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Ex-cop enters plea in gun case

Surrenders job, gets one year probation

By Darrell Clem

Sattwee Terr Hardesty, charged foil form allegations he stole as been placed on probation for one year after he pleaded no contest to a single charge of will in neglect of duty by a plic officer. The def Thursday by Wayne Gounty Circuit Judge Megan Maher Brennan, averting a potential prison sentence on the same day Brennan die and concaling stolen proper-ty dony firearm all diarceny of afterem. "He was allowed to pleat to

Performer's act brings Elvis to life

By Brad Kadrich

ce lieutenant shown at right, no contest in a gun case. Jerry Hardesty, a longtime Canton po has surrendered his job after pleading

that (one charge)," Assistant Wayne County Prosecutor Maria Miller confirmed. Hardesty, a decorated, 24-year veteran of the Canton Police Department, has relin-quished his ability to serve in law enforcement through a

sanctioning body, the Michi-gan Commission on Law En-forcement Standards. The latest developments involving Hardesty close a difficult chapter for a police department that won acco-lades not just from local offi-

cials, but from outside agen-cies such as the Commission on Accreditation for Law En-forcement Agencies.

forcement Agencies. **Motion for Ward** "Effective Monday, July 29, he is no longer an employee with Canton Township," Public ter said, "This department is regarization, one of our takea-says from this event was strengtheming our auditing process. "This singular, lone in-dent should not reflect on heat should be able to be able to heat should be able to heat shou

iid. Defense attorney John

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Construction crews are transforming the old Farmer Jack site Busch's Fresh Food Market.



With orange barrels and yellow caution tape signaling the start of landscaping and parking lot work on the new Busch's Fresh Food Market site in Canlon, potential shop-pers say they are eager to have a neighborhood grocery store.

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COMING UP

What: Chris Ayotte's night of comedy and song Where: Angelo Brothers Banque Hall, 33550 Ford Road, Westland

hris Avotte performed at the

When: Sept. 6-7, doors open at 5-30, dinner at 6:30, show at 8 p.m. Kathy at 734-216-9451. Reserve in advance; seating limited. former U.S. presidents

higan Elvis Festival in Ypsilanti, BILL



Strugging families using Bridge cards can stretch their food dollars every Sunday through Oct. 20 by buying produce at the Canton Farm-ers Market. For a third season, the mar-ket has become involved in Double Up Food Bucks, an effort across Michigan that matches Bridge card pur-chases up to \$20 for produce

By Darrell Clem

only. "It's helping Michigan agri-culture because the money's going right into the farmers' pockets, and it's helping Bridge card customers have additional access to healthy foods," Than Lloyd, Canton additional access to healthy foods, "Than Lloyd, Canton additional access to healthy foods," Than Lloyd, Canton for the set of the save shown that low-income families who need to stretch their food bud-get have less-healthy diets

than people who don't have the same financial worries. Designed by the Ann Arbor based nonprofit Fair Food Network, the Double UP Food Bucks program gives Bridge card users better access to healthy foods while heiping the farming community. Oran Hesterman, Fair Food heas sind the program has ex-panded to nearly 100 farmers



Canton Farmers Market is helping low-income families stretch the



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Author, music highlights market

Plenty of family activities, food

This week's story-time at the Canton Farmers Market will have a decidedly farm-ers market twist. Shanda Trent, Ann Arbor native and author, is expected to read from her newly published first book, Farmer's Market Day, at 10:30 a.m. at the Canton

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to a few Detroit grocery stores. It doubles the value of Supplemental Nutrition SNAP, bonefits. At the Canton Farmers Market, Lloyd said Bridge card users once each Sunday can spend up to \$20 for dusts on the store of the for another \$20 for fruits tokens they can redeem for another \$20 for fruits The program showed to 2011 to 2012, with B fore card use up 60 percent at the Canton market, Lloyd said.

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nued from Page A1 markets in Michigan and to a few Detroit grocery stores.

Farmers Market, in Preservation Park off Ridge Road north of Cherry Hill. The storytime ses-sion is hosted by the Canton Public Library. Also during the mar-ket, open 9 and no 1 p.m., rain or shine: p.d. and the start p.

the 10:30 am, and noon storytimes. An discusse at the Mus-ter Gardner tent. Bring law and garden ques-tions too. • Those who missed law and garden ques-tions too. • Those who missed law and garden ques-tions too. • Those who missed law and garden ques-to a those of the garden discussed and the those of the those week. • Bring any surplus berts, surching, accum-bers and other veggies

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to the veggie tray at the front lobby of Summit on the Park. » New vendors in-clude ony one the hoto studios, Bex Dersions, which sells Detroit and reverse the dye and reverse the dye with herbal salves, and fiching an Garlie. As always, the mar-ket offers myrid pro-douce, plants and farm foods.

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said. For additional in-formation about the Canton Farmers Market, please visit www.canton-fun.org under the Com-munity Events tab or send an email to canton-farmersmarket@canton-mi.org.

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Continued from Page A1 be right down the street, so it's convenient." Vo often shops at Kroger, but she said she expects to do some of her shopping at Busch's "I don't just stick to "I don't just stick to expect the best deals." Houser and Vo said Houser and Vo said Houser and Vo said Houser and Vo said "It's been wacant so long," Vo said. Rachang Parikh, IS,

long," Vo said. Rachana Parikh, 18, lives in Westland but babysits two children in a neighborhood near the

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Last years alone, cus-tomer's heally meet \$3.062 in Double Up Food Bucks to buy fresh pood Bucks to buy fresh poor Bucks to buy fresh Uby a said. We know more people are using they re experimenting would'n to mainly try?. The Canton Farmers Parket is open Jan. to Jam. Sundays, rain or Jam. Sundays, rain or Jam. Sundays, rain or Jam. Sundays, rain or Jam. of Cherry Hill on Canton's far west side. Double Up Food Bucks Double D

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\$2,150, will be used to make 210 braille books for blind children locally and all around the world. The remaining \$1,100 will

go to the "Adopt A Read er" Program, which will provide 11 visually im-paired children with a \$100 gift certificate to

Seedings volunteer traine Seedings volunteer Tiffany Paylor, who is blind and a braille reader spoke about the impor-tance of having braille books accessible. "Seeding and my mom.", she said same books that my sighted friends had growing up. Seedings made that possible for me." me." For more information about Seedlings Braille Books for Children, visit www.seedlings.org.

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grown produce, pre-pared food and crafts by artisans. The second second second-to the Double Up Food Bucks website site: • Over four years, the program has grown to \$1.5 million at farmers markets - the largest increase among Supple-tance Program efforts in the Midwest. • In a boost to the agriculture commy, 83 percent of farmers say percent of farmers is they make more money they make more money they make more money bucks program. • An impressive 78 percent of cusmers reported that the pro-

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much fun," said Ayotte, who by day is a marketing manager for a Fortune 500 company. "I was so impressed with (Paul's) vocal likeness that I started picking up the voice myself. By the time I was in high school, I was performing Eivis in show choir and also for spe-cial performances with the marching band."

marching band." Dared to orfer and the set of the theorem and the set of the set of the Michigan Elvisories at the 2004 Michigan Elvisories at the 2004 contest with a dogen other ed to that point. Thrown into a contest with a dogen other said "hind the look, feel, moves and voice," Ayotte wound up winning the Director's Choice contest. Whomored, humbled," he said - to win, Ayotte was more impressed with the size of the crowd and their "instatable appetite and appreciation" for "The dimidic henre was

esley's music. "I had no idea there was ch a demand for it even to-

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Freeman said Friday it was important to note that Hardesty pleaded to a misdemeanor rather than any of the felony

a misdemeanor rather than any of the felony "Considering all of the "Considering all of the "Considering all of the come is a reasonable one", Freeman sid. "The consequences are signifi-cant in that Jerry Hard-esty, who has devoted his professional careter to professional careter to the public, will no longer be able to do so." Freeman indicated Hardesty will suffer "adverse consequences" "The glad to see that "Brighed to see that this chapter in Mr. Hard-esty's life has come to a close" Freeman sid. "I look forward to knowing that he will be able to move on to other things."

'Sad day'

'Sad day' Hardesty was charged hard after the star do contacted with the star do contacted by th

prison term of 10 years in prison. He had been placed on administrative leave prior to Monday. Mutchler had called it "a sad day for us" in

April after Hardesty, who served on the police department's SWAT team, was accused of team, which was accused to the police of the court of indicate why. The weapon has been recovered. Hardesty was promote different serves and to the department in 1988 as an officer. We cannot have business administration and lead you't develop the business administration and lead to s' degree to business administration and lead there is the serves of the served his master's de-gree in organizational leadership and admini-leadership and admini-tered as tenso has the tread a serve of the the degree in the serve of the served his master's de-tend his master's de-ten

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The Blue Hawaii fan club travels to the festival from Cleveland

brings it back to The King, whose voice Avorte said is "simply unnistikable" and who has the "greatest follow-ing of any performer I know post-death." "When people close their eyes, I want them to feel like they are hearing the real thing," Ayotte said. "I think there's an Elvis fan in every far heart's an Elvis fan in every humility and shyness, so 1 never let it go to my head. I always try to remember who am and not take myself too seriously." ho I

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credits include several live TV commercials for the local NBC affiliate and acting as game show host for trade show videos. He also performed in civic theater to raise funds for charitable causes.

Variety the spice Much of his time these days, Much of his time these days though, he does variety shows, paying tribute to a list of leg-endary singers, celebrities, and former U.S. presidents. According to Ayotte, it's a little like The Tonight Show meets The Rat Pack meets Who's

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Chris Ayotte's fans gather at the edge of the stage

START HEROGRAPHE day," said Ayotte, who has a bachelor's degree in political bachelor's degree in political from the University of Michi-gan. "Since then L'every year: What a joy to sing for people who will never forger the King of Rock and Koll. Ultimately, it's a will never forger the King of Rock and Koll. Ultimately, it's a whysy messure ited the King of there never will be." Ayotte has freelanced as an announcer and actor for TV, industrial video, and radio. His

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\$1.000 grant from Community Financial Credit Union will help conductor Nan Washburn d the Michigan Philharmonic continue to bring music to students in the ymouth-Canton, Wayne-Westland and Van Buren school districts.

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\$1,000 donation helps bring music to local schools

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for arts education in our community." Community Financial is donating \$1,000 every Monday through Friday until Aug. 30, to non-profit organizations nominated during the Summer of Sharing cam-paign. Nominations can

IO IOCAI SCNOOIS be made at www.Summe-offSharing. "Our members are actively involved in the community and we want that are important to them," said Bill Lawton, Community Prancial Credit Union President Community Prancial Credit Union President Community Prancial Credit Union President Bunched in 2010 to help celebrate Community Financial's Golt anniver-sary. The popular pro-gene community fri-nancial visit www.fou-ter.com/CPCredit/Union or Jacobook at Community Financial, Twitter at www.Twit-ter.com/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-ter.com/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-thec.com/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-thecom/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-ter.com/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-thecom/CPCredit/Union or Jourdbe at www.Twit-

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Solutions take time Solutions take time Problems left alone do not solve themselves Cleaning up historic messes takes time. Yet as we all know, the first step in problem solving is admitting you have a problem. Denial is a potent enemy of sen-

Tom Watkins

sible change. Even today in dealing with the unsustainable nature of our schools and many local units of government, the re-sponse in far too many cases is to pretend, de-ny, and continue to spend. We need to get serie

ay and continue to spend. We need to get seri-ous about the scope of the problem only when the magnitude of the problem is revealed and accepted can leaders persuade citizens to take action on necessary sacrifices needed to fix it. Think G

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als should be curtailed, where legally possible. The earlier you grapple with the problem, the easier it will be to fix. Nebraska, which stopped offering final-salary pensions to new threes in 1967, is sitting prover the state of the state government, who reverts to printing mon ey, there are only three ways to balance a bud-get.

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2) Reduce expenditures wires 3) A combination of the above. Pretending, with overyone. If you have a ble in your roof, pre-tending to fix it has never kept the rain out ending to fix it has never kept the rain out and America the fiscal roots on far too many schools, cities, counties, and states are leaking. Her, Rip Wake up! Further and the school of Buenn Vista and now Detroit are the canary in the coal mine. That is far too many canaries to ignore.

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lers will play the Windsor Spitfires in their exhibition opener to be denoes Memorial, groundbreaking for which took place July 17 Whalers give back

for Livonia memorial

Canton sets hazardous waste collection date Residents can properly dispose of toxic items

Canton's annual Haz-ardnus Household Water Collection takes place 9 am. to 2 pm., Saturday, sept. 7, art Canton's Divi-sion of Public Works Building, Jocated at 4847 S. Sheldon. This event is open to Canton residentis only for residents to make their home and environ-ment safe by properly disposing of waste that is considered toxic, fummable, or corro-sive.

sive. Examples of accept-able waste being col-lected include, but are not limited to fluores-cent light bulbs, oil-based and latex paint, paint thinner, turpen-tine, bug sprays, floor-

property objects care products, comput-ers and scanners, dry ers and scanners, dry poison, household bat-tries, propane tanks, mercury waste, anti-freeze, brake fluid, distort off, led acids. Canton will be unable to accept commercial waste, construction debris, explosives or debris

mi.org. In addition to Can-ton's Sept. 7 collection

the final dates for the 2013 Wayne County Household Hazardous Waste Collections are follows:

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2900. "We're very excited here, not only with the Livonia) police depart-ment, but the fire depart-ment, but the fire depart-ment, but the fire depart-ment, but the set of the organization," said Livo-nia Police Chief Curtis Caid. "We really appreci-ate the support of the

Totel composition on in bringing the game to Edde Edgar Arena for our benefit. Were truly honored that the Whalers willing to play agame here in Livonia and for this cause." The Larry Nchasil Palen Herose Memorial were created as a memo-rial to the service of late pale of Officers Larry manes Kelley and Sidney Detholf and fireman Gary Kreski. Ground-breaking for the project homes will by and Sidney Detholf and fireman Gary Kreski. Ground-breaking for the project homes will by and Sidney Detholf and fireman of the project. Livonia businesse are as a lister ping to support the game. Livonia Portano of the project. Livonia prom the Livonia Pointo Station - is the presenting station - is the presenting around home and spirit rom the Livonia Pointo Station - is the presenting around home and spirit respirit agamet - all around spirit

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ants from the Partnership for the Arts & Humanities dropped about 20 percent as the partnership builds toward

Canton arts partnership approves eight grants

By Brad Kadrich

The Canton Partnership for the Arts & Humanities' push to turn the old Ford factory in Cher ry Hill Village into an arts com-plex ate into the partnership's annual grant allowances this year, but eight arts groups are still splitting \$32,500 in grant money.

still splitting \$32,500 in grant money. The partnership's Board of Directors recently approved the eight grants, ranging from \$2,500 some \$7,000 on a concert mark-ing the 10th anniversary of the Village Theater at Cherry Hill. The group will also continue to contribute funding to the award--winning fifth-grade "African American History Through Art-ist Eyes" field trip. This will be the hand on goor this douational theater program that over 2,000 students attend each year.

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Wayne-Westland begins registering **Inkster students**

By Sue Mason

Parents of students from the former Inkster Public Schools can regis-ter their children for the new school in their re-ceiving districts at a familiar location — Meek-Baylor Elementary School.

familiar location — Meek-Baylor Elementary Not. 1. Status — the every sing districts — Wayne West-land, Romulus, Westwood duct registrations over the next two weeks after Carlysies St. The start of regis-tration comes less than two weeks after the status strapped school district and divide it up among there children for schur heir children für schur heir childre

ter: * 2-7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 6, for incoming Wayne-Westland stu-dents. * 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 7, for students who will attend the Romulus Community Scheole.

the Komulus Community Schools. *4-7 pm. Thursday, Aug. 8, and Weinesday, Aug. 7, for the twest Schools. * noon to 6 pm. Mon-day, Aug. 12, for the Tay-lor Jornon. registrations have been posted on the former school district sebsite at an antisetre school-school district sebsite at an antisetre school-ation and school school Wayner Weitland, on its website at wwesd.net. The parents of the 64 children assigned to Wayner Weitland have

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St. Mary Mercy hospital to host

blood drive

Very good news

Air Museum gets extension on bid to buy part of bomber plant

By Sue Mason

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museum. **Cause for optimism** The sectorshort was announced Wennewally by the Michigan Aerro-space Foundation, Yankee Air Museum and RACER Trust, just a day before the original Aug. 1 deadline. The numeum now has a sector that the sector of the sector cause for optimism and warranted ause for optimism and warranted au

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He described the pansare grantic." "When I looked at the area, after seeing the plans, im my mind's eye, I could see planes sit-ting on the assembly line," he said. "This is very exciting." More information about the Save the Bomber Plant campaign can be found by visiting www.sa-vethebomberplant.org.



torium of the hospital, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The public is invited to join St. Mary Mercy employees and volum-teers in donating blood employees and volum-teers in donating blood at the event. Participants will receive a free ice cream bar for donat-ing. St. Mary Mercy and the Red Cross are part-nering in a yearlong

blood drive campaign. Future blood drives will be held 6 am to 6 unto the second second out Dae 12, not the north Auditorium. To schedule an ap-forther LIFE or visit rederossblood org. Appointment sign-ups are also available in appointments are second second second walk-ins are accepted, but appointments are second second second walk-ins are accepted, but appointments are second seco

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e/Time: Tuesday, Aug. 20, a

ation: Geneva Presbyter irch, 5835 N. Sheldon in

Canton Details: All area churches, temples and mosques in Cantor and Piymouth are invited to send a representative to this meeting regarding the CROP walks bring the don Sunday, OC-13, in Piymouth. CROP Hunger walks bring the whole commun valks bring the whole commun valks bring the whole commun soin: helping hungry people at home and around the world. Contact: For more informat contact Gary or Becky Copen haver at bgcopenhaver@ya-

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INNER ate/Time: Sept. 7 from 5-7 m; Sept. 8 from 1-3 p.m.; Sept I from 5-7 p.m. scation: Our Lady of Good bunsel Catholic Church, 47650 Territorial, Plymouth Town-

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charge. Contact: The parish at 734-453-0326 or visit the OLGC website at www.olgcparish.net. Register for the dinner online: https:// olgcparish.wufoo.com/forms/

LOOD DRIVES

ates/Times/Locations: Sunday, Aug. 4, 7:30 a.m. to 15 p.m., St. Kenneth Church, 1951 Haggerty, Plymouth

Thursday, Aug. 8, 1-6:45 p.m st United Methodist Church, 201 N. Territorial, Plymouth

Sunday, Aug. 11, 10 a.m. to 15 p.m., BAPS Temple, 3175 S nton Center, Canton.

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.m., Connection Church, 3855 heldon, Canton. Friday, Aug. 16, 10 a.m. to 3:15 .m., Canton Library, 1200 N. anton Center, Canton.

 Monday, Aug. 26, 1:30-7:15
 p.m., VFW Post 6695, 1426 S.
 Mill, Plymouth Thursday, Aug. 29 1-6:45 p.m. Nymouth District Library, 223 S.

Mymouth Main, Plymouth. Details: The American Red Cros sponsors several blood drives in the area. Tickets to Cedar Point amusement park in Sandusky, Ohio, will be raffled off at these

Contact: To make an appoin ment, contact Diane Risko at CRAFTERS WANTED

Date/Time: Sept. Fall Festival hours

ocation: Plymouth letails: Organizers say it's not oo early to send in an applica-ion for a booth in the Plymouth all Festival Craft Show. There re only a few spaces left in the how. Applications are available on the Craft Show page at www.plymouthfallfestival.com Contact: For more information contact Colleen Brown, craft-

VENDORS WANTED

Date/Time: Saturday, Nov. 9. Location: First United Method-ist Church of Northville.

ist Church of Northville. Details: Organizers of the sixth annual Bizzer Bazar are look-ing for crafters, vendors, and entrepreneurs: Indoor spaces available. It's an opportunity to showcase their talents and products to hundreds of local customers. Grow business with a help women in Third World countries start a business with a micro-loan from a Village Bank. Contact: For details and to cro-loan from a Village Bank. **intact:** For details and to ierve your space, go to http:// mcnorthville.org/#/missions-d-service, email: fumcba-ar@gmail.com or find it on coback

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Facebook. MEDICARE/MEDICAID COUNSELING Date/Time: Aug. 7, 1-3 p.m. Location: United Home Health Services, 2200 N. Canton Centre Road, Ste. 250, Canton

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Details: Do you have a loved one in jail or prison? Is your heart broken because of it? Then contact Bonnie at Hope Healing Hearts, who will prov a safe place to taik and share with others, a place where yo can learn how to cope with al of the new and frightening experience

experiences. Contact: For questions or more information, contact Bonnie at 734-646-2237 or by email at resthemonarch@comcast.net.

CALLING ALL CRAFTERS

Date/Time: Saturday, Oct. 19, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Location: West Middle School, Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldon, Plymouth Township

mouth Township etails: Crafters wanted for elta Kappa Gamma's 29th inual Craft Show. Proceed: om the show will be used to pport college scholarships cal students focusing on Contact: Call or email Judy at 734-347-1001 or jbstone716@comcast.net or Alice at 248-348-9610 or dachren-

HOSPICE SUPPORT

Date/Time: Third Saturday of each month, 10-11:30 a.m. Location: Compassionate Care Hospice, 5730 Lilley, Canton Nopice, 5730 Lilley, Canton Details: Compassionate Care Hospice conducts a grief supp group, "Compassionate Wore providing emotional support any adult grieving the loss of loved one. The group focuses the various stages of grief an incorporates basic journal wit ing as a way to express feelin The program is free of charg ing as a way to The program is free of chi Contact: To register, cont Ann Christensen, Compas Care Hospice bereavemer coordinator, at 888-983-9 NOPS MEETINGS Date/Time: First and third Friday of each month, 9:15-

tails: The St. Edith/St. Ke h Catholic Parishes' Mot

each month, 2-3/30 p.m. Location: Plymouth District Library, 223 S. Main Details: The Plymouth District Library, 223 S. Main Details: The Plymouth Dions Club is sponsoring a new Adult Diabetes Support Groups, Fern Vining, a registered nurse, expension of the sponsorial of the sponsorial Plymouth Lion, will be then group focus on undersite in on chargete and self management strategies Contact: Call Even Vinion at Contact: Caller Winion at Contact: Call Fern Vining at 734-454-0859 Location: St. Kenneth Cath Church, 14951 Haggerty, Ply

SUPPORT GROUP Date/Time/: Second Monday each month, 6:30-8:30 p.m. ation: Kirk of Our Savid byterian Church, 36660 rry Hill, Westland



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The team from planetdance recently traveled to Myrtle Beach, S.C., for the K.A.R. Dance national finals. The team took top honors in "Top Elles Studio," "Top Elles Grand Charlow, "Top Elles Frand Beach, "Top Elles Studio," "Top Elles Grand provide the studies of the studies "Teacher and Choreographer of the year." planetdance conducts a fall intensive worksh Aug. 12-14, where choreographers will be teaching master classes in plazs, tap, Vircla, contemporary and hip hop. For details visit www.planetdancestudio.com or call the studio at 734-14-0641.

BIPOLAR SUPPORT

Date/Time: Second and fourth uesday of each month, 6-7:30

Accessor of each month, 6-730 pm Location: Lincolin Behavioral Services center, 45000 Sheldon, Suite 1600, Pymouth. Details: The Depression Bipolar Support for papels and effecting from orders. Meetings are open also to family members and BBSA keaders are professionally transe and ant attrot for every year to podate her transe and method to trainings for every year to podate her Context: Call Name 473-8356 4857 for directions.

DIABETES SUPPORT

lay, August 4, 2013 (CP) AS



David Veselenak

The man accused of killing Livonia police Officer Larry Nehasil has had an appeal of his sentence turned down by the Michigan Supreme Court

the Michigan Supreme Court. Terry Neil Bowling pleaded no contest in 2011 to second-degree murder in Oakland Cour ty Circuit Court in the death of Ne-hasil, who was tracking Bowling and his brother in a burglary.

Browling and his brother in a burghary investigation. He was seen. In the was seen. He apply the seen the seen the sentence to heat was "cruched and unusual punishment," and uit-twas "cruched and unusual punishment," and uit-twas "cruched and unusual punishment," and uit-twas "cruched and unusual punishment," and uit-seen the setter the part of the setter the part of the setter the part of the setter the setter the setter the part of the setter the part of the setter the part of the setter the setter the setter the part of the setter the part of the setter the

viewed by this Court." reads the order, dated Jul 30. Orficers were working in Walled Lake trailing a pair of burgiary suspects suspected of similar crimes in L'ouria. He gundfre with Bowling's bother wille working to apprehend the two men bother wille working to apprehend the two men who had broken into the home. Evoluting's brother while on duty in the city's while on duty in the city's Bowling was esen-temed to 50-100 years for to 15 years for resisting

Survey seeks input on waste collection

Canton residents are invited to participate in a brief survey regarding Canton's Solid Waste Collection Program. Residents wishing to share their opinions can visit www.canton-mi.org and click on the link at the top of the page to

and obstructing a police officer. Bowling appealed his sentence to the Court of Appeals, stating the sen-tencing guidelines were scored incorrectly and that he was wrongfully required to pay restitu-tion in the case.

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provide input on this residential service. Residents who'd rath-er complete a written copy of the survey can call Canton Public Works at 734-397-1011 or stop by the Division of Public Works Building located at 4847 Sheldon Road.



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Celebrate Canton's rich history at Village Faire

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ket will be held in Preservation Park every Sunday through Oct. 20, rain or shine. Willage Faire participants should note that the Canton Lions Club annual Corn Rosst, tradition-ally held during this event, will ally held during this event, will ally held during this event, will ally held during this event, will be all the state of the state of the Saturday Aug. 24, from 11 a.m. to 5 aturday. Aug. 24, from 11 a.m. to come to this free event, spon-sored by Canton Leisure Services in partnership with the Canton Herequired Sciences, the state of the Herequired Sciences, with two canton fun-norg or call 734-394-5460.



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Archbishop Allen Vigneron visited St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church in Livonia Wednesday night to mark a large milestone in the Archdiocese of Detroit's Changing Liv Together fundraising program. It is more

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PLANNING COMMISSION

PROPOSED ACTION: DATE OF HEARING: TIME OF HEARING: PLACE OF HEARING:

Request Approval of a Special Land Use Wednesday, August 21, 2013 7:00 P.M. Plymouth Township Hall, 9955 N. Haggerty Road

NOTICE IS HEREBY GUPRY has the Telemanic commission of Promotic Daneter Teneving has a received on application requestion (SPECIAL AND USEA APPOVAL for a climate correlated storage hasing in the Mark Are New Road Correlate Tetrater (ARC), on The ID Refs 0600-94025:000, pursuant to Zoning Ordinance No. 99, Section 14.2. The property is located north of An Arber Road, care of Mull Street, and west of the CGO Bairread.



application may be examined at the Plymouth Township Division artment, during regular business hours from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Writt may be mailed to 9955 N. Haggerty Rd. Plymouth, MI 48170 or call 734 ting Room at Township Hall which is located at 9955 N. Haggerty Road sion of Public Services, Community Development ritten comments will be received prior to the meeting 734-354-3270, ext. 5. The meeting will be held in the load, Plymouth Township, MI 48170.

PLEASE TAKE NOTE: The Charter Township of Plymouth will provide necess such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials be individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearings upon one week notice to the or calling the Supervisor's Office, 9955 N. Haggerty Road, Plymouth, MI 48170. Phone 784-385-3201. TDD users: 800-489-377 (Winkingan Relay Service). ssary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, wing considered at all Township meetings to he Charter Township of Plymouth by writing

KENDRA BARBERENA, SECRETARY PLANNING COMMISSION



Church celebrates fundraiser milestone

\$400,000 raised for Changing Lives Together program

By David Veselenak

The Rev. Bill Tindall said he's proud of his parish's effort the past two years to lead the fundraising for the Arch-diocese of Detroit's Changing Lives Together program

Changing Lives Together program. A visit from Arch-bishop Allen Vigneron Wednesday night to St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church and 350 attendees marked a large milestone in the Archdio-

tor Changing Lives T created Detroit's Chang-ing Lives Topether fund-raising program, which was started at the Livonia burth on Pymother than \$107 million across tourth on a Pymother than \$107 million across tourth and Pymother than \$107 million across tourth and the start souther at Michigan since the six county discoses in southers Michigan since devangelization, that really peaked the feelings of evangelization, that really peaked the feelings to the parishinker's here." Tindali sand. "His veltimes the second of the parishinker's here the second the feelings of the parishinker's here the second the second of the parishinker's service at the church Wednesday evening, second the program itself, tanging Lives Together is an initiative launched to raise a target of \$135 million across southeast on the rares, southeast of churches and to help the diocses in other areas, and hurches on to help the diocses in Seventy precent of all

Seventy percent of all concey raised stays at the local parish, and 30 per-cent goes to the diocese to help with three causes identified by Vigneron: providing tuition assis-tion of the seven of the schools arraining priests and lay ministers and strengthening the church's presence in the

ogether program city of Derroit. Thala said St. Mis-chael the Archangel has said so the Archangel has said control the Archangel has said control the Archangel has said control to the said the form particular the provide the faci-tic program and adding the provide the faci-tic program and adding the baithroom standing some improvements to the athroom standing space in the standing space in the distance space space space in the distance space space space in the discussion space space space in the discussion space space in the discussion space space space in the discussion space space space space space space space space T standing the space space

sharing the church's message. "Tam profoundly grateful to God for how powerfully he has worked through you and the thou-sands of people you rep-resent," Vigneron said. "It is only possible for us, together, to meet the challenges that we - the Catholic faithful in south-east Michigan - face."

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https://with the reverse mortgage. Throwing money at a problem doesn't neces-sarily solve it. What would help your son is to get his financial house in order before he asks for any more money Good luck.

Rick Bloom is a fee-only financial adviser. His websit www.bloomassetma nagement.com. If you woul like him to respond to your questions, please email rick@bloomasset management.com.

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Siblings reunite at Canton's Village Theatre

Two sisters will be taking over the Village Theater in Canton for an evening to pre-sent a cabaret performance of "A Strange Series of Unexpect-ed Events."

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area, they are teaming to ap-pear together onstage for the first time in more than a dec-ade. e. Faix has been s

ade. Taka has been seen most Freently on stage in the Penny Seate production of Lattle May have such as Wild Swan Thesis (and the Water State) The Water State Stat



The sisters will be accompa-nied by music director and local teacher Rebecca Biber, who just completed a stint helming the music duties for The Penny Seats production of *Little Me*. She has worked extensively with other local

theater groups as well, in-cluding Spotlight Players, Farmington Players and En-core Theatre. She holds de-grees from the University of Michigan. The evening of musical theater favorites will be pre-

sented in the Biltmore Studio, a small room with a portable stage and seating. Admission 1 55. Information is available at the Village Theater website at http://www.canton-mi.org/ villagetheater/perfor-mance_glance.aspx. n is



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Local man among first to buy electric Tesla automobile

By Laura Colvin

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Len and Jo Budzen stand next to their new electric car. HAL GOULD | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

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A memorable trip to Denver

A memorable trip to Denver Then, about two years ago, when Budgen stopped to check out the Tesla Undense stopped to check out the Tesla Denver, he spotted a photo of the Model Son the wall and ended up in a con-versation with the technician. He liked what he heard. And, for a fully refundable \$5,000 deposit, he could put his name on the list. The cars, the technician told him, would roll out in bott two years. "Bio staid, Honey, it's probably the last car you'l lever order, so go for it." Budgen's name was placed at num-ber 4,990 on the list. That was in 2011. He almost forgot about it.

He almost forgot about it. **The car arrives** Then, last month, finally, a call from the levery driver. War, coming from a fesh advirbution center in Columbus - drove up to the couple's home. Ever since, Budzen's been heard back in the "70s. "Who from your 1 go, people stop me and having a good houst 1," he said adding that he's still learning about the car and having a good time doing so. "It's fun to drive. Very responsive. I like the performance, the handling, the acceleration. Aerodynamically, it's as good a syou can build a car". "Jo Budzen has her own set of favor-te.

Jobde my ou can you set of favor-tic To Budden has her own set of favor-tic The touch screen, "she said. "I'm fascinated by Li don't have to look for buttons all over the car. It's just a mat-ter of a little touch on the screen and you can get whatever you want." The styling, she said, is also at the top of her list. "The styling, she said, is also at the top of her list. "The styling, she said, is also at the top of her list." "The styling she said, is also at the top of the list. "The styling she said, is also at the they see this car, they're surprised at how beautiful it is." "The other thing is, when I pass the gas station, I give them the finger."

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A contender: Lake Michigan Overloo Pierce Stocking Scenic Drive, Sleeping

Help us pick the Seven Wonders of Michigan

Remember the first time you crossed the Mackinac Bridge? Did you hug the window in the backseat of your parents' car, neck craning to peer over the edge to the straits below?



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Michigan is one of nature's master-pieces. What are your factories of monites? What are your factories of moni-tes of the second second second second test of the second second second second factories of monitories and the second help. The second second second second second test and the second second second second second test and the second second second second second test and the second second second second second second test and the second second second second second second test and test test and test an

tweet. Finalists will be revealed online Aug. 8 and winners announced online Aug. 29.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Beard of Education of the Pyrnouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a proposal for Investment of Bond Proceeds Proceeds and Proceeds and Proceeds and Proceeds and Proceeds and Proceeds Indicate Performance (Part 1997), and Proceeds and Proceeds Schools at Inflav/Inflat@procemail.ntf or (774)16-2975. Technical questions should also be directed to Brodie Killing. Executive Director of Business Services at Inflav Bongoust for Proposal at PCC3 - EJ McCinedon Educational Conter Iosatod on 464 St Harvey, Pyrnowth, M4107 oorbefors 100 parts on Monday, August 10, 2013. The Bongoust for Director of the school startic.

Board of Education Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Adrienne Davis, Secretary

NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell, to satisfy lien of the owner, at public sale by competitive bidding on Monday, August 19, 2013 at 9:30 A.M. at the Extra Sance Storage facility located at:

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Sticking to it

Hockey friends support woman's quest to do Komen 3-Day Walk Tim Smith

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ote the pink 'Courage' stickers on the helmets Chelsea siblings (from left) Gabby and Conor bugherty. The stickers were given out to hybody taking part in Monday's Sticks & Pucks. if Chel

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Gabi (from left), Gehrig and Jody Perris of Farmington enjoy a family moment at the Sticks & Pucks

MOTOR CITY JR. GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP Whatley rebounds to Boczar leads boys field win girls junior invite By Brad Emons

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Sattwine Kayla Whatley found herself in quite a predicament following her first two holes in Wednes-day's 2013 More (Ity Janior Gold Championship held at Jaco-"Wouldn't sup it was a great round because I had two hole-up, but it was enough for me to win, so I was happy": said What-ley, who will be a senior this year and was an integral nem-tionship tear. MHAA Division I sate cham-Jonship tear. Wately, who resides in Can-ton, rebounded by three strokes and adolf Laid by three strokes to adolf Laid by three strokes and additional the stroke and the strokes and additional the stroke and the strokes and additional the strokes and the strokes and additional the strokes and the strokes and the strokes and additional the strokes and the stro

pture the Girls 14-17 age divi-on title. Whatley who started on back ne, took a nine on the par-5 No

The coord and of the parts where the parts were "I pushed may drive, then my second shot went into the heath-ers, so I had to take a drop," said Whatley of her first hole. "It went downhill from there. I didn't have a clear shot from where I dropped. I had to punch ut, It could have been a lot better than it was. At the mo-ment, it kind of destroyed me."



Canton's Kayla Whatley attempts the putt as Farmington Hills' Dan. Iles looks on in Wednesday's Mot City Invitational golf tourney at Whispering Willows. BILL BRESLER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

The part, No. 11 hole wasn't much better as Whatley took an ight and found herself eight-over after two holes. "After hole number two J just had to ealm down and try to finish strong, then I'd still have a good charace of winning." number 12 throngh and number la, so I tried to pull it together to finish strong." Whatley did just that by card-

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By Brade Lenons Start Minns The appears Jack Boccars will be a welcome addition next spring for the MHSSAA Division frumeer.py Nymouth High boys and the start of the start of the bowed his provess in Wednes-day's 2013 Motor City Junior Golf Championship at Livonia's Wedness and the start of Championship at Livonia's well and the start of the off Championship at Livonia's well and the start of the start of the start of the division crown. Meanwhile, recent Canton High grad Brent Perry captured the North Start of the Start Head Part of the Start of the High grad Brent Perry captured while Novir's Sahith Mummadi also carded a 78 to take the Soys Jand under division. An intermittent High rain An intermittent High rain An intermittent High rain Mozar's High The Start five howering dark in the first five howering dark in the dirict five howering darks in the first five howering darks

There is the reside in Gan-bacer, who resides in Can-ton, was playing in his/Th ju-nior event of the summer. He finished his Motor City round with three birdies, but admitted "I had a lot of bogeys." "I was up-and-down," said Boczar, who got his start in golf Winning golf tournaments is not the only sport Boczar excels



Livonia's Marin McGowan launches a tee shot during Wednesday's Motor City Junior Golf Invitational at Whispering Willows. Bill Bresler (

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Not sure yet

Not sure yet When Mike Gerge took charge of Plymouth's varsity of Plymouth's varsity final vecks of the 2013 season follow-ing the resignation of head coach Bryan Boyd, he was encour-aged to apply for the second coach at Madona University, still mulling things over. Asked Last week

Asked last week whether he was throwing his hat into the ring for the Wild-cats' job, George said he was still un-decided.

decided. According to the website for Ply-mouth-Canton Com-munity Schools ap-plications are being accepted for that and other coaching va-cancies until Aug. 9.

Check it out

The Eddie Edgar Arena in Livonia has some tantalizing summer hockey and skating options for older folks.

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Lax chance

High Velocity Sports, located on Acaton, is seeking an experienced Girls Lacrosse Director to help coach and over-see a new program including clinics, other will run in the new HVS Dome starting this Novem-ber. The position is part-time, year-round (indoor adoor) with the possibility round (indoor adoor) with the possibility of full-time once the program takes off. The ideal candi-date will have a mini-date will have a mini-date will have a mini-tif is lacrosse, proficient in market-ing and building new yorgrams, shifty to work nights and wearends.

weekends. Interested candi-dates should email Kyle Karns at kyle@hvsports.com



LOCAL SPORTS

Vic Fournier named new Ladywood A.D.

By Brad Emons

Soft work Vic Fournier's first day on the job as Livonia the Ladywood's athletic di-rector could be consid-ered all a blur. "My top priority is just to meet people and just make sure every-hing is ready," suf bour-timus is and sufficient weeks away and usually 1 have a whole summer to weeks away and usually 1 have a whole summer to get ready for the fall. Pve got about 12 days now."

Learn To Skate

Livonia Parks and Recreation will offer its seven-week Learn To Skate (Session I) on Mon-days,Sept. 9 and through

year-old Fournier brings 13

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Oct. 21, at Edgar Arena, 33841 Lyndon (one-half mile south of Five Mile, just west of Farmington Road). Monday's class sched-ule includes: 5-5:25 p.m.

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pus," Ladywood Principal Tracey Mocon said. "His experience and his pro-fessional reputation pre-cede him. Vic will start immediately, and will work diligently to make our transition a smooth or."

Fournier is no strang-Fournier is no strang-er to the Catholic League In addition to his stint at Bishop Foley, the certi-fied athletic adminis-trator lettered in three sports at Center Line St. Clement H.S. He later earned undergraduate degrees in criminal jus-

(new, Snowplow Sam 1, 2 or 2; Basic 1 and intro to sychronized skating); 5:25-5:50 p.m. (Basic 1-8); 6-6:25 p.m. (Basic 1-8); 6-6:25 p.m. (Basic 1-3); 9:25-6:50 p.m. (hock-

tice along with recrea-tion and parks manage-ment from Eastern Mich-igan University (where is matter's degree in sports management). Fournier replaces Sal Malek, who resigned month after 20 years to take a similar position at Boomfield Hills Acad-em of the Sacred Heart, the Biazers enjoyed a rich history of winning programs including two state championships,

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ey skills with no sticks or purse used. 66 (Lronia residents) or \$69 (nonres-idents). 789 (nonres-idents). 789 (nonres-idents). All classes and time slots are on a first-come, first-serve basis. Free skate rendia is available. The registration dead-tion and carly enrollment wednesday. Aug. 21, at Uvonia Community Rec-reation Center, 15100 Hubbard, Livonia, MI 48154 (There will be a \$10

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Rec soccer openings The Michigen Hawks under-Uit the serveration alsoccer team needs a couple of players to com-plete its roster for the upcoming fall season. UPUSL and provide the Michigen day nights (starting after WSL and provide al agree Park in Livonia. The cost Players should a either Delay 25 season of the display 18 season.

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Franklin girls tennis

Girls interested in playing high school ten-nis for Livonia Franklin during the 2013-14 school year are asked to contact

tradition for which Lady-wood is widely respect-

woon is widely respect-ed." Fournier, who resides in Westland, will also be able to enjoy a much shorter commute to his nor TDD. To the second second aboute killer," Fournier said of his four years going back-and-forth to Rochester. "My daughter goes to All Saints and I ve been looking for some-thing closer to home."

coach Rick Clack immediately at 734-945-5762 or email him at clack@com-cast.net. Potential players are asked to leave their name and contact number in a voice message. There is and off-season play dur-ing the summer and school year before the season begins.

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13U Mud Hens win pair of tournaments

Farmington Hills travel team holds tryouts Sunday

The 13U Parmington Hills Mud Hens won championships in their last two tournaments of the season. They captured the Monroe (Mich.) Summer Classic by Hawks 43 and then traveling to Boyne Mt. (Mich.) to win the Crown Jewels of Baseball Tournament against the Elite Strikes by a score of 43. dependent travel baseball team which plays in local tour-naments as well as out of stree

state. To that end, they just re-turned from the Ripken Expe rience Beach Blast in Myrtle

Beach, S. C., and went 3-1-1 during pool play to become the No. 3 seed in the champion-ship bracket before Iosing to the Cooper City Cowboys from Florida. Also this season, the 13U Mud Hens were second place runnerup twice this year once in Fort Wayne, Indiana at The Chicago (III) "Xins: and Strikes Memorial Classic Tour-nament."

Strikes Memorial Classic Tour-nament." The team is managed by Steve Bean and Roger Parsons and other coaches are Joe Mencotti and Mike Korte. Each player contributed to the team's success this season

and every player did a great of Players on the squad area of Players on the squad area of Players on the squad area of Players of Pl

Future Patriots excel



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Anthony Corati has stepped down following a successful three-year stirt as Livoini Lady-titt as Livoini Lady-coach to pursue other coaching opportunities. The 30-year-old Corat-tispent the past six sea-sons with the Blazers, including the last three the compiled an overall ing three straight dis-treet of 48.24, includ-ing three straight dis-treet of signal and their spine 1929 before losing to Goddrich in the MESAA quarter finals. Coratt's resignation this week comes on the heels of Sal Malek step-

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he 14-and-under Livonia Storm girls softball team recently finished first in the Gold West livision of the WWCL Team members include (bottom row, from left): Jesica Banks, Erin argenter, Casie Campbell, Ayss 2 abro, Clare Burton, (top row, from left): acah Craig argenter, Kayeo Ziembal, Lesi VanHorn, Criwilson, Taryn Bergman, Elyse Baumgardner, sistant coach Dave Zahra, Not Pictured Is Alex Anara and assistant coach Pau Wilson.

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id." Boys closest-to-the-pin winners included Livo-nia's Chris Massa (40 inches), Livonia's Domini-ic Marsales (14 feet) and Mummadi (20-0). FHAL BOYS RESULTS 16-71 Ben Hoy, R. J. Jacked



Livonia's Kristen Szabelski (left) slides a putt toward the hole as Livonia's Anna Vento looks on in Wednesday's Motor City Invitational. Bill BRESLER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHIA



Knedgen, Brody Demunnik, Jack budde and hyssike rukates ruka middle row (from left) are Dylan Parsons, Victor Mencotti, Dominic Lanni. Shane Saxton and Kevin Korte. Not pictured is Will McLellan



The 16-and-under Franklin Bulldogs, made up of ninth- and 10th-graders from Livonia Franklin H3, finished their summer season with a 13-6 record. Team members include (front row, from left, Robert Gomil, Andrew Montle, Jordan Stasser, Jeac Chinavare, Adrian Reed, Bobby Mandrink, btack row (from left) casch Scott Linner, casch Tom Chinavare, Mitchell Goraya, Andrew Koslakievicz, Cay Uniner, Pan Photaka, Jaco Fry, Nate Binkiewicz, coak IBII Binkiewicz, Jay Oppon, coak Nick Hopson and man-ager Jim Hoppon. (Not pictured are Nate Rodgers, Dave Milician and be Alarcon.)

GAM on tap for top amateurs

Historic Birmingham Country Club is opening its doors and course to the best amateur golf-ers in Michigan for the 92nd GAM Champi-onship presented by Carl's Golfland, Aug. 5-6.

Set is soundard, rug. 5 For the Champion-thip, Birmingham Coun-try Club will play as a rar 71 at 6.644 yards. This will be the sixth bosted the GAM Cham-pionship, and the first time since 1989. The competition kicks of fon Monday, with 36 holes of stroke

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Open champion Tom Werkmeister (Kent-

object main juni for vood). Of the 34 compet-tions, 16 gained entry through exemptions, to amount their way in at one of the six qualifying sites. Pairings for Mond days first and second to a site of the six qualifying days first and second to a site of the six qualifying GAM org. Check out GAM org. Check out GAM org. Check out GAM org. Check out GAM and Lacebook ligan accounts, for daily quadates from the \$2nd GAM Championship.

YOUTH BASEBALL-SOFTBALL TRYOUTS LI TRUCUIS Bicentennia Field (fields nos. 2 and 3), located at Seven Mile and Wayne roads in Livonia. Interested players should note that the for players to also fill out a second 11-and-under team. For further informa-tion, contact Mike Heard at 734-834-6500 mikchard:549ya-hoo.com).

Michigan Generals

Michigan Generals The Michigan Generals Baravel software software software travel software and under teams begin and the arganization include Larry Thiede, Al Land, Al White, Tom Hileey, Dave Brubaker, Gang Ano. Trouts will be held from 6.8 p.m. Wednes-day-Thursday, Nag. 7.8, at North Fammerion Thereated Industry Thereased Industry Th

registration papers. M.C. Riversharks The Motor City Ri-versharks 13-and-under and 14-and-under travel baseball teams will be holding tryouts in Au-gust for the 2014 season. Players must be will-ing to commit to playing between 40 and 50 games, including week-

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ing a 39 on the front nine to claim her third tile of the summer, which also include Top 50 Junior Tour triumphs at Mystic Creek and Fox Hills. She has not finished lower than third in any junior tourney this sum-mer and hopes to take her talents to the next

end tournaments. The season runs from April through July. The April April April April April April Will April April April April April April Will April April April April April April et al 1 april April April April April et al Terroemmended, but this recommended, but et al April April April April April et al April April April April April Manual April Ap

10. To pre-register or for more information, send an email to motorcityri-versharks@gmail.com.

Michigan Bulldogs Open tryouts for the Michigan Bulldogs' 10-and-under, 11-and-under and 12-under travel baseball teams are scheduled from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Saturday Sunday, Aug. 10-11, at

level. - I plan on playing golf in college," said Maying Theodowin the Tournament of Champi-ons junior event at Whispering Willows. "I'm looking to go some-where down south. I haven't committed to anyone. I'm still talkling to coaches and haven't made a final decision yet." yet." Whatley also won closest-to-the-pin honors

Canton Cobras The 2014 Canton Cobras 13-and-under travel basehall team will be holding a pair of tryouts for experienced players. Tryouts are from 4-0 parts are from 4-0 parts are from 4-0 parts and the format the second second second prive (west of Hagger-try). Flayers should ar-try 30 minutes early to prive 30 minutes early to thom are informa-tion, email head coach Jack Murray (Jack-murray 929@mail.com) or call 734-908-5808.

Canton Cobras

for her age group. Meanwhile, Lavonia's Kristen Szabelski card-ed a 98 to capture the Girls 12:13 age division crown. Runner-up Anna Vento, also of Livonia, shot a 108 to finish sec-ond and won the other closest-to-the-pin con-test (8 feet, 5 inches). PRAL GIRS RESULT H-12: Log Wang, 82.1 down



assett are all smiles last weekend aft Volleyball win the 2013 USAV Sand I onships in Milwaukee

Canton spiker helps Premier win sand volleyball title

By mid-August, Mad-ison Kielty will be back to the gymnasium hard-tryouts for the Canton Chiefs varsity girls volleyball team. But for one glorious, the soon-to-be Canton senior showed she can bump, set and spike with the best of them in sand, too.

sand, too. Last weekend in Milwaukee at the USA-Volleyball Sand Nation-al Championships, Kiel-

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now. We appreciate all the donations and every-body coming out. "Last year I did it (Sticks & Pucks) over spring break and it wasn't a great turnout. I think a lot of families were traveling. So this is a lot better than it was last year. I'm very excit-ed."

last year. I'm very excit-ier own family was there, of course: I3yean-old son, Gehrig: (a goalie in Farmington Hills Hockey Association) and daughter Gabi, 12. Gabi is a forward in a boys travel league in Novi and has espirations of playing in the Olym-tows lock of the Olym-was okay to note things down and have fun shoot-



y and her partner, Adela Lassett, teamér-plonship for Premier volleyball of Maumee, Ohio. Kielty and Bassett capped off a great 2012, 1513 considered that the second off a packed considered of the championship court. Down 11-35 in set three, the duo reeled of the consecutive to compare the second of the three the duo reeled of the consecutive to the second of the second of the three the duo reeled of the consecutive to compare the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second of the second of the second of the three the second of the second

ing pucks at her brother. It was more than okay that she had plenty of company doing just that. "It's really kind of them to do that and do-nate," Gabi added. "And it's helping for a good cause and I'm really proud of my friends, too. And everybody."

Having some fun

Having some fun There were some the action, such as Charles Webb, 24, and his Vebb. Both are from Koyal dak The source of the arena's independent pro shop, Mitten Sports – came out in summer garb (plaid shorts and a T-shop also kicked in dol-are from skate sharp-enings and other pur-



Outdoor game leads Whalers' eventful 2013-14 OHL sked

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and Sunday, March 9, both against Saginaw. Fans of the Whalers' \$5 Fridays promotion should circle the fol-lowing dates on their calendars: Nov. 29 vs. Oshawa, Dec. 6 vs. Sault 5te. Marie, Jan. 17 vs. Sui-Sault 5te. Marie, Jan. 17 vs. Sui-To vs. Sault 5te. Marie, Call 734-453-8400 to find out more.

Around the loop In addition, Plymouth fans can visit Compuware on the following

Hawks-Wolves soccer camp

The Michigan Wolves and Hawks will offer a summer soccer camp for boys and girls (ages 5-15) from 10 a.m. until noon, Monday through Thurs-day, Aug. 12-15, at Jaycee Park, 19800 Mayfield Street, Livonia.

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sharpen up for the up-coming season. But all of that pales by comparison to the real along with their dad, Joe Van Vliet. "Just to support my cousin who has breast cancer," Trevor said. "I'm really sorry she has it. I'm just trying to help."

Vying for the puck are Charles Webb (left) and dad Jeff Webb, both Royal Oak resid His cousin is Lauren Van Vliet, 17, also of Li-vonia. Helping out

Their cousin is in Their cousin is in remission. Still, the breast cancer fight is never done. That's why it is so important to come out to events such as "Any time you can "Any time you can do something good for people who are in need, for sure it's a really good thing," Joe Van Vliet said.

said. As he watched his sons skate, Van Vliet knocked on the bleac

for good luck as he talked about Lauren — who "has been clear (of cancer) for 2 ½ or 3

years." He then nodded that so many others are going through similar situa-tions. "It's unbelievable how "It's unbelievable how

"Tr subelievable how many people you really find out this affects," Van Vilet continued. "Every-body knows somebody with this. You just let them know, whatever you possibly can do, that you will be there for them." So will Perris, gearing up for the 60-mile walk by walking, running, biking and playing soc-

cer. "It's giving back." Perris said. "Physical activity has always been activity has always been those that are stricken to those that are stricken to those that are stricken to the set that are stricken to the set that are stricken and the stricken the stricken are stricken and the stricken are stricken



Gabi Perris of Farmington (right) sends this shot past her goaltender brother, Gehrig during Monday's special Sticks & Pucks event at Farmington Hills Ice Arena.



Plymouth Whalers' fans will be sure to see plenty of moments like this during the 2013-14 season. Here, Rickard Rakell (right) celebrates after Sebastian Uvira (No. 17) scored a playoff goal. BILL BRESLER (STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER Istar Horocashes to Gram agood nucleus: The Storm had five players taken in the 2013 NHL Draft, nucluding Jason Dickinson (first round, Dal-las), Njer Bertuzzi (second round, Da-Justin Auger and Zach Leslie (Los Angeles). The Harpur (Ottawa) and Justin Auger and Zach Leslie (Los Angeles). They join holdovers Scott Kosmachak (Winnipeg), Malers alum Tory Smith was promoted to head coach. The Ply-nouth-Kitchener rivalry is always compelling and never dul.

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dates to see OHI: cans and play-ers on the rise. *Windsor (Nov. 9, Jan, 18, Mar. 1 and Mar. 15): Missing the playoffs last season did not sit well with Syittires general man-ager Warren Rychel and head construction of the season of the season ager Warren Rychel and head construction of the season of the season in the hunt in the competitive Western Conference playoff chase again this season. A Windsor play-to ward his season. A Windsor play-to ward his season. A Windsor play-to ward his second year center Jone 10 and Mar. 50: Led by Ret Wing Kristoff Kontos from Mississauga Kristoff Kontos from Bississauga Kristoff Kontos

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for ages 5-12

A soccer mini-camp for boys and girls ages 5-12 (all skill levels) will be from 6:30-8 p.m., Mon-day through Thursday,

In Livonia Meanwhile, as they have in recent years, the Whalers will play their lone preseason home game in a local arena away from Compuware Arena. This year's event is 7 pm. Sat-urday, Aug. 31, at Eddie Edgar Arena in Livonia against Windsor. All proceeds from the game will benefit the Livonia Fallen Herroes Memorial Fund.

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Teacher Dawn Priebe says yoga students can feel "connected" to the earth while practicing their poses outdoors. That connection, in turn "has a natural calming effect."

By Sharon Dargay

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Yoga students stretch while taking in the sound of birds and scent of the grass in Heritage Park, Farmington Hills

ing effect." "Go outforts, take off your shees a the best things you can do with your tooy," she say. The said her yoga students occa-fication of the park, Bird sounds fill the air and insects are rarely a prob-tion of the park. Bird sounds fill the air and insects are rarely a prob-tion of the park. Bird sounds fill the park. Bird sounds fill the park. Bird sounds fill the park and the park and the park the park and the park and the park the park and the park. Ages the park and the park, 24915 the park and the park and the park and the park the park and the pa

More outdoor yoga The Yoga Room in Plymouth leads a free outdoor yoga session every month

through the summer. Trop in at 6-30 pm. Wednesday, Aug. 21 and Sept. 25, at the hourlong downtown Physmoth. The second second second second through the second second second privation of the second second second the second the second the second s



Arlene Pheney (left) and Lynn Manzi, bot of Farmington Hills, say they enjoy practicing their yoga skills outdoors.



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Corporate Recipe sponsors Lori Koenig of Livonia and Sta Opipari of Washington Township 1964 Pontiac GTO: and friends Becky and John

Garden Party reminiscing with old friends

By Julie Yolles

Seal scale Content While the Fifth Annual Garden Party Fine Food and Wine, Classic Cars and Chariye versit was held at Meadow Brook Hall in June, Detroit retail store that Garden Party Foundation philamhtropists and Boomfield Hills, presented checks to their three charity recipients this parts. The Garden Party Foundation awarded \$50,000 each to the Chi-ters's Leakenin Foundation and Oakland Community College Cultanzy Listica and \$25,000 to the Children's Tumor Foundation. The Garden Party Foundation awarded \$50,000 each to the Chi-ters's Leakenin Foundation and Oakland Community College Cultanzy Listica and \$25,000 to the Children's Tumor Foundation in an fort to support local Michigan charities. The ran held out for the Garden fort to support local Michigan's best eateries and sampling of more than 100 East the date: mext year's Garden Party will be held on June 3 and Mixtubegarden party will be held on June 3

ne wines. Save the date: next year's Garden Party will be held on June 8, 2014. ww.thegardenpartymichigan.org.

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along with a visit of the sanctuary with a beth Ahm docent, call Rabbi Steven Rubenstein at 248-851-6880, Ext. 17, or email ravste-ven@cbahm.org, Garden visits are free, although donations are accepted. www.wilbilegarde-n.org.

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Creativity, fun the workshop focus

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ENDDAR for kids of all ages through Aug. 23 at Heri-tage Park, 24915 Par-mington Road, in Far-mington Hills. Programs include a nature movie, 2 p.m. Mont. 7, stor yanday, a scavenger hunt. 2 p.m. Yednesday, nature hike, 2 p.m. Thursday; and Finily campfire, 7-9 p.m. Friday.

family campfire, 7-9 pm. Friday: In the moonlight Listen for noturnal animals, observe the night sky, and heighten and the sky and the sky

Master gardener

Master gardener Interested in becom-ing a master gardener? Classes will run 5-9 pm. Tuesday, Sept. 3 to Dec. 3, a the Wayne RESA Audi-torium, 5454 Venoy, Wayne. Cost for the train-ing is \$300. To register, visit msue.anr.msu.edu and click on events to navigate to the master gardener program.

Succulent gardening Learn all about succu-lents at a free class, 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, Aug. 10, at Plymouth Nursery, 9900 Ann Arbor Road, at Gotfredson Road, Plymouth Town-ship. Questions? Call 734-453-5500.

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Celebrating 50 years

Bill and Judy (An-gove) Igo of Hartland will celebrate their 50th wedding aniversary on Aug. 10. The couple married August 10, 1963 at First Congregational Church in Wayne. They lived in the Wayne.West-land area for many vears.

land area for many years. Bill and Judy are the parents of Mark Igo of Westland and Jeff (In-jul) Igo of Farmington Hills, and are the grand-parents of Kristi Igo of Dearborn. Bill worked for Ford Motor Company for 35 Berl Workes sum 1997. He Workes sum 1997. He Workes sum Ourse in Hardinal. Judy worked for the

Lehmer-McCart

Holly Suzane Lehm-er and David Paul McCart Jr. were mar-ried June 21, 2013. The bride is the daughter of Kim and David Lehmer of Can-ton and the groom is the son of David and Bren-da McCart of Shreve-port. La.

son of David and Bren-da McCart of Shreve-port, La. The Northwey was a the Northwile Unit-ed Methodist Church in Northwile, with the Rev. Monica William Officiating at the cere-mony. Given in mar-mony. Given in mar-mony. Given in mar-mony of the cere-mony. Given in mar-mony of the cere-mony. Given in mar-mony of the cere-mony. Given in mar-mony of the cere-mony of the cere-tic sectors of the cere-mony of the ceremony of the cere-mony of the ceremony of the cere-mony of the ceremony of the ceremony of the cere-mony of the ceremony of the ceremony of the cere-mony of the ceremony o

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Knochel-DiDomenico Dana and Bethany Knochel of Livonia ament of the Vallace Brooke Lauren, to Jo-seph David DiDomen-ico, son of Joe and Lisa DiDomenico of Livonia. Brooke graduated from the University of Pittsburgh with a de-mosciences & disorders and a certificate in American Sign Lan-guage.

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Uzelac-Miller

Ashiey Anne Uselac and Kevin Michael Miller announce their engagement. The bride-to-be, daughter of Maria Uze, daughter of Maria Uze, daughter of Maria Uze, daughter of Maria Uze, an University and is employed by Swistak Levine, P.C. Her flancé, so of the minigton Hills and Mar-in Miller of White Lake, graduated from



Wayne-Westland Public Schools for almost 10 years and retired in 1997. She volunteers at the Hartland Public Library. Bill and Judy enjoy spending time with

Bin and Judy enjoy spending time with family, working in their yard and birding area, and are active members of Hardy United Meth-odist Church in Howell.

WEDDING



McCart, sister of the groom, served as a groomsmaid and broth-er of the bride, David Lehmer, served as an usbar

Lehner, served as an usher. The bride graduated from Louisana State University Health Sci-nece Center-Streveport degree in communica-director at Thomsquare Media and an on air talent in Shreveport, La. The couple tool wersal Studios Orlando and Walt Disney World. The newlyweds reside in Shreveport, La.



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gree in neuroscience. He will attend North-western Feinberg School of Medicine in Chicago, III., beginning this fall. A November 2013 wedding is planned in Detroit.

Walsh College and is employed by EMC Cor poration. ployed by EMC Cor ration. An October 2014 dding is planned at Holly Hotel in Hol

BELLEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1963

LOCAL NEWS

50th reunion will be held Sept. 28. Contact Kathy (Toth) Hay at khay@reinhardrealtors.com or Dianna (Basnaw) McDaniel at dimordanieldS@comcast.net.

CLASS OF 1973

Adth reunion will be held Sept 28. Send inquiries to Belle-villeMi1973.40@comcast.net or call Laura (Kingsley) Delsh at 734-485-2744 or Sterling at 734-265-6132.

DEARBORN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1963

CLASS OF 1963 A 50th runion dinner is planned 6-10 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 14, at Dearborn Hills Golf Course, 1300 S. Telegraph, Dearborn. Advance tickets are \$50 per person. For more information, contact Chris Baldwin at Chaldwin@Wow-way.com or 313-706-3266.

DEARBORN FORDSON CLASS OF 1954

CLASS OF 1954 A 59-year reunion luncheon will be held noon-4 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 3, at the Stitt American Legion Hall, Port 232, Dearborn Heights, For more information call Nany Barlow Gaspar at (312) 581-6623 or e-mail to Pat Gaston Chiesa at pat629@aol.com

FERNDALE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1973

CLASS OF 1973 Advasr reunion is set for 7 p.m. midnight, Friday, Nov. 29, at the Iroquos Club, 43248 [H. U. 1998] Advast Start, 1999 Hills, 248-451-9533. Tickets are 175 presale only, Includes dinner, dancing, good times. Get tickets from http://www.73fhs40.reunion Fasebook page at http://www.fasebook.com/ group/\$3034552023714. Reunion contact is Sande East-envood Roule

GARDEN CITY

GARDER CTI T CLASS OF 1983 A reunion is set for Sept. 21 at Roma Banquet Hall, Garden City. Cost is 550 per person. Make checks payable to Karen Boyd and mail to her at 28445 Bock, Garden City, MI 48135.

LIVONIA BENTLEY

LIVONIA BENTLEY CLASS OF 1958 A 55-year reunion is set for Aug 10 at Mama Mia's on Plymouth Road in Livonia. For more in-formation call or e-mail: Ellen (Baumgartner) Dorman, em-dorman@juno.com, 734-218-1553; or Eldon Dillon, 248-207-2942; or Jane(Faries) Hopper, ubhS@Baol.com. 248-247-3728. ne(Faries) Hopper, com, 248-474-3728. CLASS OF 1966

CLASS OF 1966 A birthday reunion will be held Friday, Oct. 11, at Detroit Marri-ott Livonia, 17100 North Laurel Park. Drive, Livonia; (734) 462-3100. Check in and cash bar at 6 pm, buffet dinner at 7 pm, followed by dancing and DJ. Cotti § 650 per person. E-mail to Kathy Sindon Shinn at thesh-ims2@att.net. CLASS OF 1973

A reunion is set for 6 p.m. midnight, Sept. 13, at Livonia Marriott, located at 5ix Mile and Newburgh. Tickets are \$60 for alumni and \$50 for teachers. The event is open to other classe, as well. Contact Marcia Elliott at 259-327-0657 or e-mail to mick-ey5Sechartermi.net for ticket information

Information. LIVONIA FRANKLIN CLASS OF 1966 A golf outing and/or lunch is planned for Saturday, Aug. 24, at Fox creek Golf Gourse in Livonia. Golf scramble starts at 8 am, with lunch at 2 pm. Con-tact Lruzast/87264mi@com-cast.net or call 810-599-3509 for reservations.

MERCY HIGH SCHOOL

CLASS OF 1963

50-year reunion luncheon is planned for Saturday, Oct. 5, at the Sheraton Novi. Contact mercy.hs.1963@gmail.com or call J. Quainte at 734-776-2561.

PLYMOUTH HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1963

CLASS OF 1963 A Sthc Lass reunion is set for Saturday, Aug. 10 with dinner at FoxHills County Club. Other Teunion activities will include a mixer on Friday, Aug. 9 at Benni gan's, a tour of the "old school" followed by lunch at a popular "uptown" bar on saturday, and a pinci on Sinday, Aug. 11 at Pymouth Township Park. For more information, call Nany Richard Earle at 734.634.8974 ol e-mail to nanycareletecom-

CLASS OF 1968

A 45-year class reunion is planned for Saturday, Sept. 7. For information contact Susar Keith Johnson at sgjohn-

REDFORD UNION CLASS OF 1963

50th class reunion is set for Oct 19. Looking for former class-mates. For more information

REUNIONS

contact Jamie (Stafa n) Fraley CLASS OF 1973

h reunion planned for 7 p.m. ay, Sept. 20, at Burton for Banquet Center, 27777 polcraft, Livonia. For reserva

ddresses for 2003 alumni are eeded in order to send out nvitations. Email your name and urrent mailing address to uhs2003@gmail.com ASAP. You an obtain more information bout the reunion by emailing. tions visit www.ruhsclas-sof1973.com. Or contact Debi Cutshall at debi.k.cut-CLASS OF 2003 10-year class reunion is set for 7 p.m. Sept. 21 in Livonia. Current

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VALENTINE, RICHARD HARDEN

Age 94, passed away sud-denly on Saturday, July 27, 2013. He was born or

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Bess Valentine. He is a resident of Soutsville leville Ohio, Sandusky ia Ohio, Parma Hei and Carton Micki

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in 1998, Richard loved m composing several songer, re-cals and directing choirs. He choir director for St. Paul's theran Church Sandusky, and Emanuel Lutheran Ch Elyria, Ohio, He was musi-rector for the American Th Choir in Elyria Ohio and PTA MG Productions in / Lake Ohio. He also loved e taining people by playing piano. He especially enj playing for fellow seniors a Greenbriar Parma Ohio Waltowood - Carriage I

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MANVEL, DORIS (BANCROFT)

JUSTIS (JALVENDT)) oris Marvel, age 98, died cacefally July 25, 2013, after a nge, fulfilling life She is sur-vived by her loving children, randchildren and great-grand-hildren. She grew up in Con-ecticat but had made Birming-am, Michigan her home for the st 58 years - where she lived fe to its fullest. Her many rends and family will cherish se memory of a woman with a torug, distinctive personality: children. memory of a woman with a ong, distinctive personality to loved a cocktail party ether giving one or attending . To honor her fun-loving spi-and in accordance with hes shes, the family will hold a vate celebration of her life. donations, please. Instead, by raise a glass and toast this whole woman for a life well



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Karmanos offers lung cancer screening for smokers

Ex-smokers also included in effort

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better treatment options. The foundation has raised more than \$70,000 for the Gianni Perrarotti Lung Cancer Re-search Fund at Karnanos and has also provided monetary who are un finamical need, due to the impact of lung cancer. "We are very grateful for the incredible support of the Gianni Ferrarout Lung Cancer Foundation and the fund cre-ated at Karmanos to help put

an end to this disease" Gad-geel said. "This screening test is an opportunity to dramat-ically change the lung cancer mortality rate for those who have a long history of smok-ing."

Requirements Men and women ages 55-75 who are current or former smokers and who've smoked at least one pack of cigarettes a day for 30 years are eligible

for the program. The NLST found has individuals in this age range with a history of booking were most likely to be the screening involves the consecutive annual CT scans of the chest. The screening the screening involves the screening to the screening to screening to the screening test of \$100. The remaining test of \$100. The \$100. Th

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"The findings from this national study are significant, which is why we want to provide this lung cancer screening here at Karmanos.

DR. SHIRISH GADGEEL, M.D.

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MEDICAL DATEBOOK AUGUST

BLOOD DRIVE

St. Mary Mercy Hospital will hold a blood drive 6 a.m. to 6 pm. Thursday, Aug. 8, at the bospital, 36475 Five Mile at Levan, Livonia. Participants will receive a free ice cream bar for donaine, 10 schedule for donaine, 10 schedule GIVE-LIPE or visit rederonse-blood org. Walk ins are accepted blood org. Walk ins are accepted blood org. Walk ins are accepted for the appointments are pre-ferred. For information, visit www.stmarymerey.org and clock.on closes and events click on "classes and events." CONTROLLING JOINT PAIN

Henry Ford Health Sys-tem's Joint Preservation Pro-gram offers free classes on gran offers free classes on genz Glasses run 1-3 p.m. Aug. Is at Henry Ford Medical Co-ter-Farlane, 19401 Hubbard Drive, Dearborn, and 1-3 p.m. Aug. 22 at Henry Ford Medical Center-Columbus, 39450 W. J. Mile, NOVI. DUARTE WORKSHOP

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www.nkfm.org/diabetes-path or call the NKFM at 800-482-1455

Getting a Good Night's Sleep ... is so important for children

Ask A Garden City Hospital Health Expert



Nothing beats a restful aight's sleep, but for children, it's actually quite critical. Making sure your child gets good, sound sleep ensures he or she will have a solid foundation for proper health and development. Dr. John Morrison, an expert in sleep at the Garden City Hospital Center for Sleep Disorders, explains why sleep is essential to a child's growth and what to do if sleep doesn't come easily.

Dr. Morrison Sleep Medicine

- As a first time parent of a seven month old boy. I have read numerous books and articles about babies requiring at least 12 to 14 hours of sleep a day. The occurred because my little guy fights going to sleep. Between two naps and his sleep at might, he's only getting around 11 hours of sleep each day. What can I day First, it's important to know you are not alone. Sleep, or lack of it, is probably the most-discussed aspect of child care. Secondly, everyone requires different amounts of sleep. Below are the recommended hours of sleep including naps) for children up to 12 years of age:
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AGE	HOURS OF SL
0 to 2 months	10.5 to 18
2 to 12 months	14 to 15
1 to 3 years	12 to 14
3 to 5 years	11 to 13
5 to 12 years	10 to 11

Children need to develop a routine for good sleeping habits. Make sure you're putting him down for naps and bed at the same time every night. Try keeping the sleeping environment the same. If noise is an issue, try using a white noise device. Avoid over stimulation prior to bedtime Television and loud music can make it difficult for children to get ready to sleep.

Finally, pay attention to your child and put them to sleep when they are tired. When a baby gets over tired, it may become harder for them to fall asleep. This can result in him waking up sooner, creating a vicious cycle of restlessness.

- creating a vicious cycle of restlessness.
 C: My 7 and 9 year-old are living proof hat no two children are alike. They are both great kids, but I worry my 7 year old is becoming an insommac. Can children have sleep disorders?
 A: The simple answer is yes! Children are every bit as susceptible to sleep problems as adults, with almost 70% of children under the age of 10 experiencing some type of sleep issue. Children can suffer everything from insomia, restless leg syndrome, and sleep valking to sleep talking, night terrors and even, sleep apnea. I would suggest you speak to your family doctor or pediatrician if your child is suffering from any of these concerns. Also consult networking a sleep issue. The most important thing is to identify the problem and take steps to correct it, so your child can get the sleep they need.

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Unemployed? Here's how to nab an interview

Alan Carniol, founder of Interview Success Formula

If you're out of work, looking for a new job can be challeng-ing, especially if you're been unemployed for an extended period of time. Here are some expert tips for staying on track and exbhird an interview. and nabbing an interview:

Convey confidence

ber to be enthusias-"Remember to be entrusias-tic and interested throughout the interview, regardless of how frustrated you may be with your search," says Lynne Sari-kas, director of Northeastern University's MBA Career Center.

Yes, being unemployed isn't fun. Getting turned down from previous interviews can make the feeling even worse. Still, if you bring those feelings into your next interview, you might jeopardize your chances.

The antidote for this nega tivity? Focus on how you can still produce results on the job. "You are competing with cur-rent workers, so you have to show that you are still capable, knowledgeable and that you add value to the company in this position," Sarikas says.

Show you aren't rusty

Employers want workers who are up to date on their knowlare up to date on their know-edge and skills. If you want to impress employers, review all the tools you used in pastjobs, and make sure you're familiar with all the relevant industry

language

"Know the software you used in each role you've worked," says Sarah Connors, staffing manager in the human resources contracts division at Winter-Wyman. Software is becoming a bigger item to help get you in the door, and those names should roll of your tongue tike you used them yesterday. [Saying] 'Um'. because you can't member a name makes is seem like you don't reme-ter the software, and if you don't memeber the software, then it's not a value-add you're bringing to the next company." es contracts division at Winter-

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Another way to prove value? "Use your network: Connect with former co-workers and managers on LinkedIn to get a great referral that shows what a capable, valuable employee you can be," Connors says.

Prove your fit

Prove your fit "Fit is the most critical de-termination in hiring for both the hiring manager and the candidate," Sarkisa says. "For the hiring manager, there are typically multiple candidates with the skills to do the job. The challenge is finding the best person for the job based on how they fit with the team and the culture of the organization."

So how do you communicate fit? Be yourself, says Kevin Ricklefs, senior vice president of talent management at CHG Healthcare. "Don't just answer the question; add some per-



sonality and passion into each response," Ricklefs says. "Your personality comes through response," Ricklefs says. "Your personality comes through when you convey enthusiasm for certain topics, you tell sto-ries that explain your 'why's, and you ask questions of the interviewer in areas that inter-

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Explain any long-term

unemployment

If you have not worked for a

while, you may be asked about it in your interviews. Invest the time in creating a strong answer to this question.

"Being honest is always the best option," Connors says. "If there's something you feel is too personal to share, you'll want to talk to a recruiter, men-ter or tructed friend shout how tor or trusted friend about how to discuss it. Highlight any vol-unteer work, contract positions or classes you have taken that

show you've been activ keeping your skills fresh. It's too competitive a market to not give yourself every advantage."

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Car Report

GM, Ford going one way; will Chrysler diverge?



General Motors and Ford continue to head up the stubborn sales and financial recovery of the US auto indus-try. And now it increas-ingly looks like they've By Date Buss got many of the best products as well. If only Chrysler could keep up with them on all those fronts.

On the same day in late July that GM On the same day in late July that GM posted second-quarter profits that beat analysts' estimates, the company achieved something else that ultimately could be much more significant. For the first time in 20 years, influential Consum-er Reports named a domestic sedan as the best sedan it tested this year – and the winner was the seemingly unlikely Chevrolet Impala.

"It performs so well in so many differ-ent ways," Jake Fisher, director of auto-motive testing for the magazine, told the Detroit Free Press. "It really fires on all cylinders

That the bible of automotive evalua-tion selected Impala for this honor is one of the most remarkable developments in a remarkable new run for the Detroit Three automakers. The previous Impala was essentially an afterthought for GM, mostly kept around to sell to company mostly kept around to sell to commercialfleet buyers for whom its very plainness and utility could be an asset. Besides, the large-sedan segment in the U.S. has been moribund for a while.

But last year, GM began promising that the new Impala would surprise people. First, the company planned to make more of a retail model out of it, actually at-

tempting to appeal to rank-and-file con-sumers with a completely overhauled, full-size nameplate even at a time of high gasoline prices. Second, GM clearly made the new Impals worthy of the hype, scor-ing highly with the publication for its smooth ride. Handling, spaceious cabin and trunk, advanced electronic safety features, braking quietness and 'very short' stopping distances.

And while they were at it, Chevy design-ers even scored a coup with the styling of the new Impala, lending it a pleasing and worthy shape without excess adornment worthy shape without excess adornment that has plaqued the segment in the past and relegated full-size cars to the oldest segment of consumers. Impla all also sports available high-end features including ea-cellent voice recognition for navigation and hands-free phone calls, autonomous brakes to help avoid accidents, ten air bags and radar cruise control that applies the brakes and accelerator automatically to stay a safe distance from the next car.

Even more remarkably, while confident that Impala would prove worthy, it wasn't supposed to be anywhere near the most exciting product launch by Chevrolet this year. Just introduced is a new version of the Chevrolet Silverado in the hot pickup truck segment, and the new Corvette



Stingray is coming along this fall. All told there will be 18 new or refreshed GM vehicles arriving in U.S. showrooms this year, trans-forming its lineup from one of the oldest in the industry to one of the newest.

Meanwhile, Meanwhile, Ford boosted its outlook for the full year as it posted a second-quarter profit that trounced expectations on stronger demand See will keep mask in the U.S. China and for a while. elsewhere, and a smaller-than-anticipat-ed loss in Europe. It became especially more bullish about overseas operations. Ford

Fundamentally, Ford's success by Berations. Fundamentally, Ford's success is based on new products as well, including within the last coupled of years the new C-Max Hybrid as well as significantly overhauled versions of the Focus, Fusion and Escape, in the heart of Ford's lineup. The big ka-huna, a new Ford F-150 pickup truck, isn't due until next year.

OM also received four model-level awards and Ford nabbed three in the new annual JD. Dower AFPEL (Automo-tive Performance, Execution and Layout) study, an industry benchmark for track-ing new-vehicle appeal based on a large range of criteria. (Volkswagen Group's four brands, received five overall modellevel awards.)

However, this rush of good news for the Detroit Three didn't come without its soft underbelly. Notably, Chrysler is reported to plan extending the production lives



of three key models in a lineup that still or three key models in a threup that still needs huge turnover. Dodge Avenger, Dodge Grand Caravan and Jeep Wrangler will hang on two to three years longer than previously planned, according to the Detroit News.

Chrysler didn't immediately comment n the report. It might be that product planners genuinely believe that the three nameplates, each of which still sells well, can comfortably continue to do so. Or it can comfortably continue to do so, or it may be that a cash crunch at Chrysler's parent, Fiat, brought on by the dismal state of the European auto market, is forcing cutbacks in Chrysler's product plans. The new report comes on the heels of Fiat-Chrysler over the next few years, s reported several month s ago.

Either way, it's not good for Chrysler to be trying to make do with what it's got when its biggest rivals are moving on with confidence — and exciting new product lineups



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