

Students win honors

Outstanding high school seniors were honored Saturday at the annual Invitational Scholarship Benefit Ball, sponsored by the Woman's Club of Plymouth.

The ball was held Saturday evening at the Mayflower Meeting House in Plymouth. The event is supported by the Mayflower Hotel and the Observer Newspapers of Plymouth and Canton.

Area high school seniors are honored each year by the club for academic achievement and for service to school and community.

Several of the honored applicants received \$500 scholarships. Those students were: Ron Bielski of Catholic Central High School, Peggy Najarlan of Plymouth Canton High School, Mark Rearick of Plymouth Salem High School and Greta Schnurstein of Plymouth Salem High School. Lara Wiklendt of Plymouth Salem High School received the \$500 Karl Williams Family Scholarship.

Students receiving \$250 awards were: Jennifer Jesena of Plymouth Canton High School, Michelle Johnson of Plymouth Canton High School, Ann Kotcher of Plymouth Canton High School, Susan Joyce Nyquist of Plymouth Salem High School, Dana Pressende of Plymouth Salem High School and Lisa Yaszek of Plymouth Canton High School.

TWO STUDENTS received the First of America Merit Scholarship for a student planning to study finance/business. The scholarship was for \$100, with the club matching the First of America contribution. David Dahlberg and Janai Stepp, both of Plymouth Canton High School, each received \$100.

Several of the honored applicants received \$100 merit awards. Those students were: Richard Cooper of Plymouth Salem High School, Catherine Fratarcangeli and Mary Fratarcangeli of Ladywood High School and Kenneth Robert St. John of Plymouth Canton High School.

Other honored applicants were: Michelle Bober of Ladywood High School, Lisa Cervantes of Plymouth Salem High School, Jennifer Croll of Plymouth Canton High School, David Freiman of Catholic Central High School, Jane Klaes of Plymouth Salem High School, Danielle Kral of Divine Child High School, Charity Marks of Divine Child High School and Catherine Notestine of Plymouth Canton High School.

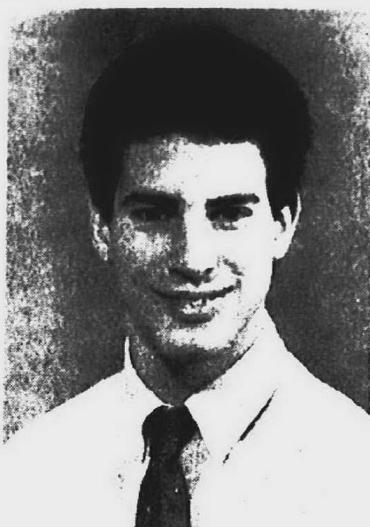
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BPW offers scholarship

new voices

Scholarship money from the Plymouth Business and Professional Women is available for women in the Plymouth-Canton area.

Scholarship assistance is available to women over 21. The scholarships are intended to provide financial assistance to women who wish to continue their education or return to school.

The recipient could be a displaced homemaker, a single head of household, a woman in need of training to increase her income or someone wishing to take a refresher course.

The BPW organization intends to assist someone who is upgrading her job skills or someone who is now working but needs help in returning to formal education.

The deadline for applying is April 31. Applications may be obtained by writing to: Scholarship chairwoman, Plymouth Business and Professional Women, 1784 Meadowbrook, Canton 48187.

Men, if you're about to turn 18, it's time to register with Selective Service at any U.S. Post Office.

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clubs in action

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● AARP

Plymouth-Northville Chapter No. 1311, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet at noon Wednesday, March 25, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. Those attending should bring a sack lunch. Coffee and tea will be available. Ruth Burr of Plymouth will present a storytelling program. All area senior citizens may attend.

● SPAGHETTI

The Women's Resource Center will hold a spaghetti dinner Thursday, March 26, at the Waterman Center of Schoolcraft College in Livonia. Wine will be served at 6 p.m., the dinner at 7 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Women's Advisory Committee. Proceeds will benefit displaced homemakers, single parents, women in crisis and the unemployed. Entertainment will be provided by the Max Davey Singers. The door prize will be a trip for two to Toronto; the winner must be present. Ticket prices are \$15 (individual) and \$35 (sponsor). For more information, call the Women's Resource Center, 591-6400 Ext. 430.

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● LET'S DANCE

Westside Singles will hold a St. Patrick's Day dance from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday, March 27, at Roma's of Livonia, on Schoolcraft west of Inkster Road. The dance is for those 21 and older. For more information, call the hot line, 562-3160.

● THEATER FUN

Spotlight Players will hold a dinner theater benefit 7 p.m. Saturday, March 28, at the New Hawthorn Valley Country Club, Merriman and Warren in Westland. The show will be three one-act comedies. Ticket price is \$30 per person, with the event limited to 100 people. Attire is semi-formal. Proceeds from the benefit performance will go toward the building and general funds of the Spotlight Players. For more information, call 729-6453 or 481-9431 (8 a.m. to 4 p.m.).

● DINING OUT

Single Place will travel to Wong's Eatery in Windsor Saturday, March 28, for a nine-course banquet-style Oriental dinner. Those attending

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Show offers fun fashions

A spring fashion show with the theme of "Isn't It Romantic?" will be held in the Gazebo Garden at the center court of Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi.

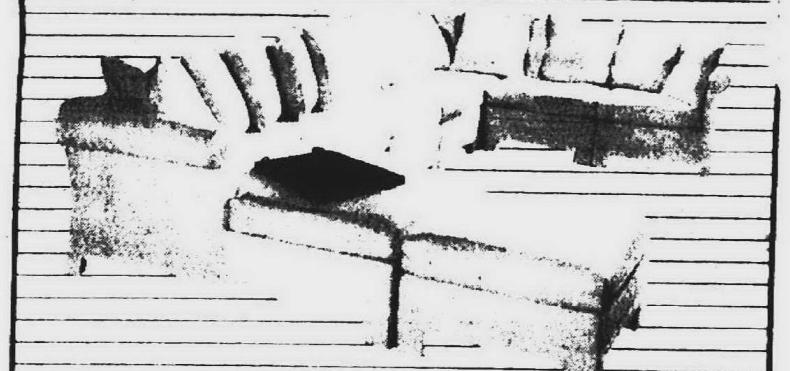
The fashion show will be held at 7 p.m. Friday, March 27, and at noon and 3 p.m. Saturday, March 28.

The 3 p.m. show on Saturday, March 28, will conclude with the arrival of the Easter Bunny in the Gazebo Garden. The Easter Bunny will greet visitors through April 18 at the mall.

The "Isn't It Romantic?" fashion show is part of a month-long series of promotions and specials at Twelve Oaks Mall.

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