



Hot stuff: We're still looking for chili recipes. Send them to: Plymouth Observer, 794 S. Main, Plymouth, 48170.

MONDAY

In town: The Plymouth City Commission will meet tonight at 7:30. The meeting is open to the public.

TUESDAY

Party: East Middle School will celebrate its 40th birthday beginning with an open house at 6:30 p.m.

Try out: Auditions for the Plymouth Community Arts Council's musical "Babes In Toyland" will begin today through Sept. 18. Arrive before 6:30 p.m., and stay until 8 p.m. For more information, please call (313) 416-4-ART.

WEDNESDAY

Success: The Plymouth-Canton Educational Park counseling department hosts "Keys to Success" for high school seniors and their parents at 7 p.m. in the Plymouth Salem High School auditorium.



Plymouth attorney Steven Boak filed an appeal of a circuit court judge's dismissal of Jerry Vorva's lawsuit against the school district for the bond election. The appeal may affect the district's ability to sell bonds.

nity Schools over the bond election.

"The judge made several errors of law, and we're appealing. I wouldn't be appealing if I didn't think we'd win," said Vorva, a former state representative who lives in Plymouth.

Vorva said the judge made errors in placing the burden of proof - that the voting machines affected the election outcome - on the plaintiffs. "The burden of proof should be shifted to the

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school district that it (the machines) didn't make a difference. The law is to protect the voters, not the school board."

In his lawsuit, Vorva alleged the district did not seek proper authority to use the new touch-screen voting machines. The machines failed to register 716 ballots out of almost 11,000. The election carried by 96 votes.

District Superintendent Chuck Little said he doesn't understand Vorva's viewpoint. "I am very surprised, especially after the issue has been reviewed four times – by the state board of canvassers, local canvassers, the Secretary of State, and the Wayne County Circuit Court.

"The school board did not act improperly. The machines did not act improperly. I don't understand the appeal. I don't want to engage in a dialogue in the paper on what Vorva means."

Vorva was to conduct a public question-and-answer program about the lawsuit and other school issues at the Summit on the Park in Canton Wednesday, Sept. 17. The program, initiated by the Plymouth-Canton Jaycees, originally was scheduled as a

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Stumpy's roadtrip: Tortoise takes odyssey from Salem to Redford

BY KEVIN BROWN STAFF WRITER

BY RENEE SKOGLUND STAFF WRITER

Jerry Vorva is back for round two.

On Friday, Vorva's lawyer, attorney

Steven Boak of Plymouth, filed papers

with the First District Court of Appeals

in Detroit appealing Wayne County

Circuit Court Judge James Rashid's

Aug. 29 dismissal of Vorva's lawsuit

against the Plymouth-Canton Commu-

Stumpy's back.

The 35-pound African spur-thigh tortoise and owner Dr. Dennis Elmer were reunited Tuesday, two weeks after Stumpy lit out from a backyard

It was pure relief when I was sure it was indeed him," said Elmer, a veterinarian who lives in Salem Township.

The 18-inch tortoise, 14 inches wide and 8 inches tall, escaped from his pen Aug. 27.

"I gave him a big hug. He didn't show any emotion, he's real stoic," Dr. Elmer said.

But after mostly eating grass, dandelions and clover during the twoweek road trip, "He dug into his regular diet with gusto," Elmer added.

By eyewitness accounts phoned to Elmer, Stumpy's odyssey took him more than five miles through the fields, roads and highways of western Wayne and east Washtenaw counties and finally to Redford. Elmer said the journey and the attention of Redford Vandenberg Elementary kids left Stumpy "a little stressed out." "He was incredibly dirty. I gave him a good bath and oiled up his shell (with mineral oil),"

was brought to this area with a group of 36 other tortoises. The animals were the subjects of a University of Michigan study on Vitamin D synthesis.

Dr. Elmer works at Remrock Farms clinic in Salem Township. To help a friend running the study, he'd been keeping Stumpy at his home on Salem Road at Brookville Road.

"Reptiles need Vitamin D to absorb calcium, they normally get it from natural sunlight," he said.

But reptiles kept indoors in cold weather regions can die from calcium deficiency. In the study, half the tortoises were provided artificial lighting indoors to simulate the sun. Stumpy was under the bulb.

Elmer also has a natural pen for Stumpy in his backyard, where the tortoise can get some real sunlight. But after a few cool days in late August, Stumpy was getting restless being stuck inside.

When the sun came out Wednesday, Aug. 27, he got to return to his outdoor pen. But Elmer said that while preoccupied inside the house, "He knocked over one of the logs, he was gone within 20 minutes."



Planning: The Plymouth Township Planning Commission will meet at 7 p.m. in the township board room.

THURSDAY

Sign up: The Plymouth Community Arts Council is taking registration for its art, music and theater classes, beginning Sept. 22. For more information, please call the Plymouth Community Arts Council for brochure and specific information at (313) 416-4-ART.

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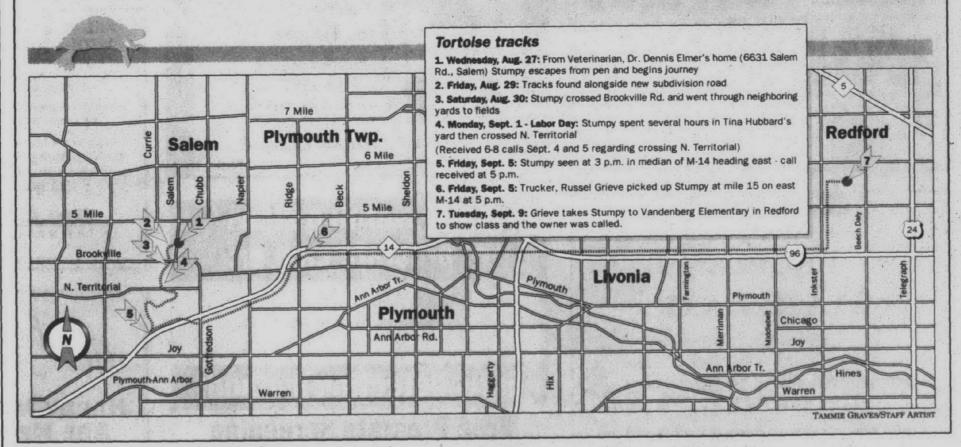
Born at the Honolulu Zoo, Stumpy

The study ended around the time Stumpy took off. Thirty of the 36 tortoises were shipped to Las Vegas for another study. Stumpy and five other tortoises, more runty than the others,

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STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER

What a trip: Stumpy, an 11-year-old African tortoise, is back home with owner Dr. Dennis Elmer after his two-week odyssey.



No place like home

District court will be rebuilt on original site

BY KEVIN BROWN STAFF WRITER

The new 35th District court house should be built on the site of the former court building.

That's the recommendation of a court reconstruction committee headed by former district judge James Garber.

Court Administrator Kerry Erdman, another committee member, said the recommendation will be presented to the court Advisory Board in about two

weeks, for a final decision.

Erdman said "a lot of factors" contributed to the decision to go with the site of the former court house, destroyed by fire in July.

A study of population growth projections over 20 years suggests the current case load, 38,000 per year, "will probably increase to the 50,000 to 56,000 range," Erdman said.

"We looked at the number of courtrooms it would take to handle that. We

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determined it would take no less than three judges and a magistrate," he said, adding four courtrooms would be needed. The former Dunbar Davis Hall of Justice had three courtrooms.

In exploring other sites, the committee looked at some property near the northwest corner of Haggerty and Ann Arbor Roads, a parcel near Five Mile and Beck roads, some property near Mettetal Airport at Joy and Lilley roads, and Unisys property on Plymouth Road across from the former court - where portable units will house the court until a permanent courthouse is built.

Erdman said these parcels were either too big or small, or too expensive.

One thing going for the former court house site was that it already had sewer, water and electrical hookups.

"You have to keep in mind the fact

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debate between Vorva and school district representatives.

district According to spokeswoman Judy Evola, the schools considered the debate a "moot point" after Judge Rashid's ruling. "Since we want to participate in things that are not divisive but that bring the community together, we declined."

Jaycees President Tim Fedewa said his organization was concerned that Vorva's Sept. 17 program would be perceived as a debate without the school board. "This was a different project," he said, adding that the Jaycees did not want to be perceived as endorsing any positions on the bond election.

"I thought it was premature that they would do that (cancel) now that we are appealing," said Vorva. "I didn't get a chance to talk to anyone but the Jaycee people. I'm not surprised the school district didn't want to do this. They feel they got what they wanted."

Vorva said he also had planned on discussing dividing the school district in two, between Canton Township and



Jerry Vorva of Plymouth

Plymouth and Plymouth Town-

ship. "The bond election showed that Canton's large population had and will continue to have an influence on the school district. How do we feel about Canton driving all the issues? Northville outperforms us all the time. You could say from that example that smaller is better."

Boak said the appeal process could take up to a year. "Who knows? Anything could happen. They (the appeals court) have experienced a great backlog.

They have whittled away and gotten it down somewhat. As I understand it, a year is the benchmark.

Boak said he continues to receive "lots of nice donations from concerned citizens" for Vorva's legal fund. He would not reveal fund amount or the legal fees of his client.

However, commenting on Vorva's estimate that the district probably spent "close to \$25,000" on legal fees, Boak replied: "That's because they've chosen to have three lawyers. We'll have to let the voters come to a conclusion on that."

Evola said the district has spent \$28,000 on legal fees to date. The fees covered payments to Wayne County to conduct a recount of the bond election vote, the voting machine manufacturer's representative (Unilac) to attend public hearings, the state board of canvassers, the district's legal firm, and in-house counsel.

Vorva also refused to comment of his legal fees. "What's more important, money or my fundamental rights?" he said.

Appeal may hold up sale of school bonds

BY RENEE SKOGLUND STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth-Canton school district may not be able to go forward with their \$79.7 million bond sale

According to a bond sale lawyer with a Metropolitanarea law firm, if the appeal Plymouth attorney Steven Boak filed on behalf of Jerry Vorva in the First District Court of Appeals on Friday challenges the validity of the March 22 election, potential bond investors will be leery.

"Bond counsel can't give unqualified opinion," the lawyer said. "No one will buy the bonds. I doubt if the district would offer them. Are you going to buy from this school district versus one not involved in litigation?"

If Vorva prevails in his appeal, the case would go back

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-Bond sale lawyer

to Wayne County Circuit Court and Judge Rashid would have to decide if the district has met the burden of proof, according to the lawyer.

Vorva claims Judge Rashid imposed the burden of proof that the touch-screen voting machines used in the March 22 bond election affected the outcome of the election fell upon the plaintiffs rather than the school district.

Prior to filing papers on Friday, Boak said the district could go ahead with the bond sale. "There hasn't been a court order preventing them from selling anything. It's there decision.

District spokeswoman Judy Evola said Boak's statement was untrue. "You need your bond counsel's opinion to sell the bonds. Our bond counsel would not give us an unqualified opinion in litigation. We would not be able to sell the bonds.

"Therefore, we would not be able to proceed with the financial piece of the project. It's very unfortunate for the children and the entire community. Our community is growing. We need this additional space in order to continuing offering the educational opportunities that we do."

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East Middle School celebrates its 40th year

RENEE SKOGLUND

East Middle School will celebrate its 40th birthday beginning with an open house at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 17.

"We want to make sure former staff and students of Plymouth Junior High and East are welcomed back. We will have as many old pictures and band recordings as we can," said Assistant Principal Jerome Sullivan.

Sullivan said not many junior high and middle school bands recorded their music in the 50s, 60s and 70s. Whether past bands played well is irrelevant; just the fact that they played

'I'm going to tell them that I was just as fearful coming to middie school as these kids.'

Dick Schryer -Teacher

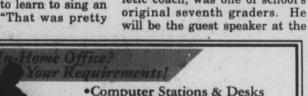
warranted a recording.

"Plymouth was so much more of a rural community back then. I'm sure the band was a focal part of the kid's lives," said Sullivan. He added that as part of their experience in vocal music, students had to learn to sing an opera aria. "That was pretty

heavy stuff for middle school." Sullivan said the school still fosters a strong sense of community among its students. "School is very important to their life. Mrs. Franklin and I try to maintain that feeling. Most of our kids are active in band, athletics and other activities. East is not just a place you go to school. "We have a family way of

doing things here. There are expectations to be met. East was the original middle school for the community, and we want to maintain that feeling."

Dick Schryer, a social studies and English teacher and an athletic coach, was one of school's original seventh graders. He



open house celebration. "I'm supposed to tell about some remembrances, of which I have only a few. I'm going to tell them that I was just as fearful coming to middle school as these kids. I knew there were going to be eighth-graders who were big and threatening."

Teachers also had more latitude in disciplining their students in 1957. "When I was a student a teacher could give out 25 push-ups if the student didn't do his homework. Teachers ruled with an iron fist, not quite literally, but pretty close.'

Schryer said Plymouth Junior High was a showcase of floor-toceiling glass when it was first built. Architects and planners visited weekly. "Anyplace you see drywall today used to be

ber a kid running right through a plate class window into the classroom. It was polished so clean it looked liked it was open.

the community.'

Principal Ellison Franklin, a former teacher and assistant principal at East, is hoping for a full house on Tuesday. "I think it's very important in our hectic 1990s lifestyle to take time to celebrate things. Not only East Middle School, but a recognition of our ongoing commitment to the education of the children in

sons they've closed up. I remem-

Franklin said she and Sullivan the current c have been reviewing old pictures in preparation for Tuesday's open house. "The clothing has changed, fashion has changed,

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How do tortoises rate as pets? "They have a great personality," Elmer said.

"They can be affectionate. He'll eat out of my hand. When you scratch his neck he'll stretch his neck way up. He'll try to follow you around and nibble on your

Stumpy is 11. "He could live to be well over 100, nobody really knows how long they live. He's just a baby," Elmer said.

Stumpy's journey

A story appeared in the Seit. 4 Plymouth Observer about Stumpy's escape, and included Dr. Elmer's phone number. That day, he started getting calls, on sightings over the previous week.

Several callers said they figured Stumpy was a native species, and learned differently after seeing the newspaper story.

First, a neighbor across the street reported seeing Stumpy going through their yard soon after his escape. Stumpy's tracks were also spotted Friday, Aug. 29 along a road in a new subdivision just west of Elmer's house.

On Saturday, Aug. 30, Stumpy, now heading south, crossed Brookville Road and passed through yards and fields. Elmer also got a call that Stumpy was seen crossing part of Fox Hills Golf Course

Elmer organized two tortoise search parties and posted 500 fliers, to no avail.

Stumpy was spotted spending several hours on Sept. 1, Labor Day, in Tina Hubbard's yard off of North Territorial before crossing the road. Elmer reported seven calls Sept. 4-5 from motorists who spotted him a few days earlier ambling east down the side of North Territorial.

preferred traveling along the road, instead of plowing through fields.

One motorist who spotted Stumpy traveling along North Territorial stopped his car and moved the tortoise to some nearby grass, figuring he would be better off away from the road.

Now heading south, Stumpy made it to the M-14 freeway. Turning east, he was spotted at 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 in the medi-an between Napier and Beck roads in Plymouth Township.

"A woman said she saw a semi-truck and a car parked by the side of the road at the 15-mile marker," Elmer said. The caller told him they were probably helping the tortoise cross the road. Stumpy's presence caused a big traffic backup.

Russell Grieve, a Redford trucker, picked up Stumpy and took him home to show his kids. On Monday, Sept. 8, he called their school.

Stumpy goes to school

Grieve, who knew the tortoise wasn't a native species, called Vandenberg Elementary, figuring his child's teacher Syndee Malek would be interested. "He told the the secretary he was going to bring him up after school, he said it would be a surprise," said Malek, who teaches fourth and fifth graders.

Her first reaction on seeking the tortoise was, "Oh, he's as cute as could be."

Malek, who has an extensive science background, saw the opportunity to present Stumpy to the class as a learning tool. She had Grieve bring him back Tuesday morning, and showed him to the class.

"First we just observed him, we watched some of his behavior. He Elmer said Stumpy probably was a little shy at first but he

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the current court is centrally located, its already got the parking lot for the most part. The engineering report did come back saying the foundation was in good shape," Erdman said.

Erdman said the committee suggests expanding the size of the old court from 26,000 square feet to around 34,000. To leave ample room for parking, the committee suggests building a three-story court house.

Building up rather than out not only creates more space for parking. Erdman said the comalso drops.

Erdman said it's yet to be determined exactly what the

Erdman said it was possible that the court's five member communities - which include Plymouth city and township - could contribute to the building cost.

The 35th District Court, unlike most state district courts, has returned money in court proceeds in recent years to its member communities.

A rough estimate of the cost to rebuild the court house is \$3.2 mittee found the cost to build million, plus the cost to furnish

started moving around," she said.

"We measured how far off the ground he could get. We measured the length and diameter of his shell, looked at the patterns of his shell, the way it was growing.'

"We went to the store and got some lettuce. He ate an entire head of Romaine lettuce and some grapes. He didn't care for blueberries or carrots," Malek said

After first meeting Stumpy on Monday, Malek determined from a reptile book the had at home - he was an African spurthigh tortoise. "My guess was someone got him at an exotic pet store and he got away."

By the time Stumpy returned for class on Tuesday, the Detroit Free Press had picked up on the story. Grieve showed a copy to Malek. "He said, 'I think we've found our owner," she said.

While the story listed Dr. Elmer as the owner, they printed his phone number wrong.

Meanwhile, a neighbor of Grieve talked to someone at Caputo Animal Hospital who knew of Dr. Elmer. His number was passed to Malek on Tuesday.

"I called Dr. Elmer from my pounds," he said.

classroom," she said. He came down immediately and identified Stumpy - and was soon drawn into a lesson on the tortoise.

"We had listed all the things we already knew about Stumpy then listed a bunch of questions she said. Dr. Elmer was able to answer most of them. The session lasted 1:30-3 p.m.

The odyssey was over. It was time for Stumpy to return home.

No place like home

After returning Stumpy home to his indoor pen, Elmer said on Thursday, "He's chillin', hanging out under his heat lamp a lot

Stumpy faced danger from cool weather, especially if there was a frost. Elmer also said it was possible a large dog could have gone after him. And there was the danger posed by cars and trucks. But Stumpy came through the adventure unscathed.

Elmer said he plans to make Stumpy's outdoor pen more escape proof.

"He'll eventually grow to be 200



Happy: Dr. Dennis Elmer is thrilled that Stumpy was found and returned home. Elmer organized two search parties and sent out 500 fliers. Finally, someone remembered seeing a story about the tortoise. And that led to Stumpy's return home.

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court authority will receive in an insurance settlement on the burned court house. "The insurance will hopefully cover the entire cost of the reconstruction," he said.

If the recommendation is accepted by the court authority, Erdman said the next step is hiring an architect. "We hope to start construction by March 1," he said.

PLYMOUTH PIPELINE

Thanks offered

Debbie Madonna, who organizes the noon Music in the Park series for the Plymouth Community Arts Council, offers thanks to those who made the series a success.

Thanks go to Carl Schultz of Sealant Equipment and Engineering of Plymouth Township, who sponsored the summer-long series; volunteers Cayna Carnes, Cammy Carnes, Danielle Lauer, Andrew Madonna, John Madonna and Mark Madonna; and the city municipal services department and workers Scott Cabauatan, Rod Hage, Mark Hammar, Pat Grzywazz; Rose Ashlee; and Dee Schulte.

Madonna also thanked performers Guy Louis-Chautauqua Express, Mark Thomas, Dickey Lee, Las Slomovits, Mulligan Stew, Chilidogs, Gratitude Steel Band. Jane Chevalier, Gordon Russ, Kim Gouin and Paula Kreuter.

Among comments on the series this summer, one Music in the Park-goer said, "We have made valuable friendships every year that we have gone to the park," Madonna reported.

Business honored

The Giving Spirit Ltd. gift basket business at 748 Stark-

weather recently took a second place award for d sign at the National Gift Basket Convention in Chicago.

The firm also got a third place ranking in the corporate category.

The competition involved 80 entries from around the country, judged on creativity, theme, artistic design and use of product.

The Giving Spirit Ltd. will host a Pre-Holiday Design Show in October at Station 885 restaurant. To reserve a ticket, call 459-4506.

Exchange students

The Plymouth Rotary Clubs are accepting applications from students interested in spending a year overseas through the Rotary Youth Exchange Program during the 1998-99 school year.

Participants must be 16-18 when they depart and may be current students or immediate high school graduates.

For more information, call Scott LaRiche at 453-4600 or Dawn Rossi at 420-4171.

The Rotary district office also presents an information session on the program at 7 p.m. Sept. 23 at Mountain Jack's restaurant, 26207 W. Warren Road in Dearborn Heights. Call Rossi at 420-4171 to make a reservation.

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OBITUARIES

BELLE G. PERKOWSKI

Mrs. Perowski, 92, of Plymouth died Sept. 2

Born on Sept. 28, 1904 in Har-bor Beach, Mich., Mrs. Perowski was a homemaker. She was preceded in death by

her husband, Stanley Perowski on March 5, 1990. Survivors include her daugh-

ter, Candace Thompson.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Memorials may be made to the Michigan Humane Society, P.O. Box 214182, 3600 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills, Mich. 48321-4182.

JAMES EDWARD ANGELL Mr. Angell, 76, of Canton died Sept. 7. Born on March 23, 1921 in

Detroit, Mr. Angell was a lab technician for Ford Motor Company in the Ford Photographic Department at World Headquarters, he retired after 37 1/2 years of service.

He came to the Canton community 21 years ago from Detroit. He was a member of the Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia. He served in the U.S. Army during World War II serving in the Asiatic Pacific Theatre.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Jack Angell. Survivors include his wife, Lilyann Angell; three daughters, Suzanne Jean (Michael Cramer) Angell, Donna Lynn Angell, Rebecca Ann (James) Jeannette; one son, James Douglas Angell; one granddaughter, Sarah Ann Jeannette.

Services were held at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with Mr. Mark McGilvrey officiating

Memorials may be made to the Diabetes Foundation or the charity of your choice.

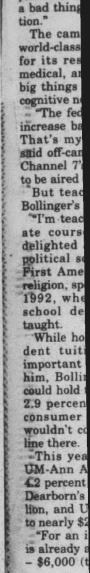
Rainy outing



Billingsley and Tim Drew wind their way through the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce golf outing Tuesday. The outing featured prizes, including two TVs and fun for the 216 golfers who participated at Fox Hills. The outing's winner was Dr.

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Paul Kenzie's group, at 11



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President Lee C. Bollinger bristled when U.S. News & World Report ranked the University of Michigan 23rd and Dartmouth College in the upper,

"Michigan is so much better," said Bollinger, who served from 1994-6 as Dartmouth's provost in a tiny New Hampshire town. Bollinger spent 21 years at U-M and was hired back as president last November. "That poll borders on the

shameful. It takes into account things that have nothing to do with the quality of education, and yet it's given enormous prominence in this country. It's a bad thing for American education.

The campus in Ann Arbor, a world-class institution, is famed for its research, particularly medical, and the president sees big things ahead in the field of cognitive neuroscience.

"The federal government will increase basic medical research. That's my personal view," he said off-camera after a taping of Channel 7's "Spotlight" program to be aired at 12:30 p.m. today. But teaching looms high on Bollinger's horizon.

"I'm teaching an undergradu-ate course," Bollinger said, delighted at the turnout for a political science course on the First Amendment (freedom of religion, speech and press). Until 1992, when he was U-M law school dean, Bollinger also taught.

While holding the line on student tuition isn't the most important goal in the world to him, Bollinger is pleased U-M could hold this year's increase to 2.9 percent, about the rate of consumer price inflation, but wouldn't commit to holding the line there.

This year the state boosted UM-Ann Arbor's appropriation 4.2 percent to \$314 million, UM-Dearborn's 4 percent to \$23 mil-lion, and UM-Flint's 4.8 percent to nearly \$20 million.

"For an in-state student, U-M is already an incredible bargain - \$6,000 (tuition) - for quality

Back to the classroom: U-M President Lee Bollinger is teaching an undergraduate course on the First Amendment.

equal to any in the country. You'd pay \$20,000 to \$22,000 at private colleges.

Bollinger hedged on a major complaint of many suburban parents of students at Michigan's 15 public universities: Today it often takes 4 1/2 or five years to complete work on a four-year degree

"I'm not entirely sure why. It could be student choices. If that's true, we shouldn't discourage it," he replied. "Part of the problem is graduate students' staying on too long.

"It could also be that the

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demands of education are greater than when I - we - went to college. That could be putting pressure on students to stay extra years."

A major goal is to "step up fundraising. We've just begun to do serious fundraising." U-M has targeted many \$5 million gifts, "but we're not getting the \$25 million to \$50 million gifts," said Bollinger, who will personally call on potential contribu-

Other questions and answers on and off camera:

Q. The Legislature's budget bill says "U-M recognizes its responsibility to Michigan resident students" by reaching "a resident undergradu-ate enrollment of 70 percent." How are you doing?

A. U-M is about 67 or 68 percent this year. Fall figures aren't available

Q. Attorney Andrew Doctoroff publicly suggested that Michigan's 30,000 lawyers are too many and law schools should cut back. Your view, as a former U-M law school dean?

A. "If there are too many lawyers - and I'm not sure there are - there aren't too many Michigan law school lawyers. It wouldn't make any sense to cut back at the major law schools.

"More attorneys would mean more competition and lower prices." So far, he hasn't seen evidence one way or the other.

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Q. University hospitals are almost half of U-M's budget. Is the business side going to supersede the medical side?

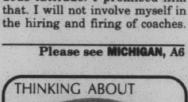
A. "The HMO (health maintenance organization) revolution is having a tremendously adverse impact on academic medical centers. We have not had as much penetration by HMOs as on the East and West Coasts.

"When it does, centers like U-M will have to change. That will mean a severe strain on the academic side, the intellectual side, of the institution. We do great public services that is not taken into account by the HMO forum."

Q. Will you allow the new athletic director, Tom Goss, autonomy in running the department the way Don Canham did (until 1992)?

A. "I don't know how autonomously it was run. Joe Roberson (just retired) did a very fine job; Jim Duderstadt (president from 1998-96) was an excellent president.

"I'll give Tom Goss tremendous latitude. I promised him that. I will not involve myself in



Bollinger 'not troubled' by public interviews

David Adamany backed an amendment in the Open Meetings Act exempting university boards from interviewing presidential candidates in public. Adamany, Sen. John Schwarz and many university officials were sure good candidates wouldn't apply if they faced open interviews.

Bollinger, the 12th U-M president, was the first to be hired after open interviews.

Q. Was it so bad? A. "I really shouldn't comment.

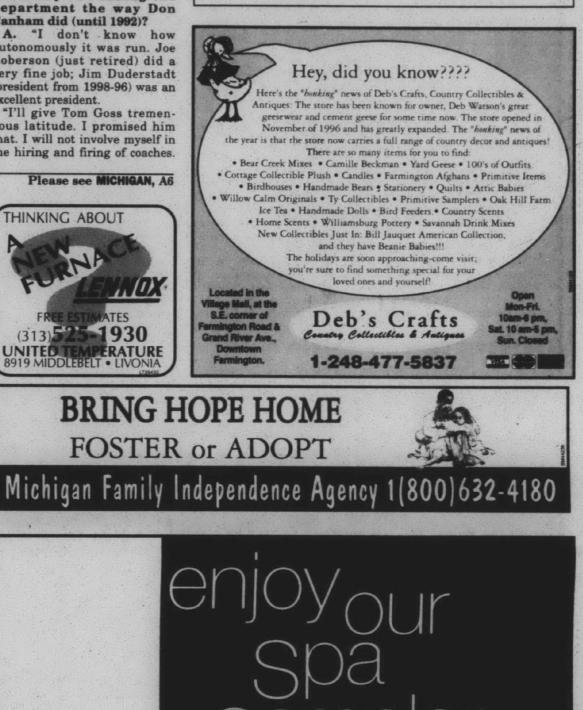
Q. Do it anyway. The



can answer that one. A. "I was not scared off. You really should ask others who were. (Four of the five finalists went through the open interviews: one withdrew.

"I was not troubled by the interview process. What public policy should be is another question. But personally I was not (bothered).

All five finalists for the presidency of Wayne State University went through open interviews in mid-summer.



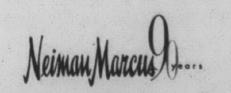




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Airport 'trailblazer' dead at 76

James Davey, 76, a key figure in the development and expansion of Detroit Metro Airport in the 1950s through the 1970s, died Monday in his Manchester, Mich. home after a long battle with cancer.

Davey was credited by county officials for his involvement in personally negotiating an airport agreement in 1956 with American Airlines, which became the foundation for airline agreements that are still in effect today.

"The legacy of Jim Davey is the foundation upon which today's Detroit Metro Airport stands," said Edward McNamara, Wayne County executive. "He was a great leader — a trailblazer, who saw into the future and took the brave steps necessary to make Detroit a primary air transportation gateway."

Davey's contributions to the industry reached far beyond Detroit. Robert Braun, Wayne County's director of airports, called Davey his "mentor."

"He was a pioneer working with other airport executives

As many as 200,000 Ameri-

cans currently are stalked, and

one in 20 will become a victim of

stalking behavior once in their

A one-day seminar at School-

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craft College on Saturday, Sept.

27 will examine the stalking

phenomenon and suggest mea-

sures you can take to prevent

being stalked. Paula LaRue, a

criminal justice professional who

National Victim-Center.

around the country, setting policies for the air transportation industry before air travel blossomed into the commonplace mode of transportation it is today. I will deeply miss him." Davey enlisted in the U.S.

Navy during World War II. In 1943 he became a fighter pilot in the Marine Corps.

After the war, Davey joined the staff of the Wayne County Road Commission. He received a law degree from Wayne State University in 1948.

Davey became an attorney in the Roads Commission's Legal Department and soon became involved in what came to be known as Wayne County's Detroit Metropolitan Airport.

Davey became Metro's airport manager in 1958. Three years later he was given dual responsibilities when he was named managing director of the Wayne County Road Commission.

By the time construction of a second new terminal was completed in the mid-1960s, scheduled airlines had switched from Willow Run to Detroit Metro.

S'craft seminar to examine stalking

Davey was credited for a massive expansion program that included doubling the size of the first passenger terminal, construction of a second domestic passenger terminal and a third terminal for international and chartered service.

In 1975, Davey retired and the North Terminal, which now houses Detroit Metro's hub carrier, Northwest Airlines, was renamed the J.M. Davey Terminal in his honor.

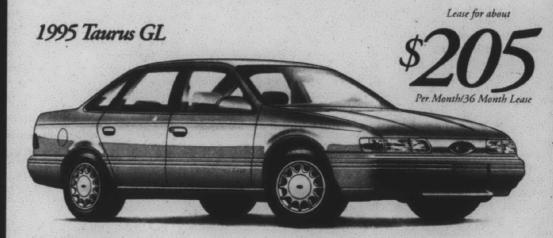
Davey received a "Winning Ways" Award from McNamara in May 1996. This award was presented to Davey in recognition of his vision, leadership and tenacity in laying the foundation for what is now Wayne County's Detroit Metro Airport.

Davey was scheduled to receive on Sept. 29 the William E. Downes Jr. Memorial Award from Airports Council International (ACI), the most prestigious award from ACI. The award presentation will occur during the Airports Council International-North America conference in Detroit this year.

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I believe in very collaborative work."

Q. Joe Roberson conducted an investigation of the basketball program totally orally so that no documents could be requested under the Freedom of Information Act. Will that continue under Goss?

A. "Well,I don't know enough about prior investigations. We must have records. We must have documentation for reference by the university itself." has taught at Henry Ford and Macomb County community colleges and Eastern Michigan University, will lead the class, profiling both stalkers and stalking victims, and describing how people are stalked and what legally constitutes stalking.

Anti-stalking laws exist in all 50 states, and have been enacted in Michigan since Jan. 1, 1993. However, LaRue said injunctions against stalkers help in review case studies of stalking survivors in the metro Detroit area and suggest methods to keep stalkers away. She will describe how men whose relative or friend is stalked can support the victim.

During the class, she will

only a small percent of cases.

The seminar is scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 27, and the fee is \$52. For information, call (313) 462-4782.

meeting a farmer in a writing

class. "He (Miller) thought he

(the farmer) would be dumb. It

turns out he could memorize

Keats and Shelley. They had a

wonderful friendship. His

(Miller's) views about life were

ive Q. What is your philosophy

on affirmative action. You might be facing a lawsuit. A. "I believe a diverse student

body to be essential to a high quality institution."

He told of Arthur Miller, the playwright from New York who attended U-M in the 1930s,

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Trash worries of your kids singing brown bag blues

s I remember back to my grade school days at Greenfield Elementary in Beverly Hills, it seemed things were different. Perhaps when you view things from a 10year-old's eyes, things just seem different.

I would not have recognized a good fat, bad fat or average fat even if I'd met one face to face! I can't speak for my classmates of the 1970s, but I don't think anyone else thought much about food or eating issues. We lived a carefree existence with kick-ball, four-square, monkey bars and best of all lunchtime - especially when we opened our brown bags and found a Twinkie, Ho-Ho, or Moon Pie keeping our bologna company.

Regular milk was a dime a carton. and chocolate milk was two cents more. Often I found myself and my friends doing one of the following to our lunches - trading sandwiches, or using them as basketballs into the nearest garbage can.

Today, kids seem to be a little more in tune and aware of issues such as fat and cholesterol. I was very impressed when my daughter Lauyren, now 13, came home from first grade, walked into our kitchen and demanded to see the back label of the soup cans in the cupboard to see the nutritional value.

Schools and the media, are teaching our children about the happy food pyramid, and much more. Even though our children are being exposed to lots of information, most would still opt for the fast food choice before a

Going out on a limb

Nontraditional lunches can be nutritional

BY PEGGY MARTINELLI-EVERTS SPECIAL WRITER

I remember the embarrassment I felt when I looked up from my desk and saw my dear, smiling mother hand my fourth grade teacher the lunch bag I had left on the kitchen counter. Besides that day, all of my memories of school lunch are pleasant ones. I loved sitting in the noisy lunch rooms with my friends, eating my humble sandwich and chips, and deciding if I should eat my apple before or after my cookies.

Getting kids to eat school lunch today is much more of a challenge than it was a generation ago when I was a child. Today, as with many aspects of our life, lunch is hurried through. Lunch periods have gotten shorter as kids cram more activities into their busy day.

With competition from snack vending machines, candy bars at check-out counters, and all the prepackaged, high fat, high sugar, high calorie, food targeted to the tastes of our children, it's a wonder they ever eat anything that is nourishing.

Don't give up! There are still many ways to get your child to eat a nutritious lunch.

Set a good example. Start your day with a nutritious breakfast and provide the same for your children. At dinner, provide a well-balanced meal and be sure to introduce new foods often. Plan your children's meals in advance. Grocery shop with school lunches in mind. Think about how you can use those "planned-overs" from supper for the next day's lunch. Choose nutrient-rich foods - whole wheat bread, fruit, vegetables, low-fat meats, beans and pasta, and watch out for empty calories from chips, snack cakes and candy.

Calling food something kids consider "cool" can change their attitude toward that food. One little boy I know gladly eats "trees" but wouldn't ever consider eating broccoli.

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Don't use food as a threat, to reward or to punish. Avoid the "good food bad food" trap. It is not productive to tell your child they can't have dessert unless they eat their dinner. This only increases the value of desserts and makes them even more appealing. Give your child lots of choices, and they will get a good diet in the long run. This doesn't mean you have to provide a smorgasbord of food for your child to choose from, just vary the offerings, and try not to include too many foods that are high in salt, fat or sugar.

Demanding that children clean their plates before they can have dessert may be setting them up for a lifetime of eating problems. Children naturally eat until they are full. Don't mess with

My 2-1/2-year-old "grazes" when she ats. She'll take a bite of macaroni and cheese, then a bite of a cookie, then a spoonful of peas. I don't make a big deal about the order she eats them in, and she ends up with a balanced diet.



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Inside:

Recipes for kids



that food. One little boy I know gladly eats "trees" but wouldn't ever consider eating broccoli.

When packing lunches it is also vitally important to keep food safety in mind. Use a good quality thermos to keep hot foods hot. It also lets you expand into the world of hot foods such as soups, stews, casseroles and macaroni and cheese. To keep cold foods cold, pack a reusable ice pack or freeze a juice box.

Give kids information about food to inspire them to eat nutritiously. Don't just tell your child to eat something "because it's good for you." Explain how food makes bones and muscles grow, and how it keeps you healthy. Use the freshest ingredients and include your child in the process of preparing meals. Take them grocery shopping, enlist their help in the kitchen and with clean up, too. Make meal times relaxing, and interesting. Allow your children to enjoy food.

tional, varied food choices, and after about a week of the "same old, same old," he was ready for a different main course.

> Be sure to include low-fat dairy products with every meal. Many parents serve their children too much juice. Even though juice is nutritious, it is high in calories, and may cause your child to become too full to eat. Unless your child has allergies to dairy products, the beverage of choice should always be milk for your schoolaged child. Dairy products provide an important source of calcium and vitamin D, vital to building strong bones and teeth.

Remember also that children eat with all their senses. No one likes the sight or texture of a squished or soggy sandwich. Pack your child's lunch with heavy items on the bottom.

TAMMIE GRAVES/STAFF ARTE

well thought out nutritious bag lunch. It's an ongoing dilemma for those of us who pack lunches. Here are some tips to keep your kids from singing the lunch bag blues:

Always try to include fresh whole foods such as fruits and vegetables in lunch bags. Pack baby carrots, or vegetables and fruits cut into funny shapes with a fun dip. Ranch dressing is good with vegetables. Serve fresh cut fruit with a fun yogurt dip.

Include your kids in menu planning.

Prepare pinwheel sandwiches with soft tortillas or lavosh bread.

Make a big batch of homemade granola, and divide it into smaller bags to toss into lunch bags for a healthy snack.

Decorate thermal lunch sacks with buttons, patches, etc.

Slip a little note or joke in your child's lunch bag as a pleasant sur-

Make fruit kebabs with a big marshmallow in the middle.

Look for different shapes of pasta such as animals, cook, add a few diced vegetables, and Italian dressing for a healthy lunch.

Make your own trail mix with Gold Fish crackers, nuts, dried fruits, and chocolate chips. Visit a bulk food store for inspiration.

What experts say

"Try cookie cutters," suggests Nancy Kapal of Harrison Township, the mother of three, and a business owner. "Pick some fun shapes and cut out sandwich bread. I cut a loaf at a time and freeze what I don't use right away.

Kathy Menig of Birmingham, the mother of two and a social worker and preschool teacher makes her own "lunchables." She cuts meat and cheeses into small shapes or squares, and packs them with crackers or small slices of French bread. "These are kind of like kid hors d'oeuvres at half the cost," she said.

Laurie McCormick of Madison Heights, an office manager and mother of three sends her kids off to school with rolled pieces of ham or salami with a little side of ranch dressing for dipping. A bread stick and soft cheese

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LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week: Focus on Wine For the Love of Food

Sometimes it seems difficult to get kids to try new things. If all they ever want is peanut butter and jelly at least try to vary the type of bread and flavors of jelly you use. But don't worry, that phase usually passes

I have a friend whose 4-year-old boy wanted nothing but peanut butter sandwiches for every meal. She made him the sandwiches, provided addi-

Bate Doodles - Using a pastry sleeve, pipe

peanut butter or soft cheese into dried dates.

Jack-O-Latern Sandwich - Spread a round

or grated, raw carrot moistened with salad

Stuffed Pita - Stuff ground chick peas and

dressing. Decorate with eyes and nose of

raisins or other fruit and vegetables.

shredded cheese into pita bread.

piece of whole grain bread with cheese spread

apple or carrots. Spread on a bun.

a thin apple slice.

Make common foods more interesting and eye-appealing by changing their appearance. Use a cookie cutter to turn sandwiches into dinosaurs, bunnies and other fun shapes. If your children are eating at home, you can cut an apple into chunks for fruit kebabs or grate it for a sandwich topping.

Calling food something kids consider "cool" can change their attitude toward

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 article in Taste on the second Sunday of every month.

See recipes inside.

Your child can help prepare these fun and nutritious lunch box treats.

Walking sticks - Wrap thick slices of turkey or roast beef around a bread stick, carrot, or celery stick. Wrap a pickle in a slice of ham. Pretzel Shish Kebabs - Alternate a frankfurter and cheese chunks on pretzel sticks. Treasure Logs - Cut thin slices of meat and

roll with a piece of mild cheese. Black & Orange Pick-ups - Skewer cooked, pitted prunes or apricots on the end of a carrot stick.

Blue Suede Sandwich - Combine peanut

WHAT'S FOR LUNCH?

Walentine Sandwich - Cut enriched bread butter with bananas, raisins, nuts, shredded into heart shapes. Then spread with softened Merry-Go-Rounds - Spoon peanut butter on cream cheese and decorate with strawberry flavored cream cheese or frozen strawberries.

> III Ice Cream Cone Cakes - Make batter for cupcakes (applesauce cake, pumpkin spice cake). Pour batter into flat bottomed waffle ice cream cones, filling 1/2 full. Set on baking pan and bake 15 to 18 minutes in 400 degree F. oven until rounded top forms. Cool.

> Walking Salad - Spread a lettuce leaf with peanut butter, place a celery and/or carrot stick in the middle of the leaf, then roll up the

lettuce leaf with the celery or carrot stick in the center

Tomato Rounds - Cut enriched bread and sliced cheese into rounds. Slice a tomato, cover bread round with a slice of cheese and tomato, followed with a round of bread with the center cut out. Place mint, parsley or another green as a plume in the center.

Mini Pizza - Spread spaghetti or pizza sauce on an English muffin half. Top with mozzarella cheese and other favorite pizza toppings. Broil until bubbly and wrap in foil.

Recipes from Peggy Martinelli-Everts

Stir up a seasonal dinner fast with fresh veggies

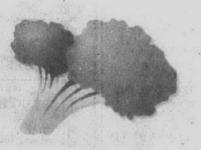
Fall, the season that MAIN DISH MIRACLES I love most, is here. Not only is the weather almost perfect, most of the time, but fresh vegetables and fruits, which are at the peak

of eating pleasure, call my name. Eating the food Guide Pyramid's "Five-a-Day" becomes a treat instead of a treatment. I like to take advan-

tage of the harvest with a stir-fry. A dinner of lightly sauteed vegetables, combined with your choice of meat, fish or chicken, and subtle seasonings, so as not to overpower the rich flavor of the fully ripe vegetables, is a perfect way to celebrate nature's bounty.

MURIEL

However, stir-fries are not always what they seem. Stir-fries served in restaurants often contain an abundance of fat - some times enough in one dish to use up an entire day's fat allowance. But this need not be the case. Nonstick pans and sprays, and



reduced sodium sov sauces and chicken broth, can make stir-fries an interesting staple in any healthy eating

There are other reasons stir-fries should become a key part of your smart eating and cooking repertoire.

First, the veggies make the healthier, smaller-sized meat portion appear larger and thus more satisfying.

Second, stir-fries make vegetables more interesting - even to non-vegetable eaters. You may even be able to sneak broccoli by a charter member of the broccoli haters group.

time. If you prepare the vegetables the night before, you can have a guest-worthy dinner on the table in 10 minutes. Lastly, stir-fry varieties are infinite. The combinations are limited only by your imagination.

I used sliced chicken breast in Autumn Stir-Fry, but turkey, lean beef, pork, shrimp, scallops or fish fillets will work equally well. Even canned tuna or salmon, rinsed and drained, will suffice. Seasonings, and the choice of veggies create magic in a stir-fry. I might use Worcestershire sauce for beef. Shrimp and fish call for lemon. I like to add pineapple to pork. Fresh ginger and reduced sodium soy sauce are included in most of my stir-fries.

Fresh ginger is available in most markets. Buy a small piece. With a vegetable peeler, peel off the paper-like skin and slice. I usually have to buy more than I'm going to use, but the extra slices freeze well for another stirfry or even ginger tea. Ginger has a potent flavor, so be careful how much you use

A well-seasoned cast iron frying pan Third, stir-fries cut down on cooking is a good stand-in for a wok. Any large

heavy skillet will do - even if it's not nonstick. There are many good nonstick sprays available, and you even have a choice of flavors.

Do start cooking the rice before you begin stir-frying. The beauty of stir-frying is how little time the cooking takes. There's nothing sacred about serving rice as an accompaniment. Experiment with barley, noodles or buckwheat groats as an alternate, they'll increase the fiber content, as well as, change the flavor

Finish off your meal with a cinnamon spiced baked apple, and perhaps a fortune cookie or two to recognize the Oriental root of stir-frying.

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Look for Muriel's column in Taste on the second Sunday of the month. See recipe inside.

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spread is a must.

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"Make the kids participate and be involved," says Mary Lou Cochran of Bloomfield, the mother of two, and owner of Beau Jacks restaurant also in Bloomfield. "We plan theme menus to make things fun."

Dr. Paul Ehrman wife Robin, also a medical doctor, have three children and run a thriving family practice in Royal Oak. A large number of their patients are school-age children.

Dr. Paul urges parents to include milk and natural fruit juice in lunches. When children are old enough, let them grocery shop with you to teach them in early childhood how to make good nutritional choices. Make it a fun outing so they can feel a part of it. Training is everything. If your children only know healthy snacks after school that's all they'll expect. Start the learning process as young as two.

Packing tips

Keep cold foods cold and hot food hot until the last possible moment using Thermal cups, cold packs, insulated lunch bags or boxes

Label things. Freezer tape works great.

Pad the lunch container with crumpled newspaper comic strips to protect fragile items. These comics are great for a laugh at the lunch table

Wrap everything individually. Make a healthy batch of cookies, cool and wrap individually, then freeze.

Freeze grapes and they can double as a cooler for the lunch

Use fun, colorful paper products

Throw in a fun party favor or prize

As September rolls in, I wish you luck and success with your lunch packing. Remember, if our kids are putting good things into their bodies, they'll hopefully have the energy they need to ensure a good day at school.

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

See related 2 Unique column on Taste front. Share your lunch box ideas

with Kelli Lewton. Fax your ideas to (248) 642-0803, and look for them in her column next month. Here are some of Kelli's

A HOLA GRANOLA

3 cups cracked oats 1/4 cup wheat germ 1/4 cup chopped dried apri-

favorite lunch box recipes.

- cots 1/4 cup sunflower seeds 1/4 cup unsalted peanuts 1/3 cup shredded coconut 1/3 cup mixed dried fruit
- 1/2 cup brown sugar
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon

1/3 cup honey Mix all ingredients together,

spread on cookie sheet, and bake at 350 degrees F. for 15-20 minutes. Let cool and break into pieces

> **TURKEY WRAPS** 1/2 cup plain low-fat yogurt

Fun sandwiches, snacks won't make kids blue

2 teaspoons ketchup 1 teaspoon sweet pickle rel-

- 8 ounce slices cooked turkey breast
- 8 five-inch bread sticks 8 slices American cheese

In a small bowl, mix together the yogurt, ketchup and relish. Set

aside Cover a smooth working surface with waxed paper. Place 8 slices of turkey breast side by side on the prepared working surface. Spoon 1 tablespoon of yogurt mixture onto each turkey slice. Place slice of cheese on top.

Lay a bread stick on each prepared turkey slice. Roll each turkey and cheese slice around a bread stick.

Enclose each turkey wrap snugly in plastic. Secure ends with twist ties. Store in refrigerator until time to travel. Place 2 turkey wraps in each lunch box.

There are millions of combinations for roll-up sandwiches. Here are some suggestions.

ROLL-UPS

Peanut butter and jelly Cream cheese and ham with

celery sticks on the side Lay out 8-inch tortillas. Spread cheese, peanut butter or whatever you've chosen. Lay a slice of lunch meat on top and roll tightly. Slice on an angle.

APPLE CRISPIES

Nonstick vegetable spray 6 cups peeled, thinly sliced apples

Lunch box crowd will eat up these treats

1/2 cup brown sugar 1/4 cup margarine

2 cups toasted rice cereal (such as Rice Krispies)

1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Prepare a baking pan 8-by-8-by-2inches with nonstick vegetable spray.

Spread the apples evenly in the prepared pan.

In a mixing bowl, combine the brown sugar and margarine with a pastry blender until crumbly.

> Using a wooden spoon, stir the cereal into the margarine mixture. Sprinkle the cereal topping over the apples.

Bake for 20 minutes or until apples are tender and topping is lightly browned.

Remove pan from the oven. Place on a wire rack to cool.

Place 1/2 cup of apple crispies in each of 6 small plastic containers with snap-on lids.

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week class begins Tuesday, Oct. 7, fee \$113; Breakfast Breads and Small Rolls, four-week class begins Monday, Oct. 27, fee, \$113; Champagne and Dessert Wines for the Holidays, fiveweek class begins Monday, Nov. 3, fee is \$120; Winter Soups and Stews one-day class Saturday, Nov. 15, fee is \$70. Call (313) 462-4448 for registration information, the college is at 18600 Haggerty Road (between Six and Seven Mile Road), Livonia.

Henry Ford Community College

Variety of Continuing Education Classes offered this fall including, A Bounty of Herbs, 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Oct. 1 & 8; Bread Baking, 9 am. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 25; Scones and Muffins, 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Oct. 15 and 22; Healthful lunches for the Whole Family, 9:30 -11:30 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 4. Most classes offered at Dearborn Heights campus, call 1-800-845-HFCC or (313) 845-9865.

See related story on Taste front.

Recipes from Peggy Martinelli-Everts, registered dietitian and director of clinical operations for HDS Services, a Farmington Hills based food service and hospitality management company.

The quesadillas we order in restaurants in the United States are much different from the quesadillas served in Mexico. South of the border, this is a simple dish of cheese and soft tortilla shells served with salsa. A friend of mine lived in Mexico for 11 years. Her boys loved this dish. and ate it often.

such as Monterey Jack, or mozzarella. Cut cheese to fit in tortilla, which is folded in half after it's

1 small tortilla (soft flour or uncooked corn tortilla) Olive oil (just enough to sea-

skillet)

Add oil to griddle or skillet and warm. Soften tortilla on griddle by flipping once, just until warmed slightly.

Place cheese on one side of the warmed tortilla. Fold it in half and toast both sides on the griddle until the cheese melts.

Cool the quesadilla and wrap in foil. For school lunches you can quesadilla. When it's lunch time, the quesadilla can be pulled apart and some salsa can be added, or the quesadilla can be dipped in salsa.

This is a great dessert to pack since it's easy to eat, stores well and contains popcorn and peanut butter, which have nutritional value

1/2 cup light corn syrup 1/2 cup honey

1 cup sugar

1 cup peanut butter 1 teaspoon vanilla 1 cup unpopped popcorn

Pop popcorn in an air popper, microwave or on the stove with a minimum of oil. In a heavy-bottom pot, boil sugar, corn syrup and honey for 2 minutes.

POPNUT PUFFS

Remove, and add the peanut butter and vanilla. Pour over popcorn and form into balls. Place on waxed paper to dry, then wrap individually in foil or plastic wrap. Makes about 12.

Savory stir-fry celebrates fall harvest

See related Main Dish Miracle on Taste front. Recipe from Muriel Wagner.

AUTUMN STIR-FRY

1 tablespoon cornstarch

1/2 cup low sodium chicken broth

sauce

- 1/4 teaspoon red pepper
- flakes 2 tablespoons plum preserves

2 teaspoons vegetable oil

2 tablespoons low sodium soy

halves, boned, skinned and cut into thin strips

Combine cornstarch, dry sherry, soy sauce, chicken broth, red pepper flakes and plum preserves in a small bowl. Set aside. Coat a large

nonstick frying pan or wok with

little more than heating, be careful not to overcook. Remove vegetables: set aside

> Add reserved soy sauce mixture to skillet and cook, stirring constantly, about 1 minute. Return

warmed to soften).

son a griddle or cast iron

Salsa to taste

AN AUTHENTIC QUESADILLA 1 slice of cheese (your choice

pack a container of salsa with the



cooking spray. Heat oil. When hot, (sesame seed oil if possiadd garlic and ginger. Stir-fry ble) until garlic is softened, but not 1 tablespoon minced garlic browned (about 1 minute). Add 1 tablespoon minced fresh chicken pieces, stir-fry until chicken is no longer pink. Remove from pan and set aside. Wipe pan dry ginger 1 1/2 cups broccoli florets 1 1/2 cups sliced zucchini with paper towel. 1 1/2 cups red bell pepper. Coat wok or skillet with noncut into chunks stick spray. Add vegetables, begin-2 large tomatoes, quartered ning with broccoli and ending with tomatoes. Ripe tomatoes require 3 (3 ounce) chicken breast 29501 ANN ARBOR TRAIL U.S.D.A. Choice PORTERHOUSE STERKS \$ / 29 Only LB. U.S.D.A. Whole Hamburger from N.Y. STRIP LOIN GROUND SIRLOIN \$988 \$219 U.S.D.A. Choice U.S.D.A. Choice SIRLOIN STEAK DELMONICO STEAKS any \$329 \$ 199 Boneless, Skinless CHICKEN BREAST U.S.D.A. Bonele POT ROAST \$249 \$ 7 89 Onto Real Krakus Lipari POLISH HAM HARD SALAMI \$349 0-4 \$259 Our Own Rotisserie Lipari Domestic SWISS CHEESE **ROAST BEEF** \$399 \$289 Kowolsk Upari 99% Fat Free WEST VIRGINIA HAM TURKEY BREAST \$329 \$287 IB Lipori AEUNSTER CHEESE NATURAL CASING HOT DOG \$0.89 \$089 1 1. 1 11. A. Mr.

vegetables and chicken to skillet: heat through. Serve immediately with steamed rice.

Chef's tip: Meat or chicken is more easily cut into thin strips if it's partially frozen. Serves 4

Food values per serving (with 1/2 cup rice): Calories: 296; Fat: 4.5 grams; Saturated Fat: 0.5 grams; Sodium: 286 mg. Food Exchanges: 3 lean meat, 4 vegetables, 1 bread.

Plymouth chili cook places second

Kenneth Horn of Plymouth placed second in the 19th Annual Michigan Chili Cookoff Sunday, Sept. 7 at Five Lakes Grill in Milford.

Tom Greiner of Northville took first place, and will compete in the 31st annual World Championship Chili Cookoff to be held Oct. 3 in Reno, Nevada. In addition to the first place trophy, Greiner received a check for \$1,000.

Perry Sharp of Sylvania, Ohio won the trophy for best booth, and John Mikalak of Rockford, Mich. won the showmanship tro-

phy. Dave Tennant of Manchester, Mich. placed third; Gayle Ihlen-feldt of Belleville, fourth, and Rene Farber of San Diego, Calif. placed fifth.

Event proceeds will help pay for culinary arts scholarships for deserving students, and the Mill Pond Beautification Project in Milford sponsored by the Downtown Development Authority.

Local participants included Diane Adamski of Redford, and

Gary Ray of Livonia. Mark your calendars. The Second Annual Great Chili Cookoff, Michigan District Com-petition, will be Sunday, Oct. 12 in Kellogg Park, downtown Ply-mouth mouth.

Entry fee is \$30 for Interna-tional Chili Society members, \$60 non-members (includes I.C.S. dues). Call Annette Horn, (313) 455-8838 for details.

Seek out fresh picked, locally grown apples

John Chapman, aka Johnny Appleseed, went along planting apples as he walked. As nights grow crisp and the colors of autumn ignite, try reversing the process by biking, hiking or driving out into the countryside to pick up - or even pick apple varieties now abundantly featured at roadside stands and farmers' markets.

> Today, many apple varieties once found only at farm stands are commonly sold in supermarkets. Indeed, they are so common you may wonder, why buy them elsewhere?

> Compare a commercially grown apple that has been trucked into your area from across the country with one of the same variety, locally grown, and you will readily see the difference. For a striking example, most Red and Golden Delicious apples sold these days re beautifully shiny and round, but bland; those grown by a local farmer are more likely to boast full, juicy flavors.

Commercially grown apples can be excellent. However, they rarely are, explains Tom Vorbeck of Applesource, who offer 90 varieties of apples grown in the U.S. by mail, because, "They are usually picked too soon and stored too long. Grow-

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Be an apple adventurer. ers pick Jonagold and Red Delicious," he goes on, "when they have good color but are not yet fully ripe." Apples picked early can last longer in the supermarket produce bin . This means even apples sold in season at many stores may not be fully ripe, hence their often thin, flat flavor.

> While I vote for Golden Russet as the pick of the crop, there are a large number of new and heirloom varieties of apples Vorbeck suggests looking for in your neck of the woods: Fuji, Jonagold and aromatic Macoun in New England; Stayman and intense Winesap varieties in the southeast U.S.; Northern Spy, Spigold, and the succulent Honeycrisp in the Midwest; Green-Skinned Newton Pippins and colorful Cox's Orange Pippin around the Pacific Northwest; and tart-flavored Sierra Beauty and Suzuka apples in California.

Because the heat brings out both their tart and sweet flavors, apples can be a wonderful addition to almost any meal – from breakfast to dessert. When cooked with a lightlysweet variety, like the Golden Delicious, chicken sautes, poached fish entrees or lean pork medallions take on a rich, moist flavor that doesn't overpower the meat's mild taste.

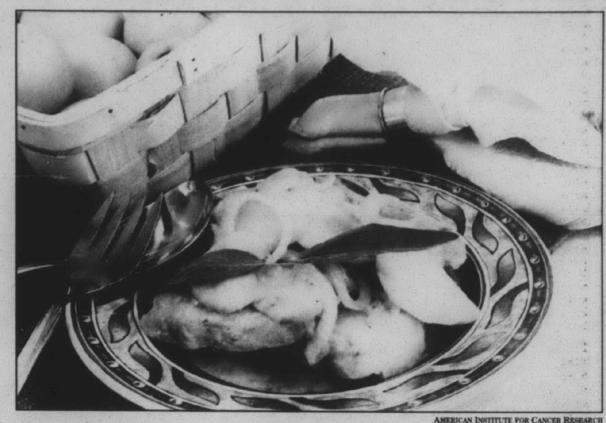
APPLE-SMOTHERED PORK MEDALLIONS

1 Tablespoon unsalted sweet butter

- 1 small onion, thinly sliced 1 Golden Delicious apple, peeled, cored and thinly sliced
- 3/4 cup sweet or hard apple cide
- 1 Tablespoon apple cider vinegar
- 4 pork medallions, welltrimmed, about 4 oz. each
- nutmeg 1/2 teaspoon salt Freshly ground pepper, to taste

In a medium, non-stick skillet, melt the butter over mediumhigh heat. Saute the onions and apple in the butter until they just start to brown, 4-5 minutes. Add the cider and vinegar. Cook until the liquid has thickened and just coats the bottom of the pan. Transfer the apple mixture to a bowl and set aside. Do not wipe out the pan.

In the same pan, sear the pieces of pork over medium high heat just until each side is white. Reduce the heat to medium. Return the apple mixture to the pan, spreading it over the meat. Add a generous dash of nutmeg. the salt, and freshly ground pep-



Fall entree: When cooked with a lightly-sweet variety like Golden Delicious, lean pork medallions take on a rich, moist flavor that doesn't overpower the meat's mild

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taste.

Cook until the pork is white all the way through, about 4-5 minutes. Take care not to overcook the meat or it will be dry and hard. Serve immediately, accom-

panied by white or wild rice and steamed green beans or some other green vegetable.

Each of the four servings contains 236 calories and 8 grams of fat.

"Something Different" is written for the American Institute for Cancer Research by Dana Jacobi, author of "The Best of Claypot Cooking" and the "Natural Kitchen: SOY!"

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Pack 1540's picnic Aug. 24 at Plymouth Township Park drew 110 adults, scouts and guests for games including volleyball, races, tug of war, and hot dogs. Folks also brought desserts and salads, for the picnic intended as an annual event.



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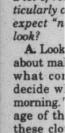
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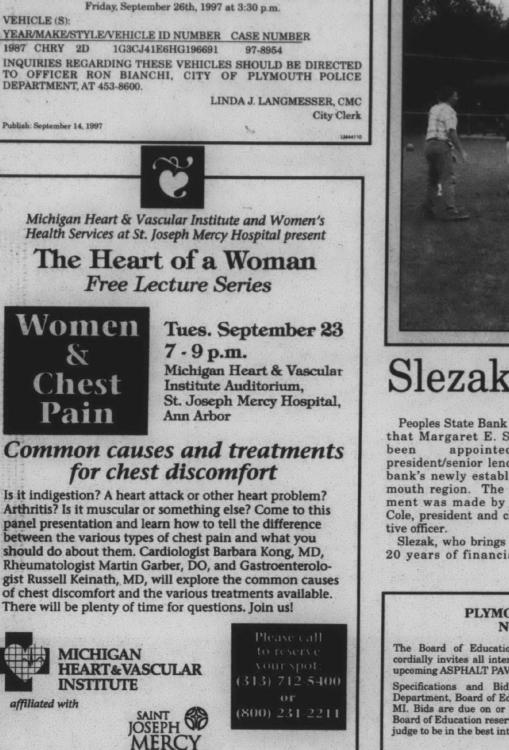
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Slezak is appointed

Peoples State Bank announced experience in the Plymouth area, that Margaret E. Slezak has been appointed vice president/senior lender for the bank's newly established Plymouth region. The announcement was made by Robert L. Cole, president and chief execu-

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20 years of financial service munity organizations.

arrived at Peoples State Bank from First of America Bank. where most recently she served as vice president/commercial loan officer. Slezak is a longtime Plymouth resident, former president of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, and Slezak, who brings more than remains active in various com-

The Observer/SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1997

PLYMOUTH-CANTON SCHOOLS NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools cordially invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for upcoming ASPHALT PAVING PROJECTS.

Specifications and Bid Forms can be obtained at the Purchasing Department, Board of Education Building, 454 S. Harvey Street, Plymouth, MI. Bids are due on or before 2:00 P.M. Friday, September 19, 1997. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids, as they judge to be in the best interest of the School district.

> BOARD OF EDUCATION Plymouth-Canton Community Schools JACK F. FARROW, Secretary

Publish: September 11 and 14, 1997

Kids: Sign up for annual Punt, Pass and Kick contest Boys and girls ages 8-15 will Boys and girls compete sepa-

have the opportunity to exhibit their football skills when the city of Plymouth and Canton Township parks and recreation departments host an NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick Competition Saturday, Sept. 27.

The competition is free to all participants. It will be at Griffin Park on

VEHICLE (S):

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Registration will start at 9:30 a.m. and the competition will start at 10 a.m.

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rately in the following age divisions: 8/9, 10/11, 12/13, and 14/15. Age classification is as of Dec. 31, 1997.

This is a joint competition between Plymouth and Canton, however their will be separate winners and awards for both Plymouth and Canton residents.

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Monday, September 22, 1997 at 3:30 p.m.

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TO OFFICER RON BIANCHI, CITY OF PLYMOUTH POLICE

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For further information and/or advance registration, please contact the Plymouth Recreation Department at (313) 455-6620, or the Canton Recreation Department at (313) 397-5110.



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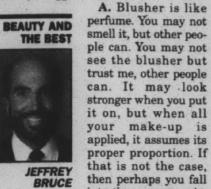
The Observer

Birmingham's best at Fall Spectacular

Jeffrey solves beauty puzzles As summer fades to fall, I'll use the

next two beauty columns to answer reader questions about cosmetic products and how to get the most from them.

Q. I have trouble controlling the blusher I apply. It looks great when first applied, but then appears to be too much. Then, an hour or so later, it looks like I never applied any, all of the color has left. Suggestions?



that is not the case, then perhaps you fall into the common mistake of applying only a

blusher or a cream rouge, instead of both. To truly keep your color on all day, first apply your cream rouge on the cheekbone, forehead and chin. Blend well. Then set it with a blusher. I usually try to combine a blue-based cream with a yellow-based blusher. That way you don't have to change your make-up when you vary your wardrobe.

Q. I have noticed that in all the fashion magazines the models are wearing a lot of red make-up on their faces, particularly around the eyes. Do they really expect "normal" women to copy this

look? A. Looking at magazines to get ideas about make-up is a little like watching what comes down the runways to decide what to wear to work in the morning. There is a very small percentage of the population who can wear these clothes and wear that kind of make-up. The rest of us wait until we see what filters down to the department stores before making a decision. The magazines and the make-up artists they employ, are giving you an artistic interpretation. They shouldn't be taken literally. I would guess that all of the red will end up in your lipstick, or perhaps nail color. Putting red next to the eyes will make the prettiest Birmingham merchants come together to celebrate life, love and learning Sept. 24 when they host their 8th annual Fall Spectacular to raise scholarship money for kids who won their battle against cancer. **Everyone is invited!**

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO

Not all clouds have a silver lining, but some do.

And it's for the hundreds of local kids who beat childhood leukemia or organ cancers, that the businesses in downtown Birmingham donate their time, talents, merchandise and food, for a gala that showcases their fashions and finery while raising money to send these kids to college.

Under tents set up in the parking lot at Townsend and Bates, a live and silent auction, taste of the town, and professional runway show, highlight the evening which also includes an art exhibition, afterglow and entertainment.

It's all set for Wednesday, Sept. 24, beginning at 6 p.m. Tickets are \$45, (\$55 upon availability at the door) or \$125 for patrons, which means reserved seating, three complimentary drinks and valet parking.

Tickets are on sale at almost every downtown business.

This year, Birmingham's fashion retailers will present "Choices of Couture" for the Pediatric Center Survivors Scholarship Fund at William Beaumont Hospital. Jim Harper of WNIC radio will emcee, and Larry DuMouchelle will handle the live auction of everything from a 1988 Jaguar XJ8 to 52 bottles of wine including a magnum of Veuve' Cliquet from Merchant of Vino.

Guests (1,200 are expected) will see

the latest fall collections from Kathryn Scott, It's The Ritz, Lisa Parks, Fitigues, Tender, Timbuktu, Article II, Basic Goods, Ceresnie & Offen Furs, The Claymore Shop, Edward Dorian, Pogo, Furs By Robert, Hansel & Gretel Shoes, Harp's Lingerie, Kiddlywinks, Linda Dresner, Maxwell, Redwood & Ross, Shades Optical and Thom Leffler. Stunning hair and makeup presentations will be executed by Beaton Colors, Antonino's, Salon Kennice Bashar,

Salon Sydney and the 90th Floor. It's a chance to see the unique clothing lines that only these independent, alternative retailers can offer.

who is looking for her own unique style," said Cheryl. "We shop for you. Our collections are very edited.'

Event co-chairs Richard Astrein and Judi Roberts said the goal of event organizers was to take this year's program to new heights.

"It's a quality show, a quality evening," said Roberts. "And this will assure that it stays around for many years to come."

Astrein said the intent of Fall Spectacular 1997 is to award 22 high school cancer survivors, college scholarships during the evening festivities. The scholarship fund was established in 1992 with assistance from Birmingham merchants by Dr. Charles Main, Chief of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology at Beaumont Hospital. Last year the event raised \$100,000 for the cause.

"Almost every restaurant, salon, florist, jeweler and gallery in town contributed to this event," Astrein said. Their generosity overwhelms me."

For more details, or to make a contribution to the scholarship fund, please call (248) 644-1651.



PHOTOS BY JERRY ZOLYNSKY Looking good: (Left) From It's The Ritz, prairie style goes Holly-wood for a funky find topped by a silver metallic sweater. (Above) A Birmingham couple models After 5 designs from Thom Leffler, Great Designs for Body and Home. More than 30 fashion retailers will present collections at the Fall Spectacular.

Jewelry designer exalts minerals and metals

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO

Everything about semi-precious jewelry designer Stephen Dweck, during a recent visit to Neiman Marcus in the Somerset Collection, made me smile.

His Brooklyn accent, the ring on his finger that he made for his beloved grandmother before she died, his stories about being a bad student and worse speller, his dreams of jumping out of an airplane when he's 70, his musings about feeling guilty going off





to the work he loves while his wife stays home to "really work" with their four young children, ages 11 to one month

"She used to work in the factory, she knows how much fun I'm having," he said. "I cringe at parties when people say to her, 'Oh you just stay home?"

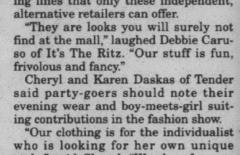
The practicing sculpture became a

With help from his brothers Gregory and Edmond, he runs his manufacturing and design business, still in Brooklyn, where the family of Egyptian/Syrian/Spanish-descent was born and raised

Dweck said he tirelessly shops and deals for the minerals and cameos that are his signature.

"I love working with minerals because they were crafted by nature," he said with passion in his voice. "I don't want to be labeled 'The Guru of Minerals,' but without knocking plastic, you can rub a mineral and get such sustenance from it. People have a right





Q. Is there any truth to the old adage "You get what you pay for?" In other words, are the more expensive products better products?

women look sick, or just terribly con-

fused. Save the look for Halloween.

A. The short answer is no. If the product is imported, you will automatically be paying more. You will also want to study the packaging. It is designed to attract you, and for that you will be paying a premium. Your instincts will automatically tell you when a product is too expensive. If you purchase it and do not notice any difference and then continue to buy the product — well, as they say, "a fool and his money are soon parted."

There are many ways to determine if a product is good for you prior to purchase. Go into any department store during a slow period of the day. Sit down at a make-up counter and tell the make-up artist the truth: that you just want to try the product prior to making a purchase. If you level with the artist, you will not be subjected to high-pressure sales techniques. If you like the look, and the feel, they know that you will be back.

Q. I remember from watching you on TV that you seemed to hate long hair on women. Why?

A. In beauty, as in art, proportion is everything. The fuller you are, the fuller the hair should be. And viceversa. We've all seen a very large woman with a tiny close perm or short hair cut. It looks as out of place as a size six woman, 60 years old with hair to the middle of the back. Or even better, a very youthful pony tail. At some stage, it is time to let go of the look you perhaps had as a teenager, and move onto a style more appropriate to your age group. A woman of 40 who looks her age and looks terrific, is much more attractive than a woman of 40 who dresses and acts like a 20 year-old. Your mother spoke of growing old gracefully - heed her advice. And answer your question again, long hair only really looks good on thin young women.

My consultations at the Townsend Hotel for September have been sold out completely, but October dates have just been scheduled. Please call 1-800-944-6588 for more information.

zines Lovely links: Dweck creates color

fashion pieces, cameos, and designs in 18kt, sterling silver and solid 18kt gold mixed with precious stones.

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 (248) 644-1314. Deadline: Wednesday 5 p.m. for publication on Sunday.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 17

Tahari presentation

See the latest fall collection from women's classic tailor Tahari at Saks Fifth Avenue, reception at 5:30 p.m. Runway show in store at 6:30 p.m. Reservations requested for the complimentary event.

Somerset Collection South. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 614-3317.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 18

Fall home show

Does your place need sprucing up before the holidays? Check out the latest in security services, real estate companies, insulation, brick paving, heating and cooling, and cellular services - all on display throughout the mall through Sept. 21.

Livonia Mall. Seven Mile / Middlebelt.

(248) 476-1160.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 19

Trunk show

Kathryn Scott hosts a fall trunk show of the latest sportswear collections from both David Brooks and Robert Scott, 1-4 p.m. Refreshments, special orders and fittings. The lines fit women in sizes 4-18 and

ewelry designer in 1981 after noticing the necklaces that topped off evening wear by Geoffrey Beene.

'My gosh, I thought, they are pieces of art in themselves, sculpture to wear. I knew then and there, I wanted to make jewelry like that. I began by sculpting bangles out of stone. Today, Dweck creates "something a woman saves up to buy," and counts among his customers such glamour gals as Demi Moore, Candace Bergen, Mimi Rodgers, Joan Rivers, Elizabeth Taylor, Paula Zahn and Sigorney Weaver. His work has been profiled in Town and Country, Elle, and The New York Times maga-

A graduate of the school of Visual Arts in New York City, Dweck has designed for Donna Karan, Geoffrey Beene and Escada. His pieces are sold exclusively though Neiman Marcus and Bergdorf Goodman - a pair of earrings may go for \$200, a one-of-a-kind necklace for \$30,000.

to believe in minerals."

Dweck fashions his collectible, museum-quality necklaces and earrings from such gifts of nature as jade, citrine, amber, turquoise, red coral, fossilized ammonites and precious woods from Africa. A new line of ancientthemed cameos is sought-after because the cameo craft is fast becoming obso-

Dweck, 37, has jewelry on permanent display in the costume depart-ment of the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the Smithsonian in Washington, D.C. He has also designed belts, men's jewelry, a china and flatware collection, and a resin bath and beauty collection.

"I love the energy of the high fashion world, but I am not a trend designer," he said. "I am an heirloom designer, knowing that I'm making pieces that will be passed down to future genera-

My customers don't want cute from

Stephen Dweck

me, they want statement pieces that can be used to dress up or dress down their personal fashion choices. I have to make a piece that can be worn with jeans or a ball gown."

Dweck admits he is a perfectionist who can have a temper.

"I push myself very hard," he said. These are 18-hour work days. But I do it for my customers who really appreciate my work. I'm thrilled to be in here in Michigan again. The customers are so exposed to the arts. They are such collectors."

much more through Oct. 25. Hot coffee and cold lemonade in Plymouth's gathering across from Kellogg Park.

Ann Arbor Trail/Main.

Farmington. Grand River/east of Farmington.

Family fun

Parachute Express entertains 1 and 3 p.m. The show will be repeated Sept. 21 at 2 p.m. on the Fountain Stage in center court. This event ends the summer Family Fun Days series.

Lakeside. M-59/Schoenherr. Sterling Heights. 1-800-334-LKSD.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 21

Neiman Marcus hosts a fashion scavenger hunt/party at 6:30 p.m. in the store to benefit JET. Tickets are \$50-\$1,000. Live entertainment, dining, shopping. Portion of proceeds to JET. Somerset Collection South. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 788-2900.

MONDAY, SEPT. 22

Monday night football

Detroit Lion Luther Elliss (#94 defensive tackle) signs autographs, 6-8 p.m. in Court H. Tickets available at Pitch, Hit & Run. Watch for other players signing autographs on Mondays - Sept. 29, Oct. 13 and 27, Nov. 10 and 24.

Livonia Mall. Seven Mile / Middlebelt. (313) 476-1160.

ADDED ATTRACTIONS

tion for patrons at an in store breakfast 10 a.m. Reservations suggested for the complimentary event.

Somerset Collection South. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 614-3317.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 20

Petites seminar

Hudson's hosts a Liz Claiborne fashion show for fall in petite sizes, 1 p.m. store in the Liz Claiborne Shop.

Twelve Oaks. 12 Mile / Novi.

(248) 344-6800.

Dynamic Duo visits mall

Meet Batman and Robin from noon to 12:30 p.m., 1-1:30 p.m., 2-2:30 p.m., and 3 to 3:30 p.m. Live and in person for shoppers to greet. Bring your camera. Wonderland Mall. Plymouth / Middlebelt. Livonia. (313) 522-4100.*

Farmer's Market last weeks

Both downtown Plymouth and Farmington offer fresh produce, bakery goods, flowers and herbs, plus

petites from 2-14. 148 Pierce. Birmingham. (248) 642-3064. **Petites Breakfast** Saks Fifth Avenue previews its fall petites collec-

Crimes of Fashion benefit

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This feature is dedicated to helping readers locate sources for hard-to-find items in the marketplace. If you've seen any of the items in your retail travels (or basement) please call Malls & Mainstreets at (248) 901-2567. Just leave a message and your phone number (slowly and clearly, please!) and each Sunday we'll print caller solutions and new quests.

What we found:

• Several readers called with this source for vinyl reinforcements for shower curtain holes: Try the Current catalog, 12 reinforcements for \$2.99. 1-800-848-2848. A West Bloomfield reader also suggested buying the vinyl pool repair patches (She got a kit at Kmart) and used the patches to reinforce her curtain rings

• A sweater de-fuzzer device was also spotted in the Current catalog.

· Several readers called with these places to buy the hammer that is also a screwdriver with several size tips in the handle: Adray's Appliance in Dear-born; Redford Township Hardware at 5 Mile and Beech Daly; Restoration Hardware in the Somerset Collection North in Troy.

• A caller offered to sell his old record player to the elderly reader in search of one. Another remembered seeing some record players at Adray's Appliance in Dearborn.

• "Mary" reports that wholesalers only offer retailers the chance to sell Clove, Beeman's and Teaberry gums once a year and that time is coming up. "Just watch your stores," she said. "It's only a promotional sale, usually in the fall."

• A reader suggested this source for hard to find fragrances: Fragrances Unlimited in Ann Arbor, owned by Gary Groz (313) 434-0692. • Four readers said they could

assemble doll houses from kits and were put in touch with the caller. • We located a couple of copies of the book Honta Yo, an Amer-

-ican Saga. • Marilyn Monroe watches were spotted by Cindy at the

•Where to buy Mennen shave talc for guys who use electric shavers.

• A retailer who sells Coty Vitamin A & D night cream and Coty Vitamin Moisture Balancer for Shelley of Plymouth.

• Little glass wind chimes, very inexpensive, in geometric shapes, with a small little tinkle sound, for Toni of Livonia.

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Lionel trains donation

benefits cancer research

The American Cancer Society Discovery Shop in the downtown Farmington Center has received a donation of Lionel trains, plus more than 50 framed Lionel train posters which are on sale to benefit the work of the Ameri-

RETAIL DETAILS can Cancer Society Also donated large, framed

circus posters and more than 100 collectible toys from Steiff to Disney. Inquiries are welcome at (313) 422-8523.

Running leasing programs is topic of retail breakfast

The International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC) will host a Michigan Breakfast, Wednesday, Sept. 17 from 7:30-10 a.m. at the Southfield Mar-riott Hotel. The topic is "running successful leasing programs." For reservations call Mike Hart-

ney of the ICSC staff at (518) 374-4565.

Western boot show/sale Scott Colburn holds its annual

boot show and sale Sept. 19-21 at 20411 Farmington at Eight Mile with buys on Alibene, Acme, Dingo, Harley Davidson, Sage, Stewart, Code West and many more.

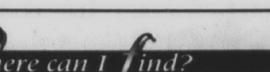
To draw attention to the sale, a stunt rider and trick roper will perform in front of the store which is also a great source for leather jackets, cowboy hats, jewelry, belts and Western wedding wear. Hours are daily 10

a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday noon to 5 p.m. Inquiries welcome at (248) 476-1262

Characters visit store

Want your picture taken with Wallace & Gromit? The stars of the award-winning BBC claymation films will meet and greet shoppers at The WTVS Stores of Knowledge, Saturday, Sept. 20 from 10 a.m. to noon at Briarwood Mall, Ann Arbor and Sunday, Sept. 21 from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Somerset Collection North store in Troy.





Watch Express booth in front of the Winkleman's store at Livonia Mall.

• A reader suggested calling **Elvis Presley Enterprises** in Memphis for a copy of King Creole, at 888-ELVIS ROCKS (or 358-4776.)

• Linda of Livonia said many "old-time" items that she's been reading about in this column can be purchased through The Vermont Country Store catalog 1-802-362-2400. Or write P.O. Box 3000, Manchester Center Vermont, 05255-3000.

Still searching for:

• Thelma Osmund is desperate for the Noah's Ark soft sculpture patterns, and so are several other readers who called to say they'd like them too, to make holiday gifts and crib mobiles. Does anyone have these to share?

• An old ticker tape machine. • A toddler-size Big Jake dump truck by Power Wheels for Barbara.

• A 1847 I.S. Eternally Yours dinner fork for Fran of Livonia. • A reel-to-reel for a wife

starting her holiday shopping. • An out-of-print children's bible The Book For Children by Kenneth Taylor, for Beth of Rochester Hills.

· The book, Every night, Josephine, by Jacqueline Susann about her dog, for JoAnn of Livonia. "I called several book stores to learn it's out of print." she said.

• Sugar-free Metamucil citrus flavor, any size, for Marcie. • Parachute Express chil-

dren's videos for Judy.

• The game Pit from Parker Brothers for Bethany.

• Fitted, slip covers for a couch seat like the ones Sears used to sell.

• An Early American shade for a pitcher and bowl lamp for Janet Skinner of Livonia.

• The book Hurry Up Slow-poke by ? Bonsall for Cindy.

• A Daily Aide Journal once carried by Woolworth's. "It was my secretary for 20 years," said a caller. Address-O-Graph •An machine that types on metal or dog tags for Sue and Nancy of Troy

• A retailer who sells replace-ment lids for the Corning ware browning dishes.

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MEDICAL BRIEFS

Family grief support

Community Hospice & Home Care - Westland / Plymouth (CHHCS) is offering a six-week "Connections" grief support series for children ages 5-16 that have experienced a loss through death. The sessions will meet weekly on Tuesdays, from Sept. 23-Oct. 28. The parent group will meet separately (but run concurrently).

Sessions begin at 6:30 p.m. at the CHHCS Westland office, located at 32932 Warren Road, Suite 100. Sessions are offered free of charge but there is a \$20 registration fee per family. For more information call Kathy Dattolo, ACSW, director of social work or Sands Lans, BSW, outreach assistant, (313) 522-4244.

Animal volunteers wanted

Pet-A-Pet is a non-profit animal visitation group that consists of over 420 members and their family pets. Pet-A-Pet volunteers now visit more than 74 facilities each month in the Detroit metropolitan area. The benefits of the human-animal bond have been well documented in recent years. You and your pet can be part of the magic that the visits bring to so many people. Hope Nursing Care Center - Westland is in need of volunteers at this time. Call, Denny Gregory at 565-9124 for more information.

The Pet-A-Pet Club president, Daisy Doran, can be reached at, 565-1981 or Ruth Curry at, 535-0410 for additional information

Grow through grief

An eight-week workshop for children throughout Metro-Detroit dealing with loss and for the adults who care for them is being offered by the Angela Hospice "My Nest is Best" pediatric program. The Growing through Grief classes will be held at Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road in Livonia, on eight consecutive Mondays between Sept. 29 and Nov. 17 from 6-7:30 p.m. The workshop will provide children with creative and supportive activities to help them explore thoughts and feelings about their loss. The workshop classes will be guided by a specialized pediatric team including a psychologist, social worker and nurse. Anyone interested may call Angela Hospice, (313) 464-7810.

Pharmacist's role expands in medicine of today

BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI ECIAL WRITER

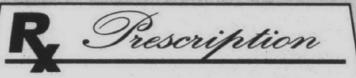
Pharmacists have always done a lot more than count pills, but in recent years their role has taken on greater importance as patient advocates. They watch for drug interactions, show you how to take your medication properly and talk to you about possible side effects that could save your life.

Experts are recognizing the important place pharmacists have in the chain of medical care and regulations are underway mandating closer relationships between druggists and patients. Much of the changes are in response to startling studies like one that showed improperly taken medications cause one in every 10 hospital admissions. Some \$77 billion dollars is spent annually on drug related problems caused by medications that weren't taken correctly or stopped altogether when they shouldn't have been.

To address this escalating problem, two years ago it became mandatory that patients with Med-icaid and Medicare who want to fill new prescriptions must receive counseling from pharmacists about the medications. A release is signed if they refuse counseling. The trend is for all patients to get this kind of attention from the pharmacist, as well. Every time you get a new medication you

should expect the pharmacist to work with you, explaining side effects; how to use an apparatus, like a breathing machine; when and how to take your prescription; interactions with drugs, food and alcohol; cheaper alternatives often found in generic drugs; proper storage and whether or not your insurance company covers the cost.

"In the past the role of pharmacists was primarily a drug distribution role," according to James Stevenson, director of pharmacy services at Detroit Medical Center and associate professor of pharmacy practices at the College of Pharmacy Wayne State University.



Take 1 tablet 3x daily, BUT FIRST, consult with your pharmacist about drug interaction

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doctors to review what was prescribed.

Behind the counter

"The big thing we're trying to do is to get patients to understand that pharmacists are an important resource," Stevenson said. But that doesn't discount the value of pharmacists generations ago. Those folks in the white jacket at the corner drugstore were often the first people everyone on the block went to if they had a problem. Oftentimes, the friendly face by the pharmacy desk quickly assessed what was going on and either recommend an over-the-counter medication or referred the person to their doctor for a closer look. That kind of relationship between patient and pharmacist likely will continue and become stronger as stricter guidelines are mandated. "Pharmacists are the most accessible of the health care professionals," Stevenson said. A watershed of changes, yes, but there's still progress to be made.

education if there were more interns and pharmacy technicians. "They know how to fill scripts," the Livonia pharmacist said. "You can check-them and you can go out and talk more with the patient."

Time is money and prescriptions are a big business. His store, alone, fills between 400 and 500 prescriptions daily. While the bulk of prescription costs are covered by insurance policies, still, the average family of four spends more than \$500 annually out of pocket on prescription drugs.

Cost conscious people are looking for discounts and cheaper avenues. In comes the mail order pharmacies that look like a good deal often offering lower prices than local pharmacies. In fact, one in eight prescriptions filled in the United States are filled by mail, which is up from one out of 33 a decade.

Time well spent

But, don't assume that the mail-order companies are always cheaper. Chain and independent drugstores can be a better deal, because they try to undersell their competitors. One drawback is the time it takes to get prescriptions. Compare the fifteen minutes to one hour wait at the local drug store to the mail-order compa-

ny that sometimes takes days. No matter how you choose to buy your medications, the experts recommend going to one source for all your prescriptions and non-prescription drugs to establish a comprehensive medication profile so that interactions can be watched.

The elderly are especially prone to drug side effects and the problem is worsened, because symptoms of drug induced reactions are often disregarded as being subtle signs of old age. Mail-

Kids Day America/Int'l

On Sept. 20 chiropractic offices nationwide will be participating in Kids Day America/International, a special day dedicated to children. Kramer Chiropractic will be sponsoring the event on a local level. Much of Kramer's practice and personal time is spent helping kids. No surprise therefore, he is hosting such an exciting community event.

"In addition to free balloons, food, giveaways and prize drawings every half hour, we'll also be providing essential information on crime prevention, child safety and environmental awareness." There will be special appearances by Sparky The Fire Dog, Livonia Mayor Jack Kirksey, and the president of the Chamber of Commerce. The event begins at 12 p.m. and free spinal exams and scoliosis screenings will be offered throughout the day.

Kramer Chiropractic is located at 33481 Eight Mile Road, Livonia, (248) 615-1533.

New surgical procedure

In July, Dr. Samir Dabbous became the first physician at Oakwood Hos-pital & Medical Center-Dearborn to use a revolutionary closure system, post interventional catheterization. The system is now being used by all interventional cardiologists.

Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center-Dearborn is only the second hospital in the state and one of only 35 hospitals in the nation to begin using the "Perclose" system.

This system allows an artery to be sutured closed after an intervention, regardless of thrombolytic therapy or elevated coagulation times. Without this system, patients must have a sheath left in for several hours until coagulation times are brought to normal, then the sheath is pulled and manual pressure held to stop bleeding.

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Focus on the patient

Today pharmacists focus on protecting patients, Stevenson said adding that written information about prescriptions is important, too. In fact, the Food and Drug Administration has set a goal that more written information will be provided with prescriptions within the next four years. Likely, the burden will be carried jointly by pharmaceutical companies, pharmacies and other medical professionals.

"We do know that verbal counseling with written information is the best method and more effective than either one alone," Stevenson said. Pharmacists are also there to protect patients by weeding out good and bad information provided by pharmaceutical companies.

But, don't believe everything you read or hear. One recent study on drug ads found that an astounding 92 percent didn't meet FDA standards for fairness, accuracy and balance. During the last 15 years you may have noticed that pharmacists are aggressively becoming involved in determining the appropriateness of medications and calling

A pharmacist at a Livonia chain store pharmacy, who asked not to be identified, said he wishes he had more time to spend with patients. "The only problem is when we do a quantity of prescriptions there is no way you can have time to do that," he said.

It's "very seldom" that he has time to meet with patients. But, there are rigid reviews of interactions with medications and patients are immediately notified if one is found. Customers "constantly" ask him for medical advice and if he has the answer he makes suggestions.

Respected referral

"If it's minor I do, but if it's beyond my scope of course I refer them to the physician," he said. Pharmacists could be freed up to do more patient

order prescriptions started to become more popular about one decade ago and have grown in acceptance. But, there isn't the same opportunity for patients to see and talk with pharmacists. Some mail-order companies do, however, offer computerized patient records that flag hazardous drug interactions; overnight delivery for an extra charge and 24-hour information hot-lines for patients' questions.

Another change underway among pharmacists is their own education requirements. Currently in Michigan the minimum requirement is a bachelor of science degree in pharmacy with two years preprofessional study and three years in the college of pharmacy. Most schools are revamping their curriculum, or have already changed, from the bachelor of science degree to six-year doctorate of pharmacy degrees. Candidates must also pass a board exam to be licensed.

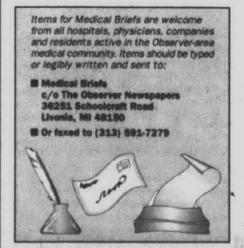
Beyond education and federal laws, one key to improving the pharmacist's relationship with patients is to make sure he has time to review prescriptions with customers.

"My interaction with customers isn't what I'd like it to be," the Livonia pharmacist said. "I'd like to talk to the customers more. It's going in that direction."

Establishing good nutrition begins at home

It's back-to-school time and here's something else for parents to worry about: Clearly, kids aren't big on reading nutrition labels. Left to their own devices, the average child's diet would resemble one designed by a vending machine company: a high-fat, highsugar, high-cholesterol, fast-food smorgasbord void of any real nutritional. value. In other words, their idea of a good meal is a sixth-grader's dream and a nutritionist's nightmare.

And your kids may be fending for themselves more than you like to think. The fact is, because many homes are headed by parents who work full-



time, kids usually select most of what they consume. As a result, one out of every five American children is severely overweight. How do parents find the time and energy to establish healthy eating guidelines for their children?

"Establishing good nutrition for a lifetime begins early and at home," says Botsford's Health Development Network registered dietitian Gale Cox. Cox reminds parents that, first and foremost, they are their children's role models when it comes to eating just as in everything else. Parents can help their children learn healthy eating by setting a good example by:

eating breakfast every day and having your kids do the same

teaching them that there are no 'banned foods' - just some you eat in moderation

making your house a 'good food zone' by having a bowl of fresh fruit of the kitchen counter, washed and cut celery and carrot sticks in the fridge and whole-wheat (not white) bread on hand for sandwiches and toast

not having high-fat, high calorie foods (chips, candy, soda) around the house; and eating healthy snacks (fresh/dried fruit; air-popped popcorn, vegetable sticks, low-fat yogurt)

'It's true that, for the most part, your kids will eat what you eat," said Cox. "But also remember that when they're younger, children do not have fully place on Sept. 25 at 7 p.m. at HDN, formed taste buds and may shun certain foods that they will love eventual-

Most kids like fruit and a wide variety of vegetables - including green beans, corn, carrots, cucumbers and red and green peppers, Cox notes, but don't push particular foods if you know they don't have the acquired taste for them, yet. For example, a lot of kids just don't like cauliflower and peas, probably because they don't think they have that much flavor. By serving children healthful foods they prefer, Cox says you'll be training your children from an early age to see food as not just nourishment but a source of enjoyment

And finally although every family seems to be eating on the run these days - try to eat at least one meal together every day. Eating with your children fosters a healthy attitude toward food as well as creates good occasions to catch up with one another. Learning to enjoy family time, the art of conversation and even table etiquette are priceless gifts you can give to your children.

For parents who would like to know more about the nutritional care and feeding of their kids, there's a special session in the HDN Healthy Cooking series in September. The session takes 39750 Grand River Ave., in Novi. The fee is \$6 and preregistration is required. For more information call Botsford Hospital or the HDN at (248) 477-6100.

Seeing more clearly

In this age of computers, fine print and harsh lighting, it's no wonder we all end up with tired eyes once in awhile. Unfortunately, eye-strain is a by-product of the computer generation. But, according to Kamal Gupta, M.D., an ophthalmologist on the staff of Oakwood **Hospital Annapolis Center-**Wayne, it only takes a short break to avoid eye strain.

"People should take five-minute breaks to rest the eyes about once an hour," said Gupta. "Fluorescent light, the kind found in most offices today, can also be harsh on eyes."

Other suggestions include purchasing a desk lamp with regular light bulbs; wear safety glasses if you work in a hazardous area where. glass or flying plastic is common; also, beware of bright flashes of light or sparks. These can be just as damaging to the vision.

HEALTH News

HEALTH NEWSMAKERS

Renaissance Home Health Care in Oak Park.

Managed Care Nurses and sits on its membership committee.

New VP

Oakwood Healthcare Inc. is

with over 15 years of experience in heatlhcare human resources.

He will be responsible for all aspects of human resources leadership including further integrating compensation and benefits programs, building a common Oakwood culture, enhancing support programs and other resources initiatives.

Community liaison

Mary Lou Susami, R.N., has joined the Community Relations Department of Personal Home Care Services, Inc., a New Baltimore-based home health care agency, as community liaison. She is responsible for educating physicians, hospital staff, assisted living facility/nursing home administrators about home health care. Susami's territory includes Wayne, Washtenaw, Monroe and Lenawee counties. A Livonia resident, Susami had previously worked for

She has over 20 years of home health care experience. She is a member of the Association of

pleased to announce the appointment of John Furman to senior vice president of Human Resources

Furman will join Oakwood

Camp helps children with bereavement, support

Though the last campfire of the 1997 Explorer Camp has been extinguished, a warm glow remains in the hearts of those who attended the weekend bereavement camp last month

Items for Medical Newsmakers are

welcome from throughout the

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There were 30 children, 13 moms, four dads, two grandmothers and 25 volunteers attending the second annual camp which was cosponsored by the Livonia-based Angela Hospice and the Karmanos Cancer Institute. Campers spent time getting to know one another, sharing experiences about their loss, and participating in activities that were both healing and fun.

"Explorer Camp is unique because it works with the entire family system," said Leslie Feret, a pediatric social worker at Angela Hospice. "At camp, feelings that family members may have viewed as unacceptable are normalized and expressed. When the family leaves camp, they have 'permission' to talk more openly."

Taking place on the wooded

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> Leslie Feret pediatric social worker

grounds of Camp Tamarack, near Holly, traditional camp fare such as hayrides, swimming, fishing, arts and crafts, and singing songs provided an outlet for energy. There was also bereavement therapy, movement and dance, and an ask the nurse" session offered at the bereavement camp.

"Adults thoroughly enjoyed talking with others who could identify

with their pain and speak openly about challenges their daily life presents while the grieving process is ongoing," said Wendy Winkler, a pediatric registered nurse at Angela Hospice.

"Kids rated the camp excellent and seemed to feel safe knowing they were with other kids who shared a similar loss," Feret said. "Parents found the weekend to be relaxing and liked the individual counseling and learning coping strategies.

The weekend at Camp Explorer can be summed up most eloquently in the words of the young camper, Kevin Gasson, 7. "I like Explorer Camp and I liked the good things to eat the great things to do. I really, really liked camp and also there is great love between me and my grandma."

Angela Hospice offers a wide variety of quality programming for individuals, parents, children and adults. For more information about programs at Angela Hospice of Livonia, call (313) 464-7810.



Togetherness: Matthew, 2, and brothers Michael, 3, and Keith, 6, take on a submarine sandwich during a lunch break at the Angela Hospice Explorer Camp. The boys attended the weekend bereavement camp with their parents last month.

Items for Medical Datebook 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 Datebook, c/o The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, 48150 or faxed to (313) 591-7279.

source of nutrition. To learn more about herbs, attend SANT's lecture when Dr. Eugene Watkins will be speaking about the medicinal use of herbs. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. in the Holistic Health Center in Livonia located at 29200 Vassar in Livonia Pavilion, Suite 140. (Across the street from the Livonia Mall).

MEDICAL DATEBOOK

(313) 458-4330.

TUES, SEPT. 16 STROKE AND ANEURYSM

A support group for those who have had or have a cerebral aneurysm or stroke will meet at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster. Family members and friends are welcome. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-4396.

WED, SEPT. 17 **PROSTATE SCREENING**

University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center is offering a free prostate cancer screen, including universally recognized PSA blood test, in the evening in Livonia. Screening recommended for all men over 50, and all African-American men over 40, or men with a family history. Exams take 10 minutes or less. Must schedule with Cancer Answer Line nurses 9-4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at (800)

865-1125. Livonia screening is held at the U-M Center for Speciality Care, 19900 Haggerty. STUTTERING SUPPORT

Henry Ford Hospital's Division of Speech-Language Science and Disorders will host a support group for people who stutter from 6:30-8 p.m., at the hospital's Center for Rehabilitation Services, located at 2799 W. Grand Blvd. The support group was formed to offer participants speaking practice, social activities and mutual support. At the meeting, Alex Johnson, Ph.D., director of the division will discuss "Getting Started in Conversation." For more information

call, 876-4605.

STEM CELL/CORD BLOOD Oakwood Healthcare System's Cancer Center of Excellence and the University of Michigan's **Comprehensive Cancer Center** will host a symposium on Stem Cell and Cord Blood Transplantation: Current Status and Future Directions from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Dearborn Inn, 20301 Oakwood Blvd.,

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Call it the "People's Medium." That's what the Internet's World Wide Web has become, a place where the traditional media gatekeepers in radio, television and print, are being bypassed by

a new generation of consumers who go online for their news MIKE and entertainment.

I am absolutely convinced it is the biggest information revolution the world has ever seen and its long-term effects will

forever alter the way we all stay informed. We saw it most recently and dramatically in the way the Net covered the death of Princess Diana. More than 200

Web sites sprang up, many linking to the established online news sites like CNN (www.cnn.com), MSNBC (www.msnbc.com) and the New York Times (www.nytimes.com). In the early morning hours after news of the Saturday night Paris accident broke, people did more than just tune in the cable TV shows. CNN's Web site counted more than 1.3 million "hits," or visits in the first 24 hours.

I set up a comment area on my PCMike Web site (www.pcmike.com) and, in three days, more than 2,000 people posted messages expressing their sadness over Diana's death, their anger

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memorial. Some posted prayers, poems, songs and pictures, too. Consider this: Since the New York

Times set up its online edition, more people (1.7 million) have registered to surf the paper's . Web site (www.nytimes.com) than subscribe (1.1 million) to the printed edition.

Ever expanding

In fact, so many people are now moving to the Web as both an entertainment and news source that it's causing some serious worries among traditional broadcasters. A current study by Bates USA Media Research reports that Internet users watch from 32 to 23 percent less TV than other Americans. Pam O'Connell is an expert on this

new medium called the Net. She is the "guide," or online host, for a Web site (personalweb.miningco.com) that chronicles the personal ways people are using the Internet. "The death of Princess Diana was a

watershed event for the World Wide Web," says O'Connell. "The online response was so strong that the entire Internet was actually slowed because so many people went online to either read about it or offer their thoughts." It is that interactive characteristic

that makes the Web so popular, she says, "The Web offers news-on-demand. People don't have to wait for the anchor or the editor to give them what they think is important. On the Web, all the

at the tabloid press and their calls for a information is there, much more than the legendary and still-missing Teamcan be contained in any single newspaper or news broadcast. When you add the fact that anyone can be a publisher on the web, you have a mass media force that is unprecedented."

O'Connell estimates that at least 4 million people have set up personal Web sites on the Internet. Many are of online diaries or journals. Other folks use the Web to collect and disseminate information on hobbies, from aquariums (http://www.fishlinkcentral.com/pubaqua.htm) to amateur zoology (http://www.museum.state.il.us/isas/zoo links.html).

Check it out

One great example: Jack-O-Lantern.com (www.jack-o-lantern.com) is run by a suburban Detroit man named Steve Frey. Frey likes to carve pumpkins. In fact, he's really good at it. So, last year, he set up a Web site to share his pumpkin designs. So many people logged in that he produced a video on how to carve the perfect pumpkin. Then he started selling candles and supplies through the site.

He had no idea it would become a business. "I wanted to create a site that can be enjoyed, and used by everyone," says Frey, amazed at the reception. He's now branching out, also using the site to demonstrate ways to carve and decorate ... watermelons.

Personal Web sites can have tremendous impact. Just ask Jim Hoffa, son of

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ster boss James R. Hoffa. When Hoffa supporters cried foul last winter about the way current Teamster boss Ron Carey handled fundraising in a hotly contested election that saw him narrowly defeat Hoffa, no one in the traditional media paid any attention at all.

So, a 53-year-old truck driver from Cherry Hill, N.J. set up a Web site (www.hoffa96.com).

"I never gave up, never stopped believing," says Dan Howell, Jr. "It's either a fault or a virtue, but when I feel I'm on the ' right' side, the devil himself can't blow out the flame."

For months, Howell hammered away, posting letters, documents, reports and files showing questionable Carey campaign finances. Finally, in May, some east coast newspapers grudgingly looked into the charges. Soon, the online allegations were main stories in the Wall Street Journal, The Boston Globe, and The Washington Times.

Last month, a federal judge ordered a new Teamster election, citing the very allegations the Hoffa Web site had been raising since last December.

"I feel the Internet and e-mail are the tools of the future for anyone who wishes to fully and effectively get their message out," says the truck-driving grandfather Webmaster.

"I grew up during what was supposed to be the 'Age of Aquarius.' It was only the precursor of the true age of understanding - the Computer Age.

On the horizon

The big Internet news story last week was the purchase of CompuServe by America Online. With CompuServe's 2.6 million subscribers added to AOL's customer base, the online service will be the main Internet access source for almost 12 million people. That, by any stretch of the imagination, is mass media.

But Ted Leonsis, the man in charge of content for AOL, says that's just the start. His company expects to have 50 million subscribers within the next five years. Worldwide, projections are that the Internet audience will reach close to 200 million by the 2002

"As we were a TV generation of kids, my son will be a Web generation kid," Leonsis said

It's my hope that in the weeks ahead, you'll find this column an enjoyable, intriguing and informative non-"geekpeak" means to tap into the "People's Medium."

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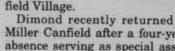
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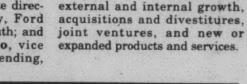
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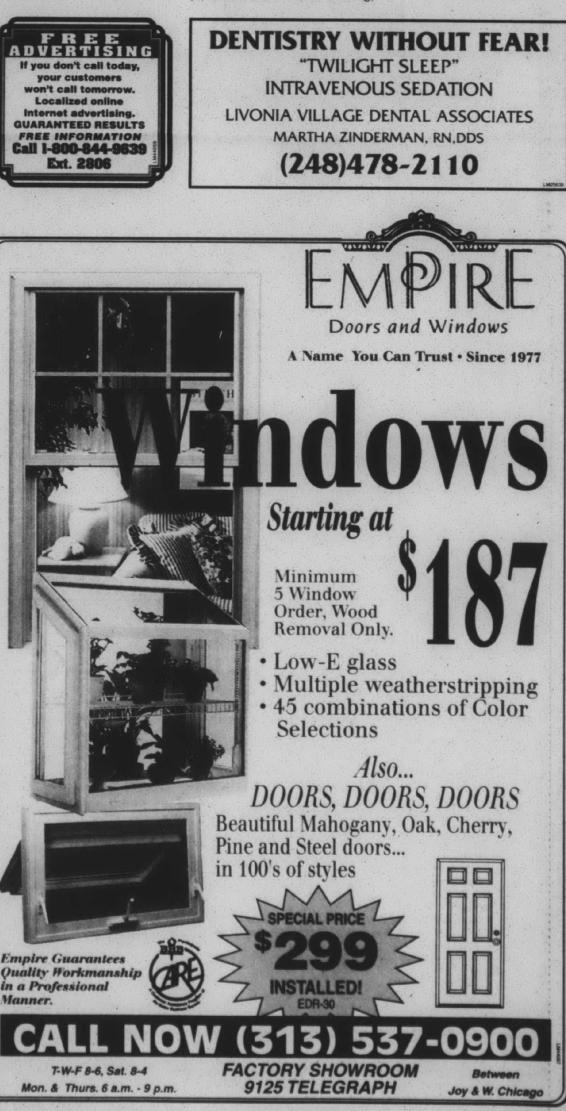
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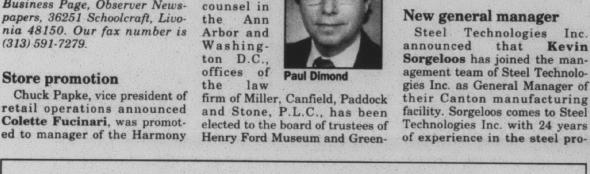
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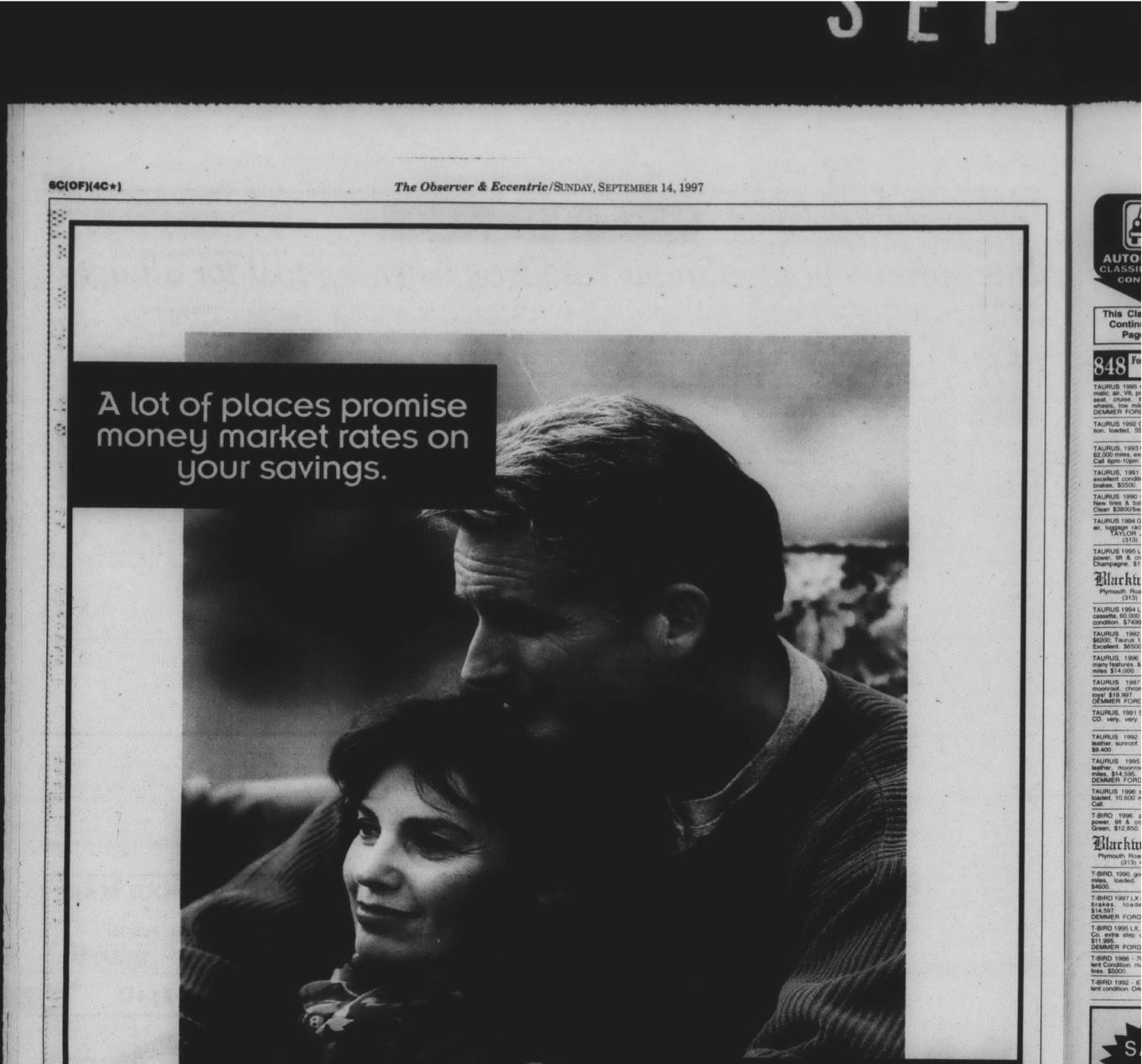
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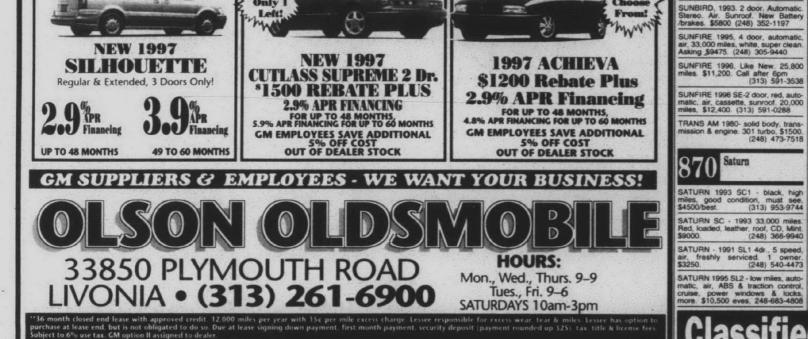
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Travel



LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Classes lead children in merry dance

arents often wonder, how young is too young for a child to take dance lessons?

According to Michelle Orow, coordinator of the Wayne State University Dance Lab, the concepts of the art form can be experienced even before birth. Orow believes she instilled a love for dance in her 5-1/2-year-old daughter Alexandria before she was born. Alexandria was about 3 years old when Orow began working with her to teach basic movement and improvisation

"I danced when I was pregnant," said Orow of Garden City resident. "I think the rhythm and movement first effected her then. Later, when she was about 3, she experienced her body in a different way as she began to dance. She learned the concept of the rain cycle and floating as we pretended to be clouds. Plus, she was exposed to music she might not hear otherwise.'

Orow is one of the dancers teaching Wayne State University Dance Lab classes in creative movement, dance fundamentals, men's modern/jazz, and African dance beginning Saturday, Sept. 27. Open dance classes at the Detroit Festival of the Arts Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 20-21 will allow prospective students to experience creative movement before signing up for the sessions.



Opera Favorites: (From left) Greg Galla, Dino Valle, Valerie Yova, Quinto Milito, and Charles Greenwell will join the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra for an afternoon of opera at the Italian-American Club in Livonia. Here, they rehearse with Dearborn Symphony pianist Jacqueline Csurgai-Scmitt.

Opera singers opt for the masses

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN

Once a passion of the rich and elite few, opera has come a long way toward becoming accessible to the masses thanks to the efforts of opera singers such as Dino Valle and the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan.

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra warms up for their 1997-98 sea-

from La Traviata. In addition to the concert, there will be an exhibit of rare opera posters from Zaretti's private collection.

"There's a phenomena happening now," said Valle. "A symphony orchestra cannot exist without including an operatic program at one time during the season. Opera has increased in popularity because boy in Rome, Italy. He studied voice at the Detroit Institute of Musical Art and Madonna University shortly after coming to America at age 18. Valle has performed with the Dearborn Symphony under the direction of Leslie Dunner and for Pope John Paul II in Vatican City. He continues to sing at dinner-operas, the most recent in Windsor and in special per-

Plymouth Symphony Orchestra 1997-98 season

Tickets: For individual concerts range from \$8 to \$12, discounts for students and senior citi-zens. Season tickets \$110 adults, \$100 seniors/college students, \$64 children through 12th grade, call (313) 451-2112. Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan presents "Opera Favorites"

4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21 - Italian-American Club, Livonia

Crub, Livonia Guest conductor: Charles Greenwell Tickets: \$15 per person, \$25 for concert, after-glow. Call (313) 953-9724. If Grand Opening – 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 18, Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium Guest conductor: David Katz. Violin soloist: Centfrey Apples de



Creative movement: Michelle Orow teaches children to move creatively in classes at Wayne State University in Detroit, the Maplewood Community Center in Garden City, and as part of the Wayne-Westland Schools continuing education program at John Glenn High School in Westland.

Orow will also teach classes for children (ages 3-10) in creative movement beginning Monday, Sept. 15, at the Maplewood Community Center in Garden City, and Thursday, Oct. 2, at John Glenn High School as part of the Wayne-Westland Schools continuing education program.

So how do you teach a 3-year-old to dance?

"You first teach them their body parts, then movements like skipping, walking and running, how to experience big and small and fast and slow," said Orow. "We're trying to have them experience creative movement, learn basic skills: the what (in your body is moving), how (it moves in space) and where your body is moving. You're also developing their visual awareness by asking them to watch clouds and asking how does it feel to be a cloud, floating."

Instructors play classical, new age and ethnic music during the classes which are conducted barefoot. Sometimes, props such as scarves, are used to draw pictures in the air.

"Classes are held in bare feet so you can feel the floor," said Orow. "It helps children with their balance. Dance uses one of the most personal instruments. It's a form of art that can be applied to everything else. They experience music, they can create pictures There are no rights or wrongs. Children are allowed to do it without being wrong. Dance is a good selfesteem builder. It builds coordination, muscle development and the awareness of people and things around them."

Just as scientists explore and experiment in their laboratories, the Dance Lab was started 30 years ago at Wayne State to explore and experiment with creative movement.

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son in a performance with the Verdi Opera Theatre at the Italian-American Club in Livonia Sunday, Sept. 21. Charles Greenwell, WQRS radio personality, will guest conduct the program of Rossini, Verdi, Puccini, and Mozart. This is the third year the Verdi Opera Theatre has performed with the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra.

A second joint concert, "The Three Baritones: Metropolitan Opera Legend," is scheduled for Nov. 9 at Orchestra Hall. See accompanying chart for information on the new PSO season.

This is the fourth annual concert by the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan, a nonprofit opera organization founded in 1988 by Valle (artistic director) and John Zaretti (president) of Canton. Once again due to popular demand, the audience will be invited to sing Verdi's famous drinking song, the "Brindisi" chorus of television. It can reach millions of people and is no longer a snobbish art like at the turn of the century."

The sound of opera singers permeated Valle's quiet Dearborn neighborhood on a gray day last week. One by one the singers strolled in for rehearsal with guest conductor **Charles Greenwell and Jacqueline** Csurgai-Scmitt, pianist for the Dearborn Symphony.

The Verdi Opera Theatre of Michi-gan is comprised of local performers engaged by Valle who handles the music, promotion and hiring of about 40 singers a year for the Verdi Opera Theatre. Tenor Greg Galla of Farmington Hills; soprano Valerie Yova, Royal Oak; baritone Quinto Milito; and Valle will perform with the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra on Sept. 21.

Valle, who performed at DePalma's restaurant in Livonia for eight years, sang his first song as an altar

formances at The Community House in Birmingham. He also hosts the Verdi Classical Radio Program heard 6-7 p.m. Sundays on WPON AM 1460.

Galla began singing about 30 years ago. He met Valle 25 years ago while studying singing at the Art Center Music School in Detroit. He thinks it's interesting to note that opera has been entertaining audiences since the 1600s with its combination of vocal and instrumental music, chorus, acting, scenery and costumes

"I love singing opera," said Galla. "Opera is very dramatic, it's about romance and joy, tragedy and grief, a whole gamut of emotion."

Greenwell is no stranger to the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra. He conducted the orchestra for a year about 10 years ago. If you're a seri-

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Geoffrey Applegate Program: Copland's "Appalachian Spring," with

music by Sinding, Schubert, and Elgar The Three Baritones: "Metropolitan Opera Legend" - 3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 9, Orchestra Hall, Detroit

Guest artists: Pablo Flyira, baritone: Ouinto Milito, baritone; Dino Valle, baritone; Peter Soave,

Nutcracker – 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 12; 3 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 13-14, Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium

Guest artists: Plymouth Canton Ballet Company Chamber Concert – 8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Plymouth Canton High School Little Theater Guest artist: Youth Artist winner

Program: PSO chamber works Family Concert - 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 21, Belleville High School Auditorium and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 22- Plymouth Salem High School

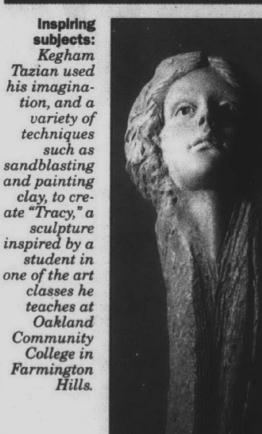
Auditorium Guest artists: Gemini and Youth Artist winner Double Your Pleasure - 8 p.m. Saturday, April 4, Novi High School Auditorium

Guest soloists: Pianists Joseph Gurt and Michael Gurt

Program: "Mysterious Mountain" by Hovhaness; Poulenc's Concerto for Two Pianos in D Major;

and Prokofiev's Symphony No. 5 Pops – 6 p.m. Friday, April 17, Laurel Manor, Livonia. Dinner followed by concert. Program: Themes from Great Movies and Shows

EXHIBITION



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Artist avoids playing it safe

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN STAFF WRITER

Kegham Tazian uses a variety of techniques, mediums, materials, and found objects to create a visual diary influenced by his Armenian heritage and the more than 20 years he spent growing up in Beirut, Lebanon.

Tazian, a professional artist and art professor at Oakland Community College in Farmington Hills for 30 years, thought exhibiting his paintings and sculpture in the Livonia Civic Center Fine Arts Gallery would give his work exposure. Tazian is well known for his art work nationally and internationally. Some of his more recent public commissions include the Siemann's International Corp. in Troy; St. Sarkis Armenian Church, Dearborn; and the 125th anniversary sculpture for the city of Farmington. In 1995, he received the Artistin-Residence Award from the Farmington Area Art Commission.

A lack of galleries in the western Wayne county area is forcing local artists to seek out-of-the-ordinary venues to achieve recognition close

Kegham Tazian

What: An exhibition of painting and sculpture

When: Through Tuesday, Sept. 30. Opening reception to meet the artist is 2-4:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14. Exhibit hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, until 5 p.m. Friday Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. Where: Livonia Civic Center Library Fine Arts Gallery, 32777 Five Mile Road east of Farmington.

to home. The Livonia Arts Commission is one of the organizations helping artists by hosting exhibits at Livonia City Hall and the Civic Center Library.

"I've never had an opportunity to show in Livonia before," said Taz-ian, a Farmington Hills resident. "This gallery is pretty nice and allows me to show a mix of media. Most galleries restrict you to a specific media or subject matter."

Sandblasted clay, bronze, and mixed media incorporating metal drippings from factories give strength to the women appearing frequently in Tazian's work. Nearly

all of the imagery comes from his imagination. In one of the newest works, "The Journey," Tazian uses color to draw the viewer's attention to a veiled female figure. In the background, a child and a man, rendered in sepia tones, speak of the woman's life as if the two were a part of her past.

"The veil has that mystery, what's behind the veil, but also what does the person see who's looking out from behind it," said Tazian. "It has a little bit of past, present and a hint of the future from both sides of the veil.'

In the process of picking up a hunk of clay, Tazian is struck by its resemblance to a rock. From there, he sculpts the material into a "Twisted Figure." The result is a sculpture of a woman who seems to be emerging from a boulder.

"I don't like to sit down and do a person," explained Tazian. "I find that limiting. In painting, sculpture or drawing, I identify with an archaeologist who goes digging and comes across something tangible. I

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ous opera lover, the Sept. 21 concert is one you won't want to miss. The only non-operatic selection on the program is an encore of the Irish classic "Danny Boy" which was requested by Dick Scott of Dick Scott Dodge, sponsors of the concert.

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"There is nothing at all light about this program of Italian opera," said Greenwell. "This is a difficult program for orchestra, particularly the strings."

Yova has been singing professionally for the last 30 years. Valle secured the her first engagement in the area when she moved here seven years ago. She sang for a year at DePalma's Restaurant with Valle. Milito has sung since he "was a little boy and is still waiting for a big break."

Valle and other members of the Verdi Opera Theatre aim to encourage and develop an appreciation for the music of Giuseppe Verdi and other composers of

opera and popular music for the theater by presenting concerts, workshops, and dinner-theater performances. Principals of the Verdi Opera Theatre have also brought this dramatic form of music to Meadow Brook Hall in Rochester; Marquis Theater. Northville; and the Sicilia Club, Windsor. Programs at schools, including John Glenn High School and Adlai Stevenson Junior High in Westland, and Plymouth-Canton High School, are meant to instill a love of

opera in the young.

"We want to promote opera, classics and the music of other composers in addition to Verdi," said Valle. "It's all part of our outreach to promote opera and also to create jobs for our colleagues and our self, to create goodwill and friendship among all people through opera. The music is so beautiful, it hits your heart. It touches you.'

like accidents to be part of the finished product. It gives me traces of mystery which I like to nurture in my work because reality is dead end."

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A hub cap and piece of driftwood were the starting point for a bronze sculpture titled "The Conflict." Here, Tazian debates the dilemma of man versus the environment by asking, "can you have progress without tampering with nature." In another work, a crushed oil pan from a car becomes the mold for a plump lady's dress, executed in raku.

"I don't set boundaries when I do art. Twenty-four hours a day I do art," said Tazian. "I see it in an oil pan. That's the only way you can excel at it. Art is like eating, sleeping and breathing; it's part of me. That's why I don't limit myself to a medium. You can't be so safe to be stymied in your art. Those are the chances

you have to take."

Tazian recently spent two weeks in Lebanon. He expects the visit to influence his work in . the future.

"I went to Beirut to visit family and see what the war had done to this wonderful country,' said Tazian. "I hadn't been back in 20 years. Twenty-five years of war had ravaged it. My visit showed me a completely different country. It's hopeful that the war has ended. Beirut is considered to be one of the world's largest construction sites, still it's a beautiful country."

Born in 1938, Tazian immigrated to America from Lebanon in 1960. Seven years later he graduated from Wayne State University with a master of fine arts degree. He's been teaching ever since.

"Teaching is as important as doing my art," said Tazian. "You'd like to think you affected

Buckwitz will cover the basic

properties of dance movement

and introduce concepts of space,

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ative movement in classes at the

Wayne State University Dance

"No one has to teach a 3- to 5-

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people's lives, that a student might go into art that might not otherwise. Often, the classroom can act as a springboard for my art. I wouldn't want to do just art, something would be missing. I like the duality, coming across students who are doing exciting work."

Some of the works in the show were created on computer, a new medium for Tazian. Others were scanned into the computer after they were painted. Tazian hopes to eventually bring what he learns about computer art to the classroom for students to use as a tool.

"I like the time aspect; I don't have to wait for paint to dry," said Tazian. "It's very spontaneous. It will not replace my traditional way of doing things, but I may use it as a vehicle in teaching, to show how changing a color might affect another

teach them new words. I've had

parents tell me it develops their

children's thinking. From my

perspective, they're learning,

socializing, developing and

becoming more aware of their

Over the years, Linda Buck-

witz has been involved in skiing

and skate boarding but has

always returned to dance. She

began teaching children the art

color. It's a bridge from the traditional to the contemporary."

most Tazian's recent accomplishments include an exhibit at the Armenian Embassy in Washington, D.C., and the unveiling of a 16-foot sculpture at Oakland Community College in Farmington Hills on Sept. 9. Not to be missed in the exhibit at the Livonia Civic Center Library is a large-scale. mixed-media work titled "Wind-Blown Scarf." Tazian uses Styrofoam as his canvas. The material was removed from the college's ceilings during renovations.

"I hope people will spend some time looking at the work," said Tazian. "Art just stands still. It's what the person seeing it brings to it. All art is a matter of interpretation: who we are, what we are, what kind of a day we've had before we've looked at the work."

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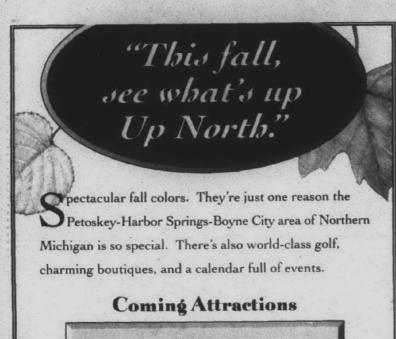
"It's the only form of activity that you don't need any other equipment but your body," said Buckwitz. "I love dance because of the energy you feel when you're dancing. It's what I tell the children: when you dance, you can fly."

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"The dance lab explores creative movement as students are taught the basic root of movement," said Orow. "It should come before any other instruction because it shows how your

body moves in space. These children are exploring and experimenting on their own. They don't feel that sense of competition. They're creating. The men's modern/jazz class is





new this year. Although not teaching this class, Linda Buckwitz, a WSU dance department alumni and Redford resident, frequently encounters anxiety from parents, especially fathers, over whether to enroll their little boys in dance class. "I tell them they don't have to

become a dancer," said Buckwitz. "They could be a great athlete. Dancing helps develop their bodies.

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Visual art lovers will have Youth Artists Market sale has expanded to two days and features the work of 120 youngsters on Saturday and Sunday as part of the IBM Children's Fair. A visit to the "Splendors of Ancient Egypt" exhibition at the Detroit Institute of Arts during the festival will be complimented by a 50-ton Egyptian sand sculpture crafted by Sandscapes and sponsored by Detroit Edison. A special activity this year for youngsters is the Grand Arts Procession. Youngsters will be able to sign-up Saturday and Sunday to participate in the parade and wear colorful costumes and masks, many of which will be provided by the Central Pennsylvania Festival of the Arts. For more information or a festival schedule, call (313) 577-5088

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An Evening of Chamber Music

WILDERNESS PHOTOGRAPHY

LECTURE

Nature photographer Laura Little will display her work and lecture noon to 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the Benchmark, 32175 Grand River, near downtown Farmington between Orchard Lake and Farmington Roads. Call (248) 477-8116.

At 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. Little will talk about how the outdoor enthusiast can capture stunning nature shots through the use of a disposable panoramic camera and how to photograph nature through the use of reflections such as mirrors, puddles and windows. The Benchmark is an outdoor outfitter.

LOCAL ARTISTS MAKE GOOD

Livonia artists Yvette Goldberg, Audrey Harkins and Marge Masek and West Bloomfield artist Anna Helkowski will display several of their works Sept. 15 to Oct. 14 at the Novi Civic Center on 10 Mile west of Novi Road.

Harkins recently had one of her paintings of petunias published in a book by Rockport Publishers. "Painting Composition" is one of a series of four "Best of Watercolor" books available at bookstores.

MUSIC CLASSES

Discover more about the music program for young children (ages 1 1/2 to 5 years) at a Kindermusik open house 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the Livonia Music Conservatory, 16334 Mid-dlebelt. Call (313) 345-4737.

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16, auditions for "The 1940's Radio Hour." Performance dates: Nov. 7-8, 14-16, 21-23. For information, (313) 561-TKTS.

LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS

7:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 16 & 23, Frost Middle School on Stark Road. between I-96 and Lyndon, Livonia. Membership not restricted to Livonia residents. Sight-reading not a requirement. Call Dick or Ann Ruel, (13) 525-1447

BOY & GIRL SOPRANOS

7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 19 for role of Amahl in "Amahl and the Night Visitors. Preferred ages: 10-13. Prepare song or part of a song no longer than two minutes. Performances Dec. 27, 28 and January 3,4. Covenant Community Church, 25800 Student Street,

YOUNG ARTISTS

arts is looking for artists aged 8-18 to participate in the festival's Youth Artists' Market, Sept. 20-21. lection of drawings, paintings, sculpture and jewelry. Entry fee: \$8. For applications and information, (313) 577-5088

ART BANNER COMPETITION

Second annual art banner competition sponsored by the Detroit Festival of the Arts open to individuals. school groups and art professionals. Prize categories: professional, general and youth. Banners should be 72" in height and constructed with weather resistant fabric. Further guidelines available by calling (313) 577-5088. CHRISTMAS EXHIBIT

artists for 9th annual "Christmas at the Center," November 8-December 30. Entry deadline: Tuesday, Sept. 30. 206 Curwood Castle Drive, Owosso. Or call (517) 723-8354, 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday

Open to women who read music. Rehearsals on Monday evenings, Sept.-June. Auditions scheduled by appointment for 1997-98 season. (248) 642-321.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON BALLET CO. Open auditions for dancers. Fee: \$5.

- Company will perform "The Nutcracker" in mid December. 41333 Southwind, Canton; (313) 397-8828.
- Submit 200dpi file (or hardcopy). Deadline Oct. 1. Meteor Photo &

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AUDITIONS /CALL FOR ENTRIES

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Vivid colors: Robert Kidd Gallery presents "Oscar Lakeman: New Paintings." Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20. Exhibit runs through Oct. 15. 107 Townsend Street, Birmingham; (248) 642-3909.

JEWISH FOLK MUSIC

ANNIVERSARY OF ARMENIAN

6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14 featuring The Musical Theater Ensemble of Armenia directed by Artur Grigorian. Southfield Center for the Performing Arts, 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield, Tickets: \$20, adults: \$5, children under 14; (248) 552-8975/(248) 642-7950. UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY

4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21 Cecilia Bartoli, mezzo-soprano, Steven Blier, piano, I Delfici, strings. Performing Vivaldi, Schubert, Garcia, Delibes and Rossini. Tickets: \$20-\$60. Hill Auditorium, University of Michigan

campus, Ann Arbor; (313) 763-0611. MUSIC STUDY CLUB OF METRO DETROIT 1 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23, the

Euphonia Quartet, featuring Martha Windscheif, violin; Grace Brockett, violoncello: Angelina Pashmakova,

gallery artists, including Ed Fraga. Will Mentor, Jennifer Reeves, Robert Schefman, Tony Scherman and Michele Zalopany. 538 N. Old Woodward Avenue, Birmingham;

WEARLEY STUDIO GALLERY Through Sept. 20 - "Commemorative Objects" by Mary Douglas. Metalsmithing, woodworking and paintings. 1719 W. 14 Mile Road,

Through Sept. 21 - "The Polk Competition: Art and Technology."

217 Farnsworth, Detroit; (313 831-1250.

URBAN PARK

Through Sept. 22 - New Works by -Ray Rohr, 508 Monroe, Greektown/Detroit; (313) 963-5445.

DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET Through Sept. 24 - "Un-Defining ... Craft," coordinated by Kathy Dambach and Albert Young. 300 River Place, Suite 1650, Detroit; Nature and Structure," works by Marilynn Derwenskus and Barbara Freedman. 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester; (248) 651-3656.

- ANN ARBOR ART CENTER Through Oct. 5 - "Margins, Edges and Environments," works by Jay
- Constantine and Douglas Bulka. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004

SWANN GALLERY

Through Oct. 5 - "Latinos Out of Bounds," a group show. 1250 Library Street, Detroit; (313) 965-4826. SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE

CENTER AND GALLERY

Through Oct. 10 - Georges Rouault's "Miserere" series, July 11, 33 E. Adams on Grand Circus Park, Detroit. Continues through Oct. 10, hours 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, (313) 963-7575.

HILL GALLERY

Through Oct. 11 - "Donald Sultan/Recent Works." 407 W. Brown Street, Birmingham; (248) 540-9288.

REVOLUTION Through Oct. 18 - "Jim Chatelain: Works on Paper," and "Ron Nagle: New Sculpture." 23257 Woodward

Avenue, Ferndale; (248) 541-3444. SYBARIS GALLERY

- Through Oct. 18 "The Dream House: Exploration on Ornament and Pop Culture" by Beth Katleman, and Parameters to Parallels," works by Laurie Hall. 202 E. Third Street,
- Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388. THE ANDERSON GALLERY Through Oct. 30 - "Remnants," the works of Julie Wroblewski Tourtillotte
- and Rita Grendze. 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac: (248) 335-4611. THE MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY
- ART Through Nov. 1 - "The Wrong Show," recent social and political art gone awry. 23 W. Lawrence Street, Pontiac; (248) 334-6038.
- **PEWABIC POTTERY** Through Nov. 1 - The work of Susan Beiner. 10125 E. Jefferson Avenue. Detroit; (313) 822-0954.

COMMUNITY ARTS GALLERY Through Nov. 29 - "Contemporaries," the works of Nancy Spero and Leon Golub. Spero presents images of women from art history and mytholo-

gy. Golub's vivid paintings depict the psychology of dominance, violence. masculinity and fear. 4841 Cass Street, on the Wayne State University campus, Detroit; (313) 577-2423.

MUSEUMS

U OF M MUSEUM OF ART Through Sept. 28 - "Through the Looking Glass: Sculpture by Fred Sandback:" opens Sept. 7 -Sepphoris in Galilee: Crosscurrents of Culture: through Oct. 26 - The Body (Un) Veiled: Boundaries of the Figure in Early Modern Europe; opens Sent 22-Oct. 12 - "Powers That Be, 833-7900. Powers That Seem: African Art from e Curtis Collection." 525 S. State St., Ann Arbor: (313) 764-0395. DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM The Feminine Touch: Women in Ceramics," a collection of more than 100 pieces of ceramic pottery from 18th-20th centuries, Hours: 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday-Friday: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday. Admission: \$3, adults;'\$1.50, seniors; free, children under 12. 5401 Woodward (at Kirby), Detroit: (313) 640-1962. **DIA'S FABULOUS MONSTERS** Through Nov. 2 - "Fabulous Monsters: Fantasy Marionettes from the Paul McPharlin Collection, an exhibit of marionettes and rod puppets. Hours: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Oct. 1 deadline for manuscripts and Wednesdays-Fridays: 11 a.m.-5 p.m. poetry for critique by Detroit Women weekends

CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE

"Honey and Apples Festival" 1-4 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 27-28 & Oct. 4-5. 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills: (248) 645-3224.

BENEFITS

MICHIGAN JEWISH AIDS COALITION 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 29 at the Jewish Ensemble Theatre, special per formance of "Falsettos." Reserved tickets: \$35, 6600 W. Maple Road, Jewish Community Center, West

Bloomfield; (248) 594-6522. **ROCHESTER SYMPHONY GUILD** SHOWHOUSE

Proceeds from Oct. 3-27 designer showhouse will go to Rochester Symphony. Tickets: \$15 at door, \$12 in advance, VIP part on site Oct. Purchase tickets at Hepplewhites Fine Interiors, 210 W. University, Rochester; DMJ Interiors, 313 Main Street, Rochester; Limelight Music, 3220 Walton, Rochester Hills.

GALLERY TOURS

ROYAL OAK ART WALK

11th annual Art Walk 6 p.m.-10 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 17. Thirteen galleries included. \$3 donation to Royal Oak Arts council scholarship fund. (248) 544-4111.

PONTIAC ARTIST STUDIO TOUR

11 a.m. 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20. 2nd annual tour of studio space and galleries in Pontiac. Maps, shuttle bus stops and info for free tour available on day of event at 7. N. Saginaw. 40 W. Howard, 120 E. Widetrack (St Fredrick's School), Free parking, (248) 855-8910/(248) 851-3575.

LECTURES & MEETING

CRANBROOK SCIENCE MUSEUM

11 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 14 "The Magical World of Butterflies" present ed by Dr. Herb Wagner. \$8, members; \$10, nonmembers. 1221 N. Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 645-3259.

EARLY MILLS OF SE MICHIGAN

Noon Thursday, Sept. 18 lecture by Barbara Young on Michigan's early mills, how they operated and development in Milford, Information Technology Building, 1200 N. Telegraph Road, Pontiac; (248) 858-0415

ANCIENT EGYPTIAN ART

2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21, "Language and Image in Ancient Egyptian Art: Tradition and Transcendence in Maat," presented by Dr. Maulana Karenga, professor of black studies at California State University, 5200 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313)

(248) 642-6623. Royal Oak; (248) 549-3016. SCARAB CLUB

RECEPTIONS

CHRISTIE'S GALLERY The works of Paula Lombardo, Martinique Lin Whittaker and Scott Brazeau at 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18. 34649 S. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 594-5803. EUROPA GALLERY

6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18, "Harriet Tannin: 10 rare oils from 1960." 6335 Orchard Lake Road, Orchard

Mall, West Bloomfield; (248) 855-2160.

7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21 Laura Wetzler performs original and Jewish folk music in Hebrew, Yiddish, Ladino and English. Congregation Beth Abraham Hillel Moses, 5075 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 851-6880. GALLERY OPENINGS

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CREATIVE ARTS CENTER

Fall Classes begin Sept. 16-Nov. 9, including cartooning, drawing, arts and crafts, painting, multimedia, pottery. Adult classes include blues guitar, beaded jewelry, art and the masters, ceramics, Chinese painting, photography. 47 Williams Street,

Pontiac: (248) 333-7849. CLASSES WITH ARTIST KAREN HALPERN

Workshops with Bloomfield Hills artist in variety of media. Offered in Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, West Bloomfield, Ferndale and northern Michigan. (248) 851-8215.

CHRIS UNWIN WATERCOLOR WORKSHOPS

Friday-Sunday, Sept. 19-21 at Comfort Inn, Farmington Hills, 12 Mile & Orchard Lake. Paint florals, abstracts, landscapes. Fee: \$175. (800) 750-7010.

PIANO PROGRAM AT SCHOOLCRAFT

Piano Academy classes 60-minute group lesson and 30-minute private lesson, Fee: \$450, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia; (313) 462-4400. PCCA FALL CLASSES

Paint Creek Center for the Arts fall classes begin Sept. 15. Classes from 4 years old and up. 407 Pine Street, Rochester. To register. (248) 651-4110.

NEW DIMENSIONS IN FIBER

Printmaking, papermaking, bookbinding and basketry begins Thursday. Sept. 18 over 12 weekly sessions, 9 a.m.-noon. BBAA, 1516 Cranbrook Road; (248) 258-6816.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL

Art, music, theater classes begin week of Sept. 22. Classes from \$40. for all ages. 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth; (313-416-4278.

MS. MELONIE'S SCHOOL FOR PER-FORMING ARTS

Classes begin Sept. 15, open for students ages 3 and up. 543 main Street, Ste. 210, Rochester; (248) 783-7279.

PAPERMAKING

10 a.m.-noon Saturday, Sept. 20. "Handmade Papermaking Workshop" by Fran Krempasky in the Marcotte Room, Southfield Library, 26000 Evergreen; (248) 948-0460.

PAULA WAGER'S ART STUDIO

Classes in graphite, colored pencil, pastel, watercolor, gouache, acrylic and oil. All ages. Classes are ongoing. 3316 Greenlawn Avenue, Commerce Township; (248) 363-6326.

piano; and Claudia Hook, viola. Birmingham Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile Road; (248) 585-0146. LYRIC CHAMBER ENSEMBLE 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28,

"Gershwin Goes to Gai Paris," featuring performance by founder/artistic director Fedora Horowitz. Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 Woodward Avenue at Lone Pine; (248) 357-1111.

BRUNCH WITH BACH

Concerts through February at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Sept. 14 -Notre Dame Trio performs music of Martinu and Schubert. Tickets: \$21, adults; \$10, children (5-12); (313) 833-4005, 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit

OPERA

MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE'S "AIDA" "Aida" - 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20; 2

p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21; 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 24; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 26-27; 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28; 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 4; 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 5. Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway, Detroit; (313) 874-SING (7464) or (810) 645-6666

VERDI OPERA THEATRE OF MICHIGAN

3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28, featuring Huraman Kasimova, Fidan Kasimova, Dino Valle, Chingiz Sadykhov with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra. Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 421-1111, (313) 464-2741.

JAZZ, FOLK & POP

GOSPEL CONCERT

5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14, 20th annual concert of Detroit Area Youth Choir. 210 Hilton Street, Ferndale; (248) 414-3700.

TAMBURITZANS OF DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY

8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 in a concert portraying the culture of the East European peoples through folk music. Trenton High School Auditorium, Trenton. Tickets: \$15 adults; \$12 children. (313) 782-3929/(313) 675-1074.

JAZZ VESPERS

6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21 featuring James Dapogny. Downtown Birmingham, First Baptist Church, 300 Willits at Bates streets. Free. (248) 644-0550.

JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN GALLERY

"The Jew as Other: A Century of English Caricature, 1730-1830," and Looking Back: Moments in Time and Place" by Morris D. Baker, 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18-Oct. 30. Jewish, Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 661-7641.

MICHIGAN INTERIOR DESIGNERS & ARCHITECTS

Second annual champagne reception honoring Michigan interior designers and architects 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18. Robert Kidd Gallery, 107 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 642-3909

ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY

"David Delamare: A Retrospective," 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 19-Oct 25. Book signing 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20. 536 N. Woodward Avenue, Birmingham; (248) 647-7040.

CREATIVE ARTS CENTER

6 p.m. Friday Sept. 19-Oct 10, "Visible & Invisible." featuring Graciela Busos in a solo exhibit of her Latin heritage. 47 Williams Street, Pontiac; (248) 333-7849. B'HAM SOCIETY OF WOMEN PAINTERS

53rd annual Birmingham Society of Women Painters exhibit. Saturday. Sept. 20-Oct. 11. Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association, 1516 Cranbrook Road, Birmingham; (248) 646-0705 or (248) 879-9779.

SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY

"Jun Kaneko: New Ceramic Sculpture," 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 26-Nov. 8. 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 642-8250. INSIDE THE ARTIST'S WORLD Works by Tracy Gallup and Laurie

Eisenhardt 2 p.m. Sept. 27. Discussion with the artists. Southfield Public Library Marcotte Room. Must register, (248) 948-0470, Fee: \$5.

ON-GOING EXHIBITS

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Through Sept. 17 - "Colors of Summer, a group show of paintings, sculpture and glass. 107 Townsend Street, Birmingham; (248) 642-3909. DONNA JACOBS, GALLERY Through Sept. 20 - "A Sojourn in Egypt," artifacts from 1320 B.C., and

prints from early 1800s. 574 N. Woodward, Second Floor, Birmingham; (248) 540-1600. LEMBERG GALLERY Through Sept. 20 - New works by

(313) 393-1770. **B'HAM UNITARIAN CHURCH**

Through Sept. 26 - Realistic paintings by Dodi Sikevitz, 651 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills; (248) 647-2380

CELEBRATE MICHIGAN ARTISTS Through Sept. 26 - 11th annual exhibit organized by the Paint Creek Center for the Arts. 407 Pine Street, Rochester: (248) 651-4110.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE

Through Sept. 26 - Work of Christine Hagedorn and photographer J.H. Dozier. 8425 W. McNichols Road, Detroit; (313) 862-8000.

PAINT CREEK CENTER FOR THE ARTS

Through Sept. 26 -"MotherSculptin'Wifeypoo," solo show of Valerie Mann, winner of PCCA's 1996 Celebrate Michigan Artists competition. 407 Pine Street: (248) 651-4110.

AWRENCE STREET GALLERY

Through Sept. 27 - "Let the Season Begin" work by gallery artists, including acrylic, oil, watercolor, drawings. prints, pottery, ceramic, metal and bronze sculpture, jewelry and furniture. 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 334-6716.

SHAWGUIDO

Through Sept. 27 - Yun Dong Nam, a solo exhibit that "documents how close society comes to the limit of nature's tolerance, and perhaps demonstrate how one can reconnect to nature's spiritual and physical balance." 7 N. Saginaw Street, Pontiac: (248) 333-1070.

UZELAC GALLERY

Through Sept. 27 - 7 p.m. Friday. Sept. 5 "Sea Life Forms," sculptural paintings of Lyn Parker. Oakland Arts building, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 332-5257

WETSMAN COLLECTION

Through Sept. 27 - "European Jewelry Revisited," 132 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 645-6212.

OAKLAND SOCIETY OF ARTISTS

Through Sept. 30 - Summer 1997 Exhibit at the Oakland County Galleria, Hours: 9 a.m. 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. Second floor, Executive Office Building, 1200 N. Telegraph Road; (248) 683-8142. COMMUNITY ART GALLERY

Through Oct. 3 - 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 Wayne State Faculty Exhibit. 5400 Gullen Mall, on WSU campus; (313) 577-2423.

CARY GALLERY

Through Oct. 4 - "Two Views --

DIA'S "SPLENDORS OF ANCIENT EGYPT"

Through Jan. 4 - Mummies, pyramids and mysteries of Egypt. Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit, (313) 833-7900.

ART FAIRS FESTIVALS

DAYLILY ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW

10 a.m. 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14. Over 50 exhibitors show country wood & crafts, handcrafted jewelry, clothing, baskets, wreaths and floral arrangements, dolls and other crafts. Wiard's Orchards, 5565 Merritt Road. Ypsilanti; (313) 482-7744/(313) 971-7424

DETROIT FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS

11 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 20-21. Multicultural arts features over 130 visual artists. Wayne State University campus, Detroit: (313) 577-5088.

MEADOW BROOK THEATRE

Sixth annual "Spotlights Market" 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 & 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21. More than 100 artisans, culinary and gift exhibitors from Midwest. Gustafson Pavilion, Oakland University, Rochester, Admission: \$3. All proceeds to benefit Meadow Brook Theatre. (248) '370-3305; (248) 370-3318

ST. MARY'S PREP OKTOBERFEST

Bavarian food and refreshments and folk music. 6 p.m. midnight Friday. Sept. 26, noon-11:30 p.m. Saturday. Sept. 27, noon-8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28. St. Mary's Preparatory, 3535 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake (248) 683-1750.

ARTIST DONALD SULTAN

Premier of the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association's Captive Audience Lecture Series with a talk by internationally recognized artists Donald Sultan, whose work is in collections of Museum of Modern Art. the Metropolitan Museum of Art, DIA and others. 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 23. BBAA, 1516 Cranbrook Road, Birmingham: (248) 644-0866.

PAINTER AMANDA MILLER IN ANN ARBOR

Reception and lecture at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 24, Workbench Furniture, 410 N. Fourth Avenue; Ann Arbor: (313) 994-1438.

Writers for the 36th Annual Writers'

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tique, \$38 for workshop critique.

Both critiques conducted Friday.

FARMINGTON ARTISTS CLUB

October 18. Submission guidelines,

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Free. Bring own materials. (248) 661-

POETRY

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Pat Kearney 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14.

ART SALES

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The Southfield Pavilion Antiques

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Orser's story is gently told but ll-of adventure that is well capred in Seattle artist James ernardin's full-page illustraons.

Orser, director of the Birmingam Education Foundation, the nd-raising arm of Birmingham ublic Schools, and his wife, herese, have two children, enee, 10, and Nicholas, 7. First enee and then her classmates ot an early preview of the story. 'It took a while to get into

ok form and my daughter was uch younger when I first began read it to her, when there eren't any illustrations," Orser id. "She loved it, and I read it

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ORDERS (BIRMINGHAM)

"Basically Bats," a program by the Organization for Bat Conservation," 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the store, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (248)644-1515.

ORDERS (FARMINGTON HILLS) Support Days to benefit Leader Dogs for the Blind, Sept. 19-21. Presentation 11 a.m. Saturday Sept. 20 at the store, 30995 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills.

ORDERS (ROCHESTER HILLS) Karen Elizabeth Bush signs her children's book "The Cornerstone," 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15 at the store.1122 South Rochester Road, at Winchester Mall. (248)650-7179

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Elizabeth Berg reads and signs her book "Joy School" 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept: 17, at the store, 6800 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. (248) 626-6804

ARNES & NOBLE BOOKSELLERS OCHESTER HILLS)

Michael Moore signs and discusses his book "Downsize This," 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15, at the store 2800 South Rochester

remarkable how similar the choices they made were," Orser. said.

Since then, Orser has read his story at all eight Birmingham Schools and asked pupils to. draw illustrations.

"They were proud of their illustrations and began to identify with the illustrator," Orser said.

The illustrator was chosen by Northland Publishing, which publishes the Rising Moon children's books.

"They consulted with me, but it's their choice. I had complete confidence in the editor and art director and they picked a great illustrator," Orser said. "The original drawings were wonder-

Road. (248)853-9855.

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Ira Konigsberg, professor of film

and English at UM signs the new

Film Dictionary" 5-7 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 18; Nicholas

DelBanco signs and reads from

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p.m. Friday, Sept. 19; Michael

tour for "Downsize This," 6:30

p.m. Friday, Sept. 19 hosted by

Shaman Drum at the Michigan

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Dr. Charles K. Hyde will lecture

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Keepers" 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Moore hosts a showing of his new

film "The Big One" about his book

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this second theme. "The main theme is the power of cooperation, the creatures coming together to take on a challenge."

Orser is working on another book, this one aimed at slightly older children, late elementary to early middle school.

"It's about a little girl who follows a drawing she's done through her wastebasket and has adventures bizarre and wonderful," he said.

The publishers of "Dancing with the Wind" have provided a teacher's guide with a special emphasis on the environmental theme. Orser said he thinks the guide is "pretty cool" and is curious to see how elementary school teachers react.

> Tuesday, Sept. 16, (fee for admission, door prizes). He will also sign copies of his latest book "The Northern Lights: Lighthouses of the Upper Great Lakes" Internet demonstration 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 11 at the library, Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen Road, (810)948-0461.

LITERARY ROUND TABLE

City of Southfield Parks & Recreation sponsors a discussion of recent best sellers 7-9 p.m. Thursdays through Oct. 2, on Sept. 18, David Baldacci's "Total Control." For information, call (248)424-9022.

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"Glimpses Into the Works of Schubert, Mendelssohn and Brahms," exhibition of first and early editions from their works, continues through Sept. 20 (Monday through Friday 10 a.m. until 5 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. until noon) at Harlan Hatcher . Grad Library seventh floor. (313)764-9377.

HALFWAY DOWN THE STAIRS

Meet Marcy Walsh and her Crazy Science Presentation: Catch the (Sound) Waves (grades 1-3) 11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the store 114 E. Fourth St. Rochester 248-652-6066

WALDENBOOKS

Stephanie Mellen will sign and discuss her book "The Golden Angel." 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 at the store at Westland Mall, Westland.

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MOST WANTED MOST WANTED Him: seriously good-looking, professional SWM, H/W pro-portionate, active, with killer sense of humor. Me: pretty, slender, brunette SWPF, 40-something, great smile and heart, but clueless. Heip me locate this fugitive. \$5827

SOUTHERN LADY Widowed black Christian lady, 40 seeks Christian black male, 45-55, for friendship and laughter only, \$\$\$817

ABOVE AVERAGE, are you? 36, 5'81/2", 131lbs, polden-brown/green, single. I love heels and clogs too, Kensington to D.S.O. You are: 5'11"+ WM, college-educated, siender. I can laugh at my short comings, can you? 125645

PRETTY PROFESSIONAL Independent female, 34, 5'7", slim, long brown hair, enjoys sports, dining, darcing, traveling sports, dining, darcing, traveling Seeking thoughtful SW gentle-man, 30+, N/S. 25647

DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH Athletically built SBF, 34, physi-cally fit, seeks SWPM, 35-40, 6'2"+, fit and athletic, for dinners, movies, walks, etc. N/S, social drinker. **35**605

LOOKING FOR A HERO Cute, nice DWF, 35, 5'7', 126lbs, fun, down-to-earth. one son, N/S, enjoys jogging, biking, biking, concerts, travel. Looking for SWM, 35-49, who's fun, car-ing, financially secure, N/S, to enjoy life with. 375818

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SOMEONE SPECIAL DWF, 37, 5'9', attractive, N/S, one child, secure, serious interests, open, seeks honest, affectionate, financially secure S/DWM, 34-50, 5'9'+, N/S, \$\$75698

HI Protessional SWF, 27, who likes to: go camping, football games, concerts, the beach, and other fun stuff. Seeking someone who's silly and fun, values friendship, motivated and responsible. \$25470

LOOKING FOR FUN Seeking WM, 26-40, to share fun times with. If you want to know more leave a message, all calls answered. \$\$\pi 5471\$

ATTRACTIVE ASIAN Non-smoking AF, 36, seeks attrac-tive, health-conscious, dependent-free WM, 30-40, 5'9'+, for casual dating, possible LTR. **1**75378

HELLO FRIEND

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Easy on the eyes, N/S, social drinker, enjoys the better things in life such as theater, dancing, din-ing, travel, long walks, good con-versation. Seeking fail man, 55-65, 6'+, with similar interests. 15733

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LOOKING FOR SOMEONE? So am I. Attractive, sexy DWPF, doish, enjoy walking in my Nikes, or going to the theater in my heels. Seeking financially/emotionally secure, family-oriented DWM, 40-50ish, for serious LTR. 125543 WITHIN 10 WEEKS Psychic says I will meet Taurus, teacher/counselor with nice hair. Don't make me wait 10 weeks. Me: 5', blonde/green, 125/bs, health-conscious, N/S, social drinker, likes b lauxh cute and serve S/DWM to laugh, cute and sexy. S/DWM, 45-50 only. 175664

LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT SWF, 41, petite, blonde, single parent of one, seeks marriage-minded male, 42-46, that knows how to treat a lady. Must be hon-est and loyal. Give me a call. **T**5633 ATTRACTIVE FUN-LOVING Fit, active, professional SWF, 40, 57°, enjoys golf, tennis, travel, etc. In search of active professional, relationship-minded individual, SWM, 35–35, N/S. **1**5547

THAT CERTAIN CHEMISTRY Attractive, slim SWF, 5'6", blond/ blue, seeks attractive, muscular SWM, 37-44, 5'10"+, N/S. Emotionally and financially secure a plus. If you're fun, you might be the one. **17**5642

ETHNICITY UNIMPORTANT You're on my mind, but so very hard to find. Pretty DWF, 54, enjoys laughter and good con-versation, fine dining, occasional-ly casinos. Seeking SM, 45-65, for friendship and dating. 125549 LADY SPF, biracial, 46, full-figured, attractive, pleasant, enjoys trav-eling, jazz, concerts and movies. Seeking SM, 40-50, 6+, financially secure, race unimportant, for dat-ing, possible relationship. **17**5550

SMART MOUTH FEMALE

LOOK NO FURTHER DWF, late 30s, attractive, the ulti-mate "brat", with the devil in her eye. Would like to meet DWM, athletic type, who likes music, boating, and movies. Royal Oak area. \$25611

LOOKING FOR A FRIEND Tall, slim, (young 50), N/S, social drinker, professional likes golf, cross-country skiing, dining out, travel, would like to meet male with similar interests. Children ok. #5557 40s, petite, attractive, looks calm, scares easy. Nice truck, no prop-erty. Seeking 35+, tall, attractive, patient working guy. Friends first. No professionals, smokers, drinkers, overweight or Momma's boys. Salesmen ok. 175552 ok. \$5557

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ARE YOU FOR ME? SWF 37, 5'3", 135lbs, fairly attrac-tive, seeks WM, 36-55, to be hon-est, caring, loving, sincere, and mar-riage-minded, for happiness togeth-er. Must be financially secure. \$25511 SLEEPLESS IN LIVONIA DWF, 41, 5'5", bionde/hazel, full-figured, mom of two, N/D, N/S, enjoys dancing, playing cards, movies, easy listening music. Seeking tall, romantic, caring, trusting SM, 40-45. **1**5455

LOOKING 4 SOMEONE SPECIAL FUN, PROFESSIONAL DWF, 48, 5'3", 135lbs, enjoys most sports, golf, skiing, hockey, football, nature, travel. Seeking fun-loving, affectionate, kind, N/S WPM, 43-55, for LTR. **1**5514 SomeOver Spreak. Jown-to-earth, caring, giving, affectionate, sense of humor, easygoing, enjoys bingo, going for rides, dancing, shows, open to new things DWF, 5'1', blonde, nice-tooking. Seeking man 45-55. \$\$5475

OF MY STARS 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. \$25567 LOOKS UNIMPORTANT; BUT UNIMPORTANT; BUT intelligence, spirituality and heal-ing naturally are, and George Clooney look-a-likes are welcome. SW pretty, petite, youthful, non-smoking activist, 47, seeks non-prejudiced, politically left WM, 35-57, for fun, art, lectures, friend-ship/relationship. \$5726 CURVY CONTOURS

CURVY CONTOURS OWF, 40-something, copper-col-ored hair, N/S, social drinker, seeks gentieman, 6+, for romantic din-ners, weekend travel. Friendship first, possible LTR. \$\$2568 SOULMATE, WHERE ARE YOU? SWF, mid-40s, dark hair/eyes, seeks outgoing, fun-loving SWM, mid-30s-mid-40s. My interests: bowling, bingo, auto races, spec-tator sports, gambling trips, walk-ing, funny movies. **1**5727

KIND-HEARTED DWF, 40, auburn/green, 5'5", 120lbs, N/S, no dependents, attractive, caring, enjoys movies, old cars, nature, antiques, art fairs. Seeking tall, fit WPM, 36-43, N/S, N/Drugs. 12:5454

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IS IT YOU?

Attractive French-Canadian, American-born female, speaks French, good sense of humor, enjoys outdoor activities, gar-dening, good food, travel. Seeking companion to relax and chat, and speak French with. 25420

BY PASSING THIS AD? Think again? Mellow SWM, 42, wise, witty, loves a challenge, broad interest, seeks special connection with delightful lady, for fun and romance. \$5831 SLOW HAND, EASY TOUCH Handsome DWPM. 49, 6', 175ibs, N/S, financially secure, Enjoys travel, outdoor/indoor sports, the-tater, and movies. Seeking SWPF, 38-48, 5'5'+, financially secure, nutooing, looks good in jeans/or-GENTLEMAN, YOUNG 50S

Hardworking seeks companion-ship of good woman to enjoy the beauties of what life has to offer. Diring out, quiet evenings at home, outdoors, having fun. \$25700

EMILIO ESTEVEZ... look-alike. Turned over age 35, low miles, runs great, one horse-power, no luggage rack, will take best lady. Westside. 275638



I am a 5'11" woman, and while I'm not vain, I prefer to date guys who are taller than me. Short of crashing a basketball team's locker room, how can I meet a tall man? - Long tall Sally.

outgoing, looks good in jear mal attire, for LTR. \$5824

WIN THIS TAURUS! (astrologically speaking). Handsome 1955 model, low maintenance, high appreciation, seeks caring, careful, WK driver, age unimportant. 125820

Dear Sally, I like 'em tall myself. But if you're particular about height then you gotta be up front about it. The best place to find this guy is in the personals. Just tell 'em you want to meet a nice guy 6' or taller. Good luck, Stretch. - D

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PRINCE OF THE CITY SBPM, 36, 6'1", 225lbs, ath-letic build, financially secure, marriage-minded, seeks SF, 5'7"+, H/W proportionate, long hair, educated, career woman without children. 25830 HOPELESS ROMANTIC

MY IDEAL WOMAN... is SWF, 38-48, medium build/ full-figured, proportionate, who's romantic, loving, enjoys the outdoors. If this is you, call me: SWM, 35, N/S, smart, sincere, handsome, fun, ready for a good time. **T** 5729 SWM, 28, 5'10", 155lbs, profes-Swm, 28, 510, 15005, protes-sional, dark hair and eyes, con-sidered good-looking, enjoys traveling, skiing, sporting events, good conversation, humor, romantic dinners and much more. Seeking an outgoing and attractive woman. **1**5825 **1**5743 ROMANTIC WARRIOR

CALL MY DAD Warm, kind, sensitive, down-to-earth DWPM, 38, 5'9", Catholic, brown/hazel, custodial parent of two, social drinker, enjoys movies, cooking, candlelight dinners. Cedar Point, camping, socializing Seeking DWF with kids, for com-panionship, monogamous rela-tionship, **17**5651

HONEST, ROMANTIC SWPM, 33, 6'2", medium build, black/brown, cnjoys working out, camping, music, travel. Seeking SWF, 21-38, for dating, possible LTR. **1**5653

FINANCIALLY SECURE Retired SBCM, 38, 6', enjoys sports, movies, quiet evenings, travel. Seeking SF, with similar interests, for LTR, possible mar-nage. \$\$5658

LOOKING FOR THE ONE Caring, passionate, fun, lovely Caucasian gentleman, 35, NS, enjoys outdoor activities, the lake, dancing, music, weekend car trips. Seeking SWF, N/S, medi-um/full-figured, who is loving and good-hearted. Age open. 125667

A YOUNG ROBERT REDFORD SM, 5'10", 165lbs, blond hair, homeowner, self-employed, loves the outdoors, boating, skiing, hik-ing, picnics, working out, traveling. Seeking tall female. Must workout, have a sense of humor and be employed. 125604

TOP NOTCH Attractive, bright, humorous, car-ing, dynamic, well-educated, engi-nester, sim, athletic build, seeks healthy, slim, attractive, mid-40s. \$\pi5696\$

BEASTIE BOYS, BEASTIE BOYS, Smashing Pumpkins, Led Zeppelin(my three favorites), good-looking, tall, athletic, out-going SWM, 22, great person-ality, enjoys concerts, the out-doors, musicall types), biking. Seeking slender SWF, 18-28, with similar interests. Friendship first. \$\$750

E-MAIL ME SM, 5'9", brown/brown, enjoys sports, golfing, fishing, outdoors, skiing, hanging out with finends, quiet evenings at home, C&W music, and having fun. 15736

ACCEPT Maybe it's me you're searching for Jovial dynamic, great-looking, SWM, 40, enjoys adventure, spon-taneity, mystery, Seeking care-free, outgoing SWF, age unim-portant. 12:5741

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success, good looks, warm heart. Athletic SWM, 42, great commu-nicator, seeks intelligent, attractive S/DWF, for special relationship, Athletic, assertive, very attractive, romantic, sincere SWM, 24, 5'11", seeks athletic, caring, affectionate, slim WF, 18-32, with good per-sonality, for friendship, maybe more. Your call could bring us together, \$\$5240 possible LTR. Age open. 25650 MASCULINE, MUSCULAR, SEXY SWPM, 44, 6'1", 195lbs, enjoys music: sports, fishing, bowling, dancing, Seeking slim, sexy SF, 25-45, with same interests, for friendship, maybe more. \$\$555 ogether. 25740 SEEKING

TRUE LOVE

MOONGAZING OPTIMIST SWM, 43, dashing, affluent, achiever, positive outlook on life, seeks adventure and romance with pleasurable, spirited WF, age open. \$\$5739

SWM, 53, secure, likes movies, sports, travel, dining, quiet times. Seeking SWF, 43-50, N/S, N/D, for companionship to LTR. \$\$559 SWM, OVER 60 Wanted: female, 50-60, light drinker/smoker ok, who enjoys boating and camping. Can talk over coffee. 125663 SWM, 30

SWM, 30 Construction worker, 6°, 195lbs, have one daughter. Seeking Ms. Right, SWF, 25-35, to share life with. If you like romance and hav-ing fun too, you and I could make a love connection. \$25666

ROMANTIC

Sensitive, considerate DWM, 57, N/S, N/D, interests vary from fam-ily activities to craft shows, coun-

try music to dancing, cookouts etc. Desires to meet special white lady,

40-55, who is marriage-minded.

A GOOD CATCH

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ITALIAN STALLION

SWM 44, 6°, attractive, muscular, very active, financially secure. Seeking attractive, fit female, 45 or under, for possible relationship. \$25657

LIVONIA ROMANTIC

T 5640

HANDSOME ENGINEER Young-looking DWM, 53, 6'1", 195lbs. N/S, graduate degreed (MBA), excellent health/physical condition, ex-Marine. Seeking very attractive woman, shapely, with great legs, friendly, someone spe-cial for permapert relationship. Tr5516

KIND-HEARTED SBM, 42, 5'7. 170lbs, with a medium build, easygoing, knows how to treat a lady. Seeking a S/DWF, 18-50, for triendship and tun. #5518

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Handsome, mature, honest, romantic, sincere, athletic SWM, 24, 5'11". Enjoys sunsets, moon-lit walks, outdoors, music, biking. Seeking pretty, siender, affection-ate SWF, 18-28, to talk, walk, and journey through life with. 125639 LOOKING FOR LOVE? Romantic SWM, 27, 6'2", 200lbs brown/blue, enjoys sports, music, romantic times, seeks sincere, SWF, 21-29, for possible LTR.

IVORY

SEEKS EBONY Attractive, slim, affectionate WM, late 40s, intelligent, outgoing, humorous, sincere, seeks similar black female for occasional LTR.

T5634 **PICTURE PERFECT**

Is a romantic comedy type rela-tionship possible? SWM, 40, handsome, humorous, playfully hip, enjoys the interplay of romance, hilarity. Seeks to tickle the fancy of WF equivalent. \$25654

CREATIVE MUSICIAN Good-booking SWM, 23. dark/ green, unique, romantic, open, communicative, athletic, cleancut, deep-thinking, song writer/ drummer. Seeking pretty, slender, creative, spontaneous, sweet SWF, 18-32, who also loves music.

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ith similar traits and interests, for

STRAIGHT EDGE

STRAIGHT EDGE Cute, funny SWM, 25, enjoys skateboarding, rollerblading, music (70s rock, punk, ska). Seeking SWF, 18-27, to hang with, maybe more. Is this what it takes to meet

other straightedge people? 25833

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THEN IT'S A DATE!

Slim, sensual, Taurus, spiritual SJM, 44, 5'9", 155lbs, seeks rela-

tionship-oriented SWF, soutimate, 33-43, who enjoys boating, beach walks, volleyball, movies, art fairs, dancing, coffee houses, ethnic dining, **17**5834

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CUTE BUTT

Down-to-earth DWM seeks kind-hearted lady, who still values

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Sexy, long bionderblue, 6'2", 32, fun, kind, reliable, sharp dresser, good listener, 100% healthy, Seeking selective, slender peach, 21-38, 5'6"s, for more than a guest

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UNCHAINED MELODY Sim, attractive DWPF, 50, N/S, seeks S/DWPM, 45-55, 5'8'+, HW proportionate, for C&W danc-ing, rollerblading, and compan-ionship. 175636 WHERE ARE YOU? SWF, 25, brown/blue, employed and educated, seeks SWM, 25-35, who is financially secure and anjoys going out, along with quiet wenings at home. \$\$5238

SINCERITY A MUST Looking for a friend. I have a vari-ety of interests, form Rachmaninov, to Tony Bennet, from Lake Michigan to Las Vegas. DF, 56, N/S. Seeking man 56-65. \$\$5641

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30-something, is seeking Prince Charming, but will settle for frog with sense of humor. \$5652

SEXY BUT WHOLESOME Petite, Italian DWF, very young 47, N/S, N/D, great sense of humor, enjoys ethnic dining, com-edy clubs, the beach, seeks attrac-tive DWM, with similar interests, for possible LTR. \$25730 Cultured, mean apple pie. Golf, tennis, and skiing enthusiast. Theater addiction, dance fever. Seeking male counterpart, 34-47.

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SLENDER DWF, 50, 517, 120lbs, advanced degree, N/S, social drinker, home-owner, with a positive outlook, enjoys cultural events, dancing, and sports. Seeking companionand sports. Seeking com ship, for starters. 25606

LOOKING FOR MR. WONDERFUL DWF, 45, blonde/blue, single mom of 11 year-old (responsible, but with a great serise of humor. Seeking that wonderful guy, with similar qualities, NS, ND, for a great relationship. \$5519 HOLD MY HAND SF, 42, 5'8', short reddish-brown hair, medium build, enjoys quiet dinners, movies, evenings, at home. Seeking tall gentleman, 45-55, who is romantic, caring, financially secure, and enjoys doing things together. Smoker, social drinker. \$5608

GARDEN CITY GAL DW mom, 43, 5°F, plus-sized, witty, shy and romantic, enjoys gar-dening, comedy clubs, quiet times. Let's talkt N/S, N/D, N/Drugs. 175614 Attractive, slendet, intelligent, refined, affectionate, humorous JF, 54, blonde/green, 5'5', seeks classy gent, who is sweet, intelli-gent, honest, polite, for a real rela-tionship. 25421

CUTE & CLASSIC SBF. 49, loves jogging, sporting events, movies and quiet evenings. Seeking attractive, single genite-man, over 48, with similar interests. 10:5540 ANTIQUE HUNTER Cute, outgoing, fun lady, 5'3', long red hair, slim, wants to meet great guy, 55-62, to share love of flea markets, antique shows, travel, etc. Oakland County area only. 125846

VERY ATTRACTIVE SWF, 40, 5'7", 115lbs. I'm selec-tive, successful, and honest. 1 don't smoke or drink, and have no dependents. Seeking the same qualities in a trim, tall, 38-48 year-old SWM. 175360

LOOKING FOR YOU Attractive, full-figured SWF, brown/green, enjoys fireplaces, up North, being together. Seeking attractive S/DWM, 400-52, who is loving, kind and needs a good woman. **T**5362

Catch your attention? Actually I'm more like Rosie with red hair. DWF, 39, good sense of humor, like to do just about everything, but tired of doing it alone. Looking for a LTR, possible marriage. \$5370

HAPPILY EVER AFTER?

SWF, 40, attractive, intelligent, has spent enough lonely weekends to last two lifetimes. If you are SWM, 50+, N/S, who is extremely gen-erous with time, attention and affection, let's talk. **17**5233

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HOPELESS ROMANTIC Attractive, down-to-earth, WPM, looking for that special someone, who is attractive, loyal, sincere, for friendship and maybe more. Someone looking for romance and friendship. Give me a call, so we can talk. **1**75823

SWM. 27. 5'11", 175lbs. brown/ blue, very outgoing, professional-ly employed. Seeking attractive SWF, 18-35, H/W proportionate, must be outgoing, and enjoy sports. \$\$5828

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LOOKING FOR LOVE SWM, 31, 5'8", blonde/brown, slim, incurable romantic loves. movies, staying fit, and spoiling lovely lady. Seeking SWF, 21-31, for friendship, possible relation-ship. Flowers and teddy bears a

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SEEKS

SEEKS SLENDER BRUNETTE Pretty, long-haired SW/H/AF is who this well-employed, well-adjusted, passionate SWM, 38, 160lbs, short brown/blue, loves dearly. Job, car, nice. Don't hesi-tate to call. **17**5816

TALL GENTLEMAN TALL GENTLEMAN Humorous SWM, 36, 6'4', attrac-tive. Seeking SWF, 27-40, who's attractive, enjoys comedies, movies, walking, or just fun. Plymouth area. 275826

SINCERE PHYSICIAN

seeks petite, professional woman who is honest, sincere, and wants to be treated like a lady. \$\$749 SANDY HAIR

SBM, 30, 6'2". 210lbs, N/D, N/D, have all accessories for LTR. Seeking SWF, 21-28, enjoys music, sports, dancing, Let's talk.

NO SECRETS

NO SECRETS Slim, trim, financially secure DWM, mid-30s, homeowner, with very mild herpes, enjoys Harleys, camping, movies, dining, etc Seeking honest, caring, active, playful, young lady, under 40, for LTR. North Oakland: 175744 Very handsome, caring gentleman, looking to share life with a kind woman, emotionally/financially secure. I'm sure I can bring joy into your life. 125613

FRIENDLY, HARD-WORKING Fit SM, 53, 5'9", 160lbs, seeks physically fit, SF, under 45, under 5'7", enjoys outdoors, books, movies, Let's meet, Smoker ok, Kids a plus, **17**5746 Witty, honest, college-educated, trim DWPM, 47, N/S, enjoys bridge, tennis, dancing, movies, and moonlit walks. Seeking attrac-tive, trim, educated WPF, 37-49.

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Are you irred of third wheel syn-drome? Do you like the outdoors, social gatherings, movies or cards? SWM, 27, 6, average, attractive and hard-working, 125694 SEEKING

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SWPM, 35, 5117, brown/blue, 195lbs, employed, no dependents, good sense of humor, seeks SWF, 30-40, who enjoys attending Michigan State football games and more. \$\$5695

GARTH BROOKS LOOK-ALIKE

Attractive male, seeks SWF, song-bird/guitarist (25-35), to country karaoke, and play music with. Also enjoys 99.5 concerts, and danc-ing. Visit Nashville with me, pos-sible LTR? 125748

ON THE GO Young WPM, 48, *510", hand-some, large frame, dances often, has handicap of 6 golfing. Seeking attractive WF, 35-55, comfortable VEGETARIAN SWM, 49, 5'11", N/S, no depen-dents, financially secure, physi-cally fit, seek SWF, 30s to early 40s, N/S with same qualities, who is very health-conscious, and a vegetarian. \$\$5607 in jeans or formal gown at private country club. 175602

HAKUNA MATADA

Affectionate, compassionate SM, 46, 6'2", 270lbs, enjoys the outdoors, golfing, and quiet evenings at home. Seeking slender female. 25-45, for dating and possible rela-tionship. \$\$5609

CURIOUS GEORGE

Very attractive SWM. 29, 61°, 1901bc, likes bike riding, movies, concerts, dining, hockey. Seeking attractive SWF, 25-35, with similar interests, who is honest and likes to laugh. For LTR. 25610

HANDSOME KIND TEACHER

DWM, 44, 6', 200lbs, teacher, full-time dad, ioves guitar, outdoors, family cottage in northern Michigan Seeking SF for serious, Ioving relationship. N/S, social drinker. \$\$5615

SPORTS & INTERESTS

HORSE LOVER SWM: 45, seeks partner ness race horse. 25517 r for har-

GOLFER

GOLFEH WANNABE SWF, N/S, good-looking, clumsy, non-athietic, seeks, SWM, N/S, 40-50, good-looking, non-clumsy, athietic golfer, to give pointers on how to play the game. \$5182 SWPM, 41, 5'8", fit, dependentfree Catholic, communicative, morous, introspective, enjoys bicycling, jogging, eclectic taste in music/movies. Seeking trim, edu-cated, emotionally available SWF, 30-40, to share happy, healthy LET'S TEE IT UP

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Livonia senior, WF, interested in senior phone pals, for friends to talk to. I'm Catholic and I love pets and friendly people. All calls will be returned. 274967

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AND GO! DWF: attractive, slim, intelligent, down-to-earth, 56, smoker, reading, dining out, plays. Seeking man, 5'8"+. N/Drugs, N/D, no couch potatoes, no games. 1275363

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TRAVEL

Couple follows the mighty Mississippi upstream

'magnificent,' they were 'floating palaces'... terms which did not over express the admiration with which people viewed them." Mark Twain

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

Frank Delewsky likes to garden and he and his wife, Bernice, love to cruise.

So when the Livonia couple saw in their Observer that Observer & Eccentric garden columnist Marty Figley was leading a trip to Southern gardens on a Mississippi paddleboat, the Delewskys figured it would be a natural for them. The April trip also neatly coincided with their 40th anniversary.

The Delewskys are old hands at cruising. They've been to both sides of the Caribbean, Mexico and Alaska but they'd never been on the Mississippi.

"I landscape my own home and I'm presently in the process of landscaping my daughter's new home in Milford," Frank Delewsky said. "It was gardenon the Mississippi in a steam paddleboat."

The Delewskys began their Southern sojourn with two days in New Orleans where, as luck would have it, they arrived during the annual jazz festival and Frank got to meet a legend.

"I was a trumpet player and got a chance to talk to Al Hirt," Delewsky said. Trumpeter Hirt has long been a fixture in the New Orleans club scene.

After two days of great music and dining in places like the legendary Brennan's, the Delewskys joined Marty Figley and other gardening enthusiasts on the Mississippi Queen, one of three boats operated by the Delta Queen Steamboat Co.

The boat (not a ship) sleeps 450 passengers and has lounges, a movie theater, shops and a swimming pool. Each day passengers received an itinerary of boat activities and optional land activities as the Mississippi Queen made its way up the river to the plantations and old towns along the "Mighty Miss" for

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seven days.

"You listen to the riverlorian talk history while you're having breakfast. Then there was a talk by one of the guest speakers," Bernice said.

The riverlorians were boat staff members who told passengers about the history and topography of the section of the river they were on. The experts were three nationally known garden writers - Todd Steadman of Garden Gate magazine; William Welch, author and president of the Southern Garden History Society; and Jim Wilson, author and former regular on PBS's "Victory Garden." The experts would discuss various aspects of gardening in the south and lead tours of the plantations. They



Dockside: Bernice Delewsky, center, sits dockside as the Mississippi Queen lets passengers take in the sites at Louisiana's capital, Baton Rouge.

would also prepare written material on their topics. The steamboat company also prepared packets on the history and sightseeing at each stop along the way.

The stops included Baton Rouge and St. Francisville, Natchez, Vicksburg and ended in Memphis. After a morning of touring a land site, passengers would return to the boat for steamboating up river.

"There were a couple days when we were just on the boat," Bernice said. "The boat went slow, only six miles an hour going up stream. But there were movies, games and a swimming pool."

The river was high this spring and views were often obscured.

"We couldn't see too much, just the tops of trees," Frank said. "Every once in a while you'd see a levee. What you saw was a lot of barges on the river. It was a quiet sojourn."

But life on the boat offered many pleasures including the food, which the Delewskys called "excellent and plentiful." Though many Southern foods were offered, the menu was varied

and included other fare as well. After dinner, a septet performed and the Delewskys danced the night away. Also, a troupe of entertainers presented a different show every night on such/themes as "Dixieland," "Broadway" and "Stage Door Canteen."

The Delewskys described the accommodations as typical of cruise ships they've been on and "basically just for sleeping."

The action was along the river. Plantation stops included Long Vue Gardens, Myrtles/Rosedown, St. Francisville gardens, Natchez Gardens and Dixon Gardens. Frank said he especially liked Long Vue. Bernice said she liked Afton Villa, where statuary figures are shown each playing a different musical instrument. The plantation house no longer stands at this garden.

Of course, the riverlorians didn't just talk about current topography.

"The riverlorians spoke a lot about the Civil War and the traditions that came about because of the Civil War," Frank said.

While Bernice chose to visit the gardens of Vicksburg, Frank took a bus tour to the Vicksburg battle site, where Grant's decisive victory marked a change in Union fortunes during the war and led to Grant's promotion as general of the Army of the Potomac.

"I wish I could have spent more time," Frank said. "It was an interesting kind of museum outdoors. I wish I could have spent the whole day touring with a guide."

As befitting this "all-American" vacation, the Delewskys renewed their vows before the Mississippi Queen's captain



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Salem turns it on against Mustangs

Strong defensive play supplemented an outstanding performance by senior quarterback Tony Bernhardt in carrying Plymouth Salem to its first victory of the season last Friday at Northville.

Tony Bernhardt was a one-man. offensive show Friday in leading Plymouth Salem to a 21-3 victory over host Northville in a Western Lakes Activities Association crossover football game Friday.

The win evened the Rocks' record at 1-1. The Mustangs fell to 0-2.

Bernhardt, a 6-foot-3 senior quarterback, rushed for 107 yards and one touchdown and passed for another 100 yards and a second TD.

Northville, however, got on the board first. The Mustangs capped a 41-yard drive with a 31-yard field goal by Adam Tibble for a 3-0 lead with 8:23 left in

the opening quarter. The Rocks countered that with two second-quarter touchdowns. Bernhardt scored the first, finishing a 51-yard drive that started with a 14-yard run by Charlie Schmidt with a 27-yard scoring sweep. The extra-point kick was blocked, but Salem had a 6-3 lead.

Northville mounted another drive, getting into Salem territory, but it was stopped by a Jason Lukasik interception at the Rocks' 30. He returned it to the Salem 37, and five plays later the Rocks were in the end zone - although the route they traveled was an unlikely

one, for them.

Bernhardt ran for 18 yards, then threw five straight passes, hitting Schmidt twice and Jeff McKian once before he completed the drive with an 8-yard TD toss to Andy Kocolowski. Bernhardt's two-point conversion pass to McKian made it 14-3 with 19 seconds left in the half.

Salem took the second-half kickoff and marched 67 yards in 11 plays, with Bernhardt tossing two key passes to McKian for 15 and 19 yards. Teono

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Gilles reaches No. 1

Chris Gilles, a Plymouth Salem graduate, captured her third consecutive U.S. Tennis Association over-25 women's tournament, beating Julie Farina of Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., 6-4, 6-3 in the finals of the National Clay Court Championships last week.

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Played in Palm Beach Gardens, Fla., the victory vaulted Gilles into the No. 1-ranking nationally in her division.

Gilles defeated Debra Pescitelli (Tesquesta, Fla.) 6-2, 6-2 in the round of 16; Vikki Beggs (West Palm Beach, Fla.) 7-5, 6-1 in the quarterfinals; and Robin Keener (Melbourne, Fla.) 3-6, 6-3, 6-0 in the semifinals.

1st Madonna coach

Madonna University hasn't dragged its feet. It's first-ever women's soccer program will open next fall (1998). and the coach has already been hired: Rick Larson, currently the assistant men's soccer coach.

Larson has a long, and successful, coaching record. A Central Michigan University graduate, he guided the Madison Heights Bishop Foley girls soccer teams to Class B-C-D state championships in 1995 and 1997. His teams also won three Catholic League girls titles

Larson doesn't limit himself to coaching soccer, either. He is currently the boys varsity basketball coach at Livonia Clarenceville HS.

His early hiring for the Madonna position - women's soccer is the seventh NAIA sport offered by Madonna

- should be very helpful in getting the program off on a firm footing. Larson will be able to recruit next spring during the girls high school season and will have a year to put together a schedule.

"I'm excited about starting a women's soccer program at Madonna." Larson said. "I think the team will have great potential to be extremely successful in this area.

Rocketed Canton's defense shines, but offense struggles

BY TONY BRUSCATO STAFF WRITER

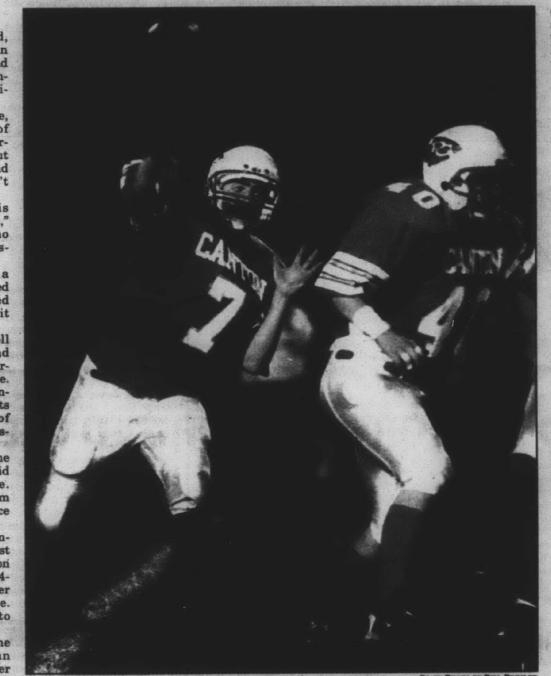
The outcome was expected, but the score was closer than many anticipated, as Westland John Glenn defeated Plymouth-Canton 16-0 on the road Friday.

Because the game was close, many pointed to the loss of Glenn's highly-touted quarterback, Justin Berent, who's out with a knee injury. Westland coach Chuck Gordon didn't want to hear it.

We have 54 guys on this team, it's not a one-man team," said Gordon. "Anybody who thinks that is making a mistake.

"We played hard, it was a tough win, and our guys battled and kept their poise," added Gordon. "Some of the credit needs to go to Canton."

Any football coach will tell you turnovers, penalties and mistakes are decisive in determining the outcome of a game. o different in th test; all of John Glenn's points came as a direct result of turnovers, penalties and mis-takes by the Chiefs (0-2). "We have a young team, one that will make mistakes," said Chiefs' coach Bob Khoenle. "We've got to cut down on them if we are going to have a chance to win ballgames. The Rockets (2-0) took command with 6:28 left in the first half as fullback Antonio Gibson went up the middle from 14yards out, dragging a defender with him across the goal line. The extra point was good to give Glenn a 7-0 lead. The mistake that set up the Rockets' touchdown was an interception of an Eric Frazer pass by Westland's Sean Heard at the Chiefs' 26. Heard carried it to the 20 before being tackled. Two plays later Glenn scored.



ed a rainbow to Harris. The sophomore wide receiver battled his defender and reached high for the ball, coming down with it on the Rockets' 41. The 31-yard play seemed to spark the players and crowd.

Eleven more yards in two plays put the ball on the Glenn 30. But that's where the momentum hit a brick wall.

A 10-yard holding penalty pushed the ball back to the 40. Two plays later, on fourth-and-22, the Chiefs punted.

Glenn's offense struggled in the third period, but the Rocket defense didn't. Canton's only true scoring chance was a 45yard field goal attempt, which was blocked.

Fourteen plays and 8:30 later, the Rockets got themselves an insurance touchdown. And, again, Canton mistakes helped produce the points.

With the ball on the Chiefs' 45, Hudson hit Eric Jones with a 10-yard pass. The play turned 15-yard gain er when

"The academic programs Madonna has to offer and the tremendous soccer talent in this area should make for a successful mix right away."

Hole-in-one

He waited a while, but it finally came

Stan Michalik, a 67-year-old Canton resident, got his first-ever hole-inone Sept. 3 at Pheasant Run Golf Course. Michalik's ace came on the 134-yard 15th hole; he used an eightiron.

For the round, Michalik shot 79.

Good start

Siena Heights opened its women's soccer season with a lopsided 8-0 victory over Adrian College Sept. 3.

Among the goal-scorers for the Saints was Liz Peltier, a sophomore from Plymouth Salem.

Amy Gillen led Siena Heights with three goals. Nicole Tobin, a freshman from Livonia Stevenson, added a goal.

Siena Heights followed that match with a split on the road Sept. 6-7 in New Hampshire. The Saints lost 3-0 to St. Anselm College Sept. 6, then beat Notre Dame College 1-0 Sept. 7. Melissa Crain, a transfer from Schoolcraft College, had the game-winner.

The split left Siena Heights with a 2-1 mark.

Run Wild

What else would one call a five-kilometer run and a one-mile non-competitive walk hosted by the Detroit Zoological Society and the Southeast-ern Michigan Veterinary Medical Association - except "Run Wild?"

The two events, expected to attract more than 3,000 people, are scheduled for 9 a.m. Saturday at the Detroit Zoo. Proceeds from this firstever event will benefit the Detroit Zoo Hospital.

Entry fee for the 5K run is \$17 before Sept. 18 per individual (\$14 each for families of three or more) and \$20 per individual on race day. For the one-mile walk, entry fee is \$12 per individual before Sept. 18 (\$10 each for families of three or more) and \$15 on race day.

All entrants receive a commemorative T-shirt. Trophies will be awarded to the top three finishers in each category of the run. Also, a raffle will be held for prizes, including free pet check-ups and a one-year pass to the Detroit Zoo.

For further information, call (248) 541-5717.

Canton's second turnover led

to more points for Glenn just before the half. The Rockets punted from their own 30, and it appeared Canton's Clinton Harris was going to let

it roll to a stop. However, at his own 38, Harris decided to pick it up on the run. He fumbled, and John Glenn recov-ered on the Chiefs' 40.

Looking for a target: Canton quarterback Eric Frazer (7) was pressured throughout Friday's game against John Glenn, which made it difficult to connect with his receivers.

Westland punched the ball down to the 9-yard line. But on third down, Hudson overthrew Jason Crofton in the end zone and the Rockets settled for a 26-yard field goal by Heard, capping a 10-play drive 50 seconds before halftime.

The Chiefs looked like a different team offensively in the third quarter.

On the second play, from Canton's 28, Frazer loft-

"We didn't play as well as we are capable," said Gordon. "We made some mistakes. We've got to play better. We'll be studying the film this week to find

solutions." On the other side of the field, Khoenle was upbeat and optimistic despite the loss.

"Our mental approach was a turnaround from last week,' said Khoenle. "A lot of our kids don't have experience, but they played well tonight. While we don't like to lose, we did see an improvement from last week when we lost big."

"We moved the ball in the air, but we need to run the ball. "We were very aggressive on defense.

When asked if playing a top-rated team like the Rockets contributed to his teams' effort, Khoenle chuckled. "I'm sure it did. Our kids aren't stupid, they read the newspapers. But, whatever it was, maybe we can bottle it for next week."

Rocks 2nd in Relays - again

BY RICHARD L. SHOOK STAFF WRITER

It was a surprise on the order of Deivi Cruz making a sensational play at shortstop look routine — Livonia Stevenson won the Western Lakes Activities Association Girls Swim Relays.

Stevenson swamped host Plymouth Salem on Thursday, 275-227, with Plymouth Canton edging North Farmington for third by four points with a 199 total.

Fifth went to Northville at 156, Livonia Churchill was three points back, Walled Lake was seventh with 136, Farmington Hills Harrison had 120, Westland John Glenn 104, Farmington 102 and Livonia Franklin was 11th with

"We did a lot better than I thought we would," Stevenson coach Greg Phill said. "I thought we would win, but I didn't know it for sure.

"After all, we were the defending champions. But I didn't think we'd win by that much. I didn't load a single relay."

Stevenson won six of the 10 events and set two of the three meet marks that were lowered.

Plymouth Salem won only one event, the 400-yard freestyle relay, but finished second in another, had four third-place finishes and three fourths.

North Farmington won two events and Walled Lake cap-

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winner: Audrey Hala swam a leg on Plymouth Salem's only first-place relay, in the 400-yard freestyle.

Chiefs can't stop Powers

It's rare that a game between two basketball heavyweights comes down to one play. But Plymouth Canton's 55-49 loss to Flint Powers Thursday night might have.

Trailing by two with about 30 seconds remaining, the Chiefs allowed Flint to grab a rebound off of a missed free throw and score. Canton coach Bob Blohm said it took the wind out of his squad and put the game out of reach.

"We had our opportunities and chances," he added, "and just didn't capitalize.

"I think we got a little fatigued. They had a little more depth and were able to substitute more.

Canton (2-2) played Harper Woods Regina in last night's consolation of the Flint Powers Tourna-

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Canton was penalized 5 yards for a face mask violation, putting the ball on the 30. Some hard running by Reggie

Spearmon helped move the ball to Canton's 1-yard line, with Hudson plunging over from there. The Rockets missed the extra point, making the final 16-0.

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Chiefs, Rocks rule rivals

Both Plymouth Canton's and Plymouth Salem's boys cross country teams dominated their Western Lakes Activities Association foes in dual-meet action Thursday.

Canton walloped Farmington Harrison 16-45, capturing the top four spots and seven of the top nine at Cass Benton.

First for the Chiefs was Shaun Moore in 17:49. He was followed by Brian Boyd, second (18:30); Jerry Reynolds, third (18:45); Joe Niemiec, fourth (19:22); Taggert Anderson, sixth (19:38); Ian Levely, eighth (19:52); and Chris Bray, ninth (19:59).

Salem's meet against North Farmington at Cass Benton was much closer, but the Rocks emerged on top by a 27-30 margin, keeping their meet record perfect at 4-0 (2-0 in the WLAA's Lakes Division).

The Raiders had the top two finishers, but Salem runners claimed the next four spots: Matt Anderson was third (17:56), Bobby

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Cushman was fourth (18:10), Dave Rowe was fifth (18:26) and Trevor Davis was sixth (18:43). Other top-10 finshers for the Rocks were Andy Briggs, ninth (18:58) and Adam Barbara, 10th (19:01).

North is 0-2 in the Lakes Division.

Both teams are idle until Saturday, when Canton travels to the Monroe Jefferson Invitational and Salem competes in the Jackson Invitational.

Salem, Canton girls roll

Neither Plymouth Salem nor Plymouth Canton had much trouble with their WLAA dual-meet opponents Thursday.

Salem romped past North Farmington 15-50 at Cass Benton, with all seven runners finishing ahead of any of the Raiders. Leading the Rocks' onslaught was Erin Kelly in first (21:51). She was followed by Rachael Moraitis (21:54), Erin Lang (22:33), Jill Danek (23:03), Jenny Burke (23:07), Shae Potocki (23:20) and Aisha Chappell (23:22).

Canton wasn't challenged by much more, defeating Farmington Harrison 16-47 at **Cass Benton**

The Chiefs had the top four placers and five of the first six. Leading the pack was Lori Schmidt in first (21:51), with Jamie Vergari second (22:04), Sarah Rucinski third (22:15), Darcy Crain fourth (22:20) and Erin O'Rourke sixth (22:55).

Both teams are idle until Saturday, when Salem runs at the Michigan State Invitational in East Lansing and Canton travels to the Monroe Jefferson Invitational.

Crusaders conquer Tri-State

The first-ever encounter for a Madonna University sports team within the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference - the Fighting Crusaders joined the WHAC this year - was a tense men's soccer battle against Tri-State University, played Wednesday at Livonia Ladywood.

Tense, at least for a half.

Madonna scored first, allowed Tri-State to tie it four minutes later, then dominated the remainder of the match to post a 4-1 victory.

The win was Madonna's first of the season (1-3). Tri-State is

Brock Becker opened the scoring for the Crusaders, just 11 minutes into the match. Tri-State's Tomas Lembke, however, ly, putting 15 shots on goal to evened it at 1-1 four minutes



The score did not remain knot-

That's how the half ended. Tri-

State managed to stay within

striking distance until, with 35

minutes remaining in the match,

Eric Stocklein converted a pass

from Rustin to push Madonna's

The final score came eight

minutes later, with Christian

Emert getting the clincher on an

Madonna dominated offensive-

assist from Ryan Mollien.

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Scott Emert.

lead to 3-1.

Tri-State's five. Dave Hart started in goal for the Crusaders, making two saves; he was replaced in the second half by Rob Euashka, who made one save

ted long. One minute later, Tri-State's keeper made 10 Madonna took a 2-1 lead on a saves. goal by Seamus Rustin, set up by

> S'craft 3, St. Clair 0: Kevin Fritz came off the bench to score two goals, boosting Schoolcraft. College past St. Clair (Windsor) Wednesday at SC.

"That's the best team play we've had all year," said Ocelot coach Van Dimitriou. "That was our best performance of the year, without a doubt."

Dimitriou did some juggling to make it so, subbing Ayman Atwa (Livonia Franklin), Jim Bullock (from Livonia Stevenson) and Shaun Pratt into the game after

Fritz joined them shortly after and, 25 minutes into the game, he took a pass from Ryan Konley (Plymouth Salem) and drilled it between the keeper and the post to give SC a 1-0 lead.

It stayed that way until, five minutes into the second half, David York crossed the ball to Billy Krips, who redirected it to Pratt for the goal and a 2-0 lead.

off the bench again and, at the 20-minute mark, a Konley shot rebounded out to him and he finished it to make it 3-0.

Mike Ferraotti (Redford Union) split the keeping duties for SC.

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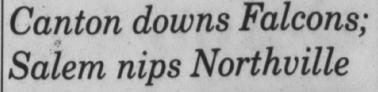
205-222. "Once again, we were very consistent," said Alles, noting

his team's placement of five golfers between 40 and 42. This was our first competition since Aug. 29. I was afraid we'd come out flat, but boy, they really played well." Ben Tucker and Justin Allen,

both juniors, shared medalist honors, each firing 40s for Can-ton (1-0 in the WLAA). Erik Arlen, a senior, had a 41 and Brendan Wheeler and Derek Lineberry, both sophomores, shot 42s.

The Falcons (0-1 in the league) were paced by Derek Fox and Dan Kimmel, each with a 43.

Two dual matches slated for earlier last week had to be rescheduled: Canton and Salem were each supposed to play a dual against Walled Lake Central last Tuesday, and Canton was supposed to play Walled Lake Western last



Since the start of the season, Plymouth Canton golf coach Tom Alles has attached his team's fortunes to its depth and consistency.

Friday, although perhaps not

for obvious reasons. They host-

ed Farmington at Hilltop, not a

team expected to be among the

front-runners in the Western

Lakes Activities Association,

but a challenge simply because

The Chiefs were equal to it,

however, besting Farmington

petitions for Canton.

Wednesday. All were rained Well, so far so good. The Chiefs faced a major test out.

Canton and Salem will play Central Oct. 6 at Hilltop. Canton will play Western Sept. 25 at Baypoint. On Monday, the Chiefs go

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against WLAA preseason title favorite Livonia Stevenson at Fox Creek in Livonia.

of the long layoff between com-**Salem stuns Northville**

Maybe what Plymouth Salem's golf team needs to do is change its home course.

The Rocks dominated Northville Friday at the Mustangs' home course, edging them 200-204 at Tanglewood.

"We always seem to play well at that course," said Salem coach Rick Wilson, his team 2-1 in WLAA play. "We've had some very low scores there.

"We're pleased with a 200. A team's going to have to have scores like that when playing against the likes of Livonia Stevenson and (Westland) John Glenn.'

The Rocks host Glenn Monday at Hilltop

Four of Salem's golfers carded totals of 40 or better, led by Mark Runchey's medalist-earning 37. Adam Wilson and Erik Krueger each had a 39, Ryan Nimmerguth followed with a 40, and Matt Hosch shot a 45. Greg Rankin's 38 was best for Northville (now 0-3).

The 200 was Salem's best nine-hole score of the season.

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tured the other.

"It was a great meet," Salem coach Chuck Olson said. "There were some nice swims for this early. There were a lot of different teams involved and a lot of enthusiasm throughout the

league. ""I was pleased Salem was able to finish second. We loaded up some events and didn't do as well as I'd hoped, and a couple of other events we did better than I'd hoped.

"We didn't get any disqualifications and that's always good.

as our first meet. We're all looking

with Dolin, Elizibeth Hurn, Marla McKenzie and Marti McKenzie swimming 4:19.07 and the 400 individual medley relay, where Becky Noechel, Makowski, Turri and Melanie Rys were clocked in 4:25.69.

Godfroid, Noechel, Hurn and Marti McKenzie won the 200 breaststroke relay with a 2:11.86, while Stevenson's 200 medley relay team of Irvine, Lauren Nichols, Emily Yambusky and Abbey Larson had a winning time of 2:08.33.

"All of our girls contributed," Phill said. "They were really great."

Western Lakes Girls Swim Relays at Plymouth Salem Thursday, Sept. 11

Team standings: 1. Livonia Stevenson, 275; 2. Plymouth Salem, 227; 3. Plymouth Canton, 199; 4. North Farmington, 195; 5. Northville, 156; 6. Livonia Churchill, 153; 7. Walled Lake, 136; 8, Farmington Hills Harrison, 120; 9. Westland John Glenn, 104; 10. Farmington, 102; 11. Livonia Franklin, 67.

Elizibeth Hurn, Marla McKenzie and Marti McKenzie), 4:19.07; 2. N, 4:25.42; 3. PS. 4:26.59; 4. PC, 4:35.89; 5. F. 4:42.78; 6. LC. 4:48.37; 7. WL, 4:53.87; 8. NF. 4:56.77; 9. JG, 5:56.92; 10. LF, 6:22.81.

2:25.26; 4. PC, 2:25.55; 5. N, 2:29.38; 6. 5. NF, (NTA); 6. FH, 5:05.27; 7. LF, PS, 2:29.80; 7. LC, 2:33.18; 8. JG. 2:45.62; 9. WL, 2:46.84; 10. LF, 2:51.37.

200 backstroke: 1. LS (Adrienne Turri, Lindsey Dolin, Jessica Makowski, Emily Irvine), 1:55.08 (new meet record; old record, LS's Toarmina, Harrison, S. Sudek, Bollinger, 1:57.87, 1988); 2. NF, 2:03.54; 3. PS, 2:07.91; 4. PC, 2:10.02; 5. LC, 2:10.19; 6. FH, 2:13.48; 7. F, 2:13.92; 8. N. 2:15.41; 9. WL, 2:32.17; 10. LF. 2:37.64: 11. JG. 2:53.88

5:16.24; 8. LC, 5:19.70; 9. WL, 5:38.92; 10. JG, 5:43.92; 11. F, 5:46.87.

500 freestyle: 1. LS (Godfroid, Julie Kern, Meghan Lesnau, Meghan Moceri), 4:49.94 (new meet record; old record NF's A. Duthie, Doran, C. Duthie, Oswald. 4:51.80, 1988); 2. FH, 4:53.96; 3. LC, 5:00.67; 4. PS, 5:05.63; 5. PC, 5:18.53; 6. F. 5:21.63; 7. NF. 5:29.83; 8. N. 5:52.30; 9. LF, 5:56.52; 10. WL, 6:04.24; 11. JG, 7:09.96.

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foward to the start of the dual-meet season (this week). Everybody is aware of the competition. We're ready to rock and roll."

Stevenson set a new meet record in the 200 Eackstroke relay, 1:55.08, with Adrienne Turri, reshman Lindsey Dolin, Jessica Makowski and Emily Irvine doing the honors. Olympian Sheila Toarmina led a relay team of Stevenson's which set the previous mark in 1986.

The Spartans' 500 freestyle relay quartet of Jordyn Godfroid, Julie Kern, Meghan Lesnau and Meghan Moceri established a meet standard time of 4:49.94. North Farmington's previous record had stood since 1988.

Phill's forces also won the 400 medley relay.

Salem's winning 400 freestyle relay team of Lori McKay, Jess Hala, Audrey Hala and Lindsay Hartz had a time of 3:54.35.

North Farmington's 200 butterfly relay team of Kristen Burke, Lauren Turner, Nevra Alver and Hannah Pawlewicz were winners in 1:54.43.

The Raiders own the other meet record set, a 1:42.57 in the 200-yard freestyle relay. It was set by Cheri Farber, Burke, Tara Grider and Pawlewicz.

Walled Lake, which won the diving, also qualified its 200 freestyle relay team with a 1:45.17 clocking. Walled Lake's divers, Danya Azzopardi and Toyna McCarty totaled 423.10.

400 freestyle: 1. PS (Lori McKay, Jess Hala, Audrey Hala, Lindsay Hartz), 3:54.35; 2. LS, 3:55.74; 3. WL, 4:00.09; 4. PC, 4:00.19; 5. LC, 4:16.40; 6. NF. 4:20.84; 7. N. 4:24.25; 8. JG. 4:34.60; 9. LF, 4:58.94; 10. F, 5:18.25; 11. FH, 5:40.03.

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Stevenson at Redford Union, 7 p.m.

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Diving: 1. WL (Danya Azzopardi, Toyna McCarty), 423.10; 2. LS, 394.95; 3. N, 317.80; 4. PS, 303.35; 5. JG, 297.90; 6. LC, 297.60; 7. NF, 277.55; 8. LF, 227.35; 9. FH, 222.90; 10. PC, 170.85.

400 individual medley: 1. LS (Noechel, Makowski, Turri, Melanie Rys), 4:25.69; 2. PS, 4:35.42; 3. N, (NTA); 4. PC, (NTA);

Friday, Sept. 19

Murphy at St. Agatha, 5 & 7:30 p.m.

Canton Agape vs. Huron Valley

at Marshall Middle School, 7 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Monday, Sept. 15

W.L. Central at John Glenn, 4 p.m.

Garden City at Kennedy, 4 p.m.

Luth. W'sld at R.O. Shrine, 5 p.m.

Salem at Farmington, 5:30 p.m.

Taylor Truman at Redford Union, 7 p.m.

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200 medley: 1. LS (Irvine, Lauren Nichols, Emily Yambusky, Abbey Larson). 2:08.33; 2. PC, 2:10.34; 3. JG, 2:10.70; 4. PS, 2:12,39; 5. WL, 2:14.11; 6. LC. 2:16.43; 7. N, 2:16.79; 8. NF, 2:17.92; 9. F, 2:19.02; 10. FH, 2:36.16; (LF, DQ).

200 freestyle: 1. NF (Cheri Farber, Burke, Tara Grider, Pawlewicz), 1:42.57 (new meet record; old record, LC's Ditchkoff, Lessig, Strauch, Sorokac, 1:42.60, 1991); 2. WL, 1:45.17; 3. PS. 1:48.63; 4. LS. 1:59.16; 5. PC. 1:59.61; 6. FH, 2:02.14; 7. JG, 2:03.08; 8. LC. 2:04.18; 9. N, 2:13.13; 10. LF, 2:23.06; 11. F. 2:42.14

Thurston at John Glenn, 4 p.m. Redford CC at Brother Rice, 4 p.m. Garden City at Grosse Ile, 4:30 p.m. Luth. North at Luth. W'sld, 4:30 p.m. Huron Valley at Fairlane 4:30 o.m. Ply. Christian vs. Summit at Haggerty Field (Hines), 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 Canton at W.L. Western, noon Troy at Salem (CEP), 1 p.m. MEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER Monday, Sept. 15 Madonna vs. Siena Heights at Ladywood H.S., 4 p.rff. Wednesday, Sept. 17 Delta at Schoolcraft, 4 p.m. Madonna at Concordia, 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 S'craft at O.L. St. Mary's, 1 p.m. OMEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER Saturday, Sept. 20 Schoolcraft vs. Michigan Tech at Central Michigan, 2 p.m.

Sunday, Sept. 21 Schoolcraft at Kellogg, 3 p.m VOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL Tuesday, Sept. 16 Tri-State at Madonna, 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 18 onna at Spring Arbor, 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 19 S'craft at Rock Valley Inv., TBA. Saturday, Sept. 20 S'craft at Rock Valley Inv., TBA.

Commission Hearing Room 402 TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1997, 10:00 A.M. Commission Hearing Room 402 Wayne County Building 600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan Copies of the proposed ordinance may be reviewed at the Commission Clerk's Office, 406 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit 48226.

Salem grid from page E1 Wilson bulled his way into the tions for another 22, and McKend zone from 6 yards out, and

Rob Zdrodowski booted the extra point to make it 21-3. Northville managed one other drive in the fourth quar-

ter, but Eric Peterson's interception at the Salem 36 halted

Bernhardt completed 8-of-12 passes for 100 yards and a touchdown, and he rushed 15 times for 107 yards and a TD. Schmidt had seven carries for 35 yards and two pass recep-

ian caught four passes for 58 vards.

Salem had 203 yards rushing and 100 passing, and did not suffer a turnover.

Northville's only positive ground-gainer was Chris Whittington, who had 47 yards on 13 carries. As a team, the Mustangs were limited to 47 yards on 17 tries. Quarterback Rob Reel was 11-of-25 for 136 yards, with two interceptions.

WAYNE COUNTY DEPARTMENT **OF PUBLIC SERVICES**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of Section 17, Chapter IV, Act 283 of the Public Acts of 1909, as amended, seven or more freeholders have petitioned the County of Wayne to absoluted abandon and discontinue:

All the portion of Westfield (platted as Francis) Avenue, 60 feet wide, lying West of a line connection the Southwest corner of Lot 75 with the Northwest corner of Lot 76, and all of that portion of the pubic alley, 20 feet wide, abutting Lots 30 thru 59 and Lots 64 thru 75, -both as dedicated to the use of the public in TELEGRAPH-CHICAGO PARK being a subdivision of the N.W. % of the S.W. % of Sec. 33, T1S., R.10E., Redford Township, Wayne County, Michigan, as recorded in Liber 53 of Plats on Page 100, Wayne County Records.

Therefore, it has been decided a Hearing by held on <u>Wednesday</u>. October 1. 1997 at 10:00 a.m., at Wayne County Department of Public Dervices, 415 Street · 3rd Floor, Detroit, Michigan 48226, and that a Hearing Examiner of the County shall hold said hearing and obtain all tecessary facts and information concerning the advisability of either ranting or denying said petition, and shall report all findings of fact to the foard of Wayne County Commissioners.

True copies of this notice are to be served, posted and published accordance with the provisions of said Act No. 288 of 1909, as amended.

WAYNE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES ATTN: James M. Ford Real Estate - 3rd Floor 415 Clifford Detroit, Michigan 48226 (313) 224-7730

Northville at Churchill, 7:30 p.m. Farmington at John Glenn, 7:30 n.m. W.L. Western at Canton, 7:30 p.m. Salem at W.L. Central, 7:30 p.m. Wayne at Belleville, 7:30 p.m.

PREP FOOTBALL

Friday, Sept. 19

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Fordson at Garden City, 7:30 p.m. Redford Union at Ypsilanti, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20 Franklin at Harrison, 1 p.m. Stevenson at N. Farmington, 1 p.m. Bishop Borgess vs. St. Agatha at RU's Kraft Field, 7:30 p.m. Redford CC vs. Warren DeLaSalle at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m. GIRLS BASKETBALL nday, Sept. 15

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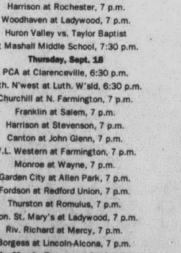
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Friday, Sept. 19 TBA - time to be announced. NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING WAYNE COUNTY COMMISSION The Wayne County Commission Committee of the Whole will hold a public hearing on an ordinance to amend Section 2 of Enrolled Ordinance No. 92-622 to establish the length of the term of office of the Legislative Auditor General. The hearing will be held:

er 14, 1997

Defense lifts Shamrocks to win

Offense looks nice for headlines, but defense wins titles. Redford Catholic Central's defense looked championship caliber Friday in crushing Ann Arbor Pioneer 33-7 on the road.

The Shamrocks, now 2-0, held Pioneer to just three first downs and 92 yards of total offense. John Abshire led the defensive attack with a pair of quarterback sacks.

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Catholic Central took command early in the first quarter. CC scored on its first possession on a seven-play 54-yard drive.

Quarterback Adam Tuburo, a senior, completed passes to Nick Brzezinski and Joe Jonna to move the ball down to the Pioneer 20-yard line. He then hit

FOOTBALL

Don Slankster for a 20-yard touchdown pass with 6:53 to go in the first quarter.

The Shamrocks added a touchdown in the second quarter.

Defensive back Justin Cessante recovered a Pioneer fumble at the Pioneer 24yard line. A couple of plays later, Tuburo connected with Jonna on a 10yard touchdown pass to make it 14-0 with just 25 seconds left before halftime.

CC took the opening kickoff of the third quarter and drove 63 yards on eight plays to add to its lead. Tubaro,

who finished with 126 passing yards and 11 completions, hit flanker Joe Saah on a 25-yard scoring toss at 8:40.

Pioneer's lone score came later in the third. Pioneer blocked a Shamrock punt and recovered on CC's 7-yard line. Christian Champman found the end zone three plays later on a one-yard run to make it a 21-7 ballgame at the 2:41 mark.

Catholic Central added a pair of insurance touchdowns in the fourth.

Defensive lineman Lou Willoughby recovered a Pioneer fumble at the Pioneer 21-yard line with about two minutes gone in the period. Six plays later, Chris Dueweke ran two yards for the score as the Shamrocks went up 27-7.

CC got its final tally with a minute left in the game. Running back Tim Finnerty capped an eight-play drive with a seven-yard run. The extra point failed and the game ended 33-7.

Catholic Central finished with 188 yards of total offense. Josh Christenson led Shamrock rushers with 61 yards on 17 carries. Slankster caught three passes for 29 yards.

Pioneer fell to 0-2.

CC puts its perfect record on the line Saturday with a home game against Warren De La Salle. Game time is 7:30 p.m. at Clarenceville High.

CC 35, Pershing 6: The Shamrocks

won their season opener over Detroit Pershing, 35-6, on Saturday, Sept. 6.

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Dueweke gained 91 yards on 18 carries, scoring three touchdowns. Tubaro completed seven of nine passes for 161 yards, including a 42-yard touchdown pass to Don Slankster.

Joe Sgroi led the CC defense with nine tackles, two unassisted. Abshire had six tackles, one sack. Justin Cessante had five tackles and a fumble recovery.

Pershing scored first on a 96-yard kick-off return to start the game before the Shamrocks scored five straight touchdowns.

RADIAL

Whalers win Can-Am challenge

It won't count in the record books, but the Plymouth Whalers will take their championship in the Can-Am Challenge just the same.

The Whalers crushed Ontario Hockey League rival Windsor Spitfires Sunday 10-2 at Compuware Sports Arena in the finals. Joe Byrne netted three goals and Mark Cadotte added a pair to lift Plymouth to the win.

A total of four teams participated in the under-18 preseason tournament.

Windsor beat the Erie Otters 8-5 Saturday in the opening round. Matt Elich scored three goals to lead the Spitfires and Jeff Martin added two. Jason HOCKEY

Polera scored twice for Erie. The Whalers faced team USA in their Saturday game at Compuware Arena. Led by David Legwand's three goals, the Whalers ripped the USA "Red" team 8-1.

Plymouth held a 2-1 advantage after one period, then blew the game open with six goals in the second. Legwand got two of his three goals in the period while Randy Fitzgerald scored one of his two markers.

Stevie Lyle stopped 27 of 28 USA shots, including 16 in the third period.

Sunday's championship game was all Plymouth. The Whalers led 3-0 after one period as Jamie Lalonde, Byrne and Cadotte all tallied within seven minutes of . each other.

Down 4-0, Windsor finally got on the scoreboard with 4:19 gone by in the second period. The goal, scored by Kevin Hansen, came on a powerplay.

The Whalers answered about two minutes later with a goal from defenseman Kevin Holdridge. Plymouth led 6-2 by the end of the second and added four insurance goals in the final period.

Legwand played a solid game with a goal and three assists.

Basketball from page E1

ment. The host Chargers took on cross city rival Flint Northern in the finals.

Thursday's game with Powers was a bit odd for the Chiefs.

The two teams played to a near stand-still in the first quarter with Canton taking an 11-10 advantage at the buzzer. The Chiefs shooting eyes left them in the second, however.

Blohm said Powers' defense had something to do with his team nine-point quarter, too.

We had a hard time attacking their zone," he commented. "They were more effective offensively than we were."

Canton was also hurt by the loss of center Nkechi Okwumabua in the second quarter. She picked up two fouls in the first and was forced to sit the rest of the half.

"That was a huge factor," Blohm said. "It limited our rotation."

ners, which included five in the fourth

> Ranked No. 1 in Class B, Blohm said the Chargers are a fine team.

"They're a lot like we are," he said. "But a little bigger in the post. They have good balance."

Kristin Lukasik led Canton with 15 points while Marzolf added 12. Janell Twitmeyer and Okwumabua each had eight for the Chiefs. Canton will play at Birming-

ham Marian Tuesday at 7 p.m. "We've got our work cut out for us," said Blohm. "But I think this group has made solid improvement."

Canton Agape 57, Ypsilanti Calvary Baptist 22: Canton Agape Academy took a 14-point lead after one quarter in Friday's game at Ypsilanti Calvary Baptist and never looked back. The Wolverines, now 2-2 on the season, led 24-12 at halftime then added to their lead in the final two quarters. Kim Ther led Canton Agape with a fine all-around performance scoring 18 points, grabbing 10 rebounds, making eight steals and passing for five assists. Margie Henry added 11 points and Allie Major finished with eight points and six assists. Agape plays at home tomorrow against Garden City United

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Plymouth Christian 53, Immaculate Conception 51: Playing at home Friday night, Plymouth Christian High School held off a furious Warren Immaculate Conception comeback

The Eagles led by 16 in the third quarter, but watched as Warren chipped away. Plymouth's Amanda Clark split a pair of free throws to put her team ahead by two.

Immaculate Conception had a chance to tie in the final seconds but missed. Christian's Liz Pugro got the rebound from War-, ren's miss to seal the victory.

Jenny Sutherland led Plymouth Christian with 23 points and added 12 rebounds. Pugro had 11 points and 12 rebounds and Clark, a senior guard, finished with 10 points.

Laura Thebolt led Warren with 26 points.



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As much as Flint dominated the second quarter, Canton dom-inated the third. Trailing 29-20 at the half, the Chiefs grabbed the lead back from Powers by

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one at the end of the quarter. Okwumabua and Melissa Marzolf led the charge with six points each in the frame.

"We got some stops (defensively)," Blohm said, "and created some turnovers.

Flint took the lead back quickly in the fourth and held it the rest of the way. Powers' Abby Hunjo scored 16 to lead the win-

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Bishop Foley 49, Ladywood 29: Ice-cold shooting led to Livonia Ladywood's demise Thursday at Madison Heights Bishop Foley.

The Blazers hit only 13 of 61 shots (21.3 percent) from the field en route to the Catholic League inter-sectional defeat.

Ladywood trailed by only five, 23-18, before the Ventures went on a 17-6 third-quarter surge to put the game away.

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The Wayne County Sportsmen's Club in Romulus will offer three two-day Michigan DNR Hunter Education Classes. The dates for the classes are Oct. 11-12, and Nov. 1-2. Preregistration is required and begins Sept. 10. Call (313) 532-0285 for more information.

DUCK, GOOSE CALLING

Lyman Burgess will offer two, two-hour classes on duck and goose calling on Saturday, Sept. 20, and Monday, Sept. 29. Cost is \$20 and the classes will be held at the Orchard Lake Middle School. The classes are held in cooperation with the West **Bloomfield** Community Education. Call (248) 539-290 for more information.

HARVEST MOON

Take a naturalist-led hike and learn about the Harvest Moon during this class, which begins at 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 19, at the E.L. Johnson Nature Center in Bloomfield Hills. Call (248) 339-3497 for more information.

FISHING

Parents and children can learn to fish together during this class, which begins at noon Saturday, Sept. 20, at the E.L. Johnson Nature Center in Bloomfield Hills. Call (248) 339-3497 for more information.

PLANTS

Adults can learn about the plants pioneers used during daily life during this class, which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 21, at the E.L. Johnson Nature Center in Bloomfield Hills. Call (248) 339-3497 for more information.

SEMINARS

WATERFOWL HUNTING Paul Goodnuff, host of the local "Sportsman Show" will cover the basics of waterfowling with emphasis on calling techniques, decoy layout and preparation for a successful hunt during this seminar, which begins at 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20, at the Gander Mountain store in Taylor. The store is located at 14100 Pardee Road. Call 313-287-7420 for more information.

ULTIMATE PEAKS Brad Wenzel will present a slide

presentation and a discussion on his mountaineering experiences on Denali and Mount Everest during this seminar, which begins at 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20, at REI in the Northville Center at Haggerty and Six Mile. Call (248) 347-2100 for more information.

MEETINGS

The state Natural Resource Commission will hold its monthly meeting on Wednesday and Thursday, Sept. 17-18, at the Lansing Center. Call (517) 373-2352 for more information.

SHOWS BOAT SHOW

Boat Show USA, featuring more than 1,300 new and used boats of all sizes, will be held Sept. 13-21 at Metro Beach in Mount Clemens. Call (313) 884-1776 for more information.

SEASONS/DATES GOOSE

An early Canada Goose season runs through Sept. 15 in the Lower Peninsula and through Sept. 10 in the Upper Peninsula. Check the early September Canada Goose Season Michigan Hunting Guide for restrictions.

BEAR

The 1997 bear season runs through Oct. 26.

DEER

An experimental antlerless-only deer season runs through Sept. 30 in Deer Management Unit 214 in south central Menominee County by special permit only. The early archery season for whitetail deer begins Wednesday, Oct. 1, statewide.

ELK

Early elk season runs Sept. 13-21 in designated areas by special permit only.

SMALL GAME

Rabbit, hare, squirrel and ruffed grouse seasons open Monday, Sept. 15, statewide. There is no open season this year on sharptail grouse WOODCOCK

Woodcock season runs Sept. 20-Nov. 3 statewide.

OUTDOORS CALENDAR

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The Downriver Bass Association,

Civic Center. Call (313) 676-2863

Bald Mountain Recreation Area

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UNIOR OLYMPICS The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior **Olympic Archery Development** Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays, Call (810) 623-0444 for more information.

BROADHEAD SHOOT

Royal Oak Archers will hold a broadhead shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 14, on its walk-through course in Lake Orion. Call (248) 693-9799 or (810) 693-1369 for more information.

INDOOR LEAGUES

Indoor leagues are forming at Red Oaks Archery in Metamora. Red Oaks features a Dart Tunnel, an indoor 3D range with a moving buck, and a standard target range. Call (810) 628-1661 for more information.

OUTDOOR CLUBS SOLAR

The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation, a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658 for more information.

FISHING CLUBS METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS

Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday

of each month in the cafeteria at

(313) 420-4481 for more informa-

The Michigan Fly Fishing Club

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ORTONVILLE RECREATION Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (810) 693-6767 for more information.

POINTE MOUILLEE

Pointe Mouillee State Game Area in Rockwood has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily. Pointe Mouillee State Game Area is located at 37205 Mouillee Road. Call (313) 379-3820 for more information.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS

Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks, toll free: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178.

FALL BIRD COUNT

Bring binoculars and lunch and help search for and census the park's resident and migrant birds during this program, which begins at 7 a.m. Saturday at Kensington.

BROWNIE BADGES

Brownies can earn their Animal Try-It badge or their Space Try-It badge during this program, which is being offered Saturday at Indian Springs. Interested scouts should call for times.

LEAF PRINT T-SHIRTS

Ages seven and older can create a leaf print t-shirt or sweatshirt during this program, which begins at 1 p.m. Saturday at Stony Creek. Participants should bring a sweatshirt or t-shirt.

A chance to watch the age-old process of sheep shearing will be offered during this program,

which begins at 2 p.m. Sunday at Kensington. **CAMPFIRE HOWL**

Sing songs and roast marshmallows around a campfire during this program, which begins at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Stony Creek.

Junior girl scouts can earn their Ecology Badge or their Sky Search Badge during this program, which will be held Sunday at Indian Springs. Scouts should call ahead for a time

WILDLIFE SUPERMARKET

A naturalist-led nature hike focusing on the bounty of wildlife foods at this time of year, begins at 2 p.m. Sunday at Kensington.

OAKLAND COUNTY PARKS

COUNTY PARK REQUIREMENTS Advanced registration is required for all nature programs at Oakland County Parks. Call (810) 625-6473 to register or for more information.

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STATE PARKS

STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area and **Island Lake Recreation Area** offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration and additional information on the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2433. For programs at Island Lake call (810) 229-7067.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Fall softball

The Canton Softball Center hosts USSSA Tournaments every weekend. Call (313) 483-5600 for a tournament listing. Upcoming events include a USSSA Men's E and Women's D state championships on Labor Day; the Women's D regionals Sept. 13-14; and the Co-ed NIT Sept. 20-21.

Baseball tryouts The Michigan Lake Area Rams

will hold baseball tryouts for players (who remain 17 on July 31, 1998) on Sunday, Sept. 21 at Oakland University.

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Each section of yellow has a black accent mark on each side. Covering the feet are white hairy gators." All these colors are on a frame of only a little over an inch long.

NATURE NOTES

Why animal populations

scientists for years.

explode in numbers some years

and not in others has intrigued

This year caterpillars of the milkweed tussock moth, or according to some books, the

milkweed tiger moth, are on more milkweed plants than I recently

If you pass a patch of milkweed plants that have been chewed extensively, the damage could have been from the monarch butterfly caterpillar, or the milkweed tiger moth.

Milkweed tiger moths gather in groups and together devour huge sections of the leaves. Since the monarch caterpillar derives its noxious chemicals from the sap of the milkweed plant, I would assume that the tiger moth would gain some protection from the sap too. One way they do protect themselves is by

falling to the ground and rolling into a ball when disturbed. When I accidentally bumped one of the leaves I was examining, several caterpillars on the fell to the ground. Despite their bright colors, they were difficult to find when they fell into the tall grass.

These caterpillars will not complete their transformation to an adult moth this year. After eating their fill of milkweed plant, they will form a hairy looking cocoon and spend the winter in suspended animation.

When they do emerge as adults next year, they will hardly be unnoticed. Their wing span will only be about an inch and their wing coloration turns out to be a bland, even colored wet sand brown. Like the mid-section of the caterpillar, the abdomen will be yellow with small black accents

Why are there so many milkweed tiger moths this year? I don't know. My only thought is that the combination of weather factors this year allowed more adults to emerge and more eggs to survive

It will be interesting to see if there are as many next year.

ON THE RUN

This is a team of runners that won't be beat.

With 53-member MSAMS squad, Marathon Strides Against Multiple Sclerosis, plans to make their presence known at the 20th annual Mazda/Pree Press Interational Marathon on Sunday, Oct. 19 in Detroit.

Led by their dynamic captain, BRAD Tony Rubino, this group plans to meet its goal of raising \$100,000 by marathon day to beat MS.

"As team captain I've accepted the challenge and we can use all the help we can get," said the and M

Magic moment: Maggie, an English setter, finds the scent of a grouse in the wind. Bird dogs like her help hunters, like the one below, bag their prey.

THE GROUSE THAT FELL FROM THE TREE

BY JEFF COUNTS STAFF WRITER

Grouse hunting is usually done with dogs, English setters, German shorthaired pointers and springer spaniels. Bless them all.

During the season they run their guts out for you, sometimes coming back with burrs or thorns in their paws. They get hot, tired and burned out for the day, if the weather is warm

One October afternoon, with temperatures in the upper 60s, my English setter Maggie ran herself ragged in a brushy area in the eastern Upper Peninsula

She was young, full of enthusiasm and couldn't be slowed down as she

crashed through the brush. Because of the heat, her tongue was dragging and she was picking up thorns in it.

But she wouldn't stop running despite the blood on her tongue. I finally stopped her, carried her to the nearby Sucker River, washed her off and removed the thorns from her tongue.

She was then kenneled in her crate in the back of the Jeep for a rest.

It got me thinking: I should have a second dog for such days. Keep one rested in the cabin and switch off. It would keep me in the field longer and maybe I'd get a few birds

That theory stayed in the back of my head until one day last season when my two sons and their friends showed up for a long weekend of hunting. One afternoon we went out without the dog. There were about six of us and the dog was getting confused because there were too many of us. So, we figured we'd just bust through some brush and see if we could flush birds ourselves. By the time the afternoon was over, I decided a second dog wasn't needed. I had a new bird dog that walked on two legs. His name is Aaron Smith of Livonia. At 19years-old, Aaron thinks like a bird and has the energy of a kennel of dogs. We were hunting by the Sucker River in the Upper Peninsula, and Aaron dashed into a thicket. I couldn't see him, but I could follow his movements.



me, and I couldn't get a shot at it.

Minutes later, Aaron walked out of the bush, a smile on his face, despite scratches on his body. "You didn't shoot at it,"

he said. "It went the wrong way,"

Aaron kept flushing the birds and I kept missing. Later, we teamed up with my oldest son and his companion. They had been kicking up birds as they walked, shooting at some of them.

I followed behind, figuring I'd use them as bird dogs. I paused long enough for them to get out of sight and then started walking.

Occasionally I'd hear shots. These guys were moving fast and kicking up

birds. I was planning on a few easy shots. Grouse tend to stay in one area. Biologists say they rarely move more than a mile or two of where they were born.

I finally kicked up one that had been missed and otherwise neglected by the young warriors. It flushed and flew into a spruce. I crawled under it's branches, my shotgun pointed upwards. I stood up and looked around. I didn't see the bird. Suddenly something fell on my head. It was the grouse I'd flushed.

For a moment, I through I'd frightened the thing to death. But as I examined it, I noticed a wound. Apparently the warriors wounded it, but it had enough life remaining to fly away.

It reminded me to slow down and follow up on birds I saw or shot at. I though about

"Look at the grouse, look at the grouse."

For anybody who grew up in the 1950s and was entertained by the antics of the Three Stooges, this is a familiar line. And for some, the game bird remains a mythical, comic creature, part of the Stooges stew of slapstick. For others, the grouse is a ruffled species. One Detroit newspaper columnist in recent years referred to the bird as a "ruffled grouse," as though somehow its feathers had been disturbed. For the record, it's the "ruffed grouse." They range from southern Michigan to the Upper Peninsula and are found in surrounding Great Lake states. A mature bird weighs about two pounds and it can produce some good eating. Grouse themselves feast on just about anything they can find; seeds, berries and others fruits, insects and tree buds are only a few of their foods.

The season

It starts Monday and runs through Nov. 14 statewide. In the Lower Peninsula, there's a second season that runs from Dec. 1 to Jan. 1.

The cost

As with other small-game hunting, going after grouse isn't a high-cost sport. A small game license is required. After that a shotgun is all that's needed to get started. The price of shotguns start at about \$200 and go up from there. Most grouse hunters prefer light, 20-gauge over other guns. Most are pricey, starting at abut \$1,000. However, a 12-gauge pump will work fine.

Where to go



47-year-old Rubino, who will be embarking on his 10th marathon. "I like to get 300 (members), the more the merrier.'

Rubino, who has been one of the the top fundraisers against MS, can't explain how he got involved with MSAMS, which originated out of a group from New York.

"Why do I do it?" Rubino asked himself. "Nobody I'm close to or anyone in my family has had it, but it's my way of thanking God and letting him know that I'm thankful family is healthy. I feel fortunate.

"And it serves as a source of motivation. When I'm struggling at 20 and 21 miles of a marathon, and I see others who are handicapped trying to finish, I tell myself I can do it."

The MSAMS team meets monthly for runs while providing each other with support. Their last meeting was held Sept. 11 at the MS Society's Chapter in Southfield.

"Our second goal is to make people aware of the MS Society," said Rubino, a businessman from Madison Heights who owns a pair of restaurants along with sportswear company. "This is a very dedicated and enthusiastic group. We meet as a group to help each other. They're involved with a letter writing campaign, getting pledges from the workplace. We try to keep everyone together."

The MSAMS team also does long training runs together. Recently, team member Greg Everal of Rockwood organized an 18-mile training run at Paint Creek.

The MSAMS team will invade the 10K Applefest Face Sunday, Oct. 5 in New Boston.

And then they will be out in force, Oct. 19, donning MSAMS t-shirts for the Mazda/Free Press Marathon.

To get involved with MSAMS, call Rubino at (248) 541-7190 or Karen Breen at the MS Society at (248) 350-0020.

Looking for some fall races? Here is a short list that might interest you:

Saturday, Sept. 20: Run Wild at the Detroit Zoo (5K). For more information, call (248) 541-5717: Saturday, Sept. 27: Ameritech Deaf-inite Strides (5K) at Belle Isle in Detroit. Call (313) 961-8120; Sunday, Sept. 28: Island Road Runners 20-mile training run at Willow Metropark. Call (313) 336-1510 (daytime);

Saturday, Oct. 4: Red October Run (8K) at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center in Wayne. Write to: Oakwood Healthcare System Foundations, 18101 Oakwood Boulevard, P.O. Box 2500, Dearborn, MI 48123-2500:

Sunday, Oct. 5: Michigan Big 10 Run (10-mile and 10K) in Ann Arbor. Call 1-800-LUNG-USA; inday, Oct. 12: Chili Pepper Run (10K) in downtown Plymouth. Call (313) 455-0510; Seturday, Nov. 8: Rocket Dog Lyon Chase (9K with canine division). Call (248) 348-5866.

Suddenly I saw a bird fly out of the densest part of the thicket. It flew away from

my setter in the room. She would have kept after the wounded bird and it would have been in the hunting bag.

Anyway, I decided to teach the warriors a lesson. I picked up the dead bird, put it in my game pouch and started walking toward the Jeep.

When I was close enough, I fired two shots from my 12 gauge, pulled the bird out and walked to the road where my sons and others had gathered.

I held up the bird and said: "If you guys would slow down a little you'd get a few grouse. Your path is littered with them." They confessed they were birdless.

I hoped the lesson stuck. Working a small area slowly is as good a tactic as any when bird hunting.

The Upper Peninsula with its abundance of state land is a prime destination for grouse hunters. However, you need not venture that far from home

For western Wayne County residents, the Gregory and Pinckney state game areas in southwestern Livingston County offer grouse hunting about 20 minutes from Livonia.

Also nearby is Michigan's often overlooked Thumb area which has about 20,000 acres of public land.

Limits

Everybody has them. For grouse hunters, you can take three daily in southern Michigan and five per day in the Upper Peninsula.

TEN PIN ALLEY

League bowlers would have received the new 1997-98 copy of the American Bowling Congress and Women's International Bowling Congress playing rules.

This 70-page booklet is revised and re-issued before league bowling begins.

Most of the sanctioned leagues follow along with the exact rules and regulations. The individual leagues all have the option to

change various rules to conform with the characteristics of their own leagues.

It is recommended that all officers and team captains look over the rules as the new season is under way.

There have been a few minor rule changes, in which case the rule book is accented by (brackets) which indicate these revisions.

Until a few years ago the ABC and WIBC had used separate sets of rules, now they are unified, and that has made more sense, as we are dealing with the same game regardless of gender.

Knowing the rules can go a long way toward avoiding disputes and delays. Particular attention should be paid to certain rules such as: (4a) legal delivery, (5a) definition of a foul, (6a) legal pinfall, (8) dead ball, (9) bowling on wrong lane, (10) provisional ball, (11) forfeit-delay of game, (13) parental consent, (16a) using assumed name, (17a) unfair tactics, (19) bowling ball, altering

surface, (102c-d-e) duties of the officers, (105a) legal lineup, (106d) tardy players and (106e) bowling out.

These are just a few examples of the rules which everyone should be familiar with. This is part of the structure which makes this game of bowling so popular and enduring.

•The Budweiser-Michigan Majors Bowling Association has announced that three members will be inducted into its Hall of Fame

Rick Eiermann of Garden City and Ken Wyatt were voted in by the 12-man committee, while Ted Bakatselos was selected in the Veterans category. Eiermann has competed in 110 tournaments in his 13-year career winning five titles.

He has five 300 games in MMBA competition and holds the all-time record for a 12-game finals with a 2,063 score (255 average). Rick made the finals 11 times and cashed in 47 tournaments with a lifetime average of 209 for 856 games.

Wyatt, of Warren, was the bowler of the Year in 1989

He set the record for the most times in the finals in one year with eight in that year and sports a lifetime average of 214 for 1,254 games.

Bakatselos bowled during the 1960s and 1970s with 22 appearances in the finals. He cashed in 32 tournaments with a lifetime average of 206.

Wyatt, Elermann and Bakatselos will be honored Nov. 22 at the championship banquet scheduled at the Hawthorne Valley Country Club.

•The Blue Ribbon Bowling Group has

announced their winners of the Schwinn Mountain Bikes. The grand prize winners in the red pin promotion included: Jason Rafalski (Westland Bowl), Matt Antroubius (Woodland Lanes), Mike VonBraunsberg (Town 'n Country), Kory Hershock (Mayflower Lanes); Eric Wolnie (Beech Lanes) and Kelly Hagedorn (Cherry Hill Lanes).

The top adult prize was a 54-inch Magnavox TV, which was won in a random drawing by David Holliday.

•Have you ever heard of the Metro Bowling Tour?

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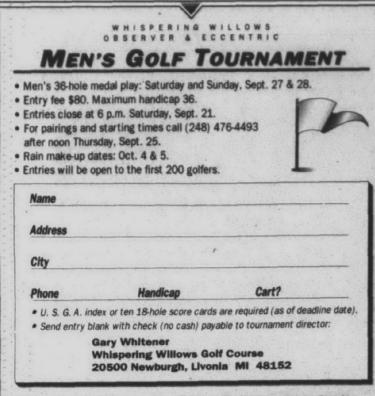
Roy has a weekly radio program, the North Oakland County Bowling report, and now will have his activities on local cable TV with this new venture. It is basically a monthly tournament for above-average bowlers. The basis will be to hold a reasonably priced entry with good cash prizes.

This is made possible through the sponsors, including Lakewood Lanes (Oct. 25), Cherry Hill North (Nov. 23), Mega Bowl (Dec. 27), Classic Lanes (Feb. 1), 300 Bowl (March 1), Century Bowl (March 28), Flero Lanes (April 28), Airway Lanes (May 23) and Bowl One (June 7). And \$1,000 will added by the Mortgage King Roy Akers.

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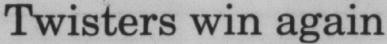


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The Twisters won their third straight game Saturday night, Sept. 6, defeating the Fremont (Ohio) Stallions, 18-13.

With six minutes left in the first quarter, Damon Frendo (Garden City) blocked a Stallion punt and the Twisters took possession at the 27 yard

Four plays later, Pat Bowie (Wayne) bulled his way the final seven yards into the end zone. The defense added two more points with a safety when the Stallions mishandled the snap from center on a punt, allowing the ball to sail out of the end zone.

The Twisters took a 12-0 halftime lead after Jim Nagy kicked a 23-yard field goal with six seconds left in the first half.

The Twisters added to their score in the third quarter when quarterback Brian Kutch (Redford) found receiver Scott Harris (Livonia) open on a streak pattern for a 16-yard touchdown.

The Twisters gained 318 total yards, 225 rushing and 93 passing. Bowie had a season-high 159 yards on 17 carries and Scott Harris led the receivers with five catches for 49 yards.

Kutch was 11 for 21 passing for 93 yards.

Robert Bell (Inkster), Chris Simpson (Brownstown), Robert Berry (Madison Heights), Paul Daniels (Farmington), Mike Candela, Mark Bennetts and Bill Davey (Westland) played well.

The defense was again outstanding, led by linebackers Bob Pensari (Canton) with eight tackles and a s ack and Aaron Brothers (Inkster) with six tackles, a sack and a blocked extra point. Ken Kroll (Garden City) totaled five tackles from the secondary, one of which stopped a sure score.

The win puts the Twisters firmly in first place in the Western Division of the Lake Shore Football League and insures a place in the league championship playoffs.

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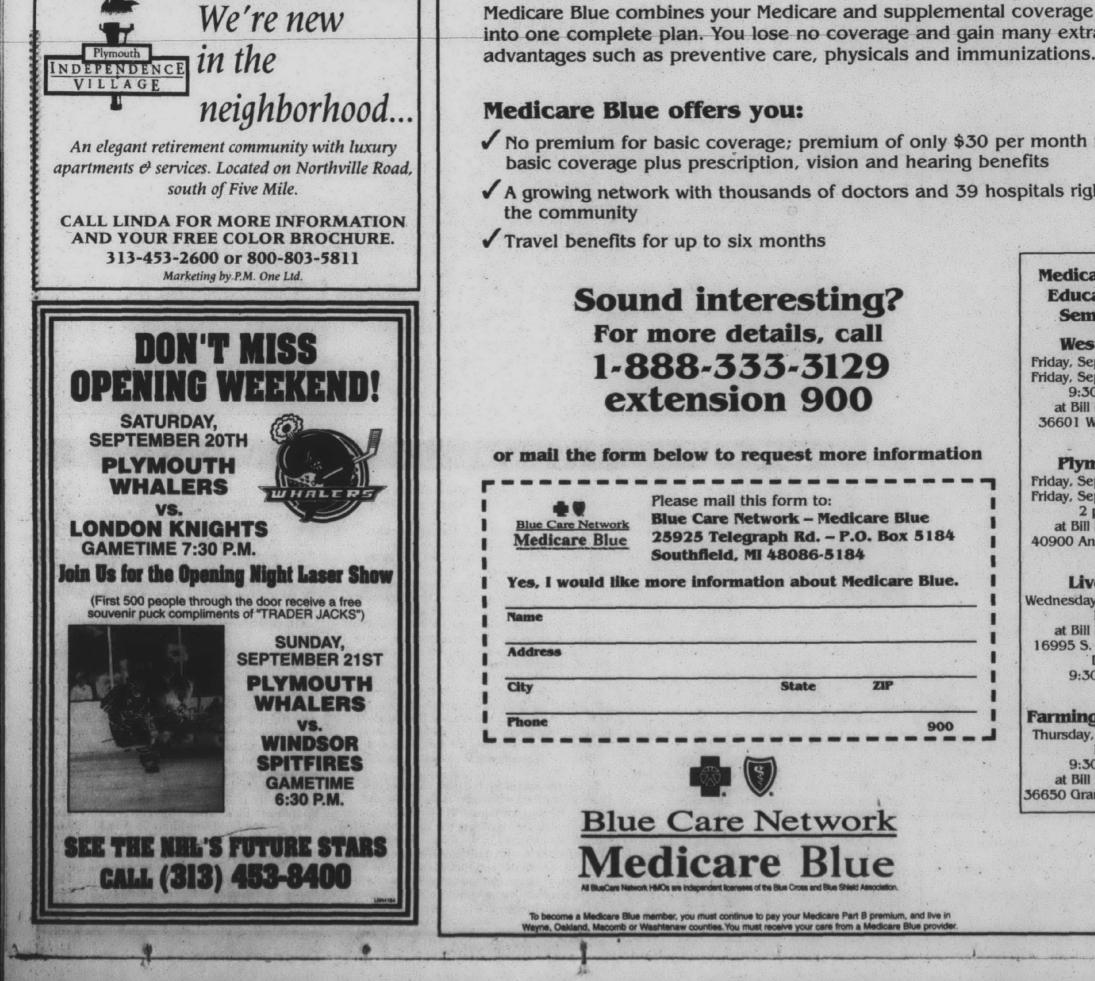
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