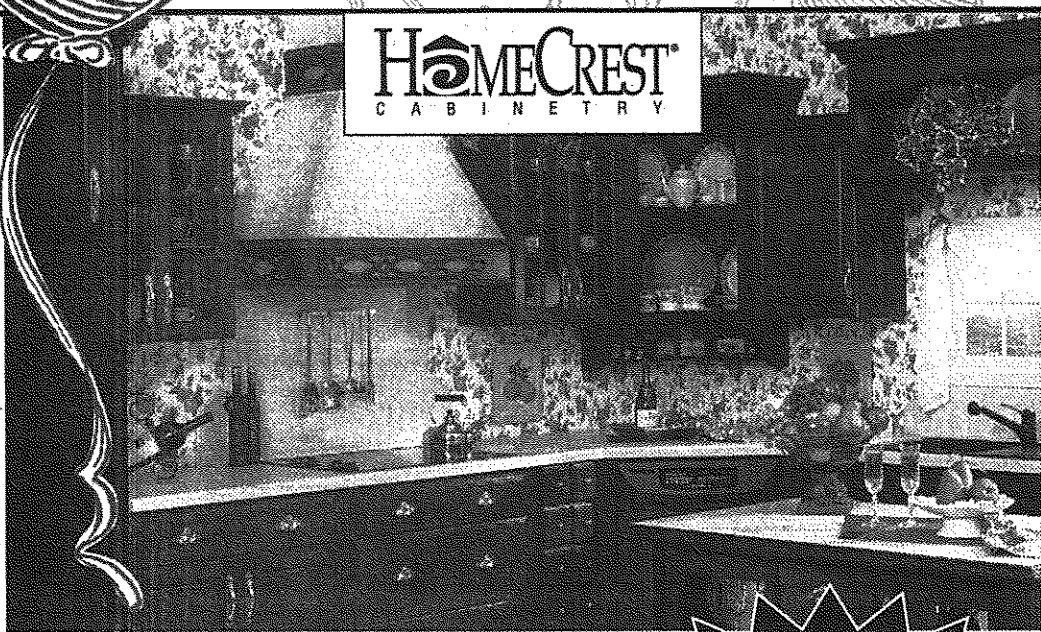
Wayne County adults will pay \$5; non-resident adults, \$7. All fees, including monthly and yearly passes, will be revisited during spring budget talks.

■ Skate safety attire is required. For those who don't have them, helmets may be rented at the Bailey Center for \$3 each. Elbow pads may be rented for \$1, as may knee pads.

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Participants laud RSL's effort, its causes

BY STEPHANIE ANGELYN CASOLA
STAFF WRITER

If the faces on the runway of the Redford Suburban League's annual fashion show looked familiar Wednesday, it's for one reason – the local celebrities believe in the cause.

"They pick wonderful causes," said Nancy McCauley Branstetter, who has been involved as a model for 26 years. "I believe in what they do."

The Fall Festival of Fashion is a fundraising event held at Livonia's Burton Manor. Each year a different children's charity is the beneficiary. This time around Old Village School in Northville earned the recognition.

"We're the best-kept secret in Wayne County," said Arthur H. Fischer Jr., supervisor of the school which serves 115 area students. The majority of students, age 3 to 14, come from Livonia and Plymouth, he said.

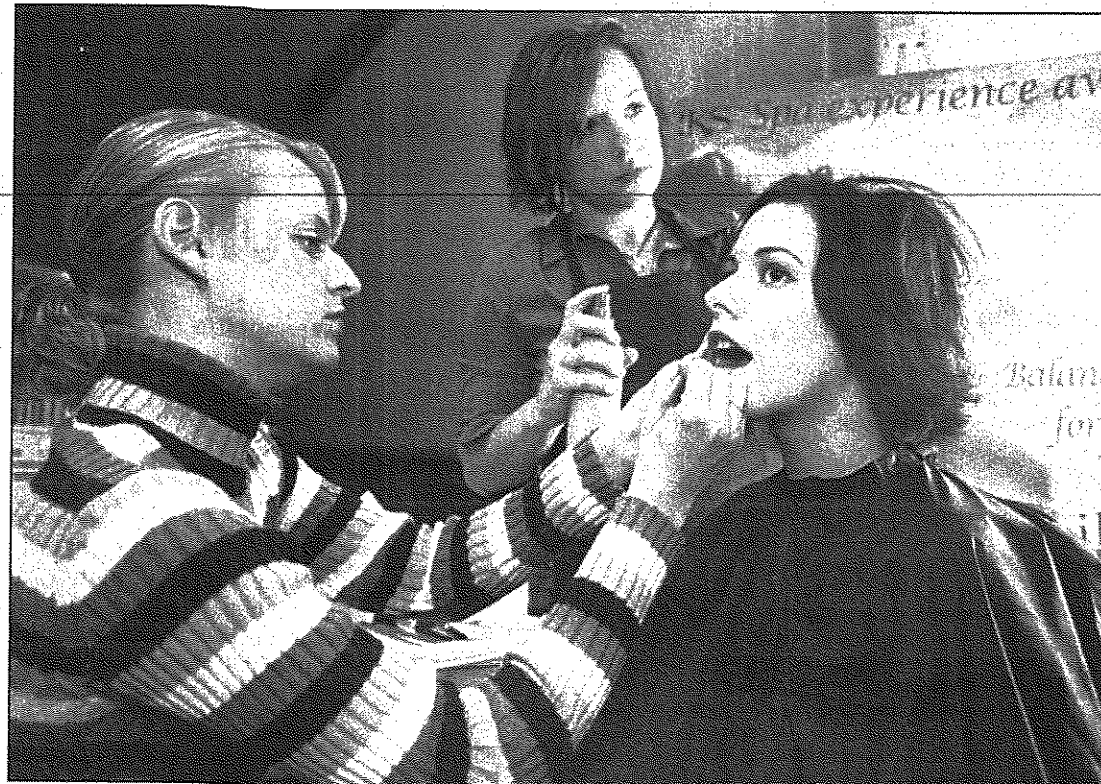
Old Village School specializes in working with children who have significantly delayed cognitive development. Some also have impaired motor, communication, physical or emotional skills which interfere in their development.

"They pick a different charity every year," Fischer said. "We were very pleased when they called us last year."

The event gave Fischer a chance to present Old Village School to members of the community who might not know about it.

Fischer, who lives in Novi, came to the school four years ago, after developing special education programs in North Oakland County school districts. The money raised last week will go to the school's music therapy program, which has been in place since 1998.

When he asked how he might help with the fundraising event,



Linda Christenson, left, and Mindy Ruble of the Works Salon and Wellness Center perfect the hair and make-up for Observer staff reporter Stephanie Angelyn Casola before she takes the runway.

the answer involved a suit and tie.

On Wednesday, he was asked to model men's fashions in the show. It was his first shot at a runway. "I really enjoyed it," he said.

Returning model Audrey Sommers, a Livonia resident who works at The Michigan Catholic, said she's glad to show her support for the charity. She's been involved with the event for six years.

An added bonus is the chance to reunite with media friends in the show, she said. "I just love coming back and seeing my friends from Channel 50."

She also loves the crowd. "They give you energy," Sommers said. For more information on Old Village School, call (248) 344-8460.

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Reporter hits runway for RSL benefit

In the early '80s I watched a short-lived TV show called *The Voyagers*. In every episode, two boys would find themselves zapped from one place to another, never knowing what year it was, who they would meet or what adventure they might embark upon.

As a journalist, I am often reminded of that old show. I've had the chance to see and do some exciting things.

I've rappelled from natural rock formations in Grand Ledge. I've interviewed musicians backstage at the Detroit Music Awards while Red Hot Chili Pepper Chad Smith yanked on my hair. And last week, the bright white lights of a fashion show runway shined right on me.

As a returning model in the Redford Suburban League Fall Festival of Fashion, my 5-foot-1 figure had a chance to play "model."

I arrived at Livonia's Burton Manor with just an hour to spare until Go Time. Backstage, I was greeted by Cindy Jamieson and members of the RSL who keep the show running smoothly.

I found the outfits I chose at Caché and grabbed a quick snack. (Something told me Kate Moss doesn't munch on bacon-wrapped scallops or Swiss cheese before a show – but I'm no waif.)

Local media types trickled in, all considered the show's celebrities. Nancy McCauley Branstetter called it a "little reunion every year" and she was right. Longtime friends

and new faces chatter on backstage. Fox 2 reporter Robin Schwartz showed up fresh from the hair salon. Commentator Rich Fisher made it at the eleventh hour.

I was enjoying the extra time: Blotting my lipgloss, being dusted with blush and powder, and having my dark brown hair gently tugged and blown dry.

Soon enough, I stepped onstage for my 15 seconds. I wore a winter white suit. The skirt had an asymmetrical hem. The fitted jacket revealed a little black, sequined sweater.

Speeding to the dressing room, I stepped into my little black, satin strapless number and dared to pair them with my five-inch shiny pumps. My make-up was touched up for evening and my hair was pinned back with a zigzag part.

I probably hobbled more than I strutted in that princess dress, but I never claimed to be a pro. At least one audience member could feel my high-heeled pain, hiding beneath the smile.

I kept thinking, my parents must be pleased. This assignment somehow justifies the money they spent on modeling classes when I was 12.

Most of all, it rekindles that sense of adventure, that feeling that anything can happen on any given day as a journalist. Talk about walking in someone else's shoes – Kate, you can keep the stilettos.

Stephanie Angelyn Casola writes for the Livonia and Redford editions of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. She harbors no realistic thoughts of running for the runways of Paris or Milan. But feel free to talk chocolate and eyeliner with her at scasola@oe.homecomm.net.



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WJBK Fox 2 reporter, Robin Schwartz struts down the runway at the Redford Suburban League event, sporting a leather vest, black pencil skirt and boots.

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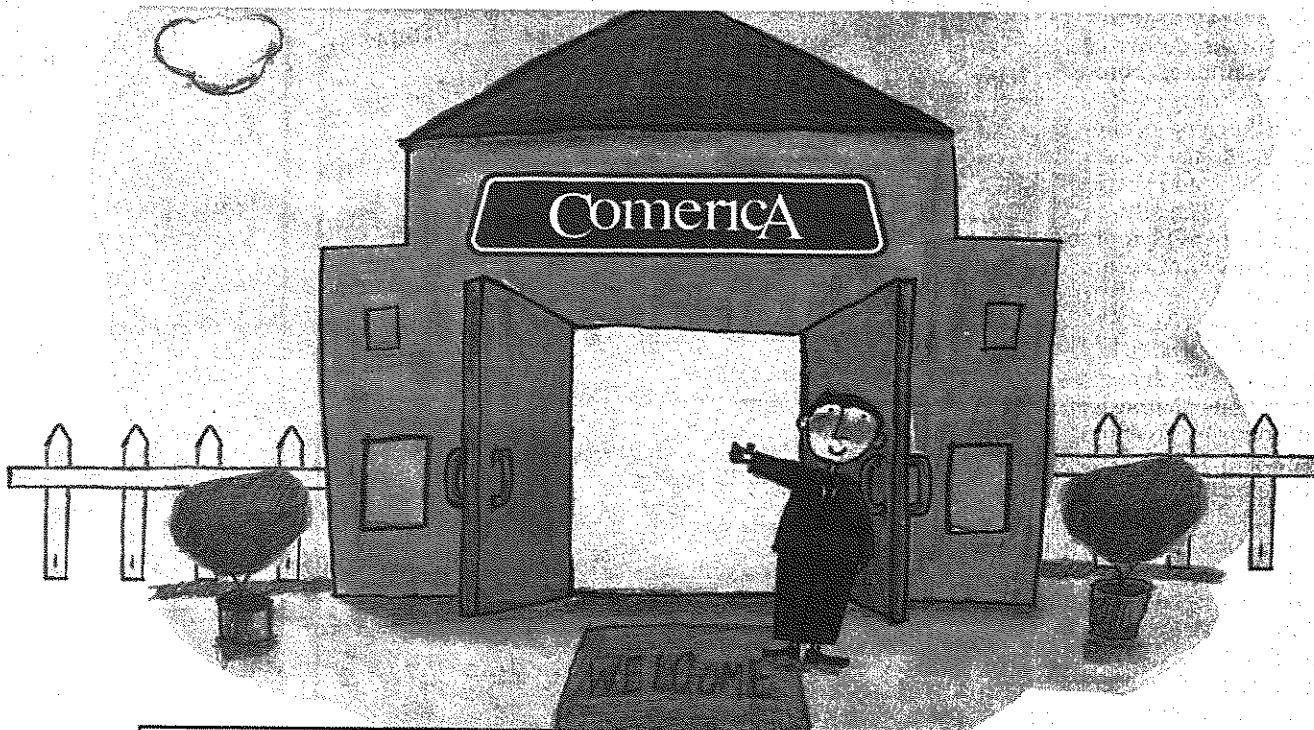
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CAMPUS NEWS

Western Michigan University
Jesse Williams, who graduated from Plymouth-Canton High School in 1998 is participating in the 31st Conference on Senior Engineering Design Projects on Dec. 3, 2002. He will be presenting his project designed to solve problems facing business and industry. Jesse is the son of Dennis and Sara Williams of Canton. He plans on receiving his bachelor's degree in Industrial Engineering in December 2002.

Hope College
Kara Darling, a sophomore from Plymouth, is participating in the CASA Tutoring Program at Hope College. The CASA Program is a community organization housed at Hope College, working with at-risk first-through fifth-grade students, focusing on academic and social development. Kara is the daughter of Robert and Cathy Darling of Plymouth and is a 2000 graduate of Greenhills School in Ann Arbor.

University of Northwestern Ohio

Christopher Muncy, son of Bill and Mary Muncy of Canton, has been accepted to the University of Northwestern Ohio in Lima to begin classes in the August 2003 session, where he will be majoring in the Automotive Technology program. Christopher attends Salem High School.

MILITARY NEWS

Graduation

Army Pvt. Anthony N. Tran has graduated from the automated logistical specialist advanced individual training (AIT) course at Fort Lee, Petersburg, Va. Tran is the son of Elizabeth and Hanh Tran of Plymouth. He is a 2001 graduate from Plymouth Salem High School.

Army 2nd Lt. John I. Faunce has graduated from the Ranger training course at the U.S. Army Ranger School, Fort Benning, Columbus, Ga. Faunce is the son of William I. Faunce of Plymouth. The lieutenant is a 1997 graduate of Detroit Catholic Central High School in Redford and a 2001 graduate of the U.S. Military Academy in West Point, N.Y.

Air Force Airman Catherine C. Rouse has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. Rouse is the daughter of Janine and Wayne Rouse of Canton. The airman is a 2002 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School in Canton.

Deployment

Army Spec. Robert M. Delisle, Jr. has deployed to Kuwait to support the dual missions of Operations Southern Watch and Enduring Freedom. The soldier is a member of a Patriot missile battery task force regularly assigned to the 3rd Battalion, 2nd Air Defense Artillery at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas. Delisle, a mechanic, is the son of Robert M. and Sheila M. Delisle of Waterford. His wife, Sabrina, is the daughter of Robyn Bowers of Canton.

Promotions

Army Lt. Col. Craig A. Finley has assumed command of the 1st Battalion, 39th Field Artillery at Fort Stewart, Hinesville, Ga. He is the son of Foy S. Finley of Plymouth and Jane Finley of Plymouth. His wife, Natalie, is the daughter of Dr. Clif and Rita McClumpha of Canton. The lieutenant colonel graduated in 1980 from Pioneer High School in Ann Arbor and received a bachelor's degree in 1984 from the U.S. Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. In 1995 he earned a master's degree from Webster University, St. Louis, Mo.

FBI, state police probe McNamara files, aides

BY LARRY O'CONNOR
STAFF WRITER

A search of Wayne County Executive offices Friday morning extended to Livonia where authorities intercepted Edward McNamara's deputy en route to work.

Authorities showed up at the Gary Street home of Mary Zuckerman around 7:30 a.m. An FBI agent and a Michigan State Police investigator wanted to question Zuckerman, who declined to answer queries until she had an attorney present.

The sweep shifted to Detroit where about 15-20 FBI agents and Michigan State Police investigators seized a number of files while executing a search warrant at the Wayne County building and at McNamara's campaign headquarters in Greektown.

"At this point in time, we don't know the basis for this investigation," McNamara said during a press conference Friday morning. "We hope this is not politically motivated."

No arrest warrants or indictments are pending, noted



McNamara

executive secretary, Jan Porter; former office manager, Lisa Moore; and executive assistant, Darlene Nero, to appear before a grand jury.

The FBI cordoned off the

McNamara, who is retiring at the end of the year after 16 years as county executive.

Subpoenas were served to McNamara's

county building's third floor during its investigation, an unnamed source said. However, McNamara's office wasn't one of those searched, reports said.

A number of files were taken during the visit, but a county spokeswoman didn't know the subject of documents seized.

"They have been gathering files all day," said June West, McNamara's spokeswoman.

"We've been cooperating fully," Some sources in the county executive's office speculated the investigation is a slow response to state Senate hear-

ings on the awarding of Metropolitan Airport contracts. Another county executive source suggested the probe is possibly related to Attorney General Jennifer Granholm's report on airport contracts, which she turned over to the state police.

"The wheels of justice turn slowly," the person said. West disputed reports that called Friday's action a raid.

"This was definitely not a raid," she said.

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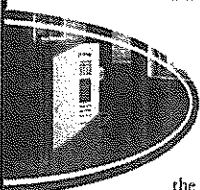
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The council is asking for your assistance in identifying "Women of Distinction" within your community.

Last year our honored recipients included Judy Ellis of First Step; Joetta Mial, Ann Arbor; and Cynthia Wilbanks, Ypsilanti.

Four to six recipients will be chosen to receive Women of Distinction Awards.

If you have questions, or need additional information, please call Susan Tamme at (734) 971-8800 or (800) 497-2688, extension 216. The fax number is (734) 971-2160.

Salem grad hits road for ESPN show

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

They were given no change of clothing, no transportation and no food. Not only were they given no money, they're not even allowed to handle it. And they had to make it from New York City to San Francisco in 30 days.

Who was up to the challenge for ESPN's new show, "Beg, Borrow or Deal?"

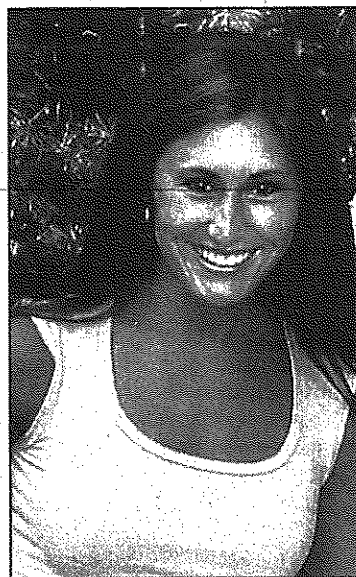
Thousands of people. But only eight were chosen to participate in the sports network's reality show, and Kelli Zink of Plymouth was among them.

Zink, a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and Michigan State University, is contractually bound to keep mum about the show's outcome (the first two episodes have already aired), but she doesn't have to be quiet about how much she enjoyed the challenge.

A lot. "A lot of the (participants) were from Los Angeles, New York," said Zink, the youngest participant in the show. "It was definitely an experience a girl from Plymouth doesn't get to see too often."

The show's premise had two four-person teams trying to make it cross country. Aside from the aforementioned rules, the participants were given athletic challenges to meet along the way. Each team had to complete 10 of the 40 possible challenges.

Among them: get your pic-



Zink

ture taken with an Olympic medal; wash a college mascot; catch a 35-yard pass from an NFL quarterback; win a game of "Horse" against an NBA player; play a game of basketball in a prison; and run a 26-mile marathon and don't finish last.

"The stuff they gave us (challenges) are obviously difficult, because they're more interesting to watch," said Zink, a sports broadcasting major currently employed as an on-air talent for a station in South Bend, Ind. "They're pretty outlandish, and you have to beg your way in."

For instance, Zink's team — Team Cobi — made its way to the Meadowlands in New Jersey, convinced a PR person

there to let them in, then caught a pass thrown by the New York Giants' backup quarterback, Jesse Palmer. The team then hitched a ride back to New York with star defensive back Jason Sehorn.

It was the athletic challenges that had Zink's parents, Mark and Toni, a bit worried at first.

"We were a little concerned with the challenges she might have to do," Toni Zink said. "We thought bungee jumping, sky diving; once we realized the challenges weren't like that, we were OK with it."

So how did Zink, a girl from tiny Plymouth, Michigan, get involved in this nationally televised race? Simple. She was interning at Fox Sports Net in Chicago two years ago when she saw an open casting call for the show. She filled out the application, got called for an audition, sent producers a videotape and made the finals.

She was chosen as one of the final eight out of the thousands who answered casting calls in Chicago, New York, Los Angeles and Philadelphia.

Her participation frightened her parents at first, worried about their daughter being turned loose on the streets of New York without transportation. They quickly learned the teammates had to stick together, and that camera crews and producers and the like were never far away.

Still, it wasn't the easiest thing Zink has ever done.

"It was pretty difficult

because you have to remember you can't handle money at all," Zink said. "If you're thirsty, you have to beg for water. If you're hungry, you have to beg for food."

But she made it through it, although she won't give a hint about who won the competition, not even to her parents.

"We told her don't even think about telling us," Toni Zink said. "We wanted to watch the show, and we've loved every minute of it. I thought it was great."

"We're really proud of her. She loves sports, and obviously she wants to do sports broadcasting, and this would just be a boost for her. She loves being with people, loves new adventures and loves challenges. This was right up her alley."

Members of the winning team get two tickets to four championship events of their choice. Zink said if she wins, she'll take tickets to the NBA Finals, the NCAA championship game and the NFL's Pro Bowl in Hawaii. She'll give the other set of tickets to her parents.

Though she can't say who won, she can certainly admit she had a great time.

"People from Plymouth don't get to be on TV much," Zink said. "It was such a cool experience."

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He feels that being a carrier would benefit other young people by teaching them discipline and people skills. He feels that the routes could be improved by the carrier's receiving cheaper bills.

Locals respond to Penn's try at first-run films

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

Penn Theatre co-owner Ron Cook said there was "clapping and cheers" when he welcomed the full-house crowd last week to the first showing of "Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets."

"It was amazing the support we received from the community," said Cook. "It was nice to see the place packed again."

It was the first weekend for a first-run movie at the downtown Plymouth theater in 20 years, and patrons responded. In fact, Cook said there were a few show times in which there were lines of people waiting to purchase tickets. And the 7 p.m. shows on both Friday and Saturday were sold out.

"More than 1,500 people bought tickets for the three days," said Cook, who noted that translates into about \$8,500. "That compares to

about 600 when we were showing the second-run movies.

"Heck, on Monday, when before we were closed because we could barely make \$60, we grossed nearly \$800."

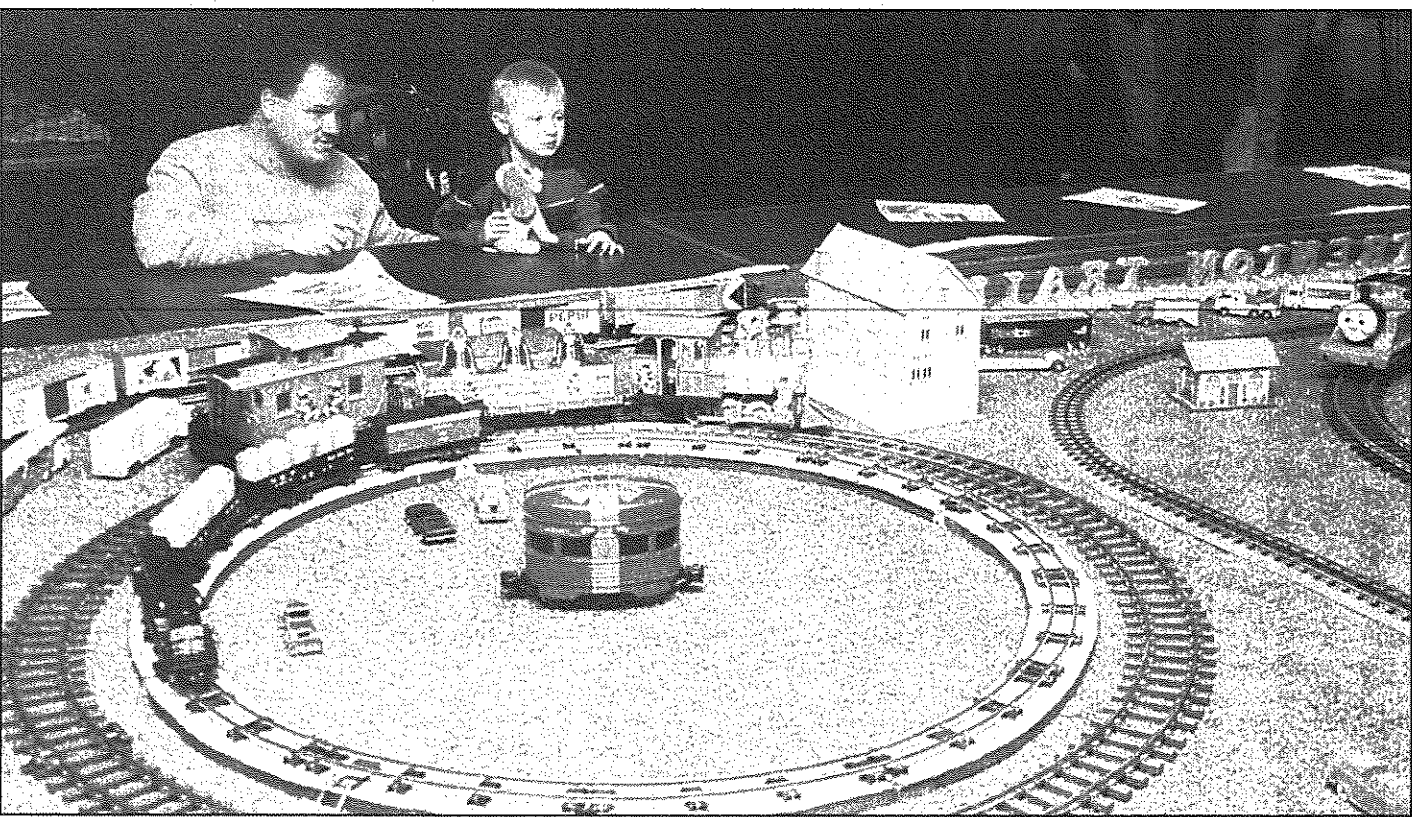
And, in a business where food concessions can make or break survival, "we made about \$5,000," Cook said. "Just think of how many boxes of popcorn we sold."

Cook said the Penn will have the Harry Potter movie for three weeks before changing shows.

"The Penn really came alive," said Cook. "The town really came out in full support and we appreciate that. Now, people don't have to leave town to see a movie, or worry about their kids' safety when taking them to the mall."

"We had a lot of people tell us how happy they were that we were keeping the theater going with the new movies," he said.

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Lights and trains

Chris Zygmunt and son Alex, age 3, from Canton enjoy the train club exhibit at the LightFest banquet.

Station, foundation partner in anti-tobacco plan

WDSB, 88.1FM, and the Canton Community Foundation are partnering to bring anti-tobacco public service messages to radio listeners.

Students at the station are producing public service announcements targeting teens with anti-tobacco messages. The announcements will be aired on 88.1FM. The students are also seeking a wider audience for the messages. The best

announcements will be packaged into a public service campaign that will be sent to stations throughout the Metro Detroit area and the State of Michigan. The student producing the very best announcement will receive a \$100 cash prize.

Funding for the program comes from money the Canton Community Foundation received from the State of

Michigan Tobacco Settlement Funds distributed through the Council of Michigan Foundations. For participating in the program, 88.1FM will receive a grant of up to \$3,000.

Debra Madonna, Plymouth resident, and Joan Noricks, President of the Canton Community Foundation, approached the station last spring with the idea of develop-

ing a program.

"We're excited to be working with the foundation and Joan and Debra," said Bill Keith, Station Manager. "Their enthusiasm for supporting the radio station is very encouraging."

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A woman in the last 3 months of her pregnancy should not take any arthritis drug in the class called the NSAIDs (nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs). This group includes motrin naproxen, celebrex, viox, relafen etc. The reason is that these medications cause an early closure of a blood vessel called the ductus arteriosus which connects the fetal pulmonary artery with the fetal aorta. Keeping this connection open until the end of pregnancy is nature's way of preventing pulmonary hypertension in the infant.

Using prednisone during pregnancy is safe. Before the steroid can reach the fetus, the placenta inactivates the drug. Plaquenil is also acceptable, but physicians familiar with its use advise low doses.

Other drugs used to treat rheumatoid arthritis are contraindicated in pregnancy. These medications include Methotrexate, Arava, Enbrel, and Remicade. Drugs such as Azulfidine and Imuran may be used but with caution.

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Top cops honored for auto theft busts through HEAT

BY LEANNE ROGERS
STAFF WRITER

Three officers from the Western Wayne Auto Theft Unit were recently honored as 2001 investigators of the year by Help Eliminate Auto Theft. Based in Livonia, HEAT operates a tip line to gather information about vehicle thefts. The information is passed on the appropriate law enforcement agency. WWATU is a regional investigation unit drawing officers from local departments and the Michigan State Police, which supervises the unit.

■ In an investigation that began in May 2001, Detective Larry Fortier executed a Bureau of Automotive Regulation inspection at Auto Tech Collision, 10501 W. Eight Mile in Detroit.

After vehicles and records showed a possible pattern of insurance fraud, Fortier followed up and eventually obtained felony warrants on two employees for receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100 and insurance fraud. Over the next year, Fortier executed six separate search warrants and seized five vehicles as part of his investigation. A Detroit Police officer assigned to auto theft unit, Fortier also seized more than \$183,000 in accounts held by Auto Tech owner Art Danou.

"During this time, Detective Fortier spent countless hours pouring over numerous boxes of records associated with Auto Tech and meeting with Wayne County Assistant Prosecutor Rod Hassinger, who eventually authorized charges on the owner of Auto Tech," said

Michigan State Police Lt. William Darnell, who heads the auto theft team.

The result was a 56-count warrant on Danou and Auto Tech Collision for operating a continuing criminal enterprise, a 20-year felony, obtaining money under false pretenses and conspiracy to commit insurance fraud.

In May 2002, Danou pled guilty to operating a criminal enterprise agreeing to pay the Western Wayne Auto Theft Team \$100,000; \$50,000 to the prosecutor's office; and to reimburse several insurance companies \$100,000 for insurance frauds that were committed.

According to the prosecutor's office, this was the largest payment made to an auto theft team/prosecutor's office in Wayne County. In addition, Danou agreed to give up his

collision shop and agreed to not have anything to do with the auto repair business for five years.

"It is my opinion that without Detective Fortier's hard work and persistence, this case would have never come to a successful conclusion," said Darnell, who also credited Hassinger's time and auto theft law expertise with greatly enhancing efforts to prosecute the case.

■ Detectives Robert Greene of the Van Buren Police Department and Carl Arnett of the Belleville Police Department were honored for their efforts investigating a case involving several people who had buried a 1999 Chevy S-10 pick-up in Van Buren Township in October 2001.

The suspects filed claims with AAA and were paid off for

the truck. After several weeks investigation, the officers received a consent for a search at the address in Van Buren Township. Using a backhoe, officers found the truck in parts buried in the backyard.

Arnett interviewed several of the suspects and four gave statements implicating themselves and a fifth person. Warrants were obtained charging five people on a total of 12 counts of insurance fraud, receiving and concealing stolen property over \$1,000 and filing a false police report.

Four of the defendants have pled guilty, with the charges against the fifth person still pending.

Darnell praised the efforts of Arnett and Greene, who returned to duties at the Van Buren Police Department before the case concluded but

continued to lend his expertise.

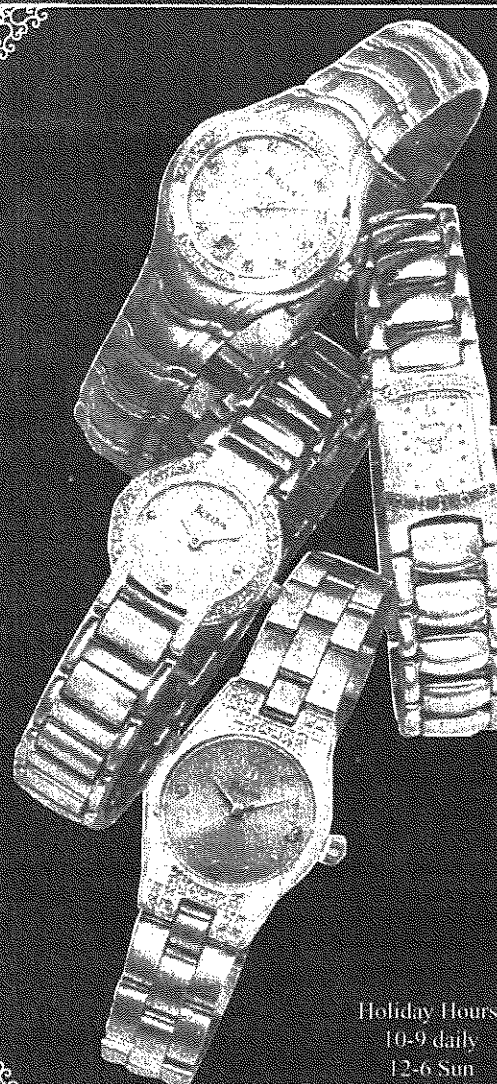
"The other case (Auto Tech) is much bigger, but it's really two different kinds of cases, like comparing apples and oranges," said Darnell. "They did a nice job from a case that was so old. They had to track down these people."

This case developed through information that came through the HEAT tipline, Darnell said.

"For HEAT, the fact is nothing is ever too small - one truck being buried or a large continuing criminal enterprise," said Darnell. "HEAT is willing to take the call about the little ones that add up."

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Kettle campaign gets under way, but Salvation Army still needs your help

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

It's the biggest time of year for the Plymouth Salvation Army, and they kicked it off in style Thursday.

The West Middle School choir and a brass band featuring a former local officer were the highlights as the Salvation Army jump-started the 2002 Red Kettle Campaign with a ceremony in front of the army's headquarters on Main Street.

"It's an exciting time of year for us," said Maj. Steve Hull, the local Salvation Army commander. "It's important for our service to the community because of the variety of activities at Christmas."

The army's goal is to collect \$121,000 between now and the end of the drive Christmas Eve.

The band came from the Salvation Army's Southfield headquarters and featured Maj. Dallas Raby, who held

Hull's job in Plymouth 25 years ago. Seventh graders from West Middle School then sang Christmas carols before the group adjourned to lunch.

After that, the real work starts, with the Army trying to coordinate volunteers for the kettle locations in Plymouth, Canton, Northville and Belleville.

Volunteers are still very much needed, with as many as 50 additional volunteers still required, said Kelly Zmudczynski, who is coordinating the Red Kettle campaign this year. For instance, she has just two volunteers for Christmas Eve, with a need for at least two dozen more.

"I need as many as I can get," Zmudczynski said. "We're pretty low."

Hot spots include places such as Target stores and grocery stores. The corps is also having trouble staffing its Belleville bell locations, where the Salvation Army is trying its kettle drive for the third year,

Zmudczynski said.

"We're very, very new out there. We're providing services there, in Van Buren Township and in Sumpter Township, but we're having trouble getting people to ring out there. It's a very big concern."

The biggest problem, Zmudczynski said, is simple scheduling. In recent years, a trend has been for businesses to "adopt" a location and staff that kettle for a day. But getting people to volunteer around their already-crowded schedules has been a test.

"Trying to accommodate everyone's schedule with our schedule is the big challenge. You do the best you can."


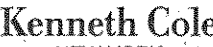

There are still numerous opportunities to volunteer time to ring bells for the Salvation Army's Red Kettle Campaign. To volunteer, call (734) 453-5464.

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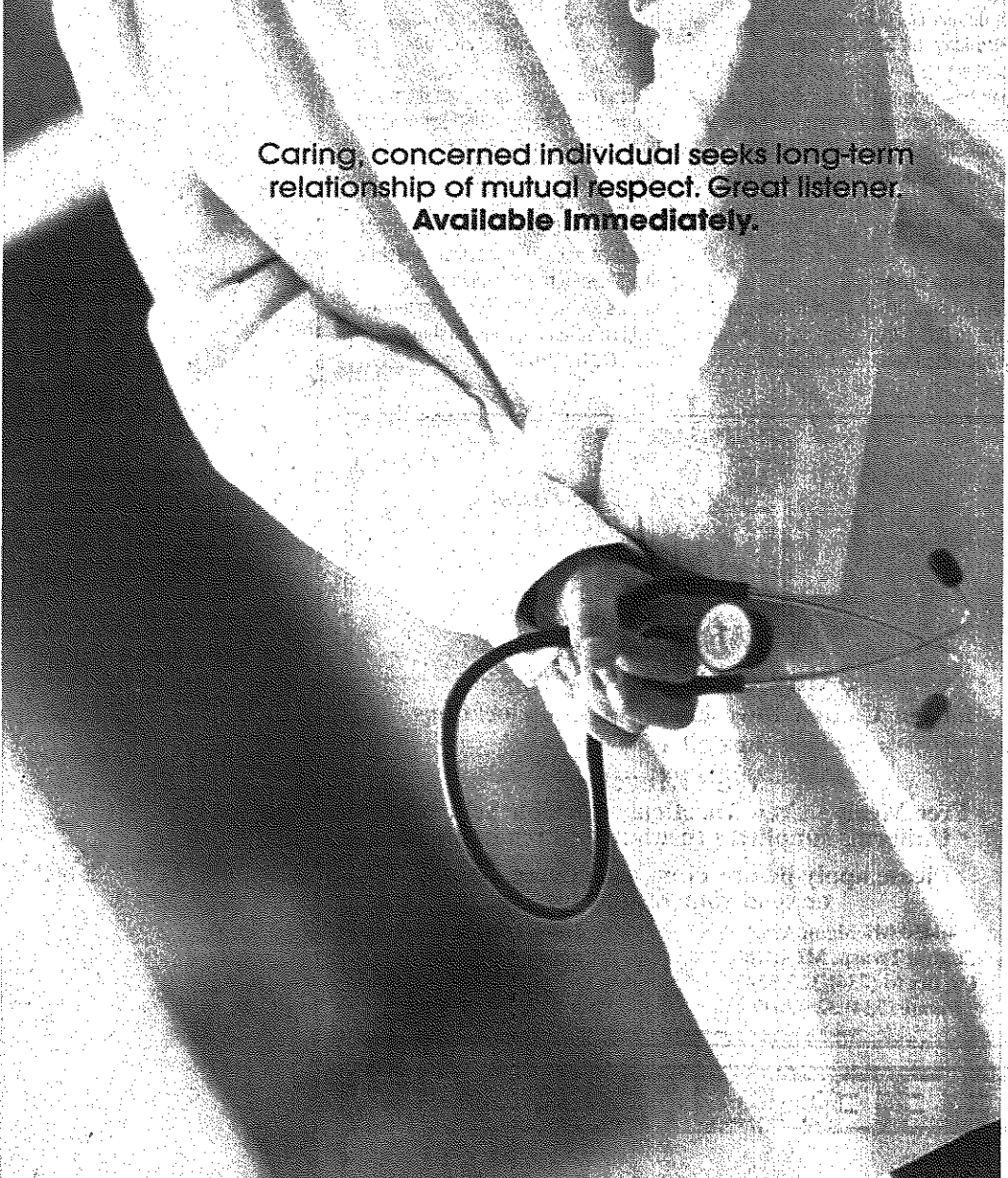
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Fall Blood Drive

St. John's Episcopal Church in Plymouth will host its annual Fall Blood Drive from 2-8 p.m. Monday, Nov. 18. For advance appointment, please call Carolyn Liebau (734) 455-5395. Only you can give the gift of life.

Block Printing Workshop

Three Cities Art Club presents Lily Dudgeon who will conduct a workshop on handmade momotype using Caran D'ache watercolor crayons. This is from 7-9 p.m. Monday, Nov. 11, at D&M Art Studio in Canton.

Scrapbook Crop Day

Zonta Club presents Scrapbook Crop Day from 8-4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23. The cost is \$30, which includes breakfast and lunch. Call (734) 464-0450 for further information.

Food Drive

Thanksgiving Canned Food Drive to benefit the Plymouth Salvation Army from 7-9 p.m., Nov. 13 and from 10-11:30 a.m. Nov. 14, at Skatin Station II. Bring in three cans and admission is just \$1.

Watercolor Cards Workshop

D&M Studio is holding a two-day workshop for adults to create holiday cards. The first session is Monday, Nov. 18 and Monday, Nov. 25 and the second session is Tuesday, Nov. 19 and Tues. Nov. 26. The cost is \$38 for the two-day workshop. Call (734) 453-3710 for more info.

Willow Creek Preschool

Now enrolling for 2002-2003 school year. For information, call Sherry Haskell (734) 326-5735.

Collectible Toy Show

The toy show returns Sunday, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Nov. 10 to the Plymouth VFW Hall in the city of Plymouth. Admission is \$5/kids under 10 are free with an adult. For information, call (734) 455-2110.

Northville Genealogical Society

Sonia Swigart will present a history of Victorian fashion along with an exhibit of accessories including hats and jewelry. Sandy Basse will give a brief overview of Historic Mill Race Village which is located in Northville. The meeting will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 10, at the Northville District Library.

PCAC

The Arts Council is accepting entries for its December art exhibit, "International Seasonal Celebrations". This religious themed, non-juried exhibit is open to the first 40 artists submitting framed two dimensional work and the first 30 three dimensional pieces such as religious icons. Call (734) 416-4278.

Artist Workshop

The Ann Arbor Art Center is pleased to present its weekly workshop series for artists of all levels at 1 p.m. on Sundays in November. The workshop on Nov. 17 is "Tired Spoons." You will use colorful glazes to decorate a ceramic spoon rest for Thanksgiving. For details, call (734) 994-8004.

Pre-Holiday Art Show & Sale

Local artists have gathered some of their best original fine artwork for a special show and sale that will be on display from Oct. 21-Nov. 15 at D&M Art Studio in Canton. Come preview the art, enjoy refreshments and light music. For further info call (248) 262-9711.

Teens Using Drugs

"Teens Using Drugs: What to Know and What to Do," a free, ongoing community education series will be presented

by Ron Harrison in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, 5305 Elliot Drive, Ypsilanti. "What To Know" will be presented Oct. 1, Nov. 5, and Dec. 3. No registration is required. "What To Do" will be presented Oct. 8, Nov. 12, and Dec. 10.

Plymouth Symphony

Plymouth Symphony League is launching the 2003 Greater Detroit Area Entertainment Book Sale. The cost is \$30.00. Place your order at the Plymouth Symphony Office or call Mary Thomas at (734) 453-3016.

Entertainment Book Sale

Plymouth Optimists selling the 2003 books with all proceeds helping children throughout southeast Michigan. Book offers up to 50% savings on dining and fast foods, theater, sports, travel, services and more. Price is \$30 and are home delivered. Call Bill at (734) 453-8253.

Free Blood Pressure Screening

Free blood pressure screenings will be taken at the Plymouth District Library 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month. No appointment is necessary. Call (734) 453-0750 for further information.

Recreation Registration

The City of Plymouth is now taking registration for its classes for all ages. Classes include gymnastics, dance, core body exercise, tots jump-a-rama, tae-kwon-do, personal development, aerobics, clogging, senior trips and programs and much more. Call (734) 455-6620 for more information.

CLUBS

Plymouth Woman's National Farm and Garden

Next meeting will be held at 12:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 11 at the home of Evelyn Okszewski. The meeting program "Christmas Decorations" will be presented by Victor West of Vanessa's Flowers in Plymouth.

NACW

On Nov. 12, Lois Wolfe-Morgan, renowned author and speaker will be speaking on "Defining Moments of Leadership" at Ernesto's Restaurant from 11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m. The cost is \$18 for members and \$22 for non-members.

DAR

Sarah Ann Cochran Plymouth-Northville Chapter presenting a 76th birthday luncheon at noon Nov. 18 at the Sand Trap Restaurant on Five Mile in Livonia. The program will feature experiences of a Northville doctor, Dr. Swift by speaker Julie Fountain. Call Shirli Hering t (734) 455-5525 for info.

Plymouth VFW

Fish fries continue every Friday from 5 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The price is only \$7 at the Plymouth VFW, 1426 S. Mill. All you can eat for \$4.50.

MOPS-Plymouth

The MOPS group is now enrolling for fall. Relaxing fun time for moms while the kids ages 0-5 enjoy program of games, stories, singing and play. Meets first and third Fridays of the month from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at Lake Pointe Bible Chapel, 42150 Schoolcraft Rd., Plymouth. Call for info (734) 420-0515.

Colonial Kiwanis

The Kiwanis Club of Colonial Plymouth meets at noon Thursdays at Ernesto's, 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth. Guests are welcome. For information call Ernie Hughes, membership chairman, (734) 414-0400.

MOPS-Westland

Westland MOPS meets at Westland Free Methodist Church Sept. through May on the second and fourth Fridays of the month. Free child care. Contact Nikki Guenther at (313) 937-2479.

Tai Chi

Taoist Tai Chi Society offers ongoing tai chi classes for all ages in Livonia and Bloomfield Hills at 7 p.m. Afternoon classes at 1 p.m. available in Livonia. Observers welcome. Visit our Web site at www.taoist.org. For more information, call the society at (248) 332-1281 anytime.

La Leche League

Breastfeeding information and support group meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 10 a.m. For more information and meeting locations, please contact Michelle at (734) 397-0197.

Canton Rotary Club

The Rotary meets at noon on Mondays at the Roman Forum in Canton on Ford Road. All guests are invited to join us for lunch for more information on our community and international service projects. For more information call Laura at (734) 207-8517 or e-mail to ExecSec@rotary6400.org.

TOPS

Are you unhappy with your weight? Why not join TOPS? We weigh in weekly and meet to share ideas about losing weight, exercising, etc. We meet at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon, Canton. For more information call (734) 459-4387.

Astronomy Discussion

Plymouth Library offers a free monthly Family Astronomy Discussion Group from 7-8 p.m. for both individuals and

families with children 6 years and older. Door prizes, slides, video and handouts. Call Mike Best at (734) 459-2378.

MOMS Club

A local chapter of the MOMS Club welcomes interested stay-at-home mothers in the Canton/Westland area to meet the third Tuesday of each month. MOMS Club offers weekly activities, playgroups, community service opportunities and a lot more! For more information, please contact Wendy at (734) 398-6957.

West Suburban Stamp Club

Meeting at 8 p.m. the first and third Fridays of the month at the Plymouth Historical Society, 155 S. Main St., Plymouth.

Plymouth Canton Jaycees

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

Community Democrats

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

Toastmasters

Develop your public speaking, communications and leadership skills. Guests welcome. No pressure to speak. Being held at St. John Episcopal Church in Plymouth. This group meets at 7 p.m. every first and third Monday of the

month. Please call (734) 459-0715 for more information.

K of C Breakfast

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

Kiwanis Breakfast Club

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

BNI

The Canton II Chapter of Business Network International (BNI) meets 7-8:30 a.m. every Wednesday at Atlantis Restaurant, 39500 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth. The Laurel Park Chapter meets 7-8:30 a.m. at Archie's Family Restaurant on Plymouth Road, east of Merriman, Livonia. The Plymouth Chapter meets every Thursday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. The Livonia Chapter meets 7-8:30 a.m. at Senate Coney Island on Plymouth at Stark, Livonia. Call the BNI regional office at (810) 323-3800.

MOPS

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

Mothers of Multiples

The Plymouth-Canton Mothers of Multiples Club meets 7 p.m. the third

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

Human Rights Group

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

Plymouth Newcomers

Plymouth Newcomers is a social organization dedicated to helping people meet others in the community through its monthly meetings and variety of interest groups. Call Diane Peyton at (734) 354-9519.

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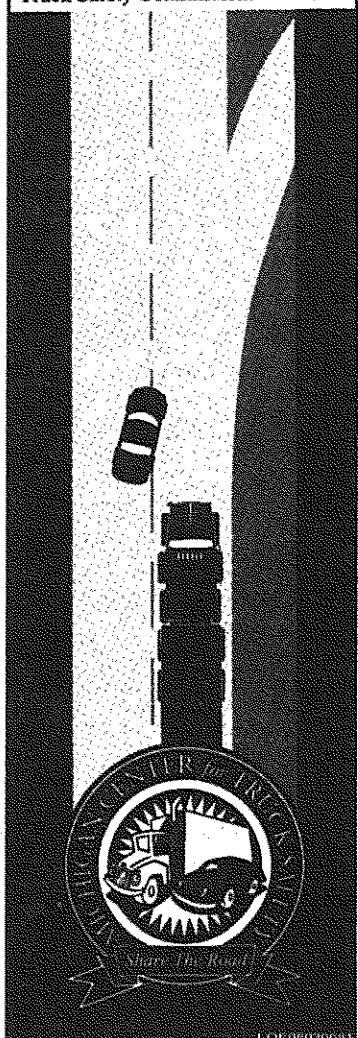
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The Golden Apple award includes a \$10,000 stipend, which can be used for any school improvements that upgrade the quality of education for students, such as books, computers, technology and building enhancements.

Previous Golden Apple awards came with \$50,000; however, state budget cuts reduced the amount.

"It's just such an honor to have someone outside our school community recognize what we're doing," said Joyce Deren, who was Hoben principal for 11 years before retiring last summer.

The Hoben staff gathered



COURTESY PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Interim Superintendent Jim Ryan congratulates Hoben Elementary Learning Specialist Colleen Mohacsi as former principal Joyce Dehren applauds. Hoben received a 2002 Golden Apple award from the state in recognition of improved performance on the fourth- and fifth-grade Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests. The staff and faculty celebrated Thursday morning with a brief presentation by Ryan and breakfast in the school's cafeteria.

Thursday morning before the start of school, and Deren returned to share in the celebration.

"Our goal has always been continuous improvement, and we still are on that road

because there's still work to be done," she said. "But, it's nice to stop a moment, take a breath

and celebrate."

Deren said she and her staff developed specific goals to improve MEAP scores of the fourth- and fifth-graders.

"As a staff, we had a very definite plan about what we needed to do in terms of reading and writing," she said. "We looked at what we needed to teach and at what students had to do to meet state standards."

"The whole thing about the MEAP is how do you take students who are in the very lowest area and bring their scores up," added Deren. "They need intensive help."

Hoben Principal Liz Vartanian-Gibbs said one of her goals is to continue the upward trend in MEAP scores.

"We have designated goals in reading, math and science, and I'm going to work technology into the process," she said. "We're discussing reading strategies and using our school improvement time to work on our goals. It's something you have to work on every single day."

The Golden Apple award and trophy will be given to Hoben Elementary during ceremonies Dec. 12.

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THIEVES

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■ Larceny from auto, reported Wednesday, Nov. 20, 3000 block of Riverside. Taken were a \$1,500 27-speed bicycle and an accompanying electronic device valued at \$200. Vehicle was reportedly unlocked and parked in the driveway.

It's also a good idea to not leave valuable items in cars, especially if they are in plain view.

"People are leaving wallets in cars - once you get a wallet, you can do God knows what with the information."

It's fairly common for a wallet thief to immediately go and try to use cards before the cardholder realizes it's missing. This makes 24-hour establishments, such as gas stations and Meijer stores, popular with thieves.

A group of teenagers was recently caught using one man's credit card - at the same time - at a self-checkout at the Westland Meijer. A store employee noticed that all the cards had the same name and

'People are leaving wallets in cars - once you get a wallet, you can do God knows what with the information.'

Sgt. Charles Raycraft
Canton Police

notified security, who in turn called police.

Getting someone's wallet also makes it easy to assume their identity and commit what police call identity theft.

Raycraft suggested that people invest in a paper shredder to destroy documents instead of just throwing them away. Some documents to destroy include credit card receipts, credit card invitations, credit card bills and any documents with Social Security numbers.

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Tips for holiday travelers

Before people depart for the upcoming holiday weekend, it's important to remember whom they can trust.

Canton Sgt. Charles Raycraft said that some time ago, Canton police offered home checks for vacationing residents. Though the department is no longer able to provide that service, there are a variety of things residents can do to make their homes safer while they are away:

- Tell a trusted neighbor before leaving
- Ask a trusted family member to check their house while they are gone
- Use a light timer to give the appearance that people are home
- Stop delivery of newspapers and mail
- For neighbors, calling police if they see anything suspicious - especially near a home known to be vacant.

PARLORS

FROM PAGE A1

like that in your community."

But a lot has changed in recent years. Therapeutic massage is being recommended by doctors, and many full-service spas offer massages.

McLaughlin said she became a believer in massage because of her 16-year-old son. Shoulder pain aggravated by athletic injuries prompted his doctor to recommend therapeutic massage. Now he visits a Plymouth therapeutic massage business regularly.

"Massage is no longer the tittering kind of establishment it once was," she said.

The present ordinance defines a massage parlor or massage establishment as:

"A place where manipulated massage or manipulated exercises are practiced for pay upon the human body by anyone using mechanical, therapeutic or bathing devices or techniques..."

Some exceptions include massages performed by physicians, chiropractors, registered or practical nurses. Also excluded from the present ordinance are licensed hospitals, medical clinics, nursing homes or beauty salons/barber shops in which massages are administered only to the scalp, the face, the neck or shoulders.

'Massage is no longer the tittering kind of establishment it once was.'

Melissa McLaughlin
Canton trustee

The proposed ordinance states that any massage business opening in Canton must be licensed - through a process similar to the licensing of day care centers - and must exist within certain zoning districts, among other things.

Canton Clerk Terry Bennett said massage therapists must be certified by the National Certification Board of Therapeutic Massage and Body Work, a national professional board. The certification process, she added, is lengthy and expensive.

Massage businesses are not regulated by the state.

Community Planner Jeff Goulet said that he was not aware of any new massage-oriented businesses requesting to open in Canton, but some Canton salons have expressed an interest in offering massage services.


"The nature of massage has changed a lot," Goulet said.

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The Blazer Babes rehearse Christmas carols at the Blazer dance studio in the Golden Gate Shopping Center on Lilley Road in Canton Wednesday for their upcoming area performances. From left, in the front, are Alexandra Mayo of Plymouth, 8, Amanda Bednarz of Canton, 10, and Morgan Rice of Plymouth, 6. Behind them are Danielle Gomrick of Canton, 10, Brittany Schmidt of Canton, 12, at the far back left, Kristianna Mayo of Plymouth, 10, Allison Kirby of Canton, 12, Corrie Olson of Canton, 15, and Alexis Hotz of Canton, 10.

'BABES'

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"It's really a fun class - we dance, we sing, we talk together and play together."

Kristianna takes the song and dance class with Alexandra, her 8-year-old sister. They have a dance studio in their basement.

"A lot of my friends are in the class and we really like to sing and dance," Alexandra said, adding that her favorite song to rehearse is "Let It Snow."

Blazer, a Canton High graduate, is attending Washtenaw Community College and wants to become a teacher - once she gets the performing bug out of her system.

She became a dance teacher for the first time as a 13-year-old to help her mother, who was suddenly without a dance instructor. She agreed and has been teach-

ing ever since. She already had 10 years under her belt as a dancer the first time she taught.

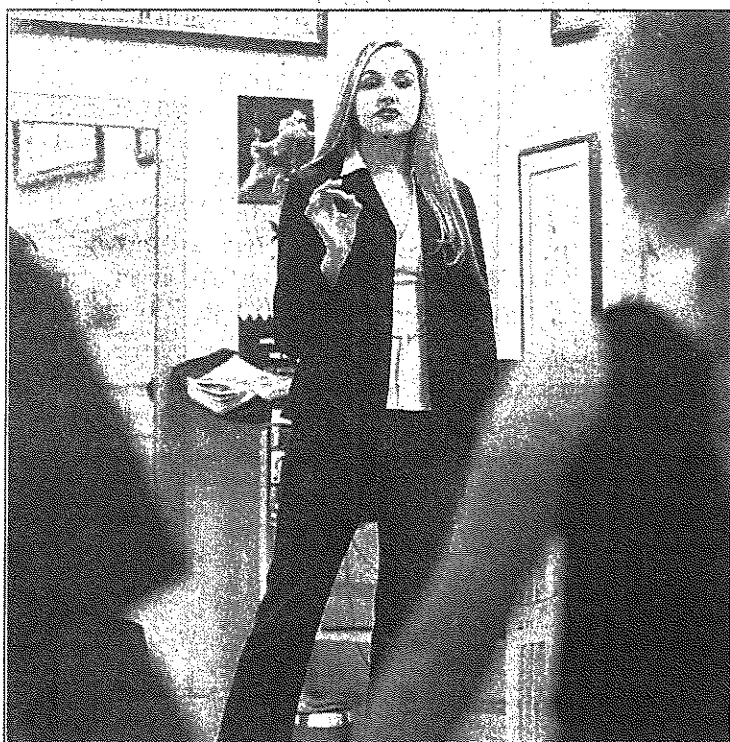
Since then, Blazer has nurtured her love of singing and dancing by singing in Canton High's madrigal choir and, most recently, modeling in auto shows for Chevrolet.

She is constantly eyeing her next audition - and has set her sights on the Big Apple. She's not ruling out working in another theme park, or even on a cruise ship.

Other Blazer Babes include Amanda Bednarz, Kacie Burns, Alexis Hotz, Allison Kirby, Carrie Olson, Morgan Rice, Brittany Schmidt and Danielle Gomrick.

Their first "gig" will be Dec. 8 at Waltonwood, an assisted living development on Canton Center. A 1950s-themed show is also planned.

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Justine Blazer gives pointers to her performers during a rehearsal of Christmas carols at the Blazer dance studio in the Golden Gate Shopping Center on Lilley Road in Canton Wednesday for their upcoming area performances.

OBITUARIES

Donald Francis Atkins

Services for Donald Atkins, 75, of Plymouth were held Nov. 23 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with burial in Parkview Cemetery in Livonia.

Mr. Atkins was born May 23, 1927 in Olean, N.Y., and died Nov. 20 in Ann Arbor. He was a sales rep for DuPont Company for 26 years, retiring in 1993. He sold photo X-ray products. Prior to working for DuPont, he worked for Millard Fillmore Hospital in Buffalo, N.Y., as a chief technologist. He came to the Plymouth community in 1969 from Buffalo after having lived there for 13 years.



Atkins

He was past-president (city, state, and national) of the American Society of Radiologist Technicians. He was truly respected by doctors, technicians and hospital staff. He loved national parks and the outdoors. He was a sports fan, and he enjoyed reading. He loved all the festivals in Plymouth each year.

Survivors include his wife of 51 years, Frances of Plymouth; daughter, Kim Marie Atkins of Ann Arbor; sons, Terrence (Suzanne) Atkins of Medford, N.J. and Dana Francis (Colleen) Atkins of Plymouth; grandchildren, Devon and Blake Atkins; brothers, Richard Atkins of Salamanca, N.Y., and Terrance Atkins of Rochester, N.Y.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association or the American Diabetes Association.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Patricia A. Hanschu

Services for Patricia Hanschu, 68, of Plymouth were held Nov. 21 at St. Michael Lutheran Church with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery.

Ms. Hanschu was born Nov. 16, 1934, in Dearborn and died Nov. 19 at Superior Woods Nursing Home. She worked as a teacher.

Survivors include brother, Norman W. (Joyce); brother, Richard A. (Lura); sister, Claudene M. (Peter) Nolan; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great-nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 Sheldon Road, Canton, MI 48187; or share a "Memorial Tribute" with the family at griffinfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements were made by L.J. Griffin Funeral Home Canton Chapel.

Stephen J. Buentello

Services for Stephen Buentello, 47, of Plymouth were held Nov. 21 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with Daniel S. Buentello officiating.

Mr. Buentello was born Aug. 13, 1955 in Detroit and died Nov. 18 in Superior Township. He retired from the General Motors Powertrain Plant. He came to the Plymouth community in 1981 from Detroit. He was a loving father, brother, and brother-in-law. He enjoyed family vacations and telling jokes.

Mr. Buentello was preceded in death by his wife, Terry Buentello.

Survivors include children, Joseph Buentello of Plymouth and Jeremy Buentello of Plymouth; brothers, Dave (Lynn) Buentello, Jr. of Howell, Frank (Aziza) Buentello of Washington D.C., Danny (Sandy) Buentello of Boston, Mass.; and brother-in-law, Kevin (Sylvia) Dove of Howell.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Stephen Buentello Family Fund.

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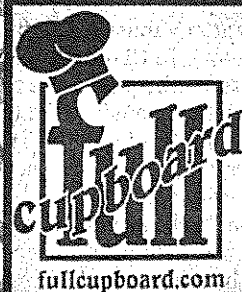
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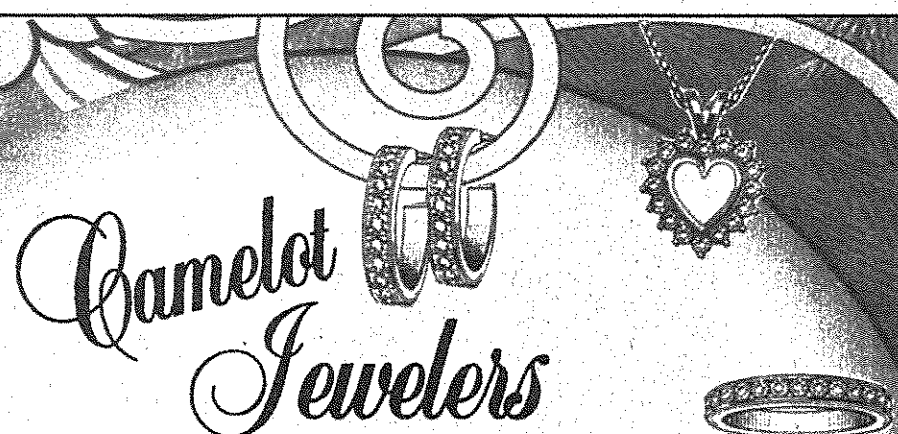
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Confirm flight schedules first: Passengers should check with their airline reservation centers on the web or through their airline toll free phone lines to confirm flight schedules. Airline "800" numbers and website links are available on the airport's website at www.metroairport.com.

Arrive early: New security procedures may cause delays at the airline ticket counters and passenger screening checkpoints. Plan on arriving at DTW at least two to three hours before scheduled departure times. This should allow ample time for parking, check-in and passenger screening.

Tune to 920 AM: Motorists within three to four miles of DTW can tune their radio dials to 920 AM for general airport information.

Parking Tips: Airport management is recommending that travelers call the airport's 24-hour parking hotline (800-642-1978) to determine parking status. The hotline is staffed round-the-clock by parking employees with up-to-the-minute parking information at the airport.

There is plenty of parking available at Detroit Metro Airport! Economy parking, with shuttle service, is still available in the airport's red and green lots at the north end of the airport, and travelers are reminded that website coupons for long-term parking in the airport's Big Blue Deck are still available by visiting www.metroairport.com. Valet parking is still available at the McNamara Terminal parking garage, as are long-term and short-term parking.

Strict curbside greeting procedures: Due to new federal regulations, motorists are not allowed to idle at terminal curbsides. Terminal curbsides are open, but are reserved for active loading and unloading of passengers only. Unattended vehicles at the curbsides are prohibited, and may be ticketed and towed.

Curbside check-IN: Curbside check-in is operating for most airline carriers.

Passenger screening checkpoints: Passengers may experience long lines at the security checkpoints due to enhanced screening procedures. These lines vary according to the time of day. However, airport management is still advising passengers to allow extra time, 2 hours for domestic flights and 3 hours for international flights. Only passengers with boarding passes will be allowed through the airline passenger screening checkpoints.

Luggage: Luggage ID tags should be filled out, both on the inside and outside of bags, before arrival to the airport. Passengers are allowed one carry-on bag, plus a purse or briefcase. Remember to pack valuables such as jewelry, cameras, medication, passports, and money in carry-on luggage.

Meeters & Greeters: Since only ticketed passengers are permitted beyond passenger screening checkpoints, meeters and greeters are encouraged to identify a meeting place beforehand with their party. A suggested meeting place is the airline luggage claim areas.

Passengers can expect big changes at Metro Airport

BY JOHN HALL
CORRESPONDENT

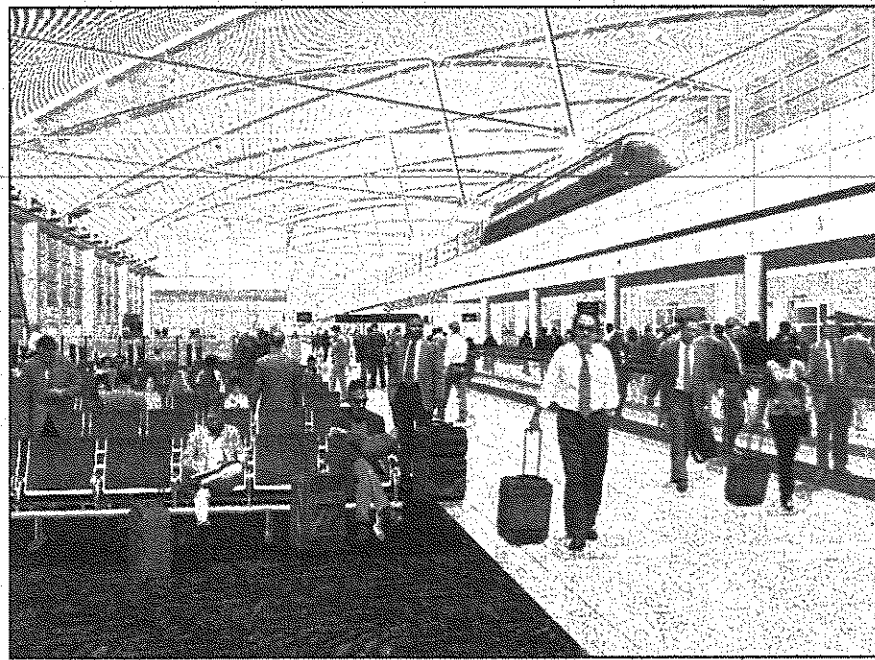
Thanksgiving holiday travelers should expect to see a lot of new looks this year at Detroit Metropolitan Airport (DTW) — both from a security and aesthetic point of view. Travelers should still expect the usual crush of people and flights but they should also be prepared for some big changes, which may make it necessary to leave even earlier than usual.

"One of the biggest misconceptions about holiday travel at the airport is parking," said DTW spokesman Brian Lassaline. "We have plenty of parking available at Metro Airport especially around the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, because of a decline in business travel at these times. In addition, this year we have a beautiful new 11,500-space parking structure adjacent to our new McNamara Terminal, which provides travelers with even more parking options."

Travelers can also park in the airport's red and green economy lots at the north end of the airport, or take advantage of the airport's website coupon program (www.metroairport.com) for a great parking value in the airport's Big Blue Deck across from the L.C. Smith Terminal. Shuttle buses pick up on the first and third levels of the Big Blue Deck every 15 minutes for trips to all of Metro Airport's terminals.

"The Wednesday before (Nov. 27) and the Sunday after Thanksgiving (Dec. 1) are typically two of the busiest travel days of the year at Detroit Metro Airport," said Lester Robinson, director of airports. "Since this is the first Thanksgiving holiday that our new McNamara Terminal/Northwest WorldGateway has been open, many passengers will notice quite an improvement in their travel experience, from past seasons."

DTW will also have several programs



Thanksgiving will be the first time many travelers will be using the new McNamara Terminal at Metro Airport. The terminal features an overhead monorail and moving sidewalks.

to help boost travelers' holiday spirit, and make traveling through the airport this holiday season more convenient and enjoyable, including a special appearance by the Radio City Rockettes on Wednesday, Nov. 27. The Rockettes will be promoting their "Christmas Spectacular" at the Fox Theatre by passing out candy canes and entertaining.

NEW SCREENING PROCEDURES

Effective Tuesday, Nov. 19, the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) began requiring all travelers flying out of DTW to obtain their boarding passes prior to entering the passenger screening checkpoints.

E-ticket receipts, itineraries and vouchers will no longer allow access through the screening checkpoints. In addition, passengers 18 years of age or older must show a valid government

issued photo ID when passing through the checkpoints.

For e-ticket holders, boarding passes can be obtained from the airline ticket counters, skycafe curbside check-in booths, or any of the e-ticket kiosks throughout the airport by certain airlines, or passengers should check with their airline as to how to obtain a boarding pass.

The new procedures are part of a TSA pilot program being tested at DTW as well as Los Angeles and San Bernardino airports to make aircraft boarding quicker and more convenient. The TSA expects to implement these new procedures soon at all U.S. airports.

"We are happy to work with the TSA in any way we can," said Robinson. "These procedures, while new to some, should make the passenger boarding process much smoother and more convenient for our travelers."

THE BIG CHANGES

Since last Thanksgiving, the look of DTW has changed dramatically with the addition of the Edward H. McNamara Terminal in late February 2002. Below are some of the highlighted changes.

According to DTW spokesperson Mike Conway, the new terminal "has dramatically improved the convenience, efficiency and travel experience for passengers flying Metro airport's hub carrier, Northwest Airlines. Passengers traveling through the new terminal are treated to an aesthetically pleasing terminal with high ceilings, natural light and over 100 ticket counter positions and 90 e-ticket machines."

Directly across from the new McNamara Terminal is the 11,500-space parking structure, which nearly doubled the amount of available parking for Metro's travelers. The new garage features long-term, short-term, and valet parking options and connects to the new McNamara Terminal via a climate-controlled pedestrian bridge.

John Dingell Drive, formerly referred to as the airport's South Access Road, provides airport travelers with access to the airport off of Eureka Road and I-275 to the airport's south. Access to the airport is now available from I-94 and Merriman, to the north, or from I-275 and Eureka to the south.

"Because pleasure travelers around this time of year tend to be picked up and dropped off at the airport, our terminal curbsides are what tend to become congested," added Lassaline. "Travelers are reminded that the curbsides are reserved for active loading and unloading only — and this will be strictly enforced by airport police. We recommend that friends and family picking up travelers, park in one of the airport's nearby short term lots and meet their party at a predesignated location, such as the airline baggage claim areas."

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■ Hanukkah pairings

For tips on pairing holiday foods with wine check out www.wineanswers.com. For Hanukkah, Louise Fiszler, a California-based cooking teacher and author of "Jewish Holiday Feasts," suggests that a crisp California Chardonnay partners well with latkes topped with tart apple sauce or sour cream and a Cabernet Sauvignon or a Merlot are a great match for the brisket.

■ Turkey time

Don't panic if you're cooking Thanksgiving dinner for the first time. Click and go to www.oceanspray.com for recipes, tips and advice. Here's a recipe for leftover turkey and cranberry sauce.

TURKEY SALAD WITH CRANBERRY FETA DRESSING

1 head red leaf lettuce
12-16 slices cooked turkey
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1 cup whole berry cranberry sauce
2 tablespoons vinegar
1 tablespoon sugar
1 cup crumbled feta cheese
1/2 cup oil

Line 4 salad plates with lettuce. Arrange 3 or 4 slices of turkey on plates. Sprinkle with 2 tablespoons each of sweetened dried cranberries and pecans. Set aside. Put cranberry sauce, vinegar, sugar and half of the feta cheese in a blender. Blend for a few seconds on high speed. Remove the cap in the center of the blender lid; place lid back on blender. With the blender running, slowly add oil through the hole in the lid. Stir in remaining feta cheese. Serve salad with dressing drizzled on top or on the side. Makes 4 salads.

BY LANA MINI
STAFF WRITER

Dolores Padgett and her crew at Baker's Rack in Plymouth are laying out cookie cutters, stocking up on chocolate, and getting out the red and green sprinkles in anticipation of cookie orders that will start pouring in after Thanksgiving.

"During Thanksgiving people want pies," she said. "At Christmas, we sell a lot of cookies."

Mary Denning is also preparing for the holiday cookie rush at Mary Denning's Pastry Shoppe in Westland. Even though many cookies aren't too difficult to make at home — like chocolate chip or thumbprint — many people are just too busy to bake.

"People have bought cookies from me for their cookie exchange," Denning said with a laugh. "They don't tell anyone that they were purchased... our cookies are baked fresh with homemade dough."

Good cookies can still be made quickly.

Gadgets like the cookie press will shape sugar cookie dough easily. Denning says simple recipes like butter cookies that have limited ingredients are difficult to ruin.

"A good basic butter cookie is easy. And once you master the recipe, it can be built on."

The most common cookie error is over-mixing, Denning said.

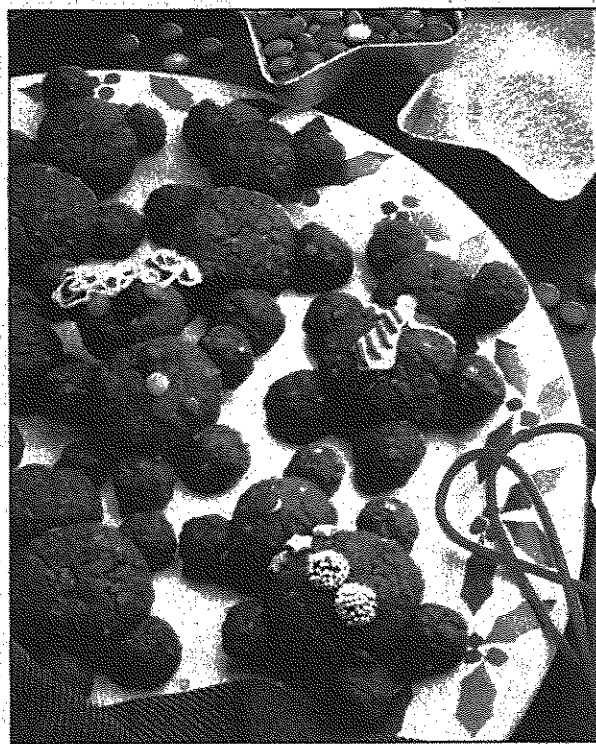
Cream and butter are the cookie "cement" that is creamed first. Eggs give the lightness, and the dry ingredients are the "brick," she said.

"There is a reason why we mix things in the order listed by the recipe. Some ingredients need only a little bit of mixing. If not, the cookies will not be right."

Over-mixing can add too much air to dense doughs like chocolate chip and ruin the consistency, said Jeff Pavlik, owner of Farmington Bakery in Farmington. Over-whipping can cause the dough to spread to thin or thick, he said.

The sec-

Chocolate Cookie Bears were developed for kids who are learning their way around the kitchen. Of course, a grown-up should supervise in the baking task but even young kids can handle the decorating process.



ond big error is over-baking.

"Cookies bake on the sheet for at least one minute after they are removed from the oven," Denning said.

Her baking tip — always use real butter for the best flavor.

Keeping butter at room temperature is also crucial, said Pavlik. Heating cold butter in a microwave is not a good idea because it results in uneven dough texture.

TEDIOUS COOKIES ARE POPULAR

The most popular types of cookies are also the most tedious to bake, Pavlik said. For example, cutout cookies are time-consuming because the dough is constantly being rolled and rerolled. Farmington Bakery sells many hand-cut holiday cookies to customers looking to save time, he said.

Gingerbread cookies are tedious to bake and therefore are big-sellers for Pavlik. For families who like to decorate gingerbread cookies, Farmington Bakery also sells them undecorated.

The popularity of the cookie flavor depends on the age group, said Denning, who lives in Garden City and is the advanced pastry instructor at Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn.

"The most popular are definitely shortbread and sugar cutouts," Padgett said. "Candy canes, Santa faces and wreath shapes... we'll sell more than 90 dozen of them."

At Denning's shop, children almost always choose cookies with either frosting, M&M's or sprinkles. Those toppings can be added to a simple butter cookie. Adults, she said, request old-fashioned comfort cookies — chocolate chip, gingerbread, macaroon, oatmeal and peanut butter.

Just last week, Denning took an order for chocolate chip cookies that will be sent to an American serviceman in Kuwait who is missing Christmas in Michigan this year.

For holiday parties, she recommends heavier fruit cookies, such as cherry nut, date or orange wal-



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Pictured clockwise from top to bottom: Cinnamon apple butter spritz, orange spritz, almond snowflakes and thumbprint cookies. All recipes are simple with no more than 10 ingredients in each and require few preparation steps.

nut. Russian tea cakes topped with confectioner's sugar can add a touch of elegance to cookie platters, Denning said.

Bar cookies are the easiest to make at home for those who still want home-baked treats, Pavlik said.

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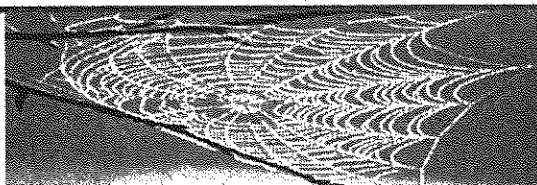
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Side dish

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■ Hanukkah pairings

For tips on pairing holiday foods with wine check out www.wineanswers.com. For Hanukkah, Louise Fiszler, a California-based cooking teacher and author of "Jewish Holiday Feasts," suggests that a crisp California Chardonnay partners well with latkes topped with tart apple sauce or sour cream and a Cabernet Sauvignon or a Merlot are a great match for the brisket.

■ Turkey time

Don't panic if you're cooking Thanksgiving dinner for the first time. Click and go to www.oceanspray.com for recipes, tips and advice. Here's a recipe for leftover turkey and cranberry sauce.

TURKEY SALAD WITH CRANBERRY FETA DRESSING

1 head red leaf lettuce
12-16 slices cooked turkey
1/2 cup Ocean Spray® Craisins® Original Sweetened Dried Cranberries
1/2 cup chopped pecans
1 cup whole berry cranberry sauce
2 tablespoons vinegar
1 tablespoon sugar
1 cup crumbled feta cheese
1/2 cup oil

Line 4 salad plates with lettuce. Arrange 3 or 4 slices of turkey on plates. Sprinkle with 2 tablespoons each of sweetened dried cranberries and pecans. Set aside. Put cranberry sauce, vinegar, sugar and half of the feta cheese in a blender. Blend for a few seconds on high speed. Remove the cap in the center of the blender lid; place lid back on blender. With the blender running, slowly add oil through the hole in the lid. Stir in remaining feta cheese. Serve salad with dressing drizzled on top or on the side. Makes 4 salads.

BY LANA MINI
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Dolores Padgett and her crew at Baker's Rack in Plymouth are laying out cookie cutters, stocking up on chocolate, and getting out the red and green sprinkles in anticipation of cookie orders that will start pouring in after Thanksgiving.

"During Thanksgiving people want pies," she said. "At Christmas, we sell a lot of cookies."

Mary Denning is also preparing for the holiday cookie rush at Mary Denning's Pastry Shoppe in Westland. Even though many cookies aren't too difficult to make at home — like chocolate chip or thumbprint — many people are just too busy to bake.

"People have bought cookies from me for their cookie exchange," Denning said with a laugh. "They don't tell anyone that they were purchased... our cookies are baked fresh with homemade dough."

Good cookies can still be made quickly.

Gadgets like the cookie press will shape sugar cookie dough easily. Denning says simple recipes like butter cookies that have limited ingredients are difficult to ruin.

"A good basic butter cookie is easy. And once you master the recipe, it can be built on."

The most common cookie error is over-mixing, Denning said.

Cream and butter are the cookie "cement" that is creamed first. Eggs give the lightness, and the dry ingredients are the "brick," she said.

"There is a reason why we mix things in the order listed by the recipe. Some ingredients need only a little bit of mixing. If not, the cookies will not be right."

Over-mixing can add too much air to dense doughs like chocolate chip and ruin the consistency, said Jeff Pavlik, owner of Farmington Bakery in Farmington. Over-whipping can cause the dough to spread to thin or thick, he said.

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"Cookies bake on the sheet for at least one minute after they are removed from the oven," Denning said.

Her baking tip — always use real butter for the best flavor.

Keeping butter at room temperature is also crucial, said Pavlik. Heating cold butter in a microwave is not a good idea because it results in uneven dough texture.

TEDIOUS COOKIES ARE POPULAR

The most popular types of cookies are also the most tedious to bake, Pavlik said. For example, cutout cookies are time-consuming because the dough is constantly being rolled and rerolled. Farmington Bakery sells many hand-cut holiday cookies to customers looking to save time, he said.

Gingerbread cookies are tedious to bake and therefore are big-sellers for Pavlik. For families who like to decorate gingerbread cookies, Farmington Bakery also sells them undecorated.

The popularity of the cookie flavor depends on the age group, said Denning, who lives in Garden City and is the advanced pastry instructor at Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn.

"The most popular are definitely shortbread and sugar cutouts," Padgett said. "Candy canes, Santa faces and wreath shapes... we'll sell more than 90 dozen of them."

At Denning's shop, children almost always choose cookies with either frosting, M&M's or sprinkles. Those toppings can be added to a simple butter cookie. Adults, she said, request old-fashioned comfort cookies — chocolate chip, gingerbread, macaroon, oatmeal and peanut butter.

Just last week, Denning took an order for chocolate chip cookies that will be sent to an American serviceman in Kuwait who is missing Christmas in Michigan this year.

For holiday parties, she recommends heavier fruit cookies, such as cherry nut, date or orange wal-



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ZIN IN CALIFORNIA

More than 32,000 acres of zinfandel vines are now planted in California wine regions. It ranks second only to cabernet sauvignon in red wine popularity.

Some plantings are 50-100 years old, and generally wines with greater concentration and complexity are crafted from these old and gnarled vines.

When a winery bottles a zinfandel from ancient vines, the label usually indicates this. Examples are Martini Gnarly Vine, Seghesio Old Vine, Kunde Century Vines, Rodney Strong Knotty Vines and Dry Creek Heritage Clone.

Independent of its origins or where it is grown in California, zinfandel's intrinsic deep color, zesty bramble bush berry, cherry and blackberry fruit with complex, spicy characters and great structure make it an ideal choice for the Thanksgiving feast.

The Healds are Troy residents who write about wine, spirits and food for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. To leave them a message, dial (734) 953-2047, mailbox 1864.

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Potatoes play savory role in holiday feast side dishes

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The centerpiece of the family Thanksgiving feast is most often the legendary turkey. Almost as important on most tables, however, are the beloved side dishes we look forward to as much as the main event.

Potatoes are a favorite choice to

play this essential supporting role, sometimes in classic mashed form, sometimes in tasty alternative guise.

Some of those alternatives are very easy to make. Here are two recipes for festive potato dishes from home cooks who have had plenty of experience, as wives of leaders in the Idaho potato industry.

GARLIC POTATOES

3 medium (6 to 8 ounces each) potatoes, well scrubbed
Cooking spray
Pepper to taste
1/2 stick butter (1/4 cup)
1 medium onion, chopped (about 3/4 cup)
1 teaspoon garlic salt

Preheat oven to 400° F. Spray a loaf pan or small casserole with cooking spray. Slice potatoes, with skins on, into pan or dish. Season with pepper.

In a small saucepan, over medium heat, saute butter with chopped onion and garlic salt for 5 minutes, or until onions are soft. Pour onion mixture over the potatoes.

Cover pan with foil and bake for 35 to 40 minutes.

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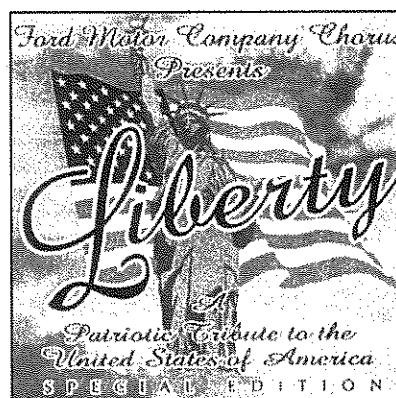
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Chorus gives voice to patriotic songs on CD

Ready for a break from Muzak holiday tunes?
The Ford Motor Company Chorus may have just what you need.
It's called Liberty – a collection of patriotic songs and American standards that guarantee to move you to march, sing or get a little misty-eyed.
"We had it in our files and we sang it last summer for the Canton Liberty Fest. I almost broke down. It just grabs you. Liberty," said chorus member Tom Morgan of Livonia. "This is a perfect (patriotic tribute) to put on the CD player. It's very heart-touching if you are an American and you love your country."
Narration weaves together patriotic songs such as *The Star-Spangled Banner*, *Yankee Doodle*, *You're a Grand Old Flag*, *America The Beautiful* and *My Country 'Tis of Thee*. Several military tunes, including *Caissons Go Rolling Along* and *When Johnny Comes Marching Home*, salute the armed forces. The group also sings familiar American folk songs, including *I've Been Workin' On the Railroad* and *O Susanna*.
"It's a live concert and you can tell when you listen to it," Morgan described the CD, which was recorded at St. Michael Church, Livonia. "You might even hear a sneeze or cough in the background."
He said the live performance adds excitement to the CD recording and that listeners may feel moved to sing along with the familiar music.
"There's probably no song there that hasn't been heard before," he said.
The *Liberty* CD also gave students from several high school choirs a chance to record.
"We sent letters out to choral directors across the state, asking for their five best students," Morgan said. "We took kids from



13 high schools and they recorded a song called *50 States in Rhyme*.
Students came from as far away as Houghton Lake High and as near as Garden City and Plymouth Salem high schools.
The chorus has toured throughout Michigan, singing songs from the CD, which was released in July.
"We recently went to Crosswell, north of Port Huron, where we were asked to do a patriotic concert. We do travel."
The 70-member chorus, made up of Ford employees or their close relatives, also has toured abroad. The group sang a Mass at St. Peter Basilica in Rome five years ago. Other trips took the singers to Germany, France and Austria.
"The chorus actually started out as a recreational group for employees at Ford in the 1940s," Morgan said. "We are like family."
The group rehearses Monday nights at Ford's world headquarters in Dearborn. Ford employees and their families may join without an audition.
"We also have The Tempos which is an audition group. It's about 20 people and we do a lot harder music than the chorus. We sing at smaller parties."
Listen to the full chorus will sing holiday music at its annual Christmas concert, 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 15, at Ford Community and Performing Arts Center, Dearborn.



Focus on Photography

Monte Nagler

'Wander' on your vacation to find great photography subjects

Every so often when planning your travels, try to include a "wandering" trip. I do them often and they sure pay off with rewarding photographs.
What do I mean by a "wandering" trip? It's one where there is no set itinerary, no set

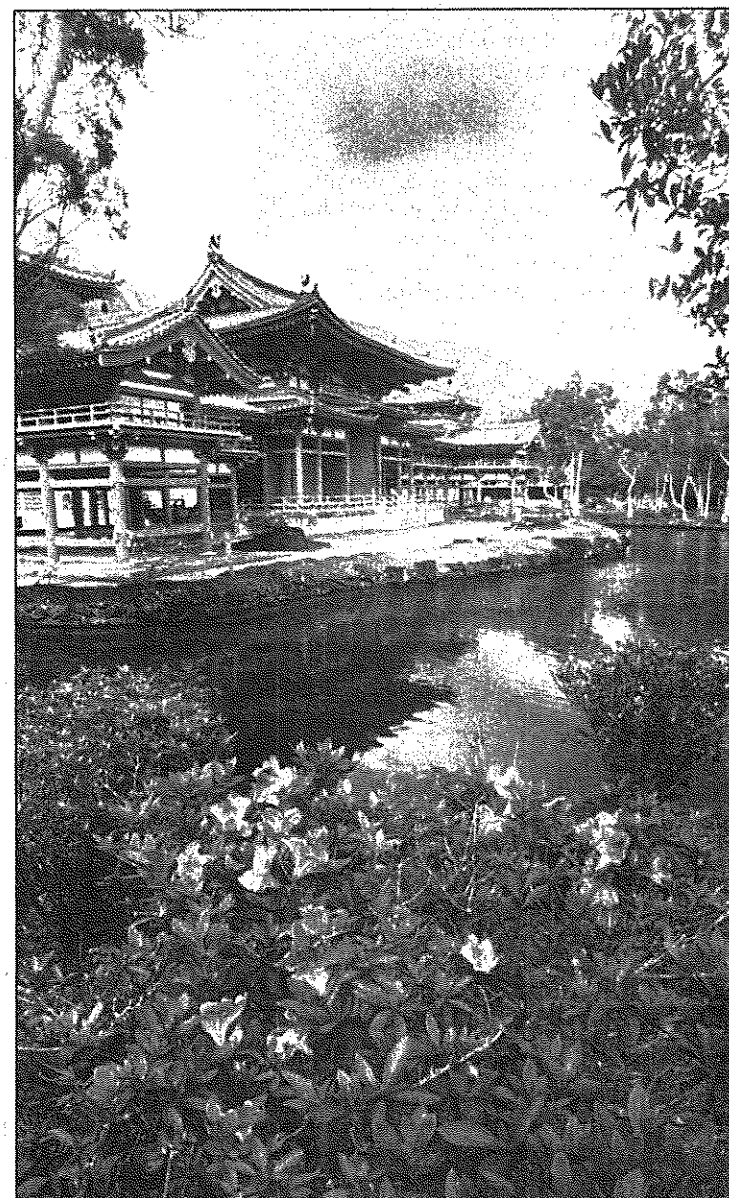
plans, just getting there and wandering or hanging loose during the journey. Sometimes it's not even knowing where you might be from day to day or where you might be spending the evening. Sound exciting? You bet! And your photo-

graphs will be all the better.
Whether it's a local photography trip for a few days or an extended vacation overseas, wandering is an exciting way to go. Often, it's the way of seeing and photographing real people and real places.

On a trip to Hawaii, I decided to wander for a few days. I was on the island of Oahu and wanted to see what out-of-the-way places awaited me and my camera. I had no itinerary, just a few days to roam. I drove all around the island finding many photographic opportunities from sensational coastal shots to lush gardens and interesting tropical vegetation.

One of my favorite stops is shown in the picture here. It's called the Byodoin Temple and is a magical place to photograph. I literally stumbled onto this wealth of picture possibilities. I felt I had suddenly been "beamed" to the Orient. Careful composition and exposure produced one of my most memorable pictures of the trip.
You'll be amazed at what you'll encounter on a wandering trip. You'll have a great time and will be proud of your photographs.

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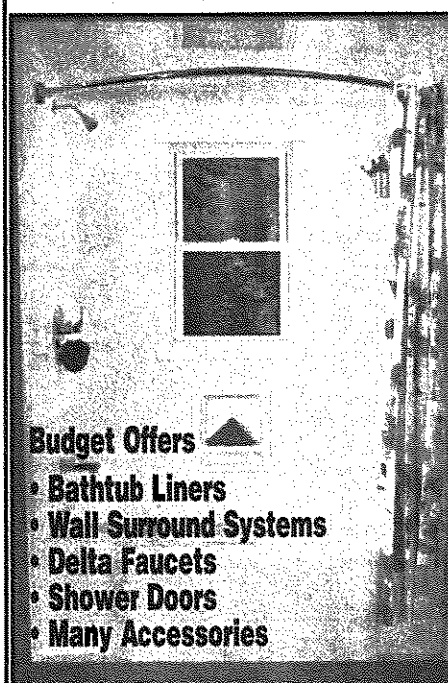
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These books make perfect holiday gifts for children

BY VICKI DIAZ
CORRESPONDENT

Next time you face the holiday rush, why not take this column along? It's a list of six titles guaranteed to gladden the hearts of young readers on The Day. Each book is easy to find and easy to wrap. Also important: No assembly and not a single battery required.

■ **Henry Hikes to Fitchburg**, by D.B. Johnson (Houghton Mifflin, \$15.00, ages 5-9).

Selected by the New York Times as one of the year's 10 Best Illustrated Books, this charming adventure introduces kids to the likes of Henry David Thoreau, Ralph Waldo Emerson, Nathaniel Hawthorne, and Bronson Alcott, although not one of them makes an actual appearance. In the book, the bearish title character and an ursine friend make a deal as they plan a visit to Fitchburg. Henry will walk, they decide, but his friend

will work until he's earned enough to buy a train ticket to the city; then they'll see who gets there first. The tale is supposedly based on a real occurrence in Thoreau's life. Endnotes feature fun facts on the famous Americans, and the blocky, colorful illustrations are sure to entertain and amuse.

■ **I Walk at Night**, by Lois Duncan; illustrated by Steve Johnson and Lou Fancher (Viking, \$15.99, ages 5-9).

Another selection on the aforementioned New York Times list, *I Walk at Night* packs special appeal for feline fans of all ages. In it, a sleek calico tells us her nighttime tale ("...when your eyelids close/I tread on silken toes./Drawn by sweet memories/of caves and jungle trees"). The midnight-blue and dreamy-green illustrations perfectly complement the gentle, evocative verse.

■ **The Boy Who Ran to the Woods**, by Jim Harrison; illustrated by Tom Pohrt (Atlantic

Monthly Press, \$18.95, ages 8-up).

Written by a noted Michigan author and illustrated by an Ann Arbor artist, this enthralling story about childhood tragedy is set in Michigan's north woods. Jimmy, a high-strung seven-year-old (his family calls him a "wild child"), loses an eye in an accident and eventually finds himself through the articulate lessons of nature. Harrison has authored several novellas, six novels, seven poetry collections, plus much noted non-fiction, and this brief tale ranks among his most eloquent work. Pohrt's carefully detailed, woody palette features white pines, herons, loons, turtles, ravens, and other wild life, and captures the mood throughout.

■ **Because of Winn-Dixie**, by Kate DiCamillo (Candlewick Press, \$15.99, ages 9-12).

In this Newbery Medal chapter book, readers meet ten-year-old India Opal Buloni and

her scruffy canine companion, Winn-Dixie (named after the supermarket where Opal first encounters him). DiCamillo writes a highly engaging, coming-of-age story about a girl who yearns for the mother who has walked out on her and her father years earlier. She also yearns for new friends, since she and her dad have just moved to the little town of Naomi, Florida, and she knows not a soul there. *Because of Winn-Dixie* comes to life through its colorful, endearing characters, its mossy Florida backdrop, and some delightful touches of humor. Opal's father is a preacher and the novel definitely contains food for thought, but it is never, ever preachy.

■ **The Doll People**, by Ann M. Martin and Laura Godwin; illustrated by Brian Selznick (Hyperion, \$15.99, ages 8-12).

In this imaginative and often-comical mystery novel, Annabelle is a "living doll"

who's been around for a century, even though she'll never be more than eight years old. She dwells in a Victorian dollhouse with the rest of her porcelain family, doing pretty much the same old thing every day, until a new and "modern" family—the Funcrafts—take up residence in their sparkly, pink plastic abode nearby. Annabelle quickly makes fast friends with neighbor Tiffany, and the two soon embark on many adventures together. Most of these adventures involve a search for Annabelle's Auntie Sarah Doll, gone missing more than forty years earlier. Some of the most amusing parts of the story occur when human characters intervene in the dolls' lives. At one point (thanks to the little girl who plays with them), toy chickens, cows, and horses pay a rather disruptive visit to the Dolls' Victorian parlor. At other times, Doll family members are stuffed unceremoniously into an open icebox, the kitchen

sink is abandoned on the stairway, and the Funcrafts' swimming pool is filled with grape soda, making for an icky, sticky patio. Selznick's black-and-white artwork doubles the pleasure of this enchanting read.

■ **The Legend of the Teddy Bear**, by Frank Murphy; illustrated by Gijbert van Frankenhuyzen (Sleeping Bear Press, \$16.95, ages 5-10).

From Michigan's Sleeping Bear Press comes this endearing tale centering on President Theodore Roosevelt and the young bear he allegedly refused to shoot while out hunting one day in 1902.

The resultant publicity apparently inspired a New York couple to create the first teddy bears. The rest, as they say, is history. As told on these pages, it's a delectable story, deliciously illustrated. Accompanied by a warm-and-fuzzy teddy bear, it could make the absolutely perfect gift.

Join Santa for pancakes

The Detroit Zoo will kick off its annual Wild Winter celebration with Santa and a pancake breakfast. The pancakes start flipping at 8:30 a.m. on Dec. 7, 14 and 21, in the zoo's Interpretive Gallery. The event costs \$35 for adults, \$30 for children, and includes break-

fast, photos with Santa, a special gift from Santa and an appearance by the Radio City Rockettes. Call (248) 541-5717 to reserve tickets. Zoo admission is \$8 for adults, \$6 for children, 2-12 and senior citizens, 62 and up. The zoo is open 10 a.m.-4 p.m. everyday.

SOUND BITES

A Love Supreme (Deluxe Edition) (Impulse, \$29.98) by John Coltrane. John Coltrane's passionate four-part suite, *A Love Supreme*, is a deeply personal statement of religious devotion that has become one of the essential jazz recordings.

The 1964 session finds Coltrane's classic quartet — with pianist McCoy Tyner, bassist Jimmy Garrison and drummer Elvin Jones — at their peak, mixing swing-like structures, modal playing, polyrhythms and a freer approach to improvisation.

Coltrane's tenor saxophone solos range from contemplative to exuberant.

This two-disc deluxe edition offers something for both the Coltrane initiate and devotee. The first disc is a newly remastered version of the original LP that eliminates some audio

flaws found on previous digital versions. The second disc includes the only live performance of the full suite — a concert at the 1965 Antibes jazz festival in France — that was previously available only on bootleg, non-U.S. releases. The 45-minute performance — 15 minutes longer than the recorded version — allows for extended solos by Coltrane and Garrison in the Pursuance section.

The rest of the disc comprises alternate takes from the original recording session, most notably two previously unreleased sextet versions of the opening movement Acknowledgement — with tenor saxophonist Archie Shepp and bassist Art Davis added — on which Coltrane's celebrated chanted passage is replaced by a tenor sax dialogue.

— Charles J. Gans, AP Writer

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Wayne County

Holiday Craft Show & Open House:

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Baskets, decorative and folk art painting, fine crafts, Christmas ornaments. (734) 455-2150
Christmas Craft Show: 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7, St. Thomas a'Becket

Catholic Church, 555 S. Lilley, Canton. More than 80 crafters, bake sale and lunch available. Admission \$2, under age 12 free. (734) 981-1333.

Oakland County

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<p>Showcase Pontiac 2405 Telegraph Rd. East side of Telegraph 248-334-6777 Bargain Matinees Daily • All Shows until 6 pm • Continuous Shows Daily Late Shows Fri. & Sat. & Sun. NP DENOTES NO PASS</p> <p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 10:50, 1:30, 4:10, 7:00, 9:45 NP FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) 11:45, 2:30, 5:00, 7:10, 9:10, 10:10 NP HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG) 11:30, 12:30, 3:00, 4:00, 6:30, 7:30, 9:50 8 MILE (R) 12:45, 3:30, 6:45, 9:30 THE SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) 12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 6:40, 9:00 1 SPY (PG13) 12:15, 2:30, 4:40, 6:40, 9:00 NP THE RING (PG13) 1:40, 4:20, 6:50, 9:20</p>	<p>Star Rochester Hills 200 Barclay Circle 248-453-2260 SUNDAY THRU TUESDAY No one under age 6 admitted for PG 13 & R rated films after 6 pm NP DENOTES NO VIP TICKETS</p> <p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 10:30, 1:45, 4:45, 7:45, 10:35 NP FRIDA (R) 11:20, 2:00, 4:35, 7:15, 10:00 NP HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG) 10:00, 12:00, 1:30, 3:30, 5:05, 7:00, 8:30, 10:25 NP HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) 11:00, 1:15, 3:45, 6:00, 8:15 8 MILE (R) 12:30, 3:00, 6:15, 8:45 SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) 12:15, 2:40, 5:45, 8:00, 10:15 1 SPY (PG) 10:45 AM ONLY JACKASS: THE MOVIE (R) 11:40, 2:20, 4:15, 6:30, 9:00 RING (PG13) 12:45, 4:00, 6:45, 9:20 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 1:00, 3:15, 5:25, 7:30, 9:40 STUDENT DISCOUNT NOW AVAILABLE WITH VALID SCHOOL I.D.</p>	<p>Monday - Thursday PLEASE CALL THEATRE FOR SHOWTIMES AT 248-960-5801 OR VISIT WWW.UATC.COM</p> <p>Birmingham 8 Uptown Birmingham 8 2115 Woodward Downtown Birmingham 644-FILM or visit www.birmingham8.com for ticket information and showtimes NP Denotes No Pass Engagements PURCHASE TICKETS BY PHONE: CALL (248) 644-FILM AND HAVE YOUR VISA, MASTERCARD OR AMERICAN EXPRESS READY. A \$16 SURCHARGE PER TICKET WILL APPLY TO ALL TELEPHONE SALES. SUNDAY THRU THURSDAY</p> <p>Now Featuring Art and Specialized Film MATINEE MOVIES \$6.00 BABY'S DAY OUT WEDNESDAY FAR FROM HEAVEN 11:00 AM NP FAR FROM HEAVEN (PG13) 12:00, 1:00, 2:30, 3:30, 5:00, 6:00, 7:30, 8:30, 10:00 WED 1:00, 2:30, 3:30, 5:00, 6:00, 7:30, 8:30, 10:00 NP THE EMPEROR'S CLUB (PG13) 11:30, 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30 STANDING IN THE SHADOWS OF MOTOHUN 11:40, 2:10, 4:45, 7:15, 9:35 COMEDIAN (R) 2:50, 7:50 PUNCH DRUNK LOVE (R) 11:35, 1:45, 4:00, 6:25, 8:50 FEMME FATALE (R) 2:55, 7:40 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 12:05, 2:05, 4:15, 6:20, 8:35 1 SPY (PG13) 12:10, 5:25 SWEET HOME ALABAMA (PG13) 12:15, 5:15, 9:50</p>	<p>MJR Waterford Cinema 16 7501 Highland Rd. S.E. corner M-59 & Williams Lake Rd. 24 Hour Movie Line 248-666-7900 CALL 77 FILMS \$5.51 Free Refill on Popcorn and Pop</p> <p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 12:15, 1:00, 3:15, 4:00 @ \$5.00 6:20, 7:00, 9:20, 10:00 NP FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) 1:30 (4:20 @ \$5.00) 6:50, 9:00 NP HARRY POTTER & THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG) 11:30, 12:00, 1:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 @ \$5.00 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 11:15, 4:30 @ \$5.00 7:00, 9:30 8 MILE (R) 12:45, 1:45, 4:00, 4:45, @ \$5.00 6:45, 7:20, 9:20, 10:00 SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) 11:30, 12:15, 1:00, 2:45 (4:00, 4:40, 5:30 @ \$5.00) 6:40, 7:20, 8:15, 9:45 1 SPY (PG13) 11:45, 2:15, 4:45 @ \$5.00 7:30, 10:00 JACKASS: THE MOVIE (R) 1:45, 4:50 @ \$5.00 7:40, 9:40 THE RING (PG13) 1:00 (4:10 @ \$5.00) 7:15, 9:55 SWEET HOME ALABAMA (PG13) 9:00 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 1:20 (4:30 @ \$5.00) 7:30, 9:45</p>	<p>Madstone Ann Arbor 462 Broadway Circle 734-984-1000</p> <p>SPIRITED AWAY (PG) 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30 THE GODFATHER II (R) 1:00, 7:00 REAL WOMEN HAVE CURVES (PG13) 1:05, 3:05, 5:05, 7:05, 9:05 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 COMEDIAN (R) 1:20, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20, 9:20 MOSTLY MARTHA (PG) 2:00, 4:30, 7:15, 9:25 THE GREY ZONE (R) 1:45, 4:15, 7:15, 9:30</p>
<p>Showcase Westland 1-8 6800 Wayne Rd. One blk. S. of Warren Rd. 313-729-1060 Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows until 6 pm Continuous Shows Daily Late Shows, Fri., Sat., Sun. & Mon. NP DENOTES NO PASS</p> <p>SANTA CLAUSE 2 12:00, 2:25, 4:50, 7:05, 9:40 HARRY POTTER (PG) 11:30, 12:30, 3:00, 4:00, 6:30, 7:30, 10:00 8 MILE (R) 10:50, 1:15, 4:05, 7:10, 9:55 DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 10:40, 1:30, 4:20, 7:15, 10:05 THE RING (PG13) 1:05, 3:40, 6:40, 9:20 FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (PG13) 12:45, 2:55, 5:05, 7:20, 9:45 JACKASS (R) 11:00, 1:00, 3:05, 5:15, 7:25, 9:25</p>	<p>Star Southfield 12 Mile between Telegraph and Northwestern off I-696 248-553-3781 No one under age 6 admitted for PG13 & R rated films after 6 pm FOR SHOWTIMES AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS BY PHONE CALL 248-372-2222 www.STAR-SOUTHFIELD.COM NP FEATURES - SORRY NO VIP DISCOUNT TICKETS ACCEPTED SUNDAY - TUESDAY Saturday Night & Family Nights at Star Southfield Star Southfield is committed to providing the best environment for family entertainment and to encourage families to get out to a movie, STAR SOUTHFIELD will provide a FREE SMALL POP AND POPCORN to all kids 16 and under if accompanied by a parent to all shows after 8:30 pm. During our Family Saturdays, no minors 16 years and under will be permitted entry unless with a parent after 8:30 pm, so grab Mom and Dad and head for THE MOVIES! PLEASE ONLY ONE TICKET PER ID FOR RATED & FILMS.</p>	<p>Birmingham Palladium 12 Uptown Palladium 12 250 North Old Woodward Ave. Downtown Birmingham 248-644-FILM www.birminghampalladium12.com Featuring 12 stadium seating auditoriums with state-of-the-art wall to wall curved screens, Dolby Digital surround sound, two giant concession stands, valet parking, Little Caesar's Pizza, Ray's Ice Cream and the all new Premiere Entertainment Auditorium. MATINEE MOVIES \$6.00 CELEBRATE NEW YEARS EVE AT NEW UPTOWN PALLADIUM 12 CHECK OUT OUR MIDNIGHT MOVIES</p> <p>BABY'S NIGHT OUT NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) MON. 7:00 NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) SUN, TUE. 11:10, 12:00, 2:05, 3:05, 5:00, 6:00, 8:00, 9:05; MON. 11:10, 12:00, 2:05, 3:05, 5:00 ALSO SHOWING IN THE PREMIERE ENTERTAINMENT AUDITORIUM SUN. 4:00 AND 7:00 ALSO SHOWING IN THE SCREENING ROOM SUN. 1:00; MON-TUE. 1:00, 4:00, 7:00 NP FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) SUN-TUE. 11:00, 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 9:40 NP HARRY POTTER (PG) SUN 11:00, 12:15, 1:05, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:20, 5:10, 6:10, 6:55, 7:55, 8:30; MON. TUE. 11:00, 12:15, 1:05, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:20, 5:10, 6:10, 7:55, 8:30 8 MILE (R) SUN-MON 11:30, 2:10, 4:50, 7:30, 9:30, 10:10, 10:30, 10:50 NP HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) 11:55, 2:15, 4:40, 6:45, 9:20 SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) SUN, TUE. 12:10, 2:20, 4:40, 7:15, 9:35; MON. 12:10, 2:20, 4:40, 7:15, 9:35 THE RING (PG13) SUN-TUE. 11:05, 1:40, 4:10, 6:50, 9:30</p>	<p>Maple Art Theatre III 4135 W. Maple, West of Telegraph Bloomfield Hills 248-542-0180 CALL 77 FILMS @ \$42 (DISCOUNTED SHOWINGS) TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE BOX OFFICE OR PHONE 248-542-0180 VISA AND MASTERCARD ACCEPTED</p> <p>SUNDAY - TUESDAY HIS SECRET LIFE (R) (12:00, 2:35, 5:15) 7:45, 10:15 FRIDA (R) (11:30, 2:00, 4:30) 7:15, 9:45 BOWLING FOR COLUMBINE (R) (11:45, 2:30, 5:00) 7:30, 10:00</p>	<p>Emagine Located in Fountain Walk on the south side to 12 Mile Road 1/4 Mile west of Novi Road</p> <p>GRAND OPENING Discover the Magic of Movies and More at Emagine • TICKETS NOW ON SALE AT OUR BOX OFFICE • HARRY POTTER & THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS</p> <p>18 ALL STADIUM AUDITORIUMS DIGITAL SOUND BEER, WINE & COCKTAILS Box Office Opens at 11:30 am</p> <p>SPIRITED AWAY (PG) 1:30, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30 THE GODFATHER II (R) 1:00, 4:15, 7:15, 9:30 REAL WOMEN HAVE CURVES (PG13) 1:05, 3:05, 5:05, 7:05, 9:05 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 1:10, 3:10, 5:10, 7:10, 9:10 RED DRAGON (R) 1:00, 3:25, 7:00, 9:20 MOSTLY MARTHA (PG) 2:00, 4:30, 7:15, 9:25 IN PRAISE OF LOVE (PG) 1:15, 3:15, 7:25, 9:35</p>
<p>Star Theatres The World's Best Theatres Bargain Matinees Daily \$5.75 All Shows Starting before 6:00 pm Now accepting Visa & MasterCard *NP Denotes No Pass Engagement</p> <p>Star Great Lakes Crossing Great Lakes Shopping Center 248-454-4566 NP DENOTES NO VIP TICKETS</p> <p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 11:00, 12:40, 1:15, 2:10, 3:50, 4:25, 5:35, 6:10, 7:00, 7:35, 8:40, 9:20, 10:10 NP FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) 10:30, 12:10, 1:30, 2:30, 3:40, 5:05, 6:20, 7:25, 8:30, 9:45 NP BOWLING FOR COLUMBINE (R) 10:55, 3:45, 6:35, 9:25 NP HARRY POTTER (PG) 10:50, 11:20, 11:50, 12:25, 1:05, 1:45, 2:25, 3:00, 3:30, 4:05, 4:45, 5:25, 6:40, 7:10, 7:45, 8:20, 9:05, 10:20 NP HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) 11:15, 1:40, 4:00, 6:30, 9:10 8 MILE (R) 10:40, 11:10, 12:00, 12:30, 1:20, 1:55, 2:40, 3:20, 3:55, 4:35, 5:15, 5:55, 6:50, 7:15, 8:00, 8:50, 9:30, 10:00 FRIDA (R) 12:15, 3:10, 6:00, 9:00 FEMME FATALE (R) 8:55 THE SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) 10:35, 11:30, 1:10, 2:00, 3:45, 4:30, 5:15, 6:15, 7:05, 9:40 1 SPY (PG13) 12:20, 2:50, 5:30, 8:10, 10:35 JACKASS: THE MOVIE (R) 11:45, 2:05, 5:10, 7:55, 10:15 PUNCH DRUNK LOVE (R) 10:40 PM ONLY THE RING (PG13) 12:55, 4:15, 6:55, 9:35 SWEET HOME ALABAMA (PG13) 11:35, 2:15, 5:00, 7:50, 10:30 MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG) 11:40, 2:20, 4:50, 7:20, 9:50</p>	<p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 10:05, 10:45, 12:00, 12:50, 1:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 6:10, 6:50, 7:30, 9:15, 9:50, 10:30 NP FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) 10:20, 10:55, 11:30, 12:30, 1:10, 1:50, 2:50, 3:20, 4:10, 5:00, 5:30, 6:30, 7:20, 7:50, 8:45, 9:30, 10:00 NP EMPEROR'S CLUB (PG13) 11:50, 2:30, 5:05, 7:40, 10:25 HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG) 10:00, 10:35, 11:25, 12:10, 1:05, 1:45, 2:20, 3:05, 3:45, 4:50, 5:50, 6:35, 8:35, 9:20, 10:05 HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) SUN 12:40, 1:20, 3:10, 5:40, 7:05, 8:10, 10:50 FRIDA (R) SUN 10:50, 11:20, 12:25, 1:50, 2:30, 3:25, 4:40, 5:35, 6:05, 6:45, 7:25, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20, 10:55 MON-TUES 10:50, 11:20, 12:25, 1:50, 2:30, 3:25, 4:40, 5:35, 6:05, 6:45, 7:25, 8:20, 9:00, 9:40, 10:20 THE SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) SUN 11:40, 2:25, 5:10, 7:45, 10:40; MON-TUES 11:40, 2:25, 5:10, 7:45 1 SPY (PG13) SUN 8:00 & 11:00; MON-TUES 8:00 THE RING (PG13) 12:20, 3:40, 6:15, 9:10 BROWN SUGAR (PG13) 10:15, 1:00, 3:30, 6:55, 9:35 STANDING IN THE SHADOW OF MOTOHUN 10:30, 4:00, 10:10</p>	<p>United Artists Theatres Bargain Matinees Daily, for all shows starting before 6:00 PM Same day advance tickets available. NP - No V.I.P. tickets accepted</p> <p>United Artists West River 9 Mile, 1/2 Block West of Middlebelt 248-788-6572</p> <p>0007 DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) NV 11:10, 4:20, 7:15, 10:15 FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) NV 12:25, 2:30, 4:40, 7:40, 9:50 HARRY POTTER CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG) NV 11:55, 12:15, 3:20, 3:40, 6:45, 7:05, 10:10, 10:30 8 MILE (R) 12:05, 4:00, 7:20, 10:05 SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G) 12:05, 2:20, 4:35, 7:25, 9:45 HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) NV 12:50, 3:35, 7:00, 10:20 THE RING (PG13) 12:30, 3:30, 7:10, 10:00 BROWN SUGAR (PG13) 12:30, 3:30, 7:10, 10:00</p>	<p>Oxford 7 Cinemas, L.L.C. Downtown Oxford Lakeside Rd. (Hwy 24) (248) 628-7101 Fax (248) 628-1300</p> <p>Ford Wyoming Drive-In Theatre Dearborn (313) 846-6910</p> <p>OPEN 6:30 PM Children Free • Electric In-Car Heaters ALWAYS TWO BIG PICTURES TOGETHER</p> <p>1-5 FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) UNDISPUTED (R) DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) BARBERSHOP (PG13) SUN. PAID IN FULL (R) BROWN SUGAR (PG13) 1 SPY (PG13) JACKASS: THE MOVIE (R)</p>	<p>MON-THURS WES CRAVEN PRESENTS: THEY (PG13) HALLOWEEN: RESURRECTION (R) 8 MILE (R) MARTIN LAWRENCE LIVE (R) HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) FORMULA 51 (R) BARGAIN NIGHTS WED & THUR EXCEPT 8 MILE AND HALF PAST DEAD 6-9 GHOST SHIP (R) THE RING (PG13) WES CRAVEN PRESENTS: THEY (PG13) HALLOWEEN: RESURRECTION (R) 8 MILE (R) MARTIN LAWRENCE LIVE (R) HALF PAST DEAD (PG13) FORMULA 51 (R) Theatre is Closed for the Season starting December 2 BARGAIN NIGHTS</p>
<p>Star John R at 14 Mile 32289 John R. Road 248-585-2070 No one under age 6 admitted for PG13 & R rated films after 6 pm PLEASE NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINK ALLOWED. YOU MUST BE 17 YEARS OF AGE TO PURCHASE A RATED & TICKET. VALID I.D. REQUIRED. ONLY ONE TICKET PER I.D. PLEASE NP DENOTES NO VIP TICKETS</p> <p>NP THE FRIDAY AFTER NEXT (R) SUN. 9:50, 12:05, 2:30, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30; MON-TUES 12:05, 2:30, 4:50, 7:10, 9:30 NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) SUN 10:10, 11:25, 1:30, 2:40, 4:30, 5:50, 6:40, 7:40, 9:05, 10:00, 11:00; MON-TUES 11:25, 1:30, 2:40, 4:30, 5:50, 6:40, 7:40, 9:05, 10:00 NP THE EMPEROR'S CLUB (PG13)</p>	<p>NP DIE ANOTHER DAY (PG13) 10:30, 12:10, 1:30, 2:30, 3:40, 5:05, 6:20, 7:25, 8:30, 9:45 NP BOWLING FOR COLUMBINE (R) 10:55, 3:45, 6:35, 9:25 </p>			

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LECTURES

Eastern Michigan University

Jeff Nathanson lecturing on "Defining Sculpture: A Discussion for the Twenty-First Century." 8 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 3, in 107-108 Ford Hall on the Eastern Michigan University campus, on Cross Street, opposite the Ypsilanti Watertower. Lecture is free and open to public. (734) 487-1213

Elaine L. Jacob Gallery

Heather White, 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5; Lin Stanionis, 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, 2003. White's lecture is in the Hilberry Room B, Student Center building, 5221 Gullen Mall, Wayne State University. Lin Stanionis' lecture is in Room 289, Student Center Building, 5221 Gullen Mall, Wayne State University. All lectures are free and open to public. (313) 577-2423

The Scarab Club

American Art of the West with Professor Michael Farrell, 1-3 p.m. Thursdays until Dec. 12; register: (313) 832-2022, 217 Farnsworth, Detroit

Washington Street Gallery

Gallery Talk-Professor Ted Ramsey and Marcia Polenberg will discuss their work on exhibit at 7 p.m., Friday, Dec. 6 at 215 E. Washington St., Ann Arbor (handicap accessible) (734) 761-2287

SPECIAL EVENTS

Belian Art Center

A fund-raiser for Green Balkans at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 30 at Belian Art Center on the southeast corner of Rochester Road and Square Lake Road in Troy. Admission \$10/adults, \$5/students with photo ID, free refreshments. For more information, call (248) 828-7804.

Epiphany Glass

Third annual Holiday Show, from 2-10 p.m., Friday, Dec. 6, at 770 Orchard Lake Road, east of Telegraph. Glass blowing demonstrations, hors d'oeuvres and libations will be served, discounted items, gift boxing and shipping available. Families welcome. (877) 560-4021

Meijer Gardens

Tour the Frederik Meijer Gardens holiday and Picasso sculpture exhibits. A chartered bus leaves Plymouth Community Arts Council building at 9 a.m., returns at 4:30 p.m., Dec. 9. Cost is \$38 or \$70 a couple.

Paint Creek Center for the Arts

Bike For Art Raffle drawing takes place on Monday, Dec. 2, during Rochester's Lagniappe celebration. Call the center at (248) 651-4110 to buy your raffle tickets for \$25 each or five for \$100.

The Woods Gallery

"Chair-Edibles" A Chair for Charity Auction includes chairs created by artists in all media forms that will be auctioned off for three area food banks (Yad Ezra, Capuchin, Gleaners) at 7 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 5, at the Huntington Woods Library, 26415 Scotia. \$10 donation at door. Exhibit dates Dec. 2-23 (248) 543-9720

SHOWS AND FESTIVALS

Ann Arbor Artisans Market

Fine arts and crafts market 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sundays through Dec. 22. 315 Detroit St., two blocks north of Huron, one block east of Main next to Kerrytown, Ann Arbor. (734) 994-3276

Native West

Unique American Southwest Art presents its 13th annual Holiday Jewelry Festival. Premiere: 3-9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5; runs through Sunday, Dec. 8, at 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Downtown Plymouth (734) 455-8938

GALLERY EXHIBITS (OPENING)

Cary Gallery

Frank Brugos Memorial Exhibit: A Sense of Passion, opening reception,

6-8 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14. Runs through Jan. 11, 2003, at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester. (248) 651-3656. Gallery hours 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday.

Cass Café

Paintings by Gilda Snowden, with a poetry reading by William G. Boswell. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14; poetry reading at 9:30 p.m. Show runs through March 1, 2003, at 4620 Cass Ave., Detroit (313) 831-1400

The County Galleria

The third annual employee arts show, *Hidden Talents III*, opens Nov. 25 and runs until Jan. 3, 2003. Reception from 4-6 p.m. Dec. 4 at The Executive Office Building (34 East) on the Oakland County Campus at 1200 N. Telegraph, Pontiac. (248) 858-0415

Ford Gallery

Eastern Michigan University Art Department presents the work of Megan Olsen, 2002 MFA graduate from Dec. 9-13. The closing reception takes place from 5-7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 13. On the second level of Ford Hall on the Eastern Michigan campus. Call for gallery hours (734) 482-4973.

International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit, Inc.

Opening reception for Bernadine Vida, world photographic and costume design exhibit 5-9 p.m. Dec. 7 at 111 Kirby Avenue E., Detroit. The exhibit hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and runs from Dec. 3 through Jan. 31 (313) 871-8600

Lawrence Street Gallery

Celebrate Clay: 2002 has opening reception 7-10 p.m. and juror's talk 8 p.m. Dec. 6. Exhibit runs from Nov. 27 to Dec. 21 at Lawrence Street Gallery, 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac (248) 593-2594

Livonia Arts Commission

Angel Collectors Club shows its collections and Kathy Mansell exhibits sculpture and painting Dec. 2-31 at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, Livonia. (734) 466-2490

The Print Gallery

Tastes, Sights and Sounds of Motown opening reception 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, at 29173 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Refreshments will feature favorite foods made in Detroit. No charge. Exhibit runs through Jan. 24, 2003 (248) 356-5454

Revolution

Opening reception from 5-7 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 7, to meet the artists, Conrad Bakker, John Corbin, Brian McCutcheon, Heather McGill and Amy Vogel, at 23257 Woodward Ave., Ferndale (248) 541-3444. Exhibition runs through Jan. 18.

Also on display is the second solo exhibition of photographer Debbie Fleming Caffery with 'Fauna'

Holiday Glass Show features the work of John Fitzpatrick and runs Nov. 23 to Dec. 24 at 23426 Woodward, Ferndale. Open house Dec. 7 and 21. Show hours

are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday; 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday and 2-5 p.m. Sunday. Extended hours Sunday, Dec. 22, and Monday, Dec. 23. (248) 543-1868. Registration for winter classes also available.

The Warren City Hall Gallery

The Warren Tri-County Fine Arts is sponsoring an exhibit by married couple, Betty and Herb Wolf. She will display her artwork, he will display his photography; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Dec. 1-31, Monday-Friday at the North Corridor of Warren City Hall, 29500 Van Dyke, Warren. (586) 777-2089

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ONGOING)

Ariana Gallery

Exhibit of unique and festive objects d'art runs through Jan. 4, 2003, at the gallery, 119 S. Main, Royal Oak. (248) 546-8810

Arnold Klein Gallery

Robert Mirek-Solo Exhibition: New work from the Aluminum Series, runs to Dec. 8, at 32782 Woodward Ave., Royal Oak. (248) 647-7709. e-mail: kak@tir.com

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Batista Gallery

Survey of the Past, an exhibition of Marianetta Porter's work, continues to Dec. 6. 155 S. Bates, Birmingham. (248) 593-6892

Cass Cafe

@Cass Cafe exhibit of Michigan artists, Gerry Craig, Robert Edwards, Kip Kowalski, Karen Klein, Robert Mirek and Nelson Smith through Dec. 7 at the gallery, 4620 Cass Ave., Detroit. (313) 831-1400

Contemporary Art Institute of Detroit

LINK The Exhibition runs through Dec. 22 at 5141 Rosa Parks Blvd., Detroit. Call (313) 898-4ART.

CPOP Gallery

Millagros runs through Dec. 29. Miracles in Religion is in the first-floor gallery; Daniel Martin Diaz works in second-floor gallery; Treasures from Lithuania is in the print gallery at 4160 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 833-9901

Creative Arts Center

An exhibit of paintings by Mohamed Fradi. Exhibition runs through Dec. 21 at 47 Williams St., Pontiac (248) 333-7849

David Klein Gallery

Presents Wolf Kahn paintings and pastels and Bo Bartlett paintings through

Dec. 21 at 163 Townsend, Birmingham. Hours: 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday-Saturday. (248) 433-3700

Elizabeth Stone Gallery

Payne & Ink: The Cartoons and commentary of Henry Payne, 2000-2001, through Nov. 30. Also, ceramic tiles by Sara Frank and Valerie David Art Exhibition through Dec. 20. Both at 536 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham. (248) 647-7040

Expresso Royale

Work by West Bloomfield artist Steven Blake Miller on display Nov. 18 to Dec. 30 at 324 S. State St., Ann Arbor. (248) 788-2281.

Farmington Hills City Gallery

Bold abstract paintings by Jeri Fellwock continue on exhibit through Nov. 25. In the gallery at the Costick Center, 28600 11 Mile, Farmington Hills. (248) 473-1856

Focus:HOPE Gallery

Works by Arab-American artists runs through Dec. 13 at the Gallery in the Focus:HOPE Center for Advanced Technologies, 1400 Oakman Blvd. at LaSalle. (313) 494-5500

Gallery 212

Renata Palubinskas: Harvest Time, on exhibit until Dec. 15. 207 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call for hours. (734) 665-8224

The Golden Fig and The Antiques

Centre of Troy

Exhibit of paintings, watercolors and prints with local and national exhibition provenance, runs through Dec. 21, at the Antiques Centre of Troy on the northeast corner of Maple and Coolidge. Call (248) 614-0148 or (248) 649-4399.

Greaney Photography

Photography by Dennis Greaney continues through January at the studio and gallery, 1 S. Main at 14 Mile, Clawson. (248) 585-7111

Henry Ford Community College

Faculty Exhibit II continues through Nov. 29, at the Sisson Gallery, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn. (313) 845-6485

Hermitage Gallery

19th-century paintings, contemporary art, and copies of the masters. 235 Main St., between Second and Third, in Rochester. (248) 656-8559

Janice Charach Epstein Gallery

Ruth Adler-Schnee exhibit in first-floor gallery through Dec. 22, at 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield. The Mikvah Project: Three Thousand Years of a Religious Tradition is on the second floor through Dec. 15. (248) 432-5448.

Lemberg Gallery

Maurice Golubov: A Life's Work, runs through Nov. 30 at 23241 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. (248) 591-6623

Livonia Arts Commission

Presents watercolors by Nancy Walls Smith through Nov. 29 in the Fine Arts Gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile (east of Farmington Road). For information, call (734) 466-2490

Livonia Civic Center Library

The Livonia Arts Commission will feature the following exhibits during regularly scheduled library hours: In the exhibition cases, Beaded Lampwork by Bernard Kopicinski, through Nov. 29; in the Fine Arts Gallery, Nancy Walls Smith's watercolors, through Nov. 29. The library is at 32777 Five Mile (east of Farmington Road). For information, call (734) 466-2490.

The Maniscalco Gallery

Boyko Asparouhov's new abstract expressionist paintings runs through Jan. 11, 2003 at 17728 Mack Ave., Grosse Pointe. (313) 886-2993

Meadow Brook Art Gallery

An exhibit of Nancy Patek's drawings runs through Dec. 22 at the gallery, 208 Wilson Hall on campus at Oakland University, Rochester. (248) 370-3005.

Museum of African American History

The work of Renee M. Dooley, continues through Dec. 4. In the Blue Cross Blue Shield Contemporary Artists' Gallery, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. (313) 494-5817

Museum of New Art

Tracy Heneberger shows sculpture through Dec. 22 at the gallery, 1-6 p.m. Thursday-Sunday, 1249 Washington Blvd., Detroit. (313) 961-2845

Oakland Schools

Clarenceville Students exhibit creativity featuring underwater theme 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday through Dec. 20 at Oakland Schools, 2100 Pontiac Lake Road, Waterford. For more information, call (248) 209-2145

Palette and Brush Club

Fall exhibit of juried paintings through Dec. 13 at the Alfred Berkowitz Gallery, University of Michigan-Dearborn, 4901 Evergreen, Dearborn. (313) 593-5058

Picasso Cafe

Showing the works of Trishia Martin and Rosa Paulos, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. Closed Sunday. 39913 Grand River Ave., Novi. (248) 427-0600

Quicksilver Photo Gallery

The gallery is celebrating its second year anniversary with a black-and-white exhibition featuring famous photos of the Cuban revolution by Osvaldo and Roberto Salas and Alberto "Korda" Diaz, archival photos of Cuba, and the modern works of Jack Kenny. The show continues to Jan. 4, 2003, at 1150 W. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. For more information, call (734) 455-3686 or visit the Web site at www.QuicksilverPhoto.com

Southfield Public Library

Artists from the Luella Hannan Memorial Foundation exhibit mixed media art also ceramicist, Laurie Eisenhardt, through November at 26000 Evergreen, Southfield, (248) 948-0470. The exhibit is free and open during library hours.

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Plan a shopping vacation during the holiday season

BY MARY QUINLEY
CORRESPONDENT

'Tis the season for shopping. It's also a fabulous excuse for a holiday getaway via car, train or plane.

To help jump-start your plans with your favorite shop-till-we-drop partner, here's a sampling of holiday packages. Let the shopping begin!

CHICAGO

The Windy City invites you and yours to Chicago, an annual family-friendly celebration with a medley of holiday markets, ethnic fests, parades and indoor/outdoor cultural activities.

"The holiday season is really a magnificent time to visit Chicago and to take advantage of great shopping opportunities," said Dorothy Coyle, director of the Chicago Office of Tourism.

The city offers many choices and values from the downtown shopping on Magnificent Mile and State Street to the shopping in neighborhoods and museum gift shops, Coyle said.

One of the more unique shopping possibilities is Christkindlmarket, a replica of an authentic German marketplace. It features more than 50 European vendors selling an array of handmade items from wooden ornaments and toys to German food. The market will be open from Nov. 28 through Dec. 23.

The "Chicago for the Holidays" option from Dec. 6-8 includes a visit from Nordstrom and FAO Schwarz personal shoppers and tickets to a theater performance. Cost is \$380 for a single and \$460 for a double at the Fitzpatrick Chicago Hotel.

Need more info? Call the Chicago Office of Tourism toll-free (877) CHICAGO or visit the Web at www.877chicago.com.

GREAT LAKES CROSSING

Check out the "Shop, Sleep, and Shop Again!" deal at Great Lakes Crossing in Auburn Hills.

"Make it a girlfriend getaway and stay at a hotel or take that special someone and stay at a bed-and-breakfast," said Jennifer Clarke, tourism marketing specialist.

Packages begin at \$107 per room. Included are accommodations, taxes, breakfast, a \$25 dining voucher per room good at participating restaurants, tote bag and a Visitor Savings Card with discount coupons.

Be sure to ask for a "swipe card" from the hotel/bed-and-breakfast or pick up one at a local Big Boy restaurant or a Pistons home game. Bring it to the shopping center for your chance to win a \$100,000 Great Lakes Crossing gift certificate.

The shops provide tremendous values on high-quality

merchandise for a whole lot less, said Clarke.

You'll find a Neiman Marcus Clearance Center, Burlington Coat Factory, Off 5th Saks Fifth Avenue Outlet, Bass Pro Shops Outdoor World, multiple restaurant choices, theaters, a children's play area and lots more.

Great Lakes Crossing is at 4000 Baldwin Road in Auburn Hills. For information, call toll-free (877) SHOP-GLC or check the Web at www.shopgreatlakescrossing.com.

TORONTO

"Toronto is a shopper's paradise, especially with the U.S. exchange rate," said Ellen Flowers, media relations officer, Tourism Toronto.

Hotel prices start as low as \$59 U.S. per night. Together In TORONTO packages include transportation options such as VIA Rail.

The possibilities for shopaholics are endless. Do you prefer an indoor mall? Then meander through the Eaton Centre that is located in the core of the city and houses more than 300 stores.

If fun-and-funky boutiques, second-hand stores or high-end shops pique your interest, check out the neighborhoods.

"In the Nutcracker Neighborhood there are lots of small cozy specialty shops, including a shop which has the most extensive Christmas decoration collection I have ever seen," said Flowers.

Check out Tourism Toronto's Web site at www.toronto-tourism.com or call (800) 205-7638 for more details.

HOTEL BARONETTE'S HOLIDAY SHOPPING PACKAGE

Looking for a close-to-home holiday adventure mixed with eclectic shops, upscale dining and comfy sleeping quarters?

Then check out the Hotel Baronette's Holiday Shopping Package.

For a rate of \$119 a night plus tax, guests receive a shopping bag, VIP Card with coupons for various stores at Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi, hotel beverage reception and a free goodie bag. Up to four people are allowed in a room. Meals are not included in the package.

Gala Hallmark, Crabtree & Evelyn, Baily Banks & Biddle and free valet parking are some of the discounts offered with the VIP Card.

After your trek through the mall, soothe your tired muscles at the hotel's sauna or whirlpool. Or dine at the elegant No. VI Chophouse & Lobster Bar.

The package is valid on Friday and Saturday nights through Dec. 22. Reservations are required by calling (800) 395-9009.

Hotel Baronette is at 27790 Novi Road, just off I-96, on the perimeter of Twelve Oaks Mall.

MALL OF AMERICA

Go ahead and bring the kids on this shopping excursion. A roller coaster, amusement park, an aquarium and a LEGO playground attract families to the Mall of America in Bloomington, Minn.

Yet shopping is the main attraction. The mammoth complex houses four anchor stores (Macy's, Bloomingdale's, Nordstrom and Sears), more than 500 other stores, an array of eateries and movie theaters.

From Dec. 6-23, MLT Vacations is offering a package to the mall for \$317 per person. This rate includes air, hotel accommodations and

taxes for two nights at the Clarion Hotel in Bloomington, free airport and Mall of America shuttles, Mall of America coupon book, complimentary shuttle service to Mystic Lake Casino (approximately 30 miles southwest of the mall) and 500 Northwest WorldPerks Bonus Miles.

Seven days advanced notice is required.

For more information, call (800) 800-1504 or visit www.nwaworldvacations.com.

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Sidelines

■ Duhl is all-MAC

For the third-straight season, Scott Duhl has been honored with selection to the all-Mid-American Conference soccer team. A second-team choice as a freshman and sophomore, Duhl was named to the first team last Monday. The Salem HS graduate led the Broncos in scoring with two goals and a team-high five assists (nine points). He started all 18 matches he played in this season.

■ Kocoloski honored

Andy Kocoloski, a junior at Albion College and a Salem HS graduate, has been named to the all-Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association football team as a special teams member. Kocoloski averaged 24.1 yards on 15 kick returns for the Britons. He also rushed 57 times for 298 yards (5.2 yards per carry) and two touchdowns and caught five passes for 63 yards (12.6 per catch).



Canton's Brianna Wolcott looks for an outlet under Novi's Laura Longo.

PAUL HURSCHMANN | OBSERVER

Canton corrals district crown

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Here's nothing new: Offense gets headlines, defense gets championships.

Heard that a few times, haven't ya? Still, it gets ignored quite a bit, unless the team you're interested in happens to be coached by someone like Bob Blohm.

"Frenetic" comes closest to describing Blohm's demeanor during a game. He never relaxes, even if his team is winning handily.

Like in Friday's Class A district final against Novi. Canton's defense smothered the Wildcats, limiting them to 5-of-20 floor shooting in the first half (25 percent) and 4-of-33 in the second (12 percent).

Which is why the Chiefs won easily, 60-29 in a game played at Salem HS.

Canton, now 21-2 overall, advances to the Northville regional where it will play Rochester (17-6 overall), which defeated Auburn Hills Avondale 39-

36 Friday. Game time is 7 p.m. Monday. Novi finishes at 10-12.

The winner of that regional semifinal plays the winner of the Birmingham Marian-West Bloomfield game in the regional final at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

So was Friday's district final, which lacked any semblance of drama, a surprise? In the teams' first meeting in their season-openers, it wasn't until the fourth quarter that Canton asserted itself. So something far different than a blowout was anticipated Friday.

"I did too," replied Blohm, asked if he thought it would be closer. "I was just happy to win, survive and go on."

"But we got off to a good start. (Kristen) Lake and (Katie) Cezat were playing well inside and our perimeter players got the ball to them."

It helped that while Novi struggled with its shooting, Canton was hot. The Chiefs hit 14-of-27 from the floor in the first half

(51.9 percent) "and most of them were in-close shots," Blohm noted. Indeed, despite some early foul trouble, Lake had eight first-half points and Cezat scored five.

"I thought we played solid today," the Canton coach added. "Our defense was solid, our rebounding was solid."

The Novi players who concerned Blohm were Alison Greulich, Angie Schmitt and Laura Longo. Only Greulich supplied any offense, scoring 16 points. No one else for the Wildcats had more than three.

"We did a nice job on them," Blohm said. "I really like their team. But we just got our defense going and didn't give them many shots, no easy shots."

Which was the difference. Canton never did trail in the game, leading 10-3 midway through the first quarter, 15-7 after one and 31-14 by halftime.

In their first meeting, it was Canton that construct-

PLEASE SEE HOOPS, C2

Defense is the key as Agape edges PCA for district title

That's the way the state tournament is. The longer you're in it, the tougher it gets.

On Thursday, both Canton Agape Christian and Plymouth Christian Academy breezed through their Class D district semifinals, Agape walloping Redford St. Agatha and PCA ripping Redford Bishop Borgess (see related story).

Their reward: a game the next night against each other. While their semifinals had been offensive-oriented, defense ruled the final, and in the end it was Agape that was a bit better, winning 35-24 Friday at Detroit

DISTRICT BASKETBALL

Urban Lutheran.

The Wolverines, now 21-2, advance to the Class D regional hosted by Chelsea against the Litchfield-Camden Frontier winner. Game time is 5:30 p.m. Monday. PCA finishes at 8-15.

"It was heavy on defense, heavy on effort," was Agape coach Chuck Henry's description of Friday's district final. "And it was light on shooting percentage. But the defenses were the main reason for the poor shooting."

The Wolverines had shredded St. Agatha for 77 points on Thursday, 38 in the first half, but against PCA they could manage only 19 first-half points. In a good-news, bad-news situation, that was the bad; the good was that the Eagles were even less effective, scoring just 11 in the first two quarters against Agape.

"They fought so hard," said Henry. "We had to fight for everything we got. I was pleased with our defense. Both teams played a lot of defense

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Ramsay keys Whalers' streak

Ryan Ramsay continued his hot play, and that has been instrumental in fueling the Plymouth Whalers, who collected their fourth-straight victory Friday, defeating Sault Ste. Marie 5-4 in an Ontario Hockey League game at Plymouth's Compuware Arena.

Ramsay scored the Whalers' first two goals in the game and added a third to complete the

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hat trick near the end of the second period. He also had an assist in the game.

Ramsay has six goals in Plymouth's four-game win streak, which has pushed their record to 15-6-2-1 overall, second in the OHL's West Division. His first two goals, scored in

the opening period, both came on the power play. James Wisniewski (from Canton) assisted on both, with Cole Jarrett and Karl Stewart also getting assists.

The Greyhounds battled back to knot it at 2-all in the second period on goals by Bill Krelowe and Jeff Doyle before the Whalers again asserted themselves. Chad LaRose recaptured the lead for Plymouth, scoring with 4:35 left in the second (assisted by Mike Letizia); Ramsay scored shorthanded with :52 left in the period (from Jarrett) to make it 4-2.

Stewart's third-period, power-play goal increased the Whaler lead to 5-2 (from Ramsay and Jarrett). A late flurry by the Greyhounds, with goals coming from Trevor Daley and Brad Staubitz, narrowed the gap but couldn't change the outcome.

Paul Drew made 21 saves in goal for the Whalers. Adam Munro had 20 stops for Sault Ste. Marie.

On Thursday, Drew turned away 24 shots to lead the

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Whalers' defenseman James Wisniewski (dark jersey) and Sault Ste. Marie defenseman Jordan Smith tangle during Friday's Whaler win. This altercation led to Wisniewski's ejection from the game for fighting.

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Ocelots squeak by rival Mott, 74-70

BY RICHARD L. SHOOK
CORRESPONDENT

Imagine Michigan playing Ohio State in football three times a season.

Now you have an idea of the feeling between Schoolcraft and Mott Community College in men's basketball.

No question it's on a far smaller scale, but that doesn't downsize the intensity when the two junior college powers clash - even if the game doesn't count in the Eastern Conference standings.

There was emotion aplenty Thursday night when the Ocelots entertained the Bears in an early season non-conference meeting of the Michigan Junior College Athletic Association powers.

Schoolcraft won each half by two points and wound up taking a 74-70 decision.

"Whenever you can beat Mott, you'll take it," coach Carlos Briggs of the Ocelots (5-0) said. "And conversely, whenever they can beat us, they'll take it. This time we got the win. They could just as easily have won."

The two will meet again during the regularly season and possibly again during the post-season playoffs.

And every meeting will be just like Thursday's - intense, defense so fierce you can't tell whose sweat is on whose body

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and each player looking for every tiny edge on offense.

And despite the intensity - just like when Ohio State plays Michigan - the participants have an enormous amount of respect for one another.

"That was a great college basketball game for early November," Coach Steve Schmidt of Mott (2-3) said. "I think the kids on each team appreciate this kind of opportunity to play."

"We didn't have to schedule this game, but we wanted to. It's a good game for early in the season."

"Both teams have a lot of Detroit kids and Detroit kids make us both good coaches."

The Bears were minus their key returning point guard, Darrell Evans, out with a severe ankle sprain.

"That's one thing I worried about," Briggs said. "With one of their best players out, Mott really had nothing to lose. Steve does a great job of coaching them and they made a lot of changes in their defense to slow the game down and give his team a chance to win. We made a couple of key plays down the stretch."

Mott picked up Schoolcraft's guard at three-quarters court much of the game, forcing the Ocelots to take their time get-

ting the ball across mid-court. The Bears worked some turnovers out of that defense while the Ocelots got a bundle with quick hands and positioning in the passing lanes.

Schoolcraft was on top most of the way and took a 56-49 lead with 10:45 left. But Mott chipped away and tied the score, 63-63, with 6:04 left on a baseliner by Dominique Crawford.

The teams exchanged leads and Mott was up, 70-68, on a short shot by Jay Youngblood with 1:47 left.

Marcus Bennett tied the score with a baseline layup at 1:19, Torvoris Baker got a steal that led to a fast break layup by Wayne Memorial's Gary Johnson and a five-seconds call with 31 seconds left gave Schoolcraft the ball one more time as Mott was able to get one shot off after taking its 70-68 lead.

Two free throws closed out the scoring.

"We got our opportunities and that's all you can ask for," Schmidt said. "We're a little bit undersized, but we rely on our quickness and it enables us to do some things we wouldn't otherwise be able to do."

"For early in the year it was a good game," said Briggs, whose team is ranked No. 6 in the NJCAA Division I preseason poll. "They're good and they're only going to get better."

"Our defense is one thing we've focused on. You know you're going to have guys who can put the ball in the basket. The key is getting the best group on the floor that plays together."

The Ocelots got balanced scoring, putting four players between 15 and 17 points. Dion Sherrell had the 17 and Baker scored 16, while Johnson and Ronald Dorsey scored 15 each.

Baker in particular was a force, blocking shots and snaring rebounds on one end of the floor while cleaning up missed shots on the other.

Youngblood was the game's leading scorer with 18 points for Mott. Crawford and guard Kris Krzyminski each added 13.

Schoolcraft won the free throw battle, making 17-of-22 while Mott went 8-for-12 from the line.

The Ocelots shot 42 percent (26-of-62) and had 11 multi-shot possessions. The Bears had nine multi-shot possessions and made 27-of-59 shots (46 percent).

"It's a great rivalry," Schmidt said.

"You're looking at two of the top programs in junior college basketball in the country. We can compete with anybody in the country."

There's no question they compete with each other.

It looked like "War on the Floor."

Mercer ends SC's championship bid

Ocelots fall in semifinal, 1-0

COLLEGE SOCCER

The Schoolcraft College men's soccer team was one game away from making it to the national championship game.

Unfortunately, the Ocelots gave up one costly goal and they fell to Mercer County CC (N.J.), 1-0, in the semifinals of the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I tournament Friday at Tyler JC (Tex.).

Anthony Tuesta scored the game-winner in the 32nd minute of play. Mercer goalkeeper Brad Lowyns earned the shutout.

Schoolcraft finishes 16-7 overall, while No. 2 Mercer improves to 17-1 on its way to Sunday's championship final against Yavapai (Ariz.), a 3-0 winner over Iowa Central in the other semifinal.

The Ocelots played a solid game, and if not for one breakdown on defense, they might have been headed for the championship.

"We were as good as them," Schoolcraft assistant coach Jozsef Kurta said. "We outplayed them in the second half, we just couldn't finish."

The Vikings scored in the first half after defensemen Zoran Goljic was hurt trying to make a slide tackle.

"He took some cleats to his

shin and started to bleed," Kurta said. "After he came off the field, we couldn't handle the pressure. Goljic coming out really hurt us."

The best the Ocelots can finish is third. They will play Iowa Central, 11 a.m. Sunday.

"We talked to the coach of Mercer after the game," Kurta said, "and we both agreed that this game was essentially the national championship game."

"We represented Schoolcraft very well. We had a great season. It was good experience for us. We improved a great deal since last year."

SCHOOLCRAFT 2, LOUISBURG (N.C.) 1 Ryan Montague scored the game-winning goal in the second overtime as the No. 9-ranked Ocelots turned back No. 3 Louisville (Ky.) in the opener on Thursday.

Zoran Goljic assisted on the game-winner as Schoolcraft improved to 16-6.

Schoolcraft midfielder Leonardo Moya, making an individual run, scored 18 minutes into the opening half to give the Ocelots a 1-0 lead.

Louisburg forward Joe Searle tied the game at 1-1 six minutes later.

"We were more creative, more disciplined and were well organized," said Schoolcraft assistant coach Jozsef Kurta. "We definitely had more chances. Tony Ventura had a free kick that hit the post."

"It was a different game for us. They (Louisburg) came with their cleats up tackling, but we didn't react to the refs. They were given a red card."

Schoolcraft goalkeeper Eric Sicilia (Livonia Churchill) spent nearly five minutes on the bench in the second half after going down with an injury. He was replaced by Dickson Mann III, but shook off the injury and re-entered the match.

Louisburg fell to 14-2-1 on the year.

Returnees will keep Salem in title hunt

BY CHAD MACK
STAFF WRITER

Last season the Salem boys hockey team tied for the Western Lakes Activities Association title with Livonia Churchill. This year coach Fred Feiler's goal is to get to that same level of excellence and surpass it, if possible.

"We'll try to duplicate what we did last year," said Feiler whose team also won 21 games and the Lakes division title. "We've got 12 guys returning."

Returning captains Mark Nagel and David Gill are ready to lead the team again this year. They will be joined by junior Andy Thackaberry, who will be a captain for the first time. Thackaberry is playing in his third season for Feiler.

"He's been our best defensemen the last two years," Feiler said. "He's a leader in the classroom and a three-sport letterman."

Last year, Thackaberry led the team in plus/minus with plus-48; he played in every

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game and logged 30 points. He also lettered in golf and baseball.

Joining the team for the first time are Craigen Bauldry, Brandon DeMars, Adam Gillikin, Jeff Harris, Ryan Jones, Ray Kraft, John Mauer, Rob Quigly and Cameron Schambre.

DeMars, a sophomore, will be the team's starting goaltender.

"He plays the puck well," Feiler said. "He gets involved with the play and communicates real well. He steps in and takes charge."

Other returnees include Mike Barr, Shane Breest, Aaron Cheesman, Eric Culps, Davis Gill, Sean Leaym, John Schultz, Brandon Wilcox and Bryan Young.

In his fourth season as the head coach, Feiler has compiled a record of 32-36-10. This season has lots of promise for the Rocks, but its not without its

'After playing together a couple of days things started to click.'

Fred Feiler
coach

obstacles.

"We're working hard on defense," Feiler said. "We scored a lot of goals last year, but we also gave up a lot. Overall, I think our defense is better than it has been. The future back there looks pretty good."

Farmington left the Lakes Division and the WLAA for the Oakland Athletic Association. That meant that Churchill had to come over from the Western Division, so there won't be a repeat of last year.

Hockey has only been a varsity sport at Salem for three years. In that time there have been a few players that have

played every season, but it is also important that each new class contributes to the growth of the sport.

"Mike Mauer is one of the few guys that has been there from the start," Feiler said. "This is the first year that we don't have a freshman on the team."

Nagel led the league in scoring last year with 37 goals and 40 assists.

In his first game this season he tallied a hat trick and an assist.

Salem outscored its opponents by an average score of 6.77 to 3.58.

The Rocks power play was extremely effective last year scoring 30.4 percent of the time. The offense looks to be on track again this year.

"After playing together a couple of days things started to click," Feiler said.

"We want to be contending when its all said and done. We want to be there with the Stevensons and the Churchills."

Crusaders get a win in Region VIII opener

VOLLEYBALL

Madonna University opened its run toward the NAIA Tournament with a narrow 30-23, 25-30, 31-29, 30-25 volleyball victory over Taylor (Ind.) University Friday in a Region VIII semifinal at Indiana Wesleyan in Marion, Ind.

The win put the Lady Crusaders, 42-3 overall, into Saturday's final opposite Indiana Wesleyan, with a berth in the NAIA Tournament at stake.

A strong attack was again the difference for Madonna. Shelley Stanton collected 23 kills (.514 kill percentage), two service aces, 21 digs and three solo blocks to pace the Crusaders. She led the team in

kills, digs and solo blocks.

Natalja Tinina had 12 kills and two blocks for Madonna, with Laura Lesko and Tera Morrill (Westland/Livonia Franklin) adding 11 kills apiece. Morrill, who had a .346 kill percentage, also had two aces, 15 digs and three blocks, while Lesko (.364) finished with two aces and six blocks.

Natalie Sayre was equally effective at her setter position, with four kills (.600), 53 set assists, 12 digs and three blocks. Amanda Suder (Salem HS) contributed 19 digs.

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ed a second-half comeback that beat Novi. The Wildcats, however, would not be able to emulate that.

They opened the third quarter by missing their first 14 shots from the floor. By the time Rachel Kozma scored their only basket of the third, with :26 left, the gap had widened to 25.

Game over.

"We were hoping to stay close," said Novi coach Dennis Cichonski. "We felt if we could keep it less than a double-digit deficit, we could be within range."

"We had a few good-looking shots. Some didn't fall, and we got called on some violations. We couldn't get anything going."

Cichonski did credit Canton's defense for his team's problems. "They do a lot to disrupt what you do, and they do a good job of it."

The Chiefs' inside game did most of the damage. It didn't help that Longo, Novi's best inside threat, logged four fouls in the first 4:11 of the second half - after surviving the first half without a foul. She scored two points in the game.

Lake led Canton with 17 points. Cezat added 15 and Briana Wolcott netted eight. The Chiefs' free-throw shooting remained excellent: They converted 22-of-30 (73.3 percent). Novi was 9-of-23 (39.1 percent).

It seems the pieces are coming together for Canton. This week's pre-Thanksgiving Day games could be something special for the Chiefs.

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Ladywood 'clocks' Southfield on buzzer-beater

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

Time stood still for the final 2.9 seconds as far as the Southfield High girls basketball team was concerned.

But when it was time to hoist the Class A district basketball trophy, Livonia Ladywood was doing the celebrating following a confusing and controversial finish as the host Blazers came away with a 43-42 victory thanks to Amy Jacovetti's rebound basket as the horn sounded.

The injured-riddled Blazers, who captured their seventh district crown in eight years, live to play another day. Top-ranked and unbeaten Detroit King, the Public School League champion, awaits the 18-5 Blazers in the regional semifinal, 7:30 p.m. Monday at Ladywood.

Game officials T.J. Lieckfeldt and Bill Baumgart would not comment afterwards after drawing the ire of Southfield interim coach Raphael Peterson, his players and Blue Jay fans.

With 6.7 seconds left in regulation, Southfield guard Jazmin Williamson hit her first free throw to give the Jays a 41-40 lead. The senior missed the second foul shot attempt and a mad scramble ensued resulting in a jump ball.

The possession arrow gave Ladywood the ball out-of-bounds, 10 feet short of the mid-court line, with only 2.9 left.

Stephanie Day's inbound pass was then deflected into the air by Southfield guard Kandace Evans. The ball hit the floor, but squirted back out-of-bounds off Evans' hands.

The clock did not move. Given the ball in the same spot, Day spotted Lauren Hesano cutting toward the basket in the frontcourt. The senior guard gathered the pass, took two dribbles and launched a desperation 35-foot shot from the right wing as time expired.

The ball never hit the rim, but caromed perfectly to Jacovetti, who was in the right place at the right time, putting the rebound home before the buzzer sounded.

Ironically, it was Jacovetti's only two points of the game. "We had no timeouts left, we

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wanted Lauren to catch it and shoot it, or drive it to the basket." Ladywood coach Andrea Gorski said. "Give Amy credit, she didn't hang around behind the three-point line, she got down on the weak-side board. It was good for her to follow the shot."

After the frenzied finish, Peterson, the Southfield coach, walked to the scorer's table and wrote down three names — Lieckfeldt, Baumgart and clock operator John Hesano.

"It's unbelievable, it's ridiculous to work that hard and have the game taken away," said Peterson, who has been filling in for suspended coach Ben Kelso. "The clock operator told me the official didn't put his hand up (to start the clock on the first inbounds pass).

"And the last basket shouldn't have counted. She (Hesano) takes two dribbles, puts up a shot and another shot goes up — all in three seconds?"

"Why don't they have three refs in the district (tournament) is amazing. Ladywood played well, but they didn't outplay us."

The Blazers jumped out to an 11-1 in the first quarter, but lost junior point-guard Amber Willoughby to a hyperextended knee with 3:14 left in the first quarter. (Another Ladywood starter, Ruth Sventickas, played despite a swollen knee.)

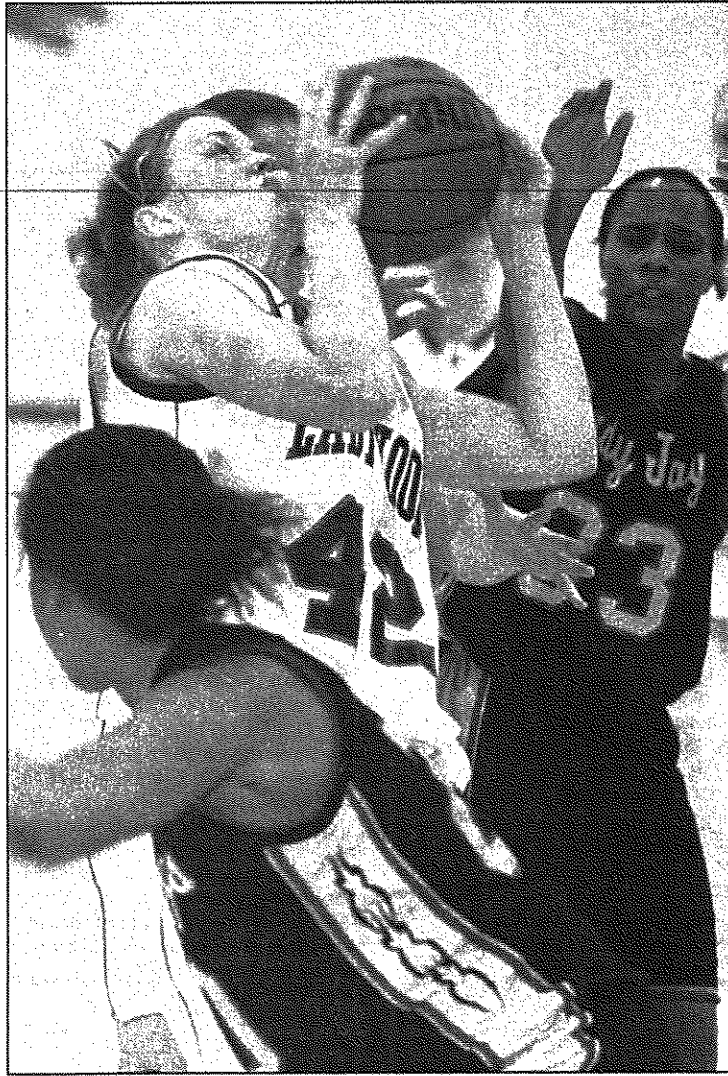
Southfield, hitting only 1-of-11 first-period shots, trailed 11-3 but quickly took advantage of Willoughby's absence by going to a full-court press in the second quarter.

Evans, the senior guard who led Southfield with 14 points, sparked a second-quarter comeback as the Jays outscored Ladywood, 17-7.

Evans' three-pointer at the halftime buzzer gave the Jays a 20-18 advantage.

Southfield then opened up a 27-19 third-quarter advantage, but Ladywood clawed back to within two, 30-28, despite Kineta Taylor's short bank shot inside the key as time expired.

The Blue Jays seemed to take command of the tightly-contested struggle with 1:05 left on a hoop by Jaria Atkins followed by a free throw by Evans with



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Ladywood's Ruth Sventickas (42), who scored eight points, gains control of the ball while battling Southfield's Jaria Atkins (right) and Melissa Stroud (front).

44.4 remaining to put Southfield ahead 38-34.

But 6-foot-2 junior center Bethany Jury scored on a rebound, was fouled and converted the free throw to close the gap to 38-37 with 32.4 to go.

The teams then traded turnovers before Williamson, who made several clutch plays down the stretch, nailed a pair of free throws with 30.4 remaining to push the margin back up to 40-37.

Hesano, who had a team-high 11 points along with Jury, came down and connected on a clutch three-pointer with 14.3 to play, knotting the count at 40-40.

That setting the stage for the controversial final 2.9 seconds.

Gorski, who spoke with Lieckfeldt and Baumgart afterwards, was given an explanation

on why the clock wasn't restarted following Day's first inbound pass.

"The ball never crossed the plane, it had nothing to do with the clock operator," the Ladywood coach said. "It did not get inbounds and that's why he (the official) didn't signal for the clock to start."

But for Peterson and his 14-7 Jays, no explanation made sense.

"We executed our game plan, we gave 110 percent," he said. "We fought, we fought and fought."

"And to have somebody else involved like that? It's a shame. It wasn't right for them to hold the clock."

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ning stages.

"We have good team speed," Abraham said. "I think that offensively we are quicker. Overall, every skater is quick. Any of our lines can score at any given time."

This year's team features 10 returning players as well as 10 newcomers. Returning are Brett Baker, Greg Kubert, Matt Oliver, Mitch Wolfe, Kyle Tollison and Kemp.

Matt Gabriel, last year's most improved player, is also back, along with Dave Commiskey, Ryan McKendry and Dave Bak.

Commiskey is one of two players that will have played all four years for the Chiefs.

"McKendry is a heck of a hockey player with good hands that can make his way to the net," Abraham said. "Bak is a great defenseman with a rocket shot and Kubert has the ability to move the puck up ice all by himself."

New to the team this year are Hylko, Casey Skrypek, Brandon Wright, Aaron Amin, Bryan Wioncek, Reece McCabe, Garrett Hyman, Mike Stewart, Mike French and Garrett.

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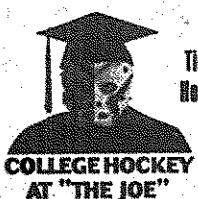
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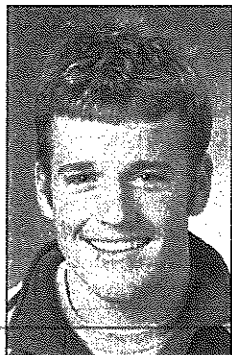
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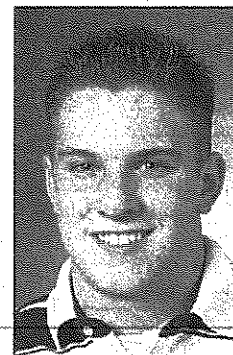
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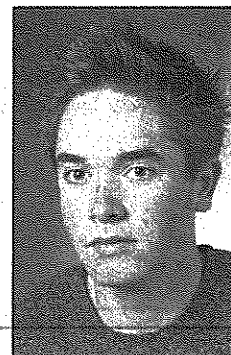
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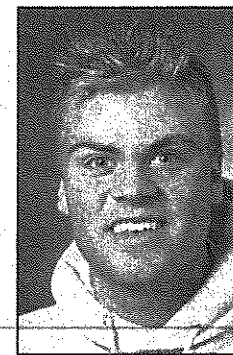
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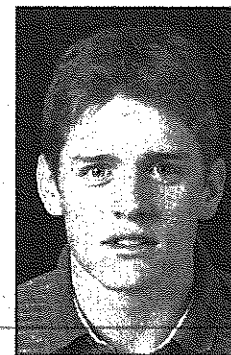
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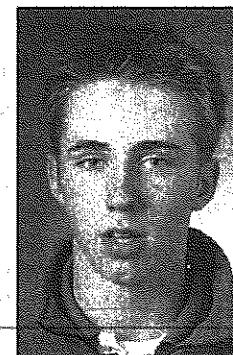
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Talented Chiefs had 'nice' year

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Some teams are good, and the reason they're good is their nastiness. Other teams are good because of their talent and the aloofness that goes with it.

Canton's golf team was good this season, as good as almost any team in the area. But they weren't nasty and they weren't unapproachable.

"This is the nicest group of kids I've had to coach," said their coach, Tom Alles. So was this his best team ever?

"As far as coaching enjoyability, yes," Alles answered.

It's one thing to be nice, but to be both nice and talented — in this age of in-your-face trash-talking — that seems rare. The Chiefs had both.

In the very tough Western Lakes Activities Association, they boasted the overall medalist in Ryan McKendry. However, Canton was fourth in the final standings, behind Walled Lake Central, Walled Lake Western and Northville.

The Chiefs got some revenge at the Division I regional at Oak Pointe, outdueling Redford Catholic Central to finish first by two strokes. It was Canton's second-straight regional title.

On a horrible day weather-wise at the state final, the Chiefs came within a single stroke of qualifying for the final round. McKendry did the same, missing the cut by one.

"Those seniors did that," said Alles, whose efforts earned him

2002 OBSERVERLAND BOYS GOLF TEAM

FIRST TEAM

Ryan McKendry, Sr., Canton
Tristan Lester, Sr., Redford CC
Adam Hogue, Fr., Redford CC
Dru Girard, Sr., Liv. Stevenson
Scott Oliver, Sr., Canton
Chris Sidor, Jr., Thurston

SECOND TEAM

Jimmy Burns, Jr., Redford CC
Chris Eliason, Jr., Redford CC
Steve Paul, Sr., Canton
Matt Courtright, Sr., Stevenson
Bobby Clark, Sr., Wayne Memorial
Joe Pomorski, Sr., Salem

THIRD TEAM

Dennis Tulpa, Sr., Redford Union
Scott Cendrowski, Sr., Liv. Churchill
Mike Bakun, Sr., Liv. Franklin

Steve Robinson, Sr., Liv. Churchill
Nick Geistler, Sr., Redford Union
Charlie Suder, Jr., Salem
COACH OF THE YEAR

Tom Alles, Canton
HONORABLE MENTION

Redford CC: Jack Kelly; Redford Union: Adam Corey, Jeremy Hayward; Thurston: Ron Korsman, Kevin Gordon, Brad Whittum; Garden City: Andrew Dodson, David Sheppard, Andrew Katajamaki; Stevenson: Justin Zagata, Andy Byberg, Jason Fischer, Brad Schmitz, Sean Sachau; Churchill: Kyle Hardey, Matt Kruczynski; Franklin: Drew Witte, Joe LaBelle; Wayne: Chris Noe, Justin Ables; Westland John Glenn: Matt Haskell; Canton: Bryan Wioncek, Ryan Van Loozen; Salem: Aaron Cheesman, Andy Thackaberry.

Observer coach of the year honors. "They really wanted it. They did that."

"It's quite an accomplishment."

CC's efforts cannot be ignored, either. The Shamrocks qualified for state by placing second at the regional, then reached the final round at the state tournament, where they finished seventh.

In the Catholic League, CC placed second to Pontiac Notre Dame Prep after winning the Central Division dual-meet season.

FIRST TEAM

Ryan McKendry, Canton: McKendry was a major reason Canton made its second-straight trip to the state tournament. A senior co-captain, McKendry was the WLAA medalist at Hudson Mills with an even-par 71, which put him on the all-conference team.

At the regional, he shot 77 at Oak Pointe; he was also on the all-tournament team at the Brighton Invitational.

For the season, he had a 37.9 stroke aver-

age for nine holes and 75.8 for 18.

"He practices so much," said Canton coach Tom Alles. "Ryan works on all facets of his game all the time. He has no weaknesses, he's good at everything."

"He was very dedicated."

Tristan Lester, Redford CC: Lester has been one of the best golfers in the area over the past four years, making all-Catholic as a sophomore and junior and repeats on the All-Observerland team this year. Lester, who signed with Michigan State, was all-state as a sophomore, shot a 77 at the Division I regional and 75-79 at the state meet, putting him in 11th place overall.

Lester averaged 37 for nine holes this year and 77.2 for 18-hole tournaments. He was the team's co-Most Valuable Player with Adam Hogue and was the only underclassman to represent Michigan on the Delaware Cup this summer.

"We'll miss him," said CC coach Bill Hayes. "He's a three-year starter and has been a very solid player in our program."

Adam Hogue, Redford CC: A freshman on the all-area team? When you play like Hogue, you better believe it. In addition to being the team's co-MVP, Hogue led the way at the Division I regional with a 73, shot 76 to finish fifth at the Catholic League Championships, had an 18-hole average of 76.3 and a nine-hole average of 36.3.

Hogue also shot 81 and 85 at the Division I state meet.

"His 18-hole numbers are outstanding, especially when you throw in the 81 and 85," said Hayes. "He's just a freshman, but I'd seriously put him up against anyone in the state. You're going to hear a lot from this young man over the next three years."

Dru Girard, Liv. Stevenson: The senior shot a 75 at the Division I regional at Oak Pointe, just missing the cut for the state finals by one shot. He averaged 39.1 for nine holes.

At the WLAA meet, Girard fired a 78 to earn All-Division honors.

He shot a season-low 2-under 33 at the Links of Novi.

"Dru was steady all year long," Stevenson coach John Wagner said. "I didn't have him at the beginning of the season (throat surgery) and I thought we'd finish 5-5. But with him we finished 7-3."

"He's a real scrapper, a clam, cool-headed kid and the kind of leader we needed."

Scott Oliver, Canton: A senior team co-captain, he earned all-division honors at the WLAA Tournament with an 80. At the state regional at Oak Pointe, his 74 would have qualified him as an individual — if the team hadn't qualified for state.

For nine holes, Oliver averaged 40.2 strokes; for 18 holes, his average was 80.4. He shot an 84 at the state final. His second best 18-hole score was 78 at the Brighton Invitational.

"He's just overall a very good player," said Alles. "He's like Ryan (McKendry). Scott played a lot of golf, he practiced a lot. He puts well, he has a good short game . . . He's just a good overall golfer."

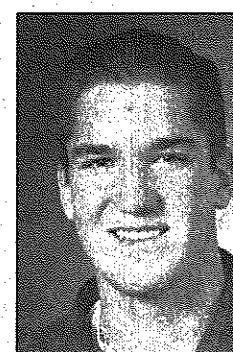
Chris Sidor, Thurston: Sidor has been the most consistent Eagle over the past three years. The junior was named the team's MVP for the third-straight year, as well as being an All-Mega Blue selection over that same period.

He was medalist in eight of the Eagles' 12 dual meets, helping the team to an 10-2 record, and carried a 39 for a nine-hole average and shot a 79 at the Division 2 regional at Huron Meadows.

"He's been a good player for us and very steady," said Thurston coach Emil Majeski of his team's co-captain. "He's been a very consistent player for us."



Matt Courtright
Liv. Stevenson



Bobby Clark
Wayne Memorial



Tom Alles
Coach - Canton

SECOND TEAM

Jimmy Burns, Redford CC: Burns didn't have the flash of Lester or Hogue, but was a very solid player for the Shamrocks. He averaged 38 for nine holes and shot a 74 at the Division I regional, trailing Hogue for medalist honors by a shot.

He also shot a 71 this year at the Detroit Golf Club and an 80 at the Catholic League championships. His 82-80 at the state meet placed him third on his team.

"Both Jimmy and Chris Eliason played well all year long," said Hayes. "Jimmy was very consistent and had an outstanding year."

Chris Eliason, Redford CC: Eliason and Burns put up identical numbers this year, averaging 38 for nine holes. Eliason was medalist four times during the year and made the All-Catholic team with a 77 at the league meet.

He also shot a 76 on the first day of the state meet, and while he followed that up with an 85, still had the second-lowest score on the squad for the tourney.

"He was another player who was very consistent for us this year," said Hayes. "Both Jimmy and Chris will be back next year and both will be our captains next season."

Steve Paul, Canton: A four-year team member, Paul — a senior — shot 74 at the Oak Pointe regional, which would have qualified him for the state final as an individual. He shot 80 at the WLAA Tournament to earn all-division honors and at the state finals, he shot an 81.

His nine-hole average was 43 and his 18-hole average was 82.

"He did (work hard)," said Alles. "All the seniors did. (Steve) worked hard on his short game to improve. He can hit the ball a long way, and he can hit his irons well. He worked on his putting and his chipping to improve. That was the big difference in his game."

Matt Courtright, Liv. Stevenson: The senior averaged a team-best 38.9 for nine holes with a low of 38. He shot a 77 at the Huron Valley Invitational to place third at Prestwick Village and took a fifth at the Pinckney Invitational with a 74.

At the Western Wayne Invitational at Huron Meadows, Courtright caught a 74, two strokes off the pace.

"Matt has more talent than he knows," Wagner said. "He has golf shots that are unbelievable."

Bobby Clark, Wayne Memorial: The senior and team captain played three straight years. He averaged 41.4 in match play and shot a 72 to take medalist honors at the Western Wayne Invitational.

He also finished in the top 10 in the WLAA tournament, earning All-Division with a 78.

In dual meets, he was medalist four times and co-medalist on three other occasions.

"Bobby's a throwback to the 1950s," Wayne coach Dennis Chalk said. "He's a hard-working kid and a really honest guy. He was a very good ball striker and he improved every year."

Joe Pomorski, Salem: Pomorski was one of three seniors on a relatively inexperienced Salem team, and he stepped up to help the Rocks to a respectable season.

Pomorski was medalist for the Rocks twice at 18-hole tournaments, at Grosse Ile and at Adrian. At the WLAA Tournament, he shot a 75 to earn all-conference honors and at the state regional, he had an 81. His average for the season: 39.8 strokes for nine holes, 78.8 for 18.

Perhaps his biggest nine-hole effort came in Salem's dual-meet match with cross-campus rival Canton, which the Rocks won. Pomorski shot a 39.

"He was our most consistent performer all year long," said Salem coach Rick Wilson.

ALL-WLAA BASKETBALL

2002 ALL-WESTERN LAKES GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAMS

ALL-CONFERENCE: Kristen Lake, Sr., Canton; Katie Cezat, Soph., Canton; Dianna Houghton, Jr., Walled Lake Western; Lauren Talbot, Jr., Walled Lake Western; Stephanie Phillips, Sr., Plymouth Salem; Brit Coram, Sr., Walled Lake Central; Katie Radmacher, Sr., Walled Lake Central.

ALL-WESTERN DIVISION: Nicole Cauzillo, Sr., Northville; Briana Wolcott, Sr., Canton; Ashley McColl, Sr., Livonia Franklin; Tracey Winkler, Jr., Walled Lake Western; Christina Redd, Sr., Canton; Robyn Johnson, Soph., Livonia Churchill; Karen Anger, Jr., Livonia Churchill.

ALL-LAKES DIVISION: Sara Tyree, Sr., Westland John Glenn; Katie Harkness, Sr., Walled Lake Central; Tracy Taylor, Sr., Livonia Stevenson; Ellen Canale, Soph., Salem; Michelle White, Jr., Walled Lake Central; Alyssa Guerin, Soph., Salem.

HONORABLE MENTION

Canton: Rachele Guastella, Jessica Johnson; Salem: Lauren Baumgart; W.L. Western: Meghan Marriugh; Churchill: Kelly Verellen; Franklin: Ashley Sako; Stevenson: Lauren Brodie, Lauren Trossell; Northville: Laura Lemasters; W.L. Central: Sara Ston; Wayne: Renita Price; John Glenn: Jennifer Thauvette, Krystal Davis.

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but golly, they only had 11 at the half and 16 after three quarters."

In a game between defensive stalwarts, whoever could generate some offense would be a difference-maker. Amy Henry fit that role.

The senior guard finished

with 13 points, eight rebounds, six assists and five steals. Next best for the Wolverines was Lisa Ther with seven steals, seven rebounds and six points.

Shannon Murray topped the Eagles with six points.

"It might have been an ugly game in some respects, but their defense, their effort was tremendous," Henry summarized.

That statement encompassed both teams.

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Whalers to a 5-0 shutout of the Saginaw Spirit in Saginaw.

Wisniewski, a defenseman, was offensive-oriented in this game, getting a goal and two

assists. Ramsay contributed a goal and an assist, with John Vigilante, Stewart and Jonas Fiedler scoring goals.

LaRose and Jarrett each picked up two assists for the Whalers, who led 2-0 after two periods. Tyson Kellerman had 23 saves in goal for the Spirit. The Whalers are now idle until this weekend, when they host Saginaw on Saturday and London on Sunday. Both games are at 7:30 p.m.

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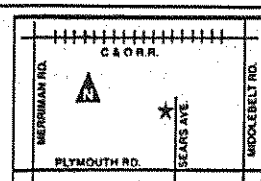
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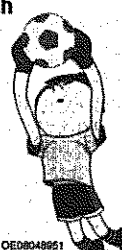
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PCA blasts Borgess; Agape rips Aggies Rocks wreck Churchill

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Sometimes the fate of a team is decided before the game even begins. So it was for both Redford Bishop Borgess and Redford St. Agatha Thursday in the Class D District Semifinals hosted by Detroit Urban Lutheran.

Their opponents were Plymouth Christian Academy (versus Borgess) and Canton Agape Christian. As it turned out, neither Redford school could match their adversary.

Nor did they appear to be very interested in trying to.

Both teams arrived just a few minutes before the scheduled start of their respective games, with just enough time to dress and take a few practice shots. Borgess had five girls on its team; St. Agatha had eight.

Both games turned out to be more of a practice session than competition. As Agape coach Chuck Henry put it, "We went into this district figuring it would be Plymouth Christian and us in the finals, so this is no surprise."

No, it wasn't. PCA routed Borgess, 50-27; Agape shredded St. Agatha, 77-22.

"I didn't know they had just five girls," said PCA coach Annie Malcolm of Borgess. "That was a surprise. But at least we got to rest some people (for the final), which was good."

In neither game was the outcome ever truly in doubt. PCA

led 9-2 by the midpoint of the first quarter and 14-4 with less than a minute left on a basket by Shannon Murray. Only the inside play of Borgess' Natosha Smith kept the game close; the Spartans trailed 15-7 after one quarter.

It was still an eight-point game midway through the second period, but Melanie Brady's basket with 4:08 to play started PCA on an eight-point finishing run that carried the Eagles to a 25-9 halftime lead.

With Borgess' depleted bench — nine players were listed on the roster, but there was just one other person sitting next to coach Shelby Young — it seemed certain PCA would survive.

"I told them to stay focused and don't take anything for granted," said Malcolm. "It was a good team effort. Nine of our 11 players scored."

"But we're going to have to shoot the ball a lot better (Friday) against Agape if we're going to win."

The Eagles converted 23-of-79 floor shots (29.1 percent) to 10-of-50 for Borgess (20 percent). Leading the nine players who scored for PCA was Brady with 14 points; Murray added 13.

The Spartans got 20 points from Smith, but only one other player — Najanava Harvey-Quinn — scored at all, getting seven points.

As outclassed as Borgess was

by PCA, it seems the Spartans could have handled St. Agatha. And considering Agape's record (18-2) and state ranking (eighth) entering the state tournament, it was safe to assume the outcome of Thursday's second game was a forgone conclusion.

When the Aggies arrived for the 8 p.m. game at 7:40, getting on the court with 7 1/2 minutes of warm-up time available, their hopes plunged further.

Henry's Wolverines didn't waste any time. They scored the game's first 15 points and led 24-2 after one quarter. Amy Henry accounted for 10 of those points and forced several of the Aggies' 10 first-quarter turnovers.

With Chuck Henry using his second unit for much of the second quarter, the deficit grew to just 28 by halftime (38-10). Agape regained its momentum in the third period, outscoring St. Agatha 18-4 to take a 56-14 lead going into the fourth.

"I really didn't know what to expect from them," said Chuck Henry of St. Agatha.

"But you have to be prepared to play against anything in the state tournament, zone or man (defense)."

What the Wolverines got to do was practice their pressure defense, which literally swallowed up the Aggies. Amy Henry, playing a little more

than half the game, scored 23 points, made 13 steals and dealt out eight assists.

She led a group of four Wolverines who reached double figures in scoring. Lisa Ther added 14 points, Tarah Armbruster scored 12 and Emily Tong netted 10. Andrea Hough was their leading rebounder with six, to go with four points.

St. Agatha got eight points apiece from Porsches Colmon and Heather Velliky.

Colmon's scoring was perhaps the most impressive; she nailed four straight outside jumpers in the second quarter. Velliky got all of her points in the second half.

Certainly, Agape has the best chance for a long run in the tournament. Amy Henry's strong all-around game is a key for the Wolverines, but it isn't the only one.

"Not fouling," noted Chuck Henry.

"We are not a deep team. In the two games we lost, the opposing team had a big advantage in free throws."

"If we stay out of foul trouble, there's no telling (how far we'll go)."

One thing is certain: Neither PCA nor Agape will face competition — or lack thereof — like they did last Thursday.

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then six times in the second — two of them on the power play and another shorthanded.

John Schultz contributed a goal and three assists to the Rocks' cause. Aaron Cheesman and Eric Culps each had a goal and two assists, David Gill collected a goal and an assist and Mike Barr scored a goal.

Salem plays at the Waterford Tournament at Lakeland Arena today.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for **Salem High School Pool Boiler Replacement**. Specifications and bid forms are available by contacting Dan Phillips in the PCCS Purchasing Department at (734) 416-2746 or for Technical questions please contact Laura Hagan of the PCCS Maintenance Department at (734) 416-2953. Sealed bids are due to the E.J. McClendon Educational Center, RE: Salem Pool Boiler Bid, 454 S. Harvey, Plymouth, MI 48170 on or before 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 10, 2002. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

Board of Education
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools
THOMAS WYSOCKI, Secretary

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CITY OF PLYMOUTH CODE OF ORDINANCES ORDINANCE NO. 2002-6

The Code of Ordinances of the City of Plymouth is hereby amended by adding a section, to be numbered 70-26, which said section reads as follows:

AN ORDINANCE TO ADOPT THE MICHIGAN MOTOR VEHICLE CODE BY REFERENCE IN THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF REGULATING THE OPERATION OF CERTAIN VEHICLES OPERATED UPON THE PUBLIC HIGHWAYS AND ANY OTHER PLACE OPEN TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC OR GENERALLY ACCESSIBLE TO MOTOR VEHICLES.

THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Section 1. Code Adopted

The Michigan Vehicle Code, 1949 PAA 300, MCL 257.1 to 257.923 and as subsequently amended, is adopted by reference.

Section 2. References to Code

References in the Michigan Vehicle Code to "local authorities" shall mean the City of Plymouth.

Section 3. Notice to be Published

The City Clerk's shall publish this ordinance in the manner required by law and shall publish, at the same time, a notice stating the purpose of the Michigan Vehicle Code and the fact that a complete copy of the code is available to the public at the office of the clerk for inspection.

Section 4. Penalties

The penalties provided by the Michigan Vehicle Code are adopted by reference, provided, however, that the City may not enforce any provision of the Michigan Vehicle Code for which the maximum period of imprisonment is greater than 93 days.

Section 5. Effective Date

This ordinance shall become effective 21 days after adoption and upon publication.

The foregoing ordinance as passed at the regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Plymouth held Monday, November 18, 2002 at 7:00 p.m.

WILLIAM S. GRAHAM, Mayor
City of Plymouth
LINDA LANGMESSER, City Clerk
City of Plymouth

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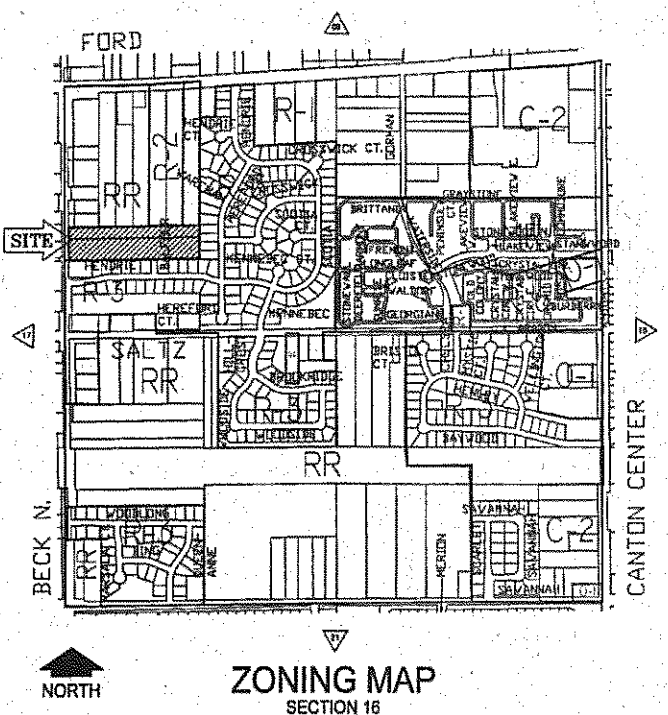
PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 2, 2002 in the **Chestnut Room, at Summit On The Park, 46000 Summit Parkway at 7:00 p.m.** on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

MAVIZDAN REZONING - CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL NO. 062 99 0021 000 & 062 99 0022 000 FROM RR, RURAL RESIDENTIAL (1 DWELLING UNIT/5 ACRE), TO R-3, SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL (3 DWELLING UNITS/3 ACRE). Property is located on the east side of Beck Road between Ford and Saltz Road.

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 Canton Center S. prior to Wednesday, November 27, 2002 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review.



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Board of Education
Plymouth-Canton Community Schools
THOMAS WYSOCKI, Secretary

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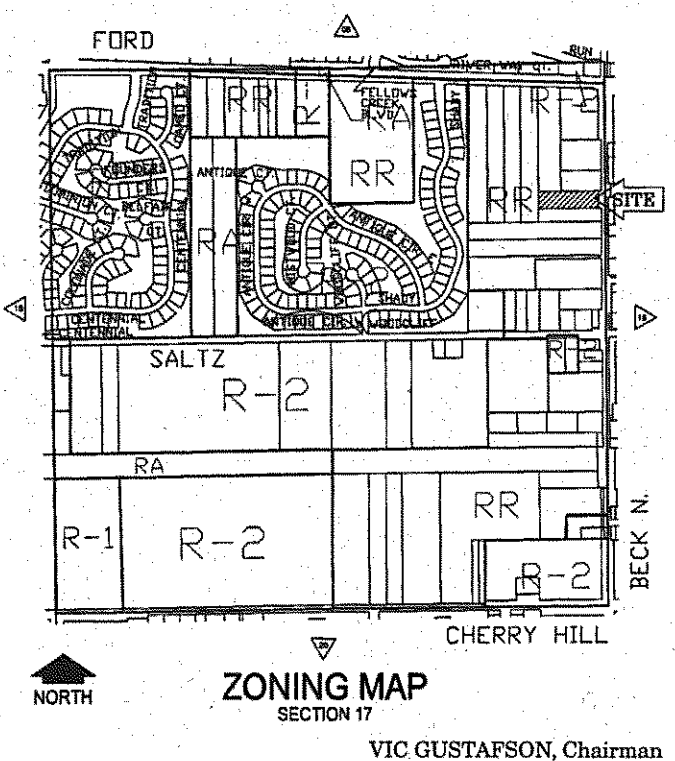
PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, December 2, 2002 in the **Chestnut Room, at Summit On The Park, 46000 Summit Parkway at 7:00 p.m.** on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

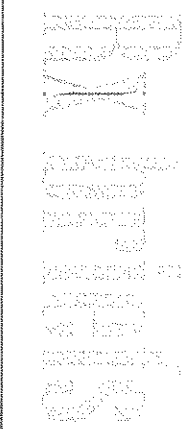
YEREBECK REZONING - CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL NO. 065 99 0010 701 FROM RR, RURAL RESIDENTIAL (1 DWELLING UNIT/5 ACRE), TO R-2, SINGLE-FAMILY RESIDENTIAL (2 DWELLING UNITS/2 ACRE). Property is located on the west side of Beck Road between Ford and Saltz Road.

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 Canton Center S. prior to Wednesday, November 27, 2002 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review.



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Stroke material

The American Stroke Association has several services and materials to assist people who have had a stroke as well as their family members and caregivers:

- The National Stroke Support Group Registry has a listing of more than 2,000 stroke support groups nationwide and puts survivors and caregivers in touch with support groups in their area.

- *Stroke Connection Magazine* is a bi-monthly publication for stroke families that explores new treatments and advances, finances, stroke recovery and rehabilitation, reducing stroke risk and stories of inspiration.

- The Stroke Family "Warmline" is a toll-free information and referral service with staff members who are stroke survivors and caregivers ready to answer questions about stroke and offer free educational materials.

- *A Family Guide to Stroke* is a comprehensive, 320-page book about the treatment, recovery and prevention for stroke. It discusses the causes of stroke, those at risk, warning signs of stroke and how stroke is diagnosed. It also offers practical guidance on coping with life after stroke, up-to-date medical treatments, and rehabilitation techniques.

For more information, call the American Stroke Association National Center toll-free at 888-4-STROKE and ask for the Stroke Family Support Network or visit the Web site at www.StrokeAssociation.org

Red Cross

Have some time on your hands? If so, become a Red Cross volunteer. Opportunities exist in all areas. The Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross is the organization that turns caring into action by providing disaster relief and helping people prevent, prepare for and respond to emergencies.

For information, log onto www.semredcross.org or call the Livonia Service Center at (734) 542-0442.

MDA fund-raiser

Local shoe store Payless ShoeSource is hosting a "Letters from Santa" fund-raiser to benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association. The money raised will help provide medical services, support groups, summer camp experiences and orthopedic equipment for children with neuromuscular disease in the metro Detroit area.

Payless ShoeSource customers can tell a sales associate they would like their child to receive a letter from the North Pole. (The letter is actually written by the Payless ShoeSource elves!) Customers are given a form that asks for the child's name and some detailed questions that Santa needs to know. In a few weeks, the child receives a handwritten letter from Santa Claus.

The cost for each letter is \$5, and all money collected is given to the MDA.

Cholesterol

Beaumont Hospital's Division of Preventative and Nutritional Medicine in Royal Oak needs volunteers 18 and older with high cholesterol for a research study on treating the condition with diet or a diet-medication combination. All participants will be compensated for their time and travel. Call toll-free (888) 807-8839.

Helping develop children's physical, mental skills

BY PAM FLEMING
CORRESPONDENT

When people think of gymnastics, most have images of Olympic athletes flying through the air. But gymnastics can be competitive or noncompetitive. The noncompetitive form of the sport has become very popular.

Peggy Stevens of Ms. Peggy's Kids Fitness Center at 34029 Schoolcraft in Livonia, like many gymnastics centers in the area, offers noncompetitive, educational gymnastics for children as soon as they're able to walk.

This type of program is exactly what many parents and children are looking for instead of team programs, she said.

"Noncompetitive educational gymnastics helps improve coordination, increases body awareness, and sharpens intellectual and listening skills. Children learn to use their body for fitness development, and more importantly, it builds self-confidence and self-esteem."

Stevens started her gymnastics program in 1995 at Farmington and Eight Mile roads and just recently moved to her new location in Livonia.

"I have no teams. Our programs are just for fun and fitness. My philosophy is educational. For example, with our pre-school children, they learn about colors and numbers. Successful development of motor skills plays a great part in developing a young child's brain."

Her classes start for children who are walking to age three. She has a class for parents with children age one-six who want to bring both children to one class.

The center holds a beginning class for children ages three-six as well as an advanced beginners class. It also offers an advanced class for children ages 6-14 and a class for boys only, age 6 and older. The center's mission statement is to

'Noncompetitive educational gymnastics helps improve coordination, increases body awareness, and sharpens intellectual and listening skills.'

Peggy Stevens
Ms. Peggy's Kids Fitness Center

help make fitness fun and create a lifetime desire to be healthy. Stevens had 400 students at her previous shop and has 300 at the Livonia location.

Cheerleaders come in to practice at the center, as well as a lot of dancers. Classes are 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesdays; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Fridays; and 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 2-6 p.m. Saturdays. The center also schedules birthday parties on Fridays and Saturdays.

"Kids can run and jump, walk on the balance beam and moon walk mountain. They can tumble, swing on bars and ropes. I thought that there was a need for this, and there are kids who just want to do gymnastics for fun. Kids love being active, even if they are a little overweight."

Mary Jo Keller, director of the Children's Center at Schoolcraft College and an adjunct faculty member, was Stevens' mentor when Stevens was a student at Schoolcraft.

"She brings her own equipment and comes to the center every Monday to help the preschoolers and kindergartners," Keller said. "She's very good with the kids and very positive."

"She helps them create good health practices for the future and learn to listen to their bodies."



Stretching is part of the exercise routine. Noah Cook, 2½, stretches out before moving on to other activities.

PARENTS LIKE PROGRAM

Rita Grima of Livonia said her daughter, Marianne, a fourth grader at St. Michael's Elementary in Livonia, has been participating at Ms. Peggy's for five years. Her other daughters, Stephanie and Jennifer, have been part-time instructors at the center in the past.

"She's become more self-confident. She was very timid when she first started and did not like being in



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Instructor Peggy Stevens helps Jessica Moorman, 3½, navigate the balance beam.

groups. Ms. Peggy's has a gymfest every year in June where the students perform an individual routine on all the apparatuses. You can just see these kids just glow after they've done these events. They're so proud, Peggy asked Marianne to come for the whole week of gymfest because she'd improved so much," she said.

Grima said Marianne tried competitive gymnastics for one summer because Stevens thought she might like a more-structured format. "She really didn't like it. It was too rigid. Instead of encouraging her, they were making her fearful. She lost her confidence. The whole environment was different. She wasn't having fun, so she went back to Ms. Peggy's two years ago. Now she loves going to gymnastics again," Grima said.

Pam Duhr of Farmington Hills said her 12-year-old daughter, Sara, a seventh

grader at East Middle School in Farmington Hills, has been going to Ms. Peggy's since she was 5.

"Sara was Ms. Peggy's second student. She absolutely loves the place and the person. We won a session at another gym that offered competitive gymnastics during a silent auction at her school a few years ago. But she didn't like it because it was too structured and not very encouraging. Ms. Peggy celebrates every little step that they make. She lets the child set the pace. Peggy encourages and nurtures. She wants them to enjoy what they're doing."

WHAT CHILDREN NEED

Doug Rowe, owner/manager of the Michigan Academy of Gymnastics in Westland since 1978, said his program

PLEASE SEE GYMNASTICS, C7

Oakwood doctor offers a holistic approach to menopause

The first thing women should understand about menopause is that it is not a disease. Medically, it is a



Dr. Kavita Rao

change in a female's hormonal status when she stops ovulating and menstruating.

Menopausal symptoms such as irregularities in menstruation, atrophic vaginitis (difficulty urinating and painful intercourse) and hot flashes can start for a woman in her 30s. It is important that a woman entering menopause gains a better understanding of her risk of heart disease, osteoporosis and breast cancer,



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which increase after menopause.

Taking a holistic approach is more than just treating specific menopausal symptoms. It's about improving a woman's overall physical health. First, I evaluate a patient's risk factors for coronary artery disease, osteoporosis and breast cancer. I then try to decrease any risk factors or modify them using appro-

priate conventional medical approaches, such as determining if the patient should take aspirin, or needs cholesterol-lowering medication.

If the patient prefers alternative methods, I explain which options are best for her, their effectiveness and safety. For some patients, I may consider herbal remedies using phytoestrogenic herbs such as black cohosh, anise seeds, fennel or sage for a short period of time to relieve symptoms like hot flashes. However, herbal remedies are not for everyone. No one should try them without consulting a doctor.

At the Oakwood Complementary and Alternative Medicine Center, we also practice ayurvedic medicine, an ancient branch of holistic medicine commonly

used in India and Indonesia. The goal of ayurvedic medicine is to maintain overall good health through knowledge, life-style changes, appropriate dietary intervention (wherein food is used as medicine), exercises (yoga) and herbal remedies if indicated.

DIET AND EXERCISE

The best way to successfully manage menopause requires a combination of knowledge, a healthy diet and appropriate exercise. I strongly recommend a diet rich in fruits and vegetables as a dietary source of vitamins, minerals and antioxidants.

PLEASE SEE MENOPAUSE, C7

NOVEMBER

Grief support

Angela Hospice offers ongoing grief support groups every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at the center, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia. The next meeting is 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. Nov. 26. Call (734) 464-7810.

Thyroid

ThyCa SE Michigan meets the fourth Tuesday of each month from 7-8:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Public Library. Next meeting is Nov. 26. This is a mutual support group for anyone with thyroid cancer. Friends and families of thyroid cancer survivors are welcome. Contact Mary Rose Weckerle at SE_Mi@CallThyCa, or call toll free (877) 588-7904

DECEMBER

Senior Health Day

Senior Health Services of Saint Joseph

Mercy Health System will host "Holiday Foods, Fun and Surprises" 9:30-11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 3, at SJM Health Stop, located in Briarwood Mall just off I-94 at the State Street exit in Ann Arbor. Call (734) 827-3777.

Children/grief

Angela Hospice in Livonia will offer a holiday workshop for children 6-17 years old 5:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 3. As part of the session, participants will design and make a holiday wreath in honor of their loved one. Parents are welcome to attend. Contact the Bereavement Department at (734) 464-7810 or (734) 953-6012.

Worry

Dr. Bruce Hillenberg, psychologist, will present "Coping with Worry and Fear" 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, at Beaumont Hospital, 1st Floor Conference Room, Beaumont Cancer Center, 3577 W. 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak. Call (248) 551-

8588.

Lymphatic workshop

The Tree House, 22906 Mooney Street, Farmington, will host "The Ultimate Lymphatic and Blood Detox Workshop" 1-7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7. Learn the basic principles of anatomy, physiology and fluid dynamics of the human lymphatic system. Raw food dinner buffet. Cost: \$50 single; \$90 couple. Call (248) 473-0624.

Parkinson's disease

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County will meet 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 8, at the Saint Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Bldg. 5305, Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor. Annual holiday potluck. Bring table service and a dish to pass. Main entrée and drinks provided. Entertainment. Call Beth Colaneri-Kenney at (734) 741-9209.

Grief workshop

Angela Hospice in Livonia will offer

two adult grief workshops 1-3 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. Monday, Dec. 9. To register, contact the Bereavement Department at (734) 464-7810 or (734) 953-6012.

Homeopathy

The Tree House for Earth's Children, 22906 Mooney Street, Farmington, offers an "Introductory Class on Homeopathy" 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14. Learn about natural remedies for colds, cough, allergies, aches and pains, indigestion, colic, asthma, depression and sexual problems, and more. Cost: \$50. Call (248) 473-0624.

ONGOING

Self-Help groups

Anyone seeking information on a variety of self-help groups may call the Michigan Self-Help Clearing House at (877) 777-5556.

Bipolar

The MDDA-Bipolar Support Group

meets 3-5 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday at Beaumont Hospital, Administration Bldg., 3601 W. 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak. Call Kathie at (248) 544-1097.

Divorce support

The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College will offer a "Divorce Support Group" 7-9 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Call the WRC at (734) 462-4443.

Fibromyalgia

"Fibro-Friends & More," a support group for sufferers of fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome, meets 1 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Merriman Road Baptist Church, 2055 Merriman Road, Garden City. Call Tina at (734) 495-0226 or Lucy at (734) 953-8576.

Bereavement

"Together to Share," a grief support group, meets 10 a.m. the first Monday of each month at American House on

Middlebelt Road in Livonia. The group meets 3 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at Dorvin Nursing Center on Middlebelt Road in Livonia. Both groups are facilitated by a bereavement coordinator from Heartland Hospice in Southfield. Call (800) 770-9859.

Overeaters Anonymous

Support group for overeaters meets 7 p.m. every Friday at Providence Park-Novi, 47601 Grand River Avenue, Novi. Helpline: (313) 438-HELP or (248) 474-9456.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Everyone is welcome to the AA meetings held at noon every Tuesday and Thursday at Providence Medical Office Center-Novi, 39500 W. 10 Mile Road (at Haggerty), Novi. Call (248) 348-9362. AA meetings also held noon every Wednesday at Mission Health Medical Center-Livonia, 37595 Seven Mile Road, Livonia. Call (734) 953-1188.

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I also recommend phytoestrogenic foods such as alfalfa sprouts, lentils and nuts for better cardiovascular health and relief of menopausal symptoms. Avoiding hot beverages, such as coffee, and not smoking will help in decreasing the severity of hot flashes.

Along with a healthy diet, I encourage women to get plenty of exercise. In some cases, I recommend resistance-training exercises using weights for at least 10-15 minutes a day.

Something as simple as a brisk 30-minute walk every day (with proper stretching and warm-up) can help in preventing coronary artery disease, hypertension and diabetes.

FINAL THOUGHTS

I do not believe in a blanket approach to menopause. I tailor the regimen to each patient's needs, her health risks factors and outlook on life. Whether you are using alternative treatments or conventional ones, like hormone replacement therapy medications, or creams, any treatment must be frequently re-evaluated by the patient and physician as her risk for heart disease, osteoporosis and breast cancer are also changing.

At Oakwood's Complementary and Alternative Medicine Center in Westland, we promote patient health education and awareness by offering courses on health care from the perspective of Complementary and Alternative Medicine.

Dr. Kavita Rao is assistant medical director of the Oakwood Complementary and Alternative Medicine Center. She received her M.D. degree in internal medicine from Hurley Medical Center at Michigan State University and an M.D. in family practice from Indonesian Catholic University. Rao also specializes in ayurvedic medicine. For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call (734) 414-9003.

Beaumont surgeons use robotics in heart bypass

Heart surgeons at Beaumont Hospital are the first in the state to have performed minimally invasive robotic-assisted heart bypass surgery. The patient, a 54-year-old man from Franklin, is now home recovering from the surgery.

Surgeons prepared the mammary artery, located inside the chest cavity, for heart bypass surgery without opening the chest. This eliminated the need to open or "crack" the breastbone or sternum, which requires an incision of eight to 12 inches.

Instead, doctors used a robotic system that requires only three holes the width of a pencil. Through these holes, two robotic arms and an endoscope (a tiny camera) gain access to the heart. Surgeons then performed a minimally invasive coronary artery bypass, in which the mammary artery was attached to the coronary artery through an incision only about three inches long. In addition, the surgery is performed "off pump" or without the use of the heart-lung machine.

"Because the robot provides us with access to harvest the mammary artery, we are able to combine the robotic technology with minimally invasive bypass techniques and make surgery much less traumatic for the patient. This means shorter recovery times and shorter hospital stays," says Beaumont cardiovascular surgeon Dr. Marc Sakwa, who along with fellow cardiovascular surgeon Dr. Jeffrey Altschuler, is pioneering the use of the

'We are able to combine the robotic technology with minimally invasive bypass techniques and make surgery much less traumatic for the patient.'

Dr. Marc Sakwa
cardiovascular surgeon, Beaumont Hospital

robotic system for heart surgery in Michigan. Beaumont heart surgeons say the next step is to do an entire heart bypass surgery using the robotic technology and eventually perform mitral valve surgery as well. They expect this to happen in the very near future.

The surgeon manipulates the robot's movements from a viewing console located several feet away from the patient. The robot, bent over the operating table, performs all of the delicate procedures required in heart surgery. The surgical robot in use, Intuitive Surgical's (ISRG) da Vinci Surgical System, has been approved by the Food and Drug Administration for a number of clinical trials in heart surgery.

Prior to use for heart surgery, Beaumont doctors have performed thoracic and urology surgeries with the da Vinci Surgical System.

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includes both competitive and noncompetitive gymnastics but that 90 percent of the program is noncompetitive.

"Out of about 800 students, we only have about 80 children on teams," he said. His students range in age from 8 to 17, and he has several instructors from Romania, Russia and Bulgaria.

"I call my program advanced elementary physical education. We teach real physical education - running, jumping, hopping, and skipping, as well as basic gross motor movements."

One of the most important benefits of gymnastics for children is that it builds strong bones, he said.

"This has been proven many times over. Weight-bearing exercise prevents osteoporosis."

He believes physical education/ gymnastic activity is what children really need.

"We also teach students how to invert their bodies, which improves strength, coordination and spatial awareness."

The psychological benefits of gymnastics are important, too. "What I really try to make people aware of is that kids experience success and enjoyment through personal achievement. And, this may be just doing a simple forward or backward roll. They learn something, and you

can see their faces light up when they accomplish these movements. The kids gain confidence through real achievement."

The Michigan Academy of Gymnastics is open 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Friday and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

Kelly Bevak has been an assistant gymnastics coach for two years at Churchill High School in Livonia, which is a competitive program involving 30 athletes. Students from Churchill, Franklin and Stevenson high schools have competed against gymnasts from other high schools in the area for three years. The gymnastics program is growing each year believes it helps students grow by providing a way for them to meet new people, she said.

"Gymnastics improves overall muscle strength and endurance. It takes tremendous concentration as well as physical fitness." Nerves are a factor in competition "But I think they get over that eventually the more that they compete."

Some of the other centers in the area that offer gymnastics instruction include: All Star Gymnastics and Gymboree Play Program in Novi; Conrad's Gymnastics Academy in Farmington Hills; Euro Stars Gymnastics Inc., in Plymouth; Farmington Gymnastics in Farmington; Splitz Gymnastics Academy in Canton Township; Tumble Bunnies in Belleville as well as YMCAs in the Detroit area.

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U-M Hospital provides a prescription for patient safety

When you have to head to the hospital it's usually because you're sick and need to get healthy again – it's not to get even sicker! However, preventable medical errors happen everyday in hospitals across the country, putting thousands of patients at risk. That's why the University of Michigan Health System is trying to prevent these errors and to help keep patients safe.

"A few years ago, the Institute of Medicine came out with a report indicating that medical errors account for tens of thousands of deaths and many more near-deaths every year in U.S. hospitals," says Sanjay Saint, M.D., M.P.H., associate professor of internal medicine at UMHS as well as at the Ann Arbor VA Hospital. "This is far too many people suffering from errors that can be prevented."

MEDICAL ERRORS

According to the Agency for Health Care Research and Quality, part of the Department of Health and Human Services, medical errors happen when something that was planned as part of medical care doesn't work out, or when the wrong plan was used in the first place. Saint says one reason for this is lack of communication.

"There are several potential safety hazards that patients face when they

enter the hospital," notes Saint. "One main hazard is the lack of communication between the patient's outpatient provider and their inpatient provider. Meaning, important information may not be transmitted from the patient's primary care physician to the doctor the patient sees once they are admitted in the hospital."

A medical error may lead to an adverse event, an event that was caused by medical management rather than by the underlying disease or underlying condition of the patient. Adverse events range from having a reaction to a medication to having a procedure go awry to even developing a hospital-acquired infection.

Saint says, "The inpatient setting can lead to several types of medical errors. One big issue is infections. Patients who get admitted to the hospital often will get devices put into their veins to help carry medications, as well as getting devices that are put into their bladder to collect their urine. If these devices are not managed properly they both can lead to life-threatening infections."

PREVENTING ERRORS

UMHS has taken a pro-active approach in tackling patient safety issues. In 2000, the U-M Patient Safety

Enhancement Program was developed to improve the quality of patient care by conducting research that focuses on methods of avoiding or preventing adverse patient outcomes or injuries that stem from the process of health care.

"What we are trying to do at the University of Michigan is to proactively implement new interventions to prevent adverse events before they occur," notes Saint, director of the U-M Patient Safety Enhancement Program. "And then we will study the results to see if these patient safety interventions make a difference in the real world."

UMHS patient safety researchers recently were able to show by using antiseptic coated catheters, hospital acquired infections went down by nearly 36 percent. Saint says they are also developing other measures to ensure patient safety.

"One of the important problems and challenges faced by hospitals everywhere is how to get timely information to the referring physician when a patient is discharged from the hospital," says Saint. "Here at U-M we are trying to automate the system so that a one-page discharge document gets faxed or e-mailed immediately to the referring physician, and a copy of the document is also given to the patient

so they can keep it for their own records."

TIPS TO AVOID MEDICAL ERRORS

"The best way for a patient to help prevent a medical error is to have them become an active member in their care," says Saint. "The patient needs to ask questions throughout their treatment and be aware of what their diagnosis is, as well as what medications they are being prescribed."

Saint recommends patients use the following patient safety guidelines from the Agency for Health Care Research and Quality:

■ **Speak up if you have questions or concerns.** Choose a doctor who you feel comfortable talking to about your health and treatment.

■ **Keep a list of all the medicines you take.** Tell your doctor and pharmacist about the medicines that you take, including over-the-counter medicines such as aspirin, ibuprofen, and dietary supplements like vitamins and herbals.

■ **Make sure you get the results of any test or procedure.** Ask your doctor or nurse when and how you will get the results of tests or procedures.

■ **Talk with your doctor and health care team about your options if you need hospital care.** If you have more than one hospital to choose from, ask your doctor which one has the best care and results for your condition.

■ **Make sure you understand what will happen if you need surgery.** Ask your doctor and surgeon: Who will take charge of my care while I'm in the hospital? Exactly what will you be doing? How long will it take? What will happen after the surgery? How can I expect to feel during recovery? Tell the surgeon, anesthesiologist, and nurses if you have allergies or have ever had a bad reaction to anesthesia.

For more information, visit the following Web sites:

■ U-M Patient Safety Enhancement Program, www.med.umich.edu/psep

■ Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) www.ahrq.gov/consumer/20tips.htm

■ American Medical Association – National Patient Safety Foundation www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/category/5343.html

■ National Patient Safety Foundation, www.npsf.org

Walking good exercise but get the right shoes

With winter just around the corner, many seniors are transferring their walking programs from the sidewalk to the mall. However, if you're a senior who hasn't started a walking program, you're not confined to the house.

Make sure you're in good health, from head to toe, before lacing up those new walking shoes, said podiatrist Dr. James Duncan of Canton Foot Specialists. Feet and ankles really take a pounding when walking long distances.

"Seniors who are happiest and healthiest are those who exercise," he said. "By staring a

walking program, you are doing something good for your health."

But remember, walking and running are two different things.

"Make sure that you have the proper shoes and that they fit well. Running shoes are not the best shoes for walking. Look for shoes that can adjust to all types of feet, whether they are flat, have high arches or are wide or narrow."

Orthotics – thin, flexible inserts that fit inside shoes to alleviate foot pain and foot imbalance – put one's foot in a biomechanically sound posi-

tion, he noted. Canton Foot Specialists uses a computerized imaging system to take pictures of feet at rest and in motion to obtain proper measurements for making orthotics. This method replaces the old method of making a caste of the foot to create a mold for orthotics.

Pre-walking stretching is a good idea, said Duncan. "Take your foot and spell out the alphabet – from A to Z before putting your shoes on. That will take you through the range of motion for walking."

For those who want to use ankle weights as a warm-up,

he cautioned that seniors with heart problems or arthritis should first consult their doctors. Otherwise, seniors in good health should be able to work with weights without problems.

Seniors with osteoarthritis of the ankle and foot will find that starting anew walking program may initially cause some aches and pains. Taking ibuprofen and getting adequate rest should help. Duncan noted the benefit if improving one's overall health is an incentive to continue a walking program even if mild pain continues. Fore severe arthritis, sup-

portive devices to limit joint movement that causes pain can be prescribed.

Heel pain, also known as plantar fasciitis, often occurs when seniors embark on a new walking program because their feet aren't used to the full range of motion associated with walking longer distances. Stretching and taking ibuprofen can help ease the pain. If pain persists or gets worse, seniors should seek treatment.

For information about foot and ankle problems, call Canton Foot Specialists at (734) 981-7800.

Botsford offers weight loss program

Following author Laurel Mellin's appearance on Oprah Winfrey's television show a few weeks ago, Mellin's book, *The Solution, 6 Winning Ways to Permanent Weight Loss*, shot to the top of Amazon.com's best-seller list.

Botsford General Hospital is offering the community an opportunity to preview The Solution program based on Mellin's weight loss techniques during free introductory sessions offered Jan. 2 and Jan. 8, 2003. For those who believe that the program may be right for them, a retreat session on Saturday, Jan. 11, will provide more details on the program.

The Solution is based on development of powerful personal inner skills rather than restrictive diets. Botsford is the only hospital in the metro Detroit area that offers the Solution program, which was developed by Mellin at the University of California, San Francisco School of Medicine.

The free introductory sessions and retreat will be held at the Botsford Center for Health Improvement, 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. Following the retreat, participants can register for an upcoming 12-week program. The first program for 2003 will begin Jan. 16.

For more information and to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement at (248) 477-6100.

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Oakwood first with new treatment for varicose veins

Approximately 25 million women and men suffer from a condition called superficial venous reflux, which can cause pain, swelling and varicose veins in the legs. The condition develops when the valves that usually keep blood flowing out of the legs become damaged or diseased. Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center is the first hospital in the area offering a new, minimally invasive procedure to get rid of unsightly varicose veins.

Dr. Jeffrey Miller, co-director of vascular and interventional radiology at Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center performs

the VNUS Closure procedure as an alternative to traditional vein stripping surgery.

"It was important to us at Oakwood to offer patients an option that's minimally invasive, without the pain and bruising often associated with more traditional procedures," said Miller. Unlike traditional vein stripping surgery, which requires an incision in the groin, with the VNUS Closure procedure a thin catheter is inserted into the diseased vein through a small opening.

The catheter then delivers radio frequency energy to the vein wall, causing it to heat,

collapse and seal shut. Once the diseased vein is closed, other healthy veins take over and empty blood from the legs. Symptoms should improve noticeably following the procedure. After the catheter is removed, a bandage is applied to the area where the catheter was inserted and the leg must be wrapped typically for a day.

"To ensure a faster recovery, I ask patients to walk often, wear compression stockings for a few days, and to refrain from long periods of standing for a few weeks following the procedure," said Miller.

The entire treatment for either one or both legs is done in one outpatient visit, typically using local or regional anesthesia. It takes only about an hour to perform and patients are back on their feet within a day or two. There is minimal scarring, bruising or swelling following the procedure. Oakwood has performed four VNUS Closure procedures in the month of October.

All of the patients have been very happy with the results. One male patient said he was "amazed to be pain free just one day after the procedure."

Clinical results indicate that the VNUS Closure procedure can be effective at closing the vein and significantly reducing symptoms. Prior to the VNUS Closure procedure, 85 percent of patients reported leg pain. After six weeks, 94 percent who had the procedure did not report any lingering pain. Two years after the treatment, 90 percent of the treated veins remained closed and free from reflux, the underlying cause of varicose veins.

Miller joined the Oakwood Healthcare System in 1994, after completing a four-year

radiology residency and a one-year interventional radiology fellowship. In addition to being a Diplomate of the American Board of Radiology, he received a Certificate of Added Qualification in Interventional Radiology. Miller and Dr. Brent Thompson, are co-directors of interventional radiology at Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center.

Contact Dr. Jeffrey Miller at (313) 593-7292 or at millerj3@oakwood.org. For more information on women's health please visit www.oakwood.org or call 800.543.WELL.



CITY OF PLYMOUTH CITY CLERKS OFFICE ORDINANCE NO. 2002-7

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 51 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES, CITY OF PLYMOUTH

THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

Section 1. Amendment of Chapter 51. An amendment to Chapter 51 is hereby added to the Code of Ordinances, City of Plymouth ("City Code") and replaces any prior provisions contained in Chapter 51 to read as follows:

CHAPTER 51. TELECOMMUNICATIONS

Section 51-1. Purpose:

The purposes of this Chapter 51 are to regulate access to and ongoing use of public rights-of-way by telecommunications providers for their telecommunications facilities while protecting the public health, safety, and welfare and exercising reasonable control of the public rights-of-way in compliance with the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight Act (Act No. 48 of the Public Acts of 2002) ("Act") and other applicable law, and to ensure that the City of Plymouth qualifies for distributions under the Act by modifying the fees charged to providers and complying with the Act.

Section 51-2. Conflict:

Nothing in this Article shall be construed in such a manner as to conflict with the Act or other applicable law.

Section 51-3. Terms Defined:

(a) The meaning of the terms used in this Chapter 51 shall be as follows:

- (1) "Act" means the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight Act (Act No. 48 of the Public Acts of 2002), as amended from time to time.
- (2) "City" means the City of Plymouth.
- (3) "City Commission" means the City Commission for the City of Plymouth or its designee. This subsection does not authorize delegation of any decision or function that is required by law to be made by the City Commission.
- (4) "City Manager" means the City Manager or his or her designee.
- (5) "Permit" means a non-exclusive permit issued pursuant to the Act and to this Chapter 51 to a telecommunications provider to use the public rights-of-way in the City for its telecommunications facilities.

(b) All other terms used in this Chapter 51 shall have the same meaning as defined or as provided in the Act, including without limitation the following:

- (1) "Authority" means the Metropolitan Extension Telecommunications Rights-of-Way Oversight Authority created pursuant to Section 3 of this Act.
- (2) "MPSC" means the Michigan Public Service Commission in the Department of Consumer and Industry Services, and shall have the same meaning as the term "Commission" in the Act.
- (3) "Person" means an individual, corporation, partnership, association, governmental entity, or any other legal entity.
- (4) "Public Rights-of-Way" means the area on, below, or above a public roadway, highway, street, alley, easement or waterway. Public rights-of-ways does not include a federal, state or private rights-of-way.
- (5) "Telecommunications Facilities or Facilities" means the equipment or personal property, such as copper and fiber cables, lines, wires, switches, conduits, pipes and sheaths, which are used to or can generate, receive, transmit, carry, amplify, or provide telecommunication services or signals. Telecommunications facility or facilities do not include antennas, supporting structures for antennas, equipment shelters or houses, and any ancillary equipment and miscellaneous hardware used to provide federally licensed commercial mobile service as defined in Section 332(d) of Part I of Title III of the Communications Act of 1934, Chapter 652, 48 Stat. 1064, 47 U.S.C. 332 and further defined as commercial mobile radio service in 47 CFR 20.3, and service provided by any wireless, two-way device.

(6) "Telecommunications Provider, Provider and Telecommunications Services" means those terms as defined in Section 102 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, 1991 PA 179, MCL 484.2102. Telecommunications provider does not include a person or an affiliate of that person when providing a federally licensed commercial mobile service as defined in Section 332(d) of Part I of Title III of the Communications Act of 1934, Chapter 652, 48 Stat. 1064, 47 U.S.C. 332 and further defined as commercial mobile radio service in 47 CFR 20.3, and service provided by any wireless, two-way device. For the purpose of the Act and this Chapter 51 only, a provider also includes all of the following:

- (a) A cable television operator that provides a telecommunications service.
- (b) Except as otherwise provided by the Act, a person who owns telecommunications facilities located within a public rights-of-way.
- (c) A person provided broadband internet transport access service.

Section 51-4. Permit Required:

(a) **Permit Required.** Except as otherwise provided in the Act, a telecommunications provider using or seeking to use public rights-of-way in the City for the telecommunications facilities shall apply for and obtain a permit pursuant to this Chapter 51.

(b) **Application.** Telecommunications providers shall apply for a permit on an application form approved by the MPSC in accordance with Section 6(1) of the Act. A telecommunications provider shall file one copy of the application with City Clerk, one copy with the City Manager, and one copy with the City Attorney. Upon receipt, the City Clerk shall make copies of the application and distribute a copy to all members of the City Commission. Applications shall be complete and include all information required by the Act, including without limitation a route map showing the location of the provider's existing and proposed facilities in accordance with Section 6(5) of the Act.

(c) **Confidential Information.** If a telecommunications provider claims that any portion of the route maps submitted by it as part of its application contain trade secret, proprietary, or confidential information, which is exempt from the Freedom of Information Act, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 to 15.246, pursuant to Section 6(5) of the Act, the telecommunications provider shall prominently so indicate on the face of each map.

(d) **Application Fee.** Except as otherwise provided by the Act, the application fee shall be accompanied by a one-time non-refundable application fee in the amount of \$500.00.

(e) **Additional Information.** The City Manager may request an applicant to submit such additional information which the City Manager deems reasonably necessary or relevant. The applicant shall comply with all such requests in compliance with reasonable deadlines for such additional information established by the City Manager. If the City and the applicant cannot agree on the requirement of additional information requested by the City, the City or the applicant shall notify the MPSC as provided in Section 6(2) of the Act.

(f) **Previously Issued Permits.** Pursuant to Section 5(1) of the Act, authorizations or permits previously issued by the City under Section 251 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, 1991 PA 179, MCL 484.2251 and authorizations or permits issued by the City to telecommunications providers prior to the 1995 enactment of Section 251 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act but after 1985 shall satisfy the permit requirements of this Chapter 51.

(g) **Existing Providers.** Pursuant to Section 5(3) of the Act, within 180 days from November 1, 2002, the effective date of the Act, a telecommunications provider with facilities located in a public rights-of-way in the City as of such date, that has not previously obtained authorization or a permit under Section 251 of the Michigan Telecommunications Act, 1991 PA 179, MCL 484.2251, shall submit to the City an application for a permit in accordance with the requirements of this Chapter 51. Pursuant to Section 5(3) of the Act, a telecommunications provider submitting an application under this subsection is not required to pay the \$500.00 application fee required under subsection (d) above. A provider under this subsection shall be given up to an additional 180 days to submit the permit application if allowed by the Authority, as provided in Section 5(4) of the Act.

Section 51-5. Issuance of Permit:

(a) **Approval or Denial.** The authority to approve or deny an application for a permit rests with the City Commission. Pursuant to Section 15(3) of the Act, the City Commission shall approve or deny an application for a permit within forty-five (45) days from the date a telecommunications provider files an application for a permit under Section 4(b) of this Chapter 51 for access to a public rights-of-way within the City. Pursuant to Section 6(6) of the Act, the City Commission shall notify the MPSC when the City Commission has granted or denied a permit, including information regarding the date on which the application was filed and the date on which the permit was granted or denied. The City Commission shall not unreasonably deny an application for a permit.

(b) **Form of Permit.** If an application for a permit is approved, the City Commission shall issue the permit in the form as provided by the MPSC, with or without additional or different permit terms, in accordance with Sections 6(1), 6(2) and 15 of the Act.

(c) **Conditions.** Pursuant to section 15(4) of the Act, the City Commission may impose conditions on the issuance of a permit, which conditions shall be limited to the telecommunications provider's access and usage of the public rights-of-way.

(d) **Bond Requirement.** Pursuant to Section 15(3) of the Act, and without limitation on subsection (c) above, the City Commission may require that a bond be posted by the telecommunications provider as a condition of the permit. If a bond is required, it shall not exceed the reasonable cost to ensure that the public rights-of-way is returned to its original condition during and after the telecommunications providers' access and use.

Section 51-6. Construction/Engineering Permit:

A telecommunications provider shall not commence construction upon, over, across, or under the public rights-of-way without first obtaining a construction or engineering permit as required under Chapter 70 of the City Code, as amended, for construction within the public rights-of-way. No fee shall be charged for such a construction or engineering permit.

Section 51-7. Conduit or Utility Poles:

Pursuant to Section 4(3) of the Act, obtaining a permit or paying the fees required under the Act or under this Chapter 51 does not give a telecommunications provider a right to use conduit or utility poles.

Section 51-8. Route Maps:

Pursuant to Section 6(7) of the Act, a telecommunications provider shall, within 90 days after the substantial completion of construction of new telecommunications facilities in the City, submit route maps showing the location of the telecommunications facilities to both the MPSC and to the City. The route maps should be in paper or electric format unless and until the Commission determines otherwise, in accordance with Section 6(8) of the Act.

Section 51-9. Repair of Damage:

Pursuant to Section 15(5) of the Act, a telecommunications provider undertaking an excavation or construction or installing telecommunications facilities within a public rights-of-way or temporarily obstructing a public rights-of-way in the City, as authorized by a permit, shall promptly repair all damage done to the street surface and all installations under, over, below, or within the public rights-of-way and shall promptly restore the public rights-of-way to its preexisting condition.

Section 51-10. Establishment and Payment of Maintenance Fee:

In addition to the non-refundable application fee paid to the City set forth in subsection 4(d) above, a telecommunications provider with telecommunications facilities in the City's public rights-of-way shall pay an annual maintenance fee to the Authority pursuant to section 8 of the Act.

Section 51-11. Modification of Existing Fees:

In compliance with the requirement of Section 13(1) of the Act, the City hereby modifies, to the extent necessary, any fees charged to telecommunications providers after November 1, 2002, the effective date of the Act, relating to access and usage of public rights-of-way, to an amount not exceeding the amounts of fees and charges required under the Act, which shall be paid to the Authority. In compliance with the requirements of Section 13(4) of the Act, the City also hereby approves modification of the fees of providers with telecommunications facilities in public rights-of-way within the City's boundaries, so that those providers pay only those fees required under Section 8 of the Act. The City shall provide each telecommunications provider affected by the fee with a copy of this Chapter 51, in compliance with the requirements of Section 13(4) of the Act. To the extent any fees are charged telecommunications providers in excess of the amounts permitted under the Act, or which are otherwise inconsistent with the Act, such imposition is hereby declared to be contrary to the City's policy and intent, and upon application by a provider or discovery by the City, shall be promptly refunded as having been charged in error.

Section 51-12. Savings Clause:

Pursuant to Section 13(5) of the Act, if Section 8 of the Act is found to be invalid or unconstitutional, the modification of fees under section 11 above shall be void from the date the modification was made.

Section 51-13. Use of Funds:

Pursuant to Section 9(4) of the Act, all amounts received by the City from the Authority shall be used by the City solely for rights-of-way related purposes. In conformance with that requirement, all funds received by the City from the Authority shall be deposited into the Major Street Fund and/or the Local Street Fund maintained by the City under Act No. 51 of the Public Acts of 1951.

Section 51-14. Annual Reports:

Pursuant to Section 10(5) of the Act, the City Manager shall file an annual report with the Authority on the use and disposition of funds annually distributed by the Authority.

Section 51-15. Cable Television Operators:

Pursuant to Section 13(6) of the Act, the City shall not hold a cable

television operator in default or seek any remedy for its failure to satisfy an obligation, if any, to pay after November 1, 2002, the effective date of this Act, a franchise fee or similar fee on that portion of gross revenues from charges the cable operator received from cable modem services provided through broadband internet transport access service.

Section 51-16. Existing Rights:

Pursuant to Section 4(2) of the Act, except as expressly provided herein with respect to fees, this Chapter 51 shall not affect any existing rights that a telecommunications provider or the City may have under a permit issued by the City or under a contract between the City and a telecommunications provider related to the use of the public rights-of-way.

Section 51-17. Compliance:

The City hereby declares that its policy and intent in adopting this Chapter 51 is to fully comply with the requirements of the Act, and the provisions hereof should be construed in such a manner as to achieve that purpose. The City shall comply in all aspects with the requirements of the Act, including but not limited to the following:

- (a) Exempting certain route maps from the Freedom of Information Act, 1976 PA 442, MCL 15.231 to 15.246, as provided in Section 4(c) of this Chapter 51;
- (b) Allowing certain previously issued permits to satisfy the permit requirements hereof, in accordance with Section 4(f) of this Chapter 51;
- (c) Allowing existing providers additional time in which to submit an application for a permit, and excusing such providers from the \$500.00 application fee, in accordance with Section 4(g) of this Chapter 51;
- (d) Approving or denying an application for a permit within forty-five (45) days from the date a telecommunications provider files an application for a permit for access to and usage of a public rights-of-ways within the City, in accordance with Section 5(a) of this Chapter 51;
- (e) Notifying the MPSC when the City has granted or denied a permit, in accordance with Section 5(a) of this Chapter 51;
- (f) Not unreasonably denying an application for a permit, in accordance with Section 5(a) of this Chapter 51;
- (g) Issuing a permit in the form approved by the MPSC, with or without additional or different permit terms, as provided in Section 5(b) of this Chapter 51;
- (h) Limiting the conditions imposed on the issuance of a permit to the telecommunications provider's access and usage of the public rights-of-way, in accordance with Section 5(c) of this Chapter 51;
- (i) Not requiring a bond of a telecommunications provider which extends the reasonable cost to insure that the public rights-of-way is returned to its original condition during and after the telecommunications provider's access and use, in accordance with Section 5(d) of this Chapter 51;
- (j) Not charging any telecommunications providers any additional fees for construction or engineering permits, in accordance with Section 6 of this Chapter 51;
- (k) Providing each telecommunications provider affected by the City's rights-of-way fees with a copy of this Ordinance, in accordance with Section 11 of this Chapter 51;
- (l) Submitting an annual report to the Authority, in accordance with Section 14 of this Chapter 51; and
- (m) Not holding a cable television operator in default for a failure to pay certain franchise fees, in accordance with Section 15 of this Chapter 51.

Section 51-18. Reservation of Police Powers:

Pursuant to Section 15(2) of the Act, this Chapter 51 shall not limit the City's right to review and approve a telecommunications provider's access to and ongoing use of a public rights-of-way or limit the City's authority to ensure and protect the health, safety and welfare of the public.

Section 51-19. Severability:

The various parts, sentences, paragraphs, sections and clauses of this Chapter 51 are hereby declared to be severable. If any part, sentence, paragraph, section or clause of this Chapter 51 is adjudged unconstitutional or invalid by any court or administrative agency or competent jurisdiction, the unconstitutionality or invalidity shall not affect the constitutionality or validity or any remaining provisions of this Chapter 51.

Section 51-20. Authorized City Officials:

To the extent permitted under the Act or otherwise, the City Manager or his or her designee is hereby designated as the authorized City official to issue municipal civil infraction citations (directing alleged violators to appear in court) or municipal civil infraction notices (directing alleged violators to appear at the municipal Chapter 51 violations bureau) for violations under this Chapter 51 as provided by the City Code.

Section 51-21. Municipal Civil Infraction:

To the extent permitted under the Act or otherwise, a person who violates any provision of this Chapter 51 or the terms or conditions of a permit is responsible for municipal civil infraction, and shall be subject to payment of not less than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) and not more than Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), plus costs and other sanctions, for each infraction. Each day that a violation continues shall be a separate infraction. Repeat offenses under this Chapter 51 shall be subject to increased fines as follows:

First repeat offense:	Not less than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) and not more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).
Second and subsequent:	Not less than Two Thousand Dollars (\$2,000.00) and not more than Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00)

Nothing in Section 21 shall be construed to limit the remedies available to the City in the event of a violation by a person of this Chapter 51 or a permit.

Section 51-22. Repealer:

- (a) All ordinances and portions of ordinances inconsistent with this Chapter 51 are hereby repealed.
- (b) City Code Chapter 51, is hereby amended to include the language contained herein.

Section 51-23. Effective Date:

This Chapter 51 shall become effective immediately upon publication in a newspaper of general circulation within the City of Plymouth.

Introduced: November 4, 2002
Adopted: November 18, 2002
Published: November 24, 2002
Effective Date: November 24, 2002

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QUALITY GAL

50 yr old, divorced female, 5'5", a few extra pounds, long blonde hair, hazel eyes. Enjoys bowling, playing cards, darts, fishing, boating, camping, movies, music, good conversation, her hot tub. Seeks responsible, family oriented male, 45 to 60, good sense of humor. BOX 14762

GET IN TOUCH

31 yr old female, 5'7", 136 lbs. Looking for someone to have some fun and adventures with. BOX 21120

AM I ASKING TOO MUCH

African American divorced mother of two, 41, intelligent, young looking, very energetic, exercises every day. Seeks white male who's trustworthy, classy, warm, loving heart, clean cut, monogamous, affectionate, intelligent, strong morals, outgoing. BOX 25981

TIED OF BAR SCENE

54 yr old, white female, 5'9", shoulder length frosted hair, very honest. Enjoys outdoors, fishing, boating, movies, dining out. Looking for a very honest male, 5'11" or taller, who wants a companion and possibly something more serious. BOX 26691

LET'S GET TOGETHER

33 yr old, black female, 5'6", medium build, non-smoker. Enjoys cooking, movies, family. Seeks male, 36 to 45, family oriented, medium build, non-smoker, for fun and friendship. BOX 26699

SHARE LIFE WITH ME

58 yr old lady, full figured, 5'5", green eyes, red hair, good looking. Enjoys dining out, walking, movies, conversation. Seeks male, 58 to 70, to share interests. BOX 26709

LET'S MEET A COFFEE

41 yr old, 5'7", medium build female, seeks attractive male who's a homeowner, non-smoker, social drinker. Likes horseback riding, motorcycles, boating, pick-up trucks and swimming. BOX 19899

ONE OF A KIND

Pretty, petite, passionate, divorced white female, 40-lb. Seeks non-smoking, single white male, over 35, for dating and relating. Let's create sparks and watch them fly! BOX 25332

VERY PROMISING

Widow, 64, natural red hair, blue eyes, 5'8", nice figure, loyal, honest, good looking, kind hearted, gentle, romantic, kind, loving. Seeks well groomed, tall man, 60 to 70, widower a plus, non-smoker, for a new start and long term relationship. BOX 20499

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

SEE IF WE CLICK

30 yr old, 5'6", professional, white, Protestant female likes conversation, laughter, travel, architecture, family and friends. Seeks male who likes the same. BOX 20668

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Divorced white mother of three, 47, good personality, 126 lbs, graduate degree, professional, attractive and fit, Christian. Enjoys walking, church, movies, travel, dining out, walking, cooking. Seeks honest, non-smoking, financially stable male. BOX 21068

POSSIBLE CONNECTION

An attractive brunette, 49, 5'4", 115 lbs, single white professional female, with great smile and good heart, enjoys family and friends, boating, Red Wings and you, if help weight proportionate, humorous, caring, financially stable and emotionally available. Wayne County. BOX 25014

ARE YOU MY KNIGHT?

Young looking, 44 yr old divorced woman, enjoys music, travel, sports, camping, quiet times, marriage minded gentleman. 38 to 50, social smoker and drinker, children okay. Home owner and professional preferred. BOX 26664

LET'S TALK

White female, 51, long blonde hair, in good shape, 5'5", non-smoker, social drinker, very fun loving, vivacious, loves life. Enjoys working out, boating, beaches, getaway weekends, etc. Seeks white male, 45 to 55. BOX 26684

ATTRACTIVE ITALIAN

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

TIED 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

SEEKS CHRISTIAN MALE

56", 126 lbs, enjoys walks in the rain, simple pleasures of life, attending church, movies, walks in the park. Looking for a committed Christian male for companionship possibly leading to more. BOX 20683

ARE U THE ONE?

Single female, 29, 5'2", short hair, wear glasses, honest and intelligent. Searching for a single, honest, intelligent man. Enjoys movies, casinos, dining out, videos and more. BOX 20693

FRIENDS AND MORE

36 yr old, divorced white female, 5'5", 160 lbs, with blue/green eyes and blond hair. Loves outdoors fun, sunsets, dancing and more. Searching for a single male to start as friends and a possible LTR. BOX 20736

NICE LADY AVAILABLE

Divorced black full figured female, 5'6", attractive, non-smoker, non-drinker. Enjoys cards, sporting events, gardening and more. Searching for a full figured, around 5'6", single male who's kind, loves kissing and cuddling. Looks isn't important. BOX 20755

DON'T MISS OUT!

45 yr old female, 5'7", medium build, brown eyes and hair, lives in Troy area, enjoys sharing activities with the right partner. Give me a call and I'd be glad to get back to you! BOX 23444

SEEKS PERFECT MATE

Attractive, 50+, widow, fun loving, physically fit. Seeks male desiring travel, mountain hiking, skiing, swimming, dancing, dining out, family, cooking, quiet evenings, closeness, gardening, intimacy, love. Requesting too much? Tell me. BOX 24990

I'M YOUR LADY

Attractive white divorced 45, 5'2", 138 lbs., female, brown/blue, enjoys walking, swimming, movies, music and dining out. Seeks white male, 40-50, slim to medium build, 5'6", non-smoker, occasional drinker, affectionate and sincere, for a meaningful relationship in Garden City. BOX 26999

ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE

Outgoing, petite, and live in Plymouth. Looking for an attractive, non-smoking, single white male, 48 to 58, who is trustworthy, emotionally/financially secure, with no dependents. Someone with a zest for life. Wayne County. BOX 27028

VIVACIOUS OPTIMIST

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 degree), divorced, white male, 40 to 55, physically fit/active, tall, good sense of humor, non-smoker, Oakland County. BOX 36068

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

SEEKS OLDER MAN

Single black female, 45, 5'8", 145 lbs, single white professional female, with great smile and good heart, enjoys family and friends, boating, Red Wings and you, if help weight proportionate, humorous, caring, financially stable and emotionally available. Wayne County. BOX 25014

LOVING YOU

Single female, 19, 5'2", 130 lbs, long brown hair. Enjoys long walks, movies, relaxing, outdoors and more. Searching for a single male, 20 to 25, who's caring and loving. BOX 14845

QUIET TIMES TOGETHER

Divorced black female, enjoys movies and sports. Seeks Arabic male who enjoys the same and quiet evenings at home. BOX 14655

HAPPILY EVER AFTER

45 yr old, 5'7", single female with a medium build, brown hair, hazel eyes. Loves having fun. Looking for a happily ever after relationship with a caring, genuine. BOX 14682

SEARCHING FOR YOU

Divorced white lady, 42, likes dancing, movies and quiet evenings at home, would love to meet someone with similar interests. BOX 16907

MAN OF MY DREAMS

Divorced white female, 26, slender, blue eyes, brunette. Enjoys bowling, volleyball, bike riding, long walks and concerts. Searching for a serious relationship with an honest, caring, sensitive gentleman, non-smoker, social drinker who enjoys sports, dining out and quiet times. BOX 20731

TREAT ME RIGHT

Single female is looking for a single male, 35 to 45, who enjoys kids, family and knows how to treat a lady. BOX 20737

ARE YOU OUT THERE?

Single parent with children at home. Likes drama, fine arts and dining. Seeks gentleman who loves God and shows that in his lifestyle. Must also like children. BOX 20746

LET'S WORK IT OUT

30 yr old, 5'5", 129 lbs, single professional female, brown hair, blue eyes, fit. Enjoys working out, outdoors, running, working on the house and more. Searching for a single male, 28 to 36, honest, sincere who works out and share similar interests. BOX 20906

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Attractive, white widowed, early 60's, 5'2", height and weight proportionate. Seeking a single white gentleman, early 60's, 5'10" plus, trim, well groomed, non-smoker, social drinker who enjoys movies, dining out, theater, traveling and more. BOX 20962

CUDDLE UP WITH ME

Single white female, 44, 5'6", brown hair, enjoys long walks, parks, videos and more. Searching for a single male for friendship first, possible relationship and to enjoy life together. BOX 20984

MY LASTING LOVE

44 yr old divorced white female, non-smoker, no children. Looking for the love of her life and soul mate, to enjoy life with. Enjoys traveling, hockey, dining out and nice quiet times at home. BOX 21005

YOUNG AT HEART

Widowed white female, early 50's, searching for a single male to enjoy life. Enjoys boating, camping, working out, dancing and traveling. BOX 21008

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Seeking a sincere, honest, no games played, non-smoking, social drinking, single white male by a divorced white female, 54, who likes to do almost everything. Looking for friendship, companionship or something long term. West side. Wayne County. BOX 25333

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DOWN RIVER AREA

62 yr old female, 5'3", 125 lbs, long dark hair, green eyes, non-smoker. Enjoys movies, dining out, cooking, picnics, shopping, dancing. Looking for a caring male who lives nearby for a real relationship, who's honest and sincere about meeting, no games. BOX 26589

MAKE ME LAUGH AGAIN

66 yr old, 5', 125 lbs, single female with brown hair, eyes. Likes long walks, movies, dining out and more. Searching for a single male, 60 to 67, with a sense of humor and similar interests. BOX 26594

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Intelligent, fit, 5'6", brown eyed blonde, passionate about life and laughing, enjoys golf, biking, theater, boating and great conversations, interested in meeting tall, 50 to 58, financially/emotionally stable true gentleman with similar interests. Oakland county. BOX 27010

SONGS FROM THE HEART

Divorced white female, 47, 5'7", blonde/blue, vivacious, passionate, Christian church musician. Seeks white Christian male, non-smoker, 5'10" or taller, who is intelligent, articulate, romantic, and honest with a passion for life. Oakland County. BOX 27014

LADY WITH PIZZAZZ

Eccentric, 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

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Single white female, 40, 5'5", non-smoker, brown hair, medium to husky, loving, caring, likes a variety of activities, sports. Seeking a husky, honest, white guy, 38-45, serious long-term relationship. Macomb County. BOX 36039

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Soft spoken, non-smoker, white female, 5'11", size 11, wishes to meet a white male, 6'2", or taller, 49 or older, no games, no heavy drinkers, no drugs, height/weight proportionate. Wayne County. BOX 36053

SEEKS BETTER HALF

Down to earth single attractive Asian female, 40, no dependents. Seeks attractive white male 5'10" plus, health conscious, has a positive outlook on life, is ambitious and successful yet unpretentious for friends leading to long term relationship. Oakland County. BOX 36057

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Retired male, 54, 5'8", 150 lbs, brown hair, green eyes, youthful looking, very active, easy to get along with. Likes movies, dining out, Bingo, outdoors, flea markets, board and card games. Looking for a companion for dating and possible relationship. BOX 21130

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TIED OF BEING ALONE

Single male, 61, 5'9", 170 lbs, light hearted, loves to laugh and gentle. Enjoys camping, walking, good movies, flea markets and quiet nights at home. Looking for a permanent relationship with the right lady, under 59, slim and attractive. BOX 20581

TAKE MY HAND

Attractive, 47 yr old female, 165 lbs, thin build, full head of hair, hard working, honest. Enjoys exercise, golf, roller blading, skiing, swimming, movies, dining out, casinos. Seeks female who doesn't like to play games. BOX 20592

ISN'T IT TIME WE MET

30 yr old, divorced father of two, 5'10", 230 lbs, blonde hair, blue eyes, fairly shy. Enjoys movies, dining out, tv, sports. Looking for a female, 22 to 35, who enjoys children and would like to have a friendship, maybe leading into something serious. BOX 20819

VERY PROMISING

Father of one, 6'1", 190 lbs, in good shape, brown hair, green eyes, college educated, lives in Livonia. Enjoys skiing, biking, family activities, movies, running, spending time with his daughter. Seeks woman who is positive, fit, loving, honest, down to earth, to enjoy a loving, caring and great relationship. BOX 20890

FALL FUN

Athletic, muscular single white male, 44, 6'2", 215 lbs, brown hair, clean cut, degree, never married, no dependents, outgoing personality, enjoys outdoors, working out, new activities. Seeks friendly single female, age location open. Wayne County. BOX 27018

HONEST

Tall, divorced white male, 6'4", good physical condition, 56, non-smoker, self-employed, honest, sincere, sense of humor. I would like to meet a slender lady, 45 to 53, who is easygoing, with good values, for companionship, and possible long-term relationship. BOX 35984

JUST READ

I'm white widowed, attractive, light hearted, well built, enjoy all the good things in life. Looking for an attractive, well built lady, under 59, for possible permanent relationship. Dearborn. Wayne County. BOX 35956

LUCKY IN LOVE

41 yrs old, 6'2", 210 lbs male, smoker, non-drinker, likes movies, dining out, travel. Seeks slim female over 5'5". BOX 21163

READY TO SETTLE DOWN

30 yr old male, 5'10", 145 lbs, red hair, non-smoker. Enjoys movies, laughing, long walks in the park. Seeks white Christian female, 20 to 35, slender build, for long term relationship and possible marriage. BOX 26865

LOOKING 4 THAT GIRL

Hard working, divorced white male, 49, 5'8", 175 lbs. Looking to find an easy going, intelligent, pretty white female, mid to late 40s, nice shape and build, for a long term relationship. No games please. Redford area. BOX 14640

READY TO GAMBLE?

46 yrs old, attractive, healthy, single, white male seeks lady like, single, white female, 40's to 50's. BOX 14811

COUNTRY GIRL

Divorced white lady, non-smoker, no dependents, likes horseback riding, has own horses. Enjoys camping, walking, boating, flea markets, old cars, movies. Seeks gentleman 57 to 65 with similar interest. Monroe County. BOX 27030

CUTE AND CLASSY

Single black female, mid 50's, enjoys jogging, concerts and walks in the park. Seeking a gentleman over 50, with similar interests. Oakland County. BOX 26066

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

GEM SEES TREASURER

Divorced, white professional female, 5'5", 125 lbs, brown/black hair and eyes, dimples, former model, looks 40's and stable. Seeking a divorced, white male, 59 to 65, attractive, 6', stable and a good sense of humor. BOX 31913

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Petite, white female, 63, 5'1", 128 lbs, brown hair and eyes, non-smoker, attractive, talkative, good sense of humor. Seeks gentleman 60 to 68, non-smoker, sharing the things in life we both enjoy, especially travelling. BOX 36033

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Articulate, cultured, nice looking, unique black male, 50, 5'7", 150 lbs. Wishes to meet a sincere, attractive, affectionate, white or foreign born female, for a long term, mutually committed relationship. BOX 21089

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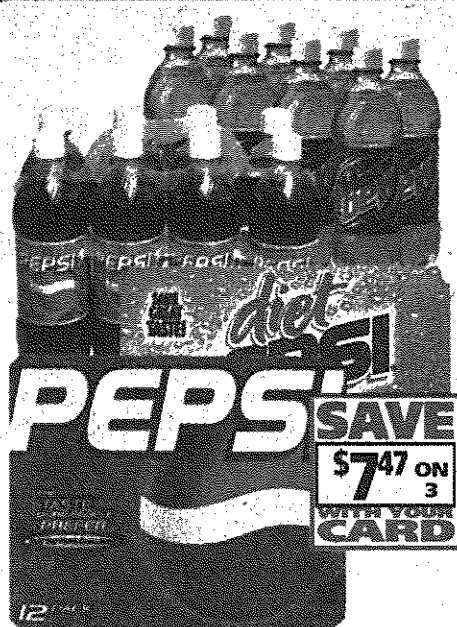
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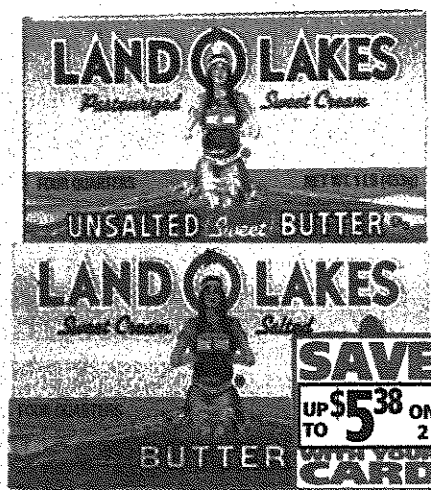
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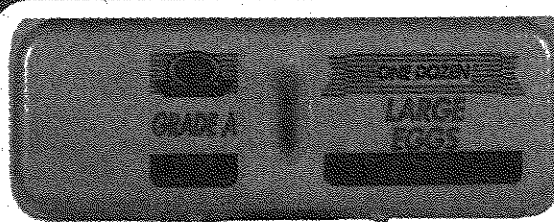
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Joan Downing, who grew up in Redford, and Stephen Vaglica of Mar Med Group, have teamed to develop, design and build 24 attached condominiums in that community.

The residences, clustered in six buildings on a three-acre infill site, are on the north side of Schoolcraft (I-96 service drive) between Telegraph and Beech Daly.

"Redford is an established neighborhood," Downing said. "It's rare that land like this becomes available to do anything. I think Redford is an extremely close-knit, family neighborhood."

The township has developed a reputation for providing excellent services, she added, which includes many parks, a municipal-owned golf course and an ice arena.

"These condos were designed by our firm under the owner's (Downing) direction to meet many palettes ... tastes," Vaglica said. "There's a sense of openness, modernness."

"We're out to make the transition (move) as easy as possible. The word that comes to mind pretty much is turnkey," he said.

"I personally think they're getting a lot for the money," Downing said.

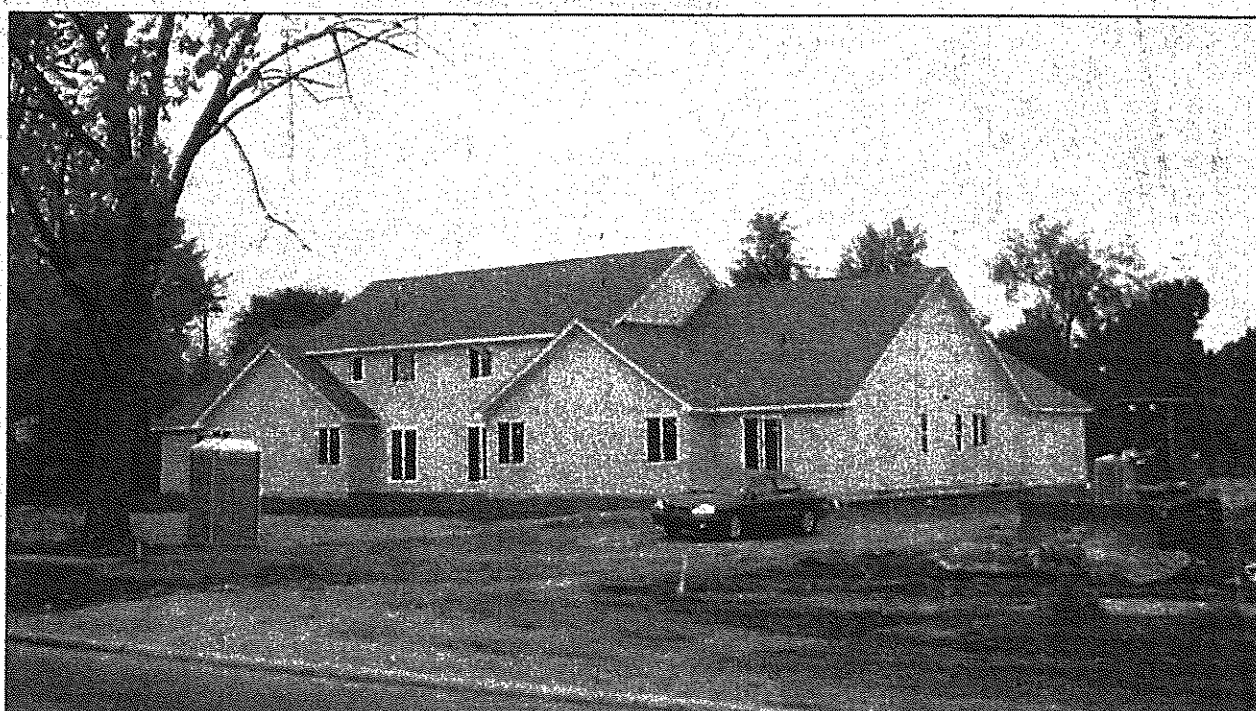
"There is a lot of value for what people are spending, no doubt about it," Vaglica added.

Ashley Park's access to I-96, the Southfield Freeway and all directions from there also is a major selling point, Downing and Vaglica agree.

Two floor plans are now available.

A ranch (end units) of 1,340 square feet with two bedrooms and two baths carries a base price of \$179,900 in phase one.

A story-and-a-half of 1,600 square feet with two bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths and loft has a base price of \$181,900, 1,778 square feet with three bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths and



Ashley Park, a small attached condominium community, is under construction in Redford.

smaller loft, \$188,900.

All homes at Ashley Park will include at base price two-car garage, first-floor laundry, air conditioning, basement, range and dishwasher, deck, plus vinyl, ceramic and carpet floor coverings. Landscaping is provided.

Vinyl siding is the primary exterior material.

About half of the inquiries so far have come from empty-nesters or near empty-nesters and half from singles, Downing said. The split also is about 50/50 between folks already living in Redford and surrounding communities.

Ashley Park is serviced by city water, sewers and is within the South Redford school boundaries.

The property tax rate is \$39.23 per \$1,000 of state taxable value, half of sales price for new construction. That means the owners of a \$182,000 home there would pay about \$3,570 the first year.

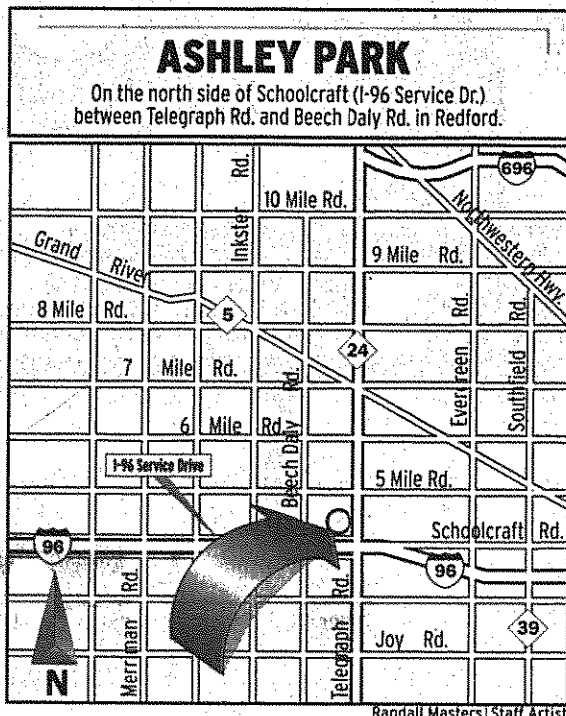
The monthly association fee is projected at \$155. All utilities will be metered to individual units. Pets are allowed.

Janice and Gordon Weathers ordered a story-and-a-half.

"I've been looking in that area for years," Janice said. "I thought it (condo) was a great idea. You don't have to do maintenance and you have new construction."

"I have a large room and the master on the first floor and I can send my guests upstairs," she said. "I'm excited about it. I like the concept."

The models at Ashley Park are shown by appointment. Call Downing at (248) 646-8464.



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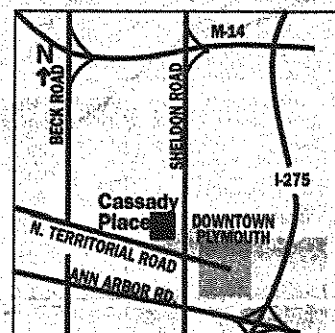
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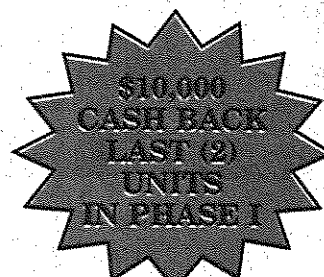
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The master is on the right side. It has windows facing the front yard and a rear door that opens onto a deck. The suite contains a corner, walk-in closet and two-sink vanity. The tub and toilet are tucked behind a pocket door.

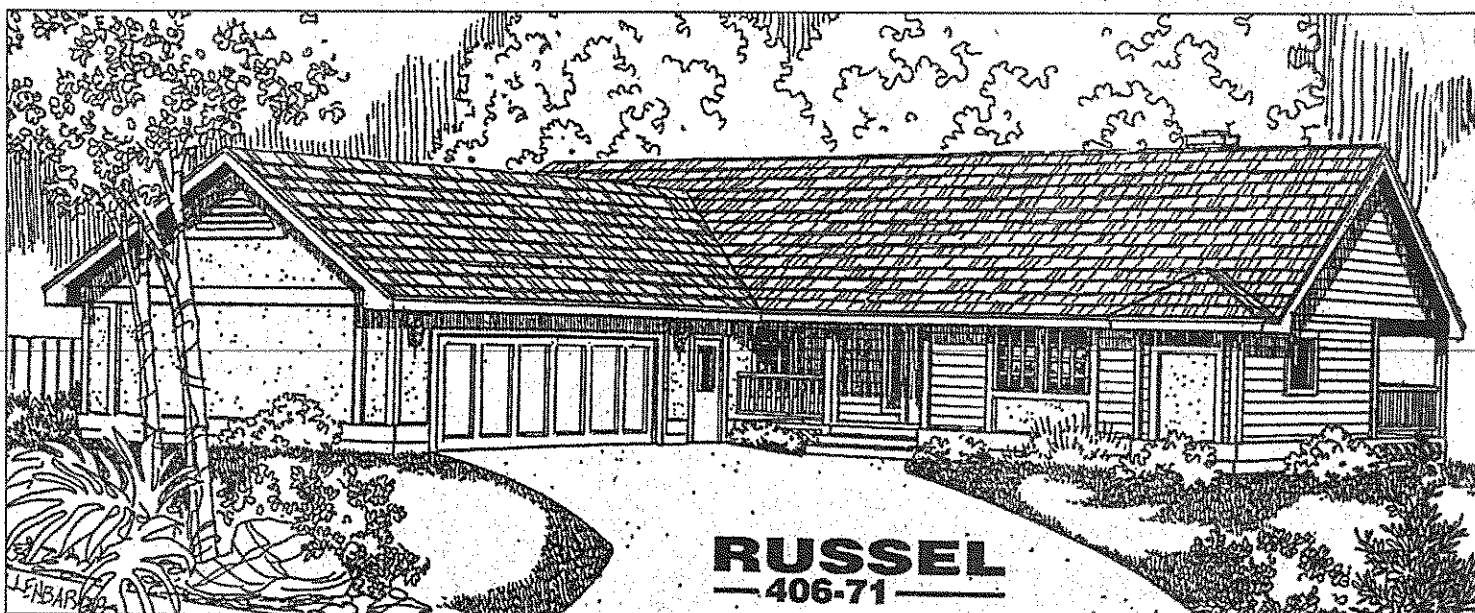
A large great room is at the back center of the plan. A fireplace and a door to the deck are in the right corner.

The kitchen/dining room is to the left. An eating bar across the counter backs to the dining area

and is ideal for quick meals on the run.

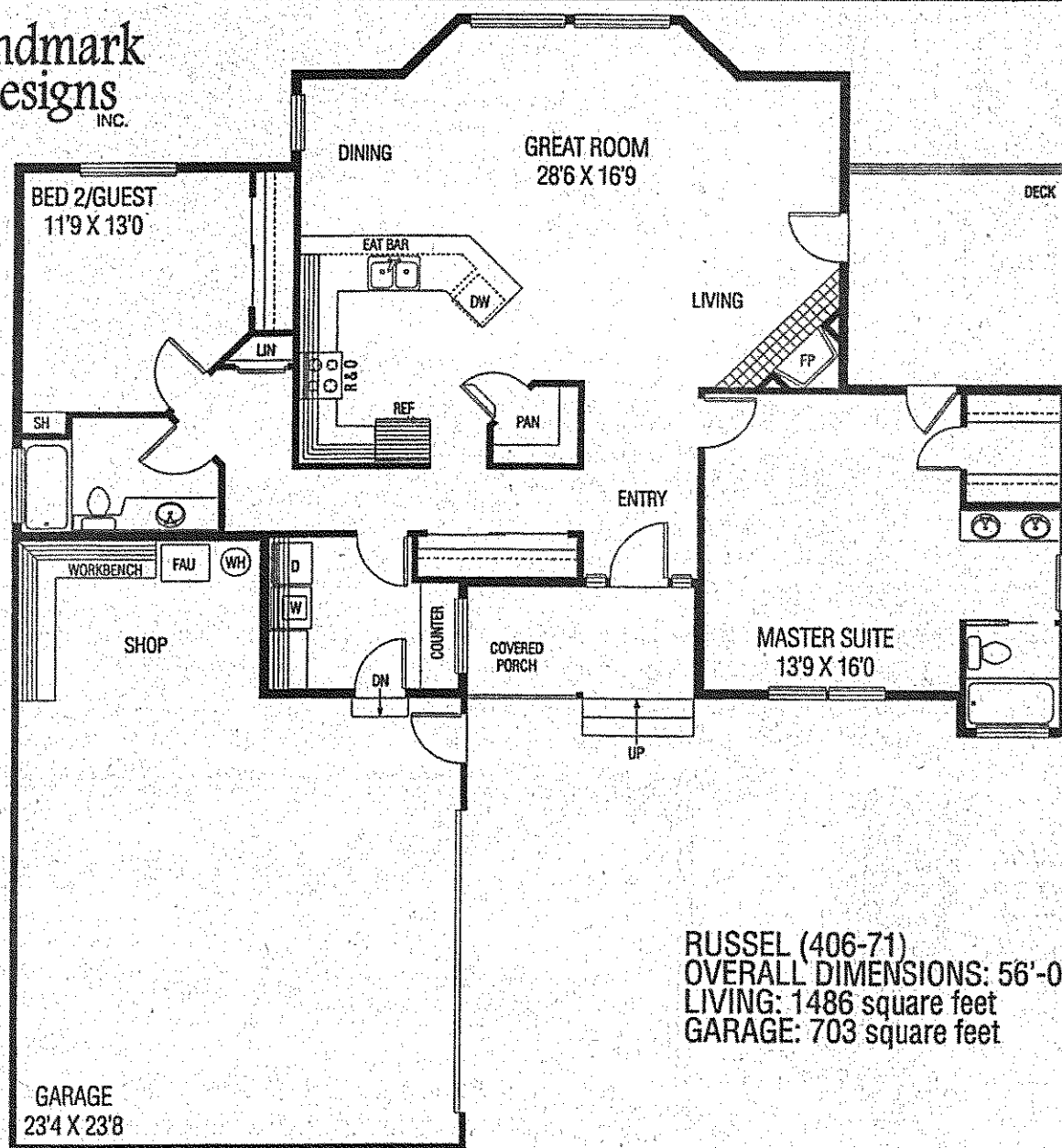
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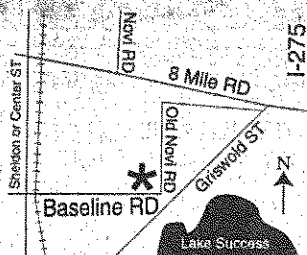
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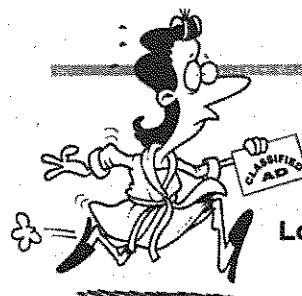
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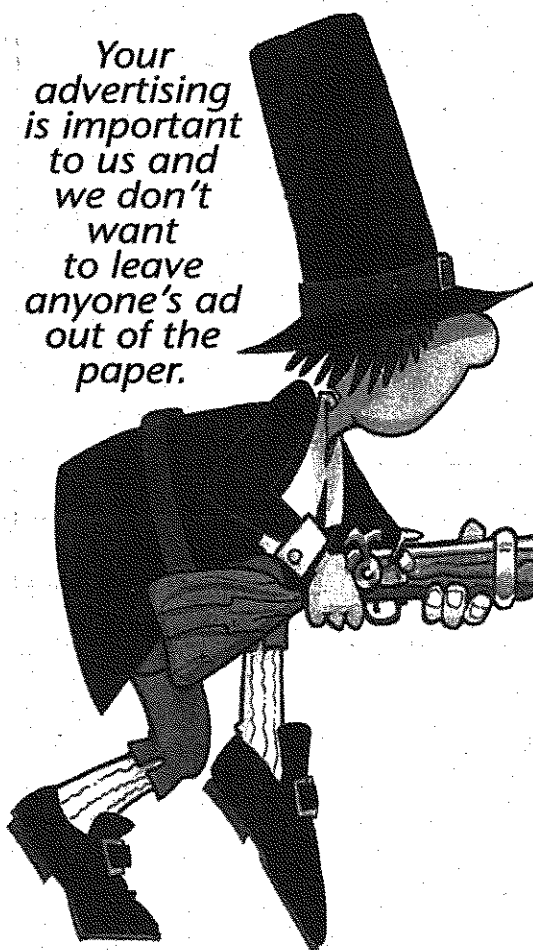
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Thursday, November 28th Publication

Real Estate Section 3 pm-Fri. Nov. 22nd	Automotive Display Noon-Mon. Nov. 25th	Help Wanted Display 3 pm-Mon. Nov. 25th	Liners Class 3000-8800 6 pm-Mon. Nov. 25th
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Sunday, December 1st Publication

New Homes Section 5 pm-Tues. Nov. 26th	All Real Estate & Apt. Ads 5 pm-Weds. Nov. 27th	Automotive Display 5 pm-Weds. Nov. 27th	Help Wanted Display 3 pm-Fri. Nov. 29th	Liners Class 3000-8800 5:30 pm-Fri. Nov. 29th
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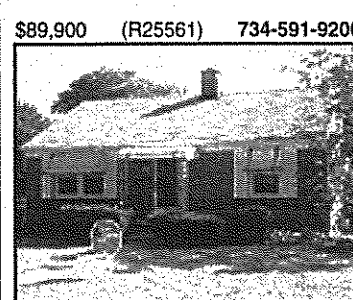
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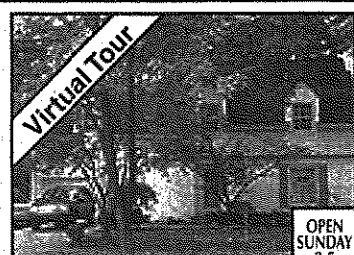
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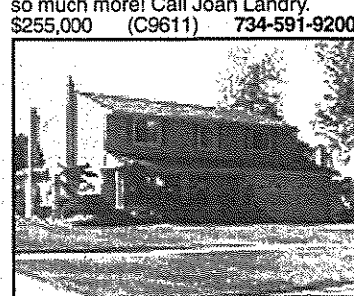
DEARBORN HEIGHTS - Seller will help with closing costs. Fresh paint & carpet and more. Move in at closing. 2 bedrooms. Be in by Thanksgiving. Make offer! Call Zana Diehl



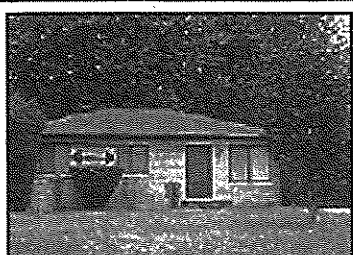
LIVONIA - You will not find a better value in Livonia today - brick, 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch with finished basement, new roof and windows, plumbing and electrical all updated. Move in condition. Call Mike Judge



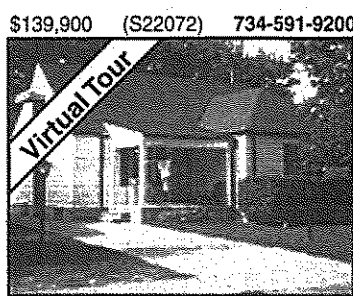
LIVONIA - 9611 Cranston, S. of Plymouth, W. of Merriman. Charm! Beauty! Rosedale Garden's finest-3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 2000 sq. ft. brick colonial. Large living room with fireplace, formal dining room with bay window, master with fireplace, finished attic with 4th bedroom, and so much more! Call Joan Landry. \$255,000 (C9611) 734-591-9200



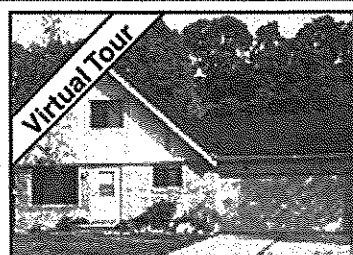
LIVONIA - Beautiful colonial in great location. 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, master suite with bath and walk-in closet, remodeled kitchen, breakfast nook, 1st floor laundry, finished basement, newer roof, windows, shed. Hurry! Call Eric Rader



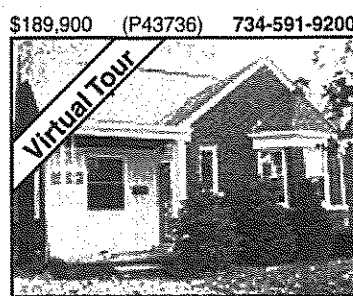
SOUTHFIELD - This home has it all! Newer 40 year roof, central air, full finished basement, large yard, garage, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, neutral paint, & so much more! Call now! Call Zana Diehl



REDFORD - Three bedroom, 1200 sq. ft. bungalow. Neat and clean, well maintained, move in condition, finished basement, one car garage, fenced yard. New roof '01 & new paint! Call Mike Judge



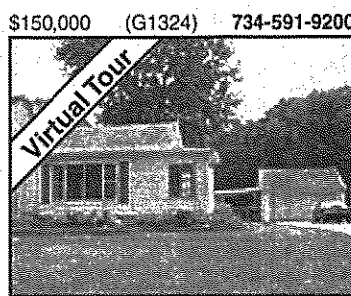
CANTON - Canton cutie! This adorable cape cod backs to wooded wetlands and has several updates: hardwood (01), hwt (02), deck, home warranty, all appliances and 2500 carpet allowance! Call Sylvia Florence-Albert



DETROIT - Cute and cozy 1200 sq. ft. brick bungalow has large master bedroom with oak beams and recessed lights, dining room with bay window. A must see! Call Sylvia Florence-Albert



YPSILANTI - Private cul-de-sac. Nicely decorated and all updates. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, finished basement. Brick home with deck. Call now!! Call Zana Diehl



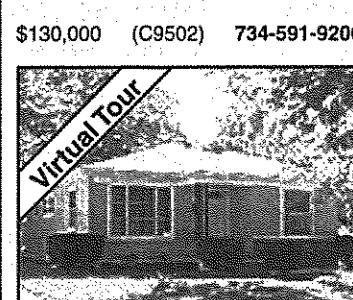
LIVONIA - Recognize value & potential? Country sized 1/2 acre lot frames this 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath home with full basement, sunroom, 4 car garage + carport. So much has been done - kitchen, roof. Call Renee McCoy



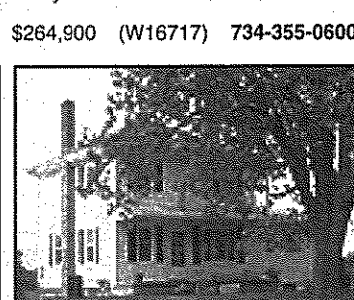
INKSTER - Ready for you. All the updates done, furnace, air conditioning, roof 2002, bath updated 2002, city certs done, 3 bedrooms, basement, garage. Call Zana Diehl



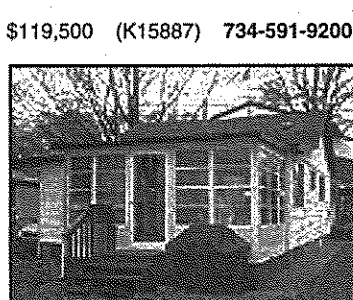
REDFORD - Charming bungalow in quiet Redford Union neighborhood. Newer windows and roof, newer aluminum siding, fenced - treed yard with one car garage. Basement is finished. Updated kitchen and newer carpet. Call Tim Wright



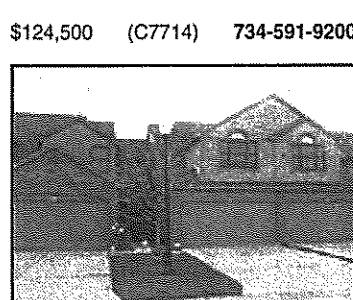
REDFORD - Just unpack, it's all done! 3 bedrooms, 2 full bath, new vinyl siding, gutters, windows, doors, garage roof. Kitchen is totally updated and large finished basement has bar with possible 4th bedroom. Call Kelly Penfield



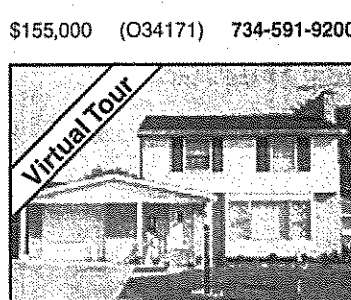
HOWELL - Move right in. Updated farmhouse on 2 acres with Howell schools. Open floor plan, finished walkout. Call Marilyn Handloser



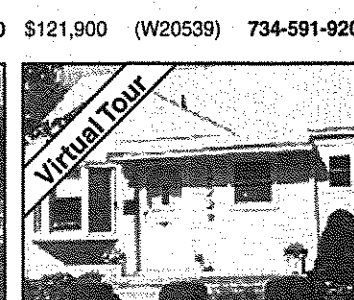
WHITMORE LAKE - Fabulous sandy beach frontage on 680 acre all sports Whitmore Lake. Enjoy sunsets year round from this totally updated home with open floor plan. Move right in! Call Marilyn Handloser



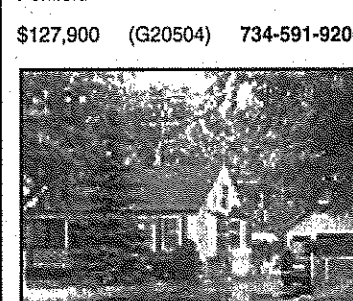
CANTON - Convenient location - light, airy, 2 bedroom, 2.5 bath condo, loft overlooking great room with fireplace, new carpet, finished basement, 2 car attached garage. Call Judy Powell



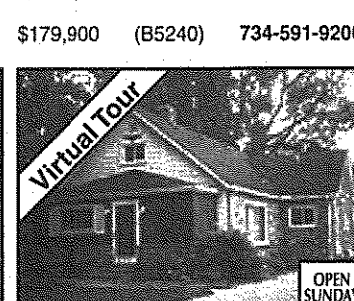
WESTLAND - Hard to find 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home with Livonia schools! Open, well lit kitchen and dining area, living room with natural fireplace and bay window, spacious fenced yard, finished basement, over 1700 sq. ft! Call Derek Bauer



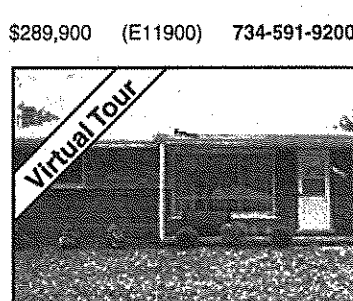
REDFORD - All work is done - just move in! Oak kitchen with built-in ovens and cook top '01, bath '00, electrical '01, plumbing '01, roof '95, furnace '91, windows and carpet '02, too much to list! Call Sylvia



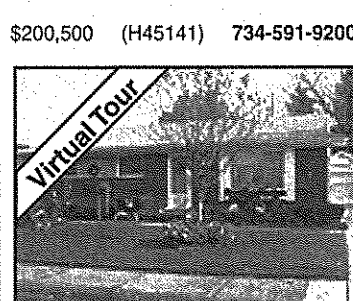
PLYMOUTH - Plymouth Bungalow, 1,428 square feet of quality living area. Four bedrooms, 1 bath, living room with fireplace. Everything new: roof, windows, doors, kitchen, bath, plumbing, furnace with air conditioner and electric. Double lot, 2 car garage. Call Mike Judge.



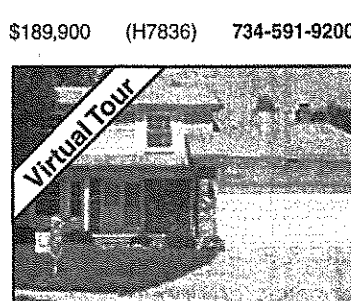
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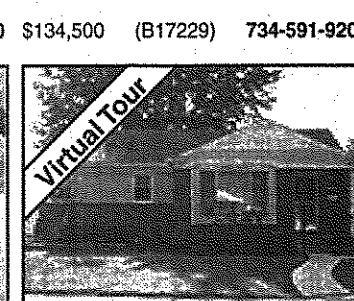
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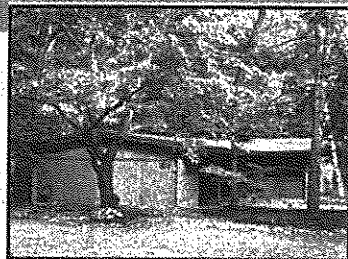
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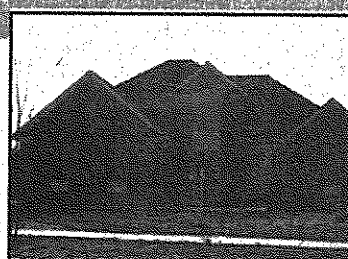
NORTHVILLE - California Contemporary! 3 bedroom, 3 bath Ranch on beautiful 1.4 acre lot, great room w/wood vaulted ceiling, natural fireplace, slate entry, updated kitchen, custom lighting, master suite w/Pergo, newer windows, roof, C/A & furnace. \$279,000 (60ROB) 734-455-5600



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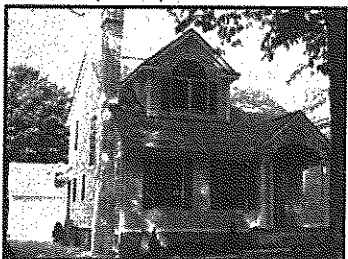
WEST BLOOMFIELD SCHOOLS - Charming 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath Colonial with open floor plan. Neutral decor. Extensive use of marble in 2 story foyer & fireplace in family room. Master suite with walk-in closet & full bath. First floor laundry. Library, huge deck. \$379,900 (25LON) 248-626-8800



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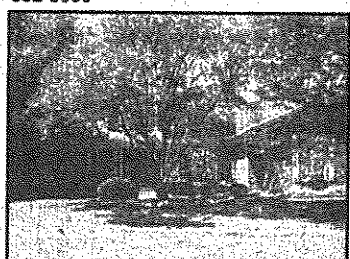
WEST BLOOMFIELD - Spacious Frankel Colonial. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home w/large open foyer, huge kitchen w/opening to FR. Hdw floors on upper level. Balcony off mstr. Very private w/Indscpg surrounding large in-ground pool, patio & deck. Gas fireplace. \$419,900 (12VAL) 248-349-5600



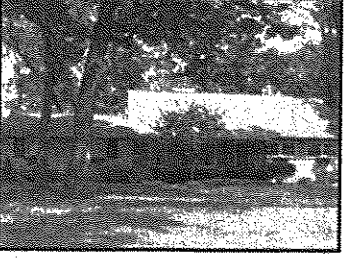
BIRMINGHAM - New built 2002. Spectacular transitional home w/3 BRs, 2.5 BAs, 2 story LR w/rplc, huge gourmet kitchen w/light maple cabinets, island and all appls included. Kohler fixtures and granite t/o. Master w/bath, hdwd flrs, C/A, bsmt and 2 car gar. \$414,900 (39WEB) 248-642-8100



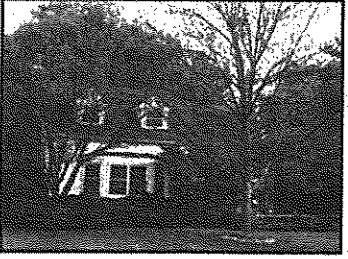
TROY - Merihill Acres brick Ranch with a good location in the sub. Three bedrooms, 2.5 baths, two car attached garage and family room with gas fireplace. First floor laundry, bay windows, deck and gazebo. Troy schools. Warranty. \$329,900 (12WHI) 248-524-1600



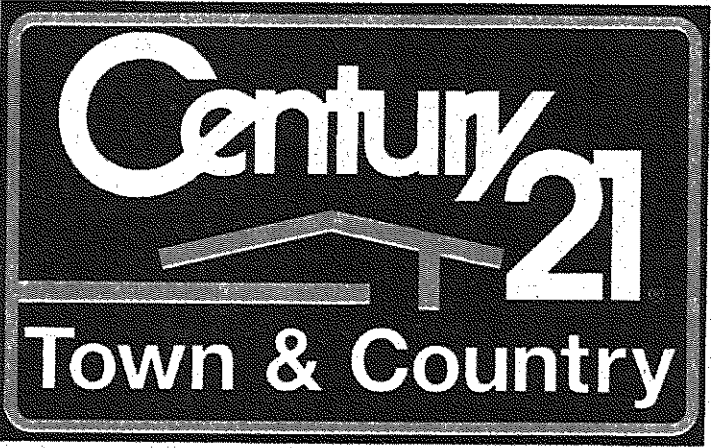
ROCHESTER HILLS - An Interior Your Must See! View spacious yard from heated all-seasons Florida room & large deck. 3 frplcs, fin LL w/rec room and 4th bedroom. Upgrades: newer CA/turn, carpet, tile & hdwd floors, island kit. Mstr suite w/FP, whirlpool & skylight. \$399,900 (52WED) 248-652-8000



WEST BLOOMFIELD - Elegant Updated Cape Cod. Curb appeal plus! 4 bedroom home nestled on lg treed park-like lot. 2 frplcs, for living and dining rooms, 3 season Florida room. Custom remodeled kit, hdwd floors, newer shingles, wndws. Updated baths. Fin bsmt. \$314,900 (41NEW) 248-626-8800



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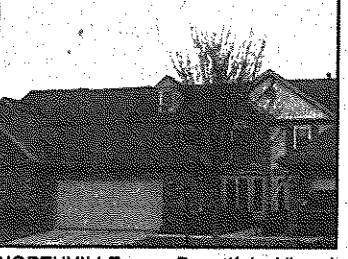


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NORTHVILLE - Beautiful Views! Overlooking pond & golf course! 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath Colonial. Master suite w/fireplace, deck & jetted tub, kitchen w/eating area, great room w/deck & gas fireplace, finished basement w/sauna & home theatre system. \$342,000 (55VIL) 734-455-5600



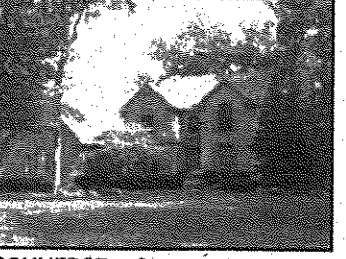
STERLING HEIGHTS - Gorgeous contemporary 1996 built two-story with library, Great Room, first floor laundry, dining room, side entrance garage and huge island kitchen with breakfast room and ceramic floors. Utica schools. Quick occupancy. \$369,900 (12GIN) 248-524-1600



STYLE, QUALITY & DESIGN. Along with upgrades too numerous to mention, make this former model close to perfect. Gourmet kit, granite countertops, stunning Florida room, unbelievable master suite w/dressing room are all benefits of this fabulous home built in 2000. \$519,900 (79BIR) 248-363-1200



PERFECT EXECUTIVE HOME - On large professionally landscaped lot. 2 story great room, generous dining area, chef's kitchen w/pantry, 1st floor master bedroom, 3 car garage, Farmington Hills Schools. \$499,900 (53PEM) 248-363-1200



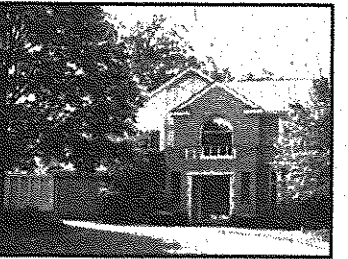
COMMERCE - Gorgeous Lake Views. Across from beautiful park area on Lower Straits Lake. 4 BRs, 3.5 BAs, 2 story LR w/fireplace. Family room w/fireplace, library and formal dining room. Huge kitchen w/breakfast room, finished bsmt, 3 car garage, deck, gazebo. \$569,900 (85PIN) 248-626-8800



LIVONIA - Unique home on approx. 1.65 acres. 5 BRs, 2 BAs, 2 lav w/spacious kit w/custom cherry cabs & breakfast room w/rplc. Fin bsmt w/glass block bar & 1/2 bath, 3 car att gar that leads to a great 2 BR, 1 bath living room w/fireplace & knotty pine added home. \$319,900 (01NOR) 248-349-5600



BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Renovated 3 bedroom, 3 bath ranch w/lots of space for art. Everything has been updated since '96. FR, LR, great room, neutral decor and hardwood floors. Library/exercise room/nanny quarters. Private terrazzo/stone patio, great location. \$489,900 (52DER) 248-642-8100



FARMINGTON HILLS - Super 2 story transitional w/4 BRs incl huge MBR suite w/his and her closets, whirlpool and sep shower. 2.5 baths, 2 story foyer opens to GR, DR and lib. White kit w/island, brkfst rm and beautiful yard w/deck, 2 car side entry gar and circular drive. \$399,000 (69FOX) 248-642-8100



LAKE ORION - Guarded Golf Community. Exquisite and tasteful country French decor. Elevator, 1st floor master with walk-in closet, fireplace, sitting area, bath w/Jacuzzi and shower. Cherry floors, finished lower level, study fireplace and view of Indianwoods' 19th hole. \$1,185,000 (23KIR) 248-652-8000



ELEGANCE IN SERENE PINE KNOB COMMUNITY - Living room with wet bar and fireplace has doorwall overlooking golf course, master suite is huge with 2 walk-in closets, finished walk-out with bedroom, bath, family room, private courtyard & patio areas. \$389,900 (35BRI) 248-363-1200



WEST BLOOMFIELD - Serene and Peaceful. 3 bedroom Ranch w/full basement. Approx. 180 feet of canal frontage on all sports lake. Large private lot on cul-de-sac. Living room w/fireplace & large picture window. Family room w/built-in shelves. Large master bedroom. \$369,900 (51VIN) 248-626-8800



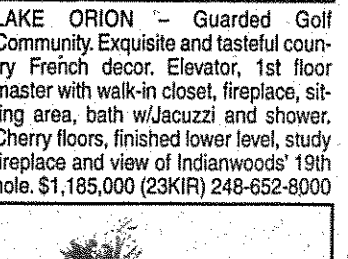
FARMINGTON HILLS - Private Premium Setting. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath Colonial that shows like a model. Hardwood flooring t/o, newer top of the line island kitchen w/Corian countertops & bar, Andersen windows, finished lower level. Too many amenities to list. \$354,900 (93WOO) 248-349-5600



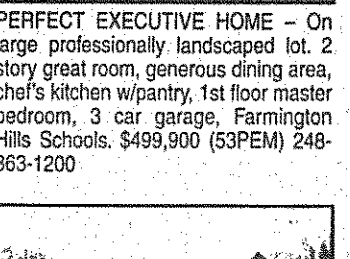
BLOOMFIELD TWP. - Lovely and large describes this handsome 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath brick Colonial on gorgeous treed site w/beautiful amenities. Birmingham Schools, Walnut Lake privileges. Finished rec room, attached garage and multi-level deck. \$474,000 (83TAH) 248-642-8100



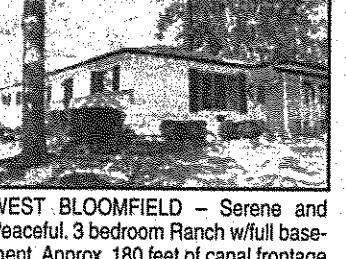
BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Beautiful Townhouse overlooks golf course. 2 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2 fireplaces, hardwood floors, full finished basement could be 3rd bedroom or family room. Light, bright and well maintained. \$324,900 (66UPP) 248-642-8100



OAKLAND TWP. - Hills of Oakland. Sharp and neutral. Large living & dining, kitchen w/pickled oak, library w/wood, master w/2 walk-in closets and jetted tub. 2nd bedroom w/private bath. Finished daylight lower level w/bar, kitchen and bath. Large private lot. \$889,000 (53BAY) 248-652-8000



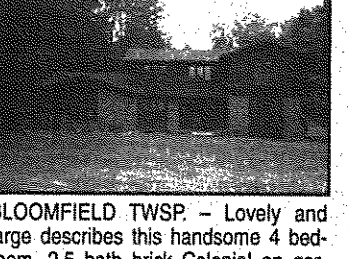
ALMOST NEW COLONIAL - Neutral & open w/9' ceilings, crown moldings, hdwd floors, Corian counters, Andersen windows. 4 BRs, 2.5 BAs, master suite w/trey cell and jetted tub. Cherry cabinets in kit, over 1/2 acre lot w/cedar decking in back. \$379,900 (90TIM) 248-363-1200



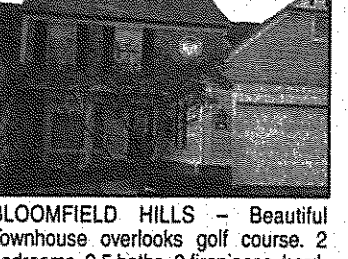
DEARBORN - Classic Elegance! Backing to private wooded setting. This 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath Townhome w/private courtyard entrance, living room w/marble fireplace, formal dining room opens to large deck, kitchen w/Corian & cherry cabs, master suite. \$343,000 (23TIM) 734-455-5600



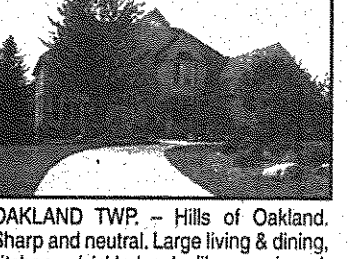
WIXOM - Almost New Colonial. 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths w/ceramic baths, formal DR & first floor laundry. Newer carpet in family room w/fireplace & cathedral ceilings, large deck overlooks nature preserve. Drywall, carpet & tile in basement. Newer hardwood in kitchen. \$312,900 (52ML) 248-349-5600



TROY - 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath Colonial on approx. 2 acres. 2 master suites, one on 1st floor, completely redone. Pole barn, greenhouse and professional landscaping. Newer kitchen, baths and attached garage. A beautiful home! \$459,000 (70LON) 248-642-8100



TROY - Two master suites and lots of trees with this four bedroom Cape Cod with 3.5 baths & spacious finished lower level. Fabulous living room, dining room, Great Room, cul-de-sac lot and much more. One year home warranty included. \$374,900 (45CLO) 248-524-1600



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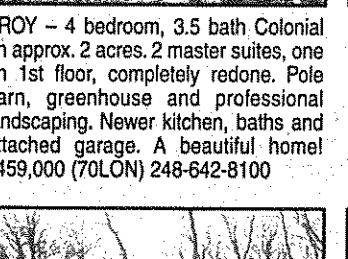
TRULY BETTER THAN NEW - 4 bedroom Colonial built in 2000. Finishing touches are in. Light filled kitchen w/tile floor, fireplace in family room, hardwood in foyer & dining room, master suite w/spa tub, beautifully tiled, 3 car garage. \$339,900 (31JOS) 248-363-1200



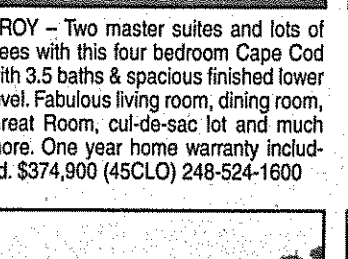
PLYMOUTH - Home Tour Candidate! 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 1910 built & recently renovated & restored w/original charm & character! Living room w/new cozy fireplace & 3-season finished porch for added square footage. This is a must see! \$254,900 (81STA) 734-455-5600



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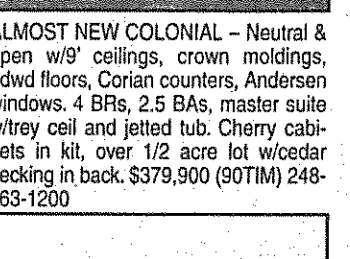
BLOOMFIELD TWP. - Elegant Cape Cod on approx. 1/2 acre in popular Foxcroft sub. 3-4 BRs, 2.5 baths, w/o bsmt, updated white kit & hdwd floors, 2 frplcs. FR, LR & library. Newer furnace, deck overlooks park-like setting. \$439,000 (30SUR) 248-642-8100



TROY - Emerald lakefront Ranch has a walk-out lower level with rec room and full bath. Approximately 90' of lake frontage. Hardwood floors, beautiful updated kitchen, first floor laundry. Sun room and deck overlooking Emerald Lake. \$374,900 (71THR) 248-524-1600



WEST BLOOMFIELD - Gorgeous. Double front door entry, circular drive, new kitchen with lots of marble and granite. Great room with cathedral ceiling, marble floors, granite custom fireplace, 4 huge bedrooms, finished basement. \$599,900 (68TIM) 248-652-8000



TRULY BETTER THAN NEW - 4 bedroom Colonial built in 2000. Finishing touches are in. Light filled kitchen w/tile floor, fireplace in family room, hardwood in foyer & dining room, master suite w/spa tub, beautifully tiled, 3 car garage. \$339,900 (31JOS) 248-363-1200

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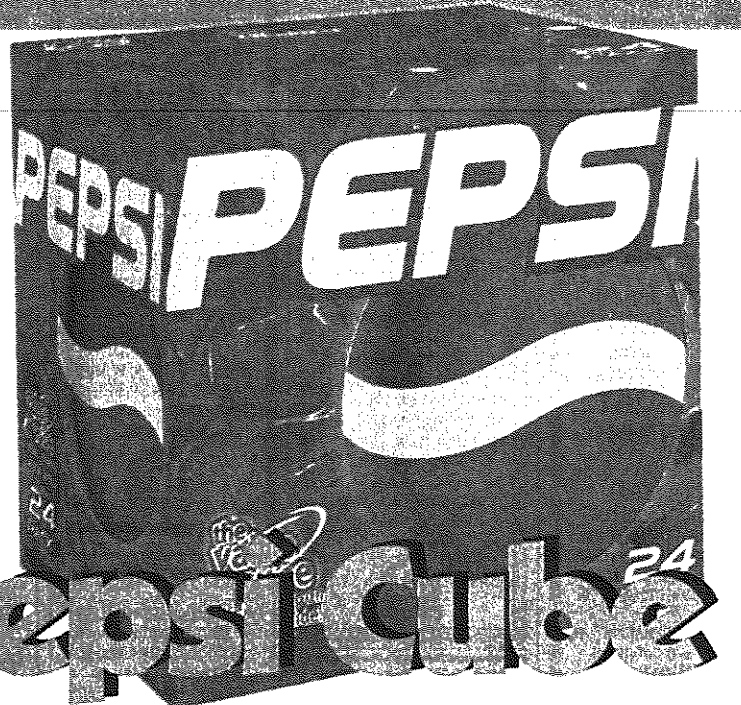
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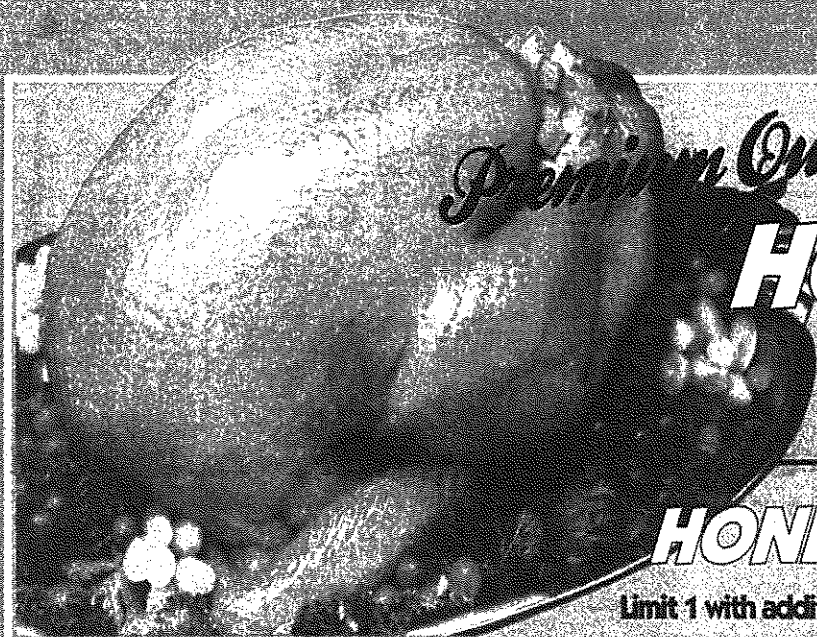
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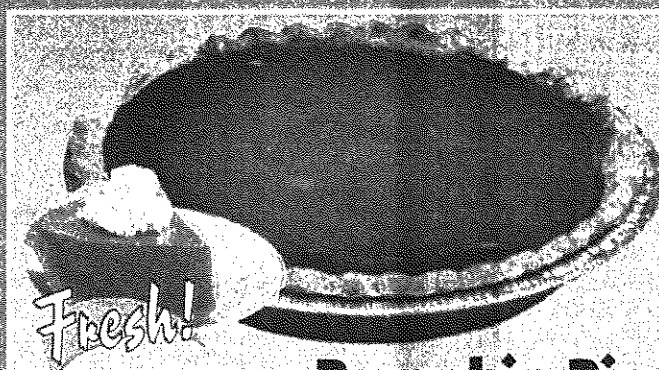
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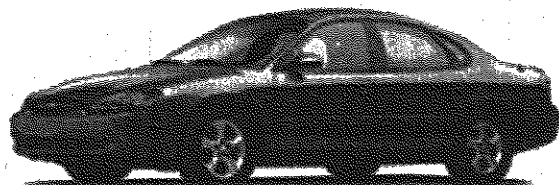
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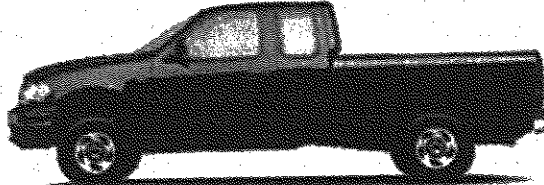


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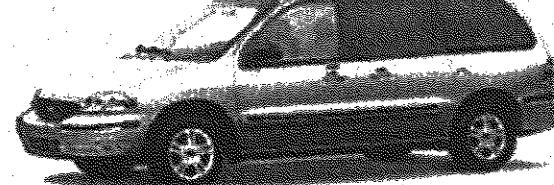


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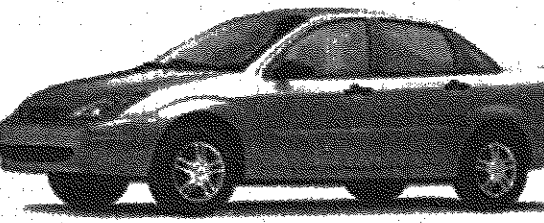


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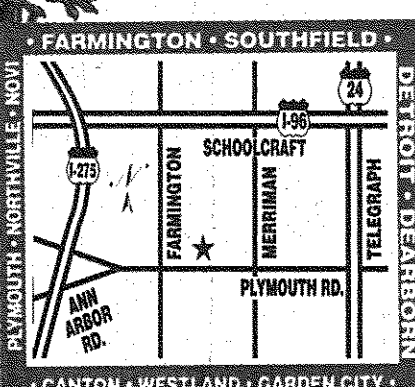
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2003 GMC Sierra Denali provides a good first impression

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If you've ever tried to turn a full-size truck around in a drive-through fast food restaurant parking lot, you know it can be quite the experience.

Not with the 2003 GMC Sierra Denali outfitted with Quadrasteer, that number is reduced by 10 feet. Incredible engineering.

Exclusive to General Motors and standard equipment on the Sierra Denali, Quadrasteer is exactly what it sounds like. All four wheels turn. Call it an engineering wonder.

The electromechanical Quadrasteer system turns the rear wheels (up to 12 degrees) in relation to the front wheels for low-speed handling and high-speed stability and control. There you have it. The turning diameter is reduced by up to 21 percent and when you're going at a good clip, will reduce vehicle motion for more control during a lane change or more demanding driving conditions.

I loved it. You do get more control and a better feel in handling and stability. Turning is really a breeze. You can almost back out of a driveway and almost hug the curb on the way out. Incredible stuff here.

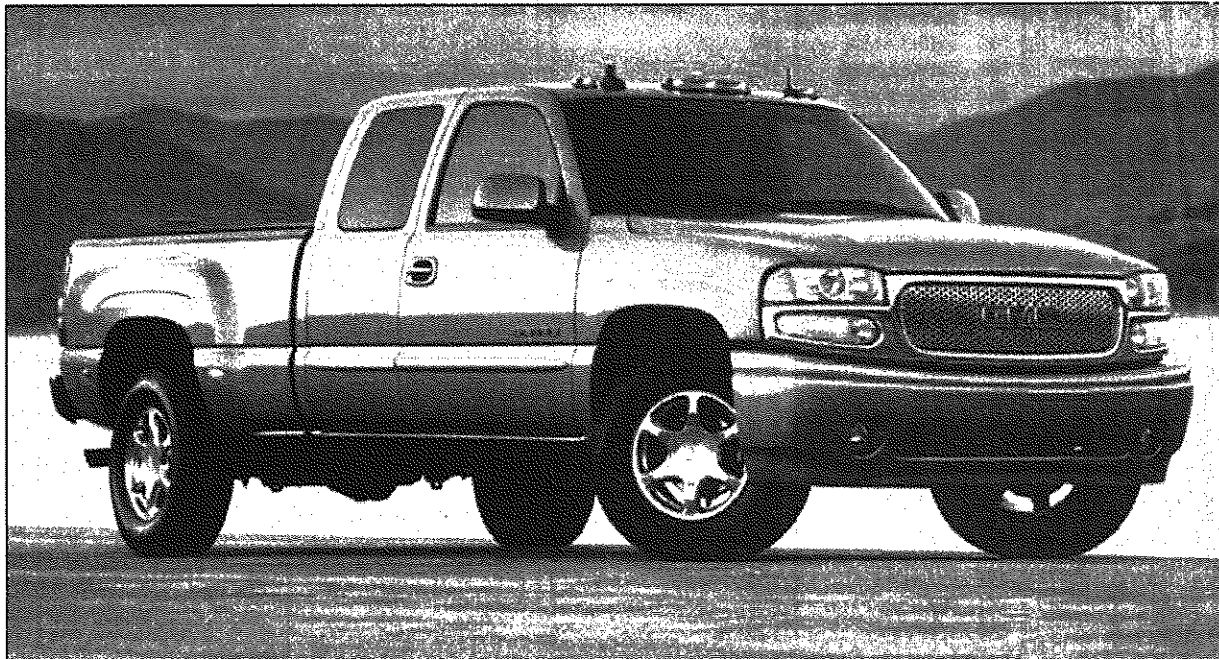
The Sierra has been redesigned this year -- especially on the inside. You'll find the instrument panel and IP cluster totally different and much more logical and easier to read and understand.

In the center of the speedometer, there's a driver information center that tells you just about everything you need to know about the functions of the vehicle - 27 to be exact, which is double from last year's model.

The instrumentation's graphics are really cool, too. There's a black background, soothing blue backlighting and stark white pointers that just about jump out at you. Really pleasing to the eye.

Front seats are bucket seats, so you'll get the center console. It's all one piece, flowing from the IP back and includes a storage bin, rear power outlet and controls for heating and cooling for the rear passengers.

The heating and cooling up front are individual-



2003 GMC SIERRA DENALI | Vehicle class: Full-size Truck; Power: 5.4-liter V8; Mileage: 16 city/ 20 highway; Where built: Pontiac, MI; Oshawa, Ontario, Canada; and Fort Wayne, IN.; Price as tested: \$45,320.

ized so your passenger can adjust exactly how hot or cold they want to be without bothering your likes or dislikes.

On the steering wheel, which is leather, you'll find controls for stereo, trip calculations, and a way to program and personalize nine vehicle functions for up to two drivers. On the inside rearview mirror, you can access OnStar with the tip of your finger. The mirror's bottom also tells you the status of the passenger air bag.

The front seating is extremely comfortable. The seat belts are integrated right into the seat, providing added comfort and pleasantly easy access.

There are a host of trim levels of Sierra. They include a regular cab short box, and the Denali extended cab short box. Then you have to choose between the 1500 and 2500 series and whether you want two-wheel or four-wheel drive. The trim levels are SL, SLE and SLT.

Talk about the engine choices: 4.3-liter V6, 4.8-liter V8, 5.3-liter V8 and 6.0-liter V8. All those can be mated to two types of 5-speed manuals or three types of 4-speed automatic transmissions.

The Denali also had the XM Satellite radio system. I told you about this great system last week. You've got a choice of more than 100 coast - to - coast digital

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You can also choose a Bose audio system with six speakers and tuned specifically to the cab's unique acoustic environment. The system automatically increases or decreases volume for road or wind noise.

An option on all Sierras is a Panasonic DVD passenger entertainment system. The seven - inch flip - down screen is integrated in the headliner and can play DVDs or CDs. Best of all, there are wireless headphones for those rear passengers.

Finally, the outside of the Sierra is much more bold and looks quite commanding on the road. It's new grille is cleaner and gives it an aggressive look. The curves all the way around are cleaner and the vehicle just looks beautiful.

Although I only had the Sierra Denali four days, it managed to impress me. I think it may impress you, too.

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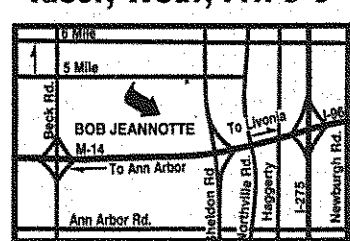
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TIRED OF BAR SCENE

54 yr old, white female, 5'9", shoulder length frosted hair, very honest. Enjoys outdoors, fishing, boating, movies, dining out. Looking for a very honest male, 5'11" or taller, who wants a companion and possibly something more serious. BOX 26691

LET'S GET TOGETHER

33 yr old, black female, 5'8", medium build, non-smoker. Enjoys cooking, movies, family. Seeks male, 38 to 45, family oriented, medium build, non-smoker, for fun and friendship. BOX 26699

SHARE LIFE WITH ME

58 yr old lady, full figured, 5'5", green eyes, red hair, good looking. Enjoys dining out, walking, movies, conversation. Seeks male, 58 to 70, to share interests. BOX 26709

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41 yr old, 5'7", medium built female, seeks attractive male who's a homeowner, non-smoker, social drinker. Likes horseback riding, motorcycles, boating, pickup trucks and swimming. BOX 16989

ONE OF A KIND

Pretty, petite, passionate, divorced white female, 40-ish. Seeks non-smoking, single white male, over 35, for dating and relating. Let's create sparks and watch them fly! BOX 25332

VERY PROMISING

Widow, 64, natural red hair, blue eyes, 5'8", nice figure, loyal, honest, good looking, kind hearted, gentle, romantic, kind, loving. Seeks well groomed, tall man 60 to 70, widower, a plus, non-smoker for a new start and long term relationship. BOX 20499

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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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An attractive brunette, 49, 5'4", 115 lbs, single white professional female, with great smile and good heart, enjoys family and friends, boating, Red Wings and you, if height weight proportionate, humorous, caring, financially stable and emotionally available. Wayne County. BOX 25014

ARE YOU MY KNIGHT?

Young looking, 44 yr old divorced woman, enjoys music, travel, sports, camping, quiet times. Seeks honest, fun loving, marriage minded gentleman, 38 to 50, social smoker, drinker, children okay. Home owner and professional preferred. BOX 26664

LET'S TALK

White female, 51, long blonde hair, in good shape, 5'5", non-smoker, social drinker, very fun loving, vivacious, loves life. Enjoys working out, boating, beaches, getaway weekends, concerts. Seeks white male, 45 to 55. BOX 26684

ATTRACTIVE ITALIAN

Petite, divorced, white female, seeks honest, sincere, single, white male, 49-55, who likes to laugh and have fun, for friendship, possible long term relationship. Dearborn area. Wayne County. BOX 35950

TIRED OF GAMES

Attractive, divorced white female, 51, 5'4", red 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

SEEKS CHRISTIAN MALE

5'6", 126 lbs, enjoys walks in the rain, simple pleasures of life, attending church, movies, walks in the park. Looking for a committed Christian male for companionship possibly leading to more. BOX 20693

ARE U THE ONE?

Single female, 29, 5'2", short hair, wear glasses, honest, and intelligent. Searching for a single, honest, intelligent man. Enjoys movies, casinos, dining out, videos and more. BOX 20693

FRIENDS AND MORE

36 yr old, divorced white female, 5'8", 160 lbs, with blue/green eyes and blond hair. Loves outdoors fun, sunsets, dancing and more. Searching for a single male to start as friends and a possible LTR. BOX 20736

NICE LADY AVAILABLE

Divorced black full figured female, 5'6", attractive, non-smoker, non-drinker. Enjoys crafts, sporting events, gardening and more. Searching for a full figured, around 5'6", single male who's kind, loves kissing and cuddling. Looks isn't important. BOX 20755

DON'T MISS OUT!

45 yr old female, 5'7", medium build, brown eyes and hair, lives in Troy, intelligent man, enjoys activities with the right person. Give me a call and I'd be glad to get back to you! BOX 23444

SEEKS PERFECT MATE

Attractive, 50+ widow, fun loving, physically fit. Seeks male desiring travel, working out, bicycling, golf, mountain hiking, skiing, swimming, dancing, dining out, family, cooking, quiet evenings, closeness, sharing, intimacy, love. Requesting too much? Tell me. BOX 24980

I'M YOUR LADY

Attractive white divorced 45, 5'2", 138 lbs., female, brown/blonde, enjoys walking, swimming, movies, music and dining out. Seeks white male, 40-50, slim to medium build, 5'6", non-smoker, occasional drinker, affectionate and sincere, for a meaningful relationship in Garden City. BOX 26999

ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE

Outgoing, petite, and live in Plymouth. Looking for an attractive, non-smoking, single white male, 48 to 58, who is trustworthy, emotionally/financially secure, with no dependents. Someone with a job for life. Wayne County. BOX 27026

VIVACIOUS OPTIMIST

Petite, 5'11", attractive, white professional divorced mom. Enjoys working out daily, good conversation, music, sports, and is an optimist. Looking for a professional (college degree), divorced, white male, 40 TO 55, physically fit/male, tall, good sense of humor, non-smoker, Oakland County. BOX 36088

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

SEEKS OLDER MAN

Single black female, 45, 5'8", 145 lbs, enjoys camping, the beach, candlelight dinner, puzzles, bowling, fishing and more. Searching for a tall, white male, 61 to 65, who enjoys the same. BOX 14623

LOVING YOU

Single female, 19, 5'2", 130 lbs, long brown hair. Enjoys long walks, movies, relaxing, outdoors and more. Searching for a single male, 20 to 25, who's caring and loving. BOX 14645

QUIET TIMES TOGETHER

Divorced black female, enjoys movies and sports. Seeks Arabic male who enjoys the same and quiet evenings at home. BOX 14655

HAPPILY EVER AFTER

45 yr old, 5'7", single female with a medium build, brown hair, hazel eyes. Loves having fun. Looking for a happily ever after relationship with a tall man, who's honest, caring, genuine. BOX 14662

SEARCHING FOR YOU

Single Mexican lady, 42, likes dancing, movies and quiet evenings at home, would love to meet someone with similar interests. BOX 16907

MAN OF MY DREAMS

Divorced white female, 26, slender, blue eyes, brunette. Enjoys bowling, volleyball, bike riding, long walks and concerts. Searching for a serious relationship with an honest, caring, sensitive gentleman, non-smoker, social drinker who enjoys sports, dining out and quiet times. BOX 20731

TREAT ME RIGHT

Single female is looking for a single male, 35 to 45, who enjoys kids, family and knows how to treat a lady. BOX 20737

ARE YOU OUT THERE?

Single parent with children at home. Likes drama, fine arts and dining. Seeks gentleman who loves God and shows that in his lifestyle. Must also like children. BOX 20746

LET'S WORK IT OUT

30 yr old, 5'5", 129 lbs, single professional female, brown hair, blue eyes, fit. Enjoys working out, outdoors, running, working on the house and more. Searching for a single male, 28 to 36, honest, sincere who works out and share similar interests. BOX 20906

INGREDIENTS FOR LOVE

Attractive, white widowed, early 60's, 5'2", height and weight proportionate. Seeking a single white gentleman, early 60's, 5'10" plus, trim, well groomed, non-smoker, social drinker who enjoys movies, dining out, theater, traveling and more. BOX 20982

CUDDLE UP WITH ME

Single white female, 44, 5'6", brown hair, enjoys long walks, parks, videos and more. Searching for a single male for friendship first, possible relationship and to enjoy life together. BOX 20984

MY LASTING LOVE

44 yr old divorced white female, non-smoker, no children. Looking for the love of her life and soul mate, to enjoy life with. Enjoys traveling, hockey, dining out and nice quiet times at home. BOX 21005

YOUNG AT HEART

Widowed white female, early 50's, searching for a single male to enjoy life. Enjoys boating, camping, working out, dancing and traveling. BOX 21008

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Seeking a sincere, honest, no games played, non-smoking, social drinking, single white male by a divorced white female, 54, who likes to do almost everything. Looking for friendship, companionship or something long term. West side, Wayne County. BOX 25333

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52 yr old female, 5'3", 125 lbs, long dark hair, green eyes, non-smoker. Enjoys movies, dining out, cooking, picnics, shopping, dancing. Looking for a caring male who lives nearby for a real relationship, who's honest and sincere about meeting, no games. BOX 26589

MAKE ME LAUGH AGAIN

66 yr old, 5', 125 lbs, single female with brown hair, eyes. Likes long walks, movies, dining out and more. Searching for a single male, 60 to 67, with a sense of humor and similar interests. BOX 26594

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Intelligent, fit, 5'8", brown eyed blonde, passionate about life and laughing, enjoys golf, biking, theater, boating and great conversations, interested in meeting tall, 50 to 58, financially/emotionally stable true gentleman with similar interests. Oakland county BOX 27010

SONGS FROM THE HEART

Divorced white female, 47, 5'7", blonde/blue, vivacious, passionate, Christian church musician. Seeks white Christian male, non-smoker, 5'10" or taller, who is intelligent, articulate, romantic, and honest with a passion for life. Oakland County. BOX 27014

SEEKS BETTER HALF

Down to earth single attractive Asian female, 40, no dependents. Seeks attractive white male 5'10" plus, health conscious, has a positive outlook on life, is ambitious and successful yet unpretentious for friends leading to long term relationship. Oakland County BOX 36057

ATTRACTIVE WOMAN

Soft spoken, non-smoker, white female, 5'11", size 11, wishes to meet a white male, 6'2" or taller, 49 or older, no games, no heavy drinkers, no drugs, height/weight proportionate. Wayne County BOX 36053

FUN TIMES AWAIT

Retired male, 54, 5'8", 150 lbs, brown hair, green eyes, youthful looking, very active, easy to get along with. Likes movies, dining out, Bingo, outdoors, flea markets, board and card games. Looking for a companion for dating and possible relationship. BOX 21130

PICK UP THE PHONE

40 yr old male, physically fit, 5'10", 150 lbs, professional, home owner. I'd like to meet someone just like you, so give me a call! BOX 21131



COUNTRY GIRL

Divorced white lady, non-smoker, non-drinker likes horseback riding, has own horses. Enjoys camping, walking, boating, flea markets, old cars, movies. Seeks gentleman 57 to 65 with similar interest. Monroe County. BOX 27030

CUTE AND CLASSY

Single black female, mid 50's, enjoys jogging, concerts and walks in the park. Seeking a gentleman over 50, with similar interests. Oakland County. BOX 26066

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

GEM SEKS TREASURER

Divorced, white professional female, 5'9", 125 lbs, brown/black hair and eyes, dimples, former model, looks 40's and stable. Seeking a divorced, white male, 59 to 65, attractive, 6', stable and a good sense of humor. BOX 31913

ACTIVE SENIORS ONLY

Well traveled, educated, loving, white, professional female. Seeking a sophisticated, Christian man, 62 to 72, who can also be down-to-earth. Interests are classical music, art appreciation, world events and travel. Comfortable one-on-one and in social situations. Oakland County. BOX 35911

A LADY OF CLASS

Vivacious, upbeat, very attractive, blonde female, a professional, 5'7", 115 lbs, upper 50's, seeking soul mate counter part, 60's, a professional, for dating, possible long term relationship. Call me and see what life has in store for us. BOX 35996

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

SEEKING ITALIAN

Petite, white female, 63, 5'1", 128 lbs, brown hair and eyes, non-smoker, attractive, talkative, good sense of humor. Seeks gentleman 60 to 66, non-smoker, sharing the things in life we both enjoy, especially travelling. BOX 36003

LADY WITH PIZZAZZ

Eccentric, 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

ALL AMERICAN GUY

Single white female, 40, 5'5", non-smoker, brown hair, medium to husky, loving, caring, likes a variety of activities, sports. Seeking a husky, honest, white guy, 36-46, serious long-term relationship. Macomb County. BOX 36039

CLASSY COSMO CUTIE

Creativity and chemistry a must. White female, compassionate, curvy, looking for someone to have fun with while professional, 46 to 56, non-smoker, no drugs, love animals, water, boating, exercise, cooking, spiritual. Oakland County BOX 36051

ATTRACTIVE WOMAN

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I BELIEVE I CAN FLY!

Come fly with me! Handsome, successful professional, 56, 18 on the dance floor, 6', physically fit, energetic, charismatic, positive, spiritual, full of life and a great sense of humor. Variety of interests! Compassionate, romantic, good listener, emotionally and financially secure. BOX 10578

TIRED OF BEING ALONE

Widowed and lonesome male, 59', 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

TIRED OF BEING ALONE

Single male, 61, 5'9", 170 lbs, light hearted, loves to laugh and gentle. Enjoys camping, walking, good movies, flea markets and quiet nights at home. Looking for a permanent relationship with the right lady, under 59, slim and attractive. BOX 20581

TAKE MY HAND

Attractive, 47 yr old male, 165 lbs, thin build, full head of hair, hard working, honest. Enjoys exercise, golf, roller skating, skiing, bowling, movies, dining out, casinos. Seeks honest, who doesn't like to play games. BOX 20592

ISN'T IT TIME WE MET

30 yr old, divorced father of two, 5'10", 230 lbs, blonde hair, blue eyes, fairly shy. Enjoys movies, dining out, tv, sports. Looking for a female, 22 to 35, who enjoys children and would like to have a friendship, maybe leading into something serious. BOX 20819

VERY PROMISING

Father of one, 6'1", 190 lbs, in good shape, brown hair, green eyes, college educated, lives in Livonia. Enjoys skiing, biking, family activities, reading, running, spending time with his daughter. Seeks woman who is positive, fit, loving, honest, down to earth, to enjoy a loving, caring and great relationship. BOX 20890

FALL FUN

Athletic, muscular single white male, 44, 6'2", 215 lbs, brown hair, clean cut, degree, never married, no dependents, outgoing personality, enjoys outdoors, working out, new activities. Seeks friendly single female, age location open. Wayne County. BOX 27018

HONEST

Tall, divorced white male, 6'4", good physical condition, 55, non-smoker, self-employed, honest, sincere, sense of humor. I would like to meet a slender lady, 45 to 53, who is easygoing, with good values, for companionship, and possible long-term relationship. BOX 35984

JUST READ

I'm white widowed, attractive, light hearted, well built, enjoy all the good things in life. Looking for an attractive, well built lady, under 59, for possible permanent relationship, Dearborn. Wayne County. BOX 35956

LUCKY IN LOVE

41 yrs old, 6'2", 210 lbs male, smoker, non-drinker, likes movies, dining out, travel. Seeks slim female over 5'5". BOX 21163

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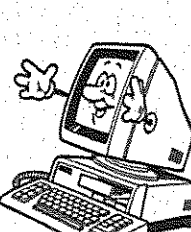
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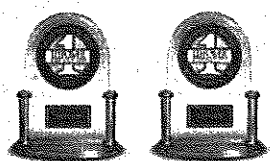
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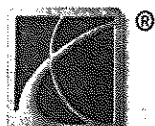
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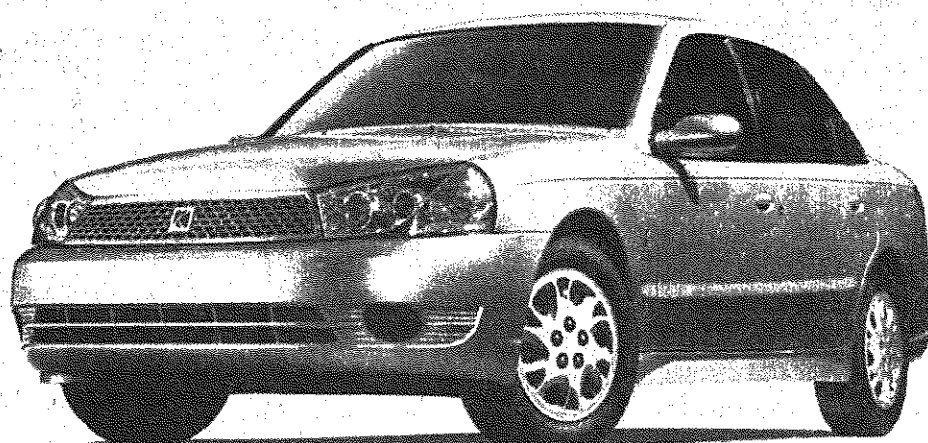
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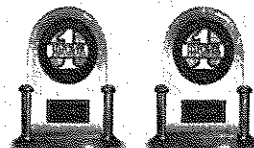
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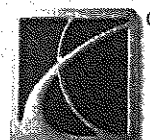
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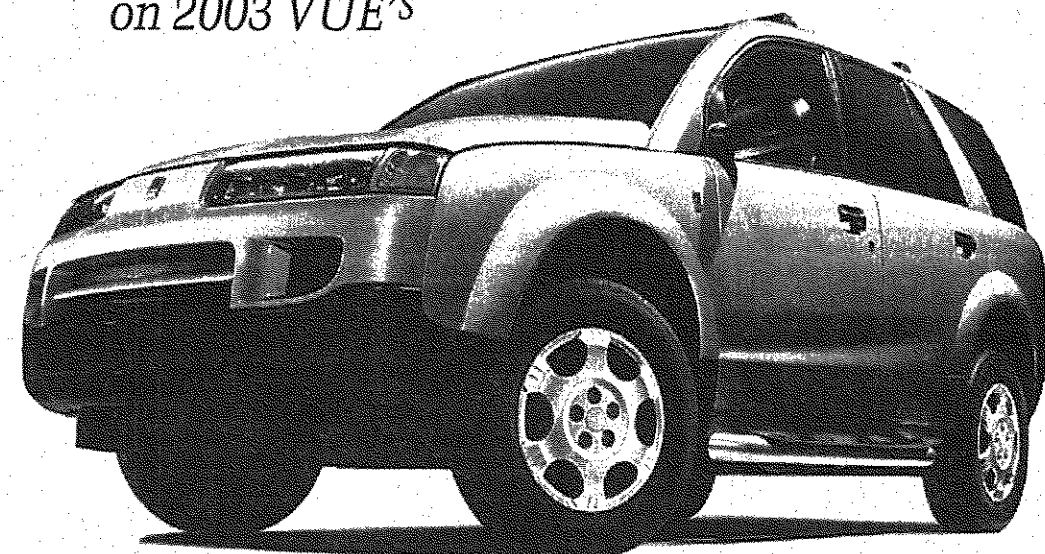
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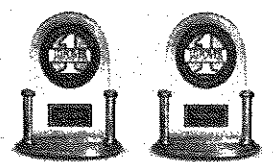
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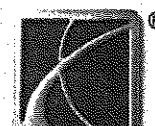
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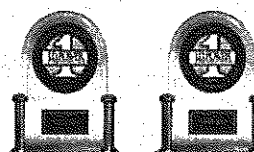
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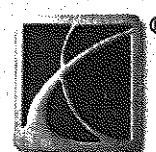
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\$210⁷⁸ 36 months
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6 cylinder, automatic, power steering & brakes, rear defogger, aluminum wheels, luggage rack. Stock #3-5304
Was \$31,557

SALE PRICE
\$26,915^{*}

LEASE FOR
\$356⁸⁰ 36 months
\$2911.91 Due at Signing

GMS PRICE
\$25,424^{*}

GMS LEASE
\$313³² 36 months
\$2830.82 Due at Signing



2003 SIERRA EXTENDED CAB
Bucket seats, air, sportside body, locking differential, V8, auto, fog lamps, stereo CD/cassette w/Boss speakers, HD trailer package, SLE decor, power windows & locks. Stock #3-6157. Was \$32,393

SALE PRICE
\$26,725^{*}

LEASE FOR
\$404²⁹ 36 months
\$3027.25 Due at Signing

GMS PRICE
\$25,191^{*}

GMS LEASE
\$358¹⁰ 36 months
\$2943.29 Due at Signing



2003 YUKON XL 4WD
2nd row captain's chairs, power sunroof, 5.3 V8, cast alum wheels, heavy duty trailer group, SLE decor, leather seating, Bose speakers, luggage carrier, 6 CD player XM radio, security system, steering wheel controls. Stock #3-6069 Was \$48,844

SALE PRICE
\$41,210^{*}

LEASE FOR
\$585⁶⁸ 36 months
\$4015.52 Due at Signing

GMS PRICE
\$39,037^{*}

GMS LEASE
\$519⁴⁴ 36 months
\$3910.31 Due at Signing

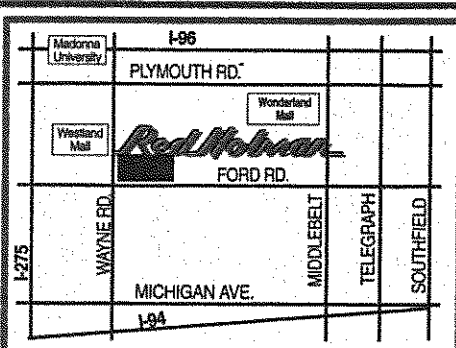
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Was \$20,435 STOCK #30228

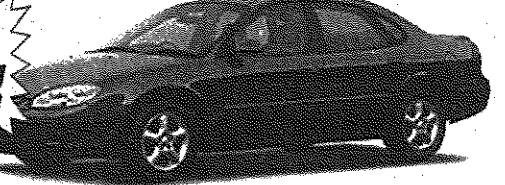
\$13,872⁹⁰*

A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL

\$206³⁶ mo.

2003 TAURUS SES LOADED

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Matador red C/C metallic, med graphite cloth, 3.0L 2V 6-cyl engine, auto OD trans, P215/60RX16 all season tires, moonroof, power, adjustable pedals, reg appearance package, rear spoiler, five passenger with floor console floor shift, luxury/convenience group, power heated mirror/perimeter lighting, inside mirror with compass.

Was \$22,205 STOCK #30129

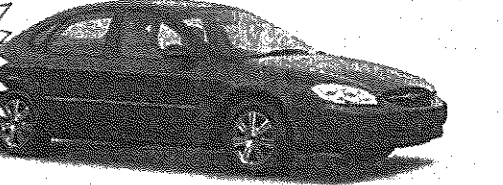
\$15,209⁹⁰*

A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL

\$231²² mo.

2003 TAURUS SEL -DELUXE!

0% Financing Available



Vibrant white, med. graphite, CD changer (6 disc), 5-spk machined wheels, elec temp control A/C, adjustable pedals, keyless entry w/keypad, perimeter anti-theft sys, 3.0L 4-V 6-cyl engine, auto O/D trans, P215/60RX16 all season tires, moonroof, power, luxury/convenience group, pwr htd mirror/perimeter lighting, inside mirror w/compass.

Was \$23,665 STOCK #30794


\$16,682⁹⁰*

A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL

\$251⁴⁸ mo.

2002 FOCUS SE

0% Financing Available



Cloud 9 white clearcoat, dark charcoal cloth, power side windows, tilt, speed control, dual power mirrors, CFC-free air cond, AM/FM stereo radio w/CD player, 15" alloy wheels, 2.0L DOHC 16V ztec engine, automatic transaxle, P195/60R15 BSW tires 6-disc in dash CD/clock

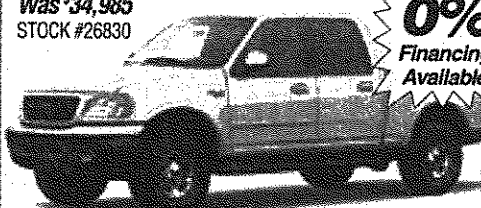
Was \$16,715 STOCK #23732

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2002 F-150 4X4 CREW CAB

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Toreador red clearcoat, dark graphite optics chrs, pref. equip. pks. 507A, XLT series, air, AM/FM stereo/clock/single CD, 5.4 L EFI V8 engine, electronic 4-spd auto O/D, 3.55 ratio limited slip axle, 6750# GVWR package, cab steps, overhead console, trailer tow, FX4 off road equip group, P265/70R-17 OWL all terrain, skid plates, 17" cast alum wheels, cloth capt chairs, power driver's seat

Was \$34,985 STOCK #26830

\$26,495⁰⁰*

2002 F-350 CREW CAB XLT

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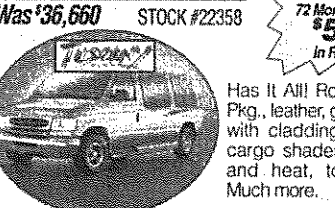
Oxford white clearcoat, medium flint cloth, preferred equip. pkg 617A, passenger airbag, air, premium AM/FM cassette/CD/clock, 6.8 liter EFI V-10, elect 4 spd auto trans, LT265/75RX16E OWL all-terrain, 4.30 ratio lim slip axle, advanced sec grp, auto locks/auto lamps, remote keyless entry, cab steps/chrome tubular, 9900# GVWR pkg, elect shift on the fly, sliding rear window, spare tire & wheel, camper pkg, telescoping T1 mirrors-power, off-road pkg, roof clearance lights, adjustal gas/brake pedal, deluxe alum wheels, trailer hitch receiver, privacy glass.

Was \$37,700 STOCK #25397

\$26,860⁵⁰*

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TAURUS SEL	0 Down \$1500	\$474 \$2018

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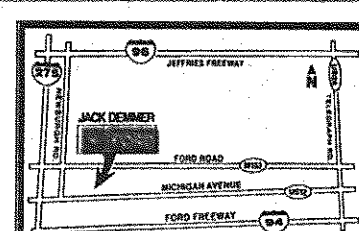
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