

## Museum to reopen after repairs



The Canton Historical Mu-seum, shuttered last year after the former one-room school-house was deemed unsafe due to structural damage, is ex-pected to reopen as early as next year after repairs are made.

"We used to have quite a few people come through there to see the (historical) exhibits," he said.

The former Canton Center School, nearly 130 years old, had been used as a museum since 1982. Gregg King, Canton

Leisure Services facilities supervisor, said it was close after moisture and decay damaged the floor joists and foundated. Historians han learned of the problem last year as they took down a longtime exhibit, "Whose Farm Do You Live On?," that allowed local residents to trace the history of the land where they live, dating land where they live, dating hand where they live, dating hand the stream of the site and learned the foundation had failed in several areas due to damage to 37 of 54 floor joists.

to damage to 37 of 34 Hoor joists. In the latest development, the Canton Township Board of Trustees has agreed to hire New Hudson-based Evangal-ista Corp. for \$49,000 to repair the building next year. Historians had said mu-

"Kristina is very community-oriented as she is involved with several local community organizations, including the Canton Chamber of Commerce."

THOMAS PADEN, Chamber of

seum-related work would con-tinue while the building was closed. King said the Canton Historical Society's archives and activities have been and activities have been the control of the control of the control Human Services Center, both in the Cherry Hill Village area. It wasn't immediately known when the museum might reopen, only that it is expected to receive repairs next year. Meanwhile, Pesen to the control of the control of the control in viewing Canton's history archives may find help at www.cantonhistoricalsocie-tyorg, where information in-cluding a telephone number and email address can be found.

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## **Count day tally** should match projection

Count day, a statewide apshot of enrollment that are heavily on how public hools will be funded, was dendesday in Michigan and ficials in the Plymouth-and community School and Community School out the on target. Official count day num-rs won't be released for 30 ys, said Kate Dietrich, the strict's communications rector, but enrollment was timated at 17.416 last week, and the provident transfer of the communications rector, but enrollment was timated at 17.416 last week, and that miber should be very close

district had anticipated, Die-trich said.

"There were no big sur-prises for us, fortunately," she said.
Unofficial count day num-bers show enrollment slight-yun at Pymouth-Canton Surpers of the surpers of the surpers of the surpers of the high schools, slightly down at the middle school level and down at the elementary school level, Dietrich said.

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Canton Chamber President Thomas Paden introduces the 2013 Ambas

### Canton police nab tire-theft suspects

By Darrell Clem

A guick response by Canton police early Friday led to the arrest of two teens accused of stealing four truck tires and rims and a stereo subwoofer from a residence on Wagon Whee Road, near on Wagon Whee Road, near vessel, and the stealing four truck tires and rims and a stereo subwoofer from a residence on Wagon Whee Road, near vessel, and the work of the Wagon was a stealing to the stealing a least stealing a least from neighbors shortly after 3:30 a.m. that suspects had stolen the items and left in a sedan.

Left prometical from the stealing was supported the area on Lelley south of Palmer and questioned the male suspects, including a 17-year-old from Westland and an 18-year-old

from Canton, Baugh said.
They had tires in the vehiclequickly and were able to
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locate the bad quys and lock them up," Baugh said.
One suspect initially told
police he had picked up the
tires from a friend, but it was
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been stolen from Wagon
Wheel, Baugh said.
Moreover, the suspects
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## **AMBASSADOR OF** THE YEAR HONORED



Combining her financial acumen and her commun ty spirit, Kristina Wittner has made a tangible differ-ence in Canton, its business landscape and its char-

(Space and Canton, its business lanus-up-ence in Canton, its business lanus-up-the Year by the Canton Chamber of Commerce during a ceremony Wednesday attended by more than 100 people at Summit on the Park.

"I'm excited about it. I think it's an awesome honor to be chosen," said Wittner, a Canton resident and financial adviser for the Edward Jones office on South Canton Center.

Chamber President Thomas Paden said ambassa-

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## Goodfellows roll out holiday campaign

Struggling Canton families who need help giving gifts to their children this holiday season are facing an Oct. 18 deadline to apply for assistance with Canton Goodfellows. With their campaign of No Child Without a Christmas, Goodfellows

organizers have to start early for their holiday season of helping hun-dreds of Canton families in need. "We're looking at about 200 families and 500 kids this year," Good-fellows President John Spencer said. The Goodfellows or-ganization steps up every

ganization steps up every year to help families needing food and gifts

for children up to age 18.
The group helps families regardless of culture, regardless of culture, and the second of the second o

Canton Public Library.
The packet includes a wish-list form. Applicants must live in Canton, have children living at home and meet income guidelines for families that qualify for assistance through THAW—The Heat and Warmth Fund—sponsored by DTE Energy.

Fund – sponsor DTE Energy. Goodfellows applica-tions must be post-

Canton Newcomers roll out 'Friendzy'

marked by Oct. 18 to give campaign organizers time to fill the holiday need. All information is handled confidentially by the organization and will be shredded after the holiday campaign is complete.

plete.
Applications must be mailed to the post office box located in the application packet. Families who meet the filing dead-

line will be notified by Nov. 1 whether they qual-ify for help. Applications will be analyzed on a first-come, first-served basis. Those chosen for assistance will pick up their pack-ages from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Dec. 14, at the Canton Municipal Build-ing.

#### **HONORED**

dors are the organiza-tion's backbone by mak-ing goodwill visits to its members, welcoming new companies to town and change to create the such as ribbon-cutting ceremonies, after-hours social events, fundrais-ers and coffee gather-ing the companies of the companies of the companies of the companies of the person'who has ex-celled as an ambassa-dor.

wittner said she
views her chamber role
as a way to give back to
Canton.

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Canton.
"It's a way for me to help the community. I love to help others," she said.
Wittner's involvement extends beyond the chamber to include groups such as Chicks 4 Charity and Canton Newcomers and Neighbors.

In her role as a chamber ambassador, witner makes visits to Canton businesses to help them understand how they can benefit and through networking opportunities – by becoming involved in the chamber; and the chamber in its very community-oriented as she is involved with several local community organizations, in Chamber of Commerce, 'Paden said 'Kristina is a tremendous asset to the chamber asset to the chamber of comment of the chamber of commerce, 'Paden said 'Kristina is a tremendous asset to the chamber of th

She was honored Wednesday during a luncheon in which the chamber also named attorney Joe Barone as its Business Person of the Year.

the Year. Wittner and her hus-band Randy have two children: Blake, 26, and Sarah, 21.

#### COUNT

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The annual fall count day is used to reach a blended enrollment figure that determines each school district's total state aid. In the Plymouth-Canton schools, annual state aid is now \$7.559 per student, Dietrich said. The state provides a large majority of the

district's total operating revenue.
Dietrich said the October count is weighted at 90 percent when enrollment for funding purposes is determined, with the annual February count weighted for the other 10 percent.

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Canion Neveroners
and Neighbors Club, a
social and charitable
group that formed 42
years ago to welcome new
residents to the communiyears ago
chair Kristina Wittroip
has expanded to involve
longtime Canton residents
and others from outside
the community.

"Tou can live in Canton
member," she said.
"We've also opened the
member from outside
the community."

The club has made changes as it announces its second installment of Friendzy, which encourages attendees to brief and the control of the cont

Moreover, the club is intended to forge friendships and community ties. Share the enjoyment of all the great things Canton has to offer can really increase the pleasure of irving here; Cab President Noreen Rybar said. Canton Newsomenthly general meetings and hosts interest groups focusing on books, euchre, 'chick filesis,' sreap booking, hunch outings, ladies burno and children's playmore of the control of t

for \$1. A drawing will be held for anyone purchas-ing three paddles. More than 60 items will be up for bids, with at-tendees using quest

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### Hazardous waste collection announced

year's final household hazardous waste collection from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 12, at the Southland Shopping Center, 23000 Eureka Road, in Taylor. This free event is open to Wayne County residents only and is an opportunity to make your home and environment safe by properly disposing of waste that is considered toxic, flam-

mable or corrosive.
Examples of acceptable waste being collected include household paints, stains, dyes, floor
wax, floor care products, wax, floor care products, and an accentical waste (noncontrolled substances only), solvents, nail polish, galroom cleanpers, stain removers, phar maceutical waste (noncontrolled substances only), solvents, nail polish, glue, fertilizer, lawn
pesticides, anti-freeze, motor oil, gasoline, automotive batteries and dry cell batteries, fluores-

cent bulbs, fire extin-guishers, mercury fever thermometers, smoke detectors, computer monitors, printers, scan-ners, mice, keyboards, cell phones, fax ma-chines, copiers and tele-visions.

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Wayne County residents
will be accepted. Items
that will not be accepted include commercial
waste, industrial waste,
radioactive materials,
explosives, ammunition,

shock sensitive materials, household trash. St-gallon drums, refrigerators, microwaves or other appliances, tires, yard waste and concrete. For information on how to dispose of these items, contract the Wayne ery Coordinator at 734–326-3936. For more information on the collection or to bottain at complete list of what will not be accepted, call it is 245-26-300.

### Canton dance center to host college Disney auditions

Walt Disney World is coming to metro Detroit to search for character performers and college students for its college program.
Auditions will be held
at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Oct. 8,
at Central City Dance & Fitness Center, 6700 N. Canton Center Road, in Canton.

Advanced registration is not required. However, auditions start promptly with sign-in required 10:30-11 a.m. Oct. 8. Applicants must be at least 18

years of age and authorized to work in the United States.
All performers will learn a simple movement and dance routine. Please wear comfortable clothing, allowing for a full range of movement. Ad-

ditional directions will be provided at the audition, and audition scores are valid for six months only. For more information, visit www.centralcity-dance.com and click on the Disney auditions icon.







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Reg Pettibone of Livonia, a member of the Ho-Chunk Nation, explains to the children that the "dances are a way of saying thank you to mother Earth." TOM BEAUDOIN





## Parks offer home school programs

The sounds of singing and dancing filled the Nankin Mills Interpretive Center in Westland recently as Livonia resident Reg Petithone and his wife Marca presented a program on Native American culture for home schoolers. Petithone, a member of the Householder, a member of the Householder, and addinged and the Householder, an

» Natural plant dyes on Tuesday, Nov. 19, in which participants will look at the history of plant dyes and try making natural dyes from a couple of

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on Elementary School third-grader Brayden Hook chats with ol namesake George Dodson. Brayden had a poem selected ing the top 10 in a national publication.

## YOUNG DODSON POET HONORED FOR WRITING

A poem written by Brayden Hook, a third-grader at Dod-son Elementary School, was recently selected as one of the 10 best poems in a national poetry writing contest spon-sored by Creative Communica-tions.

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See submitted and then
judged by a Selection process
in three age groups: kindergar
ten through grade 3, grades
46 and grades 7-12. Entries
were received from all across.

She wrote her poem, Summertime, while a second-grade
er in Karen Christensen's class
last year.

Bray was a student

For year age of the second grade
in She my selection from the conwrite on a daily hossis." Christensen said. "She enjoyed

stretching her sentences with pictures que works. The more more excited she would become I was surprised and thrilled to hear that her poem was nationally recognized. This can only mean more work that her poem was nationally recognized. This can only mean more work with the content of writing are in her future. The picture of writing are in her future in a special location in the Brayden also received a \$25 check and her piece was listed with the other winning entries in a special location in the Poets, the yearly publication of Creative Communications. She also received a complimentary copy of the book. Another copy is on display in "I was so surprised and really excited when I got the letter telling me that I won,"

Brayden said. "I love writing poetry and this was my first time to be published as an author. I want to continue the read author. I want to continue the read author. I want to continue the read author. Brayden's dode brother. Brayden's dode brother. Logan, a fourth-grader at Dodson, was also published, along with more than 300 other Dod-recognized as a Poetic. Achievement Honor School for having a large number of entries accepted for publication, deep sparents, were understandably proud. "Her creativity seems to come as a second nature to entry they said. "We are also come as a second nature to with the secon

## Local middle school students 'Fuel Up' to stay healthy

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Joanne Randolph, like nutrition experts around the country, believes a lack of healthy
eating and physical activity is
a huge problem.

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In the 2015 Fuel Up To Play of
Rally for School Health was presented by the Detroit Lions, the Michigan Department of Education, the Michigan
Department of Community
Health, the Michigan Department

The ultimate goal for the
day's event was to inspire
students to adopt healthire
eating and exercise habits in an effort to improve overall
personal health.

"I think it's a great program," said Randolp, who pointed out that Ploneer and Discovery middle schools are taking part this year. You're taking part this year. You're taking part this year. You're healthy and to play at least 60 minutes each day."

Students, teachers, foodservice directors and advisers from 31 Michigan schools returned to their buildings returned to their buildings returned to the recent (2013 Fuel Up To Play 60 Rally for School Health.)

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After breakfast, participants enjoyed some friendly competition with former Detroit Lions player Herman Moore. Then dietitian Jill Jayne fired up the crowd as she "rocked out" to songs about "nature" scandy "frout" of the body (exercise). Jayne also led them through a rap-style cheer. Healthy Is Good for Me.

led them through at a pasys-cheer: Healthy 18 Good for Me.

Throughout the day, attend-ces sampled a variety of new and healthy foods that meet the 2012 Nutrition Standards and the new 2013 Breakfast Standards. At "haltime" (lunch), students woted for their favorites during a "sast cinnamon chips and salsa are great," one student said." I think I could even make them myself."

The schools have to pick a



around dance or walking.
"It's not just getting the kids moving at school, it's trying to teach them it's a lifelong thing they need to do to stay healthy," Randolph said.





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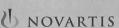
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## Area family looking to raise funds to support foundation they started

By David Veselenak

Having a loved one addicted to drugs is tough for any family But Phil and Dawn Bahr of Livonia took the opportunity to turn the experience into a positive for others.

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ght thing to do.
"It wasn't until two years
teer that this idea struck him,"
awn Bahr said. "Within 24 or
8 hours, he got an email from
meone saying, 'I know your
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ver thought of his, but
eare's really a need for someing like this.
"He felt like God was asking."
He felt like God own the line,
was real confirmation that it



Phil and Dawn Bahr are behind the Ashes to Glory Foundation, which is having a benefit concert in Livonia. BILL BRESLER I STAFE PHOTOGRAPHER

was something he needed to

do."

Now, the family operates the nonprofit foundation and has helped nearly 20 families with financial aid for rehabilitation programs that are long-term and Christian-based. by Tim amazed what has helped profit in the profit of the the profi

away, he said he's never felt closer to his family and is happy to see them wanting to make a difference.
"I would say that my thought throughout the past three years is (I'm) incredibly proud of my family," he said.
"I'm humble God's blessed me with the family He has."

Beenefit concert

One way the Bahrs hope to raise money for the foundation is through a concert scheduled for next weekend. It is co-directed by Scott Bahr, Brannamer of the Covenant Chamber Choir, a Midwest group consisting of members of the Apostolic Christian Church of America.

The concert is scheduled to the Covenant Chamber of the Apostolic Christian Church, located at 29575 Wentworth in Livonia.

The concert is scheduled to the Apostolic Christian Church, located at 29575 Wentworth in Livonia.

The concert is free and will feature a wide range of music, from traditional hymns to the Apostolic Christian Church, Scott Bahr said, "who came out of a woman in our church," Scott Bahr said," who came out of the blue and said, "who came out of the blue and said," wan to raise money for Ashes to Glory

and I want the Covenant Chamber Choir to come help do it."
So that's what really instigated the whole thing, it do mate to the foundation is encouraged to visit its website at ashestoglory foundation.org. A form is available for people looking to apply for help at a Christian-facility.

Scott Bahr said the ability to bring a choir he sheavily involved with back to support a childry. State of the control of t

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### Plymouth Newcomers Mixer

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### Blues @ the Elks Date/Time: Tuesday, Oct. 22,

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Location: Plymouth Elks adge #1780, 41700 Ann Arbor oad in Plymouth
Details: Blues @ The Elks arts this month in cooperan with the Detroit Blues ciety. The event highlights avid Vest on keyboard with



local favorites George Bedard on bass and R.J. Spangler on drums. These are all seasoned professional performers. Do-nation at the door is \$\$5. To learn more about David Vest's extensive entertainment ca-reer, go to his website www.dar-contact. For more informa-tion, call 734-453-1780 or visit www.detroitbuessociety.org or

Location: Plymout Historic Museum, 155 S. Main, Plymouth Carlottis. Take a photographic tour of historically intriguing structures in Plymouth with museum guide Jim Salamay and learn some interesting history of places in town, and the same and the same and an amateur researcher. He is fascinated with the history of structures throughout Plymouth. Having grown up in Canton, he always intrigued by the homes and buildings he saw while cruising Main Street as a teenage Plymouth Candon High School student Salamay's hope is that finds and publishes will motivate others to share and research the history of artory and create further interest in discovering the secrets of the Plymouth Historical Museum.

### Free rock concert Date/Time: Saturday, Oct.

12, 8 p.m.
Location: Plymouth Community Arts Council's Joanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth

concert as part of the PCAC's Saturday Night Concert serie

Delta Kappa Gamma craft show Date/Time: Saturday, Oct. 19, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Location: West Middle School, 4401 Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth.

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hosts its 29th annual craft show, Juried crafters will display handmade jevelry, pormetal sculptures, gournet
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Church, 701 Church in Ply-



#### Halloween sounds

"Resounding Art in a Sacred Space," the concert series of St. John's Episcopal Church, 574.5. Sheldon, in Plymouth, invites the public to attend a Hallowene event for all ages, Pipes Spooktaudi, at 6430 pm. Sunday, Oct. 27. It's an annual Halloween-themed event at the church and features spooky and silly music for organ and other instruments. This year's concert will feature the church Minister of Music Julie Ford, Prest Las Tucker-Gay Woho a Joha so professional signed. Advantion 615 for individuals and \$15 for families is suggested. For more information, call 734-455-0190, ext. 16, or visit the church website at www.stjohnsplymouth.org.

Beck in Canton.

» Saturday, Oct. 19, 7-30 a.m. to 115 pm., Northikide, 10 115 pm., Northikide, 10 115 pm., Northikide, 10 115 pm., Northikide, 10 115 pm., VFW post 6695, 1426 S.

» Mill in Plymouth.
» Monday, Oct. 28, 120-715 pm., VFW post 6695, 1426 S.

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» Strain Church, 10010 W. Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth.
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Date/Time's Sturuday, Oct.
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in Plymouth. The sale will be
part of the Delta Kappa Gam.
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mouth-Canton Branch schol-arship fund. The group is now collecting gently used fiction and non-fiction books, childrer and adults (please no encyclo-pedias, textbooks or damaged

books).

Contact: For more information or to donate books contact
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## Hush: Haunting with a spooky touch

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New 2 and in
Westland, is the brainchild of Bailey,
"I started out in 2008
and did a haunted house
in the garage. I did one
at a campground," said
Bailey, a Garden City
resident, "This year, we
had the space. I decided
to do this six months
ago."

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The space is an unusued warehouse adjoining the family business, Sparks Automotive, which relocated from Garden City in April. "We had the warehouse and we were not using it," said Sparks Automotive owner Gary Bailey, Cody's father." "Cody has wanted to do this for years."

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Pretty intense'
The theme for Hush is a journey through the mind of person being institutionalized in a mental facility.

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ephanie Honaker of New Boston undergoes a little rgery by the Mad Doctor, Joel Spencer of Garden City.



For the recent opening night, Hush hosted a
visit by members of Just
Hearse'N Around, who
showed off their rides.
"I wanted to buy one
(a hearse) as kid, My
mom thought I would
outgrow it," Shirley
Reinhart said. "I bought
my hearse in service. It
went from the cemetery
dropping off a body and
came to me."

Reinhart bought her 1998 Cadillac hearse six years ago; it was the newest model on display at Hush. Inside was a purple coffin – it started out black, but Reinhart sandblasted it and re-painted it. "I take the kids to school in the hearse –

they squeeze in next to the coffin," said Reinhart, a Taylor resident.
A costume and wardtobe person, fenhant raction to get the resident to gether costumes for the Hush performers.
"Some of the costumes were removed to the costumes weren't made by me-some I pulled together. It was a lastminute job," she said, "I spretty good. The rooms are really awesome."

rooms are 1 some." Hush, 34043 Ford west of Radcliff, is open from 7 p.m. to midnight Friday and Saturday, then nightly Oct. 28 through Nov. 2.

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## Blind Walmart associate an inspiration

With the voice of Barry White and the drive of Stevie Wonder, North was the work of the wo

out."
Twice, Walmart has invited him to its stock-holder meetings at the home office to mingle with upper management and tell them why he loves working at the Livo-

nia store. Customers write thank-you notes when he goes out of his way to find a sale item. Managers site his acuity for quality and cleanli-

ordinagers stee its actiony ordinagers stee its action sees.
"Norris has a keen seense of order," said keen brewer, store manager. In the sees of the

watch that speaks the time on command. He takes 3 x 5 cards to make Braille numbers and letters on his telephone, both the cards and the watch purchased from the shelves of the store, and the shelves of the store, and the shelves of the store, and find the status of items customers request. Each day he questions maning job interviews so he can send an applicant to the proper department. Once more, he keeps a list of all the surrounding Walmart stores and on a store and the status of the store and the status of the



Norris Hull has earned Employee times running at the Walmart sto Middlebelt.

Hull said.
Hull was born with congenital cataracts. He has some light and depth perception. The desire to work burned in his soul. With the help of D-DOT's the Dilnd to work and errands, he attended Wayne County Communi-

ty College and went job

Walmart hired him in March 2001 to answer telephones because of his deps, baritone voice and passion for work. "I was determined to be the best telephone operator," he said.

Everyone in the re-

gional Walmart network knows him," said Lori Oaks, assistant manager of the Livonia store. "They told me I was to lucky to get a job at this store because Norris goes of ar beyond his job requirements. People are delighted to talk with him because of his great voice."

because of his great voice." Hull takes the compliments in stride. He comes to work each day his about to work each day his about the pants. He often cooks his meals on the George Foreman grill he bought at Wallmart and plays games on the X-box Weskendis he often socializes with other associates, "I enjoy what I do here. I appreciate the company and its commitment to customer series of the company and its commitment to customer series of the company and its commitment to customer series of the company and the company and



### Colbeck announces identity theft seminar at library

Citing the growing threat of identity theft, state Sen. Patrick Colbeck, R-Canton, has announced a free seminar for area seniors along with the state attorney general's Senior Brigade pro-

attorney generacy gram. Colbeck and Susan Peters, representative from the AG's office, are offering a program to discuss the implications of identity their and how seniors in particular can be vulnerable to the colors of the c

The seminar happens at 6 p.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 16, at the Plymouth
District Library, 223 S. Main St., in
Plymouth.

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Identify theft can be in the form of phone scams, mail order scams and

Internet fraud, among other methods.
"Sadly, identity theft is a growing
concern for everyone, most especially
seniors," Colbeck said. "I hope that our
meeting with local seniors can make
them more aware of the scams that are
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On Thursday mightmsself as he was inducted into the 1835 Livonia City
Hall of Fame for his three decades of work as a community journalist chronicling the history of the city.

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"T believe Bill is one of the greatest photogra-phers that's ever been in this community," said state Sen. Glenn An-derson, who introduced him at the induction cere-mony. His work pre-serves the history of the city in pictures for future generations, Anderson said.

generations, Anderson said.

Bresler was one of seven inductes in the Hall of Fame's Class of 2013. The ceremony was-style Franciscan Center.

Bresler said it seemed "very different" being on the other side of the camera lens. He didn't even bring his work camera to borne in Livonia instead. Over the years, Bresler has photographed every U.S. president since Ronald Reagan except Bill Clinton when except Bill Clinton when the photographed oppoln Paul II in 1984, shaking hands with him right in the middle of Mass.

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ight in the middic or fass.

While the assignments yere exciting, they weren't the most imporant, he said: "To me, it's he day-to-day documentation of life in our ommunity that is the neasure of what we do."

He said if he worked or a large daily paper, he might have an assignent in Livonia every ew years.

ment in Livonia every few years. But working as a com-munity journalist, he's in the city every day. "And that gives me context, which helps me better understand our commu-nity."

He said his assign-



ments range from the sublime to the ridiculous. Just recently, he photographed retiring Sister Mary Modesta Phrowark See, founder of the No Orst Mary Mercy Hospital, as she comforted a hospice patient, followed by a tate tot eating contest in the state of the state

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The Hall of Fame Class of 2013: Joan McCotter, second from left; Bill Bresler; third from left; Richard Dumas, represent Mary Dumas, fourth from right; Janet Welch, third from right; Robert Nash Jr., representing his father Robert Nash, second from right; and Janice Newsome, representing Jahba 195A, far right. Also pictured are Wayne County Commissioner Laura Cox, far left, and Hall of Fame founder Bill Joyner, fourth from left. based manufacturing company that gives back treats its employees as family members. The 1835 Hall of Fame was founded nine years ago by Bill Joyner, a former Wayne County commissioner, to recognite residents, organizative the property of the property of



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## MIDWEST ROUNDUP SENDS **CLOWNS INTO TOWN**

By Beth Jachman

There's an event where no one is going to tell you to quit clowning around.

It is the annual Mid-west Roundup of the Midwest Clown Associa-tion. Where else can you take classes called

rake classes called "Throwing up with Jewls," "Stupid Stuff for Funny People's and "Intermediate Ball syers" and "Intermediate Ball syers and "Intermediat



Downriver, they helped set up educators and dealers for the roundup.

Clowns compete

Competitions help clowns push themselves to be better, Dan Priest said. The Priests entered the makeup competi-tions, which include cheek, full face and cre-ative.

cheek, full face and creative.

He used John Herrmann, 9, of Livonia as a model. Herrmann, who is home schooled, had his entire face painted to look like a wolf. Priest pointed out the contouring and shading done with makeup as well as speckles to make the boy's face look more furry.

boy's face look nors-furry. Her face painted as a witch – green with a wicked mouth – Amy Ansara of Northville also attended the event as a model. "I actually know Dan (Priest). He asked

senonany known as bubbles,
more if he could horrow
me if he could horrow
my face," he sud as she
waired to go in for the
makeup judging.
She runs a business
called AmyZingfacescom, which includes
face painting and prierself inspired at the
roundup. "Everybody is
very friendly and creative," she said.
"I love painting faces—
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Mary Ann Lund of
Miswakee, a retired
radiation therapist who is
also a member of Clowns
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draged me. I know
you'd be a great clown,"
Lund said her friend told
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Corinne Smith of Dryden, entered in makeup
competition, meaning

anything can be used such as head pieces, based as head pieces, ba

#### Clown culture

David "Silly Billy"
Kaye, John "Rusty Bath-water" Winslow, and J.T.
"Bubba" Sykes are well-known and attract people

to come to the convention, Opatich said.
Young people are also involved in the roundup.
Known as Junior Joeys, they learn the art of clowning from many angles, Dan Priest said.
Other classes included "Parade-ability," "Faerie Faces," "Fearsome Faces" and "Towel-gamil."

Not everyone who attends is a clown some undustrial sis a clown some just offer their expertise. John Pullum of Redford taught Towel-gami, the art of twisting towels into out the use of pins or needles. There are places clowns can't do belions such as hospitals, the said. But they offer the common some distributions such as hospitals, the said. But they one "clown" shit tau named Tiana, dressed in

a color fur tifled costume, showed the tricks come a therapy dog. She rolls over and jumps on queue in preparation for visiting nursing homes. Many of the clowns and training the control of the clowns and nursing homes, according to Dan Priest. Belonging to a clown association such as Clowns Around Redford is kind of like the Kwatania Charles of the Clown Line and Clowns around the Clown Hall of Fame this year, said volunteer work was his inspiration. A clown since principle with the community. "Hospital visits are very important to me," he said.

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portion of your estate to your wife. The prenuptial agreement basically sets out the minimum that both parties revent to, but from doing more. I recommend that when you amend your will, put in some that you recognize that there is a prenuptial agreement and that you re not required to leave any. You have chosen to do so, If you put this language in your will, you

If you go back 25 years or so, discussionabout a prenuptial agreement were always regarding a second market as the substantial assets involved. In today's world, that is not the case. In many situations, I recommend prenuptial agreements for first marriages.

In situations where

ments for first mar-riages. In situations where one person may have ownership or be involved in a family business, or stantial assets involved, a prenuptial agreement can be extremely valu-able in case the marriage doesn't work. In second marriages where people may have

children from the first marriage, a prenuptial agreement can also be valuable in protecting the children of the first marriage that alto of people are opposed to of people are opposed to prenuptial agreements. Their argument is that you get married for love agreement complicates agreement complicates agreement complicates when the situation. I agree that people should get married because they love each other and they should take their wow all know the reality is that not all marriages work. A prenuptial agreement sets forth the terms of an agreement if the marriage does not work and makes any breakup

easier on both parties.

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even worse. Good luck.

### Mom's pain eased by volunteering at drug rehab

Jacqueline Dobos docsn't believe in coincidences, so when a series of events related to a proposed substance happened, she believed she was being nudged by a believed she was being nudged by a believed she was being nudged by a period, or maybe her 32-year-old son, who died from a heroin overdose a manual principal she was being held at a farm next befrag the light of the series of the principal she was being held at a farm next befrag the light of the series of the series

for drug abusers during her son's 12-year strug-gle.

EVEN CDS foundation is trug to raise \$50,000 to build a transition centre for eight 10 feets recovering from substance abuse on the 37-acre farm in 1-you Town-stance abuse on the 37-acre farm in 1-you Town-stance abuse on the 37-acre farm in 1-you Town-acre for her August birthday, Dobson suggested a domainton to the facility, too, but she wanted to domer. CDS Foundation hopes to open the transition house within two for the support of the support of



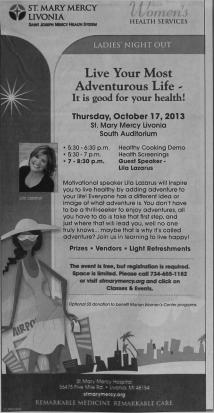
"He went to Central (Michigan University) and his second year someone introduced him to cocaine," Dobson said, adding that the episode seemed to mark the be-ginning of his battle with drugs.

drugs.
Another traumatic
milestone for Jared, she
said, was when he was 13
and his brother died
from complications of
muscular dystrophy.

Jared fought his addiction for years and went from "countless" rehabilitation facilities and from one drug abuse program to another. For more information, go to cdafoundation.net. Tax-deductible donations can be sent to CDS Foundation, 3900 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150. Call Lauvel Manor at 734-462/70 for more information.

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## Chiefs outpace 'Cats in division tilt

Dombkowski adds thrilling end to 400 freestyle relay

By Tim Smith

Canton defeated Plymouth 110-76 Thursday night in a KLAA South Division varsity girls swimming and diving meet at Salem High School.
But to anybody witnessing the end of the meet, it such the the control of the contr

any louder than it was when the Wildcats were rallying from behind to win the 400 freestyle relay while Plymouth teammates screamed from one end of the pool. The screamed from one end of the pool. The scream of the pool of

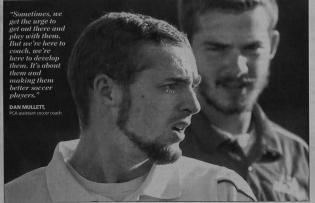
"They have great swimmer that they'll watch swim at con ference meet and state meet, they'll do big things," Weber swimmers

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Canton and Plymouth swimmers begin a race during Thursday's du meet at Salem. JOHN KEMSKI | EXPRESS PHOTO

BOYS SOCCER



iscussing in-game strategy recently are Plymouth Christian Academy boys soccer coaches Josh Mid oth played for the Eagles and graduated in 2012. But appears I stage Busynoga and

## ADING PLACE

Former PCA soccer players making smooth transition to coaching

By Tim Smith

On the surface, the idea of throwing two guys only a year removed from high school into varisty coaching positions seems like a recipe for disaster. First of all, how can players accept them as authority figures? What reaction would parents have at a pair of 19-year-olds at the helm? Well, it's good news all around at Plymouth Christian Academy, because 2012 grads Josh Middleton and Dan Mullert have slienced any potential cortices with their first go-around as

coaches for the Eagles' varsity boys soccer team. "It was a little rough at first, obviously with the age it was a little bumpy at first," admitted Middleton, who has top billing on the coaching staff although he clearly shares duties with think they (parents) have kind of dove in all the way with us. Seeing the results we've had so far, they're on board with us now."

As for the players, Middleton continued, "they've been very, very respectful. We had to make sure we weren't to much on a friend-to-friend

basis at first. But honestly, there's been no resentment, no hesitance to listening to us."

It didn't hurt that Middleton was a co-captain during his playing days at PCA, or that he and Mullett both played defense and center-mid at points during their prep careers.

Transitions
According to Mullett, an assistant coach, the transition from player to coach has been pretty smooth. But he conceded times where he wondered

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PREP FOOTBALL

### Chiefs roll to sixth win

Franklin falls 56-7 after just three quarters

By Tim Smith

Canton's explosive, big-play offere riddled Livonia Frankseven rushing touchdowns of at least 40 yards.

The Chief's scored almost at will in a 56-7 KLAA South Division football victory that will in a 56-7 KLAA South Division football victory that will in a 56-7 KLAA South Division football victory that will be wil

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PREP BASEBALL

### Embracing the chance of a lifetime

Plymouth's new baseball coach can't wait to lead, inspire

By Tim Smith

For years, Jason Crain thought about how great it would be to coach varsity ball at Plymouth-Canton Edu cational Park.

The time has come for Crain, recently named head coach of the Plymouth Wild-

cats and pumped up to help the program turn the page from last season's rocky chapter. He'll steer the ship with a steady hand, "We're going to play good defense and pitch well, ... and develop timely hitting, where toos," Crain said, "Tim not a yelling coach. I'm someone who preaches (that) we coach like crazy during the week and

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THE CRAIN FILE

Lansing.

Family: The Crains live in Northville. The couple has four chi
12; twins Ben and Luke, 9; and 3-year-old Andrew.

Once a varsity baseball player at Canton, Jason Crain is on deck to coach the Plymouth Wildcats.





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Plymouth's Megan Sullivan keeps pace with opponents in the fifth. JOHN KEMSKI | EXPRESS PHOTO



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compete," Schade said. "I wasn't surprised to see they did that. They have a lot of spirit and even though we were getting beat by 40 or 50 points, they're still going to take pride in what they do. "They're going to finish the race the right way, so they did that."

#### In control early

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Dual meet records; Salem (1-1-1 overall, 0-1-1 KLAA Central), South Lyon (0-1-1 overall, 0-1-1 KLAA Central).

"We had great swims in the 100 butterfly with Osika's 1:04 and Jenkins 1:04," Weber said. In the 100 free, the Chiefs finished in the top three places with Madi-son (57.37) followed by Courtney Smith (59.78) and Goodwin (1:00.50).

# Her best time Dombkowski coasted to the victory in the 500 free, with her time of So7.01 well ahead of Canton's Claire Green (5:21.85). Farls was victorious

(3:21:85).
Earls was victorious in the 100 backstroke, with her time of 1:02.64 eclips-ing that of Canton's

Meier (1.05.44), who just missed a state cut. Meier (1.05.44), who just missed a state cut. The control of the

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## Whalers' road woes continue

The Plymouth Wial-ers wrapped up a tough with a 5-2 loss at Saginaw to fall to 2-5-0 on the young Ontario Hockey League season. Plymouth entered the thanks to a goal at 19-24 of the second period by Ryan Hartman from Zach Lorentz and Matt Mistele Earlier in the learning the second period by Hartman. It was all Saginaw in the third period, howev-The Spirit (3-40-0)

er.
The Spirit (3-4-0-0)
needed just 1:16 to knot
the game up at 2-2, when
Sean Callaghan scored on

Plymouth goalie Alex Nedeljkovic (32 saves). Saginaw then scored two more goals before the midway point of the period, by Nathan Glass and Terry Trafford. Adding an empty net-ter was Justin Kea. Making 27 saves (and Deroit Red Wings pros-pect) Jake Paterson.



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## Salem wins 1-0 to clinch KLAA Central

A rainstorm Friday night forced Salem and host South Lyon to move to nearby Wix-om, in order to complete an all-important RLAA Central Division boys soccer matchup. The Rocks ultimately won 1-0 to clinch the division in a contest that was played at two venues.

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Salem led 1-0 on an early penalty shot goal by Connor Cole when storms interrupted the game with nearly five min-

utes left before halftime.

"We needed to at least get five more minutes in and obviously moving to Wixon blowd us to play the rest of it." Sales less of the sales of the sal

ton.
With the victory secured,
the Rocks (10-1-5, 7-1-2) will
face Canton at Plymouth-Canton Educational Park.

Chiefs undefeated
Canton's 8-0 victory Thursday over Wayne Memorial
ensured the Chiefs of a perfect
record in the KLAA South
Division (10-0).

Following Saturday's cross over matchup against Salem,

the Chiefs (15-0-2 overall) will play at Plymouth-Canton Edu-cational Park at 7 p.m. Monday in the Kensington Conference championship match—frin Bailey Reigel at the Topical with single markers by Zach Homco, Aiden Shennan, Hunt-er Olsen and Mathew Causley. Tallying three assists was sists by Keigel, Homco, Shennan, Jason Ren and Andrew

Murphy.
Dividing the shutout were
coalkeepers Andrew Loehnis

Dividing the sausorians of the goalkeepers Andrew Loehnis and Jay Krebs. ROFFRR 3, PCA 2: On Tuesday, Plymouth Christian Academy dropped a 3-2 decision to Birmingham Roeper. Scornig for the Eagles were freshman Brian Schlientz (finishing off a feed from junior Isaac Middleton) and junior Lucas Albrecht, on a free kick with just three minutes left.

GIRLS GOLF

## Rocks peaking at right time

Salem wins three of four with big tournaments looming

By Tim Smith

By Tim Smith Sash Veen the smoothest of seasons for Ryan Nimmerguth and Salem's varsity girls golf team. But the Rocks' coach and his golf-ters finally could be out of the proven but rough at the best possible time. But the Rocks' coach and his golf-tens finally could be out of the proven when the season to Rocks' coach and hanguet Center in Plymouth "We have won three of our last four matches and it is good to be playing our best golf at the end of which was to be season to Rocks' and the Sastans. "Hopefully, we can carry that on to the KIAA') association tournament on Thesday. KIAA South Division co-leaders Canton and Plymouth—will be among the teams competing at Edgewood Country Club in Commerce Township. The tournament is scheduled to get start-centre of the Rocks' and th



Flynn (season low round of 42), Amanda Bennett (career low round of 43) and Christine Li (44). Round-ing out the Salem scorecard were Keista Elder and Darby Scott, who tallied scores of 47 and 50, respec-

After losing for the first time this season Tuesday against Novi, the Canton varsity girls golf team rebounded nicely with Thursday's 155-188 triumph over South Lyon East in a KLAA crossover.

For 7-1 Canton, medalist honors went to Alyee Krumm. She registers of the Forest Market State of the Forest Market State of the Market State of th

Chiefs while Megan Meredith shot a Meredith shot and the American State of the American State of the Meredith shot and t

Plymouth victorious
Led by Sydney Murphy (40), Katie
Chipman (41) and Kayla Whatley
(42), the Plymouth varsity girls golf
team defeated Livonia Stevenson
171-184 Tuesday in a KLAA conference crossover.

PREP FOOTBALL

### **Plymouth** ground attack routs Wayne

The Plymouth Wildcats methodically and convincingly beat Wayne Memorial 416, in a Friday night matchup of KLAA South Division Gorbal teams. Plymouth (5.4 overall, 3-1 in the KLAA South) came out right off the hop and scored on Cameron Stella's 3-yard run just 122 into the contest. That set the tone for 27-point outburst in the first quarter. It was 34-6 at halftime and the Wildcats upped the lead of 1-6 early in the third on Stella's third TD of the night (on a 66-yard run).

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Sella and Anthony Kenney ripped the Sebras' defensive line to shread, gaining from the sell of th



Coach Josh Middleton talks to Plymouth Christian players during a recent contest. BILL BRESLER I STAFE PHOTOGRAPHER

#### COACHES

whether he should be out on the pitch.

whether he should be out on the pitch.

Sometimes, we get the "Sometimes, we get the "Sometimes, we get the "Sometimes, we get the "Sometimes and play with them." Mullert said. "But we're here to coach, we're here to develop them. It's about them and making them better soccer players.

"I see a lot of potential. I are until the potential is puint for ward Lucas Albrecht, who has been an offensive force this season an offensive force this season an offensive force this season and fensive force this season and fensive force this season and fensive force this season. Albrecht who have a dependent Athletics Conference.

"At first I didn't know," Albrecht said. "But now, since we played with them we have a dunt must be season and they we've seen them grow in these past couple years. It's only played with them, and they're really great coaches." In very happy that they ended up being our coaches."

nappy that they ended up bein our coaches." Middleton as tepped in to succeed the 2012 coach, Daryl Beggs. It helped Middleton get an inside track on the position that he was a PCA assistant on Beggs' staff. Probably the biggest chal-

lenge has been managing to juggle college responsibilities with the coaching gig. Middleton, a Westland resident, is attending Eastern Michigan University, Mullett is a student attending Eastern Michigan University, Mullett is a student at "Dan does a lot of drills in practice for me," Middleton explained. "He does a lot of setting up and running a lot of those drills. And then Patrick took of the patrick coach, comes in (and) brings a lot of experience from his background." King formerly coached soccer at Wheaton University of the things and the patrick of the coach, coached the patrick of the the p

serve squad.

Strong foundation
Meanwhile, both rookie
coaches are excited about what
the Eagles might be able to
Their team has been in just
about every contest so far,
sporting an overall record of
4-73 and 17-2 in the MIAC.
This team, talent-wise,
soccer of any PCA team that
I've ever been a part of, 'said
Middleton, who along with
Mullett played on a squad that
reached the Division 4 regional
fands. We've had some really
good individual players over
the years.

But as a team, they possess

"But as a team, they posses the ball, they build the ball up the field so much better than any PCA team I've seen." Regardless of whether this ond half with a running

year's team can make an im-pact in the state tournament both are optimistic that PCA soccer is now on firm footing

year's team can make an impact in the state tournament, both are optimistic that Poten moving forward.

"I definitely want to lay that foundation," Middleton emphasized." I definitely want to lay that foundation," Middleton emphasized." I don't know exactly what my future's going to lake graduate. It really depends where my future jo takes me. "But it's about laying a foundation of expectations that are known, and a certain style of Poten and the state of the state of

#### CHIEFS

Continued from Page B1
and Junior Jake Pagel, who
picked off a pass by Franklin
final minute of the first half
and returned it 40 yards for
the touckdown.
They did a really good job.
They had a couple of
different blocking schemes
that kind of surprised us a
little bit."
In the first half, Canton
scored on six of eight offenscored on six of eight offensored on six of eight offenyards on the ground.
"Those backs are pretty
strong runners," Kelbert said

about Canton's triple-back set of Turfe, Price and Winning-ban. "We didn't execute and halftime. "Out the kids at halftime. "Canton executed perfectly and we didn't We missed tack-les, missed blocking assign-ments. We just did a lot of things wrong and a lot of that was due to them being so good up front."

Night to forget
It was a night to forget for
Franklin (3-3, 2-2), although
the Patriots did manage to get
on the board midway through
the second quarter — after
Canton already had a 28-0
edge.

edge.
Canton received great field position at Franklin's 20 after the Patriots fumbled a kickoff, subsequently recovered by Nick Durocher for the Chiefs.

On the next snap, however, Canton junior quarterback Greg Williams made what control to the contest. He hoisted a pass on first down that Franklins Charles Ketth packed off near the 10-yard line. Ketth nearly went coast-to-coast, galloping 56 yards before being throun down by a fore being throun down by a fore being throun down by a first on the play. The Parties followed up three plays later, with Riley finding Dan Huber in the left flat for a 13-yard scoring strike with 4.28 remaining in the half with 4.28 remaining in the half with 4.28 remaining in the half. The parties of the play of o

second half with a running clock.
The only scoring in the abbreviated second half was on yet another Turfe run, just like his previous ones. He got up to the line of scrimmage, patiently waited for a seam to develop and hit it with authority.

ity.
Although the game really never was in doubt, Turfe said it was good for the Chiefs to take to heart pregame messages from Canton's coaching staff.

"Coach Baechler said even though we're 5-0, we were still making too many mistakes coming into this game," Turfe said.

said.
"He said 5-0 does not matter. He said we win this game
we get the playoffs and it all
starts up front. The offensive
line did unreal today."

Conversely, Kelbert will have to regroup his team for the final three games of the stand three games to the stand three games and bearing those gays and being one games to game and bearing those gays and being one "Even though we didn't reach our goal it's not the end of the season. We still got three more games to play, we got a lot to accomplish for the Past There was little for the Order to the stand three games to go the stand three games games

PREP VOLLEYRALI

## Rocks can't maintain quick start

After Salem battled host Northville tooth and nail the first two sets Thursday, the Rocks faltered to lose in four. The Rocks lost 19-25 in the opener, despite playing well, Salem varsity girts volleyshall coach Amanda Nies said. In the second set, Salem prevailed second set, Salem prevailed second set, Salem prevailed subsequent sets. "We started out strong to start, then we kind of fizzled out of momentum," Nies said. "We started having trouble on server recreive and made a lot of unformed errors. "It's still a work in progress, but taking a game from a good Northville team shows we are capable." Tess Ganick contributed 10. Tess Ganick contributed 10.

capable."
Tess Ganich contributed 10 kills and six digs for the Rocks

(1-5 in the KLAA Central) with Michelle Dierker (seven kills), Nicole Jablonski (15 assists) and Nikki Manser (12 digs) all chipping in.

Canton wins again
On Thursday, KIAA South
Division leader Canton (20-51,
7-0) posted a 25-13, 25-22, 25-15
victory at Livonia Franklin
(7-81, 2-5).
"We played pretty good
tonight, but Canton is a good
team, very solid," Franklin
first-year coach Desiree Betts
said.

PCA falls short
Visiting Plymouth Christian
Academy dropped a hardfought, four-set MIAC girls
volleyball match to Rochester
Hills Lutheran Northwest on

Tuesday night.
PCA took the opening set,
28-26, but then fell short 14-25,
18-25, 23-25.
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The present night in the setting department with 30 assists.

Blazers triumph
Kayla March racked up 14
kills Thursday to power host
Livonia Ladywood (16-10-3, 1-2)
to a Catholic League Central
Division win over Warren Regina.

The Blazers also received solid efforts from Izzy Porada (eight kills, four aces); Tess Laurentius (27 digs); and Hayley Moores (five aces).

ley Moores (five aces).

Warriors dumped
In a MIAC Blue Division
match Thursday, host Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest
relided to a 2818, 2517, 25-8
triumph over Lutheran High
Westland (6112, 20-24) in
high Litheran Westland (612, 20-24) in
hight, "Lutheran Westland
coach Kevin Wade said. "It was
a very disappointing effort.
Hopferfully we regroup and are
ready to give it another go next
action." In the said of the said

loss. Leah Refenes contributed

nine kills.

Hawks grounded

On Thursday, host Ann ArOn Thursday, host Ann ArOn Thursday, host Ann ArHawks grounded and ArHawks and ArHawks and ArHawks and Huron Valley
Lutheran (127–33, 42).
Leaders the Hawks included
aces, 10 digs); Leat Medinas
(15-kills, 12 digs), and Anne St.
John (30 assist). The garls played well tonight overall. If VIL coach
to the title lapses in these
tight matches and I believe we will come out on top. But I can
see they are learning to win,
which always seems to be a
process."

PREP FIELD HOCKEY

## Blazers earn win against Saline

Livonia Ladywood field hockey is back on the radar screen following a 2-0 victory. Wednesday at home over Saline. The Blazers, who improved to 4-2 overall and 1-1-5 in the trivitoria senior Erin Badge with both assists going to junior Christina Meyer.

Ladwoods

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Ladywood's defense
sparkled as sophomore
goalie Madelyn Haas did
not face a shot to record
the shutout.

Hannah Krus made

six saves for the Hornets (14,1-4). Lady-wood fell to unbeaten Ann Arbor Huron, 3-1, as Mariel Ward led the River Rats with a pair of goals. River Rats with a pair of goals and a contributed a goal for Huron, which improved to 8-0-1 overall and 4-0-1 in the division. Junior Emma Smalley tallied the lone goal to the state of the Blazers, while Haas made one save. On Sept. 26, host Ladywood earned a 1-1

draw with the Washte-naw Whippets as Snyder tallied the lone goal for the Blazers, assisted by Meyer. Haas came up with five saves in the dead-lock

lock.
The Whippets (5-1-2,
4-1-2) got a goal from
Tiffany Valencia, while
goalie Hannah Moore
did not have to make a

save.
Ladywood will face
Marian in the Catholic
League semifinals at
3:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 11,
at the Madonna University turf field.

### Canton leads KLAA South after win over Churchill

Taking the top four spots in the process. Canton's varsity girls cross of the process. Canton's varsity girls cross of the process of the pro

Not too far behind Cotham were teammates Anna Gorzalski (second, 20-44), Olivia McIntee (third, 20-48) and Jessica Siegler (fourth, 21:21). Rounding out Canton's lineup were Samantha McGrath (seventh, 21:53), Alyssa Bradley (10th, 2:209) and Samantha Rohrbach (13th, 22:31). "This was a nice per-formance, the girls really

#### THE WEEK AHEAD

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GRISS FIELD HOCKEY
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# Jason Crain takes a healthy cut at a pitch during an adult softball travel game. Whether baseball or softball, the new Plymouth baseball coach has been around the ball diamond. happened in the past, I wasn't there, nor do I really know anyone in volved, he said. But I'm just tooking for a clean state where said. But I'm just tooking for a clean state where said. But I'm just tooking for a clean state where said. But I'm just tooking for a clean said. Said with the said where said. But I'm just I'm j

connue trom rage is we play in our games and you're not going to make a drastic change in some young man's baseball career by screaming at him in a game. So we're going to So we're going to So we're going to the right way, and I'm confident that will add up to a bunch of We and that will also give the guys agod base to grow up. For Crain, 40, a North-ville resident and owner

good base to grow up with." For Crain, 40, a North-ville resident and owner of Pritchard Wilson Heat-ing and Cooling, the chance of a lifetime comes across the Park from Canton High School —where he played varsi-ty baseball for coaching legend Fred Crissey.

ty baseball for coaching legend Fred Crissey.

Worth the wait
The wiry middle in-fielder graduated in 1991 and met his future wife (1992 grad Melissa King) and met his future wife (1992 grad Melissa King) at Canton.

Carton High School, as she has known forever that this is what I wanted to do. "Crain said." I've been kind of sitting back waiting for one of the up at the Park.

"Salem's was pretty rock solid and has been for a while and Canton, even for a while for a while and canton, even for a while for a while for a while for the canton in which former coach Bryan Boyd stepped down and his interim successor (kilke George joyde In other for the work of the work o

man travel game. Whether an around the ball diamond. Meanwhile, Crain said be is really energized about having the opportunity to return to prep basebal circles after a circuitous route. After graduating from Canton, he decided to go to Alma College and—of "At that time in my life, I was a smaller, smaller kid. I had lots of hand-eye quickness," in the control of the control of

getting the irch to return to competition as player.

He joined a USSA travel softball program that the prog

Pay it forward

According to Crain, he recently met with Pymouth baseball parter with Pymouth baseball parter with Pymouth baseball parter with Pymouth baseball parter with Pymouth P

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The club of CABN ), the spensoring organization of a trip I recently took, was to bring clean water and other aid to Zambian villagers while also introducing them to the "living water" of the gospel. A group water" of the gospel. A group water of the program water of the gospel. A group water of



the virus. More than 800,000 children in the country have lost one or both parents because of this dreaded disease. The official language is English, although the 72 ethnic groups speak their own languages and dialects. Most of the rural population are substence farmers.

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#### **Bible stories**

The curriculum we used in Zambia begins by introducing water as a key element found in many stories in the Bible, from Noah's ark to the woman at the well. It explains that water is more necessary to our existence than any other substance. However, water can

become contaminated with germs and bacteria harmful to humans, as was the case in most of the villages we visited on day trips in southern Zambia from our base in Lusaka. The WASH lesson I was assigned to teach dealt with diarrhea and oral re-hydration. Using a plastic bottle with a small hole near the bottom, I

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illustrated that our bodies are composed of about 60 percent water. I poured clean water into the bottle and then added coffee — representing dirty water from rivers, ponds or hand-dug wells. By releasing a stream of the darkened water. I demonstrated that drinking



### Dishwasher truly a hot subject

y last column hit the streets on the second and, within 24 hours. I had more than 60 requests from readers for the Tang prescription on how to clean a dishwasher. This shows a big come with the street of the stre

On this matter with Pete Quinn, my son Mark insisted



that I tell our readers about his many service calls regarding dishwashers. He said that he goes out on many service calls where the problem is every carried to the problem is every considerable to the problem is every considerable to the problem is every carried to the problem in the dishwasher. I've written articles in the row of the problem is every carried to the problem in the dishwasher. I've written articles in the pump assembly such as wire twisten or part and the pump assembly such as wire twisten or part and the pump assembly with a surface that the pump assembly with a surface that the pump assembly with a surface that the pump as the pump

Linda: "Hoping your Tang recipe will help me out with

my brand new to a dishwasher. I probably use a dishwasher new or wide a year. I had saturday cleaning sometime afterward and noticed a smell. Couldn't figure out where it was coming from and washer and there was water sitting in it! We found the problem and after draining it and cleaning it out, I have run as done the saturday of th

soda in it also. Need your advice!"
Reply: A dishwasher has to have a little water in the bot-have a little water in the bot-on the motor from drying out, so run it more often or if go-ing on vacation, pour a quart of water into the bottom. If that seal should shrink up, you the shaft and into the motor. For those who are interested in what detergent I use in our dishwasher, it is found at Gordon Foods. It is clascade in what detergent I use in way, the Tang recipie is always available to our readers. Just drop me an email and I will gladly send it to you.

Joe Gagnon can be heard at 8 a.m. each Saturdays on WAAM-AM (1600). You can email your problems and questions on appliances to applid @twmi.rr.com.

### Luncheon honors broadcast anchor, network president

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#### Take a photographic tour of Plymouth's historic structures

Jim Salamay, a volunteer at the Plymouth Historical Mu-seum, will lead a photographic tour of historically intriguing structures in Pymouth, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 10, at the museum, 15S. S. Main, one block north of downtown Ply-mouth, and a mandeur re-searcher, began taking photos of historical buildings in down-town Plymouth a few years ago after reading Pymouth's First Century, a book by Liz Ker-

stens, museum director. He researched the history behind each building he photographed and posted his findings on Facebook. The venture evolved into the creation of the web page PlymouthMDiscovers historical discoveries will motivate others to share and research the history of Plymouth.

mouth.

His talk is free. For more information, call 734-455-8940.

### Art clubs offering weekend festival

Members of Three Cities Art Club and the Garden City Fine Arts Association will exhibit their works Oct. 18-20 at Westland Shopping Center, 55000 Warren Road, Westland. The Rotary Club of West-land is sponsor of the "Festi-val of the Arts," which will be course, outside Macy's. Guest judges of the fine art include Dick Isham, president of the Rotary Club of West-land; Carol Rutz, general man-ager of Westland Mall; Gar-den City Mayor Randy Walk-

er; Westland Mayor William Wild; and Michigan Senator Glenn Anderson. Each will select their favorite work from more than 100 pieces of art. Their selections will be made public at 1 p.m. Sat-urday, Oct. 19. Other weekend events include:

include:

» Free art classes Friday afternoon

» Free face painting for kids on Friday and Saturday

» Marilyn Meredith of Three Cities Art Club will conduct an adult drawing

workshop at 2 p.m. Friday and Sunday.

a Sharon Lee Dillenbeck will offer a class at 4 p.m. Sunday for kids.

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Our team distributed five-gallon plastic pails into which we had affixed the gravity-fed water filters. We demonstrated the filters by adding dirt to the water, letting the sediment settle, and then drinking the safe, pure water. At several villages we also distributed Care Packs, containing a va-

riety of school supplies. We gave out hygiene kits consisting of clean towels, soap, tooth brushes, and other items to mothers. All of these items were contributed by people from the U.S. and shipped to Lusaka prior to our arrival. At the last village we also showed a film about Jesus, which had been translated into

the local dialect.
Our village visits were designed to help empower individuals to take care of their physical needs through clean water and good sanitation practices, but also to share the "living water" of the Bible.

Jay Young is a Canton

#### **CLASS REUNIONS**

#### **FERNDALE HIGH SCHOOL**

A 40-year reunion is set from 7 p.m. to midnight Friday, Nov. 29, at the froquois Club, 43248 N. Woodward Ave, Bloomfield Hills. Call 248-451-9535. Tuckets are 575 resiale only, Includes dinner, dancing, good times. Get tickets from www.73th400-reunion manager.com. Join the reunion Facebook page at www.facebook.com/groups503456823023714. Reunion contact is Sande Easterwood Rouke.

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High School Class of '63.

### LADYWOOD CLASS OF 1983

A reunion is set for 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, at Station 885 in Plymouth. Cost is \$30 per person. Spouses may attend. For more information call Claudia (Kuras) Garcia at 313-561-2139.

LIVONIA BENTLEY
CLASS OF 1966
A birthday reunion will be held friday, Oct. 11, at the Marriott,
17100 N. Laurel Park Drive, Livonia. Check-in and cash bar at 6
p.m., buffet dinner at 7 p.m., followed by dancing and DJ. Cost is
85 per person. Call Kathly Sidnon Shinn at 810:22-27534.

### REDFORD THURSTON ALL '80S REUNION

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The reunion may 7 pm to 1 am. Nov. 30, at Greaktown Hetel
and Catino Hotel Balletown in Detroit. It will Include exception
style appetizer, desserts, late-injoit ruize and entertainment.
Tickets are \$70 each in October, \$30 each in November. Cortact
Hetel Saunders a Heteliori325@mail. Com or Dan Phillips
ileja-422@comcast.net. Or search for 2013 Thurston: All "80s Reunion Plus or Minus on Facebook."

#### REDFORD UNION

CLASS OF 1963
A 50th class reunion is set for Oct. 19. Contact Jamie (5)
Fraley at fraleymj66@yahoo.com.

### ST. LADISLAUS CLASS OF 1973

A 40th reunion is set for Oct. 26 in Warren. Contact Chuck Maiorana at 248-705-5206 or charleym4@sbcglobal.net for more

### WESTLAND JOHN GLENN HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 1983

From 6 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Oct. 26, at Burton Manor BanquetCenter, Livonia, 375 per person or 5140 per couple. The prictudes a strolling dinner and open bar with DJ. Make checks payable to Brian Baker, JGHS Class of 183 Reunion and send to P.O. 80x 0876, Wayne, MI 48184. Email Linda Harbison at 10x1 1983 80mm31 cm.

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Donald Mey marked his 90th birthday Sat-urday, Sept. 28. He was born Sept. 28, 1923 in Sylvania, Ohio, to Margaret and Her-bert Mey. Mey, a former West-land resident, now living

in Dunedin, Fla., served in the Navy in World War II. He married La-Donna Roome in 1948 in Toledo, Ohio, and worked for the C&O Railroad in Ohio and Michigan. His children are Anita Kemsley of Livo-nia, David Mey of

BIRTHDAY

Brighton and Lynn Mey of Dunedin, Fla. He's the proud grandfather of Bryan, Nicholas, Adam, Alexa, Michael and Katie. He also has two great-grandchildren, Harrison and Henrick. A 90th celebration was held on his birthday with family and friends.

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#### Knights of Columbus

The event will include arts and crafts items and flea market goods, such as furniture, household and vintage wares, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 26, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, Livonia. Proceeds from vendor table of Columbus Hall, 19801 Formation and Livonia. Proceeds from vendor table of Columbus Hall Columbu

Seeking crafters

Send craft show inform Sharon Dargay at sdar-

## Open Arms Church The church seeks vendors and crafters for its craft show, 10 a.m. 4 p.m. Nov. 23, at 33015 W. Seven Mile, Livonia. Table rental is \$25. Call Ginger at 734-455-6496 for more information.

#### **CRAFT SHOWS**

Delta Kappa Gamma Delta Kappa Gamma is an international society of women

Send material for the Garden & Nature Calendar to Sharon Dargay, Observer & Eccentric, sdargay@hometownlife.com

### Farmington Garden Club

### Friends of the

Experience of paddlers can tour the Rouge Oct. 12. Heavner Cance Rental is partnering with Friends to offer the trip that follows the Lower Franch within part of Rouge-A-Palooza, a river celebration that will take place in Waynes Goudy Park. To sign up for the Oct 12 paddle, contact Friends of the Rouge at 313-792-9021 or enal to specified with the part of Rouge at 131-792-9021 or enal to specified with the partners of the Rouge at 313-792-9021 or enal to specified with the partners of the Rouge at 313-792-9021 or enal to specified with the partners of the Rouge at 313-792-9021 or enal to specified with the partners of the Rouge at 313-792-9021 or enal to specified with the Rouge at 31

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#### **English Gardens**

» The store's Halloween party for kids is 11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 26. It's free. Youngsters of

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### **RELIGION CALENDAR**

## OCTOBER ANNIVERSARY MASS Time/Date: 11 a.m. Sunday, Oct 13

Location: Our Lady of Loretto Catholic Church, 17116 Olympia Redford

### BLOOD DRIVE

Fime/Date: 1-7 p.m. Oct. 14 Location: K of C Council Mo nan Hall, 19801 Farmington Road, Livonia

Contact: Dan at 734-591-3237
CONCERT

ne/Date: 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct.

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Location: St. John Lutheran
Church, 2325 Gill Road between Grand River and Freedom
Road, Farmingston CopDetails: The Birmingham Copconcert series. The band will
present "A Musical Passport,"
under the direction of Jason
Rose. Admission is free. A freewill offering will be collected
Contact: The Rev. Lauren KinhCarr at 248-74-75-958; pastorlic@gmail.com
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FILM
Time/Date: 7:30-9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 10
Location: Universalist Unitarian Church of Farmington, 25301
Halsted, Farmington Hills
Details: The documentary film,
"Two Who Dared," screens; \$5
departies. Contact: 248-478-7272 LIVING ROSARY

Location: St. Michael the Arch angel Church, 11441 Hubbard, Livenia Details:Candlelit recitation of Contact: 734-261-1455 MASS OF ANOINTING

Location: St. Michael the Arch angel Church, 11441 Hubbard, Livonia

POMEGRANATE GUILD

Park. Details: The group, which studies and creates Judaic nee-dlework, will prepare a Purim table display and finish Hanuk kah runners

Contact: Judy Galperin at 248-661-5337 QUILT SEWING BLITZ

Time/Date: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m Saturday, Oct. 12 Location: Timothy Church, Wayne Road, at Joy, in Livo Details: Quilts will be cons ed for Lutheran World Relia Contact: 734-427-2290; we mothylutheranchurch.com ROSARY RALLY to 1 p.m. Oct

Location: Madonna University, located at Levan and I-96, in

Contact: 734-591-0360 RUMMAGE SALE

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TimeDate 9 am. to 5 pm.
Friday, Oct. 11 and 9 am. to
noon, Saturday, Oct. 12
Location: Prince of Peace
Lutheran church, 28000 New
Market Road, Farmington Hilb
Details: 33 and 56 bag sale on
Saturday, Clothing and baked
goods, small appliances, furniture, books, linens, bedding,
dishes and other household
goods Contact: 248-553-3380 RUMMAGE SALE

ime/Date: 11 a.m. to 7 p.m., uesday, Oct. 15 and 9 a.m. to 5 .m. Wednesday, Oct. 16 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 16

Location: First United Methodist Church, 4520 IN. Territorial,
west of Sheldon, Plymouth
Details: This fundraiser for a
youth mission trip to Appalachia,
will include household items,
clothing, jewelry, books, toys
and much more for sale. Bag
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Contact: 734-453-5280 RUMMAGE SALE ne/Date: 5-8 p.m. Thursday, 10, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 11

and 9 am. to noon, Oct. 12 Location: The Birminghum Temple, 2811 W. 12 Mile, on the South side of the Street, De-tween Middlebelt and Instert, Farmington Mills Details: The sale will include a specially bordique, house ware / household, electronics, toys, books, home dock on lenst, south of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of the Mills of the Mills of the Mills of the Insternation of

## ONGOING CLASSES/STUDY

Men's Bible study Time/Date: Breakfast at 7 a.m. and study at 8 a.m. Location: Kirby's Coney Island, 21200 Haggerty, Northville Township

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Monday
Location: Six Mile and Beech
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Contact: 313-534-9000
St. Michael the Archangel
Time/Date: 7-8-30 p.m. the
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Location: School library, 11441
Hubbard, just south of Plymou
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Road, Livonia Details: Catholic author and Bible scholar, Gary Michuta, leads a study of Peter. Contact: 734-261-1455, Ext. 20 or www.livoniastmichael.org

or www.livoniastmichael.org Ward Presbyterian Time/Date: 7 p.m. Mondays Location: Room A101, 40000 W. Six Mile, Northville Details: Learner's Bible study is held

Contact: 248-374-5920 FAMILY COMMUNITY MEAL Time/Date: 5-6 p.m. every Thursday

Contact: 248-477-1153, Ext. 12, for information on this free

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## App helps families cope with Alzheimer's

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lenges for families living with this disease. Because an estimated 70 percent of people with Alzheimer's live at home, the responsibility of caring for them usually fails on their families, who frequently face maniles, who frequently face with the families, who frequently face with the families, who fear the families, who fear with the families who for the families who face with the families who fails who fails with the families who fails with the families who fails who fails with the families who fails w

have a network of support including free tools and ma-terials available to help family caregivers navigate the chal-lenges that come with caring for someone with Alzheim-

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Home Instead Senior Care also has developed Alzheimer's and Other Dementias Daily Helper, a free smart-phone app that families can use to search behaviors and help find solutions when they have to react quickly to a situation. The app is designed to ast they arise, whether at home or

in public.
"According to experts,
Alzheimer's either is or may
someday be a reality for about
one-third of the families in our
community. Yaroch said. "We
want to replace their fears
that they are equipped to hand
de any situation."
For more information about
the Home Instead Senior Care
ertwork or its free Alzheimer's resources, visit www.helpcall the local Home Instead
Senior Care office at 734-5255300.



### OCTOBER BLOOD DRIVE

Mary Mercy Hospital and the Amer-n Red Cross will hold a blood drive, 6 n.-5 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 10, in the spital's north auditorium, located at e Mile and Levan, Livonia. Schedule appointment at 800-GIVE-LIFE or

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### SUBSTANCE AND DOMESTIC ABUSE

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Down Farm will offer a free program addressing the intersection of substance abuse and domestic violence, from 3:30-230 pm. Tuesday, Oct. 15, 63. Loseph Merry (popular Education Center auditorium, 5:305 Eliot Drive, "Popular II, Presentien include Cristine Troplant", Presenten include Cristine Troplant, "Presenten include Cristine Troplant," Presenten include Cristine Condition, and David J.H. Garint, UMSW, founder of Alternatives to Domestic Aggression, and chief operating official for Carbolic Social Service of Washerhaw Country, For more information on the supcoming presentation, call David

NOVEMBER ADDICTION & RECOVERY » Jeff and Debra Jay, intervention specialists, chemical dependency the pists and trainers, and authors of "Lo

First. A New Approach to Intervention for Autobins and Olina, Addition for Autobins and Olina, Addition and other book, will present "Intervention," 730 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19.

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#### TEENS AND DRUGS

drug use. "Teens Using Drugs: What To Know" is set for 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 5 and "Teens Using Drugs: What To Do," will be held 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12. Both programs are free and will be held at St. Joseph Mercy Hospi-tal Education Center, classroom Ec4, 5305 Elliott Drive, Ypsilanti. Call 734-445-8725.

#### WALK WITH A DOC

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Dr. Patricka A Schmidt will discuss stress
and burnout, which can affect emotional and physical health, noon, Thurs
day, Nov. 21, at Heritage Park Nature
Center, located on Farmington Road,
between 10 Mile and 11 Mile, Farmington Hills. Meets rain or shine and
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Walks will resume in March 2014.

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Meets from 50:30-8 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the Atrium of Our Lady of Hope Cancer Center, 51 Mary Mercy Hospital, 36475 Five Mile (use south entrance of Levan), Livoni Call 734-655-1100 or visit www.stmary mercy, org for additional information on this group

### Vermeulen Funeral Home proudly announces the addition of Funeral Director Jim Henley to their staff.

Director Jim Henle
Jim is a graduate of Wayne Memorial
and Wayne State Mortuary School, he
has worked in funeral service since
1996. He recently accepted a position at
Vermeulen Funeral Home and is happy
to be back in the area to be closer to his
family and community." Ilike to take
care of people I know and see every day
in the community." Ilim married his
high school sweetheart April, hey have
a daughter Tommi Ann and son Jay. He
has served on the Wayne City Council
since 2004, longtime member of the First
Congregational Church of Wayne, past
Master of the Wayne Masonic Lodge,
2004 and proud parent of a WYAA'S
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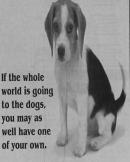
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### Toyota Service Centers Mean To 'Keep Toyota a Toyota'



Toyota Service Centers are rebranding the old Toyota Parts and Service Department with a new online-only advertising campaign and a fresh determination to

By Dale Buss strong Toyota brand with an aftermarket presence that keeps even more Toyota The campaign harnesses humor in the

Toyota Service brand's first major break out of its traditional radio-advertising channel, which had grown stale in promoting awareness and loyalty among Toyota owners, Brian Sciumbato, national arts and service and accessor marketing manager for Toyota, told me.

"We didn't really have a brand around service and parts before," Sciumbato explained. "We used to call it 'Parts and Service." We never really had anything that we could truly market."

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During the nine years that Toyota Parts
and Service focused on radio ads, through
tate 2012, "it doin't work well." Going to a
multi-platform campaign, he said, "will be
much more effective. And the use of humor
is important. It's very unlikely that people
will share something about service with
friends and family unless you do something

So, in a web series titled "Keep Your Toyota a Toyota," one spot has a customer asking, "Why use Toyota Service Centers?" The reply is that, well, "You wouldn't use just any doctor, would you?" And the scene cuts to a patient with his leg attached to bicare."

The advantages of using a Toyota



Service Center over an independent shop include the use of factory-certified parts and technicians. Toyota and its dealers also have been working hard to provide quicker service turnaround for routine maintenance. His quick-lube places. And as the average age of a car on US roads continues to hover around 10 years or so, there remains a wide-open opportunity for more business for Toyota Service Centers from long-time owners and new buyers.

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"In the past we advertised mainly with broadcast," Sciumbato said. "But a lot of that was wasted on non-floyord owners. Now we're using digital technology and serving it up based on search histories. We're truly more able to connect with customers and drive our digital properties, including the Toyota owners' site. That has their service history and information on their cars that they might find interesting.

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"They can also schedule service. And there's a peer-to-peer interface provided. All of that allows them to have a better relationship with us."

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owners who don't have latemodel cars, who may have held on to their Toyotas longer than before as underscored by the 10-year average are of the

"These people out of warranty are harder to capture because many perceive that going to an independent service shop would be less expensive for them," Sciumbato said. "We need to work on that. Our dealers have become incredibly competitive in many areas, especially in those normal service areas."

Complementary to the new branding effort is a push behind the Toyota Care program. Launched about two and a half years ago, it provides five common seasons the That helps customers realize that dealers truly do have their best interests at heart. Sciumbato said. And they realize that relationship is pretty convenient too. That has really helped us with our service-customer-retention metric. And that's a very hard metric to move."

Sciumbate said that the new campaign leverages some of the reasons that customers bought a Toyota in the first place. The new tag line should really resonate with owners: Keep Toyota a Toyota. They like the quality, reliability and dependability of Toyota, and at an independent service shop they're not really getting genuine quality. There is a difference. There are reasons to consider keeping your vehicle the way it was meant to be." auto-service

Emphasizing the "customer experience" at dealerships is increasingly important to all auto brands, Sciumbato acknowledged and it likely is even more important in the service department than on the sales floor.

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service department than on the sales floor. Think about the experience that a customer has at a destenship? he said. They have a longer-term relationship with a cervice advisor than anyone else at the store. When they bring their cars back in for the first five services, for instance, often they've gained that relationship. And typically they'll have the same service advisor, so they get into a rhythm. We want to provide the highest level of service possible to owners and exceed their expectations."



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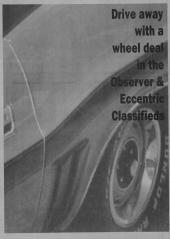
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