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Details, details: Everything you want to know about this weekend's Fall Festival can be found in our special Fall Fest guide, inside today's

Observer.

We're seeking the fastest pie eaters

The Plymouth Observer is getting into the pie business at the 46th annual Fall Festival

The Observer sponsors a pie eating contest for youngsters 7 through 15 years old as well as a special category for Observer

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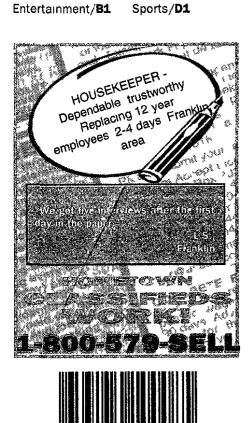
The contest takes place in Kellogg Park Saturday, with registration beginning at 1 p m

Age groups include 7-9, 10-12, 13-15 and the carrier competition Prizes will be awarded to the top three finishers in each

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Fall Festival fun hits downtown streets



■ Chicken dinners, pancake breakfasts, classic cars and fun for children of all ages are on tap as the 46th annual Plymouth Fall Festival returns Friday through Sunday.

BY TONY BRUSCATO

More carnival rides, an exten sive classic car show, an improved entertainment line-up and, of course, the Rotary Club chicken dinner highlight the 46th annual Plymouth Fall Festival, which runs Friday through Sunday in and around Kellogg Park

"We'll have more rides that will attract children of all ages," said Mark Baldwin, this year's Fall Festival president "And, the clas sic car show will run for two days, instead of one, and be expanded to cover more of the downtown area

And, we've upgraded the entertainment schedule this year "

This year, the Fall Festival nound accided to print in jurid American Shows to run the carni-

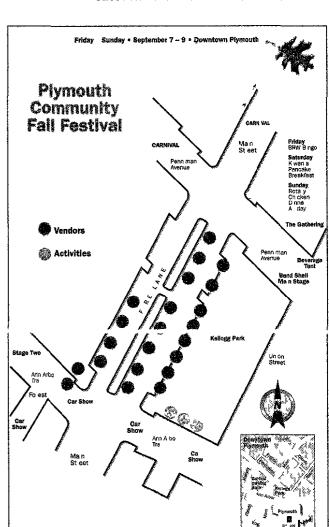
"We wanted to have rides for the older kids, too, so we decided to try Mid American and see how it goes," said Baldwin "We'll still have the usual rides for the vounger children, too "

Baldwin said there had been some discussion at Fall Festival board meetings about letting a private group, such as Mid-American, run the entire festival, which

Please see FESTIVAL, A3 kids of all ages



Fun times ahead: Although last year's carnival rides were fun for the youngsters, this year's carnival will feature rides and games for



Smell what's cookin': Mike Davis of Livonıa helps prepare the kıtchen for the evening's meal at the WWCCA Ren dezvous The kettle in the background has enough stew simmerng to jeed 250 pcople Davis has taken part in more than 10 of the Rendezvous

Somewhere in time

Rendezvous remembers earlier days

BY KURT KUBAN STAFF WRITER

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ust like they have every Labor Day weekend for the last 30 years, the members of the Western Wayne County Conserva tion Association turned back the calendar - all the way back to the

The WWCCA, located on Napier Road in Plymouth Township, held its

annual Rendezvous, a three day festival celebrating Michigan's frontier days, when fur trappers made up the bulk of the state's population Back then, the trapper's would come together once a year to trade their goods and take part in social activities after long months of solitude

The WWCCA Rendezvous over the weekend was a similar gathering About 250 participants slept in teepees and wore buckskins and other types of clothing that were made on the frontier Food was

cooked in cast iron pots and pans Handmade jewelry and crafts were traded or sold

"Everything from the teepees to the clothes has to be authentic, just as if they were made in the 1700s or early 1800s Most of the people make everything on their own," said WWCCA employee Jeanette Olden-

Former WWCCA president Bob Liech said the event draws people

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Bill would amend **Proposal A** funding

BY TONY BRUSCATO STAFF WRITER tbruscato@oe homecomm net

Two local la mixers a l'enorogia group of state legislators in sponsoring a bill to he p school districts such as Plymouth Canton which need more money than the present state founda tion grant for operating expenses

However the success of that bill may not be felt for a couple of years and maybe only if the two lawmakers get re elected next year

State Rep Bruce Patterson, R Can ton, and State Rep John Stewart, R Plymouth Township, after much pres sure from Plymouth-Canton school board members and school administra tors, are co sponsoring a bill that would amend Proposal A

"We were caught asleep at the switch when the dollar amount that was fixed under Proposal A was estab

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Canton man arrested after truck chase

BY KURT KUBAN STAFF WRITER kkuban@oe homecomm net

A Plymouth Township police officer arrested a Canton Township man Saturday evening after a brief chase

Police investigators allege Vincent Lee Wallace, 26, stole a 1989 Mack dump truck, which was pulling a trail-

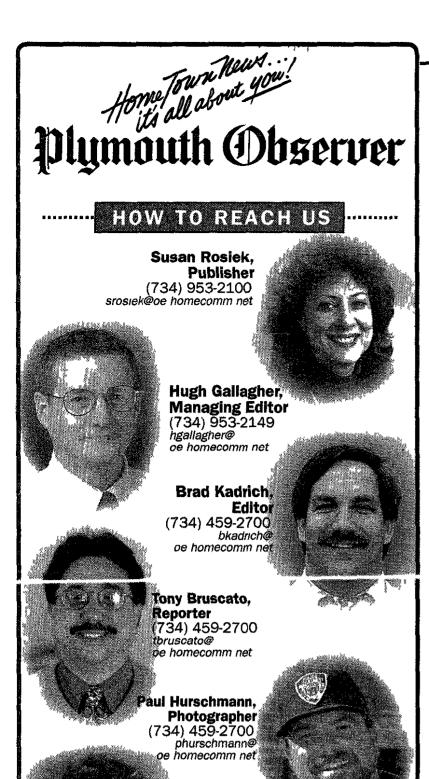
er carrying a Caterpillar bulldozer. from a construction site near Napier and North Territorial

Wallace was arraigned Monday in 35th District Court for driving with a suspended license Because it would be his second offense, if convicted, Wallace faces one year in prison, a \$1,000 fine or both for the misdemeanor charge Because there were warrants for the arrest of Wallace, he was transferred to a Wayne County jail after his arraignment. He may also face charges of stealing the vehi cle, said Officer Jamie Senkbeil of the Plymouth Township Police Depart ment

With the help of Hogan from the K 9 squad Officer Steve Cheston apprehended Wallace after he jumped from the truck and ran into a wooded area near a township subdivision

The chase began shortly after 7 p m, when Wallace was attempting to turn left at Beck from eastbound

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Ready, alm, fire: Chris Rhein of Lapeer competes in the shooting competition at the WWCCA Rendezvous This was his 12th year attending

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from all over the state, who share a love and fascination for a time before the automobile and urban sprawl Although there are other Rendezvous celebrations, he said most people really look forward to Labor Day at the WWCCA

The participants come from different clubs from all over the state. Our dive do to similar or onto of their places Supposedly, ours is the biggest one, probably because it takes place Labor Day weekend and is the last one of the summer," he said

As in years past, the event featured a variety of contests and competitions, including knife and tomahawk throwing, black-powder and longbow shooting, and even a frying pan toss for the

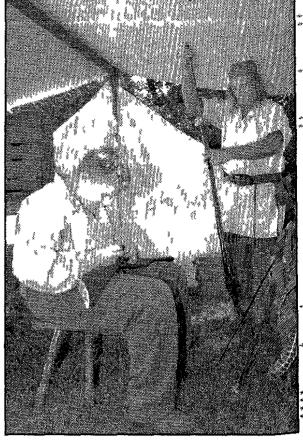
This year's event even featured a real marriage ceremony, as WWCCA member Mario Derrick wed Elizabeth Scheatzle on Saturday Both were clothed in 18th-century garb

"The wedding was really nice All the men held up their long rifles, and the bride walked under-

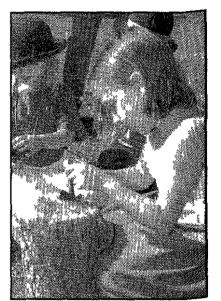
neath After the ceremony there were several people playing guitars for them It was just like the weddings performed on the frontier It was neat to see," Oldenburg said

In all Track and than about 85 traditional camps spread around the WWCCA's wooded land He said while walking around the camps, especially at night, one really got the feel of going back in time

"I tell everyone they really have to see this twice Take a walk during the day to see all the crafts and jewelry, and what everyone is wearing Then go back at night Each camp has its own fire You see a whole different picture The animal skins are hanging around, and people are playing music with instruments It's quite a sight," he



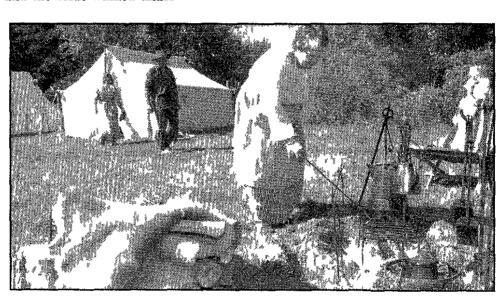
Quality time: Josh Summers of Fenton, and the g a edfather, Bull Somers of Davison, spend time together at the WWCCA Rendezvous over Labor Day weekend



Skills assessment: Sarah Davis of Clarkston participates in a contest of skill to start a fire using primitive methods at the WWCCA Rendezvous over Labor Day weekend

First timer:

Trudy Christiansen, of Sydney, Mich, prepares her firepit for cooking While she attends many of these types of events, this was her first time at the WWCCA Rendezvous



Guest speaker

Doug Rothwell chief executive officer of the Michigan Economic Development Corporation, will be the featured speaker at he Colonial Kiwanis Club of Michigan meeting at noon Thursday, Sept 6, at the Plymouth Historical Museum

Rothwell will talk about the MEDC Tickets are \$10 at the door

For more information, call Lee Harrison of the Plymouth Kiwanis, (734) 416-6055

Beautification awards

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce seeks nominations for its annual **Business Beautification Awards**

Nominations are eligible in three categories renovation, landscaping and new construction Nominated businesses must be located in the City of Plymouth or Plymouth Township Nominations must be made in writing by Sept 10

Mail or bring nominations to the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce, 386 S Main, Plymouth, MI 48170, or fax them to (734) 453-1724 For more information, call the chamber, (734) 453-1540

Symphony auditions

Evola Music hosts auditions for the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra from 4-8 p m Monday, Sept 10, at 7170 N Haggerty Road in Canton

The symphony is seeking experienced players with advanced musical skills for fall auditions for the 56th concert season Posted positions for per-service wage include principal viola, fourth horn, tuba and section string musicians Substitute musicians are needed for wind, brass and percussion section positions Other open-

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mgs may be posted as necessary Audition selections will be taken from standard orchestra repertoire Non-stan dard selections will be supplied Auditions are by appointment only Full orchestra

rehearsals begin Monday, Oct 1 For more information, to schedule an audition appointment or if you're interested but not available that day, call personnel manager William Hulsker, (313) 640-1773, or e-mail to plymouthsymphony@aol com

League meeting

The League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County hosts a membership meeting at 7 15 p m Wednesday, Sept 12, at the Civic Center Library on Five Mile Laura Callow of ERAmercia will speak on new developments in the fight to pass the ERA, and a film will be shown

For more information, call Paula Bowman, (734) 669-5830, days, or 455-4726, evenings

Writing seminars

Plymouth writer Cheryl Vatcher hosts a series of writing seminars designed to help writers through writer's block and help inspire potential writers to pick up a pen

The seminars are scheduled for 1-3 30 p m Sept 15 and Sept 29 at the Alfred Noble Library in Livonia for a cost of \$42

each from 1 2 30 pm Sept 10 and Sept 17 at the Coffee Bean on Penniman in Plymouth, for a cost of \$30 for each, and at a new class location, Lo Mocha Coffee House on Canton Center Road from 1-2 30 pm. Sept 13 and Sept 20, and from 6-7 30 pm. Friday, Sept 21 The Canton seminars also cost \$30 aprece

Vatcher has a master's degree from the University of Michigan's Rackham School of Education, and a training dynamics and leadership certificate from the University of Michigan-Dearborn For more information call Vatcher, (734) 414-8680

Legion conference

Joe Burman, 17th District Commander d Plymouth Township, was among more than 5,000 leaders of The American Legion attending the nation's largest wartime vet erans organization's 83rd national conven tion in San Antonio recently

President George W Bush topped the lis of government, military and business lead ers who addressed the business sessions of the convention Bush, addressing a join session of the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary, followed up or his campaign speech and talked of progress that has been made and challenges that lie ahead in meeting his pledges to veterans and members of America's military ser

The convention closed with the election of Richard Santos of Maryland as the new national commander

Burman is a member of Post 112 in Ply mouth Township and is active in programs that benefit veterans, their families and children

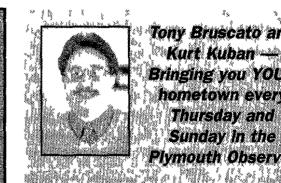


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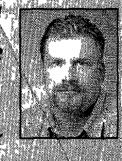
your joints the pounding Those with arthritis should also avoid high impact exercise as the extreme stress of high impact activities can lead to treatment hours To learn more cal fractures. We ght training which strengthens and builds bone in a

fractures it is not for everyone. There are many factors that can People with musculoskeletal ailments contribute to the onset of sciatica. There are many factors that can should avoid high impact activities some cases develop in the aftermath and strick with swimming cycling, of an accident, others seem to appear and brisk walking These and other out of the blue. The important thing similar low impact exercises that do to remember is that this condition not cause you to jar your body still can be treated successfully If you are provide a great workout but spare experiencing debilitating pain and stiffness ask your physician for referral to the HANDS ON CENTER FOR PHYSICAL THERAPY, located of high impact activities can cause in Plymouth at 470 Forest Avenue further damage to arthritic joints. And Suite 20. We employ the latest those with bones weakened by treatment methods from both Europe osteoporosis may find that the stress and America and offer evening

PS Any exercise that involves bouncy movements in which your feet repeatedly leave the ground and land hard enough to significantly stress your joints muscles and bones is considered "high impact"



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Pet smart: Joyce Roebuck, from left, Florence VonGlahn and Frances Goud watch the Optimists Club Pet Show on the Penniman stage. This year's show is set for Saturday afternoon.

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is done in some communities

"However, we are not going to let that happen in Plymouth,' said Baldwin "We're bringing in Mid-American to run the rides, and one concession stand "

The bigger rides will be placed along Penniman, and north along Main Street, with a giant ferris wheel planned for the corner of Main and Penniman

Baldwin said Mid-American will be allowed to set up one concession stand, with 25 percent of the net gain going to a local nonprofit organization of its choos-

"Many of the nonprofits don't have the staff needed to keep a booth open, while the carnival group does," said Baldwin "It's something that's done at festivals all over, so we're trying it here

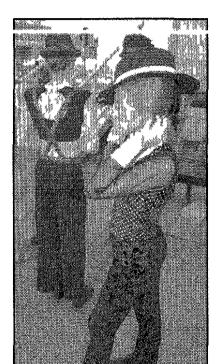
This year there will be 25 non profit organizations operating booths, giving 25 percent of their net profit to the Fall Festival and keeping the rest to support the organization

The car show has been expanded to include both Saturday and Sunday Baldwin said it's been moved to Ann Arbor Trail and Union, west on Ann Arbor Trail to Forest, and south to Wing Street

This year's Fali Festival is in great financial shape according to Baldwin It was only a few years ago the festival was in danger of being in financial ruin However, those days appear to

"All our bills are paid to date, and we have enough money to run the festival this year," said

This year's festival expenses is expected to rival last year's \$66,000, with the entertainment the largest expense at nearly



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN Kickin' up their heels:

 $oldsymbol{Dancers}$ with $oldsymbol{Metro}$ $oldsymbol{Dance}$ prepare backstage before taking to the boards durıng last year's Fall Festi-

\$18 000 followed by a \$9 000 tab from the city for help in set ting up tearing down and addi tional police officers

However, those costs will be offset by \$30,000 collected as the festival's share from the nonprofit booths, \$15,000 from advertising sold in the Fall Festival guide, and a beer tent which last year provided \$5,000, despite a rain-out on the last

"Plymouth is unique, and that's why this event has survived all these years," said Baidwin there's a lot of tradition that comes with the Fall Festival

■ The Plymouth Rotary Club expects to sell nearly 12,000 chicken dinners at this year's Fall Festival The "Head Cluck" (chairman of the chicken dinner committee), Larry Turner, said the group hopes to raise nearly \$20,000

"The community has always been very supportive of our efforts, and we're gratified by the generosity," said Turner, who noted that nearly 70 percent of the money is donated to local individuals and organiza-

Tickets, which can be purchased at the Fall Festival, are \$8 through Saturday, and \$9 on Sunday There will be two outposts to pick up dinners this year, at East and West middle schools Tickets can also be purchased at those locations

A time capsule will be buried in front of the Mayflower Centre at noon on Sunday

"There will be memorabilia from the original Mayflower Hotel, artifacts from Plymouth and Plymouth Township, newspapers, including the Observer and various items made in Ply mouth buried in a 55 gallon drum said organizer Ed Wen dover 'It will be buried in the front lobby area of the Mayflow er, with a granite plaque signify ing its existence. It will be opened in 2025, with the items to be given to the Plymouth Historical Museum'

Information concerning the Plymouth Fall Festival and the schedule of events can be obtained from the Web site, www plymouthfallfestival com

Folino holds birthday bash to raise money for possible '02 run

By Tony Bruscato Staff Writer

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The primary election for the 20th District House seat is a year away However, State Rep John Stewart, R Plymouth Township, already has competition And it's a familiar foe

Teresa Folino of Northville is expected to announce soon she'll be challenging Stewart for the seat he won last November, after defeating Folino in the Republi can primary by 81 votes

While Folino won't officially say she's a candidate, Republican Party insiders say there's no doubt she'll challenge Stewart and just may get the Republican Party backing against the incumbent

Despite the lack of a formal announcement, it's clear Folino is preparing for a challenge. She recently held a \$250-a-person birthday bash/ fund-raiser Forty people attended, she said

There will be a lot of people seeking office in 2002, and there are only so many people willing to give and only so much money out there," she said "Even if I'm only considering running, I need to get started with fund-raising so I won't be left out in the cold

"I'm studying my options You never know what may happen with redistricting "

Thus far, preliminary redistricting of the 20th House seat has erased Livonia from the district and replaced it with a stretch of Canton along I-275 and the city of Wayne Ply-

mouth, Plymouth Township Northville and Northville Town ship remain as part of the House

Folino made it clear that she's not a fan of Stewarts first term

in Lansing 'All along it's been obvious we have differences on a number of

issues, especially education? Stewart said "bring on all com ers," but at this point he's not concerned about challengers because it's too early to begin campaigning for next August's

primary "It's wrong to begin campaign ing now because I have work to do in Lansing being a state rep resentative for my constituents," said Stewart "I believe they have trust in me and my voting

Study: No new stop signs on Farmer

BY TONY BRUSCATO

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Earlier this summer, residents on Farmer Street in Plymouth told city commissioners their children were in danger because of motorists who exceeded the 25 mph speed limit They wanted action, calling for more stop signs

However, a recent traffic study shows additional stop signs - and perhaps their fears - are unwarranted

After listening to residents and receiving nearly 100 petition signatures and letters, city commissioners in June authorized a second traffic study on Farmer by the Traffic Improvement Association of Oakland County And, as with the first study, the TIA recommends against adding more stop

we can look at other options"

I can understand the reasoning,' said Derek Duerr, a Farmer Street resident who presented city commissioners with 75 petition signatures earlier this summer "Traffic volume is increas ing, but apparently the speeds aren't I'm hopeful

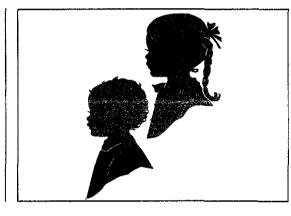
According to the study, "This data shows the weekday traffic volumes are approximately 1 500 vehicles per day in each direction. Volumes on the weekend are about 1,100 vehicles per day The 85th percentile speed is 30 mph in both directions Generally, our experience has been that the 85 percentile speeds on local residential streets such as this are very near 33 mph. This indicates that

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Company hooks mail box posts

Cops worry method could alert thieves to empty homes

residents come in to fill out a

to stop delivery of their mail

vacation form they are also guided

service to prevent signals that they

Jamie Senkbeil

—Plymouth Township police

BY KURT KUBAN STAFF WRITER

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Like mushrooms that pop up overnight, many Plymouth Township residents have found mysteri ous black hooks attached to their mailbox posts during the last month

For several weeks, the Plymouth Township Police Department has received calls from residents complaining about the hooks, which are used by a marketing company to hang advertise-

The Detroit-based Alternative Delivery Systems began placing the hooks on mailbox posts throughout the township and other area communities in

July, according to spokesman Ron Oldham In all, Oldham estimated the hooks were attached to "several hundred thousand" mailbox posts in Wayne County

Oldham said company couriers place plastic bags filled with advertisements on the hooks about once a week

In addition to the possibility the fliers could create a litter problem if they blow off the hooks, police officials warn they can also be an invitation to criminals to break into a home when homeowners are away on vacation

are away.'

According to Plymouth Township police officer Jamie Senkbeil, criminals could target homes where the fliers accumulate on the hook, because they are an indication no one is home. She said the hooks could hinder a service the department offers residents who go on vacation, where an officer patrols by the house during the duration of the homeowner's absence

We always recommend that when residents come in to fill out a vacation form they are also guided to stop delivery of their mail service to prevent signals that they are away We have some

concerns in regards to crime prevention with these hooks This service is just another tool perpetrators can use to determine if homeowners are away How do you stop this service? That is a question we feel is unanswered at this point," she said

According to Oldham, the company didn't break any laws by attaching the hooks, even though homeowners weren't asked for permission He said some people have called the company to complain about the hooks, but not enough to warrant con-

"In most cases, we didn't ask the homeowners if we could place the hook on the post We've received some complaints, but there have only been a few, and not overwhelming by any means,"

he said

Oldham said home-■ 'We always recommend that when owners can call the company at (877) 266-7700 to have the delivery stopped or canceled

"They have the right to call us so we stop delivery while they are on vacation or away from home If they want to stop delivery permanently, they can do that to That is their right," he said

Fred Van de Putte, an inspector with the US Postal Service's law enforcement branch, said he hasn't received any complaints about the hooks yet However, he said it is unlawful for companies to damage mail posts, because they are private

"By law, the actual mailbox, or receptacle, is for the exclusive use of the United States Postal Service The post is not part of the receptacle, but is still the private property of the homeowner They bought the mailbox, so if they want to remove the hook, they can That would solve the problem in my mind," he said

Van de Putte said residents can address concerns to the U.S. Postal Service at (800) 275-8777

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lished during a nine-month window in 1993 94," said Stewart That was the time frame local districts had to hold one last millage vote before Proposal A went into effect Voters in Plymouth-Canton turned down the dis trict's request, allowing the state to set Plymouth-Canton's foundation grant at a lower, per-student dollar figure than neighboring school districts

"Plymouth-Canton Schools are who we had in mind (with this legislation)," said Stewart "It reflects a couple of significant factors, including an increasing enrollment"

Under the pending legislation, a local school district could ask voters to approve an additional one mill, which would be used for operating expenses

"The local school district would use the money for operating expenses," said Stewart "This is different from what is now allowed under Proposal A, in which a local millage would have to be shared with other school districts within the county We're getting support from disviices such as Toomioid, Mase Grand Rapids and districts up

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> John Stewart -State Representative

north which are growing " According to Patricia Brand, Plymouth-Canton's executive director of business services, the additional one mill could bring the district nearly \$4 million

School board member Mark Slavens, who is a member of Michigan Citizens for Fairness in Public School Funding, is in favor any bill that would bring the school district more money

"I support any effort that attempts to increase funding for schools," said Slavens "However, the best way to improve fund ing would be to increase per

Trustee Judy Mardigian, who,

along with Slavens testified in front of a legislative committee seeking more state money for Plymouth-Canton Schools, sup ports the two lawmakers in their effort

"I view it as a positive step that they are working together to find new avenues for funding for our district," said Mardigian "The extra money could do a lot in enhancing our educational programs |

The caveat to the bill may be time, if Stewart and Patterson will be around to usher in the

"Gov (John) Engler has pretty well said he has no intent to approve any changes at all to Proposal A, so we may have to plant the seed now," said Stew "If it doesn't come to fruition this fall or next spring, we'll have to persuade a new legislature'

And for that to happen, two things will need to occur Stewart will have to be re-elected to his state representative seat. while Patterson, who is term limited in his state rep district,

term as state senator

NIAAA honors Canton assistant AD

The National Interscholastic Athletic Adminis trators Association announced that Suzanne Heinzman, assistant district athletic director at Plymouth Canton High School, has been recognized as a certified athletic administrator

To earn this distinction, officials said, Heinzman demonstrated the highest level of knowledge and expertise in the field of interscholastic athletic administration The voluntary certification process included a thorough evaluation of the candidate's educational background, experience and professional contributions, as well as a rigorous, comprehensive written examination

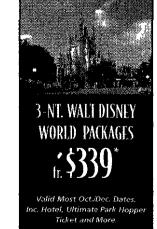
Heinzman is one of an elite group of Inter scholastic athletic administrators nationwide to attain this level of professionalism

The NIAAA is a national professional organiza tion, consisting of all 50 state athletic administra tor associations and more than 5,800 individual members It is dedicated to promoting the profes sional growth of high school athletic administra tors and preserving the educational nature of interscholastic athletics and the place of these pro grams in the secondary school curriculum



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mascot pose with kids taking part in the end-of-summer camp party at Tutor Time Child Care/Learning Center in Plymouth Township recently Children between the ages of 5 and 10 years old took part in the camp, which featured three field trips a week to do things time going to parks, a hands on museum and swimming, bowling and soccer. The other two days were spent at the school, with activities like Cooking Day and arts and crafts. "The kids had quite a busy summer," center director Laura McDougall said.

Chase from page A1

North Territorial The truck had slid through a red light and into the middle of the intersection Cheston said The truck's brakes were smoking, and several vehicles had to brake 'sharply' to avoid colliding with it, according to Cheston's report,

Cheston attempted to pull Wallace over after he made his turn onto Beck but Wallace sped up and turned onto the east bound M 14 entrance ramp Che ston said The truck nearly struck a vehicle in the right lane of the freeway and then swerved onto the shoulder

When the truck slowed to 25 mph Wallace jumped out run ning south toward a wooded swamp area separating the free way from the South Burningtree Lane subdivision Cheston said

According to the report the truck continued driverless for 300 yards along the shoulder before heading down a hill and

through a chain link fence It came to a halt in the same wooded area when it entered a creek about 175 yards south of M-14

Cheston and Hogan then chased Wallace, who was jump ing over the fence at the time

"I exited the vehicle taking Hogan with me The truck driver was just jumping the six-foot chain link fence at the edge of the woods at that time," Cheston wrote in his report "I yelled at the driver three times to stop or I would release the dog '

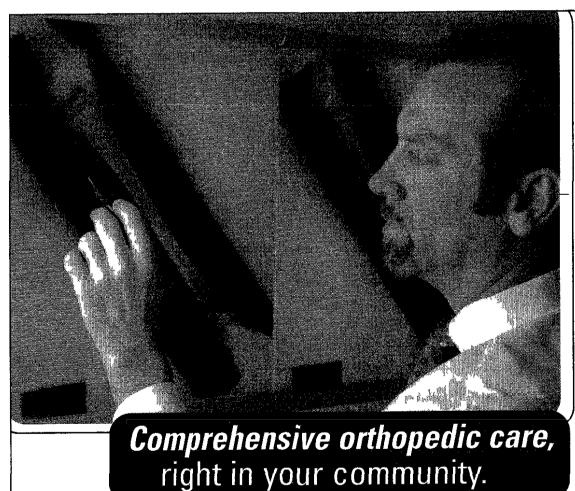
Hogan tracked down Wallace in an area of tall grass For sev eral minutes Wallace struggled with the dog and Cheston, before Wallace complied and was taken into custody Wallace was treat ed at the scene for minor injuries suffered during the scuffle with Hogan

According to the report Wal laces record showed a probation violation warrant from Wayne County, and two misdemeanor warrants from Jackson County He also has 11 current suspensions of his driver's license and two prior arrests for driving on a suspended license

Senkbeil said the township began pursuing stolen vehicle charges against Wallace after police investigators contacted the owner of the truck and learned it had been stolen

"He (Wallace) initially told us he had the permission from the owner to be driving the vehicle However we contacted the owner and he had never heard of the guy We want to charge him with stealing the vehicle We wrote a warrant request, but we're waiting for the prosecutor to make a decision on it

Wallace is scheduled to appear in the 35th District Court for a preliminary examination on the suspended license charge Sept



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Harley riders ready for toy drive

By Doug Johnson Staff Writer

Motor City Harley Owners Group, a nonprofit Harley-Davidson club (or chapter), will hold its seventh annual "toy run" on Sunday, Sept 23

The bikers go through several western Wayne County communities and often people wave and cheer them on from the sidelines

To ride in the event, bikers must bring \$5 and a new, unwrapped toy to the staging area just west of Westland's City Hall The run starts at noon

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Typically, hundreds of bikers take part in the run, which will leave Westland City Hall, go west on Ford Road, then north on Newburgh to Ann Arbor Road into Plymouth, north on Main street, left at Mill Street, getting on Hines Drive The parade of bikers then goes into Northville Township, making a turnaround at Seven Mile, then back the Inkster Road exit out of Hines Park in Redford

The bikers then go south on Inkster to Ford, west on Ford through Garden City, then south on Merriman to the AMVETS Hall, 1217 Merriman Road (Westland), for a picnic and music A raffle for a Harley bike will also be held

The Motor City Chapter is sponsored by Dick Rose, owner of Motor-City Davidson on Grand River in Farmington Hills Last year, the chapter was able to give about \$22,500 to charity

The organization's director is Brad Bockstanz, who lives in Dearborn Heights and can be reached at (313) 562 5574, assistant director is Fred Erdman of Redford, (313) 531 6008 The group's activities chairman is Gregg Gildersleeve of Livonia

'The event is a lot of fun," said Bockstanz "But our primary goal is to take care of kids who are less fortunate at Christmas Anyone with a motorbike (club





NOTICE OF ADOPTION HEARING PROBATE COURT OF AUTAUGA COUNTY, ALABAMA

CASE NO. 01 A-015

TO TERRENCE EDWARD MASON father of JONATHON EDWARD MASON a minor Please take notice that a Petition for the Adoption of the above named minor who was born to PATSY SUE MASON on the 9th of MARCH 1996 at 12 46 PM has been filed in the Probate Court of Autauga County Alabama Please be advised that if you mutend to contest this adoption you must file a written response with the Attorney for the Petitioners named below and with the Clerk of the Probate Court of Autauga County at 176 W Fifth Street Prativille AL 36067 as soon as possible but no later than thirty (30) days from the last day this notice is published.

Petitioners BRUCE TODD GRASHAM and
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member or not, Harley owner or not) can participate, Bockstanz said "Bring a toy, \$5 and you're in" Most of the kids helped in the fund-raiser are from Wayne and Westland, he said They hope to help some Farmington and Farmington Hills kids this

Last year, 462 bikes "thundered" through the suburbs for the event, Bockstanz said

Karen and John Lange of Livonia are typical Harley chap ter members, he's a teacher, she works in Plymouth in an office They have belonged to the "HOG" (Harley Owners Group) for about 15 years

We like to do it because of the camaraderie of our friends and the people in the chapter. We feel good about this event because it brings police, the cities and the bikers together. It is a good feeling knowing you are benefiting children and contributing to their happiness at Christmas," Karen Lange said.

She and her husband enjoy seeing the people who gather along the route, waving signs

The parade is led by Westland police officers on motorbikes, other departments help out with traffic control along the route

Farmer from page A3

the speed limit is posted correct ly and that traffic law enforce ment is adequate. There is no need for additional steps to be taken to reduce the speeds of vehicles."

The 85th percentile speed is the speed limit at which 85 percent of the vehicles are traveling at, or below. The speed is the basis for setting speed limits.

According to Robert DeCorte, vice president of engineering data services for the Traffic Improvement Association of Oakland County, installing stop signs to reduce the speeds of vehicles can have a reverse

affect

"Unwarranted stop signs can actually cause an increase in vehicular speeds, and the compliance rate is often less than 50 percent," said DeCorte "Therefore, stop signs should never be used solely to reduce speeds"

City Manager Paul Sincock said the city is taking other steps in helping residents along Farmer

"We did install four additional speed limit signs after the study was completed," said Sincock "We've put Farmer Street on the regular rotation for the speed radar trailer, and we'll continue

to focus traffic patrols in that area as well "

Duerr said he expects more volume on Farmer Street when next year's road construction season begins

"Come June, when they shut down Sheldon Road to build the underpass, Farmer will become a thoroughfare to get to Livonia or the freeway, and we expect truck traffic to increase," said Duerr "Our biggest concern is for the small children who play in the area"



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Schoolcraft ready to 'take next step' on development

BY TIM SMITH STAFF WRITER tsmith@oe homecomm net

With the pool of possibilities in front of them, Schoolcraft Col lege trustees decided to dip their toes into the water during last week's study session about four land development proposals

Although board members did not specifically endorse any of

the four recently submitted proposals to develop a 45-acre parcel of property on the south end of campus, the consensus during the Wednesday Aug 29 meeting was to "take the next step, according to Schoolcraft President Conway Jeffress

College trustees and administrators delved into the pros and cons of four proposals made Aug

■ Houston-based Hines proposed a five-phase "campus style" office park,

the partnership of South field's Etkin and Farmingtonbased Walkon Associates proposed a mixture of retail and office space,

■ Plymouth's DeMattia Group, and Village Green Companies

intend to create a unique officeresidential project that would feature a "live-work" community concept,

■ Lincoln Property Co of Dallas proposed a development of single-family apartments

One of those proposals is expected to eventually get the green light, in order to fully develop the Schoolcraft campus

lar to the existing Seven Mile Crossing on the north end

But there was no decision other than to keep moving for-

"If the projected revenue stream materializes, the college's financial security would be greatly enhanced," Jeffress said "There would be no foreseeable

and trigger a money maker simi- need for new bonds, miliages or tuition increases above the rate of inflation"

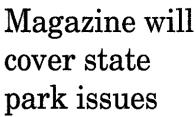
With such an income stream, Jeffress added that a turtion stabilization fund might be created to take the financial load off of

students Meanwhile, meetings also will be set up with officials from the

cities of Livonia and Northville

to collect information about any

of the development concepts - as well as to take a look at any similar projects for the vicinity of Haggerty-Six Mile roads previously outlined by other compa-

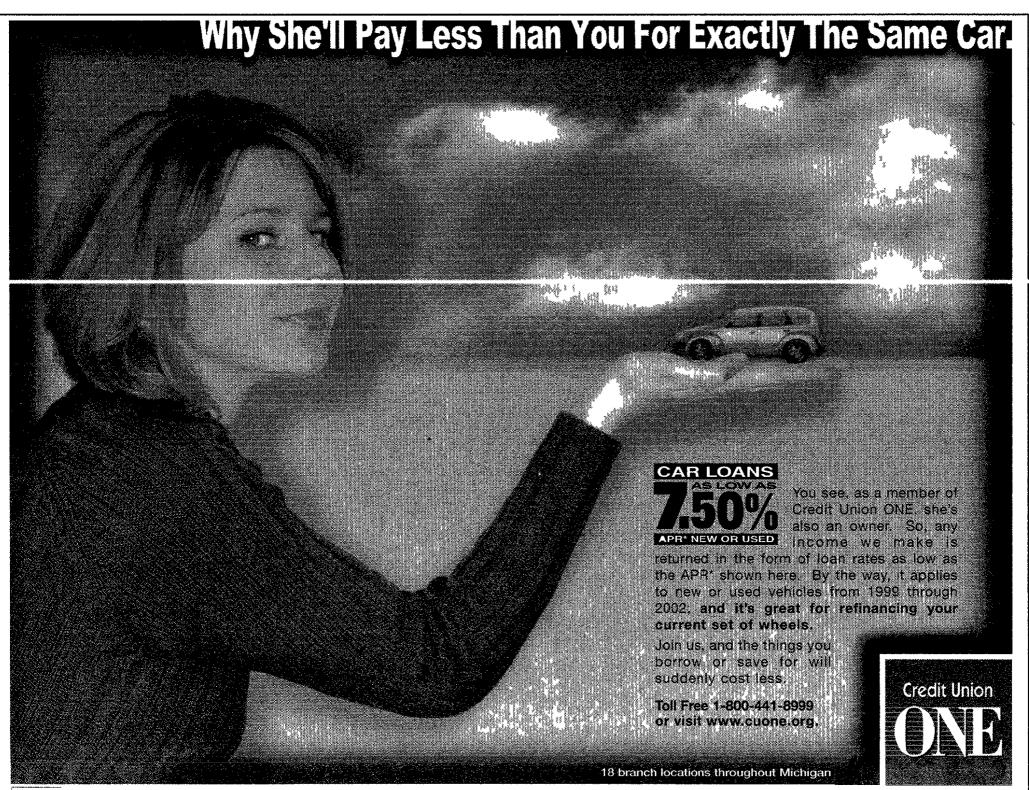


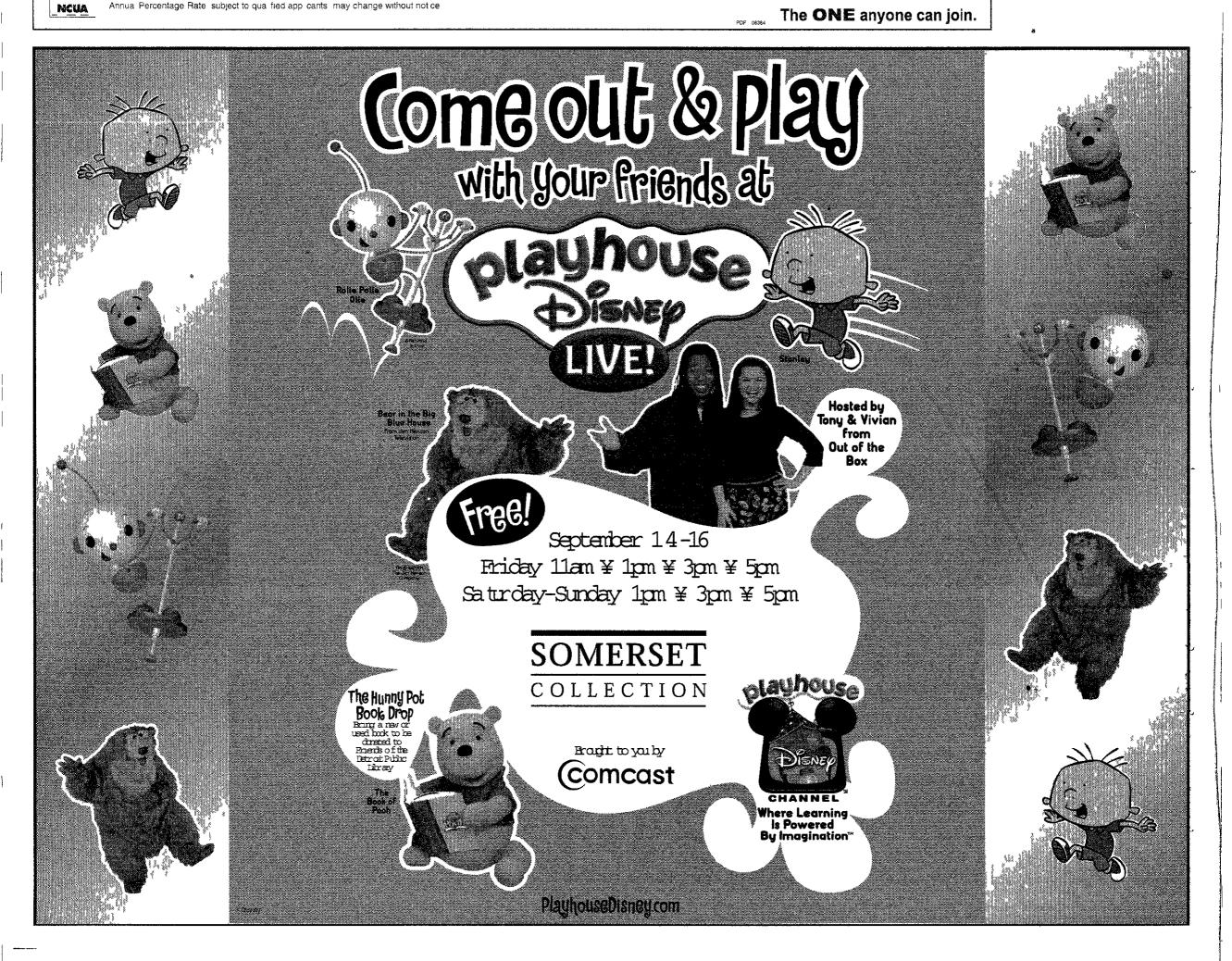
The Michigan Recreation and Park Association will publish a new Michigan-based parks and recreation magazine, Michiga Parks and Recreation The fullcolor quarterly publication will be available to the public at a newsstand price of \$2 50 per issue, and sent to association members free of charge as an association member benefit

"This will be Michigan's premier publication for the parks and recreation trade," said Robert A Robinson, communications and marketing manager for the association Robinson will serve as editor for the new publication "Each quarter MP&R will take an intensive look at how successful park and recreation professionals and agencies are making their facilities work in the most proficient, skillful and imaginative ways"

The premier Fall 2001 issue will feature the financial topic of parks and recreation fundingand will include excerpts from a blue ribbon panel discussion

The first issue of the magazine is scheduled for release in Octo ber Those interested in a \$10 non-member annual subscription to the publication should call the offices of the association at (517)485-9888 Information is also available on the Web at www mrpaonline org





Special care needs increase with age

By Diane Gale Andreassi

Finding living arrangements for family members when they age is hard enough, but add the special needs of individuals with developmental disabilities and the challenge becomes even more difficult Also, as people with developmental disabilities age, their needs increase, because they become senile and their skills decline

Typically group homes were created as residences for six people Staffing was planned based on having everyone in the home being out sometime during the day for daytime work or volunteer activities

"We haven't addressed the fact that people with disabilities will like to retire like the rest of us," explained Sylvia Kloc, executive director of the Arc of Northwest Wayne County

This concern is compounded by longer life spans for individuals with disabilities For instance, people with Down syndrome are heart and swallowing conditions than they were in the past

'Just as we don't always do well with elderly people who don't have disabilities it's magnified with people who have disabilities," Kloc said

Complex funding

Most group homes that serve developmentally disabled people are under the umbrella of the Detroit Wayne Community Mental Health Agency and funding is from Medicaid, as well as state and county tax dollars They subcontract with a variety of providers with a complex mix of payment structures based on the ındıvıduals' needs

Group Home A might get \$300,000 a year and Group Home B might get \$180,000 a year The higher paid group home might be able to squeeze out money for more staffing, while the other couldn't, Kloc

"The challenge is where do you move them?" Kloc said "The problem with group homes is going to depend on who is operating the group home and where the funding is coming from '

Federal legislation prohibits moving a person with a develop mental disability into a nursing home unless the person needs nursing home care Kloc recalls a woman who was living in a 12 person group home in Dearborn, which had limited funding and only a couple of staff people at any given time Staff couldn't meet the woman's extra needs to address an incontinence problem and they couldn't afford to add staff

The woman's sister called Arc, an advocacy, non-profit organization serving people with mental retardation and related developmental disabilities and their families

Through the maze

"We try to get people through the maze that often exists between them and the services they need," Kloc said "People with developmental disabilities have no resources?

The Arc helped in transferring this woman to a four person group home that was funded through Community Living Services This kind of situation is expected to increase as the age of the people in group homes rises The average age of the 83 people involved with the Community Opportunity Center (COC) in Livonia is 45, according to Denise King, executive director of the agency that serves Livonia, Plymouth, Redford and Garden City

There are 300 people on the waiting list and about 30 of those are seniors Five years ago, the agency opened a Livonia home, known as the Milburn House, which is designed for developmentally disabled seniors who are at least 55 years old The average age of the four residents is 70

"In the future we see many more homes that will need to be opened," King said

Funding changes are under consideration since Magellan Behavioral Health Inc recently was named to take over the management of Wayne County's mental health programs Magellan's contract in Wayne County gives it \$20 million over four years to make managerial and administrative decisions However, the county will continue to pay the bills and assume risk

There's not a lot of opportunities for new development, but not until everything is figured out with what is happening in the county with services to developmentally disabled people

"I don't see a lot of growth right

Changing needs

King sees a demand for a facility that would suit people whose needs are continually changing because of advancing age "If someone is older and they're liv ing with people who aren't quite as old as they are, that's OK, as long as you can add the additional staff

Since the quality of life often

and managed care," King said hinges on available funds, COC works with families of developmentally disabled people to set up Special Needs Trust Funds

If the trusts are set up properly, King said, they would set aside money to go toward expenses that Medicaid doesn't cover, like dental services, vacations, televisions and other amenities

"Previously people were really instructed not to leave money to a son or daughter with a disability, because they would lose their

Social Security entitlements, as well as Medicaid and other governmental benefits," King said These trust funds are especially crucial as the developmentally disabled person ages and their parents age

The agency's Community Friend program also tries to match people, often seniors, who don't have family members who will invite them home during the holidays or on other outings The younger people often have a lot of family and siblings who will

provide these excursions

"And it's important for us to work toward that for our seniors," she said Giving individuals with developmental disabilities access to activity centers to keep their muscles strong, especially because they no longer work out of the home, is another area experts say needs to be considered

Planning for future

See CARE, A10 Sylvia Kloc





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Services for Scott Holloway, 42, of Ypsilan-

ti were held Sept 1 at Vermeulen Funeral

Home with the Rev Keith Geiselman offici-

ating Burial was at Highland Cemetery in

Ypsilanti and died Aug 28 in Ypsilanti He

was a graduate of Willow Run Community

Schools For the past 24 years he has been

an employee of Ford Motor Co in Milan and

outdoorsman, enjoying hunting, fishing and

camping with his daughters, family and

Survivors include his father and mother,

Robert (Velda) Holloway of Ypsilanti, daugh-

ters, Amanda (Chuckie) Hollowav and Ash-

ley Holloway, brothers, William Holloway of

Ypsilanti, Robert (Linda) Jr Holloway of

Ypsilanti, John (Maureen) Holloway of

Saline, and Thom Holloway of Plymouth,

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Services for Wanda Heugel, 73, of Canton

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William Bruce (Wendy) Heugel, and son,

Christopher C (Amy) Heugel, grandchil-

dren, Amanda, Shannon, Evan, Alex, and

Sydney, great-grandchild, Kyle, and brother,

Services for Angelo Manini, 84, of Canton

were held Sept 4 at St John Neumann

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Detroit and died Sept 3 in Canton She was

were held Sept 5 at L J Griffin Funeral

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Tire companies offer support for local soccer

The City of Plymouth recreation soccer program has been chosen to participate in a national youth soccer program by Uniroval Tire and Discount Tire Co The program is designed to support community soccer leagues and their families by raising funds and supplying equipment

To kick off their 2001 Fall sponsorship of City of Plymouth recreation soccer, Discount Tire Co and Uniroyal will provide free soccer balls (good while supplies last) and conduct a fundraising promotion

A donation of \$2 per tire on all Uniroyal tires sold in September by Discount Tire Co to the general public will be presented to the league This includes the sale of Uniroyal NailGard tires that prevent flats by instantly, permanently and repeatedly sealing most tread punctures

Uniroyal NailGard self-sealing tires are available in a broad range or sizes for cars, buvs and pickups The fund-raiser will be promoted through local advertising and in store materials

"On behalf of everyone at Uniroyal Tire, I want to say what an honor it is to join Discount Tire Co in becoming a sponsor of city of Plymouth recreation soccer," said Uniroyal Brand Manager Tim Jamison "We share your enthusiasm for the sport Soccer gives all of our children a wonderful opportunity to learn a great game and have fun, while developing important character traits such as teamwork and self-confidence It's also great to see the parents, grandparents and siblings out there on weekends cheering the kids on Soccer brings the family together"

In addition to its support of community soccer organizations, Uniroyal Tire also became the sponsor of US Youth Soccer's national outreach program The national outreach program is now called Uniroyal Tire TOP-Soccer This program gives children with mental/physical disabilities the opportunity to play

Uniroyal has enlisted the help of US national team star Julie Foudy to serve as official spokeswoman for Uniroyal Tire TOPSoccer

To find our more unformation on the Uniroyal Tire TOPSoccer Program, visit the US Youth Soccer Web site at www youthsoccer org or the Uniroyal Web site at www uniroyal com To learn more about Discount Tire Co call Keith Bell at (734) 961-6800 www discounttire com

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA **SEPTEMBER 13, 2001**

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2001 AT 7:30 P.M. The meeting will be held in the First Floor Meeting Room in the Township Administration Building located at 1150 S CANTON CENTER ROAD The following Agenda will be discussed

Pledge of Allegiance to the flag

Roll Call Blaylock Cisek Demopoulos Johnson Redfern

Acceptance of Agenda

- 1 Michael & Julia Hillyer of 1934 Stonebridge Way Canton MI 48188 are seeking a variance to Zoning Ordinance 26 02 rear yard setback for building of a Deck & Gazebo Parcel # 083 02 0074 000 (REMOVE AS TABLED FROM AUGUST 9
- (Building) 2 Ron & Marlene Rueder 45715 Morningside Rd, Canton, MI 48187 are requesting a variance to Zoning Ordinance 26 Section 26 02 setback requirements for an addition Parcel # 036 02 1595 000
- (Building) Joel and Susan Goddard 46839 Creek's Bend, Canton, MI 48188 are requesting a variance of Zoning Ordinance Article 26 01 Schedule of Regulations Intent & Scope of Requirements Parcel # 111 04 0231 000 (Building)

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name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of

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a member of UAW Local 600 Mr Holloway was active in the Fraternal Order of Eagles, KENNETH OWEN TRUESDELL AEIRE #2250 of Ypsilanti He was an avid

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Services for Kenneth Truesdell, 96, of Plymouth were held Sept 6 at Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev Peter M Berg officiating Burnal was at Glen Eden Cemeterv m Livonia

OBITUARIES

Mr Manini was born April 11, 1917, in

He was preceded in death by his wife,

Survivors include daughter, Diane (Rob)

Bryant, son, Michael (Carolyn), one brother,

one sister, and grandchildren, Kristin

(Brian) Homan, and Angela (Jody) Mock-

Illinois and died Aug 31 in Dearborn He

worked as a route salesman in industrial

Mr Truesdell was born March 7, 1905, in Salem Township and died Sept 2 in Westland He was born and raised on the Trues dell homestead in Salem Township, established in 1860 by his forefathers

He worked the farm and went to the oneroom school in Salem He went to East Lansing to attend the University for Agricultural and Animal Husbandry classes He has 12 ribbons for 1924-25 and 1926 from the Wayne County, Northville, and Ann Arbor County Fairs He showed farm animais, mostly horses

He worked for the Wayne County Road Commission and later for Ford Motor Company at the Ford Northville plant for 38 years He was one of the first employees to take an early retirement at the age of 62 While at Ford, he helped put up the water wheel at the Northville plant

He was a member of St Peters Evangelical Lutheran Church for over 73 years He helped maintain the church and school grounds and also drove the school bus in the 1960s He also worked as a security guard at the Northville Downs Racetrack in the 1950s He was a member of the Plymouth Senior Citizens, where he was active in helping others in the group with food and other supplies

He was preceded in death by his wives, Bella and Elsie, brothers, Horace and Howard, sister, Vella, and parents, Fred and

Survivors include son, Kenneth (Eliza beth) Truesdell of Cocoa, Fla, daughter Jane (Bob) Prater of Plymouth, grandchildren, Karen Moye of Florida, Jack E Prater of Inkster, Michael Prater of Hawaii, Cheryl (Keith) Johnson of Plymouth, and Timothy Prater of Plymouth, great-grandchildren, Wyatt, Rory, Rachel, Sarah, Jonah, Christopher, Jason, Matthew, Michelle, Amber, Kyle, and Debbie Marie, and sister, Irene Truesdell of Redford

Memorial contributions may be made to St Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church in Plymouth

ROSARIO P. BUGAIS

Services for Rosario Bugais, 92, of Canton were held Sept 5 at St Thomas a'Becket Church with burial at Knollwood Cemetery

Mrs Buga was born Oct 4, 1908, in the Philippines and died Sept 1 at Superior Woods Nursing Home She was a homemak-

She was preceded in death by her husband, Fausto

Survivors include children, Nicetas P Bugais, Amanda B (Rogelio) Fernandes, Jose P (Pina), and Elsa B (Jaime) Ansale, two sisters, nine grandchildren, 13 greatgrandchildren, and one great-great grandchild

MIRIAM R. PASCOE

Services for Miriam Pascoe, 89, of Westland were held Sept 6 at Newburg United Methodist Church with burial at Oakview Cemetery in Royal Oak

Ms Pascoe was born Oct 29, 1911, in Osceola, Mich, and died Sept 3 at Providence Hospital She worked as a lab technician for a pharmaceutical company

Survivors include dearest friend, Dorothy Lybarger and dearest aunt to her children, Carol Lybarger, Deborah (John) Kave. Daniel (Judy) Lybarger, Linda (Scott) Slimak, Kım (Paul) McVety, and great-aunt to Candi, Sara, Rob, Jocelyn, Michael, Ashley, Jason, A.J., Michaela, Michella and Jacob, cousins, Laura (Sam) Dino, Donna (John) Dino, Gail (Stan) Steele and Sutton

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POLICE BEAT

Animal crueity

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An 18-year-old Plymouth man was cited for cruelty to animals after being reported by a deliv-

The man was delivering furniture to a Canton home in the 8300 block of Alton for a Livonia furniture store The delivery man saw the teen kick a 5month-old puppy across the living room floor He then picked up the puppy by the collar, and threw him against a wall

The 29-year-old owner of the house asked why he had hurt the puppy, and the teen said the dog made him angry

He was issued a ticket for cru elty to animals and is scheduled to appear at the 35th District month Angry teen arrested

A 14-year-old Plymouth Salem High School student was arrested after she allegedly attacked her mother, causing a two-inch

gash in mother's forehead Police were called to the fami lys Woodale Way house for a domestic dispute After the girl and her mother were inter

Court in Plymouth later this viewed and advised, officers left They returned an hour later, just before 8 a m, after the girl allegedly went into a rage, and began throwing things One of the things she threw was a glass vase, which hit her mother in

> The girl insisted she didn t throw the vase at her mother. and the vase didn't hit the moth er at all but hit the wall and shattered

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton 1150 Canton Center S Canton Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3 00 p m September 20th 2001 for the following

PRINTING OF FOUR (4) SPECIAL EDITION DISCOVER CANTON LEISURE SERVICES BROCHURES

Specifications are available in the Finance and Budget Dept. All proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name company name address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race color national origin sex religion age or disability in employment or the provision of services

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON **BOARD PROCEEDINGS - AUGUST 28, 2001**

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton held Tuesday August 28 2001 Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 700 pm and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Members Present Bennett Burdziak (arrived late) Kirchgatter, LaJoy McLaughlin Shefferly, Yack

Members Absent

Staff Present

Director Conklin Director Durack Director Machnik Director Minghine Director Santomauro

Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to approve the regular meeting minutes of August 14 2001 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the study session

minutes of August 21 2001 Motion carried unanimously Motion by Kirchgatter supported by McLaughlin to approve payment of bills

as presented Motion carried unanimously

Expenditure Recap for August 28, 2001

	General Fund	202	\$ 341 295	93	Auto Theft		
	Fire Fund	206	28 334	55	Grant	289	147 46
ŀ	Police Fund	207	292,646	13	Downtown Dev		
į	Summit				Authority	294	1 328 59
	Operating	208	64 121	74	Bldg Auth		
3	Golf Fund	211	46 169	09	Construction	469	244 296 19
	Cable TV Fund	230	6 032	19	Water & Sewer		
	Twp (Communit	y)			Fund	592	1 885 279 47
	Improvement	246	193 312	71	Trust & agency		
ŀ	E 911 Utahty	261	95 596	58	Fund	701	6 744 00
2	Auto Forfeiture				S Haggerty		
×	(WWATEE)	267	\$ 766	40	Road Paving	865	8,761 78
ì	Federal Grants				Total - All Fun	ds	\$3,222,037.81
į	Fund	274	7 205	00			

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to grant exempt status to Exelon and authorize ComCast to install Fiber optic cable in the public rightof way to connect the Live Scan equipment to be utilitzed by the Canton Township Police Station Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to authorize the Canton Public Safety Department to dispose of recovered stolen and abandoned personal property at a public sale on September 21, 2001 Further, that after deducting the cost of the sale all monies from the sale be placed in the Police Revenue account no 207 000 673 0000 6 Sale of Fixed Assets Motion carried

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to approve the following General Fund budget amendment to provide funding for the FY 2002 per capital assessment billing from the Senior Alliance Motion carried unanimously

Increase Revenues Appropriation from Fund Balance #101 000 699 0000 \$5,268 00 Increase Appropriations The Senior Alliance #101 670 844 0000 \$5 268 00

This budget amendment increases the Social Services Department budget from \$249 944 0 to \$255 212 00 and the General Fund budget from \$21 572 925 00 to \$21 578 193 00

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution in

Recognition of "YWCA Week Without Violence" week of October 14 2001 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution to deny the Rezoning Request of Rambow Rascals (O Day Property) Motion carried

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the site plan for Cherry Hill Pointe Condominiums Phase II Motion carried

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the rezoning request of Douglas Falzon (Knight property) Motion carried

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to award the bid for the purchase of a 2002 GMC TT10653 Ext Cab 123" WB 4WD SLS truck to Red Holman Pontiac GMC Trucks 35300 Road, Westland, Michigan 48185 in an amount not to exceed \$19,613 00, funds to come from the Engineering Services Capital Outlay account #101 447 977 0000, item 11 Motion carried unanımously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the collective bargaining agreement between Canton Township and the Canton Clerical TPOAM union to run from 01/01/2001 through 12/31/2004 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Burdziak to approve the purchase of one Ricoh Aficio 1035, Model 1035 copier from Ricoh Business Systems for \$5 708 00 Motion carried unanimously Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to award bid to S & J Asphalt Paving

Co for repair and seal approximately 5000 squre feet of cart path at Pheasant Run Golf Club at a cost not to exceed \$20 000 00 and to charge account #211 756 971 0000 Motion carried unanimously Motion by Bennett, supported by Burdziak to award the bid of thirty (30)

Norway Maple and thirty (30) Autumn Ash trees to be planted at Pheasant Run Golf Club for a total cost of \$49,800 00 to Blacy Tree Transplant 13770 Darling Road, Milan Michigan 48160 Motion carried unanimously Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to award the bid for (3) 11 blade reels

\$2 226 00, (1) Jacobsen Fairway Mower, \$24,058 00 (2) Cushman Turf Trucksters \$24,360 00 (1) Verta Drain 64" Deep Time Aerator \$20 000 00, (1) Salsco Greens Roller, \$8,800 00 to WF Miller for a total cost of \$79 444 00 and to waive the bid requirements and authorize the purchase of two (2) Jacobsen Greens King Mowers for a purchase price of \$34 384 00 with the total expense of \$113 828 00 charged to the Pheasant Run Bond Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to authorize the Clerk to sign the contract with the Ann Arbor News for one year beginning on August 29, 2001 and concluding August 28 2002 The rates are \$3 39 (1 time) \$1 91 (2 times) and \$1 65 (3 7 times) per line Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve Officer Darow to attend classes at Northwestern University in Chicago, Illinois for a cost of \$3 040 00 Motion carried unanimously Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly at 7 50 pm to adjourn Motion

The above is a synopsis of the actions taken at the regular board meeting held Tuesday, August 28 2001 The full text of the approved minutes will be available following the next regular board meeting of September 11, 2001

THOMAS J YACK, Supervisor

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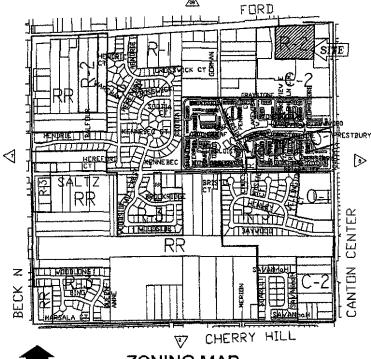
TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan as amended and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday October 1 2001 in the First Floor Meeting Room of the Canton Township Administration Building 1150 S Canton Center Road at 7 00 p m on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance

CHRIST COMMUNITY CHURCH REZONING CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PARCEL NO 061 99 0002 002 FROM R 2 SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL TO C 2 COMMUNITY COMMERCIAL Property is located on the south side of Ford Road west of Canton Center Road



ZONING MAP

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the above address prior to Thursday September 27 2001 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review VIC GUSTAFSON Chairman

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MILITARY NEWS

To submit your military announcement, send the material printed or typewritten to Plymouth Canton Observer, 794 S Main St, Ply mouth, Mich 48170

ENLISTMENTS

Domenick P Alagna has joined the United States Army under the Delayed Entry Program Domenick, a 2001 graduate of John Glenn High School in Westland, will report to Fort Sill for active duty in August She is the daughter of Domenick P Alagna of Dearborn and Cheryl A Alagna of Plymouth

COMMENDATION MEDAL

Air Force Staff Sgt Vaughn M Chesters, Jr has been decorated with the Air Force Commendation Medal and named as the 75th Civil Engineer Group noncommissioned officer of the year He is the son of Vaughn M Chesters of Plymouth and Leah Meir of Sault Sainte Marie The sergeant graduated in 1987 from Wayne Memori al High School and received a bachelor's degree in the year 2000 from the Community College of the Air Force

COURSE

Civilian Sean P Conlen, son of Laurie E and Sean P Conlen of Canton, recently participated in the U.S. Naval Academy Summer Seminar in Annapolis, Md Summer Seminar is an annual program designed to introduce rising high school seniors to the US Naval Academy, one of the nation's premiere undergraduate institutions

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class John M Sheehy, a 1993 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, recently participated in Exercise Tandem Thrust while assigned to the dock landing ship USS Germantown, forward deployed to Sasebo, Japan US and Australian service members combined arms in Queensland, Australia, to overtake Consdian forces during the two week simulated emergency mars

COMMISSION

Navy Ensign Brian A Price, son of Allan and Marlene Price of Plymouth, recently received his commission as a naval officer after completing Officer Candidate School at Naval Aviation Schools Command, Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla

BASIC TRAINING

Marine Corps Pvt Michael R Sullivan, a 1994 graduate of Ply mouth Salem High School, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S C

CAMPUS CLIPS

SCHOLARSHIPS

Kristopher Kowal, a 2001 graduate of Salem High School in Plymouth, has received the 10th annual scholarship presented by the Ann Arbor Ad Club, which is presented to students who plan to pursue a career in advertising, marketing or related industries Kowal will use the \$1,000 scholarship to attend the Rochester Insti tute of Technology to pursue a degree in commercial photogra

Lindsay M Miller, daughter of Jonathan and Bonnie Miller of Plymouth and a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School has been awarded a grant from Albion College's Foundation for Undergraduate Research, Schol arship and Creative Activity Lindsay is a senior majoring in biology

STUDY ABROAD

Theresia Radtke, a junior, will be departing for study abroad on Aug 18 Radtke, a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, will study in Quito, Ecuador for six months The college has sought to provide its students with opportunities to understand how people in other cultures live and to attend excellent academic institutions in other countries

GRADUATES

The following students have received their degrees from Western Michigan University in June, 2001 They are Erin J Waterscheid, of Canton, BA in Public Relations, and Corrina Huang, of Plymouth, BA in

Jane Lindamood received a Master of Education degree with a specialization in Arts in Education from Harvard University in June, 2001 Lindamood, a 1986 honors graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and a 1991 graduate of Western Michigan University, had been teaching orchestra in Texas prior to her studies at Harvard She has accepted a position as the Program Coordinator for Music Education at the New England Conservatory in Boston

Jennifer L Twietmeyer daughter of T Alan and Pat Twietmeyer of Canton, has ful filled requirements for a Bache lor of Arts degree from Concor dia College, Ann Arbor Jennifer graduated from the Liberal program with a minor in Psychology

Armand Dukes of Canton has received a Bachelor of Science degree in information management and technology from Syra cuse University School of Information Studies The commencement ceremony was held May 13 in the University's Carrier Dome

Kelly Ann Honecker of Plymouth has received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Social Work from the University of Wisconsın-Madıson

Shaun Michael Frentner of Plymouth has received a Master of Arts degree in Film Studies from the University of Iowa

Summer softball a hit with senior players

BY CAROL MARSHALL STAFF WRITER

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In sports, as in life, very often it's possible to win simply by staying in the game the longest That's what a team of local softball players discovered this summer

"I can't hit home runs like I used to." said Jerry Gawura, 82, of Canton "In fact I feel pretty lucky to make it to first base, but I hang in there, and I'm not going to quit playing As long as I can walk, I can play

Gawura and her teammates make up the age 70 and over softball team, the Michigan Mavericks

"These ladies are such great role models," said Canton Senior Programs Coordinator Dianne Neihengen "I've seen what exercise can do for you, and they've inspired me to get a little more serious about staying in the best shape I can '

The Mavericks played in the national senior softball tournament in Baton Rouge, La, and in the Michigan Senior Olympics They found it was lonely at the top, though, and were the only team made up of septua-

"So we played the next youngest teams, and both teams won gold medals," Gawura said

"I think it's not just the sport itself, but the camaraderie that helps keep me healthy. It's like therapy to be able to get away.'

Jerry Gawura -Senior softball player

They gave the 60 and over team a run for their money, though said Joan Jasin, a 76year old Maverick

"Even though they won, it was a pretty close game," she said of the tournament in Baton Rouge The team did not play at last week's tour-

nament at the Canton Softball Center, but were honored for their history of sports We had just played at the nationals and

the Michigan Olympics, and so we couldn't get enough people together for the team in Canton, but we were honored and headed the parade for opening ceremonies," said Gawura

Besides softball, Gawura also plays on a senior volleyball team, and competes on her own in shot put, discus, javelin and horse-

"I play in so many sports, I took home six

gold medals this year," she said proudly Staying involved in sports has been the

key to enjoying blissful longevity, according to Gawura and Jasın "When I was a kid my mom and her

friends would visit, and I would hear them sit around and talk about their aches and? pains and how time goes by so slowly Well, " it doesn't for me. If you stay busy, it just ' flies by," Jasin said Gawura had been athletic as a young girl, a

and credits sports for building her confidence and helping her get over her shyness Fifty years ago she had to take a break from sports, when at the age of 32, she started her family

She was able, despite having a touch of arthritis, to return to sports when she retired nearly 20 years ago

"I think it's not just the sport itself, but ? the camaraderie that helps keep me healthy It's like therapy to be able to get away from my chores around the house I'd go bananas ' ıf I dıdn't have sports," saıd Gawura

"I had so many friends that after they retired, they sat down and became couch \tilde{s} potatoes, then a few months later they were gone." Gawura said "I can only speak for ' myself, but sports has been the best thing" that could have happened to me'

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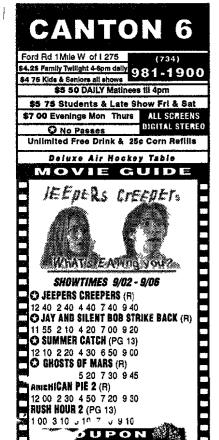
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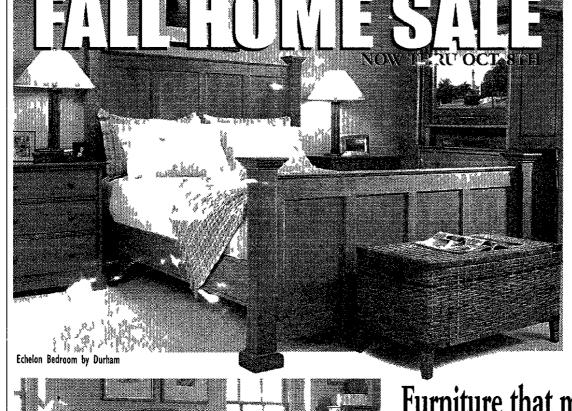
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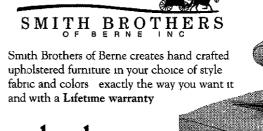


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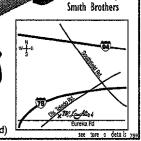


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School reallocation plan good for district

Plymouth-Canton School District earlier this year it would take some \$106 million to renovate district buildings to bring them up to snuff, Superintendent Kathleen Booher figured they needed a plan

Now they have one

Booher last week unveiled a plan, put together by her CORE team after nearly 600 hours of discussion, to deal with issues of overcrowding, consolidation and the possible loss of revenue from the state foundation grant

The plan consisted of several elements, including

■ Building a new elementary school in southwest Canton

Selling or leasing Tanger, Starkweather, the central maintenance building and the E J McClendon Center and relocating those programs/offices

Converting Miller Elementary into an office building

Turning Fiegel Elementary into a school of choice

■ And turning one of the district's 15 existing elementary schools into a middle school, and spreading students now attending Central Middle School to the other middle schools in the district

It's an aggressive proposal that addresses the financial woes the district is expecting to face in the next couple of years and, while there was no timeframe attached to the plan, one would think it's more near-term than far-term

The district has to do something They're projecting a budget deficit by the 2003 school year, and who knows what will happen to the foundation grant when Gov John Engler gets through with it It makes no financial sense to try to put \$106 million you don't have in the first place into build ings and programs that aren't providing the biggest bang for the buck

Of course, the biggest noise after Booher announced her plan came from the people who have turned the fate of Central Middle School into an issue where there was none There was nothing in Booher's plan to indicate the district is even considering selling Central Middle School, in fact, Booher talked about putting a magnet school in the

When an outside consultant told the building and partnering with someone to keep the pool, tennis courts, etc, as part of a recreation facility

> Plymouth City Commissioner Dave Byers was quoted in one newspaper over the weekend coving the district's nlan to "repurpose" Central was nothing more than a cover for selling it We think it's time for Commissioner Byers to stop beating this self-created drum for his own political gain Nothing the district has ever said or done has given the indication the property, located on a prime piece of real estate in the middle of a vibrant downtown, would be sold

> Byers, and the people devising his political strategy, created this issue to start with Admittedly, once he made it an issue, people assumed it was really a problem, and now it is a central issue in the campaign for city commission

> Scare tactics aside, the idea of partnering with someone - the City of Plymouth Recreation Division, perhaps? to keep it a viable educational/recreational facility seems like a prudent one The consultant said it would take about \$17 million to renovate Central to keep it as a middle school. The cost is too prohibitive for the return the district would

With a large number of Central students being bused from Canton, it makes more sense to turn one of the Canton elementaries - Hoben seems the most likely - into a middle school

Booher points out the district still has use for Central, and she is looking for partners to keep it a viable and valu able asset to the district and to down town Does that mean selling it? The word for sell is sell and I don't remember including the word sell in the pro posal," Booher told the Observer

We consider Booher a woman of integrity, a woman whose word is good until she proves otherwise Perhaps Byers - and those who would scare you into thinking there's yet another nefarious plot afoot - would better serve the city and the school district by helping find the partners Booher seeks, thereby proving they feel the same way

Better signs, other moves would improve project

We're Michiganders, we're tough and we can take it We live here for the jobs, the schools, the culture or even the weather We're smart enough not to live way up in the bitterlands of Canada, but not so wimpy to need 11 months of summer down south

That's what we tell ourselves We live here, darn it, and we brag about all four seasons - winter, spring, construction

So this current phase of the whole I-96/I-275/M-14 project that we've been dealing with since May isn't really a huge problem In fact, we're pleased the state's finally gotten around to removing the roadway's plethora of potholes

The state Department of Transportation is rebuilding the big interchange, reconstructing (up from the dirt) the freeway from Haggerty to Newburgh, and repairing 51 bridges and putting an asphalt cap on the rest of the freeway from Telegraph to Newburgh

That's a lot of work – in all, it's costing around \$51 million - and being tough and adaptive, like we are, we're figuring out ways around this mess to get ourselves to our jobs, schools, recreation and homes (Of course, those unfortunate drivers trying to get to jobs in Livonia from Ann Arbor or other western outposts may still be looking for a good

Along the way, we've learned a lot Mainly, we've learned that, as exits and overpasses close and reopen, drivers could use a lot more information. The Observer may have published updates, as did some of the other papers, but the updates can't be as timely as drivers

That, it seems, should be how MDOT should be using those changeable freeway signs - both the permanent ones hanging on the overpasses and the portable ones they sometimes stick by the side of the road

Those permanent signs regularly leave us wanting They tell us it'll take 5 minutes to get to M-39 or 25 minutes to get to downtown Detroit That's great But we're driving through a construction zone where closed exit ramps, overpasses and turnarounds over the freeway are changing every day - why can't these signs tell us more useful information than travel times? And put up some more of those portable signs, not just on I-275, but also on I-96, to give drivers even more details about what's ahead

And, while we're asking Is there any reason the road crews couldn't have made these merge lanes and yield signs a bit more uniform along I-96? Some entrance ramps seemed to give drivers plenty of space to pick up speed and get into traffic, others were shorter Same with the exit ramps (Of course, it would help if all drivers were courteous in letting fellow drivers join the flow)

Those 50 mph speed limit signs also seem to be a misnomer Most people aren't driving 50 there, unless there's a police officer within sight or the roadway is backed up with traffic Otherwise, drivers are pushing 65 and more, which can be understandable since the workers are pretty few and far between along that roadway right now

State officials say this is one of its most complicated freeway projects, especially since the roadway remained open during it all And yes, we can thank Gov John Engler that his Build Michigan II program has finally tended to our formerly decrepit freeways

The project, which is supposed to be complete next month, could have been improved with better signage, information and other changes But that's all right, we're tough We can take it



■ TAG works

In a recent report on recommended facilities changes, Plymouth-Canton Superintendent Kathleen Booher made several recommendations Some of these are clearly moves forward, others are difficult to justify and I believe that at least one is an extremely bad idea for the students of our dis-

The worst idea presented is her proposal to move away from the "Magnet School" model for Talented and Gifted education In this model, the most academically talented students in the district are identified and offered the option of attending a school where a program is designed for their unique needs Dr Booher provides several criticisms of this approach, but they all seem to boil down to the fact that it is not in line with current educational

I suggest that we should be very hes itant to scrap a program which works extremely well just because it doesn't match up with someone's theory I speak from experience I was in a program like the one Dr Booher proposes, where academically gifted children are incorporated into mainstream classrooms and offered enhancement programs For me, it had the following results

■ I was identified by my classmates as an intellectual freak

■ Social pressures discouraged me from excelling

■ I was given a negative view of group projects, since I did most of the

There was limited opportunity for discussions of matters that interested

■ I learned to hide my academic talents

My daughter, on the other hand, was in the Plymouth-Canton magnet program, with dramatically different results

■ She was "just another kid" in her

■ Academic excellence was expected by her peers ■ Everyone learned from everyone

else in group projects ■ She formed friendships with peo-

ple having similar interests ■ She has confidence in the things that make her a unique individual

A recent poll indicated that many of the children in our nation's schools are discouraged from academic excellence because of peer pressure If this is true of mainline students, how much more so does it apply to those with exceptional academic talents?

ALL of our kids are important Each comes with special talents and need It should be the goal of our schools to meet their educational needs and develop those talents In the current Talented and Gifted program, we have a system that does just that for one segment of our students The only complaint I've heard about this program is that it is insufficiently funded, leading to a large waiting list for entry Education theories come and go but the argument "It Works!" will be valid until the end of time

board of education to retain and extend the TAG program, which is serving our community so well **Bob Nelson**

I encourage Dr Booher and the

Plymouth

The extra mile

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We were fortunate to find an exception, business owner Karen Visel of Cornwell Pool & Patro in Plymouth Even though our merchandise was not purchased from her store, she went "head to head" with the manufacturer and had it replaced All through the ordeal she was kind, pleasant and willing to go the extra mile for us

For this, we are forever grateful! Chris and Frances Marinos

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■ Double standard

The Wayne County Prosecutor s Office decision to prosecute the Plymouth principal for indecent exposure is inconsistent with their decision not to prosecute Judge Halloran Do the rules about entrapment differ when they re applied to a judge?

The public should be able to use a restroom or a park without fear of seeing someone conduct themselves in an indecent or immoral fashion But the rules should apply to everyone -regardless of their title or job

> Carole J. Goodfellow Livonia

Best for tree

Here's hoping the best for our copper beech tree The species is supposed to be quite hardy They are related to chestnuts and oaks and in pre-industrial America, their wood was crafted into fine furniture Their leaves are so strong it can take them three years to completely decompose Experts aside, the tree has a wonderful history Let's hope man knows what he is doing when, one more time, he wants to force nature to do his bidding

Sandra Schneidewind Plymouth resident

The way county wants it

You are absolutely right ("Time to run airport right, clear up misconceptions," Aug 16) But I cannot see how the county commission would help They created this boondoggle This is the way a bureaucracy runs and this is the way they want it to run It is run only to aid the Democrats' party Instead of one man hiring his family we would be carrying the load for 15 families and have 15 demagogues to support instead of one The corruption would get bigger, etc

If some company did this in the private sector they would all be in jail (unless they were friends of Mike Duggan) A better idea for the commission is to rename the bathrooms at the airport to "Duggan's same sex free zones" Walter Kwiatkowski

Plymouth

A taxing question

As the fall approaches, I am reminded it's time to ready for changes the kids back to school, the house for winter, and my check book for the once again increased property taxes While all three are perpetual processes, I can only understand the first two

While very well educated, both my medical training and extensive mathematics background (including the theory of relativity) all fail me when trying

to understand the ever-increasing taxes First, basic science and math would argue that with all the feverish new building - bringing to our community new homes and businesses - taxes should really decrease for all of us Aren't they producing new (and high) tax revenue in situations where previously none existed? What about service? With the almost imploding area population the number of city workers, especially the very important public safety fire and police officers, actually decreases per citizen

Also, it regrettably won't take long to suffer the sad consequence/challenge of these relatively fewer dedicated people a much slower emergency response time I anticipate sympathy for anyone living along Beck or Canton Center Roads, for instance, who might be in need of emergency life support, fire or police matters during rush hour and peak school traffic Aren t the emergency vehicles susceptible to the same traffic jams and delays on what it may ways are the same roads as in our old Canton township but already carrying the volume of what is now becoming the next overbuilt Troy?

So, I can only ask (and fail to answer) once again if every second there are more taxes collected added . everyday to an already glutted tax surplus, and moreover if what those taxes pay for (our essential public services) are impeded rather than improved, really, why are taxes always going up? Please explain this to me and my fellow citizens

One final plea as we make these seasonal changes and assessments, as we send the children off to their next school grade with a better knowledge of the "new math." we might consult them, as we winterize our homes, we might search its hidden crevices and secrets, or better yet, when we line up. as obedient (if not politically castrated) citizens to pay our taxes, we might not just ask but once-and-for-all demand from our city clerks and officials an acceptable answer that won't need either the theory of relativity or the imagination of a young child to comprehend

Wayne Wolfson, M.D. Canton

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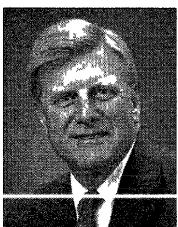


GOP factions picking sides in showdown for governor

Don't be fooled by all the spinmeisters trying to downplay it as political-insider baseball

Out of the blue, the Republican gubernatorial nominee presumptive, Lt Gov Dick Posthumus, reversed his earlier pledge to back his longtime friend, moderate Sen Dan DeGrow (R-Port Huron), for attorney general

Incensed, DeGrow promptly threw his support



Phil Power

to fellow state Sen John (Joe) Schwarz (R-Battle Creek), also a middle-of-theroader, who has been talking about challenging Posthumus for the Republican 2002 nomina-

Politicians and political commenstripes immediately began talking about a split between hard-

tion for governor

edge Michigan Republicans from western Michigan (fiercely pro-gun, pro-school-vouchers and anti-abortion) and more moderate GOP activists from southeastern Michigan

For years, Gov John Engler has held the various factions of the party together, if only by force of personality But with Engler now a shorttimer in the last 15 months of office and having fun running the National Governors' Association, there's nobody minding the store

Some observations about what could be a defining moment in Michigan politics

First, what was Posthumus (or Posthumus' handlers) thinking? The dumping of DeGrow was so sudden and so clumsily handled that the net effect was to pick the scab off what had been a deeply felt but relatively civil tug of war over the soul of the Michigan Republican Party Now the schism is out in the open, forcing people who really would prefer not to take sides, and Joe Schwarz has a real opening

Moreover, in bringing the splits in the GOP to the surface, Posthumus has called attention to the plain fact that his campaign for governor - a long planned, carefully prepared ascension - has failed to get much traction among people who aren't confirmed right wingers Most political observers assume Posthumus' close friendship with Engler and his long career in office guarantees a successful fund-raising operation I'm not so sure, most big Republican givers I talk to are keeping their wallets firmly in their back pockets

So Posthumus' move simply doesn't add up And when something this important doesn't add up, people start indulging in conspiracy theories

Maybe Betsy DeVos. former state GOP chairwoman who resigned last year after a disagreement with Engler over school vouchers, was really pulling the strings Maybe she wasn't Maybe the GOP right wing wants to make support for school vouchers a litmus test for Republican politics (DeGrow was an outspoken opponent of vouchers) Maybe not

But there's sure a lot of talk going on Second, there could be more to the Schwarz campaign than most folks had believed True, Schwarz is one of Michigan's most respected politicians, a former Navy officer and Vietnam veteran with a busy medical practice in addition to serving as president pro tem of the state Senate But his slow-developing campaign for governor has been the despair of his friends and raised doubts about whether he was really serious

Now Schwarz says he's "galvanized" He and DoCon are foaming up to lead the reform an of the party, hoping to help the GOP shed its hard-line image of support for guns, school vouchers and Right to Life to the exclusion of anything else "If we don't, we're toast in 2002, especially with ticket-splitters and independents who make up such a big part of the Michigan electorate," says Schwarz

Schwarz and DeGrow are going to put on a show at the Republican conference on Mackinac Island in a couple of weeks They'll stage events, raise money, recruit precinct delegates, hire campaign staff

Schwarz managed U S Sen John McCain's winning campaign in the Michigan presidential primary last year, and he says McCain's will come here to campaign and raise money for a reform effort I wouldn't be surprised if former Gov William Milliken, who has been increasingly alarmed at the rightward drift of his party, didn't come out publicly for Schwarz

Most insiders think Schwarz has an uphill battle They figure Posthumus has been around so long and has such a corps of loyalists running the state Republican Party that he's got a lock on the nomination And they also figure that Schwarz won't appeal to independent voters as well as McCain did, especially with a vigorous Democratic primary all but assured

Maybe so, but if I were sitting in Dick Posthmus' high-ceilinged, wood-paneled office in Lansing, I'd be more than a little worried

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Accountability, not more money, needed for schools

Recently, while helping my youngest son clean up the piles of stuff in his room, I came across the children's story of "The Emperor's New Clothes" It is a delightful tale that teaches young people the importance of speaking the truth, even to

those in positions of power The story of "The Emperor's New Clothes"



Betsy DeVos

holds relevance in the debate over the performance of Michigan's government-run schools In a rush to be cheerleaders for them, many of those in positions of power seek to turn the public's eye from what is really happening They hope those of us living in well-ordered suburbs will ignore the reality

for hundreds of thousands of Michigan school children, children who are trapped in tragically under-performing schools How can we turn our heads from school districts where over 50 percent of the students will

not graduate? How can we turn our heads from school districts where a third of its graduates cannot read? How can we turn our heads from school districts where science and math scores improve, only after the test is watered-down? How can we leave these children behind?

Those who want to wait another 10 or more years to let the system fix itself are either naive or they have concerns other than for these chil-

The status-quo approach, leaving things as they are, is akin to sanctioning institutional child abuse This may sound harsh, but what else do you call trapping children in a system that fails them, extinguishes hope and kills opportunity while denying them options for relief elsewhere?

As another election approaches, politicians will rush to fill the air with meaningless cliches that are impressive sounding but short on substance

Many of these folks, who are in charge of the mess we have offer nothing that will really help kids today We will hear small ideas, nice options for tinkering with the system and notions that might make schools better for your great-greatgrandchildren What about the children who are starting school today?

There are three truths when it comes to educa-

tion

First, parents must be in charge Parental involvement starts at home, helping with our children's homework But that's not the only place parents need to be involved Parents need to be in the classroom, at school board meetings, and, in record numbers, at the ballot box If we really want to see parents get involved, we will start by providing them the opportunity to determine the schools their children attend This opportunity would communicate a powerful message As parents, you are not passive observers of your children's educations, you are active participants, vital to their learning

Second, schools need more accountability, not more money Michigan taxpayers spend \$14 billion annually on our government-run schools This puts us in the top 10 states in terms of funding per student Our commitment to supporting education is unquestioned Yet our money is often allocated inefficiently or recklessly within the system Taxpayers have made a huge financial investment in education, we have a right to expect high standards of accountability

Third, reform now or pay later If education is not meaningfully reformed, Michigan taxpayers face an increasing tax burden to meet the demands of burgeoning prison populations and other ballooning social programs. This is the harsh economic reality of our failure to provide quality education for all of Michigan's children As a mother, however, I see another price

This is the cost that cannot be quantified by social scientists or by bureaucrats or by accountants It is a price that can be seen in the faces of children, students who are on the receiving end of a broken promise of an equal opportunity to quality learning

In communities across Michigan, many children are getting a quality education Parents and taxpayers should celebrate on behalf of these children But our elation for those who are learning should not allow us to forget about those who don't have that chance because their school is failing them

When "the Emperor" has no clothes, let us say so We do not need more head-turning, more finger-pointing, or more excuses We need parental involvement, more accountability and the will to give all children the chance for a good education We need to renew our commitment to all children, especially those being left behind

Betsy DeVos is a mother of four and chairwoman of Choices for Children, a Michiganbased education reform watchdog organiza-



Brad Kadrich

Teen's sweetest gesture gives hope for the future

So you think young people of the "Me Generation" are self-absorbed, spoiled children tooling around in a world of their own, with only their particular wants and likes on their minds?

Think teenagers only worry about who to talk to on their cell phones, or who just beeped them in the middle of a conversation about makeup or sports or "Did you see who Buffy went to the dance with?"

Do you think teenagers these days only think about themselves?

Then you should meet Kayla Bacyınskı

Kayla is the 13-year-old daughter of Rob and Darlene Bacyınskı of Plymouth The Bacyınskıs enioved the Michigan State Fair Sunday, as did hundreds of other people One of the things Kayla enjoyed was the animal races

Before each race, the caller hands out four pomname to selected individuals to act as cheerlanders for each of the "contestants" Kayla got to be a cheerleader, and her animal won For that, Kayla was handed a small plastic gold medal hanging from a red, white and blue ribbon But she didn't keep it long

The next race was the miniature horses, and my 4-year-old son, Robert, was chosen to cheer for the Green One The horse's name escapes me now, but judging by the screaming and cheering Robert did, it could have been Secretariat He whooped and hollered, spurred on by his dad and his natural enthusiasm, and the Green One won the race Robert got his little gold medal and proudly draped it around his neck

Meanwhile, his 3-year-old brother, Andrew, barely noticed when the caller threw Robert his medal Walking away from the racetrack, Andrew finally caught sight of the gleaming gold medallion, and did what any self-respecting little brother would do started crying because he wanted

We tried to explain to Andrew, but 3-year-olds aren't good at understanding their big brother gets something they don't get So naturally, the tears flowed

And Kayla noticed

This youngster walked over to us, complete strangers, and draped her own ribbon around the crying Andrew's neck "There now," she said softly, her bright smile instantly calming the sobbing toddler "You're a winner, too"

That kind of sweet gesture toward my sons gives one definite hope for the future

More of the same

First, city commissioners blasted colleague Dave Byers for striking out on his own over the alleged "Central Middle School issue," which most of them believe Byers created for his own political gain On Tuesday, commissioners were at it again, criticizing Byers for sending a letter to Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara wondering what the county plans for the property at Wilcox and Hines Drive

According to one published account, a copy of Byers' letter, apparently written on his own letterhead, was provided to the other commissioners At Tuesday's city commission meeting, it was discovered none of them had actually seen the letter, an oversight Rvers blamed on the I shor Day holi-

The chasm between Byers and his colleagues has never been wider Commissioner Sean FitzGerald and Mayor Dave McDonald were particularly hard on him Tuesday

Both will be gone when a new commission is elected in November, but Byers' relationship with Michele Potter, Dan Dwyer and Bill Graham isn't much better If Mayor Pro Tem Colleen Pobur and Byers both win re-election — a likely result given their incumbent status — Byers is going to have some fences to mend

Byers' constant presence in a local tabloid bent on bashing the other commissioners and the city in general has worn thin with his colleagues, who fancy themselves as just as hard-working representatives of their city as Byers does Byers' continued attitude of "any publicity is good publicity," no matter what form it comes in, has strained his working relationship with fellow commissioners to the breaking point

Byers' political strategists have done a masterful job of creating "issues" for him to be dealing with and, with his third-place finish in the primary he's apparently popular with voters It'll be interesting to see if they can devise a strategy to repair the damage he's done within the commis-

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Care from page

There are some success sto ries Take Laura Musial, 40, who lives with her mother, Helen, in Trenton She isn't a senior, yet, but Helen has made plans to meet Laura's needs when she is elderly Laura is mobile and vocal, but suffers from seizures and needs a lot of assistance She has always lived at home

Helen's mother came to live with the family after Laura's father died when Laura was 7 and her brother was 16 months old Helen was able to keep her job as a medical technician at Seaway Hospital only three miles from their home The arrangement couldn't continue, however, when Helen's mom became ill

"I was too young to retire and too poor to quit," Helen said Laura was placed in a group home for one month, but she didn't eat, or sleep and was destructive "The group home was a nice place," Helen said "Of all the the best But, Laura didn't like it She was already set in her ways'

Wayne Community Living Services gave Helen 40 hours a week staffing in her home, which allowed her to work and five years ago when Helen turned 62 she took an early retirement and was able to stay at home with Laura

Although she has been offered 40 hours a week of help with Laura, Helen said "at present I can cope without it "

Meanwhile, Laura attends a workshop five days weekly from 9 a m to 2 p m and she goes out with staff at three hour intervals throughout the week Ford Motor Co community volunteer groups also went to the Musial home to do minor repairs and upkeep work

"I think Laura is very happy now," Helen said "She likes her workshop, her staff and she still is able to go out with me I think in her own way, she got her way "

Helen has also stipulated in her will that Laura will live in the family home and maintain a small trust fund

It would become a group home almost except it would be Laura s home Helen said

What happened with Laura is a best case scenario, explained Jan Myers, Community Living Services community relations coordinator

"This shows how we're not just putting people in group homes anymore," explained Myers, "we're allowing people to make choices'

Community Living Services is a private non profit agency that contracts with the Detroit Wayne County Community Men tal Health Agency providing sup port services for people with developmental disabilities If the developmentally disabled people can be helped by putting services into their homes that's the first route, Myers said

"We are now helping people live a more self-determined life and the person gets their own budget to work with in order to live where they want to live and do what they want to do," Myers said

For more information about the Community Friend program to volunteer time to spend with a developmentally disabled person, call the Community Opportunity Center at 422 1020

Madonna sponsors golf outing in Novi

Madonn University in Livonia holds its sixth annual Golden Classic Scholarship Golf Outing Friday, Sept 14 Golfers will enjoy a full day of activities and provide support for the Madonna University Scholarship Fund

The event will be held at the Links of Novi, 50395 10 Mile, Novi Check-in is at 11 30 a m with a shotgun start (scramble format) at 1 p m Special fea tures include hole-in one car giveaways, 50/50 raffle with a chance to win up to \$10,000, door prizes, silent and live auction, celebrity challenges, lunch on the grill, a steak or chicken dinner and more

Cost for golf and dinner for a foursome is \$700, for an individ ual the golf and dinner is \$175 Dinner alone is \$50 per person Sponsorship is also available

For information, call Madonna University's Advancement Office at (734)432-5421

SEMCOG seeks comment on road proposals

SEMCOG, the Southeast in Saline Township, construct Michigan Council of Govern ments, in inviting public com ment on the following proposed amendments to the 2025 Region Transportation Plan for

■ I 94 at Schaeffer, study ramp reconfiguration and recon struction,

Southeast Michigan

■ I-96 at Pleasant Valley, com plete full-access interchange,

■ I 75 from Eight Mile to north Oakland County line, study widening in both direc tions or others alternatives,

■ US 12 from Roehm to Schill

passing relief lanes,

■ Blue Water Bridge Plaza, study customs, immigration and toll collection needs.

■ non-motorized bridge from University of Michigan Life Sciences Complex, and

■ Downtown Detroit to Metro Airport Rail Study, study or rail/alternative transit modes and alignments The 2025 Regional Trans

portation Plan was adopted by SEMCOG's General Assembly in June 2000 and represents the region's vision of the transpora-

2025 Central to the plan is a regional strategy, including broad range policies, specific ini tiatives and transportation projects The proposed amendments are needed to take advantage of

new project funding The amendment process requires all proposed projects to undergo the same evaluation as the original projects - identification of financial resources, analysis or air quality conformity and a public comment process

The results of the financial evaluation and air quality con

tion system through the year formity analysis are available from SEMCOG Information Services (313-961-4266) and on SEMCOG's Web site (www.sem cog org) Public comments on the 2025 RTP amendments can be made at the following SEMCOG meetings

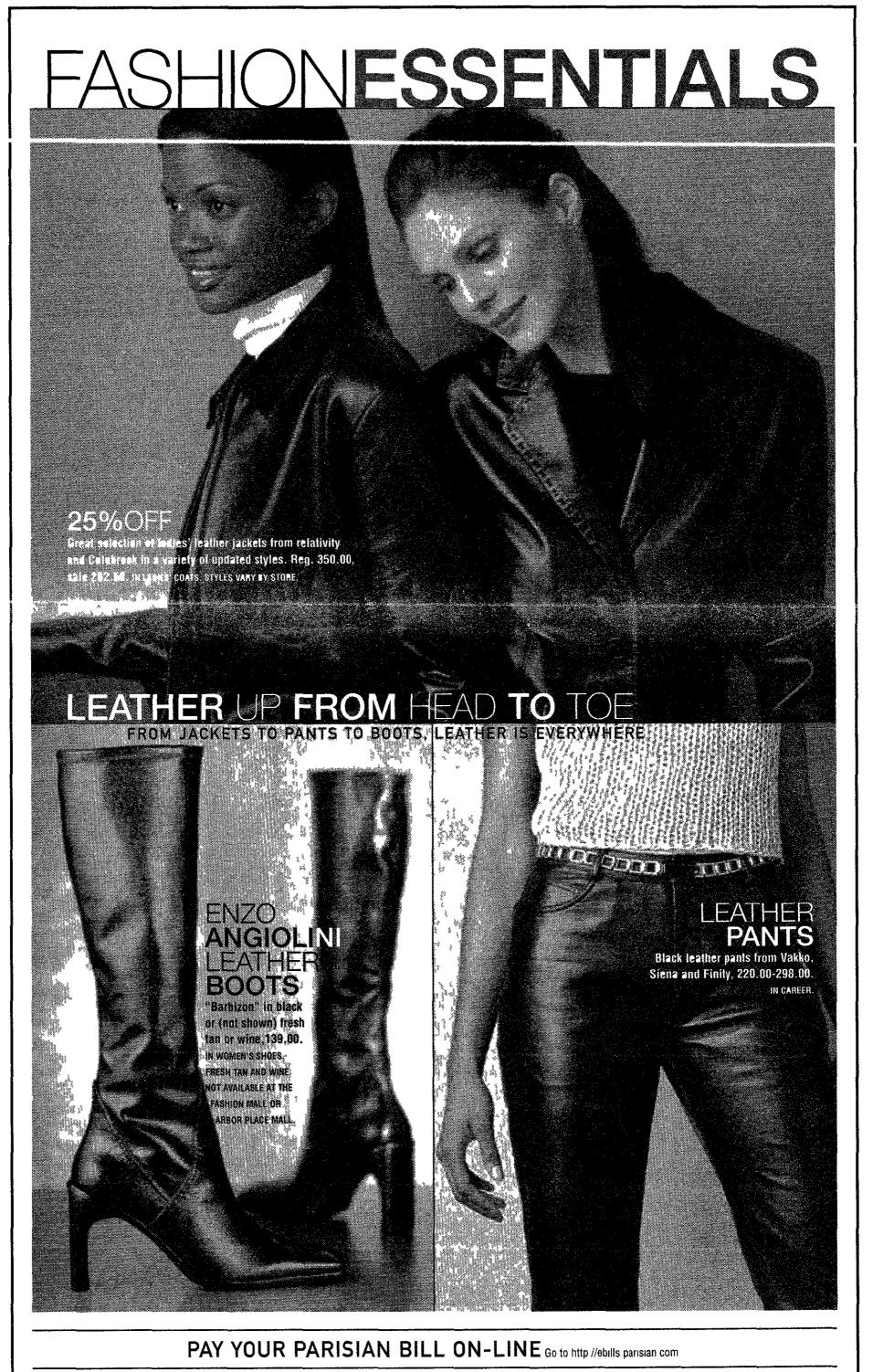
■ Transportation Advisory Council, 9 30 a m Wednesday, Sept 26, at SEMCOG offices (Suite 300, 535 Griswold, Detroit),

Executive Committee 1 p m Friday Sept 28 at Cobo Confer ence Center (Promenade Room,

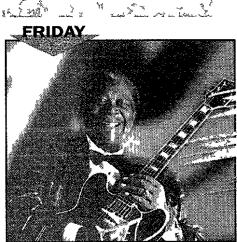
■ General Assembly, 430 p m Thursday, Oct 25, at St John's Conference Center, 44045 Five Mile Road, Plymouth

Comments may also be sub mitted to SEMCOG by phone at (800)961-3334, by fax (313)961-4869, by e mail at comment2025rtp@semcog org and by mail to SEMCOG, Attn Lore Corradino, 535 Griswold, Suite

300, Detroit, MI 48226 Comments will be accepted until the Oct 25, 2001 General Assembly meeting when a vote is scheduled for adoption of the amendments



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Lloyd's Blues Music Festival features B.B. King (above) 6 p.m. at DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. Tickets \$18.50-\$39.50, call (248) 645 6666

SATURDAY



Detroit's Cass Corridor presents the 2001 Dally In the Alley, a free outdoor street fair, art fair and music festival 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Judah Johnson (above) is just one of more than 40 performers. See http://dallyinthealley.net

SUNDAY



The Ann Arbor Blues and Jazz Festival continues with Madcat Ruth and Sharı Kane (above). Tıckets \$20 advance, \$25 at the gate, \$15 students at the gate only with ID, children age 12 and under free. Call(734) 763-TKTS.



The 51st annual Old Car Festival kicks off with a Grand Parade 10:30 a.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 8-9 at Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood Boulevard, Dearborn. The festivities continue to 5 p.m. both days. Free with admission to village \$8.50 to \$14, children under age 5 free. Call (313) 271-1620.

Farmington Players brew up an evening of spooky theatre

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN lchomin@oe.homecomm net

athlean Ternes mishes arms the stage with script in hand Filling in for lead actress Kath-leen Warner is just part of her job as director of Bell, Book and Candle

To an outsider attending the rehearsal, it might seem as if she's directed many times before But the Farmington Players production is Ternes' first attempt, and she's determined to make it a success

Written by John Van Druten, the romantic comedy opens Friday, Sept 14, in the West Bloomfield Civic Center inside Barnes & Noble Booksellers

"It's kind of an easy show for a director to cut her teeth on I was an art director in my last job and felt I was well suited to gathering up a lot of information and tying it all together," said Ternes, a Farmington Hills resident now in her eighth season with the

Ternes mainly worked behind the scenes in makeup, highting and costumes until last season when she assistant directed The Uninvited She first read Bell, Book and Candle while serving on the theater group's play-reading committee this spring

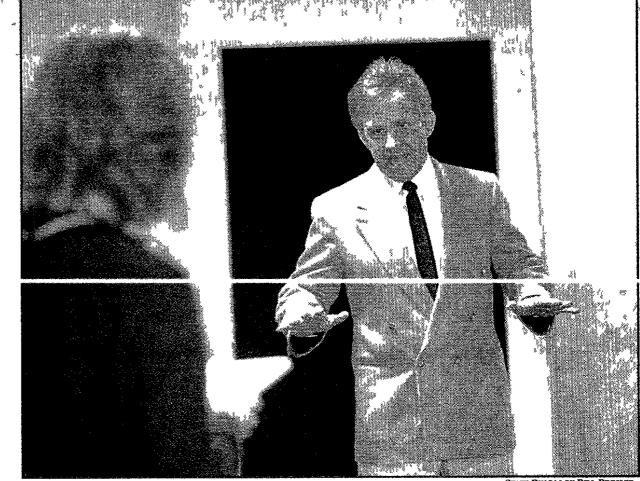
We wanted to do shows to help sell tickets When I first read it, I thought it was funny," said Ternes, who works part time for SRO Productions as an assistant to the producer "It was the basis for the sitcom Bewitched, and I just loved it I wanted it to be campy Each character has the potential to steal the show

Kevin Branshaw plays the love interest smitten by witch Gillian Holroyd Set in the 1950s, the play weaves a charming story about the two who form a bond in spite of Gillian's eccentric aunt, brother and mystical cat

"In my opinion Shepherd Henderson is kind of dull, leading his life just going along," said Bran shaw who previously had roles in Lion in Winter and The Uninvited He has a girlfriend and is sup



Eccentric characters: Aunt Queenie (Marge Wetzel) and Nicky Holroyd (Andrew Young) stir up trouble in the Farmington Players opening production



Smitten: Director Kathleen Ternes cues Kevin Branshaw at a rehearsal for "Bell, Book and Candle "Branshaw plays the love interest of witch Gillian Holroyd

posed to be announcing their engagement when Gillian (played by Warner of Troy) casts a spell on him and totally changes his life Witches can't fall in love because if they do, they lose their powers"

Eventually Gillian admits to casting a spell on Branshaw Aunt Queenie (played by Marge Wetzel of Farmington Hills) seizes the opportunity to have a

"She's an eccentric, flamboyant witch,' said Wet zel "She's the most fun character of the show She tends to have fun with her magic My favorite scene is with Shep I'm taunting him. He's borderline hor rified to find out Gillian cast a spell on him It's fun and fantasy and fluff You don't have to think about what lessons you should be learning We laugh a

Like Aunt Queenie Andrew Young's character Nicky Holroyd enjoys stirring up trouble Nicky is

Gillian's brother He's working on a book about witchcraft with author Sidney Redlitch

"Nicky's mischievous His idea of fun is to make a little trouble said Young, who became interest ed in theater in the early 1980s while a student at Farmington High School "He's a little shal low, but he has fun He learns a little something as the play goes

Fun is the main reason David Gilkes joined the Farmington Players 11 years ago Gilkes plays the hard-drinking Redlitch He's also serves on the theater group's board

"I came along with my wife Maggie to an audition and read for a part and was hooked," said Gilkes, a Farmington Hills resi dent "It's a close-knit organization We have golf outings and picnics and a Christmas party where you can bring your grandchildren to see Santa'



it's magic. Kathleen Warner sprinkles magic dust on Kevin Branshaw to make him fall in love with her

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It seems Gilkes can t say enough good things about being a member of the Farmington Players, even though he admits each production "takes about three months out of your life

"It's a big commitment," said Gilkes "My daughter Kathleen is assistant stage manager She started at age 10 coming to rehearsals and hung out with us It has been a family affair"

The Farmington Players planned its 2001-2002 season with families in mind It continues with Habeus Corpus, a comedy, Nov 16 to Dec 8, The Rainmaker, a heartwarming drama, Feb 8 to March 2, and the musical Once Upon a Mattress May 3 to June 1

Film

Verve Pipe's 'Rock Star' takes to silver screen

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO SPECIAL WRITER

One of Brian Vander Ark's least favorite musical genres is '80s metal But when the Verve Pipe singer was approached to play a musician from that era in the upcoming Mark Wahlberg and Jennifer Aniston movie Rock Star, he jumped at the chance

"Oh my God, it was amazing," Vander Ark said about his experiences in the R-rated film, which opens Sept 7

"I hated those bands in the '80s I hated hair bands. It was totally against anything that I wanted to do musically and lyncally So when the opportunity arose to actually be able to transport myself to 1985 and have a mullet for three months, I loved it"

Rock Star (Warner Bros Pictures) tells the story of Chris Cole (Wahlberg) who performs as part of Blood Pollution, a Steel Dragon tribute band When Cole is kicked out of his band, he is recruited by Steel Dragon to replace

Vander Ark, who plays Blood Pollution's bassist "Ricki," is one of several musicians who has roles in $Rock\ Star$ Third Eye Blind's Stephan Jenkins, Dokken's Jeff Pilson and Ozzy Osbourne's guitarist Zakk Wylde are among the real-life rockers who appear in the film

Rock Star is Vander Ark's first major studio production, as his previous efforts were indie flicks such as Road Kill and Mergers and Acquisitions This time, the gig had a snowball effect It

led to a two-month run as gun slinger Charlie Bowdre in the La Jolla Playhouse's production of The Collected Works of Billy the Kid, written by The English Patient author Michael Ondaatje Rock Star and the playhouse,



Rock band to 'Rock Star': Verve Pipe vocalist Brian Vander Ark, (far right) is featured in the film, "Rock Star" with Mark Wahlberg and Jennifer Aniston The movie opens tomorrow

located near San Diego, shared the same casting director

It taught me to relax The only way you can become the character is to relax or the entire production will fail " Also, if it wasn't for Rock Star, the poignant ballad "Colorful" wouldn't

"They sent me the script and said, We need this Seattle-based grunge bal-

lad for this character' and they picked me on the strength of "The Freshmen," Vander Ark said about the Verve Pipe's biggest hit He explained that writing a song for

a film was much easier than personal tunes penned for a Verve Pipe record "because you already have the idea for the story laid out for you' You've got the characterization You

don't have to flush anything out really You don't have to be incredibly personal either So I think it's easier to take this person and say, 'OK, I'm going to write a song about him

Busy month

Besides promoting Rock Star, Vander Ark will be busy this month pushing the Sept 25 release of Underneath, the Verve Pipe's new album for RCA (The song "Colorful" appears on the Rock

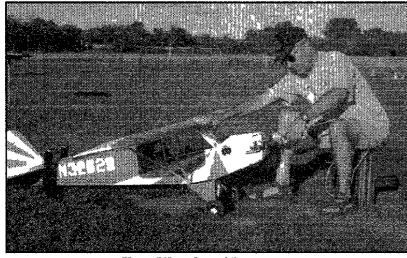
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Air show takes flight

World class pilots are tapped to show off their talents at the Midwest Radio Control Club's Air Show 2001 at the Northville flying field from 10 a m to 5 p m Saturday, Sept 8, and noon to 5 p m Sunday, Sept 9

Top-ranked precision aerobatics pilot Dave Von Linsowe of Mount Morris will be featured, along with Keith Shaw of Ann Arbor who is bringing a fleet of high performance and scale electric-powered aircraft Howard Kendall of Northville will perform 3D model helicopter aero-

The event also includes special programs for kids including model building, introductory flights, simulator flying and prizes Food and beverages will be available



Ground control: Tom Wright of Livonia prepares to start his 1/4 scale J-3 cub

The flying field is located on donation For more information, Five Mile Road, west of Beck call (734) 591-0718 Road Admission is a \$5 per car

The Cast: Rock Star stars are (left to right) Nick Catanese, Jennifer Aniston, Brian Vander Ark, Mark Wahlberg, Kara Zediker and Blas Elias

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to include songs penned by drummer Donny Brown The first single, "Never Let You Down," is among Brown's credits on *Underneath* Vander Ark, a former Royal

Rock Star from page B1

Oak resident who lives in Grand Rapids, admitted he was "quite arrogant" about giving up space on Underneath for Brown's tunes

Star soundtrack on Priority

The Verve Pipe's album is the

Records as well as *Underneath*)

Tirst since the groups early days

Vander Ark said during an interview prior to the Verve Pipe's Michigan State Fair performance "I fought to get all my songs on

"We fought, fought, fought,"

there And he fought to get all his songs on it I was quite arrogant about it I had a hard time singing his lyrics They are simply written and they didn't really mean anything to me But I got over that The important thing is that we have two song-

writers in the band that are hopefully capable of writing songs that are memorable "

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"I was pretty much beaten up over that by everybody Now that I listen to the album and I thank God he wrote some of these songs because the s--t I was writing would have been an anchor and dragged this whole project under There's no way that the stuff I wrote (that didn't make it) would have been on the radio '

One common thread between some of Vander Ark and Brown's songs is former Fountains of Wayne member Adam Schlesinger The musician, who also wrote the tunes for the Tom Hanks' movie That Thing You Do, produced Underneath and shares co-writing credits on the "Adam was, by far, the best

producer I've ever worked with," said Vander Ark "He wanted to

be involved in everything He was the most creative. He was a no-nonsense guy, 'Let's just do it and get it done The were theu of working with overblown budgets, and just decided to work with a good guy, good songwriter, good hook-writer I don't think I'll ever work with anyone else," he

Vander Ark will embark on a short solo acoustic tour of radio stations before heading out with the band in October He expects that these Underneath performances will be an improvement over what fans have previously seen - thanks to Rock Star and Billy the Kid

"I can definitely become somebody else easier (when I'm) performing I know what it takes to get the energy up for the camera and when I did the play in LaJolla I knew that every day I had to be on I hadn't experienced that because I hadn't played live in so long

Toronto International Film Festival shows serious cinema

BY MARTIN BANDYKE AND KIM SILARSKI

SPECIAL WRITERS

It's time to set aside those bad summer memories of gross-out comedies and mind-numbing special effects blockbusters. Fans of quality filmmaking may now turn their attention to Toronto, where the acclaimed Toronto International Film Festival marks its 26th year September 6-15 with new films from Jean-Luc Godard, David Lynch and David Mamet and appearances by Godard, Mick Jagger and Steve Martin

What many in the business call the most important film festival in the world features a whopping 326 films this year, the vast majority touting their world or North American premieres While the international film community - critics, distributors, directors, producers, actors - shows up in droves, the festival is a terrific way for film lovers to catch major commercial and art house movies months and even years before they reach metro Detroit theaters such as the Main, the Maple or Detroit Film Theatre

Already generating a buzz is David Lynch's Mulholland Drive, a strange and poetic mystery that shared the best director award at this year's Cannes Film Festival The legendary New Wave filmmaker Jean-Luc Godard returns to Toronto to promote Eloge De L'Amour, a meditation on love and history that may be his best work since the 1960s, when he created the classics Breathless

touting their world or North American premieres.' Contempt The Son's Room took the Palme D'Or this year at

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Cannes for best picture Directed by Nanni Moretti, the film focuses on the painful healing process a family must endure after an accidental tragedy disrupts their placid world Other heavily anticipated films are Waking Life and Tape,

both by Richard Linklater, who hit the indie film scene in a big way several years ago with Slacker David Mamet's crime caper Heist has a juicy cast that includes Gene Hackman, Danny Devito and Sam Rockwell Hearts In Atlantis, from Shine director Scott Hicks, is based on a collection of Stephen King sto ries set in 1960s Connecticut and stars Anthony Hopkins

Making Toronto's celluloid feast all the more thrilling for film fans are the many personal appearances by movie stars, directors and producers who often arrive at public screenings in black limousines amid klieg light backdrops and adoring crowds - just like, uh, in the

Big names expected in Toronto this year include Denzel Washington, Uma Thurman, Glenn Close, Richard Harris, Steve Martin, Tim Allen and Mick Jagger, who stars in one picture and produced another The Rolling Stones frontman is said to be

very convincing as a male escort in The Man From Elysian Fields, while he produced director Michael Apted's Enigma, about the race to break Germany's

secret code in World War II

The Toronto festival also includes a number of special events, including a series devoted to international avant-garde film and free outdoor screenings of The Beatles' Yellow Subma rine and Martin Scorsese's music documentary The Last Waltz The Toronto Symphony Orchestra will perform the original score to FW Murnau's classic silent horror film Nosferatu for another festival highlight

If you plan to attend, be openminded Films with respected directors or stars sell out weeks in advance, making it necessary to catch an obscure film from an unknown director starring no one you've ever heard of Yet festival history includes many tales of such films capturing hearts or launching major careers Perhaps Electric Dragon 80,000 V or Vacuuming Completely Nude In Paradise (actual titles) will be this year's sleeper and you'll be among the first to see it

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STREET SCENE

Built to Spill goes back to the future



STEPHANI

has got to be the most understated guy in the music business — and maybe the most modest The songwriter, voice and stunning guitarist behind Boise, Idaho's indie

Doug Martsch

rock heroes, Built to Spill, doesn't seem to know, or care about his status among the ranks of the musical elite

With the release of the band's six album Ancient Melodies of the Future, Martsch says he's ready to get back on the road "I really like playing live," he said in a recent telephone interview from his home "It's definitely the finest part of being a musician the only drawback is being away from home"

Built to Spill arrives in Detroit this Monday, Sept 10, to perform at the Magic Stick Expect to hear a lot from Ancient Melodies, a collection of 10 songs that bask in post-rock, guitarcentric glory This time, the band welcomes guest players Sam Coomes and Brett Netson

"The songs are kind of bits and pieces of things I had," said Martsch "I decided to keep things pretty simple It all went pretty quickly and smoothly We worked in the same studio with the same producer (Sterling Sound with Phil Ek) It wasn't very stressful"

He didn't exactly have a vision, a set plan in mind when it came to this record. But Martsch did seek a certain honesty from the music. "I wanted to keep them all short, less overdubs. More straightforward."

Song titles like The Weather, Happiness and Don't Try support his sentiment Amid this state of simplicity, the pop-infused delight Fly Around My Pretty Little Miss stands out Ancient Melodies offers its share of layers, in meaning, siyle and sound

"I've always been inspired by other musicians, different things than I listen to now I'm not inspired by the landscape or anything," he said If you went looking, you might find the Idaho native listening to a little regae, or some old soul music He's getting reacquainted with Curtis Mayfield right now



Built To Spill

"I kind of always liked music," said Martsch "When I was little I listened to the radio I have an

older brother and sister and they had a few records I would listen His brother and sister played guitar in a high school youth choir and Martsch learned the instrument from watching and listening to them High school then brought punk rock and The Replacements

He's been writing songs as long as he's been playing music "I was always pretty confident," said Martsch "I never was intimidated by the idea of it"

Spilling over

Built to Spill rose from the ashes of Seattle-based Treepeople, which gained notoriety in an era ruled by grunge At first the project was rooted on shaky ground Martsch was living in Caldwell, outside of Boise, and toying with the idea of moving away He released Built to Spill's first effort, Ultimate Alternative Wavers, in 1999 on C/Z Records It featured a small group of friends, which seemed to be everchanging Martsch wasn't interested in being in a band again "I had been in a band for a long time," he said "I didn't want to have that same relationship with a bunch of guys "

Eventually, though, he settled on the current steady line-up -

Brett Nelson on bass and Scott Plouf on drums All residing in different cities, they come together for one reason only -the music

In 1997 the band signed to Warner Brothers Records and proceeded to release Perfect From Now On, Keep It Like A Secret, Built to Spill Live and now Ancient Melodies The new record title seems to allude to the band's obvious strength, melody "That's definitely my strongest talent," said Martsch "I'm not a very good singer I'm not a very good guitar player Putting parts together, I stumble across melodies"

Martsch might exist too close to his creation to catch its brilliance, but Built to Spill fans cansee and hear it loud and clear

Catch Built To Spill, on tour win openers The Decusions, 750 pm Monday, Sept 10, Magic Stick, Detroit Tickets \$14 for this 18 and older show Call (313) 833 9700

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MOVIES

Detroit Film Theatre offers the unexpected on screen

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO SPECIAL WRITER

Elliot Wilhelm received the biggest compliment of his career near the beginning of his run at the Detroit Film Theatre

"In the lobby after a film, a man told me, 'That was the worst movie I've ever seen I'll see you next week," said Wil helm, the DFT's curator

"I knew exactly what the guy meant 'The things that I see here are interesting and they're here for a reason Of course I ll be here next week' If people did like everything every week then we wouldn't be doing our job People are going to respond strongly about films that were made by people with a strong point of view"

Wilhelm should know He has been with the DFT since 1973, just before the DFT's first season began in January 1974 He was appointed as curator in 1984

The DFT, which is a part of the Detroit Institute of Arts, kicked off its 27th season in early August and offers a collection of American, European, African, Asian, Russian, Middle Eastern and Mexican films

What people need to realize, Wilhelm said, is that "foreign films" aren't really foreign at all A sense of "human-ness" is what links all films

"What we try to illustrate is that great films come in every size, shape and language"

ıze, shape and language " Wılhelm looks for films that Curator's suggestions

Detroit Film Theatre curator Elhot Wilhelm says Bread and Tulips, Our Lady of the Assassins and Innocence are the films closest to his heart. Here are showtimes and information about those films. For a complete list of films, visit www.dia.org/dft/

■ Bread and Tulips (Italy, 2000, Silvio Soldmi). 7 pm, and 9 30 pm Friday, Sept. 7, 4 pm., 7 pm and 9.30 pm. Saturday, Sept 8, and 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm Sunday, Sept 9

■ Our Lady of the Assassins (France/Colombia, 2000, Barbet Schroeder) 7 pm and 9 30 pm Friday, Sept 28, 4 pm, 7 pm and 9 30 pm Saturday, Sept 29; and 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm Sunday, Sept 30

■ Innocence (Australia 2000, Paul Cox) 7 pm and 9 30 pm Friday Oct 5 4 pm 7 pm and 9 30 pm Saturday Oct 6 and 1 pm, 4 pm and 7 pm Sunday Oct 7

The Detroit Film Theatre is located behind the Detroit Institute of Arts, at Farnsworth and John R roads Tickets cost \$6 and discounts are available for DIA members, senior citizens and students Call (313) 833-3237

are engaging and intelligent, not condescending to the viewer One key thing to remember is just because a movie is "dealing with an important subject matter, it doesn't mean that a film is going to be good either All of these things come in to play when I'm deciding"

The collection of films during this season are wide-ranging, he explained But Wilhelm does have a few of which he is particularly fond

Wilhelm calls the 2000 Italian film *Bread and Tulips* "absolutely charming" A film he watched at last year's Toronto Film Festival, it tells the story of a woman who leaves the family home to

live in Venice While she's there, "she discovers a great number of things about herself and life that she didn't really realize before"

The Italian-made movie scored nine Donatello Awards, which is the country's equivalent of the Oscars

Three weeks later, Our Lady

of the Assassins, a French/Colombian film, comes to the DFT The Barbet Schroeder (Reversal of Fortune) movie revolves around a middle-aged gay writer who returns to his hometown of Medellin, Colombia, to die

"Medellin, Colombia, is one of the most violent cities in the world It's difficult for many of us to imagine a place on earth where murder and lawlessness, because of the drug trade, seem to be in control of the entire pulse of the city"

In Medellin, the main character doesn't find the random killings terrifying because he too, is 'already living in a death sentence," Wilhelm said "He can afford to be calm and look at the situation with passionate curios ity that most people couldn't

The character is torn howev er when he falls in love with a street hoodlum who casually kills someone He considers leaving the country

According to Wilhelm, one of the most striking parts of the film is when they're watching a fireworks display When the main character asks his boyfriend why the display is occurring, he says that that happens when another shipment of cocaine is smuggled into the

United States
"It stands everything on its head of what is good news and what is bad news"

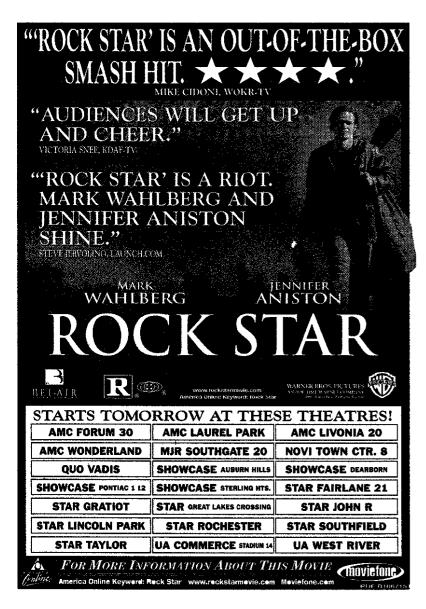
Wilhelm admits that an October film by director Paul Cox, Innocence, may be difficult for some to understand It tells the tale of senior citizens who have an affair

"We see scenes that we're used to seeing in young people. This guy is listening on the phone and wondering who the other person is who hangs up. What seems like a comic and bizarre curiosity at first, comes to this fundamental question. At what age do we have to consider ourselves too old to start our lives.

again?" Wilhelm explained
"Those three films are so wild-

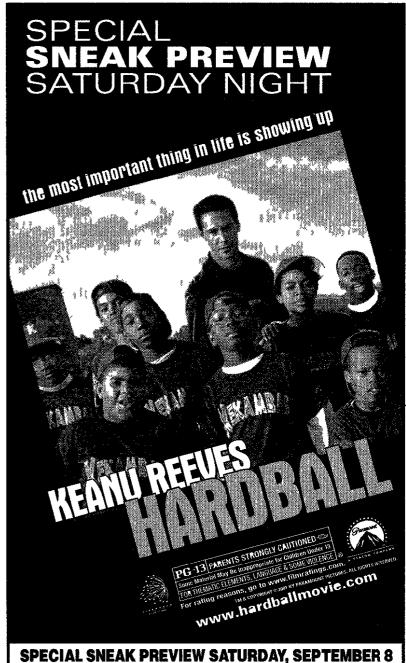
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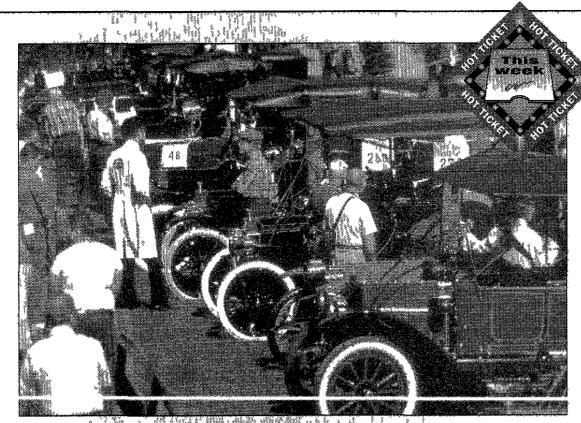
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ANGEL FOOD CAFE: Presents The Great Ypsilanti Train Robbery of 1916 An Evening of Historical License, an interactive dinner the ater 5 15 pm and 8 15 pm Friday Sept 7 at the cafe Ypsilanti \$39 95, includes a gourmet three course dinner Advance ticket purchase and meal selection required Call (734) 483

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THE THEATRE COMPANY: Tell All Ages a compilation of readings



It's a classic: The 51st annual Old Car Festival kicks off with a Grand Parade 10:30 a.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 8-9 at Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood Boulevard, Dearborn. The festivities continue to 5 p.m both days. Free with admission to village \$8,50 to \$14, children under age 5 free. (313) 271-1620

and music from the Holocaust 2 pm Sunday Sept 9 in the McAuley Theater on the Outer Drive campus of the University of Detroit Mercy \$10 \$5 students additional contributions in excess of \$100 will be eligible to receive a tax deductible receipt (313) 993 6461

YOUTH **PRODUCTIONS**

DETROIT PUPPET THEATER: Oh. Ananse based on a west African folk tale 2 p m Saturday Sept 8 15 22 and 29 at the theater Detroit \$7 \$5 children (313) 961 7771

INTER-ACTIVE CHILDREN'S LUNCH THEATER: Saturday with the Johnson s 11 30 a m Sept 8 and 22 and Oct 6 and 20 at Genitti s Northvi e (248) 349 0522 or visit the Web site for a coupon www.genittis.com

MARQUIS THEATRE: Pooh Visits Storyland Live on Stage 2 30 p m Saturday Sept 8 and 15, and 2 30 pm Sunday, Sept 9 16, no chil dren under age three (248) 349

SCHOOL DISTRICT/COMMUNITY MUSICAL: Bye Bye Birdie 7 30 p m Thursday Saturday Sept 6-8 at North Farmington High School \$10 \$8 seniors/students all seats reserved (248) 426-4740

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART & APPLES: Features more than 300 artists from around the country10 a m to 6 p m Saturday Sept 8 and until 5 p m Sunday Sept 9, in Rochester Municipal Park (248) 651 7418 or visit the festival Web site at

www pccart org/art & apples htm AUTUMNFEST: 11 am to 5 pm Sunday Sept 9, the country fair includes food entertainment pro duce vendors a petting farms cake walks hay rides a viuntage baseball game and a lumberjack show at the Mary Thompson House and Farm Southfield No admission Parking is available at the Southfield Public Library with a free shuttle bus to the farm site (248) 354 9603

CONCOURS D' ELEGANCE: Jaguar

Affiliates Group of Michigan presents the event Saturday Sept 8 at the Northfield Hilton, 5500 Crooks Troy Free for spectators To enter your Jaguar call Greg Kalwsinski at (517) 223 9542 **DSO SEASON PREVIEW: The** Detroit Symphony Orchestra pre sents a discussion about the new season and a performance 8 p m Saturday Sept 8, at Borders Birmingham (248) 203 0005 SUMMER ASTROLOGY/PSYCHIC FAIR: 10 am to 5 pm Saturday, Sept 8 at the Troy Holiday Inn \$5 (248) 528-2610

UNITY IN THE COMMUNITY FESTIVAL: 3 10 pm Saturday, Sept 8 and noon to 9 p m Sunday Sept 9 a celebration of cultural diversity with music and perfor mances including folkloric and tra ditional dances kicks off Hispanic Heritage Month in Clark Park in southwest Detroit (313) 843 9598 VILLAGE POTTERS GUILD: Holds a tent sale 10 am to 6 pm Saturday Sept 8 20 potters will

exhibit a variety of items none priced at more than \$30 in the parking lot outside the Guild 340 North Main behind Jack Dunleavy s Grill Plymouth (734) 207 8807 If you d like to try your hand at mak ing art don't miss the tile table where for \$5 you can paint your own Proceeds will be donated to First Step a Plymouth based orga nization dedicated to helping vic tims of domestic violence and rape X-TRAVA CON: Comic book toy and non sport card show 10 a m to 4 pm Sunday Sept 9 at the Knights of Columbus Hall Livonia \$2 (248) 426-8059 or www.motorcityconventions.com

BENEFITS

ACTION AGAINST HUNGER: A hunger relief benefit for Forgotten Harvest features comedian Richard Jeni a cappella jazz cho r The Grunyons 8 p m Saturday Oct 20 at the Millennium Centre Southfield Tickets start at \$35 (248) 350 FOOD (3663) ART WORKS FOR LIFE: Live and

silent auctions featuring more than 150 orginal art works and jewelry 6 30 10 30 p m Saturday Sept 22 at the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House Grosse Pointe Shores \$65 advance, reservations by Sept 14 To benefit the Midwest AIDS Prevention Project (248) 545 1435 ext 13

MAYOR'S SCHOLARSHIP BALL: 6 p m Friday Sept 7 mayors of Detroit, Southfield and Pontiac host gala with \$50 000 in scholar ships going to area students includes dinner dancing and a per formance by The Manhattans fea turing Gerald Alston and Blue Lovett at the Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center (313) 873 1500

SWEET ADELINES INTERNATIONAL/SPIRIT OF **DETROIT CHORUS** Holds a

fundraising art auction (presented by Marlin art) to benefit the chorus 1 30 pm Sunday Sept 30 at the Plymouth Elks Lodge Plymouth \$5 donation includes complimentary win and hors douevres (248) 681 2578

CLASSICAL

ANN ARBOR SYMPHONY ORCHES-TRA: Opens its season with Stravinsky s Petrouchka and Tchaikovsky s Symphony No 48 p m Saturday Sept 8 pre concert lecture with conductor Arie Lipsky at 7 pm at the Michigan Theater Ann Arbor \$18 \$26 \$32 (734) 994-4801

BRUNCH WITH BACH: Features the Woodland Trio 11 30 a m Sunday Sept 9 (seating being 20 minutes earlier), at the Detroit Insitute of Arts \$22 \$11 children \$5 stairs (313) 833-4005

DEARING CONCERT DUO. 2 p m Saturday Sept 15, at the Detroit Institute of Arts (313) 833 7900 **DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA** Opens its 2001 2002 season with Itzhak Perlman conducting Brahms Symphony No 1 with soprano Heidi Grant Murphy 8 p m Wednesday Sept 12, 8 30 p m Saturday Sept 15 and 3 p m Sunday Sept 16 at Orchestra Hall Detroit (313) 576 5111

MATINEE MUSICALE DAYTIME SERIES: Presents the Ann Arbor Symphony String Quartet Wednesday Sept 12 at the Jewish community Center Ann Arbor \$5 (734) 769 5911/(734) 994 4801

AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

ANN ARBOR SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA Auditions for a vari ety of positions Thursday Friday Sept 67 (734) 994 4801 AVON PLAYERS: Open auditions for six females (ages 25 to 50) and six males (ages 20 to 60) for A Streetcar Named Desire 6 p m Sunday Sept 9 and 7 pm Tuesday Sept 11 (registration begins 30 minutes earlier) at the playhouse Rochester Hills For per formances Cc+ 26 28 and Nov 2 4 and 9 10 (810) 803 0306

BEL CANTO CHORAL GROUP Looking for women of all voices to perform repertoire of light classi cal show tunes light opera sea sonal and ethnic favorites through the metro Detroit area (313) 640

CLARKSTON VILLAGE PLAYERS: Auditions for the Tom Dulack come dy Breaking Legs 1 p m Sunday Sept 9 and 7 p m Monday Sept 10 (248) 625 8811 or www clark

stonvillageplayers org DEARBORN BALLET THEATRE.

Auditions for The Nutcracker 1 30 2 30 p m (children ages 5 12) 2 30 3 p m (acrobats) and 3-4 30 p m (advanced dancers toe shoes required) Saturday Sept 8 also needed are adults for the opening scenes at St. Barbara Parish Center Dearborn \$5 audition fee For performances with the Livonia Symphony Friday Saturday Nov 23 24 (313) 943 3095/(313) 563

2488 **FARMINGTON COMMUNITY** CHORUS: Auditions singers 7 30 p m Tuesday Sept 11 the 80 voice chorus under the direction of Steve SeGraves is seeking to expand its membership. It includes singers from the metro Detroit area at the Costick Activities Center Farmington Hills (248) 471-4516

FARMINGTON PLAYERS: Auditions for Habeus Corpus 7 p m Tuesday Sept 18 at the theater inside barnes & Noble Booksellers West Bloomfield For performances nov 16 18 23-25 and 29 30 (248) 736 0338

FLINT FESTIVAL CHOIR Under the direction of Bradley Bloom holds auditions 69 pm Thursday Aug 30 at the Flint Institute of Music 2015 E Kearsley Street (810) 237 3125

HURON VALLEY HARMONIZERS: Can you juggle perform magic dance or play a musical instru ment? Are you part of an acrobatic troupe? The Harmonizers are pre senting a variety show Nov 10 at Washtenaw Community College and are still looking for a few great acts to add to their vocal presenta tion (734) 728 2453 evenings (734) 260 5445 days

LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS: Searching for a director Rehearsals are held 7 30 9 30 p m Tuesdays September through May at Frost Middle School in Livonia The cho rus composed of approximately 60 LIVONIA YOUTH PHILHARMONIC OF MICHIGAN. Call Wendy Bernard at (734) 591 7649 or visit the Web site at www lypm org for informa tion about the philharmonic and

singers presents two concerts a

year at Christmastime and in the

spring (734) 427 5397

auditions for the 2001 2002 sea MARQUIS THEATRE. Auditions for ages 8 16 for Halloween Hocus Pocus 7 pm Sunday Sept 9 per formers must prepare a song in their vocal range and bring their own sheet music an accompanist will be provided Performers must

also prepare to read a poem no

longer than two minutes It does

not have to be memorized, at the

theater Northville METRO DANCE JUNIOR COMPANY: Call for dancers ages 7 10 years old with two years ballet and one year jazz training for performances conventions and master classes through 2001 2002 season com pany class and rehearsals Saturdays beginning mid September no audition required (734) 207 8970

MICHIGAN CLASSIC BALLET

COMPANY: Auditions for *The*

Nutcracker Sunday Sept 9 (1 p m

ages 69 2 pm Ages 10 12 and 3

p m ages 13 and up) and 78 15 p m Tuesday Sept 12 (ages 10 and up also serves as the Geiger ballet scholarship audition class) at the Geiger Classic Ballet Academy Bloomfield Hills For per formances Dec 12 at Mercy Auditorium \$15 (248) 334 6964 ARS NOVA: A semi professional 22 voice choral ensemble based in Royal Oak that rehearses weekly and performs regularly throughout metro Detroit is seeking new members particularly tenors Auditions will be held in late August and early September Potential members should be pre pared to sing a short selection of their choice (accompanist will be provided) sight read a short sec tion of music and vocalize to demonstrate their range. To sched ule an audition or for more infor mation call Dr Craig Scott Symons (248) 414 7242 or e mail at csy mons@home comat The 2001 2002 concert season is comprised of four concerts and includes com pact disc recording project

NOVI THEATRES Audit ons for ages 13 through coilege for Arthur Miller's The Crucible 7 30 pm Thursday Aug 30 (performances Oct 26 28) at the Novi Civic Center Stage \$125 participation fee once cast (248) 347 0400 PARK PLAYERS OF N. ROSEDALE PARK For Harper Lee s To Kill A Mocking Bird play by Christopher Sergel directed by Sarah Hedeen for Park Players of N Rosedale Park Cast of adults and children 7 pm Thursday Sept 13 2 pm Sunday Sept 16 at the N Rosedale Park Community House 18445 Scarsdale Detroit For more information call (734) 425 5942 Show dates Friday Sunday Nov 9 11 Friday Saturday Nov 16

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY CHORUS Begins rehearsals of their annual holiday concert Tuesday Sept 11 regis trations will be taken beginning at 7 30 p m there is a nominal fee for membership new singers well come in Varner Recital Hall on campus Rochester (248) 370

PAPER BAG PRODUCTIONS: Auditions for a musical version of Stuart Little 10 am to 4 pm Saturday Sept 8 and noon to 4 pm Sunday Sept 9 auditioners should be prepared to sing whatev er they sing best at 19586 Farmington Road at Carl three blocks north of Seven Mile

Livonia (810) 344 7774

PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS: Auditions for new members 7 p m Tuesday Sept 4 at the First Baptist Church of Plymouth 45000 North Territorial Additional audi tion dates are Sept 11 18 and 25 by appointment only To schedule a time or for the location of the Sept 11 18 and 25 auditions call (734) 455-4080

ORCHESTRA: Auditions for musi cians for its 56th concert season 4-8 p m Monday Sept 10 posted positions include principal viola fourth horn tuba and section string Substitute musicians are needed for wind brass and percus sion section positions and other openings may be posted as neces sary Audition selections will be taken from standard orchestra selections Non standard selections

will be supplied Auditions are by

appointment only Full orchestra

rehearsals begin Monday Oct 1 at Evola Music Center Canton For more information or to schedule an audition call personnel manager William Hulsker at (313) 640-1773 or send e mail to plymouthsymphony@aol com

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE **COMMUNITY CHOIR:** Auditions for new members Tuesday Sept 11 in rrom 310 of the Forum Building on campus Livonia Fall semester choir rehearsals begin Sept 11 All voice parts welcome The choir meets 7 30 10 p m Tuesdays and includes students and experienced singers of all ages from communi ties throughout the metropolitan area Call Gerald Custer at (734) 481 3453 to schedule an audition For information call (248) 349 8175/(734) 462 4435 or visit the Web site at http://members.tri pod com/schoolcraftchoir STAGECRAFTERS: Auditions for

Annie for girls 10 a m (registration at 9 a m) Saturday Sept 15 and adults 6 pm (registration at 5 30 pm) Sunday Sept 16 at the Baldwin Theatre Royal Oak (248) 541 8027

STAGECRAFTERS YOUTH THEATRE: Auditions for Alice s Adventures in Wonderland for ages 8 18 Saturday Sept 8 (registration 9 10 30 a m auditions beginning at 10 a m) at the Baldwin Theatre, Royal Oak For performances Nov 13 (248) 541 8027

TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS: Auditions for Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat and for its 2001 2002 season including the Tinderbox Showchoir 79 pm Friday, Sept 7 (ages 13 to adult) 10 a m to 1 p m Saturday Sept 8 (ages 5 12) and 15 pm Sunday Sept 9 (ages13 to adult) bring sheet music in your key and be prepared to dance (313) 535 8962 or send e mail to niflo@aol com

VILLAGE PLAYERS OF BIRMINGHAM: Auditions for The Lion in Winter 7 30 pm Sunday Sept 16 and Tuesday Sept 18 at the playhouse 752 Chestnut Birmingham For performances Nov 911 1618 and 23-24 (248) WHISTLE STOP PLAYERS: Auditions

for Charlie and the Chocolate Factory 6 30 8 p m Sunday Sept 9 or Thursday Sept 13 at the Plymouth Community Arts Council \$125 due at first rehearsal Sunday, Sept 23 For performances Nov 30 Dec 2 and local school tour Dec 3 20 (734) 416-4278

POPS/SWING **BIRD OF PARADISE ORCHESTRA: 9**

p m Monday at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662-8310 (big band swing, HARRY WARREN DINNER SHOW:

Eddie DeSantis Big Band plays the music of one of America's most prolific composers 6 30 p m Tuesday Sept 18 at the Elks Bailroom Troy \$25 donation includes dinner (248) 585 0427

JAZZ/BLUES

DWIGHT ADAMS QUARTET: 9 p m to 1 a m Saturday Sept 15 at Columbine s Champagne Cellar at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village Detroit (313) 331-0922 MARK ARSHAK: 9 p m Saturday Sept & at Edison s, Birmingham No cover (248) 645 2150 RON BROOKS TRIO: 9 pm Tuesday and Thursday at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662 8310 PAUL FINKBEINER'S JAM SESSION:

9 p m Sunday, at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$2 cover (734) 662-8310 DALE GRISA TRIO: 6-8 pm

Tuesday at Sweet Lorraine s in the Livonia Marriott Hotel (734) 953

LOS GATOS: 9 pm Wednesday, at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662-8310

JAZZ ON THE LAKE: Featuring pianist Keiko Matsui, and Alexander Zonjic & Friends featur ing Angela Bofill 2 p m Sunday, Sept 9, also features food and wine tastings from more than 24 restaurants and merchants and silent and live auctions on the campus of Orchard Lake Schools \$75 (248) 683 1750 or

www orchardlakeschools com RICK K. AND BRAZIL AND BEYOND: 811 pm Friday Saturday at Big Fish Dearborn (313) 336 3650

BRETT LUCAS BAND: 9 pm Friday, Sept 7 and Thursday Sept 13, at Edison s, Birmingham No cover (248) 645 2150

days a week

Making contact: Please submit popular music items for publication to Stephanie Casola; all others to Linda Chomin, two weeks in advance to the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150 or by fax (734) 591-7279. Items must include the date, time, venue, admission price and a telephone number.

MATT MICHAELS TRIO: Features Bill Lucas on trumpet and flugel horn 8-11 30 p m Wednesday Sept 12, at Ron's Fireside Inn. 28937 Warren Road (east of Middlebelt) Garden City Reservations recommended for the Jazz Room \$5 cover with dinner order, \$10 cover without dinner (734) 762 7756

LARRY NOZERO JAZZ QUINTET: Perform 8 p m to midnight Mondays, at Mitch Housey's Food & Spirits, Livonia (734) 425 5520 or visit the Web site at www lar rynozero com

MACEO PARKER: The saxophonist performs 7 p m Saturday Sept 8 all ages are welcome, in Gallup Park Ann Arbor (313) 886 6017 ROBERT PENN: 9 pm Friday Saturday, Sept 14-15, at Edison's Birmingham No cover (248) 645

HOUSTON PERSON/ETTA JONES: 9p m and 11 p m Friday Saturday, Sept 7-8, at the Bird of Paradise. Ann Arbor \$25 (734) 662-8310 TONY POPE'S N'ORLEANS SIX: 3-6 p m beginning Saturday, Sept 8 and continuing every other Saturday, at S K Brewer's Food and Spirits, Southfield \$6 cover Food available during show and din ner hour (248) 476-2674 TOO BLUE FEAT: 9 p m Thursday, Sept 6 at Edison's Birmingham No cover (248) 645 2150 **URSULA WALKER/BUDDY** BUDSON: 9 pm to 1 am Friday

FOLK/ **ACOUSTIC**

Saturday Sept 7-8, 21 22 and 28-

Columbine s Champagne Cellar at

Village, Detroit (313) 331 0922

29, and Friday Sept 14 at

the Harlequin Cafe in Indian

FRED EAGLESMITH & THE FLYING **SQUIRRELS:** 8 p m Monday Sept 10 at The Ark Ann Arbor \$13 50 (734) 763-TKTS NANCY GRIFFITH: 8 p m Wednesday Sept 12 at Hill

Auditorium Ann Arbor \$35 \$27 50 (734) 763 TKTS **DAVID LINDLEY:** Formerly with Jackson Brown Lindley performs with percussionist Wally Ingram 7 30 pm Sunday Sept 9 at The Ark Ann Arbor \$17 50 (734) 763

7, at The Ark, Ann Arbor \$15 (734) 763-TKTS RFD BOYS: 8 p m Saturday Sept 8, at The Ark, Ann Arbor \$10

(734) 763 TKTS

LAURA LOVE: 8 pm Friday Sept

COUNTRY <u>MUSIC</u>

TRISHA YEARWOOD: 8 p m Thursday Aug 30 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre \$34 50 pavil

WORLD MUSIC

ion \$15 50 lawn (248) 645-6666

A TWIST OF MARLEY: Featuring classic Bob Marley songs interpret ed by Gerals Albright Patti Austin Jonathan Bulter and Lee Ritenour 8 p m Saturdday, Sept 22, at the Fox Theatre, Detroit \$27 50 \$32 50, \$42 50 (248) 433 1515 CHULRUA: 8 p m Wednesday Sept 12, at The Ark, Ann Arbor \$13 50 (734) 763 TKTS (Irish) **EQUASION AND BROTHER:** 8 p m Thursday Sept 13, at The Ark, Ann Arbor \$11 (734) 763 TKTS (English/Irish)

NAJWA KARAM: With Ihab Tawfic and Samira Said in a Middle Eastern concert 7 30 p m Saturday Sept 8 at the Fox Theatre, Detroit \$50 (248) 433 1515 For information (313) 471

LAURA LOVE: 8 p m Friday Sept 7, at The Ark, Ann Arbor \$15 (734) 763 TKTS (Afro/Celtic) PAT MCDUNN: 8 11 p m Friday, at Duke Humphries Rochester Hills (248) 601 1100 (Irish) **MIDDLE EASTERN CONCERT:**

Featuring Najwa Karam Ihab Tawfic and Samira Said 7 30 p m Saturday Sept 8 at the Fox Theatre Detroit \$50 (248) 433-1515

DANCE

ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCING: 7 9 45 p m Tuesday, Sept 11 at the Chapel Hill Clubhouse Ann Arbor \$6 (734) 422 1170

MME. CADILLACE DANCE THEATRE: Dressed in period costume the company performs music and dances of Nouvelle France in addition to voyager songs unique to the lakes and rivers that were the expressways of the new world Artistic director Harriet Berg pro vides ancedotes and historical

commentary 2 p m Sunday Sept 9, at the Orion Township Public Library (248) 693 3001 MOON-DUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands, featuring swing, fox trot waltz cha cha and Latin 8 30 11 30 pm Saturdays at the Livonia Civic Center 15218 Farmington Road at Five Mile \$5 (248) 967 1428

POLISH ALLIANCE DANCERS OF DEARBORN: And General Pulaski Polish Language School register students for classes in Polish folk dancing, language and history 9 30 a m to 1 p m Saturday, Sept 15, at St Barbara's School Dearborn (313) 581 3181 or visit the Web site at polishalliancedancers hyper mart net

U-M BALLROOM DANCE CLUB: Ballroom dance lesson and open dancing 4-10 p m Sunday at the Union Ballroom Ann Arbor \$2 (734) 763 6984

WATERFORD-OAKS BALLROOM DANCING: 8-11 p m Friday, Sept 7, 2800 Watkins Lake Road Waterford (248) 673-4764

COMEDY

A LITTLE BIT BLUE: An original sketch comedy show written by local playwrights Marc Holland mike Davis and Ramı Farhat Friday saturday, sept 729 at the Allen DuBois Theatre in Canton High School (810) 403-4746 or visit the Web site at www four

leggedproductions com **ANN ARBOR COMEDY SHOWCASE:** Steve Bills Friday Saturday, Sept 7 8 at the club Ann Arbor (734) 996-9080

DEF COMEDY JAM: Featuring Honest John Sheryl Underwood Ricky Harris Rudy Rush Mike Epps and DJ Showtime 8 p m Saturday Sept 15 at the Fox Theatre Detroit \$32 50 \$42 50 (248) 433 1515

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S. Kevin Zeoli Friday Saturday Sept 78 at the club Dearborn (313) 584-8885 MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY **CLUB:**Derek Richards Thursday Saturday Sept 68 at the club

Royal Oak (248) 542 9900 **ROYAL OAK THEATRE** Margaret Cho performs two shows 6 p m and 9 p m Saturday Nov 10 at the theatre \$25 \$35 21 and older (248) 645 6666

SECOND CITY: Mavor Go Round Thursday Sunday Jammin Wednesdays featuring The Best of Second City at Second City Detroit (248) 645 6666 JERRY SEINFELD: 7 pm Saturday Oct 6 at the Fox Theatre Detroit \$47 \$62 and \$77 (248) 433-1515

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

BIRMINGHAM BLOOMFIELD ART CENTER: Deborah Kawsky an art historian and Janet Tomo Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center executive director will lead a Saturday Sunday Oct 20 21 tour of Washington D C Renaissance and Remembrance will explore our nation s capitol from a fresh per spective highlighting contributions of women in the visual arts from the Renaissance to today The tour begins Saturday at the National Gallery of Art The evening ends with a sunset tour of Washington's best known monuments including the Vietnam Veterans Memorial The second day includes a trip to the National Museum of Women and the Arts and the Phillips Collection The tour coincides with day and evening lecture series by Kawsky a Plymouth resident Both will cover women s role in art in Renaissance Italy The cost for the trip is \$363 Space is limited and full payment is due by Sept 1 For more information about the trip or lecture series call Torno at the arts center (248) 644-0866 **CRANBROOK HOUSE:** Tours contin

ue to Oct 25 walk in Sunday tours at 3 p m for \$10 and 11 a m and 1 15 p m Thursday for \$10, \$15 for lunch (reservations needed) at 380 Lone Pine Road Bloomfield Hills (248) 645 3147 Tours also available of Saarinen House call (877) 462 7262

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM: Native American Cultural Workshop led by Samantha and Jason Witz 1 3 p m Saturday, Sept 8 teaches children about the lifestyle holi days (Pow Wow) cuisine ancient religions and traditions and differ ent languages used by the 32 nations of natives in North America also folk tales and hands one activities coincides with the

exhibit Lands Lives Legends People of the Three Fires at the museum \$3 children adult chaper ones free (313) 833 1807

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS: 6-9 p m Friday September 7 features the soothing sounds of The Golden Rain Percussion Ensemble as well as a behind the-scenes view of the special exhibition Building Detroit with Assistant Curator Michael Crane Christine Hagedorn creates sculptures using everyday materi als drawing in the galleries drop-in workshop to make toys from found and recycled materials Programs for all ages are FREE with museum admission at the Detroit Institute of Arts (313) 833 7900 or visit the Web site at www dia org **DETROIT SOCIETY FOR GENEALOG-**

ICAL RESEARCH: Presents the pro

gram History of Ferry Avenue with

Katherione Clarkston, director of Preservation Wayne 1 30 p m Saturday, Sept 8, meets at the Explorer s Room of the Detroit Public Library and then moves to the Carriage House attached to The Hecker House (presently Charfood & Christensen Law Firm) from 23 pm No charge Free fenced in parking is available on the south side of the library (Putnam Street) (734) 722 6305/(248) 541 0403 **DETROIT ZOO.** Experience the new Wild Adventure Simulator the only motion based zoo simulator in the nation Wilderness Adventure illus trates how important it is to pro tect naturee to ensure the survival of animals experience what it is like to run like a cougar swim like a dolphin based on NASA's flight simulator technology Wilderness Adventure uses sight digital sur round sound and almost 2 g s of motion to create a multi sensory experience at the zoo \$7 50

HENRY FORD MUSEUM/GREENFIELD VILLAGE: The exhibit Kids Stuff Great Toys From Our Childhood continues to Sept 16 Imax movies N Sync and Super Speedway continue at the museum Dearborn (313) 271

\$5 50 seniors/students and ages

2 12 (248) 398-0900 or visit the

Web site at www detroitzoo org

MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY: Presents a seminar Collecting African Art featuring African American art authority Halima Taha 10 30 a m to 2 30 p m Saturday Sept 8 at the museum Detroit \$25 nonmem bers \$20 members (313) 494-5800 ext 5820

U-M BOTANICAL GARDENS: Science night at the gardens for ages 7 14 5 8 p m Friday Sept 21 at the botanical gardens Ann Arbor \$5 if registered by Sept 7, \$10 at the door Space is limited so pre registration is advised (313) 438-3337 or send a self addressed stamped envelope with \$5 per child to Anchor's Unlimited, PO Box 970772, Ypsilanti MI 48198

LIVE MUSIC

ACID MOTHERS TEMPLE AND THE MELTING PARAISO: With Outrageous Cherry LSDudes Plastic Crimewave 8 p m Tuesday Sept 11 Detroit Contemporary Detroit \$10 (313) 898-4ART THE ALLIGATORS: 10 pm Saturday Sept 8 Memphis Smoke Royal Oak (248) 543

TORI AMOS: With Rufus Wainright 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 18, Fox Theatre, Detroit \$29 50 \$36 50 (248) 645 6666 **BACKSTREET BOYS:** With Sisgo

Krystal 7 30 p m Thursday, Sept 20 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$29 50 \$49 50 Tickets for the original date will be honored or refunded (248) 645 6666

THE B-52'S: 6 p m Friday Sept 7 Freedom Hill Amphitheatre Sterling Heights \$15 \$40 All ages (248) 645 6666

THE BLACK CROWES. With Beachwood Sparks, 8 p m Thursday Oct 11 Eastern Michigan Convocation Center Ypsilanti (248) 645 6666 **BLAIR:** Acoustic night with Sean Fitzgerald Jephrey Jablonski Johanna Karner, 10 p m Saturday, Sept 15 313 JAC, upstairs from Jacoby s, Detroit \$5 (313) 962

BLUE CAT: 7 p m Wednesday Thursday Sept 1213, Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 THE BROTHERS GROOVE: 10 p m Thursdays Music Menu Detroit (313) 964-MENU

BUILT TO SPILL: With The Delusions 7 30 pm Monday Sept 10 Magic Stick, Detroit \$14 18 and older (313) 833 9700 BURNING SPEAR: 8 p m Tuesday Sept 25 Magic Bag Ferndale \$20 (248) 544-3030 CADILLAC BLINDSIDE: 7 p m Wednesday Sept 12, The Shelter,

AL CARMICHAEL: 7 p m Monday Sept 10, 17, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800

Detroit All ages \$6 (248) 645

NICK CAVE AND THE BAD SEEDS: 7 pm Sunday Sept 29, State Theatre, Detroit All ages \$26 75 advance/\$32 at door (248) 645 6666

7 30 pm Saturday Sept 8 Trinity House Theatre Livonia \$10 or \$8 for theatre members (734) 464 6302

CHANGES AND ASHLEY PEACOCK:

COUSTEAU: 8 p m Monday, Sept 24 Magic Bag, Ferndale \$10 (248) 544-3030 **CONSOLATION PRIZE:** With The

Arnvals Ten Ninety Smashbandits No Alternative 9 p m Friday Sept 7 313 JAC upstairs from Jacoby s Detroit \$5 (313) 962 7067 **DALLY IN THE ALLEY:** The free out door street fair and music festival runs 11 a m to 11 p m Saturday Sept 8 in the North Cass Corridor Detroit Along with film, fashion

and kids events here is the 4-stage

music line up On the Forest Stage 11 30 a m Point Blank, 12 40 p m Scott Gwinnell Jazz Orchestra 1 20 pm Kids Choir 1 50 pm Baby Ambassador, 3 pm Blush 430 p m Metaphysical Jones. 6 p m Liz Ların 7 30 p m The Layabouts, 9 p m Rev - On the Alley Stage 11 a m Blue Method, 12 10 p m The Muggs, 1 20 p m Slumber Party, 2 30 pm The Volebeats 4 pm Brett Lucas Band 5 30 pm Dead Poets 7 pm Judah Johnson 8 30 pm The Climax Divine 10 pm Sweatysuedelips – On the Acoustic Stage 11 a m Ruby Woods 11 40 pm Dan Minard 12 25 pm Tamara Bedricky 1 10 p m Tom

Galasso & Ernie Douglas 150 p m Dale Wilson 2 30 pm Soul Rhythm 310 pm Blair 350 pm The Cost Plus Serenaders 4 30 pm Alguimia Humana 5 20 pm Raiph Koziarski s Zounds with Motorcity Free Arts Group 5 50 pm Don t Look Now Jug Band 630 pm The Jar 715 pm Michelle Penn 8 pm Wayne State University Jazz Runner set 8 45 p m Stunning Amazon w/ Audra Kubat 9 30 pm Sista Otis & The Wholly Rollers - on the Urban Electronica Stage 4 30 pm DJ Shortround 5 30 pm Esquire 5 50 pm Magda 6 50 pm Ghost200/Spacelings &

Baseheads 7 35 pm Recloose, 8 35 pm Scan 7 9 05 pm Buzz Goree 10 p m Carlos Sufrount along with a sideshow featuring fire breathing and live painting by local artist Camilo Pardo See http://dallyint.healley.net/index html for more information

DEEP BANANA BLACKOUT: 8 p m Thursday Sept 13 Blind Pig Ann Arbor (734) 623 9962 NEIL DIAMOND: 8 pm Friday Saturday Oct 56, The Palace of

Auburn Hills \$37 50-\$67 50 (248) 645 6666 DISCO BISCUITS: 9 p m Thursday Sept 13, Majestic Theatre, Detroit \$15 18 and older (248) 833-9700

BOB DYLAN: 8 p m Friday, Nov 9 Cobo Hall Detroit \$25-\$37 50 (248) 645 6666 EARTH WIND & FIRE: Featuring Rufus with Chaka Khan and Sommore Sunday Sept 19 Fox Theatre Detroit (248) 433 1515 **ELEPHANT GERALD:** 9 p m Saturday Sept 8 The Shelter

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DINING

Ernesto's doesn't need a recipe for change

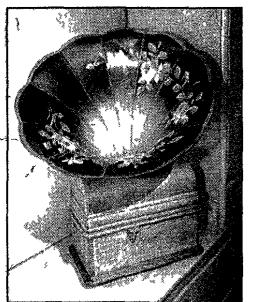
BY MIKE MURPHY SPECIAL WRITER

ongtime fans of Ernesto's in Plymouth can rest assured that the spacious restaurant's new owner has done little in the way of remaking and remodeling

In terms of both atmosphere and menu. Ernesto's has remained the same since Ann Arbor restaurateur Perry Porikos took over in November of last year With some of the same chefs and many of the same wait staff that have been around since the former Hillside Inn became Ernesto's in the late 1980s, veteran patrons and newcomers alike can expect what Ernesto's has always strived to deliver - fine Italian cuisine at moderate prices

There's been some painting here and there and some flowers added to the decor of the multi-room restaurant, but not much else

"About the only new addition is me," Said Through goveral manager Andrew Andrysiak "We're using the same foundation that we had when we came on board and just adding to the service level The food was excellent, so why



Accessory: A decorative phonograph sits just off the main dining room at Ernesto's

Ernesto's

Where: 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth, (734) 453-2002

Open: 11a m to 10 p m Monday through Thursday, 11 a m to 11 p m Friday and Saturday, 11 a m to 9 p m Sunday The Trattoria down-

stairs opens daily at 4 p m Reservations: Reservations are accepted for the upstairs dining area Trattoria is walk-in only

Cost: Upstairs entrees range from \$12 95 to \$28 95 In the downstairs Trattoria prices range from \$7.95 to

Credit cards: All majors accepted Carry-out orders: Call (734)453-2002 or fax (734)453-7490 **Seats:** 500

change it?"

Andrysiak, who worked for Porikos for six years at one of the restaurateur s Ann Arbor establishments before coming to Ernesto's, wants customers to take it easy when they come to Ernesto's

Wide variety

"My goal is to offer them a wide variety of menu items and beverages, and to take them away from what's outside of the door when they come in," Andrysiak said

Ernesto's offers its customers casual dining and a wide variety of banquet facilities You need both hands to count the number of dining areas that fill the two-story restaurant

There's the main dining area on the first level with its rustic Italian feel Take a trip upstairs and you wind up in the Country Room, one of three upstairs banquet rooms, where wood-paneled walls display numerous antique farm implements

"Each room has its own quality to it," said Andrysiak, who estimated that all told, Ernesto's could seat about 500 din-

Also upstairs is a covered open-air deck for dining during the summer months Andrysiak's even opened up



House special: General Manager Andrew Andrysiak and Chef Robert Gasciogne of Ernesto's Italian Country Inn present one of their specialty dishes, Shrimp and Anchovie Fettuccini

the wine cellar in the basement of the building to a man who wanted to propose to his girlfriend in a quiet atmo-

Within the scope of Italian cuisine, Ernesto's offers a variety of main courses House specialties include Vitello Boursin, which is veal medallions filled with triple-cream boursin cheese and sun-dried tomatoes sautéed with veal demi-glace Asparagus and portabello mushrooms are served on the side

Diners might want to try Ernesto's free form ravioli, which contains chunks of lobster tail and rock shrimp sautéed with prosciutto, oyster mushrooms and roasted peppers The dish is finished

between layers of spinach and egg pasta

Then there's shrimp and anchovy linguine, which features shrimp sautéed with sliced garlic, Italian herbs, crushed chili peppers and anchovies tossed with fresh parsley and linguine

"You're not going to get that anywhere else," Andrysiak said

Monday through Saturday beginning at 7 pm diners are entertained by strolling minstrels

While the upstairs dining areas are reserved for casual yet somewhat elegant dining and banquet groups,

with sherry boursin cream and served Ernesto's Trattoria, which is located in the basement level of the restaurant, is the place to take the kids The Trattoria's dishes include lower-priced entrees such as veal and chicken parmesan and a wide variety of pizzas

> One of the specialty pizzas featured at Ernesto's is "Ernie's Florentine," spinach sauteed with garlic and olive oil, with onion and calamatta olives, topped with parmesan and baked There's no extra charged for anchovy, which is available on request

On Monday and Tuesday, kids eat free as long as they're accompanied by

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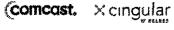










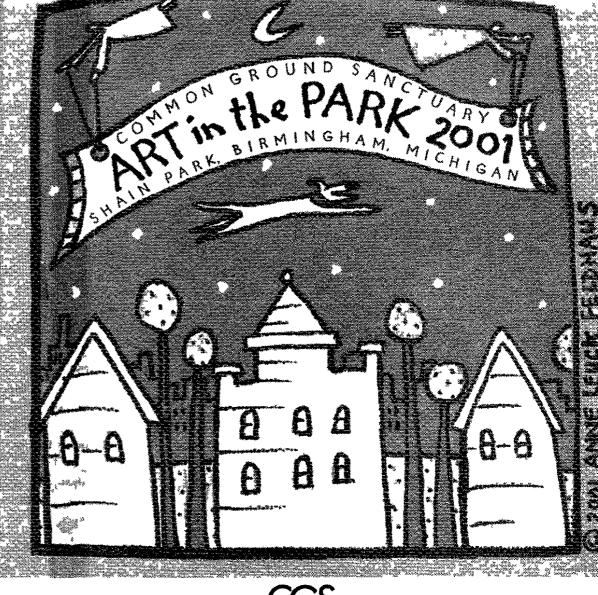












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BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI

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armington's home tour offers a little

variety from the kitchens, bedrooms

and bathrooms that everyone might

This year the Farmington Area Her

itage Home tour will also include a 170

structure was built by Luther Green in

"It's incredible that it's standing there

for all these years," explained Earl Bax-

an and Greek Revival styles, that will be

explained Steve Olson, Farmington His

"It's a mix of people interested in his

tory and people interested in home deco-

rating," Olson said "As the community

keeps growing, we think it's interesting

Pointing to the "farm," in Farmington and Farmington Hills, Olson said "A lot

The tour includes the following struc

■ Governor Warner Mansion 33805

Grand River Avenue was built in the

Victorian Italianate style with a shut

Warner adoptive parents of Fred Warn

Later it was the home of the gover

and her family After she died, it became

The grounds include a two story car-

riage house, beautifully maintained gar

dens and a gazebo Family furnishings

may still be seen in the museum, which

■ The 1850's House, 33224 Oakland, 1s

is in the National Register of Historic

a two story blue and white house with

three porches, two fireplaces and, inter

estingly, a door on each of its four sides

While the property changed hands

record of the sale in 1853 makes the first

reference to a structure Members of the

Records indicate it may have served as a

unchanged for more than 135 years In

1985 it received modern insulation, alu

Power, Mansfield, Stewart and Bostick

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The house remained virtually

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of these houses are farm houses?

"We get upwards of 600 to 700 people,"

included on this year's tour

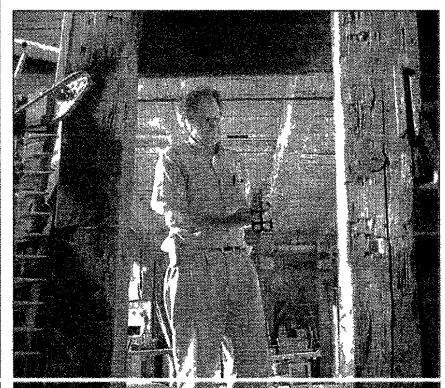
tresser, who lives in the nearby house,

year-old barn filled with farm tools,

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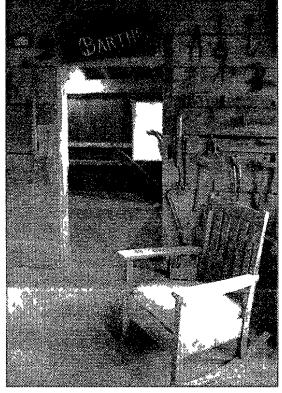
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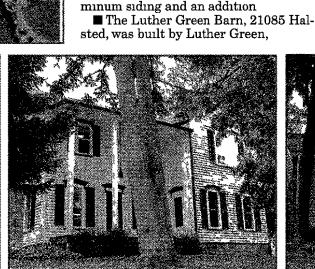




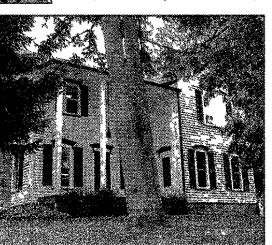








Still standing: The estate that the carriage house is on is surrounded by gardens and sculpture This huge steel wind vane once separated rock and gravel in a yard of a construction company



A look back: The Wixom-Marlette House at 38285 Twelve Mile Road, was built around 1835 and features maples over 100 years old

can glimpse something that happened,' Baxtresser said "It might be informative "I feel like a caretaker of a piece of hisand helpful to them to realize how we tory not only for Farmington, but for the got to where we are today" Around 1915, a wealthy attorney for Farming in the community the Chrysler Corporation, Harry Bulkley, bought the property and ran the The barn is one of eight structures, farm as a "gentleman farmer on the mostly built in the 19th century Victori

weekends "He built all the big structures on that property," Baxtresser said "In 1917 this area was definitely way out in nowhere"

one of the pioneer settlers in Farming ton The barn and the Greek Revival

farmhouse to the north 1s on what was

The barn stored tools and animals

the tools that made that place tick for

Barthel, moved to the area 55 years ago

"It's an educational piece where people

Lee Barthel, Baxtresser's uncle, owns

the last 150 years," said Baxtresser

whose grandparents, Bill and Jean

"It's sort of like a museum that houses

once a 160 acre farm

equipment and tools

the barn

Bulkley converted the old barn into a carriage house for his Oakland automo bile and had an upstairs apartment built for the chauffeur

Please see TOUR, C2

veal Furnington's heritage

Farmington Heritage Home Tour

What Home tour features eight homes or structures many of which were built in the 19th century Victorian and Greek Revival styles Money raised from the Heritage Home Tour will benefit the Farm ngton H storca Society Fallingto H S torical Commission and Farn Ington Hills Historical Commission

When 15 pm Saturday Sunday Sept 1516

Tickets Advance tickets sold for \$10 at Farmington City Hall 23600 Liberty Farmington Hills City Hall 31555 11 Mile Road Gov Warner Mansion 33805 Grand River Avenue and Metrobank loca tions at 37000 Grand River and 34391 W 12 Mile Road Tickets are \$12 the days of the event available at the Gov Warner Mansion For more information call (248) 626 8264

Northville Historical Home Tour

What: The tour features five homes more than 100 years old and is sponsored by the American Association of University Women Northville Novi branch When: 10 a m to 4 p m Saturday Sept

15 the same weekend of Northville s Victorian Festival

Tickets. \$10 in advance and \$12 the day of the tour at Gardenviews 202 W Main and Morrison's Antiques 105 E Main in Northville There is a 1 000 person limit for the tour

Northville tour can be walked

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SPECIAL WRITER rganizers of the Northville Historical Home Tour hope they've made this year's tour a little easier for visitors

They've created a 1 1/2-mile walking tour they hope will ease worries of visitors who drive around Northville looking for the tour's houses, then search for parking places at each stop

Shoe covers will be provided for participants, which eliminates the need for guests to continuously take shoes offwhen entering the homes, according to Barbara Wilson, the home tour chairperson for the American Association of University Women Northville-Novi branch

"We ask people not to take children under 12 which includes babies in any carriers," Wilson said, adding that pets, picture taking, smoking, eating and drinking in the homes are not allowed The tour includes these homes

■ The Dixon Home, on West Dunlap, was built in the late 1800s Years later it was used for the Northville Methodist Church parsonage

The Gallagher family bought the house from the church in 1957 They added a room on the back for what they thought would be a beauty parlor, but the city wouldn't allow the property to be used that way, Wilson said

The two story building was purchased by its current owners who have lived there since Jinualy

■ The Kennedy Home on Randolph may have been built in 1868 The Steenken family were the first owners of this two story, simple farm house that sits on the road in front of the landmark log house

In 1825 President John Quincy Adams deeded a number of acres to a man named Aldrich, who sold it to the Steenken family

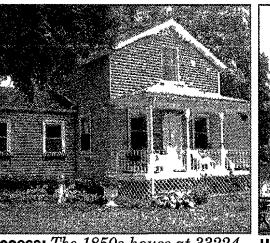
"The Kennedys have lived there for eight years and have done extensive remodeling while keeping the front of the house the way it was," Wilson said

"They added onto the back and built a garage with a carriage house above it, which fits in with the time period " ■ The Payne Home, on High Street,

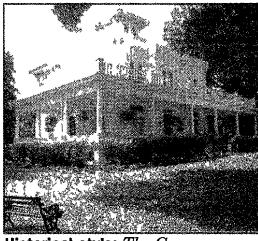
was built in 1880 by James Dubuar who also owned the well-known lumber business on Main and Griswold "His lumber was used for most of the homes in the Northville Historic District,' Wilson said

This two-story building is "painted like a Victorian lady with five colors," she said, pointing to the two dominant

Please see WALK, C2



Easy access: The 1850s house at 33224 Oakland is a two-story blue and white house with three porches and doors on each of its four sides



Historical style: The Governor Warner Mansion, 33805 Grand River, was built in the Victorian Italianate style





MARTY FIGLEY

Tending to detail:

Harry Thron of Redford man pays great attention to detail and variety in his garden

See Garden Spot, Page 3



JOE GAGNON

More attention needed:

When appliances are defective, consumers get angry and manufacturers' reputations suffer

See Home Work, Page 4



HOMETOWN LIFE:

Mission work:

Local teens traveled to Iowa to do missionary work for those in need.

HomeTown Life, Page 5

Birmingham home tour scheduled for Sept. 20

By MARY KLEMIC STAFF WRITER

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When Joan Moore was a student at Stanford, one of her treats was going to the library and looking at old issues of House Beautiful Today she carries fabric swatches with her for handy reference

"I love color," Moore said

Her creativity and curiosity continually culminate in delightful decor at the house in Birmingham that is home to the Moore family-Joan, husband Scott and 7-year-old daughter

Bright colors abound on surfaces, furnishings and accents throughout the house, conveying a fresh, cheery feeling Many elements add whimsy to various rooms Joan Moore is patient right hues, fabrics and accessomes

something as cheerful and bright," she said "In the winter it's warm, in the summer it's

The Moore residence is one of six on the 2001 Birmingham House Tour, taking place Thursday. Sept 20 The Community House, a non-profit community service organization at 380 S Bates in Birmingham, is hosting the event

"The Birmingham House Tour is a charming way for people in the Detroit metropolitan area to view some of the most elegant, classic and modern homes in Birmingham," said Shelley Roberts, The Community House executive director

"The architecture, landscaping and furnishings of the homes included on the tour are sure to delight and inspire This tour is a lovely way for families to come out and enjoy our beautiful city

The Moores' house was built in 1946 Most of the color scheme was dark chocolate and black when they bought the house in 1990, Joan said

"I don't think there's an inch left of room I haven't done with my paintbrush," she said

The Moores kept the original floorboards when they added new wood flooring Contractor Murphy Floors of Birmingham shaved down the new flooring so it would match the original

The living room walls are sunny yellow Furniture in the living room contains colors found in other rooms—the coral of the kitchen and the "leaf green' shade of the library walls

Moore's collection of blue and white pieces is displayed around the house Several of these are arranged in an upstairs alcove when it comes to getting just the The window treatment at the spot has a pattern of blue and white serving items

A charming som a topped with a blue beaboard ceiling A window seat looks smaller than its actual length of 6 feet

The Birmingham House Tour will begin 9 30 a m in The Community House ballroom with a brunch and lecture on Decorat ing Inspiration for the Home by Peggy Kennedy, editor-in-chief of Victoria Magazine

The tour will take place 10 am to 5 30 pm Participants can take a break with an afternoon tea, served 1 30-3 30 p m in The Community House ball-

Tickets for the tour, including the tea, are \$25 per person, tickets for the brunch lecture, tour and tea are \$55 per person All tickets are limited

To buy tickets, or for more information, call The Community House at (248)644-5832

Tour from page C1

The interior of the barn is an example of post-and-beam construction utilizing 12-by-12-inch hand-hewn beams assembled with wooden pegs

Tour participants will be invited to roam the gardens, filled with sculptures, on the remaining five acres of the Luther Green Farm

■ The Wixom-Marlette House, 38285 12 Mile Road, home was built around 1835 by pioneer farmer Michael Marlett The home was constructed over a Michigan stone crawl space using logs with the bark still on

The 1845 census shows the Marlett family had 10 members Michael Marlett and his wife, Mary, are buried in the West **Farmington Cemetery**

Charles Wixom, a farmer and grain grower, built the front section of this home over a splitstone basement around 1870 Charles Wixom was the son of Benjamin Wixom and grandson of Robert Wixom Sr a pioneer settler of Farmington He and his wife, Eliza, built the front section of the house and lived on the property until 1875

Samuel Lamb, the youngest of the 11 children of Caleb Lamb, became the next owner Caleb Lamb and his father Nehemiah, were Baptist ministers and early missionaries in Michigan Today six century-old maples grace the property in the front yard

■ The Samuel Davis House, 32330 12 Mile Road, is a threestory, Victorian house featuring carved woodwork Built in 1872 by a wealthy farmer. Samuel Davis In 1888, his daughter, Martha M Davis, married Fred M Warner, who became Michigan's governor, whose home is mentioned earlier

A restoration in 1999 highlighted the original design When aluminum siding was removed, fine woodworking details, hidden and preserved for at least 50 years, were revealed and now are displayed

■ The Edward Chene House, 29920 Ardmore, was built in 1927 for Edward and Evelyn Chene Edward Chene, an insurance salesman, was from the pioneer Chene tamily of Detroit This colonial revival home has original windows, original shingle siding, original plumbing fixtures, wood floor and coved ceil-

Situated on a one-acre lot, the house features beautiful oak trees in the front yard. The first Christmas tree used in the house was later planted in the backyard and still grows today

The Edward Chene house was designed by Emily Butterfield, the first woman licensed to practice architecture in Michigan Emily worked with her father in the firm of Butterfield and Butterfield, which had a strong hand in the design of this early planned community

■ The John Garfield House, 35810 13 Mile Road, was built in a Greek Revival style with a Federalist influence probably between 1831 and 1838 by John Garfield The sills are handhewn beams and the floor joists are logs with bark still on them

The house experienced extensive remodeling and modification over the years but was restored to its original appear-

The property at one time contained an orchard and a dairy farm The barn, which has been remodeled into a home, is on

neighboring property A carriage? house, located east of the main house, was moved there from its original location near the Botsford Inn

The John Garfield House is on the Michigan State Registry of Historical Places

■ The Myron Crawford House. 36217 13 Mile Road, is a Victorian farmhouse built around 1870 featuring a clapboard exterior over a cut stone foundation and an enclosed staircase inside

Myron Crawford was one of three sons of John Crawford, a pioneer settler of Farmington ~ Myron married Jane Putnam They had a 40-acre farm, on part of the original family acreage

Myron and Jane had four daughters and one son, who died in childhood Daughter Emma and her husband Charles McCullough were the next owners of the homestead They had no children and the property was later sold out of the family

After suffering years of neglect, the house was extensively restored both on the exterior and interior, including a new garage added in 1999

Walk from page C1

colors of cream and beige with accents of burgundy, teal and gold The Paynes have lived in the Victorian-style house for two years after 20 moves during their marriage

Explaining that they have visited many cities throughout the United States and around the world, Pamela Payne said, their house is "extremely eclectic from things that we collected in our travels"

"It has a lot of art and a lot of antiques," Payne said "We spent 18 months on renovations of the house"

The previous owners stripped and refinished all the interior molding, Payne said adding that the house has a lot interesting doors and hardware The kitchen has a tin ceiling and

"The previous owner was a stained-glass artist so there's a lot of stained glass and etched glass," Payne added

■ The Presley Home, on Randolph, was built in 1873, probably for Willard Stark, who owned a number of businesses, including a general store, in the downtown Northville area This home is Gothic style

"When the Presleys bought the house it had been divided into two apartments and they remodeled it and made it all one," Wilson said "They added in the back end of the house, upstairs and downstairs and added an attached garage "

■ The Trudeau Home, on West Cady, was built on land deeded to Ira Rice in the 1820s

"Upon his death the land was divided among his heirs," Wilson said "His wife deeded a large parcel for school use "

A homeowner's deed also shows the land belonged to Joseph Blackwood in 1889 Longtime Northville residents might also remember the house for a spectacular event in 1959 when a military training jet crashed in the backyard directly across the street

A piece of the plane flew off and went through the front window of the Trudeau home Close observers might notice that one window is the only one different in style from the others

AAUW and other volunteers will be in the houses offering history tips and pointing out antiques, as well as other special

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"We add money to those funds each year and give money to their women's centers," Wilson explained "The scholarships are given to women who are returning to school "

AAUW also uses money raised at events for local projects and to enhance an educational foundation, which provides scholarships, including those for women working on graduate degrees

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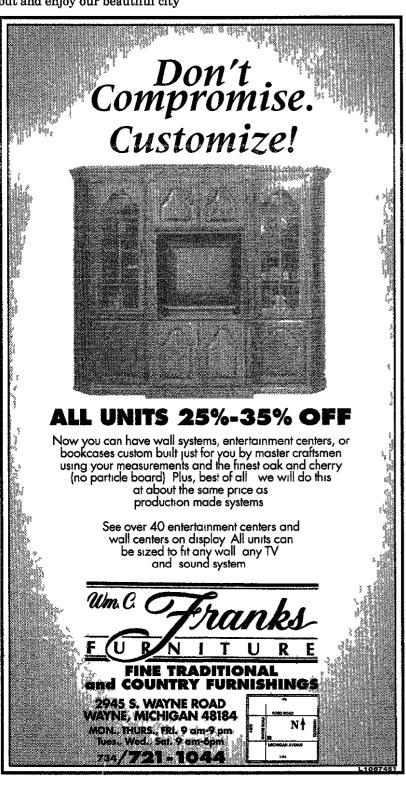
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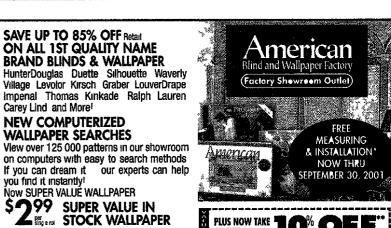
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GARDENING

Redford man tends to detail in garden

GARDEN SPOT



MARTY FIGLEY

Harry Thron of Redford Township can sit on his front porch and enjoy beautiful flowers any time he chooses

Many annuals grow in a row of containers hanging from porch the edge, others are in the ground,

while a few perennials keep them company He has lived in his home for 31 years and enjoys gardening "Some people call the scene a

jungle," Thron said That's stretching it a bit because the planters are evenly spaced and hang in a neat row, other planters are strategically placed in and around the beds

and porch Two of them sit on stumps of trees that have been removed and the planters themselves are camouflaged with flowers plant-

ed around the stumps The soil mixture for the hanging plants is 2/3 topsoil, 1/3 Canadian peat and some bone

Variety

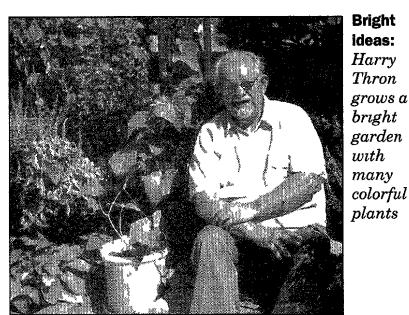
The area just in front of the porch is filled to the brim, as is an island bed directly in front of

Harry used 10-1/2 flats of flowers for the gardens, including red and variegated geraniums, hostas with blue, green and yellow foliage, gray dusty miller, bright marigolds, red salvia, impatiens, sunflowers and a grand array of coleus with red, green and cream foliage

Harry has allowed the coleus to bloom with tiny blue flowers clustered along stems held above the leaves

"I made the design of the baskets myself," Harry said

They are artfully done with many of the plants listed above



"I'm very impressed with the to a 6-by-6 foot post Another hangs from a wire multiple heads on the sunflowers, some have as many as 20 "Rather than buy some things, flowers," Harry said "I didn't I'd rather make them myself,' expect them to grow so tall Harry gard

detail

Care

moisture

enrich it

The back garden and those

along the fence and garage are

edged with attractive wolman-

ized lumber, again attesting to

The vegetables are mulched

The flowers are grown so close-

ly together it's easy to remove an

occasional weed, so they aren't

mulched Several years ago

Harry added amendments to

improve the soil, and has a quite

efficient way to continue to

Near the end of the growing

season, while the moisture is in

the annual flowers (a little

green), he chops them up very

coarsely with a spade and turns

them over immediately, return-

ing them back to the soil where

At one time Thron had a prob-

He tried a few things, but

nothing worked until he was told

about Bug-Geta Plus, a snail

slug and insect killer by Ortho

lem with some slugs on salvia

near the back fence

they degrade during the winter

with grass clippings, which holds

because the seed packet said 5 to 6 feet, a couple of them are at least 10 feet tall Harry started the sunflowers and cucumbers indoors and set

Playfulness

them out in mid-May

Along with other plants, veg etables grow in the tidy back garden—the cucumbers, cherry tomatoes and hot Hungarian

wax peppers Thron pickles many cukes and peppers, and shares this recipe, called lacso in Hungarian In a skillet put chunks of tomatoes, onion and peppers and when they are cooked add some sour cream Serve over rice or pota-

A little playfulness can be found in this well maintained garden

For instance, hanging among the planters on the porch, smack dab in the middle, is a humming bird feeder Shiny Christmas bulbs hang at the tops of the hanging baskets

Two bird feeders are in the back yard both of which Harry made—one out of a garbage can lid painted white that attaches He used a solution of this to

wash all his plants and that **Bright** worked-no bugs, and the prod uct can be used safely on vegeta ideas: bles Harry

A sprinkling system keeps everything watered except the narrow side gardens, which Harry waters by hand

He feeds with regular-strength Schultz or Rapid-Gro weekly or every 10 days "until the plants get going," then cuts back to every two weeks

His secret for success?

"Flowers eat and drink like human beings So I take care to give them what they need "

Marty Figley is an advanced master gardener based in Birm ingham You can leave her a message by dialing (734)953 2047 on a touch tone phone Her fax number is (248)644 1314

GARDENING CALENDAR

FARMINGTON

Paul Wingert will discuss grow ing dividing repotting and mounting bromeliads at noon Monday Sept 10 at the Longacre House on the west side of Farmington Road between 10 Mile and 11 Mile roads Visitors are welcome Call (248) 615 3616

HILL AND DALE

Pauline Flynn will conduct an heirloom wreath/candle ring workshop guided by Pauline Flynn at 7 p m Thursday Sept 13 in the visitor s center at Heritage Park on Farmington Road north of Grand River Flynn will provide her custom kits for \$15 at the door The public is welcome to join the creativity Bring a glue gun and scissors For more information call (248) 478 9009 The Hill and Dale Garden Club also will have a fall perennial plant exchange 9 a m noon rain or shine

Saturday Sept 8 at the parking lot of the William Costick Activities Center 28600 11 Mile Road (1/4 mile east of Middlebelt Road) Farmington Hills Please pot or bag your perennials for trade and label with plant name and growing instructions For more informa tion call (248) 646 4374

NURSERY SCHOOL

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Barson s Greenhouse 6414 Merriman in Westland will con duct a free pond seminar at 1 p m Saturday Sept 8 on how to prepare a pond for winter Seminars are free and no reserva tions are needed. Chairs are available but are limited so guests may want to bring one For infor mation call 421 5959



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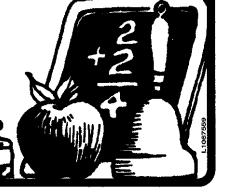


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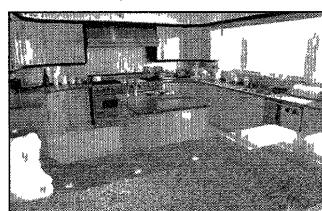
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Home Work

Defective appliances hurts consumers, manufacturers

APPLIANCE DOCTOR



JOE GAGNON

this column in late 1999 about defective General Electric and Hotpoint dishwashers manufact u r e d between 1983 1989 and Other newpapers and magazines published

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sımılar stories as well The problem is that GE produced 3 1 million dishwashers with an energy saver switch that sometimes caught fire The Consumer Product Safety Commis-

We broke sion recommended that GE fix every one of these and GE flatly refused Instead the company gave consumers a rebate to purchase a new dishwasher and provided repair kits to apartment complexes so maintenance workers could repair them

Acting for consumers

The attorney general of New York eventually took action on behalf of consumers A New York judge ordered GE to begin what may be described as a corrective action program for a product recall The mid-July order by Judge Louise Gruner Gans requires GE to buy newspaper advertisements in New York to update consumers about its October 1999 recall of 3 1 million dishwashers

■ You as a consumer pay for repairs that should have been taken care of as if it were in warranty.

Let me rewrite a part of an old column from May 2000 All in all, General Electric may be saving themselves millions of dollars in the cost of repairs along the way and also creating a ready market for selling 3 million new dishwashers By the end of this story I just might be reporting that the legal con frontations have cost General Electric a lot I cannot see anything but a huge image deterioration created by the manufacturer themselves It is a crying ances We in the service indusshame that a product can be placed in your home with a defect that possibly may cause loss of life, and then the manufacturer refuses to fix it

In addition to the cost to consumers and the loss of lives, we must also include the loss of jobs, revenue and image to brand products You tell me how an appliance manufacturer knows of a product problem, yet does nothing about it, even when the problem may have caused fires that burned down more than 50 homes They've known about the problem for a long long time Tell me how they got away with it all these years

I've written many times about the product problems that are built in on major home appli-

try find out about them directly from the manufacturer and always after they are installed in your home You as a consumer pay for repairs that should have been taken care of as if it were in warranty As far as I am concerned, this is downright fraud and it happens all the time

Information available

I'll make you a little prediction With everybody owning a computer these days, it won't be long before better products are made in this country It is coming to a point where there will be chat rooms to talk about any specific product which has a problem The publicity created by such events may lead to con

sumers boycotting these items It is just a matter of time before the American public has had enough of junk products which they spend their hard earned money on When that happens, trust me, the guy who

builds a product will make sure it's right before it gets into your hands, not after Joe Gagnon can be heard Sat urday and Sunday on 760 WJR

He is a member and past presi

dent of the Society of Consumer Affairs Professionals His phone number is (313) 873 9789 Got a question for the Appli ance Doctor? Send any questions or comments to Joe Gagnon care

of Ken Abramczyk, 36251

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Do your homework first before hiring contractor

ASK DAD



HARRY JACHYM

cles quoted homeowners who became frustrated with a system where investigations into complaints can take two or more years, and then, little or no disciplinary action is taken against the builder

State cutbacks have spread investigators too thin Only 15 investigators handle about 2,000 complaints across the state each year To further frustrate consumers, most of the members of the Residential Builders and Maintenance and Alteration

We have Board are themselves builders appointed by the governor a few bad

A recent law forces arbitration before a formal complaint can be filed with the state Many complaints don't need to go to the

A few create problems

Several colleagues and I discussed these stories, but we didn't realize that these problems existed Like about 99 percent of the state's licensed builders, we have little contact with the Department of Consumer and Industry Services (the department which governs builders), other than paying our license renewal every other year

So what can you do to keep yourself from getting involved with that 1 percent? Ask ques-

A good place to start is asking the builder for references, but also ask yourself whether you would give negative feedback to a prospective customer

Ask about insurance

MASK about a license and insurance. Though that is not proof the contractor is reliable. it does speak to a degree of dependability. Be wary of any unlicensed builder who asks you to obtain a homeowners permit for work they will perform.

Ask about a license and insurance Though that is not proof the contractor is reliable, it does speak to a degree of dependability Be wary of any unlicensed builder who asks you to obtain a homeowners permit for work they will perform Though there are many good unlicensed builders, you will have little or no recourse if problems occur Michigan law states that homeowners obtaining a permit must hire licensed contractors for any

Ask friends or family about is almost always one of the most must return any deposit it could

job they don't perform

reliable sources of information

The Better Business Bureau (www detroitbbb org) and the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan at www builders org can help you screen contractors I also found good tips on choosing a contractor at the Tri Lakes Home Builders Association Web site www tl hba org/choose html

Cancel if you should

The law gives you three days after signing a contract to cancel contractors they have used This it Though the contractor legally prove to be a hassle I can't stress enough, if you feel the least bit uncomfortable with any contractor, walk away from them before you sign

It does appear that the regulation of builders needs to be looked at Until that happens it's your responsibility to do your homework

Good luck in your search If you have any questions, don't forget to "Ask Dad"

Harry Jachym, a licensed builder, lives in Plymouth and teaches building trades to high $school\ students$

Since we all seem to ask our fathers for repair or remodeling advice, Jachym writes "Ask Dad, a column on home issues ranging from repairs and main tenance to building and remodel ing projects Send any questions or comments to Harry Jachym care of Ken Abramczyk, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 kabramczyk@

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Master gardeners meet on Sept. 15

The Master Gardener Association of Wayne County will present its 13th annual conference, Growing with Master Gardeners, 9 a m -4 p m , Saturday, Sept 15, at the University of Michigan Dearborn

Dean Krauskopf, the host of WJR's Gardening Show, and Janet Macunovich, advanced master gardener and co-founder of Michigan School of Gardening, will be keynote speakers The conference also includes a choice of workshops, with topics such as butterflies and hummingbirds, herbal tea time, roses, ground covers, garden pests, herbs, seeds of success, therapeutic horticulture, late bloomers and others Registration must be postmarked by Sept 7 to attend the conference For more information, click on www mgawc org or for registration information, call (313) 892-8125



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MARY RODRIQUE

Car repairs create woes

My "car"ma is very bad Vexing vehicles have been emitting bad

After spending thousands of dollars the past two months to keep a sagging fleet of cars road-worthy, I'm ready to throw in the rear axies Surrender to the orange and white construction barrels

It started as summer dawned and the air conditioning in the 1997 Plymouth Voyager, also known as "The Green Bubble", conked out A visit to the car repair shop uncovered the awful truth - the compressor was shot We were looking at a \$1,000 repair bill Several phone calls to other repair shops later - we hauled The Green Bubble into the first place and but the bullet

No break on brakes

Just a few weeks later, in the daily grind of stop and go construction traf fic along I-275, I felt a grind of my own Pushing the brake pedal down created a crunchy sound But didn't we just get new brakes last year? Yep, my husband pulled the receipt from our files With old bill in hand, he took The Green Bubble back to the brake place A half hour later, a mechanic named Vern called with a litany of problems "Rotors, brake pads, leaks, tears" You name it, The Green Bubble had it But what about the new brakes just a year ago? Vern knocked \$20 off the \$1,000 plus repair bill

My automotive angst revved like a racing engine

Meanwhile our older model Dodge Soirit was having a crisis of its own It too suffered from no air condition ing But that problem was electrical not compressor able thus the dam ages were in the \$200 range

The Green Bubble had to revisit the brake shop a few days after the first visit produced a rattle to rival a pneu monia patient's cough Just some tightening here and there nipped that in the bud

Perhaps our teenage daughter was feeling left out Although she's been driving for two years, she momentarily forgot that you're not supposed to turn the wheel when pulling out of the garage She claims she was trying to avoid a friend's car parked on the other side of the driveway Scraping the side of the garage as she exited in her Mercury Topaz left a crumpled paper looking dent in her front tire well Oh well She decided it was a dent she could live with

Another car-isis

Just two days after The Green Bubble came back from its second visit to the brake shop, my husband and I decided to go out to dinner Finally, a chance to unwind Hah! Should've known better!

After dinner, we walked out into the sweltering heat and humidity, put the key in the ignition and nothing Not a chck Nor a whir

When the engine finally belched back to life, I jumped into my daughter's car to ride home with her - she having been summoned by cell phone to come to our aid Good decision on my part Fifteen minutes later, I watched as four sweaty neighbors pushed The Green Bubble up our driveway with my husband behind the wheel I asked if any of them had a stick of dynamite Unfortunately, no

A couple days later, my daughter had a tire blow out along a busy stretch of roadway, but was able to coast into a parking lot where Dad came to her rescue Of course you can't buy just one new tire It's that whole balance thing

And since the new battery was installed in The Green Bubble, the panel lights on the dashboard flicker like Las Vegas neon They settle down after 20 minutes of driving time And each bump in the road causes the windshield wipers to turn on automatically

Those gleaming motorcycles in the Harley Davidson dealership on Grand River near Drake are starting to catch my eye Looking better every day Hmmm

Mary Rodrique is the HomeTown Life editor of the Farmington Observer and a resident of Canton

Teens serve

Mission project builds bridges between community, God

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER

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■he Rev Bob Goudie had all the faith in the world that students participating in the 2001 TeenServe Workcamp in Iowa would know their way around a construction site - he wasn't so sure about himself

"As an adult I don't have a lot of construction skills," said Goudie, who co-pastors with his wife, Diana Goudie, at Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Redford "I wasn't sure how I was going to lead a group of young peo-

Labor of love: A teen paints shutters

ple in work, but the five of them had more expe rience than me They did a fine job and the elderly woman we helped was delighted to have someone to do the Goudie and adult

chaperons Barb and Rick Higgins traveled in a small caravan to Charles City, Iowa as part of the TeenServe Workcamp program "2001 Get Real! Living the Real Life Colos sians 3 3

Approximately 11 students from Aldersgate made the trek west in hopes of completing a summer mission trip at the homes of elderly and needy people in a small Iowa community TeenServe is a division of Cross Walk Min istries Inc, a nonprofit corporation that was initiated in

The TeenServe Web site describes them as " a cool group of on-fire Christians who love kids and desire with all their hearts to see kids live for the Lord

According to local participants Erin Wyer and Danielle DeNapoli, the seven-day trip was a learning experience from beginning to end

"I got to know how strong my faith is with God, and I now know how to make it better,' said Wyer a sophomore at Franklin High School in Livonia

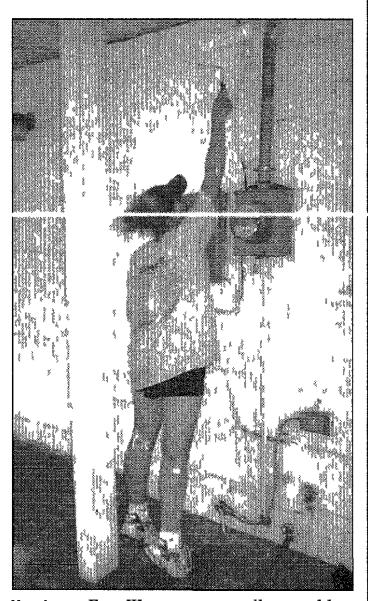
People in need

TeenServe initiated the workcamp programs more than 15 years ago in hopes of equipping and challenging young people to share their faith in Jesus Christ with others According to their mission statement "The work projects provide participants the opportunity to imitate Jesus ser vant attitude while here on earth When we work togeth er caring for the problems of others as if they were our problems, we demonstrate Christ's example of putting others first, and we experience unity

"We met a lot of other kids from all over the country who came to Charles City to work just like us 'said DeNapoli "Some of the people we met really needed our Labor of love help and we were glad to do what we could "



Committed: TeenServe 2001 participants from Aldersgate United Methodist Church included Erin Wyer, (kneeling) Danielle DeNapoli, and Frankie Antonelli Middle row is Jonathon Campbell, Samantha Gotterson, Joey Thompson and Ricky Higgins and Barbara Higgins. Back row is Rev Bob Goudie, Rick Higgins, Julie Higgins, Michael Campbell, Joshua Bruce, and Robert Hartwig



Hands on: Erin Wyer paints a wall at an elderly person's home ın Charles Cıty, Iowa

The students from Aldersgate were all assigned to different work groups made up of approximately five young people and an adult leader Their day typically started at 6 30 a m followed by quiet time for morning devotion and breakfast before they left for their work sites where they worked through the afternoon Some of the projects they were involved in include painting roofing and car

"We did odds and ends things for people at their hous es' said Wyer "If we got there and they needed more done we did the best we could to do it all'

After a full day's work the students returned to their host-site for dinner and spent the evenings listening to motivational sermons and performances by a contemporary Christian group called Fourth in the Fire

One of the local schools in Charles City donated their facility for the students, approximately 160 from five states, to sleep, eat and shower over the course of their

AUMC became involved with the TeenServe program after several members of their youth group attended the "Choir in the Fire" rally at the Palace earlier this year

"They came back really motivated to want to do this," said Goudie "Some of the mission trips were overseas, but we knew we didn't have enough time to raise the kind of money it would take to send the kids there TeenServe worked out great for us and we hope to do it again next DeNapoli and Wyer said the teens from Aldersgate who

went this summer raised money through congregation and family support, as well as a car wash, musical and a spaghetti dinner

"This trip really made me think a lot about my faith," said DeNapoli

The Livonia teens said they exchanged addresses and emails with fellow teens from across the country in hopes of continuing the friendships they created

"Individually the kids really grew from the experience," said Goudie "They gained more confidence and matured as they did this I saw them grow spiritually through morning and afternoon devotions and really blossomed in

If your church or youth group would like more informa tion about TeenServe workcamps visit www teenserve org

Batten walk brings researchers closer to a cure

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER

Linda Houghtby knows every step she takes at the Annual Batten Disease Walk, a fund raiser she and her husband initiated in 1997, brings researchers even closer to finding a cure for the rare neurological disease that claimed her sons life 11 years ago

The Livonia family, with the help of generous friends and supporters, have raised thousands of dollars in the past four years that has been donated to the Batten Disease Support & Research Association in Ohio

Closer to home, the pair started a local support group after their son Dan died in 1990 at the age of 17 Dan was diagnosed with suverne Damen, one of four forms of the neurological disease that primarily strikes infants, toddlers and school age children To date there is no known cure and the disease is always fatal

"We started the walk to raise money and awareness for research and for families dealing with the same thing we did," said Houghtby "We wanted people to know they weren't alone and that someone was doing something to

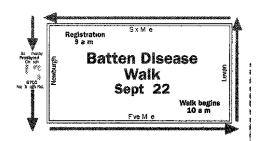
The Fifth Annual Batten Disease Walk will start at St Timothy's Church on Newburgh Road in Livonia Saturday, Sept 22 Registration begins at 9 a m and the walk at 10 a m

Houghtby said in addition to the more than 100 people that walk every year, local companies continue to offer their support including Busch's, Absopure Water and GraphX of Livonia

In years past the group has raised more than \$7,000 in donations

"Anyone interested in participating is encouraged to come out because we're helping children," said Houghtby "The money helps to further the progress of the research "

To make a donation make checks payable to BDSRA, 2600 Parsons Avenue Columbus OH, 43207 To obtain information about the Michigan BDSRA chapter call (800) 448-4570



Deadline nears for YWCA nominations

The deadline to nominate women for the YWCA Women of Achievement Awards is 5 p m Friday, Sept 14

The 10th annual Woman of Achievement awards luncheon will be held! from 11 30 am to 1 30 pm Nov 2 at the Fairlane Club in Dearborn

The event recognizes women who reside or work in Western Wayne County and have demonstrated qualities of outstanding leadership and excellence in their endeavors for the betterment of their community

Six awards will be presented in categories of arts/communication, business/industry, government/law, professions, volunteer services and young women (ages 16-23)

■ The event recognizes women who reside or work in Western Wayne County and have demonstrated qualities of outstanding leadership and excellence in their endeavors for the betterment of their community.

Nomination guidelines are easy Ask approval of your nominee, compose a one page narrative about the nominee and submit a resume not to exceed two; pages Deliver the information to the YWCA of Western Wayne County before 5 pm on Sept 14 to the attention of Teresa Coleman (26279 Michi-

Mistress of ceremonies will be Jennifer M Granholm, attorney general of the state of Michigan Doris Biscoe, president of Doris Biscoe Communications, Inc will be honored as Woman of the Year and keynote speaker

gan Avenue) in Inkster

For more information call (313) 561 4110 ext 10

Michigan DAR chapter hosts state conference in September The Michigan Society Daughters of in the Revolutionary War, attended Objectives of the society include his-

the American Revolution is holding its 101st state conference Sept 20-22 at the Bay Valley Resort in Bay City Sev eral members of the John Sackett Chapter will be attending the confer-

Michigan State Regent Elizabeth Garner, a John Sackett member, will be leading the conference

John Sackett Chapter DAR was originally formed as a Redford chapter, but now attracts members from several metropolitan areas It was established Nov 8, 1941 at a meeting held at the Botsford Inn, in Farmington Hills A group of 18 women, ten of women were descendants of John Sackett, a private

His family members were among the first settlers of Redford

Descendants

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toric preservation and protection of historical spots, documents, relics and records of the Revolutionary War soldiers and patriots The NSDAR estab lished and supports several schools in remote areas of the country where education is difficult to obtain

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COUNTY NEWS

Becher-Sinclair

Mr and Mrs Stephen Becher of Wayne announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Lydia, to Michael Sinclair

The bride to-be is a 1993 graduate of John Glenn High School and a 1997 graduate of the United States Coast Guard Academy She is a lieutenant junior grade in the US Coast Guard and the admissions officer for the US Coast Guard Academy in New London, Conn She is also the aide to the admiral of the acade-

Her fiancé, son of Stephen Sinclair and Jeannette Whalen of Deer Park, New York, is a graduate of the United States Coast Guard Academy and is a lieutenant junior grade in the US

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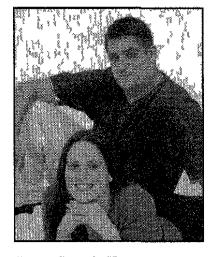
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Leich-Baron

Jack and Catherine Leich of Redford announce the engage ment of their daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Timothy Shawn Baron of Redford

The bride-to-be is a student at University of Michigan-Dearborn She will graduate in 2002 with a bachelor's degree in business administration

Her fiancé, son of Timothy and Lynne Baron of Redford, is a student at Ohio Northern University He will graduate in 2002 with a bachelor's degree in computer science

A September 2002 wedding is planned

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Gang

September 27



NEW ARRIVALS

Tom and Kathie Parks of Lewiston (formerly of Livonia) announce the birth of their twin daughters, Adrianna Mae and Kayleigh Suzanne, born July 20 at Otsego Memorial Hospital Grandparents are Joe and Sadie Parks of Livonia and Ernie and Sue Kuhn of Livonia Greatgrandmother is Betty Kuhn of

■ David Edwards and Betsy Calhoun of Livonia announce the birth of their daughter, Helen Estelle Calhoun Edwards, born July 26 at Oakwood Hospital in Dearborn Grandparents are Dr Melvin and Margaret Edwards of Ann Arbor, Frances Calhoun of Grand Haven and Edward Calhoun of Albuquerque Greatgrandparents are Doris Cowen of Arizona and Estelle Miller of Kalamazoo

■ Anthony and Kimberly Voletti (formerly of Westland) announce the birth of their son, Lorenzo James, born July 28 at Oaklawn Hospital in Marshall Grandparents are JoAnn and the late Larry Voletti, Jim and Laurel Green of Westland and Ginger Green of Ypsilanti Great-grandparents are Lola Torossian of Dearborn, Geri

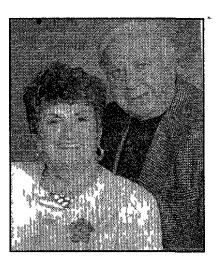
Mazzara

Peter and Violet Asta Mazzara of Redford will celebrate 50 years of marriage this month The couple wed Sept 8, 1951 at Duns Scotus Seminary in Southfield and have lived in the area for 47 years

They have two daughters, Anıta Storm and Joy Cıgna, who live with their husbands and children in Novi The Mazzaras have four grandchildren

Peter Mazzara retired from his position at General Motor's Cadillac Division in 1987 Violet Mazzara retired in 1989 from her position as secretary to a manufacturers representative

The Mazzaras are members of the Redford Seniors Peter is an usher at Our Lady of Loretto Catholic Church and a member of the Knights of Columbus Violet is a member of Daughters of Isabella



To celebrate the occasion, the couple took a Caribbean cruise in April with their daughters, sons-in-law and grandchildren They plan to renew their vows at Our Lady of Loretto Church on Sept 8 Congratulations to the Mazzaras

Nori

Ornell and Margie (Mastrantonio) Nori of Farmington Hills are celebrating their 50th anniversary this year

The couple wed July 7, 1951 at St Bernadette Church They have lived in the area for 24 years and are originally from Dearborn

The Noris have one daughter, Teresa (Nor1) Bresso She 1s married to Richard Bresso and lives in Farmington Hills with their four children

Ornell Nori is retired from his job at Ford Motor Company Margie Nori is retired from her work with Dearborn Public Schools

To celebrate the occasion, the couple was honored with dinner at Mario's and spent time with their grandchildren in Traverse





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COMMUNITY BIBLE CLASS

Community Bible Class, a weekly study group, will begin meeting at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church (40000 West Six Mile Road) in Northville on Tuesday, Sept 4 The public is invited to join in the study of the life of Christ as He is presented in the four Gospels This class is for everyone (both men and women) who desire to study God's Word In addition to a deeper knowledge of scripture, you will also learn to apply biblical principles to your everyday life and be part of a community that encourages one another We have over 16 denominations and 61 local congregations represented Small group discussions are from 9 20-9 55 a m, singing, praise, and teaching begin at 10 a m A children's ministry is provided for infants, toddlers, and preschoolers Call at (248) 374-5978

PRESCHOOL OPENING

Antioch Lutheran Church is pleased to announce the September opening of its new Christian Preschool Antioch Lutheran Preschool will offer a distinctive Christian program dedicated to excellence in early childhood education There are openings from 9-11 30 a m Tuesday through Thursday mornings for three-year-olds Call (248) 626-7906 to register

MOM'S MORNING OUT

Thursday mornings year round, the Mom's Morning Out group meets from 9-11 a m at Newburgh United Methodist Church (36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia) We have openings for all ages We ask that you work once a month and help with our fund raiser (Mom to Mom sale annually) Call (734) 422-0149

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CHILDREN'S CHOIR

St Mary Children's Choir rehearsals begin 4 5 15 pm Friday, Sept 7 at the St Mary School Any child with a desire to sing is welcome The child does not have to be a St Mary student The choir has performed in Lansing, at Disney World and Carnegie Hall in New York Call (734) 721-8745

RELIGION CALENDAR

NEW WORSHIP SCHEDULE

St John Lutheran Church (23225 Gill Road) of Farmington Hills, invites you to join us for worship in a traditional style with communion and choir starting Sept 9 at 8 15 a m or 9 45 a m Or come to the informal Praise Alive! Contemporary service on Sundays at 11 15 a m featuring songs, drama, children's message, pastor's message and communion Call (248) 474-0584

COMING HOME AGAIN

Universalist Unitarian Church of Farmington will host a "Coming Home Again," program Sunday, Sept 9 Come kick off the new church year with our new settled minister, the Rev Alexander Riegel, who presents an intergenerational service Register kids for Sunday School, which begins next week, during coffee hour A Welcome Back picnic will be held at 12 30 pm at Drake Park, on Drake Road, 1/2 mile south of Grand River UUCF is a welcoming congregation Services and nursery at 9 and 11 am 25301 Halsted Road (North of Grand River) Call (248) 478-7272 or www uufarmington org

GRIEF SUPPORT

Ward Presbyterian Church is sponsoring an eight week grief workshon "From Grief to New Hope" beginning Sept 10 The free workshop is open to the community and presented by Cathy Clough The workshop will meet for eight consecutive Mondays from 7-8 45 p m at Ward Church (Six Mile and Haggerty Roads) in Northville Call (248) 348-

RCIA CLASSES

If you are interested in joining the Catholic faith or wish to learn more about the faith, call Deacon John at (734) 425-4421 Our RCIA classes will start Wednesday, Sept 12 at 7 pm at St Theodore Parish (8200 N Wayne Road) in Westland

THE HOMEWORK CLUB

First United Methodist Church of Wayne (3 Town Square) will host a homework club to help students K-12 on Wednesdays beginning Sept 12 Certified teachers and other staff will be on hand to help your child Homework help, 5-6 p m, family dinner, 6-6 30 pm, family video lesson, 6 30-7 15 pm Parents must register their children to attend the homework help sessions Call (734) 721-4801

ILLUSIONIST

Renowned illusionist Andre Kole will perform at Tri-City Christian Center (39390 Michigan Avenue) in Canton at 7 pm Friday, Sept 14 He is also recognized in the field of psychic research His full-stage magical spectacular is hard to label "just another magic show' Areas he will cover include the possibility of communication with the dead, the occult and other psychic phenomena from India and Fount Several years ago he examined the miracles of Jesus Christ from the standpoint of an illusionist and a skeptic to determine if the miracles of Christ could have been the work of a master magician

SUE SOMMER CONCERT

Sue Sommer from Coral Springs, Florida will have a concert at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church The concert is at 7

p m on Saturday, Sept 15 at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church (37775 Palmer Road) in Westland Call (734) 722-1735

50TH ANNIVERSARY

St Paul's Presbyterian Church in Livoma will be celebrating its fiftieth anniversary with a 7 p m program Sept 15 Included in the event will be presentations by past ministers, a performance by a St Paul's musical group and a video of "50 Years of Faith" Sunday, Sept 16 there will be one 10 a m service to include St Paul's choral groups and communion conducted with the participation of all the returning mınısters Pastor Emeritus William Whitledge will give reflections on St Paul's past while the current minister, Rev Thomas Eggebeen, will consider the future of the church The celebration will continue with an all-church picnic at Belle Creek Park after the 10 a m service All are invited to attend Call (734) 422-1470

SPIRITBOUND

The nationally-recognized men's trio from Nashville - Spiritbound presents a ministry through music 11 a m Sept 16 at Calvary Baptist Church (43065 Joy Road) in Canton Call (734) 455-

LOGOS PROGRAM

Logos, a program on Wednesday afternoons for children and youth in grades K-8, starts again at 4 45 p m Sept 19 at Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton The program features Bible study, recreation, dinner, and worship skills

Please see RELIGION, C9

New arrivals from page C6

Green of Westland, Mae Morrison of Belleville and the late Mayme Volettı of Hamtramck

■ William and Karen Fickett of Garden City announce the birth of their son, William Lee, born June 6 at Garden City Hospital William joins siblings Patton, 6, and Brooke, 4 Grandparents are Ernie and Jan Caudle of Garden City, Sue Ann Caudle of Florida, and William and Annette Hargis of Georgia Great-grandmother is Charlyne Caudle of Garden City

■ Tiffany Adams and Ferdinand Torres of Westland announce the birth of their daughter, Alicia Ivette Torres, born June 8 at Garden City Hospital Alicia joins sister Karelyn Renee 3 1/2

Gary Dean Gower Jr. and Valerie Nicole Valentine of Detroit announce the birth of their son, James Daniel Gower, born June 9 at Garden City Hospital James joins brother Gary Dean Gower III, 15 months Grandparents are Marquerite Gower of Detroit, Julio Valentine and Yvonne Godair of Westland and Mike Pomorski and Robbin Gough

■ Dan and Sherie Leithead of Garden City announce the birth of their son, Ryan Scott, born June 13 at Garden City Hospital Ryan joins brother Cory, 8 1/2 Grandparents are Barb Leithead of Garden City, Scott Sommerville of Lake Leelanau and Arleen Sommerville of

Belleville M Shannon and Richard Passino of New Boston announce the birth of their son, Richard Tyler, born June 16 at Garden City Hospital Richard joins brothers Bradley, 8, Anthony, 7, Daniel, 6 and Gage, 3 Grandparents are Catherine and Ronald Johnson of Canton and

Denise Blanchard of Canton ■ Mindy Bringold of Garden City announces the birth of her son Evan Bringold born June 17 Garden City Hospital Grandparents are Arnold and Bonnie Bringold of Garden City

■ Thomas and Jennifer Collier of Canton announce the birth of their daughter, Alexa Rae, born June 22 at Garden City Hospital Alexa joins siblings Crystal, 15, Tom Jr, 13, Joshua, 12, and Kelsey, 8 Grandparents are Robert and Debora Jaime of Northville and John and Diana Collier of Ponti-

■ Richard and Tisa Lefler of Westland announce the birth of their daughter, Grace Charlotte Rose, born June 23 at Garden City Hospital Grace joins siblings Madeline, 6, and Richard, 2 Grandparents are Pam and Jerry Karns of Westland

■ Laura Campbell of Westland and Richard Stephenson of Canton announce the birth of their son, Derek James Stephenson, born June 23 at Garden City Hospital Derek joins siblings Ariel Marlow 4 Tara Marlow 2 1/2, Amanda 5 and Racheal 9 1/2 Grandparents are Fern and James E Campbell of New Boston

■ Veleria J. Nelson and Tracy J. Nelson of Westland announce the birth of their son. Omar A. Hakim Shabazz Nelson, born June 25 at Garden City Hospital Omar joins sister Lynette N Burnett, 13 Grandparents are Lucille Cooper of Detroit and Ardella Brown of

Axel Serrano of Redford Township and Sarah Kelly of Chicago announce the birth of their son Noah John Alex Serrano born June 26 Garden City Hospital Grandparents are Michael and Deborah Kelly of Redford Township and Hilda Serrano of Chicago Greatgrandparents are Edward and Ann Kelly and Delores MacBrien

■ Ivan Boyd of Wayne and Amy Roebuck of Westland announce the birth of their daughter, Hannah Lynn Boyd, born June 27 at Garden City Hospital Hannah joins Amber Paige Roebuck, 5 Grandparents are Ken and Brenda Boyd of Wayne and Terry and Rose Roebuck of Westland

■ Pete and Cindy Koetsier of Taylor announce the birth of their daughter, Shanna Michele, born June 30 at Gar den City Hospital Shanna joins brother Wyatt, 17 months Grandparents are Hazel Hinken Grand Rapids and Mary Koetsi-

■ Dawn and Dino Anagnostopoulos of Livonia announce the birth of their daughter, Ariana Mathelia, born July 4 at Garden City Hospital Ariana joins sister Alexia, 5 Grandparents are Lynne Ray of Santa Maria, Calif, and Mathilda and Jim Anagnostopoulos of Livonia

■ Tina Sutton and Stanley Joseph-Carl Beneteau of Westland announce the birth of their daughter, Samantha Marie Beneteau, born July 4 at Garden City Hospital Samantha joins brothers William 9 1/2, and Matthew 4 1/2 Grandparents are Rosemary and Keith Samp son of Inkster

■ Cortney Lucy of Garden City and Cedric Simpson Jr. of Romulus announce the birth of their daughter, McKenzie Jean Lucy, born July 11 at Garden City Hospital Grandparents are Deborah and Robert Lucy of Garden City and Tonya and Cedric Simpson of Romulus

Hoa Thi Tran and Tony Van Tran of Westland announce the birth of their son Kevin Van Tran, born July 14 at Garden City Hospital Grandparents are Dick Turnquist and Jim Bachelor both of Livonia

Jennifer and Mark Holody of Dearborn announce the birth of their son, Stephen

of Westland, Jack Koetsier of Paul, born July 18 at Garden City Hospital Stephen joins brother Michael Thomas, 19 months Grandparents are Helen and Paul Holody of Dearborn Heights, Caroline Thomas of Grand Rapids and Charles

Thomas of Garden City M Angie Sanders and Cory Glover of Westland announce the birth of their daughter, Airiana Bethani Glover, born July 19 at Garden City Hospital Airiana joins siblings Ashley, 9, Tricia, 7, Brett, 6, and Jason, 5 Grandparents are Chris Baker of Westland and Joan and Al Glover of Westland

m Edward Lee Thorn Jr. and Takesh Beaver of Westland announce the birth of their son Edward Lee Thorn III born July 19 at Garden City Hospital Edwards joins sister Areeanna Beaver, 19 months Grandparents are Corean Thorn and Edward Thorn Sr of Detroit

■ Brenda Jean Boruff of Garden City announces the birth of her son, Nicholas Micheal, born July 27 at Garden City Hospital Nicholas joins sister Debbie Boruff (Buchanan), 28 Grandmother is Janet Leese of Garden City

■ April Dusseau and Jeff Stabnau of Garden City announce the birth of their daughter, Kaitlyn Maria, born July 30 at Garden City Hospital Grandparents are Wanda and

Edward Kennedy of Garden City and Marie and Robert Stabnau of Garden City

■ Nicole Johnson of Westland announces the birth of her daughter Alexis Rae, born August 1, at Garden City Hospital Alexis has a 3-year-old brother Grandmother is Sharon Johnson of Westland

■ Nihad and Ghinwah Alhout of Westland announces the birth of her son Anthony Joshua, born August 3 at Gar den City Hospital Anthony joins siblings Jiries, 4, and Sarah, 3 Grandparents are Jiries and Karımeh Alhout of Westland, Mohamad Bazzı and Nawal Hotait of Dearborn

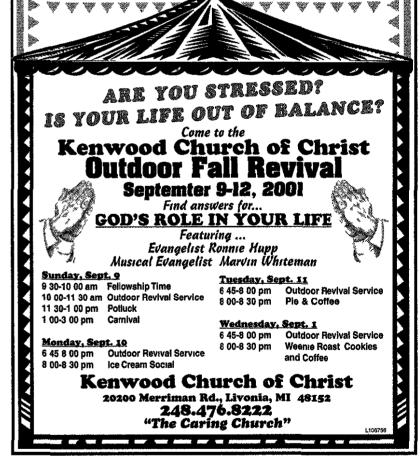
■ Maria and Septimiu Puscas of Livonia announce the birth of their son Andrew Filip born April 2 at Henry Ford Hos pital in Detroit Andrew joins sister Sara, 3, and brother Nathan, 5 Grandparents are Ana and Mitru Salanta of Dear-

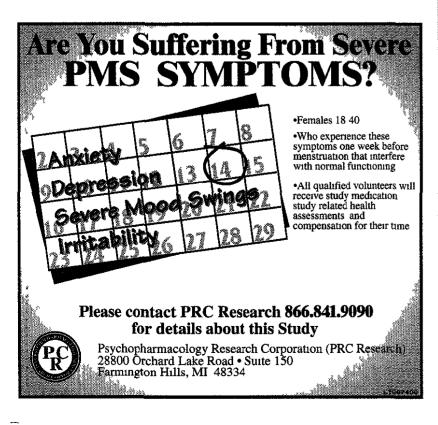
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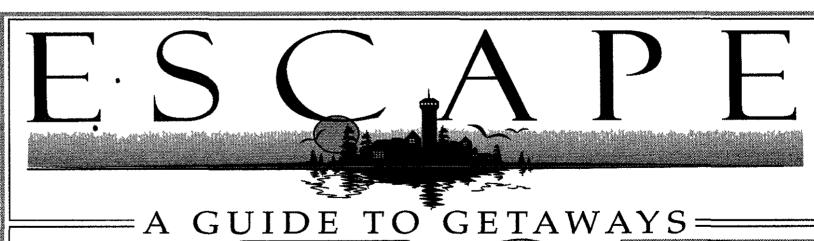
■ Jeff and Gerri Grimes of Canton announce the birth of their daughter, Kate Victoria, of Aug 2 at St Mary Mercy Hos pital in Livonia Kate joins sister, Claire, 2 Grandparents are Gene and Jeanette Pahl of Oscoda and the late Rose Grimes Great-grandmother is Margaret Wodarz of Oscoda ■ Tom and Terry Petito of

South Lyon announce the birth of their son, Jonathan Thomas, born June 25 at St Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia He joins sister Victoria Rose, 2 Grandparents are Theresa O Bay and the late John O Bay of Livonia and John and Peggy Petito of Hartland Alma Robinson of Clare and Esther Lamar of Selvin, Ind are great-grandmothers









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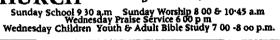
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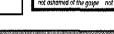
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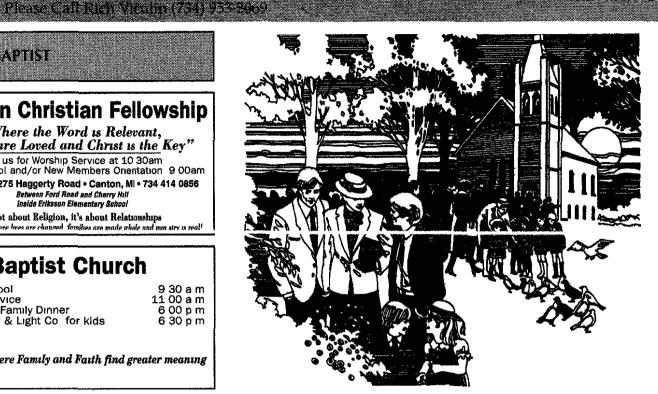
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10 00 a m

Read the Instructions.....

Pastor James Hoff Pastor Eric Ste nbrenne

Whenever we purchase a new appliance or piece of equipment we should always carefully read the instructions or manual that accompanies it It is a good idea to file this information away for future use in case the item breaks or doesn't work properly. God has given us the Bible which has wonderful instructions for our life. However unlike these instruction manuals the Bible is not something that we should put away and read only when something in our lives is not working right. Just as we should keep a good relationship with repairman and mechanics who can help us when something breaks down we should also maintain a good relationship with our Lord We should be aware that we will always need our Heavenly Father's help and remember that God's loving kindness is always there for His people. The Bible tells us that if we draw near to God. He will draw near to us, and if we seek the Lord He will answer us and deliver us from all of our fears

> Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord. R.S.V. Jeremiah 17:7



Parenting without fear

Knowing when to let go is hard

'Don't ever let your children out of your sight!" This seems to be the basic mantra behind parenting in this generation Watchfulness in caring for children has always been wise, but the intense level of fear that now grips many parents is not good for anyone

There is a way to escape this fear and still provide protection for each child in the community It is through realizing that there is a higher and more powerful parent than any of us — the creator whom Jesus referred to as "Father'

I learned this lesson personally when my first child was born She was perfectly healthy but I was obsessed with fear that she would be suddenly taken from me I slept by her crib so that I would be aware of any little change during the night, and I was plagued by nightmares

One night as I sat by her crib (where she slept peacefully as usual), I realized that my fears were not rational or helpful Where would it end? Was I planning to sleep in her room forever? Through my study of the Bible, I had learned that ultimately all power rests in **II** 'I learned this lesson personally when my first child was born. She was perfectly healthy but I was obsessed with fear that she would be suddenly taken from me.'

God's hands I did have a responsibility to care for this child, but her protection and safety came from father/mother of both of us

The Bible is filled with accounts of God's protective care I had also personally witnessed so many proofs of God's care in my and other's lives that these Biblical ideas brought me a great sense of calm and peace I got up, left the room, and got into my own bed for the first MING SINCE SILE WAS JUIN 16 WAS not a forced step based on a general faith that God is good, but a clear understanding that He is always in control

We all slept well that night. and the bad dreams and fears just drifted away I turned to these same ideas when my sec-

ond child was born seven weeks early I never felt that extreme fear but always saw her in God's care In the days after her birth, she was instantaneously healed of jaundice when my prayer con vinced me of her true nature as God's child, and she so quickly demonstrated her strength and health that she was home with us in eight days (though weigh ing fewer than four pounds) and never had any more problems associated with her premature

The knowledge that God is every child's (and adult's) true parent can help each of us to move more freely through life We do not need to fear evil for our children or ourselves at every turn, but we can joyfully and fearlessly acknowledge that God is waiting around every corner and is walking every step of the way with us

Meg Dendler and her family live in Troy where she works as a Christian Science Practitioner She also teaches middle school English part time and is current ly a member of First Church of Christ, Scientist, Plymouth She bereachedDendlers@aol com

SINGLES MINGLE

Listings for the Singles Calendar should be submitted in writing no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday s issue They can be mailed to 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax at (734) 591 7279 Call (734) 953 2131 or kmortson@oe homecomm net

METRO SINGLES DANCE Metro Singles Dance every

Wednesday from 8-11 30 p m at Sandtraps on 5 (35780 Five Mile Road between Levan and Farmington roads) in Livonia 21 and over, budget bar, proper attıre, refreshments Dee jay Dick Gerathy Hotline (313) 438 6258 \$6 Early admission \$4 before 8 30 p m Couples welcome

SINGLE PLACE PROGRAMS

Single Place presents ■ Friday's meet at Tremor's (6 Mile between Newburgh and I-275) Join us for dancing, eats and conversation \$3 cover charge and beverage cost

Every Saturday "A Walk in the Park" at Heritage Park (between 10 and 11 Mile roads on Farmington Road) at 10 a m - Sunday onch plat First Drop byterian Church (200 E. Main Street) Northville 11 am fol lowed by brunch at 12 30 p m at Northville Crossing Restaurant ■ Divorce Recovery Workshop

from $7\,30\,9\,p\,m\,$ through Sept 27 Cost \$30 Various speakers at First Presbyterian Church of Northville For people thinking of divorce, in the process of filing, divorced or separated to heal and grow

DIVORCE SUPPORT

The Women's Resource Center at Schoolcraft College sponsors a Divorce Support Group from 7-9 p m at the McDowell Center (room 225) Call (734) 462-4443 Upcoming schedule includes ■ Group discussion, Sept 11,

Oct 9, Nov 27, Dec 11

■ Legal aspects of divorce, Sept

■ Group discussion, Oct 11, Nov 29, Dec 13 (new group for those divorced over 1 year Meets from 7 30 9 across the hall from WRC)

BETHANY SUBURBAN WEST

■ 10 a m Sundays a brunch is served at Redford Inn (Beech Daly and Five Mile Road)

■1130 a m Mass at St Aidan Church (Farmington Road north of Six Mile) ■ Tuesday's Coffee and Conver-

'sation at 7 p m at Thomas' Famıly Dınıng (33971 Plymouth Road) Livonia ■ Sept 29, show at the Windsor

Casino at 8 p m \$9 Twenty tick ets will be sold Female impersonators act Call Mary Selwa (734) 722-2612

■ Halloween Dance at St Kenneth - alumni invited Costumes Please watch for future announcements

■ Sept 16, 5 K Walk for AIDS in downtown Royal Oak 10 30 a m Call Ken Caeti (313) 532-2448

■ Divorce Recovery at St Ken-

neth's starting 7 30 pm Friday, Sept 14 Call Mary Mumma or Rose Provo to register (734) 414 9736 or (734) 464-3325 \$40 class includes text book and 8 consec utive classes

WESTSIDE SINGLES DANCE

Every Friday WestSide Singles hosts a dance at Burton Manor ın Lıvonıa (Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road) from 8 p m to 1 a m Must be over 21 - dressy attire (no jeans) Open to the public A deejay will be playing Top 40 music and current hits Appetizers will be served (hot/cold) Early admission spe cial \$4 before 8 30 p m and \$6 after Call (734) 981-0909

SINGLE ADULT MINISTRIES Talk It Over meets from 7 30 930 p m Dinner at 630 p m Cost \$6 Ward Presbyterian Church, 40000 Six Mile Road, Northville Call (248) 374-5920

PARENTS WITHOUT PARTNERS

Parents without Partners, Inc is a non-profit organization dedi cated to the single parent family Call Ann Arbor Chapter #38 call (734) 973-1933 or visit the web-

■ Sept 7 and 21 Singles dance at the Zal Gaz Grotto 2070 W Stadium, Ann Arbor Music by DJ Imperial Sound Cash bar Non-smoking dance area Spon sored by HVRC-Parents without Partners, Inc Dance 9 p m to 1 am, \$7 00 non-member, \$5 00 members

Religion

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Parents wishing to enroll their children are asked to attend a parents meeting on either 7 p m Tuesday, Aug 28 or 9 a m Saturday, Sept 8 For further information about Logos or other youth ministries, please contact Mary Baum at (734) 397 8132 or the church office at (734) 459

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

Worldwide Marriage Encounter offers a weekend experience for married couples to improve their communication skills learn the value of intimacy and renew their love for each other The next weekends are scheduled Sept 21 23 at the St John s Family Life Center (44011 Five Mile Road) in Plymouth There is a \$50 registration fee Call Bill and Carol (248) 528 2512 Dan and Debbie (810) 286 5524 or visit

www rc net/detroit/wwme

PRAISE AND WORSHIP There is a Multi cultural Praise

and Worship Concert scheduled for 7 p m Sunday, Sept 23 at Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Northville In hopes of bringing other churches together, the music departments from Third New Hope Baptist, Trinity Presbyterian, and Ward Church, along with Lori Corri son, a cantor from Temple Israel will participate in a praise and worship concert

GRIEF SUPPORT WORKSHOP

The path to healing grief is a difficult one No one should have to walk it alone Please join us for an 8 week seminar and support group for people who are grieving Workshops are held from 7-8 45 p m Tuesdays from Sept 25 to Nov 13 Christ the King Lutheran Church (9300 Farmington Road south of West Chicago Road) Livonia Call (734) 421 0749 The developer of the curriculum is Cathy Clough, executive director of New Hope Center for Grief Support of Northville

WOMEN'S DAY LUNCHEON The Detroit Church of Christ

presents a women's day lun-

cheon "What Women Really Want" from 10 30 a m to 2 p m Saturday, Oct 6 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Ann Arbor (State Street and I 94) Registration is \$20 per person Makes checks payable to the Detroit Church of Christ Call Kimberly Tate (734) 483 7026 or e-mail wlb@techemail.com Christ Our Savior will be sponsoring a women's retreat, "Relating to God Through Prayer," Oct 12-13 The retreat, featuring speaker Sharon Zehnder, will take place at Laurel Park Marriott in Livonia at 6 p m Friday and will end around 4 p m on Saturday The retreat fee will cover your room, three meals, workshops, and other activities Sharon is an experienced retreat and conference speaker from Omaha, Nebraska She will also be conducting a workshop with her own prayer partner Call Lisa Bartoszek (734) 427-1837, or Christ Our Savior (734) 522-6830 Registration deadline is Sept 14

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SOMETHING YOU D LIKE

Independent blonde full figured 57 20 seeks confident honest male 20 to 30 to be friends first and nutrure a possible elationsh p BOX 12103

LIFE'S PLEASURES

Divorced white female 43 56 long blonde hair and blue eyes full figuled Christian vibrant happy Many nite eat cooking reading gardening garage sales classic cars walks by the water and more Saek male frend and companion

Seeking a friend and companion

ARE YOU THE ONE?

Young American bus ness owner seeking a 28 to 33 y old professional American who s spritual responsible passionate ft and healthy to a friendship first BOX 2179

MY KIND OF MAN

D vorced black female 47 seeks back male 45 to 58 to enjoy moves dnng walks concerts fshng and boating for a possible ong tem relationshp[p BOX

LIFE'S BETTER SHARED White female full figured blonde ha and green eyes seeking a white male 39 to 45 since e hon est for a long term relationship Children okay BOX 15225

LET'S GET SERIOUS

Single white female late 40s red har talian Looking for black male for fun sports music cooking romantic walks candlelight tavel passion BOX 15262

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30 SOMETHING

Degreed single Christian black female 35 attractive with Hispanic descent looks marriage minded and oves Senfield desires single Christian professional white male healthy degreed 510 plus 30 to 37 preferably sim Macomb County BOX 27028

COUNTRY GIRL Divorced white lady non-smoker non-drinker likes horseback riding has own horses Enjoy camping cars movies Seeks gentleman 57 to 65 with sim ar interest. Monroe

County BOX 27030 LOVELY BUT LONELY Tall slender attractive romantic fun ady seeks honest loyal romantic flexible gentleman that's 55 plus over 510 and fun to be with Let's start as friends first Oakland County BOX 27034

FIND YOUR FUTURE Single white female 37 looking for tall smart ince moral man who enjoys time with family and friends. Friendship leading into relation ship with love and a lasting retait onship BOX 30187

WEEKENDS ARE BACK 26 yr old black femate 54 125 lbs hard work ng Seek ng an hon est understanding non-smoking energet c male race un mportant who enjoys weekends children bowling and romance BOX 30208

LETS GO OUT

In Pertect Harmony

DREAMS/DISILLUSIONS I AM YOUR MAN

Hardworking divorced white male 49 58 175 lbs Seeking a fun lov ng easy go ng ntelligent pretty white female in her middle 40 s for companionship and possible long term relationship Redford area Wayne county BOX 25974 RING MY BELL

Divorced white male 49 58 175 lbs Looking for a woman that wants a long term relationship Shape and looks important. Ill return your call. Wayne County BOX 35922

I'm your man Hard working divorced white male 49 58 175 lbs seeking easy going and intell gent pretty white female in her 40s for a possible long term relationship I'm wating to hear from you Redford Area Wayne County BOX 38011 **FULL FIGURED LADY S**

Dvorced white male 43 59 165 lbs blond sh brown hair green eyes down to earth Seeking a single or divorced white female 38 to 45 who is down to earth and 45 who is down to earth and enjoys the simple things n I fe For a possible relationship Wayne county BOX 27006

MORE THAN FRIENDS

Attractive single white male 40 s warm hearted and honest enjoys travel photography concerts and the outdoors Seeking audaclous lady with a sense of humor Oakland county BOX 31937 LOOKING FOR FUN

LOUKING FOR FUN
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for someone 20 to 40 that is inter
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tary f your interested give me call
for friendsh p and dating Wayne
County BOX 31940

MIAMI STYLE

42 yr old white male foreign med cal doctor 5.8 150 lbs black hair

tan skin multilingual multi-cultural Enjoys outdoor and indoor activites Fathful and honest Seeking

hapely white or Hispanic romant omale 30 to 40 for long term rela

NICE AFFECTIONATE

EASYGOING GUY

LET'S GET TOGETHER

ng long walks movies Looking for a single white female 24-33 with similar interests BOX 25290

YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO

AT THE GYM

Find him in the Personals.

NICE INTELLIGENT
Single male 511 190 lbs athlet c
build short brown/blonde hair
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humor Likes concerts sport ng
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gent attractive sweet woman for
friendsh p first BOX 29810

NICE INTELLIGENT

NO STRINGS ATTACHED Single male 23 look ng for a beau tiful young lady for fun and romance nothing serious right now BOX 29815

WAITING ON YOUR CALL Single male 34 56 170 bs brown/blue easygoing fun loving honest caring Likes working on cars flea markets motorcycles car shows cruises nature Looking for a snote temale with a nice per

GOOD SENSE OF HUMOR D vorced white Christian male 49 6 hazel eyes gray and brown hair secure romantc honest with good morals Loves children sports music and long walks nithe woods Seeking attractive single white female 40 52 friends first ross ble long term relationship

Looking for a slender attract ve lady 50 to 58 for a permanent relationship I am widowed well built healthy attractive active and outgoing I am 62 going on 40 and lonesome Please call my voice greeting Dearborn area I II answer your call Wayne County BOX 33683

DOWN RIVER MALE Single white male 50 58 165 lbs seeking female weight/height proportionate 40 50 sincere hon

ATTRACTIVE SWM 33

Attractive single white male 40 s warm hearted and honest enjoys travel photography concerts and the outdoors Seeking a bold lady with a sense of humor Oakland county BOX 36064 HONEST AND CARING

MORE THAN FRIENDS

I M THE ONE FOR YOU Late 70 s looks 60 w dowed whale 58 190 lbs non smol

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ONCE UPON A STAR intense spec at single white ma he pfut and romant's Seeks in gal 30 to 50 an outdoor lover sharing mag o moments under moonlight by candlet ght Oakland County BOX 31901

SEEKING MS RIGHT
Single white male 27 61 230
lbs brown/brown good personal
y Enjoys moves clubs and play
ing pool Seeking a single white
temale 25-35 honest with a good

personal ty and sense of humor Wayne county BOX 31931

HERE'S A SURPRISE

ABOVE AVERAGE GENT

Single white male mid 40 sienjoys travel music old cars photography home decorating etc. Looking for an above average lady to part ner with Wayne County BOX 31892

READY IN WYANDOTTE D vorced white male 47 6 sl m build 1 m easy go ng family orient ed Interests include travelling the

SAINT OR SINNER? Tender ten territo white male 44 with versatile flexible personality Seeking creative sweet smilling significant other For fendship and whatever Macombe County BOX 26085

INTERESTED? INTEMESTED?

Divorced white male 43 yrs old 56 170 lbs brown hair blue eyes fun loving caring honest easy going Enjoys amusement parks camping swimming the beach barbecues long walks and more BOX 12178

Athletic muscular single white male 43 62 231 lbs brown blue clean cut degreed never marred no dependents outgoing personal ity enjoys outdoors working out y enjoys outdoors working ew activities Seeks friendly si

female age location open Wayne County BOX 27018 Handsome divorced white professonal male 47 6 195 lbs very ft classy fnanc ally secure Looking for a classy female in shape with blonde or red hair blue or green eyes age not important BOX 31882 **ROMANTIC ITALIAN**

PASSIONATE PILOT

LET'S MEET

Single white male in d 30 siphysically fit 170 lbs non smoker active Enjoys church outdoor activities concerts dining out travel cooking working out golf Seeking single white female 30 to 40 with similar interests BOX 12063

Single white male 60 yrs old likes wakung shows flea markets good conversat on and long drives Seeking white female 50 to 60 heightiweight proportionate BOX 15240 WAIT FOR MY CALL

Handsome passionate intelligent funny tall well built single white male 34 looking for very passion ate adventurous intelligent kind hearted female for friendship and romance. Oakland County BOX 2022. SINCERELY LOOKING

SINGLE PARENTHOOD

D vorced white male 36 brown hair and eyes 58 180 lbs employed 2 children seeks lady who would like to spend some time together BOX 25800 SLOW DANCING

I NEED YOUR LOVING

D vorced white male in early 50 seeking fun loving white divorced or w dowed female with a smile on her face and a smile in her heart 38 to 55 for friendship or long term relationship. West Sider BOX 26039

SEARCHING 4 AN ANGEL
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casinos and travell ng BOX 31895
NO HEAD GAMES
41 yr old white divorced male 6
180 bs looking for a honest woman who would like to be spo led by a one woman man L'kes iong talks noe waks and spending time together with that one special lady in his le Wayne County BOX 31914

Divorced white male smoke early 60s muscular build children are gone Interests are camping sw m ming pionics hunting dancing card playing Seeking sigle/divorced white female 50 to 60 with similar interests. Wayne County BOX 31829 ਚਹ with smilar inte County BOX 31929 I M A SINCERE PERSON

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BOX 33419 WARNING

May cause happiness Answer this ad and you wont be sorry! Attract ve financially secure professional single white male 41 6 170 no dependents Seeks single white female 25 to 45 Reply now!

ARE YOU LOOKING FOR

Attractive honest big hearted white non abusive sober man Active secure wdowed and lone some if you're under 60 attractive siender and serous call me Im your man Romulus Wayne County BOX 33735 NOW IS THE TIME

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S nge white male md 50s 63
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white female 38-60 s Im/med um
build who appreciates life and her
self for friendship first and whatev
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ty BOX 35928

HOUSE BROKEN
Ret red Cathoi c gentleman 54
non smoker non-drinker educated
with d verse interests seek ng son
gle white female under 58 honest

sincere for long term relationship LET'S SHARE LIFE

Young looking 44 single white male 160 bs 510 brown har and green eyes it no dependents enjoys outdoors gu tar playing fishing boating go ng North quiet times Seeking compan on to share nterests possible relationship Wayne county BOX 36045

ONE LAST TIME
64 yr old white male 55 160 lbs brown har and eyes enjoys movies theater flea markets some sports Looking for a slender white female 58 to 64 with same extractive conditions. interests spending quiet times at home Western Wayne County BOX 36066 PLAY BALL!

PLAY BALL!

D vorced white profess onal male
58 63 210 lbs enjoys the out
doors movies music laughter etc
In search of a woman 57 plus 45
to 60 for friendship furi and long
term relationship Oakland county
BOX 36075

LATE FIFTIES Single male 58 175 lbs auburn har and blue eyes non-smoker financially stable enjoys camping long walks games quiet times at

female with similar interests for possible relationship BOX 10700 INSIDE S WHAT COUNTS 38 yr old male white professional, easy go ng fun loving caring affectionate Enjoys camp ng long walks motorcycles swimming shopping and more Seeking afemale age/he ght/we ght open BOX 12091 SOMETHING IN COMMON

Single white male 58 140 lbs Enjoys rollerblading sports movies the outdoors Seeking white female 18 to 24 height and weight proport onate with similar interests BOX 12148

JUST LOOKING
Single white male 18 61 155
lbs enjoys having fun relaxing hanging out and talking Seeking single white female 18 or 19 BOX-12151

60 yr old divorced male 6 19Q lbs ret red healthy enjoys movles, dining cooking and more Seeking an affect onate female who can win friends and influence people BOX. 12188 JUST LOVABLE

Single white male 44 loves hug ging cuddling kiseing and lots of affection Seeking female with the same interest age race size open BOX 14939 WHAT S INSIDE COUNTS

D vorced white male 40 57 170 ibs physically/emotionally fit easy going fun loving caring Likes water swimming boating motor cycles country music slow dancing romantic evenings BOX 15265

PICK UP THE PHONE
White male 28 smoker enjoys
rollerblading long walks moves
of nig out the outdoors Seeking
female 25 to 32 height and weight
proport onate with same interests
BOX 15311

AS GOOD AS IT GETS

Very k nd respectful considerate single white male 39 65 246 lbs with brown har and green eyes! enjoy camping fishing hiking anything outdoors dancing and the moves Seeking an honest loyal and oving female who enjoys doing similar highly seeking DOWNRIVER MAN

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Would you Ike to meet someone win a great personal ty non smok er non drinker a person of good character integrity reputation?

Who still believes in friendship companionship and true ove seeking tall male 55 to 65 Oakland County BOX 36080

STAND OUT IN CROWDS 59 female brunette attractive seeking a male 59 or taller **60** or older for bus trips theater dancing and more BOX 15373 SINGLE AGAIN

Single white female 49 53 148 lbs average on the outside but on the nside Can get by on my own but would like to start sharing again You must be a non smoker and likes cats Oakland County BOX 31936 DOWN RIVER FEMALE

D vorced white female 54 5 140 lbs would like to meet a tall white gentleman 54 to 60 who is caring honest sincere for dating and pos sible long term relationship no head games. Wayne County BOX 31942 GOOD HEARTED FEMALE Seeking good hearted white male 39 to 47 teddy bear to average

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IT S IN THE STARS Divo ced female 47 no depend ents 53 45 bs brown har blue eyes Enjoys outdoors an mals f shing wate sports concerts sunsets Harley rides Looking for someone with similar interests to begin a warm and wonderful ela tionship BOX 12241

Sngle female 200 ibs outgoing mother of two Enjoys going out moves dancing Looking to a compatible male to share these interests BOX 15375 MAKE THE CALL

Attractive female 59 classy loving 54 128 lbs brown hair/eyes easygoing Enjoys outdoors travel sunrises/sunsets music Looking white male 55 68 BOX 29842 YOU ARE MY SUNSHINE

YOU AHE MY SUMPHINE
Single white female 36 ave age
he ght/we ght reddish brown hair
green eyes two children Seeking
intelligent single white male 45.55
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with for a long term re at onship
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D vorced female 56 165 lbs
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kes walking and music Looking
for a divorced man who is fun
exciting adventurous ft humor
ous fun to be with financially
secure BOX 29880

HEAVEN SENT
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ibs nurse great sime a attractive
caring compassionate warm two
children Seeking a carpenter 42 48 yrs o d financ ally secure warm and cuddy Enjoys camping moves plays lots of hugs and ksses BOX 29919 A LADY OF CLASS

SEEKING ITALIAN Petite white female 63 5 1 128 lbs brown hai and eyes non smoker attractive talkative good

SEEKING RELATIONSHIP

MOTOWN GAL

Looking for a k nd s ncere s ngle cr divorced male 48 to 60 non smoker for long term monoga

mous relationship I am 51 yr old divorced female I ove Motown music and classic cars. I believe in

romance and enjoy simple pleas ures Down River area BOX 14471

Vivacous upbeat very attract ve blonde female a professional 57 115 lbs upper 50's seeking sou mate counter part 60's a professonal fo dating possible ong term relationship. Call me and see what I fe has in store for us BOX 35996

sense of humor Seeks gentleman 60 to 66 non smoker sharing the things in I fe we both enjoy espe cally travelling BOX 36003

caring honest easy going guy for friendship dating and possibly more if the chemistry is there for the both of us BOX 12127 LIFE'S TOO SHORT END MY SEARCH

home Seeking someone with same nterest 40 to 50 secure and fit to share it all BOX 30191 NO GAMES

NO GAMES
D vorced white Ch stan cute fema e 55 brown har and eyes he ght/weight proportionate enjoys all outdoor act vtes dancing moves dining Seeking caring conside ate white male 455 with smilar interests Prefer non smoker Oakland County BOX 35936

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ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE

SEEKS PERFECT MATE

Outgoing petite and live in Plymouth Looking for an attractive non smoking single with temale 48 to 58 who is trustworthy emotion ally/financially secule with independents Someone with a jest for life. Wayne County BOX 27026 A RARE FIND

ANGELIC LITTLE ROSE

ARE YOU OUT THERE? ARE YOU OUT THERE?
Attractive divorced red head 49
57 160 lbs Enjoystravel movies concerts music Nascar and quiet evening at home Looking for hon est down to earth guy for fliendship and companionehip leading to long term relationship down river area Wayne county BOX 31910 DIVORCED AND LOOKING

47 yr old white female 55

bs no dependents enjoys dining out sports street fairs Sunday drives day trips and call shows Seeking a non-smoker social drinker no pets honest 45 to 51 Wayne county BOX 31921

For sale attractive plassy outgoing divorced white female 55 130 lbs dark hair pretty eyes Seeks top notch tal white male 50 plus to share fun and special moments together Your cost one phone call Oakland County BOX 36059

I HAVE ELAN Eclect c, attract ve sender roman tic quality lady enjoys most mus c dancing golf tennis boat ng sports and theater Seeks special non-smoking gentleman over 59 and 510 plus that is honest loyal and fun Oakland county BOX 36061

TOUCH OF CLASS

ATTENTION BILL You responded to my ad malbox #33724 I d d not get your phone Wayne County BOX 18962

CUTE AND CLASSY CUTE AND CLASSY
40 s 54 sl m degreed non
smoking fun athletic adventur
ous divorced white professional
female with brown har and big
blue eyes Seeking intelligent
degreed slim non-smoking gen
tleman 42 to 52 for water sports
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term relationship Oakland county
BOX 26995

DOWN RIVER FEMALE Single white female 40 57 weight height proportionate brown hazel eyes Enjoys horseback nar nazel eyes Enjoys norseback riding sw mm ng d n ng out movies Seeking dependable secure single white male 35 42 for possible relationship Wayne County BOX 33719

TALL & INTELLIGENT TALL & INTELLIGENT

Fit young looking 45 Christ an profess onal ady romantic ta very attractive optimistic well educated Enjoys the good life boating nature his highest at all thin attractive honest affect onate positive attitude sense of humor successful with values Ingham County BOX 31920

DOWN RIVER AREA Single white female 41 social drinker smoker medium build brown eyes and hair no depend ents Seeks tall responsible blue jeans type 35 to 45 honest carling enjoys laughter talking and just plain fun Wayne County BOX 31923

AURORA D vorced white professional female 55 125 lbs brown/black ha and eyes dimples looks 40 and stable Seeking a divorced white male 57 to 63 attractive 6 table and a proof seeking the professional female seeking and seeking an stable and a good sense of humor BOX 31913 SEEKS ATTRACTIVE MAN

B onde blue eyed 40 s loves the outdoors and sunshine romant c even ngs ba becues and the c der mil has a great sense of humor ene get c and dependable down rve a ea Wayne county BOX HONEST SINCERE

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31899 COULD BE MORE Single white female mother 54 115 bs attractive Enjoys camping boating motorcycles gaidening and more Social dinker Seeking

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SEEKS PEHFECT MATE
Attract ve 50+ w dow fun lov ng
physically fit Seeks male desiring
travel working out bloycling golf
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dancing dining out family cook
ng quiet even ngs closeness
sharing nitimacy love Requesting
to much? Tell me EOX 24980

Single white female 34 54 117 lbs haze eyes blonde har no dependents seeking an attractive male 28 to 37 who enjoys trips up North football staying in shape and who s ready for a steady committed relationship Oakland County BOX 27036

Single white female 19 blue green eyes blondish brown hair honest attractive non alcoholic seeking single white male 20 to 30 profes s onal compass onate non alco hold who enjoy outdoors moves dining under candle light true romancer for friendship and poss

ble monogamous relation
Wayne County BOX 31906

TALL & INTELLIGENT Ft young ooking 45 romant of Christian professiona lady tall very attractive optimistic well educated Enjoys the good fe boating nature his ng travel and dining Seeking sou mate tall thin attractive honest affect onate positive attitude sense of humor positive attitude sense of humor successful with values BOX 35946

SOMETHING ABOUT ME SOMETHING ABOUT ME
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attract ve profess onal man No
cats or karate obsess on please
Oakland County BOX 36071

SIMPLY IRRESISTIBLE white female 40 sh Seeks non smoking single white male ove 35 for dating and reating Lets create sparks and watch them fyl BOX 25332

QUALITY QUALITY Saeking a snoere honest no games played non smoking social drinking single white male 54 who likes to do a most everything Looking for friendship companion ship or something long term. West side Wayne County BOX 25333

HONESTY + BASEBALL Single white Christian professional female 46 attractive with a heart of gold geat cook Enjoys quiet times and moves walker Seeks well groomed white male non smoker with Christian values Wayne County BOX 26052

intell gent classy lady 50 s loves travel boating golf tennis walks on the beach and omant clinne's Sea ching for male who s fun with s milar interests BOX 26072 NO GAMES NO GAMES
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of a single white male 29 39
financially emotionally secule
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ety of interests. I ke musc being
by the wate reading for friend
ship possible relationship. Wayne
County BOX 26997

BEAUTIFUL

IM YOUR LADY Attract ve white divorced 45 52 138 lbs female brown/blue enjoys walking swimming moves music and dining out. Seeks white male 40 50 slim to medium buid 56 non smoke occasional drinker affectionate and since effor a mean noful elationship. for a mean ngful elationship in Galden City BOX 26999

SONGS FROM THE HEART D vorced white female 47 57 blonde/bue vivacious passionate Christian chuich musician Seeks white Christian male non smoke 510 or talle who s ntel gent articulate omantic and honest with a passion for fe Cakland County BOX 27014 **EQUAL PARTNERS**

White female 49 ed ha and bo eyes 60 bs smoken oys ave od moves galdening eading he ou doo's Nasca and rying new hings. Seeking mae 45 to 55 honest for fend ship companionship and a possible one tem reatorship. BOX ble ong tem reat onship BOX 30179 **ADVENTURE AWAITS** educated male 50 s or o der enjoys art museums t avel the ate fine dining jazz moves fea ma kets and more BOX 30243

CIRCLE THIS AD

Single with tefemale 51 emotional lyfinancially secure Likes biking waiking dancing adventures Seeking compassionate non smoking single white male 50 s with sense of humor and similar interests BOX 30256 **OUTGOING GAL**

Single back female attractive 52 57 he ght/weight proportionate Seeking non-smoke social drinker cang considerate outgo-ng employed Enjoys dring quiet evenings at home what I fe has to offer BOX 30259 LET S GO OUT Single female 58 28 135 lbs short brown hair blown eyes open minded sense of humo adventu ous Enjoys moves dancing bowling playing pool and much moe Looking for a man to share similar activities BOX 30263

DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH Single plus size white female hazel eyes 31 independent seek ng down to earth single black male no games must have job/own car enjoys moves d nne and long walks communc at on and sense of humor a must Down R ver SERIOUS APPLY Wayne County BOX 31904

NASCAR FAN NASCAR FAN
Lonely red head 49 57 150 lbs
I kes do ng a I title b t of every thing
from traveling up North on week
ends to que t Sundays watching
NASCAR on televis on Looking for
down to earth guy 45 to 55 who
enjoys the same fo companion
ship Wayne County BOX 31912 LETS GET TOGETHER

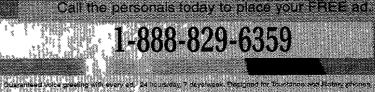
Single black female 24 51 135 lbs Enjoys moves bike riding bowling and sports Seeking male with similar interests dating and possible elationship Wayne county BOX 31922 **GOLF PARTNER WANTED** W dowed white female 55 seeking kind gentle golf partner with sense of humor 11ke travel fine dring

wildowed/s ngie ets ht some balk and see if we can be a team Wayne County BOX 35932 GEMINI GIRL GEMINI GIRL

Single white female 47 sender blonde heir hazei eyes enjoys golf swimming boating people Looking for a single white male 42 53 whos genuine down to earth stable for dating possible long term elationship Wayne County BOX 36398

term elation BOX 35938 MASSAGE THERAPIST Single white female 48 56 auburn/brown seeking single white male 35 p.us who s outgoing enjoys I fe and opt m st c about the future Summer s here lets get e BOX 36035 LET S SEE A MOVIE

33 yr od single white female blonde ha blue eyes 5.8 non smoke who en oys working out movies etc Seeking 29.39 single white male to spend time with Wayne county BOX 36099 NAME AND NUMBER Single female 57 blonde/blue med umbuild Looking for tail white male 50 to 62 non-smoker who



Gvng ovng compass onate curry lots of fun g eat conversa tonal st 55 look ng for s neere successfu Caucas an gent eman 45 ate 70s to be my sou mate Float your boat make your day answer my ad today BOX 25322 ARE YOU READY? Single black female 49 58 150 bs Enjoys travel theater movies art and other activities Seeking a

PRETTY ENTREPRENEUR

single black male never married no chid en sincere honest eady for committed relationship BOX **CUTE AND CLASSY** Single black female and 50 s enjoys jogg ng concerts and walks in the park. Seeking a gentleman over 50 with similar interests Oakland County. BOX 26066

ACTIVE SENIORS ONLY Well trave ed educated loving white professional female Seeking a sophisticated Ch stan man 62 to 72 who can also be down to-earth Interests are class cal music art appreciation world events and travel Comfortable one on one and in social situations Oak and County BOX 35911

ROMANTIC FEMALE

Single beautiful black female 46 medium build enjoys diring out tavelling and movies. Seeking male with similar interest race unimportant for dating and possible relationship. Wayne County. BOX BUBBLY & CLASSY Intelligent fit 56 brown eyed blonde passionate about ife and laughing enjoys golf biking the ater boating and great conversa tions interested in meeting tal 50 to 58 if nancially/emotionally stable

true gent eman with similar inte ests. Oakland county BOX 27010 JACQUELINE SMITH JACQUELINE SMITH
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non smoking gentlemen 59 plus
48 to 58 with similar interests
Macomb County BOX 27021

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Passionate funny intelligent tall handsome well built 63 205 lb sing e white mae 36 looking for passionate intelligent attactive fun female for romance and possionate intelligent attactive fun female for romance and poss ble long term relationsh p Oakland County BOX 36072 MOONLIGHT EVENINGS

DVorced white Father of two 59 professional Loves flowers cooking dancing camping social zing funit mes and block buster nights. Seeking slim white Morm with a most the same nterests Kds welcome. Oakland County BOX 36083 DOWN RIVER AREA

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DREAMS/DISILLUSIONS



Single white male 35 59 220 lbs black ha brown eyes attrac-

20 yr old male 56 165 lbs enjoys working out 1 shing hunt ng hking Seeking an attractive female 20 to 35 race unimportan for a serious relationship BOX OPEN MINDED

Real ty based single white male kinda cute energetic cooperative



White widowed male 43 56 180 lbs brown hair blue eyes smoker non-drinker easygoing fun foving Looking for a casual possible long term relationship Likes camping sw mm ng mails restaurants cozy n ghts candiel ght BOX 12234 READY FOR LOVE Single male 27 61 175 lbs blonde har blue eyes slender but d Seeking a pet te female who loves to have fun I kes to laugh and play likes fast bikes BOX 15337

White widowed profess onal male 46 56 175 ibs brown har blue eyes easygoing fun loving caring honest. Likes boating swimming falling the beach Age/race unimportant BOX 15354 Single white male 35 of 220 lbs black ha brown eyes attractive dimples easygoing good Is tener Enjoys romantic evenings fishing the simple things in 1fe Looking for white/Hispanic female attractive with similar interests BOX 15365

OPEN MINDED
Profess onal of vorced white male
56 165 lbs 40 brown hair blue
eyes Likes camping swimming
fishing amusement parks car
shows movies of ning out country
and rock and roll music Looking
for a sigle female to share tall
Knows that whats inside is whats
mportant BOX 12219

Single male 21 63 220 med um large build Likes working out movies concerts radio Looking for a single female with a good sense of humor for a casual rela willing to try something new Seeks an interesting lady 33 to 49 for a possible relationship BOX 31917





possible long term relati-Wayne County BOX 31907 I M A GENTLEMAN

> est who enjoys movies ave bands dancing moonlight walks No games for possible long term relationship Wayne County BOX 33718 Profess onal down to earth and fun loving guy who seeks an attractive female who enjoys if e and likes to have fun! Oakland County BOX 38054

HONEST AND CANING
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d vorced male honest car ng
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more Seeking a female who s
honest and caring BOX 12206

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ROCK ON 46 yr old male 510 175 lbs I ght brown har blue eyes amoker likes sew ng woodwork ng Seek ng white female 35 45 down river area Wayne County BOX 31925

ONE DAY AT A TIME

Single white male 47 59 150
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County BOX 31934

45 good shape nice looks Enjoys outdoors biking beating parks and beaches Seeks nice gall to share lelsure time activities with Oakland county BOX 36067

ou meress include travelling the atre antiques Looking for some one who i ke myself is fit non smoker and would like friendship and possible long term relation ship Wayne County BOX 31916 Single white male 28 511 215 lbs cark brown hair hazel eyes smoker Loves outdoors rollerblad by long wells.

Single white male 6 217 ibs physically fit dark complexion blue eyes brown hair dominant Looking for a female 18 44 adventurous spontaneous loves outdoors BOX 25865 SUMMER FUN tonship possibly long term BOX 25686 D vorced white male early 50 s 6 dark hair/blue eyes seeks wid owed d vorced white female 38 to

PASSIONATE PILOT
Retired a ri ne priot financially
secure, white male very good look
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doing most everything with nght
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honest woman with very good
shape down river area Wayne
county BOX 31886

LONELY AT 53
Single white male 53 180 lbs 59 Enjoys walking dring out Looking to meet a nice white lady 45 to 59, 115 to 135 lbs Wayne County BOX 31903 LET S MEET

NEW TO DATING WORLD

WAIT FOR MY CALL
D vorced white male 52 6 180
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responsible Seeking female truth
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smoker movies candle Ight din
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SLOW DANCING

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Les camp ng sw mming movies
d nner theater art country mus c
slow dancing Seeking open and
honest relationship with a single
female BOX 25837

LET S TALK

Tail 63 270 ib small bus ness owner seeks bright traditional interesting lady for boating classical music travel conversation dining dancing and most normal set vities I do want to talk with you so ets talk Oakland County BOX 27032

BEAM WALKER
Tal dark har dark eyes 180 bs
slender build gentlemen In search
of sende lady 40 55 who likes
d n ng dancing theatre boating
casinos and travelling BOX 31895

LUCKY ME LUCKY YOU

BOX 33492 TRYING TO FIND YOU! Attractive iacy under 60 sl m to fill my lonely heart W dowed attractive gentle big hearted looking for a permanent relationship BOX

possible marrage no game play ers Wayne County BOX 35987

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CRAFTERS NEEDED

Greenmead Historical Park's Fall Harvest Festival has openings for crafters This afternoon outdoor event will beheld on Saturday, Sept 15 Space rental is \$20 Call Linda (248) 477-7375 9 am to 5 pm Monday through Friday

ARTS AND CRAFTS

Westland Center (35000 W Warren Road) in Westland will host an Arts & Crafts Show during regular mall hours Sept 27-30 Features include paintings, jewelry, needle crafts, toys, floral designs, stained glass, wood crafts, decorative painting and more

FALL CRAFT SHOW

St Damian Parish of Westland is looking for crafters for its Fall Arts and Craft Show that will be held from 9 a m to 3 p m Saturday, Oct 13 throughout the school For more information, please call (734) 421-6130

CRAFT SHOW

St Theodore Catholic Church will hold their Annual Craft Show from 9 a m to 3 p m Oct 13 at the Parish Social Hall, 8200 N Wayne Road in Westland Table rental is \$20 Call Thelma (734) 464-9598 to reserve a table

CRAFT SHOW

Crafters are needed for St Aidan Catholic Church 18th Annual Craft Show Oct 13 in the activity center (17500 Farmington Road) Livonia Applications are available Call (248) 477-8942 or (734) 427-1457

CRAFT SHOW

Crafters wanted and tables are available for the Oct 19-21 Harvest Moon Craft Show at Livonia Mall Hundreds of crafts for sale Call (248) 476-1160

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Crafters needed for the 15th annual juried show Saturday, Oct 20 at West Middle School (44401 W Ann Arbor Trail) in Plymouth The show will run from 9 a m to 4 p m Call Terri (248) 349-5344

HOLIDAY CRAFT SHOW

A Holiday MarketPlace will be held from 10 a m to 4 p m Oct 20 at Canfield Center (1801 N Beech Daly Dearborn Heights) Crafts, unique items and holiday sales Crafters and direct sales consultants Call Bobie (313) 565-0836 for more information Tables are \$20

FALL CRAFT SHOW

Churchill High School PTSA is accepting applications for its 10th Annual Fall Craft Show from 10 a m to 4 p.m Saturday, Oct 20 We are located at 8900

Newburgh Road, just north of Joy Road Admission is \$2 If you would like an application or more information call (734) 523-

CRAFTS CALENDAR

CRAFTS AND MORE

A crafts and more sale will be held from 9 a m to 4 p m Oct 20 at St John's Episcopal Church (555 S Wayne Road) in Westland Call (734) 729-1605 for space or information

FALL CRAFT SHOW

Crafters are needed for a fall craft show from 10 a m to 4 p m Saturday, Oct 20 at St Martin's Episcopal Church (24699 Grand River) in Redford Contact Mary (734) 427-2213 or Martha (313) 561-2061

HOLIDAY BAZAAR

St Elizabeth Episcopal Church, 26431 W Chicago Road in Redford Township, will hold this special event 9 a m to 3 p m Saturday, Oct 27 at the church Vendors are needed Call (313) 937-2880

ANNUAL CRAFT SHOW

Our Redeemer Lutheran Church (24931 Union at Westwood) of Dearborn has tables available for its 20th Annual Craft Show on Saturday, Oct 27 Eight foot tables are \$25 Call (313) 562-9246 for information

CRAFTERS WANTED

St Robert Bellarmine at West Chicago and Inkster in Redford is sponsoring their annual Christmas Bazaar on Oct 27 (9 am to 3 pm) Table rental is \$25 for an 8 foot table If you would like a contract mailed to you call Nancy (313) 937-1741 or Evelyn (313) 533-5255

CRAFTERS SOUGHT

The "Home for the Holidays" Arts and Craft Show, sponsored by Farmington High School (32000 Shiawassee), is seeking crafters for its 12th annual show on Saturday, Nov 3, from 9 30 am to 430 pm For more information, call Susan Nichols at (248) 476-9674

CRAFTERS WANTED

Livonia Stevenson High School (33500 W Six Mile Road - west of Farmington) in Livonia presents their Holiday Happening Craft Show 10 a m to 4 30 p m Saturday, Nov 3 Approximately 150 crafters Concession lunch available, strollers welcome, lunch runners available for crafters Admission \$2 Call Barb (248) 478-2395 or Debbie (248) 476-0315

SCHOOLCRAFT FALL SHOW

Spaces are still available for Schoolcraft College Foundation Fall Craft Show Nov 10-11 The show is juried, and a limited number of exhibitors are accepted in each category to maintain a balanced representation in each craft Fee for a 12'x12' space is \$100, a 10'x10' space costs \$70, an 8'x9' space 1s \$55, and there is a \$55 fee for an 8'x4' hallway space Applications can

be obtained by calling Marketing and Development at 734-462-4417 Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile Roads just west of I-275

CRAFTERS WANTED

Crafters are needed for the 19th Annual Arts & Crafts Boutique at SS Simon and Jude Church (32500 Palmer Road) Westland from 9 a m to 4 p m Nov 10 Free door prizes, snack food, bake sale, crafts and more Call (734) 722-1343

CRAFTERS SOUGHT

Crafters are being sought for the Holiday Craft Show from 10 a m to 4 p m Nov 10-11 at the Wayne Ford Civic League in Westland (Wayne Road) 7x12 tables are \$35 Call Sharon (734) 722-4857

CRAFTERS NEEDED

Crafters are needed for the Fall Craft Show from 9 a m to 4 p m Saturday, Nov 10 at St Edith School (15089 Newburgh Road) ın Livonia Admission is \$1 10 x 8 spot \$42 00, electricity extra Homemade items only Call Diana (734) 462-6037 or Joann (734) 464-9370

CRAFTERS WANTED

Crafters wanted for the Mercy High School juried Arts & Crafts Show Reserve your spot today for the holiday show Nov 23-24 Call (248) 476-8020 ext 253 for information and an application

LOCAL EVENTS

■ The Health Ministry of St Colette Church (17600 Newburgh Road) in Livonia will sponsor guest speaker Donnette Joseph, CSW at 7 p m Sept 11

Joseph will discuss healthy aging, offer the Aging Quiz (is your chronological age synchronized with your biological clock), talk about what the five factors are effecting aging and

The event will be held in the social hall of the church For information about the event call St Colette Church (734) 464 4435

■ Please join Calvary Baptist Women's Ministries as they present "One Thing" with Kay Arthur — best selling author and cofounder of Precepts Ministries "How in the World Can I be Holy" is a women's event Saturday, Oct 27 at Calvary Baptist Church (43065 Joy Road) in Canton Doors open at 7 30 a m and includes praise and worship Write the church for a registration form, call (734) 455-0022 or visit www calvarybaptistcanton org

Proposed

Existing

Property

To build or not to build — Read the Real Estate section for the answers to all your questions

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR USE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL CONDITIONS PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

DATE OF HEARING: TIME OF HEARING: PLACE OF HEARING: **September 19, 2001** 7:00 P.M. Plymouth Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission has received a request from Plymouth Church of Christ to approve an addition and an expanded parking lot for an existing church, pursuant to Zoning Ordinance 83 The subject property is located at 9301 Sheldon Road which is on the east side of Sheldon south of Ann Arbor Road and north of Joy Application No 1683/0701 Tax I D No 058 99 0037 001 Questions may be directed to Community Development at (734) 453 8131 Ext 37 between 8 00 a m and 4 30 p m and written comments may be mailed to 46555 Port St Plymouth MI 48170 JOE BRIDGMAN

Secretary Planning Commission

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STORAGE USA

Notice is hereby given that on (SEPTEMBER 18, 2001), Tate & Co Auctioneers, Executive Administrator for Storage USA, will be offering for sale under the judicial lien process, by public auction, the following storage units The goods to be sold are generally described as household goods The terms of the sale will be cash only Storage USA reserves the right to refuse any and all bids The sale will be at the following location Storage USA, 6729 CANTON CENTER RD CANTON MI 48187 AT 12 30 PM

B22 Sadie McCrary Wood Fencing Dryer, Paint 4 Bikes, Misc Boxes Lawn Chairs, Toys, Tools, Furniture, Athletic Equipment, Misc Household

B56 Angela Bruton, 2 Entertainment Centers, Couch, Loveseat Futon Washer Dryer, Boxes, Dresser, Table, Nightstand, Misc Items

D110 Josephine Fakhoury 1 Yamaha OHC 650 Electric Motorcycle 1 Covered Car (Looks like Jag) Lawn Mower, Shovels, 2 ladders Misc Items D127 Bruce R Frandsen Refrigerator, Weight Bench, Christmas Boxes 2 Golf Club Bags w/Clubs, 5 Crates of Misc Items, Stackable Shelving, Microwave, Misc Items

1329 Allan John Cook Jeep Wrangler, Men's Bike, Bike Pump, Kerosene Can

J365 Brian Cramer, 2 Whirlpools, Windows, Score Board, Weight Bench 2 Beds, Kitchen Cabinets and Sink, Counter Tops Paint, Moving Equipment,

K405 James Cisek 3 Ladders Shovel Fan, Broom, 2 Rocking Chairs, Table Wheel Barrow, Buckets Wood, Quickrete Mason Mix, Misc Items

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WESTERN TOWNSHIPS UTILITIES AUTHORITY **BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS** REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS 3:00 P.M., MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 2001

Regular meeting called to order at 3 17 p m Present Thomas Yack, Steve Mann, Richard Henningsen

Agenda adopted as presented Minutes of the regular meeting of July 23, 2001 - approved Minutes of Study Session of August 3, 2001 approved

Minutes of Special Meeting of August 13, 2001 approved Schedule of operating expenses totaling \$1,105,554 37 approved Operations & Maintenance Report for July 2001 received and filed Director's Report for August 2001 received and filed

Martin Control Services, Contract Amendment approved Pump #3 Emergency Repairs received and filed and approved expenditures WTUA Proposed Budget Fiscal Year 2001/2002 approved

Proposed WTUA Schedule of Meetings (FY 2001/2002) - approved Grit Removal & Disposal From Sanitary Sewer Pump Stations Request To Advertise For bids approval to waive the requirements to advertise in the newspapers, due to the short time frame

MMRMA Insurance Policy Premium Increase approved

Award of Contract Painting of Upper End of Screw Pumps (Middle Rouge) approval to award a purchase order contract to L C United Painting of Sterling Heights Michigan

YCUA Plant Expansion Update received and filed Utility Deregulation Legal Counsel Services, Award of Contract - approval to award a contract to Hemming Polaczyk, Cronin, Smith & Witthoff, PC of Plymouth Michigan

The regular meeting was adjourned at 4 08 p m

THOMAS J YACK, Chairman This is a synopsis A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices located at 40905 Joy Road, Canton, MI 48187 Publish September 6 2001

PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE CITY OF PLYMOUTH, MICHIGAN WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2001 7:00 PM

A regular meeting of the Planning Commission will be held on Wednesday, September 12, 2001 at 7 00 PM, in the Commission Chambers of the City Hall to consider the following

PUBLIC HEARING

Proposed rezoning of various properties north of Ann Arbor Trail, Legal Description

The property to be considered for rezoning is situated in the area bounded by Ann Arbor Trail on the south, 150 feet west of Harvey Street on the west 150 feet north of Church Street on the north and the CSX Railroad on the

east	More particularly described	as the following pi	operties	
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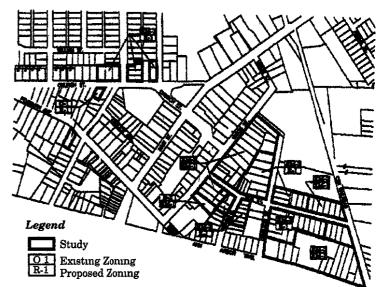
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PLEASE SEE THE ENCLOSED MAP



Summary of Zoning Classifications

R-1, Single Family Residential Rt 1, Two Family Residential

RM-1, Multiple Family Residential (low density, 2 story maximum height) RM 2, Multiple Family Residential (higher density over 2 story maximum

O-1, Office (low density, 2 story maximum height) B 2, Central Business District

Additional Zoning district information can be found at the City of Plymouth Web Site, WWW.ci.plymouth.mi.us, or call the Building Department at (734) 453 1234 extension 232 if you have any questions

All interested persons are invited to attend and comment

If you cannot attend the Public Hearing, written comments may be sent to the City of Plymouth Planning Commission at 201 S Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan, 48170

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Carol Stone, ADA Coordinator 201 S Main Street Plymouth, MI 48170 (734) 453 1234 x206

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REUNIONS

As space permits, the Observer

& Eccentric Newspapers print, without charge, announcements of class reunions Send the information to Reunions, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livo nia 48150 Please include the date of the reunion, one contact person, and a telephone num

ANDOVER

class of 1981 A reunion is planned for Oct 6 at the Marriott Hotel in Troy Call Reunions Made Easy (248)

AVONDALE (AUBURN HILLS)

■ Class of 1966 A 35-year reunion is planned for Oct 6 at the Holiday Inn Select ın Auburn Hılls Call Ken Hebel (248) 852-2529 or kenhebel@hotmail com or Sany Gabert Auten (248) 852-0538 or e-mail auten@oakland edu

Class of 1991 A reunion is planned for Sept 22 at Club Monte Carlo Visit www lmembers tripod com/ahsre union/ or call Jennifer (Ennis) Schoenherr (248) 615-1535

BIRMINGHAM

■ Class of 1956 A 45th reunion is planned for Oct 26 28 at the Kingsley Inn (Bloomfield Hills) Rooms \$79/ night \$65 per person or per \$120 couple Contact barbaradrısko@hotmail.com or Barbara Rollzien (810) 794-9171

BENEDICTINE

■ Class of 1976 A 25th reunion is planned for Oct 13 at the Piemontese Social Club in Farmington Hills Classmates are being sought Call (313) 387-1615 or visit classmates com

BENTLEY **■** Class of 1951

A pre-banquet get together is planned for Friday, Oct 26, at the Quality Inn - Plymouth (Ann Arbor Road) The reunion ban quet is set for Saturday, Oct 27 at the Hawthorne Valley Coun try Club (Merriman Road, Westland) Dinner reservations are necessary A reunion cruise has also been planned from Nov 4-9 The ship will depart from Miami and visit Key West, Florida,

Playa Del Carmen, Mexico, have a day at sea, and last stop is Cozumel, Mexico before returning to Miami Call Alice (Rollins) Stewart (734) 451-2037 or Don LaMay (734) 421-6032 or e-mail bentleydon@aol com

■ Class of 1960-61 Bentley High School classes of 1960-61 will host "The Last Dance Sock Hop" from 7 p m to midnight at the Bentley gymna sium Other Bentley classes and friends are invited Call Kay (734) 427-8796

DEBKIEV

■ Class of 1951 The January and June classes of 1951 are having their 50th reunion on Sept 21 at the Embassy Suites in Troy There is also a day after party on Sept 22 Call (248) 547 6489 or (248)

375-0037 ■ Class of 1971 A reunion is planned for Nov 24 at the Northfield Hilton Call Class Reunions Plus (810) 446-

BELLEVILLE

■ Classes 1960-69 A mega class reunion is planned for Saturday, Sept 29 for class mates from the 1960s The event will be held at the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza near Detroit Metro Airport in Romulus Call (734) 697 9123 (ext 209) or (734) 697-9133 for details

■ Class of 1991 A reunion is planned for Nov 10 at Weber's Inn of Ann Arbor Call Reunions Made Easy (248)

BIRD ELEMENTARY

Bird Elementary School will celebrate 50 years of learning with a 50's style party and open house noon to 4 p m on Saturday, Sept 22 at the school, 220 Sheldon Road (northwest corner of Sheldon and Ann Arbor Trail) Parents, students, alumni, for mer administrators, teachers and support staff are invited to attend For more information contact the Bird School office at (734) 416-3100 or the Bird 50th hotline at (734) 454 0487

BISHOP BORGESS

■ Class of 1971 Reunion is planned for Oct 26-27 at the Livonia Holiday Inn Call (800) 677 7800, visit www taularreunians com ar e-

mail info@taylorreunions com or culbertson@taylorreunions com or write Taylor Reumon Ser vices PO Box 597, Dallas, TX 75221-9929

CANTON/SALEM

■ Class of 1976 A 25th reunion is planned for Sept 29 Contact Karen (734) 459-7208 or e-mail cantonsalem76@aol com

■ Class of 1991 A reunion is planned for Nov 10 at Burton Manor in Livonia Call Class Reunions Plus (810) 446

CATHOLIC CENTRAL

■ Class of 1961

For information about the Girls Catholic Central of Detroit 40th reunion, call Jan Seefeld (248) 398 7777 or Nancy Nowak Kush (313) 291-1165

CHADSEY

■ Class of 1952 A "golden anniversary" reunion

is in the early planning stages Alumni are being asked to call and share their interest in attending a reunion Call Florence A Azzopardı (313) 937-1246

CHURCHILL

■ Class of 1991

A reunion is planned for Sept 15 at Burton Manor in Livonia Call Class Reunions Plus (810) 446-9636

CLARENCEVILLE

■ Class of 1981

Classes 1980-1982 are welcome to celebrate a 20 year reunion, 6 p m Saturday, Sept 22 at Livonıa Holiday Inn West, at 6 Mile and I-275 Festivities begin Friday, Sept 21 with a golf outing at Foxcreek in Livonia, a home football game and party after-Latronica Car 704

362-8826 or (248) 473-8940 for more information, or to share other classmates addresses

CLAWSON

Class of 1951 Classes of 1950-52 are also welcome The event is planned for Sept 15 at the Northfield Hilton Call (248) 528-3058

CODY

Class of 1981

A reunion is planned for Nov 17 at the Doubletree Guest Suites, Southfield Call Reunions Made Easy (248) 592-9565

COUSINO

■ Class of 1981

A reunion is planned for Sept 22

at Zuccaro's in Clinton Township Call Class Reunions Plus (810) 446 9636

DEARBORN H.S. Class of 1961

A 40th reunion is planned for Oct 20 at The Park Place in Dearborn Organizers are look ing for alumni addresses Call Peggy (313) 274-8785 or e-mail classof61@dearbornhigh org

DETROIT BURT/ELEMENTARY January Class of 1948

Classmates are being sought for a reunion of the January Class of Detroit Burt School Elemen tary Contact Mildred Smith-Webster (313) 561-7276 or Gina Stocker-Alexander (313) 794-4997

DETROIT CODY

■ Class of 1961

A 40-year reunion is planned for Sept 22 at the Novi Doubletree Call Rita (248) 348 7437 or Connie (734) 425-7094 Visit Cody61 org online

DENBY

■ Class of 1951

A 50th reunion is planned from o-10 pm Oct rat rennas or Sterling Heights Contact Rose mary (Rehn) Trapp (248) 681-8294 or e-mail

www rrtrap@aol com

DETROIT EASTERN

■ Classes 1941-51 All grads to Class of 1951 will be honoring classes 1941 and 1951 on Sunday, Oct 7 at the Ukranıan Cultural Center (Warren) We need your name on the mailing list Call (248) 879-0490 or (810) 977 9046 or (313) 881-9820

DIVINE CHILD

■ Class of 1991

A reunion is planned for Oct 13 at Hawthorne Valley Country

Club Contact Michelle (Ward) Overaitis (734) 844-8920 or email mward47049@aol com

DOMINICAN

■ Class of 1956 A 45 year reunion is planned for the weekend of Sept 28-30 at the Bavarian Inn in Franken-

muth Call (810) 558-8599

446-9636

DONDERO ■ Class of 1991 A reunion is planned for Nov 23 at the Northfield Hilton in Troy Call Class Reunions Plus (810)

DWIGHT EISENHOWER

■ Class of 1991 Reunion is planned for Nov 23 at the Sterling Inn Call (800)

677-7800, visit www taylorreunions com or e-mail info@taylorreunions com or culbertson@taylorreunions com

or write Taylor Reunion Services, PO Box 597, Dallas, TX 75221-9929

EDISON ELEMENTARY

■ Class of 1948 A reunion of the 8th grade class from 1948 will be held in Traverse City Oct 10 we are tooking for classmates some went on to Cooley H S and others Redford H S Call Carolyn Churchill Wessel (800) 444 5633 or e mail wesselc@avci net

FERNDALE

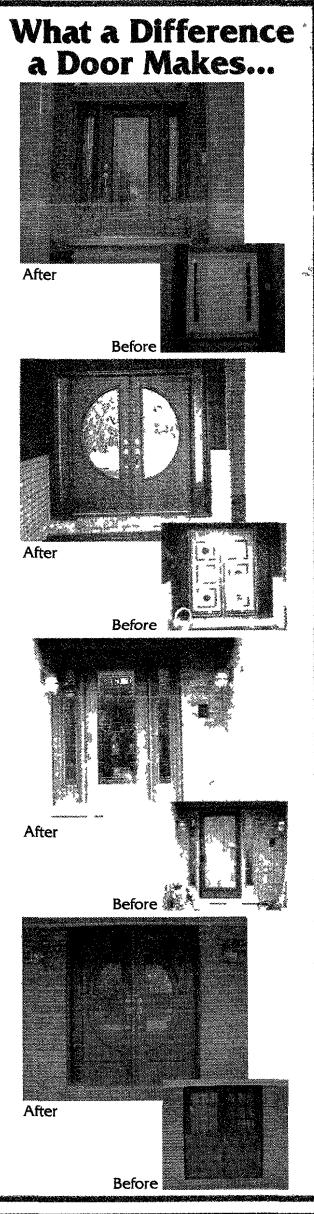
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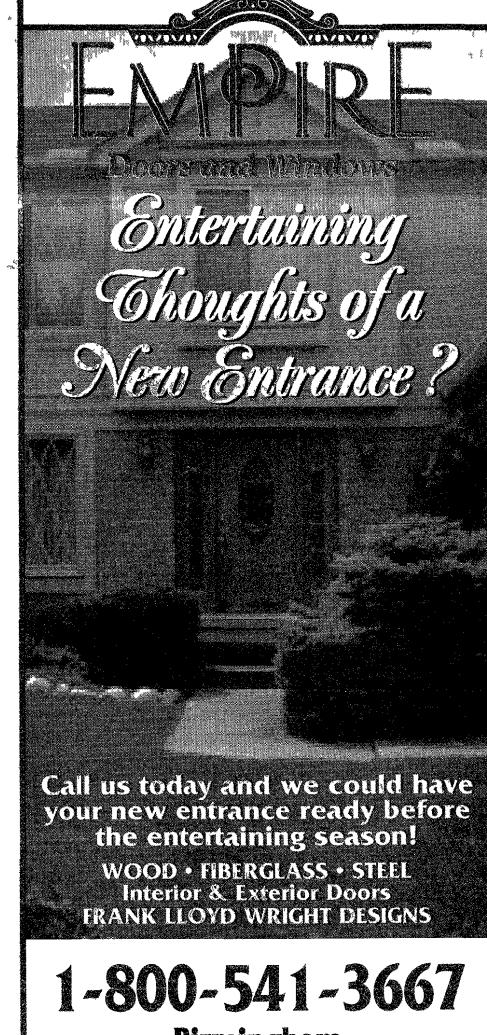
9565 ■ Class of 1981

A reunion is planned for Nov 23 at Club Venetian, Madison Heights Call Class Reunions Plus (800) 548 6666

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Birmingham

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Main Factory Showroom

9125 Telegraph (between Joy and West Chicago) Open Mon.-Tues. 10-6, Wed.-Sat 9-6



Power aid

Siena Heights men's soccer team came away with a pair of wins last weekend, beating Notre Dame College 10 in Manchester, NH, and New England College 5-0 in Henniker, NH

The two wins gave the Saints a 2-0 record for the season Andy Power, a senior midfielder for Siena Heights, collected an assist in each of the victories, both coming on goals by Sam Skeels - including his goal (the only one of the game) in the opening half of Saturday's win over Notre Dame College

Ocelot cross country

Sahaalaraft Callaga's 11 aman's anass country team, coached by Nancy Gavoor, put all five of its runners in the top 45 at last Saturday's Eastern Michigan University Cross Country Open

Tops on the SC list was Stacey Cohenour, who placed 25th in 20 20 Next best was Gabrielle Crandall, 32nd (20 46), Adrienne Metz, 36th (21 04), Mandy Hein, 38th (21 26), and Christine Smith, 44th (22 20)

Runners from the University of Toledo, Western Michigan, Michigan and Concordia

Chiefs' boosters

The Canton Chiefs Football Booster Club will host their monthly meeting at 7 pm Wednesday (Sept 12) in Room 165 of Canton HS Parents of all present and future Canton football players (including eighth graders) are welcome

For more information, call Angela Koerner at (734) 416-9120

Tryouts

Tryouts for a newly formed Michigan Indi ans 12 and under trave! baseball team will be at 1 p m Sunday Sept 9 at Massey Field in Plymouth The team will play approximately 50 games next summer including Little Cae sars League and tournaments

For mole information call Ben Kosmalsk at 734 416 1151 o e mai Bob C eary at re eary79@med aone net

The Canton Community Junior Baseball and Softball Association's (CCJBSA) 13 and under boys travel baseball teams will have try outs for the 2002 season at 10 am Sept 8 at Flodin Park located off Saltz. The team will play 40 plus games plus tournaments

For more information call Dan Boylan at (734) 981 4855 Dave Giove at (734) 981 4471 or Ron Myers at (734) 459-4026

The Canton Cardinals 11 and under travel baseball team will have a tryout for its 2002 squad at 9 a m Saturday and again at 5 p m next Sunday (Sept 9) at McClumpha Field No 2 in Plymouth Township Park The team will play in Little Caesars a 40-50 game schedule including five tournaments

For further information call Kevin Betz at (734) 397 5995

■ The Canton Cardinals 12 and under baseball team will have a tryout for its 2002 team at 6 p m Sept 9 at McClumpha Field No 4 in Plymouth Township Park The team will play in Little Caesars a 40-50 game schedule including five tournaments

For more information call Don Plester at (734) 453 7089

A final tryout for a newly formed 11 and under travel baseball team will be from 13 p m Sunday at McClumpha Park in Plymouth

For more information call Steve Estes 844-1233 or Larry Ott 981 4280

Bing Roast

Former Detroit Pistons guard and NBA Hall of Famer Dave Bing will be roasted Thursday, Sept 13 to at International Banquet and Conference Center at the Atheneum, 1000 Brush Avenue, Detroit

The program will benefit Michigan AAU Boys Basketball (Team Michigan)

A reception will begin at 6 p m followed by dinner at 6 45 pm and a program at 8 p m Individual tickets are \$100 Corpo-

rate tables for 10 are \$1,200 Pistons broadcaster George Blaha

will be master of ceremonies Among the roasters include Lem

Barney, Mel Farr, Ray Scott and Benny White Tickets must be reserved by Monday, Sept 10

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Correction

In Sunday's Plymouth and Canton Observer, the Canton football player on B1 was incorrectly identified, due to incorrect information provided us The player was Reggie Joyner

Salem shuts down Franklin



Now it gets interesting. After losing twice in its opening weekend, Salem has won a pair and tied the defending state co-champion. Included in the Rocks' streak was Tuesday's shutout of WLAA rival Livonia Franklin.

They got an early goal They got a late goal And they had Tavio in goal All that added up to a 2-0 victory for

Plymouth Salem's soccer team in a Western Lakes Activities Association crossover match against Livonia Franklın Tuesday at Franklın The win boosted the Rocks' record to

3-2-1 overall, 1-0 in the WLAA Franklin is 2-4 overall

Kevin Peurasaari scored Salem's first goal in the opening half, with an assist from Shane Smith The clincher

came from Kevin Savitskie in the sec ond half, with an assist from Brian

For keeper Tavio Palazzolo, the shutout was his first of the season

CC stumbles

It was a different story with the same result for Redford Catholic Central on Tuesday afternoon as the Shamrocks lost to Toledo St John -CC's third 1-0 loss in as many games

"But out of our three games, this was our best one by far," said CC coach Dana Orsucci "There's very little to complain about, other than not putting the ball into the net We created more offense today than we had in the last two games combined We need to keep finishing and see what happens"

The only goal came with eight minutes left in the contest as Chris Sullivan snuck a diving header past Shamrocks' goalie Ryan Koet

"Ryan has been our best player so far," said Orsucci "He's done a wonderful job and has been phenominal He made some saves that were just out-

"John Show and Glenn Biddinger played very well at midfield too This was our best team performance overall There were many more positives today than the first two games



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> Salem keeper Tavio Palazzolo earned his first shutout of the season as the Rocks blanked Livonıa Franklın Tuesday

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Rocks, Chiefs better

BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR cjrisak@oe.homecomm.net

Strength in numbers? If that's true, Plymouth Salem's cross country team figures to be a powerhouse this fall The Rocks have 40 runners on the team this season, a dozen of them with experience

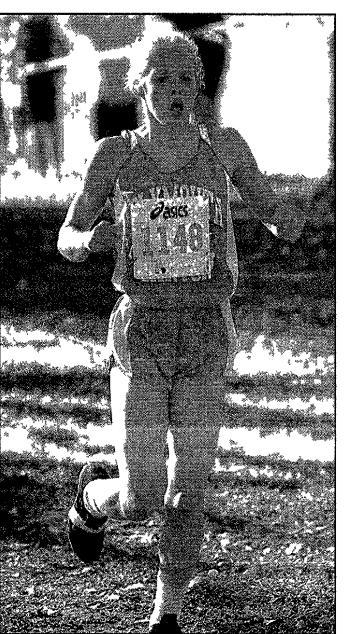
Last year was a rebuilding year for us," said Salem coach Dave Gerlach "We had a solid team effort, but no true frontrunner to score us low points, which ultimately hurt us in the league and region "

Salem finished fifth in the Western Lakes Activities Association and fourth at the state regional meet, without a single runner qualifying for state meet

It should be a bit different this season, although the Rocks' strength will be the same depth "We have 14 to 16 individuals on our squad (who) have a legitimate shot at being in the top seven said Gerlach The intersquad com petition we will have this sea son will be intense at competitions and practice, which will only make us stronger "

Runners returning with two years experience include seniors Kim Wood, the Rocks top finisher at the WLAA meet (12th in 21 28 6), Jill Grey and Jackie Gauthier, and junior Lauren Loftus Others with experience are juniors Stephanie Hajduk (16th at the WLAA meet, 21 39 8), Lusa Keski-Hynnila, Erın Jensen, Sheena Haddad and Jessica Carlson, and sophomores Kristin Mastic, Halle Burton and Katie Dondzila

There are loads of promising newcomers, too, including some who may have an immediate impact on the team Among them are senior Kara Dendrinos, sophomores Lianne Griffiths and Sara Loewe, and freshman Lauren Kane



Top returnee: Canton's Mary Maloney, now a junior, finished fifth at last season's WLAA championships

Gerlach, who is entering his seventh year as Salem's coach, believes this team could develop into a title contender Indeed, the Rocks' goals haven't changed "To improve on last year's performances, compete for the WLAA title, qualify for the state finals as a team and be as competitive as possible in the division and invitational competitions "

That may not be so easy Livonia Stevenson will be extremely tough once again, as will Livonia Churchill Those two powerhouses figure to battle it out for the WLAA championship

But there is a host of others who could mount a challenge, including Salem Others are Northville, Walled Lake Central, North Farmington and

"As you can see, we believe that the WLAA this season is going to be loaded," said Ger lach "We could finish any where from first to eighth in the conference

"The team that stays healthy and develops five solid runners is going to win the league'

How quickly the Rocks develop will be a key to their season - the league portion of which opens at 4 p m today with a WLAA quad meet against Northville Central and Livonia Franklin at Cass

Plymouth Canton

Canton has what Salem has been lacking some frontrun ners But the Chiefs haven't been able to field a team as deep as the Rocks

Which is why Canton placed sixth, one spot behind Salem, at last season's WLAA meet Mary Maloney, then a sopho more, was the Chiefs top finisher, placing fifth overall at the meet (21 03 9)

Maloney's back for her junior year, and there's plenty more talent joining her Like Rachel Lindman, a senior, who missed much of last sea-

son with an injury but was still able to finish among the top 30 at the conference finals, and Pam Reasor, a junior with loads of potential

Canton coach John Venning is counting on those three -- in part -- to carry the Chiefs closer to the upper tier of

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SPORTS NEWS

Farmington schools may leave league

By DAN O'MEARA STAFF WRITER

Farmington Public Schools has approached the Oakland Activities Association about the possibility of joining that league in the near future

Farmington is a member of the Western Lakes Activities Association, which plans to expand from 12 schools at present to 15 m the next three years

FPS Athletic Director Brian Swinehart has been a leading figure in the WLAA's attempt to realign and create more parity among its members

Swinehart, FPS superintendent Robert Maxfield and the principals of Farmington's three high schools met last week to discuss that plan and how it will affect FPS sports programs

The result was a decision to look into a move to the OAA as a more acceptable alternative

"We've made no decision to leave," Swinehart said "We sat down and talked about it, if we want to pursue it We do want to explore the option going into the OAA

"If we're going to do this, we need to notify the (other Western Lakes) A D s right away, so we're not playing games We don't want to tell them at the last minute we're doing anything like that

"We informed the ADs we're looking into the possibility of going to the OAA Swinehart said FPS sent "a let-

ter of interest" to the OAA on Tuesday, and Farmington will have to go through an application and approval process with the

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COLLEGE SOCCER Madonna loses top goal scorer Injuries can be devastating. And they have been, as far as Madonna University's men's soccer

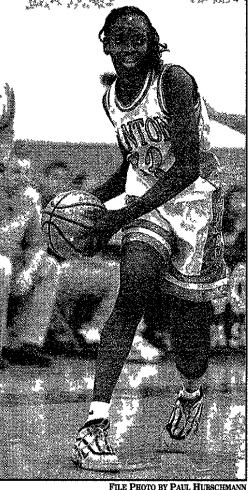
In the Fighting Crusaders season-opener against Saginaw Valley State Aug. 28. Salvatore Piraine scored the only goal of the game, giving

Madonna a 1-0 victory in a match played at the Farmington's Founders Park. The goal made Piraine Madonna's all-time leader in goals scored It was also the last goal of the year. Piraine tore his quadriceps muscle and will be lost for the sea-

He isn't the only player felled by injury for Madonna, although the others aren't as serious. Defender P.J. Stranahan and midfielder Gary Bellare both out with injuries.

Which is why Madonna is 2-2, having lost a pair of heartbreakers over the weekend. Twice the Crusaders let leads get away from them, eventually falling 4-3 to Indiana Wesleyan Monday at Livonia Ladywood.

Nick Szczechowski (from Plymouth Salem) scored twice in the first 23 minutes, the first on a Please see COLLEGE SOCCER, D5



Point-producer: Canton's Jessica Johnson scored eight points in her team's win over Howell Tuesday

PREP BASKETBALL

Salem defense stops Pioneers

for Plymouth Salem's girls basketball team Tuesday, which limited Ann Arbor Pioneer to 16 points in the first three quarters en route to a 43-31 victory at Pioneer "We were solid defensively,"

said Salem coach Fred Thomann "I'll tell ya, Pioneer is dogonne athletic But I thought our skill was better than theirs

"We fought for every rebound and every loose ball we could get "

The Rocks, now 2-0, built a 11-6 lead after one quarter and were up 18-12 at the half After the Pioneers scored the first two baskets of the third quarter to narrow the gap to two. Salem went on a tear, scoring 14 straight points to make it 32-16

Mary Lou Liebau did most

Defense was the difference of the damage for the Rocks, scoring nine first-quarter points and 15 overall, she also grabbed 10 rebounds Kelly Jaskot added nine points and seven assists, and Laura Baumgart totaled six points and seven boards

Pioneer (now 2-1) got nine points from Kari Romans, eight from Candice Davis and seven from Krystal Patton Free throws were a major

difference in the game Salem converted 12-of 23, Pioneer was 2-of-9

Canton 46, Howell 35: A 16-6 surge in the second quarter carried Plymouth Canton to a win Tuesday at Canton

The Chiefs improved to 2-1 The Highlanders fell to 1-2 Howell had an 11-10 lead

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Stumble start

Madonna loses a pair; SC reigns in tourney

For a team with such high hopes coming into the season, this wasn't the kind of start first-year coach Mark Zathey had envisioned

The Crusaders, who reached the NAIA Tournament semifinals before losing last season, were beaten twice in three games during a four day span last weekend Madonna lost its season opener at Lindsey Wilson 3 1 last Wednesday (Aug 31) in Columbia, Ky, then rebounded to drop Nova Southeastern 4-1 on Friday in Davie, Fla

The trip ended with a 2 1 loss to St Thomas Saturday in Miami

SOCCER

In the loss to Lindsey Wilson, Madonna had the early lead on a goal by Sarah Pack (from Can ton/Westland John Glenn) at the 12 29 mark of the first half The goal was unassisted as Pack broke loose on a breakaway and beat Wilson keeper Johanna

But that was it for Madonna's highlights Wilson knotted it before halftime with a goal by Kristy Marr with 5 29 to go, then pulled away with second-half goals by Rae Ann Elder and

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Lindsey Wilson (1 0) outshot Madonna 19 9 Lady Crusaders' keeper Jennifer Barker (Livonia Stevenson) made four saves

Against Nova Southeastern, Madonna dominated outshooting their opponent 17 9 and scoring three first half goals

Pack again opened the scoring with a goal at the 19 31 mark following a great pass from Michelle Vettraino (Livonia Stevenson), who got the assist Emily Jackson (Farmington Harrison) made it 2 0 in Madonna's favor less than five minutes later, with Pack earning the assist with a centering pass And with just under two minutes left in the half Recky Guihard increased the Crusader lead to 3-0, this time with Nicole Allevato centering the ball

Margo Miller got Nova on the board with a penalty kick goal with 4 15 remaining Megan Thiry avenged that score for Madonna with a goal with 141 left to play Jamie Scott (Livonia Churchill) assisted

Barker had two stops in the net for the Crusaders Karrie Ripple and Katherine Wintle divided time in goal for Nova, which fell to 02

In the loss to St Thomas, Madonna surrendered two goals in the first 26 minutes and could not recover — even though the Crusaders outshot the host team 12 3 Julie Villamil and Emelie Petersson scored goals for St

Madonna trimmed the deficit to one with a goal by Vettraino with less than 39 minutes left, Scott assisted But the Crusaders could not get the equaliz-

Madonna is idle until Sept 14, when it travels to Indiana Wes-

SC wins tourney

So how good is Schoolcraft College's soccer squad? If last weekend's tournament at the College of DuPage in Glen Ellyn, Ill, is an accurate indication, make reservations for the NJCAA

Tournament in November The Lady Ocelots survived their one true test of the weekend, edging Iowa Central 2-1 on Saturday Sunday's match was a matter of who would score the most, and SC won 10-0 over Bethany Lutheran (Minn)

The two wins, and SC's margin of victory Sunday, earned it the tournament championship It also improved the Ocelots overall record to 4-0

In the win over Iowa Central, SC trailed 1-0 before striking for a pair of goals before halftime Chelsie Rustin scored the first, off an assist by Kristen Hait, to knot it at 1-1 Krystn Freeman got the game-winner, assisted by Toni Perry

SC had a 19-9 advantage in shots on goal

The game against Bethany Lutheran was completely different "His strategy was to pack everyone back and fill the box," said SC coach Bill Tolstedt of the Lutheran coach "I was a little disappointed we didn't recognize what they were trying to do in the first half

"We adjusted extremely well in the second half"

That the Ocelots did, going from a 2-0 halftime advantage to a 10-0 victory Freeman and Maria Wissman each scored two goals for SC, with Christy Cole, Erin Matson, Erin Perkovich, Katie Weber, Sarah McMasters and Perry adding single scores

The Ocelots had a 50-0 shot advantage

It should be a test this week end for SC, with games against the College of St Louis-Florissant Valley on Saturday and unbeaten College of DuPage on

Crusaders get a split; St. Clair tops Ocelots

Madonna University s trip west ended with mixed results
The Lady Crusaders volleyball team competed in the
Point Loma Nazarene Tourna ment in San Diego and fin ished up splitting their four matches. Madonna won its opener, beating Robert Morris (Ill.) 80-15, 30 21, 30-16 last Friday before losing to host Point Loma 30 22, 30 19, 30-21

On Saturday, the Crusaders started with a 30-27, 30-26, 30-26 victory over California Baptist That got them to the finals, but they couldn't get past Biola University (La Mirada Calif.), which won in straight sets, 30-24, 30-27, 30-

The 2-2 split left Madonna with a 4-4 overall record Point Loma is ranked second, Biola

In the loss to Biola, Kate LeBlanc from Livonia Stevenson) paged the Crusaders with 12 kills she also had five digs Tera Morrill (Westland/Livonia Franklin) contributed 10 kills (a 350 kill percentage), two service aces and a team-high 12 digs and Jennie Wind had 27 set assists and four blocks Hayley Myers (462) and Donna Birkenhier (583) each added seven kills, with Birken hier also getting five digs

In Madonna's win over California, Restiert Saturday

fornia Baptist Saturday, LeBlane led the way with 13 kills (435), while Myers (615) and Bukenhier (692) each had nine kills and Jennifer Frost had eight. Myers also had three blocks and Birkenhier had four, while Frost had two blocks and 11 thgs

Marylu Hemme (Plymouth/Livonia Ladywood) and Denise Gallagher paced Madonna with 12 digs apiece, and Amanda Suder (Plymouth Salem) had two service ares and eight dies, Wind totaled 32 set assists and eight dies Frost led the Crusaders with

14 kills (440) in the loss to

VOLLEYBALL

Point Loma she also had eight digs and two blocks. Morrill had seven kills and eight digs Hemme had three aces. Birkenhier had five blocks and five digs and Gallagher had 11

Frost's 13 kills (.722) topped Madonna in the win over Robert Morris Morrill had 12 (435) and Birkenhier 10 (.571). Morrill and Hemme each had 12 digs, while Frost and Gallagher got 10 apiece. Natalie Sayre had three aces while Suder had two aces and eight digs, and Wind finished with 38 set assists.

St. Clair stops SC

At its season-opening tourcraft College proved to be up to the challenge of all its oppo-nents — except host St. Clair County CC

16, 32 30, Owens Tech 30-20, 30-11, Mott CC 30-22, 30-24, and Grand Rapids CC again 30-20, 30-242

However, in their two meetings with St. Clair — the defending NJCAA Division II champion— SC came up short, losing 31-29, 30-26 and 30-27, 30 26 Leaders for the Occlots in

the tournament were Andrea Kmet (Livonia Franklin) with 68 kılls (a .297 kill percentage), 14 service aces, 47 digs age), 14 service aces, 47 digs and 13 blocks; Fran Hamilton with 58 kills, 14 aces and 53 digs, Noelle Swartz (Westland John Glenn) with 32 kills (293), 29 digs and 18 blocks; Kerstin Marshall (Franklin) with 16 kills and 21 blocks; Ioana Vescan with 89 set assists 11 aces and 29 digs, and Kellie Kern with 82 set assists 10 kills, nine aces, 51 digs and six blocks. digs and six blocks.

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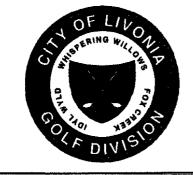
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Canton faces a challenge; can Salem win?



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Day Labor weekend is over, now it's time to get down to the real work at hand

The Observer sports staff has done a pretty good job so far picking these high school football games

through the first two weeks of the

season East Lansing's 28-21 victory Friday night over Redford Catholic Central caught everyone by surprise East Lansing had a bye the first week, while CC opened with a 37-17 win over Traverse City West at the Ponti-

ac Silverdome And only counterpart C J Risak had the foresight to pick against the grain, going with Northville to beat Westland

John Glenn (13-7)

Yours truly went 13-2 last week to lead the pack I am 26-5 overall followed by Dan O'Meara, 24-7, Risak, 23-8, and Paul Beaudry, 23-8

Rısak also went 12-3 m Week No 2, while O'Meara finished 11-4 and Beaudry 10-5

Divisional play starts this week, so there's more at stake, but thank goodness there are no Thursday night games

Here is a look at this week's action

FRIDAY GAMES

(all 7 30 p m unless noted) Wayne (1-1, 0-1) at Dbn. Edsel Ford (0-2, 0-0), 7 p m Both teams are struggling out of the gate Edsel is coming off losses to Woodhaven (24-0) and Madi son Heights Bishop Foley (49 14) Wayne minus quarterback Zach Lappan (injured) and running back Darian Mitchell (grades) fell last week to Dear born 490 in its Mega Conference White Division opener Wayne also lost

picked up a win when it was discovered the Eagles used an ineligible player PICKS Wayne — Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

Garden City (1-1, 0-1) at Believille (1-1, 10), 7 p.m · Another tough Mega Red Division test awaits the Cougars who lost last week to Dearborn Fordson 20 0 Belleville is coming off a 34 25 win over Wyandotte as quarterback Jer riel Burrus threw an 80 yard touchdown pass and returned a kickoff 91 vards for another TD PICKS Belleville - Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

Thurston (1-1, 0-1) at Redford Union (1-1, 0-0), 7 pm Thurston last year RU in 1999 Thurston is coming off a 13-7 loss to Southgate while RU broke an 11 game skid with a 33 18 triumph over Dearborn Heights Robichaud as Billy Suchyta rushed for 100 yards and Chris Rigley threw two TD passes PICKS. Thurston — Emons O Meara RU - Beaudry Risak

Liv Churchill (11, 00) at Liv Franklin (1-1, 0-0) It s the WLAA West ern Division opener for both teams Franklin has ruled the series for quite some time. Churchill is coming off a 35 12 loss to Walled Lake Central The Chargers trailed 28 0 at halftime Mean while Franklin stayed close for a half trailing 87 before losing 297 to rival Livonia Stevenson PICKS Franklin -Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

Westland Glenn (11, 00) at Liv Stevenson (1-1, 0-0) The winner of this game usually has a great shot at win ning the WLAA's Lakes Division title Glenn was upset last week by Northville 13-7 despite outgaining the Mustangs 230 108 in total yards Stevenson getting two starters back this week played a strong second half to beat rival Franklin 297 PICKS John Glenn — Emons Beaudry O Meara

Farm Harrison (2-0, 0 0) at W L. Western (20, 0-0): This is supposed to be one of the tests on No 1 Harrison s schedule But everybody knows this is not a vintage Western team ala 1996 or 1999 Everybody knows however this is a vintage Hawk squad PICKS Harrison - Emons Beaudry O Meara

N Farmington (0-2, 0-0) at Ply Salem (02.00) Salem rookie coach Bob Cummings is seeking his first win with the Rocks and the opportunity doesn't get any more golden than this one North apparently heading to easier venues next year in the OAA has been outscored 84-12 in its first two games Meanwhile Salem has been outpointed 80 13 PICKS: Salem - Emons

O Meara Risak North - Beaudry W.L Central (1-1, 0-0) at Farmington (0-2, 0 0). Eyebrows were raised the first week when Milford downed Lakes Division favorite Central 34-14 But the Vikings bounced right back with a lopsided win last week over Churchill 35 12 Farmington also headed for easier venues next year in the OAA has been outscored 84 14 in its first two games PICKS Central - Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

Ply Canton (2-0, 0-0) at Northville (2 0, 00) The Chiefs have been impres sive so far and earned a top 10 ranking (deservedly so) Canton routed North Farmington 420 as Dane Kobus rushed for 163 yards and three TDs Northville meanwhile took advantage of turnovers and dodged a bullet in beat ing a formidable Westland John Glenn squad PICKS Canton - Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

SATURDAY GAMES (all at 1 p m unless noted)

Clarenceville (2-0, 2-0) at Roch. Hills Lutheran N'west (0-2, 0-2) The Trojans have to find ways from getting bored because the Metro Conference doesn t present a lot of challenges Lutheran Northwest is coming off a 43-0 loss to Lutheran North a team Clarenceville whipped in the opener 316 PICKS --Clarenceville — Emons O Meara Risak

G P Liggett (2-0, 2-0) at Luth. West land (2-0, 1-0). The Warriors are the sur prise of the young season after wins over Detroit East Catholic (24 0) and Hamtramck (31.6) Liggett is coming off an 86 win over Lutheran East as Charles Lowe scored the game winning TD from just one yard out with 47 seconds left PICKS Luth Westland -Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

St Agatha (1-1, 0-0) vs Light & Life (2-0, 00) at Taylor Kennedy The Aggres led by All Area runner Dan Boul ter whipped the unified team of St Alphonsus and Urban Lutheran last Sat urday 41 18 Taylor Light & Life is com ing off a 30 8 win over Detroit Holy Redeemer as quarterback Kyle Cline passed for 199 yards and two TDs Both teams were in the playoffs last year PICKS Agatha — Emons Beaudry O Meara Light & Life - Risak

Bishop Borgess (20,00) at Det Benedictine (1-1, 0-0), 2 p.m Benedictine led by former Detroit Chadsey coach Charles Spann is loaded with transfers The Ravens beat Detroit Mackenzie in their opener before falling last week to Morence 21 12 Borgess paced by speedy DeJuan Kea and Darryl Anglin beat Adrian Madison last week 248 PICKS Borgess - Beaudry O Meara Benedictine — Emons Risak

Redford CC (11,00) vs OL St Mary's (2-0, 00), 7 pm at RU's Kraft Field The winner has a leg up in the Catholic League's Central Division CC's customary stingy defense has been absent in the first two games. The Shamrocks have given up 45 points along with 220 yards in rushing last week to Antoine Bagwell in a 28 21 defeat at East Lansing OLSM is coming off a 31 20 victory over Country Day as John Payne rushed for 136 yards PICKS CC - Emons Beaudry Risak St. Mary's - 0 Meara

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PREP FOOTBALL Friday, Sept 7

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OAA board of governors, which is composed of principals in that league

If Farmington is accepted by the OAA, Swinehart said it will leave the Western Lakes, and the move would probably take effect in the fall of 2002

"We wouldn't be doing these things if we weren't interested in going to the OAA," he said "If we did something like this and ended up staying in the WLAA, there would be hard feelings

"We have to feel it's something we're pretty interested in before we take this step Obviously, we're strongly considering it "

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Swinehart said FPS will conduct a public forum later this month for coaches and parents to express their thoughts and to hear the pros and cons of such a

"We can't make a decision that will impact those two groups without talking to them first," he said

Farmington coaches are believed to be widely in favor of going to the OAA Swinehart had a coaches meeting a couple years ago, and all but one of 30-some who attended liked the idea

But it was the position of Swinehart and FPS at that time

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to work with the WLAA first and try to devise a plan for re-alignment that would create parity among its members

The WLAA athletic directors proposed a plan to be imple mented in 2004 when there would be 15 schools Wayne Memorial and new schools in Walled Lake and Plymouth-Canton will join the league in the next three years

That plan called for three divisions with five teams each Divi sional assignments would be done on a sport-by-sport basis and would be based on past performance and enrollment

But a majority of WLAA principals proposed and passed an alternative plan that calls for schools to be assigned a division with no allowance for various levels of competitiveness from one sport to the next

FPS agrees with the philosophy and alignment procedures of the OAA, according to Swinehart, who added the WLAA is the only one among the large conferences in the metro area that document grown achools on an equitable, sport-by-sport basis

Overall, the Farmington schools, with smaller enrollments, have found it difficult in

the last decade to compete against the bigger schools in the WLAA

Harrison High School is the smallest with about 1,000 stu dents Farmington has a little more than 1,100 and North Farmington is in excess of 1,200

But all the rest have enroll ments near or over 2,000 with the exception of Northville and Livonia Franklin, both of which are around 1,500

Seventy percent of all WLAA championships in the last five years have been won by either Plymouth Salem, Livonia Stevenson or Plymouth Canton, according to Swinehart

Under the expansion and realignment plan the WLAA intends to implement, Farming ton, Walled Lake and Plymouth Canton schools will be divided among the three divisions

Based on preliminary research to assess each school's performance in all sports, Swinehart's guess is Farmington High would likely go in the top division fol lowed by North and Harrison

"T met think (the WIAA nlan) doesn't address the concept of having any kind of equity within programs," Swinehart said "It all came about because our

smaller schools were going against schools that have 2,000 or higher enrollments

"There wasn't a chance to compete with that, and it's borne out when you look at the number of titles three of the larger schools have won From an equity standpoint, it didn't address that issue

Farmington schools would be more compatible and competitive with similar size schools from Bloomfield Hills, Birmingham and Royal Oak, according to Swinehart

"It's not like we wanted to jump ship and turn our back on the WLAA, because there is his tory and tradition there," he

"We're just not sure it's in the best interest of our kids competitive wise to be in that environment We have to ask the question, 'Would we be better off going against schools more our size?"

Travel time and distance is a concern in making a move to OAA, Swinehart said

"That's one of the things we want to bring up with the parents when we have our forum," he saıd

"We will be playing some of Suburban League

the Rochester and Troy schools By the same token, North Farmington going down I-275 to (Westland) John Glenn on a Fri-

day afternoon is a slow trip "For every school that may be far away, we'll pick up a West Bloomfield, Lahser or Seaholm All those schools are closer We're hoping that will balance it out That's one of the things we

have to evaluate in the next

month? Swinehart said some people in Farmington have jokingly suggested FPS form its own league and call it the Landlocked League

While Farmington and Farmington Hills have virtually reached their peak in land development, communities such as Walled Lake, Northville and Canton are still growing in population, which goes to the heart of the issue regarding the competitive disparity in the WLAA

Farmington and Harrison were charter members of the WLAA, which began in 1982 when schools from the Inter-Takes Western Six and Suburban 8 leagues organized under a new banner North joined in 1985 when it left the Northwest

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lead after one quarter, but the ished with eight rebounds 'I Chiefs second quarter put them

"(Howell) had a solid first quarter, they went after it a little bit, got in our passing lanes," said Canton coach Bob Blohm of Howell "Midway through the second quarter we got it going "

ahead to stay

Kristen Lake did the bulk of the damage for Canton, and she did it inside Lake scored 10 of her team-high 11 points in a sixminute span covering the second and third quarters, she also finwas really pleased with that," said Blohm

Briana Wolcott totaled 10 points and both Jessica Johnson and Courtney Jarman scored

Katie Schonfeld topped the Highlanders with 11 points Leah Antilla, their leading perimeter scorer, was limited to seven points (none in the fourth quarter) by Canton's defenders

"I felt pretty good about it defensively,' said Blohm "I Christian 44. Jenny Smither

thought we did well defending and rebounding the ball

Gabriel Richard 33, PCA 14: Plymouth Christian Academy saw its record dip to 12 with a loss at Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard Tuesday

No one on either team scored more than six points Topping the Eagles was Amanda Saagman with six

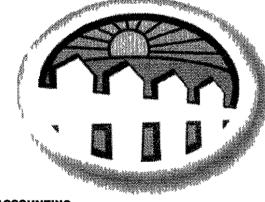
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poured in a season-high 26 points and grabbed seven rebounds Tuesday as the host Lancers rolled to their third consecutive win

Calı Crawford added 10 points and seven assists and Danielle Cleary scored seven points for Auburn Hills Oakland Christian, which led 35-16 at halftime and 51-26 after three quarters

Amy Henry paced Agape Christian (2-1) with 23 points, Lisa Ther contributed 14



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finishers in the WLAA How juniors," said Venning "We high they can advance is the question

"We could move up (in the standings) if I can get that second pack to improve a little bit,"
Venning said "Then we could
get into the top three or four"

Other runners he is counting on are juniors Tonda Shimbo and Claire Dooley and sophomores Allison Schmitz, Carrie Oleskewiecz and Amanda

"The bulk of our team is They should waltz through the ington at Cass Benton

preach to them to pack it up, and they are, but it's a little too

How fast and how much they improve will determine how high they can climb in the standings But at least for the present, Venning is harboring no illusions on who is the WLAA favorite

"There's no way anybody's going to touch Livonia Stevenson," he said "Stevenson could vie for the state title right now

(Livonia) Churchill could give them a battle, but I don't think they can beat (Stevenson) Walled Lake Central will probably have a good team too, and Salem should do well'

Catching Stevenson and Churchill (the defending champ), however, will be a difficult challenge Canton opens its WLAA dual-meet season at 4 p m today with a quad meet against Stevenson, Churchill and Farm-

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penalty kick at 19 00 and the second off an assist from Justin Fishaw (Plymouth Canton) at 23 00 But Wesleyan got a goal in between the two scored by Szczechowski from Luke Carpenter, another by Deno Merrick tied it at 2-all at 27 00

John Sterling (Canton) put Madonna back in front with a goal right after Merrick's, assisted by Matt Koontz (Livonia Stevenson) But Mark Burton scored two in a row for Wesleyan, the game winner coming with 14 minutes left in the

Doug Koontz (Plymouth Canton) gave up three first-half goals in net for the Crusaders Matt Strabbing (Plymouth Canton) gave up one in the second

On Saturday, Patrick Griffin (Plymouth/Redford Catholic Central) connected for a goal early in overtime to lift Madonna to a 1-0 victory over Taylor University in a match played as part of the Tri-State University Tourna-

action against Taylor, taking 14 shots on goal to just two for the Trojans Assists on Griffin's goal came from Fishaw, Matt Rozek and Eric Bitell Koontz and Strabbing split time in goal for the Crusaders

In their opening match in the Tri-State Tournament, Judson College took a 1-0 lead at halftime and held off a furious Cru sader comeback to post a 3-2 vic tory last Friday

Szczechowski and Jon Johnson (Plymouth Canton) each scored second half goals for Madonna Griffin had two assists in the match, with Casey Cook (Canton/CC) getting another assist

Marcus Lauria did most of the damage for Judson, scoring one goal and assisting on two others Jason Pena and Andre Luis Caserta also scored goals for the **Eagles**

Koontz gave up all three goals before giving way to Strabbing

Koontz had three saves in

The Crusaders dominated the assist on Piraine's goal, which came with four minutes left in the first half

SC splits at tourney

The record may not indicate it, but Schoolcraft College's men's soccer team made progress in its trip to the College of DuPage (Ill) Tournament last weekend

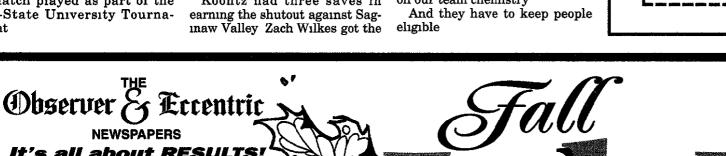
According to assistant coach Joe Kurta, six players were suspended for the opening match Saturday against Meramec CC for disciplinary infractions The result was a 2 0 loss

The Ocelots did not stay down for long On Sunday they bested Springfield College 4-3, thanks to three goals by Tom Eller (from Livonia Stevenson) The Ocelots fourth goal came from Worteh Sampson

"We looked very, very good," said Kurta "In both games Schoolcraft was possessing the

"We have to get a little better on finishing and we have to work

on our team chemistry" And they have to keep people





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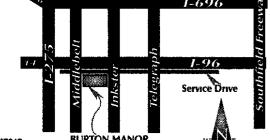
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For more information, call (248) 668-0166 or email totalbballwixom@aol com to register

YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUES

•The Livonia Y is also accepting registrations for some age groups (3 and up) for its youth soccer leagues, which start Sept

For more information, call

(734) 261-2161, Ext 3302 •The WaZa Developmental Soccer League for boys and girls ages 4-7 will beging Friday, Sept 7 at Schoolcraft Community College

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To schedule a tryout, call Bill Leins at (734) 261-4712

•Tryouts for a newly-formed Michigan Indians 12-and-under travel baseball team will be held at 1 p m Sunday, Sept 9 at Massey Field in Plymouth

The season will consist of approximately 50 games including the Little Caesars League, and tournaments The Indians will also be representing the community in a tournament in Cooperstown, NY

For more information, call Ben Kosmalskı at (734) 416-1151 or email Bob Cleary rcleary79@mediaone net

•Tryouts for the 13-year-old Michigan Lake Area Rams baseball team will be Sunday, Sept 9, 16 and 23

For more information, call Mark Falvo at (313) 537-3449 or Jack Falvo (248) 471-1748

•For more information about the WaCo Wolves' 2001 10-yearold travel baseball tryouts, call Tim Broughton at (734) 953-

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•The Michigan Rattlers are scheduling fall baseball tryouts for its 13-year-old travel baseball team for the 2002 season The season consists of league, tournament and national play, running about 65 games

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The Motor City Volleyball Club is running a fall training season from 6 30-9 30 p m Sept 9 through Nov 11 at Henry Ford Community College

The cost is \$325 For more information, call Larry Wyatt at (734) 522 1680

SOCCER SHOOT EVENT

The Livonia Parks and Recreation Department and the Livonia Elks Lodge will hold a Soccer Shoot Competition for youngsters 8-13 at 6 p m, Wednesday, Sept 12 at Bicentennial Park

Winners from the competition, on fields 3 and 4 in back of the park, advance to the state con test in Big Rapids on Saturday, Oct 13

Boys and girls competition will be held in three age divisions, 8 9, 10-11 and 12-13 Ages are as of Aug 1, 2001

Registration is day of the event only

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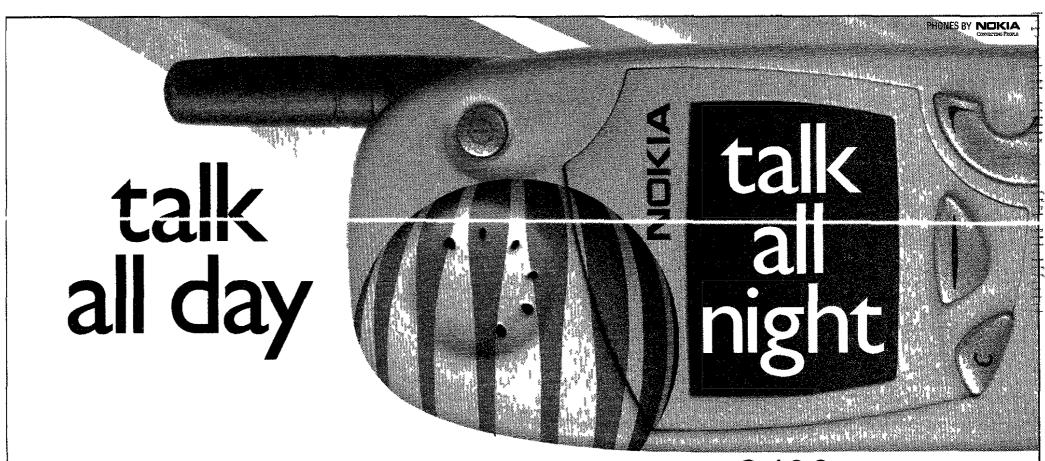
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The Canton Soccer Club and the Great Lakes Women's Soccer League are teaming up to form an eight-week recreational soccer league this fall

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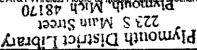
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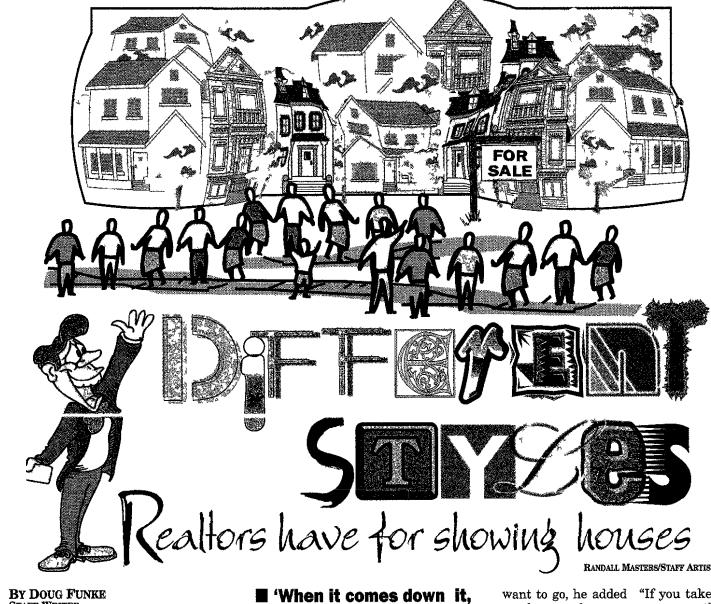
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For conductors, it's a matter of pre-

Same for Realtors when it comes to showing houses or condominiums

Some sales pros are more subtle in orchestrating a visit and some are

more talkative than others But most Realtors develop routines and a panache that works for them as they take center stage with a potential sale in the balance

And many will admit that the homes are more important than themselves

"I think that you're more comfortable and do a better job if you have a style,' said Kathleen Sanchez, associate broker with Coldwell Banker Shooltz in Oxford

"It gives you a comfort zone It does nt look like you're aimlessly wandering the house People hire you for your expertise and you look like an expert

I think it's important to make your buyer comfortable," added Ronn Kamm, a Realtor with First Harvest in keaiora

"I don't know whether there is any one routine," said Sally Bell, associate broker with Century 21 Travis in Troy "As it opens in front of you, you go with the flow"

Drive together

When bringing prospective buyers to a house, Sanchez likes to drive together with clients and let them look over a home's feature sheet and seller disclo sure statement while en route

"It gives them an idea what they'll be seeing," she said Going together also provides for immediate feedback on questions

"When we get there, I open the door, step back and let them walk in first I try to get lights on, shades open

"If there are upgrades like Anderson windows or a cornan counter, I'll always point that out

"You never give your opinion You just restate facts - This house has a large living room like you said you wanted or this one has four bedrooms, the other one had three," Sanchez said

house ... "this is going to be the house." Ronn Kamm RealtorFirst Harvest

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ing when they get to a

"Then I try to ask, every house, 'Would you buy this house? We're not just in business to show houses, but selling I make that clear right up front'

Sanchez prefers to keep couples together when walking through a house and prefers to start on the main floor then go upstairs, then to the base ment and garage

Unless of course a client states a particular feature impresses him or her then they go there first

Anticipate questions

A good Realtor also is totally familiar with a house and anticipates question buyers might have, Sanchez added "Things like, 'Can you put a boat in the driveway or build a pole barn here?" she said "You're going to feel funny if someone asks and you don't know"

The most important thing he can do for a prospective purchaser is open the front door, said Randy Goodson, associate broker with Prudential Chamberlaın Stiehl in Farmington Hills

"I always say people buy the first 30 or 40 seconds from the feel they get when they walk-in," he said "Typically, I think a house can sell itself if the lights are on

"I try to point out things they may not notice or things that are unusual for a particular price range," Goodson added "A \$300,000 home, for instance with a library with a lot of paneling and crown molding Those things you

"If you're a buyer's agent, you also have to point out what's negative and what could impact them on resale," he

Let visitors meander where they

want to go, he added "If you take too much control you may move them past things they want to look at "

No fudging

Realtors should be honest in their presentation, too, and avoid sleight of hand, Goodson said

"You can't fit a size 14 foot in a nine shoe," he said "I see Realtors do that every house is the best house and the next house it's the same thing"

The house is more important than the Realtor Kamm agrees

'I think a house shows itself I've taken different courses to help you be a better salesperson The reason you need an agent is to take care of particu lar details not necessarily show a

A Realtor doesn't have to engage in ongoing commentary - "here is the kitchen like duh he said When it comes down it most people have a gut feeling when they get to a house this is going to be the house

I try to lead a little bit Kamm said

adding that he will give an opinion about such things as the roof and mechanicals, but always with the caveat that a private inspection will yield more useful particulars

But the house is the star, not him, Kamm said and folks don't need to be force fed "No one want to be sold any more," he said

Bell has been in the business nearly 30 years

"I kind of like to look outside a little bit, then go in the house," she said "Make sure they come in the front door, then just get out of their way

"I like to keep the husband and wife together, kind of step back and let them find the beauty in the house," Bell said "It's like an adventure, an exciting discovery You can't rush people

"Just be there I'm the neutral party That's what you need me for You become their advisor, friend, sounding board

"It's the whole show, an emotional experience," Bell said "If you have someone who loves something, your role is to help them through the whole gambit It's a whole team effort, not a one-man band"

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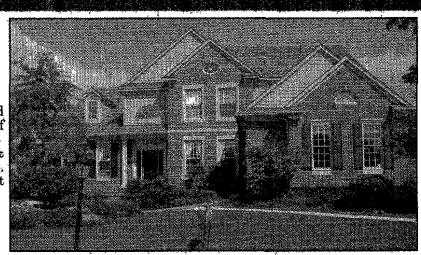
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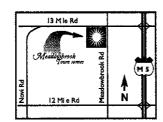
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6-mo T-Bill	3 28%
1-yr T-Bill	3 38%
2-yr T-Note	3 61%
10-yr T-Bond	4 79%
30-vr T-Bond	5 37%

ECONOMIC CALENDAR This week's releases

Sep 6 Bureau of Labor Statistics Unemployment Insurance Weekly Claims Report

Sep 7 Department of Labor The Employment Situation

Department of Agriculture U.S. Export Sales Sep 7

Department of Commerce Sep 7 Selected Economic Indicators

Federal Reserve Board, Sep 10 Selected U'S Interest Rates

Sep 10

Department of the Treasury 13 & 26 Week Treasury **Auction Results**

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Program	Rate*	APR*	pts.	<u>fee</u>	pmt.	required
30-Yr. fixed	7.00%	7.14%	0%	0%	\$665	\$26,612
15-Yr. fixed	6.31%	6.49%	0%	0%	\$860	\$34,433
5/1-Yr. ARM	6.38%	6.59%	0%	0%	\$623	\$24,954

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MEYERS ON MORTGAGES

by GARY S MEYERS

YOUR CREDIT AND BUYING A HOME

Will bad credit two years ago keep you out of the housing market? Does a real estate agent have a right to see your credit applica-tion? Today The Meyers Report gets answers to readers questions from the experts

Q. We are purchasing a home The seller's real estate agent asked my bank for a copy of the mortgage loan application Do they have a right to see that? Why would they want to look at it?

A. Usually the seller's agent asks for a pre approval letter, not the application itself It's against the law for a lender to disclose debt to a third party without the borrower's approval Your loan application has information about your debt

"We, as bankers, know how private this information is," Tom Drozdz, residential mortgage originator for Archer Bank, said "If I was the borrower, I would say no and tell them to call my banker My banker will tell the real estate agent whether or not he thinks the loan will go through

Q. When I was a college student my credit rating went from good to bad During the last two years, since I have been out of school, I have tried to keep current with all of my bills, such as telephone, rent and utilities I want to buy a house in the next two to three years and was won-dering if I continued my path of keeping my bills current, will my past credit problems have a big effect when I go looking for a mortgage? The credit card bills I got in school, I haven't paid in five years thus far

A. You will have to pay off all your outstanding collections, Rick Deleon, branch manager for Allied Mortgage Capital Corporation, said Most lenders look for 24 months of a clean history, providing you have no bankruptcies or foreclosures in

your past That is time enough to re-establish your good credit If you have cleaned up your bills, you may qualify for an FHA loan For more details, check out Allied Mortgage's web site www.nolandlord.com

Q. My wife and I had a bank-ruptcy that was discharged two and a half years ago It was only on credit card debt We reaffirmed our house and two car loans We want to start looking at a new house, but are unsure how this will affect getting a new

mortgage
A. "The bankruptcy does not prevent you from getting a new mortgage, Jeff Bock, retail manager for North American Mortgage, said "Your rate and loan to you will fluctuated to the property of the said of depending on how the rest of your credit report looks" Lenders will be looking for stability — how you have repaid other creditors, your earnings, and if your mortgage has been paid on time

Most lenders will not process a loan less than two years after a Chapter 7 bankruptcy is discharged A few will take an application as little as one day later, but require the borrower have at least 20 percent down If someone has filed for a Chapter 13 bankruptcy, the borrower will be required to pay off his/her debts out of the loan first

Q. My husband and I are trying to get a mortgage to buy a new home in the Plainfield, IL area We already own a home and plan on selling it The money we make from the sale will be used toward a down payment on a new home We have had credit problems --- been late on our mortgage and car payment, but not all the time My husband has been at his job for 23 years and earned \$74,000 last year I have been at my job for four years and earned

\$10,000 last year We know we can afford a house, but our cred-it problems are holding us back

A. There is some good news for you said Michael Niecestro, sales manager at Midwest Funding and a 20 year veteran of the mortgage business Your job stability and the location in which you are house hunting are on your side Plainfield is an "FHA Municipality" If you are planning to borrow at least \$209,000 you may qualify for an FHA new construction mort-

"FHA is more liberal when it comes to underwriting guidelines and doesn't look at credit scores," Niecestro said

Instead it puts more emphasis on whether the buyer is current on credit debt, ability to pay back the mortgage, and the down

payment
You already know that your late payments can be a problem for other conventional loans When lenders run a credit report, they look for a credit score of at least 620 Niecestro said The score will take into account such things as the amount of open credit, as well as past judgments, bankruptcies, and collections You said you were sometimes late on your mortgage payments Lenders do not like to see 30 to 60 day late payments unless the borrower has had a clean history for the last 12 months Credit scores do fluctuate month to month Therefore, if for some reason you have a lower score, you can raise it fairly quickly by bringing credit balances down

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BUY HOME CLASS

Standard Federal Bank holds a free home buying seminar on how to select and finance a home 10 a m to noon Saturday, Sept 8, at Lighthouse Community Development, 46156 Woodward, Door C, Pontiac

Topics include understanding credit reports, defining a home/ neighborhood checklist and the mortgage application process

Seminar participants who attend will be eligible for a Standard Federal program that makes ownership more affordable for those with low to moderate incomes

To register, call (248) 920-6200 Ext 2400

BASEMENT REMODELING

Charencevine Community Educa tion and Oakland Builders Institute offer an eight-hour basement remodeling class 6-10 pm Tuesday and Thursday, Sept 11 and 13, at Clarenceville High School, 20155 Mıddlebelt, Lıvonıa

Topics include planning, building codes, permits, estimating material costs, working with contractors, basics of home construction and tying into existing systems

Cost is \$82, plus a textbook fee of \$8 To register, call (248) 473-8933

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Schoolcraft College offers a daylong real estate continuing education class required annually for state license renewal 8 a m to 3 p m Wednesday, Sept 12, and Friday, Oct 5, on campus, Haggerty between Six and Seven Mile, Livonia

Cost 1s \$60, \$48 for persons 60 years of age and older To register, call (734) 462-4448

SELL HOME CLASS

Professional Real Estate Title and Citizens Mortgage Funding present a free seminar, "For Sale By Owner,"

7-8 30 p m Tuesday, Sept 11, at Hunter Community Center, 509 Fisher Court (off Main two blocks north of 14 Mile), Clawson

To register, call Angie Reppenhagen at (248) 505-2824

SELL HOME CLASS II

Matt Kenkel, associate broker with ERA Alliance, and West Bloomfield Community Education present a home seller's class, "For Sale by Owner," 7-9 15 p m Wednesday, Sept 12, at Orchard Lake Middle School

Topics include setting price, target marketing, financing techniques and purchase documents

Cost is \$30 To register, call (248) 539 2290

LIEN LAW UPDATE

The BIA hosts an update of the Michigan Construction Lien Law 8 30 a m to noon Thursday, Sept 13, at its offices, 30375 Northwestern, Suite 100, Farmington Hills

Cost, which includes continental breakfast, is \$50 for members, \$75 for nonmembers To register, call (248) 862-1017

MORTGAGE LENDERS

The Michigan Mortgage Lenders Association features Oakiand County Sheriff Michael J Bouchard at a membership luncheon noon to 130 pm Thursday, Sept 13, at Oakland Hills Country Club, 3951 W Maple, Bloomfield Township

Cost is \$35 for members, \$45 for nonmembers To register, call (248) 356-6857

BUY HOME CLASS II

Ben Hendricks, mortgage adviser with Approved Mortgages, and Janet Schwartz, a Realtor with Coldwell Banker Schweitzer-Bake, sponsor a free class for first-time home buyers 7830 pm at Summit of the Park, Canton Center Road at Palmer, Can-

To register, call (734) 254 1450

CAREER OPEN HOUSE

Real Estate One presents a free class on how to get into residential real estate sales noon to 1 15 p m Wednesdays, Sept 19, at its West Bloomfield office, 7499 Middlebelt at 14 Mile

Topics include licensing training and evaluating a broker

To register, call Steve Leibhan at gy_cd htm

(248) 851 4100 Ext 105

COMMUNICATION SKILLS

The Building Owners and Managers Association of Metropolitan Detroit features a breakfast program, "Do You Hear What I Hear?" 8 30 am Thursday, Sept 20, at the Skyline Club, 2000 Town Center, Suite 2800, Southfield

Cost is \$25 for members, \$50 for nonmembers To register, call (248) 848-3714

BUILDERS LICENSE

Livonia Community Education and Oakland Builders Institute offer a 16-hour seminar to prepare for the state builders license exam 6-10 p m Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept 25 to Oct 4, at Riley Middle School, 15555 Henry Ruff, Livonia

Cost is \$199, plus \$20 for the course textbook and sample ques

To register, call (734) 523-9277

CONDO OPERATIONS

Robert M Meisner, a lawyer, adjunct professor and O&E colum nist, teaches a class, "Condominium Operation Introduction to the Essentials for Success," 7-9 p m Tuesuays, Oct 5-00, at the Dingham Park III Office Park, 30200 Telegraph, Bingham Farms

Cost is \$95 To register, contact Meisner's office at (248) 644-4433, or Oakland Community College, (248) 471-7729

TRAFFIC GRIDLOCK

Michigan Smart Growth Coalition presents a conference, "Is Traffic Gridlock Inevitable? Land Use Solutions," 8 30 am to 12 30 pm Tuesday, Oct 30, at the Troy Marriott

Cost, which includes continental breakfast, is \$29 To register, call the BIA at (248) 737-4477

ENERGY CD-ROM

The Building Owners and Managers International has released a CD-ROM, "The Property Profession al's Guide to Building Energy Perfor mance?

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SPACE FOR EVERYONE - In this 5 ONE OF LARGEST IN SUB - Great bedroom and 2 full bath home Many looking Cape Cod with huge family room



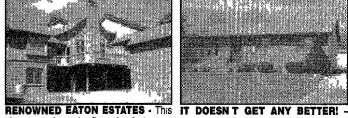
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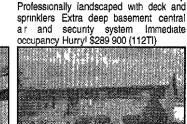


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Princeton with designer kitchen featuring maple cabinets and hardwood

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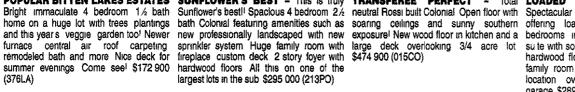
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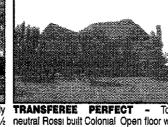


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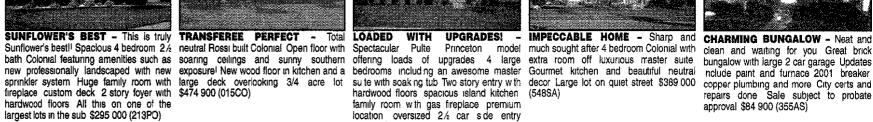














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floor laundry Irg powder room beautiful deck overlooking treed yard \$189,900 (£158Eag)

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Hospital in Detroit and Bon Secours Hospital in Grosse

Ramsey previously worked with Grice Showcase & Dis play in Charlotte, N C

Diane Nagy joins CTI and Associates, an engineer ing and environmental firm as sales manager of the Brighton office

responsibilities Her include tracking projects maintaining existing accounts and developing new accounts

experience in business rela tions, sales and marketing

Nagy brings 14 years

nization, a Bloomfield Hills commercial brokerage specializing in multi family ıncome properties, announces involvement in three transactions

Different members of the firm represented the buyer and seller for the 100-unit Valley Drive Apartments (\$3 3 million) in Mt Clemens and the 77 unit Hidden Lane Apartments (\$19 million) in Battle Creek

Signature Associates-ONCOR, a commercial real estate firm in Southfield, represented the buyer in the sale of an 83-acre parcel in Chesterfield Township Purchase price wasn't disclosed

Mixed-use development commercial ındustrıal, ıs planned

You can find out about utility changes at Redford meeting

How will you be affected by changes that have occurred in the natural gas, electric and telephone industries? A forum will be presented Sept 20 in Redford by the Michigan Public Services Commission to explain how consumers may be affected by those changes

Legislation was signed into law last year that provides reduced electric rates for many Michigan residents and opens the door for customers to choose their electric generation suppli-

Customer choice is also avail able to natural gas customers The telephone industry is changing as well - continually

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■ The meeting will begin at 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, at the **Redford Community** Center Gym, 12121 Hemingway, Redford.

introducing new services and features Consumers will hear about these changes at the forums They will also be able to discuss concerns they may have on utility service or billing issues

"Fundamental changes have occurred in the tele

phone, natural gas, and electric indus tries," said Chairшан Ьаша Спар pelle "My colleagues and I welcome the opportunity to dis cuss these significant changes with area residents, businesses and interest ed groups, and to hear their concerns regarding utility

issues " The meeting will begin at 6 p m Thursday, Sept 20, at the Redford Com munity Center Gym, 12121 Hemingway, Redford

There is no need to register for the free informational meet-

Similar meetings will be held at 6 p m Sept 11 in Mar quette, Sept 18 m Warren, Sept 25 m Gaylord and Sept 27 ın Battle Creek

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CANTON A Perfect 10+ Completely Updated Spacious Ranch! W/prof finished lower level New kitchen & updated windows vinyl Gorgeous yard (BGN71BRU)



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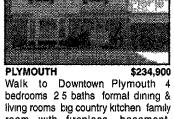


Sharp Ranch Ready To Move Intol 3 br 15 baths & 2 car attached garage Canton Pella windows luxury baths a freshly painted through out Clean decor Finished basement Hardwood

Brick exterior



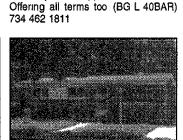
PLYMOUTH Plymouth! First Offering! Architect designed Colonial on a quiet treed level finished w/office bedroom court 4 or 5 bedrooms 3 5 baths Two w/mirrored closet doors. Anderson fireplaces walk out finished lower windows newer carpet furnace A/C



bedrooms 2.5 baths formal dining & redecorated condo All white paint & living rooms big country kitchen family curtains new floors Buy now you pick room with fireplace basement attached garage Handsome colonial Great neighbors (BGP 95Lex) 734



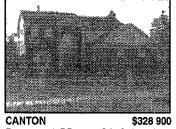
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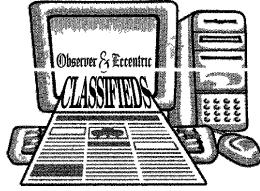
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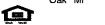
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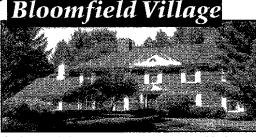
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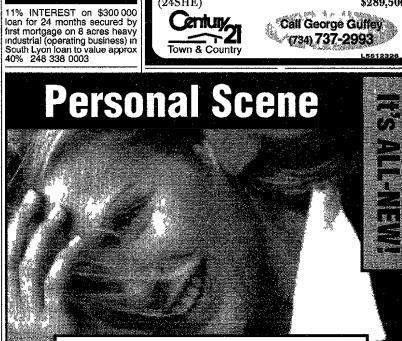
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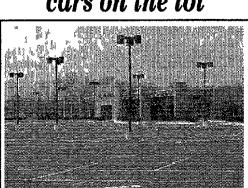
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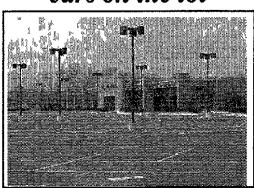
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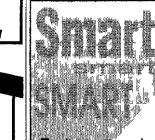
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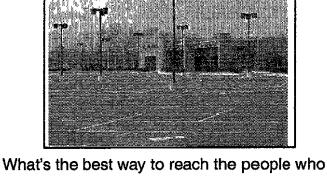
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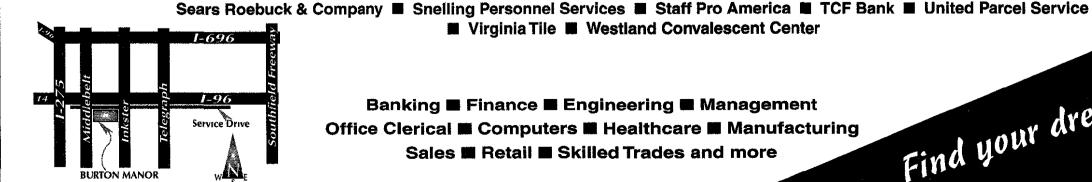
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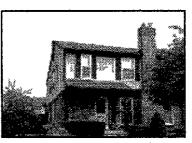
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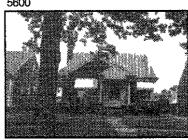
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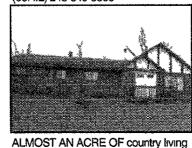
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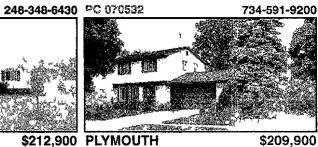
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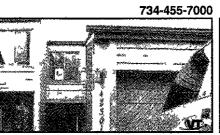
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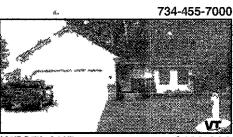
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\$189,900 own dock and nice kitchen appliances Fresh neutral decor & immediate occupancy Three full



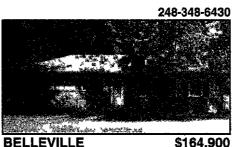
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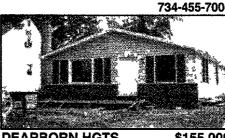
\$184,900 LIVONIA RANCH Definitely a 10! Sparkling 3 BR ranch with 2.5 baths large kitchen area finished bamt w/fp Updated to perfection Covered porch view of yard (B29542)



PRISTINE 4 BEDROOM! Elegant foyer ceramic & berber firs 4 bdrm 2 full baths neut decor wood accents natural frpic great landscaping big deck no maintenance exterior (23H24025)



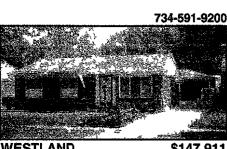
\$164,900 THIS HOME IS EVERYTHING Enjoy country living in this 3 bdrm brick ranch on 2 46 acres with woods Home has central air 1st floor laundry fireplace & deck Large pole barn (W437)



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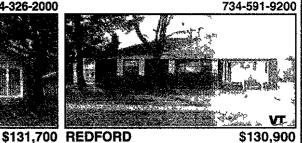
\$147,911 REDFORD \$139,900 brick 3 BR Ranch 1 full bath & 2 lavs rec room CA & 2 car garage (34SAL2)



\$136,900 WELL KEPT 3 BR BRICK RANCH South Redford schools updated oak kitchen newer furnace a/ c part fin bsmnt w/fp 2 car garage (C13401)



REDFORD LIGHT AND BRIGHT bests describes this PERFECT FOR FIRST TIME BUYERS' 3 BR wonderfully conditioned home Updates include kit windows furnace & c/a Refinished hdwd firs spacious yard South Redford schools (98BRA2)



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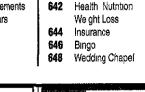
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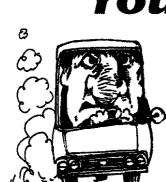
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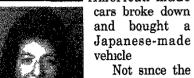
CAReport 2001 Insight: Honda should sell a ton of these

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Honda's roots, deep down, are in

gas mileage That's how Honda got started

here in the US, making some of the most fuel-efficient cars in the states, and a lot of die-hard tradi tionalists who formerly purchased American-made



late-1970's and early 1980's have we been worried about gas mile-With prices hov-FRACASSA ering at about \$1 in the Midwest

and \$1 50 in the West and East, it's not been a priority for many of us I think Honda knows something about the future that we don't know – gas is inching up again

That's why this new Honda Insight - the first gasoline electric hybrid vehicle to be sold in the US - is going to be a smash hit if our gas prices start hitting the \$2 or \$3 mark Hmmm Maybe that's why it's called "Insight"

With the ability to travel more than 720 miles on a tank of gas, you can be certain Honda will be selling a ton of these

At the heart of the Insight is Honda's own Integrated Motor Assist (IMA), which marries a com pact 1 0-liter 3 cylinder engine and

an ultra-think electric motor to achieve its 61 mpg city/68 mpg highway rating

Now before you start thinking, "yeah, electric motor hrumphh hh!" let me tell you that this Insight drives just like the car sitting in your driveway or parking space right now

You don't need to recharge it with a cord or any other external power supply You don't need to retrofit your home or garage in any way You don't need to take it to the dealer to have the battery fresh-

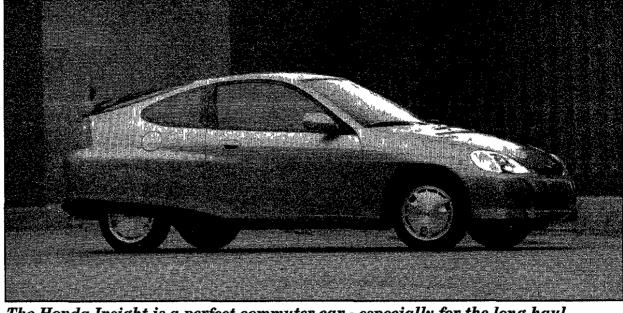
You don't even have to alter your driving style to accommodate the battery charge or its driving range You just drive it

I mentioned the IMA system, which is at the heart of the Insight Honda has worked hard during the last 40 years it's been in business w get to this point Technology that contributed to the Insight includes lean-burn combustion, low-emission engines, variable valve timing, high-efficiency electric motors, regenerative braking, nickel-metal hydride battery technology and microprocessor controls

All that technology helps engineers develop this system, which allows you to drive the Insight just like any other car, except for a lot longer because of the huge gas mileage you can get with it

A goal achieved by Honda was to have this compact 10-liter engine nearly outperform a 15 liter engine The Insight engine has 12-valve VTEC technology built in

What this gives you is a car that is not at all sluggish on takeoff from a light or merging on the free way Going up hills is not a chore



The Honda Insight is a perfect commuter car - especially for the long haul.

The electric motor is used only for power assistance - not for primary power The gas engine takes care of all that So you don't suffer in per-

One thing that was really hard to get used to was the fact that the engine shuts down when you're idling for a while Not long, either I was sitting at a traffic light when I felt the engine go off I thought, at first, it had stalled out

I took my foot off the brake and the engine engaged Very weird When the gasoline engine is at its mid- to high-rpm range, the electric motor shuts off and power comes only from the gasoline engine

Now, how does it recharge with out you doing anything?

That was the stickler all along The general public would not agree to purchasing a car they had to

more than combantly or our about whether it had a proper charge Everyone in the car business knew this So Honda found a way

Power for the electric motor basically comes from the energy expended from forward momentum and braking of the vehicle and not from the gasoline engine

Get a load of this When the Insight is in its coasting or braking mode, the electric motor becomes a generator, of sorts, converting it into electrical energy While the Insight is cruising, the motor and generator also recharge

The batteries are completely out of sight on the Insight and located under the cargo compartment floor You never see them But it's obvious they're there The cargo area is huge and can accommodate anything from a set of golf clubs to anything of any throw at at from a mall shopping trip

You'll find a host of amenities that are all standard equipment on the Insight, including anti-lock brakes, electric power steering, dual air bags, AM/FM stereo cassette, power windows and mirrors, power door locks with keyless entry and anti-theft immobilizer system Air conditioning is available

The outside of the Insight is very futuristic, designed much light the concept cars we saw sev eral years ago The rear wheels are covered more than halfway It does look cool, but it also looks very different

A cashier at a McDonald's freaked out when she saw the Insight in the drive-through, mak ing me a little jumpy She just kept telling the rest of the kids on her crew how "kıckın" the car ıs

"Innovative" is the word I was looking for, because the Insight is that It doesn't look like anything else on the road today

A word about the inside It's roomy, has excellent instrumentation and has smooth, clean lines throughout An electronic display within the instrumentation con stantly updates you on the Insight's fuel economy status, dis tracting you constantly as you watch it

I imagine that would happen the first week or so you have it, then you'd be used to it and ignore it completely Cool graphics, too

Honda's Insight has been given numerous awards from several organizations from Popular Mechanics to the Sierra Club Several states have ordered the Insight for their motor pools The Insight is just the home

ning of what we're bound to see in the coming decade, as the gasoline/electric hybrid comes of age I see this taking off and some of this technology being utilized in nearly every vehicle within a decade

The Honda Insight is a perfect commuter car - especially for the long haul

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2001 Honda Insight

Vehicle class Gas/electric hybrid

Power 10 liter 3-cylinder 12-valve VTEC engine Mileage 61 city / 68 highway Where built Takanezawa Tochigi, Japan

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