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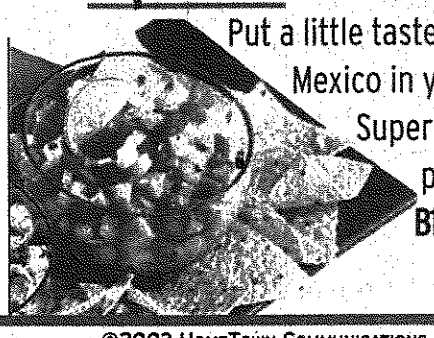

Stewart: 'Granholm is posturing'

State rep thinks threat of school cuts is governor's push for alternatives

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth-Canton school officials are bracing for what could be a $912,000 cut in state funding after Gov. Jennifer Granholm this week announced an executive order forcing $134 million in school budget cuts statewide.

However, at least one state legislator believes Granholm is just posturing, and the cuts won't ever come to fruition.

State Rep. John Stewart (R-Plymouth Township), a member of the House Appropriations Committee, said, "I don't think it will happen. Granholm is posturing and motivating us to consider delaying a reduction in the small business tax and the personal income tax."

According to Stewart, Granholm made the announcement to get the legislature working on bipartisan alternatives.

"The economy is expected to begin its recovery this spring, which means tax receipts will start to grow," Stewart said. "If we put a pause on the reductions in the single business tax and personal income tax, we can come up with a balanced budget.

"She has the Michigan Education Association and the public education crowd mad," he added. "She's got them motivated to call their legislators to find another way to come up with cuts."

Stewart admitted lawmakers have discussed a worst-case scenario of reducing this year's state aid by up to $65 per student, which would cut Plymouth-Canton's budget by just under $1 million.

School officials received a

PLEASE SEE CUTS, A7

Metro

LaJoy named

Newly elected State Rep. Phil LaJoy, R-Canton, has received his appointments to various state House committees.

He will be the vice-chair of the House Land Use and Environmental Committee.

"I'm excited to be named vice chair of such an important committee," he said. "As a former township trustee, I have 13 years of experience dealing with development and land use issues due to the high growth rate of our area. There are several smart growth issues facing the 21st District and I am pleased I will have the opportunity to work directly on these problems.

He was also named to three other committees – employee relations, training and safety, energy and technology and transportation.

Lotto winner

John Faris, 58, of Canton hit the lottery for $4,836 in the Jan. 7 Michigan Rolldown jackpot. He was one of three jackpot winners in the drawing. The other two winning tickets were sold in Cheboygan and Ypsilanti.

The total jackpot prize pool for the drawing was $14,589, so each winner collected $4,863 before taxes.

In total for this drawing, 18,924 winners shared $51,088 in prizes. In addition to the three jackpot winners, 121 winners matched four numbers to win a $49 prize; 2,354 winners matched three numbers to win a $6 prize; and 16,446 winners matched two numbers to win the $1 prize.

"I saw the winning numbers while watching television," said Faris. "I couldn't believe I had won."

Faris, who is self-employed, purchased the ticket at Faris Market in Ypsilanti. He said he picked the number based on the birthdays of family members.

Youth sports fair

Young people and their parents can learn more about sports teams in Canton from 9 a.m. - noon on Saturday, Jan. 25, during the 2003 Canton Youth Sports Fair at Fellows Creek Golf Club.

Parents and their children will be able to meet youth sport group directors, coaches and players. Team information booths, equipment demos and a fun zone with games, face painting and snacks will be available.

Sports include: Basketball, hockey, baseball, softball, soccer, lacrosse, golf, disc golf, swimming, football, archery, tennis and roller hockey.

There will also be a chance to meet the official Tiger - Paws. For more information, call the Canton Leisure Services at (734) 483-5600.

Book signing

Local author Aimée Carter, a 16-year-old from Canton, will sign copies of her new book, *Phoenix Ashes*, from 1-3 p.m. today at the Little Book Shoppe on the Park, on Main Street across from Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth.

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Helping hands

Canton High School seniors and girl scouts Kelly Weir and Andrea Martin, both 17 and from Canton, standing at right, talk with students in Dottie Alban's fourth-grade class at All Saints Catholic School. The children listened as the girls earlier read them a story, and then they created a drawing, using special fabric crayons which the scouts will then iron onto pieces of fabric and create quilts as part of their gold award challenge. The quilts will be donated to the children's project at Angela Hospice, "My Nest is Best." See story on page A2.

Canton to observe MLK day

BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

Canton Township offices will be closed to the public Monday, Jan. 20, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Township employees will attend training sessions during the day.

Meanwhile, Plymouth-Canton schools will host activities that will be open to the public during the day and the Canton Public Library is hosting a concert beginning at 6:30 p.m. to celebrate the area's diversity and the memory of King.

This is the second year that the township and the schools have held events to commemorate the day designated to honor the memory of the civil rights leader.

Last year's school program was a luncheon with speaker which was attended by about 270 people including 180 Canton Township employees. This year's program, which is expected to run from 11:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., is open to the public for a cost of

PLEASE SEE HOLIDAY, A6

Residents are ready for first Big Chill

BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth may have its Ice Festival, but Canton is gearing up for the Big Chill — a winter event that special events coordinator Jennifer Eubanks hopes will become an annual affair.

Scheduled for Friday, Jan. 31, and Saturday, Feb. 1, the activities will take place in Heritage Park, Summit on the Park and Victory Park.

Everything from a Monopoly tournaments to an adult road rally to a chili cookoff to — are you ready for this? — an outdoor kite flying contest are on the agenda.

"I think I'm excited about the movie," Eubanks said. "It's the first time we've run one in the gym."

The featured film is Disney's *Snow Dogs* starring Cuba Gooding Jr.

There will be plenty of indoor as well as outdoor activities, so people who aren't aficionados of winter weather can have fun and stay warm at the same time.

"I hope the cold doesn't scare anyone off," Eubanks said. "We're working really hard to make the events as fun as can be."

Some events include a fee or may require pre-registration. Call Canton Leisure Services at (734) 394-5460 for more information.

Following is a list of all scheduled activities:

PLEASE SEE SCHEDULE, A7

Library takes readers on journey

BY JEFF COUNTS
STAFF WRITER

Readers in Canton can take a journey to a rural Louisiana during the 1940s with author Ernest J. Gaines starting this week when "Everyone's Reading," a library program, starts on Monday.

Gaines' book, *A Lesson Before Dying*, was selected for the reading program by a committee of librarians, including Rebecca Havenstein-Coughlin of the Canton Public Library.

"We're trying to get people to read the book and talk about it," Havenstein-Coughlin said. "It's like Oprah but on a grander scale."

This is the second year for the program, which is participated in by Canton and six other metro Detroit library systems. The other libraries are Plymouth, Franklin, Troy,

PLEASE SEE READING, A6

Weather cooperates for ice fest

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

Ice carvers got what they wanted from Mother Nature, with temperatures in the low 20s.

Plymouth International Ice Sculpture Spectacular organizers got what they wanted, too, as spectators flocked to downtown Plymouth for the 21st annual festival that started Wednesday and closes out Monday.

Sculptors from as far away as Japan came to participate in the sculpting competitions. Visteon sponsored both the amateur and professional individual competitions Friday, while Community Federal Credit Union and Blackwell Ford combined to sponsor the high school competition Saturday afternoon.

Saturday also featured the eight-hour, two-man professional competition, which drew raves from spectators in Kellogg Park.

Sunday's features include the two-man college and high school team competitions, sponsored by CFCU and Blackwell Ford. They run from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. in Kellogg Park. There's also the drawing for the 10th-anniversary giveaway at Crystal Diamond Setters, 467 Forest.

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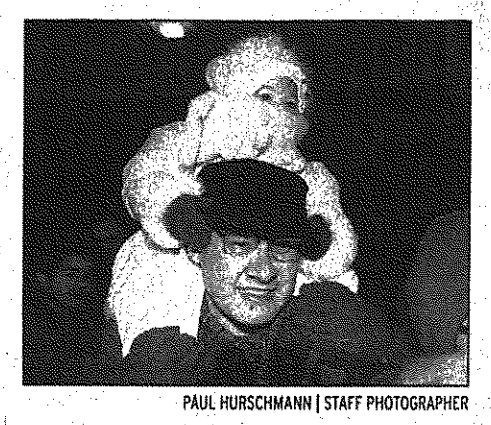

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Riley Small of Los Angeles, 20 months, sits atop dad Philip's shoulders as they watch Philip's brother-in-law, Franklin Riley, carve in the celebrity competition Thursday evening.

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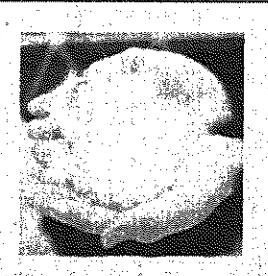
Downright decision

In Thursday's At Home section: If you don't have a down comforter but want one, it's probably obvious the time has come.



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Party leaves sour note for woman

A Canton resident reported to police last week that on Jan. 9 she went to a bar in Ypsilanti for the evening.

After the bar closed, she said, she invited four men and three women back to her apartment to party. She said she went to bed after a time and later found two rings, some money and two credit cards missing.

While she was making the police report, she received a call on her cell phone from MasterCard telling her someone had just tried to use her card in Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor at Western Union offices to have $800 and $1,600 wired to some unknown location.

She said she didn't know the names of the people at the "party" and couldn't remember where the bar in Ypsilanti was located.

PHONE MISSING

An employee of Calvary Baptist Church on Joy Road filed a report with police about a missing cell phone.

She said she last saw the phone on her desk in an office

COP CALLS

next to the lunch room on Jan. 6. When she returned the next day it was missing.

She said she delayed filing a report to see if the phone would turn up. It didn't.

MONEY MISSING

A Wayne resident reported to Canton Police on Jan. 14 that in August 2002 he wrote a check to his doctor whose office is in Canton.

Sometime after that, he said, his check along with several others were stolen from the doctor's office. He said recently someone has been taking money out of his credit union account in Dearborn.

He was advised to file a report with Dearborn Police.

WINDOW BROKEN

A resident of the 46000 block of Geddes Road reported that while sitting inside his mobile home on Jan. 14 he heard glass break.

He look out the broken window and saw two juveniles running from the scene. He chased them, caught up with them and one of them admitted to breaking his window.

When police talked to the youth and his mother, the boy said he would pay for the window or work to pay it off. The resident did not wish to press charges as long as the youth took care of the damage.

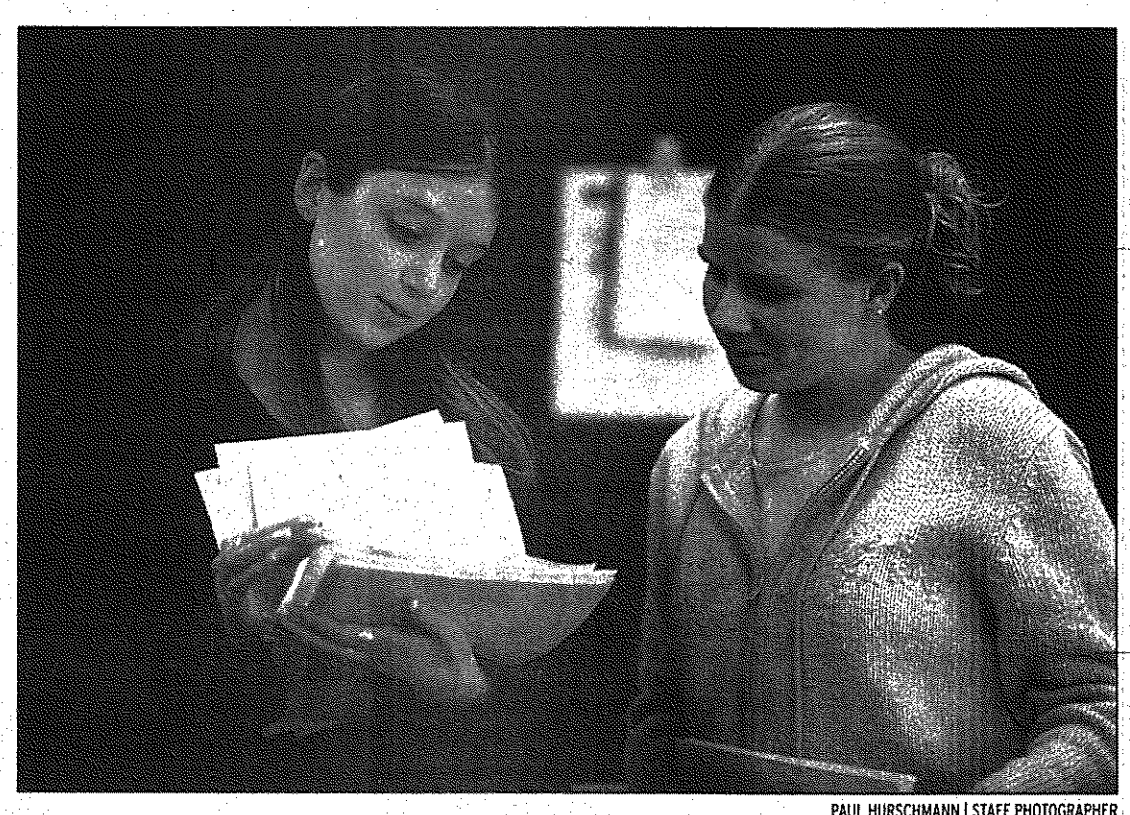
SHOPLIFTER NABBED

Security guards at Meijer called police about 11 a.m. Jan. 14 to report that someone had stolen merchandise from the store.

They said they watched a man take an electric shaver and several packs of batteries and put them in his coat. He then left the store without paying.

The guards followed him out of the store but he refused to stop, got into a Green Ford Escort and headed north on Canton Center.

A police officer responding to the call saw the Escort just north of Ford Road. He stopped it and arrested the man on the spot.



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Canton High School seniors and girl scouts Kelly Weir and Andrea Martin, both 17 and from Canton, look over several of the drawings submitted by students in Dottie Alban's fourth-grade class at All Saints Catholic School.

Scouts take time to help students

BY JEFF COUNTS
STAFF WRITER

Two Canton Girl Scouts have helped enrich the lives of children in hospice programs and those at All Saints Catholic School.

Kelly Weir and Andrea Martin spent a recent afternoon reading a book, *The Quilt Makers Gift*, to fourth-grade students.

But there was more than reading going on – the students were helping to make a quilt at the same time.

"The students each made a patch for the quilt," said Barbara Martin, Andrea's mother. "The girls will incorporate them in their quilt they're making."

The reading and the quilt making are part of a 60-hour community service project the Girl Scouts are doing for their Gold Award, the highest Scouting award.

Both the Girl Scouts are 17 and are seniors at Canton High School. Both are Canton residents.

"They've read for three times and will probably have read six book by the end of next month when they're done," said Barbara Martin.

The project was inspired by Laura Weir, Kelly's older sister, the Girl Scout troop leader, who became ill.

Laura had the idea when she was teaching and the two Girl Scouts wanted to carry it on in her honor.

A copy of *The Quilt Makers Gift* is being donated to each class in memory of Laura.

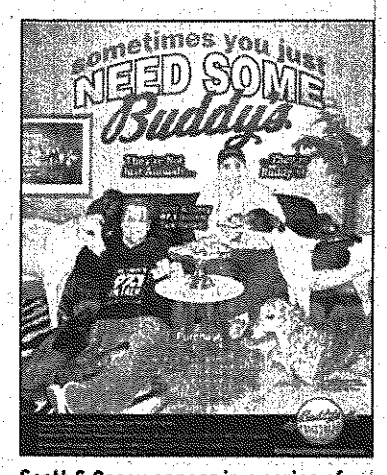
Buddy's Pizza launches charity promotion

Buddy's Pizza charity promotional campaign, "Sometimes You Just Need Some Buddy's" will kick off at all nine Buddy's Pizza locations Monday, Jan. 20. Two of Detroit's newest radio talk show guys, 97.1 FM's "Scott & Casey," will be featured with a few of their new best friends, some rescued, elegant greyhoud dogs.

Posters, banners, flyers and menu cards will be introduced, highlighting Margherita and Greek pizzas. Scott & Casey each have picked their favorite charity: The American Red Cross/National Marrow Donor Division and the Grey Heart Greyhound Rescue & Adoption of Michigan.

Buddy's will donate a portion of the proceeds from the sale of featured pizzas to the charities chosen and Buddy's guarantees at least $3,000.

"Bone marrow donation touched my family. I know there is a desperate need for bone marrow testing for both children and adults," said Buddy's owner Robert Jacobs. Regarding the greyhound rescue charity, Jacobs said, "These beautiful animals deserve a chance to be loved and cared for too."



Scott & Casey appear in a series of new posters for Buddy's charity promotion.

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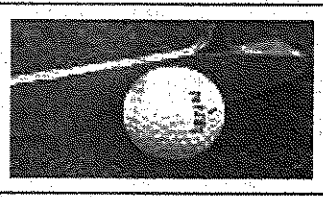

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Local man heads for possible Iraq war

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

Operation Enduring Freedom is hitting close to home for a family that attends St. John Neuman Catholic Church in Canton.

On Tuesday, Marine Reservist Tom Piotrowski Jr., of Plymouth, was busy packing his gear and saying goodbye to family and friends. His Bridge Company Alpha unit has been activated, and is headed to California before a possible deployment to southwest Asia, as the U.S. gears up for a possible war with Iraq.

"We found out Saturday while at drill in Battle Creek (Fort Custer)," said Piotrowski, 23. "We knew there was a possibility of us being sent out soon.

"We were actually activated Friday, but they gave us the official word on Saturday," he added. "They sent us home and told us to be back by 1800 today (6 p.m. Tuesday)."

Last year, Piotrowski's unit was put on alert after the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks. However, this time it's for real.

"No matter how much you prepare for it, you really can't," he said. "It still hits you like a ton of bricks.

"As for concerns about myself, not really. That hasn't hit me yet," Piotrowski said. "I'm really more worried about the people I'm going to leave behind, how they are going to handle it emotionally."

With tears in her eyes, his mother, Aurelia, is fearful, but at the same time knows her son has a job to do.

"I pray for his safety. I'm very proud of him," she said. "The irony of this is that my son is going to protect freedom, so we can continue to agree to disagree about our different political views. Freedom isn't free. We have to fight for it and defend it."

His girlfriend, Renee Ash, 23, is trying to prepare for the sudden change in life's direction.

"I don't want him to go," she said. "I'm going to try and keep myself busy by going to school and working so I don't have a lot of time to worry about not being with him."

While at Fort Custer in Battle Creek, Piotrowski expects to get briefed, be issued his orders and prepare to leave for California on Saturday.

"I'm leaving for probably a year," he said. "They told us it will probably be a minimum of three months and a maximum of two years."

Bridge Company Alpha specializes in constructing bridges for troops and equipment, and then taking it down until needed elsewhere.

"It's been a rough 70 hours. That's all they gave us to say good-bye and take care of any personal issues," Piotrowski said. "I would have liked that one extra day we were supposed to get. If we had a two-week notice, I probably would have gone out of my mind."

On Monday, Piotrowski put his personal life on hold. He graduated from Michigan State University in May with a degree in criminal justice, and had just enrolled in the police academy.

"Yesterday (Monday) was the first official day of classes and I had to go in and cancel," he said. "I was really hoping to get through the 16 weeks of the academy before something like this happened."

Piotrowski, who has a six-year contract with the Reserves, said if it comes down to a confrontation with Iraq, he would like to see the United States finish business this time, unlike the war in Iraq in 1991.

"I hope we take care of it so we don't have to go back 10 years later," he said "I strongly feel that if it were taken care of the first time, this might not be a problem right now."

The Piotrowski family will fly the Marine Corps flag and display yellow ribbons in the front yard until Tom returns home.

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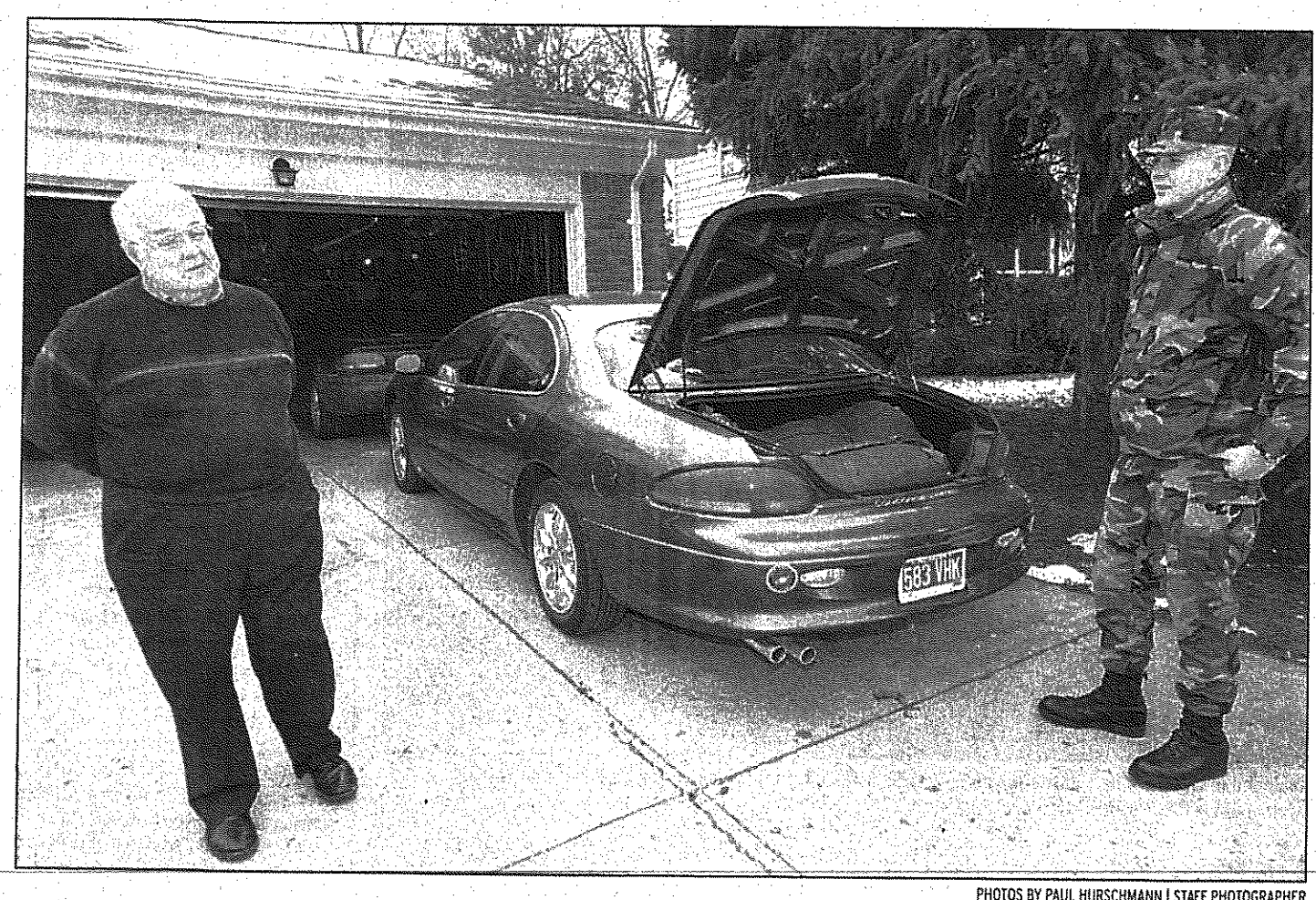

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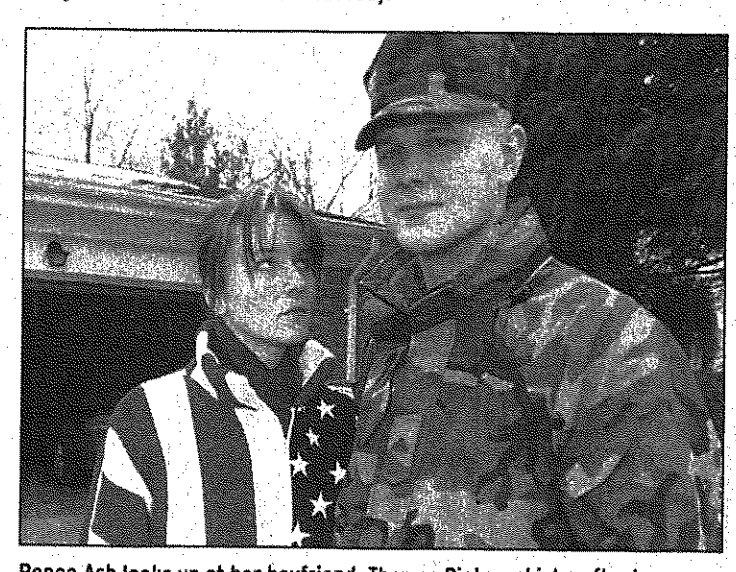
Thomas Piotrowski bows his head after helping son Thomas Jr. pack his duffle bags into the trunk of his car Tuesday.



Renee Ash looks up at her boyfriend, Thomas Piotrowski Jr., after he packed his duffle bags into the trunk of his dad's car Tuesday before heading off to Battle Creek, where his regiment will ship off to prepare for a possible war in the Middle East.

Ficano names businessman to chair economic commission

Wayne County Executive Robert Ficano has appointed Frank Hennessey as Jobs and Economic Development senior advisor. Hennessey will chair an advisory commission comprised of business and corporate leaders from across the region.

The commission will focus on working in partnership to collectively identify, review and assess best practices in city, county, state and national economic development initiatives.

The Wayne County Executive will receive a jobs and economic development plan within 90 days. In its recommendations, the commission will also establish standards criteria for a new Wayne County economic development director.

Hennessey is chairman of the board of Emco Limited. He formerly was vice chairman of the Board of Directors and chief executive officer of MascoTech Inc.

The advisory commission members are:

- John Bava, managing partner, Deloitte & Touche LLP
- Richard Blouse, president, Detroit Regional Chamber
- Stephen D'Arcy, managing partner, PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP
- Alfred Glancy III, chairman of the board, Unico Investment Co.
- Paul Hillegonds, president, Detroit Renaissance
- George Jackson, president and CEO, Detroit Economic Growth Corp.
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Other commission members will be added this week.

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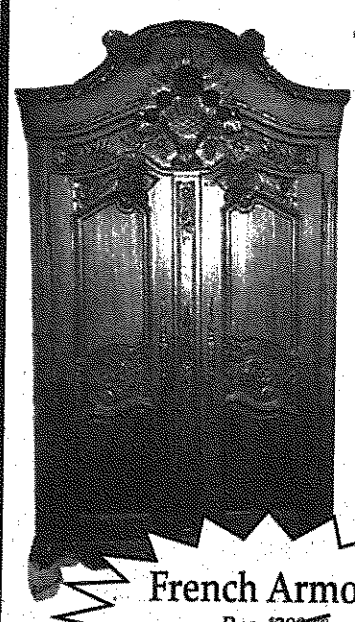

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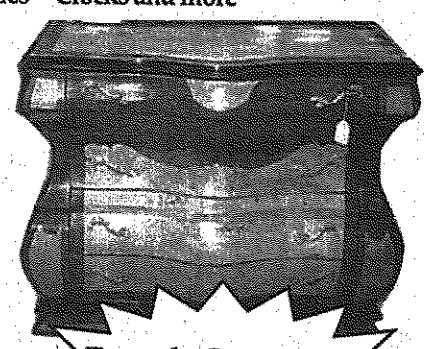

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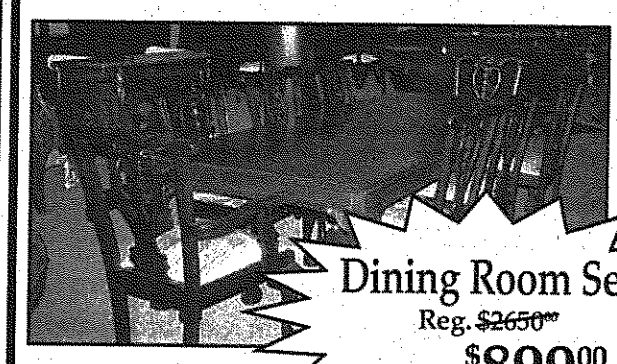

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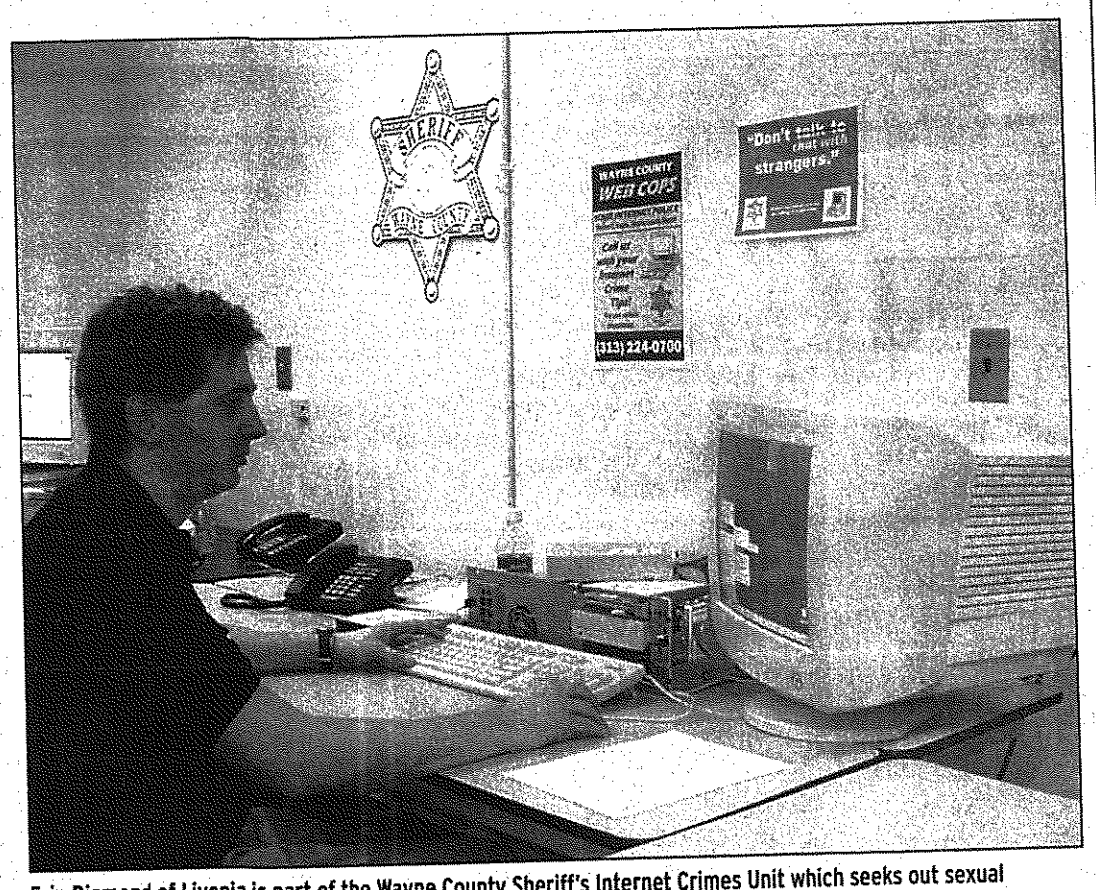
Sheriff re-establishes Internet Crimes Unit

Less than one week into his administration, Wayne County Sheriff Warren Evans announced today the creation of a new Internet Crimes Unit to track down, among others, sexual predators who are expecting to prey on children through Internet chat rooms.

To lead this new team, Evans has recruited the same officers who created the first county Internet Crime Unit in Michigan, which received national attention for its groundbreaking work. That unit, however, was disbanded late last year by the previous sheriff's administration.

"Internet crime, specifically in the area of sexual predators, is growing at an alarming rate every day. Our children are at risk and we need to use every tool we can to protect them," Evans said. "It is important that parents, and potential online predators, know that someone is watching."

Evans said the unit will consist of several officers, who will go online and pose as children in Internet Chat Rooms. Once a potential predator contacts them, the officers will establish a relationship that may eventually lead to a request for a sexual encounter. If a meeting is arranged, an arrest will be made at the time of the meeting.



Erin Diamond of Livonia is part of the Wayne County Sheriff's Internet Crimes Unit which seeks out sexual predators and identity thieves.

Although its primary focus will be on sexual predators, Evans said the unit's scope will be expanded beyond what it was previously.

"Other types of criminals we will target are identity thieves and computer software pirates," Evans said. "Senior Citizens, especially, are vulnerable to being tricked into providing vital personal information that can lead to disastrous consequences."

In fact, estimates by consumer advocates suggest that as many as 750,000 identities are stolen each year. An increasing number of those identities are stolen over the Internet, Evans said.

Evans said the unit will begin operating immediately and hopes it will be able to make its first arrest in the coming weeks.

Anyone wishing to report criminal activity in any of these areas can call Wayne County's Internet Crime Unit at 313-224-0700 anytime.

For more information on how to avoid identity theft and Internet predators, visit www.waynecounty.com/sheriff

Seniors swing at mall's monthly dances

It's not the Copacabana Barry Manilow has been known to sing about. But then again, when it comes to performers, Manilow is a shade young for this group of swingers.

In fact, Jim Lauri and The Upbeats is a perfect match for the senior citizens who are drawn to Westland Center the first Monday of the month.

For more than 10 years, the shopping center has been hosting a senior citizens dance once a month in the Community Room on its lower level. On average more than 50 seniors turn out to dance to the music of their ear.

"We usually have the same band every month," said Ed McHale, the mall's general manager." For the most part, he plays their music, but tries to throw some other music in there as well."

The dance is popular with seniors who come from Westland, Livonia, Plymouth, Canton and other surrounding communities to dance.

They pay $1 to attend with the money offsetting a portion of the cost for the live band and the refreshments – coffee and muffins – that are served. No reservations are necessary, just show up at the door, said McHale.

"Actually, a lot of people do get dressed up for the dances," he said. "Ultimately, it's a nice social event for them."

The dances are just a few of the activities the mall sponsors that attract seniors. It offers free blood pressure screening through Oakwood Hospital once a month as well as the Westland Walkers, an organized mall walking group that held is first meeting of 2003 Wednesday morning.

The shopping center opens it doors at 7 a.m. Monday-Saturday and at 8 a.m. Sunday at Arcade 2 by Olga's Kitchen for the mall walkers. The walking ends at 10 a.m.

The group has a meeting the second Wednesday of the month, except during the summer months, in the Community Room. The hour-long meeting includes a guest speaker, 50/50 raffle and snacks.

"It's for all ages, but more seniors take advantage of it," said McHale.

For seniors interested in dancing, the next dance will be 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 3.

– By Sue Mason

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Frank Nagy of Monroe swings with Kathie Gornick of Plymouth at the Westland swingers open dance at the Westland Center the first Monday of the month.

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Frederick C. Boyer

Services for Frederick Boyer, 91, of Redford were held Jan. 25 at the Covenant Community Church.

Mr. Boyer was born March 5, 1911 in Dayton, Ohio and died Jan. 9 at Botsford General Hospital. He worked with Campbell-Ewald until World War II, then as a factory clerk and purchasing agent at Vickers while taking night classes in engineering. After the war he was part owner of Industrial Printers, commercial printing, followed by sales work for Brown & Bigelow.

Fred retired from the City of Detroit as a purchasing agent for "Total Action Against Poverty," which was part of Lyndon Johnson's "War on Poverty" in the 1960s. He was a member of Covenant Community Church in Redford. His family and friends will remember him for the twinkle in his eye, merry nature, hearty enjoyment of food, tomato garden and practicing the tradition of family letter writing. Fred's favorite hymn was "In the Garden" and the family rejoices that he is now enjoying that intimate fellowship of God's presence.

Survivors include wife, Marjorie E. Boyer of Redford; daughter, Ann (John) LePere of Emerald Isle, N.C.; step-daughter, Marilyn (John) Roughley of Canton; grandsons, David (Janine) LaPere and Nathan LaPere; and great-grandson, Riley.

Arrangements made by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Robert A. Smith

Services for Robert Smith, 75, of Plymouth, were held Jan. 14 at Trinity Presbyterian Church with the Rev. William C. Moore officiating. Burial was at Oak Grove Cemetery in Dixboro.

Mr. Smith was born June 9, 1927 in Detroit and died Jan. 9 in Superior Township. He lived in Plymouth for 25 years. He earned both his Bachelors and Masters degrees from the University of Detroit-Mercy. He attained the rank of Detective Lieutenant from the Detroit Police Department, where he had developed and led "Squad-6," which investigated drug related homicides in Detroit.

After his retirement from the police department in 1976, he went on to teach criminal justice at Madonna University for 20 years. He also authored a criminal justice book, "Homicide Investigation." He was a member of Lamda Alpha Epsilon, a criminal justice students organization.

He was a wonderful husband and father; a grandfather to ten and a great-grandfather to one. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and a world traveler. Among his many interests were hunting and fishing, storytelling, ancient history (especially Egyptian) and family geneaology and gardening. He had been a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church since 1981, where he served as a deacon and taught an inquirer's class.

Mr. Smith was preceded in death by his wife, Sarah Smith; brother, William Smith; brother, Harry R. Smith; and granddaughter, Brianna Edoff.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Trinity Presbyterian Church Building Fund, 10101 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth, MI 48170.

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Jean Carolyn Sigmon

Services for Jean Sigmon, 70, of Plymouth Township, will be held Jan. 25 at St. John's Episcopal Church with the Rev. Bill Lupfer and the Rev. Robert Miller officiating.

Mrs. Sigmon was born March 27, 1932 in Washington, D.C. and died Jan. 8 in Plymouth Township. She was a homemaker. She came to the Plymouth community in 1958 from Livonia. She was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church in Plymouth since 1958. For over 50 years she had been a member of Alpha XI Delta from the University of Maryland. She was a past board member of the Community Opportunity Center and Plymouth Family Services (she was also board member for Family Services). She was an alter guild member at church, where she was also a Sunday School teacher. She loved to travel and she played bridge five days a week for the past 30 years.

Survivors include husband of 51 years, Fred Sigmon of Plymouth; sons, David (Michele) Sigmon of Commerce and Robert Sigmon of Plymouth; daughter, Janet Sigmon of Plymouth; and grandchildren, Daniel, Andrew and Holly.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. John's Episcopal Church, 574 South Sheldon road, Plymouth, MI 48170; the Community Opportunity Center, 33014 Five Mile Rd., Livonia, MI 48154; or Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Rd., Livonia, MI 48154.

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Linda K. Gontko

Services for Linda Gontko, 56, of Canton, were held Jan. 17 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church with the Rev. George Charnley officiating. Burial was at Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens in Livonia.

Mrs. Gontko was born July 31, 1945 in Detroit and died Jan. 14 in Superior Township. She was a homemaker. Mrs. Gontko was a member of St. John Neumann Catholic Church.

Survivors include husband, Ronald V. Gontko of Canton; and daughters, Elizabeth (Shaun) Thornton, Rebecca Gontko and Cynthia Gontko.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 18505 W. 12 Mile, Southfield, MI 48076.

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Michael R. Sonnenberg

Services for Michael Sonnenberg, 42, of Westland (formerly of Canton) were held Jan. 18 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church with the Rev. George Charnley officiating.

Mr. Sonnenberg was born May 16, 1960 in Detroit and died Jan. 15 in Taylor. He was a quality control inspector at the Ford Motor Company Wayne Stamping Plant. He came to the Westland community in 1997 from Canton. He was a member of S.N.M.C. He graduated from Plymouth Salem High School in 1978 and also from Sienna Heights College. He loved camping and canoeing with his children. He was a loving father, grandfather, son and brother.

Survivors include children, Jason McBee of Southfield, Carolyn (Matthew) Thompson of Garden City, Lauren Sonnenberg of Dearborn Heights, Michael Sonnenberg of Dearborn Heights, and Kelly Sonnenberg of Plymouth Township; granddaughter, Sarah Thompson; brothers and sisters, James (Gail) Sonnenberg of Superior Township, Thomas Sonnenberg of Inkster, Robert (Sharon) Sonnenberg of Northville Township, and Laura (Ron) Sonnenberg-Radtke of Milan.

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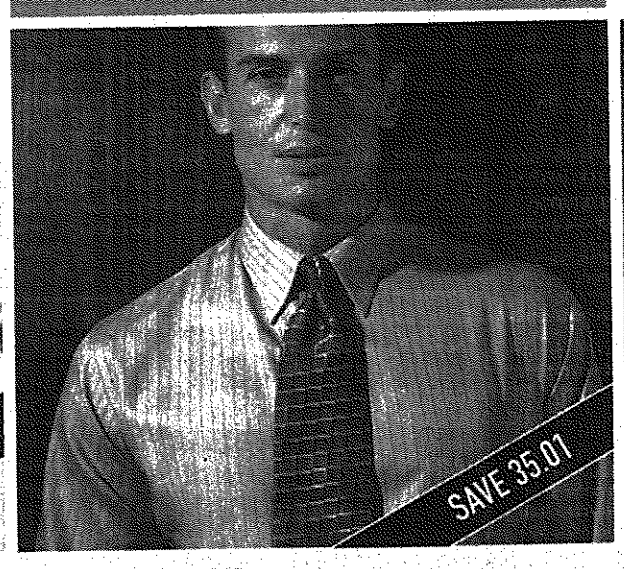

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Wayne County Commission chair names committee appointments

Wayne County Commission Chairman Jewel Ware has made appointments to the commission's nine standing committees and announced the creation of a subcommittee and task force for the 2003-2004 session, ending Dec. 31, 2004.

The commission has one fewer committee than the previous 2001-2002 legislative session. The Committee on Airport Operations was disbanded due to the creation of an airport authority last year which now oversees operations of Wayne County Metropolitan Airport and Willow Run Airport.

Wayne County commissioners appointed to the standing committees are:

Ways and Means: Chair Ilona Varga, Vice Chair Bernard Parker, Members Lyn Bankes, Alisha Bell, Christopher Cavanagh, Philip Cavanagh and Kwame Kenyatta.

Audit: Chair Kay Beard, Vice Chair Robert Blackwell, Members Susan Hubbard, K.B. Stallworth, John Sullivan.

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Technology: Chair Susan Hubbar, Vice Chair Kwame Kenyatta, Members Kay Beard, Robert Blackwell, Christopher Cavanagh.

Subcommittees and their chairs are: Veterans Services, Kay Beard; Women in Government and Business, Alisha Bell; Homeland Security, Lyn Bankes; Noise Mitigation, Philip Cavanagh; Transportation, K.B. Stallworth; Rules, Jewel Ware; Corrections Advisory Board, Bernard Parker; Task Force on Small and Minority Business, Alisha Bell.

Wayne County Commission leadership for 2003-2004 is Jewel Ware, chairman; John Sullivan, vice chair; and Robert Blackwell, vice chair pro tempore.

HOLIDAY

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$10 and will have two speakers.

It will be held at Salem High School and will feature the Rev. Alfred Johnson, pastor at Bethel AME Church in Ann Arbor, and Lily Eskelsen, a well-known Hispanic Elementary school teacher from Utah.

School Superintendent Jim Ryan said, "I do hope we're moving to an understanding that there's a lot of different people making up the 17,000 kids in our district."

The library concert will feature Vision, the men's glee club from the Detroit High School for the Fine and Performing Arts, at 6:30 p.m. at the library. The 27-man group will perform pop, spiritual and classical selections under the direction of Sheryl Valentine and will be accompanied by local pianist David Reynolds.

Vision will be followed at 7 p.m. by Frank Gaskin Jr., aka "Franky the Genius." Gaskin is billed as a multilingual poet and world jazz guitarist, who will offer a mix of jazz, samba, African and funk styles.

He's known for his pioneering guitar technique which allows him to simultaneously play bass, chords and melody on his acoustic guitar.

Refreshments will be served after the concert. The event is free and open to the public.

About 220 township employees will spend the day attending three training sessions running concurrently so people can rotate among the sessions, according to Dan Durack, administrative and community services director.

All sessions will take place at Summit on the Park.

One session will be a showing of the movie "Remember the Titans," based on a true story of two high schools, one white and one black, who consolidate under orders to integrate. The year is seen through the eyes of the football team where the man hired to coach the black school is made head coach over the highly successful white coach.

The second session will feature a video, "Flashpoint," which shows how people of different ages have different outlooks on life because of different life experiences or generational issues.

Durack said that session will also feature an episode from "Twilight Zone, The Movie," which stars Vic Morrow as a redneck who makes some racist remarks after losing a promotion to a Jewish colleague, then finds himself in the shoes of the various people he condemned.

The third session will feature Ian Hill, whom Durack described as a "dynamic" speaker.

"He will talk about commonality rather than diversity," Durack said. "Not how different we are but how alike we are."

Durack said the sessions will break for lunch about 11:30 a.m. and will include a buffet with different ethnic foods.

"This year," he said, "we wanted to make the sessions informative and educational, but also entertaining and fun to keep people interested throughout the day."

Registration begins at 8:45 a.m. and sessions will conclude about 4:30 p.m.

Staff writer Tony Bruscato contributed to this story.

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READING

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Brandon Township, Northville and Howell.

The reading promotion runs through April 4, and will encompass Black History month in February, Havenstein-Coughlin said.

Gaines' 1993 novel is set in the black community in which he grew up in the land near River Lake Plantation near New Roads, Pointe Coupee Parish, La. He was born Jan. 15, 1933, in that community and worked in the sugar cane fields as a child.

The book is the story about two black men, one a wrongly convicted death row inmate, the other a teacher who visits him in prison, and their struggle to live and die with dignity in their community during the 1940s.

"Though the places in my stories and novels are imaginary ones, they are based pretty much on the place where I grew up and the surrounding areas where I worked, went to school, and traveled as a child. My characters speak the way people speak in that area," he is quoted as saying in his publisher's Web site – www.randomhouse.com.

The book won the 1993 National Book Critics Circle Award for fiction. He is the author of *The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman*, which was published in 1971 and was turned into a movie staring Cicely Tyson.

According to his biography, he was raised by his maternal aunt, Augusteen Jefferson, who was the role model for Miss Jane Pittman. Gaines was the oldest of 12 children and at the age of 15 he joined his mother and stepfather in California to continue his education because there wasn't a high school he could attend in Pointe Coupee Parish and because at the time it was against the law for people of color to enter public libraries.

He is the writer-in-residence at the University of Southwestern Louisiana and is a recipient of the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation Fellowship in 1993 for his lifetime achievements.

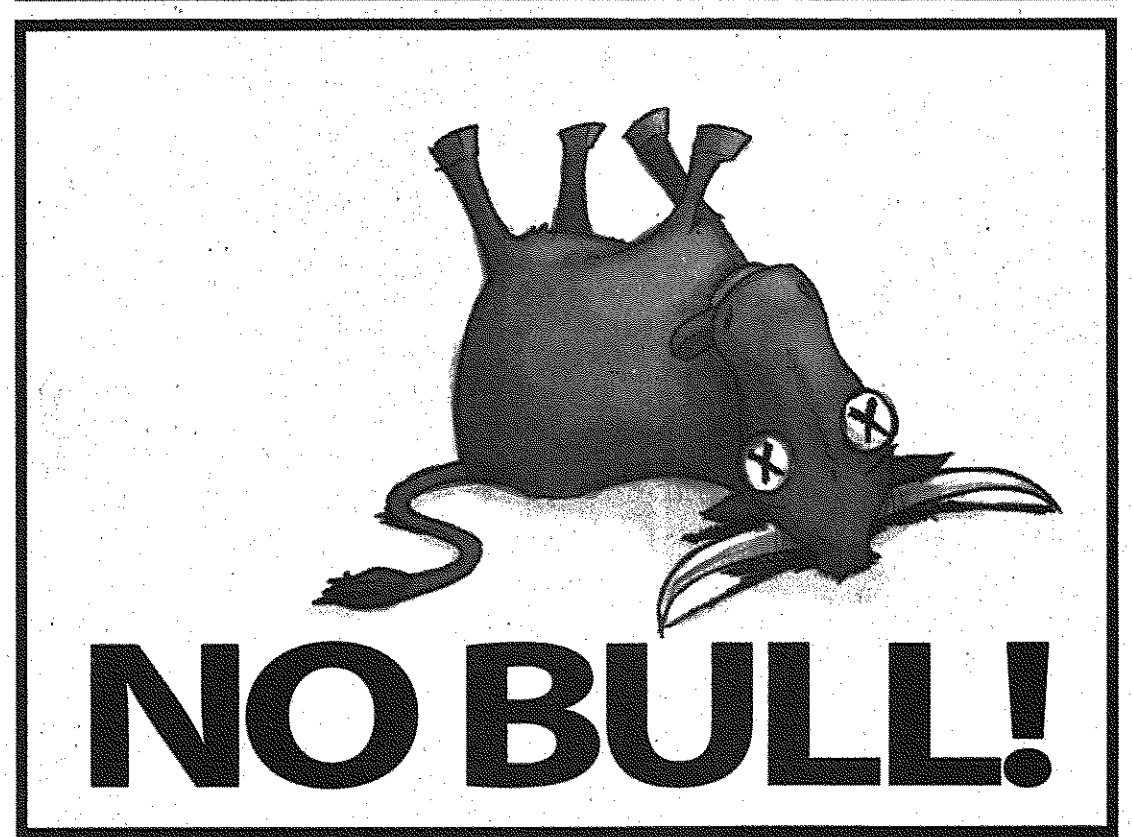
To promote the reading of Gaines' book, the Canton library will be passing out buttons and posters.

"We hope people wear the buttons and when they see each other, start talking about the book," said Havenstein-Coughlin.

"We'll also have a librarian going into the high schools," she said. "We'll bring copies of the book."

The book will also be the topic of discussion at the "Lunch and a Book" program at the Canton library at noon on Thursday, Feb. 13. The event is open to the public. People can bring their lunch and the library will provide coffee.

For more information, contact the library at (734) 397-0999. There's a Web site for the reading program – www.everyonesreading.org. The Canton library's Web site is www.cantonpl.org.



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memorandum from the House Fiscal Agency, indicating "we are currently estimating that the proration for a full fiscal year will be 3.64 percent, resulting in a 3.64 percent across-the-board cut in payments for all school districts."

Since four of the 11 school aid payments for the 2002-03 school year have already been paid to school districts, the money would be taken out of the seven remaining payments.

"I was very surprised," said Jim Ryan, Plymouth-Canton Schools superintendent. "It's well into the second half of our fiscal year ... there's really not a lot you can do (to cut the budget) this year.

"Kids and parents won't feel it this year, but our administrators will be told there will be a spending freeze," he said. "Next year is when the challenges begin."

State Sen. Bruce Patterson (R-Canton Township) said, "We in the Senate will look at all of our options. This wouldn't be my first option."

Ryan earlier said that with Granholm's previous announcement there will be no increase in the state foundation grant for the 2003-04 budget year, Plymouth-Canton is facing a budget deficit of $5 million. Ryan said that amount could be reduced to about $3.5 million if the district continues to enroll new students.

"It's incumbent on the legislature to come up with the money and take care of this problem by looking at areas we can cut from the budget," said Mark Slavens, school board vice president. "This is a bad precedent for school districts."

Under state law, the legislature has the greater of 30 calendar days or six session days to discuss and implement alternate solutions to cut the state's budget before enacting Granholm's executive order.

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SCHEDULE

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FRIDAY, JAN. 31

Adult Polar Road Rally, 6:30 p.m.- 9 p.m., Walnut room, Summit. Advance registration necessary, through Jan. 27. Teams are made up of three to four adults. Participants must have a valid driver's license. The rally will begin and end at the Summit and participants will be served pizza following the rally. Fee: $30 per team. Pre-registration is required.

Chili Cook-Off/7 p.m., Diamonds Restaurant. Sponsored by Diamonds Bar & Grill and area restaurants to kick off the Snowball tournament and taste-test the best chili in Canton.

Family Movie Night, 7:30 p.m., Summit Gymnasium. Snacks will be sold throughout the evening. Seating will not begin until 6:30 p.m. Space is limited. Admission is $1. Advance tickets on sale at the Summit. If tickets remain, they will be available at the door.

SATURDAY, FEB. 1

A Magical Breakfast, 9-11 a.m., Summit Banquet Center. A magic show will be performed. Tickets are on sale at the Summit. Space is limited and pre-registration is required. The cost is $8 children 12 and under and$15 for adults.

Snowball Softball Tournament, 9 a.m., Canton Softball Center. The co-ed tournament offers Chicago-style softball. Register at the Softball Center.

Health Walk, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., Heritage Park. Walk a few laps around Heritage Park with other community members and register to win some cool prizes. Warm up with some hot cocoa afterward. The event is free.

Monopoly tournament, 11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., Maple/Oak Room, Summit. The winner will be announced by the end of the afternoon. Ages 10 and above are welcome. Pre-registration is required. Register at the Summit through Jan. 29. The event is free.

Frosty Fingers Kite Fly, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Heritage Park. It's time to fill the skies with colorful kites, for as long as you can take the cold. A prize will be awarded to the best overall frosty fingers flight. Free event. No advance registration required.

Groundhog Day Program for Kids, 1-1:30 p.m., Arts II room. Here's your chance to meet a real live groundhog and learn all about the myths that surround Groundhog Day from an environmental educator.

Cardboard Sled Derby, 1:30-2:30 p.m., Heritage Park. Kid's grab some cardboard, tape, paint, markers and paper. Prizes will be awarded to the best in show, snow or not. The event is free and no registration is required.

Winter Survival Outdoor Education Program for Kids, 2-2:30 p.m., Arts II Room. An outdoor environmental educator from the Howell Conference and Nature Center will talk about winter survival strategies and techniques for both animals and people alike. The program is free.

Kid's Klondike Karnival, 2:30-4:30 p.m., Summit Gymnasium. Play lots of crazy games and win lots of silly prizes for kids ages 12 and under. A nominal fee will be charged. No pre-registration is necessary.

Jack Frost's Family Karaoke, 4-6 p.m., Maple-Oak room. Help fill the Maple/Oak Room of the Summit with the sound of music. No pre-registration is necessary. The event is free.

Squirt Toy Night at the Summit, 6-8 p.m., Summit Aquatic Center. All ages are invited to bring in your own squirt toy and receive $2 off the regular admission. No pre-registration required.

Sounds of Summer Concert, 7:30 p.m.-9 p.m., Banquet Center. Come out for an evening of summertime tunes featuring the always popular Air Margaritaville. Seating is limited. Advance tickets are on sale for $2 per person at the Summit. If tickets remain, they will be on sale for $3 at the door.

MILITARY NEWS

Deployment

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Ashley R. Fields, a 1999 graduate of Plymouth High School, Canton, recently departed on a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf while assigned to the aircraft carrier USS Harry S. Truman home ported in Norfolk, Va.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class **Brandon A. Pitts**, son of Linda M. Reid of Canton, recently completed the Navy Nuclear Power Training Unit course at Naval Nuclear Power Training Unit, Ballston Spa, N.Y. Pitts is a 1998 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School in Canton and joined the Navy in May 2001.

Deployment

Army Sgt. Joshua F. Manuel has arrived for duty in Vaihingen, Germany. Manuel, a military security specialist, is assigned to the 554th Military Police Company. He is the son of Vicki E. and stepson of David E. Messacar of Plymouth. He is a 1994 graduate of Hazel Park High School.

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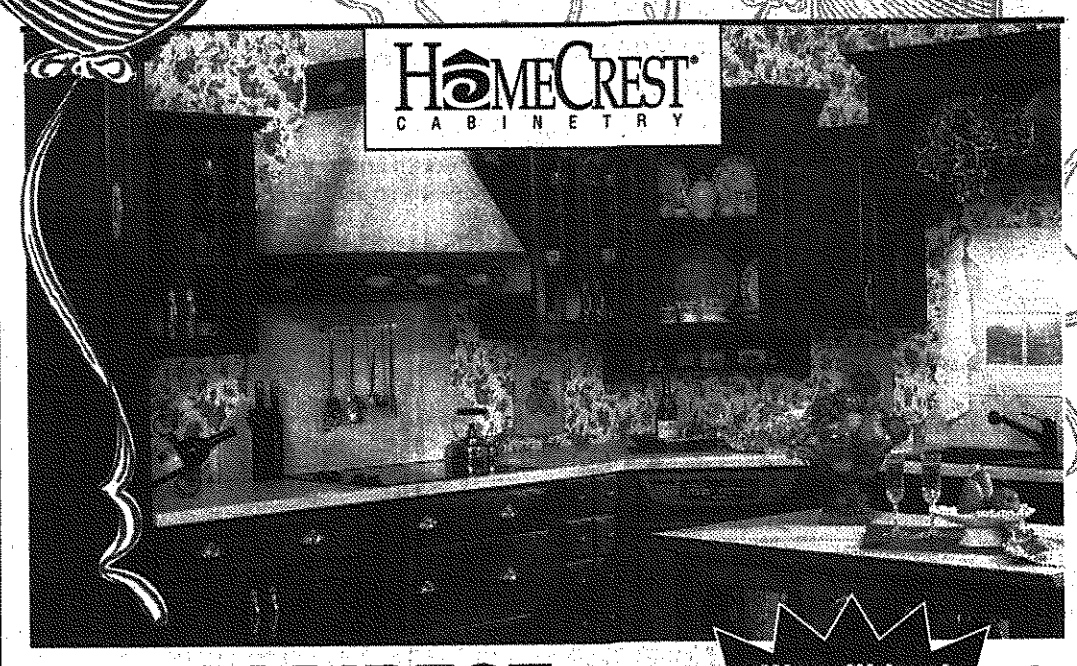

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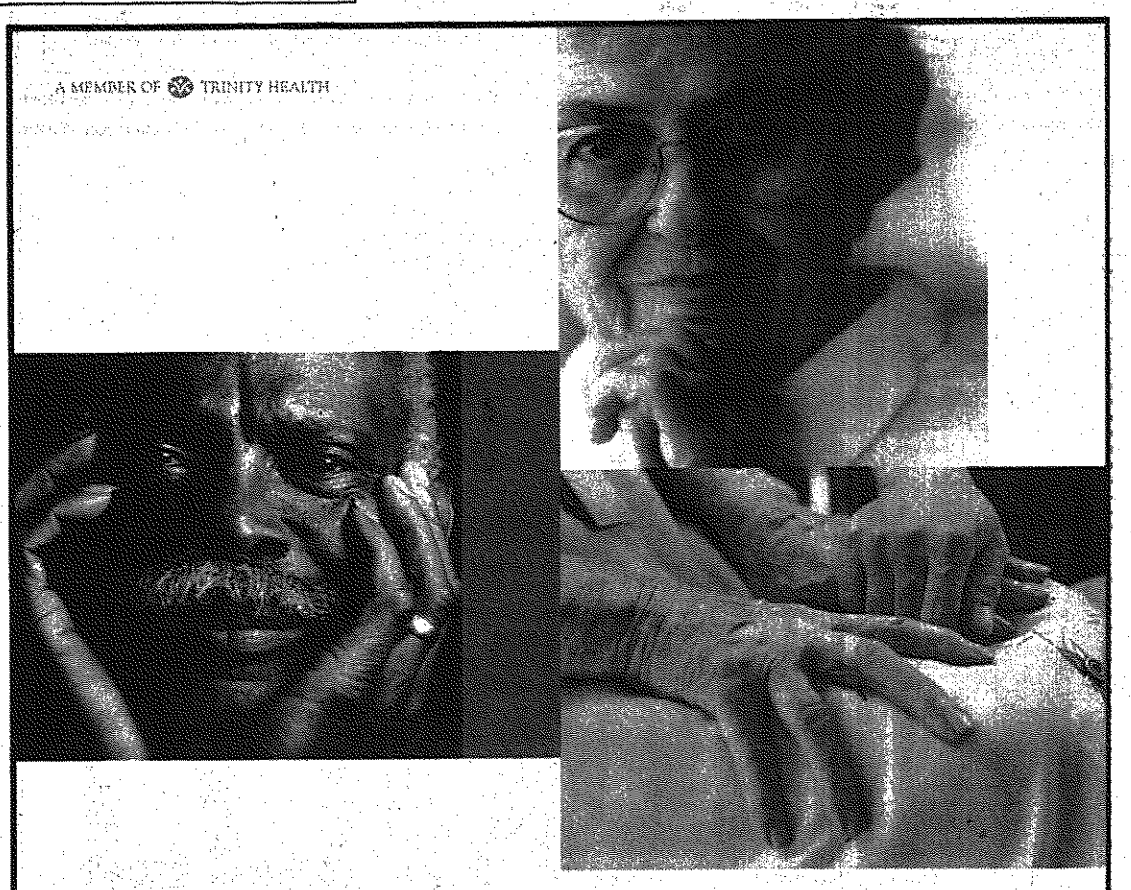

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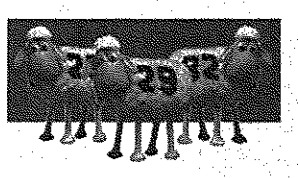

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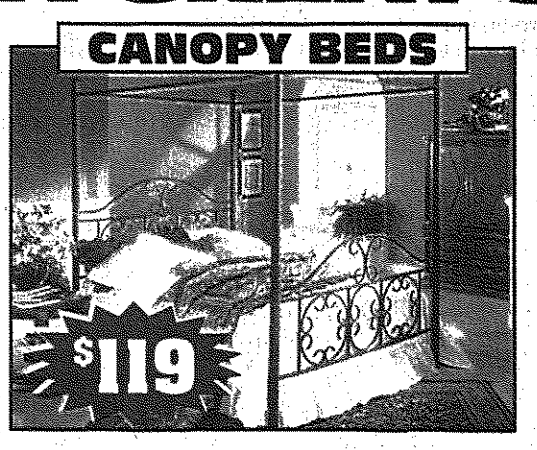

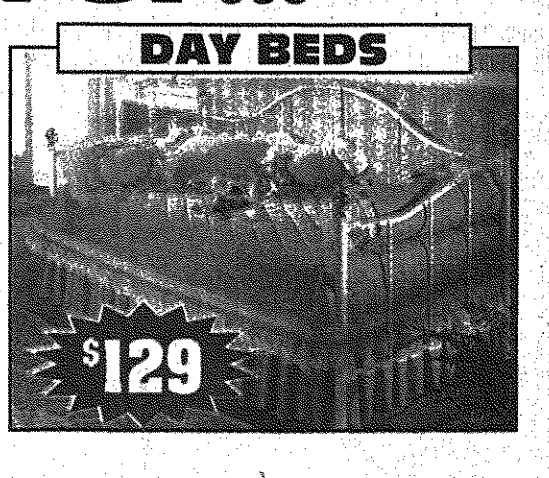

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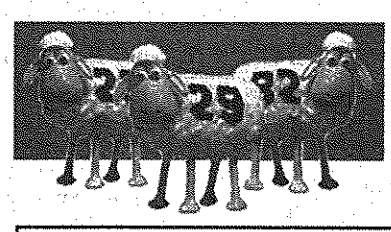

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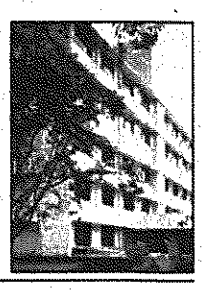


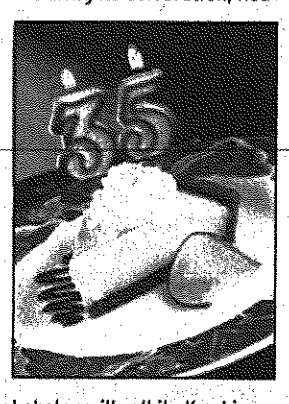
Side dish

Old age

Red Lobster is celebrating its 35th birthday through Feb. 9. Its the oldest casual dining seafood company in America.

And what does that mean for you? Lower prices for a few weeks.

During its celebration, Red



Lobster will sell its Key Lime pie for 35 cents per slice – the same price it cost during its inception at the restaurant. Also available temporarily: All-You- Can-Eat Popcorn shrimp and commemorative lighthouse drinking glasses.

The chain is a subsidiary of Darden Restaurants which also owns the Olive Garden and Bahama Breeze. Red Lobster itself, with more than 670 in North America, serves more than 140 million patrons per year.

Speaking of old...

Old Bushmills Distillery has released Bushmills 21-Year-Old Single Malt Irish Whiskey – Madeira Finish.

The aromatic whiskey is

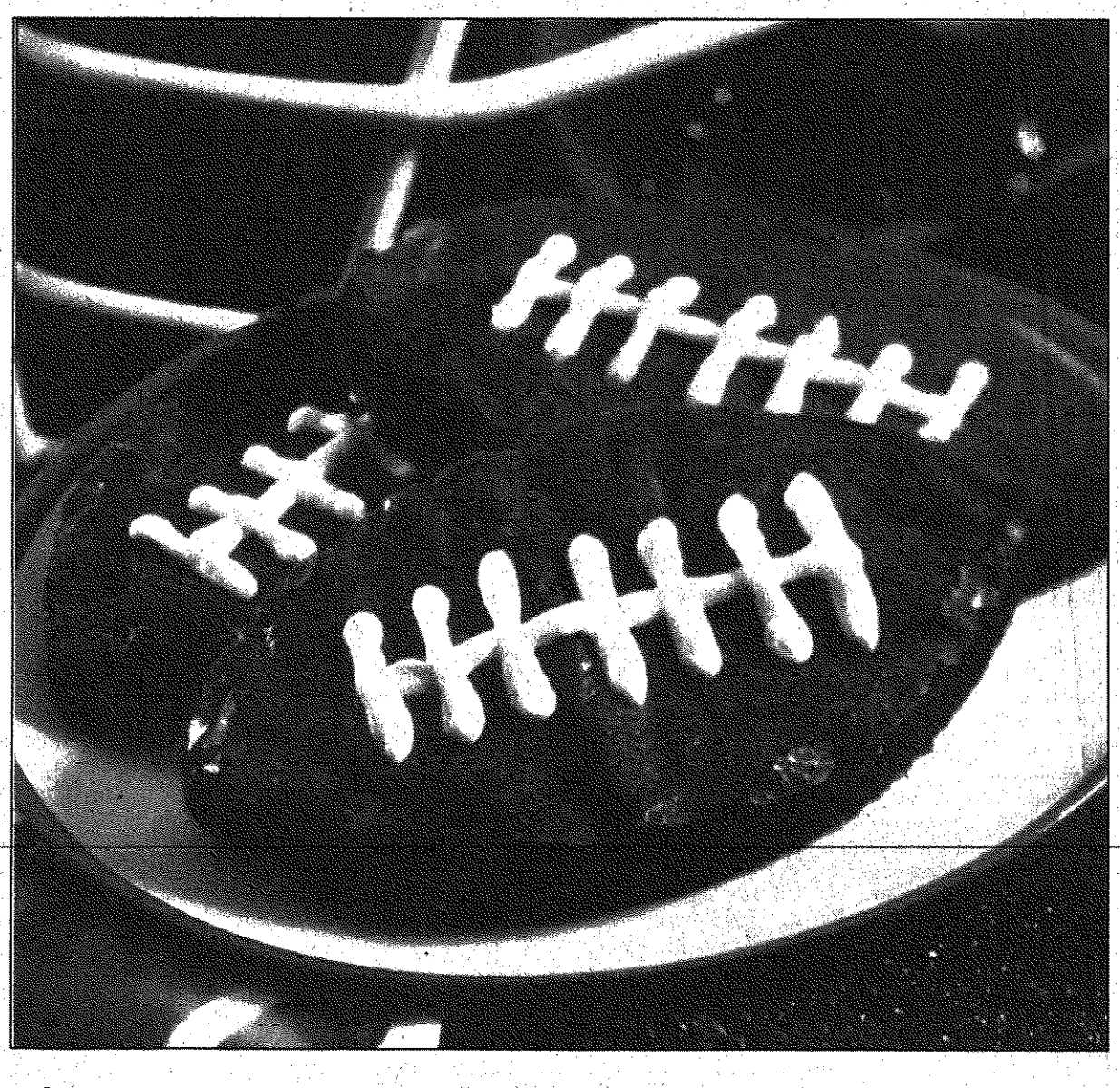
aged in three woods: Most of its life in Bourbon barrels and then in Spanish Olorso Sherry casks to provide its balance and deep fruity notes. Then its placed in Madeira drums which gives the whiskey its amber hue and honeyed spiciness.

Bushmills 21-Year-Old is imported by Pernod Ricard USA. In honor of its release, Bushmills Irish Whiskey has become a sponsor of Slow Food USA – an educational organization dedicated to "stewardship of the land and ecologically sound food production." It also works to reserve the idea that wholesome food is essential to the pursuit of happiness.

"Slow Food USA has a dedication to proliferation of regional culinary traditions which matches well with our mission to share the time-honored whiskey distilling traditions of Ireland... with the rest of the world," said Suzanne Freedman of Pernod Ricard USA.

Slow Food is introducing the Bushmills Scholarship to allow one Slow Food member the opportunity to study the gastronomic traditions of Ireland.

Contact Slow Food USA for more information: (212) 965-5640. And sip your whiskey slowly.



PILLSBURY BROWNIE

Guests would get a kick out of football brownies that are quite easy to make.

Spice up Super Bowl

Party pros offer advice for the big game party

BY LANA MINI
STAFF WRITER

For those unaware: This year's Super Bowl is in San Diego.

Since the city is steeped in Mexican culture, it only makes sense that our Super Bowl parties have some south-of-the-border flair.

Any excuse for fresh salsa!

"It's the pizza parlors that will always get most of the Super Bowl food business," said Dino Grecu, owner and chef of Cookie's Carryout & Catering in Farmington Hills. "But it wouldn't be Super Bowl without chips and salsa."

Grecu isn't talking about the stuff in a jar. He makes his salsa fresh and sells a lot of it. The secret, he said is "fresh cilantro. You absolutely can't have it without it."

Add chopped red onions to sweeten tomato-based salsa. Keep it mild with a little bit of crushed red pepper, but if a party-goer craves it burning hot, add a fresh habanero or two.

"Pickled jalapenos are fantastic too," Grecu said. "They're not too hot, but add a really good flavor."

You can give many finger foods a Mexican flair — like serving fresh chopped jalapenos on crackers. Still, for a true Mexican theme it's not all about spice, said Francisco Rodriguez, of Rose Catering in Canton.

Rodriguez, who is of Mexican descent and a gourmet caterer, said many people make the mistake of overspicing the food.

"Traditionally most Mexican food isn't hot," Rodriguez said. "A traditional taco or botana is mild. It's the salsa that adds the heat.

"My father's salsa used to be so hot you'd have to open the windows when he was cooking because it would burn your eyes," Rodriguez added. "He'd dry tiny hot peppers in the sun for weeks and then crush them into the salsa."

That much heat might be too intense for most party-goers, so it's important to have more than one salsa to accommodate all desires.

"My family makes warm tortillas with simple refried beans and salsa and that's heaven for me," Rodriguez said.

PARTY TIPS FROM PROS

Straying away from the Mexican theme, Rodriguez said an easy party hit is cubes of pineapple wrapped in precooked bacon. The concoction is held together with toothpicks.

"I served that at a very large party recently in West

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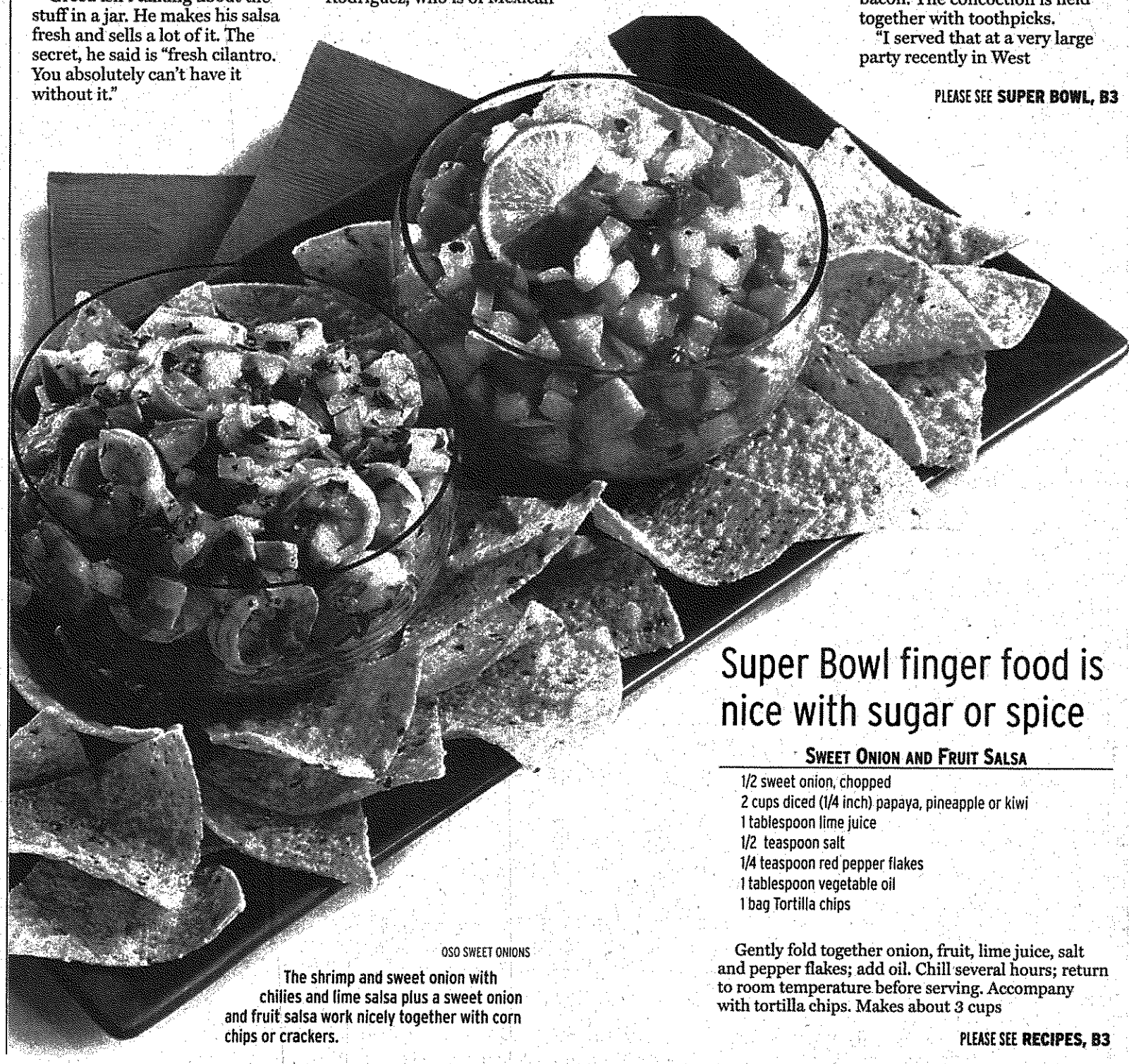

OSO SWEET ONIONS

The shrimp and sweet onion with chilies and lime salsa plus a sweet onion and fruit salsa work nicely together with corn chips or crackers.

Super Bowl finger food is nice with sugar or spice

SWEET ONION AND FRUIT SALSA

1/2 sweet onion, chopped
2 cups diced (1/4 inch) papaya, pineapple or kiwi
1 tablespoon lime juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon red pepper flakes
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1 bag Tortilla chips

Gently fold together onion, fruit, lime juice, salt and pepper flakes; add oil. Chill several hours; return to room temperature before serving. Accompany with tortilla chips. Makes about 3 cups

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Help's on the way – answers to food questions

The Michigan State University Extension of Oakland County maintains a food nutrition and food safety telephone hotline to answer your "burning" questions.

Home Sense

Lois Thieleke

Here's just a sampling of these questions and answers that might help you, too.

Q: Someone gave me a pomegranate, what do I do with it?

A: The seeds are the only edible part of the pomegranate. These seeds contain potassium, vitamin C, fiber and the flavonoid antioxidants that may give your heart protection and help prevent cancer. Roll the pomegranate on the counter, cut off the crown end of the fruit, cut the rind, place in a bowl of water and separate the seeds from the skin and membranes with your fingers. Do not eat the bitter white membrane or skin. The seeds are scarlet or crimson in color. Serve pomegranate seeds on top of salads, sprinkle on a fresh apple pie or grill them on top of a meat dish. Mix them with other tropical fruits or make juice by putting seeds in a blender or food processor. Commercial pomegranate juice is available in specialty stores. This juice can be used in marinades, sauces, vinaigrettes or beverages. There are some wonderful stories about this fruit, such as they were an ancient Greek symbol for fertility and abundance and people would become immortal by eating the seeds.

Q: What are good or bad molds?

A: There are about 300,000 different molds. A "safe" mold is in the blue-veined cheeses such as blue, Roquefort, Gorgonzola or Stilton or the white molds of Brie and camembert. The fuzzy green mold that grow in the refrigerator on forgotten foods are bad! Take precautions to avoid moldy foods. Mold can grow on bread, soft cheese, grain, meats, dairy foods, fruits and vegetables. Throw these moldy foods out!

Q: Many people deep-fried their turkey over the holidays; are there any advantages?

A: Probably the biggest reason this method is so popular is that the turkey cooks relative fast, three to five minutes per pound in a deep fat fryer. There are many risk factors that also need to be considered.

■ You need a large pot to accommodate a turkey so that it is completely submerged and covered

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Ginger beef soup makes dinner easy

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

This Asian-inspired main-dish soup can be on the table in just 15 minutes, using ground beef, ginger, broth, instant ramen noodles and frozen vegetables.

GINGER BEEF AND NOODLE SOUP

(Total preparation and cooking time 15 minutes)

- 1 pound lean ground beef
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon pepper
- 2 cups water
- 13 3/4 to 14 1/2-ounce can ready-to-serve vegetable broth
- 3-ounce package beef-flavored instant ramen noodles, broken up
- 3 cups frozen broccoli stir-fry vegetable mixture

In Dutch oven or large saucepan, brown ground beef over medium heat 6 minutes or until outside surface is no longer pink, breaking up into 3/4-inch crumbles. Pour off drippings.

Add salt, ginger and pepper. Stir in water, broth and seasoning packet from ramen noodles; bring to a boil.

Stir in noodles and vegetables; return to a boil. Continue cooking 2 to 3 minutes or until noodles are tender. Makes 4 servings (serving size about 11/2 cups).

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by at least two inches of the fat.

■ You need a thermometer to monitor the oil temperature and the turkey temperature.

■ Select a safe place to do this type of cooking. The high temperature could start a fire.

Q. What is Vitamin B-6 and what does it do?

A: Vitamin B-6 is a water-soluble vitamin and helps use protein to build body tissue and aids in the metabolism of fat. Vitamin B-6 can be lost in preparation, cooking or storage. To retain this vitamin, serve fruits raw, cook in a minimal amount of water for the shortest time and roast or broil meat and poultry. Bananas, dried prunes, watermelon, potatoes, spinach, chicken, turkey, ground beef, cod and canned salmon are all good sources of Vitamin B-6. Ready-to-eat and instant prepared cereals are generally fortified with Vitamin B-6.

Q: Does mustard lose its intensity (flavor) over time?

A: It is possible for the flavor of mustard to change, especially if it dries out. To rectify this, add a little vinegar, wine or water, stir and refrigerate. If it is fresh mustard, it may lose its "bite" after a couple of days. Ground mustard seeds or mustard powder has very little aroma; when added to a liquid and allowed to stand, though, it becomes quite hot so both of these can be added to give mustard a better flavor.

Q: How do you ripen a pineapple?

A: You can't ripen a pineapple at home, so it's important to choose one in prime condition. When a pineapple is ripe, they are golden yellow, orange yellow or reddish brown depending on the variety. Check out how easy the spikes or leaves can be pulled out from the top.

Choose one that is heavy for its size, avoid one with a dull, yellowish green color that is bruised, moldy or has an unpleasant smell. A "too green" pineapple will be fibrous and not very sweet. Take your time to check on the freshness of the pineapple to make sure you get a perfect one.

Call (248) 858-0904 and ask your question and we'll find the answer for you.

Lois Thieleke is a Birmingham resident and an Extension Home Economist for the Michigan State University Extension-Oakland County.

Wholesome wheat bread made with quality ingredients

Give Thanks

Gerald Matthes

Walking across the snow-covered parking lot in the early hours of the morning increases the pleasure I experience coming into the bakery. The heat of the oven provides a wonderful antidote to the bitter cold of winter.

Already, some of the golden loaves are being transferred to the cooling rack. Head baker Noel Black's long-handled peel draws out of the oven masterpieces, crackling hot and smelling indescribably good. Each one has its own charm of shape, color or texture. But none more than a multigrain bread, which is unique to The Give Thanks Bakery. It's called Swiss Multigrain.

The ingredient list reads, "natural wheat flour, purified water, sprouted whole wheat, corn, buckwheat, sunflower, sesame and flax seeds, barley malt, sea salt and a Biga starter."

This wonderful bread is more than a sum of its parts. It is wholesome, light yet substantial, and has a full-flavored taste.

Now, it is true that multigrain bread can often taste like bird seed. But not this one. There are some interesting reasons for that. Let's take a closer look at the list of ingredients for part of the answer:

Natural wheat flour – Creamy in color (never bleached or bromated), this flour is the closest, in specifications, to the flour used in France for artisan bread.

Purified water – When the dough is mixed we use water that has run through a reverse-osmosis system to pull out chlorine and all impurities. This allows for natural flavors, not masked by conditioners.

Sprouted Whole Wheat – We take winter wheat berries and soak them overnight. Then, when the sprouting process reaches the perfect moment, scalding water brings it to a halt. If allowed to sprout too long or too little, the result is inferior. That's why we do it ourselves so that we can determine the ideal moment.

Corn and buckwheat – The former is for texture, the latter is for flavor.

Sunflower, sesame and flax seeds – Are nutritional and add flavor and texture.

Barley malt – This adds a light touch of sweetness and plays an important role during the fermentation stage. Also, it has much to do with the rich, burnt sienna color of the loaves when they come out of the oven.

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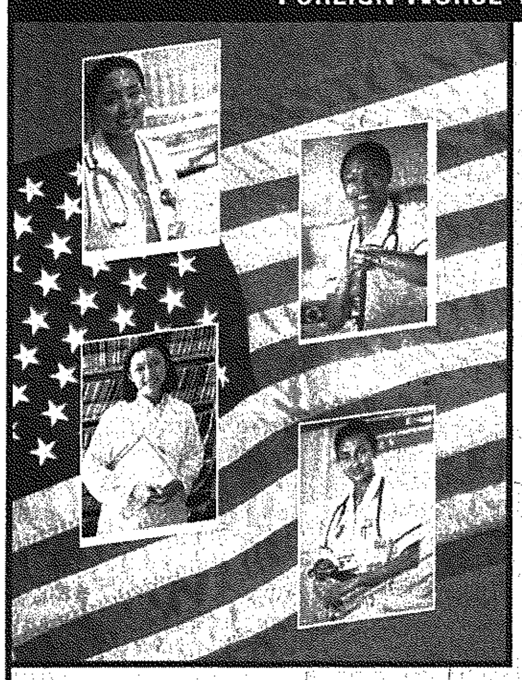

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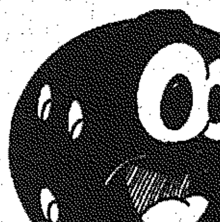

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Fresh Salsa

- 4 ripe tomatoes, chopped
- 2 jalapeno chilies, seeded and chopped
- 1 red onion, chopped
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1/4 cup chopped cilantro
- 1 tablespoon lime or lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon cumin

Combine all ingredients and let the flavors blend for at least one hour before serving. Keeps well; refrigerate in a covered container.

Yield: About 2 cups

Source: www.drmirkin.com

Fast Touchdown Brownies

- 1 package Pillsbury Rich & Moist Fudge Brownie Mix
- 1/4 cup vanilla frosting
- Football-shaped cookie cutter (found at Michael's Crafts stores) or one empty 2-pound coffee can
- 1 small reseable food storage plastic bag

If using the coffee can method: clean can thoroughly. Remove label. Make sure all sharp edges are removed from edges of can. Bend rim of cleaned can easily and shape into football. For small brownies, use empty tomato sauce can bent into shape of football. You can shape can with force of hands by rolling it.

Heat oven to 350 ºF. Bake brownie mix according to package directions. Cool. Cut football shapes from brownie using cookie cutter or coffee can cutter. Spoon frosting into small resealable food storage plastic. bags. Cut small hole in bottom corner of each bag. Squeeze frosting on brownie to resemble football stitching as in photo. Refrigerate until serving time.

Source: Pillsbury

Sautéed Mushrooms With Chipotle and Garlic Tacos

- 1 pound medium crimini or white mushrooms, halved, sliced
- 3 tablespoons vegetable oil, divided
- 1 sweet onion, quartered, sliced
- 2 large cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 1/2 tablespoon chopped chipotle chile in adobo (canned) or to taste
- 1/4 cup chopped parsley
- 12 corn tortillas, warmed

Over high heat in large frying pan, sauté mushrooms in two tablespoons hot oil, stirring constantly until lightly browned, about three minutes.

Remove from pan; reserve. In the same pan, sauté onion in remaining oil until soft, about five minutes.

Stir in garlic and chipotle; cook one minute, stirring constantly.

Stir in mushroom pieces. Stir in parsley.

Serve in tortillas.

Makes about 3 cups

Chicken With Tomatillo Sauce Tacos

- 8 ounces fresh tomatillos or 1 can (13 ounces) tomatillos, drained (found at produce markets like Nino Salvaggio's or Randazzo's)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 tablespoon finely chopped jalapeño pepper
- 1 sweet onion, coarsely chopped
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil, divided
- 2 large cloves garlic, finely chopped
- 3 boneless chicken breast halves, about 1 pound, cut in 1/2-inch dice
- 1/3 cup chicken broth
- 3 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- 12 corn tortillas, warmed

For fresh tomatillos, cover with water; bring to boil, add one teaspoon salt. Reduce heat; simmer until tender, about 10 minutes, then drain.

Purée cooked or canned tomatillos and jalapeño in food processor or blender; reserve. Over medium heat, sauté onion in oil until tender, about 5 minutes. Stir in garlic; sauté one minute. Raise heat to medium-high; stir in chicken. Cook, stirring constantly, until chicken is opaque, about two minutes. Stir in reserved tomatillo purée and broth. Cook, stirring constantly, until sauce thickens, about five minutes. Add more salt to taste, if desired. Stir in cilantro. Serve in tortillas. Makes about 3 cups

Source: OSO Sweet Onions

Shrimp and Sweet Onion With Chilies and Lime

- 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice
- 1/2 tablespoon finely chopped jalapeño pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon ground cumin
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 1-1/2 pounds small raw shrimp, peeled and deveined
- 1 lemon, sliced
- 1 large, firm-ripe avocado, about 8 ounces
- 1 sweet onion, diced
- 3 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- Tortilla chips

For dressing, whisk together lemon juice, jalapeño, cumin and salt.

Whisk in oil; reserve. In a saucepan, cover shrimp and lemon with water. Bring to boil; turn off heat.

Let shrimp stand three minutes.

Drain, then cool quickly in iced water; drain immediately. (Do not let shrimp soak; they will absorb water.) Cool to room temperature.

Cut avocado into one-quarter-inch dice; fold into shrimp with reserved dressing and onion. Shrimp may be cooked up to the day before; dish may be assembled and refrigerated several hours before serving.

Just before serving, fold in cilantro.

Accompany with tortilla chips. Makes 8 appetizer servings

Source: OSO Sweet Onions

SUPER BOWL

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Bloomfield and people absolutely loved it," he said. "The ingredients are simple but, as with any appetizer, it's labor intensive."

Or he makes Rumaki — chicken liver wrapped in precooked bacon either with or without chestnuts. If serving guests mainly sampler foods, estimate that each guest will eat a minimum of four to six of each type every hour. So if there are three options, the average guest will eat about 12 each hour.

"Unless you have shrimp, then they'll go wild over it and eat more," he said.

Connie Smigielski of Connie's Catering in Plymouth said party hosts should remember to keep the food easy to eat. She serves finger food at Super Bowl parties like "two-biters" which are mini tacos: tiny taco shells stuffed with beans or meat.

"On Super Bowl Sunday people like food they can grab and eat without sitting down," Smigielski said. "They're standing and talking and milling about watching the game.

"Just don't forget the beer."

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Lentils help take chill out of winter

January is prime soup season. A steaming pot of soup on a cold winter's day warms the soul and nourishes the body. It will fill you up and fill your home with appealing fragrance.

Putting together a pot of soup doesn't have to be an all-day project, and some of the most healthful soups take the least time to prepare.

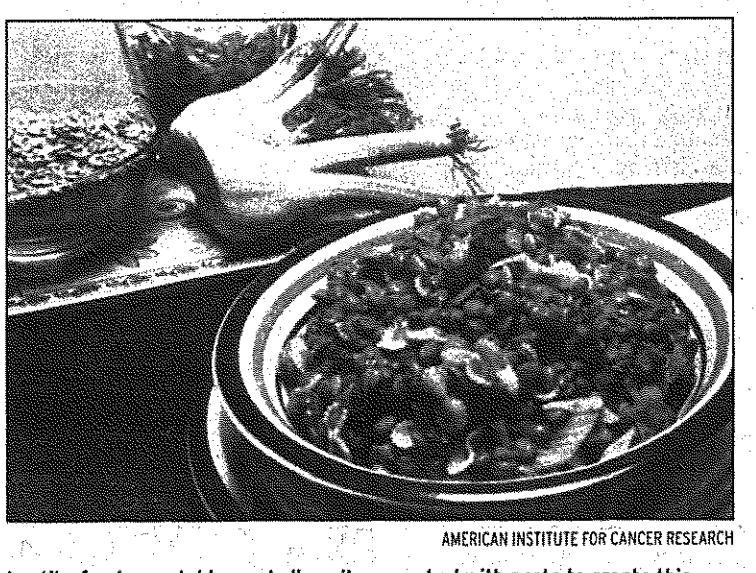
The place to start is with lentils. Unlike many dried beans and legumes, lentils cook quickly because they don't require soaking. Health experts love lentils because they are rich in vitamins, minerals, dietary fiber and the phytochemicals that help protect your body from cancer and other chronic diseases. A standard, one-half cup serving of lentils contains six to eight grams of fiber and so much protein that they can be used as a meat substitute.

Using lentils in dishes is also an inexpensive way to provide hearty, healthful bulk. In addition to soups, lentils are used in salads, dips, stews, and as toppings for whole grains like rice or couscous.

Lentils are ethnically diverse, popular in many parts of Europe, India and the Middle East. Brown lentils are used in hearty peasant stews and tiny green lentils are a French delicacy. Before cooking, pick through them and remove debris and any broken or discolored lentils. Rinse them under cold water and place them in a pan along with a bay leaf and enough water or broth to cover by one inch. Cover and bring to a boil, then reduce the heat to low and simmer 10 to 20 minutes, adding more liquid as necessary, until they are just tender. Season to taste with salt and pepper.

When cooked right, lentils are chewy yet tender, with the kind of mouth-feel and flavor we expect from comfort foods. If overcooked, they may become mushy.

In this Italian-inspired recipe, lentils, fresh vegetables and some olive oil are cooked with pasta to make a satisfying, nutritious soup that will warm any January day.



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Lentils, fresh vegetables and olive oil are cooked with pasta to create this Italian inspired dish that can be served as a soup or stew.

Italian Lentil Stew

- 1 tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
- 1 medium carrot, finely chopped (about 1 cup)
- 1 small onion, finely chopped (about 1 cup)
- 1 cup diced fennel
- 1 1/2 cups green or small brown lentils
- 1/2 cup finely-chopped flat-leaf parsley
- 1/2-1 teaspoon basil
- 1/2-1 teaspoon marjoram
- 1/2-1 teaspoon chopped dried chives
- Salt and freshly ground black pepper, to taste
- 1/3 cup small pasta
- 6 cups water

In a small Dutch oven or 3-quart saucepan, heat the oil over medium high heat.

Stir in the carrot, onion and fennel and cook 3 minutes, stirring occasionally, just to soften the vegetables slightly.

Add the lentils and 6 cups water. Stir in parsley, basil, marjoram and chives. Bring to a boil, reduce heat and simmer for 30 minutes, uncovered.

Stir in the salt, pepper and pasta. Cook until the pasta is done and the lentils are soft, 10 to 15 minutes. Add more water, stirring it in gradually until mixture is desired consistency. Adjust seasonings and add more herbs if desired.

This dish can also be served as a soup, depending on the amount of water used. At this point, the stew (or soup) can be served, or stored in the refrigerator or freezer.

Makes 8 servings if served as a stew, more if thinned to a soup.

Per serving: 163 calories, 2 g. total fat (less than 1 g. saturated fat), 26 g. carbohydrate, 11 g. protein, 12 g. dietary fiber, 17 mg. sodium.

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Here's how to photograph in cold weather

For those of you who live in cold climates or for those who live in the South but travel to snow country, winter photography can reward you with fabulous shots for your photo album.

Focus on Photography

Monte Nagler

But cold weather photography can present you with some problems that make shooting more difficult than during fair weather.

While photographers who live in a very cold climate are accustomed to such conditions, anyone used to more temperate weather can get caught unprepared.

Before setting off to take photographs in very cold conditions, you should spend some time preparing your equipment and your own clothing. Almost any camera can be operated normally to about zero degrees, but at temperatures lower than this, difficulties may start to occur.

Why do cameras function less efficiently in the cold? The most common reason is loss of battery power. Batteries not only operate the metering system, but also operate the shutter on most newer cameras. Batteries work by chemical reactions which always proceed more slowly at lower temperatures. Solution: Keep the battery in your pocket until just ready to shoot. Take your shots, then place the battery back in your pocket to keep it warm.

There are precautions you should take, too, for photographing in very cold weather. Dress warmly, in layers, and make sure your clothing allows easy access to cameras and lenses. Wear two pairs of gloves: a heavy outer pair and a thin inner pair. Remove the outer gloves when you're ready to shoot. The thin pair will keep your hands warm yet will enable you to work all camera controls.

In cold weather, you must take special care with your film. Because it can become brittle, advance it carefully and slowly as you run through the roll (turn off your power-winder) and rewind it carefully, too.

Besides the physical problems of working in low temperatures, there are other considerations, a major one being exposure. Snow-covered scenery is quite different from the average scene and the meter can be fooled. Remember that all meters are programmed to read average gray, so with snow scenes, be sure to overexpose a stop or two in order to produce a good negative.

When you come in from the cold, pay special attention to your camera.

Water vapor in a heated room condenses on cold metal and glass surfaces and your camera will become covered with moisture. No damage will be done, just be sure to wipe off your camera.

There you have it. During the next cold snap get out and snap some prize-winning shots.

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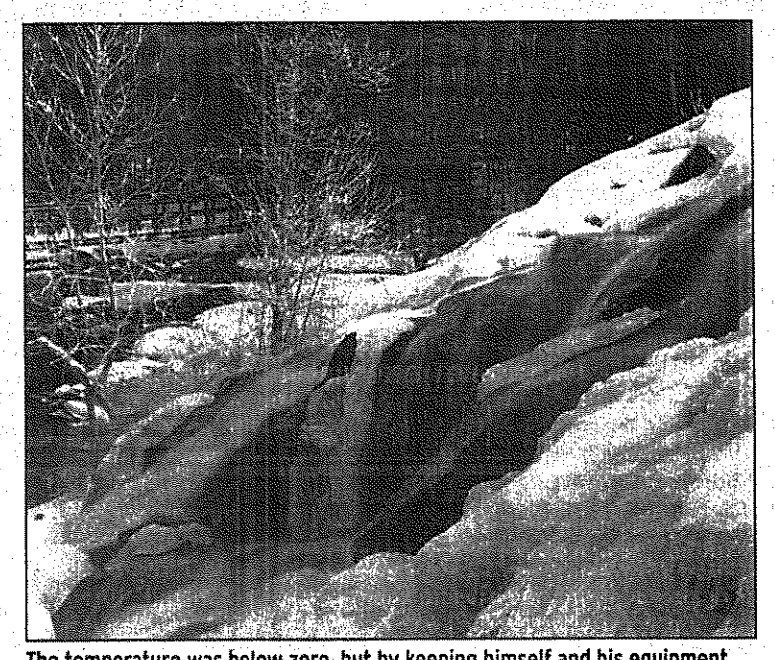

The temperature was below zero, but by keeping himself and his equipment warm, Monte Nagler was able to bring home this exciting shot of Bond Falls taken in Michigan's Upper Peninsula.

The new book on Motown is a slow read on music minutiae

MOTOWN: MUSIC, MONEY, SEX, AND POWER
By Gerald Posner (Random House, $24.95)

I really don't think it's just my imagination that much of this book, penned by the investigative journalist/historian Gerald Posner, is hard going.

Victoria Diaz

By that, I don't mean it's difficult to read or understand; I mean that it's slow as molasses in January — unless you might happen to be a recording executive or involved in the business somehow.

Though Posner brings us many of the facts of the rise and fall of Detroit's historic Hitsville USA, he ultimately fails to bring that history to life. And there's really not a whole lot that's new on these pages, either.

As to plodding details, I doubt that most readers will be particularly interested, for instance, in finding out the names and backgrounds of every member of Berry Gordy's promotion team back in the 60's, along with the sales department, and some of the most obscure artists. There's some pretty excruciating minutiae here, too, about the ultimate and complex sale of Motown, plus the numerous lawsuits filed against Motown by performers who considered their contracts financially unfair. (According to Posner, "The bulk of those legal files are crammed into multiple steel cabinets in the basement of the Wayne County Court in downtown Detroit. Some lawsuits over royalty disputes that arose in the 1960s are still pending....")

Not surprisingly, the lead player in this chapter of pop culture is Berry Gordy himself, the Detroit native who founded Motown, bringing a new "crossover" sound to the American scene, and eventually developing some of the brightest stars in musical history—Diana Ross and the Supremes, Michael Jackson, Stevie Wonder, the Temptations, and Marvin Gaye, to name a few.

Before the Motown label existed, a few small recording companies like JVB and Sensation struggled to survive in Detroit. But, not long after Gordy obtained an $800 loan from his close-knit family to start the business he would eventually sell (to Boston Ventures and MCA) for $61 million, these companies pretty much faded away.

In his early days, Gordy struggled to find a career niche. He served a stint in the Army, took up boxing, worked for his father's contracting business, toiled on the Ford assembly line, and finally began to try his hand at songwriting (though he had never had any formal musical training, and still hasn't). He hung out often at Detroit's Flame Show Bar, where he met the club's owner. Al Green, and young talents like the flamboyant Jackie Wilson. As it happened, Green owned a music publishing company, and soon "BG" was one of its songwriters.

Eventually, he was writing and producing songs, and had obtained the loan from his family to start his own label. In 1959, he purchased (for $25,000) the rather plain-looking house at 2648 West Grand Boulevard that would become the headquarters for Hitsville USA.

He ran the business something like a benign, paternalistic dictator, and modeled it after some of the assembly line procedures he'd witnessed while he was employed at Ford Motor Company.

For Berry Gordy, the bottom line was seemingly always the top priority.

And for those on its payroll, being a part of Motown was, in many ways, like being part of a large family. Gordy even hired a cook to put together generous and unpretentious meals in the kitchen for any and all employees.

"You wouldn't think twice about pitching in to help with whatever had to be done," according to the Temptations' Otis Williams, "whether it was singing backgrounds or mopping the floor."

Posner adds, "On any given day, a visitor...might find Pops Gordy doing some repair on the house, or Smokey Robinson cutting the grass."

Things changed, of course, and drastically, as Motown grew more and more successful. Finally, the business outgrew its little home on Grand Boulevard and moved into comparatively cold and generic offices downtown. Then, Gordy fell in love with the sunshine of California, and moved the business there, repeated and costly litigation had to be dealt with and, simply put, Motown matters apparently became too much for him to oversee the way he'd always tried to.

Ever the gambler, Gordy saw himself as a winner of sorts in the end, however, even though he had to give up Motown in order to save it.

"From $800 to $61 million, I had done it," he once commented about the sale, "I had won the poker hand."

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WHERE CAN I FIND?

Through reader feedback, this interactive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that's difficult to find. If where a product is sold or service is available, call (248) 901-2555 and leave a message with your name and phone number. Please be patient about your requests and feedback; we receive an overwhelming number of phone calls. Also, please spell any uncommon items. If you don't see information about your request, we couldn't find it. Requests are published twice.

WHAT WE FOUND

– **Fried dill pickles** can be purchased at The Louge on 2442 Orchard Lake Road in Sylvan Lake (248) 683-5458.

– **Donn Kenney slacks** can be purchased at Reruns Consignment on Five Mile Road (734)522-2868.

– **Paper towels in a small box** can be purchased at Hiller's Market on M[illegible] and Orchard Lakes roads.

– **Dated silver bells** can be purchased at Marshall Field's.

– The following stores carry **back scratchers**: Area Pier One stores; Walgreens on Grand River and Eight Mile roads, Walgreens on Joy and Telegraph. Restoration Hardware at Somerset Collection also sells a metal back scratcher.

Zagorka beer can be purchased at the Wine Castle on the southwest corner Seven Mile and Farmington roads in Livonia (248) 477-5533

– **All Night Auto** is at 33729 Plymouth Road in Livonia (734) 427-3100.

WHAT WE'RE LOOKING FOR:

– A store that sells **pearl barley** for Gladys.

– A store or catalog that sells **men's pajamas** no buttons on the top (pullover) for Dan.

– A store that sells **Vanity Fair women's under garments** for Gladys.

– A **VHS tape** of the *Bonanza* show titled "Forever" with Bonnie Bedelia for Pam.

– A company that manufactures **little spice jars** with the labels on the top of the jars for Tom of Bloomfield.

– A store that sells a **stirring spoon** with a hook that attaches to the side of a pot for Connie.

– A store or catalog that sells **women's cargo pants** by Yours ASAP-California for Marilyn.

– A store that sells the **card game Mille Bourne** for Carol.

– A store in the Troy area that sells **clip style button earrings**, white or black no trim for Helen.

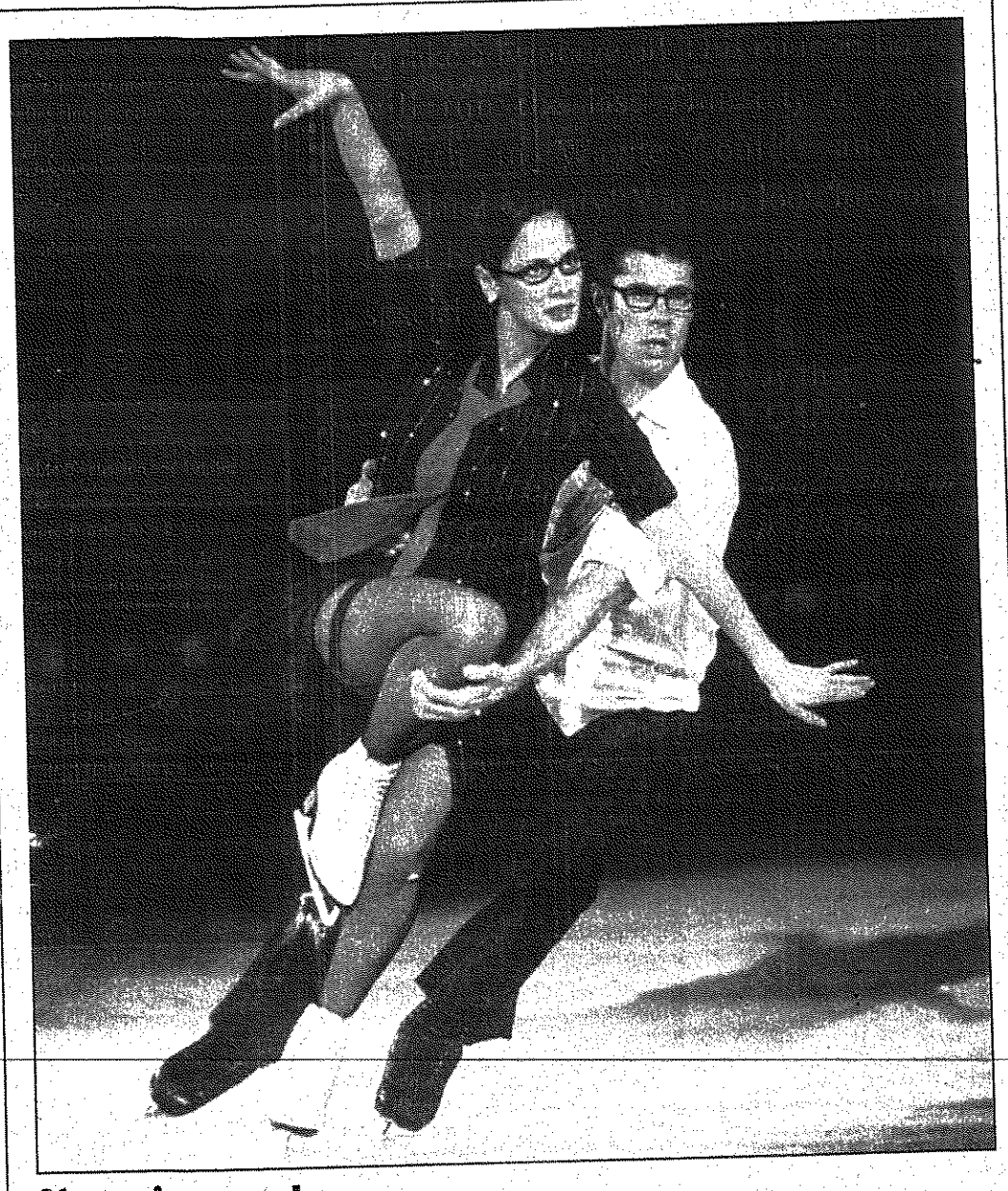
– A store that sells **Stewart Little stickers** for Natal.

– The **cookbook** *Home Cooking* from *Women's Circle* magazine (broccoli soup on the cover) for Carmen.

– A store that sells women's **Donn Kenney slacks in large sizes** for Del.

– A store that sells **Weight Watchers butter spray** for popcorn for Ann of Westland.

– Compiled by Sandi Jarackas



Champions on Ice

U.S. Dance Champions (1998) and Detroiters Elizabeth Punsalan and Jerod Swallow will perform with Chevy Champions on Ice on May 2 at Joe Louis Arena. Tickets for the show go on sale 10 a.m. Monday, Jan. 20. Chevy Champions is celebrating 25 years as a top-notch skating event. Headliners this year include Olympic Gold Medalist Sarah Hughes, two-time Olympic medalist Michelle Kwan, Olympic Bronze Medalist Tim Goebel, two-time Olympic medalist Elvis Stojko, World Champion Irina Slutskaya, Olympic team member Sasha Cohen, 1992 Olympic Champion Victor Petrenko, 1995 United States Champion and Detroiter Nicole Bobek, three-time World Silver Medalist Surya Bonaly, two-time Olympic Bronze Medalist and crowd-pleaser Philippe Candeloro and 1996 US Champion Rudy Galindo. Tickets are $65, $45 and $30, available through Joe Louis Arena and Fox Theatre box offices, Hockeytown Authentics in Troy (without service charges) and all Ticketmaster locations, including Marshall Field's. Tickets may be charged by phone at (248) 645-6666. Or buy online at www.OlympiaEntertainment.com and www.Ticketmaster.com on the Internet.

AT THE ZOO

The Detroit Zoo's Wild Winter program continues through February in the Wildlife Gallery and at various locations inside the zoo. Here's the activities schedule for February:

■ Fortune Smiles – The strolling singers serenade with classic love songs 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1.

■ Valentine crafts – Saturday, Feb. 1 and 8. Time to be arranged.

■ Mosaic Youth Quartet performs animal songs as they stroll the zoo on Saturday, Feb. 8. Time to be arranged.

■ Keeper talks – Every Sunday in February. Information will be available on the zoo Web site at www.detroitzoo.org.

■ Kooky Karly – The "scissor wizard" creates wearable animal cutouts, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 15, in the Wildlife Interpretive Gallery.

■ Marc Thomas & Max the Moose – Thomas and Max perform "moosical" fun at noon and 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, in the Wildlife Interpretive Gallery.

The zoo is located at Woodward and the I-696 service drive in Royal Oak.

Put your artistry to work

Wayne County Council for Arts, History and Humanities is sponsoring a logo contest open to all visual and graphic artists living, studying or working in Wayne County.

Visual arts students from art departments throughout Wayne County also may participate. Send submissions to WCCAHH Logo Contest, c/o The Maniscalco Gallery, 17728 Mack, Grosse Pointe, MI 48230.

Include full name, complete mailing address with zip code, area code and telephone number, and e-mail address. Include SASE if you want the submission to be returned.

Contest deadline is Monday, March 31. The winner will be notified within 30 days after contest closes and will receive a $300 cash award and recognition at the "Annual Wayne County Executive's Awards" Ceremony in May. The work of the top five runners-up also will be on display at this event. The winning logo will become the property of WCCAHH.

Here are the specifications:

■ 8½-by-11 white archival paper, mounted on a firm substrate, with issue to protect artwork.

■ May be computer generated.

■ Must be camera ready.

The new logo should be simple enough to be recognized easily as symbol of the creativity, inclusiveness, and grass roots nature of the organization, yet convey the weight and integrity of a county-wide institution. The new logo should include all three facets of what the organization does (arts, history and humanities), though not necessarily in a literal depiction. It should suggest vision, inspiration, elegance, gracefulness, perhaps spontaneity and fun.

Logo uses include letterhead, Web site design, banners, signage. Full color is desirable but since the logo might occasionally be expressed in black and white, it should be able to stand without color if necessary.

The organization plans to redesign its Web site (www.WayneArts.org) around the new logo. Bids for Web site designers also will be accepted.

The mission of WCCAHH is to advance arts, history and humanities in Wayne County, provide opportunities to Wayne County citizens and raise appreciation of arts, history and culture in Wayne County. One of the ways it does this is through various programs: *Artists Among Us* is a touring exhibition, unique in it's collaboration between the visual, musical and literary arts. It also presents annual awards to deserving artists, educators and patrons. It presents *Fresh Art Festivals*, in which artists paint outside during public gatherings, exposing the public to the artistic process.

It also is starting to mentor "at risk" populations. It is committed to encouraging collaboration between the more than 600 arts-related organizations in Wayne County as well as social service organizations.

The group is in the process of hiring an executive director and setting up offices.

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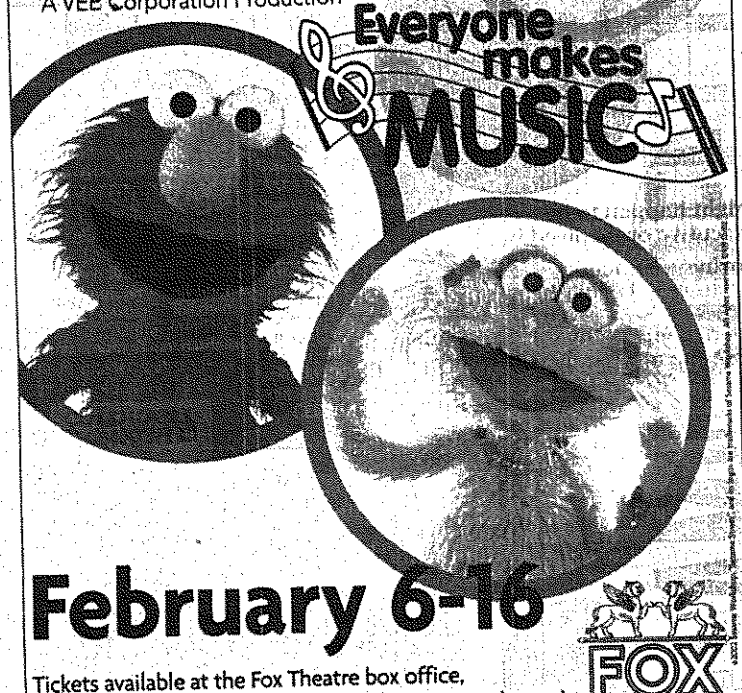

February 6-16

Tickets available at the Fox Theatre box office, Hockeytown Authentics in Troy (without service charges) and at all ticketmaster ticket centers, including Marshall Field's. Charge by phone: 248-433-1515 or order on-line at OlympiaEntertainment.com.

February 5 is Detroit Public TV Exclusive Premiere Night with Meet & Greet opportunities. All proceeds benefit Detroit Public TV children's programming. Call 313-876-8195 for more information or visit www.detroitpublictv.org

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A solo performance written and conceived by Sekou Sundiata

Today! 2 pm
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Sekou Sundiata performs his one-man show, *blessing the boats*, a sequence of poems, prose and monologues with music and visual media that take the audience on a solo journey through three years of the poet's life.

Educational activities are presented with support from the **Whitney Fund.**
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This is a **Heartland Arts Fund** program.
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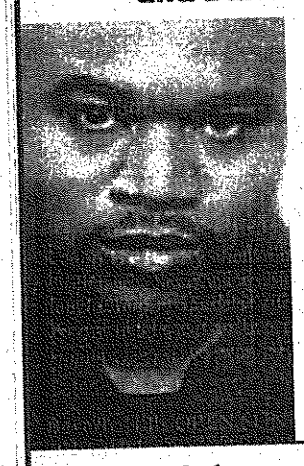
Sekou Sundiata and Band



with Khary Kimani Turner and Detroit's Black Bottom Collective

Mon **1/20** 8 pm
Michigan Theater • Ann Arbor

Following a national tour with Ani DiFranco, urban poet Sekou Sundiata fuses soul, jazz, and hip-hop grooves with political insight and humor. Detroit's Black Bottom Collective, whose alternative/hip-hop/soul vibe was voted Best Soul 2002 by the *Detroit Free Press*, opens for Sundiata's band.

Co-presented with the **UM Office of Academic Multicultural Initiatives.**
This is a **Heartland Arts Fund** program.
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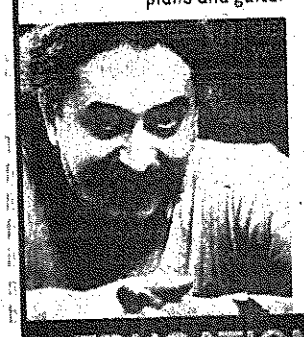

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Roundtable Discussion and Exhibit
Sat **2/8** 1 pm
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CATCH ME IF YOU CAN
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KANGAROO JACK (PG) NV
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A GUY THING (PG13) NV
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ABOUT SCHMIDT (R)
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NARC (R) NV
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THE WILD THORNBERRY'S (PG)
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HARRY POTTER: CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG)
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MAID IN MANHATTAN (PG13)
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DRUMLINE (PG13)
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HARRY POTTER & THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG)
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RABBIT PROOF FENCE (PG)
SUN (11:15, 1:45, 4:15) 7:00, 9:30
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FRIDA (R)
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BROWN SUGAR (PG13)
11:00, 1:50, 4:35, 7:15, 10:00
EIGHT CRAZY NIGHTS (PG13)
12:00, 2:40, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40
GHOST SHIP (R)
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I SPY (PG13)
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JACKASS: THE MOVIE (R)
11:45, 2:30, 5:20, 8:00, 10:30
ONE HOUR PHOTO (R)
2:05, 7:10
SANTA CLAUSE 2 (G)
11:00, 1:40, 4:20, 6:55, 9:30
SIGNS (PG13)
11:10, 2:10, 4:50, 7:25, 10:05
SPYKIDS 2 (PG)
11:20, 1:55, 4:30, 7:05, 9:35
STUART LITTLE 2 (PG)
11:30, 2:15, 4:45
SWEET HOME ALABAMA (PG13)
11:15, 2:05, 4:50, 7:30, 10:20
TRANSPORTER (PG13)
11:35, 4:40, 2:50
TREASURE PLANET (PG
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CATCH ME IF YOU CAN (PG13)
1:05, 4:00, 7:00, 9:45
GANGS OF NEW YORK (R)
1:30, 5:00, 8:15
ANNIE (PG)
SUN. 1:00
CASABLANCA
SUN. 4:30, 7:00,9:30
ON THE WATERFRONT
MON-THURS 1:00, 3:30, 7:00,9:30
FRIDA (R)
1:00, 7:00,
ALL OR NOTHING (R)
3:30, 9:30
MY BIG FAT GREEK WEDDING (PG)
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LORD OF THE RINGS: THE TWO TOWERS (PG13)
SUN MON.
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OPEN CAPTIONED 12:50, 4:25, 8:00;
THE WILD THORNBERRYS (PG)
1:00, 3:00, 5:00
MAID IN MANHATTAN (PG13)
12:50, 3:05, 5:20, 7:35,9:50
DRUMLINE (PG13)
MON.-THURS 7:15, 9:45
ANALYZE THAT (R)
1:15, 3:25, 5:35,7:45,9:55
HARRY POTTER & THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS (PG)
12:35, 4:35, 8:35
TREASURE PLANET (PG)
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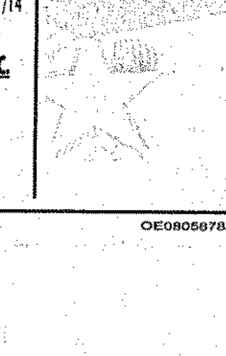

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Tour the art collection of Rochester architect

Paint Creek Center for the Arts presents "Art at Home," a tour of Rochester architect Gerald Yurk's art collection Saturday, Jan. 25.

Yurk began collecting art when he moved to Rochester in 1989. His collection consists of pieces purchased in Paint Creek Center for the Arts galleries, the Art & Apples Festival and "For the Love of Art" auctions. Among his favorite pieces are works by Michigan artists Marianne Hall and Paul Flichinger.

Yurk is the fifth generation of a family of construction workers with uncles and grandfathers who were carpenters or cabinet-makers and a great-great-great grandfather who was a wagon builder. He began drawing house plans as a child and by age 14 his plans led to a house being built. His official architectural training began at Lawrence Tech in Southfield where he obtained his degree.

Yurk's 1964 home was originally 1800 square feet with a two-car garage. After additions in 1992, 1993 and 1994, the home is 5600 square feet with a three car garage. The old garage is now a workshop and greenhouse for his wife who has a love for gardening.

Capacity is limited for the "Art at Home" tour. Tickets are $20 for PCCA members, $25 for non-members. Refreshments and sweets will be served in this luxurious setting. To register, call (248) 651-4110. For more information on the arts center, visit the Web site at www.pccart.org.

Novi theater offers open caption films

Emagine Entertainment, Inc. has begun showing open captioned films for the hearing impaired at its Novi theater.

Open captioning is enhanced English subtitles that are 98 percent verbatim with audio prompts for slamming doors, doorbells and off screen dialogue (radio broadcast). Unlike subtitles in foreign films, open captions are placed directly beneath the person speaking on screen. Open captioned films ensure movie patrons of a complete onscreen experience.

An open captioned film is so flexible that it can play on every screen in any theatre. All sound is intact on the original film so the movie can be enjoyed by those with a hearing impairment or the general public.

Here's a schedule of open captioned films at Emagine Novi, located in the Fountain Walk shopping center, located between 12 Mile and I-96, just west of Novi Road, in Novi:

■ Jan. 17-23 — *Lord of the Rings: The Two Towers*, at 12:50, 4:25, and 8 p.m.

■ Jan. 24-30 — *Die Another Day* at 1:05, 4:05, 6:45 and 9:25 p.m.

■ Jan. 31-Feb. 6 — *Two Weeks Notice* at 1:25, 3:30, 5:35, 7:40 and 9:45 p.m.

The films run every day. For more information and updates, log onto www.emagine-entertainment.com on the Internet.

Tripod Captioned Films, an outreach program of the Tripod Education Program, was created to bring "the big screen" experience to deaf and hard of hearing audiences. Recently it became its own 501c3 nonprofit with a new name, InSight Cinema.

Books on Lyndon Johnson, Ben Franklin nominated for award

NEW YORK (AP) — Robert Caro's *Master of the Senate*, winner of the National Book Award, and William Langewiesche's *American Ground*, which accuses firefighters of looting ground zero after the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks, are among the finalists for the National Book Critics Circle awards.

Authors from other countries are also eligible for NBCC prizes and Britain's Ian McEwan was nominated for *Atonement*, the best selling novel about, among other things, the process of writing. Last year's winners included three writers from outside the United States.

This year, some of the awards drama may involve the voters themselves. After last November's National Book Awards ceremony, nonfiction judge Michael Kinsley acknowledged that he hadn't read most of the books submitted. His defense: The absurdity of getting through more than 400 works in six months.

With the awards ceremony on Feb. 26, less than two months away, NBCC judges have a lot of reading to do. All 22 board members are expected to vote in all five categories, a total of 25 texts that range from Major Jackson's 75-page poetry volume, *Leaving Saturn*, to Caro's 1,100-page epic about Lyndon Johnson's years in the Senate.

Critics, of course, read books for a living and many have likely already completed a good number of the final selections. But NBCC president Elizabeth Taylor acknowledges that judges, who still have to keep up with new releases, commonly ask not to vote in a specific category.

"Every year, one person usually says he or she didn't have time to read all the books," said Taylor, literary editor for the Chicago Tribune.

Individual judges have a greater impact on the NBAs, where five-member committees vote in just one category. And unlike the NBAs, publishers are not charged for submitting works and judges are not paid.

"We think of it as a labor of love," Taylor said.

The nomination of *American Ground* marks a breakthrough for Sept. 11 books, which have been defined more by their quantity — at least 100 published this fall alone — than by their merit.

The firefighting community, not reviewers, have been the biggest critics of Langewiesche's book. About 150 demonstrators, including off-duty firefighters and widows of firefighters killed in the attack, gathered outside a museum in Manhattan last fall where Langewiesche was holding a book-signing session.

The demonstrators — some chanting "Liar! Liar!" — distributed a letter from New York City fire department Commissioner Nicholas Scoppetta accusing the author of "tarnishing the memory of our city's heroes with foolish, absurd and unfounded accusations."

Reversing the usual trend, the critics' picks were better known than the choices for the NBA, which are voted on by fellow writers. Such notable works as Jeffrey Eugenides' novel, *Middlesex*, and Edmund Morgan's biography of Benjamin Franklin, overlooked for the NBAs, are finalists for the book critic awards.

Most of the nominated books came from major publishers, including nine by Random House Inc. and four by Farrar, Straus & Giroux.

Morgan's nomination for *Benjamin Franklin* continues one of the past year's happiest publishing stories. The 86-year-old professor emeritus at Yale University has long been admired among scholars of the colonial era. But his short book on Franklin was a commercial breakthrough, with more than 100,000 copies in print and a brief appearance on The New York Times' best seller list.

The National Book Critics Circle, founded in 1974, is a not-for-profit organization of book editors and critics. No cash prizes are given for the NBCC awards.

On the Net: National Book Critics Circle: http://www.bookcritics.org

'Unreal Championship' mindless fun

BY WILLIAM SCHIFFMANN
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

VIDEO GAMES

Fast-paced action, dazzling weapons and a variety of play modes make "Unreal Championship" one of the best pure shooters on the shelf for the Xbox.

Plot? There really isn't one. But who needs a plot when the next enemy is just a footstep away – and he's armed with a rocket launcher aimed right at you, with his finger on the trigger?

"Unreal Championship" comes to us from Digital Extremes and Infogrames as a follow to one of my favorite shooters, "Unreal Tournament." The game supports online play, which should be spectacular.

Modes include Deathmatch, in which you ascend a ladder through maze-like venues by wiping out console-controlled opponents.

You move on when you reach a preset number of kills before your opponents do.

Team Deathmatch is similar, except that you head a team of four players.

Three roam on their own, and their kills (and deaths) are reported back to you. Again, you must reach a preset number of kills before the other team.

There's a lethal version of Capture the Flag, and also an interesting variation called Bombing Run, in which you must deliver a ball to a goal in enemy territory.

Playing turns you into a futuristic Roman gladiator, with vast coliseums in which you are pursued by enemies as heavily armed as you are.

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Lawrence Street Gallery
The gallery hosts an all-media competition that celebrates the figure. Exhibit will run Feb. 5-28. Gallery will receive work from Jan. 29 through Feb. 1. Bill Tall will jury the competition. Gallery hours are noon to 5 p.m., Wednesday through Saturday at 6 N. Saginaw St. in downtown Pontiac. (248) 644-5894.

Livonia Arts Commission
Winter scenes of Livonia: Paintings or photographs to be entered by Nov. 10, 2003. Call Community Resources for details (734) 466-2536

LECTURES

Ann Arbor Women Artists
Sponsoring a talk by James Cogswell at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 21, at the Ann Arbor Art Center. Panel discussion on painting and digital art at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 17. For more info on Cogswell talk call (734) 995-2074; on panel discussion call (734) 668-6507.

Michael Farrell
Farrell, associate professor of art history, University of Windsor, lectures on Charles Russel at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 19 at Hillside Middle School, 145 N. Center, Northville. His other topics are: Frederic Remington, March 12, and Native American art, April 16. Lectures are $10 general admission or $5 for students. (248) 449-9950.

CLASSES

Ann Arbor Art Center
Winter classes began Jan. 13 for adults and children, offering painting, photography, ceramics and jewelry making. 117 West Liberty, Ann Arbor. For more information, call (734) 994-8004, Ext. 101.
Winter classes also include dance classes for children age 3 and up with Portia Fields. For those with theatrical tastes, the center is offering Introduction to Acting, Storytelling and Stage Combat classes. (248) 333-7849 to register.

The Art Factory
Rockin' Rainforest Workshop offers two sessions from 9 a.m.-noon or from 1-4 p.m., Feb. 24-28 for children ages 6-12 at 220 Felch St., Ann Arbor (734) 994-8004
Dinorama! Workshop offered 9 a.m.-noon or 1-4 p.m. April 21-25 for children ages 6-12. Lunch programs will not be available. (734) 994-8004

Paint Creek Center for the Arts
Winter classes in drawing, clay, fundamentals of art, handmade tiles, portraiture and figure, watercolor and photo started Jan. 13 in the center, 407 Pine, Rochester. New preschool classes include Parent & Child Make Art Together and creative movement. Call (248) 651-4110 to register.

Pewabic Pottery
The historic pottery offers classes in tile making, wheel throwing, glazes and more. Both adult and child-adult classes; one-day workshop and outreach classes are available. Adult classes run 12 weeks and began Jan. 6. Register at (313) 822-0954. For class times, fees at outreach centers, call Ferndale Community & Adult Education at (248) 542-2535 or Clarkston Community Schools, (248) 623-4306.

Touch of Light
Winter glass blowing classes begin in mid-January. Basic tools and materials supplied. Three hours once a week for eight weeks, at 23426 Woodward, Ferndale. Call gallery for more information (248) 543-1868.

GALLERY EXHIBITS (OPENING)

A.C.T. Gallery
New members' works on exhibit Jan. 24-Feb. 22, with opening reception, 6 p.m. Jan. 24, at 35 E. Grand River, Detroit (upstairs from Galleria Biegas) (313) 961-4336.

Ann Arbor Art Center
Sculpture Invitational exhibit runs through Feb. 2. Sculpture workshop runs Jan. 27-Feb. 17. Both are at 117 W. Liberty in downtown Ann Arbor, (734) 994-8004, Ext. 104.
Ellen Wilt "Solo" exhibit opening reception is 6-8 p.m. Feb. 14; exhibit runs from Feb. 7 through March 9.

Ave Maria Fine Art Gallery
Etchings of Ladislav R. Hanka on exhibit Jan. 20-Feb. 28, at Domino's Farms, Lobby B, 24 Frank Lloyd Wright Drive, Ann Arbor. (734) 930-7514

Cary Gallery
Oil paintings by Lee Doezema through March 8; opening reception 6-8 p.m. Feb. 8 at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester. Gallery hours are 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday. (248) 651-3656

Cranbrook Academy and Art Museum
Opening reception for Staying Power exhibit is 5:30-7:30 p.m., Jan. 24 at Network Gallery, 39221 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. Exhibit runs through March 30. (248) 645-3312

Ellen Kayrod Art Gallery
Exhibit of senior citizen artists' works. Reception noon to 2:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7 at Hannan House, 4750 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 833-1300, Ext. 19, or (734) 692-4971

Henry Ford Community College
Sisson Art Gallery presents an exhibit demonstrating a variety of approaches to the use of landscape, from Jan. 22-Feb. 21, at the gallery on the college campus in the McKenzie Fine Arts Building, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn. Opening reception from 6-8 p.m., Jan. 22. (313) 845-6485.
Lawrence Street Gallery

Revolution Gallery
Larry Fink and Thomas Nozkowski exhibit works through March 8. Opening reception 5-7 p.m. Jan. 25 at 23257 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale. (248) 541-3444

University of Michigan Museum of Art
Graphic Visions: German Expressionist Prints and Drawings Jan. 25-April 6 at 525 S. State Street, Ann Arbor. (734) 764-0395

Washington Street Gallery
Grand opening celebration for new location 7-10 p.m., Feb. 14. Meet five new artists, joining the seven continuing members at 120 East Liberty, Ann Arbor; runs through March 31 (734) 761-2287

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ONGOING)

Birmingham Historical Museum
Leaving Footprints: The Artistry of Robert Thom through April 12 at 556 W. Maple, Birmingham. Admission $2/adults and $1/seniors, students and BHS members. (248) 642-2817

Cass Café
Paintings by Gilda Snowden runs through March 1 at 4620 Cass Ave., Detroit. (313) 831-1400

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Motor City Sleds exhibit through Jan. 26, at 4160 Woodward, Detroit. (888) BUG.CPOP

David Klein Gallery
Works by Harry Bertoia, Fernando Botero, Al Held and others are on display in an exhibit called Works on Paper, through Feb. 1 at the gallery, 163 Townsend, Birmingham. (248) 433-3700

Farmington Hills City Hall
ArtSplash! 2002 Exhibit, part of Art in the Corridor program, through Jan. 31 at Farmington Hills City Hall on 11 Mile Road at Orchard Lake, and Farmington City Hall, on Liberty at Grand River. (248) 473-1856

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

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

International Institute of Metropolitan Detroit, Inc.
Bernadine Vida, world photographic and costume design exhibit, runs through Jan. 31 at 111 Kirby Avenue E., Detroit. (313) 871-8600

Janice Charach Epstein Gallery
Presents Technical Techniques: Artists Exploring Recent Technological Advances, through Feb. 27 at 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield (248) 661-7641 for gallery hours.

Lawrence Street Gallery
Features two exhibits in January: White Lake artist Linda Sterns shows watercolor, mixed media and collage paintings and Birmingham artist Beverly Mershon Smith emphasizes color, shape ad line. Gallery hours noon-5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, at 6 N. Saginaw, downtown Pontiac. (248) 334-6716

Livonia Arts Commission
Catch Me If You Can, a fishing fly collection in exhibition cases (second floor) through Jan. 30 at Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington Road. Also showing, mixed media by Eleanor O'Connor and Kathleen Montgomery, through Jan. 30. (734) 466-2490

Meadow Brook Art Gallery
Exhibit of Russian icon paintings through Feb. 9, at the gallery, 208 Wilson Hall on campus at Oakland University, Rochester. (248) 370-3005

Oakland County Galleria
The Detroit Focus Portfolio exhibit runs through Feb. 27, in the gallery at the Oakland County Executive Office, 1200 North Telegraph, Pontiac. (248) 858-0415.

Paint Creek Center for the Arts
Henry Tanaka's work on the first floor gallery through Feb. 15, 407 Pine St. in downtown Rochester. Zubel Kachadoorian's retrospective exhibitions in the main gallery through Saturday, Jan. 25. (248) 651-4110.

P.F. Galleries
Works by Jay Leftkowitz, Mary Potts, Lee Jackson, Hilma Ruby, Ann Kelly, Ivy Rutsky, Michele Zuzalek, Sung Hee Son and Jon Parlangeli, runs through Feb. 7 at 213 E. 14 Mile Road, Clawson. (248) 989-8889.

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

Plymouth Community Arts Council
Donna Vogelheim shows watercolors through Jan. 31, at the council, 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth. (734) 416-4ART

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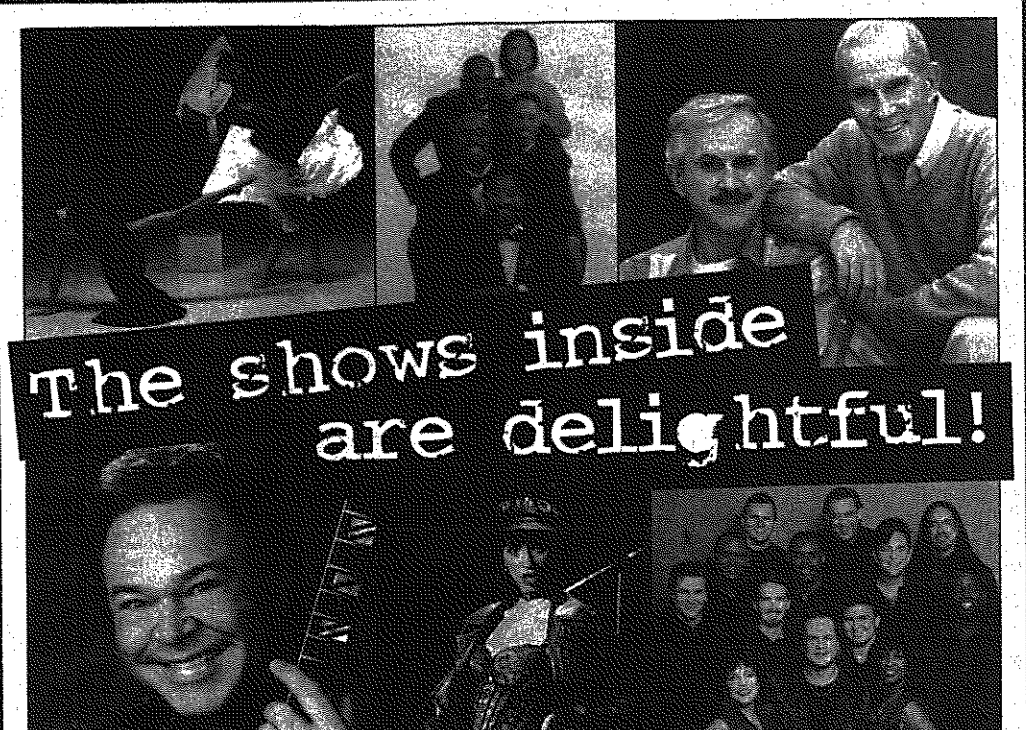

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A spa that's not just for the rich and famous

BY NORMA AND WENDY SCHONWETTER
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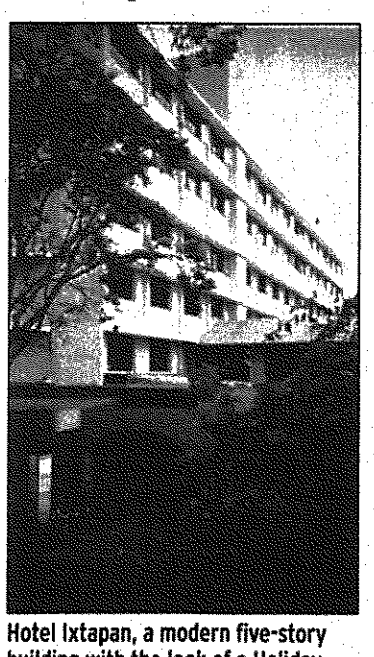
Nestled high in the Sierra Madres and 1 1/2 hours from Mexico City is a spa that offers the ultimate in relaxation.

This reasonably priced retreat, Hotel Spa Ixtapan, has 200 comfortable rooms and 50 villas surrounded by 35 acres of lush gardens.

The surroundings, as it turned out, were refreshing.

Colorful blossoms filled the trees and bushes, and the grounds were littered with bright orange, fuchsia, lavender and white petals. A Las Vegas pool with a tiered waterfall, a second pool, large outdoor whirlpool, multicolored fountains, and mosaic murals portraying Mexico's history are comfortably situated in a climate of 75 degrees year-round.

Legend has it that Ixtapan de la Sal, the village where the spa is located, was a retreat discovered and used by Aztec Emperor Montezuma. Here he rested with his troops and bathed in the natural thermal waters. Today it has expanded into a complete spa resort with three programs called diet, relax and sport. Each offers a slightly different mix of massages, facials and other treatments, which include pedicures, hair treatments, paraffin and acupuncture. Activities that are part of the various programs are aerobics, golf and tennis lessons. A sauna, steamroom, whirlpool and a fully equipped gymnasium are available to all guests.



Hotel Ixtapan, a modern five-story building with the look of a Holiday Inn, with more warmth.

The spa diet dining room offers a 900-calorie per day diet; the sparse meals are devoid of spices and herbs. Veteran guests bring a selection of seasonings from home to spice up the food. The main dining room offers more menu choices, including guacamole, salsa, fruit, great rolls and desserts.

Visitors can choose either a four-day or seven-day stay ranging from $535 to $1075 per person, double occupancy depending on choice of program and season (tax, tips, and airport transfers are extra). Selecting the plan with activities that best suits your interests, then select the dining room with a menu appeals to you.

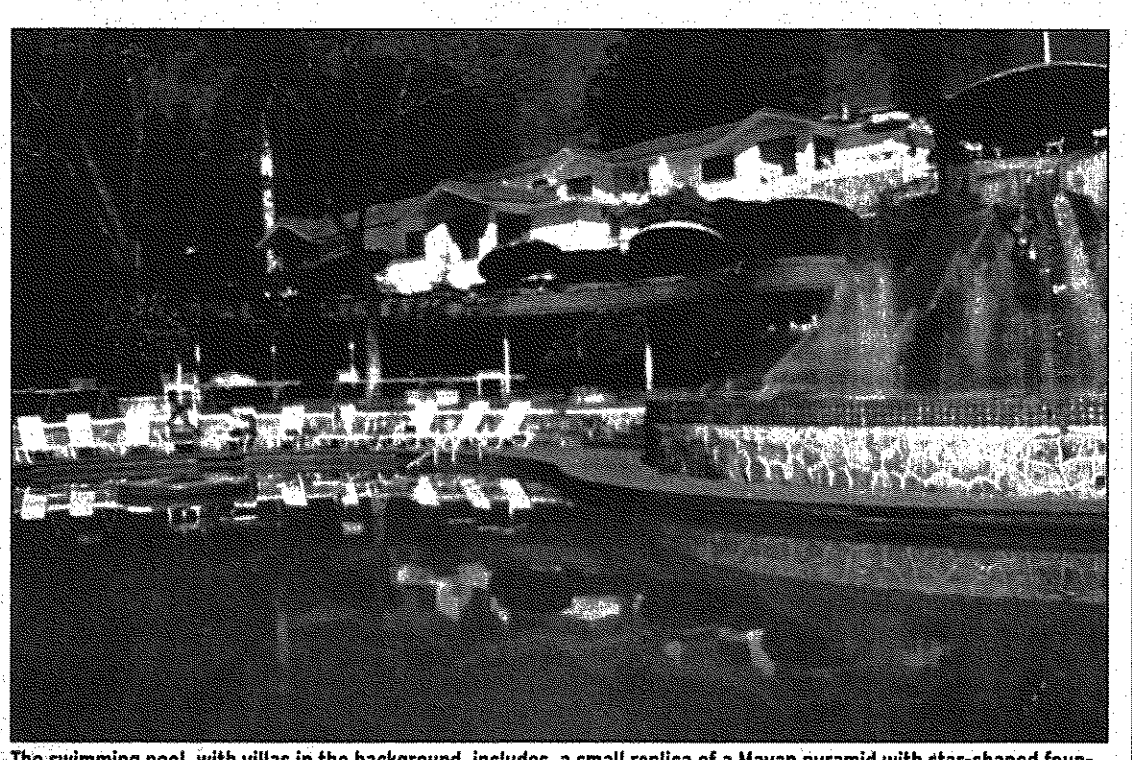
Ixtapan offers the same programs as the "fancier" spas at about one fifth the cost, including airfare from any major U.S. city.

Although golf, tennis and spa activities are offered for men, this is a place for women to bond and let their hair down, literally.

This is a spa for the veteran spa-goer and the uninitiated alike. Don't worry about wardrobe and lack of "proper spa etiquette." The dress code is very casual.

In fact, much of the time is spent in thick terrycloth robes (provided by the spa), bathing suits, shorts and tee shirts. Most clothing, except shorts and swimsuits, is acceptable in the evening.

Ixtapan is a place for rejuvenation of body and spirit where even the most frenzied will find themselves relaxing and dozing during a massage or facial.



The swimming pool, with villas in the background, includes a small replica of a Mayan pyramid with star-shaped fountains of water. Water trickles down the steps. A dome has painted representations of the signs of the the zodiac.

WALKING AND MORE

In a typical spa day, you might take advantage of the hour-long guided walks that start promptly at 7 a.m. The symphony of singing birds is enough to lift anyone's spirits. We walked through nearby villages, passing ancient and heavenly churches, beautiful golden hills, and local farmers walking their cattle past simple adobe dwellings. We witnessed the rising sun silhouetting 400-year-old gazebos, and townspeople going about their early morning chores. Walk and you will see the "real" Mexico.

After walking, consider an hour of aerobic exercise, breakfast and aquatic exercise in the pool. Follow this with a facial, (a fruit or vegetable yogurt mask and a spritz of rosewater); lunch on the terrace, acupuncture, body massage and yoga session. On the diet program you are entitled to a manicure, pedicure and hair treatment. The hair treatment is spectacular and includes a head, neck and shoulder massage.

The relax program offers six Roman mineral baths. These individual rooms accommodate one or two people. The attractive marble-walled rooms contain two cots, a large marble-lined pool with bubbling hot water, a shower in the bathroom and pleasant music.

Guests are mostly from all parts of the U.S. who have heard about the spa by word of mouth. Some arrange to have an annual reunion with friends. The atmosphere is friendly; guests and staff are most congenial.

There's a shop on the grounds plus several shops adjacent to the Roman baths and stalls just outside the walls of the spa. The stalls are most active on weekends. Prices are very reasonable, but shoppers can bargain to save a few dollars.

WALK INTO TOWN

Had enough relaxing? Take the short pleasant walk into Ixtapan de la Sal.

It is clean, safe and a journey back in time. The locals' Ixtapan is down the hill from the big church courtyard. Seeing the farmers' market early on Saturday morning is a refreshing reminder of how a tight-knit community looks and sounds.

Farmacia Madrid, near the big 16th century church, is a must-see. Be sure to go inside to see the side altar decorated with stunning murals, gold-decorated walls and stain glass scenes.

On Sunday, there's a flea market with pottery, silver jewelry, baskets, clothes and other wares.

Evening activities include movies, bingo, bowling and on weekends, live dinner music, folkloric ballet and a disco. Side trips to Cuernavaca and Taxco can be arranged by the hotel desk.

If your stress level and/or your waistline need reducing, then this is the place for you.

If you go ...

- Flights are offered to Mexico City from most major cities, some with a change of planes. For information call Spa World Reservations at 800-321-4622, go to www. spagetaway.com and click on Ixtapan de la Sal Packages.
- Your travel agent can arrange with the hotel for car transportation from Mexico City to Ixtapan. Ask the hotel to arrange for you to share a car with other guests arriving at the same time, so you can share the cost.
- Go to Taxco for silver jewelry bargains; just a one-hour car trip. Try arranging to share a car with other guests.
- Bring sunglasses, sunscreen and Immodium or Pepto Bismol.
- Tipping: Although cumbersome, bring $5 bills and at least 30 $1 bills.
- Take in the Roman baths for around $8 (no charge on the Relax plan).
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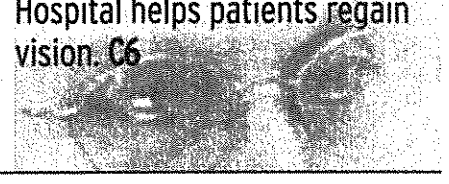


Sideline

LaRose honored

Chad LaRose, a right wing for the Plymouth Whalers, was named the Ontario Hockey League's player of the week for the week ending Jan. 12.

For LaRose, it was the second time this season he was so honored. In three games during the week, he scored five goals and added three assists – two of them, including the game-winner, in a victory over the Kitchener Rangers.

The Whalers, who lead the OHL's West Division, won all three games. LaRose is first in the OHL in goals scored with 43 in 42 games (through last Sunday); he had 77 points, third in the conference.

Grubaugh leads

Tiffany Grubaugh, a junior guard on Northern Michigan University's basketball team and a Salem HS graduate, scored 15 points in the Wildcats' 64-50 road win over University of Findlay Jan. 9.

The rest of NMU's trip wasn't so successful. The 'Cats lost at Hillsdale 87-63 on Jan. 11, with Grubaugh collecting nine points, five assists and five rebounds; and at Wayne State, where Grubaugh started her collegiate career, they lost 78-67 on Jan. 16, with Grubaugh getting eight points, seven boards, four assists and two steals.

For the season, Grubaugh is averaging 14.2 points, 4.1 rebounds and 3.2 assists per game. NMU is 7-6 overall, 4-3 in the Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Wings honored

Several players who were part of the NHL's original six championship teams and are members of the Detroit Red Wing Alumni Association will be honored by the city of Wayne as part of the Wayne Winterfest at 2 p.m. Jan. 26 at the Wayne Ice Arena.

Those to be honored include Carl Liscombe, Jimmy Peters, Joe Klukay, Gordie Howe, Johnny Wilson, Ted Lindsay, John Ferguson, Alex Delvecchio, Mickey Redmond, Marcel Pronovost and Marty Pavelich. A special recognition will be given in honor of Lefty Wilson and will be accepted by his son, Ross.

The ceremony will be held prior to the alumni game scheduled for that day. Personalized gifts will be given to each honoree.

The Wayne Ice Arena is located at the corner of Howe and Annapolis, just south of Michigan between Venoy and Wayne roads. Tickets are $3. Proceeds will benefit Red Wing Alumni charities.

The Red Wing Alumni team will take on the Law Auto Sales Senior Hockey team for the 11th consecutive year in the scheduled game.

Wildcat baseball

An organizational meeting for those interested in playing baseball for Plymouth HS is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Jan. 23 in Room 401 at Plymouth HS. Parents should attend, too.

For further information, call head coach Mark LaPointe at Central Middle School at (734) 416-2991 or at (734) 459-3791.

Salem's surge devours Vikings

BASKETBALL

It was an old-fashioned shootout Friday night between Salem and Walled Lake Central. When it was over, the Rocks were the ones left standing.

Thanks to a huge game from Dave Hoskins, Salem toppled the Vikings 78-61 in a Western Lakes Activities Association basketball contest. Salem improved to 8-2 overall and 3-1 in the WLAA with the win. Central is 2-2 in the league.

Hoskins, a future Central Michigan Chippewa, poured in 32 points and grabbed 12 rebounds in another dominating performance. Dominique Washington had a "breakout game" according to coach Bob Brodie, scoring 19 with six boards.

"Dominique is just getting stronger and stronger on the court," Brodie said. "Now we're swinging him inside and out more, and he's becoming more effective."

Central's Brandon Cassice matched Hoskins bucket for bucket, going off for 33 points in the game. He nailed seven three-point shots to keep the Vikings close. For a while.

After each team outscored the other by nine in the first two quarters, Salem grabbed the lead for good in the third, outscoring Central 23-13.

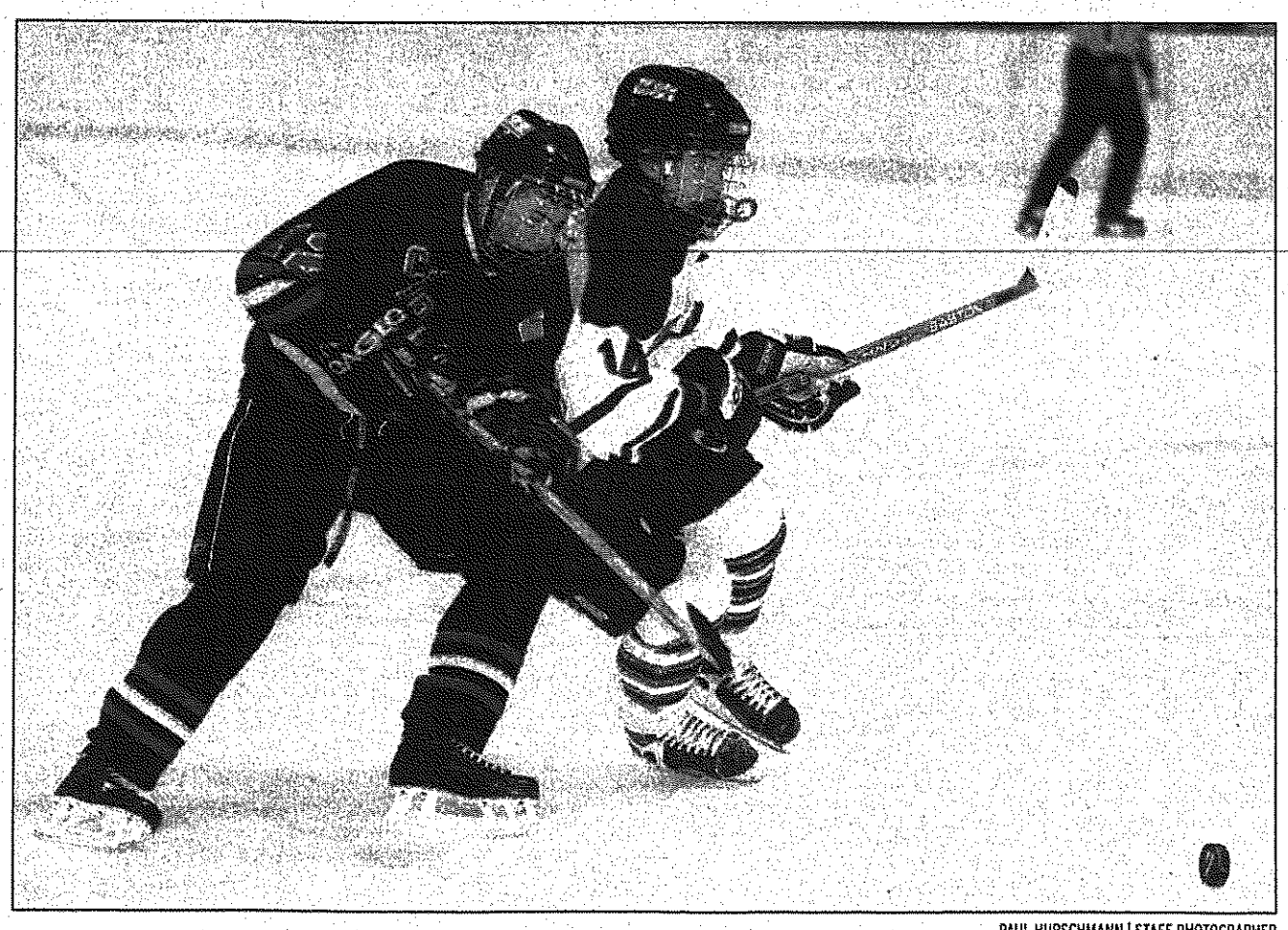
Tuesday, Salem takes on the winless Livonia Churchill Chargers in a WLAA road game.

Canton 72, Churchill 49: For 16 minutes, Livonia Churchill seemed well on its way to picking up its first win of the season.

Then the third quarter happened. The Chargers took a 29-22 lead into the third quarter. By the time the period was over, the Chiefs on the end of a 27-3 run and on their way to a 23-point win.

"We were just trying to be more aggressive offensively," said Canton coach Jeremy Rheault. "I don't think we could have played a better second half than we did."

PLEASE SEE **BASKETBALL, C4**



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Salem's Mark Nagel (white jersey) found the going tough Friday as he and Churchill's Justin Tonti battle for the puck in the Churchill zone.

Churchill ends Rocks win streak

Chargers pull off a shocker, 5-2

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Churchill led the last time these two teams met. For a while.

The Chargers scored the first two goals of the game back on Nov. 20 in both teams season-opener at Eddie Edgar Arena.

Then Salem scored 10 in a row.

Since then, Salem's been unstoppable. The Rocks rose to No. 4 in the state's Division I rankings, while Churchill blended bouts of good play with mediocrity.

On Friday at Salem's rink, the Plymouth

PLEASE SEE **CHARGERS, C2**

SC's press mangles Macomb

MEN'S BASKETBALL

It was close, for a while. A very short while.

About five minutes or so. After that, Schoolcraft College's defense led to offense, and the offense led to points — a lot of them. And that, in turn, led the Ocelots to an easy win over Macomb CC, 95-43 Wednesday at SC.

The victory gave seventh-ranked SC a 16-1 overall record, 3-0 in the Michigan Community College Athletic Association's Eastern Conference. Macomb CC is 8-8 overall, 2-2 in the conference.

"For the first five minutes it was back and forth," said SC coach Carlos Briggs. "But our press got to them. They turned the ball over a lot, and we got some easy baskets."

How dominant were the Ocelots? They had more points in the first half than the Monarchs had in the game. SC led 53-22 at the intermission, thanks to 12 points from Gary Johnson (from Wayne Memorial), 11 more from James Holmes and 10 from Torvoris Baker.

Five Ocelots ended up scoring in double figures. Ronald Dorsey had 18 (12 in the second half), Johnson scored 16, Holmes finished with 14, Baker netted 12 and Andre Scott totaled 10. Marcus Bennett added nine. SC had 11 3-pointers in the game, seven in the first half (three by Holmes).

Macomb got 10 points from Tony Davis and eight apiece from Martell Summers and Chris Gray.

SC is in the midst of a four-game home stand. They host St. Clair County CC at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Strong start carries Madonna team to victory

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Start to finish.

That's what Madonna University's women's basketball team did to Aquinas College Wednesday at Madonna — took control from the opening tip and kept it the entire game. The Lady Crusaders scored the game's first 13 points, denying the Saints a point until 8:28 had already been played.

And by then it was too late. The closest Aquinas would come after that was six, with 1:01 left in the first half. From the 14:12 point of the second half on, Madonna's lead was in double figures, ending at 71-51.

The win raised the Crusaders' record in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference to 3-1; they are 5-14 overall. Aquinas is 11-9 overall, 2-1 in the WHAC.

Lindsay Simmon, who finished with 14 points (as well as seven rebounds and three steals), ignited Madonna's fast start by scoring six of its first 13 points. By half-time, she had eight points.

Two free throws by Courtney Rehbine with 8:16 to go in the opening half gave the Crusaders their biggest lead of the half, 20-3. The Saints did rally, thanks to eight points from Heather Orr (including two 3-pointers); they trailed 28-20 at the half.

That, however, was as close as they would come. Madonna made 17-of-30 second-half shots (56.7 percent) to pull away

PLEASE SEE **MADONNA, C2**

Canton dunks N'ville; Salem sinks Wayne

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

It used to be a key meet in the Western Lakes Activities Association's Western Division. Now, Canton dominates.

Although there was a slight possibility that, going into the final event (the 400-yard freestyle relay), Northville could have beaten the Chiefs in Thursday's meet at Canton, it was unlikely. Not the way the Chiefs were swimming.

The final score was 100-85, improving Canton's overall dual-meet record to 3-2. The Chiefs are 2-0 in the WLAA, 1-0 in the division.

"We swam pretty well," said Canton coach Ed Weber. "We expected to win, just by looking at their other results, so we got to swim some people in different-type events."

Nine of the 12 events were captured by Canton swimmers. *See meet results inside.*

James Sattler, Yuhei Uno and Joe Le were all part of four first-place finishes. In individual events, Sattler finished first in the 200-yard (1:58.20) and 500-yard (5:18.85) freestyles.

Uno won the 200 individual medley (2:09.92) and the 100 backstroke (58.62), and Le was first in the 50 freestyle (23.05) and 100 butterfly (59.11).

Uno combined with Steve Reasor, Jordan Champine and Greg Calabrese to take top honors in the 200 medley relay (1:51.20); Champine, Le, Nathan Phillips and Sattler teamed for a win in the 200 free relay (1:39.60); and Shogo Uno, Yuhei Uno, Sattler and Le were winners in the 400 free relay (3:35.67).

Reasor also won the 100 breaststroke (1:09.40) for Canton.

The Chiefs swim at Wayne Memorial Thursday.

Last Thursday, Salem had no problem with the Zebras, splashing to a 142-44 victory at Salem. The win kept the Rocks unbeaten through six dual meets.

The Rocks won every event, with Ben Dzialo making the state cut time and winning the 500-yard freestyle in 5:01.19. There were no double-winners in individ-

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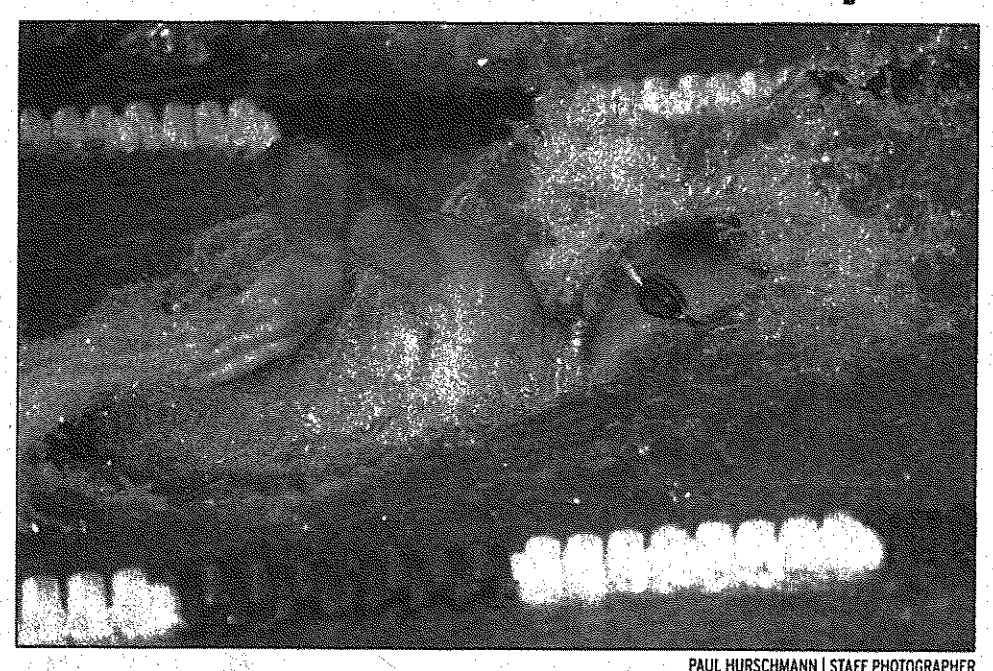

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Joe Aumiller finished first for Salem in the 200-yard individual medley against Wayne. He also swam on two winning relays.

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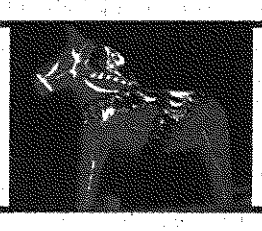

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Salem opens WLAA season with victory

The Western Lakes Activities Association opener in volleyball was a success for Salem.

The Rocks ran their match record to 12-3 overall by beating Livonia Franklin 15-8, 15-2 Wednesday at Franklin.

Amanda Bradley led the Salem offense with seven service aces. Lauren Price added six kills and Ellen Canale added five kills.

Jordan Falcusan finished with four digs and 11 set assists.

The WLAA road gets considerably tougher for Salem on Wednesday when they host Livonia Churchill, which should challenge the defending champion Rocks for the league title.

VOLLEYBALL

CANTON TOPS WAYNE

Injuries and illnesses depleted the Canton lineup when it opened its WLAA season against Wayne Memorial at Canton Wednesday.

But it didn't keep the Chiefs from posting a 15-7, 15-3 victory.

"Well . . . it was amusing how we got it done, but we got it done," said Canton coach Steve Anderson. "We beat Wayne in their inaugural WLAA match in two straight.

"Every time one of my players's walked in to the gym, I had to rework the lineup. I would look at them and would determine if they spent the day throwing up. I had to change (the lineup) three times."

But, as Anderson said, they got it done, improving to 9-3-4 overall.

PCA STUMBLES

Despite some strong performances, Plymouth Christian Academy fell to Auburn Hills Oakland Christian 15-6, 15-9 Thursday at Oakland Christian.

The loss left PCA with a 6-4 overall record.

Melanie Depp led the Eagles with nine kills. Gen Hott contributed 17 digs.

PCA hosts Canton Agape Christian at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Plymouth gymnasts hit regional qualifying mark

Plymouth High's first gymnastics dual meet in school history resulted in a defeat Friday, but it wasn't an altogether unsuccessful night for the Wildcats.

Coach Andrea Rice's team posted a team total of 120.3, which was a regional qualifying score.

The all-freshmen Wildcats need to achieve the qualifying standard three more times to be eligible to compete in the regional at the end of February.

Royal Oak won the meet with a 127.25 score, but it had only one first-place gymnast – Jamie Cavanaugh, who won the beam competition with an 8.45.

Plymouth's Alie Saker was first on vault (8.4), uneven bars (8.7) and floor exercise (8.95). She also had the top all-around score at 33.30. She also was fourth on beam (7.25).

Teammate Amy Quiambao was second on vault (8.2), and she was third on bars (7.75) and floor (8.6).

Plymouth's other top performer was Alie Bates, who was fourth on vault (8.1), seventh on bars (7.0), second on beam (7.7) and fourth on floor (7.95).

CHARGERS

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Cultural Center, the Chargers took the lead again. In the first period. Then they took it again. In the second period. Twice.

The third period was different. This time, Churchill didn't allow the Rocks to bounce back. This time, the Chargers scored three unanswered goals in the final period to upset Salem, 5-2.

The loss, the Rocks' first of the season, left them at 11-1-1 overall, 7-1-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association and 3-1-1 in the Lakes Division. Churchill improved to 7-4-4 overall, 7-1-2 in the WLAA and 2-1-1 in the Lakes.

"This keeps us in the (WLAA) race," said Churchill coach Pete Mazzoni. "But more than anything, it helps our confidence. It proves we can play with one of the best teams in the state.

"It shows we can beat one of the best teams in the state."

The difference in the game: Certainly two goals each by Ryan Wischmeyer and Steve Yarber were important. But keeping the high-powered Rocks off the scoreboard was the key.

Particularly in the first period.

"We had our chances," said Salem coach Fred Feiler. "In the first period, we just couldn't finish. I think we had it as an 18-5 advantage (in shots)."

In the two teams' first meeting, Mazzoni used both Justin Bolla and David Herrick in goal. He didn't need to this time — Bolla frustrated Salem.

"I knew before the game our guys weren't mentally prepared," admitted Feiler. "But give Churchill a lot of credit. They played real, real well."

Defensively, it was no secret that the Chargers needed to stop Salem's Mark Nagel, John Schultz and Bryan Young, the WLAA's first, second and fourth leading scorers.

They did. Nagel, who had 15 goals and 12 assists coming into the game, managed just one assist; Young managed one goal and Schultz had two assists.

"They had their chances," said Mazzoni, "especially early on. Justin (Bolla) kept us in it."

Salem goalie Brandon DeMars was Churchill's other challenge. DeMars' 2.29 goals-against average also led the WLAA entering the game (Bolla's was 3.70).

But the Chargers scored first, Wischmeyer beating DeMars with 4:29 into the first period (Yarber and Joshua Jones assisted).

"Our goalie made the initial stop on all of their goals," said Feiler. Problem was, no one was ever there to clear the rebound.

Salem tied it on a goal by John Maurer with 7:15 left (assists by Andy Thackaberry and Schultz).

The second period was similar; Churchill went ahead on a goal by Adam Staber, who circled the Rocks' net and then knocked it past DeMars (Wischmeyer, Chris Barczuk assisted), only to have Salem tie it again 1:10 later on Young's goal, scored after a pretty pass from behind the net by Nagel (Schultz also assisted).

With 1:12 left in the second, Yarber got what proved to be the game-winner, chipping a loose puck in front of the Salem goal over a prone DeMars (Wischmeyer, Sean Burke assisted).

In the final period, whatever Salem tried didn't work. Churchill clogged the passing lanes, forcing turnovers and ultimately converting them into goals — the first by Wischmeyer (Kyle Strong, Staber assisted), the second by Yarber (Burke, Derrick Lasecki assisted).

And this time, Salem had no answer.

G.P. South 11, PCS 1: The first-year Plymouth-Canton-Salem girls hockey squad could not match the more experienced Grosse Pointe South team in a game played last Tuesday at the Arctic Edge.

The only Penguin goal came from Olivia Pennebaker. Kelli Bargowski drew the assist.

The loss left PCS with a 1-7 record.

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MADONNA

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from Aquinas. The Crusaders' biggest lead of the game came on a Loriann Tschirhart basket with 7:25 left that made it 60-35.

Madonna made 29-of-60 floor shots (48.3 percent); Aquinas hit 19-of-53 (35.8 percent). The Crusaders also had a wide advantage in rebounding (46-25) and turnovers (19, compared to the Saints' 25).

Other leaders for Madonna were Rehbine with 14 points, eight rebounds and three steals; Callie Gizicki with 13 points (including 3-of-5 three-pointers), five assists and two steals; Sarah Thomson with nine points and six boards; and Marwa Ayoub with five points, 11 rebounds, five blocks and three steals.

Aquinas got 14 points from Katie Green and 10 from Orr.

Madonna plays at Spring Arbor at 1 p.m. Saturday.

Schoolcraft 91, Macomb CC 73: The lead Schoolcraft College built by halftime was never really threatened by Macomb CC Wednesday at Macomb.

The Lady Ocelots improved to 10-6 overall, 2-1 in the Michigan Community College Athletic Association's Eastern Conference. Macomb is 6-9 overall, 1-3 in the conference.

SC led 45-31 by halftime, thanks to 18-of-34 shooting in the first 20 minutes (52.9 percent). The Monarchs made 13-of-27 (48.1 percent).

Pam Wingate again led the way for the Ocelots, making 12-of-18 floor shots (66.7 percent) en route to scoring 26 points; she also had 10 rebounds. Mia Henderson was also sharp; she had 18 points and 10 boards, while Crystal Pittman contributed 10 points, six rebounds, three assists and two steals, and Jazmyne Forster collected seven points, six assists and two steals.

Ten of the 11 players who played for SC scored in the game.

Macomb got 17 points from Ashley Wagner, 16 from Jackie Kondziolka, 13 each from Melissa Keefe and Theresa Cyr, and 10 from Kacie Girgenti. Those five accounted for 69 Monarch points.

SC also dominated the boards (47-36, including an 18-11 advantage on the offensive glass) and forced 27 turnovers (the Ocelots had 20).

The Ocelots host St. Clair County CC at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday.

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200-yard medley relay

Salem	1:43.11
Catholic Central	1:46.59
Canton	1:49.51
Stevenson	1:51.03
Redford Union	1:53.62

200-yard freestyle

Nick Dixon (Salem)	1:50.08
Ben Dzialo (Salem)	1:51.26
Joe Le (Canton)	1:51.86
Yuhei Uno (Canton)	1:53.21
Andrew Carlin	1:54.17
Joe Aumiller (Salem)	1:56.29
Joe Zatkoff (CC)	1:56.73
Nick Stone (John Glenn)	1:57.10
Matt Jurcak (Salem)	1:57.34
James Sattler (Canton)	1:58.20

200-yard individual medley

Rob Cyrek (CC)	2:01:81
Ben Dzialo (Salem)	2:03.78
Andrew Carlin (CC)	2:05.72
Nick Dixon (Salem)	
2:06.94	
Yuhei Uno (Canton)	
2:09.92	
Joe Le (Canton)	2:11.35
Joe Aumiller (Salem)	2:11.37
Steve Reasor (Canton)	2:14.17
Nathan Phillips (Canton)	2:16.24
Adam Sonnanstine (Salem)	2:16.79

50-yard freestyle

Matt Vivian (Salem)	23.04
Joe Le (Canton)	23.05
Andrew Carlin (CC)	23.54
Dan Jones (CC)	23.57
Bill Clark (Salem)	24.02
John Faraoni (Canton)	24.18
Rob Cyrek (CC)	24.21
Kevin Kilgore (Salem)	24.28
Kris Kinsvater(Stevenson)	24.56
Dale Donahue (Redford Union)	24.60
Kevin Gardner (Stevenson)	24.60

Diving

Joe Rohde (CC)	205.25
Cody Stefford (Stevenson)	193.05
Andrew Murawski (Salem)	178.10
Nick Reilly (CC)	174.80
Brad Sokolowski (Salem)	172.80
Kyle Mullen (Redford Union)	170.15
Ryan Campbell (CC)	164.74
Tyler Flood (CC)	156.40
Steve Smith (Stevenson)	134.65
Nate Lindam (Stevenson)	133.60

100-yard butterfly

Ben Dzialo (Salem)	54.31
Rob Cyrek (CC)	54.69
Nick Dixon (Salem)	54.97
Yuhei Uno (Canton)	55.99
Andrew Carlin (CC)	57.03
Garrett Baringhaus (Stevenson)	58.43
Joe Le (Canton)	59.11
Mike Horgan (Salem)	
1:00.00	
Chris Banas (CC)	1:02.38
Jordan Champine (Canton)	1:02.98
Jeff Nevi (Salem)	1:04.32

100-yard freestyle

Joe Le (Canton)	49.72
Rob Cyrek (CC)	50.26
Ben Dzialo (Salem)	50.32
Andrew Carlin (CC)	51.06
Nick Dixon (Salem)	51.42
Matt Vivian (Salem)	52.79
Joe Aumiller (Salem)	52.80
Dan Jones (CC)	52.88
Ryan Frost (Wayne)	52.89
Matt Jurcak (Salem)	53.25

500-yard freestyle

Nick Dixon (Salem)	4:57.71
Ben Dzialo (Salem)	5:01.19
Joe Zatkoff (CC)	5:11.99
James Sattler (Canton)	5:12.01
Nick Stone (John Glenn)	5:14.76
Rob Cyrek (CC)	
5:20.38	
Joe Aumiller (Salem)	5:21.60
James Sattler (Canton)	5:21.89
Andrew Drennen (Wayne)	
5:22.35	
Brendan Cummings (Stevenson)	5:31.04

200-yard freestyle relay

Catholic Central	1:32.59
Salem	1:33.49
Stevenson	1:33.87
Canton	1:39.47
Wayne	1:44.21

100-yard backstroke

Yuhei Uno (Canton)	58.62
John Faraoni (Canton)	1:01.01
Rob Cyrek (CC)	1:01.48
Garrett Baringhaus (Stevenson)	1:01.81
Nathan Phillips (Canton)	1:02.01
Jeff Nevi (Salem)	1:02.39
Nick Yee (Salem)	1:04.34
Dale Donahue (Redford Union)	1:05.63
Adam Whalen (Stevenson)	1:06.23
Dan Jones (CC)	1:06.38

100-yard breaststroke

Matt Showalter (Salem)	1:06.13
Andrew Carlin (CC)	1:07.14
Casey Johnson (Salem)	1:08.49
Steve Reasor (Canton)	1:09.40
Penn Chou (Salem)	1:09.49
Kris Kinsvater (Stevenson)	1:09.71
Jason Anderson (Stevenson)	1:10.13
Scott Montgomery (Thurston)	1:11.33
Scott Jankowski (Redford Union)	1:11.98
Dave Godzinski (Stevenson)	1:12.47

400-yard freestyle relay

Catholic Central	3:24.59
Salem	3:26.92
Canton	
3:33.43	
Redford Union	
3:44.60	
Stevenson	
3:45.84	

Greg Phill, Livonia Stevenson's girls swim coach, is compiling the boys' best times. Updates for the Thursday edition of the Observer must be reported by 2 p.m. Sunday. Phill may be reached at (734) 464-9443, or email him at gphill5269@aol.com.

SWIMMING

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ual events for Salem.

Other winners for the Rocks in individual events were Matt Jurcak in the 200 free (1:58.93); Joe Aumiller in the 200 IM (2:11.37); Bill Clark in the 24.58; Andrew Murawski in the diving (178.10 points); Mike Horgan in the 100 fly (1:00.00); Nick Dixon in the 100 free (51.71); Nick Yee in the 100 backstroke (1:04.72); and Casey Johnson in the 100 breast (1:08.50).

Salem swims at Livonia Stevenson Thursday.

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SWIM RESULTS

SALEM 142, WAYNE MEMORIAL 44
Jan. 16 at Salem

200-yard medley relay: Salem (Nick Dixon, Matt Showalter, Ben Dzialo, Matt Vivian), 1:43.11 (state qualifying time); 2. Wayne (Andrew Hermatz, Jeremy Bowling, Daniel Porta, Andrew Drennen), 1:57.11.

200 freestyle: 1. Matt Jurcak (Salem), 1:58.93; 2. Penn Chou (Salem), 2:00.43.

200 individual medley: 1. Joe Aumiller (Salem), 2:11.37; 2. Jeff Nevi (Salem), 2:20.44.

50 freestlye: 1. Bill Clark (Salem), 24.58; 2. Kevin Kilgore (Salem), 25.55.

Diving: 1. Andrew Murawski (Salem), 178.10; 2. Brad Sokolowski (Salem), 165.55.

100 butterfly: 1. Mike Horgan (Salem), 1:00.00; 2. Pat Saturao (Salem), 1:07.30.

100 freestyle: 1. Dixon (Salem), 51.71; 2. Ryan Frost (Wayne), 52.89.

500 freestyle: 1. Dzialo (Salem), 5:01.19 (state qualifying time); 2. Drennen (Wayne), 5:22.35.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Salem (Vivian, Clark, Aumiller, Nevi), 1:36.92; 2. Wayne (Hermatz, Frost, Rob Bolish, Drennen), 1:44.21.

100 backstroke: 1. Nick Yee (Salem), 1:04.72; 2. John Kline (Salem), 1:10.30.

100 breaststroke: 1. Casey Johnson (Salem), 1:08.50; 2. Bill Horgan (Salem), 1:12.79.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Salem (Dzialo, Vivian, Dixon, Aumiller), 3:26.92; 2. Salem (Mike Higgs, Showalter, Mike Horgan, Matt Jurcak), 3:41.05.

Dual-meet record: Salem, 6-0. **Next meet:** Salem at Livonia Stevenson, 7 p.m. Thursday; Livonia Churchill at Wayne, 7 p.m. Tuesday.

NORTHVILLE 85, CANTON 100
Jan. 16 at Canton

200-yard medley relay: 1. Canton (Yuhei Uno, Steve Reasor, Jordan Champine, Greg Calabrese), 1:51.20.

200 freestyle: 1. James Sattler (C), 1:58.20.

200 individual medley: 1. Yuhei Uno (C), 2:09.92.

50 freestyle: 1. Joe Le (C), 23.05.

Diving: 1. Albosta (N), 193.70 points.

100 butterfly: 1. Le (C), 59.11.

100 freestyle: 1. Brian McIntosh (N), 54.33; 2. Champine (C), 55.37.

500 freestyle: 1. Sattler (C), 5:18.85.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Canton (Champine, Le, Nathan Phillips, Sattler), 1:39.60.

100 backstroke: 1. Yuhei Uno (C), 58.62.

100 breaststroke: 1. Reasor (C), 1:09.40.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Canton (Shogo Uno, Yuhei Uno, Sattler, Le), 3:35.67.

Canton's dual-meet record: 3-2 overall, 2-0 in the WLAA, 1-0 in the Western Division. **Next meet:** Thursday at Wayne Memorial.

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Jan. 14 at Huron

200-medley relay: 1. Huron (Nick Welshans, Peter Gamberg, Jon Cable, Mike Hughes), 1:45.34; 2. Canton (Nathan Phillips, Shogo Uno, John Faraoni, Steve Reasor), 1:52.79.

200 freestyle: 1. Yuhei Uno (C), 1:53.21.

200 individual medley: 1. Joe Le (C), 2:11.35; 2. Reasor (C), 2:14.17.

50 freestyle: 1. Steve Weinberg (AAH), 22.92.

Diving: 1. Kyle Howard (AAH), 235.35 points.

100 butterfly: 1. Yuhei Uno (C), 55.99 (state qualifying time).

100 freestyle: 1. Weinberg (AAH), 49.78 (state qualifying); 2. Le (C), 50.16.

500 freestyle: 1. James Sattler (C), 5:12.01.

200 freestyle relay: 1. Huron (Cable, Gamberg, Weinberg, Scott Nelson), 1:32.52; 2. Canton (Yuhei Uno, Sattler, Le, Sam Manees), 1:39.79.

100 backstroke: 1. Welshans (AAH), 58.36; 2. Faraoni (C), 1:02.55.

100 breaststroke: 1. Gamberg (AAH), 1:06.83; 2. Reasor (C), 1:11.33.

400 freestyle relay: 1. Huron (Cable, Hughes, Nelson, Weinberg), 3:30.8; 2. Canton (Sattler, Le, Yuhei Uno, Faraoni), 3:35.90.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BOYS BASKETBALL

Tuesday, Jan. 21
Catholic Central at Birmingham Brother Rice, 7:30 p.m.
Plymouth Salem at Churchill, 7:30 p.m.
Westland John Glenn at Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Canton at Wayne, 7 p.m.
Stevenson at Northville, 7 p.m.
Lutheran Westland at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Lutheran Westland at Flat Rock, 5:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Huron Valley Lutheran at Redford St. Agatha, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 24
Catholic Central at Notre Dame, 7:30 p.m.
Salem at Westland John Glenn, 7 p.m.
Wayne at Walled Lake Central, 7 p.m.
Lutheran North at Lutheran Westland, 7 p.m.
Franklin at Canton, 7:30 p.m.
Hurvon Valley Lutheran at Franklin Road, 7:30 p.m.
Canton Agape at Detroit Urban Lutheran, 8 p.m.

PREP GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Monday, Jan. 20
Redford Union at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 21
Ladywood at Farmington Mercy, 6:30 p.m.
Huron Valley Lutheran at Bethesda, 7 p.m.
Canton Agape at PCA, 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Churchill at Plymouth Salem, 7 p.m.
Canton at W.L. Central, 7 p.m.
Franklin at Wayne, 7 p.m.
Westland John Glenn at Stevenson, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Birmingham Marian at Ladywood, 6:30 p.m.
Cranbrook at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.
Lutheran Northwest at Lutheran Westland, 5:30 p.m.
Franklin Road at Huron Valley Lutheran (St. Paul's), 7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Ladywood Tournament, 8 a.m.
Howell Tournament, 9 a.m.
U-M Dearborn Tournament, 9 a.m.
Novi Invitational, 9 a.m.
Romulus Tournament, 8:30 a.m.

PREP HOCKEY

Monday, Jan. 20
Ladywood vs. Northville (Arctic Pond), 3:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 21
H.W. Regina vs. PCS (Arctic Pond), 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Canton at Truman, 7 p.m.
Franklin vs. Stevenson (Eddie Edgar), 8 p.m.
Northville vs. Churchill (Eddie Edgar), 6 p.m.
Ladywood vs. H.W. Regina (Arctic Pond), 6 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
PCS at Academy of Sacred Heart, 6 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 24
Plymouth Salem at Franklin, 6 p.m.
Churchill vs. Canton (Arctic Edge), 6 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Grosse Pointe North vs. Catholic Central (Redford Arena), 8 p.m.
Stevenson vs. Redford Union (Redford Arena), 2:15 p.m.

PREP WRESTLING

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Clarenceville at Lutheran Northwest, 6 p.m.
Lutheran Northwest vs. Hamtramck, North at North, 6 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
W.L. Central at Salem, 6:30 p.m.
Churchill at Canton, 6:30 p.m.
Wayne at Stevenson, 6:30 p.m.
Walled Lake Western at John Glenn, 6:30 p.m.
Northville at Franklin, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Observerland Wrestling Meet at Livonia Churchill, 9 a.m.

PREP BOYS SWIMMING

Tuesday, Jan. 21
Churchill at Wayne, 7 p.m.
Westland John Glenn at South Lyon, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Churchill at Northville, 7 p.m.
Salem at Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Canton at Wayne, 7 p.m.
Westland John Glenn at Walled Lake Central, 7 p.m.
Franklin at Walled Lake Western, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Stevenson-A.A. Pioneer-Salem (at Salem), noon

PREP SKIING

Tuesday, Jan. 21
Catholic Central vs. Howell (Mt. Brughton) 4:30 p.m.
Ladywood vs. Hartland (alpine Valley), 3:30 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 24
Ladywood at JV Open Divisional Race, 4 p.m.

PREP GYMNASTICS

Monday, Jan. 20
Livonia Unified at Salem, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Berkley at Livonia Unified, 7 p.m.
Walled Lake at John Glenn, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Hartland vs. Canton (Plymouth HS), 7 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Farmington Invitational

MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Tuesday, Jan. 21
Madonna at Cornerstone, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 22
St. Clair CC at Schoolcraft, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 23
Madonna at Rochester College, 7:30 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Wednesday, Jan. 22
Madonna at Cornerstone, 7 p.m.
St. Clair CC at Schoolcraft, 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Alpena CC at Schoolcraft, 1 p.m.

ONTARIO HOCKEY LEAGUE

Friday, Jan, 24
Plymouth Whalers at Sault Ste. Marie, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 25
Whalers vs. Windsor (Compuware), 7:30 p.m.

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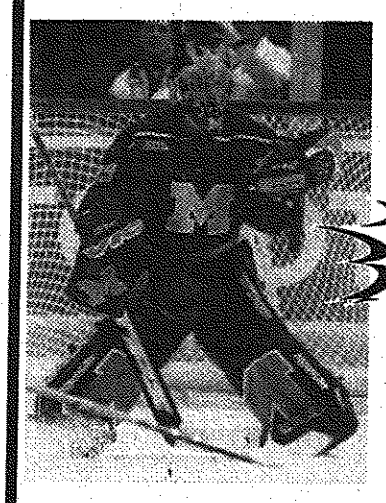

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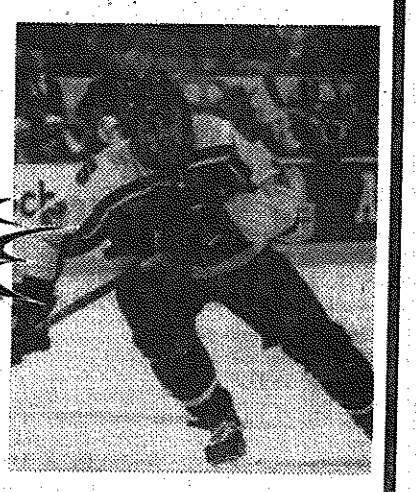

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BASKETBALL

FROM PAGE C1

"They put full-court pressure on us and we couldn't handle it," said Churchill coach Jim Solak. "We played our best half of the season in the first half, but when things tend to go wrong for us, they really snowball."

The Chiefs blitzed the Chargers to the tune of 50-20 in the final 16 minutes. Junior D.J. Bridges led the balanced Canton offense with 12 points, while senior Julian Smith scored 11.

Churchill was led by Tristan Thomas with 11 points; Jerry Murray finished with nine.

PCA 59, Southfield Christian 48: Junior guard Ben Baloga made six of eight three-point shots and scored a game-high 22 points Friday to lead host Plymouth Christian Academy to victory over Southfield Christian.

Senior center Ben Pew scored 13 points and hauled down nine rebounds for the Eagles, who also had 12 points from junior guard Dan Carty.

Sophomore forward Matt Parker was the only player to score in double figures for the visiting Eagles with 13 points.

PCA outscored Southfield Christian in the second quarter, 20-13, to take the lead at halftime, 29-27. PCA was still ahead after three, 42-40, and then outscored Southfield Christian in the fourth, 17-8.

The host Eagles made 17-of-29 free throws and the visiting Eagles 3-of-8.

PCA is 1-2 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference and 4-4 overall; Southfield Christian is 0-2 and 2-4.

"In the second half, we only had four turnovers; so we did a real good job of taking care of the basketball, making the extra pass and getting the ball to the right people," PCA coach Doug Taylor said.

> **'We played our best half of the season in the first half, but when things tend to go wrong for us, they really snowball.'**
>
> Jim Solak
> coach, Churchill basketball team

Agape 68, Life Summit 53: Junior foward Jordan Napier poured in 25 points and grabbed eight rebounds as host Canton Agape Christian defeated Sterling Heights Life Summit Friday at Discovery MS.

Junior Charlie Henry tossed in 15 points for the Wolverines, and seniors Johnny Estrada and Matt Ratcliff added 10 points apiece.

Agape outscored Life Summit in the second quarter, 23-9, to boost its halftime advantage to 42-21. The Wolverines led 57-35 after three and easily weathered an 18-11 deficit in the fourth.

Danny Rossi scored 20 points and Alec Grutter 19 for Life Summit, which made 12 of 18 free throws. The Wolverines were 4-of-5 at the line.

Agape improved its record to 7-4; Life Summit dipped to 3-7.

DeLaSalle 79, CC 61: The Novak brothers combined for 61 of Warren De La Salle's points as the visiting Pilots stopped Catholic Central Friday.

Joe Novak led the way with 39 points and John Novak had 22 to lead the Pilots, who were helped by going 26-of-31 from the free-throw line. Jared Henderson led CC with 22 points while Dan Waterstradt added 19.

Agape 72, Huron Valley Lutheran 29: No contest.

Canton Agape Christian led 22-8 after one quarter and 39-11 by halftime of Thursday's game played at Discovery MS. Four Wolverines reached double figures in scoring: Charlie Henry led the way with 16 points (and four steals), Jordan Napier had 14 points (and seven rebounds), Matt Ratcliff netted 12 points and Jordan Estrada scored 10.

Nicklaus Husby paced Huron Valley Lutheran with 10 points.

The loss left Huron Valley Lutheran at 1-5.

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46 yrs old, 5'5", 130 lbs, blonde hair, hazel eyes, two grown up children. Seeks honest, responsible man. BOX 30880

TIRED OF FLYING SOLO
Attractive Catholic widow, 5'7", 170 lbs, likes up North, hunting, fishing, travel, family, card games. Seeks sincere and honest male, 65 to 75, drug alcohol and smoke free, for commitment leading to marriage. BOX 30941

ACTIVE SENIORS ONLY
Well traveled, educated, loving, white, professional female. Seeking a sophisticated, Christian man, 62 to 72, who can also be down-to-earth. Interests are classical music, art appreciation, world events and travel. Comfortable one-on-one and in social situations. Oakland County. BOX 35911

GEMINI GIRL
Single white female, 47, slender, blonde hair, hazel eyes, enjoys golf, swimming, boating, people. Looking for a single white male, 42-53, who's genuine, down to earth, stable, for dating, possible long term relationship. Wayne County. BOX 35938

ATTRACTIVE ITALIAN
Petite, divorced, white female, seeks honest and secure, single, white male, 49-55, who likes to laugh and have fun, for friendship, possible long term relationship. Dearborn area. Wayne County BOX 35950

A LADY OF CLASS
Vivacious, upbeat, very attractive, blonde female, a professional, 5'7", 115 lbs, upper 50's, seeking soul mate counter part, 60's, a professional, for dating, possible long term relationship. Call me and see what life has in store for us. BOX 35996

FIRST TIME AD
Educated, well traveled, loving professional single female, 5'2", medium build, non-smoker. Enjoys conversation, music, travel, quiet times, and theater. Seeking refined gentleman, 60-70, for friendship first. Oakland county. BOX 35999

SEEKING ITALIAN
Petite, white female, 63, 5'1", 128 lbs, brown hair and eyes, non-smoker, attractive, talkative, good sense of humor. Seeks gentleman 60 to 66, non-smoker, sharing the things in life we both enjoy, especially travelling. BOX 36003

LADY WITH PIZZAZ
Eclectic, attractive, slender, fun, romantic lady, enjoys golf, tennis, boating, dancing and more. Seeking special, fun gentleman, 59 plus, over 5'10", non-smoker, honest and loyal. BOX 36009

ALL AMERICAN GUY
Single white female, 40, 5'5", non-smoker, brown hair, medium to husky, loving, caring, likes a variety of activities, sports. Seeking a husky, honest, white guy, 36-46, serious long-term relationship. Macombe County. BOX 36039

CLASSY COSMO CUTIE
Creativity and chemistry a must. White female, compassionate, curvy, looking for someone to have fun with white professional, 46 to 56, non-smoker, no drugs, love animals, water, boating, exercise, cooking, spiritual. Oakland County BOX 36051

ATTRACTIVE WOMAN
Soft spoken, non-smoker, white female, 5'11", size 11, wishes to meet a white male, 6'2", or taller, 49 or older, no games, no heavy drinkers, no drugs, height/weight proportionate. Wayne County BOX 36053

SEEKS BETTER HALF
Down to earth single attractive Asian female, 40, no dependents. Seeks attractive white male 5'10" plus, health conscious, has a positive outlook on life, is ambitious and successful yet unpretentious for friends leading to long term relationship. Oakland County BOX 36057

TOUCH OF CLASS
For sale, attractive, classy, outgoing, divorced white female, 5'5", 130 lbs, dark hair, pretty eyes. Seeks top notch, tall, white male, 50 plus, to share fun, and special moments together. Your cost one phone call. Oakland County BOX 36059

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I HAVE ELAN
Eclectic, attractive, slender, romantic, quality lady, enjoys most music, dancing, golf, tennis, boating, sports and theater. Seeks special, non-smoking, gentleman, over 59, and 5'10" plus, that is honest, loyal and fun. Oakland county. BOX 36061

UNIQUE VEGETARIAN
Pretty, 40's, 5'7", 119 lbs, spirited, happy and degreed, loves yoga, living, food preparation, culinary arts grad. In search of a great connection, open hearted communicator who is loving, self aware, healthy, love of dance music and this beautiful world are a plus. Oakland County. BOX 36076

SEEKING RELATIONSHIP
Attractive, slender, tall lady of 55, warm hearted, cerebral, somewhat a quiet home body, a smoker. Seeking a gentleman, 55 to 69, intelligent, tall, polite, truthful, a smoker, who enjoys dining and conversation. Oakland County. BOX 36077

ARE YOU LONELY?
Would you like to meet someone with a great personality, non-smoker, non-drinker, a person of good character, integrity, reputation? Who still believes in friendship, companionship and true love, seeking tall male 55 to 65. Oakland County BOX 36080

GIVE ME A TRY
Divorced white male, 45, brown hair, eyes, tall, slim, good healthy, fun loving, easy going. Searching for a single white female, 35 to 50, who enjoys going to galleries, camping, fine dining and more. BOX 30979

TALL & HANDSOME
5'11" male with mustache, 180 lbs seeks female, 40 to 55, slender to average build who is interested in travel, dinners, movies, quiet times at home, casinos, boating and more. Call if interested. BOX 12370

MUSCULAR & ATHLETIC
Single white male, 44, 6'2", 215 lbs, brown blue, clean cut, degree, never married, no dependents, outgoing personality, enjoys outdoors, working out, new activities. Seeks friendly single female, age location open. Wayne County BOX 27018

PLEASE CALL TODAY
Fine, personable, single white male, 40's, is helpful and entertaining, good listener. Looking for someone serious, settled and sincere, single white female, 36 to 52. BOX 20424

YOU AND ME IN 2003
Single white male, dark hair, tall, fit. Seek special single white female, 25 to 35. BOX 26949

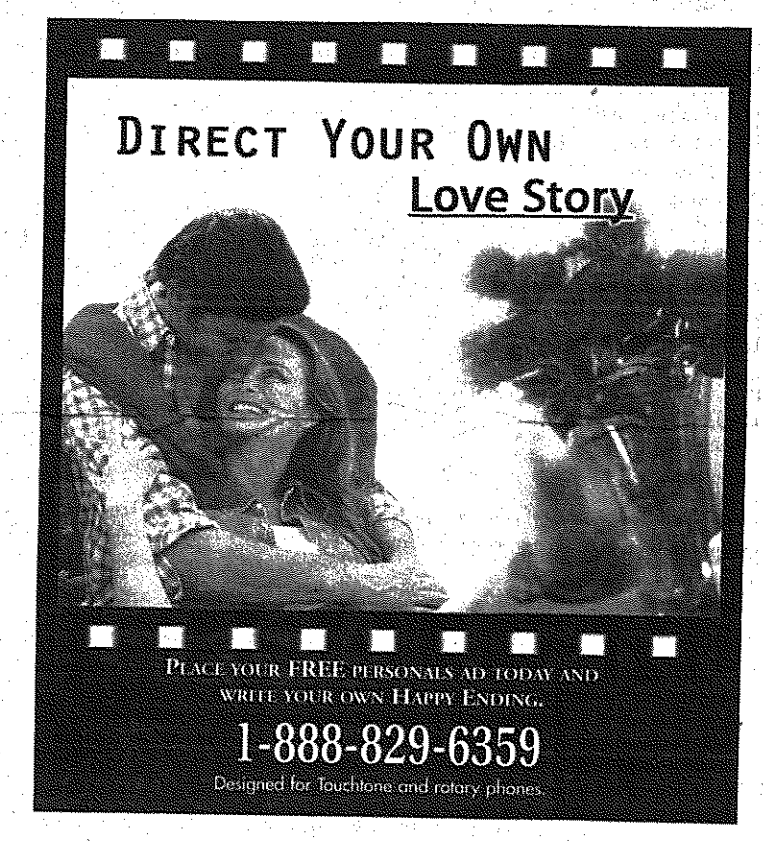
HONEST
Tall, divorced white male, 6'4", good physical condition, 56, non-smoker, self-employed, honest, sincere, sense of humor. I would like to meet a slender lady, 45 to 53, who is easygoing, with good values, for companionship, and possible long-term relationship. BOX 35984

PLESANT PERSONALITY
Single white male, 42, 6'2", good looking, fit, average build, blond hair, bluish green eyes. Enjoys outdoors, traveling, boating, sports and more. Searching for a single female, 30 to 45, slim to medium build, good looking. BOX 14994

I NEED LOVE
Single male, 5'10", 175 lbs, dark hair, hazel eyes. Enjoys sports, outdoors and more. Searching for a sincere female. BOX 21242

WISH YOU WERE HERE
Single white male, 30, 5'10", 180 lbs, short brown hair, green eyes, goatee, carpenter, honest, caring. Enjoys movies, music, dancing, travel, horseback riding. Seeks honest, caring, sincere, affectionate single white female, 21 or older, children okay. BOX 30938

TOTAL PACKAGE
6', 197 lbs, professional black entrepreneur, intelligent, bald, well groomed, educated. Enjoys working out, fishing, travel, sailing, movies, dining out, plays. Seeks mature woman who enjoys being spoiled and pampered. BOX 30940



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NEW BEGINNINGS
Single white female 47, 5'4", 176 lbs, enjoys movies, candle light dinners, long rides, cuddling, quiet evenings at home. Seeks single black male 47-53 with similar interests for friendship possible relationship. Wayne County BOX 36142

A TOUCH OF CLASS
Attractive, tall, mature, lady, height/weight proportionate, non-smoker, social drinker, enjoys music, concerts, fine dining, dancing, conversation. Seeks similar qualities in a male, for friendship, companionship and possibly more. BOX 36146

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Single male is looking for a single female for great times together. BOX 14909

GETTING IT RIGHT!
Handsome teacher, 50, 6', 210 lbs, divorced, likes hunting, fishing, movies, playing the guitar, cooking, gardening, dining out and being with that special person. Seeks single female, same interests for a long term relationship. NO HEAD GAMES! Children welcomed. BOX 21155

POLISH ITALIAN GUY
50, attractive and healthy, youthful and light hearted. Enjoys doing fun things and going to interesting places. Seeks lady to spend time with and get to know. BOX 20745

WANTED: FULL FIGURED
Very young looking 48 yr old African American male, medium brown complexion, 5'7", 170 lbs, clean, drug and disease free, employed, has transportation, never married, no dependents. Seeks full figured white female, 40 to 55, 200 to 350 lbs. BOX 27296

RING MY BELL
Divorced white male, 49, 5'8", 175 lbs. Looking for a woman that wants a long-term relationship. Shape and looks important. I'll return your call. Wayne County. BOX 35922

SPIRITUAL CONNECTION
Single white male, 40, is looking for love and a real spiritual connection with a single nice white female, 32 to 52. BOX 14998

FATHER OF ONE...
...in Livonia. Single white father of 1, 39, 6'1", 190 lbs, handsome, fit, fun, honest, secure. Enjoys reading, running, biking, skiing, family activities and much more. Looking for a positive, fit and loving female, for great relationship. BOX 14942

QUALITY GUY
Divorced white male, 55, 5'10", medium build, successful businessman. Enjoys candlelight dinners, flowers, plays, dancing, concerts, boating, travel, getaway weekends. Seeks family oriented people person with good sense of humor. BOX 14102

QUALITY GUY
Let us share a glass of wine or cup of coffee. Divorced white male, 5'10", 55, business man in Metropolitan Detroit. Seeks honest, caring woman, good sense of humor, people person, good communications skills to share his enjoyment of plays, dancing, boating, get away weekends. BOX 14118

YOU AND I
This sweetheart is a sociable single white male, 40, well groomed, physically fit, has many interests yet open to yours. Seeks friendly female friend and possible lover. BOX 30914

END MY SEARCH
Live near i-94 in Telegraph, 63 yrs old, 5'9", 170 lbs, youthful, light hearted, gentle. Enjoys camping, walking, flea markets, movies, quiet nights at home. Looking for permanent relationship with a slim to semi-slim lady. BOX 10478

R U UNDER 59
Single male, 5'8", 175 lbs, auburn hair and blue eyes, non-smoker, financially stable, enjoys camping, long walks, games, quiet times at home and more. Looking for a female with similar interests, for possible relationship. BOX 10700

ARE YOU OUT THERE?
Single black male, west side of Detroit, own my home. Seeks down to earth lady, attractive, 30 to 45, for friendship, relationship. I enjoy music, sports, romance, sharing and communicating. BOX 10924

TIRED OF BEING ALONE
Widowed and lonesome male, 5'9", 168 lbs, social drinker, smoker, healthy, gentle and giving. Enjoys camping, fishing, travel, walking, games and quiet times at home. Seeks well put together female, under 60, with a nice personality. BOX 12547

ARE YOU COMPATIBLE?
White professional male, 5'8", fit, brown hair, blue eyes, well educated, no dependents. Enjoys music, movies, reading, family and friends, biking, jogging, long walks. Seeks fit, emotionally available, white professional female, no dependents. For happy and healthy relationship. BOX 14561

LOOKING 4 THAT GIRL
Hard working, divorced white male, 49, 5'8", 175 lbs. Looking to find an easy going, intelligent, pretty white female, mid to late 40s, nice shape and build, for a long term relationship. No games please. Redford area. BOX 14640

JUST A CALL AWAY
Intelligent, witty, hard working, professional, successful, dependable, healthy single white male, 5'6", athletic build, blonde hair, blue eye, no dependents, great sense of humor. Seeks outgoing, attractive, thin, happy, healthy, professional female. BOX 14756

A JOINT VENTURE
This gentle, optimistic, single white male, 44, is well-groomed with good social skills, seeks descent looking, romantic female 35 to 45. BOX 14770

READY TO GAMBLE?
46 yrs old, attractive, healthy, single, white male seeks lady like, single, white female, 40's to 50's. BOX 14811

COULD U B THE ONE?
35 yrs old, fit male, blonde hair, blue eyes, attractive, never married, no children, financially secure, home-owner, charming, affectionate, trustworthy and honest. Likes travel, sports, concerts, animals. Seeks open minded, slim, fashionable, single white female, 25 to 40, for friendship first, possibly more later. BOX 14834

ENDLESS LOVE
40 yr old, 6'7", tall, dark, 245 lbs, well build, Latino, young, good looking, employed, easy going. Enjoys music, movies and working out. Looking for friendship leading to long term relationship with a special lady. BOX 14910

JUST LOVABLE
Single white male, 44, loves hugging, cuddling, kissing and lots of affection. Seeking female with the same interest, age, race, size open. BOX 14939

TIRED OF FLYING SOLO
61 yr old male, looks and acts much younger, 5'9", 170 lbs, light hearted, laughs a lot, very gentle. Likes camping, walking, good movies, flea markets, quiet nights at home. Seeks permanent relationship with female, under 59, slim to medium, attractive. BOX 20560

LET'S HAVE FUN...
Nice looking, considerate, single white male, in my 40's. Seeks a single lady, in her 40's or 50's, for dancing, dining and social events. BOX 20569

ISN'T IT TIME WE MET
Articulate, cultured, nice looking, unique black male, 50, 5'7", 150 lbs. Wishes to meet a sincere, attractive, affectionate, white or foreign born female, for a long term, mutually committed relationship. BOX 21089

MAKE ME SMILE AGAIN
Single white male, 56, 5'10", average weight, enjoys travel, live plays, dining out, Red Wings hockey. Seeks religious woman, average build, for long term relationship. BOX 21111

LUCKY IN LOVE
41 yrs old, 6'2", 210 lbs male, smoker, non-drinker, likes movies, dining out, travel. Seeks slim female over 5'5". BOX 21163

THAT 1 SPECIAL GAL
32 yr old, single white male who likes to do many things. Seeks that special someone. BOX 21239

DREAMING OF YOU...
Single male, 50, likes biking, movies, parks, dining and staying home. Hoping to find a single female, 45 to 55, friendship first, maybe leading to more. Let's see what happens! BOX 21248

ADVENTUROUS
Handsome, passionate, intelligent, funny, tall, well built, single white male, 34, looking for very passionate, adventurous, intelligent, kind hearted female, for friendship and romance. Oakland County. BOX 23337

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DO YOU QUALIFY?
White male, 48, muscular, attractive, financial and self secure. Seeking selective, classy, attractive white or Asian female, under 45, for long term relationship. Wayne county. BOX 25970

LET STAY 2GETHER...
For ever. Single white male, 45, honest, faithful, trustworthy, caring, loving, up front, smoker, social drinker, 6', 165 lbs, looking for a white female, 35-50, on the slim side, 100-140 lbs, who has the same qualities as I do. Looking for a very serious relationship, no head games. Oakland County. BOX 26014

IS THIS YOUR NAME?
Divorced white male, early 50s, dark hair, blue eyes, 6', looking for Carol, Charlotte, Chris, Debbie, Diane, Denise, Donna, Joy, Karen, Kathy, Linda, Lori, Nancy, Pat, Sally, Sandy, and Sue. I'd like to meet you. Ages 38 to 54. Possible long term relationship. West Sider. BOX 26039

READY TO SETTLE DOWN
30 yr old male, 5'10", 145 lbs, red hair, non-smoker. Enjoy movies, laughing, long walks in the park. Seeks white Christian female, 20 to 35, slender build, for long term relationship and possible marriage. BOX 26665

YOU WON'T BE SORRY
Single black Christian male, 5'5", 155 lbs, handsome, outgoing. Loves bowling, sports, jazz clubs. Looking for a special single female, any race, 26 to 38, who has a great sense of humor, very outgoing, college educated, professional, non-smoker, Christian. BOX 26839

STRING OF MY HEART
50 yrs old, 5'4", 135 lbs, single white male with mustache from Wayne County. Likes golf, bowling, barbecues, music, dancing, craft shows and more. Seeks female with similar interests. BOX 26841

LIFE HAS JUST BEGUN!
57 yr old divorced male, 5'7", 175 lbs, fit, retired, silver hair and mustache, financially secure. Loves golf, movies, biking, travel, the beach, dining out. Seeks female, not too much baggage, thin to medium build, non-smoker. BOX 26857

HUGGABLE TEDDY BEAR
37 yr old male, Italian/Polish, very active. In search of someone to spend holidays with. She should be early 20s to mid 40s, long hair, nice eyes, for a long term friendship. BOX 26863

DON'T HESITATE...
...Give me a call! 18 yr old, 5'2", 125 lbs, looking for a single girl to have fun with. BOX 26884

FULL FIGURED LADY'S
Divorced, white male, 43, 5'9", 165 lbs, blondish brown hair, green eyes, down to earth. Seeking a single or divorced, white female, 38 to 45, who is down to earth and enjoys the simple things in life. For a possible relationship. Wayne county BOX 27006

JUST BE YOURSELF
I might like you anyway. Realistic, respectful, single white male, 45, believes in destiny and chemistry, ready to embrace female sweetheart. Age unimportant. BOX 30879

MAKE IT REALITY...
...Call as soon as possible! Attractive, healthy white male, 56, considerate and pleasant to be with. Seeking white female, 50 to 70, for friendship and companionship. I enjoy movies, art, antiques, some travel. BOX 30965

NEW ADS EACH WEEK

I'M A SINCERE PERSON
If you are, 48 to 58, slim, white and attractive, call me. If you are looking for a non violent, loving, happy go lucky, non-drinking guy, call me. I'm 5'9", 175 lbs, attractive, widowed and lonesome, looking for a life time relationship. I'll answer your call. Down River, no games. BOX 33419

PLEASE READ THIS AD
Attractive, honest, big-hearted, white, non-abusive, sober man. Active, secure, widowed, and lonesome. If you're under 60, attractive, slender, and serious, call me, I'm your man. Romulus. Wayne County BOX 33735

GIVE ME A CALL
5'3", 155 lbs, blue eyes, 54, single white male seeking a single white female 45 to 55 non-smoker, non-drinker, religious. Who Enjoys movies, dancing and outdoor sports. Wayne county BOX 35898

SUN & BEACHES
Caring, affectionate, loving, hard working, divorced white male, 54, 5'7", silver fox hair, 176 lbs. Loves ocean beaches, spending quality time together. Seeking friendship for monogamous relationship. 40 to 50. BOX 35913

UNDER THE STARS
Intense special single white male, helpful and romantic. Seeks nice gal, 30 to 50, an outdoor lover, for sharing of magic moments under the moonlight, by candlelight, etc. Oakland County BOX 35916

ATHLETIC/INTELLIGENT
Young looking 55, 6'1", 195 lbs, engineer with MBA. Seeks attractive younger women with a weight proportionate, shapely figured. For loving relationship. She should be 5'5" to 5'10". Occupation not that important. Warmth, honesty, and loyalty is a must. Oakland County. BOX 35926

NOW IS THE TIME
Single white male, mid 50's, 6'3", brown hair and eyes, non-smoker, altruistic, many interests. Seeking white female, 38-60, slim/medium build, who appreciates life and herself, for friendship first and whatever that may lead to. Oakland County. BOX 35928

EBONY SEEKS IVORY
Single black male, 40, 6'2", 230 lbs, attractive, intelligent, college educated, easygoing, open minded, humorous. Seeks white or Hispanic female, 30+, with same attributes, sure positive thinker. Wayne County. BOX 35952

JUST READ
I'm white widowed, attractive, light hearted, well built, enjoy all the good things in life. Looking for an attractive, well built lady, under 59, for possible permanent relationship, Dearborn. Wayne County. BOX 35956

YOUR SUMMER SURPRISE
...Just might be a most enjoyable white male, 40's, good looks, educated and energetic. Seeks an attractive, friendly, lady to share it with. Oakland County! BOX 35971

SENSIBLE MAN
Single white male 55, soft-spoken, down-to-earth, enjoys dancing, theater, movies, etc. Seeks friendly, relationship-minded, single white female, 40's to 50's. Oakland County. BOX 35983

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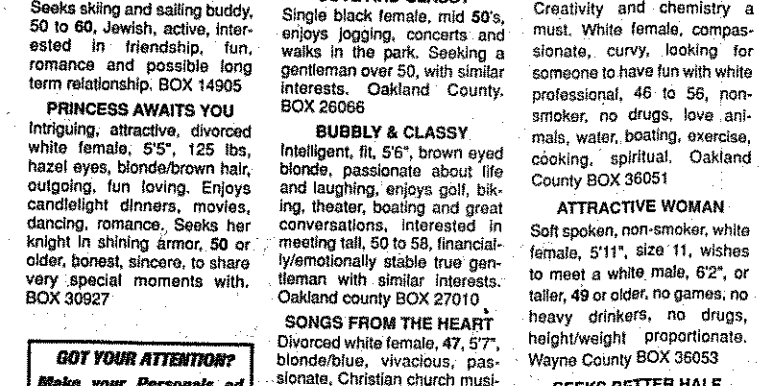
SO MUCH TO OFFER
Sassy single white gentleman, 56, good looking, healthy, many interests to share. Looking for a lively single white female, 46 to 59. BOX 20857

WE MIGHT CLICK
Attractive white male, 56, enjoys movies, antiques and romantic evenings. Seeks white female, 56 and up, for friendship, companionship and relationship. BOX 21199



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Healing comes in many forms, including meditation.

Oakwood Complementary & Alternative Medicine Center, 36555 Warren, Westland, will offer "Mindfulness Meditation" 6:15-7:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Feb. 5, 12 and 19. The three-session class is designed to help reduce stress and improve their overall health through meditation. Oakwood RN Barb Welcer will teach breathing and walking meditation techniques to help quiet the mind. The cost is $25 dollars to attend three sessions. Call (800) 543-WELL to reserve your spot. The center's number is (734) 414-9003.

Breast cancer

Postmenopausal women with an increased risk of developing breast cancer can take part in a national research study at Beaumont Hospital that will compare the effectiveness of two drugs in preventing breast cancer. Volunteers with take either tamoxifen, a drug approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration to reduce the incidence of breast cancer in women at increased risk; or raloxifene, which is approved by the FDA for treating osteoporosis and has shown promise in reducing a woman's chance of getting breast cancer. Call (248) 551-7695 for more information.

Heart attack risk

At St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, the latest fast CT scanner allows patients to discover their potential risk of heart attack through a quick new test called calcium scoring.

St. Mary Mercy is one of the few hospitals in the area to offer this new, leading-edge technology. The exam gives patients a "calcium score," which is a measurement of calcified plaque in their coronary arteries.

For more information on Cardiac Services, call (734) 655-2885. For a cardiologist on staff at St. Mary Mercy, call (888) 464-WELL.

Tremor Disorder

Shari Finsilver of Orchard Lake leads a local support group for those who suffer from Essential Tremor, a debilitating and incurable movement disorder. The group meets 7-8:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month at Temple Israel, 5725 Walnut Lake Road in West Bloomfield.

Contact Finsilver at (248) 683-4138 or Finsilver@earthlink.net, or visit www.tremorsupport.com. To learn more about the International Tremor Foundation, visit www.essentialtremor.org or call (888) 387-3667.

Appointment

The Southeastern Michigan Chapter of the American Red Cross has appointed Jan Shimshock of Bloomfield Township as chief development officer. Shimshock joins the Red Cross from Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village where he served as associate director/major gifts & gift planning officer. He brings to the Red Cross nearly 20 years of experience in the nonprofit sector. To learn more about the American Red Cross, call (313) 833-4440 or visit www.semredcross.org.

THE RETURN OF SIGHT

Beaumont Eye Institute offers vision rehabilitation

BY RENEE SKOGLUND
STAFF WRITER

Mary Ann Scheele, a Redford Township senior, thought she'd be in the dark forever after she lost most of her vision following a stroke last spring. Fortunately, she made an appointment with Dr. Susan Hahn, an optometrist with the Beaumont Eye Institute for a low-vision evaluation. Hahn referred her to Manjula Amarnath, an occupational therapist at Beaumont Hospital and a specialist in visual rehabilitation.

After months of therapy, Scheele is seeing a lot better.

"I'm able to watch TV and go out with my friends. I can read a little if I have the right light," she said.

It's all about learning to track, said Scheele.

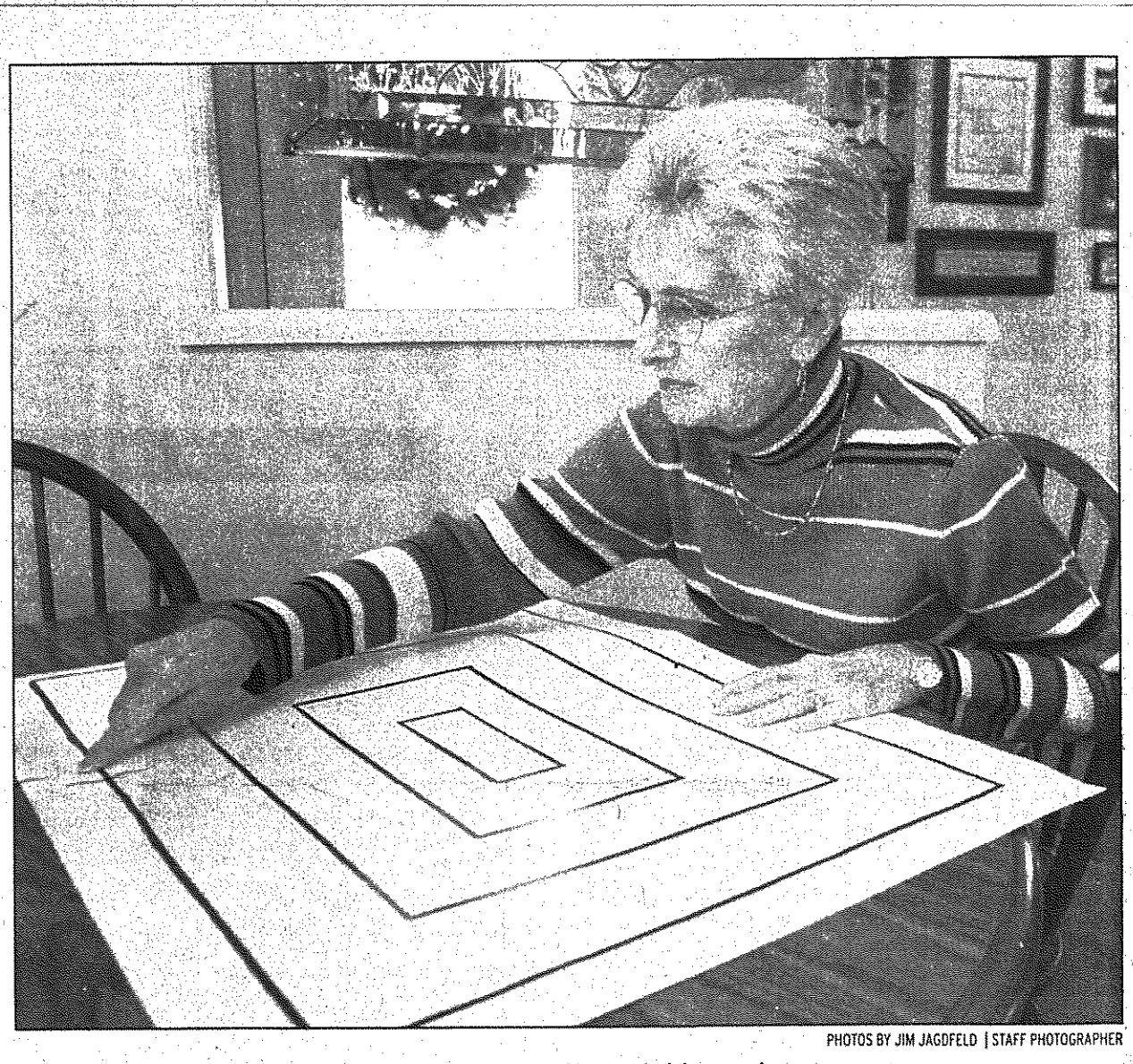
"Before I just moved my head and not my eyes. Now, rather than feeling for an object, I locate it with my eyes then reach. The brain and the eyes have to get together in this business."

Exactly, said Amarnath, who recalled that Scheele had to be led in the room by her daughter-in-law, Catherine, during her first therapy session. "Her eyes were fixed and she wouldn't move her eyes to locate anything."

A vision-impaired person cannot "see" unless what he or she sees is correctly interpreted by the brain, she added.

Amarnath soon had Scheele using her eyes to track a moving object, catch a swinging ball, and write and read by using her finger as a guide. She would give Scheele instructions as to an object's location, thus setting up a tracking route. She also gave Scheele homework. Scheele proved to be an eager student.

"It was amazing, really a pleasure to work with her," said Amarnath. "Every time I gave her a task she'd work on it, and when she came back we could move on."



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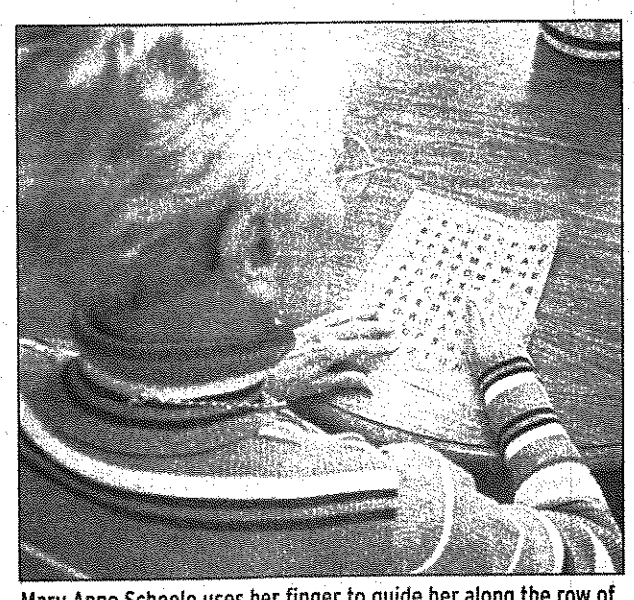
Mary Anne Scheele traces the outlines of concentric boxes, part of her eye training exercises.



Mary Anne Scheele uses her finger to guide her along the row of letters. She identifies each letter and says it out loud. The chart is much like an eye chart used in an eye exam.

Unfortunately, Scheele's Medicare benefits have run out and she is now confined to doing her therapy at home.

NEW LIFE

Scheele has a new appreciation for the little pleasures in life, even though they may come with a few pitfalls.

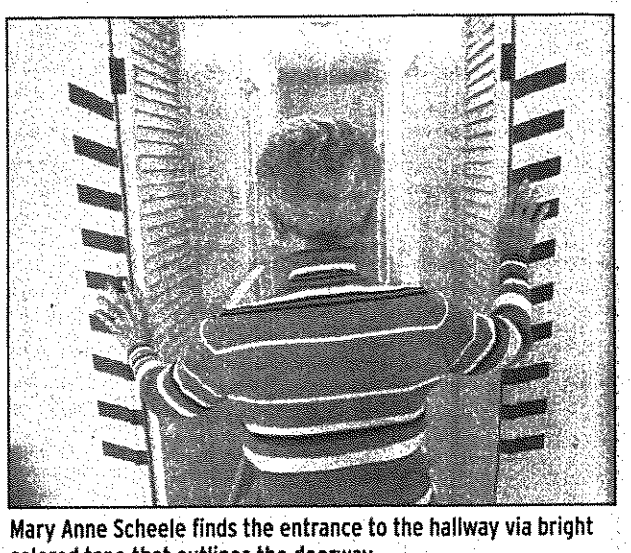
"I made Swiss steak one night and pounded the flour in it. My daughter-in-law put it in the pressure cooker. My son came out of his office and slid across the floor because I had gotten flour all over the floor," she said. (Scheele's son and daughter-in-law came to live with her after her stroke.)

"It has been a great, great improvement," she added. "I can't say enough about my occupational therapist. She has such concern and compassion. She teaches you so well."

Scheele's sight is not perfect. Her vision is still foggy, still kind of gray, she said. "But I can see the kids when they sit down. I can see my son sitting there. He has a mustache and a goatee."

Scheele's family has benefited from Scheele's improved vision. "My life is a lot easier," said Catherine, who had to physically guide her mother-in-law around the house. "It's given our family a lot of hope. Her life is changed. She's able to sing in the church choir again.

"She's doing very well and probably could be doing better if I let her walk by herself more," Catherine added. "We've gone from mom saying, 'I'm blind' to mom saying, 'I'm visually impaired.' There's much less stigma."



Mary Anne Scheele finds the entrance to the hallway via bright colored tape that outlines the doorway.

EVALUATION

Not everybody with low vision can be taught to "see" once again, said Hahn, who usually refers patients with vision loss from stroke or brain injury to Amarnath.

"Sometimes, it can be retaught, sometimes we can't regain everything we have lost. Visual field

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Blood drive honors Martin Luther King Jr.

Many Americans are at a loss of how to honor Martin Luther King Jr. on the national holiday. Participating in the Blood of Martyr Blood Drive Campaign, a national initiative to increase minority blood donations, provides an opportunity to fulfill civic responsibility and perpetuate Dr. King's legacy by giving the gift of life through a blood donation.

In Metropolitan Detroit there is a chronic shortage of Type O and Type B blood. Both are more commonly found in African Americans.

Southeastern Michigan Blood Services Region has partnered with the ecumenical community (all denominations), corporations, hospitals and community leaders to commemorate King's holiday with the Blood of Martyrs blood drives throughout the state of Michigan.

The statewide campaign started on King's birthday Wednesday, Jan. 15, and continues through Wednesday, Jan. 22. There are 30 community drives scheduled in southeastern Michigan with the hope of collecting 1,300 units of blood over the seven-day period.

"Life's most persistent and urgent question is ... what are you doing for others?" King once said. Donating blood is a living, active witness to his legacy.

Blood drives will be conducted at the following locations:

Jan. 19 – St. Kenneth Catholic Church, Plymouth, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.; St. Alexander Catholic Church, Farmington, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.; St. Fabian Catholic Church, Farmington, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Jan. 20 – Our Shepherd Lutheran Church, Birmingham, 1:30-7:30 p.m.; St. Thomas More Catholic Church, Troy, 1:30-7:30 p.m.; North Congregational Church, Farmington Hills, 2-8 p.m.; First Baptist Church, Northville, 2-8 p.m.; Bentley Elementary, Canton, 2-8 p.m.

Jan. 21 – Temple Kol Ami, W. Bloomfield, 2-8 p.m.; St. Timothy Presbyterian Church, Livonia, 2-8 p.m.

For additional locations and to make an appointment to donate blood, call (800) GIVE LIFE. You must be in general good health, at least 17 years old and weigh at least 110 pounds.

ONGOING

Self-Help groups
Anyone seeking information on a variety of self-help groups may call the Michigan Self-Help Clearing House at (877) 777-5556.

Grief support
Angela Hospice offers ongoing grief support groups every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at the center, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia. Call (734) 464-7810.

Bipolar
The MDDA-Bipolar Support Group meets 3-5 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday at Beaumont Hospital, Administration Bldg., 3601 W. 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak. Call Kathie at (248) 544-1097.

Divorce support
The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College will offer a "Divorce Support Group" 7-9 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of each month. Call the WRC at (734) 462-4443.

Bereavement
"Together to Share," a grief support group, meets 10 a.m. the first Monday of each month at American House on Middlebelt Road in Livonia. The group meets 3 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at Dorvin Nursing Center on Middlebelt Road in Livonia. Both groups are facilitated by a bereavement coordinator from Heartland Hospice in Southfield. Call (800) 770-9859.

Overeaters Anonymous
Support group for overeaters meets 7 p.m. every Friday at Providence Park-Novi, 47601 Grand River Avenue, Novi. HelpLine: (313) 438-HELP or (248) 474-9456.

Alcoholics Anonymous
Everyone is welcome to Providence Hospital-sponsored AA meetings held: noon every Tuesday and Thursday at Providence Medical Office Center-Novi, 39500 W. 10 Mile Road (at Haggerty), Novi. Call (248) 348-9362; noon every Wednesday at Mission Health Medical Center-Livonia, 37595 Seven Mile Road, Livonia. Call (734) 953-1188; and 8:30 p.m. every Wednesday at Providence Hospital, 16001 W. Nine Mile Road, Southfield. Call (248) 333-4911.

Thyroid cancer
Thyroid Cancer Survivors Association, Inc. support group meets 7-8:30 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Plymouth Public Library, 223 S. Main Street, downtown Plymouth, in the Gold Room. For more information about the ThyCa SE Michigan Support Group, call Mary Rose at (734) 397-2801 or e-mail: SE-MI@thyca.org. For more information on thyroid cancer and our other free support services, visit www.thyca.org or call toll free (877) 588-7904.

Headaches
Suffer from constant headaches? Join the Headache Foundation Support Group, which meets 7 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month at Providence Northwestern Medical Center, 30055 Northwestern, Farmington Hills. Call (248) 258-1973. Family members invited.

Gambling
The Gamblers Anonymous Support Groups meets 7:30-9 p.m. Mondays at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia, in Classroom 4. Call (734) 655-2944 or (800) 494-0277. Group is open to anyone with a gambling dependency.

Cancer
Join "Focus on Living," a cancer support group offered 7-8:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia. The group is designed to help cancer patients and families come together to help each other in living with a cancer diagnosis and treatment. Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society. Call (734) 655-8940 or (800) 494-1650.

Tremor Disorder Support
Shari Finsilver of Orchard Lake leads a local support group for those who suffer from Essential Tremor, a debilitating and incurable movement disorder. The group meets 7-8:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of the month at Temple Israel, 5725 Walnut Lake Road in West Bloomfield. Contact Finsilver at (248) 683-4138 or Finsilver@earthlink.net, or visit www.tremorsupport.com. To learn more about the International Tremor Foundation, visit www.essentialtremor.org or call (888) 387-3667.

Parents Supporting Parents
Parents coping with the loss of an infant through miscarriage, stillbirth or newborn death meet 7 p.m. the third Monday of the month at Providence Hospital-Southfield, 16001 W. Nine Mile Road, Southfield. Call (248) 849-5342.

Stroke
The St. John Health System-Providence offers a Stroke Support Group 7 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at Providence Park-Novi, 47601 Grand River Ave., Novi. Call (248) 465-4190.

Menopause
St. Mary Mercy Hospital's Menopause Support Group meets 7-9 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month. Call the hospital's Marian Women's Center at (734) 655-1100. Next meeting is Feb. 5.

JANUARY

Emotional healing
Unity Church of Livonia will present an energy-psychology workshop on Emotional Freedom Technique 1-2:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 19. Learn how to create rapid relief from anxiety, anger, stress, trauma and phobias by tapping on stress-release points of the body. Unity is located at 28660 Five Mile Road between Inkster and Middlebelt. Call (734) 421-1760.

Prostate
Dr. J. Edson Pontes will discuss surgical techniques for prostate cancer - current status, new developments and follow-up concerns - 6:15 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 21 at the Weisberg Cancer Center, 31995 Northwestern Hwy, Farmington Hills. Free supper/lecture. RSVP 248-538-6514.

Breastfeeding
Certified lactation consultants at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, explain the benefits of breast milk, getting a good start in the hospital and how to continue breastfeeding at come. Offered 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 23, in Classroom 2. Call (734) 655-1100 or (800) 494-1615.

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Overeaters Anonymous Support Group meets 7 p.m. every Friday at Providence Park-Novi, 47601 Grand Rive Ave., Novi. Next meeting: Friday, Jan. 24 Call (313) 438-HELP or (248) 474-9456.

Chronic Illness
Chronic Illness Coalition presents "Taking Charge of Fibromyalgia 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, at the Burton Manor in Livonia. Lunch provided. Eight speakers, including Dr. Carol Beals, board certified rheumatologist. Cost is $27 for health care professionals (4.8 Nursing Contact Hours have been approved by co-provider Madonna University) and $10 for general public. CAll Gary Bimberg at (800) 675-0613.

Lymphoma
The Weisberg Cancer Center, 31995 Northwestern Hwy., Farmington Hills, will present "Understanding Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma" 6 p.m. Wednesday Jan. 29. Free supper lecture. Call (248) 538-6507.

Yoga
St. Mary Mercy Hospital, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia, will present a yoga lecture by Sadhguru Jaggi Vasudeve, a master yogi and mystic, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, in the Auditorium. Lecture offers 2.0 credits hours of Category 1 CME credit for physicians. Call (734) 655-2923.

FEBRUARY

Women's health
St. Mary Mercy Hospital of Livonia offers "Ladies Night Out" 6-9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 5, with bone density screenings, massage and vendors. Guest speaker Meredith Salhaney will present a lecture, *Don't be a Victim*, at 7 p.m. Learn to spot the signs of a dangerous situation and keep yourself safe. Registration required. Call (734) 655-1182 or toll-free (888) 494-1617.

Infant Care
St. Mary Mercy Hospital of Livonia offers an *Infant Care Class* 6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 13, in Classroom 1. Learn about feeding, bathing, sleeping, infant safety, immunizations, signs of illness and caring for the sick infant. Call (734) 655-1100 or (800) 494-1615.

Stop smoking
Providence Hospital and Medical Centers will hold the Wellness Seminar for smoking cessation at the following times and locations: 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Feb. 15, at Providence Hospital, Medical Building, 22250 Providence Drive, Southfield; and 6:30-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 19, at the Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia. Call (877) 345-5500.

Weight reduction
Providence Hospital and Medical Centers will hold the Wellness Seminar for weight reduction at the following times and locations: 1-3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 15 at Providence Hospital, Medical Building, 22250 Providence Drive, Southfield; and 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 18, at Mission Health Medical Center, 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh), Livonia, Call (877) 345-5500.

Immunizations
St. Mary Mercy Hospital, 36475 Five Mile Road, Livonia, will offer a "Walk-in Infant and Child Immunization Clinic" 5:30-8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, in the Auditorium. Call (734) 655-8940 or (800) 494-1650 (out-of-area only).

MARCH

Prostate Screening
St. Mary Mercy Hospital of Livonia will hold a "Prostate Screening and Men's Health Fari" 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 1. The program will include blood tests for prostate-specific antigen (PSA), total cholesterol and HDL; prostate exam by a physician; and blood pressure check. A $10 donation is optional. Proceeds will benefit St. Mary Mercy's new cancer center. Call (734) 655-8963 to register.

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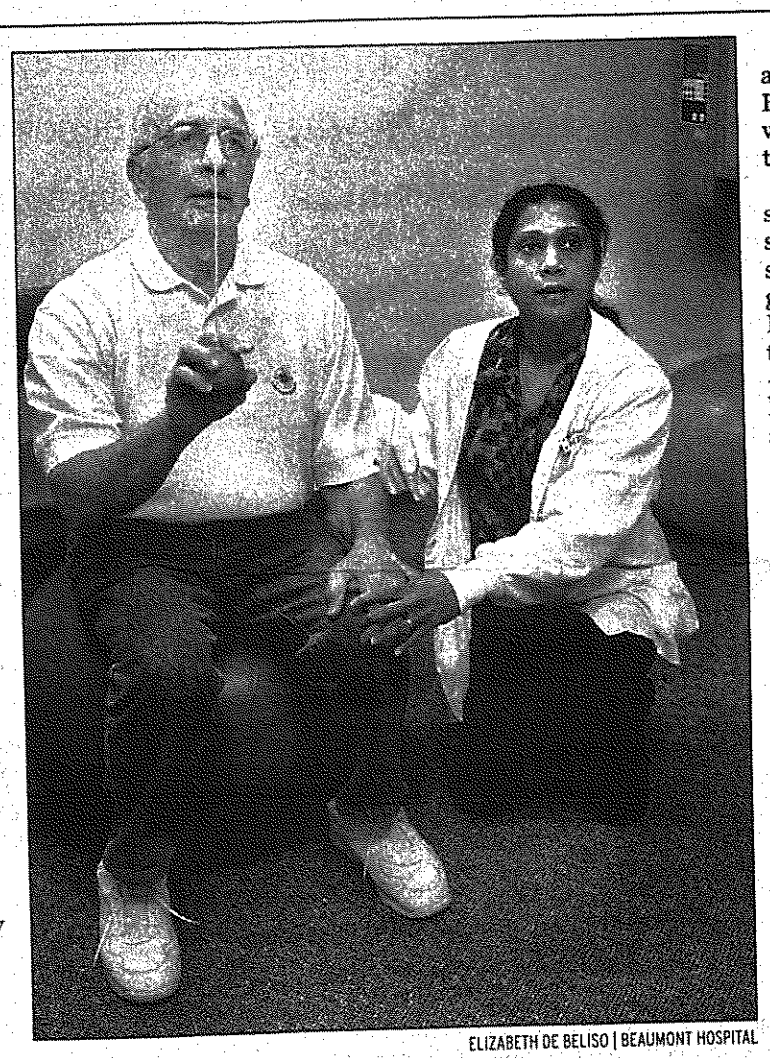
loss is not usually something that is regained. The patient must learn compensating skills."

According to the Neuro-Optometric Rehabilitation Association, visual field loss occurs in many forms, from nearly complete loss of peripheral vision to small areas of partial loss. Patients who suffer strokes or other traumatic brain injuries to one side of the brain, including tumors, may develop a loss of visual field to the opposite side.

"Patients often mistake this as being a bad right eye or left eye, but it actually occurs in the brain and thus presents as a loss in both eyes. Patients often run into objects, lose their place in reading and are startled by people or objects moving at them suddenly from the lost field," according to NORA.Scheele has recently been tested by her ophthalmologist for visual field loss and is awaiting the findings. Based on the test results, it's possible Hahn will recommend more occupational therapy.



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Occupational therapist Manjula Amarnath (right), of Beaumont Hospital, works with patient Frank Cancro of Beverly Hills on an exercise to improve peripheral vision.

All that depends on Medicare approval, said Catherine. Benefits for low vision therapy were cut from six months to two months.

"After just two months, she started to get her confidence," said Catherine. "It's really a shame. We should be able to get the care these people need. It's important to continue their therapy. You pay all this money – all of us pay it – and I just see how far she's come. I just hope she'll be able to pick up and continue."

Meanwhile, Scheele continues with her exercises at home. And if she occasionally spread peanut butter on the counter while making herself a sandwich, so be it.

"I never thought I'd see again," she said. "I thought I always would be in the dark."

Dr. Susan Hahn can be contacted at (248) 511-7588. For more information on services at the Beaumont Eye Institute, call (248) 551-2020, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays, or visit www.beaumonthospitals.com. The address for the institute is 3535 W. 13 Mile, Suite 555, Royal Oak.

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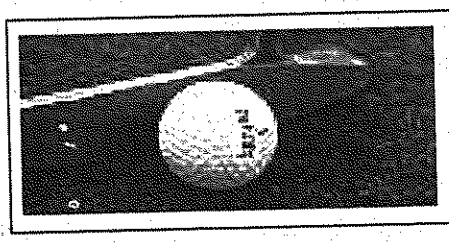

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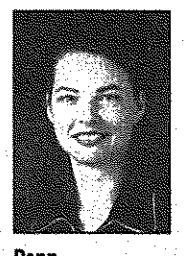
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OPHTHALMOLOGIST

Dr. Esther M. Penn has joined Henry Ford Eye Care Services in Livonia and Henry Ford OptimEyes in Westland. Her clinical expertise encompasses comprehensive eye care, including cataract surgery. She has a special interest in eye plastic surgery.

Penn, a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmologists and the American Society of Cataract and Refractive Surgeons, completed her ophthalmology residency at the W.K. Kellogg Eye Center at the University of Michigan. She earned her medical degree from Vanderbilt University School of Medicine in Nashville, Tenn.

Henry Ford Medical Center, Livonia, is located at 29200 Schoolcraft, (734) 427-8136. Henry Ford OptimEyes is located at 35184 Central City Parkway, Westland, (734) 261-0737.

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

David Spivey, president and CEO, St. Mary Mercy Hospital, Livonia, was named 2002 Northville Corporate Citizen of the Year by the Northville Community Foundation. He was cited for his commitment, involvement and contributions to the Northville community at a special recognition held last November as part of the Northville foundation Holiday Home Tour. Proclamations were presented by the State of Michigan, County of Wayne and Township of Northville.

"David Spivey has given back to the community through support of community sponsorships, such as the Northville Independence Day Parade, Victorian Days and other events," said Shari Peters, Chair of the Northville Community Foundation.

Spivey has been president and CEO of St. Mary Mercy Hospital since June 2000, when the hospital became part of Trinity Health, the largest Health system in Michigan and the third largest Catholic health system in the United States.

Yes, you do have dust mites in your home

What are dust mites?

Dust mites are tiny bugs that live your house. They measure about 1/100th of an inch in length, which is smaller than the period at the end of this sentence. They are a major cause of allergies and asthma. When some children are exposed to dust mites, their asthma symptoms appear for the first time. If children already have asthma, dust mites can make them wheeze more.

What do I do first?

Start in the bedroom. Most of the dust mites in your house live in your mattress. Put an airtight plastic or polyurethane cover over you mattress. Wash your sheets and blankets in very hot water every week. Wash your pillow every week or put a plastic cover on it. (The pillowcase goes over the plastic cover.)

The water used to wash your sheets and blankets should be 130 degrees. This temperature is higher than you may want for your water heater, because water over 120 can burn children if they turn on the hot water by themselves. If you don't want to set your water heater at this temperature, you can wash your sheets and blankets at commercial laundries.

Your bedroom should have a hardwood, tile or linoleum floor instead of carpet. Dust mites can grow rapidly in carpet. If you must use carpet, try not to place in on concrete because the warm space between a rug and concrete is a good place for mites to live.

I don't want to rip out my carpet. Is there anything I can do to treat it?

You can spray the rug with a solution of 3 percent tannic acid every two months to kill the dust mites. Ask your doctor if this solution will be helpful.

What else can I do?

Vacuuming your carpets and upholstery every week can help. Vacuums with high-efficiency filters pick up more dust mites, but even standard vacuums work well enough.

Plastic or wood furniture that doesn't have much padding can also help keep down the number of dust mites in your home. Because dust mites love warm, humid places, keeping the humidity low by using a dehumidifier and running your air conditioner makes a difference. Special air filters can help reduce dust mites in the air.

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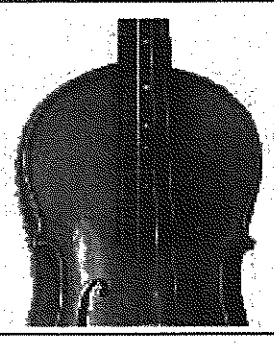

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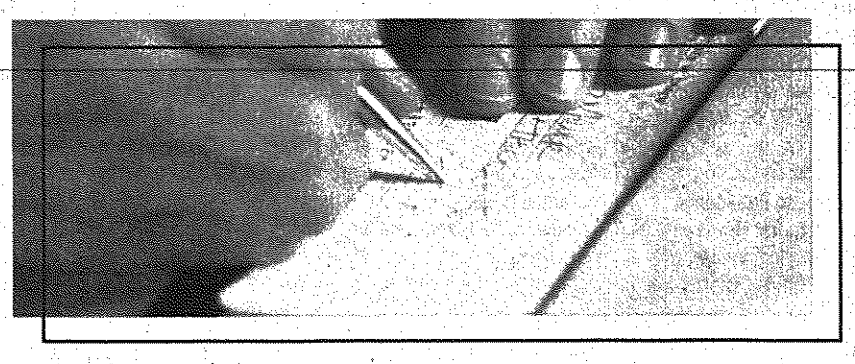

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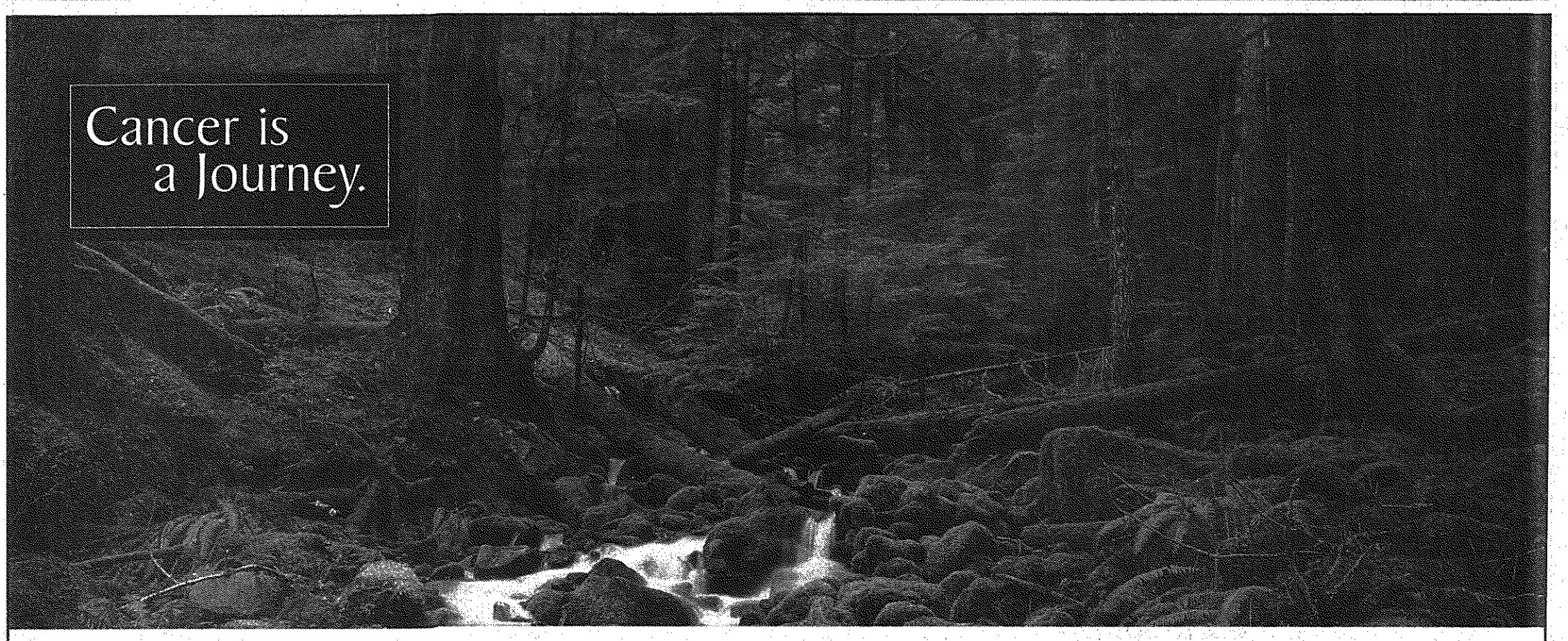

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Tri-level condo conversion offers great address, view

Jeffrey Kaftan, vice president of Kaftan Enterprises, describes Brookside Townhomes of Birmingham as "kind of a town-and-country thing."

That's because the apartment-to-condominium conversion is within walking distance of that community's quaint downtown and all it has to offer.

Brookside also has a stunning view of the winding Rouge River, Booth Park and a fabulous topography.

"Truly what we sell here is location and our view. Those are the two strongest assets we have," said Michael Carroll, sales representative.

Only eight of the nine refurbished residences – originally constructed in the 1940s – are available off Old Woodward a couple blocks north of Maple.

"We do have the premier location in downtown Birmingham – 1 1/2 blocks off the shopping area and an incredible view out back," Carroll said. "That park behind us will never be encroached upon – spring, summer, fall, winter – our view gets better."

"We wanted to have the unit match the location," Kaftan said. "People want a nice unit. We want to fit their lifestyle."

All nine homes in the community – six in one building, three in another – have the same basic floor plan.

The lower level includes a finished den, bathroom with shower and the laundry/utility room. The middle level has an open living room, dining area and kitchen. The upper level has two bedrooms and a full bath.

The interior units 1,250 square feet, carry a base price of $399,900; the end units, 1,350 square feet, $424,900.

The roofs of the brick buildings have been replaced, as will all windows. New steel front entry doors will be installed. The electrical system has been upgraded.

Kitchens will feature new cabinets, counters, vinyl flooring, cabinets, sink/faucets, range, refrigerator and dishwasher. Slate or granite flooring is available in the kitchen as an upgrade.

Refinished hardwood floors or carpeting is available in the living room and dining room, with new carpeting standard in the upstairs bedrooms.

New toilets, sinks and fixtures will be installed in the bathrooms. All homes will get a fresh coat of paint. Each residence has one space in a common detached garage.

A fireplace, air conditioning, lower-level deck and landscaping also are included with each unit. The existing furnaces and air processors have a one year warrantee with Kaftan.

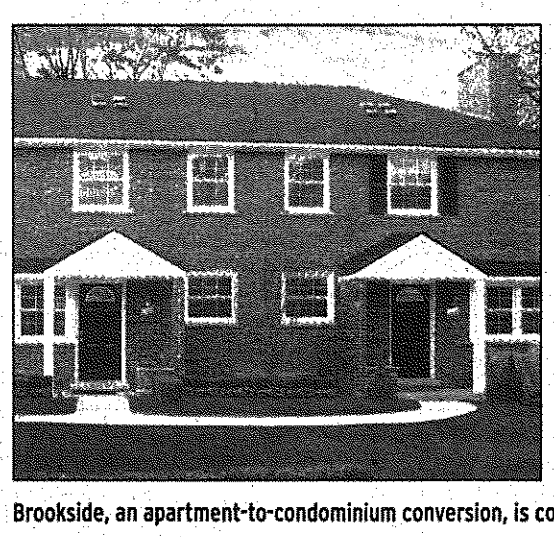
Purchasers also may purchase a unit as-is with only new windows and entry doors added for a discount of $17,000.

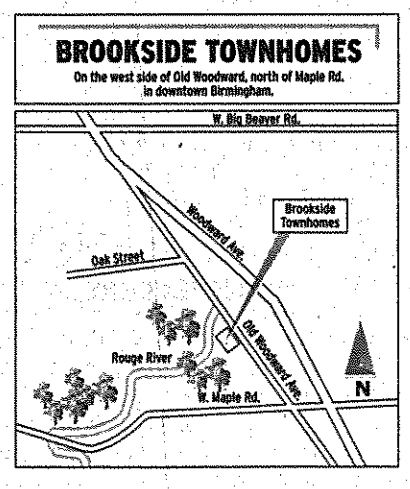
Brookside Townhomes are within the Birmingham school boundaries. All utilities are individually metered. Pets are allowed.

The property tax rate is $42.91 per $1,000 of state taxable value, half of sales price for construction. That means the owners of a $400,000 home there would pay about $8,600 the first year.

The $215 monthly association fee includes trash removal, snow removal, lawn care, exterior maintenance and insurance.

The sales model at Brookside Townhomes of Birmingham, (248) 833-0300, is open noon to 5 p.m. daily, closed Thursday.





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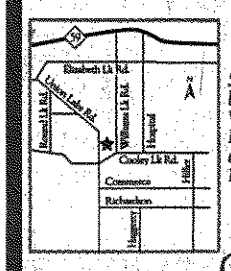

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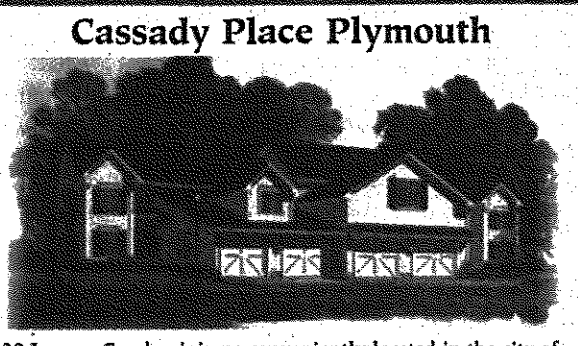

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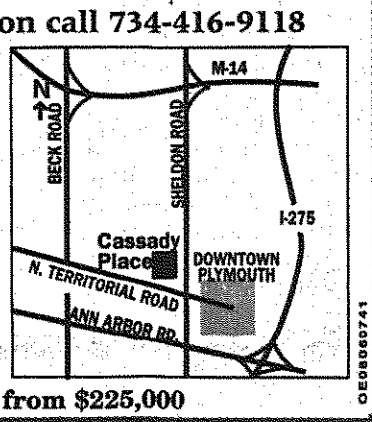

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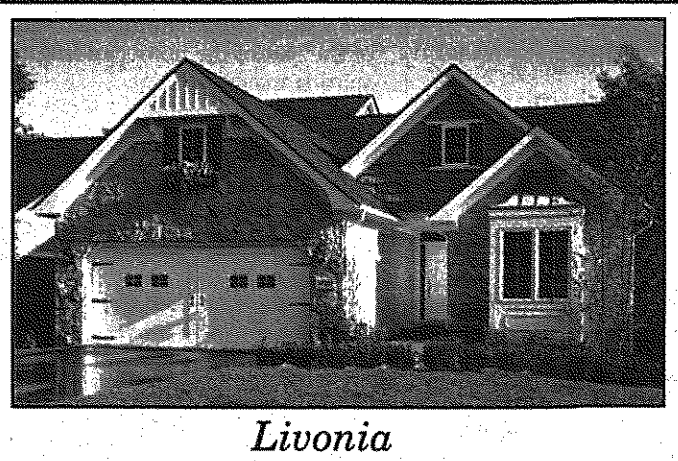

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Habitat's Global Village shows how poor live around world

(AP) – The green and brown house on stilts in south Georgia may look like a glorified treehouse, but it's actually the type of home Habitat for Humanity volunteers build for poor families in Papua New Guinea.

"We get deer hunters come by who want one as a deer stand," says Habitat spokeswoman Carla Robinson.

"Part of what we're trying to do is educate people about how others live overseas. We're so blessed as a country that what is a mansion to someone in the developing world is recreation for us."

The New Guinea house is one of 40 that are built or planned at Habitat's 6-acre Global Village & Discovery Center, designed to help the Americus-based group build awareness, encourage volunteers and bring tourists to southwest Georgia.

Construction began last January, and so far hundreds of volunteers from 68 countries have built 15 homes, typical of Habitat homes in places such as Sri Lanka, Guatemala, Tanzania, Haiti and Botswana.

The $5 million village will open in the spring, but construction will continue for two more years.

Visitors will see examples of Third World slums, where millions of poor live without electric lights, toilets or even a roof that doesn't leak.

Then they can tour Habitat homes from around the world. The center will also feature an exhibition center with photos and videos.

"It's important for Americans to see how 1.2 billion people live," says Habitat spokeswoman Kimberly Moore. "About one-fourth of the world's population lives in poverty."

Visitors also will be able to make bricks and roofing tiles or they can see how New Guinea residents weave mats for their homes.

They can even make a contribution by buying a $100 brick with their name inscribed on it, or a front yard or even an entire house at Third World prices, usually less than $5,000.

"They're more than welcome to give more than that," says Millard Fuller, who founded Habitat with his wife, Linda, in 1976. "We have had tremendous support for this project."

Fuller says the Global Village funds are separate from the money Habitat uses to finance its poverty housing programs.

With affiliates in more than 3,000 communities in 87 countries, the Christian housing ministry has built more than 125,000 homes around the world.

The contact number for Habitat for Humanity in western Wayne County is (734) 459-7744, for Oakland County, (248) 338-1843.

Habitat's international headquarters, located in the southwest Georgia town of Americus, about 150 miles south of Atlanta, attracts more than 10,000 visitors a year.

Over the years, visitors were most impressed by a small group of houses, displayed inside an old warehouse, depicting the group's international work, Fuller says.

"That was the thing they talked about," Fuller said. "I began to realize we needed something that was bigger. We launched a fund-raising campaign and got commitments for more than $700,000."

Habitat spent about $140,000 clearing land that had been occupied by a dilapidated peanut mill and now is in the process of building the village. The volunteer builders use native materials as much as possible.

"Most people don't get to go to India or to walk through a neighborhood in Kenya or Botswana," Fuller says. "We're giving you an opportunity. These houses are very authentic. We think it's going to be inspirational."

Former President Jimmy Carter and his wife, Rosalynn, whose home is about 20 miles west of Americus, are long-time friends of Fuller and have been the group's most high-profile volunteers.

The tourist train that stops at the Global Village continues west to the Carters' hometown of Plains and then on to Carter's boyhood home in Archery.

Jimmy Carter became the nation's 39th president and won the Nobel Peace prize this year for his global peacemaking efforts.

During a recent preview for Americus residents, volunteers and reporters, Gera Nelson of Brazil was cooking plantains, eaten as a vegetable throughout the tropics, in a brick stove inside an tin-roof African house made from concrete blocks.

"Anywhere in Africa, if a person can get a tin roof, that makes them happy," says Nelson who has worked on some of Habitat's international projects.

Patrick Nwokedi of Nigeria showed visitors a Ghanian home. It, too, was made from concrete blocks, but its white paint and light blue trim gave it a more cheerful look than some of the unpainted dwellings.

Nwokedi said Habitat homes change people's lives in Africa.

"It makes them happy they have their heads under a roof," he said. "They are able to live happily and send their children to school. There are a lot of people who are poor and don't have their own houses."

Speaking at the groundbreaking for the Global Village earlier in 2002, Carter said, "Rosalynn and I have had an opportunity to see what Habitat is doing around the world.

"We have been to Nicaragua, where we have made roof tiles. We have worked in the Philippines, Mexico and South Korea.

"The Global Village & Discovery Center will give a better sense of what Habitat is doing, not only at home, but around the world," Carter said.

Development fight touches near historic battlefield

(AP) – Skirmishes between developers and Civil War buffs seeking to preserve battlefields are common in northern Virginia, a rapidly growing area that was also the epicenter of the Civil War.

But now a full-fledged national battle has erupted over a proposal to build a new town called Chancellorsville on the land that gave Confederate Gen. Robert E. Lee his greatest victory.

"This is not somebody's garden back yard. This is a piece of land of national significance," said James Lighthizer, president of the Civil War Preservation Trust.

That organization has worked to preserve 15,000 acres of Civil War battlefield over the years.

Preservationists from around the country have unleashed 10,000 letters, phone calls and e-mails on Spotsylvania County's seven-member board, which is to make the final decision on the development soon.

"Chancellorsville is a national name, right up there with Gettysburg, Antietam, Vicksburg," said Jim Campi, a spokesman for the trust. "A lot of times people become involved in these fights because of environmental concerns. In this case, both locally and nationally, a lot of people are involved because of the history."

Recently, voters in the county district that includes the battlefield elected a new supervisor who opposes the development.

He won with 64 percent of the vote and says the development was "absolutely the overriding issue" in the campaign.

"Nationally, the issue is preservation of the battlefield," Campi said. "Locally, the issue is quality of life. We just don't have the water capacity, we don't have the road capacity to support this development."

The 1863 Battle of Chancellorsville is a textbook example of military ingenuity. Gen. Norman Schwartzkopf cited the battle as inspiration for his plans during the Persian Gulf War.

Lee's outnumbered troops defeated Union forces in a three-day battle that resulted in 30,000 casualties on both sides. Among them was Confederate Gen. Thomas "Stonewall" Jackson, who died after his own troops accidentally shot him.

The victory emboldened Lee to invade Union territory, leading to his defeat at Gettysburg a few months later.

Developer Ray Smith of Dogwood Development Group in suburban Washington, D.C., initially proposed a 2,350-home development with about 2 million square feet of commercial space – roughly the equivalent of 10 Wal-Mart stores – on an 800-acre parcel.

He since has scaled back his plans to include 1,995 homes.

The development is proposed for land next to the existing national park that preserves land from the Chancellorsville battlefield and from other nearby battles, including Fredericksburg, Spotsylvania Courthouse and Wilderness.

There is no current town of Chancellorsville, nor has there ever been. In 1863, Chancellorsville was merely a crossroads and a tavern.

But Smith envisions his new town looking like those that dotted Virginia in Civil War times, self-sufficient, with residents living in homes inspired by 19th-century architecture, able to walk to schools and shops in a town center.

The development would also include three hotels and other tourist-friendly amenities that Smith says would boost attendance at the existing national battlefield park, which has been declining in recent years.

In addition, Smith said his plan would preserve about 55 acres that are the most historically significant on the parcel and make it a battlefield park.

Under the existing zoning, that portion of the land is already zoned for commercial development.

"The preservationists have stirred people up, but I'm not quite sure why," Smith said. "Where the fighting happened, we're preserving it."

Lighthizer accused Smith of distorting history to make his development sound more palatable.

Lighthizer said the new town would completely overwhelm the scene of the first day of fighting, put the existing national park under further development pressure and spoil scenic views.

Lighthizer's group commissioned a poll showing that 66 percent of county residents opposed the development. At a recent public hearing, more than 300 people attended, with speakers equally divided between supporters and detractors.

Smith disputed the poll's findings, and said a majority of county residents support the project because of the potential to add millions of dollars to the tax base of a county that is growing rapidly and needs to pay for new schools and other services demanded by residents.

Sandy Rives, a spokesman for the National Park Service, said the park is concerned that the development will increase traffic on a busy highway that cuts through the battlefield, a fear Smith says is unfounded.

But Rives said he is optimistic that a solution can be reached.

"Are there ways the project can continue and the battlefield can be protected? I think there is a way to figure something out," he said.

Decorative doors add luster to home

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Doors can be innovative and attractive.

Although the most expensive doors typically are reserved for the front entry, service entries and back doors can be dressed up, too.

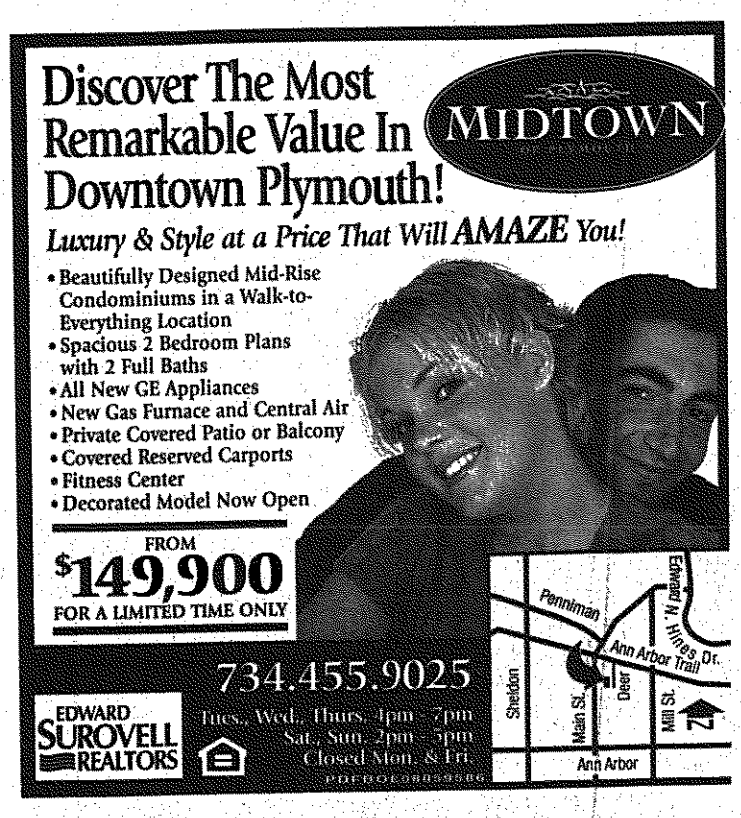
The latest in decorator doors is lead or stained glass, especially vintage reproductions from the popular Craftsman era.

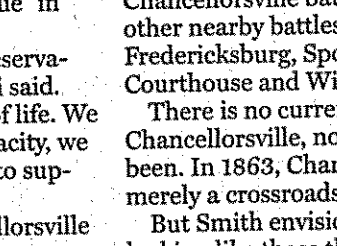
Like their French cousins, these doors provide the rooms they serve with plenty of natural light, but grant a measure of privacy because of their translucency and color. Unlike French or Dutch doors, they come in every imaginable pattern and hue.

When planning to install such a door, look for one framed in heavy wood of good enough quality to withstand sun and other weathering agents. A screen or storm door outside this work of art would rob it of its eye-catching quality.

Not only do decorative doors make good conversation pieces, they also sharpen the look of a more modest home.

Imagine a lead-glass front door framed in mahogany. It complements the architectural elements of the rest of the home, adding sparkle inside and out.





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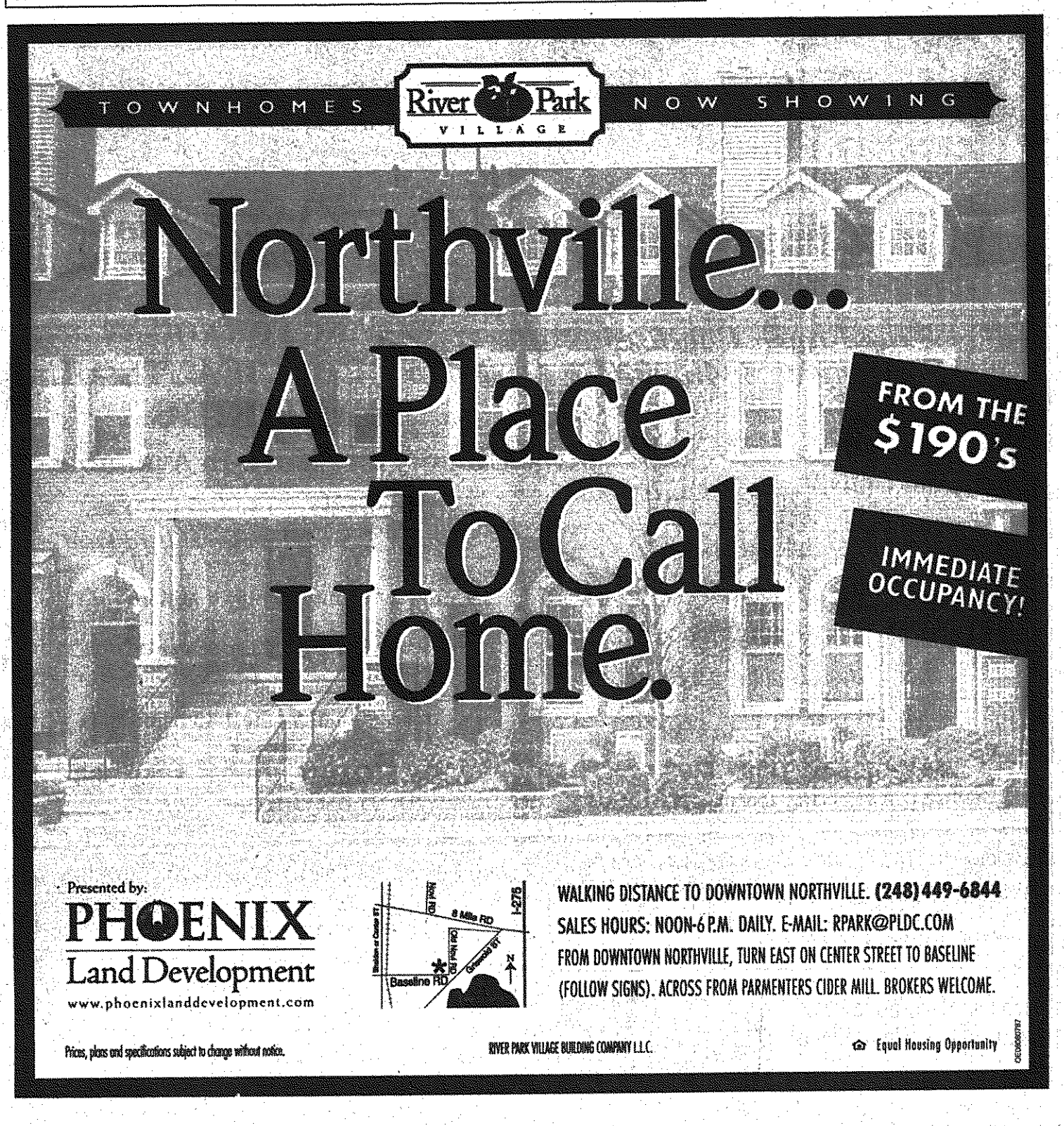

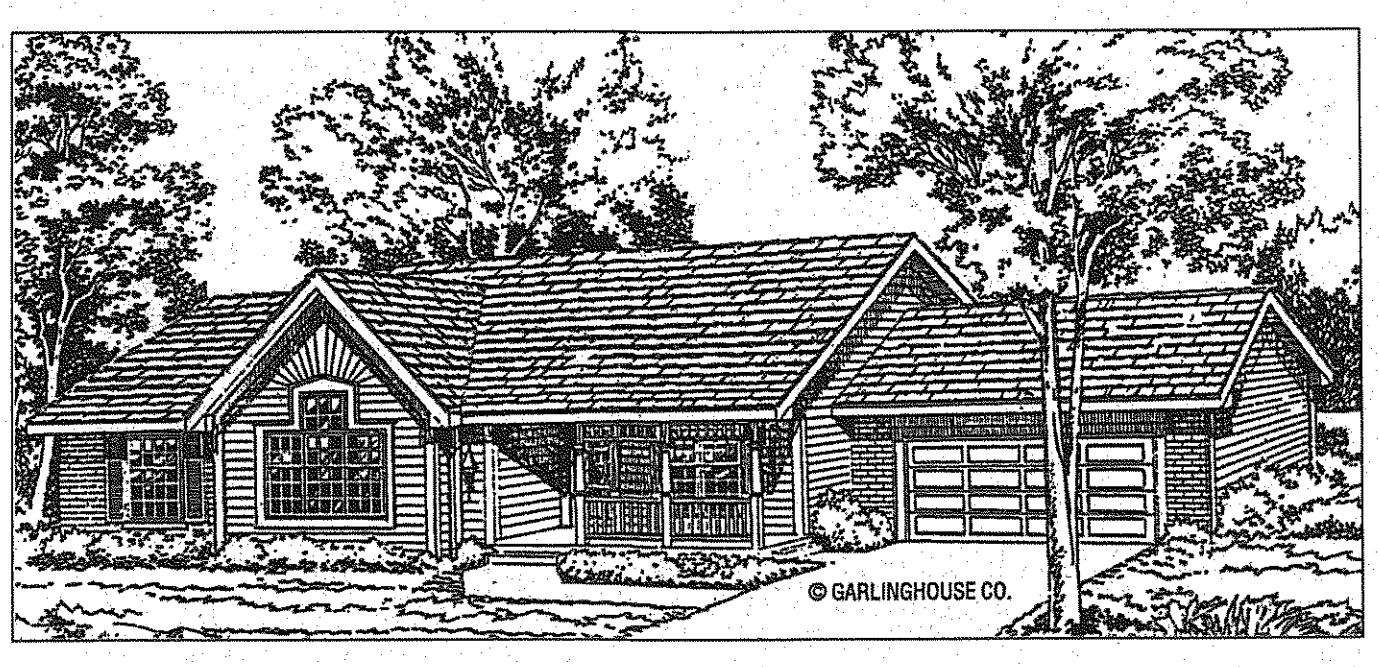

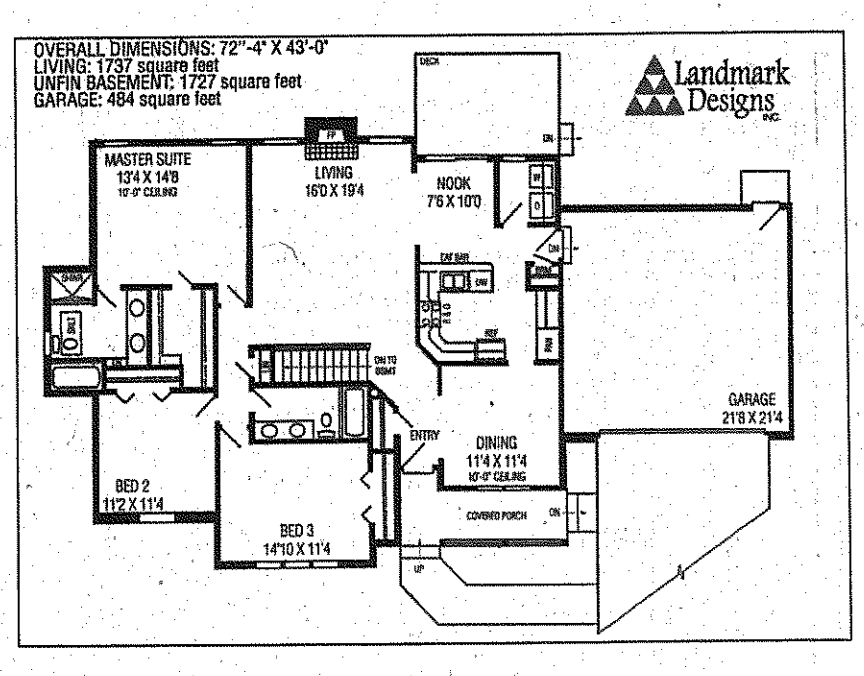

Upgraded facade elevates look of 3-bedroom ranch

The traditional style of the Fleming (G20-100) is elevated by a facade featuring an unusually shaped window on the face of the 1,727-square-foot ranch.

Its angular lines with the use of the fanned wood overhead add great eye appeal.

The other windows are decorated with accent shutters and the covered porch with railing further enhances the look.

The narrow foyer of the Fleming allows a view of the dining room and the living room.

The dining room is to the right through an archway. The 10-foot ceiling adds to the spacious feel of the room. Through a door at the rear of the dining room is the kitchen, convenient for those larger dinner parties.

The C-shaped kitchen has an eating bar on the counter backing to the nook. There's a pantry and work area on the outside wall, as well as a broom closet adjacent to the door leading to the two-car garage.

The laundry with a window overlooking the back deck is next to the nook, while the nook has sliding doors that open to the deck.

The living room has a fireplace on the rear wall bordered by windows on each side. This room feels spacious and open, ready to receive the family after a long day at work or school.

The master suite, also with 10-foot ceiling, is oriented to the back of the home. The master also has a separate tub and shower, his-and-her sinks, a skylight and an elongated walk-in closet.

Two secondary bedrooms, each with a wall closet, are to the front of the home. The bath for these bedrooms and the rest of the house is parallel to the basement stairs.

This house would be ideal for empty nesters or the family just starting out. The bedrooms aren't far from the master for young children. Yet, they're far enough away for privacy.

For a study plan, including scaled floor plans, elevations, sections and an artist rendering, send $24.95 to Landmark Designs, 33127 Saginaw Road E., Cottage Grove, OR 97424. Specify plan name (Fleming) and number (G20-100). A catalog featuring hundreds of home plans is available for $12.95, or save by ordering both for $29.95. For faster processing, call (800) 562-1151 or visit www.landmarkdesigns.com

Choose natural comfort underfoot on home front

(NAPSI) – Flooring is one of the most important and long-lasting design elements homeowners must decide on.

The current trend is away from carpet and toward hardwoods and "naturals" such as stone, marble and granite, with throw rugs as accents. However, these materials can be cost prohibitive and high maintenance. One solution is luxury resilient planks and tiles, which look and feel like the materials they replicate with all the advantages of vinyl-water resistance, softness underfoot and light maintenance.

Deciding between the look of hardwood or tile is the easy part. Next, you must consider color and design. With luxury resilient planks and tiles — which all have the same thickness — you can combine the two.

"Our distributors are reporting a growing demand for custom flooring installations," says Kathy Holdridge, director of communications for Nafco, a leading luxury resilient tile brand. "Because all Nafco tiles and planks can be mixed and matched, customers are only limited by their imaginations."

If you're leaning toward a hardwood look, consider using one of the following unique patterns:

- Herringbone-Lay planks in repeating upside-down and right-side-up V patterns
- Parquet-Lay square sections of planks in alternate directions
- Staggered-Using 6-inch-wide planks, lay the end of each plank next to the middle of the one above
- Diagonal-Set planks in a room at a 45 degree angle

If your choice is tile, consider using one of the following unique patterns:

- Brickwork-Stagger grout lines by laying the edge of each tile next to the middle of the tile above
- Checkerboard-Make a checkerboard with two complementary or contrasting colors
- Pinwheel-Mix two sizes of tiles
- Tri-Colored-Blend three complementary colors in a room

Finally, add the pièce de résistance: create a stunning entryway with an intricate pattern of woods or tiles. For more design ideas using luxury resilient planks and tiles, visit www.nafco.com or call (800) 248-5574.

Programmable thermostat, right-size furnace save money

When it's cold outside, you want it to be warm inside, but without breaking the bank.

In the past, I have discussed the merits of insulation, sealing air leaks and other basic tips that help save money on your energy bill.

Larry Kaufman

But additionally, there are two big things you can do to keep your bill lower and your house warmer – install a programmable thermostat and the most efficient, properly sized furnace for your home.

What most people don't realize is that for every degree lower you set your thermostat, you save 3 percent on your energy bill.

So just by lowering your thermostat from 72 ºF to 70ºF, you save 6 percent on your bill – and programmable thermostats take the work out of that task for you.

You can save around $30 to $40 annually, which is just about what they cost. So that cost can be recouped within a year of installation. These thermostats will turn down the heat when you are away from your home or sleeping, whatever pattern and temperatures you choose.

The second thing is a bit larger, your furnace.

Most people think the furnace they have is the right size for their home, but that isn't always true.

The size of a furnace needed for a home shouldn't be determined by square footage or by simply matching the size of the existing furnace.

The only way to know for sure is for the contractor to do a heat loss/heat gain calculation. The calculation takes things like windows, doors, insulation and your basement into consideration and figures out the proper size furnace.

And bigger isn't better.

If your furnace is too big for your home, it will heat your home too quickly and then shutoff too quickly, which leads to hot and cold cycles of 10 minutes. I like to call it the 10 minute on - 10 minute off sweater cycle.

It's easy to tell if your furnace is the right size for your house.

On a 30ºF day (approximately), your furnace should run in about 15-minute cycles. If it runs less than 15 minutes, it is probably too big. So when it's time to buy a new furnace, make sure your contractor uses a heat loss/heat gain calculation.

One last thing. When you buy a new furnace, buy the most energy-efficient model you can afford. The efficiencies will pay for the higher cost of the more efficient furnace.

One thing to keep in mind is that the new high-efficiency furnaces are designed to run for longer periods of time and blow air that is cooler than older, less efficient furnaces. This will increase the comfort level in your house.

Please note that your electric bill may increase slightly, but your gas bill will decrease by a greater amount and is worth it.

Larry Kaufman of DTE Energy's Residential and Small Business Marketing group has conducted more than 50 energy savings workshops for the utility and is an expert advisor on home energy efficiency.

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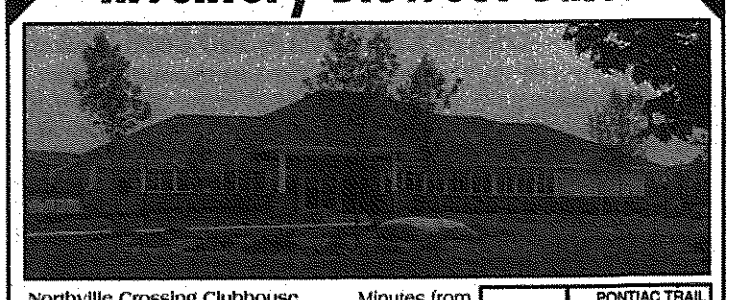
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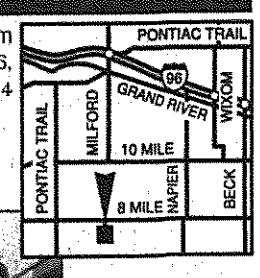

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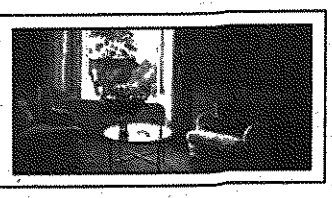

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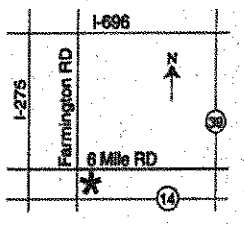

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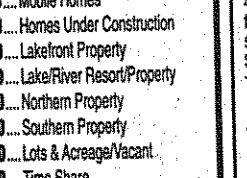

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[15875 MAXWELL] Plymouth/Canton schools. Move-in condition with brand new Corian kitchen. Three bedroom ranch, two car garage, new central air and newer furnace. New vinyl siding, large half acre lot.

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TAYLOR.....$143,900
[22257 HAYES] Loads of space. Three bedroom ranch with full finished, large corner lot/fenced and a garage. Most appliances included, beautiful front bay window all in a great neighborhood.

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Homes

39680 Woodside Drive, Northville. Almost new 3 bedroom cape cod with first floor master suite, west of Haggerty, between 5 and 6 Mile. $399,900

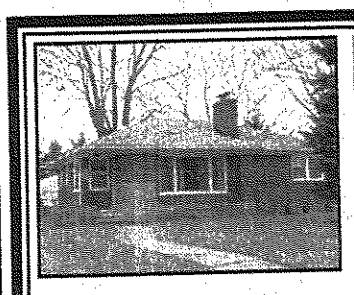
21614 Kilrush, Novi. Updated three bedroom colonial on a large corner lot features inground pool, lots of extras. East off Taft on Galway between 8 and 9 Mile. $289,900

Condos

262 Pinewood, Plymouth. Don't rent! hurry to see this two bedroom condo, a short distance from downtown! South of Ann Arbor Trail, east of Lilly. $137,900

16405 Forest Lake, Northville. Better than new two bedroom/den ranch condo with finished lower level on golf course! South of 6 Mile, West off Haggerty. $324,900

16388 Forest Lake. Two bedroom townhouse overlooking golf course, totally neutral, freshly painted, immaculate. South of 6 Mile, West off Haggerty.



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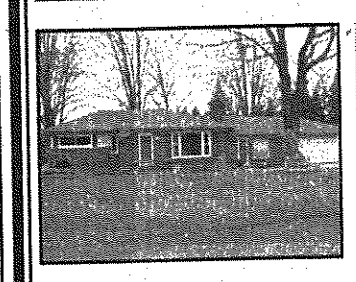
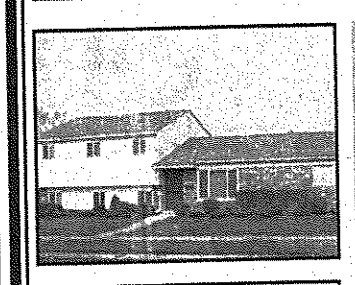
14203 Livonia Crescent
N. of Schoolcraft, E of Merriman
Spotless Ranch on .38 acre lot, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, fireplace, finished basement, 2 car garage and more! **$194,900**



OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
30711 Mason Ct.
N. of Schoolcraft, E of Merriman
Country sized .64 acre lot. Updated 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath Ranch with fireplace, family room, 2.5 car heated garage and quick occupancy. **$239,900**



OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
29570 Jacquelyn
N. of Schoolcraft, W of Middlebelt
Turn key - All the updates and more. This 4 bedroom, 1.5 bath home has family room, oversize garage, paver patio and more! **$199,900**

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
29510 Lyndon
S. Five Mile; W. Middlebelt
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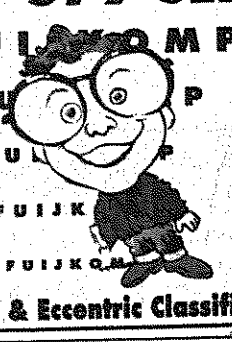

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January 19, 1-4 P.M.

CANTON • 7984 Thornwood
Beautiful 3 bedroom, 3 bath ranch. Over an acre up on a hill. (P84THO) $369,900
N. of Warren, E. of Napier

NOVI • 21046 Chase Drive
4 bedroom, 3.5 baths, finished basement, hot tub, 3 fireplaces, 3397 sq. ft. (P46CHA) Great value at $509,900
N. off Eight Mile. W. of Haggerty

PLYMOUTH • 48101 Brewster
4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, family rm, library, 2 fireplaces, wraparound deck, numerous updates. (P01BRE) $389,900
Colony Farms Sub. S. of Ann Arbor Rd., W. of Beck

PLYMOUTH • 500 Ford, C-4
Condo-fantastic! 1 bedroom in scenic Willowbrook in Plymouth. Completely updated with garage. (PFORC4) $88,900
Willowbrook Condos E. of Main , S. off Byron

PLYMOUTH • 1128 Hartsough
Charming 4 bedroom, 2 bath bungalow. Walk to downtown (P28HAR) $219,900
W. off Main, B'twn Harvey & McKinley

S. LYON • 54785 Grenelefe Circle
Prestigious Tanglewood Golf Community. Incredible, like new, 2 master suites, 3.5 baths. (P85GRE) $479,500
S. of 10 Mile, 1 blck past Tanglewood

YPSILANTI • 1991 Tyler
Super 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath brick ranch. Completely updated kitchen. Move in condition. (P91TYL) $99,900
N. of I-94, W. Wiard to Tyler

DRBN HGTS • 240 Biltmore
Move right in this 3 BR's ranch, 2 full BA'S, HDWD floors, 1st floor laundry, NAT FPL, totally updated! (P40BIL) $269,900
N. of Cherry Hill, W. of Beech Daly

GARDEN CITY • 28427 Florence
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N. of Cherry Hill, E. of Middlebelt

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Rosedale Gardens
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9839 Ingram
(S/PlymouthW/Merriman)
Rosedale Gardens
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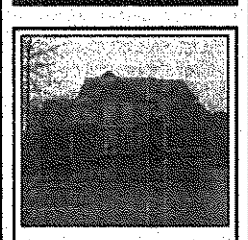

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Diane Braykovich
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NOVI, 1-4
22331 Peachtree, S/9 Mile, W/Haggerty. 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath Condo w/ finished basement. $153,900. Ask for Ralph 734-262-2005
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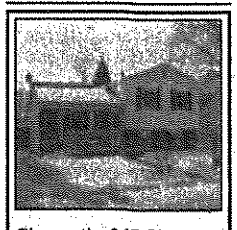

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ROMULUS- OPEN 1-4
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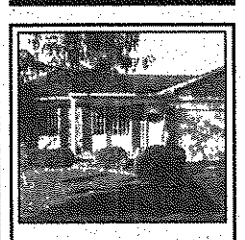

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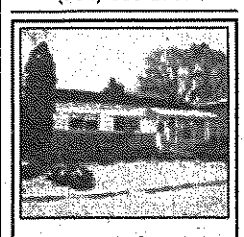

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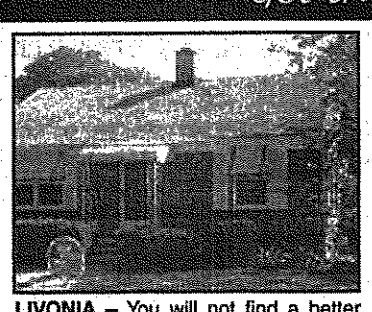
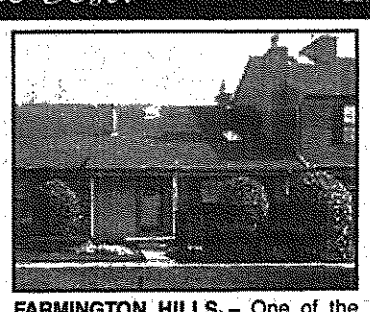


LIVONIA – You will not find a better value in Livonia today - brick, 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch with finished basement,new roof and windows, plumbing & electrical allupdated. Move in condition. Call Mike Judge
$130,000 (C9502) **734-591-9200**



FARMINGTON HILLS – One of the nicest locations in the complex with a great elevations, sits back with a view, and close to garage and extra parking. 2 bedroom, 2 bath condo, finished basement and more! Call Rod Raatz
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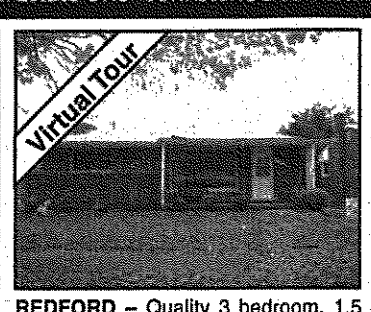
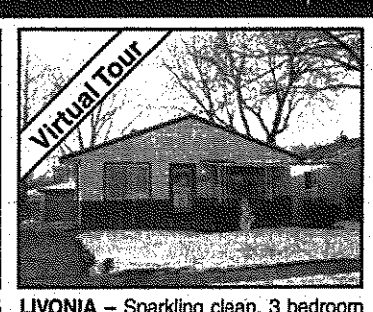


REDFORD – Quality 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch w/finished basement, 2 car garage, fenced & landscaped yard, newer furnace & c/a, new roof & carpet. Location, value & charm! Call Mike Judge.
$141,900 (S14148) **734-591-9200**



LIVONIA – Sparkling clean, 3 bedroom ranch. Newer kitchen, carpet, c/a, immediate occupancy. You should really check this one out. Call Barb Brunette.
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OXFORD – Less than 1 year old colonial features 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, walk-out basement w/9 ft. ceilings, 70 ft. on Boulder Lake, fully landscaped, immediate occupancy. 2450 sq. ft.! Call Jim Donohoe.
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DETROIT – This beautiful maintained bungalow has a knockout kitchen w/lots of oak cabs. Newer roof, windows & more! 2nd new full bath, 2 car garage. You won't be disappointed! Call Jim Donohoe.
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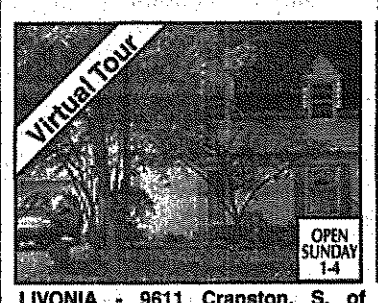
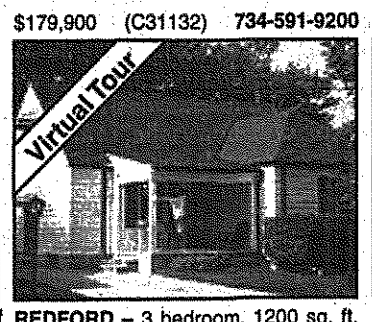
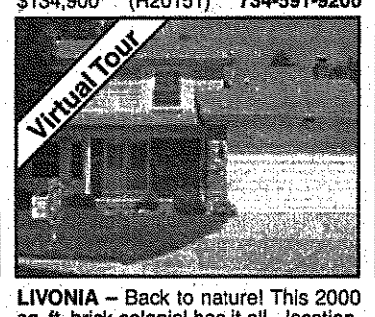


LIVONIA - 9611 Cranston, S. of Plymouth, W. of Merriman. Charm! Beauty! Rosedale Garden's finest - 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 2000 sq. ft. brick colonial. Large living with fireplace, formal dining room with bay window, master with fireplace, finished attic with 4th bedroom and so much more! Call Joan Landry.
$250,000 (C9611) **734-591-9200**

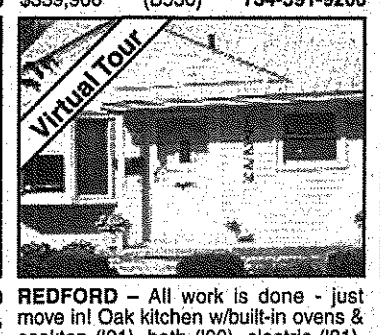


REDFORD – 3 bedroom, 1200 sq. ft. bungalow. Neat & clean, well maintained, move in condition, finished basement, one car garage, fenced yard. New roof '01 & new paint! Call Mike Judge.
$116,500 (K15887) **734-591-9200**

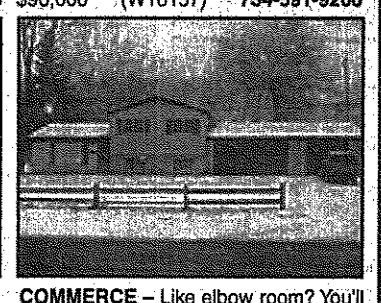
DETROIT - 7714 Chatham, S. of Joy, E. of Telegraph Cute & cozy 1200 sq. ft. brick bungalow has large master bedroom w/oak beams and recessed lights, dining room with bay window. A must see! Call Sylvia Florence-Albert.
$124,500 (C7714) **734-591-9200**



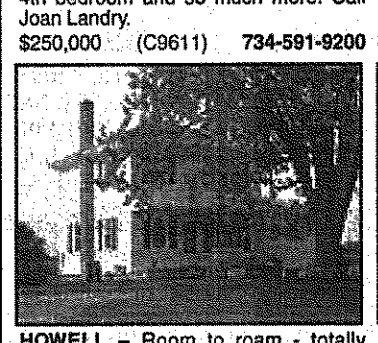
LIVONIA – Back to nature! This 2000 sq. ft. brick colonial has it all - location, quality, value, charm. Yard backs to wooded nature area. 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, 2 car attached garage, finished basement. Call Mike Judge.
$259,500 (B17462) **734-591-9200**



REDFORD – All work is done - just move in! Oak kitchen w/built-in ovens & cooktop ('01), bath ('00), electric ('01), plumbing ('01), roof ('95), furnace ('91), windows & carpet ('02). Too much to list! Call Sylvia Florence-Albert.
$134,500 (B17229) **734-591-9200**



COMMERCE – Like elbow room? You'll love this 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath brick tri-level, on almost 3/4 acre wooded lot. Screened porch, pool, family room w/fireplace & many updates. 3+ car garage and more! Call Jeff Kovatch.
$174,900 (C5275) **734-591-9200**



HOWELL – Room to roam - totally updated farm house on 2 acres with great expressway acces and Howell schools. 3 bedroom, 2.5 baht, finished waok-out basement and more. Call Marilyn Handloser.
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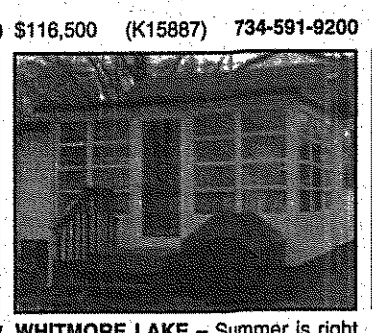

WHITMORE LAKE – Summer is right around the corner, enjoy this year on all sports Whitmore Lake. 60 feet of sandy beach frontage and over 1300 sq. ft. of totally updated living area. Call Marilyn Handloser.
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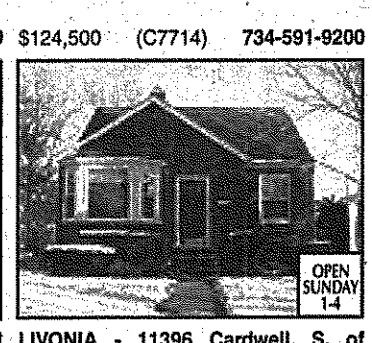

LIVONIA - 11396 Cardwell, S. of Plymouth, W. of Inkster. Don't miss out on this cutie! 3 bedroom brick bungalow in great neighborhood w/Livonia schools. New roof, windows, driveway, hot water heater, furnace & more! Garage & finished area in basement. Call Kim Lindsay.
$159,900 (C11396) **734-591-9200**

REDFORD - 12073 Columbia, N. of Plymouth, E. of Inkster – Updates galore! 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath full brick maintenance free ranch. Frsehly painted interior, multi-tiered deck, finished basement, 2 car garage, fenced backyard, immediate occupancy. More! Call Sue or Bob.
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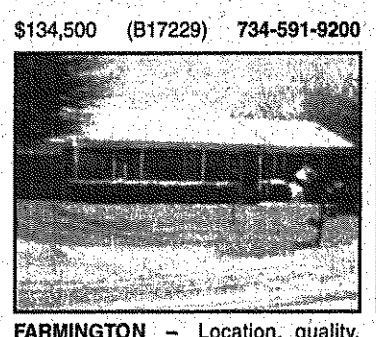

FARMINGTON – Location, quality, value & charm. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2200 sq. ft. brick ranch remodeled "all new" in 1993. In Chatham Hills Sub on a private cul-de-sac & backs to commons area. Call Mike Judge.
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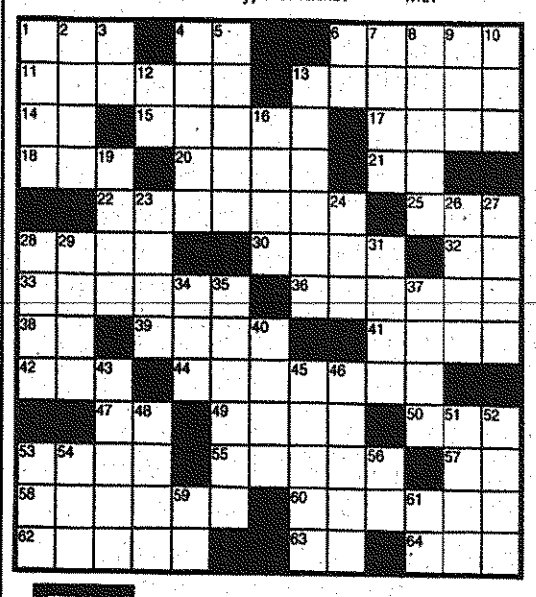

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OPEN 1-4 SUN, 31015 Marquette, S. of Ford, E. of Merriman. Tastefully decorated 3 bedroom brick ranch, huge dream kitchen, 2 car garage, many updates. $144,900

OPEN 1-4 SUN, 30471 Elmwood, N. of Ford, E. of Merriman. Large 3 bedroom brick ranch, family room, remodeled kitchen, finished basement, 2 car garage, many updates. $189,900

FABULOUS 4 bedroom ranch with family room, beautiful bay window in living room, french doors off formal dining room. $144,900

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HARTLAND
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BI-LEVEL. 4 bedrooms, 1.5 bath, hardwood floors, family room w/ fireplace, covered porch, many updates! $187,500
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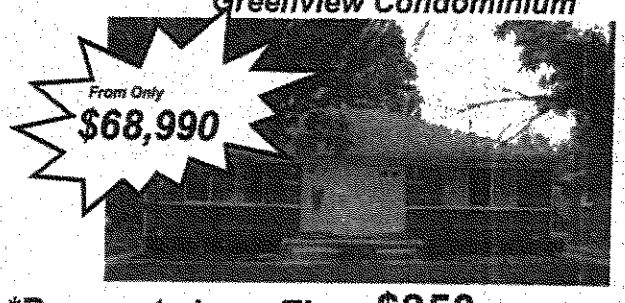

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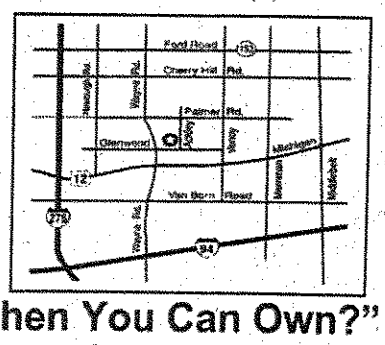

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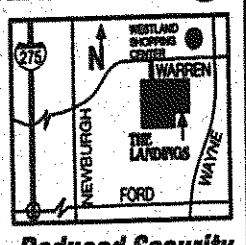

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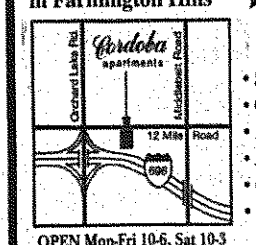

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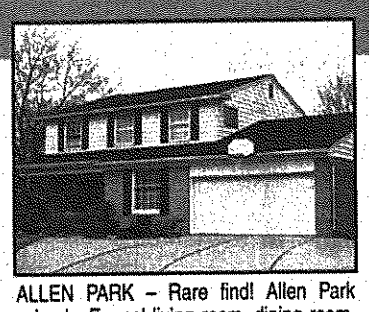

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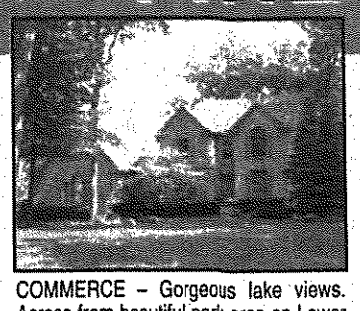

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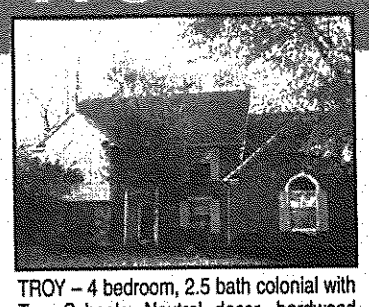

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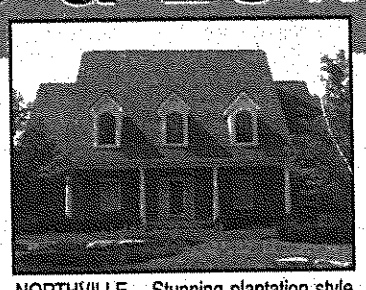

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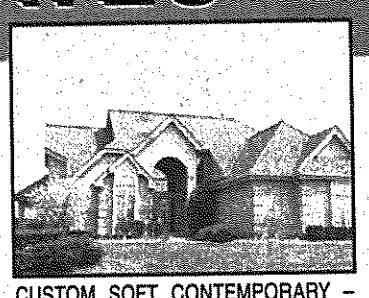

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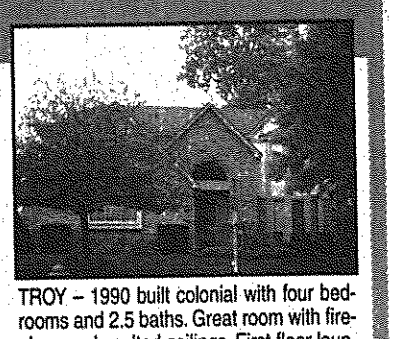

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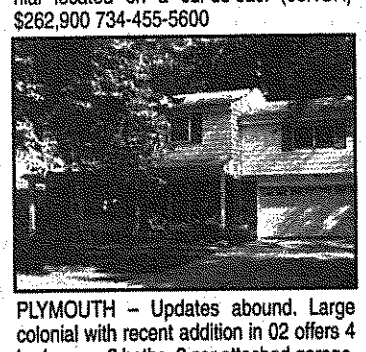

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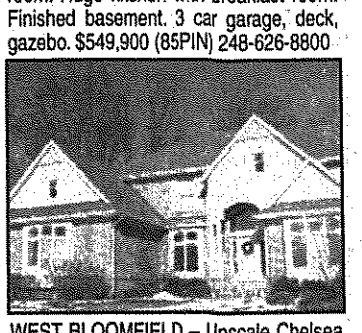

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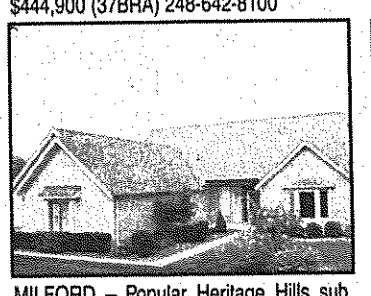

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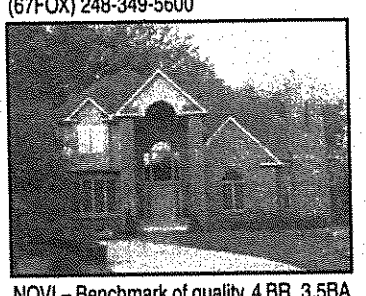

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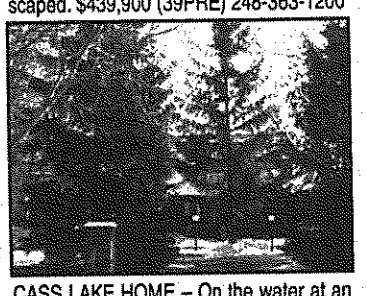

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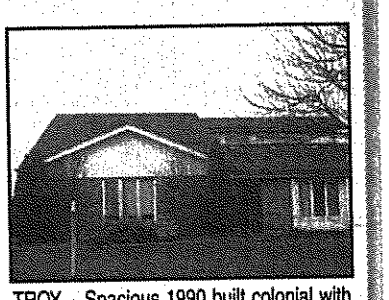

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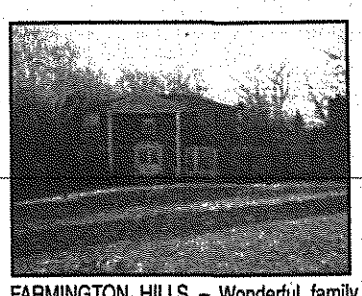

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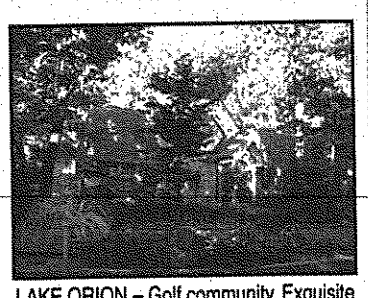
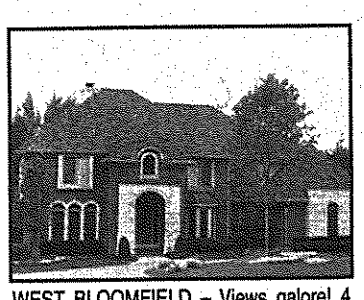


LAKE ORION – Golf community. Exquisite and tasteful country French decor. Elevator, 1st floor master with walk-in closet, fireplace, sitting area, bath w/jacuzzi and shower. Cherry floors, finished lower level, study fireplace and view of Indianwoods' 18th hole. $1,185,000 (23KIR) 248-652-8000



WEST BLOOMFIELD – Views galore! 4 bedroom, 3.2 bath colonial. Gorgeous lot with spacious walkout. 2 tier professional deck, dual staircases with bridge overlooking great room & nature preserve, formal dining room, master with fireplace. (46BRI) $975,000 734-455-5600

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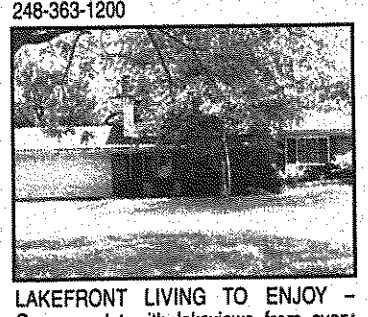
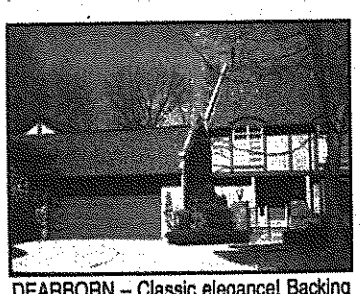


LAKEFRONT LIVING TO ENJOY – Gorgeous lot with lakeviews from every room, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath. Main floor laundry, lakeside deck with hot tub too. Updated and ready to go. Great room has fireplace. Walled Lake Schools. $319,999 (97COO) 248-363-1200

OAKLAND TOWNSHIP – Hills of Oakland. Sharp and neutral. Large living and dining, kitchen with pickled oak, library with wood, master with 2 walk-in closet and jetted tub. 2nd bedroom with private bath. Finished daylight lower level with bar, kitchen and bath. Large private lot. $850,000 (53BAY) 248-652-8000



DEARBORN – Classic elegance! Backing to a private wooded setting. This 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath town home with private courtyard entrance. Living room with marble fireplace, formal dining room opens to large deck. Kitchen with corian & cherry cabinets. Master suite. (23TIM) $334,900 734-455-5600

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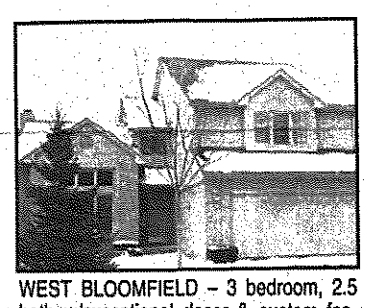
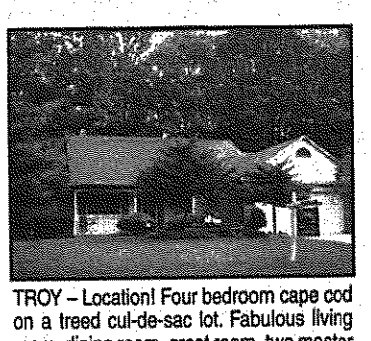
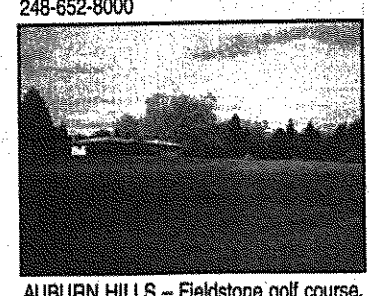


WEST BLOOMFIELD – 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath w/exceptional decor & custom features. 2 story foyer, high ceilings, some hardwood floors & plantation shades. Cherry fireplace mantel, gourmet white kit w/island, master bedroom w/walk-in closet & custom cabinets Cedar deck- width of home. $365,000 (70HER) 248-642-8100

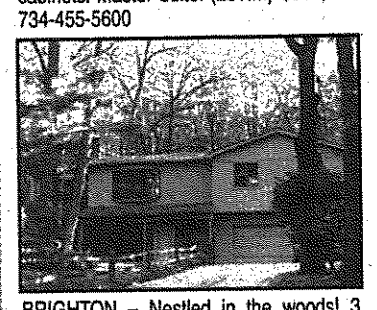
GREEN OAK – Picturesque wooded lot. Approximately 1 acre with 4 spacious bedrooms, 3.5 baths and custom thruout. Private deck off master suite. 2-story great room with fireplace. Finished walkout basement.Extensive landscaping with lighting. $449,900 (61SIL) 248-349-5600



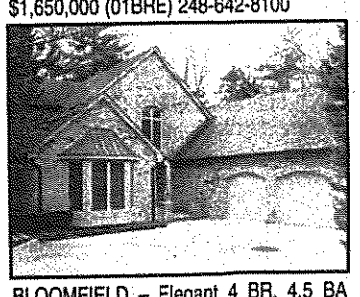
TROY – Location! Four bedroom cape cod on a treed cul-de-sac lot. Fabulous living room, dining room, great room, two master bedroom suites, oak kitchen and spacious finished basement with half-bath. One year home warranty, too. $374,900 (45CLO) 248-524-1600



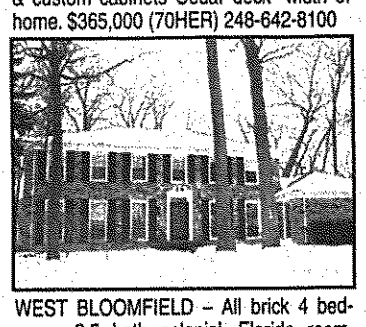
AUBURN HILLS – Fieldstone golf course. Three rolling acres (approximate) with pine trees and dramatic views. Distressed house currently on property. Fabulous site for single home or possible splits available for approximately 6 homes. $799,000 (55GID) 248-652-8000



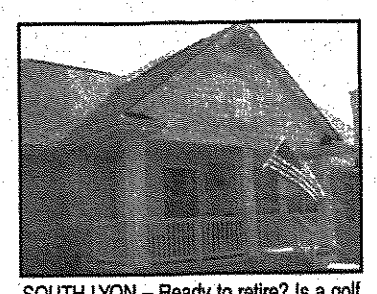
BRIGHTON – Nestled in the woods! 3 bedrooms, 2 bath on 1.2 acres. Winans Lake access! Raised ranch, living room with fireplace, newer carpet,dining room with skylight and wooded views. Kitchen with newer cabinets, floors. Newer septic, furnace. (91TEA) $253,000 734-455-5600



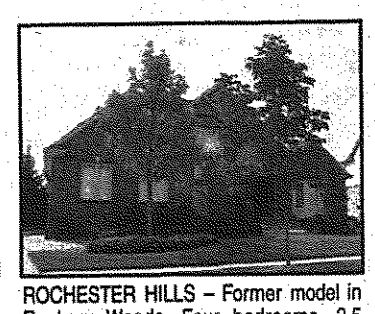
BLOOMFIELD – Elegant 4 BR, 4.5 BA condo in sought after Pinebrooke Manor. Large foyer w/open staircase leading to upper level balcony. 2 BR's each w/own bath & WIC, 1st fl MBR suite w/WIC & full bath. Central vacuum system, 2 fireplaces, first floor laundry and wood deck w/gas grill. $840,000 (40PIN) 248-642-8100



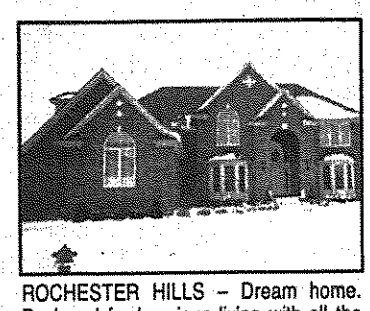
WEST BLOOMFIELD – All brick 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial. Florida room, deck, newer air conditioning/GFA, hot water heater and sump pump. Newer windows, with kitchen and lots of hardwood floors. Basement and 2 car side entry garage. $312,900 (11PAT) 248-642-8100



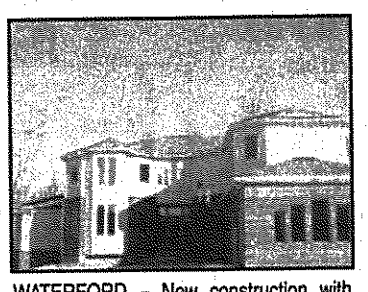
SOUTH LYON – Ready to retire? Is a golf course in your backyard in your plan? End unit 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath Tanglewood condo is loaded with quality. Upgrades: hardwood floors, maple cabinets, finished walkout with bedroom and bath, family room and hobby room. $445,000 (42SAW) 248-349-5600



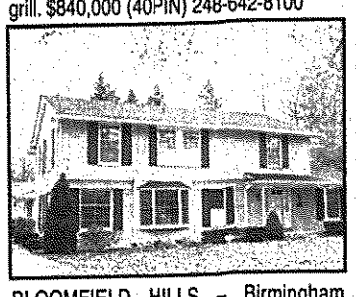
ROCHESTER HILLS – Former model in Rookery Woods. Four bedrooms, 2.5 baths, library, great room, granite counters, marble and hardwood floors. Butler's pantry, crown moldings, wood deck. First floor master bedroom. Incredible home. $506,900 (09HER) 248-524-1600



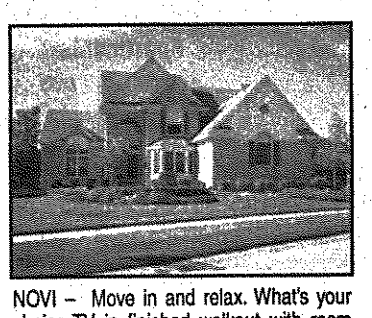
ROCHESTER HILLS – Dream home. Designed for luxurious living with all the amenities. 4 bedrooms, 3.2 bath, bonus room, granite, hardwood floors, dual staircases, neutral thruout, decorator touches, open floor plan built in 2001, walk out basement, 3 car garage. $719,900 (O6MAJ) 248-652-8000



WATERFORD – New construction with open floor plan, 2 story ceilings in foyer and great room, first floor master suite and 3 super sized bedrooms. Formal living/dining rooms, fabulous gourmet island kitchen, walkout lower level. 3 car garage. Quality features and construction. 1st floor laundry. $540,000 (31MAD) 248-626-8800

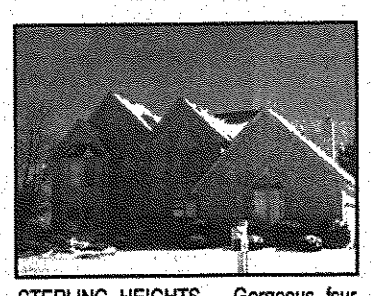


BLOOMFIELD HILLS – Birmingham Schools. 4 bedroom, 2 bath and 3 half baths in Bloomfield Village. Family room opens to private patio, super newer kitchen and finished lower level Great floor plan in perfect condition and 2 car attached garage. Immediate occupancy! $674,500 (70CHE) 248-642-8100

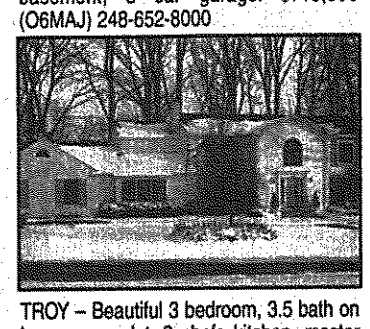


NOVI – Move in and relax. What's your choice-TV in finished walkout with room for games & exercise or gathering in large family room by fireplace overlooking fenced yard and beautiful pool. 5 bedrooms, 3.5 bath. Filled with quality design. Buy now and be ready for spring. $535,000 (93BRI) 248-349-5600

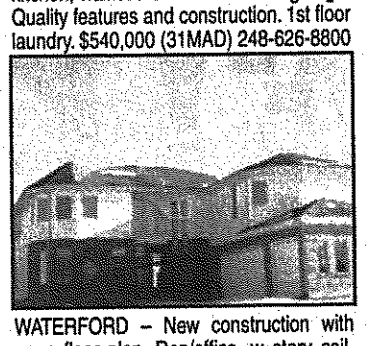
COMMERCE – All sports Commerce Lake. Custom built for gracious living with granite counters, hardwood and tile floors. Fireplace in great room, family room and master suite. Finished walkout lower level. Located on quiet canal with woods on opposite shore. Easy lake access. $674,900 (71WAN) 248-363-1200



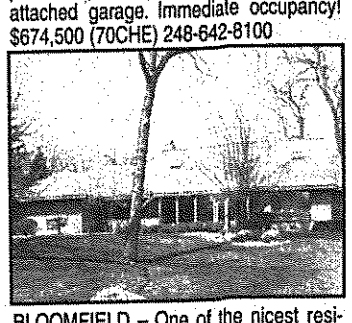
STERLING HEIGHTS – Gorgeous four bedroom, 3.5 bath colonial on a beautiful wooded lot with a view of the pond. Finished basement with bath, bedroom, wet bar and daylight windows. Master bedroom with cathedral ceiling and jacuzzi tub. $454,900 (02PON) 248-524-1600



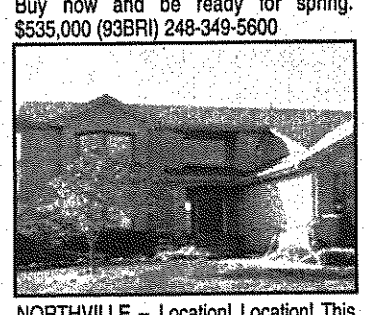
TROY – Beautiful 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath on large corner lot. 2 chefs kitchen, master bedroom with 2 whirlpools and steam shower, hardwood floors and custom wood shutters thruout dining room with fireplace and seating area for twenty. $629,000 (28UPT) 248-652-8000



WATERFORD – New construction with open floor plan. Den/office, w story ceilings in foyer and great room, island kitchen, 3 way fireplace, 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath. 3 car side entry garage. Garden walkout, lake access! Nature preserve nearby. $490,000 (29MAD) 248-626-8800

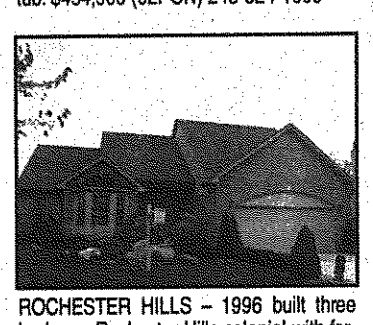


BLOOMFIELD – One of the nicest residences in Foxcroft, built by original/present owner w/quality & detail. Enclosed atrium opens to ceramic tiled foyer, library, dining room w/built ins, kitchen-breakfast room opens to screen enclosed summer room. FR w/fireplace & 1st fl MBR. $549,900 (20CRO) 248-642-8100



NORTHVILLE – Location! Location! This stunning 3 bedroom 1996 built cape cod condo sets new meaning to prime lot. It is located on a gorgeous waterfront lot with a breathtaking view. Add a professionally finished walkout basement and large deck off great room. Sharp, clean and wow. $429,900 (38LAK) 248-349-5600

FOREST BAY COMMUNITY – Brand new home. Perfectly sized, 3 bedroom home with unfinished walkout, 3 car garage, first and second floor laundry, formal dining room and gorgeous amenities. Move right in and bring your boat for deeded dock too. $489,900 (62WOO) 248-363-1200



ROCHESTER HILLS – 1996 built three bedroom Rochester Hills colonial with formal dining room, great room and first floor master bedroom with jacuzzi tub and shower stall. First floor laundry, beautiful deck and landscaping. Best location. $344,900 (62BEE) 248-524-1600

OAKLAND TOWNSHIP – Billion $ mile beauty. Location-location comes with this 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath builders spec. Dual staircases, 2 story foyer, library, Jack & Jill bedrooms, granite counters, hardwood floors, sod and sprinklers, daylight basement. $557,440 (80PAT) 248-652-8000

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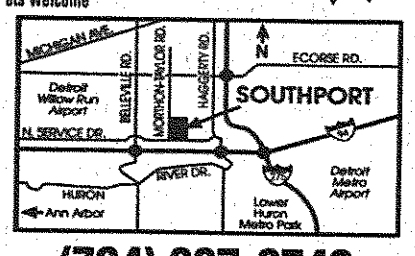

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From: 10AM-2PM
Where: 43600 West Oaks Drive, Novi

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Responsible for the organization and management of the Chamber functions. Bachelor's Degree in business, marketing, communications, education or related field. Must possess excellent organizational, verbal and written communication skills, some computer skills required. Three years of professional experience performing the following:
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Salary range $48,000 to $70,000 annually, plus benefit package. **Submit a resume which includes educational and work experiences, three (3) professional letters of recommendation from individuals who can attest to the required employability skills, and a statement addressing the applicants' qualifications.** Forward original transcripts from colleges attended to:
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The hands-on sales performer we seek will possess a min. 2-3 yrs. sales experience (incl. telephone prospecting & face-to-face sales) as well as familiarity with senior health care issues.

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At least 2-3 years business-to-business sales experience required, preferably involving calling on local healthcare or senior-care professionals. A knack for creative marketing, developing beneficial relationships and speaking to various audience will be key to your success.

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Send resume & salary history:
President / CEO
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Livonia, MI 48150
or Fax 734-525-7027
or e-mail to
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DATA ENTRY
Weight Watchers, Farmington Hills Headquarters Office has a full-time opportunity for a skilled Date Entry Clerk in our busy Accounting Department. Individual must be extremely detailed & accurate, typing speed - 80wpm/ 11,000 keystrokes per hour required. Two years exp. & excellent references a must. We offer competitive wages & attractive benefit package. If qualified, forward resume & salary requirements to **Department: DEOE,** P.O. Box 9072, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9072 or fax to 248-324-1502. EOE

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Freelance Reporters
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Freelancers are also needed to write advertorials and feature stories for HomeTown Newspapers' special sections. Good writing and photography skills are required, also must have access to email.

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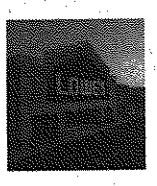

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Applicants MUST complete an application form. Applications will be accepted through 5:00p.m. on Friday, February 7, 2003. Contact the OCC Job Hotline at (248) 341-2023 and refer to **Position 03ms02.**

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For established mortgage banking company. Need experience in processing conventional and government loans. Please contact the underwriting manager at 1-800-521-5362. Resume with references will be required.

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MAINTENANCE

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MAINTENANCE

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Help Wanted General 5000

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Help Wanted General 5000

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Computer & Information Systems 5010

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Office Clerical 5020

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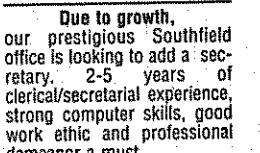

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Buffalo Grove, IL 60089

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Office Clerical 5020

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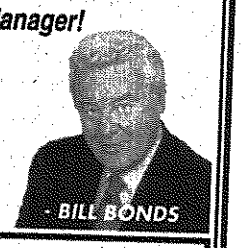

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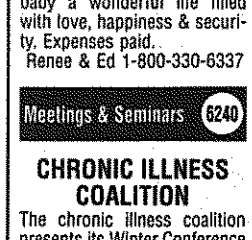

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Garage Sales 7110

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Household Goods 7160

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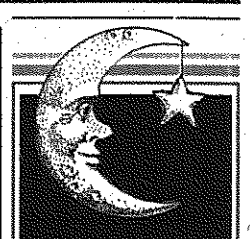

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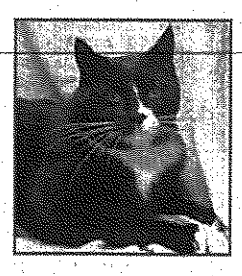

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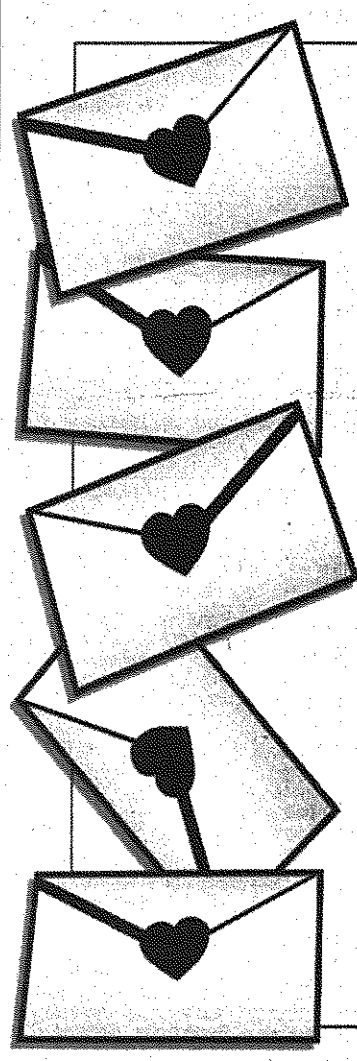

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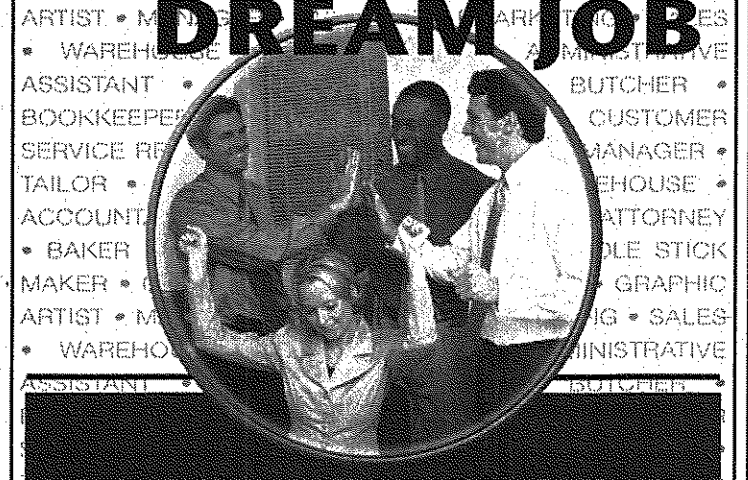

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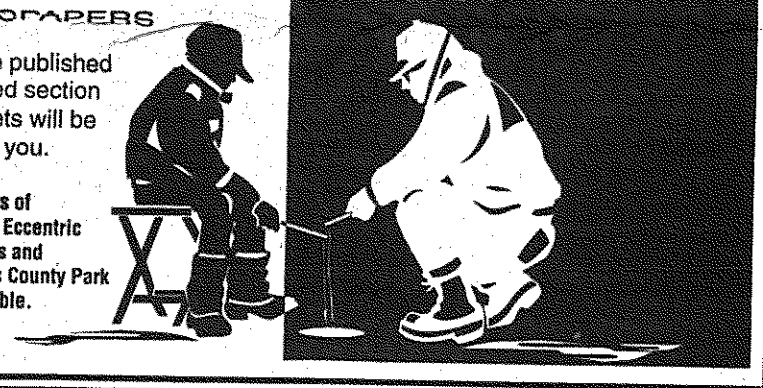

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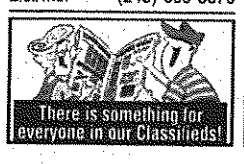

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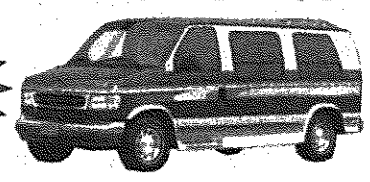

0% OR UP TO $5000 REBATE!

Free leather, V8, dual air, power windows, locks & seat, speed control, tilt, aluminum wheels, flip-down TV w/DVD player.

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Premium sport pkg., black, power windows, locks & seats, speed control, tilt, LIM. Slip Axle. WAS $29,190

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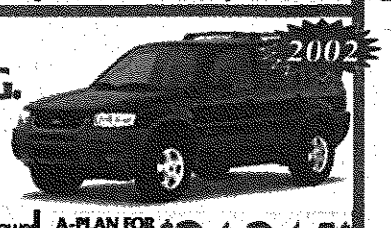
ESCAPE XLT MIDNIGHT PKG.



0% OR UP TO $2500 REBATE!

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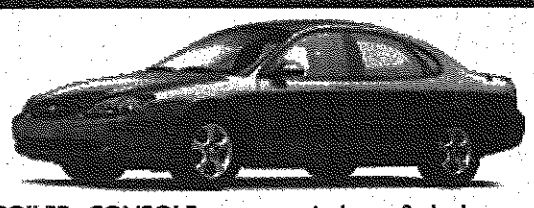
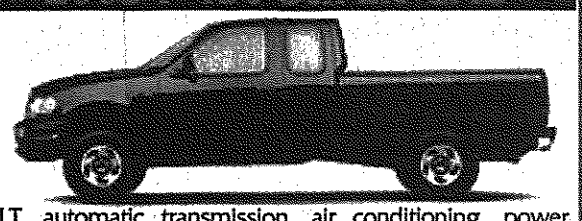


SPOILER, CONSOLE, power windows & locks, power seat, speed control, tilt, 6 disc CD, adjustable pedals. [M.S.R.P. $21,125.]

50 AT THIS PRICE A-PLAN $13,608*

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE WITH RENEWAL	10% DOWN $1871	$186** mo.	Due at Signing $2365**
	ZERO DOWN	$241** mo.	Due at Signing $450**

2003 F-150 SUPER CAB

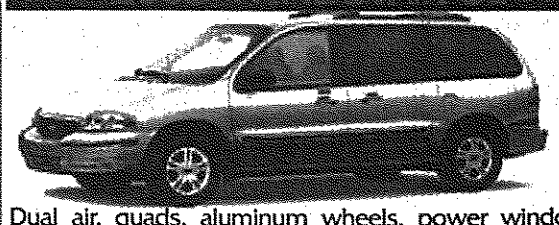


XLT, automatic transmission, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, speed control, tilt wheel, captains chairs, SRW. [M.S.R.P. $25,945.]

9 AT THIS PRICE A-PLAN $16,522*

A-PLAN 24 MO. LEASE WITH RENEWAL	10% DOWN $2175	$175** mo.	Due at Signing $2660**
	ZERO DOWN	$273** mo.	Due at Signing $475**

2003 WINDSTAR SE



Dual air, quads, aluminum wheels, power windows, power locks, speed control, tilt wheel, dual media or six disc. [M.S.R.P. $29,675]

50 AT THIS PRICE A-PLAN $20,801*

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE WITH RENEWAL	10% DOWN $2595	$260* mo.	Due at Signing $3210**
	ZERO DOWN	$336** mo.	Due at Signing $550**

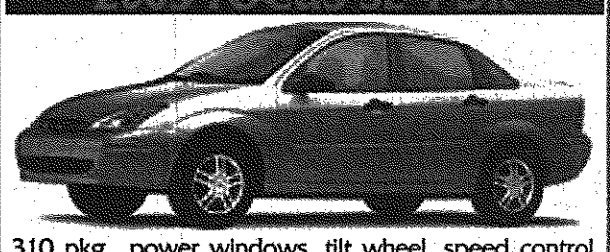
2003 ESCAPE XLT

310 pkg., keyless entry, power seat, power windows, power locks, speed control, ABS. Stock #33919 [M.S.R.P. $23,485.]

A-PLAN $18,942*

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE WITH RENEWAL	10% DOWN $2100	$254** mo.	Due at Signing $2575*
	ZERO DOWN	$317** mo.	Due at Signing $400**

2003 FOCUS SE 4 DR

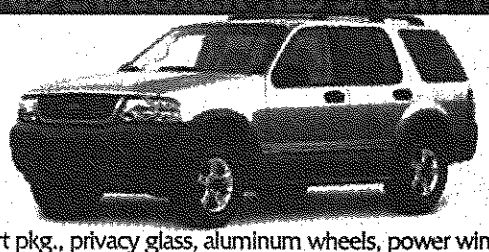


310 pkg., power windows, tilt wheel, speed control, air, auto transmission, CD/MP3. [M.S.R.P. $16,335.]

5 AT THIS PRICE A-PLAN $12,252*

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE	10% DOWN $1476	$196** mo.	Due at Signing $1850**
	ZERO DOWN	$241** mo.	Due at Signing $350**

2003 EXPLORER XLS SPORTRAC



Sport pkg., privacy glass, aluminum wheels, power windows, power locks, speed control, tilt wheel, dual media, step bars, limited slip. [M.S.R.P. $28,340.]

20 AT THIS PRICE A-PLAN $19,699*

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE WITH RENEWAL	10% DOWN $2458	$210** mo.	Due at Signing $3025**
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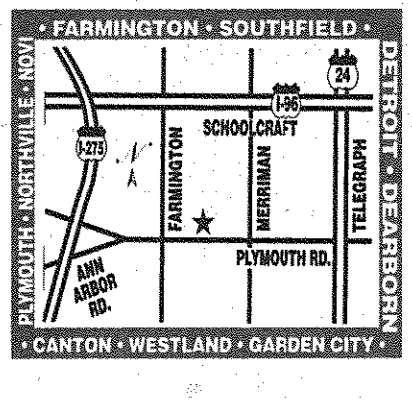

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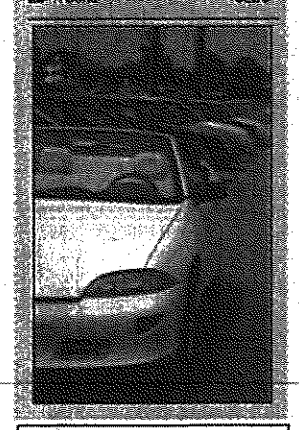

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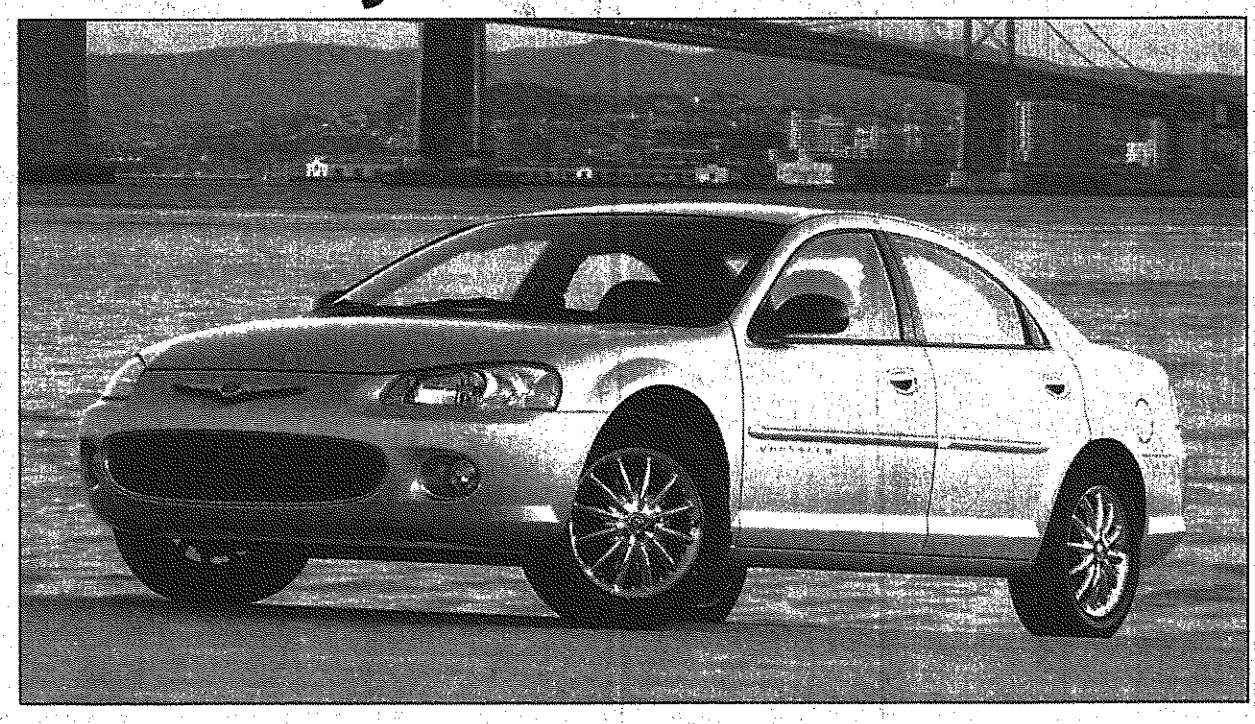

The 2003 Chrysler Sebring LX is safe and suprisingly affordable

Let me start by telling you one of the most important things about the 2003 Chrysler Sebring Sedan. It's got the highest government front crash rating in the automotive industry.

And that's quite a feather in Chrysler's cap, let me tell you. To achieve that goal is mighty. Sebring was given a five-star rating for both driver and front passenger in frontal impact and rollover resistance from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

The Sebring was also given a "good" rating from the Insurance Institute of Highway Safety for 40 mph frontal offset performance. This is one safe car to own.

Safety is paramount in the Sebring. Features include an advanced occupant restraint system, improved body structure and trim for better impact protection, internal trunk latch release, anti-lock brakes and optional side curtain air bags.

Driven this week was the LX model. The line-up includes a coupe and convertible models as well.

At the heart of the Sebring LX is a 2.4-liter dual overhead cam 16-valve four-cylinder engine that pumps out 150 horses. Also available is an all-aluminum 2.7-liter dual overhead cam 24-valve V6 engine rated at 200 horsepower.

Both engines are mated to a standard four-speed electronically controlled automatic transaxle that's the lightest, most compact in the industry. Also, as an option designed to make you have a little fun, the Sebring is also available with AutoStick. That gives you the control of a manual transmission with the convenience of an automatic.

The engine never disappointed me, whether I was accelerating from a light or merging onto the highway. It's got a bit of spirit and was fun to drive. It was nimble and handled every situation thrown at it with ease and confidence.

The LX package gives you a better option selection and features 16-inch cast aluminum wheels, remote keyless entry, cruise control and AM/FM stereo with CD player.

I especially liked the mileage numbers on the Sebring - between 20 mpg in the city and up to 30 mpg on the highway, depending on the model and the way it's equipped. For a car with this price tag, your daily commute just might become fun again.

Ride and handling characteristics are better than you would expect, however you won't find a luxury-car ride. It handles well on the road and is easy to park, nimbly finding itself into a tight space without a lot of effort.

The interior of the Sebring is smartly laid out, simple to understand and understated. Nothing screams out at you. Everything is within the driver's reach and comfortably placed. Instrumentation is easy to understand and you don't need an engineering degree to figure anything out.

Some of the options you'll find on the Sebring will surprise you for a vehicle in this class. Stuff like heated seats, engine immobilizer, power sunroof, four-wheel anti-lock brakes, eight-way power driver's seat, batter and engine block heater, remote and illuminated entry, and headlamp off time delay.

The standard equipment list is especially long and includes amenities like air conditioning, climate control in both front and rear, front and rear floor mats, power speed sensitive locks, power mirrors, auxiliary 12-volve power outlet, tile steering column, rear defroster, lighted trunk, child protection door locks, power steering and intermittent windshield wipers.

The center console is quite large and can hold a lot of your worldly possessions. Every seating position has a three-point safety belt, which protects every passenger you carry with you.

Seating is also quite comfortable. Fatigue isn't an issue on long jaunts. Doors open wide to allow easy entrance and exit for passengers and the driver. The rear seat folds and splits 60/40 for additional cargo space, allowing you the versatility to haul larger and longer items.

With all those options and all this versatility, you'll be surprised to find that the Sebring LX has a base price of just $18,095. Affordable? Sure.

Go drive one.

Write Anne Fracassa at avanti1054@aol.com.

2003 Chrysler Sebring LX
Vehicle class: midsize passenger car.
Power: 2.4-liter dual overhead cam 16 valve 4-cylinder engine.
Mileage: 22 city/30 highway.
Where built: Sterling Heights, Mich.
Price as tested: $20,050.

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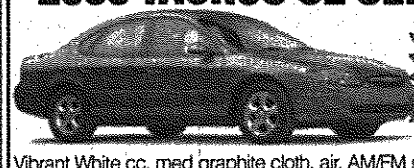
A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	157 Focus' Available
	$238.42** mo.	$192.85** mo.	

2003 TAURUS SE SEDAN



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Vibrant White cc, med graphite cloth, air, AM/FM stereo cass, 5-spk painted alum wheels, spd control, remote keyless entry, dual power mirror/perimeter lighting, 3.0L 2V 6-cyl engine, auto overdrive trans, P215/60RX16 all season tire, 5-pass w/flr console flr shift, 4-whl (ABS). [Stock #30228] WAS $20,435

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A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	246 Taurus' Available
	$229.92** mo.	$185.03** mo.	

2003 RANGER 4x2 XLT S.C.

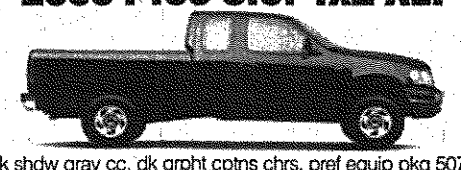
0% 60 Month Financing Available

Black cc, dk graphite cloth, 4-wheel ABS, sldng rr wndw, spd cntrl/tilt, tlhr wrap strng whl, XLT appr grp, 3.0L EFI flex fuel V6 eng, 5-spd auto O/D trans, P225 OWL all ssn tires, 3.73 ratio reg axle, 4740 GVWR, pwr equip grp, pwr wndw/lck grp, rem kylss entry, spare tire & jack, air. [Stock #31747] WAS $20,700

NOW $13,109.32* OFF LEASE BUY
FORD EMPLOYEE or ELIGIBLE FAMILY MEMBER

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	61 Rangers Available
	$217.87** mo.	$173.08** mo.	

2003 F150 S.C. 4x2 XLT



Dk shdw gray cc, dk grpht cptns chrs, pref equip pkg 507A, ovrhd console, 4.2L EFI V6 engine, elec 4-spd auto O/D, P255/70R-16 OWL a/s, 3.55 ratio lim slip axle, 6050# GVWR, sldng rr wndw, trlr tow class III, pwr blk mrrs, AM/FM stereo/6-CD in-dash, cast alum whls (4). [Stock #30618] WAS $27,410

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FORD EMPLOYEE or ELIGIBLE FAMILY MEMBER

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A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	48 Mustangs Available
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2003 EXPLORER XLS 4x2

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NOW $19,459.57* OFF LEASE BUY
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A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	214 Explorers Available
	$284.28** mo.	$240.76** mo.	

2003 EXPEDITION XLT 4x4

Estate green cc met, medium parchment capt chair, leather, P265/70R-17 OWL all-terrain, 3.73 ratio lim slip axle, running boards, auxiliary heater/air, prem in-dash stereo 6-CD/cass w/clock, fog lamps, third row seat, 5.4L EFI V8, 4-spd auto trans, reverse sensing system. [Stock #31798] WAS $40,165

NOW $29,653.36* OFF LEASE BUY
FORD EMPLOYEE or ELIGIBLE FAMILY MEMBER

A-PLAN 36 MO. LEASE RENEWAL	ZERO DOWN	$1500 DOWN	30 Expeditions Available
	$442.58** mo.	$397.02** mo.	

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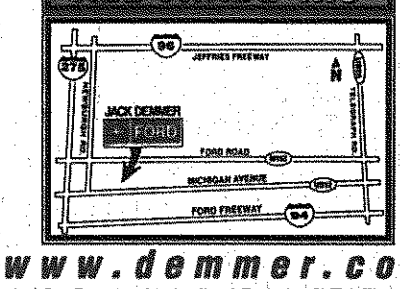

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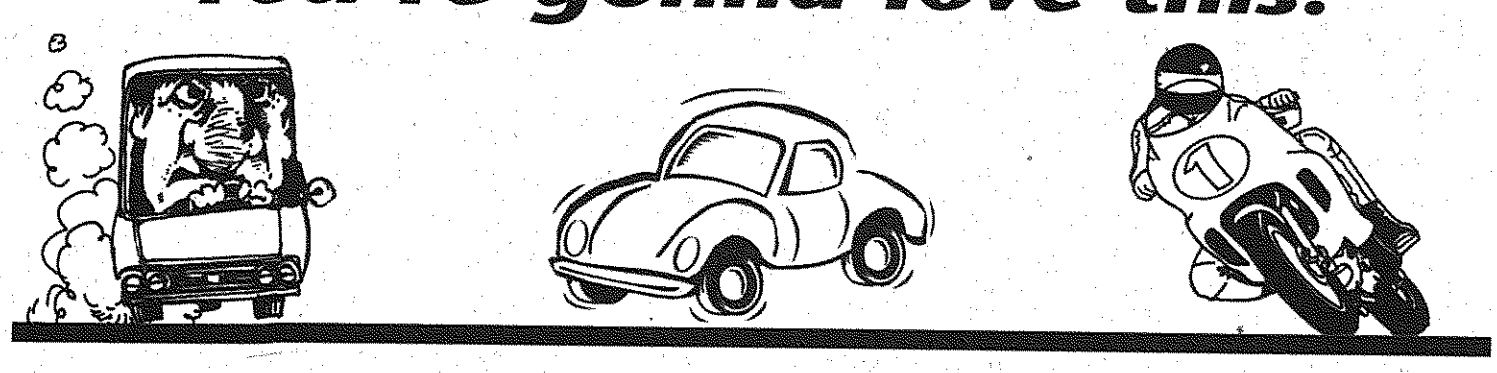

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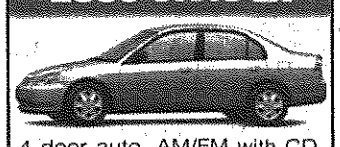

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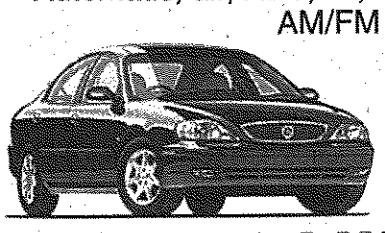

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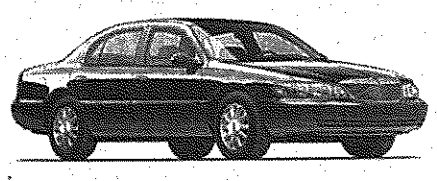

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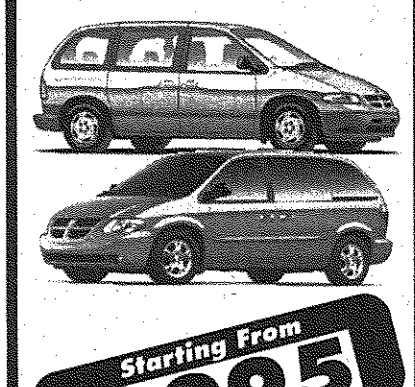

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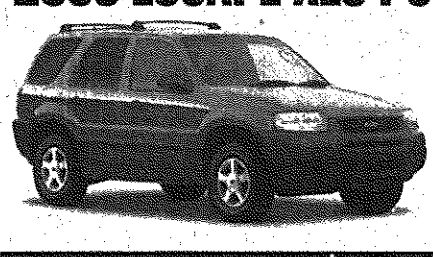

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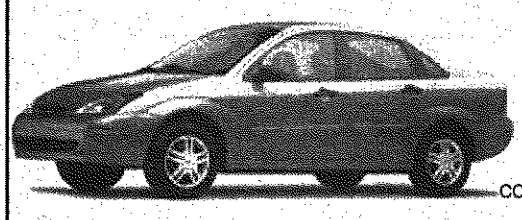

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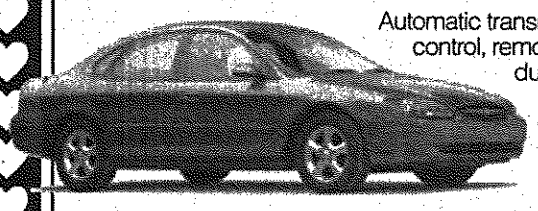

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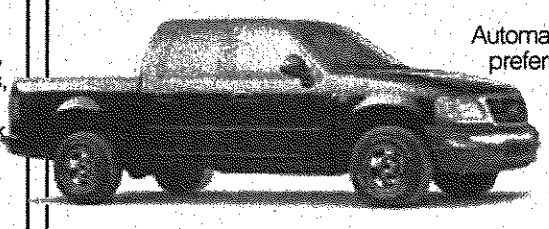

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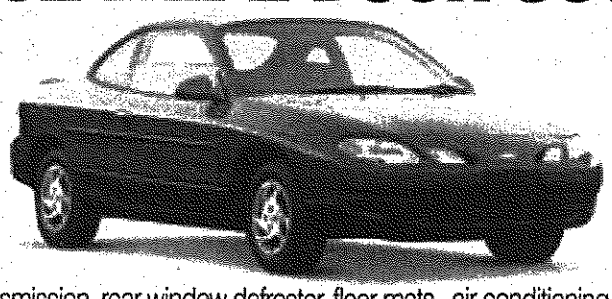

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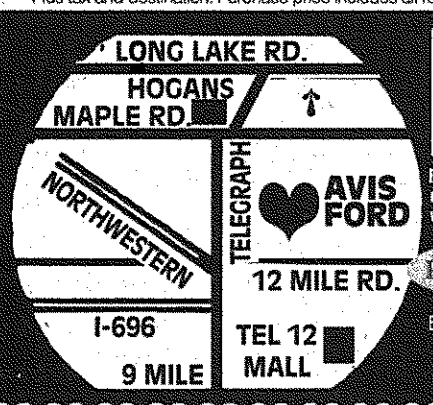

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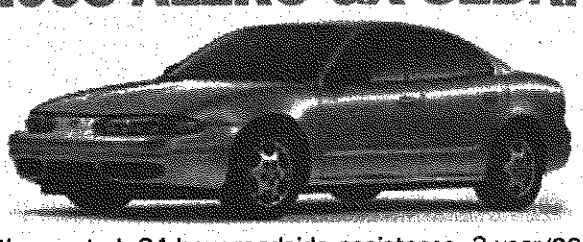

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Retail Lease $252.74 Total Due $2147.90

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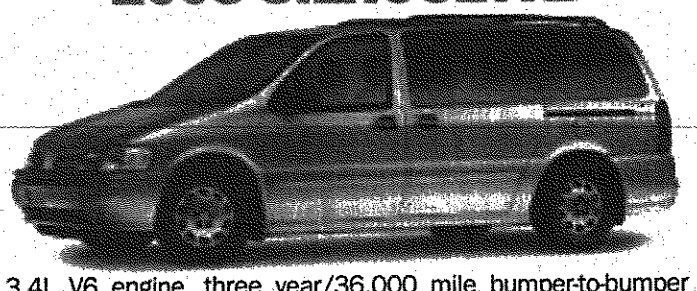

3.4L V6 engine, three year/36,000 mile bumper-to-bumper warranty, leather seating, heated driver & front pass seats, leather wrapped tilt steering wheel, power passenger side sliding door, luggage carrier, cruise control. [Stock #03-1152]

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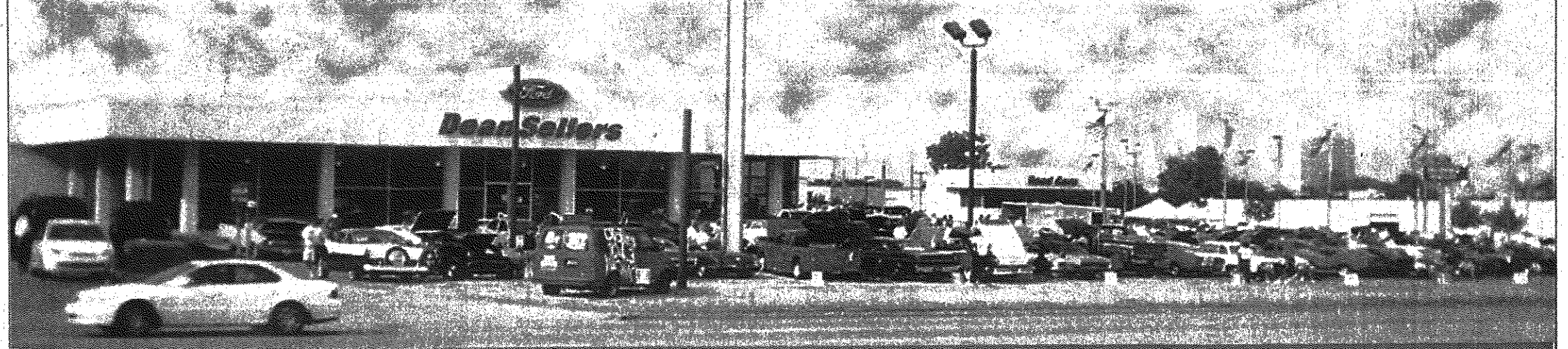

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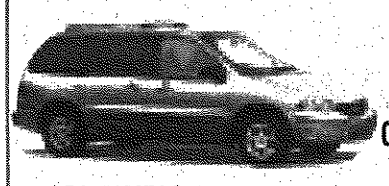

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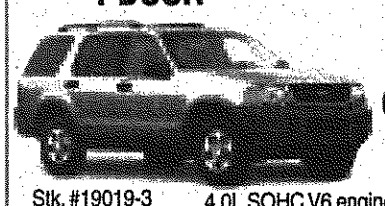

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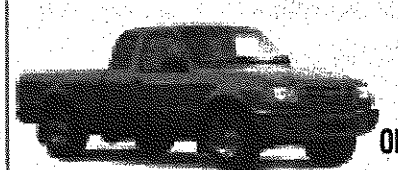

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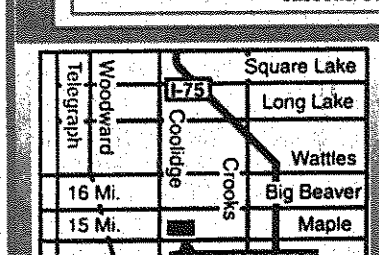

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