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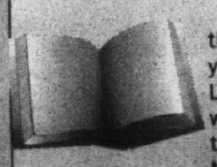

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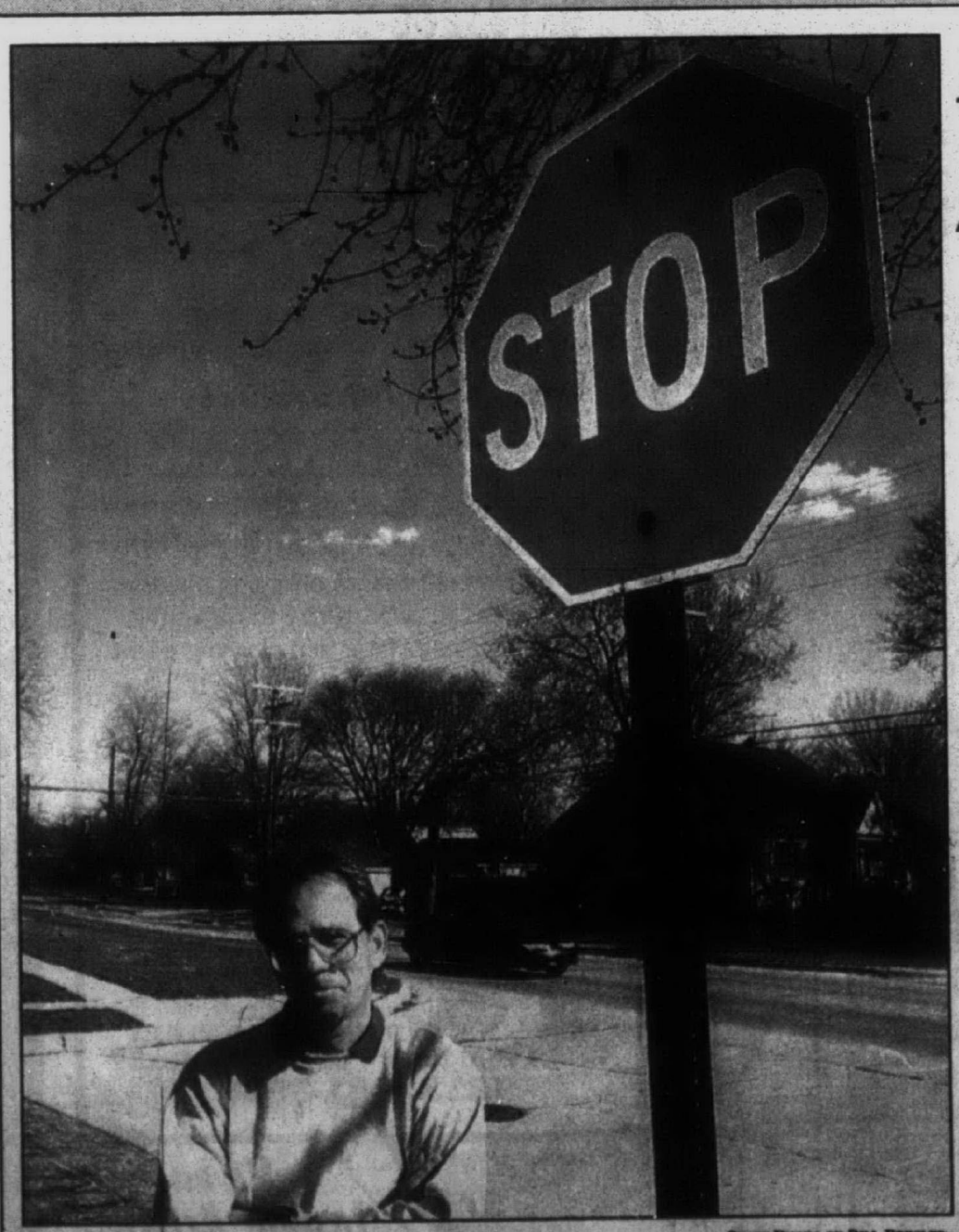

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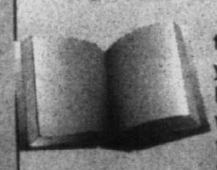

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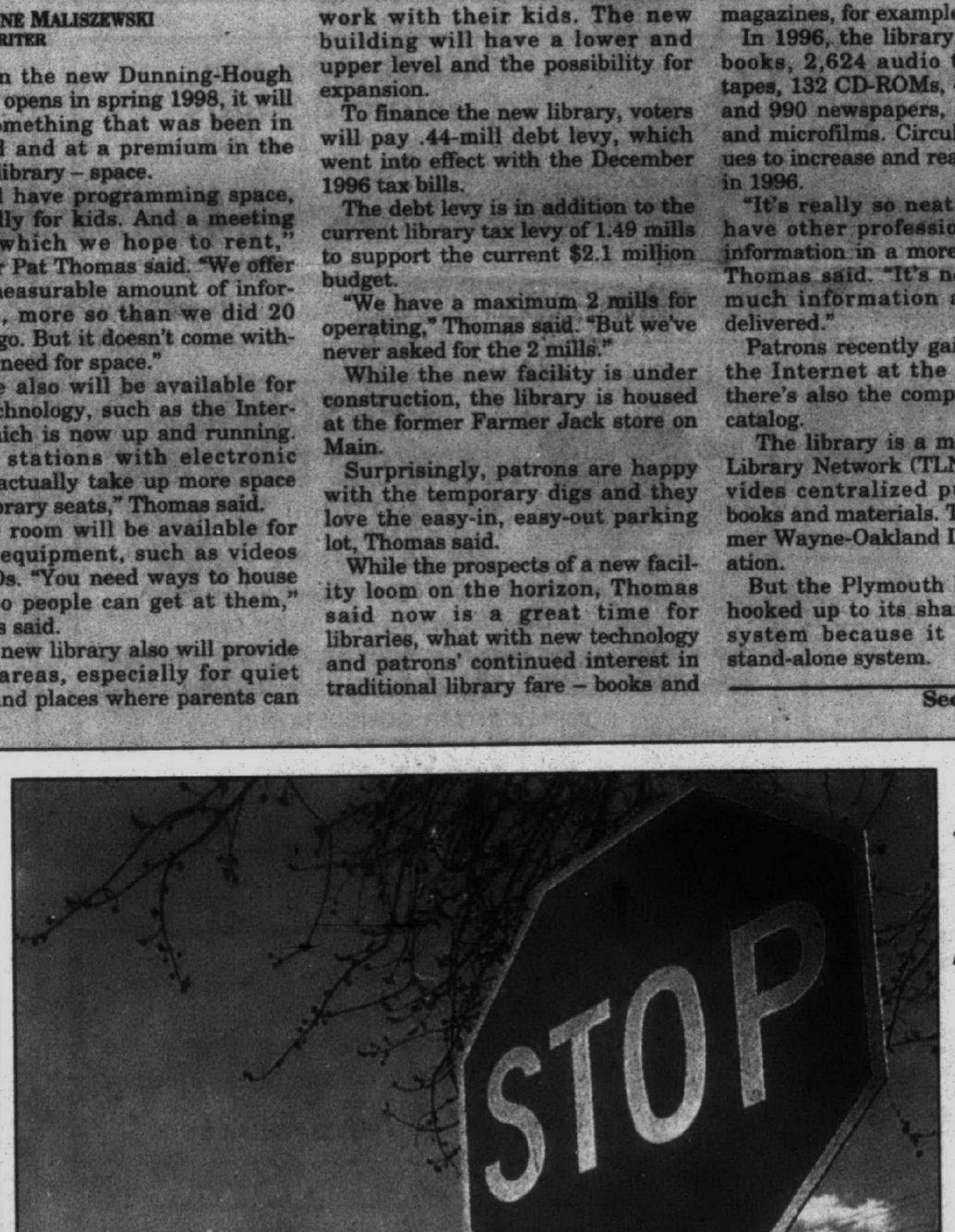

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Although, the incident happened years ago when Groth first began working as a firefighter in Plymouth Township, he said that at least one of the deaths may have been prevented if firefighters had state-of-the-art equipment that is available today.

His tragic story emphasized the need to support the Plymouth Colonial Kiwanis Club project to buy three, CairnsIRIS, fire helmets with a special viewing device that allows firefighters to see in smoke-filled rooms. Club members hope to buy one helmet for each of the three fire buildings in Plymouth and Plymouth Township.

"Whenever you have a fire of any magnitude the smoke of that fire is so tremendous that you can't see your hand in front of your face," Groth said. "A firefighter could put this on and go in and do a quick search of the building for people in that building; thus saving lives. Every moment is precious in a fire."

The helmets would be a "a dream" for Plymouth Community firefighters, Groth said, "because they're so expensive." Usually only large departments in big cities have the money to buy this kind of equipment.

The helmets are $25,000 each.

"The potential for saving lives is great," according to Greg Ash, land surveyor and Plymouth Colonial Kiwanis Club second vice-president.

"They get down on their hands and knees and crawl around in a room they've never been in before and they're looking if there is someone in there," he said. "This cuts their search and rescue time by about 70 percent. To cut their risk to fire exposure by that much would be a good thing."

The club launched its fundraising campaign with a nut sale during the Christmas season. Members are looking for new ideas.

"Even though the club is the one fronting the project, we believe it's important for the community and we would like to get the whole community involved, so everyone can feel they did their part," said Ash adding that donation canisters will be placed in area stores with a description of the helmet.

Another idea, Ash said, is to rally school children to take up collections of pennies and other loose change in their classrooms.

"It's not about how much, but that people are involved," he said.

The Kiwanis Club is in the planning stages trying to develop more ideas to raise money. Anyone who is interested in getting involved should call Ash at 455-3769.

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"Plymouth residents, township or city, can call in and reserve time up to an hour at a time up to two times a week," said Kathy Petlewski, electronic information specialist librarian.

Library walk-ins can also use the Internet terminals, if no one else is signed up.

In the free classes, you will learn about netscape navigators and search engines. Sound is not allowed on the library Internet terminals, nor is electronic mail. And those who log on the Internet from the library aren't allowed to use chat lines, as the access is provided for those seeking information.

Those using the Internet must first sign an Internet user agreement. Users are able to call up a wide range of information and print it out at 10 cents a page.

Two Internet classes have been held already. Petlewski said word of the service is spreading, as she's received 50 calls on it.

"I personally want people to know about it because it's such a wonderful resource," she said.

Petlewski said of typical questions, "They ask how do I find things on the Internet?, and they ask if they can hurt anything that's out there."

"Generally no, it's not hard and you can't mess anything up," she said.

One good basic information source, Petlewski said, is the Michigan Electronic Library. "Parents can get the MEAP scores right off the Internet, not just for their own kids, but for all areas," she said.

But you can call up Internet information on nearly any subject. For example, a reporter curious as to whether information exists on obscure country-rock musician Gram Parsons, finds the "Gram Parsons Homepage."

Assembled by Parsons fan Larry Klug, it lists authorized and bootleg recordings by Parsons, and answers typically asked questions, including, "Did Gram invent country-rock?"

Other information available on the Internet ranges from recipes through the Kitchen Network and Ticketmaster arena seating diagrams, to maps and practice Scholastic Aptitude Tests.

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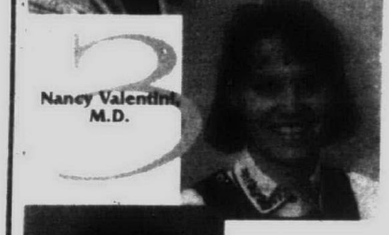

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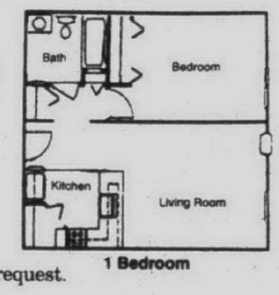

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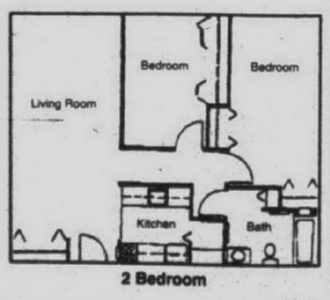

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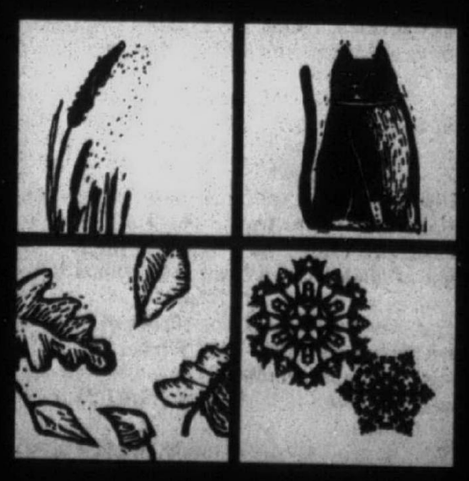

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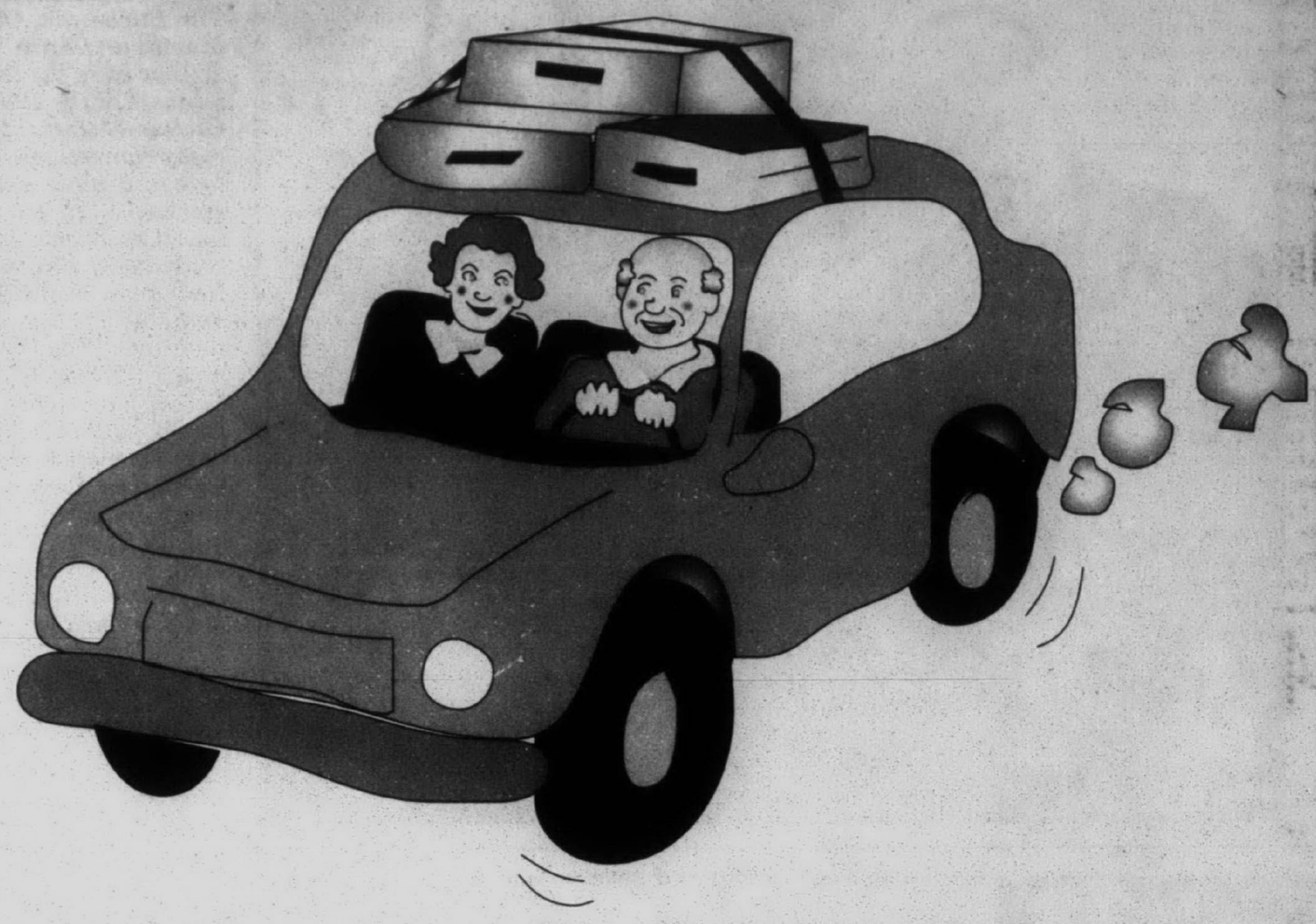
Mature drivers return to the classroom for a refresher



BY RENEE SKOGLUND
SPECIAL WRITER

When the instructor told the 13 seniors gathered at Plymouth's VFW Post 6695 one sunny morning last week that "55 Alive" was a class for mature drivers, not "old" drivers, there was a murmur of assent.

It's not the gray hair that sometimes gives senior drivers a bad name, said Frankie Gadson-White of Detroit, an instructor for the American Association of Retired Persons' "55 Alive" program. "It's the little old lady who's starting to shrink and is peeking through the steering wheel. While she's peeking, she's missing things."

"55 Alive" is an eight-hour, classroom-based defensive driving program offered by AARP to anyone 50 or older. In two half-day sessions, students take tests and learn about traffic laws, new vehicle technology and the defensive driving techniques necessary to combat slowing reflexes.

All classroom materials are provided by AARP. The program costs $8 and can be held in a variety of community meeting sites. Drivers do not have to be members of AARP to attend the class.

Although the reason for last week's "55 Alive" class, sponsored by the Plymouth VFW's Ladies Auxiliary, was serious, responses to Gadson-White's questions were sometimes humorous.

"What would you do when you come to a green light, traffic to your right should be stopping, but John Doe rolls right through?" asked Gadson-White.

"You stop him and punch him out," said Floyd Riley, 64, of Canton, a big, robust man wearing a "Grandpa gives the best hugs" sweatshirt.

"Cemeteries are full of people who had the right-of-way," countered a neatly dressed man to Riley's right.

"You should look both ways. You do not have the right-of-way until all traffic stops," corrected Gadson-White.

Ann Riley, 67, of Canton is married to "punch-him-out Floyd. "I call him a curmudgeon," she said. "Honestly, I hate driving with him."

Riley said she was getting a lot out of the class. "I've learned things. We did a test at the beginning and there were several things I got wrong. I think you should improve on your driving skills all the time. This class will help me."

Eleanor Chelian, 65, of Plymouth Township, was surprised she had some wrong answers on the driving test Gadson-White handed out. "I haven't driven for a few years. I wanted to refresh my memory before I take my test," she said.

Plymouth Township residents Dona Venne, 70, and Elizabeth McCrossin, 79, are neighbors. Venne said she heard about the "55 Alive" program for years.

"I finally caught up with it," she said.

"I felt it was a good chance to get up-to-date," said McGrossin.

"I tell her (the reporter) about the way you speed in your driveway," said Venne.

"Get a life," said McGrossin. "Don't watch me. It's the only place I can speed. I never had a ticket."

Doris Seisser, 75, of Livonia, was honest about her reason for taking the class. "I'm realizing my age is catching up with me," she said. She counts herself lucky. "I've only had one accident in my lifetime. I guess I'm a mediocre driver."

Barbara Turnbull, 66, of Redford Township, was taking the class with husband, Herbert, 69, a former commander of VFW Post 6695. Turnbull doesn't like to drive behind older drivers. "Not if I can get around them. They're unpredictable," she said.

The Turnbulls are heading out to Salt Lake City, Utah, this summer for the national VFW convention. "Our driving days aren't over," Barbara said.

No one in the class was looking forward to hanging up their hubcaps for good. In fact, Margaret Smith, 68, of Plymouth Township, was considering taking driving lessons for the first time in her life.

"I've never driven a car. I'm considering getting a license. I'd just like to know how to drive and be independent," she said.

Age brings wisdom, and class members have learned how to deal with rude drivers with quick-draw fingers. McCrossin recalled an incident when she was driving with her grandson. "My grandson said 'Grandma, that man gave you the finger.' I said that was his problem," she said.

Although "Alive 55" may not teach the finer points of road etiquette, it serves its purpose.

Tom Stockman of Dearborn Heights is the state coordinator for the "55 Alive," which began as a pilot program in 1970 in Florida and now is offered all over the country. He said surveys conducted in Florida and California show a 16-percent reduction in traffic violations and accidents for drivers who have taken the class.

"I've had people in my classes who were over 80. I wouldn't hesitate to get in an automobile with those people," he said.

Legislation in 34 states and the District of Columbia require automobile insurance companies operating in those states to offer a premium discount to graduates of state-approved driver-improvement courses.

Stockman also said some auto insurance companies, like Foremost and Hartford, offer discounts averaging 10 percent to policyholders who have taken "55 Alive." The class must be repeated every three years to continue the discount.

"It's a good course. Some of the things refreshed my memory," said Floyd Riley, who hasn't punched out another driver recently. "It's a course everybody should take."

For more information about "55 Alive-Mature Driving," contact Tom Stockman at (313) 274-2157. Volunteer instructors are needed.

AARP offers safe driving tips

According to American Association of Retired Persons research, typical traffic violations committed by senior drivers include failure to yield right-of-way, improper turning, incorrect lane changing, passing and entering and leaving expressways.

The following are just a few of the safety tips discussed in the "55 Alive-Mature Driving" course:

- Use your turn signals. Let people know your intentions.
- Check your mirrors frequently.
- Always look over your shoulder before putting the car in reverse.
- Choose traffic routes that are less demanding. Avoid expressways if they overwhelm you.
- Keep your air-conditioning or heater on lowest setting to minimize background noise.
- Check for worn out exhaust pipes before they become noisy,
- Watch for flashing lights: police, ambulances, fire trucks, railroad crossings.
- Don't blast your radio.
- Allow more time when turning left and passing on a two-lane road.
- Parallel parking can be tough. Don't attempt it unless you have plenty of room and patience.
- Remember, your peripheral vision isn't what it used to be. Be extra vigilant in right-of-way situations. Make it a group project for all passengers in your car.
- Know which drugs and medications can affect driving ability.

Many community organizations sponsor the "55 Alive-Mature Driving" by offering classroom space. If interested, please write to: AARP, 55 Alive-Mature Driving, 601 E. Street, NW, Washington, DC 20049.

Irrigation system to be improved

A proposal to spend nearly $26,000 to improve irrigation at Hilltop Golf Course was approved by Plymouth Township trustees on Tuesday.

Trustees approved a $25,749.20 bid from Wissco Irrigation of South Bend, Ind. The firm was the low bidder among six firms that offered bids.

Township engineering consultant firm Dietrich, Bailey and Associates recommended that the board choose Wissco, based on its low bid and on comments from references.

Other bids opened March 20 for the work ranged from $35,635 to $64,000. Trustee K.C. Mueller asked township engineering consultant Michael Bailey why submitted bids differed so greatly.

"I'm amazed sometimes myself," he said, and offered that Wissco Irrigation has worked before with American Golf Corp., which operates the golf course for the township.

Money to pay for the project has already been set aside in a capital improvement fund.

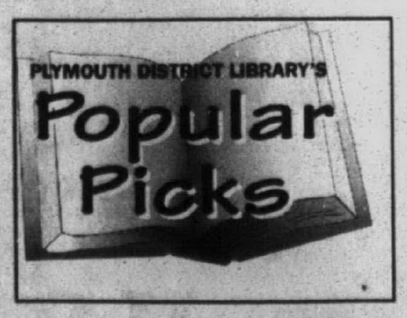
The project includes installing an automatic Touch Net watering system.

The upgraded system, Bailey said, "Covers most of greens and tees but not the fairway areas. It's the first of a multi-phase improvement to the irrigation system."

The irrigation system now used at the golf course is mainly operated manually. The new system will upgrade that portion, and a portion that is now automatic but outdated.

Work is to be performed sometime this summer.

Editor's note: *Every week the Plymouth District Library staff provides the Observer with their list of "Best Sellers" based on the number of requests for titles by library patrons. The books are available by placing a request with the library at 453-0750.*



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3. Hornet's Nest, Patricia Cornwell
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7. Alias Grace, Margaret Atwood
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4. Make the Connection, Bob Greene
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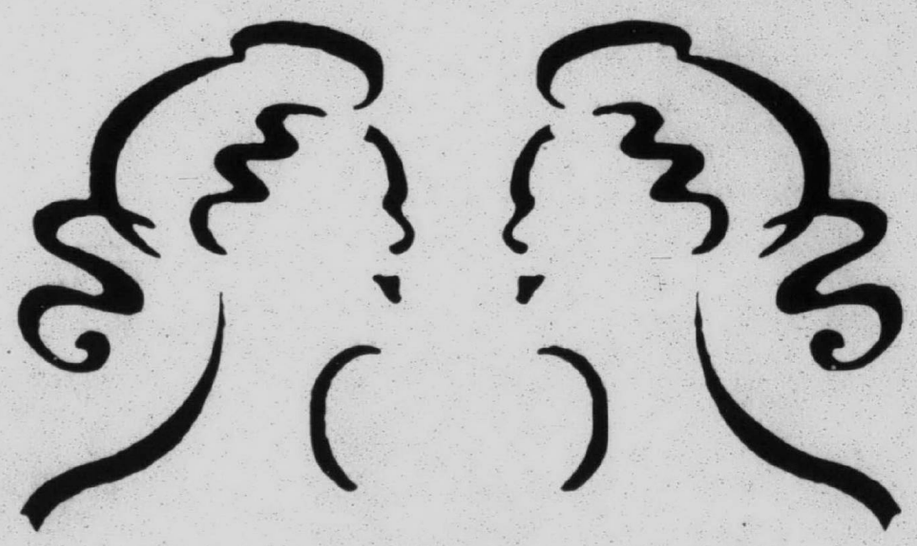

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Winning writers

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Winners: *Salem High School students Tim Buchanan, Dan Martin and Sara Wiener were the three winners of the 1997 Civitan Citizenship essay contest. Martin took first-place and received $125, followed by Wiener in second and $75, and Buchanan in third and $50. The essay topic was "The Plymouth-Canton High School Experience: How Could It Be Better?" Four students were given honorable mentions. They include James Chapman, Kristen Halsted, Nathan Burt and Melissa Carabott.*

Parade plans continue

The ever-expanding "Good Morning USA" parade program suggests that this Plymouth Fourth of July will be one to remember.

Some of the latest additions signed on for the 7:30 a.m. Independence Day parade include:

■Three exhibition skydivers doing acrobatics and carrying an unfurled American flag, on their way to a Main Street landing

■A Marilyn Monroe look-alike throwing kisses to the crowd from her open convertible "while being guarded by two beefcake bodyguards," said parade coordinator Fred Hill.

■A B-17 Flying Fortress flying over the downtown parade route after the singing of the National Anthem.

■A range of musical entertainers, including Doug Jacob's Red Garter Dixieland Band playing from a horse-drawn carriage, the Cabarfeidh Pipe Band and the Emerald Knights Drum and Bugle Corps from Mississauga, Ontario.

Hill added that an Uncle Sam and a juggler on stilts have also been signed on.

Also, local high school radio station WSDP, 88.1-FM, will do a 6 a.m. pre-parade show featuring patriotic music and interviews.

The parade is sponsored by the Plymouth-Canton Jaycees.

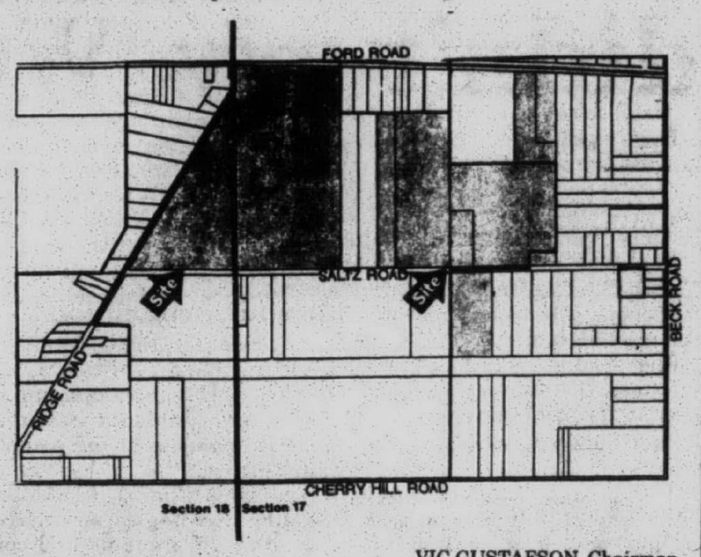
CANTON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION
CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, April 21, 1997, in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

CONSIDER A REQUEST TO ESTABLISH **FOUNDERS WOODS PRELIMINARY PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PDD)** AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27.04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE INCLUSIVE OF PARCEL NOS. 065 99 0028 000, 065 99 0029 001, 065 99 0029 002, 065 99 0030 001, 65 99 0030 002, 066 99 0009 000, 066 99 0010 000, 066 99 0013 001, 066 99 0013 002, and 068 99 0001 001. Properties are located on the north and south sides of Saltz Road between Ridge and Beck Roads. (Second public hearing).

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission will be received at the above address up to the time of the hearing.



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Radiologist Joanne Barbour Walker, MD, and Beverly Moscarello, RN, McAuley Breast Care, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital

A woman has a one in eight chance of developing breast cancer in her lifetime. This discussion will cover the importance of mammography, ultrasound and breast self-examination in the early detection of breast cancer. Also learn about some of the newest technology being used and currently under development to detect breast cancer.

Wednesday, May 14 **Register by May 9**

Understanding Depression: Myths vs. Reality

Psychologist Laura Gold, PhD, McAuley Mental Health Services, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital

Depression touches each of us at some point in our lives, yet we're often afraid to even acknowledge or talk about it, let alone seek help. This program is for you if you, a family member, friend or coworker may be depressed. The symptoms and causes of depression, the influence of hormones on our moods, treatment options and self-help techniques will be discussed.

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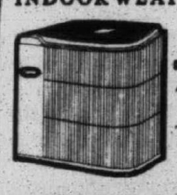

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BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

The Library.

That phrase used to conjure up an image of a brick building, somewhat dark and musty inside, with ceiling-high stacks of books and a spinsterish librarian sitting at a high desk telling patrons to "Shhh!"

The focal point, almost always, was the card catalog – rows of cabinets containing dozens of small drawers filled with dog-eared cards with strange numbers and codes on them.

No more. Walk into a typical library today and the first thing you are likely to encounter are banks of small computers.

"Where's the card catalog?" you may ask.

Well, there it is. Inside those computers. Along with a whole lot more.

Changing times

Not everyone likes the computer revolution that has replaced library card catalogs and shelves of "Reader's Guides" with online databases. But learn to live with it. Libraries aren't what they used to be.

Like it or not, it's a whole lot faster to select "Search by author," type in a name, hit "Return" and let the computer do its stuff than to thumb through dozens of cards in a bottom drawer of one of those wood cabinets while two other patrons search the drawers right over your head. And just try to do a "keyword" search without help from a computer.

If you've ever spent hours poring over back issues of the "Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature" looking for articles on peanut farming in the Sudan, you'll appreciate the speed and convenience of an electronic search of "Magazine Index Plus."

Research centers

Yet the electronic card catalog is probably the least revolutionary aspect of the computerization of modern libraries. Computers, the Internet and services like Metro Net or The Library Network have turned community "circulating libraries" into full-fledged research institutions – all electronically, of course.

That doesn't mean everything is simple and easy to use. For one thing different libraries use different software programs for their catalogs. There's the Portal system, Dynix, Innovative Interfaces, Voyager – just to name four systems used by different libraries in the metro area. And each has its own special characteristics and "navigation" methods.

And getting into the card catalog doesn't necessarily get you anywhere else. Most local libraries have separate Internet terminals which you may have to reserve in advance. And then you only get a limited amount of time on them.

Access from home

Some libraries, particularly those with stand-alone systems like Canton, allow patrons with home computers to access the library system from home. In addition to searching the catalog, you can review your patron record, see what books you have checked out, which are overdue and even renew books from home. You can place books on hold or request new items that you'd like the library to purchase.

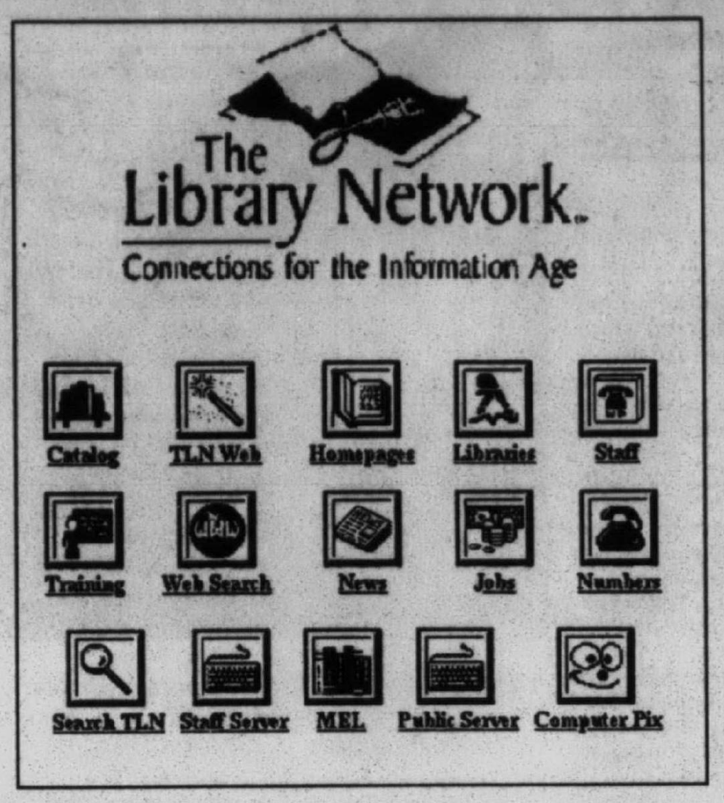
If your library doesn't have direct dial-in access, or if you would just like to get beyond the card catalog and explore some of the other resources available, you can access Metro Net at http://www.metronet.lib.mi.us or The Library Network at http://tln.lib.mi.us.

Metro Net offers links to its eight member libraries' catalogs and home pages plus links to other resources on the World Wide Web. The Library Network offers similar links, including access to the Shared Automation System, the online catalog containing more than 500,000 titles of materials held by 55 member libraries in Wayne, Oakland, Washtenaw, St. Clair and Livingston counties.

Online links

Once you are out on the Web, you can go just about anywhere, including the Michigan Electronic Library. MEL is the University of Michigan's online library with links to literally thousands of resources, including a searchable newspaper and periodical index that allows users to access and download full text newspaper and magazine articles. You can also access MEL directly at http://www.mel.lib.mi.us.

Despite the technological gadgets that now occupy the space where the card catalog stood, area librarians agree that libraries will always be basically repositories for books. And periodicals. And videos. And audio tapes. And CDs. And CD-ROMs. And ...



HOME PAGE: *The Library Network's home page offers links to a variety of resources, from the online catalog to other libraries' home pages to library employment*

Renegade libraries didn't cry 'WOLF'

BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

It was called WOLF, but some area librarians thought it was more of a dog. And that led to the Computer Revolution of 1992.

WOLF – the Wayne Oakland Library Federation – was started in the late 1970s after the Michigan Legislature created a group of public library cooperatives throughout the state. The cooperatives assisted member libraries with such things as buying books and equipment, handling interlibrary loans and a variety of other services. WOLF, serving Wayne and Oakland counties, was the largest of the coops.

The heart of the WOLF system was the computer – a room-sized GEAC mainframe – that, among other things, housed the WOLF catalog, a searchable database containing the holdings of all member libraries. According to one local librarian, the system was quite "user unfriendly," displaying screens of codes that were meaningless to patrons, and it was "down as often as it was up."

Still, the system made it possible for local libraries to replace their card catalogs with computer terminals, from which librarians or patrons trying to locate a book could search the entire WOLF catalog. This was especially beneficial to smaller libraries with limited holdings.

Computer revolution

By the early 1990s, however, computers had changed. Mainframes were being replaced by smaller, more sophisticated desktop systems linked to each other through "networks." Some of the more affluent libraries in WOLF had begun to install "stand-alone" systems and convert their own card catalogs into electronic databases.

These systems made it possible for patrons with home computers to access their local library catalogs from home. And they allowed the libraries and the patrons access to the Internet, which was growing fast, promising to open up a world of information to anyone with a desktop computer and a modem.

In 1992, seven area libraries, which had become increasingly disenchanted with what they considered an antiquated WOLF system, threatened to pull out and start their own cooperative unless WOLF got with the times. They agreed to stay with WOLF for a year while the matter was looked into, but in 1993 the renegade seven – Baldwin/Birmingham, Bloomfield Township, Canton, Farmington, Independence Township, Southfield and Rochester Hills – launched Metro Net, a "virtual" consortium that allowed them to link up to each other's catalogs and to access (and provide access to) the Internet.

'Virtual consortium'

Metro Net calls itself a "virtual consortium" because it has no headquarters, no building no staff. Its eight member libraries (West Bloomfield joined the consortium in 1994) maintain the site through their own computer systems. Metro Net, which can be accessed at http://www.metronet.lib.mi.us, offers links not just to its members catalogs but to a plethora of other resources. (See accompanying story.) It also offers Internet accounts to patrons of its members.

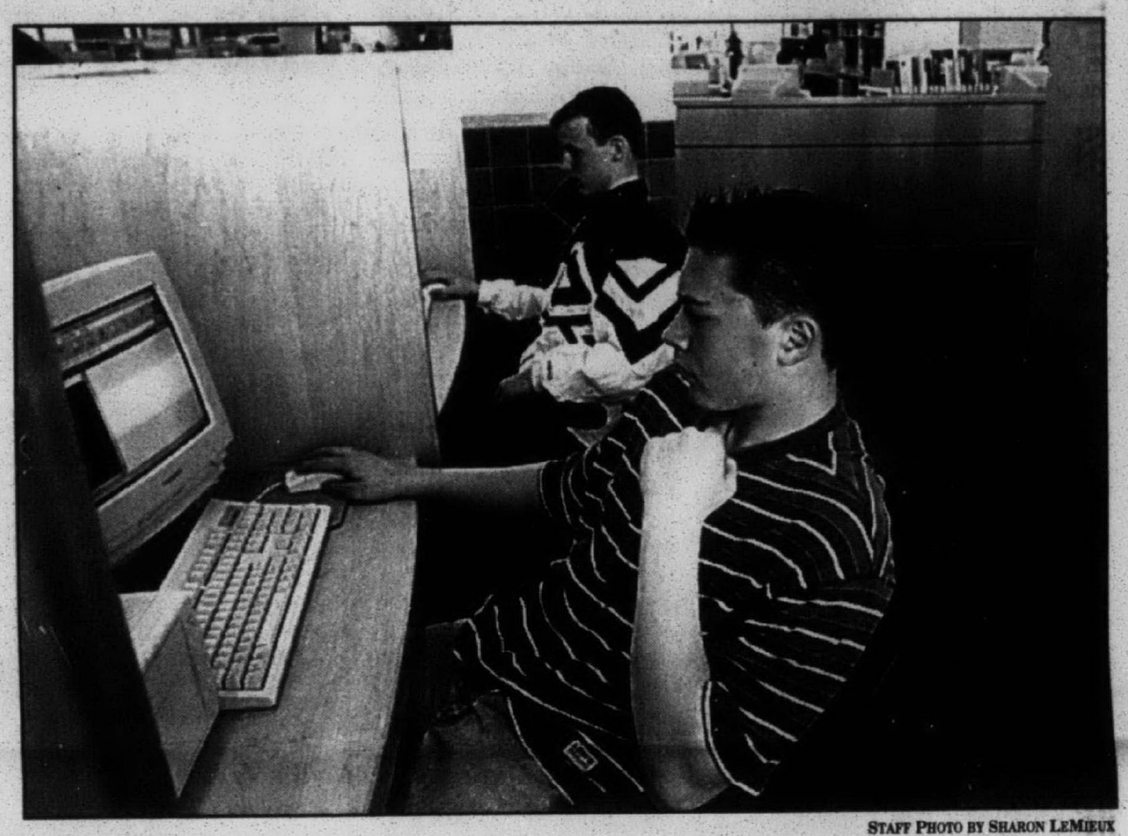
A couple of years after the revolt by the renegade seven, things changed at WOLF. After libraries from Washtenaw, St. Clair and Livingston counties joined the co-op, the name was changed from WOLF to The Library Network.

The name change also symbolized technological changes. In October 1995, the GEAC mainframe was replaced by DRA, a proprietary system running off a couple of Unix boxes. And about a year ago TLN began offering Internet accounts. While TLN libraries without their own stand-alone systems still use the Shared Automation System (the equivalent of the old WOLF catalog), they also have Internet terminals and access to a variety of other resources. TLN can be accessed at http://www.tln.lib.mi.us.

So can those renegade libraries take credit for WOLF (or The Library Network) "getting with the times"?

Kerry Sanders, the deputy director for research and development at TLN, wouldn't use those words.

"But the thing I admire about them," he said, "when they were looking to break off from us, they were the innovators. They saw the future."



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Things to do: *Justin Ballard, a sophomore at John Glenn High School, does his homework on molecular biology as another Westland student, Rich Perteet, goes online at the William P. Faust Public Library of Westland. The new library opened last November.*

There's more to our libraries than books

BY RENEE M. SKOGLUND
STAFF WRITER

"Shhh!" is no longer the operative word at the library. Walk into today's community library and you'll find activity areas, casual seating arrangements and tables set up to promote group interchange.

"It's become a community activity center. It's not an academic library. It's geared towards activity and communication between people. We expect people to interact," said Sandra Wilson, director of the new William P. Faust Public Library of Westland, which sits on a 17-acre site off Central City Parkway.

The Westland library has been a busy place since it opened last November. Its large meeting room, holding 127 people and available for public rental, already has been used by the Salvation Army and the U.S. Army, which used the room for recruitment training.

"I assume that room is going to be very popular," said Wilson.

In Westland

The library also has two smaller meeting rooms that accommodate eight to 10 people and two private tutorial rooms. In addition, the library has a special activities room for children. Wilson envisions teachers using that room for special research projects.

Wilson said the library's storytelling and reading programs, like "Bookies" for elementary school children, are very popular. During the summer, the reading program will be held in the outdoor pavilion.

Wilson plans to use the "performance pavilion" for plays, presentations, and music performances. "Our library is full of life, communication and socializing on an educational and cultural level," she said.

Livonia gallery

It may be redundant to say that Livonia's Civic Center Library on Five Mile Road promotes culture within the community. While other libraries present art, the Civic Center Library displays it in style. "We have a fully functioning art gallery," said Michael Deller, the library's director for 11 years.

In addition to works by known artists, the gallery often showcases art by students and teachers from the Livonia and Clarenceville schools.

Once a month, the Civic Center Library sponsors a noontime concert in its atrium, which seats between 150-180 people. Concertgoers can bring their lunches. The library provides the tea and coffee.

"It is purposely designed for people at home and workers on their lunch hours. We startle people who come in to return a book and see people playing the xylophone," said Deller.

When not scheduled for library events, the library's large auditorium and meeting rooms are in constant use by a diverse group of community organizations, from community block clubs and businesses conducting training sessions to Mothers of Multiples and the Boxer Dog Society.

"We're part of the fabric of the community. For some of the causes our residents support they come to the library to be part of those organizations," said Deller.

STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGIELO

Activity: Libraries have become community activity centers offering everything from meeting rooms to art galleries. The Detroit Women writers met earlier this month in the Livonia Civic Center Library. Michael Deller, the city's library director, says the meetings rooms are "in constant use" by many diverse organizations.

Demand in Canton

The Canton Public Library has been a busy place since it opened in 1988. "We're standing room only. Sunday is by far the busiest day. Sunday is for families," said Jean Tabor, the library's director. "We see a lot more foot traffic now, from the Summit, the new subdivisions and the homes around the Pheasant Run Golf Course."

Tabor said there is a big public demand for the library's largest meeting room, which is frequently used by neighborhood homeowners groups. Even patrons using the library for study purposes find space at a premium. "If we expand in the future, we'll need more quiet study and more group study rooms," said Tabor.

Tabor said a telephone survey conducted a year ago gave the library high marks. The survey did emphasize a continuing need for children's programming. The library responded, and the new "ABC Moms" program, basically crafts and playtime for preschoolers and coffee for moms, is a hit.

A big attraction at the Canton Public Library is the youth department, home to a pet gerbil and a large aquarium. There's a special computer room for "Cyber Kids" and a comfortable gazebo set off by a few steps for those who want a special place to read. "Half the kids in Canton have learned to go up and down steps in the youth department," said Tabor.

Redford is creative

Fred Paffhausen, director of the Redford Township Public Library, said his library is "half the size we should be." It has just one meeting room, with none planned for the future. The library is landlocked.

But what it lacks in size, the Redford Township library makes up in determination to meet the community's needs, especially for children. Paffhausen is especially fond of preschool storytelling program and school-age summer reading program, which involves about 500 students. "We're growing our own support base," he said.

The library also sponsors some popular presentations, especially financial programs. Certified financial planner and attorney Rick Bloom, often heard on WXYT, comes in once a year. "The room usually fills up, 90 to a 100 people," said Paffhausen.

Garden City's 75th

Next year, the Garden City Public Library will celebrate its 75th anniversary. They have occupied their current building since the 1950s. Since becoming director three years ago, Joan Elmouchi has made the most of the library's one meeting room, located in the basement.

"When I first got here, the meeting room mainly was used for library purposes. I opened it up more to the community," she said.

As in all communities, diverse groups make use of library meeting rooms. Overeaters Anonymous uses the Garden City library's meeting room on Monday nights, and Garden City Hospital scheduled parenting classes in the room during March and April. Joe Gagnon, the Appliance Doctor, made an appearance in February.

"We use the room heavily in the summer for our summer reading program. We also use it for preschool storytime," said Elmouchi.

The Plymouth District Library, currently housed in temporary quarters on Main while a new facility is built, has no public meeting rooms available.

History of Plymouth library tied to community roots

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

In case you ever wondered, the Dunning-Hough Library – which serves Plymouth and Plymouth Township residents – is not named after just one person.

In fact, the library's official name is tied to its beginnings even though plenty of people now simply call the facility the Plymouth District Library.

In the mid-1940s, Margaret Dunning and her mother decided the library needed a place of its own so they bought property on Main Street – right next to where city hall is now – and gave it to the city.

By then the library was about 20 years old. It started as a branch of the Wayne County Library in a farmhouse on Canton Center Road in 1923.

"Over the years it moved around," said Pat Thomas, who has served as library director for 17 years.

By the mid-1950s, the house the Dunnings gave for the library needed expanding so an addition was built on the back.

"It was an old farmhouse and hard to keep up," Thomas said.

By then the community was ready to build a new city hall on Main Street and decided to have plans drafted for a new library, too.

■ **'It was an old farmhouse and hard to keep up.'**
Pat Thomas
—Library director

"They built city hall and stalled on the library," Thomas said.

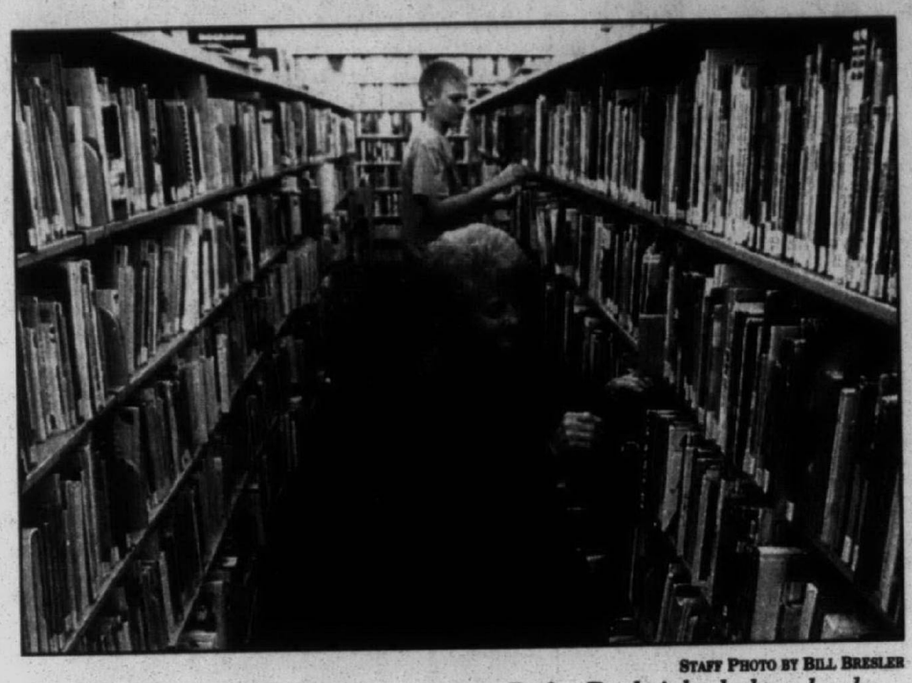
The Hough family decided to put up money for a facade on the library, which was the house the Dunnings had donated.

"So the Dunnings gave us the land and the Houghs the facade," Thomas said.

Anyone who drives north on Main Street today will see where the library was next to city hall and exactly where a new $7.3 million 40,000-square-foot library is under construction and is scheduled to open in spring 1998. Voters passed a bond issue to construct the new library in 1994.

Until 1981, the Dunning-Hough Library remained a county branch. Canton Township – served by the county branch in Plymouth – was growing so much, it decided to go on its own.

In 1981, the city of Plymouth took over the Dunning-Hough Library with a contract that allowed Plymouth Township residents to use the facility.



STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER

Tidying: *Plymouth library volunteer Ruby Rudnick shelves books at the library's temporary location, assisted by her grandson Stephen Swanson.*

"We were still too busy for what we had," Thomas said.

In 1984, the federal government gave money for a new library, with a local match. That led to a joint venture, an agreement between Plymouth and Plymouth Township, which agreed to pay half of the local match.

Construction plans called for adding 6,000 square feet to the existing 6,000.

At the time, the district library law was in existence, but it was easier to be a city library. After the addition was completed, some problems arose and it was determined that both communities chipping in wouldn't work.

Longtime resident and former Plymouth Township trustee Esther Hulsing, and the late community activist and former Plymouth Mayor Mary Childs, turned around and joined forces to establish a district library.

In September 1985, voters in Plymouth and Plymouth Township agreed. In November 1985, voters passed a millage to support the library.

The city had already levied one mill for the library. So the township started levying 0.8 mill. The library later went back and asked for another 0.4 mill. By 1987, both the city and township were levying 1.2 mills for library services.

"That equalized everything between the two communities," Thomas said.

Carol Davis, now president of the Friends of the Library, was on the library board when it became a district library.

"The library kept expanding. It kept growing and growing," said Davis. "I think our library is very well used. It always has been."

Library *from page A1*

Plymouth also is not a member of MetroNet, a group of libraries, including Canton, which broke away from the former WOLF organization. which includes Canton.

Carol Davis, a former library board member and president of the Friends of the Plymouth Library, is amazed at the new technology.

"For the kids I think it's part of their life. For some of our citizens, such as myself, it's tough," she said.

Davis calls the Friends the funding arm of the library. The group raises money to support items that may not make it into the annual library budget.

In particular, the Friends supports the Summer Youth Reading Program, as well as reading programs for adults.

One of the Friends' big fundraisers is the annual book sale. But unlike many libraries, the book sale is a constant. There's a big box at the entrance of the library, from which books may be deposited or purchased.

"It's a lot more popular than I thought it would be," Davis said. "It's working out because we don't need as many volunteers to keep it operating. People can put their donations in the box and riffle through it and see what they want."

The Friends also have about $5,000 ready to help with the new library. "We're saving our money so we can give them whatever they need," Davis said.

Despite construction of a larger library and the addition of new technology, efforts are constantly afoot to maintain the Plymouth library in a way that makes finding information not only easy, but fun.

"I think we function most successfully as a neighborhood library," Thomas said. "The question is how we keep doing what we've always been doing for people. We want to keep a sense of community and then add technology."

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FOR THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH

FOUR VACANCIES (4)
(present terms to expire 11/97)

and hereby notified that "NOMINATING PETITIONS" for such offices are available at the Office of the City Clerk. Petitions must be filed with the Clerk or Deputy Clerk at City Hall, 201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, not later than Tuesday, May 13, 1997 at 4:00 p.m.

LINDA J. LANGMESSER, CMC
City Clerk

Publish: April 3, 13, 24 & May 4, 1997

PLYMOUTH CITY COMMISSION
Plymouth City Hall
201 S. Main Street, Plymouth, MI 48170
(313) 453-1234

SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that special meetings of the Plymouth City Commission will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the City Commission Conference Room, 201 S. Main, Plymouth, MI 48170 on the following dates:

Thursday, April 17, 1997
Thursday, April 24, 1997
Monday, April 28, 1997
Thursday, May 1, 1997
Thursday, May 15, 1997 (if necessary)

for the purpose of reviewing the 1997-98 Budget.

LINDA J. LANGMESSER, CMC, City Clerk

Publish: April 13, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: Darryl Williams and
LaWanda Robinson

Deed Number: 1792
Cert Number: 05841

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44025041105000
HOLTZMAN AND SILVERMAN SUB NO. 6 T2S R10E L75 P13
WCR LOT 1105

This is an improved residential property.
Property Address: 3974 Douglas Ct., Inkster
Amount Paid: $3,133.74 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: $4,705.61 Plus the fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for Fone Corp.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd. Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach, FL 33401

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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: GORDON GROSSMAN BLDG. CO.
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WEST BLOOMFIELD, MI 48322

Deed Number: 1811
Cert Number: 06503

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VAC ADJ ALLEY

This is an improved residential property.
Property Address: 17671 Flora, Melvindale
Amount Paid: $1,144.63 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: $1,721.95 Plus the fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PCSI, Inc.
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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: NANCY CONLEY,
STEPHANIE NESBITT AND
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Deed Number: 1801A
Cert Number: 06039

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 45009060079000

MAIN FORT ST. SUN NO. 2 PC 43, 84, 95, L63 P44
WCR LOTS 79, 80 AND 81

Property Address: 2328 Fort St., Lincoln Park
Amount Paid: $5,668.02 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: $8,507.03 Plus the fees of the Sheriff.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
1997-98 ACTION PLAN
30-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD
FY 1997 CDBG PROGRAM

On April 9, 1997 and for 30 days thereafter, public comment will be accepted on the 1997-98 Canton Charter Township Action Plan. The Action Plan is part of the Consolidated Plan (mandated in 24 CFR Parts 91, 92, 570, 574, 578 and 968 (August 5, 1994/Proposed Rules), which replaces the Comprehensive Housing Affordability Strategy (CHAS). The document plus the Action Plan will be available for public inspection during regular business hours in the Office of the Clerk, 1150 S., Canton Center Road; office of the Resource Development Division, 1150 S. Canton Center Road; and the Seniors Center, 46000 Summit Parkway. Comments received during the review period will be answered in writing and appended to the Plan. The Consolidated Plan must be submitted to the department of HUD no later than May 15, 1997.

The 1997-98 Action Plan does not deviate from the 1995-96 Consolidated Plan. The Plan maintains the housing rehabilitation program as the only direct intervention housing program for Canton Township, and funds the program adequately to rehabilitate three owner-occupied single family detached homes during 1997-98. Canton Township will support applications by outside agencies to the Department of HUD for on public residents and others who meet relevant federal criteria for housing need. Canton Township will not support the loss of subsidized housing units in Canton. There are no homeless in Canton Township supported by census data and the problem will not develop during the Plan period. Canton Township certifies that it will affirmatively further fair housing and that it is in compliance with a residential anti-displacement and relocation assistance plan as required and provided under Section 104(d) of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974.

On March 31, 1997 The Canton CDBG Advisory Council adopted the following projects and funding levels for the FY 1997 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program for recommendation to the Canton Board of Trustees for approval at the regularly scheduled Board meeting of April 8, 1997. The FY 1997 allocation is $416,000 as determined by Congress. FY 1997 CDBG project recommendations: Program administration, $81,000; First Step, $25,000; Child and Family Service Adult Day Care, $5,000; Growth Works, $10,000; Salvation Army summer day camp, $13,000; Volunteer Coordinator, $ 6,500; Wayne County Neighborhood Legal Services, $2,100; Housing rehabilitation, $29,900; Harrison Drain Improvements (multi-year project), $125,000; Construction contingency, $49,000; Canterbury Mews picnic/activity shelter, $21,000; Canton Place covered walkway, $48,000. Total: $416,000.

Questions or comments may be directed to the Resource Development Division at the above address or (313) 397-5417.

TERRY BENNETT, Clerk

Publish: April 6 and 13, 1997

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

TO: ROBERT MYERS AND
LAMBRECHT REALTY COMPANY

Deed Number: 1819
Cert Number: 06665

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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OAKWOOD HEIGHTS SUB PC 35 L46 P19 WCR
LOT 555 ALSO W 1/2 ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property.
Property Address: 18570 Robert St., Melvindale
Amount Paid: $2,147.12 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: $3,225.68 Plus the fees of the Sheriff.

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1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd., Ste. 1100A
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NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: DONALD LEE BRYAN

Deed Number: 1814B
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To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

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Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 47005040321000

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LOT 321

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Court under pressure to decide school case

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

The Michigan Supreme Court is under great pressure to decide the school funding case, Durant vs. State, now that Justice Dorothy Comstock Riley has announced she will retire Sept. 1.

Riley, 72, barely able to walk, was led in distress across the lobby and out of the Law Building Thursday afternoon about two hours after the high court heard oral arguments in a case that could cost the state treasury billions.

An hour later, court public information officer David Gruber distributed a news release quoting Riley as saying: "After nearly 20 years of service on Michigan's appellate courts, I write with sadness to advise that, for reasons of health, I am resigning from the Michigan Supreme Court effective at noon, Sept. 1, 1997."

The announcement said she would complete her work on all cases that have been argued and submitted.

That would include the school funding case, known as Durant vs. State, that could cost the treasury anywhere from $492 million to "astronomical numbers," in the words of a state lawyer.

If the court should split on that budget-busting case, as it frequently does, Riley's vote may be needed to form a majority. The Supreme Court tries to decide cases within a year of hearing them.

Although she was a Republican appointee who twice was elected as a Republican nominee, Riley gave no hint during 65 minutes of attorneys' arguments whether she favored the 84 suburban school districts or the position of Gov. John M. Engler.

Riley said last year she has Parkinson's disease but expected to finish her term which lasts until the end of 2000. Her replacement, to be appointed by Engler, would have to run for reelection in 1998.

■ The issue was the state's shortage of payments for several services – notably special education (94 percent) and transportation – that began in the late 1970s. If the court holds they're state-mandated programs, the state must pay for them under the 1978 Headlee amendment to the Michigan Constitution.

Courtroom packed

A courtroom packed with reporters, law students and Birmingham Seaholm High School students heard Dennis Pollard, Birmingham attorney for the school districts, square off against Paul Zimmer, assistant state attorney general.

The issue was the state's shortage of payments for several services – notably special education (94 percent) and transportation – that began in the late 1970s. If the court holds they're state-mandated programs, the state must pay for them under the 1978 Headlee amendment to the Michigan Constitution.

"Special education is clearly a federal mandate. The state has no true choice," said Zimmer, who led off because the state is appealing the case. "If we didn't comply, there is no doubt the federal government would withhold all federal education funds."

Zimmer acknowledged that state law is broader than federal law. An act of Congress says handicapped students should receive an appropriate education be up to age 21. State law says they should be educated to their "maximum potential" up through age 25.

"At most, we (state) should be required to be responsible for the cost above the federal mandate," said Zimmer, estimating that at 2 percent.

Voters' intent

Pollard came back swinging. "The most compelling argument has been ignored by the attorney general. The issue: What was voters' intent in the Headlee amendment? It was that service *required* by the state must be *funded* by the state."

He cited several examples of the state's special ed requirements being higher than the federal government's. Autistic children need a 1:5 teacher-pupil ratio plus a teacher's aide if there are more than five pupils in a classroom.

"There is no federal (rule) counterpart. That, to me, is the end of the argument," said Pollard. "The language of the constitution is clear. There is absolutely no basis for the court to rule otherwise."

When voters passed the Headlee amendment in 1978, he said, the state was paying 28.6 percent of special education costs. By 1994-95, the state share slipped to 9 percent.

The gap: $492 million, or about 6 percent of the state's current general fund budget.

'Astronomical'

Justice Patricia Boyle asked Pollard to comment on a brief by legislators arguing that a victory for school districts would encourage high spending in the future by local units.

"Three is no reason to believe you'll have profligate boards of education," Pollard replied.

Chief Justice Conrad Mallett Jr. asked Zimmer his estimate of the cost to the state of a ruling in the schools' behalf.

Based on the 84 original plaintiffs, Zimmer said, the cost would be $490 million (almost identical to Pollard's figure). But many other districts are putting in claims. "If these 84 districts are typical of the state, we're talking about an astronomical figure."

Other estimates have placed the cost at several billions.

"We would have to revise the (special ed) rules to conform to their (federal) regulations," Zimmer said.

Zimmer's remark is likely to fuel speculation that Engler and lawmaker are considering reducing special ed services to the federal standards. The result would be to hold down costs and perhaps avoid the Headlee amendment rule. Already, parents of special ed students have protested to lawmakers and the State Board of Education.

The case, started by taxpayer Donald Durant in the Warren Fitzgerald school district, has dragged through the courts for 17 years.

There is a possibility Engler may do what he did in 1991 with Oakland County's suit for mental health funds. After that case had gone to the Supreme Court but before the justices ruled, Engler negotiated a settlement with County Executive Daniel T. Murphy. Under it, the state paid only one year's aid, avoiding the back years' money but giving the county a legal and moral victory.

Special events celebrate Old Main

Thousands of Wayne State University alumni from across Michigan will revisit the halls of Old Main to celebrate the Old Main Centennial April 14-20.

Beginning Monday and continuing through April 20, the Old Main Celebration Weekend will feature a variety of events including an Old Main historical exhibition, dance, music and theater presentations, alumni events presented by each of the 14 colleges, campus tours student awards and more.

Highlights of the weekend are as follows:

■ Thursday, April 17, at 4 p.m. in Old Main. Arts Achievement Awards will presented by the College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts to comedian Thom Sharp (Communication), Alvin Mayes (Dance), Rosemary Gould (Art Education), Robert Lambert (Theater), Elizabeth Meese (English), Joseph LoDuca (Music) and Sergio De Giusti (Art).

The Arts Advocate Award will be presented to prominent Detroit artist Louis Redstone. Free admission with reservations.

■ Friday, April 18 at 6:30 p.m. in Old Main. Celebration Night. A black-tie gala will feature an elegant strolling dinner, music, entertainment and a century of memories. $150 per person in advance.

■ Saturday, April 19 at noon in Old Main. Celebration Brunch. Swing through Old Main with a jazzy, informal strolling brunch. $45 per person in advance.

■ Sunday, April 20 at 2 p.m. in the Hilberry Theatre, across from Old Main. An exclusive matinee performance of "Broadway" featuring a champagne intermission and tours of Old Main before and after the performance. Free for members of cosponsoring constituent groups; $15 for guests.

For information or reservations, contact the WSU Alumni House at (313) 577-2300.

County parks host Walk Michigan

Wayne County parks will be encouraging people of all ages to break out their walking shoes and head on over to Hines Park and participate in the Walk Michigan events.

The fitness program, an annual event organized by the Michigan Recreation and Park Association to promote good health, kicked off on Thursday at the Warrendale picnic area in Dearborn Heights. Another program is scheduled for this Thursday, April 17, at 3 p.m., also at the Warrendale picnic area east of Telegraph and north of Warren Avenue.

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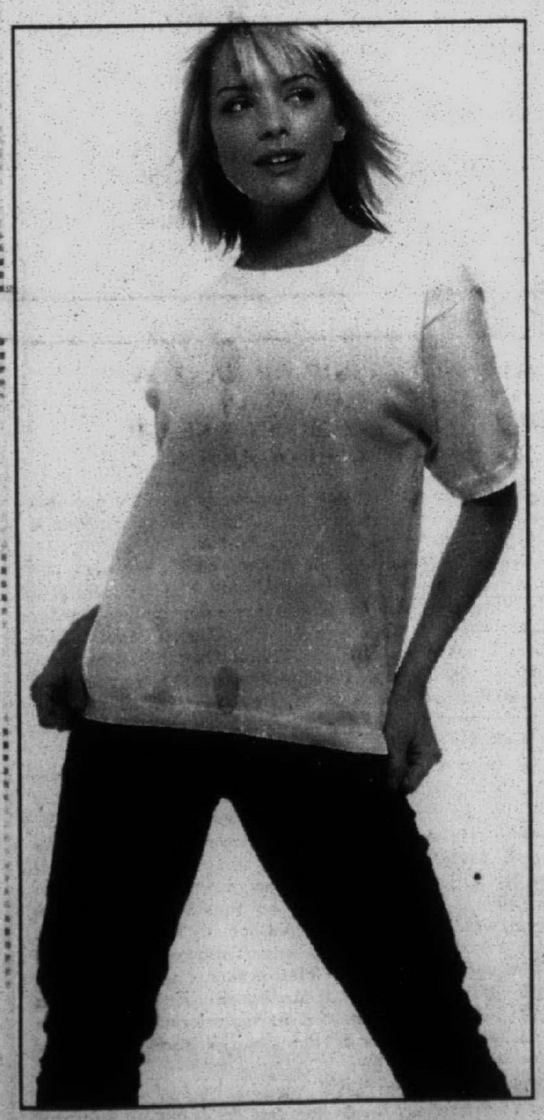

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Parks *from page A7*

events are scheduled in Westland at the Nankin Mills area and Holliday Nature Preserve.

Registration for Walk Michigan is easy. Walkers just have to attend the event and fill out a registration card. A card will need to be filled out at each event. All the cards will be entered in the drawing for the grand prize trip for two to Mackinac Island and the Governor's Annual Bridge Walk.

Walkers should wear sturdy footwear.

"Walk Michigan is a very popular program," said Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara. "It is popular not only because of the obvious health benefits, but also because of the great scenic routes in the Wayne County parks. Walkers will also enjoy seeing the improvements to the parks as a result of the new millage that was passed last August."

For more information on this program or other Wayne County parks programs, call (313) 261-1990.

Walk Michigan events have been scheduled as follows:

- Thursday, April 17, 3:30 p.m. Warrendale Area.
- Sunday, April 20, 10 a.m. Holliday Nature Preserve - Cowen Section Nature Walk. Location: across the street from Service Merchandise in Westland. Use the parking lot on the north side.
- Tuesday, April 22, and Thursday, April 24, 3 p.m. Warrendale.
- Thursday, May 1, 6:30 p.m., Nankin Mills Area, Hines Drive east of Ann Arbor Trail, in Westland.
- Tuesday, May 6, 6:30 p.m., Warrendale Area.
- Saturday, May 10, 10 a.m. Holliday Nature Preserve - Cowan Section Nature Walk, across the street from Service Merchandise in Westland. Use the parking lot on the north side.
- Thursday, May 15, 6:30 p.m. Warrendale area.
- Tuesday, May 20, 6:30 p.m. Nankin Mills area.
- Thursday, June 5, 6:30 p.m. Warrendale.
- Saturday, June 7, 9 a.m. Nankin Mills.
- Tuesday, June 10, 6 p.m. Warrendale (Bring the children and enjoy a children's concert).
- Wednesday, June 18, 6:30 p.m. Warrendale.
- Wednesday, June 25, 6:30 p.m. Nankin Mills (Enjoy a movie in the park).
- Saturday, July 12, and Sunday, July 13, noon. Warrendale. (Enjoy the Polka Fest).
- Tuesday, July 15, 6:30 p.m. Nankin Mills area. Bring the children and enjoy a children's concert).
- Saturday, July 26, 10 a.m. Grand prize drawing and picnic, Nankin Mills area. (Bring picnic food, family, friends and have some fun in the park)

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KELLI LEWTON

A healthy you is your responsibility

This month's column is on a very important topic – how food impacts our health both positively and negatively.

In my late 20s I experienced chronic health problems, coupled with large amounts of stress while starting my company. I had been ill for a few years without finding any resolutions for my ailments. It was at this time that I began researching the power of foods and healing.

Good foods, and a healthful lifestyle, were not unfamiliar to me as I had learned early in my culinary training. Some of the best ways to meet the needs of my customers were to cook lighter foods, and keep those foods as close to their natural state as possible. For example, using salsas and relishes rather than heavy sauces, and substituting small portions of olive oil for lard and butter.

The largest pearl of wisdom I gained from my training was to prepare the freshest most seasonal food available in the most natural manner – in other words, keeping foods as close to the vine as possible.

Research

I knew a lot about food yet I had to dive deeper into the topic to cure my health problems. I put my cookbooks down for a period and read many books on how food affects the body and the chemistry aspects of food. I also spent time researching and talking with an excellent nutritional counselor Stefan Brink, director of the Natural Research and Healing Arts Center in Royal Oak. After Mr. Brink and I studied my particular problems, he urged me to eliminate white sugar, white flour, caffeine, processed foods, and to reduce my intake of meat.

Power Points

- Garlic is a natural antibiotic, which enhances the immune system.
- A diet high in whole grains and fresh vegetables will help ward off major illness and disease.
- Healthful cooking methods include water saute, blanching, steaming, poaching, slow roasting and grilling.
- In China 85 percent of the everyday diet is based on grains, vegetables, fruit, and fish. The national disease averages for cancer and heart disease is significantly lower than that of the U.S.
- Cardiovascular disease in the U.S. is now the cause of 48 percent of all deaths.
- Cancer claims 1 out of every 5 lives.

A new diet, with a vitamin regime, rendered unbelievable results for my particular situation. My chronic body aches and headaches vanished. The challenges that used to be stressful became manageable and I lost 35 pounds.

After my five year personal quest, I can share some of the basics with you. The ultimate truth is like most other truths ... there is not just one. There is no diet that is right for everyone, all of the time. It is crucial that each person take responsibility for his or her own health. The old saying – "You are what You Eat" sums it up in the best way.

Whole foods

In this crazy world, the challenges of balancing family, work, and nutrition are not easy. The modern age of technology with all the wonderful gifts it has brought us, has also increased the number of fast, processed and chemically treated food products. I'm not advocating that you have to be a fanatic and grow all your own foods, but it is time to consider how to minimize your intake of processed and chemically engineered foods. I challenge you to get back to the basics of "whole and natural foods."

Start by being aware – read books, read food labels, talk to a doctor or nutrition counselor, and most importantly, listen to your body. Health is not a condition we can attain once and for all; we don't arrive there and stay there. It is a process of constant modification to your body and condition. The perfect diet for one person may not be for another person.

"More changes can be produced as a result of what we stop doing, especially regarding food," said Mr. Brink. "Food is fuel, if you are burning leaded in a body that requires premium unleaded, how well do you think your body will run?"

- What does your mom make best? Please send or fax the recipe, and include a short story about why it is special. We'll share these recipes with readers on May 11. Send recipes to my attention at: 2 Unique Caterers and Event Planners, 1250 Kensington Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304 or fax (810) 642-0803.

Chef Kelli L. Lewton, owner of 2 Unique Caterers and Event Planners, is a graduate of Schoolcraft College's Culinary Arts program, and a part-time instructor at the school. Look for her column on the second Sunday of the month.

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch *for in Taste next week:*

- Focus on Wine
- Passover family traditions

TO YOUR HEALTH

ALCOHOL AND HEALTH DON'T MIX

BY PEGGY MARTINELLI-EVERTS · REGISTERED DIETITIAN

If you have read or heard that drinking alcohol may actually be good for you, you've probably wondered how much, or how often. It seems like every time we turn on the news, there is some new study showing that a glass of wine, or a bottle of beer can improve your health. Well please, don't start drinking because you think it will make you live longer. There are better ways, proven ways, to improve your health such as exercising, not smoking, and lowering your cholesterol.

It is true that mounting research shows that red grapes may provide significant health benefits including a reduction in blood clots and reduce heart disease. Many recent studies were inspired by the French Paradox – the seemingly contradictory finding that the French have a lower rate of heart disease than other Western nations, despite the fact that the French diet is high in fat and cholesterol. Some scientists believe that the generous consumption of red wine among the French at least partially accounts for the lower rate of heart disease, since the biologically active flavonoids in the wine reduce blood platelet aggregation. But recent research also shows that grape juice can be just as beneficial as wine.

IF YOU'RE WATCHING YOUR WEIGHT YOU MUST BE VERY COGNIZANT OF YOUR ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION SINCE ALCOHOL IS VERY HIGH IN CALORIES.

A study done a few years ago indicated that women over 50 who had risk factors for heart disease, had a lower risk of dying if they drank not more than two drinks a day. It is not clear whether this increased longevity could be the same for men or for women under 50. The study also didn't follow people who had more than two drinks a day, or who are weekend drinkers that consume numerous drinks on Friday and Saturday nights, and abstain the rest of the week. The studies just have not been conclusive.

I admit, I like a glass of wine, a beer, or a mixed drink on occasion. When taken in moderation, most of us can enjoy a drink or two now and then, without ill effect. But remember, moderation is important.

If you're watching your weight you must be very cognizant of your alcohol consumption since alcohol is very high in calories. There are seven calories per gram of pure alcohol, compared to four calories per gram of protein or carbohydrates.

When making a decision about whether to drink or not, there are a few things we know:

- On average, Americans get about 4.5 percent of their calories from alcohol.
- Alcohol is a known stimulant of stomach acid. That is why people who drink a lot are more prone to ulcers, stomach hemorrhages and inflammation of the stomach.
- A major secondary symptom of alcoholism in men is anti-social behavior, in women it is depression.
- Alcohol has a diuretic effect which explains why you have to use the bathroom a lot when you drink. However, you are not excreting all the liquid you're drinking, you excrete body water. This explains why your urine looks very dilute by the end of a long night of drinking, and why you're so thirsty the morning after.
- The percentage of alcohol in a product is half the proof; so 80-proof liquor is actually 40 percent alcohol.
- "One drink" is equal to 1 1/2 ounces of 80-proof liquor, five to six ounces of wine or 12 ounces of beer.
- Alcohol fragments sleep, making it difficult to feel rested the morning after.
- One to two drinks a day may decrease some people's risk for cardiovascular disease (though the increased high density lipoproteins – the "good" fats) however, alcohol also causes increased triglycerides and increased blood pressure.
- It is true that some of today's research points to a lower heart attack rate as a result of alcohol's blood thinning properties. That it thins blood is no surprise since chemicals like alcohol are also good pain thinners.
- Individuals who should absolutely avoid alcohol include: pregnant women, people with a family history of alcohol abuse, anyone with an illness or on medication that prohibits alcohol consumption, and anyone who will be operating machinery or driving a vehicle.
- Alcohol is a cellular toxin. It seeps directly into any cell it comes in contact with.
- With each alcoholic episode, some brain cells are destroyed either directly by the action of alcohol or indirectly by the plugging up of small arteries in the brain.
- Excessive alcohol intake can lead to malnutrition as well as a result of maldigestion and malabsorption.
- Animal studies showed rats had a "biologic thirst" for alcohol when they were fed diets high in sugar and caffeine, low in nutrients and high in environmental stress.
- Alcoholism, if left unchecked, is chronic, progressive and 100 percent fatal.

I know all this sounds quite scary, given the fact that most of us do imbibe. However, even with all the negative effects alcohol can have on our bodies, and the risk associated with it, most of us can still incorporate it into our diet if we use good judgment. It is a good idea to ask your doctor or dietitian about alcohol, and the amount that is acceptable for you. Please remember, moderation is absolutely essential to avoid permanent negative impact.

Peggy Martinelli-Everts of Clarkston is a registered dietitian and director of clinical operations for HDS Services, a Farmington Hills-based food service and hospitality management company. Look for her column in Taste on the second Sunday of the month.

Scrumptious, guiltless quiche suitable for your company

BY MURIEL G. WAGNER
REGISTERED DIETITIAN

I was listening to a radio recipe request show last week. One of the callers asked for an easy-to-prepare lunch dish with some glamor for a "ladies" luncheon.

Almost immediately my thoughts turned to Quiche Lorraine – you know, the egg custard dripping with cheese, cream and bacon, then baked in a flaky pie crust. It's easy to prepare, and tastes delicious to my fat-sensitive taste buds, but it's also loaded with cholesterol and saturated fat. Quiche Lorraine is pretty typical of what my food choices, and cooking methods used to be, but a distinct "no no" when I consider my cholesterol and weight goals.

Hungry for quiche, I set about designing a version that was "company" suitable, yet lower in fat.

For the pie crust I substituted hash brown potatoes. Caraway seeds provide a flavorful accent. Egg whites, rather than shortening, hold the crust together after its baked. Substituting potatoes for the flour crust also makes the quiche a Passover possibility for brunch or lunch.

Vegetables were partially cooked to release some of the water, thus avoiding a watery custard. A whole egg and egg whites are a healthful stand-in for whole eggs in the original recipe. I like the flavor of the whole egg/egg white mixture better than commercial egg substitutes. If you are not familiar with evaporated skim milk, try it in your cooking as a cream replacement. The consistency is quite similar to cream and it adds more body than skim milk.

Cooked shrimp, crab meat, or sliced chicken breast can replace the tuna in my recipe.

Muriel G. Wagner is a registered dietitian and nutrition therapist with an office in Southfield. She publishes "Eating Younger," a quarterly newsletter filled with recipes and nutrition tips. To subscribe to "Eating Younger," send a check or money order for $13.50 to Eating Younger, P.O. Box 69021, Pleasant Ridge, MI 48069.

TUNA QUICHE WITH POTATO CRUST

Shredded Potato Crust

1 package (1 pound, 4 ounces) Non-fat Hash Brown Potatoes (in the dairy case)
2 egg whites
1 1/2 tablespoons caraway seeds
1 teaspoon oil

Squeeze potatoes as dry as possible. Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. In medium bowl, lightly beat egg whites. Stir into potatoes and caraway seeds. Spray 10-inch pie or quiche pan with nonstick spray. Press potato mixture into bottom and sides of pan. Place crust into preheated 350 degree F. oven. Bake 30 minutes. Remove and brush lightly with oil. Return crust to oven and bake at 400 degrees F. for 10 to 15 minutes more or until golden and crisp. Cool.

Quiche Filling

1 can (6 ounces) White Albacore Tuna, water-packed, rinsed, drained and flaked
1/2 pound fresh mushrooms, sliced
1 bunch green onions, finely chopped
1 red or green bell pepper, chopped
1 whole egg
4 egg whites
1 1/2 cups evaporated skim milk
1/8 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1 cup non-fat cheddar cheese, grated
Hot pepper sauce to taste

Preheat oven to 425 degrees F. Place mushrooms in a microwave-safe dish. Add onions and peppers. Microwave on high for 3 minutes. Drain liquid. Place grated cheese, mushrooms, onions, pepper, and tuna into baked potato shell. Combine the eggs, evaporated skim milk and seasonings. Pour the egg mixture over the filling. Place quiche in preheated 425 degree F. oven and immediately reduce the heat to 400 degrees F. Bake for 10 minutes. Reduce the heat to 325 degrees F. and continue baking until custard is set (about 30 to 40 minutes). Cool for 15 minutes before cutting to allow the custard to become firm. Serves 8.

Nutrition values per serving: *Calories: 202; Fat 1.2 g; Saturated Fat 0.1g; Cholesterol 30 mg; Sodium 440 mg.*

Diet exchanges:
1 Bread; 3 Lean Meats

Whole food entrees ready in a jiff

See 2 Unique column on Taste front.

To contact Stefan Brink, nutritional counselor and Director of the Natural Research and Healing Arts Center in Royal Oak, call (810) 544-2022.

CURRY CHICKPEA TONIGHT

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 2 plum tomatoes (diced)
- 3 medium garlic cloves (minced)
- 1 small white or yellow onion (diced)
- 1 large carrot (diced)
- 1/2 red pepper (diced)
- 1 can (19 ounces) chickpeas (reserve liquid)
- 2 teaspoons curry powder
- 2 cups clean raw spinach, torn into bite size pieces
- Salt and pepper to taste

In a medium pot heat the olive oil; add the onion and carrot.

Saute for 2 minutes and add the garlic, red pepper, chickpeas, liquid and curry.

Simmer for 3 to 4 minutes then stir in the spinach and season to taste.

This would be great served over basmati or brown rice. Serves 2.

VEGETABLE STIR-FRY

- 1/2 cup pea pods (julienne into thin strips)
- 1/2 cup carrots (sliced on a thin angle)
- 1 red pepper (julienne)
- 4 scallions (sliced on a thin angle)
- 2 cloves garlic
- 1 cup bean sprouts
- 2 cups cooked whole grain rice of your choice
- 1/4 cup rice vinegar
- 1/4 cup orange juice
- 4 tablespoons Tamari
- 1 tablespoon freshly ground ginger
- 1 tablespoon sesame seed or vegetable oil
- Salt and pepper to taste

In a wok or medium pot, heat oil. Saute garlic and fresh vegetables until cooked but firm.

Add bean sprouts, vinegar, orange juice, Tamari, and ginger. Simmer for 2 to 3 minutes.

Stir in whole grain rice and season to taste. Serves two as a main dish, or four as a side dish.

Recipes compliments of Kelli Lewton, 2 Unique Catering.

References

Here are some resources for readers who want to learn more about whole foods.

- "Food and Healing" by Ann Marie Colbin
- "Sugar Blues" by William Dufty
- "Natural Foods Cookbook" by Mary Esteela
- "The Energetics of Food" by Steve Cagne
- Laura Zimba – Chef and nutritional counselor, Royal Oak, (810) 543-4447
- Total Health – Vol. 18, No. 6

Livonia resident to compete in cook off

Wendy Biegas of Livonia created a recipe which has been selected as one of the five finalists in the 1997 Michigan Beef Cook Off to be held April 19 in Okemos, MI.

Contestants submitted an original recipe that was screened by national food experts for taste, ease of preparation, overall appeal, and appearance.

Biegas's recipe, Italiano Burgers, blends the great taste of beef with the flavors of Italy.

We'll let you know how Wendy does in the competition, stay tuned. The winner advances to the national cook off in Tampa this September.

Festive sips alcohol-free

See related story on Taste front. Recipes from Peggy Martinelli-Everts, registered dietitian, HDS Services.

This recipe unites watermelon and papaya. It is sweet, yet refreshing. A batido is a cross between a smoothie and a milk shake, although the main ingredient is fresh fruit.

MELON-PAPAYA BATIDO

- 1 cup diced, seeded watermelon, plus 2 small wedges for garnish
- 1 cup diced ripe papaya
- 1 tablespoon fat-free sweetened condensed milk
- 1 tablespoon fresh lime juice
- 1 1/2 cups crushed ice

Blend all ingredients in a food processor or blender. Serves 2.

Jamaica Flower Cooler is a great drink to serve over ice in a tall glass or wine goblet.

The small, dried Jamaica "flowers" are not flowers at all, but the deep-red calyxes from a plant that goes by a variety of names. They can be found in health food and gourmet markets

JAMAICA "FLOWER" COOLER

- 2 cups (2 ounces) Jamaica flowers
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 6 cups water

Bring water to a boil, add the Jamaica flowers and sugar, and stir while the mixture boils for a minute. Pour into a non-corrosive bowl and steep 2 hours. Strain through a sieve, pressing on the flowers to extract as much liquid as possible. Taste for strength and sweetness. If it is too pungent, add water; if too tart, add sugar. Cover and refrigerate, stored in a non-corrosive container until time to serve.

Serve over ice. Serves 6.

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Strawberries are spring's flavorful jewels

When it comes to berries, strawberries are by far the most plentiful, a fact that will be hard to miss in your grocery store produce section as strawberries, imported from warmer climates, come into their peak this month.

This perennial symbol of spring is not only a good source of dietary fiber, but a cup also contains more vitamin C than any other berry, or even a medium orange! Recently, strawberries have won new accolades for being a great source of elegic acid, a food component that shows great promise as a cancer-fighting agent in current scientific research.

Take advantage of strawberry season by buying locally picked berries in June. Look for ripe but not mushy berries with caps that are fresh and green.

Storing strawberries is critical to enjoying their taste and nutrition. Washing will cause them to deteriorate, so rinse them only briefly in cold water just before serving. Be sure to leave the berries intact until you are ready to serve them, as the vitamin C decreases quickly once they are cut. Strawberries also stay fresh longer when stored in a single layer rather than piled on top of one another. For best results, place them in a shallow container covered by a paper towel in the refrigerator and eat them within two to four days.

While it may be tempting to eat strawberries plain, they can be the basis for some truly memorable desserts. Strawberry shortcake is a traditional seasonal treat and a snap to make using a low-fat golden cake, sliced berries and low-fat vanilla yogurt for topping.

For a refreshing ending to a big meal, blend a ripe banana, 1 teaspoon lemon zest and a 1/2 cup plain low-fat yogurt in a blender and serve over fresh, hulled berries.

Don't limit your use of strawberries to desserts and fruit salads. Cored and halved strawberries add color and sweetness to a luncheon spinach salad. Overripe berries make a delicious strawberry quick bread for brunch. You can even quench your thirst with a strawberry cooler, made by blending a cup of ripe, hulled and halved strawberries, a cup of bottled sparkling water, a tablespoon of lime juice, 2 teaspoons of sugar and 3 ice cubes in a blender.

Celebrate spring by hosting an afternoon tea. Strawberry Chutney is a flavorful topping.

STRAWBERRY CHUTNEY

- 1/2 cup golden raisins
- 1/2 cup firmly packed dark brown sugar
- 1/2 cup strawberry preserves
- 1/2 cup strawberry wine vinegar
- 1/2 cup fresh orange juice
- 2 teaspoons ginger root, minced and peeled
- 1/2 teaspoon curry powder
- 1 medium navel orange, peeled and chopped
- 4 cups whole strawberries, hulled and diced
- 1/2 cup sliced almonds

Combine the first 8 ingredients in a large non-aluminum saucepan and bring them to a boil. Cook, uncovered, over medium heat for 15 minutes or until slightly thickened and syrupy, stirring frequently.

Add the strawberries, reduce the heat and simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes or until thickened, stirring occasionally. Remove the mixture from the heat and stir in the almonds. Spoon the chutney into a bowl, cover and chill for at least an hour before serving.

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Refreshing: *Serve Strawberry Chutney, a sweet-tart mixture, over non-fat light cream cheese, or spread in on ginger snaps.*

Each tablespoon contains 12 calories and less than a gram of fat.

Recipe and information from the American Institute for Cancer Research. Material in this column is reviewed by Melanie Polk, registered dietitian and Director of Nutrition Education at the Institute.

COOKING CLASSES

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THIS WEEK

BEE SCHOOL

Sponsored by the Southeastern Michigan Beekeepers Association with the Schoolcraft College Beekeepers club and the Cranbrook Beekeepers Club, Saturday, April 19 at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Designed for all beekeepers, novice and established, and anyone interested in honey bees. Cost $5 for non-association members, bring dish to pass at pot luck. Call Roger Sutherland (313) 668-8568 or Joe Peczynski (313) 464-4517 for information.

KITCHEN GLAMOR STORES

Rice, Risotto, sweet and savory demonstration class (no registration necessary) features Linda Kay Drysdale, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 15 (Novi store, Novi Town Center, I-96 Novi Exit 810); 1 p.m. Wednesday, April 16 (Redford store, 26770 Grand River); 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 17 (West Bloomfield store, Orchard Mall corner of Maple and Orchard Lake Road-There is a $3 fee.

Crusty European Free Form Breads class 11 a.m. Saturday, April 19 (Redford store) by award-winning baker Larry Galbraith. Class also offered 11 a.m. Saturday, April 26 (Rochester store). There is a $25 fee; Sweet Miniature Pastries by Oakland Community College Culinary Arts Department Pastry Chef Dan Rowlson, 11 a.m. Saturday, April 19, (Novi store), there is a $35 fee. Call (313) 641-1244 to register, or for class information.

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Framed: *The butterfly shape is new for spring like these "Tribal 304" by Kata, available at Steven Franklin Optics, West Bloomfield.*

Cool shapes for hot looks

Free movie passes should be part of the job when you're in Chris Sieler's line of work.

That's because, as manager of **The Sunglass Co.** at **Westland Shopping Center**, he gets asked a lot of riddles regarding movie trivia.

"Just last week a customer asked me what Kevin Costner wore in 'Tin Cup," because he wanted sunglasses just like his," said Sieler, 26, of Westland. "Unfortunately, I couldn't help the gentleman because I never saw that movie."

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But he has seen lots of others, and whenever he notices an actor wearing sunglasses in a film or on television, he pays close attention.

"I always try to guess what kind of sunglasses they're wearing, because I know customers will be asking about them," he said.

What will customers be inquiring about next?

Sieler predicts it's the sunglasses that basketball star-turned-actor Dennis Rodman wears in his new movie "Double Team" which also stars Jean-Claude Van Damme.

Rodman's character — a deadly, flamboyant weapons dealer who joins forces with a spy (played by Van Damme) to protect the spy's family from a terrorist — wears "Zero" sunglasses by **Oakley,** Sieler said.

In addition to inquiring about sunglasses they've seen on the big and small screens, customers often ask for sunglasses that have been endorsed by their favorite athletes, Sieler said.

For example, baseball player Cal Ripkin Jr. and Chicago Bulls basketball star Michael Jordan both have Oakley sunglasses named after them; and Scottie Pippen of the Chicago Bulls, baseball player Ken Griffey Jr. and NASCAR driver Dale Earnhardt endorse **Gargoyle** sunglasses.

Detroit Piston Grant Hill also is getting into the act. **Fila Eyes,** a joint venture between Fila (the athletic shoe company) and **De Rigo Sunglasses,** is coming out with sunglasses named after him.

Just her style

These glasses may be named after men, but women enjoy wearing them, too.

"A lot of women buy them for themselves," Sieler said. "In fact, most of the sunglasses we offer are unisex."

Sports sunglasses aren't just popular because of the celebrity names attached to them, or because they look good, Sieler said. They're popular because they're made with athletes in mind.

For example, **Gargoyle's F-8 collection,** which include Ken Griffey sunglasses, have a flip-up lens. According to Gargoyle, F-8 is baseball shorthand for a fly ball caught by a center fielder.

"You can flip the lenses down if it's sunny out, and flip them up if it's kind of hazy, to see the ball better," Sieler said.

Sports sunglasses also are high-impact resistant. Gargoyle claims that its rugged polycarbonate lenses are 50 times stronger than safety glass, and that they can stop a .22 caliber bullet fired from 10 feet away.

That's the one thing I hope no one ever needs: bullet-proof sunglasses! But, as Sieler said, the point is that the glasses won't shatter if a baseball or basketball is knocked into them.

Although sports sunglasses are popular, there really isn't one dominant style this year, Sieler said.

So no matter what look you're going for — Tom Everett Scott in "That Thing You Do," Susan Sarandon or Geena Davis in "Thelma & Louise," Woody Harrelson in "Natural Born Killers," Arnold Schwarzenegger in "The Terminator," Jackie O or John Lennon — it's OK.

Get protection

But look for sunglasses that block out 100 percent UVA, B, C and IR (infra-red) rays. Also, expect to pay at least $40 for a good pair of regular sunglasses and $65 to $250 for sports sunglasses.

On cheaper sunglasses, the anti-ultraviolet coating tends to wear off quickly and be uneven, because it is usually dipped onto, rather than mixed into the lens material, experts say.

Glamour closets intrigue shoppers

Movie stars have nothing on you! Now your closet can be as opulent as any Garbo, Diedrich or Madonna could imagine!

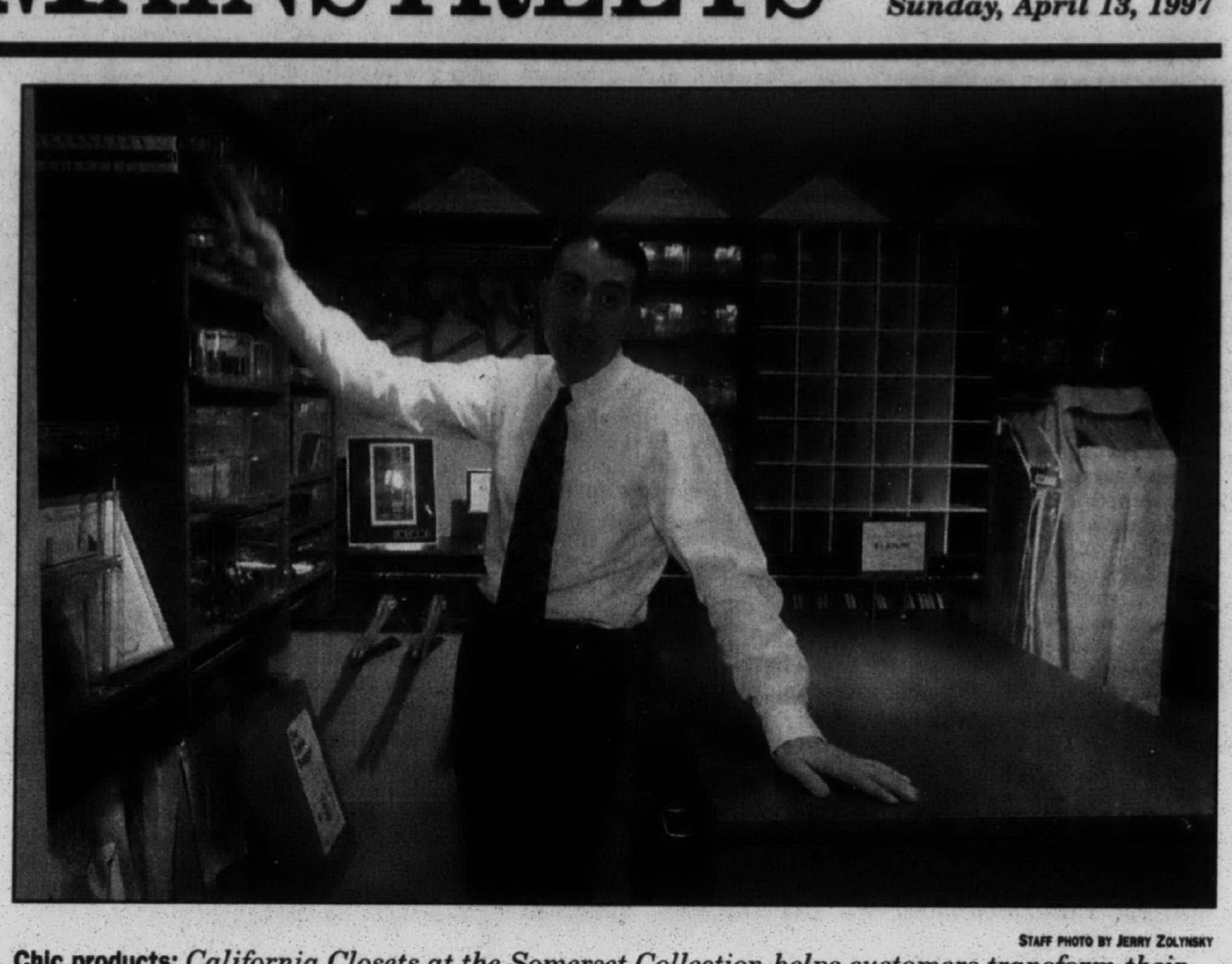
BY NICOLE STAFFORD
STAFF WRITER

Home organization stores bring space savers and order to a closet, but more importantly, style and small luxuries too.

"I think people can relate to the idea of that Hollywood dressing room where everything happens. Where I put on everything that I own to make me feel good. And that's the focus of many walk-in closets today," insisted Dan Treder, owner of Space Alternatives in Farmington Hills.

Consequently, local closet companies are offering more ways to decorate and enhance closets. Custom colors and a variety of building materials — from basic white to pickled oak — are available. Light maple, cherry wood and almond white are also popular shelving finishes, according to Angelika Fightmaster, owner of Closet Interiors in Bloomfield Hills.

"Customers always want to be a little color-coordinated," she said of the trend, adding that working women with hectic lives especially appreciate touches of elegance and style in an organized closet.



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Chic products: *California Closets at the Somerset Collection helps customers transform their closets into elegant dressing rooms.*

California Closets at the Somerset Collection North in Troy showcases an island-style storage module in dark cherry wood. The unit, which sells for $1,800, not only gives a large walk-in closet substantial counter space but also 10 to 12 centrally located clothing drawers.

"Closets are a lot bigger now. And people spend a lot more time in them now, so they want to make them as appealing as possible," said Jeff Baumann, California Closets, buyer and manager.

Men's tie and belt hangers in pine-scented cedar, $25 to $30, also reflect a bow to luxury in the closet, according to Baumann. Non-slip hangers, which take up very little space and have a clean-European look, are available for under $8 at the shop.

Velvet or acrylic jewelry drawers and plexiglass dividers for socks and undergarments are niceties that quickly rid drawers of fussy, minute clutter, added Fightmaster. These organizing pieces can be purchased for existing drawers as well as newly purchased ones and sell for $20 - $50 at Closet Interiors.

Pulldown rods are closet treasures that bring ceiling-level space, which is typically difficult to utilize, to an accessible level. These adjustable, stainless rods are spring-loaded, hold 20 to 60 pieces of clothing, and run $150 to $300, available through Space Alternatives.

Traditional valets also are making a comeback, according to Fightmaster.

"Valets have always been around, but they're more in demand today," she said. "I think people want more niceties (and time-savers.) The jewelry drawers, the valet stands and the velvet dividers, all help personalize storage."

Lure of outlets is still strong

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO
EDITOR

Revenue in outlet centers has reportedly more than doubled in the past seven years, while the number of such centers in the country has grown from 108 in 1988 to 325 today.

According to Value Retail News, a monthly trade magazine for the industry, outlet centers generated $12 billion in annual sales in 1996.

Michigan's biggest outlet center, Outlets at Birch Run, rivals Belz Outlet World in Orlando, Fla. for the title "Largest Outlet Center in America." Both have 180 stores.

In addition to Birch Run, Michigan has manufacturer's outlet centers in Monroe, Howell, West Branch, Holland and Port Huron. A clearing permit has been issued to the Taubman Co. by the city of Auburn Hills to begin another outlet center, "Great Lakes Crossing," off I-75 at Baldwin Road.

But while bargain hunters arrive at the centers by the thousands, savvy shoppers insist the best deals come from regular sales at their neighborhood department stores.

"I can save more money on sheets and towels when Hudson's has a sale, than I can by driving to an outlet center," insisted Liz Nelson of Bloomfield Hills. "Plus, there are people to wait on me and the environment is definitely more elegant."

Yet, the outlet centers prosper.

A sales associate at The Polo Store at Tangers Factory Outlet Center in West Branch reports more than 200 shoppers an hour crowd into the small shop each weekend to pick up America's most beloved brand at 20 to 50-percent off retail price.

Today, irregular and damaged merchandise accounts for less than 15 percent of all outlet goods, according to an industry spokesman. And outlet stores should not be confused with "off-price stores" like Marshall's and T.J. Maxx, which are not owned and operated by the manufacture and typically buy over-allotments from department stores.

Outlet stores are also different from discount stores like Walmart and Kmart which sell inexpensive merchandise at reduced prices due to the large quantities purchased.

Outlet centers are becoming more sophisticated. The newer ones offer customer services, swankier store designs and advertise sales.

Horizon Outlet Centers just teamed up with the producers of the television sitcom *Suddenly Susan* (with Brooke Shields and Judd Nelson) to provide clothing and accessories from its stores to the show.

The International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) compiled this history of the outlet center phenomenon.

- Outlet centers got their start in the late 1800s as apparel and shoe mill stores on the East Coast began to offer excess and damaged goods to employees. Eventually these stores opened their doors to consumers.
- In 1936, Anderson-Little, a manufacturer of men's clothing, opened the first factory-direct stores. These outlets were located in remote areas.
- Through the 1940s, the number of factory outlets grew to sell-off over-runs and damaged merchandise.
- In the 1970s-1980s, several economic factors further fueled the growth of outlet centers: a decrease in discretionary income, the energy crisis, increased awareness of designer labels, the manufacture of private-label merchandise, increased financial risks associated with traditional retails channels – specifically, department store viability.
- In 1974, Vanity Fair opened the first multi-tenant manufacturer outlet center in Reading, PA., leading the way for other such projects.
- In 1980, the first *enclosed* outlet center opened in a non-metropolitan market to avoid direct competition with retail accounts. The outlet centers look for high tourist trade due to over saturation of regional malls.
- In the late 1980s, outlets become established profit centers for manufacturers.
- More than 500 million shoppers visited outlet centers in 1996.
- According to J.P. Morgan Outlet Industry Update, 44 percent of outlet shoppers quoted their annual household income at more than $50,000.
- The average expenditure per outlet visit is $147.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

News of special events for shoppers is included in this calendar. Send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/o The Observer & Eccentric 805 East Maple, 48009; or fax (810) 644-1314. The deadline is Wednesday at 5 p.m. for publication on Sunday.

SUNDAY, APRIL 13

Family Fun

As part of Fairlane's Family FunCentral program, *World Percussion* is showcased from 1-4 p.m. in the Fountain Court. On April 19 it's *Sam Wright's Party Gras,* 5:30 and 7:30 p.m. The reggae/calypso musical performance includes Detroit-area dance troupes. (Sam's the voice of Sebastian the Crab in Disney's *Little Mermaid.)* On April 20 hear Ursula Walker and Buddy Budson from 1-4 p.m.

Fairlane Town Center.
Michigan/Southfield Fwy. Dearborn.
(313) 593-3330.

MONDAY, APRIL 14

Health tests

St. Mary's Hospital provides free blood pressure screening 8-10 a.m. A more comprehensive event "Project Health-O-Rama," runs throughout the mall from April 16-18, offering a cornucopia of low-cost health tests and information to the community.

Wonderland. Plymouth/Middlebelt. Livonia.
(313) 522-4100.

TUESDAY, APRIL 15

Fashion Benefit

Hudson's Oval Room Spring Fashions will be featured in a formal show hosted by Harper's Bazaar at 6:30 p.m. Second Level. Guests enjoy light dinner and gifts. Proceeds benefit Orchards Children's Services. Reservations are $50.

Somerset Collection North.
Big Beaver/Coolidge. Troy
(810) 443-8600.

Designer Brunch

Meet Anne Klein II representative, enjoy a light lunch, and see the spring collection at Saks Fifth Avenue. Noon. Reservations required.

Somerset Collection South.
Big Beaver/Coolidge. Troy.
(810) 614-3338.

Blood pressure checks

Free, blood pressure screenings 8-10 a.m. in the garden area near Mr. Bulky, courtesy of Botsford General Hospital Project "Health-O-Rama" arrives at the mall April 22-24 with low-cost medical tests and information booths for the community.

Livonia Mall. Seven Mile/Middlebelt.
(810) 476-1160.

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

Home Show

Mall-wide, exhibits range from the latest spas and fireplaces to boats for weekend fun, through April 20.

Tel-Twelve. 12 Mile/Telegraph. Southfield.
(810) 353-4111.

SATURDAY, APRIL 19

KIDSWORLD Birthday Party

The mall's KIDSWORLD club celebrates its 2nd birthday with a celebration from 1-3 p.m. in center court. Clowns, magic, balloons, cupcakes, games and more.

Tel-Twelve. 12 Mile/Telegraph. Southfield.
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French cooking seminar

Hudson's presents tastes and influences of France, highlighted by cooking demonstrations, sampling, live entertainment and a Le Creuset cookware trunk show, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Guests register to win a $500 Marketplace shopping spree. Plus, seminars on French-inspired dining are set at various Hudson stores April 24-May 10. Reservations are required for these free classes.

Somerset Collection North.
Big Beaver/Coolidge. Troy.
1-800-265-COOK.

Disney characters show

Meet and greet Mickey and Minnie Mouse from 2-6 p.m. and on April 20 from noon to 4 p.m. in the mall's rotunda. Free event. Bring your camera.

Somerset Collection South.
Big Beaver/Coolidge. Troy.
(810) 816-5484.

Millinery Show/Seminar

Meet local designer Pamela Fisher at Henri Bendel 1-4 p.m. See her spring/summer collection of hats and get personal advice.

Somerset Collection North.
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RETAIL DETAILS

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Changes at Somerset Collection

The Somerset Collection in Troy welcomes three additional stores and the significant expansion of an existing retailer:

Somerset Collection North:

• **Dockers**, an apparel store specializing in relaxed, casual looks, rounds out an array of lifestyle clothing stores, with a 4,445 square foot location.

• **Baby Gap**, featuring clothing for infants and toddlers with the trademark Gap look, premieres a 2,513 square foot store.

• **Franklin Quest**, a mainstay for students and executives who utilize the daily planner system, now has a 1,650 square foot location.

Somerset Collection South:

• **Coach**, internationally renowned for its leather goods, has nearly doubled its original square footage and relocated to the second level. The new store, measuring 2,632 square feet, will feature an expanded collection of merchandise, including outerwear.

The mall is on Big Beaver and Coolidge Roads in Troy.

Baron's movin' up

Baron's Wholesale Clothiers, known for quality men's suits, pants, topcoats and more, has moved to a larger facility at 27888 Orchard Lake Road in Farmington Hills, to accommodate strong growth in recent years and to expand its product lines. The new 4,500 square foot location is one-and-a-half times larger than their previous location in Southfield. For more information call (810) 539-0525.

Afternoon of fun and fashion benefits Myasthenia Gravis work

Parisian's Jane Bassett will host a spring fashion luncheon to benefit the Myasthenia Gravis Association, Saturday, April 26 beginning at noon at Laurel Manor in Livonia. Special guest host Sherry Margolis of Fox 2 News will also speak.

The public is cordially invited to attend and Bassett promises clothing with "lots of color."

Tickets are $35 per person and include a 40-minute fashion show "Portrait of Style," a prize raffle, and lunch featuring Chicken Frangelico and all the trimmings. The event will end about 3 p.m.

MG is a neuromuscular disease that results from a lack of communication between nerves and muscles. It can strike anyone at any age. A cure is not known at present, but treatment is available.

To make a reservation(s) please call 810-423-9700.

New president at Parisian

William D. Cappiello has been named president and CEO of Birmingham, Ala.-based specialty retailer Parisian Department Stores. Cappiello succeeds Donald Hess who has been named Chairman of the Parisian Division of Proffitt's Inc., the parent company.

Cappiello began his retail career in 1971 with Macy and Co. He is a graduate of Rider University, New Jersey, and holds a Masters of Business Administration in Marketing from Texas Tech University.

Proffitt's (with 19 stores) recently merged with Parisian adding it's 39 stores to a lineup which includes McRae's (29 stores), Younkers (48 stores) and Herberger's (39 stores). Annual revenues exceeded $2.3 billion in 1996.

Shopping benefit for Gilda's Club

Shoppers to The Polo Store/Ralph Lauren at the Somerset Collection North, will see 20-percent of their purchases donated to Gilda's Club, Metro Detroit, on Thursday, April 17 from 6-9 p.m. The Club provides social and emotional support for people with all types of cancer. For more information, please call (810) 851-6557.

Spring water has WSU label

Wayne State grads take note! Natural spring water direct from Aquapenn Springs of Graysville, PA., will be sold at 2,200 locations in metro-Detroit (including Farmer Jack and Rite-Aid) with the first wave bearing a limited edition commemorative label honor of the Old Main Building's Centennial.

Distributed by Metro Beverage of Sterling Heights, the water will be available throughout Michigan by August. Offered in three sizes, the water is 99-cents to $1.29. There is a Old Main Afghan for $59.99 available by calling (313) 577-2300.

Hudson's, Port Huron open to the press

The media will tour Hudson's newest store next week at the Birchwood Mall in Port Huron. "Crossing trend with tradition" the store will open to the public in August 1997.

Big guys shop holds essay contest

Rochester Big & Tall on Southfield Road in Lathrup Village calls all super fans to enter an essay contest for a chance to win a Father's Day weekend for two to the Big Apple. Here's the pitch: Enter your favorite big guy (wears a size 46 or larger jacket and/or is at least 6'2" tall and 18 years or older) describing in 150 words or less, how he has made a difference in your life. Mail entries by May 16 to: Rochester "Big Guys Are Good Guys" Contest, P.O. Box 14370, Irvine, CA. 92623.

They can also win a $5,000 wardrobe and have dinner with baseball superstar Frank "The Big Hurt" Thomas, a co-sponsor of the contest.

Salon offers coaching

Salon Bellissima on 14 Mile in West Bloomfield offers clients the chance to style their own hair under the supervision of stylists who will offer tips and tricks as they watch the client. Customers simply book a regular appointment and bring along their "morning rituals" (brushes and hair products) for advice on how to look their best. For more information call the salon at (810) 851-5559.

New products arrive at Saks Fifth Avenue

A new fragrance by Annick Goutal "Eau Du Sud" is available at Saks Fifth Avenue, Troy and Dearborn, beginning at $60. The citrus fruit scent is being marketed for both men and women.

Saks is also introducing a "spring face" by Chanel featuring the Precious Metals Collection in lip, nail and face makeup "to transform any winter complexion into a fresh glow." The new palette includes Hydrasoleil Gold and Hydrabase Metallic Bronze nail colors, $15; Gold Dust Contour Color, Bronze Eye Definer and Gold Body Shine.

Hudson's has a new menu

The 10 Hudson's Restaurants added new selections on March 16 introducing crispy calamari, smoked chicken and apple hash salads, smoked tomato angel hair, pearl coucous and farfalle pastas, lake perch and steak Merlot specialties, and chicken BTL sandwiches.

Look for the restaurants at Eastland, Fairlane, Lakeside, Oakland, Westland, Southland, Twelve Oaks, Genesse Valley (Flint), Fashion Square (Saginaw), and University Park (South Bend).

Where can I find?

Thanks to all the readers who phoned in locations for the hard-to-find items listed last week. We found quite a bit!

• Colored lunch bags can be purchased at **Kmart**, the **99-cents Stores**, the **Party Store** at Southfield and 12 Mile Road, and the **Paper Party Place** on Ford Road in Garden City.

• For the reader seeking the whereabouts of **Ken and Chris**, comedians who used to perform in Westland and Warren, **Chris** called and said they have no performance dates, but are still interested in any lucrative gigs. He sells real estate with Century 21 in Westland and can be reached at (313) 326-2600.

• Several readers called to offer copies of the *Instyle* magazine (Nov. 1996 edition) for Kathy of Farmington.

• A Tupperware saleswoman said she has one inverted (dry/liquid) measuring cup to sell, but the item is no longer available to the public. Another caller said the item is available through Pampered Chef.

We're still looking for:

• The book, ***As Tall as My Heart***, by Marjorie Holmes, for Brenda in Canton.

• Videotapes of two Stephen Sondheim musicals, ***Into The Woods*** and ***Sunday In The Park With George*** for Helen of Dearborn. "I had these movies but the tapes broke and I am now George-less and Woods-less! Help!"

• The Corning ware pattern ***Centura*** for Jean.

• The complete mystery series of Nancy Drew books for Joan Marshall.

• A Pyrex juice container with a yellow plastic top and slices of oranges and lemons along the bottom.

• A retailer who sells Permit Sportswear for Cynthia of Birmingham.

If you've seen any of these items in your travels, let Malls & Mainstreets know and we'll print the answers. Please call (810) 901-2567.

Dentistry in the 90s

by Herbert M. Gardner, D.D.S. & Martha P. Zinderman, R.N., D.D.S.

COMBATING ADVANCED GUM DISEASE

The effectiveness of fighting advanced gum disease with both oral and topical antibiotics can be seen in an experiment conducted at the University of Michigan School of Dentistry in Ann Arbor. There, researchers treated "hopeless teeth" in 90 inner-city patients with advanced gum disease by first cleaning their teeth. The patients were then treated with two to four weeks of oral antibiotics, followed by "as many as three rounds of topical antibiotics" which were impregnated in a cellulose film that was temporarily applied to root surfaces. Previous to treatment, all the patients had been recommended for extensive oral surgery. After treatment, about 67% of the once "hopeless teeth" were saved and 81% of the patients avoided any surgical procedure at all. Those who did require surgery needed less stringent procedures.

The best way to reduce your chances of getting gum disease is to develop good oral hygiene habits. Since gum disease is caused by bacteria, you'll greatly reduce your risk for gum disease if you have regular checkups and practice meticulous home care. At LIVONIA VILLAGE DENTAL ASSOCIATES, located at 19171 Merriman Road, we recommend you brush twice a day and be sure to floss at least daily. We're currently accepting new patients and welcome your call at 478-2110 to schedule an appointment. Smiles are our business.

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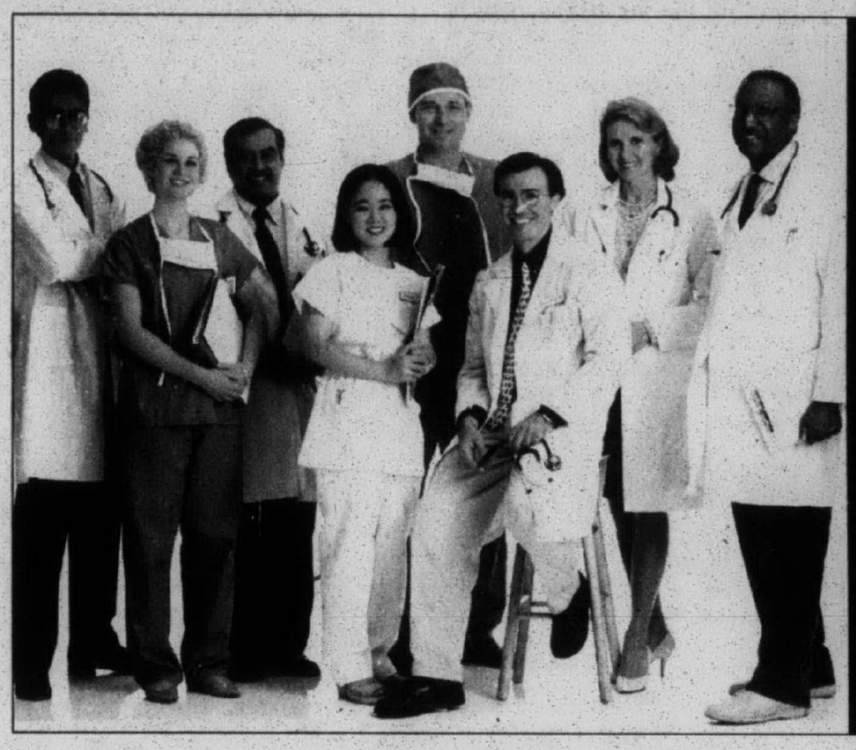
P.S. In older patients, advanced gum disease is the primary cause of tooth loss.



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M-CARE SENIOR PLAN

M-CARE SENIOR PLAN INFORMATIONAL MEETINGS:

Location: Bill Knapp's Restaurant, 3500 Greenfield Road, Dearborn
Times: April 23 – 2:00 PM; April 30 – 2:00 PM

Location: Bill Knapp's Restaurant, 16995 S. Laurel Park Dr., Livonia
Times: April 10 – 9:30 AM; April 24 – 9:30 AM

Location: Bill Knapp's Restaurant, 21000 Allen Road, Woodhaven
Times: April 17 – 9:30 AM; April 23 – 9:30 AM; May 1 – 9:30 AM

Location: Bill Knapp's Restaurant, 36601 Warren Ave., Westland
Times: April 17 – 2:00 PM; April 24 – 2:00 PM

Location: Bakers Square Restaurant, 22373 Eureka Road, Taylor
Times: April 16 – 9:00 AM; May 1 – 9:00 AM

Location: Bakers Square Restaurant, 5946 N. Sheldon Road, Canton
Times: April 16 – 2:00 PM; April 30 – 2:00 PM

Location: War Memorial, 32 Lake Shore Drive, Grosse Pointe Farms
Times. April 18 – 10:00 AM

Refreshments will be served at the informational meetings. Reservations are recommended. Call (800) 810-1699 for reservations or to schedule a home appointment. No cost or obligation.

The M-CARE Senior Plan is a product of M-CARE, a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) with a Medicare contract. Anyone with Medicare may apply,* including those under age 65 entitled to Medicare on the basis of Social Security Disability Benefits. Members must continue paying Medicare premiums. Senior Plan members must use M-CARE Plan Providers and contracted pharmacies. An M-CARE Sales Representative will be present at the informational meetings and provide more information and application forms. *Persons receiving Medicare benefits for End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) or Hospice Care are not eligible for the M-CARE Senior Plan.

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OBITUARIES

MILDRED A. SHAUGHNESSY

A funeral Mass service for Mildred A. Shaughnessy, 96, of Westland was held Thursday, March 6, at St. Theodore Catholic Church in Westland. The Rev. Thomas Kuehnemund officiated. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Arrangements were handled by Neely Turowski Funeral Home in Canton.

She was born April 21, 1900, in Detroit, and died Monday, March 3, at Garden City Hospital. She was a clerk for the railroads.

She is survived by her niece, Maureen Wood of Canton.

MAYNARD WHITE

A funeral service for Maynard White, 92, of Canton was held at the R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home in Garden City on Thursday, April 3. The Rev. Roy Forsyth officiated, with burial in Millington Cemetery.

He was born Feb. 24, 1906, in Millington, Mich., and died Wednesday, April 2, at Belle Woods Nursing Home. He was self-employed as a welder.

He is survived by his daughters, Delores Stokowski of Alpena and Leslie Rumor of Mt. Clemens; five grandchildren; brother, Norris of Canton.

MILDRED T. DELL

A memorial service for Mildred T. Dell, 82, of Venice, Fla., and formerly of Canton, will be held in Michigan at a later date. Arrangements were handled by Farley Funeral Home, Venice Chapel in Florida.

She was born Oct. 9, 1914, in Leslie, Mich., and died Tuesday, April 8. She was one of 11 children born to Edith and Frank M. Fogg II. She held a master's degree from the University of Michigan, and spent her professional career teaching Latin and as a high school guidance counselor. She was a active member of the Grace United Methodist Church, past president of the Venice-Nokomis Women's Club and a member of the American Association of University Women.

She is survived by her son, Gary Dell of Venice, Fla., and Canton; four sisters, Lillian Lee, Julia McCoy, Joyce Gregory, all of Michigan, and Althea Rosenwald of California; 18 nieces and nephews.

NOTICE BY PERSONS CLAIMING TITLE UNDER TAX DEED

To: MICHIGAN MORTGAGE
LENDERS CORP. AND
FORD CONSUMER FINANCE CO.

Deed Number: 1791A
Cert Number: 05797

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in, or liens upon the land described:

Take notice: Sale was lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes on that land, and that the undersigned has title to the land under tax deed or deeds issued for the land. You are entitled to a reconveyance of this land within 6 months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the treasurer of the county in which the land is situated, of all sums paid for the tax sale purchase, together with 50% in addition, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice. The service or publication costs shall be the same as if for personal service of a summons upon commencement of an action, together with a sum of $5.00 for each description, without additional cost or institute proceedings for possession of the land.

Description: State of Michigan, County of Wayne, Parcel ID 44025010307002
GREATER DEARBORN SUB T2S R10E L55 P62 WCR W 32.50 FT OF LOT 307 AND THE E 7.50 FT OF LOT 308 ALSO THE S 1/2 OF ADJ VAC ALLEY

This is an improved residential property.
Property Address: 26912 Colgate, Inkster
Amount Paid: $1,661.68 Taxes for 1992
Amount necessary to redeem: $2,497.52 Plus the fees of the Sheriff.

FUNB Custodian for PCSI, Inc.
1700 Palm Beach Lakes Blvd., Ste. 1100A
West Palm Beach FL 33401

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Sealed proposals for the construction of the City of Plymouth 1997 Sidewalk Repair Program will be received by the City Clerk, City of Plymouth, Michigan, 201 S. Main Street, until 2:00 P.M. Local Time on Thursday, April 24, 1997, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read:

Major Estimated Quantities are:

4" Concrete Sidewalk	21,000 S.F.
6" Concrete Sidewalk Driveway Approach or Ramp	9,500 S.F.
Concrete Curb Opening at Sidewalk Ramp, H.E:	500 S.F.
¾" Expansion Anchor Hook Bolts	200 EA.

Specifications may be obtained from Dietrich, Bailey and Associates, P.C., 107 South Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan for a nonrefundable charge of $15.00 per set. Bid documents will be mailed for an additional charge of $5.00.

Specifications may be examined at the City of Plymouth Building Department and at the office of Dietrich, Bailey and Associates, P.C., 107 South Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan without charge.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by a Certified Check in the amount of 5% of the bid, payable to the Owner, as security for acceptance of the contract. A bid bond in the Michigan Standard Form issued by an approved surety company may be furnished in lieu of a Certified Check.

No bidder may withdraw his proposal within 60 days after the date set for the opening thereof.

The right is reserved by the Owner to reject any or all proposals, either in whole or in part, and to waive any irregularities therein.

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LEGAL NOTICE
1954 PA PROCEEDINGS
NOTICE OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT HEARING
Charter Township of Plymouth
Wayne County, Michigan

TO: THE RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH, WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN, AND ANY OTHER INTERESTED PERSONS:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that as a result of Petitions of property owners within the Township signed by the record owners of land whose front footage constitutes more than 50% of the total front footage of the hereinafter described Special Assessment District and the Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth proposes road paving improvements on Dunn Court and to create a Special Assessment for the recovery of the cost thereof by Special Assessment against the properties benefited therein.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth has tentatively declared its intention to make the hereinafter described improvement:

The project consists of approximately 1050 feet of existing gravel road to be paved with bituminous concrete. The project commences at the south right-of-way line of North Territorial Road and proceeds southward approximately 1050 feet along Dunn Court.

That it has further been tentatively determined that the following described lots and parcels of land will specially benefit from said improvements and will constitute a Special Assessment District against which the cost of said improvement shall be assessed:

The project area encompasses Lots 170 through 184 inclusive of Supervisor's Plymouth Plat No. 7 located in the northwest ¼ of section 27 of T. 1S., R. 8E. of Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth shall meet on **Tuesday, April 22, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. at the Township Hall in the Township of Plymouth located at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Michigan 48170,** for the purpose of reviewing said proposed Special Assessment District, and hearing objections to the improvement, creation of the Special Assessment District, and the assessment thereon. All persons may then and there appear and make any objections they may have to such improvement and assessment. Appearance and protest at the hearing is required in order to appeal the amount, if any, of the special assessment to the state tax tribunal. An owner or party in interest, or agent thereof, may appear in person at the hearing, or may file an appearance or protest by letter. All parties or agents appearing in person at the hearing for purposes of protest should request the appearance be entered into the record of the meeting.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the plans, specifications, estimates of cost and recommendations of the engineer for said proposed Special Assessment District have been filed with the Township and are available for public examination at the office of the Township Clerk. The estimate of costs of such construction is in the approximate amount of $68,500.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that periodic redetermination of costs for the proposed Special Assessment District may be necessary and may be made without further notice to the record owners or parties in interest in the property.

MARILYN MASSENGILL,
Charter Township of Plymouth
42350 Ann Arbor Road
Plymouth, Michigan 48170
(313) 453-3840

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PLYMOUTH PIPELINE

Starring role

Brandon Bunt, 9 1/2, who attends Smith Elementary, debuted as James in "James and the Giant Peach," a production by the Whistle Stop Players this past weekend at the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 N. Sheldon at Junction.

Brandon shared the spotlight with Kate Calzone of Plymouth, who also played James, and has been heavily involved in the theater group.

"James and the Giant Peach" is Brandon's third show with the Whistle Stop Players.

Brandon is a Plymouth Observer carrier.

Withdraws application

Steve Guile - director of the Plymouth Downtown Development Authority and the Old Village Development Authority - has withdrawn his name from those of finalists for the Southfield DDA director's post.

"Basically looking at the situation I have here versus Southfield, it would not benefit me or my family to leave," he said Friday.

He was among seven finalists for the Southfield DDA job.

Guile has been Plymouth DDA director since 1992. He formerly served as Dowagiac DDA director.

"Me applying there doesn't mean I have lost any loyalty, a lot of things still have to be accomplished here, it's just curiosity on my part," he said in March after informing city officials he'd applied for the job.

Budget study

Plymouth city commissioners have scheduled sessions to review the proposed 1997-1998 city budget at 7 p.m. April 17, 24, and 28. Further meetings, if needed, would be scheduled for May 1 and 15.

The meetings happen at Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main St. The budget is scheduled to be voted on by city commissioners at their June 2 meeting.

Hail to the Chief

The Charter Township of Plymouth will hold an open house in honor of Police Chief Carl Berry's retirement from 1-4 p.m. Friday, April 18 in the Township Board Room in Township Hall, at the northeast corner of Ann Arbor Road and Lilley Road.

The public is invited to stop by and offer best wishes to Chief Berry.

Landscape bids

While the Plymouth Municipal Services Department on Monday proposed having a private contractor mow Riverside Cemetery, city parks and road right-of-ways this year, a decision on whether to accept low bids for the service was delayed to the next city commission meeting April 21.

Municipal Services Director Paul Sincock said the action would free city employees to do needed maintenance in other areas of the city. But City Commissioner Doug Miller said he'd like to see a list prepared of the work that would be performed by city employees.

Records upgrade

Plymouth Township trustees on Tuesday approved spending up to $40,000 to convert building department paper files to a document imaging system.

State law requires maintaining such files. Now, township employees search through paper files stored in three locations. The township administration is to seek bids on a new system.

Such a list, Miller said, would give commissioners information to review in determining if it's cost effective to pay for an outside contractor.

License change

Plymouth Township trustees on Tuesday approved a request from the Archdiocese of Detroit regarding two liquor licenses held by the Archdiocese.

One liquor license is to be held by St. John's Golf Club Inc. on property owned by the Archdiocese. The other is to be placed in escrow and sold, an Archdiocese attorney told trustees.

By state law, that liquor license can be used only at a business located in Plymouth Township.

More business trash recycling eyed

BY KEVIN BROWN
STAFF WRITER

More trash recycling could be done by downtown businesses, says a Plymouth woman who approached city commissioners on the idea.

Marilyn Whittaker said that she talked to some downtown businesses who wouldn't mind seeking more recycling options offered.

"The majority remarked that there was not a particular plan and all trash generally went into the dumpsters," she told city commissioners March 17.

"Several business people stated they personally took trash products to their own homes for recycling, such as magazines or glass," she continued. "But it seems most of the refuse from Plymouth city businesses ends up in the trash bins."

Whittaker proposed that a committee of businesses people and others could research the problem and develop more of a plan for recycling business refuse.

Mayor Ron Loiselle said, "I think its a very good idea," adding the issue hasn't been thoroughly addressed.

Unlike residents, most downtown businesses are able to select from a range of trash haulers, who offer varying levels of recycling.

"Unless they're very environmentally motivated, business trash haulers won't do recycling, it's generally not cost effective," Loiselle said.

Paul Sincock, city municipal services director, said some vendors offer recycling through the yellow bag system offered to residents. "Other vendors offer separate dumpsters for recyclables, it's pretty much up to the individual business what commitment they want to make to recycling," he said.

One option offered is cardboard recycling, at a downtown location, and many businesses take advantage of it. "We recycle most of our cardboard and most of our packing materials," said Mary Millington of Little Professor Book Center.

Pam Haase, owner of the Plymouth Coffee Bean Company, said, "We can't store cardboard or glass or empty bottles. The kids have been taking them home every night. We would love to recycle." She added that if the city provided bins it would make it easy to recycle.

Sincock said his department does get the occasional call from a business person wondering what to do about recyclables.

He directs merchants to get yellow bags to hold recyclables and drop them off at the municipal services yard. "There are several businesses that do take advantage of that," Sincock said.

"We've got such a good program in our residential area," said Whittaker. "The recycling downtown seems spotty. If we could use a unified program; we need to get interested enough to research this.

Defusing the time bomb:
The hidden danger of high blood pressure

Over 60 million American adults have high blood pressure, but half of these people don't realize it. That's because this condition–also known as hypertension–often has no symptoms. When left untreated, high blood pressure can complicate other problems such as diabetes and eye disease, and seriously damage the heart, arteries, kidneys and lungs. In the past, all a doctor could do was recommend a low-salt/low-fat diet. But now there are many more treatment options to help patients lower their blood pressure to healthier levels.

For our next Health Night Out in Western Wayne County, the Northville and Plymouth Health Centers will present *High Blood Pressure: Unmasking the Quiet Killer.* Leading the presentation will be Denege Ward, M.D., medical director of the Plymouth Health Center, and Bretton Weintraub, M.D., internist at the Northville Health Center.

During the presentation you'll learn how hypertension is defined and diagnosed...how it affects other health problems and contributes to coronary artery disease and heart attacks... what genetic risk factors you may have...which behavioral changes in diet, exercise and mineral intake are effective... which drugs have proven most effective in controlling this condition while minimizing side effects...and more.

Join us on Thursday, April 17 for our next Health Night Out in Western Wayne County. Because half of all adults reading this have–or don't realize they have–high blood pressure.

High Blood Pressure: Unmasking the Quiet Killer

Thursday, April 17, 1997
7:00 to 9:00 p.m.
Refreshments will be served
Free–No reservations necessary
Water Club Seafood Grill
39500 Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth
(313) 454-0666

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March 18–Teen Exercise
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April 22–How to Talk with Teens
at selected U-M Health Centers:
April 10–Weight Management
April 17–Hypertension
April 24–Arthritis

Sponsored by the FRIENDS of the University of Michigan Medical Center. For further information or for directions to this presentation, please call U-M TeleCare toll free (800) 742-2300, category 1075.

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ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS

LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Sculptor says ethnicity shapes art

Sergio DeGiusti finds inspiration for his sculptures in the tradition of Italian art. Born in Maniago, Italy, Sergio De Giusti of Redford grew up surrounded by the art in his rural village's churches. It was there De Giusti learned first hand about the work of Vittorio Cadel.

Never heard of him? Cadel painted the ceiling in the Church of St. Martino. Its religious themes were one of De Giusti's first experiences with art.

Creative Forces: *Redford Township sculptor Sergio DeGiusti will give a lecture about the influence of ethnicity on the creative process 4 p.m. Saturday, April 19, in the Community Arts Auditorium at Wayne State University.*

"I used to sit in the church looking up at the religious themes on the ceiling. Living in a rural area, I was only exposed to the art of the two churches in my town.

Churches are a poor man's museum. The art is the church's power of seduction. Throughout history, the church always commissioned art for churches."

In conjunction with receiving Wayne State University's Art Achievement Award 4 p.m. Thursday, April 17, in Dance Studio A at 3317 Old Main in Detroit, De Giusti will give a lecture/slide demonstration on the topic "Ethnicity in Art: Forces Which Shape Creativity," 4 p.m. Saturday, April 19, in WSU's Community Arts Auditorium.

"Ethnicity is a major force, the kind of family you come from," said De Giusti. "It's an interesting phenomenon. We're bound by the subconscious, shaped by environment. Whether religious, family life or nationalistic, all of these factors bring about a certain direction. We retain a strong identification with our own cultures."

It wasn't until De Giusti decided to become an artist and went back to Italy that artists like Donatello, Manzu and Greco influenced him. Mentors like Bloomfield Hills resident Jean Kilgore, his art teacher at Detroit's MacKenzie High School, and Jay Holland, who in the late 1950s taught sculpture at the Detroit Institute of Arts, further inspired De Giusti to seek a career as an artist.

See ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS, C2

Evening Queens: *Pat Carne displays one of the watercolors by her late husband Erick Carne. Shades of lilac color this evening portrait of two paddle boats in Kingston, Ontario.*

STAFF PHOTOS BY BILL BRESLER

Evening Sail: *Erick Carne captures the peacefulness of an evening sail in this watercolor painting.*

Arts council honors artist who loved the Great Lakes

Royale Morning: *In his paintings, Erick Carne portrays light at different times of the day. Here at Isle Royale, golden yellow streaks of sky reflect off waters below.*

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

The beauty of the Great Lakes lives in Erick Carne's paintings.

In honor of the late architect, the Plymouth Community Arts Council will inaugurate their recently renovated exhibition space April 20 during a reception to open a show of Carne's watercolors. The show, featuring more than 30 of his paintings, runs April 20 to May 8.

An architect by trade, Carne designed plans for the project to revamp the former Jehovah's Witnesses Church into an arts center.

The paintings are part of "Shorelines of the Great Lakes," a book being published by Thunder Bay Press nearly one year after Carne's death at the age of 68. Inspired by the magic of the waterways, Carne painted more than 60 watercolors for the book.

Purples, pinks, blues and yellows pervade the landscapes of the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, Passage Island Lighthouse on Isle Royale in Lake Superior, and the Thunderfest boat races at Belle Isle. Carne captures the light at different times of day by reflecting golden streaks of sky in the waters in the morning, and varying shades of lilac in the evening.

Text explaining the history of the Great Lakes accompanies paintings in the book. From the Straits of Mackinac to Lake Superior's Whitefish Point where the Edmund Fitzgerald sank, Carne records history including the shipping of thousands of tons of iron ore and grain annually through Thunder Bay, the sixth largest port in Ontario.

"It's an exciting time with the book finally coming to fruition," said Pat Carne, Erick's wife of 23 years.

Shorelines of the Great Lakes

What: An exhibition of watercolor paintings by the late Plymouth architect Erick Carne. Opening reception held 2-4 p.m. Sunday, April 20.

When: April 20 to May 8. Hours are 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; until 9 p.m. Wednesday; and 1-4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Where: Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 North Sheldon Road at Junction, (313) 416-4278.

Camping on the shores of the Great Lakes was Erick Carne's favorite pastime. As a young boy, he camped with his Cornish immigrant parents, soaking up the natural wonders of Michigan. In the Depression, the Carnes' outdoors adventures were an alternative to expensive vacations.

"Erick loved the Great Lakes," said Carne. "We had a motor home. He loved the lighthouses and always planned trips around them. We'd find a campground preferably near the waters so we could get to the shores."

The idea for the book came about in 1993 after Pat gave Erick "South by Southeast," a book written by Walter Cronkite and illustrated by Ray Ellis. The coffee table book depicts the waterways between Chesapeake Bay and Key West. Erick began creating his paintings of the Great Lakes shortly thereafter.

"He was at his happiest painting," said Carne.

The lengthy process of publishing Erick's book began when all of the paintings were disassembled and sent to Thunder Bay Press shortly after Carne's March 1995 exhibition at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. Although corrections were passed back and forth several times between Pat and the publisher, none of Erick's text was changed.

Carne is perhaps best known as an architect. Plymouth's 35th District Courthouse, Plymouth Canton Community Schools' E.J. McClendon Educational Center, the Salvation Army's Eastern Michigan Headquarters, and the City of Wayne City Hall and District Court are among the buildings Carne designed from the architectural business he opened in Plymouth in 1976. But more than architect, Carne was also a storyteller, and enjoyed sketching and painting. His interest in watercolor was sparked by a presentation of architectural design class he took at the University of Detroit where he earned his degree in 1952.

Carne's exhibit is the first of the Plymouth Community Arts Council's quarterly displays featuring Michigan artists.

"It's a way to honor Erick for the work he had done," said Judy Lewis, exhibition committee co-chair with Lin Ware. "Erick was the original architect for the renovations on the building."

MUSIC

Plymouth Symphony wants to take you on a Caribbean cruise

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

It won't be difficult to imagine you're taking a "Caribbean Cruise" when the sounds of steel drums merge with the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra at their annual pops concert 6 p.m. Friday, April 25, at Fox Hills Country Club, 8768, North Territorial Road, Plymouth. Guest artists, the Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band, provide the driving beat.

Tickets are $45 for adults, senior citizens and college students; $25 for children, and includes concert and Caribbean dinner. For tickets or more information, call the Plymouth Symphony at (313) 451-2112.

"It's a fun filled evening of music and entertainment," said Russell Reed, PSO conductor/music director.

"The program's centered around South of the border music including 'The Girl from Ipanema,' selections from 'South Pacific,' and a sing-a-long."

The Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band calls Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, their home. The element which makes their music, ranging from classical to rock and roll, incomparable is that oil drums are the instruments used to beat out their island rhythms.

The group was born in the desperate days following World War II when money was so tight the musicians were unable to buy instruments for playing their beloved Calypso music. Instead, the Trinidad natives discovered abandoned oil drums could be used to play musical tunes. The original Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band, of which this group is the present day outgrowth, grew into an organization that played at Rockefeller Plaza, Central Park and the Lincoln Center Mall in New York City, the Pan American Union in Washington, D.C., and the Montreal Museum of Fine Arts.

"This is the first time in this area that a symphony orchestra and a steel band have joined together," said Hugh Borde, Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band maestro. "We will have the audience join us in dancing to the Calypso. It will be fun for everyone."

Reed became interested in steel bands after listening to the music during a trip to a Caribbean island a few years ago. After

See SYMPHONY, C2

Trinidad Beat: *The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra takes a Caribbean Cruise to the sounds of the Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band 6 p.m. Friday, April 25, at Fox Hills Country Club.*

ART BEAT

Art Beat features various happenings in the suburban art world. Send news leads to Linda Ann Chomin, Arts & Leisure reporter, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.

FINAL DAY

The Livonia Artists Club takes over the atrium of the Livonia Civic Center Library for their 36th annual Art Exhibit and Sale 1-5 p.m. Sunday, April 13. Admission is free.

A variety of mediums will be displayed including painting, collage and monotypes. Artists Al Weber and Eileen Bibby of Livonia, and Evelyn Henry, Redford will demonstrate watercolor painting and pastel techniques.

The Livonia Civic Center Library is at 32777 Five Mile east of Farmington. For information about the show or club call Yvette Goldberg (810) 476-2313 or Marge Masek (313) 464-6772.

GARDEN PHOTOGRAPHY

Learn how to capture your flowers on film this spring during garden photography classes offered by the University of Michigan's Matthaei Botanical Gardens 6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, April 17; 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, April 19, and 6:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 22.

This class features a double attraction: take a beautiful tour of Matthaei's plants and gardens while learning to photograph your own garden. Framing the shot, using light and shadow to advantage, correcting for less-than-perfect light or subject matter, and seasonal differences will be discussed for both manual and automatic cameras. Shoot film on Saturday and develop it for review and critique during the final session. Bring camera and slide film to all sessions.

Cost for the course with Steve Nikkila is $60. Members of the Friends of the Botanical Gardens receive 10 percent off the adult education class. Call (313) 998-7061.

NOONTIME CONCERT

The Livonia Arts Commission and the Livonia Civic Center Library invite all who enjoy good music to attend a concert by the Lakeland Trio (violin, clarinet and guitar) 12:15-1 p.m. Thursday, April 17 at the library. Admission is free, and coffee is available. Brown bag lunches are welcome. Call (313) 421-7338.

Art exhibits on the library's second floor are open to the public before and after the concert. For April, Sharon Sims thought-provoking sculpture and relief will engage you, Debbie Krompatic's porcelain dolls delight.

SECRET GARDEN

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will present "The Secret Garden" April 18-20, April 25-27 and May 2-3 at the Water Tower Theatre, 41001 West Seven Mile Road in Northville. Friday and Saturday performances begin at 8 p.m., Sundays at 6 p.m.

Tickets are $11 in advance, $12 at the door. For information or group rates call (810) 349-7110.

This enchanting classic of children's literature is now a brilliant musical by a Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright. Orphaned in India, an 11 year old girl returns to Yorkshire to live with an embittered, reclusive uncle and his invalid son. The uncle's estate includes a magic locked garden. Flashbacks, dream sequences, a strolling chorus of ghosts, and some of the most beautiful music ever written for Broadway dramatize the secret garden's compelling tale of regeneration. This Tony award winner is a treasure for children and adults.

COLLEGE CONCERT

A smorgasbord of styles awaits music lovers who attend the annual Schoolcraft College Collage Concert 7:30 p.m. Saturday, April 19 in the community room at Radcliff Center, 1751 Radcliff Street, Garden City.

Admission is free although donations will be accepted at the door.

The concert features all of the college's performing groups: the Community Choir, jazz choirs, the Schoolcraft Wind Ensemble, the MIDI Ensemble, and other chamber groups and soloists, including both students and faculty.

The concert's format is designed so that pieces are performed with no applause in between. A 15th century piece of Renaissance music might be followed immediately by cool jazz, with a 19th century romantic song coming next. Because of this continuous presentation, each half lasts approximately 30 minutes.

This year's concert will end with "Hymn of Apollo," a work commissioned by the college and composed by Schoolcraft faculty member James Nissen. Based on Percy Bysshe Shelly's poem, "Hymn of Apollo," it features all of the Schoolcraft musical groups and encompasses many musical styles.

PUPPETRY WORKSHOP

If you're a novice puppeteer, librarian, teacher, group leader, religious educator, parent or teen who is interested in knowing more about the lively art of puppetry, the Detroit Puppeteers Guild has a workshop planned for you.

Learn more about making puppets, script writing, choreography, and performing during "A Day of Puppetry" 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 26 at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Road, Livonia.

Registration fee for adults is $30, Detroit Puppeteers Guild Members $25, ages 13-18 $20, children $5. The fee includes one ticket to the 2 p.m. performance "Dave & Sue's Stars on Strings." Additional tickets to the performance by David Herzog's Marionettes are $3.

Preregistration is required for the day-long workshop. Call Debbie Latozas (810) 693-3198 or Jill Landsman (810) 693-4098.

A 10:45 a.m. performance/workshop will be open to registrants only. The PVC Players will present two shows: "The Dragon of Frostytown" and "The Puzzle of One Peaceful Pachyderm," which they perform for elementary school children. These entertaining shows engage the audience in learning about peaceful conflict resolution.

FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS

The Farmington Community Arts Council announces its second annual Festival of the Arts April 27 to May 4 at the William Costick Activities Center, 28600 Eleven Mile east of Middlebelt in Farmington Hills.

Hours are 2-5 p.m. Sunday, April 27; 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday to Saturday, April 28 to May 3, and 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday, May 4.

Admission is free.

There is a little bit of artist, writer, actor, singer, dancer, musician in all of us. Come and experience the Festival of the Arts. Look at the dozens of paintings and drawings in juried and open categories. There is also unframed art.

Displays by quilters and historians will be set against a backdrop of original floral designs by local garden clubs. Learn needlecraft as demonstrators keep you in stitches.

Listen to performances by area choruses, bands and orchestras. Enjoy poetry readings by members of Farmington Hills Ridgewriters and dramatic selections by Farmington Players.

For more information call the Farmington Community Arts Council at (810) 473-9573.

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Experience contemporary art and interact with artists in a restored turn-of-the-century town. Historic downtown Northville is the quaint setting for 75 to 100 artists during the city's 11th Annual Art Market 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 13, until 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14.

Sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission, the Annual Art Market coincides with the city's Annual Victorian Festival. Street entertainers, music, good food, and many townspeople in period dress make this event well worth attending.

Cash prizes are sure to attract many fine and folk artists from the entire Midwest area to the Annual Art Market. Some artists will be selected to demonstrate for the public. Interested artists and visitors can call (810) 349-6104.

Symphony *from page C1*

hearing the Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band at a benefit concert for Oakwood Hospital, the PSO conductor decided to spotlight the group's exciting music at the annual pops concert.

"The Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band has a totally different sound than we've ever had," said Reed, "and what I found interesting is the Trinidad government felt steel drumming was a lost art, so they require kids to take steel drumming in the schools. There's nothing highly sophisticated about steel drumming. It's very primitive and what's amazing is it's done on old oil drums."

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In addition to the concert and Caribbean dinner, the Plymouth Symphony League, the fund-raising arm of the orchestra, will host silent and live auctions. The live auction, held during intermission, will be led by Fred Hill. Among the items on the block are the PSO baton with the highest bidder conducting the orchestra in a Sousa march, and the loan of a Jaguar automobile for one week courtesy of Jaguar of Plymouth.

Last year's auctions raised over $6,000 for the orchestra. This year the goal is $10,000.

There will also be a raffle during the Caribbean Cruise evening. First prize is $1,000 cash; second prize, airline tickets and third prize, lady's and man's watches. Tickets are $5 apiece, or three for $10.

Artistic Expressions *from page C1*

Afternoons spent at Holland's Birmingham studio, instilled a passion for art in De Giusti.

De Giusti's formal education in the 1960s at Wayne State University also influenced him. Jack Bailey, his graduate adviser at the university, told De Giusti not to fall for trends.

"In the 1960s, none of the artists like Jackson Pollock and Frank Stella were doing the figure," said De Giusti. "Now, figurative work is back and not that many artists can do it well. It's important to learn but not copy from the past, not be bound by it but in some ways draw from it."

Of course, De Giusti is one of the few artists accomplished at using the figure in their work. Over the years, he's created public art including a 20-panel frieze for the State of Michigan Library and Archives Building in Lansing, four bronze panels focusing on the life of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. for Eastern Michigan

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University, bronze doors for the Church of San Vito in Italy, and reliefs for the Drug Enforcement Administration's Detroit Field Division Headquarters downtown. One of his most recent sculptures, featuring two hands and a book, is currently at the foundry being cast for the Livonia Civic Center Library.

De Giusti is very involved with the arts community donating works to the Italian Consulate in Detroit and curating exhibits, the most recent of which featured the Italian legacy of art in Detroit. De Giusti spent nearly one year researching and gathering the works for "Patrimonio," a retrospective of Italian, Italian-American and American artists influenced by the tradition of Italian art in the Community Arts Gallery at WSU last October.

"In curating 'Patrimonio' Sergio made a cultural link with the City of Detroit and the input that Italian and Italian-American artists have had on Detroit," said Mary Jane Smith, WSU Community Arts Gallery interim coordinator. "As a result of that historical overview, we thought it would terrific to put all of the research to use in a lecture by Sergio."

An educator as well as a sculptor, De Giusti has taught drawing, art history and relief at Wayne State University, the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association and Center for Creative Studies College of Art and Design in Detroit.

De Giusti's lecture will begin with a look at American iconography followed by the Indian imagery featured in masks and carvings, and the relationship of striations in Utah rocks to the design of an 1850s Navajo blanket. Later, De Giusti will show the influence of Romanian cemetery carvings on Constanin Brancusi, the American landscape's shaping of Novi artist David Barr's sculptures, and how African American artist Tyree Guyton built his art on the materials of the inner city. Frank Stella, Isamu Noguchi (Japanese/American designer of the Hart Plaza Fountain), Charles McGee (African American), and Otto Dix and David Becher (German) were all influenced by their cultural heritage and environment.

One of the most moving parts of the lecture features the drawings of Jewish artist Mauricio Lasansky (born 1914). Created between 1961 and 1966, Lasansky's drawings illustrate the horrors of the Holocaust.

Linda Ann Chomin is the fine arts writer for the Observer Newspapers. To leave her a voice mail message call (313) 953-2145.

Sugarloaf Art Fair in Novi features local artists

More than 300 artisans will converge at the Novi Expo Center for the 3rd Annual Spring Sugarloaf next weekend, April 18-20.

"One of our biggest challenges is educating people about crafts," said Deann Verdier, who selected exhibitors for this year's show. "We're not talking about crocheted booties and doilies. These are works of art created by artisans from across the country."

Included in this year's show are local photographer Richard Denomme from Northville, and Celia Block from Farmington Hills.

Denomme's wildlife photos captures killer whales off the British of Columbia, giraffes in Africa and polar bears of the Canadian ice caps. "Wolves are big right now, and so are polar bears," he said. "When 'Free Wily' was out, we couldn't stock enough orka whales."

In the near future, Denomme plans trips to Alaska to photograph humpback whales, and to Vancouver to observe elk.

Block's experimental collages and decorative threads will be featured in the exhibit. Several years ago, she began making silk ties, then developed her trademark jackets and vests.

Today, Block runs a design business, Silkworks Inc. with a range of hand-painted silk clothing and home decorating pieces.

The upcoming show will also feature demonstrations in jewelry making, iron forging, pottery throwing, paper making and weaving.

For 22 years, Sugarloaf has hosted fairs from Maryland to Michigan. The shows have featured arts and crafts from intricately carved wooden furniture to ceramic bowls to fine leather. Last year, sales at the Novi Sugarloaf Art Fair totaled $16.5 million.

ART SHOW

What: Sugarloaf Art Fair, featuring more than 300 arts and crafts artists from North America
When: Friday-Sunday, April 18-20, from 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
Where: Novi Expo Center (Take I-96 to Exit 162, travel south on Novi Road, turn right at Expo Center Drive.)
Admission: $6, general; free for children under 12.

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CLASSES & SCHOLARSHIPS

SUMMER VISUAL ART CAMP AT BBAA
Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association is offering two summer art programs for children, grades 1-6, from June 16-27 and August 11-22. Daily session run Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Camp includes painting, drawing, pottery, crafts and hands-on activities. Call (810) 644-0866.

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Introductory classes for four and five-year-old, and more advance art classes for 6-14 year olds at Paint Creek Center for the Arts. Registration open for spring classes, which run April 12-June 14. Watercolor workshop for adults on Thursdays, April 17-May 8, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; and Mat workshops for adults, April 17 and April 24, 6:30 p.m.-9 p.m., and black and white photography workshop for adults on Thursday, April 17 and Saturday, April 19. Located at 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (810) 651-4757.

FINE ARTS CLASSES
Basic and intermediate classes in painting, ceramics, weaving, jewelry and interior design begin April 28 at the Ann Arbor Art Center, 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004.

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CLASSICAL

LYRIC CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
Application deadline April 20 for auditions for Summer Music Camp at Oakland Community College Auburn Hills Campus, July 28-August 9 for students ages 12-17. For information, call (810) 357-1111.

PONTIAC OAKLAND SYMPHONY/OAKLAND UNIVERSITY CHORUS
Performing Carl Orff's "Carmina Burana" in their season finale on Sunday, April 13 at 7 p.m. at Pontiac North High School, 1051 Arlene Street. Tickets: $12, general public; $8, senior citizens, students; (810) 334-6024.

UNIVERSITY OF SANTO TOMAS SINGERS OF MANILA
The choir will perform Saturday-Sunday, April 13 at 7 p.m. at St. Hugo of the Hills, 2215 Opdyke, Bloomfield Hills; and Monday, April 14 at 7 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile Rd. Tickets: $10 per person; $5 for senior citizens and students; (313) 427-9440.

DETROIT LUTHERAN SINGERS
30th Anniversary Concerts with chamber orchestra: Handel's "Dixit Dominus" and Bach's Easter Cantata #4 on Sunday, April 13 at 7 p.m. at Meadowbrook Congregational Church, Novi; Sunday, April 20 at 3 p.m. at St. Paul United Methodist Church, Rochester. Tickets: Adults, $7; senior citizens, students, $5; (810) 988-0604.

TUESDAY MUSICALE
Pianist Kevin Class on Tuesday, April 15 at 10:30 a.m. at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 32 Lakeshore Dr., Grosse Pointe Farms.

U OF M CHAMBER CHOIR
Featuring Hungarian composer Zoltan Kodaly's "Missa Brevis" on Tuesday, April 15 at 8 pm. in Hill Auditorium, on the U of M campus. Free admission; (313) 764-0594.

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
Violinists Ani and Ida Kavafian are featured in performances of Bach's Concerto in D major on Thursday, April 17 at 8 p.m., Friday at 8 p.m., Saturday at 8:30 p.m. Tickets: $40 to $16; box seats, $58; (313) 962-3610.

CHRIST CHURCH CRANBROOK
Celebration of the music of Mendelssohn, Schubert and Brahms on Sunday, April 20 at 5 p.m. Located on Lone Pine Road, one mile west of Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. Tickets: $15, general admission; $10, seniors/students; (810) 644-5210, ext. 56.

UNIVERSITY PHILHARMONIA ORCHESTRA CONCERT
Concerto competition winner pianist Gordon Beeferman, featured soloist with Philharmonia Orchestra on Sunday, April 20 at 4 p.m. at Hill Auditorium on the U of M campus; (313) 764-0594.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE COMMUNITY CHOIR
Performance of "Requiem" by Johannes Brahms, in English, on Saturday, April 26 at 8 p.m. at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church, 30900 Six Mile Road, Livonia. Donations accepted at the door; (313) 462-4448.

DETROIT TAMBURITZA ORCHESTRA
Annual Spring Concert on Saturday, April 26 at 6 p.m. at Troy High School, 4777 Northfield Parkway, Troy, off of Long Lake Rd. between Coolidge and Crooks; (810) 775-4899.

INTERGENERATIONAL CHOIR BENEFIT CONCERT
Choir of senior citizens and youth from the former Soviet Union sing in English, Hebrew, Yiddish and Russian on Sunday, April 27 at 2 p.m., Jewish Community Center; (810) 967-4030.

FAIR LANE MUSIC GUILD
The Festival of Four concert features a diversity of music arranged for guitars and flute on Sunday, April 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the Henry Ford Estate, U of M-Dearborn, 4901 Evergreen; (313) 593-5590.

LYRIC CHAMBER ENSEMBLE
"Mr. Schubert Lives Upstairs" on Sunday, April 27 at 3:30 p.m. at Temple Beth El in Bloomfield Hills, 14 Mile and Telegraph roads. Samples from his most famous instrumental and vocal works. Local actor Jeffrey Nahan will portray Schubert. Tickets: $18, adults; $15, senior citizens/students; $5, children under 18; (810) 357-1111.

OPERA & JAZZ

RIGOLETTO
Michigan Opera Theatre launches spring season with Verdi's "Rigoletto," April 13 at 2 p.m. at the Detroit Opera House in downtown Detroit's Harmonie Park, 1526 Broadway. Call (313) 874-7464, or phone for tickets at (810) 645-6666.

ALMA SMITH QUINTET
Sunday, April 20 at 6 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Birmingham, the corner of Willits and Bates streets. Free admission; (810) 644-0550.

OPENING RECEPTIONS

THE ART CENTER OF MOUNT CLEMENS
Preview of "The Human Spirit," an oil and charcoal exhibit by Harry Ahn on Friday, April 18 at 7 p.m. Runs through May 16. Located at 125 Macomb Place, Mount Clemens; (810) 469-8666.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
"Shorelines of the Great Lakes," Erick Carne Watercolor Exhibit on Sunday, April 20 at 2 p.m. Runs through May 8. Located at 774 Sheldon Road, Plymouth; (313) 416-4278, (313) 455-4681.

MICHIGAN MODERNISM EXPOSITION
Range of 20th-century design styles plus a sampling of current design movements. Gala preview Friday, April 25 at 7 p.m. at the Southfield Civic Center, Evergreen at 10 1/2 Mile Rd., Southfield. Exhibit runs April 26-27. Hours: Saturday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday, 12 p.m.-5 p.m. Admission: $7; (810) 547-5716.

JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN GALLERY
Feminist photographer Carol Hamoy and mixed-media artist Lina Soberman in "A Woman's Work/2" on Wednesday, April 30 at 6 p.m. Exhibit runs through June 10. Located inside the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Rd., West Bloomfield; (313) 661-7641.

ON-GOING EXHIBITS

JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN GALLERY
Through April 17 – The Sixth Annual Emerging Artists Exhibit. Located in the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Rd., W. Bloomfield; (810) 661-1000.

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART ASSOCIATION
Through April 19 – Michigan Fine Arts Competition exhibit. Located at 1516 S. Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (810) 644-0866.

BUNTING GALLERY
Through April 21 – Paintings of Russian artist Irina Nakova on March 21 at 6 p.m. Exhibit runs at the gallery, located at 514 S. Washington, Royal Oak; (810) 545-4820.

PARK WEST GALLERY
Through April 24 – Paintings of Emile Bellet. Located 29469 Northwestern, Southfield; (810) 354-2343.

ARTSPACE: RESALE GALLERY FOR FINE ART
Through April 26 – A special exhibit of black and white photography by Oregon photographer Thomas Dennis. Located at 303 E. Maple, Birmingham; (810) 258-8814.

CARY GALLERY
Through April 26 – Work of local artists Gwen Tomkow of Farmington Hills and Lilian Moral of Troy. Located at 226 Walnut, Rochester; (810) 651-3656.

LEMBERG GALLERY
Through April 26 – "In Place," paintings by Jennifer Reeves. Located at 538 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 642-6623.

CUNNIFF STUDIO GALLERY
Through April 26 – David Mandiberg's figure sculpture and drawings. Located at 11 S. Broadway, Lake Orion; (810) 693-3632.

PONTIAC OAKLAND SOCIETY OF ARTISTS
Through April 28 – Lighthouse paintings of Ralph Hashoian at 1349 Ludean Drive, Highland; (810) 887-8442.

POSNER GALLERY
Through April 28 – "Lenore," paintings by Lenore Gimpert. Located at 523 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 647-2552.

ARIANA GALLERY
Through April 30 – Glass artists of North Carolina. Located at 119 S. Main, Royal Oak; (810) 546-8810.

START GALLERY
Through April 30 – Recent works of Sandra Cardew at 211 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 644-2991. Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Thursday, 11 a.m.-8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m.- 5 p.m.; Sunday, 12 p.m. - 4 p.m.

SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES
"The Great American Newspaper Strike," photo journalist exhibit, and "Why Conscientious Objectors?" an exhibit of anti-war art. Located at 33 E. Adams, Detroit; (313) 963-7575.

DONNA JACOBS GALLERY
Through May 4 – In honor of glass month, an extensive exhibit of artifacts that span 2000 years of glass history. Located at 574 North Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 540-1600.

WETSMAN COLLECTION
Through May 4 – Clay artist Charon Kransen at 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 645-6212. Hours: Tuesday-Friday, 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Detroit Artists Market
Through May 9 – "Ambient Luminosity," a multi-media exhibit examining artificial and controlled lighting. Located at 300 River Place, Ste. 1650, Detroit; (313) 393-1770.

FORM, FUNCTION OR METAPHOR
Through May 9 – Exhibit of furniture curated by Ray Katz on Friday, April 11 at 7 p.m. at the Paint Creek Center for the Arts, 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (810) 651-4110.

SHAWGUIDO GALLERY
Through May 10 – Surrealistic and realistic sculptures by New York artist Michael Lucero. Located at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (810) 333-1070.

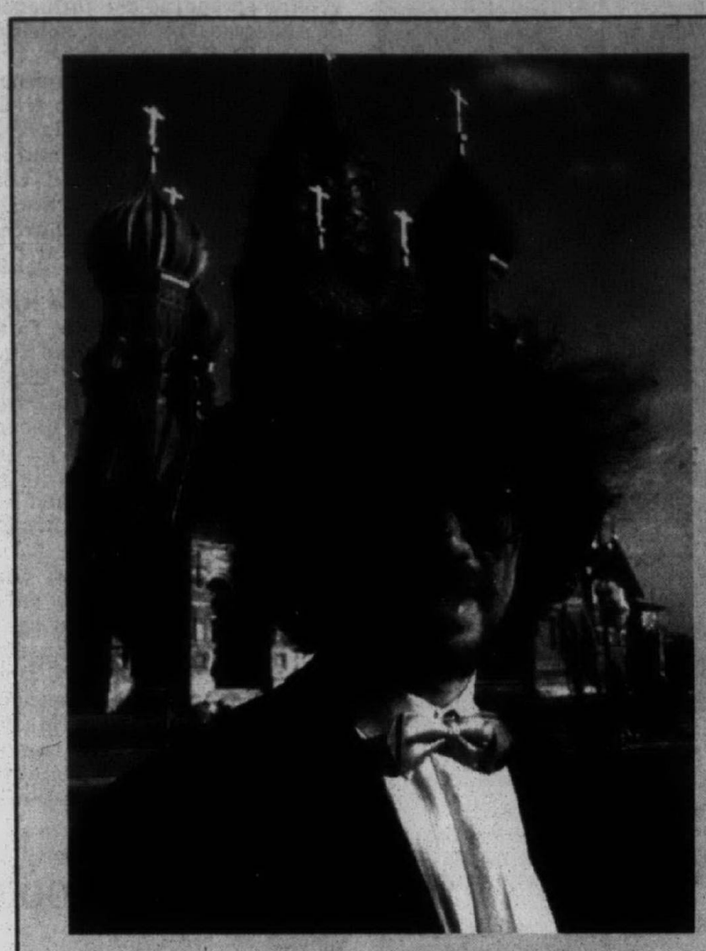
CREATIVE RESOURCE
Through May 11 – New paintings by Anatoly Overin and Kay Jackson. Located at 162 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 647-3688.

Media Union Gallery
Through May 14 – "Time Lapses," sculpture by Rebecca Horning. Located on the U of M north campus near the bell tower; (810) 543-7345.

G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY
Through May 17 – "Digital Abstractions," works of Jack Whitten. Located at 161 Townsend, Birmingham; (810) 642-2700.

UZELAC GALLERY
Through May 17 – "Images of Africa:" paintings by Suza Talbot. Locate at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (810) 332-5257.

Book Beat
Through May 24 – "Dream Drawings" by Jim Shaw, founding member of the seminal rock band, "Destroy All Monsters." Located at 26010 Greenfield, Southfield; (810) 968-1190.



Recitalist: *Cranbrook Music Guild crowns its impressive season with a recital by violin virtuoso Evgueni Bushkov, accompanied by pianist Victoria Mushkatkol. 8 p.m. Tuesday, April 15. at the Cranbrook House Library, 380 Lone Pine Road (northwest corner of Cranbrook Road), Bloomfield Hills. Tickets $20; limited seating, call (810) 751-2435.*

U-M DEARBORN
Through May 24 – "Exotics: The Glass Collection of Patricia Hill Burnett" and "Botanicals by Michigan Artists." Located at the U-M Dearborn campus; call (313) 593-5058.

DETROIT GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS
Through May 31 – "Best SEat in the House," artist-made chairs, talbes, lighting and accessories. Located at 104 Fisher Bldg., Detroit; (313) 873-7888.

HALSTEAD GALLERY
Through May 31 – Mark Citret: New Work. Located at 560 N. Woodward; Birmingham; (810) 644-8284. Exhibit runs through May 31.

ANDERSON GALLERY
Through June 14 – "Body Language," the latest fiber works of Lindsay Obermayer. Located at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; call (810) 335-4611.

ART FESTIVALS

SISTERHOOD OF TEMPLE ISRAEL
Indoor art fair of 47 fine artists, arts and crafts artisans and food court. Sunday, April 13; 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, April 14. Located at 6327 Walnut Lake Road, West Bloomfield; (810) 661-5700. Tickets: Per person, $3; opening reception, $25.

ANTIQUE PHOTO SHOW
Images from 19th and 20th centuries on Sunday, April 13 at 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. at Knights of Columbus Hall, 2299 W. 12 Mile Rd.; (810) 968-5910.

SUGARLOAF ART FAIR IN NOVI
More than 300 artisans from 37 states on April 18-20 at the Novi Expo Center, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Admission: $6, adults; children under 12 free. Take I-96 to Exit 162, travel south on Novi Road, turn right at Expo Center Drive; (800) 210-9900.

KENSINGTON ACADEMY STUDENT ART EXHIBIT
Featuring 45 selected pieces of student artwork, including sculptures and watercolor portraits on Thursday, April 24 at 6 p.m. at Park West Galleries, 296469 Northwestern, Southfield. For information, call (810) 855-6777.

29TH ANNUAL WESTACRES ARTISTS MARKET
64 juried artists from the Midwest display jewelry, pottery, watercolors, photography on Saturday, April 26 at 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Located at the Westacres Subdivision Clubhouse, between Union Lake and Green Lake roads off of Commerce Road; (810) 360-0675.

FARMINGTON ARTISTS CLUB SPRING SHOW
Annual exhibit will be held on Sunday, April 27-Sunday, May 4 at the William Costick Activities Center, 28600 Eleven Mile Rd.; (810) 661-6765.

PROGRAMS & LECTURES

WSU ARTS ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS
Program honoring community arts activist and seven prominent alumni on Thursday, April 17 at 4 p.m. in the historic Old Main building on Wayne State campus. Recipients include Louis Redstone, Sergio DeGiusti and Joseph LoDuca. Call (313) 577-2150.

BASKETRY
Artist Kathleen Bordo-Crombie's slide lecture for the Michigan Weavers Guild on Thursday, April 17 at 7 p.m. at the Farmington Hills Public Library, 32737 12 Mile Rd. Open to the public; (810) 258-6816.

STAINED GLASS
Barbara Krueger, artist and co-director of Michigan Census of Stained Glass, speaks on the evolution of stained glass on April 17 in the auditorium of the Information Technology Building, located on Campus Drive South off of Pontiac Lake Road; (810) 858-0415.

CARVING CLASS
Learn the basics of carving using wood as the medium in a three-session class at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Saturday, April 19. Fee: nonmembers, $30; members, $24; students, $12. Call (313) 833-4249.

ETHNICITY AND ART
Lecture by sculptor Sergio DeGuisti on Saturday, April 19 at 4 p.m. in the Community Arts Auditorium on the Wayne State campus; (313) 577-2980.

A NATURAL HISTORY OF AMAZEMENT
Writer Laurence Weschler's slide lecture, "Wonder and the Jurassic: Toward a Natural History of Amazement," on Thursday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m. at Cranbrook Art Museum, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (810) 645-3312.

DANCE

MME. CADILLAC DANCE THEATRE
Gala performance, "300 Years of Detroit Dance," on Saturday, April 19 at 2 p.m. at the Adam Strohm Hall of the Detroit Main Library, 5201 Woodward, Detroit. Call (313) 875-6354.

EISENHOWER DANCE ENSEMBLE
Four newly created dance works at the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts on Friday, April 18 at 8 p.m. Tickets: $16, general; $14, for students/senior citizens; (810) 286-2222.

EASTERN MICHIGAN DEPT OF DANCE
EMU's Advanced Composition Class presents "Mosaic Spaces," a showcase of original works in a variety of dance styles on Friday, April 18 at 8 p.m., and Saturday, April 19 at 7:30 p.m. in 106 Warner on EMU campus. Tickets: $3; (313) 483-0328.

BENEFITS

TURNING POINT SHELTER
Proceeds from Fraser Fine Art Association exhibit of paintings and photography will go to Turning Point Macomb County's shelter for battered women. Runs through April 30. Located at 24317 Jefferson, St. Clair Shores; (810) 776-3197, or (810) 791-9138.

WOMEN'S SURVIVAL CENTER OF PONTIAC
A show of wearable art at Artquest Gallery, 185 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 540-2484. Exhibit runs through April 30.

ART GALLERY, STORES

THE ANDERSON GALLERY
The gallery in the Oakland Arts Building, 7 N. Saginaw in Pontiac, offers distinctive textiles and fiber art; (810) 335-4611.

THE ANDY SHARKEY GALLERY
The shop at 204 W. Fifth, east of Washington in Royal Oak, represents more than 100 artists, most of whom live in Michigan. It features pottery, ceramics, wood, glass, silks, dolls, children's clothing and jewelry; (810) 546-6770.

THE ART EXPERIENCE
The new experimental studio at 17 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, offers classes, workshops and support groups, and art and creative therapies by appointment. Call (810) 332-3920.

THE ARTIST'S OUTLET
A Utopian Art Salon, featuring artists' visions of Utopia, is presented at 17627 E. Nine Mile, Eastpointe. Call (810) 777-6985.

ASHLEY-CHRIS GALLERY
Sculptures by Janice Trimpe of Grosse Pointe Park are exhibited at the gallery on Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Park. Call (313) 824-0700.

ANIMAL ODYSSEY
Animals of the wild have been vividly caught in stained glass by Plymouth artist Jenna, who is displaying several of her pieces at the animal-theme gift shop at 971 N. Mill, Plymouth; (313) 453-5764.

ARCHIVES A.D.
The eclectic and exciting gallery at 114 W. Third, Rochester, offers hand-painted furniture, art pillows, faux painted walls and columns, murals and screens, recycled metal garden stakes, sculpture, and handmade lamp-work; (810) 651-1485.

ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS
The studio in the Adams Plaza at 725 S. Adams, Birmingham, is filled with silk and dried flora in unusual containers; (810) 644-8349.

ARTQUEST GALLERY
The gallery at 185 N. Woodward, Birmingham, offers contemporary works of art for the home. Gift certificates and bridal registry available. Call (810) 540-2484.

ARTSPACE II
The gallery at 303 E. Maple, Birmingham, specializes in reselling fine art works and antiques; representing individuals, museums and galleries. It also has local and regional art works ranging from $60 up, a selection of Arts and Crafts furniture, historic Pewabic tiles and a large group of African artifacts, and specializes in unusual lamps for the home; (810) 258-1540.

ATRIUM GALLERY
"Products of the Glory," a glass exhibit. Located at 109 N. Center, Northville; (810) 349-4131.

AVENUE **GALLERY**
Michigan's only gallery showing exclusively Thomas Kinkade, including limited edition canvas lithographs. Now displaying "Valley of Peace, "Bride of Faith." Located at 167 N. Woodward, Birmingham, (810) 594-7600.

BRIDGE STREET GALLERY
The gallery features Alaskan art and designer glass. It is seeking new artists of all mediums. Call or write for an appointment. Slides and resumes aren't required but welcome. Write the gallery at 208 N. Bridge, Linden 48451; call (810) 735-1393.

THE CEMENT SPACE
The gallery is dedicated to presenting contemporary work by emerging artists; artists are encouraged to call about exhibit space and upcoming shows. The gallery is at 1501 E. Woodbridge, Detroit. Call (313) 259-9800.

CLIQUE GALLERY
The gallery of Eve and Elaine Redmond at 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak, features photography; (810) 545-2200.

COLANGELO'S RESTAURANT
The restaurant at 2 N. Saginaw at Pike, Pontiac, supports the Pontiac arts explosion by featuring artists from the Lawrence Street Gallery. Call (810) 334-2275.

COWBOY TRADER
Michigan's only Wild West gallery offers cowboy and Indian antiques and collectibles, including saddles and chaps, Western art, Navaho rugs, Plains Indian artifacts, turquoise and silver jewelry, books and rare photos and antique firearms. Located at 251 Merrill, Suite 209, in Birmingham; (810) 647-8833.

DANCING EYE GALLERY
Decorative and functional tiles at 150 N. Center Street, Suite A in downtown Northville; (810) 449-7086.

DEBORAH ROBERTS DESIGN ROOM
The shop at 206 W. 11 Mile, Royal Oak, carries a selection of tin toys, blown glass, mini tea sets, funky pajamas and ceramics; (810) 543-7372.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM
Three photos by David Clements of Royal Oak – "Packard Motor Car Company," "We Tote the Note" and "Wheels of Detroit" – have been selected to document older auto manufacturers and the advent of the used car lots at the "Motor City Exhibition" at the museum in Detroit's Cultural Center. The 100th anniversary of automotive manufacturing is celebrated with a new $2 million permanent exhibit explaining how auto manufacturing evolved in Detroit, and providing a glimpse of the Motor City in the 21st century and how the industry has shaped metro Detroit's landscape.

DOS MANOS
The gallery at 210 W. Sixth, Royal Oak shows folk art of Latin America, including high-fire ceramics and dinnerware from Mexico, handcrafted "oil drum art" from Haiti, earrings and jewelry from Peru and Mexico, colorful "arpillera" tapestries from Chile and miniature scenes called "retablos" by Nicario Jimenez of Peru; (810) 542-5856.

FAITH GALLERY
A photographic exhibit of Michelangelo continues at 315 Center, Royal Oak; (810) 541-3979.

FIELD ART STUDIO
Paintings and prints by Constance Powell and freeform silver jewelry by Lola Sonnenschein featured at 24242 Woodward, Pleasant Ridge; (810) 399-1320.

GALERIE BLU
For its May show, the gallery is featuring original and limited edition by Romero Britto, an artist recognized for his contributions to the Absolut Vodka advertising campaign. Located at 568 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 594-0472.

GALLERY ANIMATO
Vintage and contemporary animation cells and drawings from animated film classics are featured at 574 N. Woodward in Birmingham; (810) 644-8312.

GALLERY NIKKO
Colorful hand-crafted gift items, home accessories and wearables. Located at 470 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (810) 647-0680.

GALLERY SHAANTI
The gallery at 361 E. Maple in Birmingham features arts and crafts of India. Call (810) 647-9202.

GROSSE POINTE GALLERY
Still life oil painting monoprints by Anna Jaap at 19869 Mack, Grosse Pointe Woods; (313) 884-0100.

HAIG GALLERIES
The gallery at 311 Main in Rochester specializes in ancient, Asian and tribal arts. Call (810) 656-3759.

JANE SPEAKS MODERN ART
The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, is the only one in Michigan that shows video and installation art exclusively. Call (810) 334-6038.

KAPUT KAPOT
The ceramic studios, which recently opened at 151 S. Bates, Birmingham, feature ready-made bisqueware. Paint freehand or use the studios' stencils, glazes and sponges. Call (810) 594-8423.

THE LOCAL SCENE
More than 30 artists help make the recently opened store at 425-1/2 Main, above King's Bikes in Rochester, offer a range of items from jewelry to furniture; (810) 651-4690.

LUDA ART GALLERY
The gallery at 103-B E. Fourth, Rochester, presents for the first time a completely new collection of paintings of nudes by artist Luda Tcherniak; (810) 652-7052.

MARCIA CLEMENT ART STUDIO
The studio at 4417 S. Commerce Road in Commerce Township provides a variety of art classes for students of all ages and abilities, and one- or two-day workshops. Preregistrater, call (810) 360-1216.

METROPOLITAN CENTER FOR THE CREATIVE ARTS
"Images 8," by photographers Mark Glenn, Elayne Gross, Michael Jones, Rob Kangas, Loraine Meyers, Julio Perazza, Carole Rich and Pam Aldred-Schofield, at 6911 E. Lafayette, Detroit; (313) 259-2400.

MOORE GALLERY
Presentation of internationally renowned contemporary African art with ancient traditional tribal roots. Located at 304 Hamilton Row, Birmingham; (810) 647-4662.

NATIVE WEST GALLERY
Handcrafted American artwork from the Southwest, including sculpture, pottery, sandpainting and fine sterling silver jewelry. Located at 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Call (313) 455-8838.

NEXT GALLERY
The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Suite 102, Pontiac, offers contemporary art at its best for $1,000 or less. Call (810) 334-6038.

NEXT STEP STUDIOS
New works in clay by Kaiser Suidan, Rick Pruckler and Carolyn Wilson are exhibited at 477 W. Marshall, Ferndale. The studio is a collaborative effort by the three established artists; (810) 414-7050.

OBJECTS OF ART
The gallery at 6243 Orchard Lake Road, just north of Maple in West Bloomfield, presents an unusual and eclectic collection of art to wear. Pieces include glass, metal sculptures, clay statues; (810) 539-3332.

ON THE MOVE
7th Generation Studios Inc. has moved its Troy-based photography and digital imaging studio to 206 Walnut Blvd. in downtown Rochester. Works of core artists Jeff Lapossy-Gaydash, Daniel Eller and Lisa Alfelt are on display. The 3-1/2-year-old company offers commercial and fine art photographic services with a strong emphasis in digital technology; (810) 651-2116.

PIERRE BITTAR GALLERY
Impressionist painter Pierre Bittar original oil paintings of local Detroit area landmarks depict Birmingham, Bloomfield and Grosse Pointe. Paintings from northern Michigan, France and the Caribbean Islands are also displayed. Located at 296 W. Maple, Birmingham; (810) 433-9917.

PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY GALLERY
The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, features the local talent of Michigan Glass Guild members displaying blown, fused and flat glass sculpture, decorative and architectural items. Call (810) 332-6619.

THE POSTER GALLERY
The gallery on the main floor of the Fisher Building in Detroit presents an eclectic mixture of art and artists, classic one-of-a-kind posters and unusual art offerings, including original works by three of Detroit's own African-American artists – Walter "Rap" Bailey, Joseph Dobbins Sr. and Mwanza. Call (313) 875-5211.

ROCKCITY ART GALLERY
The gallery at 108 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, features original concert posters, handbills, postcards, original art work and T-shirts. Buy, sell or trade. Call (810) 584-2266.

ROOM WITH A VIEW
The photography salon at 803 N. Main, Royal Oak, features vintage and modern works. Vintage prints dating from the '20s focus on fashion to industrial images, including works by Alfred Cheney Johnson, George Hurrell, De Mijian, Hommel, Eduard Steichen and Edward Quigley. Contemporary photographers include Lisa Spindler, Michael Edwards; Rodney Smith and Tom Van Dyke; (810) 548-1446.

RUSSELL KLATT GALLERY
The gallery at 1467 S. Woodward, Birmingham shows European original and reproduction oil paintings. Renoir's festive "The Boating Party" and Cot's romantic "The Storm" are two of the reproductions now on display; (810) 647-6655.

SIEGEL'S DELI
A show of acrylics and pastels by Bloomfield Township artist Suzanne Bauman at 3426 E. West Maple, one-half block west of Haggerty in Commerce; (810) 926-9555.

SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY
Tiles, platters, bowls and sculptural figures by Laurie Eisenhardt through April 30. Located at 26000 Evergreen Road in the Southfield Civic Center; (810) 948-0470.

SPIRIT IN THE PARK GALLERY
The gallery at 635 Beaubien, near Greektown in Detroit (formerly in Harmonie Park), features an ongoing exhibit of paintings, drawings, batiks, masks, textiles and quilts from local, national and international artists. Call (313) 965-4919.

THE SPORTS GALLERY
The sports memorabilia specialty store at 269 S. Woodward, Birmingham, showcases items including autographed photos from such professional athletes as Grant Hill, Barry Sanders and Ted Williams, as well as jerseys, lithographs, baseballs, bats, footballs, basketballs and display cases. Call (810) 642-0044.

STEWART AND STEWART
Printer and publisher of fine art prints have released four new woodblock prints by Keiko Hara. Located at 5571 Wing Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills. Call (810) 626-5248.

WILD WING
"Harvest Moon Ball" by Terry Redlin available at the Birmingham gallery, 155 S. Bates. In Redlin's latest paintings, a dozen vignettes showing the transitional America of the 1920s and 1930s are presented; (810) 645-2266.

WOODWARD GALLERY
The gallery at 1357 Davis in Birmingham sells limited edition series of photographs of jazz legends Miles Davis and Dizzy Gillespie. Original prints and paintings by more than 300 artists, an unusual collection of sports photos and posters, and vintage photos and newspaper articles; (810) 642-1357.

OBSERVER & ECCENTRIC GUIDE TO THE MOVIES

General Cinemas

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Novi Town Center 8
Novi Rd. South of I-96
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Advance same-day tickets available

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682-1900
Sat. & Sun. only All Seats $1.50 before 6 pm

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FARGO (R)
SUN:5:00

National Amusements Showcase Cinemas

Showcase Auburn Hills 1-14
2150 N. Opdyke Rd.
Between University & Walton Blvd
810-373-2660
Bargain Matinees Daily.
All Shows until 6 pm
Continuous Shows Daily
Late Shows Fri. Sat.
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Showcase Dearborn 1-8
Michigan & Telegraph
313-561-3449
Bargain Matinees Daily.
All Shows until 6 pm.
Continuous Shows Daily
Late Shows Fri. & Sat.

THRU THURSDAY

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Showcase Pontiac 1-5
Telegraph-Sq. Lake Rd. W Side of Telegraph
810-332- 0241
Bargain Matinees Daily
• All Shows Until 6 pm
Continuous Shows Daily
Late Shows Fri. & Sat.
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Showcase Pontiac 6-12
2405 Telegraph Rd. East side of Telegraph
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DONNIE BRASCO (R)
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SELENA (R)
4:40

Quo Vadis
Warren & Wayne Rds
313-425-7700
Bargain Matinees Daily
All Shows Until 6 pm
Continuous Shows Daily
LATE SHOWS FRIDAY & SATURDAY
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6800 Wayne Rd.,
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313-729-1060
Bargain Matinees Daily
All Shows Until 6 pm
Continuous Shows Daily
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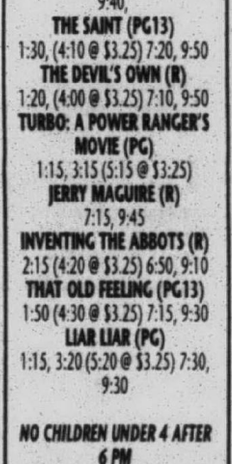

Concert features American Boychoir

Throughout the western world, boys choirs uphold centuries-old choral traditions. This Friday at the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, the American Boychoir will make their case as one of the world's leading choral groups spreading the influence of American folk songs, spirituals and classics.

"They are not only an international performing group with extremely high standards, they've performed at major choral festivals around the world," said Mark Wickens, musical director at the church. The group last appeared at the church three years ago.

Last year, the choir, the Kronos quartet and the New York Philharmonic represented the U.S. in the 1996 Cultural Capitol of Europe Festival in Denmark. They also can be heard regularly on PBS specials, movie soundtracks and commercials. The group recently signed as exclusive artists with Angel Records.

According to Wickens, the American Boychoir is the only chorale group of its kind that isn't affiliated with a church. The group of 30 boys are students at the American Boychoir School in Princeton, NJ. Music director James Litton is one of the best known choral conductors and a specialist in children's choral techniques.

Choral group: *The American Boychoir will perform Friday at the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham.*

The choir will perform a concert in three section:

- Great choral works of Mozart and Brahms.
- Songs from many nations, including South African and Germany.
- American songs and spirituals.

While there are no local singers in the choir, auditions will be held immediately after the concert for boys in grades five through eight.

In concert

What: American Boychoir Concert

When: 8 p.m.Friday, April 18.

Where: First Presbyterian Church, 1669 West Maple, Birmingham

Tickets: $15, adults; $10, senior citizens; $8, students; (810) 644-2040.

Meadow Brook plans to exhibit DIA collection

BY FRANK PROVENZANO
STAFF WRITER

Although details are currently being negotiated, the Meadow Brook Gallery and the Detroit Institute of Arts expect pieces from the museum's 20th-century collection to appear in a fall exhibit at Oakland University.

"It's the best scenario for our gallery and Oakland County," said Debra Watson, acting curator of the Meadow Brook Gallery. "This brings the DIA to residents in the northern part of the county."

Before pieces from the collection are selected, however, the gallery must come up with funding for an extensive renovation. Birmingham architect Michael Willoughby's plans for a major reconfiguration of lighting, environmental control and new security system are currently being considered. The gallery, located across from the Meadow Brook Theatre, has not been modified since it opened 30 years ago, said Watson.

Apparently, funding to cover the renovation will not be allocated from the gallery's operating budget, but from a broader university building fund. In the next ten days, the gallery and the university's department of art history will discuss plans for collaborative use of the new space, and offer financing plans for the expanded gallery. Watson would not speculate on the cost for the renovation.

Many pieces from the DIA's impressive 20th-century collection became available because of the installation of the "Splendors of Egypt" exhibit, which opens in mid July. To make room for that enormous exhibit, the DIA's permanent 20th century collection was de-installed. Many pieces will be either kept in storage or available for outside exhibits.

"Since the collection is coming down, we thought it would be a good time to share many of the master pieces with smaller museums around the state," said MaryAnn Wilkinson, acting curator of 20th-century art.

For many years, the DIA had a statewide program to loan pieces to local museums. But in the early 1990s, that program was one of the many eliminated as state funding to the DIA was cut drastically.

Recently, the Dennos Center Museum in Traverse City announced a major show featuring pieces from the DIA collection. The exhibit, on the campus of Northwestern Michigan College, is scheduled for the fall.

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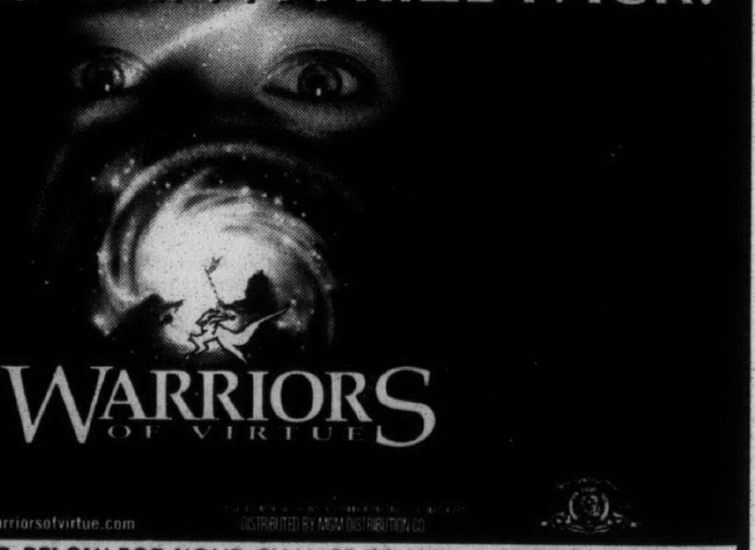

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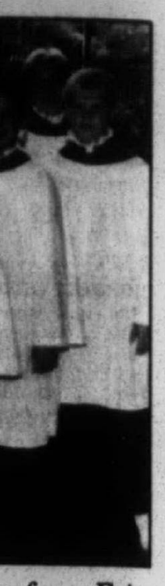

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BORDERS (BIRMINGHAM)
Dr. Judy McKee will present a selection of poetry books and material for children 3-11 years old, 2-3 p.m. today; poet Janet Lawless offers tips on poetry writing, 3-4 p.m. today; Margo Lagattuta leads a Sunday writers workshop, 6:30 p.m. today; therapist Jerome Price discusses and signs his book "Power and Compassion: Working with Difficult Adolescents and Abued Parents," 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 16; untranslated poetry night, 7 p.m. Thursday, April 17; Leon Pettiway discusses and signs "Honey, Honey, Miss Thang," 3 p.m. Saturday, April 19 at the store, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (810)644-1515.

POET'S READING
Award-winning poet, scholar and activist Sonia Sanchez will be guest speaker/reader at Cranbrook Schools' annual Emily Fisher Lecture, 7 p.m. Thursday, April 17, Kingswood Auditorium, 1221 N. Woodward. For information, 810-645-3492.

BARNES & NOBLE (NORTHVILLE)
Corduroy Bear in person 3 p.m. today for a special story time; storyteller Anne reads Audrey Woods "The Napping House," 11 a.m. Wednesday, April 16; "Another Monster at the End of the Book" is the story time topic 3 p.m. Saturday, April 19 at the store 1711 Haggerty Road, 810-348-0696.

COOPERSMITH
Former Livonia resident Tom Grace will sign his new spy novel "Spyder Web," 6-8 p.m. Friday, April 18, at the store at Laurel Park Place Mall, Six Mile and Newburgh, Livonia.

BARNES AND NOBLE BOOKSELLERS (WEST BLOOMFIELD)
Young readers learn about water through Thomas Locker's "Water Dance," 10 a.m. Monday, April 14, and 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 15; "Whose Choice is it Anyway?: Jewish Principles on Abortion" discussed by Rabbi Leonardo Bitran, 7 p.m. April 15; dietician Gail Posner discusses "Dining Out Healthy," 10:30 a.m. Thursday, April 17; "Aunt Flossie's Hats (and Crab Cakes Later)," by Elizabeth Howard is the topic 10 a.m. Monday, April 21 and 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 22; "How to Help Students Succeed in the Classroom" discussed by Geraldine Markel and Judith Greenbaum, 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 23 at the store, 6800 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. (810) 626-6804.

MURDER, MYSTERY AND MAYHEM
"The Mystery Mavens," a group of mystery fans, discuss "Strong Poison," by Dorothy L. Sayers, 7 p.m. Thursday, May 22, at the store, 35167 Grand River, Farmington. (810) 471-7210

BORDERS BOOKS AND MUSIC (DEARBORN)
Samantha Kingsley discusses and signs her book "Sands & Shores," 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 15; Virginia Hamilton, reception and book signing, author of Newberry winning "M.C.-Higgins the Great," 7:30 p.m. Saturday, April 26, at the store, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. (313) 271-4441

HALFWAY DOWN THE STAIRS
Cafe Halfway Poetry Reading, 7:30 p.m. Friday, April 25, invites people to read their own poems or their favorite poets. Free tickets available April 19 (4th to 6th graders); storyteller Linda Day leads a group in participation stories 11 a.m. Saturday, May 3 at the store 114 E. Fourth St., Rochester, MI 48307.

Vivid memory sparks Detroit book

BY HUGH GALLAGHER
STAFF WRITER

It was a disturbing but memorable fifth birthday for Tom Sugrue in the summer of 1967.

"I grew up in a middle class neighborhood in northwest Detroit," Sugrue said. "One of my earliest and most vivid memories was watching National Guard vehicles – Jeeps, tanks, personnel carriers – going down Fenkell, a half mile from my house on my fifth birthday. It was pretty exciting for a 5-year-old."

In a four year period, Sugrue's neighborhood went from all white to all black and Sugrue's family joined the white exodus to the suburbs, settling into Farmington Township (now Farmington Hills). In 1980 Sugrue graduated from Birmingham Brother Rice.

The memory of that fifth birthday has continued to nag at Sugrue's mind. Now an assistant professor of history at the University of Pennsylvania, Sugrue has written a thought-provoking book on Detroit that challenges conventional wisdom and marshals a wealth of information to do so.

"The Origins of the Urban Crisis: Race and Inequality in Postwar Detroit" (Princeton University Press, $35, 375 pp) argues that Detroit's problems did not begin with the race riot of 1967 or the administration of Mayor Coleman Young. It began during Detroit's boom years of the late 1940s and 1950s and is the result of a confluence of causes.

"Because of my experience growing up in Detroit I've had a long interest in cities and trying to understand the things I witnessed," Sugrue said during a recent visit home.

"After my long sojourn through universities I decided to come back to study Detroit."

Sugrue did his undergraduate work at Columbia, studied in Europe for two years and did graduate work at Harvard. It was time working at Washington's Brookings Institution that Sugrue began to study Detroit's problems. At the heart of those problems in racism.

"We have to draw a distinction between racial beliefs and racial practices," Sugrue said. "One could define racism as thinking negative thoughts about people of another race. I would define it as acting on those thoughts in practice. Of acting in ways that reinforce racial inequality."

Sugrue argues that three forces converged during the '50s. First, despite what seemed like a booming auto economy, industrialization was actually in decline. Jobs were being automated out of existence and/or companies were leaving for less expensive areas. Between 1954 and 1960, the city lost more than 80,000 jobs..

The second force was "persistent racial discrimination in the work place."

"If you were white and got laid off, there were lots of companies to hire you," Sugrue said. "If you were black, they wouldn't let you set a foot in the door. Whole sections of the city's economy was closed to African Americans."

Black workers were often given the most distasteful and dangerous jobs that white workers could refuse. Also, black workers weren't able to pick up and move with the job, certainly not to the racially divided South that they had left.

The third force was racial segregation in housing. Real estate practices and violent reaction by whites created an explosive housing situation.

The Detroit Real Estate Board actually had a Code of Ethics that prohibited selling a home in a white neighborhood to a black family. Racial steering was considered ethically preferable to "block busting."

Sugrue writes that many real estate agents, especially black agents like James Del Rio, would deliberately move a black family into a white neighborhood to foster racial integration. But other, unscrupulous agents, would move a black family in and then fan the fears of white homeowners to create panic selling. This proved very lucrative to real estate agents and very destructive to the city because it drove out a solid middle class economic base.

"Racial prejudices were aggravated by tactics of real estate agents with devastating consequences," Sugrue said.

"Folks like my parents were besieged by real estate brokers who sowed the seeds of fear and made lots of money for it."

Sugrue argues that what happened to Detroit has also happened to other urban centers. He said even places like Chicago, with its vital and exciting downtown and North Michigan Avenue, are beset by the same racial tensions, separations and economic inequality.

"When you look at poverty, unemployment, low paying jobs – they hold true for every Eastern and Midwestern city," he said. "When you get past the downtown, you find striking and depressing similarities between those cities and ours."

Sugrue's book also examines the role of highway development and how freeways in the city were deliberately plowed through the black business district of the ironically named Paradise Valley.

"The big story of what happened is that federal government policy subsidized suburbanization," Sugrue said. "We forget about that, that Livonia and Farmington were made possible by big government."

Sugrue argues that the answer to the urban crisis is job creation and job training. He said Detroit prospered because jobs created upward mobility and stability for the working class and a growing middle class.

He parts company with conservative black writers such as Thomas Sowell who argue that blacks need to take the most responsibility for the condition of America's cities.

"We're all in the same boat and the success and failure of Detroit has consequences for blacks living in the inner city and for whites, working class, middle class and wealthy living in the suburbs," he said.

"It we don't take collective responsibility we'll have to live with the dire consquences of our neglect."

Guest brings resonance to family drama 'Errands'

VITCTORIA DIAZ

"Errands," by Judith Guest (Ballantine Books, $25, 335 pp.)

Life, of course can appear ridiculous; sometimes, death seems even more so. How to make sense, for instance, of the untimely passing of someone beloved who is snatched away forever, leaving a young family stunned with pain and a sorrow that seems beyond expression?

This is what Judith Guest's principal characters wrestle with in this story that echoes to an extent her stunning debut novel of nearly 20 years ago, "Ordinary People." There, a young, suburban family struggles to come to terms with the drowning of a beloved son and brother. Here, a similar family faces the death of a husband and father. (Even some of Guest's characters in "Errands" appear to have seen another life in the earlier books.)

Judith Guest

Here, as in "Ordinary People," Guest brings compelling resonance and texture to the minutiae of daily life. From futile job interviews, to car trips with bickering kids, to peanut butter sandwiches and lumpy beds in lakeside summer cottages, she weaves it all together and plays it out against a tapestry of cosmic proportions. Much of its appeal lies in the fact that, on these pages, we often find ourselves and our own disorderly lives. Michigan readers will identify, especially since the action occurs in or near such familiar hangouts as Metropolitan Beach, Farmer Jack's, Telegraph Road, the Lake Huron shore, Beaumont Hospital, et. al.

Keith Browner is a pleasant, middle-aged man who teaches English at a Detroit-area high school. He has been married to Annie ("so intense, she dazzled him") for 17 years. And they are the parents of Harry, Jimmy and Julie. He is also a Little League coach, a "lover of jazz, bridge, poetry. Snow shoveler, Gardener. Carpenter." As this story begins, he and his family are bound for the small cottage they have rented for six summers now. It lies just a bit north of Bay City.

Keith Browner, we soon learn, is dying of inoperable brain cancer. Presented with this startling fact about such a vividly depicted character, a reader might at first assume this is a story about Keith Browner and his dying. But it isn't that. "Errands" is the story of his family and their survival.

In the center spotlight is his widow, Annie, former Hopwood recipient, Phi Beta Kappa, capable wife and mother, who abhors disorder and insists on a kind of "manageability" in life, when there simply will be none. Then 13-year-old Harry, who, after his father's death, secludes himself either in repellent behavior or "silence that presses against doors and windows like a suffocating tent." And 9-year-old Julie, articulating what may be what all modern mortals feel at some time: "I wish when people died, it would turn out they were just on some other channel." While Jimmy, between the two, tries to impose peace on his unwieldy surroundings, searching for answers in the magic of words and strange books like "Secrets of the Druids."

Some of Guest's secondary characters shine through. Harry's fellow adolescent, Rex Beers, his gold earring aglitter, is somehow sinister and subtly pathetic at once. Involved in a troubled romantic subplot, Annie's sister, Jess, lends support, offers up peanut butter kisses and a bit of fun when it's sorely needed. Keith's mother, Nell, is an odd, shadowy reminder of the grieving mother in "Ordinary People."

You might say that the problems in this Job-like story turn out to be a problem. Guest's characters – especially Annie – suffer so much that the novel not only loses some of its plausibility but almost seems faintly ludicrous at times. Insult is added to injury after injury and salt heaped into already festering, terrible wounds.

On Top of unemployment, money troubles, feelings of guilt, work problems, sliding grades, truancy, loneliness, physical and mental exhaustion, rejection and a frightening disappearance on a sleet-filled night, a pet is run down on a day that is so cold, Harry must pour boiling water on the frozen ground before he can begin to dig the small grave. Add to that the theft of a treasured item. Add to that, more than one harrowing accident. Add to that, Annie comes down with a case of the shingles.

Guest's brisk pacing, graceful prose and deftly drawn characters move the novel ever forward, though, making "Errands" difficult to let go of, despite some over-heavy burdens. The author's knowledge and eloquence in regard to the hearts of today's children is truly singular.

Judith Guest will speak at noon Thursday at the Fox Hills Country Club at a Friends of the Libraries (Plymouth, Canton, Northville and Novi) Author Luncheon sponsored by The Observer and Hometown newspapers. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

Victoria Diaz is a Livonia free lance writer who frequently reviews books for the Observer & Eccentric.

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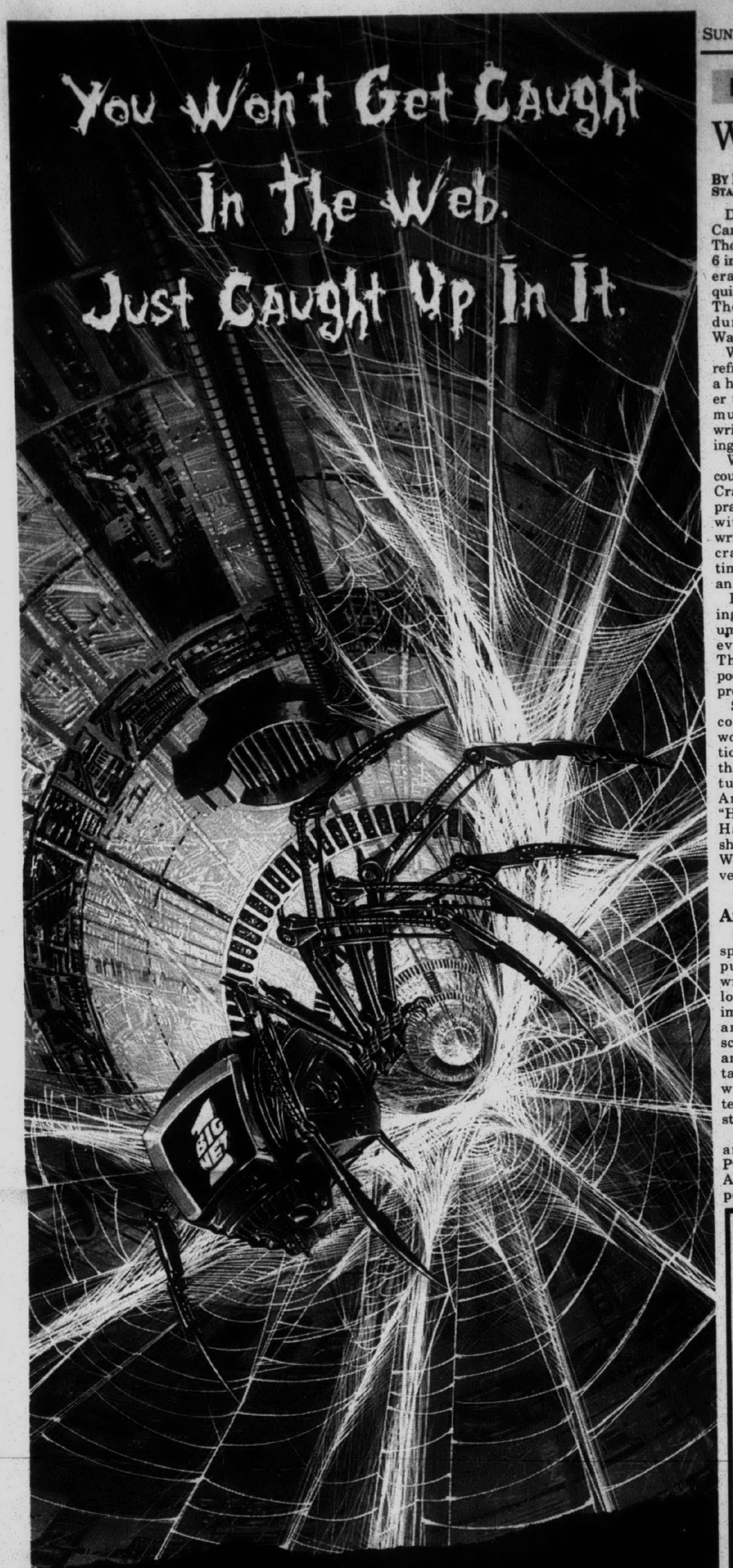

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FINE ARTS

Writers retreat conjures up Walden Pond

BY FRANK PROVENZANO
STAFF WRITER

During the writing of "You Can't Go Home Again," novelist Thomas Wolfe, who stood 6-feet, 6 inches, used the top of a refrigerator as a writing desk. Not quite like the romantic image of Thoreau swatting mosquitoes during his utopian stint on Walden Pond.

Whether humming along to refrigerator sounds, or sitting in a hut, writers have yet to uncover the Holy Grail of the literary muse. Yet for many aspiring writers, the romance of the writing life persists.

Well, in a twist of fate that could be turned into a first novel, Cranbrook Schools is offering a practical path to the writing life with its first-ever retreat for writers, July 7 to August 8. Procrastinators beware. Finding time to write may no longer be an excuse.

Before the anecdotes start flying about the travails and triumphs of famous authors, however, Cranbrook is billing Thursday's lecture by poet/activist Sonia Sanchez as a precursor to the summer retreat.

Sanchez, who taught the first course on African-American women, will read from a selection of her 13 books as part of their annual Emily Fisher Lecture. Sanchez won the 1995 American Book Award for "Homecoming, Homegirls and Hand Grenades." Currently, she's a professor of English and Women's Studies at Temple University.

'Writing is a private experience. People need reassurances that writing can clarify what they're thinking and feeling.'

Tom Murdock

Art of storytelling

Set amid the rolling hills of the sprawling Bloomfield Hills campus, the Cranbrook's summer writing retreat offers 32 week-long workshops taught by an impressive range of poets, fiction and nonfiction writers, and screenwriters. Now that finding an inspiring location has been taken care of, the other side of writing will be addressed – the technique of crafting poetry and storytelling.

Among the workshop teachers are Alan Dugan, winner of a Pulitzer Prize and National Book Award for his collection of poems; Sandra McPherson, a recent National Book Award nominee who gained prominence for appearing in the PBS special, "The Language of Life with Bill Moyers"; and Bill Phillips, whose screenwriting credits include "El Diablo," which won the Ace Award for Best Screenplay.

To add a dramatic sense of destiny to the retreat, Joshua Henkin will teach a midsummer short story workshop. Henkin's first novel, "Swimming Across the Hudson," published by Putnam, was released this week. The story of two adopted brothers coming to terms with their Jewish heritage has been praised by Publishers Weekly and Kirkus. In the next several weeks, reviews are expected in The New York Times Book Review, LA Times and Washington Post.

With the same agent who represents literary legend Kurt Vonnegut and Amy Tan, Henkin may soon gain the attention of a broad public. The success hasn't come easily, he said. "You have to be patient and persevere," said Henkin.

"There's a tendency to be to eager. You should only send out your work when the time is right," he said. "The simple enjoyment of writing should be enough. But you have to remember that effortless writing takes years and years to develop."

Henkin, who is also a writing consultant in Ann Arbor, will sign copies of his latest book at Borders in Birmingham on April 24.

Just write all the time

Cranbrook's program was started by English teachers Georgialee Scott and Tom Murdock, who designed the workshop after a writers retreat he established for the Fine Arts Works Center in Provincetown, Mass.

"If you want to write, then you have to write all the time and be around people who have written successfully," said Murdock.

Cranbrook's inaugural retreat is one of the increasing number of writing programs in the country. Six years ago, according to Murdock, the only reputable retreat was sponsored by the University of Iowa. Today, there are about 20 workshops, typically organized to coincide with summer breaks.

Based on early responses to the retreat, Murdock expects a range of writers, from scribblers to scribers to "people who have thought about writing and want to do something about it."

For those who attend the retreat, expect to no longer use the line about not having enough time to write. If there's a place in the region that'll inspire the mysterious muse, it's the Cranbrook campus.

"Writing is a private experience," said Murdock. "People need reassurances that writing can clarify what they're thinking and feeling. The pace of our culture keeps us from thoughtfulness and writing."

With the Cranbrook retreat providing the space and time to write, writers only need to figure out what to say and how to say it.

Notable

What: Sonia Sanchez Reading: Cranbrook Schools Annual Emily Fisher Lecture
When: 7 p.m. Thursday, April 17.
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FINE ARTS

Eisenhower Dance Ensemble storms beachhead of dance

BY FRANK PROVENZANO
STAFF WRITER

It's only appropriate that Laurie Eisenhower is inspired by two of the last untamed American frontiers: the Arizona desert and dance. What rain provides to the barren Southwest basin, Eisenhower's innovative choreography is bringing to the parched regional dance community.

Two of her latest incantatory dances will premier this Friday when the Eisenhower Dance Ensemble performs its season-ending concert at the Macomb Center for Performing Arts. Aptly entitled, "Premieres," the concert features four new works in a six-piece show that runs from traditional to modern, comedic to dramatic dance.

Of the new dances, Eisenhower's "Catharsis," inspired by Philip Glass' "Heroes Symphony," represents both her avant-garde leanings and the Rochester Hills company's basic outreach philosophy. The dance includes the six-member ensemble and an additional eight dancers from the community.

Yet a week before the curtain goes up, the full assembly of 14 dancers was holding their first of only four rehearsals. It might be enough to drive many choreographers to resort to recharting disco steps. But not the determined Eisenhower.

"I have some anxiety about the piece coming together, but I'm confident because of the (quality of) dancers," she said. "I've had concerts where I've choreographed the day of the show."

That kind of poise might be common to most highly disciplined dancers. But it also reflects the independent attitude forged from growing up amid endless miles of sand and stark natural beauty in Arizona. For Friday's concert, Eisenhower, who teaches dance at Oakland University, will also present her comedic dance, "Your Arizona, My Arizona." The piece is based on what she calls the misperceptions of westerners as wild cowboys with a shoot 'em up mentality.

Her satirical ode to Arizona draws on mime and humorous contrasts among dance moves, she said. It's performed as an old-time movie plays on a screen adjacent to the stage. "I want everyone to participate in the dance, so I added a few new touches that involve the audience in more than one way," she said.

Breaking down what is known in theater as "the fourth wall" – the perception that the audience is not part of the staged performance – is one of the ways that Eisenhower has distinguished her choreography.

"Laurie has taught me that there has to be something going on in your heart when you're performing," said Jodi Reneaud, of Troy who is one of the eight community dancers to perform in Eisenhower's "Catharsis."

A former student of Eisenhower's who now dances with the Detroit Dance Collective, Reneaud said Eisenhower has an edge on other choreographers because of her versatility and drive. "Dancers definitely want to know when she's auditioning for the ensemble," said Reneaud.

After working for Pilobolus Dance Theatre and David Parsons in New York, Eisenhower went back to Arizona State where she earned a masters degree in dance. Eleven years ago, she arrived to teach dance on the faculty at Oakland University. Then in 1991, she began blending contemporary dance for a versatile ensemble of former dance students and colleagues.

The challenge, of course, was even bigger than establishing a nonprofit arts organization at a time when public funding was being cut drastically. "Dance is a tough sell everywhere in the country," said Eisenhower. "For some reason, there's an attitude that ballet, opera and dance aren't 'cool.'"

For anyone who can appreciate Barry Sanders stepping magically through a defense, Grant Hill going airborne for a slam dunk or Steve Yzerman pirouetting to escape a defender, the sheer athleticism required for modern dancers could be simply summed up in two words – definitely cool.

Dancin' in Motown

"Dancers want to make it work right here in Detroit," said Eisenhower. The reality, however, is that it's nearly impossible to "dance for living" in this area.

To its credit, EDE is the only regional dance company in Michigan that provides regular rehearsal and performance pay for its versatile ensemble, which includes: Gregory Patterson, Anne Bak, Jacquelene Pierce, Darby Wilde, David Genson and Stephanie Pizzo, a founding member and Rochester resident.

Two summers ago, Eisenhower opened the EDE Center in downtown Pontiac. Teachers at the center cover all types of dance, from ballroom to ballet.

This past year, EDE performed 10 concerts on a touring schedule that took them from metro Detroit to the northern Michigan, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and New York. Along the way, they held 20 lecture-presentations for students around the state.

"The NEA is not supporting Creative Artists Grants in Dance," said Eisenhower. "If you're going to get government funding, you have to prove a service to the community."

After the Macomb Center performance, EDE will travel to the Kalamazoo Middle School District for a month of performances and lectures.

In a much-awaited piece in their upcoming Friday concert, EDE will perform a dance by internationally known choreographer Mel Wong, whose work was financed by a grant from the McGregor Fund. Wong is a former dancer with the Merce Cunningham Dance Company and director of the Mel Wong Dance Company in New York.

The company will also perform Eisenhower's new collaboration with Michigan composer Karl Boelter. The piece features dancers creating part of the live music by making different sounds through the downstage sensor pads.

As the dancers stretch and shake their limbs to ward off nervous tension before Friday's concert, Eisenhower will be going over plans right up to the opening curtain. "The last three years have been spectacular," she said. "As long as we keep performing, we'll continue to grow."

With a name like Eisenhower, it's only natural that she appear very much like a General.

Dance Card

What: "Premieres," six dance works by the Eisenhower Dance Ensemble
When: 8 p.m. Friday, April 18; 10 a.m. Thursday, April 17, family matinee program.
Where: Macomb Center for Performing Arts, M-59 East, one mile east of Lakeside Mall on southwest corner of Hall and Garfield Roads.
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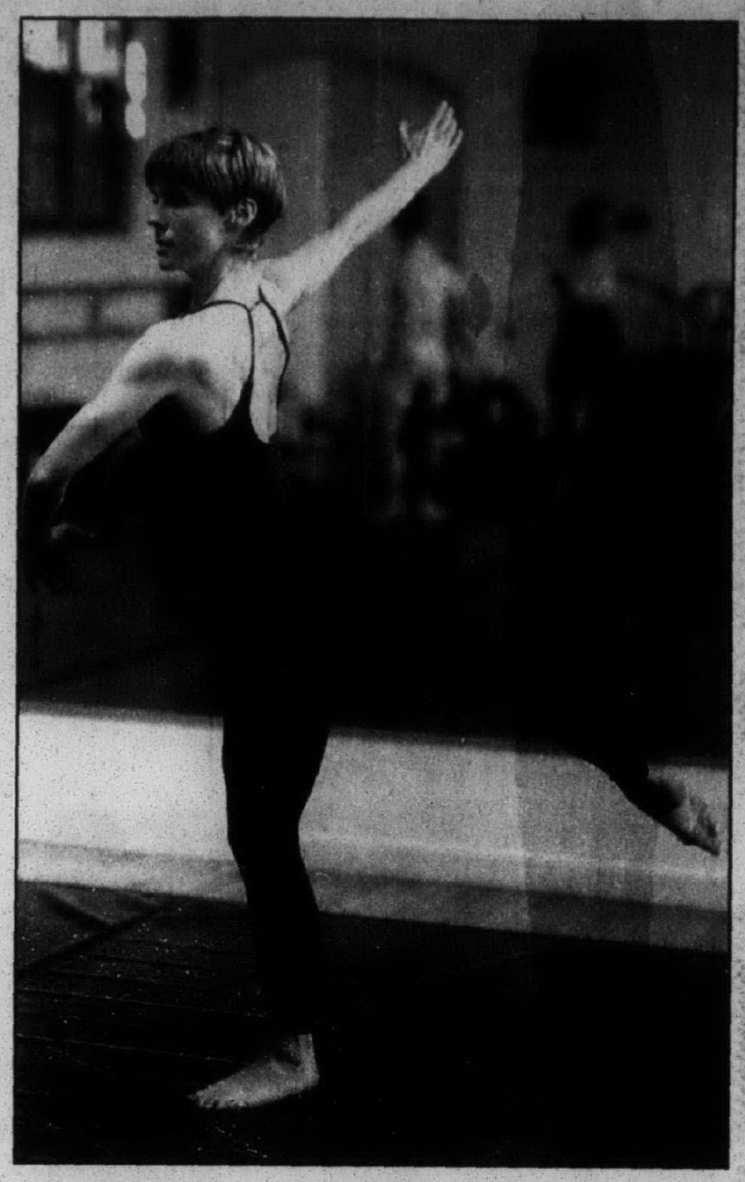

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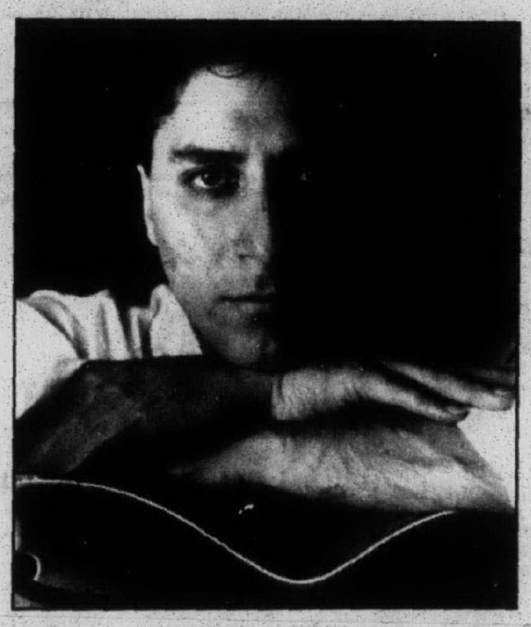
Traditional meets modern: *Darby Wilde of Ann Arbor, a member of the Eisenhower Dance Ensemble, rehearses for the company's upcoming concert at the Macomb Center for Performing Arts.*

WSU honors three suburban arts advocates



Honoree: *Musician Joseph LoDuca of Bloomfield Hills will receive an arts achievement awards along with sculptor Sergio DeGuisti of Redford.*

Three suburban residents have been named recipients of Wayne State University's Arts Achievement Awards.

This year's art advocate award goes to Louis Redstone of Southfield, founder and retired chairman of Redstone Tisea Architects. Meanwhile, arts achievement awards will be given to sculptor Sergio DeGuisti of Redford, and musician Joseph LoDuca of Bloomfield Hills.

The awards program is part of WSU's annual "Celebration of the Arts." The award ceremony will be 4 p.m. Thursday, April 17 in Old Main on the WSU campus. There is no charge. For more information, call (313) 577-2150. The event coincides with the Old Main centennial celebration weekend April 17-20, which marks the building's reopening after a $45.8 million renovation.

Redstone immigrated to Detroit from Palestine in the early 1920s. His firm has been honored for integrating art into architecture. Some of his firms significant designs are the International Terminal at Detroit Metro Wayne County Airport, Comerica executive offices in the Renaissance Center, and the River House Apartments along the Detroit River.

A 1993 recipient of the Governor's Civic Leadership Award for his contributions to the arts, Redstone also holds the Gold Medal of the Michigan Society of Architects.

A longtime artist, DeGuisti's sculptures have been exhibited throughout North America and in Europe. His work appeared at the DIA, Smithsonian Institution, Council of Cultural Affairs in Stockholm and the British Museum in London.

On the WSU campus, DeGuisti created a bronze relief for the Law School Building and a large bronze figure of Gen. Anthony Wayne for the Centennial Court. DeGuisti, who was knighted by the Italian government, has taught at WSU, the Center for Creative Studies, the Bloomfield Art Association and the DIA.

Meanwhile, musician DoLuca is one of the most prolific commercial composers in the area. His credits include 10 feature films scores, 10 Emmys for television music and four Caddy awards. He also was nominated for a 1991 Clio Award for Best Music.

LoDuca composes commercials for NBC-TV, Heinz, Bell Atlantic, Ford, Jeep/Eagle and the Kmart Corp. Before his career as a film composer, he performed throughout the U.S. and Europe as a jazz artist. Among his recordings is the 1987 Grammy nominated "Nat King Cole Songbook," with vocalist Mark Murphy.

While opportunities for Redstone, DeGuisti and LoDuca often take them outside the area, they all remain local residents.

Garden City Fine Arts Association hosts exhibit and sale

The Garden City Fine Arts Association will hold its annual Spring Exhibit and Sale May 5 through May 10 at the Garden City Public Library, 2012 Middlebelt.

Meet the artists at an opening reception and awards ceremony 7 p.m. Monday, May 5. The public is invited; admission is free.

For more information call art association president Bob Sheridan at (313) 422-6400.

A regular feature of the annual show is a raffle of works donated by members. Tickets are $1 each and available at The Art Gallery, 30116 Ford Road, Sheridan Square in Garden City from noon to 5 p.m. Thursday to Saturday.

Original works of art by members of the art association will be displayed and available for purchase throughout the week, just in time to select the perfect gift for Mother's Day, Sunday May 11. For the first time, artists will display three dimensional pieces such as ceramics and sculpture as a result of a recent vote by members. Another first for the show is the that unframed art works will be available for purchase. Visitors to the show are encouraged to mark a secret ballot indicating their three favorite pieces.

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TRAVEL

Disney World warm, friendly place for families

BY HUGH GALLAGHER
STAFF WRITER

The Josephs of Canton wanted "someplace warm, someplace fun."

It took them only a week and a half to arrange what turned out to be a dream vacation to Walt Disney World in Orlando, Fla., now celebrating its 25th anniversary.

"We're very well organized," said Kathi Joseph.

Rob Joseph, who works for the Oakland County Sheriff's Department, has been off work for a year, and wanted to do something with his family – son, Benjamin, 8, and daughter, Kelsey, 5 – before returning to work.

The Josephs had taken Benjamin to Disney World for two days when he was 5 and decided it was time for a return. They made their decision in late January and the first week in February they flew down to Disney World.

They planned to meet with relatives and did some quick, but thoughtful, investigation.

"We went to a bookstore and got (Stephen) Birnbaum's 'For Kids by Kids' and his general book and sat down and read a lot to find out what was kid friendly and what wasn't," Kathi said.

The books were invaluable in helping them decide what to see, when to go to which exhibits and how to negotiate the massive entertainment complex with two children. The books have detailed and easy to follow maps.

Benjamin even created his own list of "must sees" after reading "For Kids by Kids."

On their last visit, the family stayed at a motel in Orlando. This time they stayed "in the World" at the new All-Star Music hotel.

"There is absolutely no comparison," said Kathi. "I would recommend staying inside Disney World if you can. It's especially easier with little kids. You walk right out to the shuttle buses and they drop you right at the main gate of all the attractions. You don't wait for huge lines. We even stayed until the parks closed and even then it was a lot easier."

She said that All-Star Music is one of the less expensive hotels on the property but still provided outstanding accommodations with a very solicitous staff.

The family arrived at 3:30 a.m. and the staff greeted them and found a crib.

Disney World had something for everyone in the family.

"My son liked Thunder Mountain railroad and Space Mountain. He's a real daredevil," Kathi said.

"Kelsey loved 'Small World.' We were tired of hearing that song, but she just loved it."

Rob said a "definite must see" during the 25th anniversary is the special IllumiNations 25 show at Epcot. IllumiNations is a regular part of the World experience, but this year's IllumiNations 25 has been given a special twist for the anniversary. Another anniversary twist – Cinderella's Castle has been redone as a colorful birthday cake.

The Josephs didn't spend a lot of time at Epcot, which they said is geared more to older children and adults. They divided their time between MGM, a real favorite of Rob's, and the Magic Kingdom.

They ate breakfast at the hotel, which they said was reasonably priced.

"We ate at the Crystal Palace, lunch and dinner with Winnie-the-Pooh," said Kathi. "The characters came around to each table."

The Josephs also enjoyed a dinner at Max's Grill in Disney's new "real world" Celebration City.

"I'd love to live there, a small town USA kind of setting, real clean," Kathi said.

The Josephs also suggest that visitors check out the new Rainforest Cafe which features a "tropical rainforest" and an active volcano, waterfalls, butterflies, playful primates and an occasional rain shower.

Though Disney World is notorious for its lines, the Josephs only encountered one long line, for the Tower of Terror. That required a 45 minute wait, but most attractions had lines that were less than a half hour long.

This year Walt Disney World has several events and new attractions to mark its anniversary. The Epcot International Flower & Garden Festival will run April 18 to June 1, featuring a "Celebration Garden" with a giant floral "cake."

The Disney Wide World of Sports complex opens in May. This is a 200-acre, state-of-the-art sports complex hosting more than 30 different sports.

Later this spring, Test Track will open at Epcot's Future World. This GM sponsored test-vehicle attraction sends riders through an array of manueuvers that include banking, hill climbing, braking and accelerating to high speeds.

Disney also celebrates its two most recent hit films "101 Dalmations" and "The Hunchback of Notre Dame" with special presentations.

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Castle view: *The Josephs pose before the cake decorated Cinderella's Castle, left to right, Kelsey, Kathi, Benjamin, cousin Lou Righi of Florida and Rob.*

Mickey hug: *Kelsey Joseph gets a big hug from the star of Disney World, Mickey Mouse at MGM.*

GREAT ESCAPES

Great Escapes features various travel new items. Send news leads to Hugh Gallagher, assistant managing editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.

DISCOVERY CLUB

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PISTONS CRUISE

A Caribbean cruise July 19-26 on the Norwegian Cruise Line Norway will feature several Pistons basketball players including Terry Mills, Otis Thorpe and Michael Curry and the Voice of the Pistons, George Blaha. The ship will journey its way around St. Maarten, St. John, St. Thomas and the Great Stirrup Cay. For information call Just Cruises at (800)641-TRIP or (810)680-1880.

BIRD WATCHERS

Birchwood Inn in Harbor Springs is offering a Bird Watchers Weekend Package, May 9-10. The package includes two nights lodging, two continental breakfasts, a Friday night reception, birding all day Saturday, Saturday night dinner. This event will be part of the National Bird Count. Cost is $99 per person. For information and reservations, call 1-800-530-9955.

RAGTIME TICKETS

The musical "Ragtime" has been extended for a third and final time at Toronto's Ford Centre for the Performing Arts for July 1 through Aug. 31. Tickets for the final block of tickets are now on sale. The Toronto cast will take the show to Broadway beginning Dec. 26. "Ragtime" is a musical based on E.L. Doctorow's best-selling novel about turn-of-the-century America, combining historical figures with fictional characters. For information and tickets, call (416)872-2222.

RHINE CRUISE

The Michigan State Medical Society is offering a deluxe, fully-escorted 14-day Rhine River and Heart of Europe Land and River Cruise trip with a choice of three departure dates: July 18, Aug. 22 or Sept. 5. The itinerary includes Amsterdam, Strasbourg and Paris plus a five-day Rhine River cruise through Germany. Some meals are included. Round-trip air fare from Detroit in part of the package priced at $3,475-$3,375. Vantage Deluxe World Travel is handling the program. For more information, call Vantage at (800)833-0899 and mention Michigan State Medical Society group No. 3301 or call Donna Brown at the society, (517)337-1351.

TRAVEL TO CUBA

John Holod narrates "Cuba at the Crossroads," at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 8, at the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts. The program is sponsored by DiSanto Travel Center as part of the Macomb Center's World Travel Series. Call the Macomb Center box office at (810)286-2222, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday-Friday and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. Tickets are $5.

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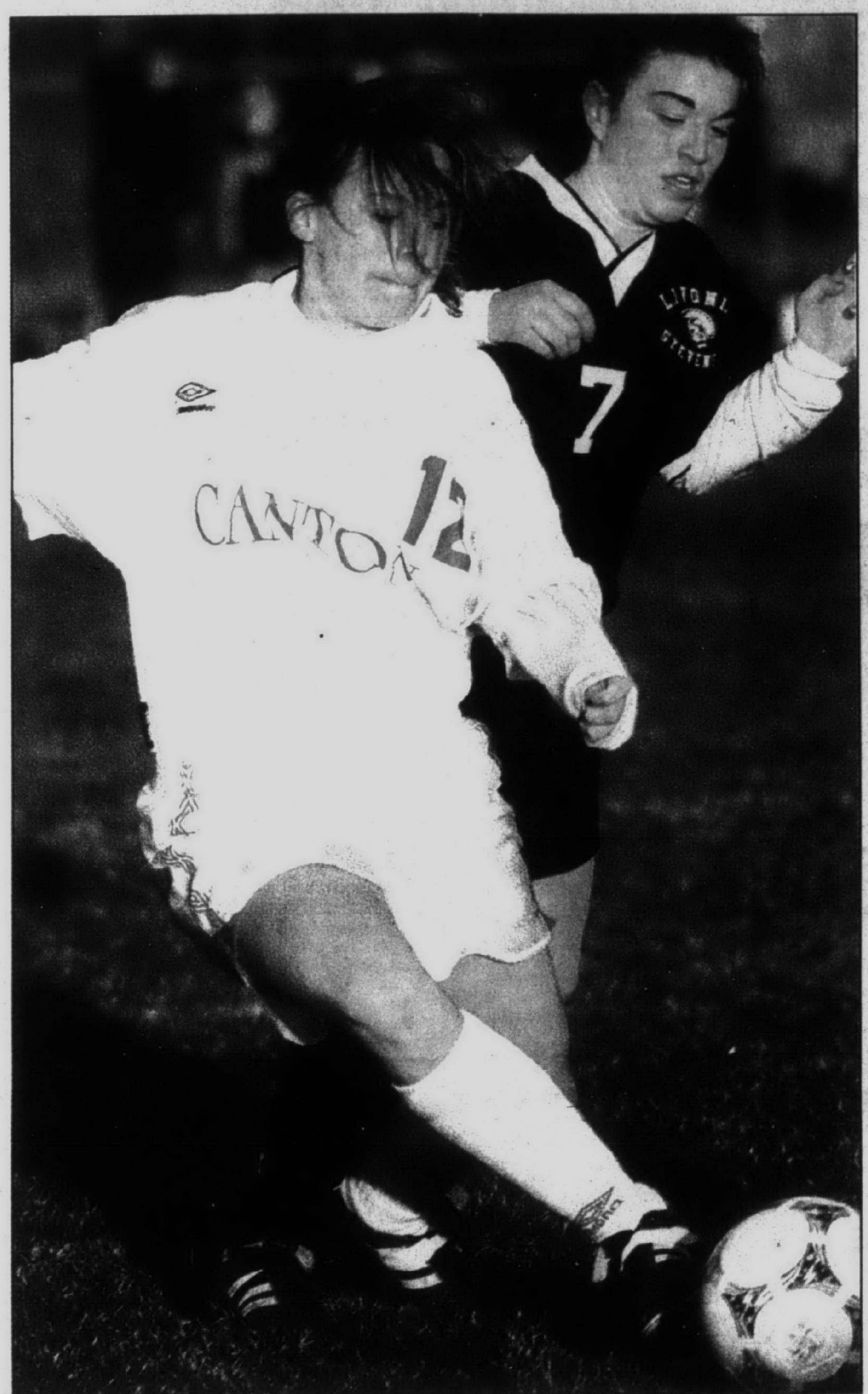

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Hanging on: *Canton's Lisa Reissenweber (in white) and Stevenson's Melissa Backus battle evenly for the ball — something both teams did for most of Wednesday's match.*

This match belonged in the mid-season somewhere — not as an opener.

But those options aren't always available. So Plymouth Canton's girls soccer team, which had last Monday's game cancelled due to a power outage at Canton, had to start its season against one of the state's toughest teams, Livonia Stevenson.

And as one might expect, it was closely played all the way through, the match finally ending in a scoreless tie Wednesday at Canton.

Which in itself was rather rare. Indeed, Canton coach Don Smith couldn't remember the last time his Chiefs had played a match that neither team scored in.

"It's been a while," he said. "This was a good ball game. They pretty much dominated play in the first half, but we came back in the second.

"They were more ready for us at the start of the game than we were for them. We didn't play badly — we stayed with them, and we really didn't play so hot."

Having teams psyched to play them should be no surprise to the Chiefs, the reigning Class A state champions. "They wanted us badly," Smith said.

The Spartans, who opened their season last Monday with a rout of Walled Lake Western, had the better scoring chances in the first half, taking nine shots to Canton's three — and making Kristin Lukasik's first start in goal against a quality opponent a tough one.

But Lukasik was up to the challenge, stopping all 14 shots she faced to record the shutout.

"It was a wake-up call for us," said Smith. "You need a ball game like this to let you know what you've got to work on real hard.

"We've got a good, solid group. We've just got some rough edges."

Last Monday's game at Walled Lake Central has been rescheduled for May 2, again at Central.

Novi 4, Salem 1: No, that's no misprint. It's a sign that the competition is catching up.

Novi took advantage of Plymouth Salem's rebuilt defense, using its direct, long-ball strategy to perfection Friday at Salem in beating the Rocks for the first time ever.

The result left Novi with a 2-0 record. Salem slipped to 1-1.

"The good news is, this is one of our first games," said Salem coach Doug Landefeld. "We have some new defenders in back and they had trouble adjusting to (Novi's) style. Once we got down a couple of goals, we kind of lost what we wanted to do."

The Wildcats led 2-0 at halftime. Salem's only goal came from Jenny Storm, with an assist from Christen Shull.

Novi got two goals from Heather Koriendt and single scores from Lydia Raburn and Jessica Kenny.

"We had our chances," Landefeld said. "If some of them had gone in early, it might have been different."

Salem 8, John Glenn 0: Salem scored twice in the first half, then wore down Westland John Glenn and added six more in the second Wednesday at Glenn.

"It was our first game, and they've got a real short field," said Salem coach Doug Landefeld. "It took some adjusting."

But it didn't take too long. The Rocks got two goals apiece from Missy Simons, Julie Katcherian

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OBSERVER SPORTS SCENE

College news

•It was a big week for University of Detroit Mercy's baseball team.

The Titans beat Eastern Michigan 11-10 April 3, then swept a double-header with Wisconsin-Milwaukee 5-3 and 16-15 last Sunday before splitting a second twinbill with the Panthers, winning 13-11 and losing 9-5 on Monday.

Ed Gundry, the senior third baseman from Plymouth Salem, certainly did his share. In the second game last Sunday, he slugged a two-run double in the bottom of the ninth inning to ignite a five-run rally in UDM's 16-15 win.

Gundry had four hits and three RBI in that game. In Monday's first game, he continued his clutch hitting by smacking a home run in the Titans' 13-11 victory. A six-run ninth enabled UDM to overcome an 11-7 deficit.

Gundry had three hits and five RBI to spark the Titans. For the season, Gundry ranks among the top 10 hitters in the Midwestern Collegiate Conference with a .412 average. UDM improved to 10-10 overall and 5-1 in the MCC.

In the April 3 win over EMU, the Titans rallied from a 7-0 deficit to claim the win. Junior **Dave Knight,** from Plymouth Salem, singled in the game-winning run in UDM's four-run eighth inning.

•It was a big meet, and University of Detroit Mercy's men's track team handled it pretty well.

At the Northwest Ohio Track and Field Classic last weekend in Bowling Green, the Titans won one event and had several other impressive showings.

One of the impressive: junior **Jeff Keith,** from Plymouth Canton, finished eighth in the steeplechase in 10:08.61.

•It's going to get pretty busy for University of Michigan softball pitcher **Kelly Holmes,** a senior from Plymouth Canton.

Holmes was No. 2 on the U-M staff behind Sara Griffin; she had pitched in 17 of the Wolverines' first 41 games, posting an 8-5 record with a 1.62 earned run average in 82 innings.

But on April 5, Griffin — playing third base at the time — collided with a teammate and suffered a double-bone fracture to her left (non-throwing) arm. She underwent successful surgery, but it is uncertain she will be back before the close of the season.

Which means Holmes is in for a lot more work, particularly with the Big Ten season starting to roll.

Whalers honored

Robert Esche, the Detroit Whalers' anchor in goal, and coach **Peter DeBoer** were both named to the Ontario Hockey League's all-league third team.

Esche, an 18-year-old native of Whitesboro, N.Y., led the OHL in minutes played; he finished with a 24-28-2 record and two shutouts, recording a 3.81 goals-against average.

He was named a starting goalie in the OHL all-star game and was selected to start for Team USA in the World Junior Championships. He finished third in the OHL Goaltender of the Year balloting.

DeBoer guided the Whalers to a sixth-consecutive playoff appearance, with a mostly rookie club. The Whalers placed fourth in the OHL's West Division with a 26-34-6 regular-season record.

Fishing derby

It's that time again.

The Canton Parks and Recreation Services is sponsoring its annual Kids Fishing Derby Saturday, May 11 at Heritage Park.

The park's ponds will be stocked with rainbow trout. Prizes will be raffled off each hour.

The competition is open to Canton residents only; boys and girls 15-years-old and under. They must supply their own bait and equipment.

Entry fee is $1, to be paid the day of the event. A fishing license will be provided at check-in.

Advanced registration is required, in person at the Parks and Rec offices, 46000 Summit Parkway in Canton, or by calling (313) 397-5110.

Softball tryouts

Due to Saturday's expected inclement weather, tryouts for the Plymouth-Canton Junior Baseball League's under-12 girls fast-pitch softball travel team have been rescheduled, to 6-8 p.m. Monday at Lowell Middle School.

Questions should be directed to Fran Jurcak at (313) 454-7351.

Dekhockey sign-up

Registration for all leagues at the Michigan Dekhockey Center, located on Michigan in Canton, is currently underway through April 20. Games begin April 28.

Leagues are open for ages four and over. The Center offers Dekhockey/floor hockey, played in gym shoes, and in-line/roller hockey, played with in-line skates. Equipment is required.

Also, the IDTA Senior B Regional Dekhockey Tournament will be at Michigan Dekhockey April 26-27.

Teams will be competing for prizes and a berth in the U.S. Nationals next month in Leominster, Maine. Entry fee is $250.

For further information, call (313) 397-8900.

Rocks improve to 3-0

■ BASEBALL

Well, so far so good.

Plymouth Salem improved its baseball record to 3-0 last Wednesday with a solid, 9-3 victory over Livonia Franklin at Salem.

The Rocks struck for two runs in the second and added three more in the third, then rode three innings of solid relief pitching from Kurt Berlin to the victory.

Tom DeMetsenare started and got the win for Salem, allowing three runs in four innings to run his record to 2-0. Berlin took over in the fifth and kept Franklin scoreless on two hits with no

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Chiefs roll in opener

■ SOFTBALL

It was a rough start, but Plymouth Canton's softball team quickly regrouped behind the combined one-hit pitching of Sarah Carson and Gretchen Hudson to roll to a 10-3 season-opening win over visiting Westland John Glenn Wednesday.

The Rockets, who fell to 0-2, struck for three runs in the first inning, making full use of their only hit — a single by Samantha Crews — one of their two walks and Canton's only error.

By the Chiefs didn't allow Glenn to savor its lead for long. They scored four runs in the first and pushed across three more in the second.

Carson started and was the win-

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'Katies' will keep Salem in hunt; Canton is better

■ PREVIEW

BY NEAL ZIPSER
STAFF WRITER

Several years ago, you could always expect to see a Nick at the top of the PGA leader board. If it wasn't Nick Faldo, it was Nick Price.

In the Western Lakes Activities Association this season, you'll probably see a Katie near the top of every meet that includes Plymouth Salem — Katie Collins or Katie Murinas.

The two seniors provide the Rocks with a one-two punch than many other schools in the state can't boast. Collins was the WLAA medalist last season while Murinas was a qualifier for the state meet.

"I can honestly say they may both be in the top 10 golfers in the state," Salem coach Rick Wilson said.

The two Katies will hope to lead the Rocks past defending league-champion Livonia Stevenson and Northville in the WLAA standings. And it may just be possible; Salem graduated no one from last season's third-place squad.

Collins won the WLAA meet, firing a season-low 84 at Huron Meadows. Wilson believes a poor showing in the regional meet a week before the WLAA championship proved to be the motivation Collins needed.

"She's still motivated and I think she'll do everything she can to qualify for the state," Wilson said. "She has an overall quality game, but is very good with chipping and putting. The team hears me preach about how important it is to do well from 100 yards in, which is very important for girls. Katie has taken it

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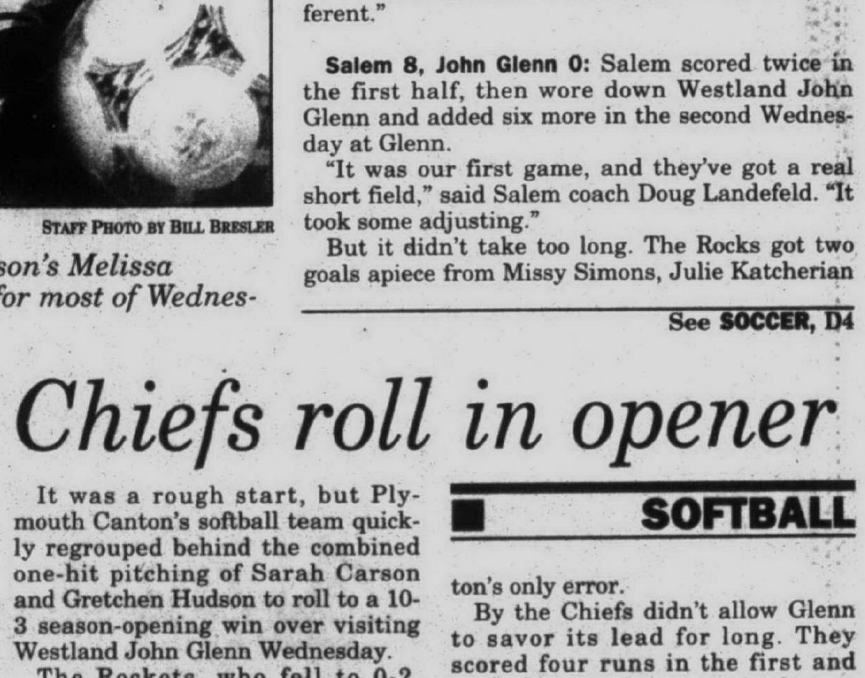

Quite a pair: *Katie Murinas and Katie Collins give the Rocks a formidable pair who could lead them to a title.*

Bernard sparks Canton win

If the rest of the season can only match opening day . . .

That must be what Brandi Bernard is thinking after leading her Plymouth Canton girls track team to a 75-53 season-opening, dual-meet victory over Westland John Glenn Thursday at Canton.

Bernard combined three unlikely events into three individual firsts for the Chiefs. She won the discus (103-feet, 7-inches) and shot put (33-1 1/2) — and then the 800-meter run (2:35.3).

"It was a phenomenal day for Bernard," said Canton coach George Przygodski. "It was the first time we've used her as a runner, but it's better late than never.

"I always wanted to do it, but I never took advantage of it. She's quite a competitor."

So, too, are a lot of her teammates. The Chiefs won three of four relays and finished first in both hurdles.

Alina Boyden, Doris Igwe, Kim Robertson and Laura Barker captured the 400 relay (54.2); Nancy Hoffman, Tiffany Williams, Bernard and Becky Uryga were best in the 1,600 (4:31.3); and Christiana Bradford, Sarah Rucinski, Angkana Roy and Amy Klim topped the field in the 3,200 (11:21.3).

GIRLS TRACK

In the hurdles, Amy Sonnanstine won the 100 (16.5) and Hoffman was first in the 300 (51.6).

Canton's other first went to Uryga in the 400 (1:02.9).

Canton hosts Walled Lake Western in its first Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division dual meet of the season at 5:30 p.m. Thursday.

Salem routs Churchill

Domination was the only way to describe Plymouth Salem's season-opening dual meet at Livonia Churchill Thursday.

The Rocks won all but two events in their 102-26 victory. Lisa Maul and Rachel Jones led the way with two individual firsts each.

Maul won both the 100-meter (16.66) and 300-meter (51.3) hurdles; Jones' victories came in the 100 (13.13) and 200 (28.09) dashes.

In the field events, the Rocks were winners in the shot put, with Jessica Ash (33-feet, 0-inches); the discus, with Tiffany Grabaugh (106-7); and the high jump, with Kristin Kosik (5-2).

Joining Jones and Maul as individual event winners were Katie Bonner in the 400 (1:02.3); Ellen Stemmer in the 800 (2:31.2); Evelyn Rahhal in the 1,600 (5:32.32); and Nicole Bolton in the 3,200 (11:50.95).

In the relays, Salem's Ruth Viforeanu, Mari Disbrow, Kristie Giddings and Bonner won the 400 (53.91); Jones, Candace Lynett, Aleshka Marquez and Angie Sillmon were first in the 800 (1:55.01); and Viforeanu, Disbrow, Maul and Giddings captured the 1,600 (4:23.22).

Salem travels to Walled Lake Central for a WLAA Lakes Division dual meet at 3:30 p.m. Thursday.

Salem runs over Churchill

The field events weren't too good for Plymouth Salem in its season-opening boys track dual meet Thursday against visiting Livonia Churchill.

But the Rocks dominated everywhere else, especially in the relays, which they swept en route to a 94-52 triumph.

"We're real happy with the way we performed today," said Salem coach Geoff Baker. "We've got a great group of juniors right now. So we've got a good young team."

Scott Kingslien was Salem's lone double-winner in individual events, capturing first in the 100-meter (11.4) and 200-meter (23.5) dashes. The Rocks won six of the eight individual track events, but just one field event — the high jump, which was captured by Mike Discher (6-feet).

All four relay events went to Salem. Lawrence Nunn, Mike Shull, James Chapman and Dave Clemons were first in the 400 (47.1); Nunn, Shull, Chris Mason and Kingslien won the 800 (1:37.0); Ian Searcy, Charlie Schmidt, Andy Briggs and Kingslien captured the 1,600 (3:38.5); and Kevin Conte, Schmidt, Searcy and Briggs were tops in the 3,200 (8:48.6).

BOYS TRACK

Other individual winners for Salem were Jon Little in the 3,200 (10:21.6); Adam Thurtell in the 800 (2:11.0); and Rob Hawley in the 300 hurdles (42.7).

Briggs and Searcy shared a first in the 400, tying in 52.2.

Rockets rip Canton

Plymouth Canton had a lot of kids to transport to Thursday's season-opening dual meet at Westland John Glenn, but competing against one of the Western Lakes Activities Association's title contenders did not result in many points for the Chiefs.

Canton managed to collect just three first-place finishes, and distance standout Shaun Moore accounted for two of them in Glenn's 99-38 triumph.

Moore won both the 1,600-meter (4:47.3) and 3,200-meter (10:52.2) runs. The Chiefs other first came in the 3,200 relay, from Sanjay Sharma, Steve Blossom, Adam DeGiorgio and Jon Page (8:41.2).

Canton coach Bob Richardson needed a couple of buses to get his 88-person team to Glenn. It is the biggest Chiefs' team in recent memory; last year, Richardson said they had a good-sized squad of 48.

"We had some flexibility with last year's team, but not like this year," he said.

That flexibility is something that might take a while to sort through, with so many candidates. "We've got a pretty good grasp on things in some areas," Richardson said. "But there's going to be some switching.

"There's been so much competition in practice, it's been wonderful. We like that; we like to let the kids know that if they work hard, they'll get their chance."

Hopefully, they'll be enough chances to go around..

Lady Crusaders take a pair from Calvin

Despite their defensive miscues, Madonna University's softball team managed to eke out not one but two dramatic come-from-behind wins over Calvin College Wednesday, 5-4 and 7-5 in eight innings, at Ladywood HS.

In the opener, Dawn Shaffer slammed a two-run double in the bottom of the seventh with one out to turn a one-run deficit into a victory. Melissa McGue added two hits and two runs batted in, and both Angie VanDoorn and Shawna Greene had two hits apiece.

Shanna Price went the distance for Madonna to run her pitching record to 8-1. She surrendered four runs (two earned) on eight hits and two walks, with two strikeouts. Shauna Koolhaas was the loser for Calvin.

MADONNA

In the second game, the Crusaders were saved by the power hitting of Greene, Price and Vicki Malkowski, each of whom slugged home runs — Malkowski's coming with a runner on in the bottom of the eighth to win the game.

Madonna needed all of it after committing six errors, which led to four unearned runs. Combined with the two the Crusaders made in the first game, their total grew to 48 in 22 games this season — an average of more than two a game.

A four-run fourth inning allowed the Saints to take a 5-2 lead. Madonna battled back on Greene's three-run homer in the fifth, tying it at 5-5.

It remained that way through regulation until the bottom of the eighth, when Malkowski slammed her game-winning, two-run home run.

For Shaffer, who had singled prior to Malkowski's home run, the homer was her fourth of the season. Malkowski also had two hits.

VanDoorn pitched all eight innings for Madonna, allowing five hits and four walks with four strikeouts; only one of the five runs she allowed was earned. Amy Slings took the loss for Calvin.

The wins lifted the Crusaders' record to 13-8-1. Calvin is 12-10.

Olivet 6, Madonna 4 (baseball): Three Olivet College pitchers stopped Madonna University on five hits and three walks Wednesday in a nine-inning game at Madonna Park in Livonia.

Adding to the Fighting Crusaders' woes (they fell to 9-16 with the loss) were eight errors, including three by senior third baseman Dan Taylor and two more by sophomore first baseman Jeff Warholik.

Only one of the Comets' six runs was earned.

Eric Butler fell to 0-3 with the defeat. He started and lasted two innings, giving up three runs (one earned) on two hits.

For Olivet, Gary Gray tossed four one-hit, one-walk, scoreless innings to start the game. Mike Muller was the winner in relief, going 3 2/3 innings and allowing four runs (one earned) on three hits and two walks. He struck out three. Bryan Carpenter got the save.

Aaron Shrewsbury had two of Madonna's five hits, one of them a solo home run.

The win improved Olivet's record to 14-8.

Softball *from page D1*

ning pitcher, going four innings and allowing one hit and one walk, with two strikeouts. Hudson took over in the fifth and tossed three scoreless innings, giving up one walk and striking out four.

Stacy Stevens started and took the loss for Glenn.

Angela Litwin had two hits for the Chiefs, who had 10 players collect hits. Sarah Carson contributed a hit and two runs batted in, and Tara Biro collected a run-scoring double.

Franklin 11, Salem 0: Pitcher Lori Jendrusik appears to be coming of age in her junior season for the Livonia Franklin softball team.

Certainly Plymouth Salem proved no match for her in the Rocks' season-opener Wednesday at Franklin.

Jendrusik tossed a no-hitter against Salem. She struck out 12 and walked four. She also helped her own cause with a two-run single. Randi Wolfe added a three-run triple, while Jackie Ziem had an RBI single.

Shannon Coultas, the Salem starter, took the loss.

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Warriors speed past foes in season-opener

BOYS TRACK

Lutheran High Westland was running on all cylinders in its season-opening boys track meet Tuesday.

The Warriors scored a team-high 187 points followed by Southfield Christian (56), Harper Woods (48), Bloomfield Hills Roeper (30) and Plymouth Christian Academy (16).

Luke Horton figured in four first place finishes Lutheran Westland.

The senior won the pole vault (10 feet, 6 inches) and 200-yard dash (25.1).

He also teamed up with Albert Cook, Chris Broge and Bill Garlick to win the 440 relay in 47.7. The foursome of Horton, Broge, Jake Hatten and Dustin Campbell added a win in the 880 relay (1:41.3).

Chris Latimer swept the mile (5:03.2) and two-mile (11:26.2) runs.

Other Lutheran Westland firsts were recorded by Jon Kamin, shot put, 37-11 3/4; Bill Garlick, discus, 108-1; Campbell, long jump, 18-9; Ryan Ollinger, 120-yard hurdles, 16.9; Hatten, 440 run, 57.5; and Andy Ebendick, 880, 2:09.9.

The foursome of Phil Wagner, Campbell, Hatten and Ebendick took the mile relay (3:52.4), while Dan Burk, Ken Broge, Jason McFall and Ebendick captured the two-mile relay (9:36.0).

OTHER DUAL MEET RESULTS

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 99
PLYMOUTH CANTON 38
April 10 at John Glenn

Shot put: Mike Samples (WJG), 49 feet, 10 inches; **discus:** Samples (WJG), 144-4 1/2; **high jump:** Mike Phillips (WJG), 6-2; **long jump:** David Jarrett (WJG), 21-2; **pole vault:** Randy Glenn (WJG), 12-0; **110-meter hurdles:** Jim Koch (WJG), 15.9; **300 hurdles:** Koch (WJG), 44.5; **100 dash:** Harden James (WJG), 11.36; **200:** Terry Thomas (WJG), 24.43; **400:** James (WJG), 53.26; **800:** Joe Wojtowicz (WJG), 2:12.2; **1,600:** Shaun Moore (PC), 4:47.25; **3,200:** Moore (PC), 10:52.19; **400 relay:** John Glenn (Reggie Spearmon, Steve Hester, Thomas, Jarrett), 46.49; **800 relay:** John Glenn (Spearmon, Hester, Thomas, James), 1:35.08; **1,600 relay:** John Glenn (Mark Lovett, Koch, Wojtowicz, Glenn), 3:46.14; **3,200 relay:** Canton (Sanjay Sharma, Steve Blossom, Adam DeGiorgio, Jon Page), 8:41.2.

Dual meet records: Glenn, 1-1; Canton, 0-1.

WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 74
LIVONIA FRANKLIN 63
April 10 at W.L. Central

Shot put: Matt Lawson (LF), 47-6; **discus:** Lawson (LF), 143-0; **high jump:** Dan Colip (LF), 6-0; **long jump:** Paul Terek (LF), 19-8 1/2; **pole vault:** Ryan Shiplett (LF), 9-6; **100-meter dash:** Terek (LF), 11.5; **200:** Terek (LF), 23.5; **400 relay:** Franklin (Steve Ashbay, Ryan Chynoweth, Dusty Hall, Terek), 46.8; **1,600 relay:** Franklin (Keith Martin, Pat Hayes, Brent Accurso, Nick Houstalkis), 3:52.0.

Franklin's dual meet record: 2-1.

PLYMOUTH SALEM 94
LIVONIA CHURCHILL 52
April 10 at Salem

Shot put: John McFadyen (LC), 45-1; **discus:** Mike Magretta (LC), 121-11; **high jump:** Mike Discher (PS), 6-0; **long jump:** Pete Styles (LC), 18-7 1/2; **pole vault:** Matt Weber (LC), 8-0; **110-meter hurdles:** Ryan Kearney (LC), 14.9; **300 hurdles:** Rob Hawley (LC), 42.7; **100-meter dash:** Scott Kingslien (PS), 11.4; **200:** Kingslien (PS), 23.5; **400:** (tie) Andy Briggs (PS) and Ian Searcy (PS), 52.2 each; **800:** Adam Thurtell (PS), 2:11.0; **1,600:** Nathan Jerome (LC), 4:40.0; **3,200:** Jon Little (LS), 10:21.6; **400 relay:** Salem (Lawrence Nunn, Mike Shull, James Chapman, Dave Clemons), 47.1; **800 relay:** Salem (Nunn, Shull, Chris Mason, Kingslien), 1:37.0; **1,600 relay:** Salem (Searcy, Charlie Schmidt, Briggs, Kingslien), 3:38.5; **3,200 relay:** Salem (Kevin Conte, Schmidt, Searcy, Briggs), 8:48.6.

Dual meet records: Salem, 1-0; Churchill, 0-3.

TAYLOR TRUMAN 81
WAYNE MEMORIAL 55
April 10 at Truman

Shot put: Ron Pennington (WM), 53-1/4 (personal best); **discus:** Pennington (WM), 140-1/2; **110-meter hurdles:** Nick Kellow (WM), 18.6; **100 dash:** Cameron Mingo (WM), 11.5; **3,200:** Andy Prieskorn (WM), 11:20.8; **800 relay:** Wayne (Mingo, David Bell, Joe Jennette, Karl Calloway), 1:38.0.

Wayne's dual meet record: 0-2.

Spartan distance corps proves too fast for Harrison

GIRLS TRACK

Livonia Stevenson dominated the distance events Thursday to offset Farmington Hills Harrison in the sprints to earn a 66-62 girls track victory.

Kelly Travis and Kelly McNeilance led the victorious Spartans, now 2-0 on the year.

Travis swept the 800- and 1,600-meter runs with times of 2:29.8 and 5:27.29, respectively. She also teamed up with Katie Sherron, Nicole Dettloff and Christie Tzilos to win the 1,600 relay in 4:19.0.

Meanwhile, McNeilance won the 400 (1:04.29) and 3,200 (12:10.2). She also teamed up with Travis, sister Kim McNeilance and Danielle Harris to win the 3,200 relay (10:34.2).

Other Stevenson firsts were recorded by Emily Yambasky in the discus and Tzilos in the 300 hurdles (48.3).

Mahogony Fletcher captured three events for the Hawks (0-1) including the long jump, 15-11 3/4; 100 dash, 13.4; and 200, 28.4.

Fletcher also anchored the victorious 400 relay (53.2).

OTHER DUAL MEET RESULTS

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 75
WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 53
April 10 at Franklin

Shot put: Danielle Wensing (LF), 35-2; **high jump:** Shiloh Wint (LF), 4-3; **long jump:** Shannon LeFaive (LF), 15-0 (personal best); **100-meter dash:** Wensing (LF), 13.6; **200:** Wensing (LF), 28.4; **400:** Wensing (LF), 1:06.1; **800:** Alaina Whitefoot (LF), 2:57.0; **1,600:** Carrie Boven (LF), 6:06.25; **3,200:** Boven (LF), 13:38.0; **400 relay:** Franklin (LeFaive, Amy Widrosky, Wint, Jamie Burns), 58.2; **800 relay:** Franklin (LeFaive, Widrosky, Heather Frank, Burns), 2:00.0; **1,600 relay:** Franklin (LeFaive, Widrosky, Frank, Jill Cruson), 4:53.0.

Franklin's dual meet record: 1-1.

PLYMOUTH CANTON 75
WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 53
April 10 at Canton

Shot put: Brandi Bernard (PC), 33-1 1/2; **discus:** Brandi Bernard (PC), 103-7; **high jump:** Latoya Chandler (WJG), 5-0; **long jump:** Nicolette Jarrett (WJG), 16-8; **100-meter hurdles:** Amy Sonnanstine (PC), 16.5; **300 hurdles:** Nancy Hoffman (PC), 51.6; **100 dash:** Kania Adams (WJG), 12.9; **200:** Jarrett (WJG), 27.1; **400:** Becky Uryga (PC), 1:02.9; **800:** Bernard (PC), 2:35.3; **1,600:** Marjorie Brooks (WJG), 5:48.6; **3,200:** Brooks (WJG), 12:25.3; **400 relay:** Canton (Alina Boyden, Doris Igwe, Kim Robertson, Laura Barker), 54.2; **800 relay:** John Glenn (Adams, Chandler, Nicole Herring, Jarrett), 1:50.4; **1,600 relay:** Canton (Hoffman, Tiffany Williams, Bernard, Uryga), 4:31.3; **3,200 relay:** Canton (Christina Bradford, Sarah Rucinski, Angkana Roy, Amy Klim), 11:21.3.

Dual meet records: Canton, 1-0; Glenn, 1-1.

PLYMOUTH SALEM 102
LIVONIA CHURCHILL 26
April 10 at Churchill

Shot put: Jessica Ash (PS), 33-0; **discus:** Tiffany Grubaugh (PS), 106-7; **high jump:** Kristin Kosik (PS), 5-2; **long jump:** 1. Jeannette Martus (LC), 15-5 1/2; 2. Jenny Duncan (LC), 15-5 1/2; **100-meter hurdles:** Lisa Maul (PS), 16.6; **300 hurdles:** Maul (PS), 51.3; **100 dash:** 1. Rachal Jones (PS), 13.2; 2. Martus (LC), 13.3; **200:** Jones (PS), 28.1; **400:** 1. Katie Bonner (PS), 1:02.3; 2. Martus (LC), 1:04.3 **800:** 1. Ellen Stemmer (PS), 2:31.2; 2. Kristen Hetra (LC), 2:39.7; **1,600:** 1. Evelyn Rahhal (PS), 5:29.3; 2. Ashley Fillion (LC), 5:32.4; **3,200:** Nicole Bolton (PS), 11:50.8; 2. Fillion (LC), 12:34.7 **400 relay:** Salem (Ruth Viforeanu, Mari Disbrow, Kristie Giddings, Bonner), 54.0; **800 relay:** Salem (Jones, Candace Lynett, Aleshka Marquez, Angie Silimon), 1:55.1; **1,600 relay:** Salem (Viforeanu, Disbrow, Maul, Giddings), 4:23.3; **3,200 relay:** Churchill (Hetra, Renee Kashawlic, Stephanie Skwiers, Fillion), 10:38.54.

Dual meet records: Salem, 1-0; Churchill, 0-1.

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Notre Dame ambushes CC with no-hitter in sweep

BASEBALL

Redford Catholic Central was the victim of a no-hitter Wednesday, and ended up losing both ends of a baseball double-header to host Harper Woods Notre Dame, 3-0 and 11-8.

The sweep left the Shamrocks at 2-2 overall, 0-2 in the Catholic League Central Division.

ND's senior ace Matt Stoiyuvich kept the Shamrocks hitless in the first game while walking three and striking out 15.

One of the Shamrocks reached base on an error.

All three of the ND runs came in the second inning off CC's starting and losing pitcher Anthony Tomey.

Tomey walked the first four batters he faced to force in one run. Four stolen bases, a sacrifice fly and error led to the other two runs.

"Other than that he pitched real well," CC coach John Salter said.

The Irish scored four runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to erase an 8-7 deficit in the second game.

The Shamrocks outhit the Irish, 10-8, but committed six errors to three by ND.

Sophomore shortstop Dave Lusky went 2-for-3 with three RBI to lead CC. Both of his hits were doubles.

Senior outfielder John DiBella went 2-3 with a sacrifice fly and one RBI. Matt Firlik was 2-4, including a double, and one RBI.

Mike Haller was CC's starting pitcher, lasting four innings before being lifted. He allowed four runs, all unearned.

Tony Nozewski was the losing pitcher in relief.

Lusky is hitting over .500 to lead the Shamrocks' offense.

"He could be a big-timer, has a lot of skills and confidence," Salter said.

•STEVENSON 10, NORTHVILLE 0: Pitchers Jason Greenwald and Kevin Marvin combined on a two-hitter, while Justin Kerr knocked in four runs, propelling Livonia Stevenson to a season-opening victory Wednesday over the visiting Mustangs.

Greenwald, a senior right-hander, worked the first three innings, allowing one hit while fanning six. Marvin, also a senior right-hander, finished up.

Kerr belted a three-run homer to spark a five-run Spartan first inning. He also added an RBI double in the second.

Todd Wilson added two doubles and two RBI, while Mike Allison and Eric Yuhasz each contributed two hits.

•CHURCHILL 6, GARDEN CITY 2: Junior Corey Cook made his varsity debut a memorable one Friday by throwing a one-hitter, leading host Livonia Churchill (1-1) to a non-league win over the Cougars.

Cook, a right-hander, struck out five and walked only two. He allowed a second-inning hit to Eric Rutkowski.

"Corey did a very good job, he got the ball over the plate," Churchill coach Herb Osterland said.

Junior shortstop Jeff Lyday also had a big afternoon, going 3-for-3 with a double and four RBI. Cook helped his own cause by going 2-for-3 with a double and two runs scored.

On Wednesday, Dan Drapel scored the winning run on a walk with the bases loaded in the bottom of the seventh, enabling host Walled Lake Central to escape with a 3-2 win over the Chargers.

The loss was pinned on senior Mark Felker, who worked the final 2 2/3 innings in relief of starter Nick Lamb.

Raj Mittra, who went the final three innings in relief, was the winning pitcher.

Adam Carter went 2-for-4 with two RBI in a losing cause.

•DEARBORN 7, FRANKLIN 6: Livonia Franklin (0-2) fell apart defensively, making six errors Friday as the host Pioneers (1-0) gained non-league victory.

Franklin out-hit Dearborn, 9-6, as Dave Wampler, Ryan Davis, Matt Downs and losing pitcher Nick Anagnostopoulos each collected two hits as the Patriots battled back from a 5-3 .

Wampler had three RBI, including a two-run double. Davis scored three runs. Downs had an RBI and scored twice.

Anagnostopoulos pitched six innings, allowing six hits and four walks.

On Wednesday, Franklin lost at Plymouth Salem, 9-3, as Ryan Rumberger homered and Alec Ras added two hits and stole four bases.

Franklin starter Dave Wampler, who took the loss, gave up five earned runs in four innings. He struck out nine.

Salem starter Tom DeMetsenare pitched the first four innings to earn the win. Reliever Kurt Berlin held the Patriots scoreless over the final three innings.

Wampler led Franklin with two hits, including an RBI single. Brandon Bell doubled in a run, while John Haas singled in a run, both coming in the fourth.

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upon herself to improve her short game."

Murinas, who like Collins averaged in the mid 40s, shot an 85 in last year's regional. She went on to shoot a 90 in the state tournament, but impressed Wilson by shooting a 42 on the back nine holes.

"She's a long-ball hitter and can really drive the ball," Wilson said. "She does have to improve on her short game some. Her putting is what's separating her from doing some great things."

The key to Salem's success may not be the Katies, however. Instead, it will be how well the rest of the team shoots, according to Wilson.

Seniors Julie Licata (53 average) and Chrystal Kopacz (58) and junior Jessica Hedges will provide some needed experience on the fairways.

An early season surprise for the Rocks has been the emergence of freshman Angela Jones. Jones is a physically strong player who has the potential to be a great golfer, according to Wilson.

Other Rocks expected to contribute include junior Michelle Anger, sophomore Grace Yelonek and freshman Kim Tamme.

"If the Katies score as well as they can, all we'll need are some a couple other good scores," Wilson said. "We're far from a state-ranked team, but we'll be competitive," Wilson said.

The Salem golfers may also show more comfort with Wilson. The 15-year coach of the boys squad took over the task for the girls team last season and needed some time to adjust.

"Coaching the girls was a big change, but after awhile, I realized they were motivated to improve and wanted to be competitive just like the boys," Wilson said. "I began treating them like I did the boys team and the girls responded well."

The Rocks will have their first chance to see how well they fare with the state's best teams on Monday when they compete in a tournament with Grosse Isle, the defending Class B state champion.

Plymouth Canton

If it's true that golf is a mental game, than Plymouth Canton may be in thick of things in the WLAA title hunt.

With most of the Chiefs carrying above 3.5 grade-point averages, coach Dan Riggs is confident his team will show its smarts. However, the 14-year coach is realistic about beating out Salem, Stevenson and Northville.

"This is a better team than last season from top to bottom, but we'll be happy coming in fourth place in the league," said Riggs, whose team finished in sixth place last season. "This team definitely has the tools to finish that high."

Leading the way is senior Alyson Young, a 4.1 GPA holder. Young, who averaged 52 last season, uses her intelligence to provide her with the mental stability many other golfers don't have, according to Riggs.

"Her brains and easy-going nature will pay off in golf," the Canton coach said. "I think she'll sneak up and surprise some people this year."

Junior Sandra Pavlo (52) is similar to Young, just a year younger, Riggs said. In addition to her smarts, she has excellent mechanics and is good around the green.

Young and Pavlo were interchangeable last season in the team's top four finishers. The other two golfers — Kim Stafford and Anne Alioto — were both lost to graduation.

Making up for the loss of Stafford and Alioto is freshman Julie Dziekan, who Riggs first discovered just a month ago. The diminutive (just 4-foot-8) golfer has looked impressive with her mechanics and poise.

Dziekan will battle for time on the course with junior Lindsay Miller, who improved with winter lessons and is hitting the ball well.

Riggs hopes seniors Amy Siegrist and Jessica Dumas continue to show their improvement. Both came on strong last season and are now showing greater confidence.

Riggs also expects newcomer Stephanie Koppe, a sophomore, to see some action.

"We were competitive last year with the top teams, losing to Salem by one stroke, beating Northville and losing to Stevenson by less than 10 strokes," Riggs said. "We got to the top of the cliff but just couldn't get over it."

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walks, striking out five.

Dave Wampler started and took the loss for the Patriots in their season-opener.

Salem's two runs in the second came on back-to-back run-scoring doubles by Jamie LaGrow and Tony Bernhardt. The Rocks three-run third began with a solo home run by Ryan Rumberger, his second of the season.

Two more runners reached base before Kevin Niemiec got an infield single that scored knocked in one run and scored another on two Patriot errors on the play.

Niemiec added a sacrifice fly for his second RBI of the game in the fifth, then Alec Ras singled in one run and Tim Sisler drove in two more with a base hit in the sixth.

Ras finished with two hits, an RBI and four stolen bases.

John Glenn 6, Canton 0: Westland John Glenn's Paul Merandi stopped Plymouth Canton with a two-hitter Wednesday at Glenn.

The Rockets, who improved to 2-1, had just five hits but took full advantage of the Chiefs' six walks and four errors.

Jason Mortiere started and took the loss for Canton, going five innings and giving up six runs (three earned) on five hits and six walks, with six strikeouts. Mike Rourk pitched one scoreless inning in relief.

Merandi went all the way for Glenn, allowing singles to Pat Noonan and Dave Kwiatkowski. He walked one.

The loss dropped the Chiefs to 1-2.

PCA 11-15, Immac. Conception 1-4: On Thursday, visiting Plymouth Christian Academy needed just 10 innings to win its first two games of the season at Hamtramck Immaculate Conception.

The Eagles (2-0) mercied IC in the first game breaking open a 4-1 game with a five-run fourth inning. Doug Robillard was 2-for-3 with a pair of RBI, and John Warrick added a two-run double.

The recipient of the 13-hit PCA attack was Nate Bryan who pitched the first four innings for the victory and held IC to three hits. Zack Parton and Jim Speier combined to strike out the side in the fifth.

PCA made it sweep by taking the nightcap with another five-inning mercy.

in this game, the third inning was the difference as the Eagles broke scored eight times in the third inning to take a 10-1 lead. PCA recorded only three hits in the rally.

IC played a gracious host by dishing out 11 walks.

James Jones struck out 12 batters to collect the win. He scattered five hits and walked only one.

Jones also helped his own cause with a two-run single. Chris DeRenzo went 2-for-2 with a walk and two RBI.

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and Christen Shull; Mia Sarkesian and Jenny Storm added one goal each.

Merritt Walker was in the net for the Rocks, but she saw little action, making two saves in getting the shutout.

Salem's match against Northville, scheduled for last Monday, was cancelled due to a power outage at Salem. No new date has been announced.

WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne County Commission will hold a public hearing to consider amendments to the 1995-96 Appropriation & Budget Ordinance as follows:

1. recognizing additional interest revenue in the amount of $4,545,000, parking fees of $872,500 and indirect cost of $1,347,500; recognizing additional $545,000 of state and federal grant revenue for the Prosecutor;
2. recognizing additional $545,000 of state and federal grant revenue for the Prosecutor;
3. transferring $3,429,448 to the Youth Services Fund and Soldier's Relief Fund;
4. adding $3,343,900 to other revenues for the 21st Century Fund;
5. adding $1,671,000 for Sheriff's Boarding of Prisoners and $873,000 of Mental Health funds;
6. increasing the Community Corrections Fund by $154,655;
7. increasing the Law Enforcement Fund by $525,000 and General Fund by $110,000 from state and federal grants;
8. increasing the General Fund by $1,001,000 by certifying jury trial fees and property tax transfers; and
9. increasing the Mental Health Fund by $17,900,000

The hearing will be held:

THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1997
Commission Chambers, 10:00 a.m.
Wayne County Building
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THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BASEBALL
Monday, April 14
Canton at Farmington Harrison, 4 p.m.
Farmington at Salem, 4 p.m.
Liv. Churchill at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
Northville at Franklin, 4 p.m.
Stevenson at N. Farmington, 4 p.m.
John Glenn at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.
Taylor Center at Wayne, 4 p.m.
Huron Valley at Baptist Park, 4:30 p.m.
C'ville at Luth. N'west, 4:30 p.m.
Luth. Wsld at Hamtramck, 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 15
Huron Valley at Oak. Christ., 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, April 16
W.L. Central at Canton, 4 p.m.
John Glenn at W.L. Western, 4 p.m.
Ply. Salem at Liv. Churchill, 4 p.m.
Farmington at Franklin, 4 p.m.
Stevenson at Harrison, 4 p.m.
Redford CC at DeLaSalle (2), 4 p.m.
Luth. Wsld at Clarenceville, 4:30 p.m.
Wayne at Wyandotte, 4 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
Fordson at Franklin, 4 p.m.
Redford CC at Bishop Foley, 4 p.m.
Roeper at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.
Friday, April 18
Harrison at Liv. Churchill, 4 p.m.
Franklin at Canton, 4 p.m.
Salem at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
W.L. Central at Stevenson, 4 p.m.
Luth. North at Luth. Wsld, 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 19
(all double-headers unless noted)
A.A. Huron at Canton, 11 a.m.
Salem at G.R. Nouvel CC, TBA
Tay. Kennedy at John Glenn, 11 a.m.
Luth. Westland at Flat Rock, 10 a.m.
Redford CC at Brother Rice, 11 a.m.

GIRLS SOFTBALL
Monday, April 14
Harrison at Canton, 4 p.m.
Salem at Farmington, 4 p.m.
Franklin at Northville, 4 p.m.
Cabrini at Ladywood, 4 p.m.
W.L. Central at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
W.L. Western at Liv. Churchill, 4 p.m.
N. Farmington at Stevenson, 4 p.m.
Ecorse at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.
Hamtramck at Luth. Wsld, 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday, April 15
Huron Valley at Warren Zoe, 4:30 p.m.
Wednesday, April 16
Canton at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.
Franklin at Farmington, 4 p.m.
Harrison at Stevenson, 4 p.m.
Liv. Churchill at Salem, 4 p.m.
W.L. Western at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
Liv. Churchill at Dearborn, 4 p.m.
Franklin Rd. at Huron Valley, 4:30 p.m.
Friday, April 18
Canton at Franklin, 4 p.m.
Stevenson at W.L. Central, 4 p.m.
John Glenn at Salem, 4 p.m.
Ladywood at Regina (2), 3:30 p.m.
Liv. Churchill at Farm. Harrison, 4 p.m.
Luth. Wsld at Luth. North, 4:30 p.m.
C'ville at Harper Woods, 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, April 19
(all double-headers unless noted)
Canton at Carman-Ainsworth Inv., 9 a.m.
Salem at Taylor Inv. Tournament, 9 a.m.
Luth. Westland at Annapolis, 11 a.m.
Redford Union at Stevenson, 11 a.m.

BOYS TRACK
Monday, April 14
Redford CC at Notre Dame, 3:30 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
Canton at W.L. Western, 3:30 p.m.
W.L. Central at Salem, 3:30 p.m.
John Glenn at Stevenson, 3:30 p.m.
Franklin at Harrison, 3:30 p.m.
Liv. Churchill at Northville, 3:30 p.m.
Friday, April 18
Salem at Mansfield Relays, TBA
Saturday, April 19
Novi Relays, 10:30 a.m.
Salem, Canton at Dearborn Elks Relays, 10 a.m.
West Bloomfield Relays

GIRLS TRACK
Tuesday, April 15
Lincoln Park Invitational, 3:30 p.m.
Mercy at Ladywood, 4 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
W.L. Western at Canton, 5:30 p.m.
Salem at W.L. Central, 3:30 p.m.
Northville at Churchill, 3:30 p.m.
Harrison at Franklin, 3:30 p.m.
Stevenson at John Glenn, 3:30 p.m.
Wayne at Edsel Ford, 3:30 p.m.
Country Day, Gabriel Richard at Lutheran Westland, 4 p.m.
Saturday, April 19
Lady Chief Relays at Canton, 10 a.m.
W. Bloomfield Inv., 10 a.m.

GIRLS SOCCER
Monday, April 14
Canton at Northville, 7 p.m.
Farmington at Salem, 7 p.m.
Belleville at Wayne, 4 p.m.
Mercy at Ladywood, 5:30 p.m.
Stevenson at N. Farmington, 5:30 p.m.
Churchill at Franklin, 7 p.m.
John Glenn at W.L. Central, 7 p.m.
Wednesday, April 16
N. Farmington at Canton, 7 p.m.
Wayne at Southgate, 4 p.m.
Northville at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
Salem at Churchill, 7 p.m.
Franklin at W.L. Western, 7 p.m.
Harrison at Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
Ladywood at Divine Child, 5:30 p.m.
Friday, April 18
Stevenson at Dearborn, 4 p.m.
Belleville at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
Woodhaven at Ladywood, 5:30 p.m.
Troy at Churchill, 7 p.m.
Saturday, April 19
Canton at Adrian, 2 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE BASEBALL
Sunday, April 13
Tri-State at Madonna (2), 2 p.m.
Tuesday, April 15
Madonna at Calvin (2), 3 p.m.
Friday, April 18
Wayne St. at Madonna (2), 2 p.m.
Saturday, April 19
Indiana Tech at Madonna (2), 1 p.m.
Sunday, April 20
Indiana Tech at Madonna, 10 a.m.
Ind. Tech vs. Ohio Domin., 12:30 p.m.
Ohio Dominican at Madonna, 3 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOFTBALL
Sunday, April 13
Madonna vs. Siena Heights at Ladywood H.S. (2), noon.
Tuesday, April 15
Madonna at Saginaw Valley, 4 p.m.
Wednesday, April 16
U-D Mercy vs. Madonna at Ladywood H.S. (2), 4 p.m.
Thursday, April 17
Madonna vs. Northwood at Ladywood H.S. (2), 4 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday, April 19-20
Madonna at St. Francis (Ill.), TBA.
TBA — times to be announced.

BEST IN BOWLING

Merri Bowl (Livonia)
K of C Men's — Dave Alterman, 300-225/677.
Senior House — Craig Senkowski, 300/777; Jack Boyd, 249-277-278/804; Ryan Wilson, 268/757; Bob Duman, Sr., 279/740; Mark Konapatzki, 276/737; Bill Funke, 268/707; JohnWatkins, 259/702.

Cloverlanes (Livonia)
All-Star Bowlerettes — Carol Mielczarek, 214-268-228/710; Julie Wright, 215-206-279/700; Tina Barber, 289-206/680; Petesy Wray, 257-245/679; Cheryl Roberts, 226-258/674; Michelle Anger, 258/674.
St. Aidan's Men's — Joe Naujokas, 223/600; Bill Sills, 226; Vince Bastine, 252-207/630; Glen Davis, 212-200/569; Jack Pomeroy, 210.
Thursday Junior House — Erik Okerstrom, 299.

Wonderland Lanes (Livonia)
Westside Senior Traveling — Art Kuzniar, 278/715; Milt Schroeder, 248/698; Ralph Pershing, 289/695; Mort Friedman, 697; Gerry Cole, 680.
Wonderland Classic — Bryan Gogolin, 300/771; Brad Wolter, 278/760; John Maddison, 731; Ron LeChevalier, 275/707; Nello Martini, 269/707.
Nite Owls — Gary Cornelius, 244/682; Dave Schacht, 256-266/681; Shane Wyatt, 232/661; Ray Card, 662; Ron Wilde, 234/645.

Westland Bowl (Westland)
St. Mel's Men's — John Bizon, 269/748; Ron Duluk, 279/659; Steve Posa, 256/684; John Kososki, 255/722; Fred O'Leary, 240/701.

Mayflower Lanes (Redford)
Monday Seniors — Jack Dahlstrom, 267/634; Paul Temple, 289-231/735; Howard Davis, 278/661; Walt May, 257/604; Chet Zajac, 243/596.
Good Neighbors — Yvonne McCarthy, 202; Otea Palmer, 190; Gloria Merta, 190; Cori Salmons, 500.
Friday Seniors — Bob Brennan, 222/630; Ernie Jones, 253; Joe Kissel, 237/606; Bill Kandelian, 231/635.
Wed. Senior Men's Classic — Tony Ballarta, 259-205-259/723; Ed Patrick, 265-207-222/694; Tony Golchuck, 257/670; Jim Webster, 255/645; Mike Lucas, 226-205-254/685.

Garden Lanes (Garden City)
St. Linus Classic — Marv Gadde, 245-213-279/737; Bob Smith, Jr., 257-263/710; Mark Gorno, 237-244-223/704; Earl Jones, 279-227/701; Julie Adomitis, 234-217-234/685.

Super Bowl (Canton)
Saturday Night Specials — Patrick Ostrosky, 223-249/623; Greg Fedo, 246/590; Gerry Westfal, 238/564; Shearard Westbrook, 230; Joann Billings, 193/546; Juli Ziolkowski, 210/505.

Plaza Lanes (Plymouth)
Thursday Morning Seniors — Erma Thompson, 208/519.
Friday Ford Men — T. Consitt, 225; L. Nozewski, 258; B. Rounisto, 259.
Waterford Men's — Steve Demeter, 237; Duane Harbison, 226.
Trinity Saturday Strikers — Linda Prince, 211; Jim Cosens, 233-202/606.
Plaza Men — Charlie Riffle, 279; Larry Minehart, Jr., 276/688; Bryan Macek, 268/689; Gary Brown, 263; Ed Stephenson, 254/731; John Morano, 248/674.

Country Lanes (Farmington)
Sunday Goodtimers — Todd Wortinger, 243-222/659; Mark Silverstein, 226/603; Mike Kalt, 216/606; Bob Solomon, 214; Harold Adler, 211; Jan Dorfman, 211.
Greenfield Mixed — Dan Wright, 219-269-226/714; Walt Thomas, 223-206-218/647; Al Prieskorn, 218-228-630; Tom Gow, 211-237-224/672.
Country Janes — Terri Letwinski, 228/526; Norma Miller, 212; Shona Pearse, 209/556; Katie Szonye, 202/559.
St. Paul's Men's — Paul Bright, 266; Wallace Rowe, 240/607; Calvin Smith, 225/609; Lorne Davey, Jr., 226.
Spares & Strikes — Sara Ouellette, 225; Kevin Landacre, 214/572.
Country Keglers — Clarence Bishop, 256; George Vann, 245/682; Bob Shimko, 244/614; Ken Ervan, 230.
University Men's — Tony Camerella, 278/671; Steve Laine, 273-268/724; E. Lyons, 269-269/724; Butch Cook, 268/681.
Tuesday Mixed Trio — Joe Staknis, III, 279/687; Tom Heenan, 258; Rozann Staknis, 237/637; Vicki Ingham, 205/533.

Novi Bowl (Novi)
West Side Lutheran — Don Johnson, 715; Walter Moritz, 645; Wayne Kiester, 645; Al Hunt, 638; Rick Garvin, 268/634.

Plum Hollow Lanes (Southfield)
Bright Spotters (Seniors) — Pete Shrier, 234-223/594.
Friday 4-$um — Reggie McGee, 215-246-237/698; Rennard Martin Foxx, 206-258-212/676.
Friday Nite Out — Jamal Hughes, 247-192-300/739; Lawrence Mathies, Jr., 278-226-227/731; Booker Holmes, 234-204-244/682; Nora Kelly, 237; John Thomas, 255.
Providence Mixed — Stacey Hudler, 290-211-242/743; Rudy Nash, 205-203-235/643.
IBM Mixed — George Surls, 232-201-247/680.
Traveleers Mixed — Patricia Hampton (138 avg.), 245; Andre Carl (155 avg), 231-264/657; Paulette Watson, 223/541; Loretta Rice, 220/550.

Thunderbird Lanes (Troy)
Tuesday Mixed Trio — Tom Nicolia, 254; Norman Gebhardt, 224; Bernie Turchin, 231; Steve Bly, 223; Jim O'Neill, 222.

Troy Lanes (Troy)
Over the Hill Classic — Steve Atkeson, 257/696; Tom Meagher, 258; Cliff Zollers, 269; Jack Heacock, 244; Bill Dewid, 267/703.
Looney Toons Mixed — Jeanne Huemiller, 234/627; John Darovitz, 258-234/689.
Sparetimers — Scot Grezner, 246-278/716; Chris Habner, 247/716; Sean Grezner, 255; Paul Barbieri, 299/673; Tony Saulino, 268/670.

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NATURE NOTES

TIM NOWICKI

The longer daylight periods of spring bring warmer temperatures and begin to warm the soil. Warm soil and an internal clock that runs in many animals are the two clues that are used by hibernating animals to awaken in spring.

Amphibians, like frogs and toads and salamanders, will be down at the local ponds shortly to begin their spring ritual of courtship. Tiger salamanders emerge in large numbers from their wintering sites on the night of the first warm rain in April.

Unlike frogs and toads, they don't make noise when they reach the breeding ponds. Their courtship is a silent underwater dance.

Spring peepers and chorus frogs, on the other hand, are vocal. Their songs coordinate the efforts of the group and stimulate the individuals to come down to the pond. If they don't come when everyone is there, they will miss a year's worth of breeding. Frogs have a short period when they're active in courtship.

I'm amazed these cold blooded animals are able to survive the cold Michigan winters and begin their courtship activities each spring as they have done for thousands of years.

Some of these frogs don't bury themselves in the water beneath the ice where it stays fairly warm. There are some frogs that only burrow under leaves or under logs for protection during winter.

Scientists have found ice inside some of these hibernating frogs.

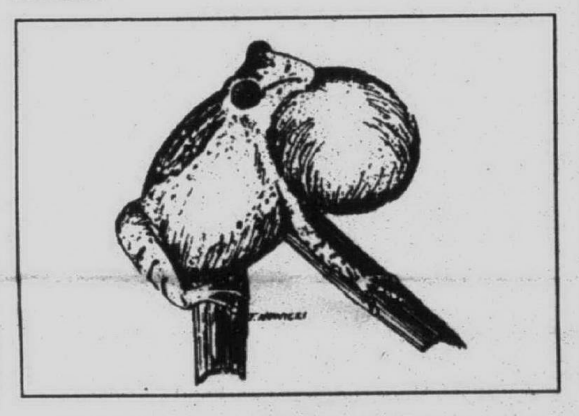
If water expands when it forms ice, how do these animals avoid cell damage?

One scientist designed a microscope that was used to watch the formation of ice inside a cell in the presence of glycerol, a naturally occurring antifreeze formed in many cold-blooded animals that hibernate.

As the ice crystals were forming they didn't develop sharp points like typical ice crystals. Though the ice formed inside the body, the rounded points did not cause puncturing of the cells.

Isn't the natural world amazing!

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.



ON THE SLOPES

There are no obstacles for senior skier

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Ageless skier: *Cass Zorlikowski, 76, of Livonia, keeps on skiing despite his battle with cancer.*

BY STEVE KOWALSKI • STAFF WRITER

Ernie Lixey, now 52, has a picture of himself at age 16 posing with his idol on the ski slopes, Cass Zorlikowski.

Lixey will tell you that only he and the picture have aged.

The ageless wonder is Zorlikowski, a 76-year-old Livonian who has trouble acting his age even as he enters his third month battling prostate cancer.

Zorlikowski has lost most of his hair as he undergoes chemotherapy every three weeks, but not his love of competition.

Only warm weather will keep the three-time national masters champion off the slopes.

"The doctor said 'Do what you normally do. If you're not weak, do it,' " said Zorlikowski, who won the 60-65, 70-74 and 75-79 age groups nationally and was fifth in the world in the over 75 age group.

If Zorlikowski is breathing, he's skiing.

Lixey and Zorlikowski first met 36 years ago at a Detroit News Ski Tournament in the metro area. Lixey, an accomplished skier himself, used to manage the Bavarian Village on Telegraph Road in Redford Township and Zorlikowski was one of his regular customers.

Lixey said Zorlikowski has a "heart of gold."

"He's always been my idol," said Lixey. "He might be limping a little, bent over, but on skis he's a different human being. He's right there beating guys my age or under. You might catch him on an off day or something but the next day you've got to be on your toes again."

This is truly a remarkable man. A former Polish national junior champion, Zorlikowski also played semi-professional hockey and a high level of soccer over the years.

He last played hockey competitively three years ago and until last year played in an over-30 men's soccer league.

"I wasn't just a number," he said. "I played most of the game."

Tennis was a hobby for Zorlikowski.

"I used to have a tennis partner, but my arm is bad now," he said. "I tried to switch to being left-handed but that's like trying to walk before you can crawl. I had it separated in hockey."

Zorlikowski started skiing at age 6 in his native land. His parents owned a ski resort, which gave him an advantage over his peers.

"The hill was right there behind my house," he said. "How could you go wrong? In the winter it snowed a lot. You used your skis to get around."

Zorlikowski didn't have the benefit of chair lifts or even ropes to carry them up the hill. To get to the top, you might as well pack a lunch.

"It was a two hour walk for a 10 minute ride," Zorlikowski recalls. "That's why my legs are still strong at 76."

Zorlikowski became a Junior National Champion and earned a berth on Poland's Olympic Team, but World War II interrupted his gold-medal dream.

Zorlikowski's stint in the war landed him in England. After the war, he played semi-professional hockey for a team from Liverpool.

"I'd ski in the day and play hockey at night," Zorlikowski said.

Zorlikowski met his wife of 47 years, Olwyn, at a dance hall in Liverpool. A few years later they came to the United States and settled in Redford Township.

Cass worked in quality control for 24 years for Pyles Industries in Wixom before retiring. She worked in accounts payable for 23½ years at Ward Baking Co. in Detroit before retiring.

Cass also was a ski instructor at Mt. Brighton and a ski coach for Farmington Hills Mercy and Detroit Catholic Central. He coached the Michigan Wolves "1977" club soccer team that included Observerland stars like Jeff Fliss and Scott Babinski.

When it comes to sports, he and his wife are opposites.

"We're like chalk and cheese, that's an English expression," said Olwyn, of Welsh decent.

They have no children so their dog Misha gets all their attention.

"We love animals, feed the squirrels, birds," Olwyn said. "Sometimes we babysit the dogs in the neighborhood."

OUTDOOR NOTES

May brings the blossoming of wildflowers and morel mushrooms in Michigan.

We are looking for Observer-area residents and families who make the annual trek to the Northern woods to gather morels. We'd even like to hear about your favorite morel recipes.

If you enjoy this annual spring event, please call staff writer Casey Hans at (313) 953-2119.

New season

As of April 1, Michigan anglers needed a new fishing license. And there are some changes in store.

License fees and structure have changed as part of the new hunting and fishing license package passed by the Legislature last year, according to the state Department of Natural Resources.

•Stamps are no longer used. Anglers now purchase either restricted licenses, which are valid for all species except trout and salmon, or all-species licenses. A restricted license for anglers age 17-64 costs $13. An all- species license for anglers in the same age group is $26.

•Senior fishing licenses cost $5.20 for a restricted license and $10.40 for an all-species license.

•A voluntary $2 young angler all-species fishing license is available for anglers 12-16 years old, with the money going to the DNR's Youth Education and Outreach Fund.

•The previous sportsperson's license has been replaced with the option of purchasing any four fishing and hunting licenses at one time at a 15 percent discount.

For more information, contact the DNR at (517) 373-0908 or call the fishing hotline at 1-800-ASK-FISH. The DNR is on the Internet at www.dnr.state.mi.us and click on fisheries division.

Regulation changes

The DNR has changed fishing regulations in southeastern Michigan.

•Anglers in the Detroit River downstream from an east-west line from the southern tip of Celeron Island and in Lake Erie waters only may take and possess a total of 10 walleye.

•The possession limit for trout on a two-mile stretch of the Huron River which flows through the Proud Lake Recreation area has been reduced to three fish during the regular trout season April 26-Sept. 30.

Free camping

Free camping is available this summer in Michigan for folks who volunteer as campground hosts at Michigan State Parks or State Forests.

Duties include greeting campers, explaining fees, light maintenance and answering questions.

The requirements are: be at least 18 years old, attend a training session May 14-16 in Roscommon, serve for at least four weeks, provide your own camping equipment and be available at the campground for five days each week.

For more information, call (517) 373-9483.

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AL HARRISON

Phil Horowitz of West Bloomfield has made Team USA and will be headed for the Maccabiah Games which take place in Israel.

The finals were held in Columbus, Ohio, a weekend ago to determine the six best Jewish bowlers from the entire country.

He is the only one from Michigan to make the team and also happens to be the oldest at 58.

Phil has been very successful in the National Seniors Bowling Association monthly tournaments and he thrives on competition.

Perfect games: When the All-Star Bowlerettes take to the lanes on Monday nights at Cloverlanes in Livonia, anything can happen.

These gals have the strongest ladies' league in the nation, and this proved to be all the more true a week back as two teammates rolled 300 games at the same time, in their third game of the evening. I was there earlier, left before it happened, so unfortunately I missed watching as Janet "Sam" Greaves of Waterford and Cheryl Roberts of Redford were matching strikes all the way, bowling No. 3 and No. 4 in the lineup.

For Sam, it was her first perfect game, the second for Cheryl, and when it was noted that Greaves had finished game 2 with a six-bagger, it added up to 18 in a row for her. Anyone who wants to watch the best women bowlers around can come down to Cloverlanes and watch the action starting at 8:30 p.m. on Mondays.

Bowling cruise: Anyone who is a bowler may want to take advantage of the "Bowler's Cruise '98."

The cruise is set for January and is open to ABC/WIBC league bowlers. The cruise will depart from Fort Lauderdale and make stops at San Juan, St. Thomas, St. Marten and Nassau.

For information, call Steve Kohlman, (313) 261-1177.

Pat on the back: Congratulations to Brad Emons, awarded Journalist of the Year honors from the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

Al Harrison covers bowling for the Observer Newspapers.

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Exercise tips

If your exercise routine varies with the weather and you tend not to exercise over the winter months, the earlier days of warmer weather in the spring may bring the "usual" muscle soreness, aches and pains when you begin exercising again.

"If you haven't been exercising over the winter months, begin your spring program sensibly," said Jody Tomasic, director, Oakwood Sports Medicine and Physical Therapy Center. "Return to your sport or activity gradually, addressing the following elements to prevent injury or soreness: strength, flexibility, endurance or aerobic capacity and sport-specific training."

•Strength. It is important to have strong muscles to help avoid injury. They must be able to hold or sustain activity when it is demanded of them. If a weakness exists, the weak muscles may be injured because they cannot withstand the demand or different muscles may be used to perform a movement or stabilize a joint.

•Flexibility. A very important, but often ignored, aspect of preparing for exercise is muscle stretching. The result of leaving stretching out of an exercise program can be unnecessary stiffness, sometimes even injuries to joins, cartilage, tendons and muscles.

•Endurance or aerobic capacity. Endurance is important for exercise on two levels: the heart or cardiac and respiratory endurance as well as endurance capacity at the muscle level. An endurance activity also helps you to lose those extra pounds put on over the winter months.

•Sport-specific training. Because exercise often demands a combination of movement, simple calisthenics and aerobic exercise like walking or running may not completely prepare you for a specific sport or activity. In a sport that includes throwing, it would be important to include a gradual throwing program in your preparation. A throwing program includes throwing a short distance with minimal effort.

Those who are exercising should warm up by walking or jogging for approximately five minutes, to break a slight sweat. Exercisers should dress appropriately for the variable spring temperatures.

Prevention of injury and soreness is the best approach and this can be achieved by continuing an exercise program throughout the year.

Sinusitis sufferers

Physicians at Henry Ford Hospital have determined for the first time that surgery wipes out the headache, nasal congestions and nasal drainage associated with chronic sinusitis better than any other long-term treatment.

Over an eight-year period, physicians at Henry Ford Hospital and the University of Pennsylvania analyzed the effect of endoscopic sinus surgery on more than 70 patients suffering from severe sinus disease. At the end of the study, nearly 100 percent of the participants reported overall symptom improvement.

"This study, which is the first to evaluate the long-term effects of endoscopic surgery for chronic sinusitis, demonstrates that symptoms can be improved with this type of surgery and maintained with appropriate post-operative management," said Dr. Brent Senior, M.D., of Birmingham, an otolaryngologist at Henry Ford Hospital and principal investigator of the study. "It also indicates that patients treated by this surgery are unlikely to require further surgical treatment."

Endoscopic surgery involved inserting small scopes and instruments through the nostrils to open up blocked sinus cavities – the small, air-filled spaces behind and above the nose.

In individuals with sinusitis, these spaces become clogged, making it difficult for the sinuses to drain freely. Trapped fluids then become a breeding ground for bacteria and a persistent infection can result. If this condition lasts longer than three months and doesn't respond to treatment with nasal spray or antibiotics, it is considered chronic sinusitis.

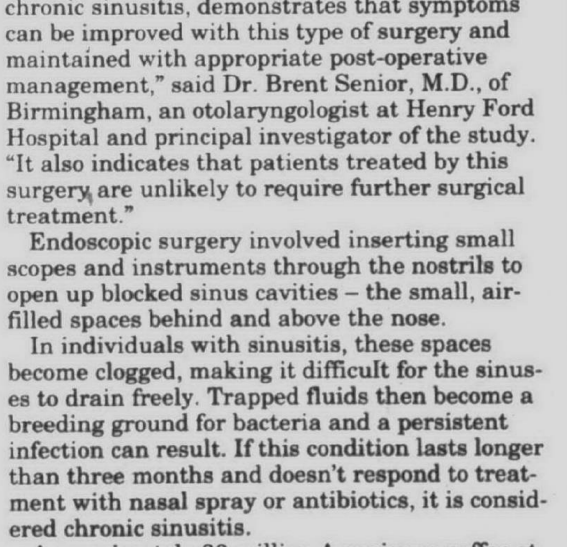
Approximately 30 million Americans suffer at least one bout of sinusitis each year. Nearly one-third of these individuals develop chronic sinusitis.

Symptoms of sinusitis include nasal congestion, headache, nasal drainage and sometimes a loss of taste or smell.

"Congestion, headache and post nasal drip improved the most after surgery," Senior said. "And at the end of the study, 82 percent of participants reported they used less antibiotics than before surgery."

Study results were presented at the Eastern Section of the Triologic Society meeting.

Items for Medical Briefs are welcome from all hospitals, physicians, companies and residents active in the Observer-area medical community. Items should be typed or legibly written and sent to: Medical Briefs, c/o The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia 48150 or faxed to (313) 591-7279.



Giving teens the tools to cope

BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI
SPECIAL WRITER

If you've ever wished your teen-ager came with a user's manual, "Healthy Teens: Success in High School and Beyond" by Alice R. McCarthy, Ph.D., offers a resource during the most precarious time of your child's life.

Depression, violence, eating disorders and substance abuse are among the issues discussed in this frank and detailed 114-page resource.

No one knows better about the pitfalls during this precarious time of life than a teen who has experimented with drugs, landed in jail and is in the process of changing.

Brian Goris, a 16-year-old Commerce Township resident, was referred to the Livonia Counseling Center. Since he started taking drugs when he was 13, Goris completed one mental health and four drug rehabilitation programs.

At first, Goris said, he was against going to rehab, because he didn't want to stop using drugs. "But they planted a seed in my head that I could do something different," said Goris, who has used "everything except heroin."

Goris' problem isn't unusual. Drug use is on the rise among teens. In fact, 24 percent of eighth-graders used an illegal drug in the last year, up from 11 percent in 1991, according to "Healthy Teens."

"Most people with a drug problem will deny it," McCarthy writes.

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Keeping secrets

It's important to realize that kids often keep secrets about their drug abuse, according to Dale Yagiela, director of the Plymouth-based Growth Works, a dependency treatment and juvenile justice program. Often times, parents will find drug paraphernalia, approach their teen and believe their child's stories about keeping it for a friend, or that it was a one-time experiment, Yagiela said.

Yagiela also stressed that it's a fallacy that parents give their children self-esteem. "You develop it from accomplishments," he said. "Parents can help kids take on challenges, but kids get self-esteem by the things they accomplish by themselves."

While some of the problems teens face seem trivial others are monumental or seem to be to the adolescent. The pressures during this time of life can be overwhelming, especially considering that this year some 10,000 teens will commit suicide and another 400,000 teens will attempt suicide. Suicide is the third leading cause of death among teens 15-19.

Compared to 25 years ago, teen suicide is up 300 percent. In an effort to curtail this trend, April has been designated National Suicide Prevention Month.

"When they're feeling that way already and they start using drugs sometimes that will intensify their feelings rather than help them escape those feelings," according to Gloria Jean Dykhouse, Hegira clinical services supervisor.

"Some teens only feel that way when they're under the influence and when they are feeling guilty, angry and remorseful."

There's a rise in the types of drugs that Dykhouse hears about from the teens during her sessions at Hegira, a non-profit health care agency offering mental health and substance abuse assistance programs. There's more alcohol, marijuana and heroin use.

"They definitely seem to progress from alcohol and marijuana onto heroin and cocaine," she said. "Not everyone goes that far, but those who are using heroin and cocaine certainly started off using alcohol and marijuana."

Finding drugs is easy, according to the teens Dykhouse sees, and it's important for parents to learn about drugs and the signs of use. Look for personality changes, dropping grades, school absenteeism, behavior problems at home and defiance of rules.

Know their friends

"Take a good look at who their friends are and what their families are involved in," she said. "Anytime a parent finds something, smells something or suspects use they should follow up on that and get the child to a professional to be assessed. Just as you would take a child to a doctor for a fever."

Dykhouse said she's continually struck by the resiliency that young people have to grow in a healthy way when they are supported, given firm limits and follow boundaries. "Healthy Teens" stresses the importance of family interactions and Dykhouse notes that relationships should be based on trust. Parents need to respect and acknowledge who the teen really is and allow areas for the teen to have control. This will help them develop responsibilities and help them learn to take control of their lives.

"Sometimes people say 'My teen is 16 or 18 or in high school and I really don't have to do anything,' " she added. "That's really not true. Just because they're in high school you expect they know everything and maybe there are areas where they don't know what to do. You want to help them develop good judgment."

At 14, Kelly Johnson, a Garden City High School ninth-grader who serves on school task forces, said she believes parents need to talk to their children more.

"A lot of kids will ignore their parents, but it will do some good," she said.

"Some kids think, 'Well, one time won't hurt' with drugs or sex. If parents can relate to their kids with their past experiences or something that happened to family members and friends it will have an impact on their kids."

Dieting among her friends is another issue that needs attention says Johnson.

"I know a lot of teen-agers who are on a diet: They think 'I'm too fat.' They don't need to be on a diet, they need to cut down on their fats and exercise. I think the girls are more self-conscious than the guys and they like to look pretty and thin and worry about what they look like."

Focusing on the future is essential for teens, according to Monica Stanke, program coordinator with the Garden City Youth Assistance program. Most teens who get in trouble don't have goals, she said. Youth Assistance receives referrals from police, juvenile courts, families and self-referrals. Most of the teens in the program have had some kind of illegal behavior.

"They don't see how the goals connect to their future," Stanke said. "My program deals with life goals and what is getting in the way of their life goals," she said, adding that teens are asked to write down obstacles that will prevent them from achieving their goals and steps they can take now.

Cheryl Willett, director of curriculum and instruction in Garden City Public Schools, said educators recognize that there are certain assets kids need to live a healthy life and if they don't have these traits they often turn to drug abuse, gangs and violence.

A group of concerned citizens, educators, parents, clergy and students formed Garden City Youth Development Task Force, to help teens strengthen their personalities.

Most teens have between 16 to 25 of the 40 traits, Willett said.

These 40 assets are also outlined in "Healthy Teens." They involve external influences of support from other people and include boundaries and constructive ways to use their time; or internal development that includes a commitment to learn, positive values, social competencies and a strong self-identity.

At loose ends

"What we find so much of the time is that major things are missing, especially from those internal assets," Willett said. "Kids in gangs and those who use drugs, when you talk about their future it's not even in their vocabulary. Some of these

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Book offers insights

As a service to the communities it serves, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers will donate copies of "Healthy Teens: Success in High School and Beyond" to all local public libraries, youth agencies and all of the middle and high schools in the circulation area.

Alice R. McCarthy, Ph.D.

The new and expanded edition of the book is published by Bridge Communications Inc. in Birmingham, of which author Alice R. McCarthy, Ph.D., is president.

The newspaper got involved because its leaders believe in being civic-minded, said Banks Dishmon, Observer publisher, "and want to be involved in the communities."

Teens and families face so many challenges today, said Dishmon, the father of three. "This book offers some different insights."

McCarthy's book on teens is the latest outcome of efforts that began more than 10 years ago when the Michigan Model for Comprehensive School Health Education was developed in cooperation with professional and voluntary organizations, community and parent groups and private industry working toward disease prevention and health promotion among young people. McCarthy is a nationally recognized author of parent education materials.

McCarthy says that "Healthy Teens" gives adults in families a reality check on the world of the teen today.

Concise, frank information developed with the help of 50 national experts on:

- Substance abuse
- Dating and parties
- Healthy pating
- Dyslexia and ADHD
- Sexuality
- Sexual harassment, abuse and assault
- HIV/AIDS and STDs
- Violence
- Depression and auicide
- College and financial aid
- The world of work.

McCarthy is a nationally known civic leader, educator and writer. She is a Cornell University graduate in early childhood development and education. She completed her doctorate at Wayne State University in 1986. Her work at WSU concerned human growth over the life span and curriculum development.

Currently, McCarthy is involved in several health education projects related to children and families. She is writing a curriculum for families, "Parents as Partners: Keeping Kids Healthy." She is also preparing a national curriculum in health for kindergartners through sixth graders, entitled "Health 'n' Me!"

She published "Healthy Preschoolers At School-At Home" in 1995.

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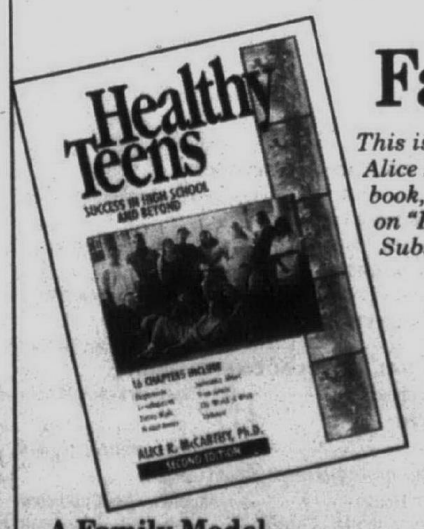

This is Chapter 7 of Alice R. McCarthy's book, which focuses on "Preventing Teen Substance Abuse."

Families work to prevent substance abuse

A Family Model

Many families today *are* working with their teen to prevent drug use, whether the drug is nicotine in cigarettes, marijuana, alcohol, inhalants, or any other kind of drug. The model these families are using is inclusive: No drug use of any kind is acceptable. This model involves the teen in the reasoning and decision-making process and focuses on clear-cut rules and consequences. The line these adults have decided to walk goes beyond simply forbidding drug use with words and threats, to knowing the realities of drug use among teens, the temptations teens face, and a willingness to have a relationship with their teen that makes "no drug use" work for both the families and their teen.

Here are three reasons an adult can use as the basis to prohibit all drug use.

■ *Drugs are dangerous.* What *is* known about drug use among teens points to disaster, whether the result is a lifelong addiction to cigarettes or an early death in an alcohol-related traffic accident. There is absolutely *no* evidence to show that drug use in teens is not dangerous, and not getting more dangerous. A fight when high or drunk could lead to a shooting; having sex in the same condition could lead to pregnancy or sexually transmitted disease.

■ *Drug use is illegal.* The chart in "Appendix C" details Michigan laws about drug use. Adults need to know these laws and lean on these laws when setting rules about drug use with their teen. Quoting laws might seem hypocritical to some people, or at least not a very sound argument, but the facts are the facts. At the very least, teens need to know that parents or other adults may be held responsible for their teen's drug or alcohol use, and for the teen's actions while under the influence of drugs. Parents, not teens, are the ones who bear the burden of late night trips to the local jail, dealing with the police, the courts, the schools, and worst of all, the funeral expenses.

■ *Drug use doesn't mix with our family values, school, sports, and the other activities of a teen.* This is a tough time to grow up as a teen. Compared to 25 or 30 years ago, today's teen faces increased risks for all manner of life-threatening situations, whether that be suicide, teen pregnancy, contracting HIV, or being involved in a homicide. At the very least, teens need to know that drug use makes doing well in school harder, will affect their emotional life, and make it harder to make and keep quality friends. Teens today need every break they can get to protect their health and potential for success.

Teens Saying No to Drugs

There is more involved in preventing drug use than just setting rules. Your teen needs a strong sense of self-esteem, along with the social skills

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kids don't think they're going to be alive that long. We really believe that kids need to know how to take care of themselves, to understand that using drugs and using, even tobacco, is very harmful."

Charlene Teeter is program chairman of the Youth Development Task Force and mother to Jennifer, 19. Teeter, a nurse and emergency room manager at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, recently organized a health and fitness day geared toward teens. It provided information on healthful diets, eating disorders, steroid use, asthma, the effects of smoking, diets for athletes and testing strength, as well as height, weight, blood pressure and glucose screening. Being available for your children is one of the best things a parent can do, she said.

■ Charlene Teeter is program chairman of the Youth Development Task Force and mother to Jennifer, 19. Teeter, a nurse and emergency room manager at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center, recently organized a health and fitness day geared toward teens.

When both parents work, like she and her husband did while raising Jennifer, you have to be creative in providing the emotional support your child needs. With busy schedules, it's nice to rely on an extended family, she said adding that Jennifer often turned to Teeter's mom and sister if Teeter was working or going to school.

"My husband and I always had different shifts so someone would be at home with her," Teeter said, adding that getting involved in school, church and community activities is important for your child's healthy development, too.

McCarthy wrote similar comments in "Healthy Teens": "Too few young people grow up experiencing key ingredients for their healthy development. They do not experience support from adults, build relationships across generations, or hear consistent messages about boundaries and values. Most have too little to do that is positive and constructive."

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"Healthy Teens" Success in High School and Beyond" was published in September 1996 with the support of the school health programs of the State of Michigan's Departments of Community Health, Education, State Police, and the Family Independence Agency. It was immediately sold out in its first printing.

Bridge Communications also published several newsletters for families with children of different ages. She writes periodically for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers on family issues.

McCarthy is the mother of five children and the grandmother of eight.

James Windell of the Oakland Psychological Clinic, Oakland County Probate Court, reviewed the book. Windell wrote, "Congratulations on publishing 'Healthy Teens.' This book is a valuable and necessary resource for parents and families to assist adolescents toward a healthy and happy trip through the teen years. It should be read by every parent of an adolescent."

Robert Bilkie of Plymouth isn't waiting for his three girls to be teens. He wrote, "The book caused me to think about the environment in which my daughters will be raised, the stimuli they will be exposed to, and how I might deal with parenting situations as they are presented."

"Healthy Teens: Success in High School and Beyond" is available for $5.95 plus $2.25 shipping and handling; Michigan residents should add 36 cents sales tax. Bulk quantity discounts are available from 24 percent to 62 percent off. For details, contact Marcia Applegate at (810) 646-1020.

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necessary to withstand peer pressure to participate in substance abuse and other risky behaviors. Your teen needs to know that he or she is loved and valued as a person.

As with any issue involving your teen, planning and spending time with your teen on a daily basis is the key to lasting success. Your son or daughter needs to see how the rules you have set work with the experiences they have outside of the home, at school, and with friends. Your son or daughter needs to know the consequences of breaking rules, of course, but it is probably more important for him or her to know that *you are aware* of the drug use in your community and the fact that he or she will be offered drugs and will have the opportunity to use drugs.

Families need to give their teen every possible, simple way to refuse drugs. You need to be willing to work with your teen on easy, no-nonsense ways to say no to drugs. In most cases, this means letting your teen off the hook, and putting yourself in the role of the heavy. A teen who says "I made a deal with my family not to use drugs" faces fewer questions than a teen left facing their peers alone. Likewise, a simple, short answer for saying no to drugs holds up better to followup questions. "Look, what can I say, I made a deal with my family" is a simple, straightforward response – one that can be followed by another, equally simple response. "Don't you get it? A deal's a deal, and I'm keeping my end of the bargain."

Adults who expect their teens not to use drugs have to also be willing to listen to their teen talk about drug use around them. Adults even need to be willing to accept some small lapse in the rules – a beer at a party, a hit off a joint – in exchange for their teen's willingness to talk about the situation. A two-way street is just that. The more your teen is willing to talk with you about drugs, the better the chance that your teen will stay off drugs.

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MEDICAL DATEBOOK

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ALCOHOL AWARENESS
Throughout the month of April, the Center for Counseling at Garden City Hospital will offer free informational meetings for the families of problem drinkers or those who think they might have a problem with an addictive substance. Sessions can be scheduled by calling (313) 458-3395. April has been designated as Alcohol Awareness Month.

APRIL-MAY

PROSTATE CANCER
The Health Development Network at Botsford General Hospital, in conjunction with Botsford's Department of Urology, is presenting its annual Prostate Health Awareness Program. It is aimed at giving individuals information needed to understand prostate cancer and prostate disease. Free digital rectal exams and PSA blood tests are available. Advance registration is required. To register, call (810) 477-6100. Lectures will be May 5, May 7, May 20 and May 22 in the Farmington Hills/Novi area. Attendance at one is mandatory for men who have not been previously screened through Botsford's program.

MON, APRIL 14

POSTURE PAIN
A program on "Controlling Posture Pain" will be held 7 p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

CELIAC SPRUE
The Tri-County Celiac Sprue Support Group will meet 7:30 p.m. at the Southfield Presbyterian Church, 21575 W. 10 Mile. The support group is for people diagnosed with celiac sprue and dermatitis herpetiformis, their families and friends. For information, call M. Campbell, (810) 477-5953, or M. Gurriero, (313) 274-9232.

HEALING GRIEF
A Healing Grief workshop will be held 7-8 p.m. at the Friends Meeting House, 1416 Hill in Ann Arbor. The building is on Hill at Washtenaw, by the painted rock. To register or for information, call (313) 662-6270, Ext. 1. The session will be led by Donnette Joseph, M.S.W.

TUES, APRIL 15

CHILDBIRTH
A six-week course on childbirth education will begin 7 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. There will be information on pregnancy, labor and delivery, newborn care and postpartum care. Registration should be completed early in the pregnancy. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

PROJECT SITE
Care Choices HMO, a Mercy Health Plan, will co-sponsor the 1997 Project Health-O-Rama along with three other HMOs, WXYZ-TV and the United Health Organization. The site will be open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Mercy Health Services corporate headquarters in Farmington Hills. A variety of tests will be offered for those age 18 and older. For information, call (810) 489-6002.

STROKE AND ANEURYSM
A Stroke and Aneurysm Support Group will meet at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. Family members and friends are welcome. For information, call (313) 458-4396.

WATER FACTS
Water is vital in fighting kidney stones, and Botsford General Hospital's Health Development Network will present "Water Works" 7-8 p.m. at Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave. in Novi. Those attending will learn about various bottled waters. Price is $5 and advance registration is required. To register, call (810) 477-6100. A second program, Kidney Stone Management, offers one-hour, one-to-one consultations by appointment only. Price is $30. To schedule an appointment, call (810) 477-6100.

WED, APRIL 16

GRIEF TELECONFERENCE
A "Living With Grief" teleconference will be presented by satellite 1-4 p.m. by Madonna University's hospice education program and Angela Hospice at Madonna, Schoolcraft and Levan in Livonia. It will be presented by the Hospice Foundation of America and moderated by ABC News correspondent Cokie Roberts. A panel of experts will discuss bereavement issues. To make reservations for the free event, call Madonna University, (313) 432-5716 or (313) 432-5474.

PROSTATE CANCER
Dr. Hans Stricker, M.D., a urologist, will discuss risk factors for prostate cancer along with the latest detection and treatment methods 7-8:30 p.m. at Henry Ford Medical Center-Fairlane, 19401 Hubbard Drive in Dearborn. Admission is free. To register, call (313) 982-8384.

FOOT SCREENING
A foot screening for diabetics will be sponsored by MedMax, the American Diabetes Association, Parke-Davis, Michigan, the Medical Podiatric Association and Mode. It will be 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-7100. Local doctors include Dr. Ellen Mady of Canton and Dr. Allen Mehler of Livonia.

LARYNGECTOMY
A Laryngectomy Support Group, for those who have had or are going to have surgical removal of their vocal cords, will meet 2 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. Family members and friends are welcome. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-3381.

BREATHER'S CLUB
A support group for those with respiratory problems and their families will meet 7:30 p.m. at Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. The meeting will be in Classroom No. 2. For information, call (313) 458-3481.

THURS, APRIL 17

HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE
A program on "High Blood Pres-

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Bug discovery has a connection to community

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One of the more interesting stories in recent weeks was the report about the Worcester Polytechnic Institute students finding a bug in Microsoft Internet Explorer.

Well, I since learned that the story has a Livonia connection. One of the involved WPI students, Brian Morin, is a former Livonia resident. Morin attended Taylor Elementary, Holmes Middle and Stevenson High.

He moved to Nashua, N.H., in 1992 and graduated from Nashua High.

There is a story on CNET.com that quotes Morin. His former classmates, and others who know him, will want to read the story by pointing to http://www.news.com/News/Item/0,4,8447,00.html. The story was also covered by local TV news, radio, CNN, MS-NBC, and others.

The students have a Web site at www.cybersnot.com.

I ran across a report about the efforts of Brian Morin, Paul Greene and Geoffrey Elliott in discovering the bug in Internet Explorer 3.01. The students found that version 3.01 had a serious bug which allowed Web page writers to use certain link and URL files to run programs on a remote computer without prompting the PC owner. Explorer could then be told to transfer a batch file to a hard-drive and then execute commands that could cause mischief, such as deleting files.

After being told of the bug by the students, Microsoft had a bug-fix available within 24 hours – only to learn a few days later that another bug with security implications had been discovered by other students.

Last-minute help

If you are one of those who will be driving to the mail box at midnight Tuesday to file your income tax return, then you might be looking for some online help during the next two days.

The IRS has a full-service Web page which can be easily reached by pointing your browser to http://www.irs.ustreas.gov. You will be able to access forms and publications, tax tables, or instructions on how to file.

A search engine should help you find everything you need, including tips on how to file your tax return electronically so you can save gasoline on April 15. "The Web page is just part of our continuing effort to provide taxpayers with immediate access to tax information," says Arlene Kay, Michigan district director of the IRS.

Some one million people a day were visiting the site in March. If you really wait until the last minute to visit this site, select the text-only version which will load up faster than the graphics version.

If you don't want to visit the IRS official site, you might be interested in the Coopers & Lybrand's Tax News Network at http://www.taxnews.com. At TNN you'll find pages tax information and analysis, news, Coopers & Lybrand publications, and other helpful tax-information sites. The information at TNN is timely and in-depth, focusing on matters such as IRS policy goals, new and proposed legislation.

Web jewels

■ If your young children haven't discovered Barney's Kids Page yet, have them visit http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/7412//.

There are, according to Liz Thompson, 28,000 Barney Web pages. Most don't pass the muster, however. The Barney's Kids Page is unique because it doesn't poke fun at our favorite purple dinosaur. And it offers many things to do, from downloadable coloring pages to sounds of Barney and Baby Bop. Your kids can also E-mail Barney a message and view lots of big, bright Barney photos.

■ After the kid goes to bed, mom or dad may want to visit the Ray Charles page at http://www.raycharles.com/.

Visitors with the RealAudio plug-in upon arrival are treated to an introduction from Ray Charles before entering the site. After listening to the greeting you can read a biography or an autobiography (beginning with his early years, 1930-1960), a discography (which includes the History of Chart Hits) and information about both the singer's charities and fan club.

■ "Comet Hale-Bopp" at http://www.halebopp.com is an electronic publication by Russell Sipe, focusing on the Hale-Bopp comet, scheduled to reach peak brightness this month. The site includes the latest comet news, subject-related book reviews, photographs and images.

■ There recently was a television special on "The Waltons" in which, my hair dresser tells me, John Boy's wife gives birth to twins (a boy and a girl). If you didn't get enough of the Waltons on that Sunday night, point your browser to http://www.the-waltons.com to visit the Web site of the Waltons, the television family that most of America followed from 1972 to 1981. Fans will find pictures, music from the theme song, a complete episode guide and information on the Walton Mountain Museum and Earl Hamner, the show's creator, narrator, and writer of the original book. In fact, the Waltons were in large part based on Hamner's own family. So you can also read the history of the "real" family at this site.

■ The Harlem Globetrotters are celebrating their 70th anniversary as America's "Ambassadors of Goodwill" on the hardwood. The Globetrotters have entertained in 113 countries and haven't slowed down yet. As recent as 1995, the Globetrotters grabbed a 10-1 victory over Kareem Abdul-Jabbar and his all-stars. Go to http://www.harlemglobetrotters.com/ and read a complete club history, find out how your children can attend The Globetrotters Summer Camp, enjoy Globetrotters' Trivia, and review a complete schedule for appearances this year.

■ I recently read an article on the subways and underground utilities of New York City in National Geographic. So I was interested in "Stories from the Subways" at http://www.toptown.com/centralpark/subways/. Visitors will find a link a route map of the New York subways and a link to a the Find A Route tool where you can type in your starting point and your destination and be provided with the best route to take.

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BUSINESS PEOPLE

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary, including the towns of residence and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired, to: Business People, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Leadership

Rebecca J. Christian of Livonia, Franklin Bank senior vice president, has been nominated to become a member of the bank's board of directors. The nomination is the first addition to the board since 1984 and she will become the first woman director.

Christian

"I am very honored and excited about the nomination," said Christian, 43. "Franklin is fortunate to have a very talented, action-oriented board and being asked to join them is a tremendous compliment."

Christian has been in banking since 1979, with Franklin since 1984 and a senior vice president since 1991. As marketing and communications director, she has won numerous national awards for advertising campaigns and innovative annual reports. She is a 1995 honors graduate of the American Bankers Association's Stonier Graduate School of Banking. Under her sales administration, Franklin's business relationships have grown over 1,600 percent since 1991.

She is originally from southwest Detroit and lives with husband Robert in Livonia. Christian also serves on the board of directors of Variety and the Jewish Association for Residential Care.

Site manager

Scott Post has joined City Environmental Services Inc. of Romulus as site manager. The announcement was made by Bill Keenan, general manager.

As site manager, Post will oversee 175 employees and operations at three locations which provide services to five Michigan counties. Post, 33, joins City Environmental Services after having served as a general manager for Phoenix-based Paradise Waste Services.

He and his wife are in the process of relocating to the Farmington Hills area.

ASC changes

Albert Attee of Plymouth has been named business development manager at ASC Incorporated. Attee will be responsible for developing new business opportunities with Ford Motor Company as well as managing current projects. The announcement was made by Alan Jensen, ASC's executive director of business development.

Attee holds a bachelor of science degree from the Ford Motor Company Technical Institute in Dearborn. He has more than 28 years of automotive experience. He and his wife have two grown sons.

Marilyn Bannon of Dearborn has assumed the position of director of Enterprisewide Business Systems implementation for ASC. She will assume responsibility for the implementation of a new business operating system into two ASC divisions, Automobile Specialty Company and ASC Convertible Systems Company. The announcement was made jointly by John Nechiporchik and Bob Ostendorf, ASC vice presidents and general managers of Automobile Specialty Company and ASC Convertible Systems Company, respectively.

Bannon earned her bachelor's degree in business administration from the University of Michigan and her MBA from Eastern Michigan University.

Mike Sancho of Belleville will take over the reins of the ASC Technical Center. The announcement was made by Mark Trostle, ASC vice president of product/business development.

In this new position, Sancho will oversee all Technical Center operations, including fabrication, machine shop, pilot build area, paint and trim.

He began as a painter at ASC's Livonia Assembly operation. Sancho and his wife have two children.

Joins team

Carla Jean Lange has joined the environmental team of TolTest Inc. as a lead scientist/hydrogeologist in the Plymouth office.

Lange has 12 years of related experience, including the development and management of a site investigation on 640 acres comprised of bulk storage and distribution facilities, a bulk chemical chemical storage and transfer facility, and transfer stations serviced by rail and ships. She also developed and managed on-site and perimeter air quality monitoring programs after a train derailment released more than 550,000 gallons of contaminants into the environment and caused a fire that burned for eight days adjacent to residential and agricultural property.

Service technician

Kevin Nolan has joined Tennyson Chevrolet-Geo of Livonia as a service technician. For the past 10 years, he has been employed with Jim Muir Olds/GMC Truck before joining the staff at Tennyson Chevrolet.

Nolan

He lives in Troy with his wife. Nolan enjoys traveling up north and riding snowmobiles in his free time.

Assumes duties

James Upson of West Bloomfield has assumed the duties of senior benefits consultant for the Retirement Plan Services Department of Gallagher ABOW Inc. The announcement was made by W. Bryan Hirn, area president.

Upson

Upson joined Gallagher ABOW with the merger of Arnold & Company. He earned his bachelor of science degree in 1966 from the University of Kansas.

AAL leaders

Aid Association for Lutherans members from Branch 3233, Livonia, have been awarded a Gold Star rating by the fraternal benefit society in recognition of exemplary volunteer service to the community.

The branch is led by president **Jeanette Alder** of Livonia, vice president **James Willey** of Livonia and secretary **Connie Cooper** of Westland. Branch 3323 is supported by AAL District Representative **Chad Peterson**, Livonia.

Cruising

Travel agent **Beth Dingeldey** of AAA Michigan's Canton office has earned a free cruise as part of a quarterly incentive contest sponsored by Carnival Cruise Lines.

Dingeldey

Dingeldey was one of five AAA Travel agents chosen as part of a nationwide drawing based on number of bookings. She and a guest will sail on a Carnival three-, four- or seven-day cruise.

BUSINESS DATEBOOK

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APRIL 14-18

TRAINING WORKSHOP
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a "ISO/QS-9000 Lead Auditor Training Workshop" 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (ending time varies) at the Industrial Technology Institute in Ann Arbor. Price is $1,350. To register, call Cristina O'Connor, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

TUES, APRIL 15

EMPLOYEE MOTIVATION
Schoolcraft College will present a one-day seminar, "Motivators That Are Better Than Money," 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the college, 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile in Livonia. The seminar will cover ways to thank and inspire employees that do not always involve monetary rewards. It will be conducted by the National Seminar Group. Price is $97. For information or to register, call (313) 462-4448.

WED, APRIL 16

MARKETING ASSOCIATION
The American Marketing Association-Detroit Chapter will meet 6 p.m. at the Southfield Marriott for a presentation on "Changes in the Luxury Car Market." The presentation will be given by Robert Baxter, corporate research manager for Mercedes-Benz of North America. Following the presentation will be a single-malt scotch tasting featuring Hiram Walker brands. For reservations, call Arnita Clark at (313) 964-3789. Meeting price is $30 for members, $35 for non-members, including dinner, and reservations should be made by April 14.

REAL ESTATE
The Institute of Real Estate Management will meet for breakfast 8 a.m. at the Novi Hilton, 21111 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile. Speaker C. Diane Tedder, a certified public accountant and licensed real estate agent, will discuss "Preparing for a Tax Audit." For reservations or information, call Bea King, (810) 615-3985.

THURS, APRIL 17

INTERNET SECURITY
Netrex Inc. and Check Point Software Technologies Ltd. will host a symposium on Internet security, "The Latest Developments in Secure Internet Technology and Electronic Commerce," 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Radisson Plaza Hotel, 1500 Town Center, Southfield. Price is $45 per person. Keynote speaker will be Dr. Deborah Triant, CEO and president of Check Point Software Technologies Inc. To register or for information, call Christy Brewer, (810) 352-9643.

STARTING A BUSINESS
A program on "Growing or Starting a Small Technical Business or Engineering Services Firm" will be presented by the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the Society of Manufacturing Engineers 6:30-8 p.m. at the Management Building, Room M336, of Lawrence Technological University, 21000 W. 10 Mile, Southfield. Presenters will include Dr. John F. Watton, president of Corporate Technical Center, Livonia. For reservations, call Mike Tranquilla, (313) 451-4285.

PREVENTIVE ACTION
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a "QS-9000: Corrective & Preventive Action" seminar 8 a.m. to noon at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile in Livonia. Price is $95. To register, call Cristina O'Connor, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

WED, APRIL 23

AEROSPACE CAREERS
Eastern Michigan University's College of Technology will host NASA's Sandy Lozito 7 p.m. at the Corporate Education Center during the Science, Space and Technology Lecture Series for Youth. The event is free and open to the public. For information, call David Meitzler at (313) 487-1161.

SAT, APRIL 26

JOB FAIR
The fourth annual Co-op Services Credit Union Student Job Fair will be 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the credit union's Financial Center, 29550 Five Mile, just west of Middlebelt in Livonia. It is for young people ages 16-24 who will receive help finding employment. Free 15-minute workshops will be available on interviewing skills, budgeting and savings. Businesses may reserve free table space by calling Emma Crawford at (313) 522-3700, Ext. 259.

MON, APRIL 28

GATES TO SPEAK
Microsoft Corporation Chairman and CEO Bill Gates will be the keynote speaker at free seminars on the future of technology for business and education. The downtown Detroit sessions will include "Technology in Small Business: Leveling the Playing Field," "Technology's Influence on the Lifelong Learning Process" and "Internet and Intranet: Strategies and Tools for the Future." Advance registration is required. For registration information, call 1-800-550-4300.

WED, APRIL 30

INTERACTIVE MARKETING
The Great Lakes Interactive Marketing Association will meet 8 a.m. for networking and breakfast at The Community House, 380 S. Bates in Birmingham. The speaker will be J. Walker Smith, managing partner of the research firm Yankelovich Partners Inc. Smith's presentation, "Mainstreaming the Internet," will focus on the potential of the Internet as a marketing tool. Price is $20 for members, $30 for non-members. For reservations or membership information, call Toni Holmes at (810) 258-9270.

TUES, MAY 6

BUSINESS OWNERS
The Women Business Owners of Southeastern Michigan will meet 6:30 p.m. on the first floor of the 777 Building, on Eisenhower at State in Ann Arbor. Sheryl Norman will present a program on "How To Become a Publicity Expert: Getting Free Press." The business mixer will be 6:30 p.m., followed by the 7-8:30 p.m. program. Price is $10 for non-members and reservations are required. To make reservations, call Monica Milla at (313) 944-2133.

MAY 12-15

IAM '97
The Society of Automotive Engineers International Automotive Manufacturing Conference and Exhibition will be held at Cobo Center in Detroit. The executive breakfast will feature a SAE report on the results of a two-year study, "Bridging the Gap Between Design Engineering and Manufacturing." Joseph D. Spielman, vice president and general manager of General Motors Metal Fabricating Division and Manufacturing Centers, will give the plenary address, "Design for Manufacturability." April 14 is the registration deadline. For registration information, call (810) 269-1122.

JUNE 12-14

SERVANT-LEADERSHIP
An international servant-leadership conference will be held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Ann Arbor. The seventh annual international conference will include John Lore of Plymouth Township, CEO of the Sisters of St. Joseph Health System as a keynote presenter. A variety of fields will be represented. To register or for information, call the Greenleaf Center at (317)

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MEDICAL NEWSMAKERS

Items for Medical Newsmakers are welcome from throughout the Observer area. Items should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Service recognized

The 1-800-THERAPIST Network and its local network director, **Mark B. Anderson**, have been recognized as Business of the Year by Entrepreneur Magazine. The U.S. Congress has acknowledged the 1-800-THERAPIST Network for its efforts. AT&T also recently declared the service to be The Largest Multidisciplinary Telephone Referral Service in the Nation.

Callers with a variety of mental health problems are directed to a licensed professional or a mental health agency.

Nursing leadership

The Michigan League for Nursing recently announced election of officers for 1997-99. **Marilyn Oermann, Ph.D., R.N.**, will serve as president. She is a professor in the College of Nursing at Wayne State University.

Other officers are: **Gail S. Odneal, M.S.N., R.N.**, first vice president/president-elect and bylaws committee chairwoman, chair of Health Sciences from Monroe County Community College; **Bonnie Korn, M.S.N., R.N.**, second vice president and chairwoman of the membership committee, assistant professor at the McAuley School of Nursing, University of Detroit Mercy. Other board members are: **Karon Schwartz, M.S., B.S.N., R.N.**; **Gail Chambers, B.S.N., R.N.**; **Sheila Ochylski, B.S.N.**; **Sue Webb, M.S.N., R.N.**; and **Joan C. Urbancic, Ph.D., R.N.**

The league also named its 1997 Distinguished Service Award recipients, who were honored April 10 at a dinner in Frankenmuth. Recipients for 1997 include: **Gail Chambers** of Gran Care Hospice; **Dr. Mary Horan**, dean of the School of Nursing at Grand Valley State University; **Kelsey Schwartz** of Advantage Consulting and Educational Services; **Monica Sullivan** of Schoolcraft College; and **Botsford General Hospital**. The award is presented annually to those members and organizations who demonstrate a high level of support of nursing in Michigan and/or the league and its mission.

The league also announced its Student Achievement Award scholarship recipients. This year's award winners are **Kim Marie Haddad** of Madonna University and **Debby Jo Goodall** of Oakland University.

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sure: Unmasking the Quiet Killer" will be presented by the University of Michigan Medical Center 7-9 p.m. at the Water Club Seafood Grill, 39500 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. The program is free and reservations aren't required. For information on the Health Night Out program, presented by the Northville and Plymouth Health Centers, call (313) 454-0666.

APRIL 16-17

WOMEN'S HEALTH

Dr. Michael A. Roth, M.D., a specialist in menopause and women's weight management, will offer a seminar 7:30 p.m. at the DoubleTree Inn, across from Twelve Oaks in Novi. Topics will include menopause, osteoporosis and weight management to attain a healthier lifestyle. If interested in attending, call (810) 347-6100 for information.

BLOOD DRIVE

An American Red Cross blood drive will be held 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. To make an appointment, call (313) 458-4330. Walk-ins are welcome in the afternoon.

APRIL 16, 23

CHILDBIRTH REFRESHER

A two-session class will meet April 16 and 23 at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster, for couples who have already had a birth experience. The course provides a review of the stages of the birth process along with exercises, breathing and relaxation techniques. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

THURS, APRIL 17

NO BROKEN BONES

A program on injury and death due to falls and prevention of in-home falls will be held 2-3 p.m. at Henry Ford Medical Center-Livonia, 29200 Schoolcraft. Admission is free. Strengthening exercises to tone up muscles and improve balance will be taught. To register, call (313) 523-1704.

VEGETARIANS

A program on vegetarian eating will be held 10-11:30 a.m. at Henry Ford Medical Center-Fairlane, 19401 Hubbard Drive in Dearborn. Admission is free. To register, call (313) 982-8384.

APRIL 17, 24, MAY 1

TRANSFORMING STRESS

A program on "Transforming Stress Into Energy" will be held 7-8:30 p.m. at Henry Ford Medical Center-Fairlane, 19401 Hubbard Drive in Dearborn. Price is $60. To register, call (313) 982-8384.

APRIL 18, 19

BONE DENSITY

A bone density screening will be held 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. April 18, and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 19 at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. Price is $39 per person. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

SAT, APRIL 19

SPINA BIFIDA

A Spina Bifida meeting will be 9 a.m. to noon at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. This will be a support group meeting at which new members are welcome. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

HAVING A BABY

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital-Ann Arbor will present a seminar on "Is It Time To Have a Baby?" 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the hospital Education Center Auditorium. It will feature presentations on the physical and emotional aspects of having children. Price is $10 per person or $15 per couple. To register or for information, call (313) 712-5400 or 1-800-231-2211.

APRIL 21-23

DIABETES EDUCATION

A five-week series to help people live with diabetes will begin April 21, 22 and 23 at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster in Garden City. The class is certified by the Michigan Department of Public Health and will cover hypoglycemia, hyperglycemia, foot care, meal planning and glucose monitoring. Physician referral is required. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

MON, APRIL 21

CPR CLASS

Oakwood Healthcare System Community-Focused Health Promotion Network will sponsor a CPR class 6-9:30 p.m. at Oakwood Healthcare Center-Westland, 2345 Merriman in Westland. Price is $12 and registration is required by calling 1-800-543-WELL. Participants will receive certificates upon completion.

MASSAGE

"Massage for Better Health" will be offered at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty, between Six Mile and Seven Mile in Livonia. Professional demonstrations will be followed by hands-on practice. Price is $32. To register, call (313) 462-4448.

TUES, APRIL 22

LOW-FAT COOKING

Oakwood Healthcare System Community-Focused Health Promotion Network will sponsor a program on quick and easy low-fat cooking 1-3 p.m. at the Dearborn Senior Center, 5277 Calhoun, Dearborn. Price is $10, $3 for seniors. To register, call (313) 845-6403. A registered dietitian and a guest chef from Henry Ford Community College will demonstrate cooking techniques.

CPR INSTRUCTION

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will offer a Basic Life Support Adult Heartsaver Course 7-10 p.m. in Pavilion Conference Room B near the south entrance, Five Mile at Levan. The American Heart Association class will describe risk factors for heart disease, signs and actions for survival for a person having a heart attack, and what to do in a breathing or heart emergency. One-person rescue and the Heimlich maneuver will be covered. Price is $20. To register, call (313) 655-2922 or 1-800-494-1650.

WED, APRIL 23

CHILD IMMUNIZATION

In recognition of National Infant Immunization Week, St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will offer infant and child immunization 5:30-8 p.m. in Pavilion Conference Room B, near the south entrance off of Levan Road at Five Mile. Price is $5 per child. Health care professionals from St. Mary Hospital will administer the vaccine. Participants should bring all available immunization records. Advance registration isn't required. For information, call (313) 655-2922 or 1-800-494-1650.

PAIN, FATIGUE

An informational meeting for those with chronic fatigue syndrome, fibromyalgia (chronic pain) or chronic myofascial pain will be held 7-8:30 p.m. in the conference room of the Cambridge Building, 15457 Middlebelt, just north of Five Mile in Livonia. Price is $10 per person, $5 for an attending family member or support person. Advance registration is required. To register, call (313) 421-7630. The meeting will be facilitated by psychotherapists Carol Arndt and Dorothy (Dotty) Decker.

HEARING LOSS

Personalized Hearing Care and the Garden City Hospital Audiology Department will offer "Communication Skills and Hearing Loss" 1:30 p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

THURS, APRIL 24

IMPROVED BALANCE

A program on "What You Can Do To Improve Your Balance" will be held 1 p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

HEART CARE

Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute and Women's Health Services at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital-Ann Arbor will present a free lecture on "Taking Care of Your Heart: Menopause and Beyond" 7-9 p.m. in the MHVI Auditorium. Advance registration is required. To register or for information, call (313) 712-3583.

APRIL 25-26

CHILDBIRTH

A weekend Childbirth Education Class will be offered 6 p.m. April 25 and 8 a.m. April 26. The class provides information on pregnancy, labor and delivery, the coach's role, breathing and relaxation techniques, newborn care and postpartum care. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

SAT, APRIL 26

THROAT CANCER

The University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center and Department of Otolaryngology will offer free throat cancer screenings 9 a.m. to noon at the Taubman Health Care Center in Ann Arbor. Exams will take less than 45 minutes. To schedule an appointment, call 1-800-865-1125.

MON, APRIL 28

MANIC-DEPRESSIVE

The Manic-Depressive and Depressive Association of Metropolitan Detroit will meet 7:30 p.m. at the Mental Health Association building, 15920 W. 12 Mile, between Greenfield and Southfield. Those attending should park and enter from the rear lot/entrance. Speaker will be Dr. Michael Zarr, president of the Michigan Psychiatric Association. He will discuss "The Partnership Between Patient and Psychiatrist." For information, call (810) 557-5773.

TUES, APRIL 29

SOCIAL SECURITY

A program on "Are You Eligible for Social Security?" will be held 7 p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

MOMS ON THE GO

An alternating land and water exercise program for pregnant and postpartum women starts during pregnancy and continues until the baby is 6 months old. It is presented by the Perinatal Education Program of Garden City Hospital and the Wayne-Westland YMCA. It meets 6-7 p.m. Tuesdays, beginning April 29. Physician approval is required. For registration information, call (313) 458-4330.

FINANCING CARE

Valerie Greenberg, long-term care insurance specialist, will offer a class on financing such care 7-8:30 p.m. through Plymouth-Canton Community Education at Plymouth Canton High School. Price is $12. An attorney will be present as guest speaker. For topic information, call Greenberg, (810) 548-1086. To register, call (313) 416-2937.

FRI, MAY 2

BENEFIT BALL

The American Lung Association of Michigan's Women's Committee will hold its Golden Jubilee Cinderella Ball at The Ritz-Carlton in Dearborn. Tickets range from $175 to $1,000. For ticket information, call (810) 559-5100.

MON, MAY 5

PREGNANCY LOSS

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital-Ann Arbor will hold an ecumenical memorial service 7:30 p.m. in the hospital chapel for parents, families and friends who have experienced a pregnancy loss. For information, call (313) 712-3800. For information on support for couples, call Karen Londo, program coordinator, (313) 712-3354.

MAY 5-15

SMOKE-FREE LIVING

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will offer "Smoke-Free Living" 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays, May 5-15, in Lower Level Classroom E of the hospital, Five Mile at Levan in Livonia. The four-session program will cover the effects of smoking, benefits of quitting, what to expect when quitting, coping techniques and strategies for staying smoke-free. Deadline for registration is May 1. Price is $25. To register, call the Community Outreach Department, 1-800-494-1650.

FRI, MAY 9

BIDS FOR KIDS

The Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center Foundation will hold Bids for Kids IV-Wild West Fun Fest 7:30 p.m. at the Hellenic Cultural Center in Westland. The foundation and the Bids for Kids Committee will join with local parks and recreation departments to promote fitness for kids. Proceeds will be used to purchase and install fitness equipment in parks. The event will feature country music, line dancing, a live auction and hors d'oeuvres. Price is $40 per person or $75 per couple. For tickets or more information, call (313) 791-1234.

SAT, MAY 10

FINGERPRINTING

Dearborn Police Reserves and Redford Optical will offer free fingerprinting 9:30 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. at Redford Optical, 23917 Ford Road, Dearborn. Current photos of children will be taken, and Redford Optical staffers will do free vision screening. For information, call (313) 562-4733.

CANCER BENEFIT

Dick Clark will be featured at a benefit for the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute at Detroit's Westin Hotel. Cocktails will be served at 7 p.m., followed by dinner and entertainment at 8 p.m. Marilyn and Kenneth Way are honorary chairs. Tickets are $250 each for guests, $500 for friends, $750 for patrons. For ticket information, call Amy Cannon at 1-800-KARMANOS (527-6266).

MAY 11-18

HEALTH CAMP

Dr. Arthur Weaver, M.D., will offer a Better Living Seminars Health Camp in Grayling. Weaver is a professor of surgery at Wayne State University. For registration information, call (313) 531-2179 or write to Better Living Seminars, P.O. Box 700574, Plymouth 48170.

TUES, MAY 13

HEALTHCARE CONFERENCE

The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants and The Healthcare Financial Management Association-Eastern Michigan Chapter will present a Healthcare Conference 7:45 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. at Burton Manor in Livonia. Keynote speaker David J. Campbell, president and chief executive officer of The Detroit Medical Center, will discuss "Positioning for the Future – A Leadership Strategy." A variety of breakout sessions will be offered. Price is $125. For registration information, call (810) 855-2288.

SAT, MAY 17

WALKATHON

The Detroit Zoo will be the site for the First Annual National Kidney Foundation of Michigan Safari Walkathon. Registration will begin 7:30 a.m. and the walk will start 9 a.m. Walkers are asked to return their pledges by April 29. For more information, call 1-800-482-1455.

PSYCHOLOGY AND LAW

"Psychology and the Law," a seminar presented by satellite 12:30-5:30 p.m. at Madonna University in Livonia, will focus on the multi-faceted roles of the psychologist in the criminal courtroom. It will feature — Theodore Blau, Ph.D. Madonna is at I-96 (Schoolcraft) and Levan in Livonia. Price is $80. For registration information, call (313) 432-5731.

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MARKETPLACE

Marketplace features a glimpse of suburban business news and notes, including corporate name changes, new products, office openings, new affiliations, new positions, mergers, acquisitions and new ways of doing business. Items for Marketplace should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. The fax number is (313) 591-7279.

70th anniversary

TolTest Inc., a consulting, engineering and testing firm, is celebrating its 70th anniversary in 1997. The firm has offices in Toledo and Dayton, Ohio, Plymouth and Monroe, and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Founded in 1927 as Toledo Testing Laboratory and becoming TolTest Inc. in 1991, the company's portfolio of services has expanded from construction materials testing, groundwater sampling and soil borings, and metallurgical evaluations and product quality analysis, to currently include asbestos testing, hydrogeological assessments, underground storage tank investigations, hazard and risk assessments, remediation services, air quality testing, and regulatory compliance.

TolTest President Michael Boyle said the company started with 13 employees and now has more than 165 employees, four local buildings and offices in several states. "Our company has grown despite the challenges of a very cyclical market and increased government regulations," Boyle said. "At TolTest, we have responded to those outside changes by becoming more client-driven, resulting in a much stronger company ready for the 21st century."

TolTest, which is headquartered in Toledo, has revenue which has grown to $13,000,000 by offering sound technical solutions to a variety of complex problems in the environmental, geotechnical and construction fields.

Firm retained

Rein Nomm & Associates Inc., a public relations and marketing communications firm in Plymouth, has been retained by **Stout Risius Ross Valuation Consultants** of Farmington Hills to provide public relations and marketing services.

Stout Risius Ross is a Michigan-based consulting firm specializing in business valuation; real estate, machinery and equipment appraisal; litigation support; and mergers and acquisitions.

Rein Nomm & Associates has also been retained by the **East Morris Karate Academy** of Whippany, N.J., to promote publis awareness of the professional approach to martial arts instruction.

Store kudos

The **Dairy Queen/Orange Julius Treat Center** at 29592 Seven Mile in Livonia has won a national Quality/Purity Award for maintaining outstanding standards of quality, service and cleanliness. The announcement was made by Edward Watson, executive vice president of operations for International Dairy Queen Inc.

The local store is owned by Roger Eichen. The award presented to Eichen by American Dairy Queen Corporation is awarded to stores that receive an outstanding rating on an evaluation conducted by corporate field personnel. The evaluation covers more than 12 categories, including general store appearance, product preparation and appearance, sanitation procedures, and customer service. The evaluation is conducted without previous notification to store owners.

President's Council

Gene Harris Agency Inc. of Livonia has been honored by one of Michigan's largest insurance companies. After reviewing the performance of approximately 700 independent agencies in Michigan, Indiana and Ohio that write property and casualty policies for Citizens Insurance Company, the Howell-based insurer selected the agency for The President's Council award.

C.L. Finlan & Son Inc. of Plymouth also was lauded with The President's Council award by Citizens Insurance Company.

The award recognized agencies for exceptional production and underwriting results.

Tapped for awards

JJR Incorporated was awarded an Honor and a Merit Award from the Michigan Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects at a recent annual meeting in Dearborn. The awards recognize JJR's outstanding creative design capability and high quality performance on Michigan-based projects.

The Honor Award was presented for the W.K. Kellogg Foundation Headquarters in Battle Creek. The Merit Award was presented for the City of Detroit Mayor's Land Use Task Force, "A Framework for Action."

JJR is a landscape architecture, urban planning, civil engineering and environmental services firm headquartered in Ann Arbor.

Top trainer

ISO 9000 and QS-9000 training provided by the **Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center**, a unit of the Industrial Technology Institute, was ranked No. 1 in usability and value in a recent quality systems survey conducted by the Automotive Industry Action Group and American Society for Quality Control.

The survey was sent to more than 6,000 of their member companies in North America and the results are based on the more than 600 replies received.

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259-1241. The conference is sponsored by the Greenleaf Center for Servant-Leadership, based in Indianapolis. Information is also available from the Ann Arbor Convention and Visitors Bureau, 1-800-888-9487 or (313) 995-7281.

MAY-JUNE

INTERNET WORKSHOPS

Madonna University will offer Internet workshops. "Internet for Educators/for Entrepreneurs/for Everyone" will be offered Saturday, May 10 or June 7. Price is $35. "Creating Sites on the Web" will meet Saturday, June 14 and 21. Price is $85. Madonna University is at I-96 (Schoolcraft) and Levan in Livonia. To register or for information, call (313) 432-5731.

MAY-JULY

MADONNA OFFERINGS

Madonna University in Livonia will offer marketing courses and a workshop. "Promotional Mix: Professional Selling" will meet Thursdays, May 8 through June 26. Price is $190. "Promotional Mix: Theory and Practice of Teleselling" will meet Thursdays, July 3 through 24. Price is $95. The "Customer Service" workshop will be held May 16-17. Price is $95. Madonna University is at I-96 (Schoolcraft) and Levan in Livonia. For registration information, call (313) 432-5731.

MONDAYS

BUSINESS WOMEN

Suburban West Business and Professional Women meet on the first Monday of each month at the Holiday Inn at Six Mile and I-275. Networking is 6-6:30 p.m. and dinner is 6:30-7 p.m. A short business meeting is then conducted. Cost is $13 and reservations need to be made. For information, call Laura Hathaway at (810) 669-3547.

WEDNESDAYS

GROUP MEETS

NAWBO West meets 7:30-9 a.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at Fox Hills Country Club, 8768 N. Territorial, west of Plymouth Township. The network is for women who own and operate their own businesses to provide support and share solutions. Cost is $10 for members and $15 for guests, which includes a continental breakfast.

BUSINESS NETWORK

The Laurel Park chapter of Business Network International, a networking organization specializing in business referrals among members, meets at Richard's Restaurant, 39305 Plymouth Road at Eckles, at 7 a.m. every Wednesday. Call Tim Rosiak, (313) 459-3781, or Al Mughannem, (313) 427-5355.

FRIDAYS

BUSINESS NETWORK

The Livonia chapter of Business Network International, a networking organization specializing in business referrals among members, meets at the Comfort Inn on Middlebelt Road near I-96 at 7 a.m. every Friday. Call (810) 357-0430 or (313) 844-3432.

TUES-FRI

HELPFUL TIPS

The Southeast Michigan Career Service routinely holds no-cost sneak peaks on the job market of tomorrow. Topics discussed include: the job market, present and future; the traditional resume and why it no longer works; and traditional job search techniques, which are considered obsolete. The 1 1/2-hour sessions are held: 12:30 p.m. Tuesday; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday; 12:30 p.m. Thursday; and 8:30 a.m. Friday at 29444 Northwestern Highway, Suite 500, Southfield. Reserve a spot by calling 1-888-JOBOLOGY.

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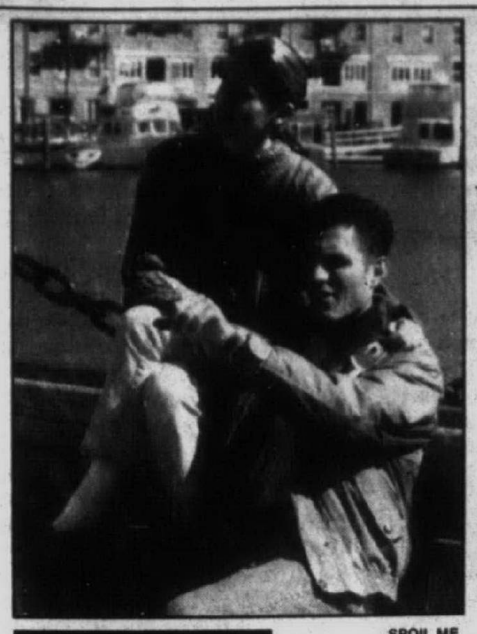

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SWF, 39, blonde/blue, fit, travels for job. Interests: skiing, biking, movies, wine, cooking, and sports (especially football). Seeking S/DWM, 40-50, professional, with spiritual and family values. Travels. ☎2034(exp5/8)

CONSERVATIVE GENTLEMAN
You're a great guy, you've been told. Handy, yet sophisticated, degreed, professional, N/S, rarely drink, physically fit, settled in most ways. You're a SWM, 5'8"+, 36+. I'm SWF, 41, petite, blue-eyed blonde. ☎2115 (exp5/8)

WAITING FOR YOU
Roman Catholic DWF, 42, 5'1", blonde/green, no children, N/S, loves laughing, long walks, quiet evenings at home, art, theater, almost everything. Seeking SWM, with similar interests, for friendship and LTR. ☎2041(exp5/8)

SEEKING ADVENTURE
Seeking SM, 40-something, bright, pretty, self-employed, enjoys romance, working out. I want a man's man, emotionally available and ready. ☎1825(exp5/8)

ARE THERE ANGELS AMONG US?
Well-rounded, humorous SWF, 43, 5'7", brown/hazel, N/S, enjoy sports, jazz, C&W, quiet times at home. Seeking honest, romantic, humorous, mature S/DWM, 38-52, 5'7"+, N/S, who can appreciate me, for possible marriage. ☎2112(exp5/8)

SINCERE & HONEST
DWF, 47 (looks 32), petite, enjoys outdoors, romantic dinners, travel, weekend trips. Seeking sincere, honest, financially secure SM, N/S, N/D, N/Drugs, down-to-earth, sincere person for monogamous relationship/future. No games. ☎2110(exp5/8)

JUST TRANSFERRED
DWPF, 49, blonde/brown, personality plus, outgoing, physically fit. Enjoys travel, working out, dinners, biking, N/S, social drinker. Seeking DWPM, 40-55, active, physically fit, financially secure, enjoys life. ☎2049(exp5/8)

NEW TO AREA
DWPF, 49, 5'5", blonde/brown, seeks SM, 40-55, to share common interests, walks, dinner, travel, self-growth, and conversation. Must be physically fit, humorous, and financially/emotionally secure. ☎2048 (exp5/8)

SEEKING TEXAN
Widowed WF, 55, enjoys camping, weekend getaways, coffee, and talks. Seeking SM, 55-60, with similar interests. ☎2043(exp5/8)

STABILITY AND BALANCE
SWF, 57, fun, pretty, sexy, with a good heart, seeks confident, available, good-looking WM, 6', 47+, for quality long-term relationship. ☎2127(exp5/8)

LONELY WIDOW
Attractive, romantic at heart SF, easygoing and honest. Likes simple things in life, good conversation, long walks, travel, outdoors. Seeking SM, 65-70, with similar interests. Will answer all. ☎1824(exp5/8)

SEEKS SWEET GENTLE MAN
For fun times and sincere relationship. No age barrier. ☎2045(exp5/8)

SUGAR & SPICE
Attractive DBCF, mother of two, N/D, N/Drugs, N/S. Enjoys movies, quiet evenings, and travel. Seeking SBCM, 35-40, with similar interests for LTR. Love children. ☎1826(exp5/8)

50 YEAR-OLD PRETTY ENTREPRENEUR
Giving, loving, full-figured, pretty, looking for her knight in shining armor. Any sincere, successful, caucasian gentleman, 45-70, please reply. ☎2129(exp5/8)

ARE YOU MY PRINCE?
SWF, 25, brown/blue, who lost her glass slipper. Seeking romantic prince, 25-35, who likes movies, theater, dining out, dancing and having fun, for conversation, friendship and possible romance. ☎1809 (exp5/1)

SWEET AND SINCERE
SWF, 27, 5'3", seeks SWM, 25-32, with no dependents, interests include Red Wings, darts, dining, and dancing; so if you're not afraid of a commitment, let's talk. ☎1895(exp 5/1)

HONEST, ROMANTIC
Kind of shy DWF, 30, blonde/blue, 115lbs, N/S, very loyal, not too clingy but enjoys togetherness. Seeking S/DWM, 30-45, who enjoys working out, walks, sports, outdoor activities, quiet nights, companionship, possible LTR. ☎1816(exp5/1)

SPOIL ME
35 year-old full-figured SWF, seeks professional BM, 30-49, for friendship and romance. Enjoys long walks, movies, sports, romance, and cooking. Loves to be pampered. ☎1902(exp5/1)

WHERE'S MY KNIGHT?
DWF, 35, 5'7", 125lbs, N/S, attractive, kind, down-to-earth, one child, enjoys jogging, bike riding, traveling, and warm weather. Seeking LTR, with caring, fun, financially secure SWM, 38-49, N/S. ☎1900(exp5/1)

WOMAN FOR ALL SEASONS
Snow skiing, biking, tennis, fitness, travel, movies, plays, dancing. SWF, young 42, 5'4", fit, attractive, outgoing, personable, humorous Professional, Christian family values, no children, marriage-minded. Looking for best friend, similar interests, values, 37-48. ☎1903(exp5/1)

CLASSY AND CURVACEOUS
DWF, 46, 5'9", H/W proportionate, active, degreed mother, into dancing, cooking, gardening, hiking, travel and nature, sensitive, sensual, honest, loving, loyal. Seeking same for possible LTR. ☎1632(exp4/24)

DOCTOR WANTED
Youthful, bright, warm, blue-eyed pretty blonde, 47, 5'6", a little overweight, seeks physician for friendship, who will resculpture my body into a beautiful work of art. Troy resident. ☎1815(exp5/1)

LIKES TO LAUGH
DWF, 53, 5'2", 124lbs, reddish blonde/blue, enjoys golf, sports, travel, dancing, auctions, dining out. Seeking humorous widowed/divorced gentleman 50s, smoker, social drinker ok. ☎1889(exp5/1)

HELLO FRIENDS
Attractive, slender, intelligent, refined, affectionate, humorous JF, 54, blonde/green, 5'5", seeks classy gent, who is sweet, intelligent, over 50, honest, polite, for a real relationship. ☎1883(exp5/1)

SEEKING YOU
Widowed WF, 55, seeks kind male, 55+, for ballroom dancing, travel, dining out and good conversation. ☎1819(exp5/1)

PRETTY WOMAN
Dynamic 50s lady, 5'6", slim, seeks younger man with lots of energy. Prefer 6' or taller, physically fit, N/S, degreed professional for fun time, possible LTR. ☎1894(exp5/1)

LOOKING FOR YOU
Widowed WF, 58, N/S, social drinker, financially/emotionally secure, seeks honest, caring gentleman, 55-63, to share quality time with. ☎1813(exp 5/1)

A GOLDEN GIRL
Attractive SF seeks senior gentleman for friendship, fun, movies, walking, golf, dancing, and much, much more. ☎1896(exp5/1)

LUSCIOUS
Very attractive, sexy SBF, 22, 155lbs, caramel-brown skin, long shoulder-length hair, adventurous, likes to do things, go out, and have fun. Call, you won't be disappointed!! ☎1623(exp 4/24)

MARRIAGE-MINDED
BF, 24, attractive, 5'7", thin, likes conversation, playfulness, movies, etc. Seeking marriage-minded SM, with no dependents, race open, for possible marriage. Humorous, ability to be my friend a plus. ☎1715(exp 4/24)

FILIPINO BEAUTY
Attractive SF, 29, 5'3", 110lbs, mother of one, who enjoys dancing, movies, dining out, seeks sincere, caring S/DWM, 30-40, for long-term relationship, possible marriage. Will relocate. Call for details. ☎1712(exp 4/24)

DOUBLE TAKE
Heads turn for this attractive, vibrant, petite, blonde/blue, gentle tigress, with unlimited interests. Desires handsome, stable, 6'1"+, looks great in pare of tight jeans, 30-40, who desires, mutual pampering for LTR. ☎1718(exp4/24)

GOLF SEASON IS HERE
Petite, N/S, outgoing senior, needs a sweet, sincere man, to join me for golf, bowling, cards. Must enjoy people and have family values. ☎1714(exp4/24)

KIND-HEARTED
DWF, 39, auburn/green, 5'4", 120lbs, N/S, no dependents, attractive, caring, enjoys movies, old cars, nature, art, animals. Seeking N/S, N/Drugs, tall, fit WPM, 36-43. ☎1707(exp4/24)

PRETTY PROFESSIONAL
33, 5'7", slim, long dark blonde, sense of humor, independent, like sports, dining, dancing and travel. Seeking thoughtful, classy, single white gentleman, 29+. ☎9902(exp4/24)

SEEKING ROMANCE
I'm an attractive, intelligent, slender, tall, refined, fun, affectionate smoker, 50. I'm not a '90s woman — so please be a traditional, tall, intelligent gentleman, 50+, who's polite. ☎9897 (exp4/24)

SOPHISTICATED AND LOOKING
It's time to settle down and become serious about finding you. If you are a refined gentleman, late 40s-early 50s, college-educated, N/S, who enjoys life's finer moments, look no further. ☎9891(exp4/24)

SEXY, WELL-BUILT BLONDE
5', 130lbs, green eyes, 50ish, seeking bad boy look, no pot-bellied, married men with thinning hair who drink or smoke too much. Ready to rock and roll with S/DWM, 40-50. ☎9813(exp 4/24)

CINNAMON SPICE
Attractive, outgoing nice sincere, female, 36, looking for intelligent, honest, handsome, financially secure SBM, for real friendship/maybe more. If this fits you, give me a call. ☎9812 (exp4/24)

SEARCHING FOR TRUE LOVE
Well-rounded, humorous SWF, 43, 5'7", brown/hazel, N/S, enjoy sports, jazz, C&W, quiet times at home. Seeking honest, romantic, humorous, mature S/DWM, 38-52, 5'7"+, N/S, who can appreciate me, for possible marriage. ☎9890(exp4/24)

PRETTY BRUNETTE
DWF, 48, 5'7", physically fit, degreed, family-oriented, enjoy concerts, sports, movies, dining out, travel, walking, quiet evenings, laughter. Seeking professional gentleman S/DWM, N/S, social drinker, with similar interests, possible LTR. ☎9811(exp4/24)

CHARACTER WITH CHARACTER
Attractive, witty professional, vegetarian DWF, active physically, mentally and spiritually. Seeking active, intellectual S/DWM, N/S, 45-53, prefer rugged good looks, but emotional maturity and spiritual awareness a must! ☎9807(exp4/24)

SOULMATE WANTED
Petite blonde, 40s, 5'5", 118lbs, on quest for best friend/partner, physically fit, enjoys golf, tennis, romantic candlelit dinners, college grad/successful professional, 45-55, made the journey through his soul, is ready for commitment. ☎9879(exp 4/24)

CUTE ITALIAN
Sincere, warm DWF, 61, 5'2", enjoys movies, walks, reading, and conversation. Seeking good-natured, honest SWM, N/S, 57-72. ☎9142(exp4/24)

SEARCHING
DWF, 44, 5'8", blonde/green, sensual, romantic, full-figured, likes comedy clubs, theater, movies, dining out. In search of tall, large build, fun-loving S/DWM, for serious LTR. ☎9051 (exp4/24)

GREEN-EYED BRUNETTE
Attractive, 35, 5'5", 110lbs, professional, very optimistic, carefree, successful, N/S, no children, enjoys all seasons and has varied interests, loves to laugh. Seeking down-to-earth man, late 30-early 50s. ☎9049(exp 4/24)

UPTOWN LADY
Seeking sharp-dressing man. Passionate, attractive, spiritual SW lady, 50, loves dancing, art, laughs and snuggling. Seeking handsome, romantic, secure, honest, affable, N/S gentleman. ☎9048(exp4/24)

DOWN-TO-EARTH
Humorous, conservative SBPF, 40s, average height, slender, no dependents, enjoys conversation, travel, music, theater, dining, walking, and sports. Seeking compatible SM, 40-55, must be employed. ☎9140(exp 4/24)

LET'S DO COFFEE
SWF, 22, 5'2", brown/hazel, seeks SWM, 25-35, who enjoys conversation, honesty and fidelity, well-educated. For friendship, fun and possible LTR. ☎9139(exp4/24)

"ONE OF A KIND"
I'm a petite DWF, very active, outgoing, enjoy golf, bowling, cards, people, travel, football. Seeking a kind, sweet man with family values, no couch potatoes please. ☎9132 (exp4/24)

HONEST, ROMANTIC
Attractive DWF, 49, 5'6", 135lbs, blonde/green, seeks financially secure S/DWM, 45-55, N/S, social drinker, 5'10"+, H/W proportionate, who enjoys dancing, music, romantic evenings, etc, for LTR. ☎9128(exp4/24)

CLASSY, HONEST, ROMANTIC
describe us both. SWF, 58, lady of substance, seeks quality, trim, emotionally/financially secure SWM, N/S, to share dancing, travel, movies, dining out, and more. ☎9126(exp 4/24)

SHAPELY SMART SENSATIONAL
Feminine, slender, sweet, blonde beauty, seeks companionship/chemistry with handsome, fit gentleman 50s. We are in shape, refined, cultured, successful. Enjoys world travel, country club golf, beaches, life's finer things. ☎9125(exp4/24)

GO FOR HAPPINESS...
With a cute, fit, humorous, athletic, honest DWF, 45, who enjoys movies, walking, sporting events, dancing, theater, looking for companionship, possible LTR. ☎9124(exp4/24)

HOME-COOKED MEALS
SWF, 47, attractive redhead, 5'2", curvy figure, good shape, easygoing, honest, sincere, affectionate, financially secure, no dependents. Seeking companion to share happy home life, good cooking, movies, dancing. N/S preferred, 43-55. Pets welcome. ☎9123(exp4/24)

WHO CAN I TELL?
Blonde, green eyes, 5'6", trim, early-50s, sweet, warm, educated, I don't even know you, I need to bring my dreams to life, with understanding man, polite and wonderful charming. ☎8095(exp4/24)

SEEKING SOMEONE SPECIAL
Easygoing, down-to-earth, good sense of humor, caring and affectionate, blonde hair, 5'5", enjoys bingo, dinner. Seeking someone caring and mature, neat and clean, giving, 55-65. ☎8393(exp4/24)

BROWN-EYED GIRL
DWF, happy, petite blonde, 39, 5'2", enjoys dancing, movies and dining out. Seeking honest gentleman, 37-42, N/S, with sense of humor, for friendship, possible LTR. ☎8394 (exp4/24)

WHERE'S "THE ONE"?
DWF, 34, 5'7", 127lbs, N/S, attractive, fun, affectionate, very nice, down-to-earth, one child. Seeking eventual LTR, with caring, fun, financially secure SWM, N/S, 36-48. ☎8395 (exp4/24)

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
Attractive SWF, 23, 4'11", 160lbs, blonde/blue, enjoys movies, quiet evenings, skating, long walks, hockey and football. Seeking SWM, 25-35, who is looking for a LTR. ☎8399(exp 4/24)

FLOAT YOUR BOAT,
make your day. Entrepreneur, 50, successful, giving, loving, seeks her knight in shining armor, a sincere, successful WM, 43-70. Please reply. ☎8403(exp4/24)

LET'S STAY WARM
It's cold outside. I need a warm, handsome, fun S/DWM, 30-42, to keep this DWF, 39, warm and toasty. ☎8085(exp4/24)

GO FOR IT
Looking for love in all the wrong places? I'm the answer to your prayers. For a good time with a bad girl, call me! ☎7822(exp4/24)

TIRED OF LOSING
DWF, 23, 5'5", 114lbs, brown/blue, enjoys dancing, dining, movies, romantic evenings. Seeking S/DWM, 23-26, with family values, sense of humor, financially secure, must own vehicle. ☎8072(exp4/24)

GORGEOUS
Attractive SBF, intelligent, hard-working, enjoys working out, movies, candlelight dinners, seeks good-looking SB/Indian male, 27-37, intelligent, well-built, for special relationship. ☎8075(exp4/24)

PRETTY WOMAN
Attractive SF, 5'7", dark complected, dark eyes, seeks someone, 5'8"+, who likes to go out and have fun, movies, dancing, takes care of himself, for LTR. ☎8242(exp4/24)

BROWN-EYED GIRL
Attractive, intelligent SHF, 31, enjoys dancing, romance, movies, hockey, working out. Searching for a hard-working, fun-loving and sincere gentleman who will make my heart smile. ☎7737(exp4/24)

LONELY TOO LONG
One last chance to get this lady... DWF, 24, long brown/blue, seeks S/DWM 27-32, employed, honest, sincere...going, going, gone! ☎7668 (exp4/24)

LIKE SHOPPING FOR A PUPPY
Self-supporting, good-looking WF, petite, good sense of humor. Seeking best friend and companion. Ten day trial period, if you don't fall in love... you may exchange. ☎8245 (exp4/24)

COWBOY WANTED!!
Yee Haw!! Howdy! Blonde-haired, blue-eyed SWF, loves country life, horses, outdoors and all that good stuff. If you're a SWM, 21-26, would love to meet a country girl, please call, ASAP! ☎8088(exp4/24)

HERE I AM
Pretty DWF, young 41, red/blue, 5'1", 150lbs, employed, homeowner, mother of two, varied interests, horseback riding, car races, romantic evenings, traveling. Seeking SM, 35-50, financially secure, fun-loving caring. N/D, N/Drugs, smokers ok. ☎8247(exp4/24)

SINGLE AND SINCERE...
independent professional, intelligent SWF, good sense of humor, interests include: outdoor activities, music, movies, and the local sport scene, N/S, seeks SWM, 28-38, for companionship/possible relationship. ☎8089 (exp4/24)

MEN SEEKING WOMEN

KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOR
Intelligent, witty, romantic and handsome SWM, 20, 6', enjoys sports, movies, rollerblading and alternative music, seeks similar attractive SWF, 18-22, to share good times with. ☎2264(exp5/15)

MY MOTHER SAYS...
"Someday you'll meet a special woman, and make her very happy. You're handsome, intelligent, and sincere." SWM, 24, enjoys outdoors, music, romance, seeks slender, energetic SWF, age unimportant. ☎2261(exp5/15)

SEEKING BLACK FEMALE
Handsome, athletic, honest, romantic, sincere SWM, 24, 6', dark hair, enjoys music, working out, having fun. Seeking slim, attractive, clean, sexy, romantic BF, for friendship, fun, possible relationship. ☎2257(exp 5/15)

I LOVE OLDER WOMEN!
Handsome, romantic, athletic, confident, passionate, clean-cut SWM, 24, 6', dark hair. Seeking attractive, slender, caring, active, sexy WF, 25-45, for heavenly friendship/relationship, that will keep you smiling. ☎2248(exp5/15)

YOUR KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOR
SWM, 28, 5'10", 155lbs, professional dark hair and eyes, considered good-looking, enjoys traveling, skiing, sporting events, good conversation, humor, romantic dinners, and much more. Seeking an outgoing, and attractive woman. ☎2249(exp5/15)

SEEKING AN ANGEL
Fun-loving DWM, 34, N/D, smoker, enjoys the outdoors, music, movies, spending time together, seeks S/DF, honest, trustworthy, sensitive, with similar interests, for possible LTR. ☎2253(exp5/15)

TAX PROFESSIONAL
DBM, 36, 5'8", 160lbs, clean-cut, N/S, N/Drugs, enjoys movies, traveling, plays, theater, seeks SA/WF, 5'4" or under, petite, for relationship. ☎2243 (exp5/15)

WHAT A GUY!
Take the chance on me, you won't be sorry. Attractive, nice, witty, seeks someone like you. No dependents, 37, enjoys boating, movies, walks. Seeking SWF, 27-38, H/W proportionate, to share my life. ☎2211 (exp5/15)

TALL, DARK, HANDSOME
SWM, 38, 6'3", athletic build, brown/brown, professional, financially secure, clean-cut, with strong morals and values. Enjoys sports, movies, dancing, cuddling, romantic dinners, music. Seeking slender, attractive SWF, 25-38, with similar beliefs. ☎2218(exp5/15)

OUZO, BAKLAVA, BELLY DANCING
Greek-American and fluent, SWPM, 5'10", 180lbs, 38, homeowner, compassionate and great listener. Seeking my perfect Athena, 27-38, for romance and possible LTR. ☎2251 (exp5/15)

SWEET AND SPIRITED
Attractive, fit SJF, 40, with pretty blue eyes and lots of blond hair. You are warm, caring, emotionally available, 35-44, N/S, and ready to meet your soulmate. ☎2241(exp5/15)

BOATMATE WANTED
Nice-looking SWM, 43, 5'6", 160lbs, brown/hazel, warm, charming, humorous, N/S, enjoys boating, dancing, holding hands, cuddling, hugs, sunrise, sunsets, conversations. Seeking SWF, 35-45, no dependents, 5'6" or under, shapely, N/S, for LTR. ☎2271(exp5/15)

SEEKING CASUAL COUNTERPART
Slim, sensual, spiritual SJM, 44, 5'9", 155lbs, comfortable in sandals, shorts, t-shirts. Seeking SWF, soulmate, 33-43, who enjoys boating, beach walks, volleyball, sun bathing, movies, dancing, coffee houses, ethnic dining. ☎2244(exp5/15)

SEEKING SOMEONE SPECIAL
SWM, 46, very caring, giving, loves to be romantic and cook, seeks SWF, petite. ☎2254(exp5/15)

LET'S BUILD A LIFE
SM, 47, 6'3", 230lbs, nice-looking, country-raised, degreed. Beautiful new home to share with loving, caring, honest, liberal life partner. Enjoys plays, concerts, soft music, home life, and being in love. ☎2263(exp5/15)

LIFE IS SWEET
Almost 50, good-looking DW Oakland County businessman, 5'9", 165lbs, N/S, seeks slender, good-looking female, who enjoys working out, golf, tennis, quiet, romantic nights. Race open. ☎2215(exp5/15)

HANDSOME AND SECURE
Nice-looking, fit SWM seeks very attractive, secure female, 38-48, to enjoy lake-living in Orchard Lake area. ☎2247(exp5/15)

SHY AT FIRST
DWM, 50, 5'8", 195lbs, stable, employed, easygoing, smoker. Seeking Ms. Right S/DWF, 34-39, slim, attractive, smoker, Garden City, Westland area. ☎2240(exp5/15)

BM SEEKS WF
Thoughtful, considerate SBM, 51, 5'9", 216lbs, healthy, enjoys movies, dining, cuddling, walks, quiet talks. Seeking S/DWF, 45-50, with similar qualities and interests, for friendship, possible commitment. ☎2250(exp 5/15)

SEEKING COMPANIONSHIP
SWM, professional, who enjoys concerts, movies, travel, dining out. I am tall, athletic and have a good personality. Seeking pretty female, 20-30. ☎2272(exp5/15)

REGULAR GUY WANTS REGULAR GAL
Attractive, trim DWM, N/S, Livinia/Farminton home/business owner, living comfortable lifestyle. Honest, easygoing, down-to-earth, no bars/drugs/games. Enjoys concerts/plays, movies, antiques/collectibles, muscle-cars, flea-markets, bicycling, gardening, staying home. Seeking soulmate, 42-48, under 5'7". ☎2262 (exp5/15)

ARE YOU A TWISTER PLAYER?
Good-looking, dapper, clean-shaven, professional, humorous, very nice, really patient SWM, 38. Seeking glamorous, classy SWF, who enjoys twister, a good laugh, and desires to share tender loving care. ☎2259 (exp5/15)

EXTRAORDINARILY GENTLE
Nice-looking, sharp, smooth SBM, enjoys music, movies, working out, playing pool, weightlifting, dancing. Seeking slim to petite-built WF, 21-39. ☎2242(exp5/15)

SMILEY
SM, 36, 5'10", long brown hair, very humorous, loves the outdoors. Seeking WF, tall and thin, who loves to laugh. ☎2273(exp5/15)

YOUR IDEAL MAN
Attractive, athletic, funny, sincere, romantic SWM, 23, seeks attractive, intelligent, fit, adventurous SWF, 19-28, with great personality, for friendship, fun, maybe more. Try something new - call me. ☎2124(exp 5/8)

WANTED: GIRLFRIEND
Me: SWM, 23, nice appearance, good job, enjoys dancing, dining, outdoor activities, above all just having fun. You: 21-29, fun and faithful, short hair a plus, but not a necessity. ☎2123 (exp5/8)

BACK IN THE BIG CITY
Outdoorsy, athletic, adventurous SWM, 27, 5'10", brown/hazel, looking for an attractive SF, 25-31, to enjoy concerts, long walks, life. N/S, social drinker. LTR, with right person. ☎2140(exp5/8)

SEEKING MISS RIGHT
SWM, 29, seeks caring, compassionate SWF, 25-35, with good sense of humor, enjoys cooking, dining out, theater, movies, golf, dancing, comedy clubs. Likes to laugh, but can hold a serious conversation. ☎2035(exp5/8)

LIFE IS GOOD
SWM, 30, 5'8", 185lbs, seeks outgoing, good humor, likes to go out for fun, 25-30 SWF, no dependents, N/S, smiles, laughs. ☎2134(exp5/8)

SEEKS MODEL/DANCER
Athletic, assertive, very attractive, romantic, sincere SWM, 24, 5'11", seeks athletic, caring, affectionate, slim WF, 18-32, with good personality, for friendship, maybe more. Your call could bring us together. ☎2118(exp 5/8)

CHRIS DRAPER LOOK-ALIKE
SWM, 33, 5'9", 150lbs, light-brown/light blue, with sense of humor, enjoys hockey, football, volleyball, biking, boating. Seeking SWF, 21-35, for possible LTR. ☎2037(exp5/8)

SANDY HAIR BLUE EYES
Trim, somewhat rugged SWM, 34, 5'11", good-looking, would appreciate a nice, sweet, trim gal who enjoys outdoor activities, lakes, woods, and back roads on motorcycle, or working around home, garden. Kids ok. ☎2130(exp5/8)

TALL & HANDSOME
Humorous, conservative SWM, 35, 6'4", 245lbs, attractive. Seeking SWF, 27-40, who's attractive, enjoys comedies, movies, walking, or just fun. Plymouth area. ☎2133(exp5/8)

ONE DAY AT A TIME
SWM, 35, N/S, N/D, honest, hard-working, employed. Enjoys camping, fishing, hiking, 4-wheeling, bowling, darts, concerts, movies, dining in/out, quiet nights at home. Seeking SF, 29-37, honest, open-minded, sincere. ☎2051(exp5/8)

ANN ARBOR PROFESSIONAL
SWM, 35, just under 6', 190lbs, athletic/muscular, brown/green, sweet and sexy, seeks fit SWF, 26-34. ☎2131(exp5/8)

PERCEPTIVE, AWARE, SPIRITUAL
describes us both. Healthy, handsome, open-minded SWM, young 35, with depth, seeks similar woman, with pleasant voice, who's understanding, compassionate and free-spirited. Painted, pretty, playful toes a plus. ☎2128(exp5/8)

ARE YOU RECENTLY DIVORCED?
Are you seeking that sincere, playful, romantic, monogamous relationship. SWPM, 38, 6', 190lbs, sincere, articulate, understanding, attractive. Seeking trim WF to develop relationship, based on laughter and romance. ☎2042(exp5/8)

AVAILABLE
Tall, thin, handsome, never married SM, 39, brown/dark, likes music, dancing, clubs, and travel. Seeking slim, attractive SF, under 39, for fun and relationship. ☎2038(exp5/8)

JUST SHOOT ME
(Broken heart, not leg; heart like a wheel, squeaking, too. Lubricate with loving kindness). DJP, dad, 40, cerebral/sensual, boyish-cute, seeks pretty, sweet, rounded, non-smoking counterpart. ☎2138(exp5/8)

IF THE PARTS FIT?
40s, right-legged gentleman SWM, N/S, N/D, seeks left-legged female, N/S, N/D; must have good sense of humor, good communication skills, good common sense, and a balanced soul, mind and body. Call. ☎2132 (exp5/8)

NEW TO MICHIGAN
Attractive, financially/emotionally secure, affectionate DWM, 41, 5'11", 185lbs, seeks attractive, proportioned lady, 25-45, who enjoys fine wine, sunsets on the lake and intimate moments. ☎2139(exp5/8)

BRIGHT, GOOD-LOOKING...
secure, 42 year-old SWM, 5'9", slim, with many interests, seeks relatively slim and attractive WF for fun and a non-committal relationship. ☎2109 (exp5/8)

START ME UP!
Attractive DWM, mid-40s, 6'2", 215lbs, with wide variety of interests, seeks S/DWF, 30-45, passionate, attractive, secure both mentally and physically. Sense of humor necessary. ☎1823 (exp5/8)

GUARANTEED
Are you a smart, sensuous, spiritual, shapely smoker? Any four of the above qualifies you for consideration. All five makes you leading candidate for this 40+, financially secure DWM, 5'9", 165lbs. ☎2120(exp5/8)

AWAITING SPRING THAW
Avid boater seeks first mate/soulmate. Distractions include: movies, dining, concerts, traveling. This 48 year-old captain awaits your response. ☎2125(exp5/8)

LOOKING LONG
DWM, 48, seeks WF, who likes camping, stock car racing, and enjoying life. Would like someone on the west side but have car will travel. ☎2122(exp5/8)

SUMMER'S HERE!!
SWM, 6', 185lbs, honest, caring, good sense humor, romantic. Likes movies, concerts, long walks, biking, and the outdoors. Seeking special lady, 40-50 for one-on-one LTR. Serious replies only. ☎2050(exp5/8)

THOUGHTFUL & CONSIDERATE
Romantic, active DWM, 57, fully employed, good communicator, searching for special white lady to fill void in my life. Interests include country music, craft shows, family, some sports. ☎2116(exp5/8)

GOOD CHARACTER
Sincere, young-thinking, 5'5", 60 year-old WM, seeks warm, outgoing WF, 50+, for friendship, companionship and laughter. Enjoy dining out, movies, theater, and quiet evenings at home. ☎2113(exp5/8)

EASYGOING
Nice guy, 62, 5'8", 155lbs, N/S, widowed, full head of hair, enjoys dinner by candlelight, dancing, quiet times. Seeking trim, sophisticated lady, N/S, similar interests, to share life with. ☎2119(exp5/8)

LOOKING FOR SOULMATE
Seeking female 20-45, H/W proportionate, N/D, who likes intelligent conversation, alternative music, metaphysics, X-files, has sense of humor, for serious relationship with totally grounded WM. ☎2136(exp5/8)

DANCER
Retired DWM, 50+, 5'9", 176lbs, blue-eyed country boy, enjoys movies, dining, quiet times at home, one-on-one relationship, with someone who enjoys dancing, music, romantic evenings. ☎2135(exp5/8)

SINCERE
DWM, 29, 5'10", 170lbs, professional, owns own home. Seeking upbeat, caring S/DWF, 23-29, N/S, enjoys conversation, going out, animals, sports, for fun, friendship, and possible LTR. ☎2040(exp5/8)

BACK FROM HAWAII
Handsome, spontaneous DWM, 6', 50s, brown/blue, sports-minded, enjoys dancing, dining out, golf, seeks attractive, trim DWF, 40-53, N/S. If you like to dance/have fun, with a sense of humor, please call. ☎2117 (exp5/8)

CREATIVE MUSICIAN
Good-looking SWM, 23, dark/green, unique, romantic, open, communicative, athletic, clean-cut, deep-thinking, songwriter/drummer. Seeking pretty, slender, creative, spontaneous, sweet SWF, 18-32, who also loves music. ☎1892(exp5/1)

HARD-WORKING GUY FOR YOU
SWM, 26, average-looking, 6'4", 165lbs, very lean, too busy to date, does that sound familiar? Seeking nice, attractive SWF, 20-30, is that you? ☎1821(exp5/1)

THE SKY'S THE LIMIT
Energetic, outgoing SWM, 26, 4'11", 115lbs, enjoys biking, hiking, and skidiving. Seeking fun-loving SWF, 21-26, with similar interests, for friendship possible LTR. ☎1884(exp5/1)

SEEKING YOU
Handsome SBM, 5'10", 170lbs, non-game player, N/Drugs, never married, no children, attending school for communications, security officer supervisor. Seeking attractive woman, H/W proportionate, N/Drugs, honest, open and sincere. ☎1812(exp5/1)

SINCERE MAN
SBM, mid-30s, looking for sincere, down-to-earth, attractive, sexy young lady, 28-45, for meaningful relationship, who enjoys dining, movies, and long walks. ☎1891(exp5/1)

TRY ME
DWM, teddy bear, 31, 5'5", 180lbs, medium build, hazel eyes, short hair, enjoys hunting, fishing, shooting pool, comedy clubs. Seeking S/DWF, 25-35, family-oriented, caring, and honest. ☎1822(exp5/1)

GOOD CATCH
Good-looking, sincere SWM, 5'8", degreed, good sense of humor, no dependents. Seeking attractive, slender SWF, 30-39, who enjoys dining out, theater, long walks, sporting events, art, concerts, travel, for LTR. ☎1901(exp5/1)

WARM AND CARING
Sensitive SWM, 33, 5'10", blond/blue, N/S, social drinker, no dependents, employed, educated, enjoys outdoors, camping, golfing, bicycling, gardening, music/movies. Seeking sincere SWF, 27-35, N/S, similar interests, friendship, possible LTR. ☎1882(exp5/1)

MISTER RIGHT
SBM, 34, 5'5", 140lbs, educated, employed, seeks SF, 25-33, N/S, N/D, great sense of humor, great personality, outgoing, very adventurous, must have great sense of humor, attitude and personality. ☎1634(exp 4/24)

HANDSOME & INTELLIGENT
SWM, 35, 5'8", 145lbs, thick brown hair, enjoys movies, dining and Cedar Point. Seeking attractive, slender WF, 25-35, for dating and possible relationship. ☎1810(exp5/1)

ARE YOU OUT THERE?
SWM, 35, 5'9", 165lbs, brown/brown, with herpes (5 years), smoker, N/D, D-free, interests include but not limited to: outdoors, camping, canoeing, biking, movies, hockey, skating, concerts, comedy clubs. ☎1686(exp5/1)

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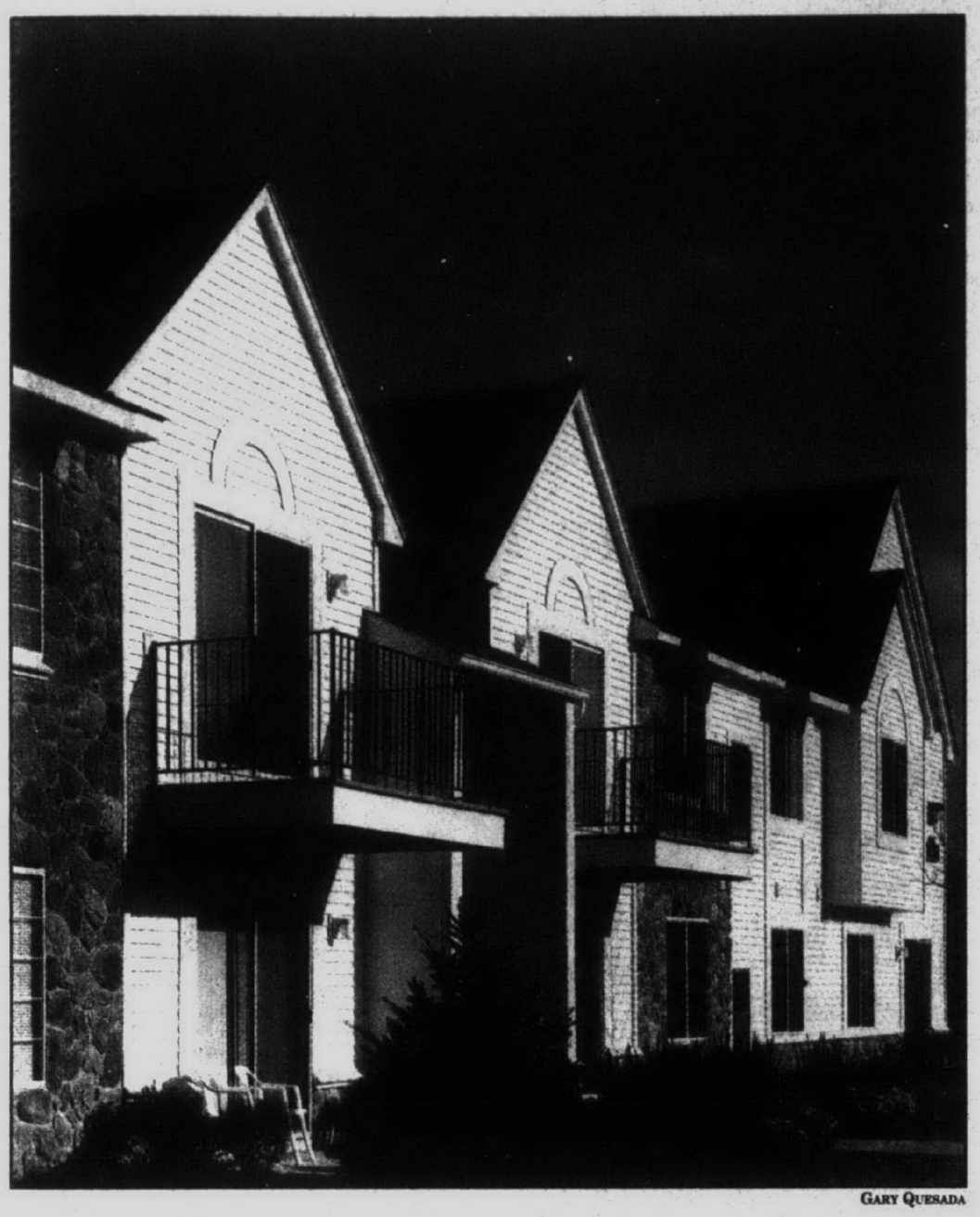
BRING ON SPRING
SWM, 40, 6', 180lbs, sincere, N/S, enjoys golf, travel, and car shows, seeks LTR with a S/DWF, 27-39, H/W proportionate, for romance and home life.

NEW HOMES

Indian Lake Village: Luxury rental living



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Phase two: *More than 150 apartment units, all at least 950 square feet with two bedrooms and two baths, are under construction at Indian Lake Village.*

Some folks could be at a station in life where apartment living is a better fit than home ownership.

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Indian Lake Village Apartments, a collaboration between the Fenton Co., Silverman Companies and operating engineers and carpenters union pension funds, offers all of that and more in Orion Township.

An additional 164 two-bedroom/two-bath units, garden style, townhouse and penthouse, are under construction in the second phase on rolling acreage off Lapeer Road north of Silver Bell Road.

Nearly all 230 units in phase one are leased.

The property is next to the Bald Mountain Recreational Area, yet a short drive to the I-75 corridor.

"This is a pretty spectacular setting for an apartment complex," said Richard T. Fenton.

"Probably 75 percent of apartment homes here view natural features, face natural conservancy, forests," said Gilbert "Buzz" Silverman. "There's not another (apartment) community like this in southeastern Michigan."

Several wetlands dot the property.

"Normally, apartments get built on flat cornfields," Silverman added. "Look at these buildings on the hill looking into the woods."

"There's hawks, deer, all kinds of wildlife in here," Fenton said at the edge of the property where trails lead into the state park.

A lower density – just under 400 apartment units on 40 acres – was the design strategy used to convey luxury. And you want upscale?

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available during warmer-weather months.

All of the units in the second phase will have two bedrooms and two baths.

Garden units on the first floor contain about 950 square feet. Rents range from $855 to $875 per month.

Townhouse units, 1,300 square feet, situate the main living areas and a half bath on the first floor, the bedrooms upstairs. Rents go from $1,005 to $1,075.

Penthouses, 1,050 to 1,250 square feet, have all living space on one level over townhouses and garden units with rents ranging from $985 to $1,040.

All units regardless of style contain individual washers and dryers, air conditioning, all major appliances including microwave, blinds, balcony or patio and access to one space in a carport.

Some top-floor units have peaked ceilings and fireplaces.

Two models are available for showing.

The Dogwood, a townhouse, features a kitchen/nook, living/dining rooms, mechanical room/storage and half bath on the first floor.

The laundry room is upstairs as are both bedrooms. The larger bedroom features a walk-in closet and shower, the smaller a combination tub/shower and wall closet.

The other model, the Evergreen, can be a garden or penthouse unit. The bedrooms are on either side of the living room, dining room, kitchen with snack bar and laundry area.

One bedroom has a combination tub/shower and wall closet, the other a shower and walk-in closet.

Water is included in rent. Gas and electric utilities are individually metered. Pets are allowed in selected units. There aren't sidewalks.

One-bedroom, one-bath units built in phase one start at $705 per month when available.

"These are luxury apartments," Fenton said. "I had anticipated we would see a lot of empty nesters. Most folks are single, male executives, 30-35 years old, working in the Oakland Technology Center, or in Troy, Birmingham, Lake Orion or Auburn Hills.

"We're also getting young couples," Fenton said. Some are DINKS (dual incomes, no kids), and some have kids. We had about 40 kids for an Easter Egg hunt here.

"We're getting some empty-nesters. Maybe they have a place in Florida and want a presence in the area where the grandkids are," he said.

"They love the view," said Audrey Carrington, manager at Indian Lake Village. "They love where we're located. We don't stack buildings on top of each other here. They love the textured walls, the openness. We have lots of windows, lots of cupboard space."

The apartment community is serviced by the Lake Orion schools.

Bryan Nolan is into his second year living in a one-bedroom unit at Indian Lake Village.

"One of the biggest things it was new construction," Nolan said. "I was surprised a washer and dryer and microwave came with it. I've been real pleased with the amenities and view. The area had close access to (I-)75, which was a factor for me."

The leasing office at Indian Lake Village Apartments, (810) 391-9040, is open 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekdays, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekends.

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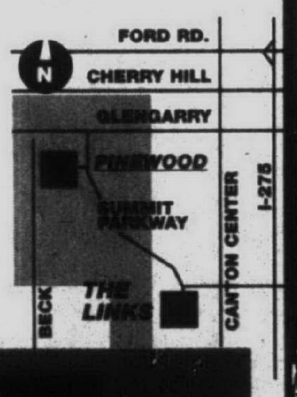

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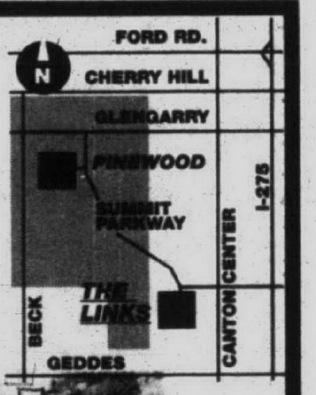

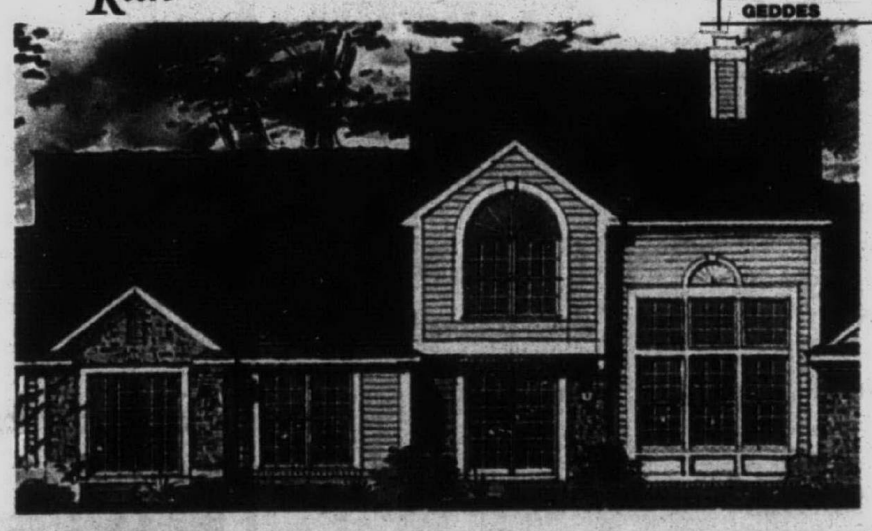

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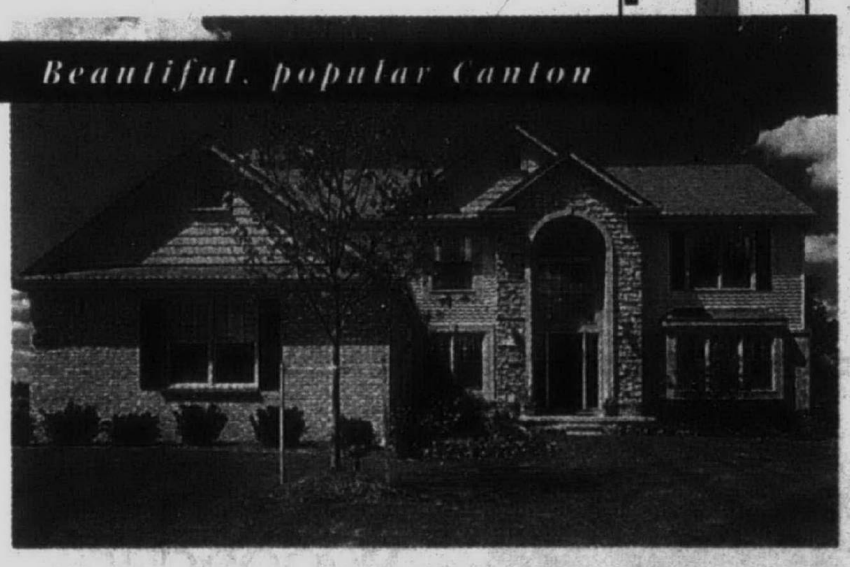

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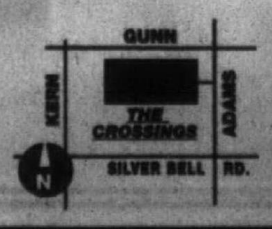

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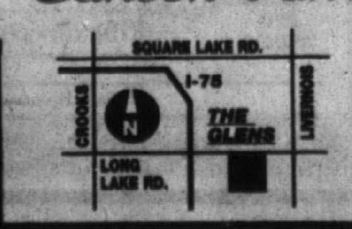

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Basement water can be stopped

By Popular Mechanics
For AP Special Features

If you have basement water problems that you've been ignoring, there's a good chance you're losing up to half of your home's living space. And at the cost of housing these days, that's a substantial loss.

While water that collects in a basement may have several sources, almost all such problems can be corrected. And for many, the simplest solution is to install a sump pump.

While a pump doesn't cure the disease, it goes a long way toward handling the symptoms. And, it does the job at a price that most of us can afford.

The truth of the matter is that most basement water problems are not basement problems at all, but exterior drainage problems. So before you consider a sump-pump installation, take a good look (in the rain, if you must) at the drainage around your home. Make sure that gutters aren't clogged, that downspout extensions move roof runoff at least 4 feet beyond the foundation and that the soil within 3 feet of the foundation slopes away from the house.

Even if these conditions have been met, you may still accumulate water in your basement. The problem may be a utility trench that invisibly channels runoff back to the house, or a seasonally high ground-water table. In these cases, a sump-pump installation is a realistic alternative.

Many new homes have a sump pit already in place, complete with a drainage tile system under the basement floor that's designed to channel water to the pit. If your home doesn't have this feature, and your water problem affects most of the basement, a retrofit system of this type is a good solution. However, it's a big job that involves removing a 24-inch-wide swath of concrete and soil from the inside perimeter of the basement, adding gravel, drain tile and pit, and replacing the concrete.

While this isn't an impossible do-it-yourselfer job, it's back-breaking work. Professionals will get $2,500 to $5,000 to do it for you – not necessarily a bad price, though, if you've doubled your living space.

A more manageable approach, in the right circumstances, is to install an isolated sump pit with several feet of gravel around it. To have this system installed may cost between $300 and $500. Or, you can do it yourself for the price of the pump, pipe and fittings, pit liner, gravel and cement.

This abbreviated system is best suited where water infiltrates only one area of the basement, or where the basement floor was poured over a gravel bed.

Many homes built over the past 30 years have several inches of gravel beneath the concrete floor. The gravel was used to bring a slightly over-excavated floor back to grade.

Because water seeks the path of least resistance and will migrate sideways before it moves up, below-floor moisture will move through the layer of gravel to a sump pit before flooding the floor.

Unfortunately, it's difficult to tell if your basement floor floats on a gravel bed. The builder of the home might recall, or a neighbor who has done similar work might know.

In most cases, though, you won't know until you break through the floor. Sometimes, a few holes bored through the floor with a hammer drill will tell you what you need to know.

Spanish exterior, American interior blend

Graceful arches set a tone of relaxed elegance in the Loma Vista, a plan with a contemporary Spanish-style exterior and a fairly traditional American-style interior.

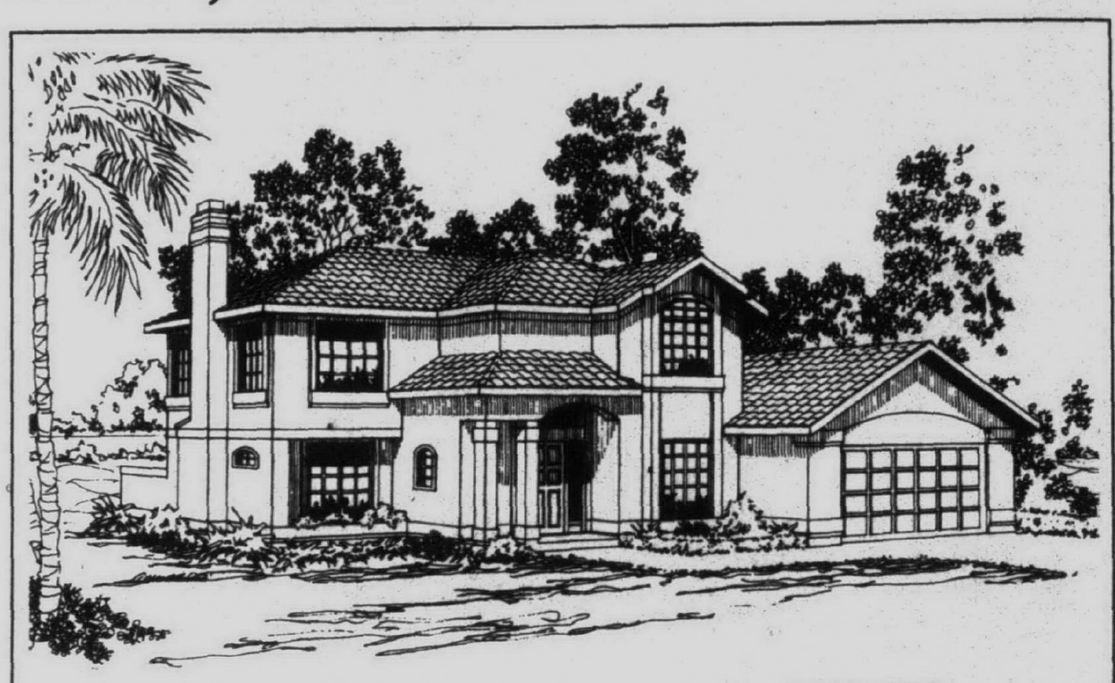
Outside, stucco detailing accents the chimney, the garage, and the columns that support a grand portico. Rounded roof tiles enhance the Spanish flavor. The interior entry is as dramatic as the exterior. Small panes of glass flank and crown the front door, while the ceiling is two stories high. Columns to the left and right support arched openings to the formal dining room and living room. A small powder room hides behind a pocket door.

The entry's lofty ceiling extends down the hall and over the stairway as far as the passageway into the family room. A wet bar is tucked into a hallway alcove. With windows on three sides, the family room is naturally bright. Sliders to the left open onto a patio, while a set on the right leads to a screened porch.

nformal spaces flow from family room to sunny nook to fully equipped kitchen. Popular amenities in the kitchen include a work island with built-in cooktop, a step-in pantry, built-in ovens and dishwasher, and a sink that faces into the family room across an eating bar. A small utility room with a clothes-folding counter is accessible from both kitchen and garage.

All of the bedrooms in the Loma Vista are upstairs. The master suite has a large walk-in closet and private bathroom with spa tub and double vanity.

For a review plan, including scaled floor plans, elevations, section and artist's conception, send $15 to Associated Designs, 1100 Jacobs Dr., Eugene, Ore. 97402. Please specify the Loma Vista 11-058 and include a return address when ordering. A catalog featuring over 170 home plans is available for $12. For more information call (800) 634-0123.



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Bidding is especially difficult

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Some readers have asked me to follow a project from the beginning to illustrate the entire process with its inherent ups and downs. I thought it was a great idea, so in addition to discussing a series of ever-changing topics related to architecture and construction we will follow the design and construction of a "custom" home which is on the boards at my office.

Three months ago I began reporting on the progress of this project and I will continue to have monthly updates as the project progresses. This month, we are on the verge of construction – waiting both for the frost laws to come off – these are actually weight-limit laws for non-reinforced roads and trying to get contractors to give pricing for their work.

This has been the most frustrating experience of the entire project! Last month I told how I had been retained by the owner of the project to act as both architect as well as construction manager. As such, I have to obtain pricing and in most cases 2 or 3 competitive bids for each trade: I have to nearly beg these people to meet with me and give bids.

What kind of quality can I expect from people who make appointments and fail to show up for meetings? I give everyone a bit of slop in making their expected dates for bids, but I have gotten to a point where I simply do not have patience. The people who I have worked with in the past are a little better (they know who I am) but not a lot.

I hope this is an unusually busy season because, if not, being a general contractor or construction manager could drive one crazy. I am a little worried what might happen if a critical construction procedure is delayed by a failed promise to arrive on the construction site.

As with every custom construction project, the final costs are very difficult to predict prior to the actual bidding process being tallied up. Each project, location and quantity of work available for construction at a given time affects the price of a project.

Each one of these custom projects will differ in subtle ways – this project is sided in redwood and the last was sided in cedar – subtle difference but the two materials do not cost the same. The electrical fixtures cost different amounts, the foundation systems are different – how can one possibly know the differences without bidding the job out?

Last year I worked on a project in Port Huron – $130 per square foot bought quite a nice project – but here in Ann Arbor it does not seem to be buying the same amount of architectural construction. Usually in places where the cost of living is lower, the cost of construction can be expected to be lower as well.

The final factor that affects the cost of construction is the relative busyness of those bidding on the job. In an environment where one has more work than one can complete, one can bid high because one does not necessarily want the work to begin with.

If one gets the job, then there is plenty of profit to cover the pain and stress of doing more than one wants. In this environment I could, as a bidder, give outrageous prices and if someone wants me to perform my trade they will pay for me to do so. It is a case of basic supply and demand economics that is understood by both the trades and the buying public. Needless to say, the 1996 and 1997 building seasons have been and will be busy times.

In addition to getting bids together, I have been editing the finishes as the bids have come in. Remember the cork tile that was to be used throughout the main floor? Wel,l the best installed-price I could find was around $15 per square foot. Well for $8.50 per square foot we can have a beautiful maple floor. When a project is "over-budget," it is hard to hold on to excessively priced materials or details.

Even editing the project does not bring the project back to the original cost predictions of the project. If the goal was to do everything possible to get the project on budget, it might be possible to get the project built on budget. This would mean no redwood for the exterior but rather vinyl siding and vinyl windows. Interior floor finishes would be reduced to cheap carpeting and on and on.

This was never the goal, and I applaud the client's dedication to architecture and the virtues of quality over quantity.

Next month we should have some site activity, and I simply can not wait to see this project rise out of the ground.

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Pretty good ideas from H&G Television

Home & Garden Television (HGTV) offers the following suggestions for use in the home and around the yard:

How to keep your edge

To safeguard the edges of saw blades, cut a strip of old garden hose as long as the exposed edge. Slit the hose, wrap it around the blade, and secure it with heavy rubber bands or duct tape.

Rust-buster

When storing your gardening tools, place them blade down in a bucket of sand. The sand will protect the tools' edge and keep the blade from rusting between uses.

A quick way to mask

When you have to paint around hardware or fixtures, protect them by applying a coating of petroleum jelly. Even if paint drips to them, it won't stick. Simply wipe off the petroleum jelly when the paint is dry.

The long-lived hose

The next time you buy a garden hose, select one with a protective collar, which will prolong its life by keeping it from kinking at the faucet. And make sure the hose has multiple layers of reinforced fabric such as nylon or rayon. That makes the hose more flexible.

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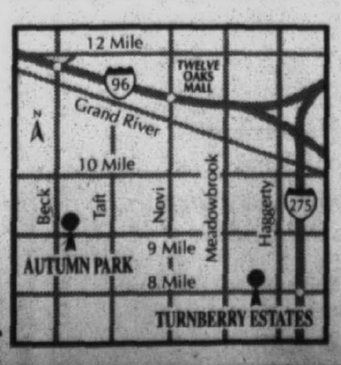

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A: A seepage pit is used instead of a leaching field in residential sewage disposal when the lot the house is located on is too steeply sloped to allow building a field. The pit allows effluent to percolate into the ground the way a leaching field does, but it takes up less surface area. Sewage leaving a house settles in a septic tank before it flows into the pit.

The pit's bottom should be filled with 6 to 12 inches of coarse gravel, and the space between the pit liner and the surrounding soil with 3 to 6 inches of coarse gravel. The specific amount of gravel depends on local codes.

Q: My TV and VCR are plugged into an outlet that my kids can reach. Although it has a childproof cover, would I gain additional protection from a ground fault circuit interrupter outlet? Are there disadvantages, other than cost, of having a GFCI breaker in the panel box vs. one in an outlet?

A: A GFCI outlet receptacle certainly provides additional protection against a shock hazard. To do this, the circuit in a GFCI monitors the current in the "hot" and "neutral" lines. Under normal conditions, these two currents are always equal. If the circuit detects a difference between them as little as 5 milliamps, it interrupts the power in as little as 1-40th second. However, childproof covers on an outlet are effective, and it shouldn't be necessary to install a GFCI outlet.

A GFCI receptacle has one advantage over a GFCI installed in a circuit breaker. The GFCI circuit breaker monitors the branch circuit. With it, there is a greater chance of nuisance tripping caused by a buildup of leaking currents due to deteriorated or damaged sections of insulation, multiple splices and moisture accumulation. When a GFCI breaker trips, the entire branch circuit goes out. Whereas when a GFCI receptacle trips, it de-energizes just itself, or the rest of the branch that follows it, depending on how the electrician has it installed.

Q: How do you drill in bathroom wall tiles? I would like to put rails in the shower area.

A. One method is to place a finish nail on the tile, and tap it with a hammer to score the glazing. Bore on the scored mark with a masonry bit.

The second method is to simply buy a carbide or diamond-tipped drill to bore the hole. Using these bits eliminates the need to score the glazing. The diamond-tipped drill is more expensive but preferable to the carbide-tipped bit.

Both bits are available at hardware stores and industrial suppliers. Use a variable-speed drill when using these bits so that you can drill at a slow speed.

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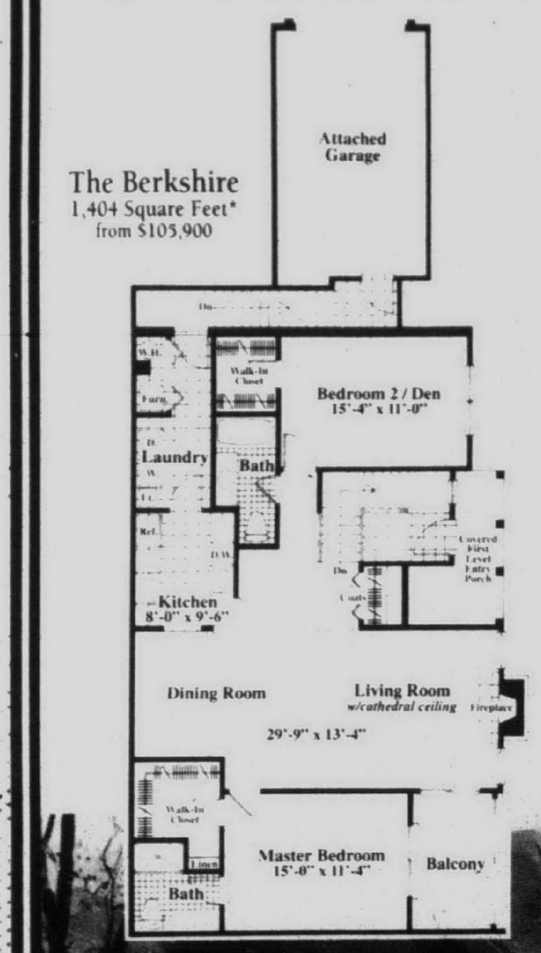

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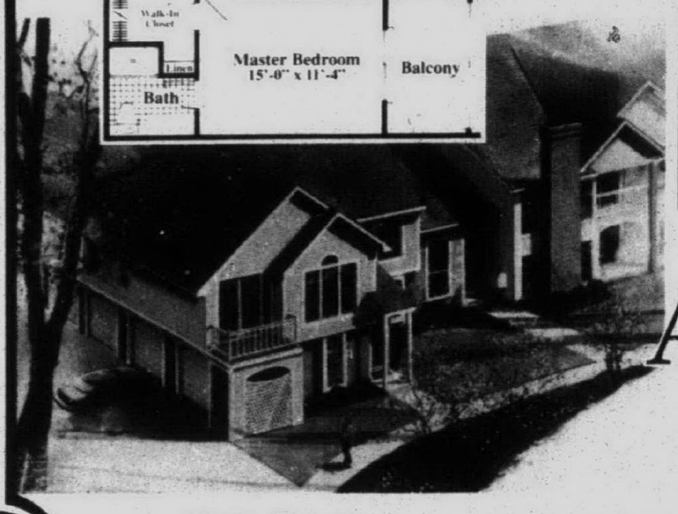

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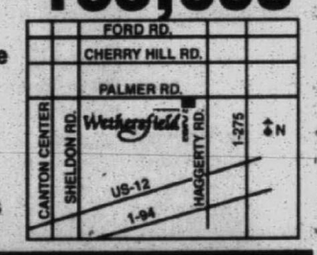

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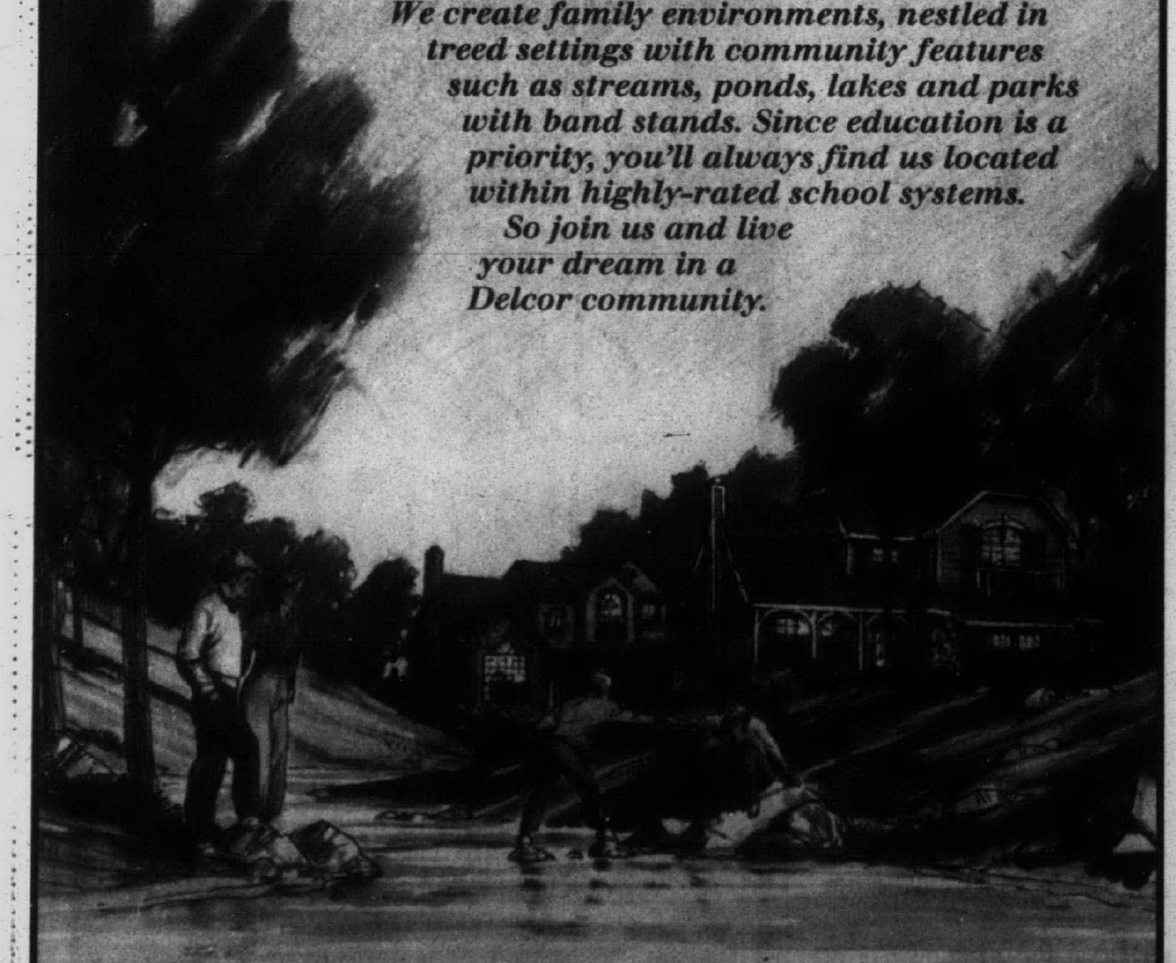

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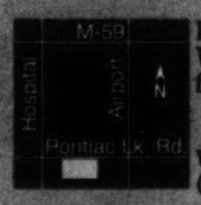

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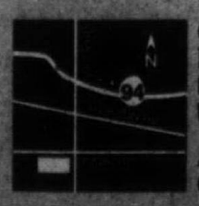

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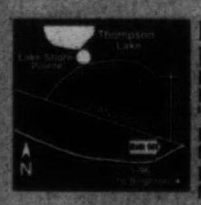

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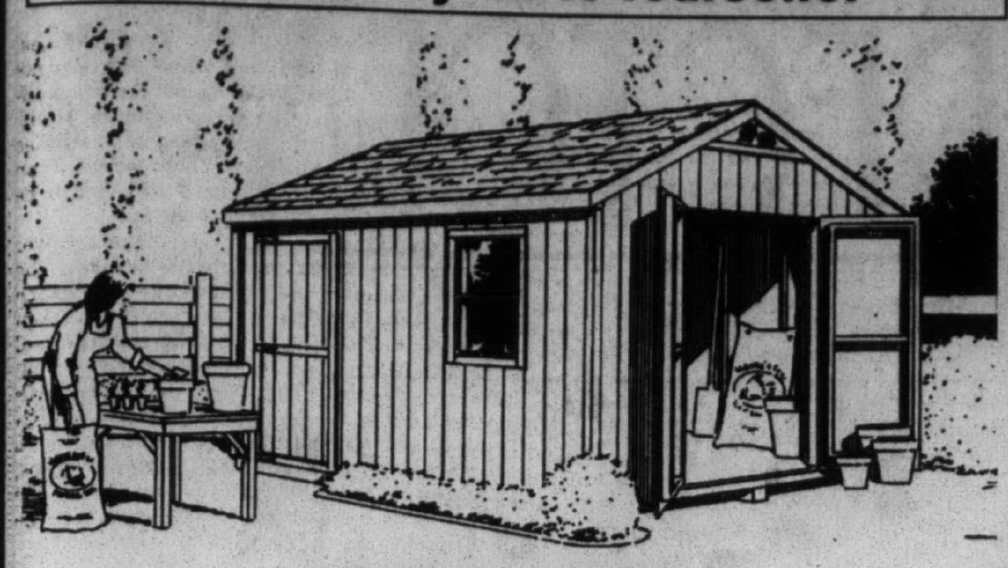

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Weather and poisoning

Recent weather conditions have fluctuated as much as 45 degrees, sending people outdoors in shorts one day and back inside the next huddling over their furnaces.

Safety experts urge residents not to let their guard down: Spring snows and freezing temperatures can pose a safety threat both indoors and out. Power outages, cold temperatures, heavy rain and extreme wind all have the potential to trap deadly carbon monoxide inside a home, causing residents to become ill or incapacitated and in some cases, resulting in death.

In the first week of April, a Claverack, N.Y. couple was killed from accidental carbon monoxide poisoning emanating from a gasoline-powered generator used to fuel and heat their home after the recent April Fool's Day blizzard, which left tens of thousands without power in the northeastern United States.

At least eight other people were treated for carbon monoxide poisoning in that area alone. Several other injuries have been reported across the country attributed to carbon monoxide poisoning including the family of a sheriff's officer in San Diego.

"While we're all familiar with the hazards faced by motorists in extreme weather, many people don't realize they may face something equally hazardous in their own home – carbon monoxide poisoning," said Tom Greiner, Ph.D., associate professor of engineering at Iowa State University.

Carbon monoxide is the leading cause of accidental poisoning deaths in the U.S., responsible for 1,500 deaths and 10,000 illnesses each year, according to the Journal of the American Medical Association. A by-product of incomplete combustion, carbon monoxide can be produced by any home appliance that burns fuel, such as a gas or oil furnace, hot water heater or clothes dryer, gas or wood burning fireplaces or stoves or unvented space heaters. Car exhaust fumes entering a home from an attached garage can also produce carbon monoxide.

Under normal circumstance, if appliances and venting systems are functioning properly, carbon monoxide will be safely vented out of the home. However, bad weather conditions can affect the operation of home venting systems, causing dangerous carbon monoxide build-up.

Potential weather hazards

"There are a number of ways inclement weather can contribute to a potential carbon monoxide problem inside the home. Mud and debris from melting snow can block vents that normally allow carbon monoxide and other exhaust gases to exit the home, trapping carbon monoxide inside. Strong wind or rain can knock chimney caps out of place or cause power outages, disabling home venting systems and causing residents to turn to alternative sources of heat such as kerosene heaters, wood burning stoves or a fire in the fireplace – all of which can produce carbon monoxide," Greiner said.

The Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) also recommends installing a carbon mo detector for protection. "As a housing engineer, I encourage everyone to regularly inspect vents and chimneys during bad weather," Greiner said.

A battery-powered detector will continue to operate in a power outage. Because it does not require an outlet, it can be easily installed anywhere in the home.

Risk of downdrafting

Another danger of extreme weather is cold flues, which take longer to establish a draft and can contribute to a dangerous air pressure condition known as downdrafting. Downdrafting occurs when carbon monoxide and other gases that normally exit the home safely through flues and chimneys are forced back down into the home by air pressure imbalances.

Downdrafting can occur more frequently in cold weather when the home is sealed tightly, preventing adequate fresh air from entering and creating a negative air pressure within the home.

Simultaneous operation of more than one fuel-burning appliance in an enclosed space, such as a gas furnace and water heater in a utility room, can also cause downdrafting if there is not sufficient ventilation.

Dangerous practices

Warming up the car in an attached garage is also a risky move, as carbon monoxide from car exhaust fumes can enter the home through cracks in walls and space around door jambs. Never leave a car running in an attached garage, even if the garage door is open.

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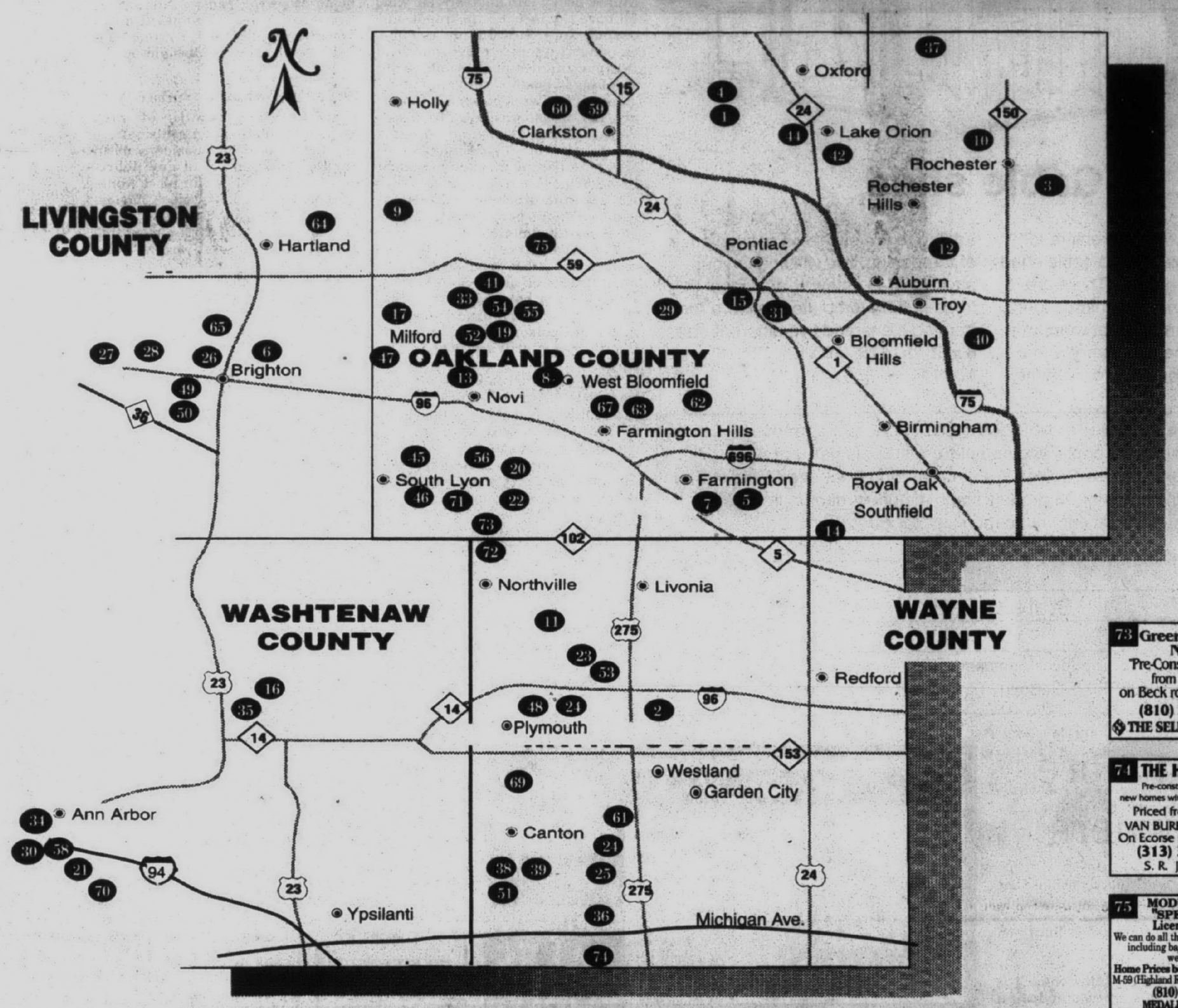

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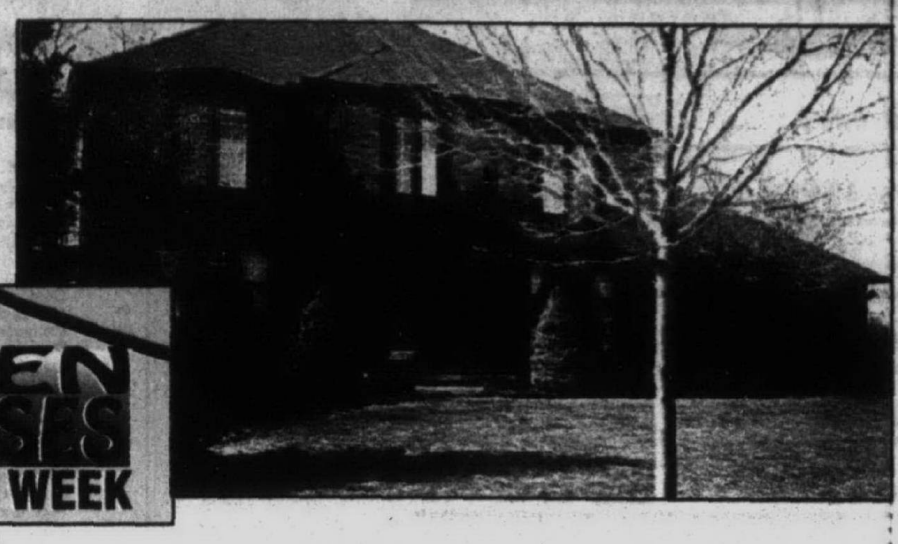

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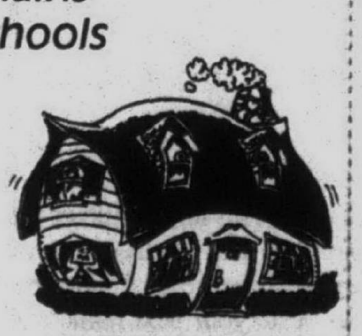

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You will need reliable advice on both buying and selling. The best source is a knowledgeable Realtor in your area. He or she can assist you with up-to-date information and solid suggestions based on actual experience.

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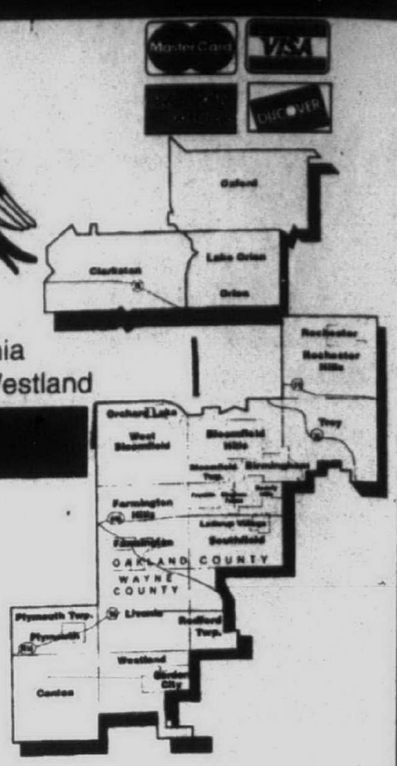

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15840 Reedmere,
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OPEN SUN. 1-4
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April 13, 1-4
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33272 HAMPSHIRE
North/5 Mile - East/Farmington. Woodcreek Farms. Attractive Colonial w/4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, remodeled kitchen, Florida Room w/Jacuzzi & skylights, finished walk-out basement, many updates. Home Warranty. $257,500.
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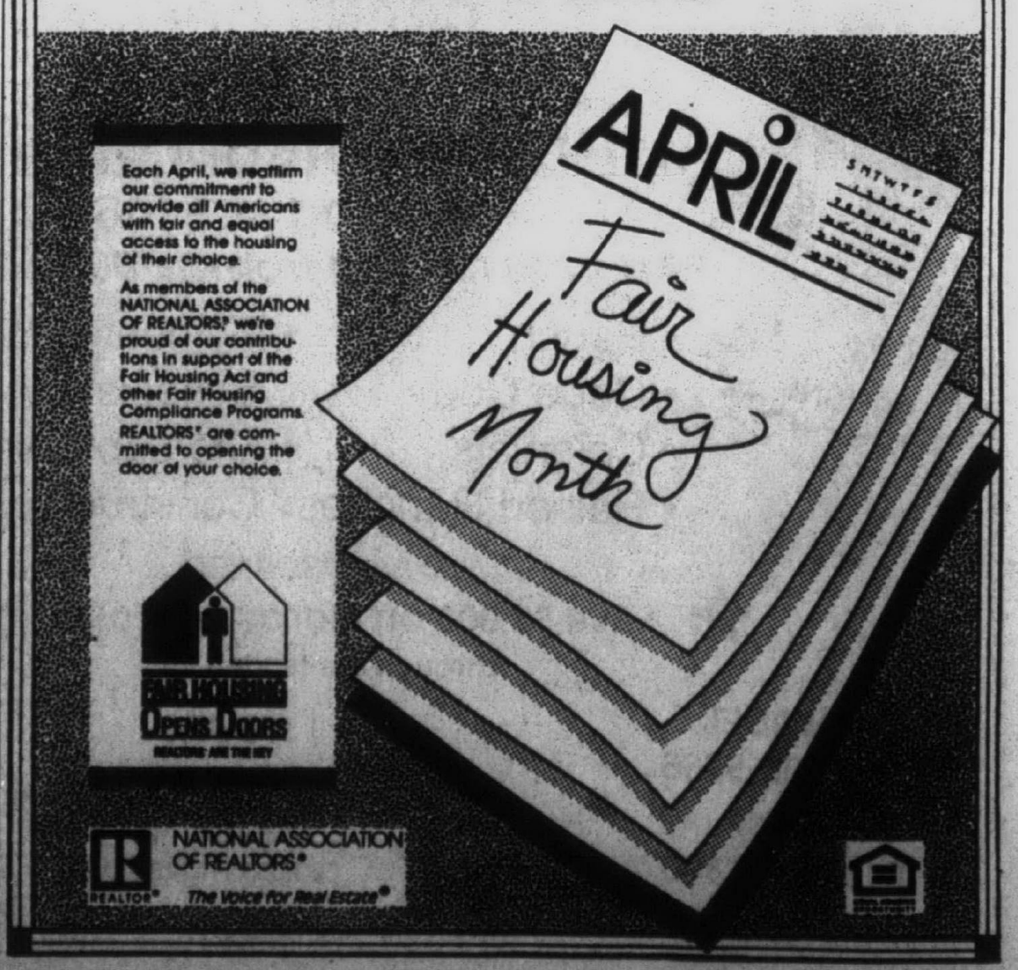

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SUNDAY 1 - 4:00 PM
15741 Pomona
Redford
Beautiful Cape Cod with great view of park. Must See!
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OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
10410 Hart, Huntington Woods
(South of 11, East of Scotia)
Wonderful 4 bedroom Bungalow with 1½ baths, living room with fireplace, formal dining room, rec room, Florida room. Quality constructed throughout. $189,900. (H104E)
Chamberlain
810-547-2000

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
10714 Lincoln, Huntington Woods
(South of 11, East of Coolidge)
Charming Ranch in the center of the woods close to schools and rec center. Slate entry, great eat-in kitchen, porch, huge basement, 2 car garage. $168,000. (L107E)
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OPEN SUN., 1-5. Royal Oak Condo, 1546 Maryland Club Dr. (just N. of 696 & E. of Main). 2 Bedroom, 1.5 baths, neutral throughout. $136,500. 810-398-3778

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
12948 Victoria, Huntington Woods
(South of 11, West of Woodward)
Beautiful park-like setting! Huge custom built Colonial on 160' wide lot offers 4 bedrooms, 2 full & 2 half baths, huge dining & breakfast rooms, family room, master suite with bath. $329,900. (V129E)
Chamberlain
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OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
23644 Dolphin, Southfield
(South of 10, East of Telegraph)
3 bedroom Ranch on an extra wide lot has open floor plan, updated kitchen, newer windows and furnace, 2 car attached garage plus shed. $105,900. (D236E)
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3761 Coolidge, Troy
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Nice brick ranch w/S. Redford schools. This home offers 3 bedrooms a finshied basement, newer windows and a newer driveway & patio. All this on a nice size lot. Just listed - S. of Plymouth & E. of Beech. Call ABE AYOUB Mayfair522-8000

REDFORD - Move-in condition. 3 bedroom brick ranch. Many updates including kitchen, finished basement. S. Redford schools. Open Sun., 1-4. 9201 Luceme. 313-937-3251

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REDFORD - Open Sun., 1-4
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ROYAL OAK - 3107 N. Vermont Ave. 3 bedroom brick bungalow, completely updated. Charming Redrun Sub. $136,900. OPEN SUN., 1-4pm or call: (810) 585-8563

SOUTHFIELD - Immaculate/updated 4 bedroom 2.5 bath colonial. Finished basement. In nice area. $154,900. Open Sun. 1-4pm. 27143 Marshall. 11/Greenfield 810-557-6355

SOUTHFIELD OPEN SUN. 1-4pm
28158 Fairfax - 3 bedroom brick ranch. Many updates including kitchen & bath. Immediate occupancy. $69,900. (810) 669-2806

TROY - OPEN SUN. 4-13, 1 to 4
61 Lesdale, E. off Livernois & N. of Square Lk. Updated ranch, 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath, 2 car garage, large lot, $153,900. (810) 879-8616

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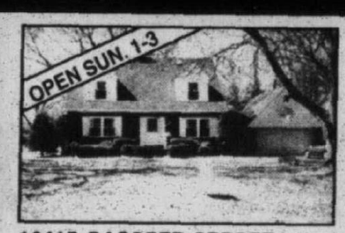

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191 MORNINGTON COURT - S. of Cherry Hill & W. of Canton Center. Too many features to list! Floor plan includes 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, great room with soaring ceiling & gas fireplace, formal dining room, library/study, island kitchen and nook, 14x12 loft overlooking great room.
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48583 MEADOW - N. of Ann Arbor Rd. & E. of Ridge. Curtis built 4 bedroom, 2½ bath custom brick offers formal living & dining rooms. Island kitchen with pantry & eating area. Family room with vaulted ceiling, full brick fireplace, French doors. Foyer & library with beautiful wood flooring.
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12671 BEACON HILL COURT - S. off N. Territorial & W. of Sheldon. Elegant brick ranch on nearly an acre. There are 3 bedroom, 2½ baths, formal dining room, a family room, a family room with fireplace, a study, 1st floor laundry, basement and rear entrance 2 ½ car garage.
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11908 APPLETREE - S. of Ann Arbor Trail & W. of Sheldon. Private lot! Colonial with a contemporary flair. Newer custom kitchen with a hi-tech look. Neutral family room with natural fireplace & built-in bookshelves. Newer bath & powder room. 1st floor laundry. Partly finished basement, newer roof. Side entry garage.
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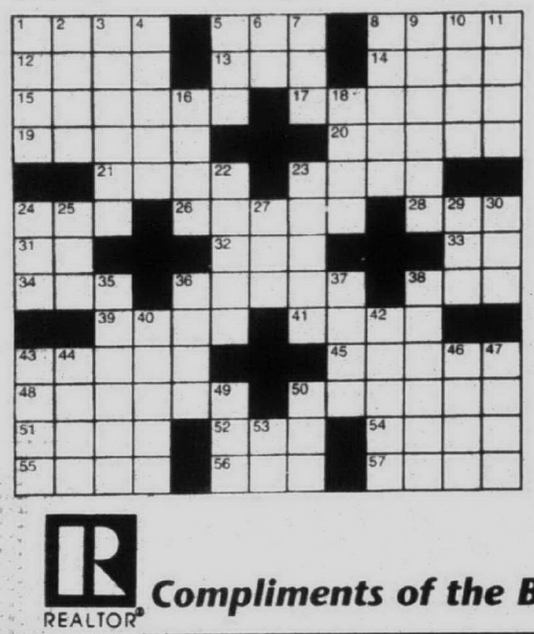

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WEST BLOOMFIELD, Open Sunday 1-4 p.m. 5359 Kingsfield, N. of Maple, W. of Farmington. This fine 4 bedroom colonial, 2.5 bath has ceramic thru foyer and kitchen. Huge master suite with fireplace, new bath, walk-in closets, large Florida room. 2595 sq. ft. $219,900. Beth Borson, CENTURY 21, ASSOCIATES (810) 406-4610

OPEN SUN 12-5 - 34372 Claudia. Large 4 bedroom colonial, 2.5 baths, dining room, family room with fireplace & wet bar, 1st floor laundry, basement, 2 car attached garage, wooded lot. Livonia schools. $209,500. Ross Realty 313-326-8300

WESTLAND - OPEN SUN. 1-5. 34477 Hazelwood, E. of Wayne, S. of Cherryhill. Spectacular 3 bedroom ranch, cathedral ceilings, 2 full baths, finished basement with bar. $118,900 313-595-2979

WESTLAND - Open Sun., 1-4pm. 36610 Melton, (S of Cherry Hill, E of Newburgh). 3 bedroom, 1½ bath colonial, family room w/fireplace, central air, full basement, 2 car attached garage; $125,900. (313) 721-6663

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304 Ann Arbor

RANCH - NEW CONSTRUCTION In Ann Arbor. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, open floor plan, vaulted ceilings, bay window, fireplace, brick front. This charming ranch won't last at $158,500! Call 313-572-4888, 810-683-8569, 810-627-5815

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NEW CONSTRUCTION
Three bedrooms, 2½ baths, open two story foyer, fireplace, Ann Arbor schools. $162,900. Call 313-572-4888, 810-683-8569, 810-627-5815

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NEW CONSTRUCTION
Four bedrooms, 2½ bath, spacious foyer, study, large bay window in kitchen, soaking tub in master bath and much, much more! Too many extras to mention. Approx 60 day occupancy - choose your interior colors! $183,100. Call 313-572-4888, 810-683-8569, 810-627-5815.

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NEW CONSTRUCTION
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305 Birmingham/ Bloomfield

BIRMINGHAM - Charming 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, house. Hot tub, attached 2 car garage. Open house Sat-Sun, Apr 11-12th and 18-19th, 12 to 4, 1236 Smith. 810-642-9729

BIRMINGHAM Colonial, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath, air, Marvin windows, updated kitchen & baths. $340,000. By owner. App't only: (810) 642-6135

BIRMINGHAM - Quarton Lake, must see, great 3 bedroom colonial, 891 Pilgrim. Newer kitchen, finished basement, many updates, immediate occupancy, $389,000. 810-646-5138

BLOOMFIELD FARMS SUB, one of the most popular subs in town, S. of Maple, W. of Inkster. Birmingham Schools. Handsome 3 bedroom, 1½ bath, 1800 sq. ft. ranch on a slab. Best value in town on a beautiful corner lot. $172,900. JOE ATTO, Re/Max Great Lakes, 810-473-6200 or 810-332-5300 after hrs.

BLOOMFIELD HILLS - WALNUT LAKE PRIVILEGES. Authentic east coast Cape Cod on .7 acre corner lot in scenic wooded community. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car attached garage, basement, upgrades. Homeowner is licensed agent. $274,500. For private showing call. 810-737-5243

BLOOMFIELD HILLS, Beautiful Wing Lake Privileges, 4 bedroom, 2½ bath brick ranch, 2350 sq.ft. Hardwood floors in white kitchen & in light/airy family room with vaulted ceiling/skylights. Large private backyard, deck, walk to schools. $229,000. For appointment (810) 626-0672 Also Open Sat.-Sun 1-5pm.

BLOOMFIELD HILLS Schools District in Bloomfield Twp., N. of Westview, E. of Squirrel Rd. on North Reading. 4 bedrooms, 2½ bath. $209,000. For Sale By Owner. Buyer pays broker. 810-649-3990

BY OWNER - Small home near Woodward & 14 Mile. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, 1 car garage. 810-476-3319

BY OWNER: Wonderful home, super Bloomfield location. 4 bedrooms, huge master bedroom w/Jacuzzi, 2 fireplaces, high ceilings, big dining room, grand foyer, many large closets, wood floors, recessed lights, all neutrals, stereo throughout, huge partially finished basement, library, step-down family room, large eat-in kitchen, 3 car garage, level lot, beautiful pine trees for privacy, over 4,000 sq. feet - This is it! Move-in condition. Bloomfield Hills mailing/Birmingham schools. $710,000. Call for appointment; (810) 646-5060

FRANKLIN - By owner 3 bedroom, 1½ bath brick ranch, basement, Florida room, air, about 1 acre. $185,000 (810) 851-0954

W. BLOOMFIELD: Timeless design, 3 bedroom brick ranch, over 2200 sq. ft. Beautiful ½ acre rolling, treed lot. $210,000. Open Sunday 1-4pm. 4461 Patrick Rd. (810) 851-0973

305 Birmingham/ Bloomfield

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306 Brighton

BRIGHTON: New Listing! 4 bedroom impeccable contemporary home on a 2 acre parklike setting. Perfect for nature lovers. Brighton schools. Many recent updates. Eurostyle kitchen. Marble fireplace in great room, family room with walkout & more! $289,900

Century 21
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BRIGHTON SCHOOLS., Colonial, partially wooded corner lot, 3 large bedrooms, finished basement, hardwood floors, fireplace, sunroom, deck, well maintained. Reduced $212,000. Seller motivated. Open Sun, 2-5pm. 3873 Aberdeen Lane. (810) 229-8962

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308 Canton

A KNOCK-OUT COLONIAL
1613 sq.ft., c/a, fireplace in great room, 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, mini cul-de-sac, it's all here....$164,000.
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THE REAL ESTATE HOUSE

BEST BUY in canton, 3 bedroom brick ranch, new carpet and paint. $103,000, $3,000 down. Call: (810) 449-8062

BETTER THAN NEW 1995 home in mint condition. 3 Bedrooms, 2.5 Baths, Master Suite, Study, Family Room and great Country Kitchen. Extras include Hardwood floors, gas/wood Fireplace, great Basement for finishing and a Patio to relax on. There is nothing better at only $168,900. GALLATIN REALTY CO. (313) 994-1202

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BRICK COLONIAL, 3 bedrooms, family room w/fireplace, basement, 2 car garage, asking $139,900. OneWay Realty 313-522-6000 or 810-473-5500

BY OWNER: Newly constructed, 2600 sq. foot, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home in prestigious Heritage Farms Sub. at NW corner of Beck/Warren. Oversized lot, 3 car garage. $269,900. Open Sun., 1-4pm. Pager: (313) 451-1330

BY OWNER, 1171 Hampshire Dr. Attractive 3 bedroom ranch, updated, 2 car garage, air, $129,900. S. of Cherry Hill, W. of Haggerty. Open Sat. & Sun 2-5, (313) 397-8475

308 Canton

N. CANTON - 4 Bedroom Quad Level, 2½ baths, family room/fireplace, attached garage. Newly remodeled. Immediate occupancy. $165,900.
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CANTON COLONIAL (built in 1990) on cul-de-sac setting. 4 Bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 car attached garage, basement, backing to commons, asking $239,900. OneWay Realty 313-522-6000 or 810-473-5500

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New Construction-30 day occupancy. 2445 Sq.Ft. 4 bedrooms, 2½ ceramic baths, fireplace, huge oak kitchen, whirlpool tub, full brick to belt, 2-car garage, full basement, oversized lot, fully carpeted with lots of closet space. Ready to move into. $212,900. Also other new homes available.
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Relax in you own heated pool, deck & privacy fence. Indoor amenities include: large eat-in kitchen, 3 bedrooms, dining room, living room, family room, much more! $146,000. Call PAT KOCH 313-660-0659

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Move-in condition, 3 bedroom, 1360 sq.ft. ranch with fireplace & all appliances, 2 car garage, horse barn, 2.43 acres. $145,000.
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Move-in condition Colonial with 2-story foyer, 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, family room with fireplace, island kitchen and fully landscaped. $249,900. (H266E)

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Canton - Want a new house without the pain of building. 1995 built 2,000 sq. ft. colonial. Large master suite, beautiful deck & large lot. Take Ironwood North off Palmer W. of Lilley to 1648 Ironwood - $189,900.

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OPEN SUN. 1-5PM. 7414 Emerson. Immaculate Windsor Park Colonial. Backs to huge park. Central air. $159,990. HELP-U-SELL (313) 454-9535

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314 Farmington/ Farmington Hills

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4 BEDROOM, 2.5 bath updated Colonial. 2 car garage. Spacious floor plan on private oversized lot. Asking $186,500. (810) 615-0160

4 BEDROOM RANCH
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BUILDERS SPEC - Farmington Hills Beautiful over 2400 sqft., 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, 3½ car garage, ½ acre lot. $272,900. 313-420-0519

BY OWNER: 23493 Cora, lovely updated move in condition, 3 bedrms, 2 bath colonial on large private wooded lot. Living rm., family rm., gas fireplace, part finished basement, 1st floor laundry, 2 car attached, air, new roof, wrap-around deck. $186,500. 810-471-5167

BY OWNER - Open Sun 1-4, 35871 Springvale, W. of Drake, S. of 14. Completely updated 3 bedroom, 2½ bath tri-level. $224,900.810-788-9230

CLEAN, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath ranch; fireplace, dining room, central air, full basement, attached garage & more $212,900 Open Sun 1-5 pm. 35158 Oakland, Grand River/Drake area. 810-229-4467 or 810 477-2728

DESIRABLE FAMILY SUB. - 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, finished basement, large deck, hot tub, many upgrades, by owner $279,000. 810-661-5411

FARMINGTON HILLS - Just reduced! 3 bedroom colonial on 3.25 acres of country living in the city. Entire home recently rennovated. Many updates plus wrap-around deck which leads to inground pool, horse barn and fenced corral. Reduced to $239,900

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Open
FARMINGTON HILLS Colonial - 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths in prime area. Newly decorated inside & out. Large corner lot. $190,900 OPEN SUN., April 13, 1-5. 810-266-5860

FARMINGTON HILLS: 33484 Longwood, 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath brick ranch, 40x26 garage. $144,000. Open Sun., 1-4pm. 810-473-5182

FARMINGTON HILLS:
Small, fixer up house on 134x121 foot lot. $70,000 cash.
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317 Garden City

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KITCHEN GLAMORE
Super awesome new kitchen w/oaks cabinets, central air, finished basement, and garage. $94,900.
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Call Mark Kleinknecht at:
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OPEN SUN. 1-4pm. 31780 Pierce, 5 blocks S. of Ford, 1½ blocks W. of Merriman. By Owner. Beautiful 3 bedrooms bungalow, central air, new windows, copper plumbing, huge kitchen w/fireplace, fenced yard w/pool & Much More! $102,900. Owner licensed. 313-266-4055

320 Hartland

Cranberry Creek Country Living
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322 Holly

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323 Howell

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325 Livonia

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Super Starter. Well maintained Ranch. High-efficiency furnace, remodeled ceramic bath, updated kitchen w/no-wax floor, newer carpeting, windows, & deck. Large fenced yard, detached garage. $94,500.
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CLOSE TO SCHOOLS, 3 bedroom brick ranch, remodeled kitchen & bath, newer roof/windows, cathedral ceilings, $126,600. 313-261-3978

325 Livonia

COLONIAL 3 bedroom tri-level, 1½ bath, new furnace, fireplace, 2½ car garage, air. Open Sunday April 13th 1-4, $134,000. (810) 476-4978

COLONIAL, 3 bedroom, 1690 sq.ft., built 1990. 2.5 baths, family room w/fireplace, dining & living rooms, central air, 2.5 car garage, park-like setting, $194,900. (313) 425-3502

FRANCAVILLA - FIRST OFFERING! Open Sun, Apr. 13, 1-4pm. 17424 Myron (N off 6 Mile, W of Farmington) 1860 sq.ft. ranch, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath; $219,900. 313-422-0218

IMMACULATE 3 bedroom ranch, 1st floor laundry, oak floors, sun porch, deck, basement, master suite. Open Sat. & Sun. 12-6pm. 313-953-0701

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LIVONIA
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Livonia
OVERSIZED GOURMET KITCHEN
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LIVONIA RANCH
WOW! Just is time for the spring rush, this decorater perfect 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch home is in move-in condition. Sellers offering $500 in closing costs to buyer. Asking $134,900. Open Sunday 1-4.
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LIVONIA
Super sharp 3 bedroom custom contemporary, built-in master bedroom outfit, jacuzzi tub, custom deck, alarm system. Attached garage. This is a must see house. Asking $219,900.
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MOVE IN CONDITION
This 3 bedroom brick ranch features finished basement, 2 car garage, central air, & beautiful oak kitchen. WON'T LAST LONG! $149,900.
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MOVE RIGHT IN!
All neutral decor throughout. 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch. Updated kitchen which opens to family room that has newer carpet & doorwall to fenced yard. 1 year warranty included. $134,900 (ACCJA)
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Don't miss this 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath spacious colonial. Many updates plus fireplace in family room and a formal living and dining room. Covered porch off family room can be enclosed. Call today. $199,999

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to view this contemporary 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath home located in prime area of Livonia. Updates include kitchen and newer carpet. Asking $139,900
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(313) 464-7111

326 Milford

MILFORD - Contemporary 4 bedroom bi-level, treed lot, great room, fireplace, air, garage. Available now. $2,000. 810-348-8189, #725
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NEW CONSTRUCTION model, 1 acre wooded lot, 3 bedroom ranch, walk out, vaulted great room, study, oak cabinets, whirlpool, reduced $234,900. WDI - 810-887-4558

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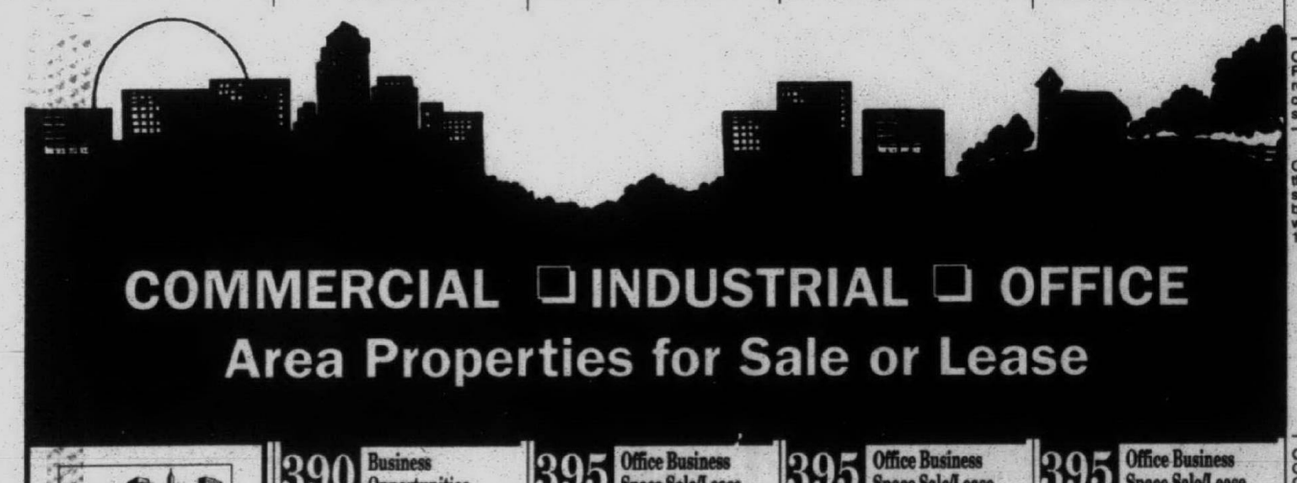

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Area Properties for Sale or Lease

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390 Business Opportunities

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328 Northville

10 ACRE ESTATE

Prestigious 3700 + sq. ft., 4 bedroom walkout on gorgeous rolling treed lot backing to golf course and good access to all major expressways. Two story foyer and great room with spiral staircase, premium dream kitchen/nook with large designer island, open library with two way fireplace to great room, formal dining room, first floor bedroom, two powder rooms, oversized 4 car garage, walkout has additional 650 sq. ft. finished with 950 sq. ft. more finishable, and many more quality features. A steal at $429,900...Ask for Steve Stockton:

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BY OWNER - 3 bedroom brick ranch with family room addition, finished basement, in heart of Downtown Northville. $195,000. 810-344-9009

NORTHVILLE

4 bedroom turn of the century home. Over 1 acre of land. 2,000 sq. ft., 3 car garage. Basement. Asking $249,900.

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NORTHVILLE

SPACIOUS 4 bedroom, 2½ bath 2400sqft brick & aluminum colonial w/attached garage on Commons. Livingroom, formal dining, family room w/fireplace den, 1st floor laundry. New roof in '96. Asking $239,500. Open Sat & Sun 10-3. 810-349-9204

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329 Novi

BEAUTIFUL NOVI COLONIAL! 4 bedroom, 2½ bath located in popular Orchard Ridge Estates. Terrific floor plan features huge family room and island kitchen. Professionally finished basement and a Florida room to enjoy the season. Much, much more and only $269,900.

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Colonial features 2-story foyer, 4 bedrooms, 2 12 baths, large island kitchen, high ceilings, family room with fireplace. $294,000. (L257E)

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Novi Road, between 9 & 10 Mile. New residential homes ranging from $256,500 & up. Speck homes are available. A.J. Vanoyen Builders, Inc. 810-347-1975 or 810-229-2085

PRIME LOCATION - 4 bedroom, 3 bath cape cod. 1 acre wooded lot. Custom built 1989. City water/sewer. Large kitchen, formal diningroom, livingroom, familyroom with natural fireplace. Northville schools. 43935 Nine Mile Rd. between Novi Rd. & Taft. Asking $349,000. Qualified buyers call: 810-344-1981

SUMMER SPLASH!

A 1991 built colonial with 3 bedrooms, 2-½ baths, near W. L. Beach, finished basement, fresh paint, newer carpet, doorwall off dining room to deck, master bedroom w/bath, won't last at $157,000.

Diane Braykovich
RE/MAX 100 INC.
810-348-3000

WAS MAPLE HEIGHTS MODEL

Loads of upgrades. 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, 2 car attached garage. Professionally decorated. Full basement has a dance floor! Over 2000 sq. ft.. Close to golf course & shopping mall. Asking $219,900. Call LATA SAHI: (810) 704-9968

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Schweitzer Real Estate

331 Orion Twn./ Lk. Orion/Oxford

ORION TWP. New construction, 2 story, 1825 sq. ft. 3 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, fireplace, 1st floor laundry, vaulted ceilings, walk in closets, excellent family neighborhood - $189,000. 810-693-8931

334 Plymouth

3 BEDROOM colonial in downtown Plymouth. Updated kitchen, Redecorated, $165,000. D 313-453-6924 E. (810) 486-1611

BRICK RANCH, 3 bedrooms, 2½ car garage. Many, many extras. Must see! 11340 Cedar Lane, N. of Ann Arbor Trail, E. of I-275. 313-455-7877

CHARMING CAPE COD walking distance to downtown, 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, updated throughout, master suite w/jacuzzi tub. call for appointment. (313) 451-2142

GREAT STARTER IN PLYMOUTH
2 bedrooms, 2 car garage.
All updates.
813-7284

LAKEPOINTE SUB - 3 bedroom ranch, 1½ bath, hardwood floors, attached garage, many updates, neutral decor, finished basement with wetbar, $145,900. 313-420-2675

334 Plymouth

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4

Popular Plymouth. 1517 Lexington, N. of N. Territorial, W. of Sheldon. Affordable and sharp 3 bedroom, 2 full baths, brick ranch w/finished basement and 2 car garage. Bring your check books. (DOLE-P) $144,900 Call Diane Orzel:

REMERICA
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OPEN SUN. 12-4. Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath, ceramic kitchen, fireplace, 2 car garage, finished basement, large lot, $149,900. 455-7064

OPEN SUN. 1-4

PLYMOUTH - charming cape cod on 2 acres, restored and updated throughout, 2000 sq. ft. Fabulous master suite. West of Beck to 48640 N. Territorial

THE MICHIGAN GROUP REALTORS
(313) 591-9200

PLYMOUTH TWP. - New 4 bedroom, 3½ bath, landscaped home, on premium lot. $389,900. New bedroom, 1st floor master, 2½ bath, landscaped home. $330,000. Both available now and located in Rolling Oaks Sub. on N. Territorial. W. of Beck Rd. Encore Custom Homes Ltd., 810-855-0888, for appt.

RARE FIND

in countrylike setting. Custom built 5 bedroom home - 1st time offered. Beautiful wooded view from your huge new deck. Hardwood floors, 2nd fireplace in finished basement. $299,900 (ABABE)

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3 bedroom, 1 bath ranch with many updates & a generous fenced yard with deck & patio! Newer kitchen includes all appliances. Great value for only $109,900 (AKASH). Call Kathy Allen at:

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WONDERFUL 4 bedroom colonial within walking distance to downtown Plymouth. Home shows pride of ownership. Many updates. Sunroom and finished basement. Better hurry. $208,000. Ask for...

Gail Turner
Real Estate One
810-905-6985
1045 Novi Rd., Northville

335 Redford

3 BEDROOM brick ranch, central air, 2 bath, new windows, roof, kitchen, 2½ garage, many updates. basement $88,500. (313) 532-6162

BY OWNER - Columbia, S. of Plymouth Rd. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, full basement, garage. New roof/furnace, air & more. (810) 583-9506

BY OWNER - I96 between Inskter & Beech, 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1½ baths, family room, finished basement, fenced yard, garage. Immaculate condition. $104,900. Leave message: 810-851-1510

INVEST IN HAPPINESS

Lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch in wonderful neighborhood. It's nicely updated and move in condition. Offers super finished basement with full bath, 2.5 car garage and spacious rooms. Updated windows, furnace and roof - $114,900

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LOVELY 3 bedroom Colonial, fireplace in living room, $2,950 down. $545/mo. Free recorded message. 641-7653, Remerica Family, DENISE WEESE.

NEARLY an acre, 2½ car, completely remodeled, 2-3 bedroom, 1½ bath Cape Cod. Brand new kitchen & bath. Large rooms throughout, new windows, doors, & much more. $133,000. By Owner. (313) 533-9678

OPEN SUNDAY 1-4

Redford... Sharp 3 bedroom ranch on corner lot, 1 car garage. Updates include: windows, furnace, central air, hot water heater, bath w/ceramic, family room addition w/beautiful bay window, finished basement with lots of storage. (JFPU-P) $77,900 Call Jennifer Finley at:

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HOMETOWN II REALTORS
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OPEN SUN. 2-5
25409 Southwick, N. of Grand River, E. of Beech Daly. Charming brick bungalow, perfect starter, 2 full baths, new furnace, updated electrical & plumbing, dining room, finished basement w/bedroom or office. $65,000

SOUTH REDFORD RANCH
Great starter home. Family room with fireplace, newer carpet and furnace, dining room and garage. $74,900

Century 21
JOHN COLE REALTY, INC.
313-937-2300

REDUCED - OPEN SAT-SUN 1-4
3 bedroom, 2 bath tri-level, new kitchen/built-ins, windows, carpet & more. 16823 Negaunee. 537-2521

335 Redford

OPEN SUN 1-4

Spacious 3 bedroom brick ranch. Full bath off master bedroom, basement rec room, 2 car garage, great area. 24407 Lyndon, N. of Schoolcraft, W. of Telegraph. Only $111,500.

REMERICA
INTEGRITY REALTORS
313-525-4200

REDFORD

Super sharp 3 bedroom custom brick ranch. 2 full baths, finished rec room with gas fireplace, lots of updates, kitchen, carpet, doors, wet plaster. Asking $102,900

WOLVERINE Properties, Inc.
(313) 532-0600

SOUTH REDFORD
Very nice 1,500 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath bungalow has partially finished basement, 2 car garage & new furnace, central air & windows. $118,000.

ROXANNE
(810) 450-2295
CENTURY 21 TODAY
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Farmington Hills

WHY PAY rent? 3 bedroom bungalow. New windows and kitchen. Dishwasher, finished basement. Spotless. Immediate occupancy. Open House April 13th/1 to 5. 12828 Lenore. $79,900. (313) 561-3896

336 Rochester/Auburn Hills

AUBURN HILLS - Adams/S. Blvd. Spacious 2,300 sq.ft. Colonial. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, loads of extras. 1 mile I-75/M-59. Built '94. Possession flexible. $229,900. 810-844-9747

BETTER THAN NEW

Transferee perfect! Neutral decor, no wallpaper, gas fireplace, unfinished walk-out, deck, patio, sprinkler system. $274,900. (P244E)

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DOWNTOWN ROCHESTER

Fantastic starter home, new furnace, new roof, new deck, new doorwalls, new electrical, new ceramic tub, sink & much more. Asking $114,900

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HAWTHORN HILLS Sub: Rochester Hills. 4 bedroom, 4 ½ baths, 3500 sq. ft. 2 story home. Additional 1400 sq. ft. finished on walk-out lower level, 1st floor master, vaulted great room, wooded lot, lots of extras, $399,900. Call Owner (810) 373-2361

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OPEN & AIRY

Beautiful Ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, great room with fireplace, breakfast nook with bay, master with walk-in, finished basement with extra kitchen and ½ bath, 2½ car garage. $219,900. (C899E)

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OPEN SUN, 1-4, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath colonial w/ walk out. Family/living/dining rooms, deck w/ hot tub. $219,900. 1150 Eagle Nest Dr., E. fo Rochester, N. of Buell
(810) 752-1875

ROCHESTER HILLS

Beautiful Pine Trace Village Subdivision with golf course access. 3000 sq.ft., 1½ story, 3 bedroom, 2½ baths, with first floor master suite. Great room with fieldstone fireplace, neutral colors throughout. Award winning landscaping with private yard. Great house! Great neighborhood! Great location! $334,900.
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ROCHESTER HILLS; Brand new colonial. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, $165,000. Agents welcome. 810-419-4838 OR 810-853-0661

ROCHESTER HILLS - By Owner, 2600 sq.ft., colonial, $197,500. 4 bedroom, 2.55 bath, 2nd floor laundry, fireplace, finished basement with wet bar, large lot, many extras. Stratford Knolls Sub, 2130 Chalet. OPEN SUN. 1-5PM. 810-375-8971

ROCHESTER HILLS - Open Sun. 1-4, 1988 colonial, 2140 sq.ft., 3 bedroom, 2½ bath. 296 Sandalwood. $224,900. 810-650-9167

WALK TO TOWN

Colonial with newer ceramic flooring in foyer, lav, hall, kitchen, 1st floor laundry. Golden oak kitchen cabinets, center island range, wet bar in family room, deck. $229,900. (H103E)

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337 Royal Oak/Oak Park-Huntington Woods

BERKLEY - 2 bedroom Bungalow. Garage, new furnace & roof; excellent location. $95,000
leave messsage: (313)641-2548

BERKLEY tri level, built in 1978, 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, 1500 sq. ft., central air, garage, taxes $1500. $127,000. (810) 546-7002

CHARMING

Numerous updates in this 4 bedroom bungalow with 1½ baths, cedar decking off master, lots of storage, all appliances included. $174,900. (B100E).

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GREAT STARTER HOME

Charming 3 bedroom Ranch on corner lot. Berber carpeting, ceramic tiled kitchen, aluminum siding, 1 car garage, covered patio area. $92,500. (N332E)

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N. ROYAL OAK/Shrine: 1,600 sq. foot, 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick bungalow, family room, finished basement. $175,000. (810) 288-4544

339 Southfield-Lathrup

BEAUTIFUL TRI-LEVEL, 2230 sq.ft. w/ open floor plan. 3 bedrooms, possible 4th. Beautiful step down, carpeted living room w/exposed beams, walk-out doorwall to huge deck, Patio, new roof & air, 2 skylights. Must see! $149,000 810-356-3504

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GOOD INVESTMENT

This 3 bedroom Ranch is a great starter home! Large living room, newer kitchen, basement. Close to all major expressways. $67,000. (H191E)

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MOVE-IN CONDITION

Beautiful 3 bedroom brick Ranch is updated with refinished hardwood floors, central air, partially finished basement. $118,500. (W187E)

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Updated Ranch with newer oak kitchen and bath, many hardwood floors, central air, huge basement. $109,900. (R295E)

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340 South Lyon

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341 Troy

COMPLETELY UPDATED - TROY. OPEN SUN 1-4pm. 4287 Washington Crescent, E. of John R., N. of Wattles. Sharp 4 bedroom colonial, 2½ baths, 1st floor laundry, new windows, roof, kitchen, bath, floor covering, oversized lot. Troy Schools. $188,900. (810) 528-3284

EMERALD LAKE Sub., 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch, central air, fireplace, 2 car, gorgeous setting. $166,900. 1742 Three Lakes Dr., 810-828-4066

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Great open floor plan, featuring high ceilings throughout. Master suite + 3 beds up, 3.5 baths, deluxe kitchen. Finished lower level w/walk-out. 3250 sq.ft. up plus 815 sq.ft. on lower level. $560,000. Open Weekends. (810) 952-0166 for weekday appointment.

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Beautiful Ranch with 2,082 sq. ft. of living space, 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths, several updates. $209,000. (T828E)

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TROY - Close to Birmingham. S. of Big Beaver, W. of Coolidge. 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, finished basement, many updates. $239,000. Open Sat., Sun 1-5. 810-649-3136

344 W. Bloomfield-Orchard Lk-Keego

BLOOMFIELD TWP. - Beautiful Wabeek Lake area. 4-5 bedroom custom colonial w/outstanding indoor pool & huge yard w/water frontage, fireplace, family room, 2 fantastic kitchens, in-law suite in finished lower level walk-out, 4½ bathrooms, deck, patio, sprinkler & 3 car attached garage. Approximately 7714 sq.ft. of pure comfort. $895,000. Ask for Gerald Sheldon. Century 21 Campbell Realty
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6629 Fieldstone - Unit 26
S of Maple, W of Orchard Lake
Chimney Hill upper unit. Bright, airy 2 bedroom, 2 bath, basement, cathedral ceiling, neutral decor for just $139,900. Ask for:
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W. BLOOMFIELD - FARMINGTON HILLS SCHOOLS. Franklin Ridge Way, Colonial, 5 bedroom plus den, 2 baths plus 2 half baths, over 3000 sq. ft., all hardwood floors, large upgraded kitchen, neutral interior, beautifully landscaped. Walk to elementary, middle & private schools. By Owner. $235,000. (810) 851-0965

W. BLOOMFIELD Lake Estates - 4 bedrooms, 2 full, 2 half baths, completely updated & landscaped. Day: 810-737-4864 Eves: 810-682-5377

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WEST BLOOMFIELD. Farmington Hills Schools. Colonial, 5 bedroom, plus den, 2 full & 2 half baths, over 3,000 sq.ft., all hardwood floors, large updated kitchen, neutral interior, beautiuflly landscaped, walk to schools. Franklin Ridge Way. $235,000. Owner. (810) 851-0965

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345 Westland/Wayne

HOME WARRANTY
IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY on this 3 bedroom brick ranch that features berber carpet, basement, garage, & 1½ baths. Reduced to $113,900.
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345 Westland/Wayne

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Updates galore. Spacious floor plan w/2,000 sq. ft. dramatic sunken living room w/vaulted ceilings. Luxurious master bedroom w/whirlpool tub. Family room w/fireplace. 1,600 additional sq. ft. in finished basement. Huge ½ acre lot. 1st floor laundry. Formal dining room & more. (PSDA-P) $172,900
Call Patty Stropes or Gary Jones for all the custom features.

REMERICA
HOMETOWN II REALTORS
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FOUR YOU!

This super Glenwood Heights quad with all updates won't last! New roof, central air, furnace, windows, updated kitchen and baths. New exterior doors. Deck with gorgeous view of commons. (PRLA-P) $145,900
Call Paul Roe at:

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HOMETOWN II REALTORS
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LIVONIA SCHOOLS

Mint condition 3 bedroom brick ranch with basement and 2.5 car garage. Brand new oak kitchen, ceramic bath, windows, copper plumbing, interior doors, carpet and kitchen floor. Plus central air and so much more! $116,900.
Call Jim Anderson Today!!!
Century 21 Dynamic
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LIVONIA SCHOOLS

Your search is over! Great 3 bedroom brick colonial in popular Brandon Valley Sub. Huge living room, new carpet, formal dining room, nice size bedrooms, 2½ baths, maintenance free exterior, a pleasure to show! $152,900. Call Donna for more information.

DONNA BUTTERY
313-990-3625
Prudential Pickering Real Estate

OPEN SUN. 1-4

30603 Birchwood, S. of Cherryhill, E. of Merriman, up-dates galore in this 3 bedroom brick ranch, large kitchen with table space, 1½ baths, central air, finished basement, 2 car garage - $89,500

LIVONIA SCHOOLS! 3 bedroom brick ranch, gorgeous oak kitchen, 2 full baths, central air, partially finished basement, newer windows, won't last at - $105,000

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36523 Thinbark, E. of Newburgh, S. Glenwood. Fantastic 3 bedroom brick ranch totally updated. 2 car garage with finished basement and new full bath. Up to code. Immediate occupancy. Asking $109,900.
Ask for Karen Camilleri
CENTURY 21
ROW
(313) 464-7111

OPEN SUN. 1-5PM. 6786 Bison. Updated 3 bedroom, 2 full bath, Ranch w/finished basement. $119,900.
HELP-U-SELL (313) 454-9535

OPEN SUN. 1-4 PM

34443 SHELLYE CT., N/Cowan & E/Wayne, 3 bedroom, 2½ bath home built on 1+ wooded acres. Great room w/fireplace, kitchen w/center island, deck, pool, barn plus much more, Livonia schools - $212,500

35710 MANILA - S/Palmer & E/Linville, 4 bedroom, 2 bath colonial, large family room w/fireplace, formal living & dining room, garage w/workshop, 2 decks - $115,900

Century 21
CASTELLI & LUCAS
(313) 453-4300

OPEN TODAY - 1-3PM
32029 Mackenzie, N. of Ann Arbor Trail and west of Merriman. Totally remodeled, 3 bedrooms, basement and 2 car garage. Immediate occupancy - $116,900.
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WESTLAND 3 bedroom brick ranch, basement & garage, $86,000. Possible terms. Open House Sun. 2pm-6pm (313) 595-6043

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Brand new 3 bedroom Colonial, 1.5 baths, basement, carpeted throughout.
Paint & Tile for part down payment/closing costs
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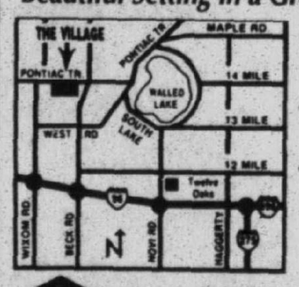

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JOBS/CAREERS

Employment agency etiquette

By Sheryl Silver, Career Source

Looking for a new job? Planning to work with an employment agency to find one? Take a moment to consider a few do's and don't's that can make your experience more productive.

For starters, it's important to dress professionally the first time you meet with an agency. In many ways, that first meeting is used to assess how professionally you'll present yourself and represent the agency when you're referred to prospective employers. "When I prescreen people on the telephone, I tell them to dress in professional attire, as if they're going to be sent out to an interview," says Ron Rue, general manager and partner for the Century City California branch office of Ultimate Staffing Services, headquartered in Brea, California.

Ellen Andrews, managing partner of Positions Inc., an employment agency in Washington D.C., points out a very tangible benefit of dressing professionally for that first meeting. "If someone's qualifications meet what a client is looking for and that applicant is dressed appropriately, they can be sent out immediately on an interview," says Andrews.

Bring a copy of your resume to that first meeting too. Be sure you've checked the document for errors. "If you have a typo on your resume," says Rue, "it shows us you're not detail oriented. It indicates sloppiness, and for the administrative support and clerical jobs we fill, that's a big no-no."

Make sure, as well, that the information your resume is truthful and doesn't misrepresent your experience or educational credentials. Agencies check references and won't be comfortable representing you if they find factual inconsistencies.

They're also likely to test you on any skills you list on the resume. "We sell to our customers that our applicants are fully reference checked and skill-tested, so we test them on each software package they claim to have expertise in," says Rue. Testing skills enables agencies to "know what your skill levels are so we can place you appropriately," adds Judy Chudars, managing director of Star Staffing in Washington, D.C. Andrews, Chudars and Rue all say it's important to be cooperative throughout the testing and screening process.

Being open-minded about any opportunities an agency suggests is also a plus. For example, Rue says a lot of positions, in fact, some of the best situations today are "temp-to-hire," where employers try out someone in a position for a period of weeks before deciding to hire them full time. Rue says, "I tell people who are looking for full time jobs to at least consider a temp-to-hire situation."

Equally important is being open to constructive feedback, what Rue calls "suggestive coaching." "People need to realize we know exactly what out clients want," says Rue. "When I make suggestions, like telling someone to 'lose the long nails and the purple nail polish" as I did with a very skilled candidate the other day, I'm just trying to help them do what's necessary to land a job for which they're qualified."

Following interviews with prospective employers, be sure to contact the agency that sent you. "We ask candidates to follow up with us immediately after an interview," says Andrews. Chudars also asks candidates to call "as soon after an interview as possible." "We want to know if someone wants the job or not," she says.

Until job seekers accept a position, Rue urges them to stay in touch with the agencies they're working with at least once a week: "Let the agency know you're hungry for employment and that you're willing to work with them," says Rue. "And let the agency know what you're doing on your own so they don't duplicate your efforts if you're applying to companies directly through their recruitment ads."

While we're on the topic of duplication, what about working with more than one agency at a time? "That's not a problem" says Rue. "Each agency probably has a different client base, and if you're really trying to find work, the more people you have working on your behalf, the better."

Andrews agrees. "We just ask candidates to make us aware of it," she says. Chudars concurs, adding, "To avoid duplication of effort, let an agency know if you've already met or had your resume submitted to a company to which they want to refer you, whether you made the contact directly or through another agency."

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WORKING LIFE

When and how to tell the boss you're expecting

By Deborah L. Jacobs, Chronicle Features

Learning you're pregnant may be one of the great joys of life, but don't expect your bosses to share that enthusiasm. The response to your good news can range from polite congratulations to dour resignation. Among other things, they're probably wondering: Can you deliver until you deliver? How long will your maternity leave last? Will you ever return?

Federal law protects workers from being fired just because they're pregnant, and some states guarantee greater rights. But the laws don't apply to everyone. For example, the federal Pregnancy Discrimination Act only covers companies with 15 or more employees. And most laws only apply to staffers, not to the growing number of freelancers or independent contractors. (For answers to specific legal questions, call the 9 to 5 National Association of Working WOmen hotline at (800) 522-0925.)

Often, the best way to avoid problems is with good timing and a little tact. Unless you have a high-risk pregnancy or need more than a few sick days during the first several months, make your announcement during the second trimester, advises Anne Weisberg, a lawyer and coauthor of the book, "Everything a Working Mother needs to Know" (Doubleday, 1994). (Hard to find in bookstores, this comprehensive guide is available for $14.95 from the author at (914) 472-6328.) Any earlier, you're still at risk of a miscarriage, which would force you to sadly retract your news. Any later, you might leave your boss and coworkers scrambling to prepare for your absence.

To avoid leaks to the office grapevine, don't tell coworkers before you tell your supervisor. And, if the company processes medical claims in-house, try not to submit them until after you've talked with the boss, Weisberg says.

Sticky ethical questions: what do you do if you're job-hunting, or up for a promotion? In the first case, wait until an offer's on the table, and then tell the prospective employer you're expecting, Weisberg says. You have no obligation to say so during an interview, but it's better not to start a new job with a secret. In the second scenario, says Weisberg, "there's a fine line between protecting your interest and making your supervisor feel you're taking advantage."

In any event, it's good politics to show enthusiasm about your job even as you share this highly personal item. Don't say you plan to come back unless you mean it, but do reiterate your commitment to work. Weisberg recommends a script that goes something like this: "I have great news. I'm expecting a baby in June and I'm thrilled. I also want you to know that I'm very committed to my job."

Save discussing details of your maternity leave for later. You may be legally entitled to time off. But requesting it when you break the news gives the impression that all you care about is the leave, Weisberg says. Instead, she suggests you just say, "I'll get back to you to discuss how much time I'll take off and how we can be sure my work gets covered." That way, you send a clear signal that you're concerned about the company's interests, not just your own.

This strategy is especially important for freelancers, who have fewer right--or benefits--than employees. Just like staffers, long-term freelancers should give the company five or six months' notice, says Patricia Cobe, coauthor of the book, "Mompreneurs" (The Berkley (cq) Publishing Group, 1996), a guide for mothers who work at home. Freelancers who work on short-term projects may get away with less notice, but should tie up loose ends at least a month before the baby's due.

To help make a smooth transition, tell the company when you announce your pregnancy how long you plan to take off, says Cobe, a working mom who has done temporary stints at magazines. Cobe also recommends finding someone who can fill in for you during the leave. You can train the pinch hitter while you're still on the job, and during this spell share part of what you earn.

Whether you're a staffer or a freelancer, it's crucial not to leave your bosses or clients in the lurch--especially if you want to continue working after the baby arrives. Your professionalism during the waiting period will set the tone for your return to work.

Deborah Jacobs welcomes letters from readers and will address topics of general interest in this column. Contact her by e-mail (DJWorking@aol.com) or by letter at: Chronicle Features, 870 Market Street, Suite 1011, San Francisco, Calif., 94102. Please include your name, address and telephone number.

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WORK AT HOME

Turn to support groups, resources for business

By Alice Bredin, Tribune Media

My husband finally put his foot down about a month ago: no more business questions. I have to admit I had been relying heavily on him lately to help me make some important decisions about a partnership agreement, new client positioning and resolution of a dispute with a large vendor. When he cut me off, he assured me that he likes helping, but the pressure to be available all the time was overwhelming.

I have an accountant, an attorney and business advisers I can turn to, but my husband is my adviser of choice because in addition to having an MBA, lots of marketing experience and good judgment, he knows what kind of decisions I can live with.

I pushed him to his limit by calling him frequently at work with questions and repeatedly asking him to do tasks such as look over spreadsheets after a long day at the office. Because I work at home, I am probably more isolated than I should be and therefore turn to the person who is nearby.

After a break, I believe he will come around and be willing to provide advice again. In the meantime, I have made some changes to my approach to seeking help that will permanently change the way I find business advice.

The first is my partnership. I have been working by myself in a home office for almost a decade. I hire independent contractors to help me with projects but still make all strategic decisions alone.

While I wouldn't trade my lifestyle for anything, I have acknowledged that I am tired of always coming up with the answers. I know the downsides of having partners, but I am willing to put up with them because of the potential to have built-in sounding boards and three times the effort behind my business.

I am also joining an entrepreneurial support group. I was in a group like this when I first started out, and it was great for setting goals, keeping motivated and learning the ropes. Now I have achieved many of my goals and am looking to gather input from business people in a variety of industries. A lot of value can be gained from applying the solutions from one industry to another.

To find a local entrepreneurial support group, look in the listings in your newspaper or call local chapters of national home-based business associations. You can also form your own group by assembling a few peers and asking them to invite people they know.

The Internet also has plenty of resources. The following services answer questions from small and home based business owners and may help you get the quick answer you need.

•AT&T Resources for New Business (http//www.att.com/rnb/). For $99 a year, this site provides information about starting up a home-based or small business, an hour-long consultation with an adviser, a fax-back service that provides articles on small business, a quarterly resource guide about running a business and discounts on products and services.

•Ernst & Young LLP (http://ernie.ey.com/). A flat fee of $6,000 annually provides access to Ernst & Young's network of experts to answer business questions. Answers are posted within 48 hours and clients are informed by e-mail and voice mail that their response is ready.

•American Express Small Business Network (http://www.americanexpress.com/small-business/). This site, which I am affiliated with, is free and has articles about starting up and managing a small business; lists of venture capital firms and other funding resources; a tool that helps you create a business plan; and import/export information. You can also post a question to me and receive an answer within several days.

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Dear Alice:

My home-based business has grown to include staff. How can I find affordable health insurance for them?

Dear Reader:

I can't recommend a provider, but I can suggest some searching tactics.

Contact a trade association, alumni group, chamber of commerce or a small business association, as many of these entities provide breaks on health insurance by buying in pools.

Organizations like the National Association for the Self-Employed, the Small Office/Home Office Association and the Independent Business Alliance established themselves mainly to meet the insurance needs of people like you.

Other Resources:

•The Institute for Health Policy Solutions, (202) 857-0810, can tell you whether a state-sponsored health-insurance purchasing cooperative exists in your state.

•Wilkinson Benefit Consultants, (800) 296-3030, provides a database of health-insurance providers for a fee, but doesn't sell insurance.

Dear Alice:

I sell high-end gifts that women buy for their brothers, husbands, fathers, etc. I have one distributor now and need to find others that are willing to work with a homebased business.

Dear Reader:

A good place to find distributors is at trade shows. Look in trade magazines for listings of trade shows near you. If you read trade magazines for your industry you will probably also see some distributor ads.

Another option is to go to your reference library and search through some Dun & Bradstreet resources. Resources that are relevant to you include Dun & Bradstreet's Million Dollar Directory, a listing of the largest companies in the United States, including distributors.

You can search through Dun's database using its product called Dun's Direct Access. Dun's Director Access is available in large libraries or can be purchased for $50. The company's CD-ROM called Marketplace, which provides the same service, is also a possibility. Dun & Bradstreet's number is (800) 624-5669.

Dear Alice:

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Dear Reader:

The right business idea for you will be determined by what other skills besides typing you have in your repertoire and what needs exist in your community.

To generate ideas, read the paper and examine your community with an eye for unfulfilled needs. For example, if there are businesses thriving in your area, ask yourself what ancillary business you could offer using your computer at home.

Plenty of books list business ideas, but I suggest focusing on your skills and local opportunity instead of taking your lead from these lists.

Some resources that may help:

•Read a book called "Making a Living Without a Job" by Barbara Winter to help generate ideas and determine what you are suited to.

•For telecommuting jobs • home-based, salaried positions - look at a publication called Telecommuter's Digest, a monthly newsletter that lists companies that have telecommuting positions available. Some of the listings are for positions that have telecommuting potential only.

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AT WORK

Employees are unfamiliar with 401(k) Plans

By Lindsey Novak, Tribune Media

As the workplace becomes more competitive, employees are grasping for any bit of security they can find. Many workers are focusing on employee benefits, including the company 401(k) plan; and, if the mail is any indication, they are generally not happy about the way these plans ar being handled.

One reader worries that a paycheck deduction seven months ago has not made it into his 401(k) account. He asked a company officer, who told him they were working on it. Now he's really concerned.

Another reader, who had been a longtime employee at her company, was fired some time ago. She has used up most of her money and is living at poverty level, but her ex-employer told her she cannot access the funds in her pension plan because the total in her account is more than $3,500, and she will have to wait until she is 65 years old to receive it.

A third reader says his international company, based in New York, won't allow its employees outside corporate headquarters to participate in its 401(k) plan, so more than 100 employees in the Chicago office don't receive that benefit.

Yet another reader says that his company stopped allowing nonmanagement employees to enroll in the 401(k) plan, even though some of the employees were promised enrollment in the plan as one of the benefits.

Readers' complaints range from dishonesty to unethical practices to mismanagement of 401(k) plans. Michael A. Schwartz, president of Pension Resources, a Chicago-based employee benefits firm, said that in more than 25 years, he has seen only a few instances in which a company misappropriated funds.

What's shocking to many employees is how little information they are legally entitled to regarding their plans. When an employee enrolls, he should receive a summary plan description, which includes claims procedures and identifies the plan administrator. (Requests for information should be directed, in writing, to this administrator.)

As participants in the plan, employees are entitled to a statement of accrued benefits, but only by written request and only once a year. Employees are also entitled to a new summary plan description every five years.

When an employee terminates, he should receive a statement of vested accrued benefits no later than 180 days after the end of the plan year (as described in the summary plan description) in which his job ends. The plan document describes when the funds will be distributed. Some plans distribute them right after termination, while other plans wait one to five years before distribution.

If the plan is terminated, participants should not have to forfeit their vested benefits (employee contributions and earnings are always 100 percent vested) and are entitled to roll over their funds into an individual retirement account or another qualified plan. Employees often think they are entitled to all the funds, but employer contributions are given according to a vesting schedule, which varies from plan to plan.

For example, if you leave your job before retirement age, you may only be entitled to receive 20 percent of the employer contributions and earnings after your third year, 40 percent after your fourth year, 60 percent after your fifth year, 80 percent after your sixth year and 100 percent after your seventh year. In short, if you quit your job before you are vested in the plan, you may not receive any of the funds from employer contributions and earnings.

This is the extent of the employer's responsibility to its employees. Any other statements given to employees throughout the year are simply gestures. It's tempting to throw away the summary plan description, leaving it up top your employer to verbally explain everything, but don't. Plans vary from company to company, so it's important to read it before you enroll.

There are certain tests that plans must pass to be qualified, and discriminating between management and nonmanagement employees could jeopardize it tax-qualified status. Complaints about a plan should be directed to THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, PENSION AND WELFARE BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION: (2023) 219-8776.

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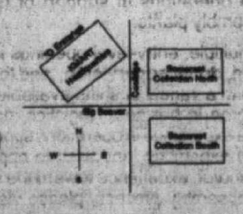

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ROUTE DRIVER

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DRIVERS

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500 Help Wanted General

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Looking for an individual to run our warehouse. Duties include: inventory, shipping/receiving & light maintenance. Computer experience hi-lo experience & good driving record required. Resumes to: P.O. Box 1006, Wixom, MI 48393 or fax to (810) 6234-0070

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Part time,
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Day shift
$7.25 per hour.
Drug testing required.
Apply in person:
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- Accounts Payable Clerk, Bloomfield. To mid $20s.
- Payroll Assistant, Southfield. To low $20s.

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Accountant
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West Bloomfield, MI 48322

ACCOUNTING POSITION
Large company looking for responsible, self starter for full time accounting position in a non-smoking office. Will be responsible for accounts payable, payroll, monthly financial statement, bank reconciliation along with other general ledger activities and general office work. Must have knowledge of WordPerfect 6.0, LOTUS 1-2-3. An associates degree along with accounting work is required. Please send resume to: Terri Hughes, 2405 Dorchester, Troy, MI 48084

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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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At I-275, Plymouth

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ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE ACCOUNTING ASSISTANT
Plumbing & heating contractor is seeking a skilled accounting assistant with two years proven bookkeeping experience. Must be familiar with A/R and A/P functions and have a good working knowledge of computerized accounting & word processing skills. Please apply in person or send resume to: BERGSTROM'S INC., Attn. Chris, 30633 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI. 48150.

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ANCA, Inc.
25335 Interchange Court
Farmington Hills, MI 48335-1021
Attn: Laura Sinclair
or fax 810-477-4899

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Wixom, MI 48393-0299

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For NYSE traded real estate company. Organized self starter with minimum 7 yrs. professional experience. High level of administrative skills needed for fast paced position. Proficient with MS Office. Real Estate background helpful. send resume ONLY to: First Industrial Realty Trust Inc., 24800 Denso Dr., Suite 175, Southfield, 48034.

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National Non-Profit Foundation seeks a part-time temporary administrative assistant (20 hrs/wk) from April-October to work on exciting special events. Qualifications include: 2 yrs administrative experience, excellent communication skills both orally & in writing, detail oriented, self-starter, and strong PC skills (Microsoft Office) are a must. Please send/fax resume & salary history to: JDF, 29350 Southfield Rd, #42, Southfield, MI 48076. Fax: (810) 569-4726. E.O.E.

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FAX 313-261-9549

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
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$26,000. Service charge paid by company. Very professional fast paced office has urgent need. Real estate experience a must. Call 810-399-3450 or fax resume to 810-399-3539.
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Full time, 6:30am-3:00pm, Mon.-Fri. Duties require strong knowledge of Word & Excel; good phone skills and use of general office equipment. Competitive wage, benefits, 401K. Send resume with salary requirements to:
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CITY OF LIVONIA

The City of Livonia is seeking qualified applicants for employment for permanent and/or temporary part-time and/or full-time employment opportunities for the following positions. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or resident aliens with the right to work in the U.S.

CLERK-TYPIST I

$20,904,000-$23,192.00/yr. Pending contract ratification. Applicants must have a high school diploma or GED and have had a minimum of one year of full-time (part-time work experience may not be substituted for the full-time experience) paid work experience as a Clerk-Typist or in a similar classification which involved typing as a requirement. Required Minimum Typing Speed - 45WPM

SECRETARY I

$24,169.60 TO $26,986.00/yr. pending contract ratification. Applicants must have high school diploma or GED, have a minimum of two years (2) full-time paid secretarial work experience involving shorthand dictation as one of the requirements of the position (s). NOTE: MACHINE TRANSCRIPTION IS NOT ACCEPTABLE. Have a minimum of two (2) years full-time paid work experience on MicroSoft Word or other word processing system.

For both positions apply no later than 5:00pm., April 28, 1997. Apply at: Livonia City Hall, Civil Service Dept., 3rd Floor, 33000 Civic Center Dr., (5 Mile & Farmington Rds.), Livonia, MI. 48154, (313) 421-2000, Ext 294. Office hours 8:30am-5pm.

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EOE M/F/D/V

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Clerical

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UNIVERSAL UNDERWRITERS GROUP
EOE M/F

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Janice Huff at 313-764-9351

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International automotive supplier is interviewing receptionists for its corporate headquarters in Livonia.

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- experienced on multi-line phones
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PPOM
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or FAX: 810-357-2418

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DATA ENTRY

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Southfield, MI 48034
Fax: (810) 354-4609

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1-2 years accounting & inventory control. We are looking for a self-starter with excellent telephone skills familiar with orders & inventory control. Responsibilities will vary: orders, stocking, obtaining quotes, filing & typing. Computer skills necessary, MicroSoft Word a plus. Full-time position with excellent benefits. Please forward your resume to: MVS, 21600 W. 11 Mile Rd., Southfield, Mi. 48076 or call our employment line: 810-354-6640, Ext. 398

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Bloomfield Hills law firm is seeking an experienced Legal Secretary. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Please submit resume & references to: LERI-Dawda, Mann, Mulcahy & Sadler, 1533 N. Woodward Suite 200, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304-2863.

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Bingham Farms, MI 48025
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Suite 200
Bloomfield Hills MI 48304

LEGAL SECRETARY

For busy Southfield plaintiff personal injury law firm. Knowledge of WordPerfect and minimum 5 years litigation experience required. Competitive starting salary and benefits. Fax resume to Gordon, Cutler & Hoffman: (810) 443-1506

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LEGAL SECRETARY

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LEGAL SECRETARY

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20500 Civic Center Dr.; Ste 2700
Southfield, MI 48076-4101
Phone (810) 358-8880
Fax (810) 358-0904

LEGAL SECRETARY

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Livonia, MI 48150

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LEGAL SECRETARY

needed for Farmington Hills law fir

502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

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Livonia based personnel services company seeks qualified individual for payroll specialist position. Qualified person must have 1-3 years payroll experience, Ceridian payroll preferred. Requires excellent customer service skills, computer skills, & knowledge of multi-state payroll. Must be self-motivated, team player with the ability to adapt to frequent changes. Fax resume to:
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Farmington Hills, MI 48334
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Farmington Hills law firm seeks part time Receptionist. Dependable, professional with light typing required. Rate of pay is $7-$8 per hour based on experience. Forward resumes to: Office Manager, 37000 Grand River Ave., Ste. 390, Farmington Hills, MI 48335

RECEPTIONIST
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RECEPTIONIST
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Livonia, MI 48154

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Infiniti of Farmington Hills
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Livonia, MI 48150

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Local real estate and development co. seeks experienced receptionist. PC skills required. Fax resume to: HR-Rec. at 810-583-6165 or mail to 850 Stephenson Hwy, Suite 200, Troy, MI 48083.

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TODAY
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Full-time, for small Farmington Hills law office. Good typing, telephone skills, WP 5.1 required, MS Word preferred. Send resume to: NAC, 31731 Northwestern, Ste 152, Farmington Hls, MI 48334. Fax: 810-539-0750

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Duties include phones, correspondence, supplies & errands for a non smoking real estate development company in Southfield. Word Processing & spreadsheet experience. Good benefits. Fax resume to Diane 810-356-3509

RECEPTIONISTS
Good phone skills. Will greet customers. Some computer experience helpful.
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Small manufacturing / distributing company in Livonia. General office duties. Multi-line phone and computer experience a must. Mon.-Fri., 8am-5pm, benefits and 401K program. 313-542-2200

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To answer phones at fine furniture store. $8 per hr. Mon., Thurs. & Fri., 5-9pm., Sat., 10-6pm., Sun. 12-5pm. Ask for Mike at (810) 855-1600

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Farmington Hills insurance agency is looking for a Receptionist for our 8 employee agency. Duties will include: phone answering, processing of certificates and general office work.
Call 810-855-3322

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WEST side manufacturing company has an opening for an experienced Receptionist/Typist. Previous office experience with data entry and invoicing is required. Must be computer literate. Call (313) 326-1601 for appointment.

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RECEPTIONIST
Woodward Hills Nursing Center is seeking a receptionist for every other Saturday and Sunday 8AM-2PM. Job duties include greeting visitors,phone answering and light typing skills. If you enjoy working with the public and possess good communication skills, please come in and fill out an application at 1312 North Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan.

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RECORDING CLERK
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Immediate opening for a Sales/ Marketing Secretary within our Wixom based operations.
The successful candidate must possess good organizational skills, be detail oriented, and able to work on an independent basis. Windows based computer knowledge a plus.
Pay based upon qualifications.
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Wixom, MI 48393
Attention: Scott

Sales Secretary/ Accounts Receivable
We are a well established Detroit manufacturing company supplying the retail furniture industry. We are seeking an individual whose duties include sales secretary & accounts receivable responsibilities Candidate should possess strong organizational skills, be a team player & enjoy working with people. Must be well versed in accounts receivable procedures & have thorough working knowledge of PC including Microsoft Office Suite & WordPerfect. Our offices have an informal & relaxed atmosphere. This is a key job with excellent growth potential & a strong benefits package. Submit resume:
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502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

SEASONAL ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
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SECRETARY
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SECRETARY
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SECRETARY - for Rochester Hills CPA firm. Knowledge of WordPerfect & Lotus a must. Send resumes to: John T. Scollin, P.C., 2546 S. Rochester Rd., Rochester Hills, MI 48307.

SECRETARY - FULL TIME
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PART time, 1 to 2 days per week. Must have computer experience. Call anytime, (810) 363-3242

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part time needed for small, but busy law firm. Legal experience preferred. Hours Tue. thru Thur., 10am to 3pm. Send resume to: Goldstein, Litt, Slinger & Dunwoodie, 30600 Northwestern Hwy., Suite 245, Farmington Hills, MI 48334 Attn: Beverly.

SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST
needed full-time. Must be pleasant and professional. Computer skills desired. Call Norm: 810-357-5353

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(810) 553-0647

SECRETARY/ RECEPTIONIST
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Human Resources
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Plymouth, MI 48170

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313-355-2440; FAX: 313-542-1435
(Livonia)

SECRETARY
Southfield law firm WP knowledge helpful. Call Cheryl at (810) 350-8220 or fax resume: 350-0519

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Secretary
SECRETARY
Southfield firm seeking entry - mid level secretaries, MS Word and Excel knowledge required with switchboard back up. Excellent Compensation + Benefits. Fax resume to (810) 649-1688 or mail to 1900 W. Big Beaver, Ste. 220, Troy, MI 48084

SECRETARY
with flexible scheduling, needed for local college: Possibility of full time in future. Duties include processing participants registrations, making phone calls, posting checks, processing AR, typing documents, preparing for seminars, preparing/maintaining master schedule, maintaining files, acting as back-up to program administrators, various other secretarial duties. One year experience preferred, computer literacy required - MS Word an EXCEL preferred. Must be able to interact with business clients, have strong organizational skills and attention to detail. Submit resume with salary requirements to: WALSH COLLEGE, P.O. Box 7006, Troy, MI 48007-7006. EOE.

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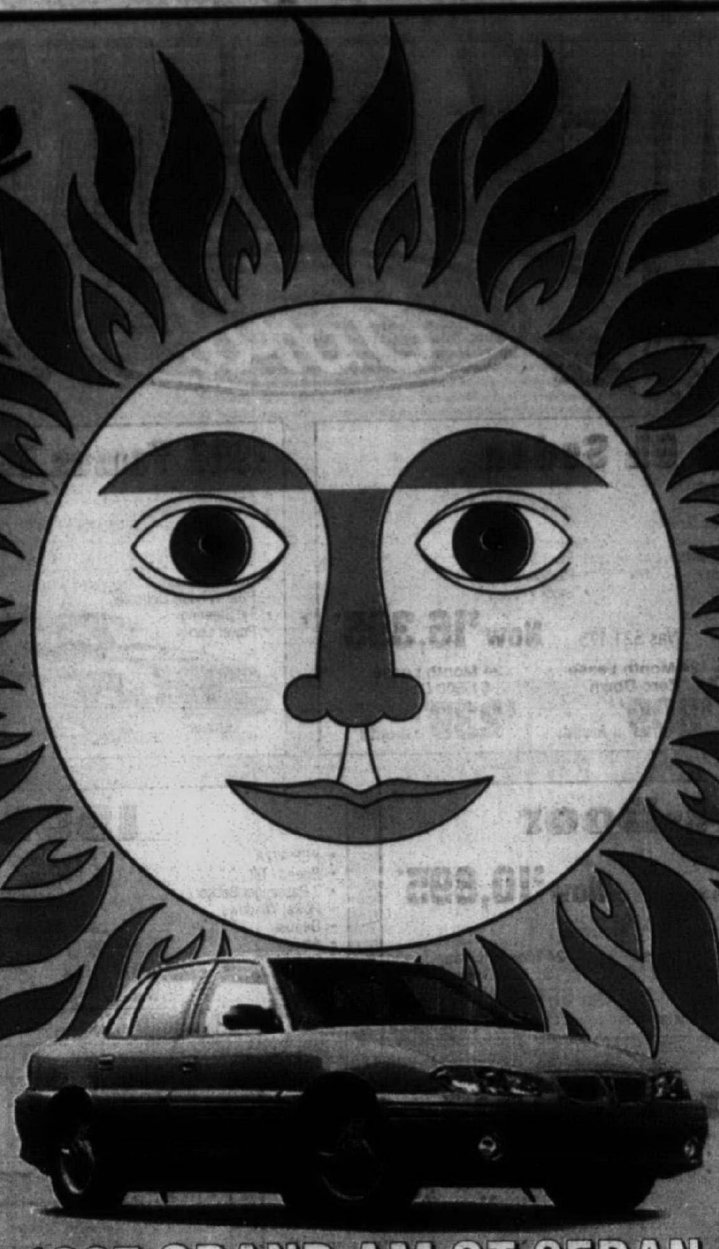

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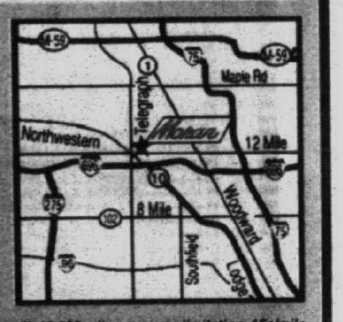

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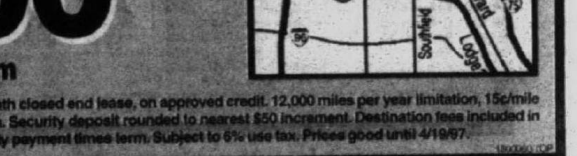

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$1,500 Down	$300	$2310
97 ESCORT		
0 Down	$250	$579
$1,500 Down	$200	$2044
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0 Down	$400	$860
$1,500 Down	$325	$2300
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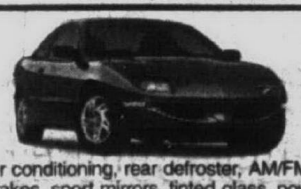

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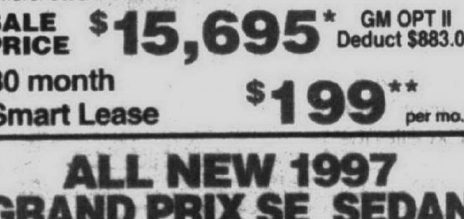

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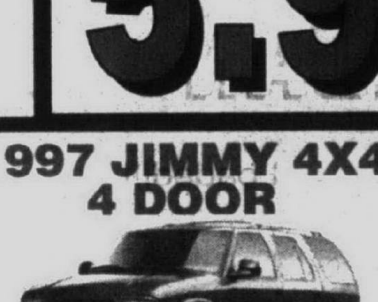

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512 Help Wanted-Sales

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Established designer and manufacturer of snow melting and radiant heating systems has an immediate opening for an aggressive, energetic, growth orientated person to manage our national sales effort. Candidates must be highly motivated with proven sales and leadership skills and be able to deal with rapidly expanding market. Some travel required. If you are looking for something different send resume/salary history to:
Snow Technologies, Inc.
11665 Levan
Livonia, MI 48150
Fax to (313) 462-3630

Sales
OPPORTUNITY
Staffing firm seeks sales representative to help develop business in this growing industry. True unlimited earning potential in the self-directed, unconstrained work environment. Ideal for independent, financially motivated individuals.
Fax resume to (810) 649-1888 or mail to 1900 W. Big Beaver, Ste 220, Troy, MI 48084

SALES PERSON
Full or part time for lighting showroom. Good benefits and pay. Must have sales experience. Apply in person at: Brose Electrical, 37400 W. 7 Mile & Newburgh, Livonia.

SALES POSITION
Part-time now available at well established hardware store. Must be reliable, responsible and willing to work some evenings & weekends. Will show you how. Apply in person at: Livonia True Value, 33533 Five Mile Road.

SALES REPRESENTATIVE
Snelling Personnel Services is seeking an Account Manager to develop and maintain our Dearborn & Downriver Territory. We are looking for a professional individual who is a self-starter, who has the ability to organize, develop and manage a sales territory. Previous sales experience is not a must, but excellent written and verbal communication skills are! Duties include new account development & current account maintenance as well as territory management. Compensation is Base + Commission and medical benefits.

Send resume to Manager c/o Snelling Personnel Services, 20500 Eureka Rd., Suite 308, Taylor, MI

SALES SECRETARY
High quality window company has immediate openings for organized, detail oriented & professional individuals to work with homeowners, contractors & architects. Duties include clerical, computer order entry, sales & product demonstrations. Excellent benefits, salary commensurate with experience. Please send resume to:

Pella Window & Door
Attn: H.
2000 Haggerty Rd.
West Bloomfield, MI. 48322
EOE

SALES STAFF position for Women's Boutique in Northville. Experience a plus. Call (313)686-8386 for interview.

SALES TRAINEE
Excellent entry level outside sales opportunity with established manufacturer in the building products industry. Salary, bonus, company car. Prefer degree in Liberal Arts or Marketing or some sales experience. Some overnight travel. 810-478-7304

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We are looking for professional, outgoing people willing to assist in customers' selections. Must be neat & well groomed with the ability & social skills to engage in warm & friendly dialogue. Part-time weekends only with the opportunity for advancement. Apply in person only at:
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MAS Networks Inc.
810-559-6115 or 810-559-6043

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for our Redford office. 3-8pm. Entry level position. Apply in person at 37735 Enterprise Ct., Suite 100, Farmington Hills.
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TELEMARKETERS
No selling, no experience, will train.
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Call now! 313-416-0192

TROY BASED advertising company looking for 4 part time telemarketers to set appts. for sales staff. Morning & afternoon shift available. Hourly pay plus bonuses.
Call Sherry 810-244-2105

WE ARE seeking bright, energetic & personable people to fill management & trainee positions in our Ganto's Shoe Dept's. Sales positions also available. Flexible hrs, complete wage & liberal benefit package. For interview call 1-800-905-5995 or fax resumes to 517-892-0772

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

ACCOUNTING POSITION
10-15 hrs. per week. Process accounts payable and accounts receivable. Flexible hours. $8-10 per hour. Fax resume and cover letter to: (810) 433-1095 or mail to: Director of Finance, American Diabetes Association, 30600 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 2255, Bingham Farms, MI 48025

AFTERNOON MAINTENANCE position available at local mall 24 hrs. a week. Apply at Laurel Park Place, 37700 W. 6 Mile Rd., Livonia in the management office, Mon. thru Fri., 9 to 4

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE & various office duties. To assist a 1 person general contracting office. 16-20 flexible hours per week. Word for Windows & Excel preferred or similiar experience. Must be self-motivated. Permanent position. Mail resume & salary requirements to:

Attn: Office Manager
25601 W. Eight Mile
Redord, MI 48240
OR FAX: 313-532-0367

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POMERANTZ STAFFING SERVICES is seeking a marketing assistant to be assigned to a leading Insurance and Financial Services Co. in Southfield for 15-20 hrs./wk. both afternoon and evenings at: $8/$9 per hour.

Assistant provides administrative and marketing support to special agents. Candidates must possess computer, phone & office skills. Send resumes/letter to:
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Week-ends only. $7.25 to start. Benefits available. 1-888-594-3235

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Needs representatives now.
Call Karen: 313-425-1947

CASHIER - PART TIME
For high school cafeteria. 3 hours/day. Call for appointment after 9am.
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COLLEGE STUDENT WANTED
Pleasant Livonia advertising office looking for a highly motivated, very responsible, well-organized friendly person to handle a variety of duties including: Packaging, shipping, filing catalogs and helping in the office.
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COUNTER HELP - part time, nights & weekends. Westland area. Northwest Alano Club. 313 522-6667

DESK CLERK
4:45pm-10pm, Mon. thru Thurs. ½ hr nightly clean up. Raquetball of Farmington. (810) 474-1313

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LOOKING for part time delivery person. For week of April 21. Car needed. (313) 464-3330

EDUCATIONAL SOFTWARE CONSULTANT
Stay home & earn while your children learn. Call Linda (810) 394-1001

FAST GROWING COMPANY seeks reliable, licensed Agent, part-time to show rentals & perform light office work. Call Pat. (810) 540-6288

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Immediate positions available. Work outdoors. Earn up to $10 hour. Must have own car. (313) 563-4720

HARDWARE AND BATH SALES
Full or part time flexible. Ideal for retirees. Apply in person at:
Mathison Hardware,
6130 Canton Center Rd, Canton

KITCHEN HELP & DELIVERY DRIVERS - Mornings only, Mon-Fri. Flexible scheduling. Located in Farmington. 810-442-4943

LIVONIA Beverage Distibutor needs part-time Receptionist. Microsoft Word, Excel & DeskTop Publishing experience a must. Call Patti for appointment: (313) 591-3232

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

Inside Sales

We are seeking two individuals to work in our very busy Livonia newspaper classified advertising department Tuesday - Friday 9:30-6:00pm or Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30-5:00pm. Requires a high school diploma or equivalent, 6 months to 1 year of telephone sales experience, ability to type 40 wpm, good spelling and grammar skills. The person in this position sells advertising, inputs data, resolicits advertisers, monitors sale and credit information. Apply in person or send resume to Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, ATTN:

Human Resources #97-28, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or fax resume to (313) 953-2057. EOE/DFW.

Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Job Information Hotline (313) 953-2005

Observer & Eccentric CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

MERCHANDISER - Flexible hours, 1 to 2 weekdays. Earn extra income with scheduling flexibility. We need self-motivated, energetic, outgoing people to manage our products at a major home center retailer. Diverse work includes inventory counts, maintaining displays, cross merchandising, down-stocking. We train completely. Send brief resume to:
The Mather Group,
720 Forest, Birmingham, MI
48009 or fax to: 810-644-6260

MERCHANDISER
PERMANENT PART-TIME
National company seeks responsible individvduals to service greeting cards in retail outlets, in the following areas; Troy/Bloomfield Hls, Walled Lk, Commerce Twp, Utica/Shelby Twp. Apply:
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EOE

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10-20 hours per week. National greeting card and gift company is seeking dependable person to service assigned accounts in the western suburbs. Retail merchanding experience helpful. Hourly pay + mileage reimbursement. Must have reliable transportation. Ideal candidate will convey a friendly, cooperative, professional demeanor. Please send resume and cover letter to: Sales Consultant, 15271 Cicotte, Allen Park, MI 48101.

MULTI-BUILDING CO.
Is now hiring energetic, motivated people to fill host person/selections coordinator positions for their new communities. Fax of send resume to Laura's Attn. at (313) 459-0606/ 1330 Goldsmith, Plymouth, MI 48170 or call Laura at (313) 459-7505 .x 20.

OFFICE ASSISTANT - 30 hrs. Small office needs mature person for an exciting position. Must have computer knowledge. 810-615-3554

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

Part-Time Clerical
DO YOU WANT TO CONTROL YOUR OWN WORK SCHEDULE?
Republic Bancorp Mortgage Inc., a top residential mortgage lender located in Farmington Hills, is offering opportunities for energetic individuals to join our team! We are looking for people that are available to work on an "as needed" basis. Clerical skills are necessary. For more information about our unique program, please stop by the office or send/fax us your resume:

REPUBLIC BANCORP MORTGAGE INC.
ATTN: Human Resources/FP
31155 Northwestern Highway
Farmington Hills, MI 48334
FAX: (810) 932-6513
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Part-time experienced Leasing Agent needed for local apartment complex in Westland. Call between 9 & 5:00 only. (313)729-8636

PART TIME sales person for art gallery with some computer knowledge. photo shop f4.0 helpful. Apply in person 10am-6pm in office plaza in Laurel Park 4 doors frrom amc theathers.

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Real Estate company in Bloomfield Hills seeking part-time help. Monday-Friday 4:00-6:30. General office skills, answering phones, typing.
Call Margie at: (810)647-8100

RECEPTIONIST
Part-time evenings & weekends.
Must be 18 or over.
Leave message: 810-449-6955

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY light bookkeeping experience for Birmingham design firm. Send resume to:
Box #1745
Observer & Eccentric Newspapers
36251 Schoolcraft Rd.
Livonia, MI 48150

RECEPTIONIST/ SECRETARIAL
Part-time. Real estate office in Livonia seeking a Secretary. Clerical, phone etiquette required. Computer skills a plus. Schedule can be flexible. Contact Anne Norris, Century 21 Real...
(313) 464-7111

RESEARCH ASSISTANT
(part-time)
Leading publisher of statistical information in the home building industry seeks a motivated individual with excellent attention to detail & statistical research background to assist with market research. Requirements include BS or relevant education / experience & knowledge in MS Office in Mac environment. 20 hours/week. Competitive wage. Send resume and wage requirements to:
US Housing Markets
42000 Koppernick Rd.
Canton, Mi. 48187

RETAIL SALES - PART-TIME
2 to 3 Days. Must be reliable. Experience not necessary. Birmingham childrens store. Call Mary or Geri
(810) 644-0525

ROLLER SKATING
Bonaventure - Farmington Hills has an opening for ticket person. Must be over 16, Sr. welcome. 810-476-2200

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SALES Assistant
Lake Orion or Birmingham

We are seeking two individuals to work on a part-time basis for The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Requires an associate's degree or equivalent in advertising or related field, six months to one year sales support experience, ability to type 50 wpm, excellent communication, organization and basic computer skills. Prefer newspaper or print background. Must be able to handle multiple tasks and work within deadlines. Will handle inside and make outside sales calls, create rough layouts and spec ads. Apply in person at:

36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or Fax resume to(313)953-2057

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Michigan's #1 high end furniture retailer is seeking highly motivated individuals for a career in fine furniture sales. We offer:
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Troy, MI 48083
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810-585-3300

43606 W. Oaks Drive
Novi, MI 48377
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This is your wake-up call. Ameritech's cable TV company, Ameritech New Media, is changing your TV from something you watch to something you use. The potential of this position is limited only by your abilities. Bring your sales talents and help us take television into the future.

We are currently looking for achievement oriented individuals to present and sell our cable television product to consumers via door-to-door customer contact in the greater Detroit metropolitan area. Prior sales experience would be great, but more importantly you should be a self-motivated individual who enjoys customer contact. We offer:
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- The freedom of outside sales
- Unlimited growth opportunities
- An excellent benefits package

To apply, call 888/804-1688 or fax your resume to 888/216-6337. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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We need a carrier on the following streets:Make Extra Money doing a route twice a week Sunday &Thursday.

W102
- Steinhauer - Between Henry Ruff and Merriman
- West Side of Henry Ruff - Between Hively and Steinhauer
- Eastside of Merriman - Between Steinhauer and Fernwood

W120
- Fairchild and Avondale between Gloria and Hubbard

W121
- Fairchild - Between Dorr and Venoy
- Avondale - Between Hubbard and Venoy

W134
- Hively - Between Wildwood and Christine
- Bayview - Between Wildwood and Wayne
- Christine - Between Bayview and Hively

W137
- Avondale - Between Wildwood and Christine
- North side of Fairchild - Wildwood and Christine

W167
- South side of Fairchild - Between Wildwood and Christine
- Glen - Christine and Wildwood

W186
- Glen - Between Wayne and Christine
- Fairchild - Between Wayne and Christine

W232
- North side of Fairchild - Between Wayne and Christine
- Avondale - Btween Wayne and Christine

W133
- Fernwood - Between Elisa and Canyon
- Somerset - Between Elisa and Canyon

W166
- Canyon - Between Elisa and Wayne
- Oakwood - Between Carlson and Wayne

W140
- Carlson - Between Avondale and Hazelwood
- Judith - Between Hazelwood and Fairchild
- Fairchild - Between Dowling and Judith
- Avondale - Between Dowling and Carlson

W238
- Hazelwood - Between Wayne and Carlson

W80
- N. Jean, S. Jean, Sutton } Between Avondale and N. Rickham

W190
- Avondale - Between John Hix and Sutton
- St. Joe - Between Avondale and Sutton
- Sutton - Between Avondale and Avondale

W143
- Sutton - N. Rickman and Palmer
- N. Rickman Ct.
- S. Rickman Ct.
- Hyman Ct.

For further information call Jim Heriford (313) 953--2238

520 Help Wanted Part-Time

CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS

Accepting applications for part-time positions in the Senior Adult Division. Applications accepted until positions are filled.

SENIOR ADULT ASSISTANT

Responsibilities: Interacting with older adults in the senior center; dispensing information and referrals; assisting and monitoring senior center activities. Some course work in Gerontology or related field desirable. Hourly rate: $7.00-$8.00

SENIOR ADULT NUTRITION ASSESSOR

Responsibilities: Determine nutritional needs of seniors, including in-home visits; maintain computer records. Some coursework in Gerontology or social work desirable. Hourly rate: $6.00-$7.00

Send to:

Personnel Department
City of Farmington Hills
31555 W. 11 Mile Rd.
Farmington Hills, MI. 48336

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Make your own hours!! Ideal for college students or retiree. $10 to $15/hour. Balloon distributor seeks reps to inventory/service national drug store chain. Call today for more information. HRMS (810) 649-0909

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Experienced for local heating & cooling company. Good hourly wage, bonuses plus commissions. Please call Pat at: (313) 730-8500

TELEPHONE WORKERS

Hourly pay plus bonus. From the home - No selling, asking for usable goods only. Must be able to call anyone in the city of Troy or Royal Oak area. Amercian Council of the Blind, Mon-Fri, 10-4, 313-336-5455

TELLER

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Position available at Livonia credit union. Excellent salary. Opportunity for growth. Call Sandy at 313-522-3700, ext. 248 or fax resume to: 313-522-8296

VETERINARY TECH ASSISTANT Small animal hospital. Fri., 5pm-9pm; Sat. 8am-5pm. Over 18. Call: 810-476-0570

WAREHOUSE PERSON Stocking shelves, receiving merchandise, general warehouse maintenance. Call Elaine 810-548-3663

524 Help Wanted-Domestic

ACTIVE 59 year old male in wheelchair needs assistance for 1 hour Sat. & Sun. mornings & occasionally during week. Joy/Newburgh area. $10/hour. (313) 207-7391

ASSISTED CARE - Northville. Light housekeeping, errands, cooking. Non-smoker. Experienced & dependable. Full/part-time; days. 810-347-4555

ASSIST ELDERLY COUPLE Excellent pay. Part-time, 5 pm to 7:30 pm. Mon - Sat. Warren and Middlebelt area. 810-644-1304

CAREGIVER FOR Elderly Women. Live-in position only. 2 - 7 days/wk. Good wages. Call 9-5pm: 313-467-8230

HOUSEKEEPER NEEDED Full-time. Light work outdoors. Farmington Hills. (810) 471-7318

LIVE-IN/NON LIVE-IN experienced. Nanny. Must be non-smoker and have excellent references. Days (pager): 810-604-5596

EMPLOYMENT/ INSTRUCTION SERVICES #500-598

526 Help Wanted-Couples

COUPLE TO MANAGE 150 unit apartment complex in Westland. Call 313-261-0288

530 Entertainment

EXCEPTIONAL Cocktail dinner trio for any occasion. Piano, guitar, flute & vocals. 810-349-8255

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534 Jobs Wanted-Female/Male

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HOUSECLEANING - by experienced lady who takes pride in her work. Call (810) 681-0139

HOUSEWIFE WANTING to clean smokefree homes in Oakland & Wayne County areas. Reasonable rates. References. (313) 563-5313

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536 Childcare Services-Licensed

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CHRISTIAN DAYCARE for ages 1-5 & Latchkey 6-12 yrs. Preschool program; educational toys & activities. O.S.S accepted. 810-968-3524

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LICENSED CHILD care in Lathrup Village has openings for infant thru pre-school. Latch key also available. For infomation, call 810-569-4776

REDFORD CHILD CARE, full time, excellent references. Safe home, fenced yard, meals, snacks and activities included. Reasonable rates. Call for summer care information. Michelle (313) 531-3961

SUMMER CHILD CARE in my Farmington Hills home. 2 year old boy. 8am-1pm, Mon.-Fri. Non-smoker, references. Call evenings. (810) 661-0916

537 Childcare/ Babysitting Services

CERTIFIED TEACHER offering summer childcare in her Canton home. Hours: 7am-6pm. Call for more information: (313) 397-9510

537 Childcare/ Babysitting Services

CHILD CARE

In my Westland home for your toddler, 2 yr. & up. Full time. Week days. (313) 729-2931

ENTHUSIASTIC MOM wishes to spend summer with your child, park, swimming, rollar blading, biking. Livonia. Limited space 810-477-0064

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HAPPY, SMILING kids! TLC. Great meals & snacks. 10 yrs. experience. Stories, ABC's & 123's. 7 Mile/ Farmington. Call Sue (313) 476-7916

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MOM WITH yrs. of experience & many references will sit your toddler, lunches & lots of TLC in Bloomfield area. Mrs. Hahn, 810-851-1018

MOTHER OF one wishes to care for your children, 6 yrs experience. non-smoker, references available. (313) 535-3880

QUALITY CHILDCARE 15 yrs experience, CDA degree. Safe, fun, educational. Planned monthly calendar. Garden City area. (313) 513-7053

SUMMER CHILD care in my home, cert. teacher will provided fun & TLC for the summer. Dearborn Hts. area. (313) 791-2764

538 Childcare Needed

AFFECTIONATE, energetic nanny to care for 5 children (2 school age) in our Bloomfield home. Must be dependable, have reliable transportation & references. 40+ hrs. per wk. Top pay for right person. 810-626-5323

BABYSITTER: Responsible, non-smoking individual for 2 boys, 5 & 1, Mon.- Thurs., 4:30pm-6:30pm in my Garden City home. 313-266-2434

BABYSITTER - Summer for 2, 4 & 8 yr. olds, Mon. thru Thurs. in my Berkley home. Car needed. Perfect for student. Call: (810) 545-6899

BABY-SITTER WANTED for infant and toddler. Part-time with flexible hours. Call only if experienced with excellent references. 810-645-0535

BOYS, ages 2 & 7 need babysitter for Sat. nights & occasional vacations &/or weekends, West Bloomfield. Non-smoker. 810-855-6035

CHILDCARE FOR 2½ year old & infant in our Bloomfield Village home. 40 hours, week days, references, Transportation. (810) 647-8275

CHILDREN IN my home. Need someone loving, consistent, reliable for 5 year old & 22 month old. 1-2 days/week. Chris; 810-476-5656

ENERGETIC AND caring babysitter needed for Sat. nights, non-smoker. References. transportation. (810) 646-1544

EXCELLENT PAY Lovely Birmingham family looking for experienced Nanny to work 2 weekends per month. Must have great references. Please call (810) 646-3052

GENERAL OFFICE Dependable, responsible person to do filing, typing and general office work. Please apply in person: 1647 Inkster Rd., Garden City.

INFANT care needed part-time in our Waterford home. Non-smoker, own reliable transportation. Experience & references required. 810-623-6788

LOOKING FOR Mary Poppins. Need permanent live-in Nanny for 1 child. Room & board provided (Salary negotiable). For more information please call Mandi or Sue Ellen (810) 244-2010

LOVING INDIVIDUAL needed to provide care in our home for 4 month old infant, needed Mon. thru Fri. 8-6. Redford area Call 313-532-9856

MATURE INDIVIDUAL for after-school care in my Farmington Hills home. Expanded summer hours possible. After 6pm., (810) 476-6493

MATURE, LOVING caregiver for 2 children. Full time Mon.-Fri., in our Novi home. Must own car. Non-smoker. References required. Days/ leave message; (313) 446-7817

LOOKING FOR A - live-in nanny in the Cass Lake Area. 3 children ages 2, 3 & 6. Must be able to drive & speak English. Please call Lisa at 810-683-2532.

NANNY: FOR 1 toddler. Live in possible. Full time. Farmington Hills area. References, transportation & non-smoker a must. 810-851-5771

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NEED SITTER for nights Sun. thru Thurs. for 8 year old. Pay negotiable or free room for exchange. Leave message: (313) 425-7318

SITTER NEEDED Tues. & Thurs., non-smoker, in our Northville home. (810)344-8794

540 Elderly Care & Assistance

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542 Nursing Care/ Homes

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550 Summer Camps

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Please call Bill Koepke or Phyllis Burghy at (810)977-0678 for info.

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704 Arts & Crafts

BOOTHS FOR Crafters available for Farmington Founders Festival July 10-12. Contact Warren's Corner 810-478-1259

ROCHESTER AVON RECREATION AUTHORITY Spring Craft Show Sat. April 19. 9:30 AM - 4 PM. at Rochester High School (Corner of Livernois & Walton) $2 Admission

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706 Auction Sales

ABSOLUTE ANTIQUE AUCTION
6:00 p.m. Friday April 18th
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708 Rummage Sale/ Flea Markets

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CENTRAL WOODWARD CHRISTIAN CHURCH Sat., April 19th, 9am-4pm. 3955 Big Beaver, Troy (corner of Adam & Big Beaver). (810) 644-0512

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH of Birmingham. Wed. April 16th, 5pm-9pm. Early bird, 4:30pm, $1. Thurs. April 17th, 10-4pm. Fri. April 18th, 9-Noon, $2 bag sale. Corner of Cranbrook at Woodward, Bloomfield Hills.

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LAHSER HIGH School, 20th Annual Rummage Sale, Sat, April 19th, 8AM-1PM,-3456 Lahser Rd., (bet., Long Lake & Square Lake Rd.)

RUMMAGE & BAKE SALE Prince Of Peace Church, 12 Mile/ Farmington, behind Crowley's. Fri, April 18, 9-4. $2 Bag Sale, 3-4pm

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Friday, April 18th at 6:30 p.m.
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711 Garage Sales Oakland

BLOOMFIELD HILLS - 138 family rummage sale. Sat., Apr. 19, 9am to 1pm. International Academy. 1020 E. Square Lake, E. of Updyke, W. of Adams

FARMINGTON HILLS - April 16-17, Wed-Thurs, 9-4. 23209 Tuck, between Middlebiet & Orchard Lake

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712 Garage Sales Wayne

CANTON - Various items, furniture, file cabinets, patio furniture. Wed.-Sat., 8-8. 1679 Ranier Blvd.

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LIVONIA - Treasures of old & good stuff! April 14-20. 14603 Ellen Dr, S./ 5, W./Farmington. Mens bike, etc.

REDFORD - toys, toys toys, household items, clothes...26280 Ivanhoe, 5 blks. S. of 5 Mile, W. of Beech. Thur., Fri. & Sat., 9am to 4 pm.

TRASH & TREASURE SALE Sat., April 18th from 9am-3pm Episcopal Church of the Holy Spirit, 9083 Newburgh, Livonia N. of Ann Arbor Rd. across from Churchill High School

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WESTLAND: MISC. items. 8570 Cranston, W. of Merriman, S. of Joy. April 17-19th., 9-5pm.

713 Moving Sales

DEARBORN HEIGHTS - everything must go. Dishes, furniture, appliances, tools. Cash only. 4228 Polk, S. of Outer Dr., E. of Monroe. Thurs., April 17, 8am-3pm.

FARMINGTON HILLS - Sat., April 19, 9am-4pm, 27647 S. Bridle Hills (10 Mile/Inkster), newer refrigerator, lawn tractor, tools, misc. household items.

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LIVONIA - Indoor sale. Wed-Sat., April 16-19, 9am-5pm. 15787 Shadyside (N of 5 Mile, E of Farmington) in Woodcreek Farms Sub. Furniture, household, children's items

LIVONIA - 33107 Kentucky, N. of Joy, E. of Farmington. April 17, 18, 10-5pm & April 19, 9-4.

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PLYMOUTH. (OLD Village) Fri & Sat. 9-5. 906 Arthur. E of Sheldon/N of Farmer. Everything must go!

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Sure it's versatile.

And with its 4-wheel drive capabilities, it's fun to drive.

You'll just get beat up in the process.

The ride is so harsh, the vehicle so unforgiving, that by the time I got out after an hour-long jaunt, I was actually sore. At one point, I stopped and got out to see if the 1997 Geo Tracker I was driving had a flat tire or something.

It didn't.

I even drove it to a fellow auto writer's house and asked him if it was me or was the ride harsh. He agreed with me. And so did another colleague.

That said, let's get on with the nitty gritty of this Tracker 4-door outfitted with 4-wheel drive. The Tracker has a full-length frame with ladder-type cross members that resist the twisting forces while off-roading. There's also a cross-truck beam under the instrument panel that adds to its rigidity.

The 4-door model is actually the best choice for anyone who has to transport more than one other person around. There's enough room in the back seat for a tall adult. There's nearly 33 inches of legroom and 44.9 inches of hiproom back there. Even the cargo room (45 cubic feet) in the rear of the Tracker is impressive for what is considered a small sport utility.

The best part of the Tracker is its looks. The front stance is beefy and looks like a force to reckon with. It's quite high off the ground (7.9 inches), but it's not too bad to get into. It didn't feel unstable, either. It's solid on the ground.

There are six models in the Tracker lineup: 2-wheel-drive 2-door convertible, 4-wheel-drive 2-door convertible, 2-wheel-drive 4-door hardtop or 4-wheel-drive 4-door hardtop in either the base or uplevel LSi trim.

The LSi trim will give you everything the base level has and more: body-color bumpers, door handles and exterior mirrors, steel wheels with neat center caps, front and rear floor mats, cloth seats and black body-side moldings and rocker panels.

Powered by a 1.6-liter 16-valve single overhead cam engine with 95 horsepower, the Tracker comes standard with an easy-to-shift 5-speed manual transmission. Available on the 2-door models is a 3-speed automatic. On the 4-doors, there's an optional 4-speed overdrive automatic with power/economy settings.

And keep in mind you're getting a 97.9-inch wheelbase on the 4-door models. That's almost a foot more than the 2-door models. The 4-door is also 15 inches longer than the 2-door model. The 2-door is truly a mini sport ute; the 4-door is not.

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Up front with the driver is smartly laid out instrumentation. Everything is there, right in front of you and easy to reach and maneuver. Between the driver and passenger is a handy center console that has dual cupholders and a storage bin that's perfect to put the CDs in.

The rear seats fold down on the 2-door Trackers. On the 4-door models, there's a split-folding rear bench for those longer items you'd want to carry. And for the real energetic people, the Tracker can haul up to 1,500 pounds when equipped

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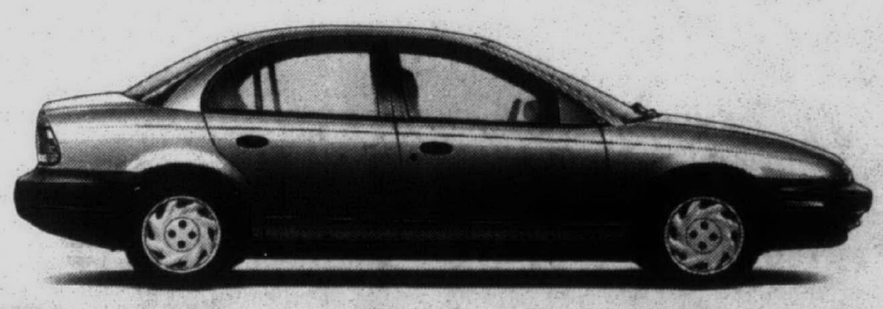
(Translation: Gosh, what a great lease.)



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correctly. That's just about the weight of a jet ski and trailer.

The safety features are all there — daytime running lights, dual airbags, rear safety belt retractors for child seats, steel fuel tank shield plate and child security rear door locks.

The standard equipment list is long: all-season steel belted radials, 4-wheel-drive with front manual locking hubs, power front disc brakes, power steering, stainless steel exhaust, dual outside mirrors, full-size lockable spare tire with covers, front and rear tow hooks, intermittent wipers, door storage bins, passenger assist grips, reclining cloth front bucket seats, tachometer and Scotchgard fabric protector.

The Tracker driven had a base price of $15,320. When 4-wheel anti-lock brakes, air conditioning, AM/FM cassette with four speakers, carpeted floor mats, body-side moldings and automatic locking front hubs were added, the price went up to $17,936. A bit steep.

The Tracker is built by CAMI Automotive in Ingersoll, Ontario, Canada, the same place the Suzuki Sidekick is built. CAMI is a joint venture between GM and Suzuki.

Rough ride, but fun to drive.

Write Anne Fracassa online at avanti1054@aol.com.

1997 Geo Tracker 4-door 4-wheel-drive
Vehicle class: Special purpose sport utility.
Engine: 1.6-liter single overhead cam 16-valve.
Mileage: 24 city /26 highway.
Where built: Ingersoll, Ontario, Canada.
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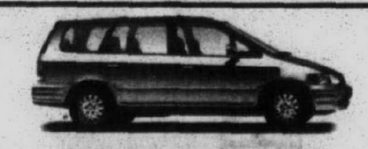

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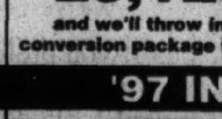

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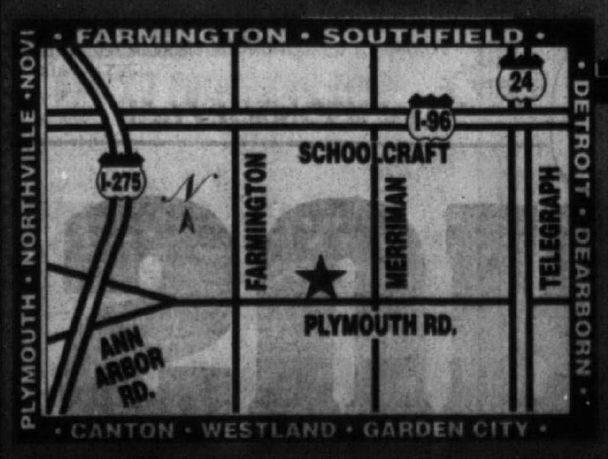

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