

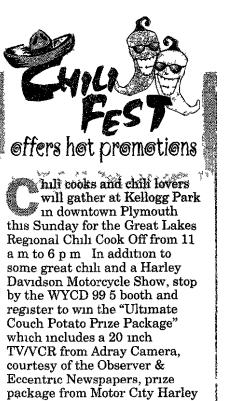


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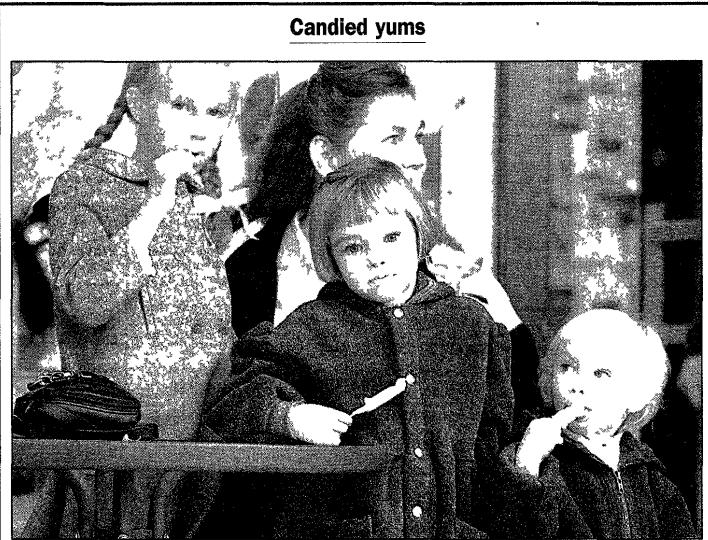
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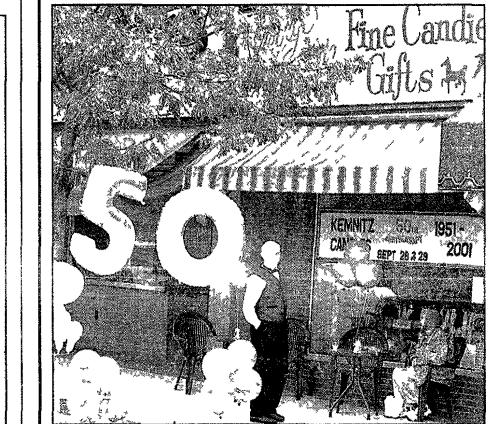
## Meet the candidates

Got a question you'd like to ask a candidate for city commission? The Plymouth Observer is

going to give you the chance The Observer, in cooperation with the League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County and Comcast, is sponsoring a forum for city commission candidates at 7 pm tonight (Thurs day) at the Plymouth District 1 20019

Al 1 me candi lates have been nvited to attend Eight of them - Phil Pursell, Stella Green, incumbent David Byers, Jerry Vorva, incumbent Colleen Pobur. Ron Loiselle, Peter Bunting and Dennis Shrewsbury - survived the August primary The ninth, Tom Prose, is running a write-in campaign The 90-minute forum will be moderated by League member Anne Marie Graham-Hudak Each candidate will get a oneminute opening statement and one minute to respond to questions from the audience The forum will be broadcast on Comcast several times before the Nov 6 election





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**Chocolate heaven:** The Lawton girls (above) enjoy white chocolate lollipops during Kemnitz Candies 50th Anniversary celebration Friday Rebecca, from left, Katherine and Eleanore visit the Ann Arbor Trail location practically every day according to mom Carol (Left) Co owner Everett Smith stands in front of Kemnitz Fine Can dies & Gifts on Ann Aibor Road as the store celebrates 50 years in Plymouth Friday For more or the history of Kemnitz Can dies piease turi proc C. II today 5 Observer

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## Township eyes grant for corridor



Plymouth Township officials want to get started cleaning up the Ann Arbor Road cor-

ridor, and they're looking at the possibility of federal money to help them do it.

#### BY KURT KUBAN STAFF WRITER

#### kkuban@oe.homecomm.net

Plymouth Township officials are eyeing the area between Eckles and Haggerty roads as the first section of the \$12 million Ann Arbor Road corridor plan to be completed

On Tuesday the Board of Trustees approved joining with the Michigan Department of Transportation in trying to secure a federal transportation enhancement activity grant to help pay for streetscape improvements to the section, which is the eastern border of the township

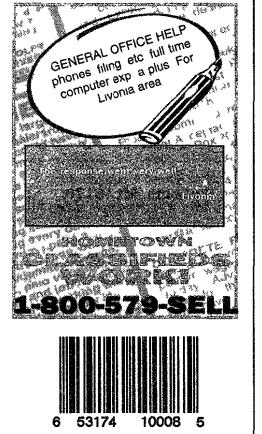
According to township planners, the project will include welcome signs at Eckles and on the exit ramps from I-275, as well as landscaping, and decorative lighting and brick pavers The cost of the project is estimated at \$1,057,225 If the grant application is successful, the township will pay 25 percent, or \$264,306 MDOT will pay 16 percent, and the federal govern ment will pay the rest

According to Supervisor Steve Min MDOT is the actual Applicate for the grant, because it is the road agency with jurisdiction But the township's support and financial match is required to move forward. He also said it was important to have the

For more information, call the Observer, (734) 459-2700

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## Developer makes pitch for Daisy redevelopment

#### BY HEATHER NEEDHAM STAFF WRITER hneedham@oe homecomm net

The former Daisy Air Rifle factory site in downtown Plymouth contains some areas with significant contami nation, including lead concentrations in soil exceeding acceptable levels

But that doesn't make redeveloping the 10-acre parcel for condominiums out of the question, according to an attorney specializing in "brownfield" developments, who spoke during a Plymouth City Commission public hearing Monday

Brownfield areas are designated as abandoned, undeveloped or underused properties not being developed or fully used because of environmental contamination In this case, the former Daisy site also housed a foundry and a railroad depot The site is located downtown on Union Street

Developer Jim McKeon has owned the former Daisy property since 1967 He wants to use roughly one quarter of the three-story, 230,000-square-foot building to redevelop into condominiThere's absolutely no indication that this place is a toxic site.'

Richard Barr —Attorney

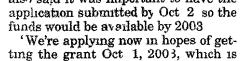
ums and tear down the rest The estimated project price tag is \$31 million

The remaining buildings on the property would be torn down to make room for more condominiums, bringing the total number of units up to 150, ranging in price from \$280,000 to \$300,000 No site plans have yet been presented to the city

Attorney Richard Barr said an environmental study showed contamina tion on the site

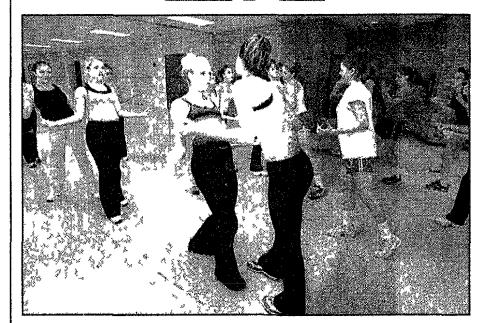
"There's absolutely no indication that this place is a toxic site," Barr said "It is perfectly safe to live there and to live down the street"

For one, soil contamination, as was found on a northern part of the site, is



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#### On with the show



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN

**Getting ready:** Plymouth Canton Chiefettes Lauren Wulf of Canton, 16, and Karla Hubchik of Plymouth, 15, center, rehearse with the rest of the varsity squad Tuesday outside the Salem High School auditorium for the upcoming Chiefettes annual variety show Saturday Showtimes are 1 and 7 30 p m Tickets are \$5 and are available from any of the Chiefettes or at the door

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## Daisy from page A1

not a big issue because Plymouth taps into city water, not well water, according to Barr

In some cases, contamination sites may be paved over, limiting exposure risks, Barr said The Michigan Department of Environmental Quality has given its OK in such instances

Developing brownfields can be expensive because of environ mental cleanup costs With designated brownfield areas, developers must pay the clean up costs, then may be reimbursed for those costs by the respective Brownfield Redevelopment Authority, which can use increases in tax revenue from the site

Once the developer has paid for clean up and has been reimbursed, the brownfield authority

gets the increased tax revenues Fran Toney, executive director of the Plymouth Area Chamber of Commerce, said developing the brownfield area into condo

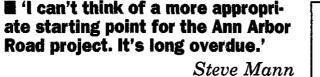
miniums is the way to go Toney said the proposed resi dential use would be good for Plymouth Downtown Plymouth has a surplus of office space for lease already, and because of the Daisy site's residential sur roundings, developing it for industry might be a bad idea and would most likely meet opposition from residents .

"After extensive research and study the chamber came out in very strong favor of brownfield (redevelopment)," Toney said, addressing the commission at its meeting Monday "It's a win-win situation for the community '

### **Church woos newcomers**

The folks at Plymouth First United Methodist Church knows some questions - Regular or supersize? - are easier to answer than others, and they're offering to help newcomers find some answers

FUMC offers a "Connections" contemporary worship service at 4 30 p m Sunday, a chance to help break church down into bite-size pieces The church is located at 45201N Territorial For more information, call (734) 453-5280



-Township supervisor

## Grant from page A1

the beginning of the federal government's 2003 budget year That is the soonest this project could start In all likelihood, it will probably start the following construction season in 2004," he said

Even if the funds were available sooner, the project would have to wait for MDOT to finish its repaying project of Ann Arbor Road between General Drive in the township to Newburgh Road That project is expected to begin next summer

Mann said it is important to start the Ann Arbor Road plan with this stretch, because, being the boundary, it is gives a first impression of the community to visitors

"That is the main thoroughfare and gateway to the community I can't think of a more appropriate starting point for the Ann Arbor Road project It's

long overdue We have a beautiful community, and there's no reason we should have a gateway as poor as we have now," Mann said

Mann is hoping the township will be able to pay its share of the cost with funds from a proposed Downtown Development Authority The Board of Trustees recently approved the intent to establish a DDA, and the township is holding its first public hearing on the topic Oct 9 at township hall

If the DDA is approved, Jim Anulewicz, the township's public services director, said the area will also be maintained by using DDA funds, rather than rely on the property owners to do it themselves

"If were going to make this investment, it's important to keep the investment up," he said

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#### Going casual

Employees at Plymouth Township hall and more than a million other people nationwide will be joined by a common thread Friday — the fight against breast cancer

Township employees will wear a pink ribbon pin as a sign of solidarity in the first against breast cancer for Lee National Denim Day, the world's largest single-day fund raiser for breast cancer research, education, screening and treatment

For the sixth year, Lee Apparel has invited businesses and organizations to participate by allowing their employees to wear denim to work in exchange for a \$5 donation to the Susan G Komen Breast Cancer Foundation The employees of Plynouth Township are pleased to support the effort

"Unfortunately, in today's society nearly everyone has been touched by breast cancer, either personally or through a friend or relative," township supervisor Steve Mann said "This program offers us the opportunity to support our employees and the people they care about "

Want to join the township in the fight against breast cacer? Register your company or organization by calling (800) 5215533 or visit www.denimday.com This year's goal \$7.5 million For information on breast health or breast cancer, call (800) I'M AWARE or visit www breastcancerinfo com

#### Prayer service

Catholics are being invited to a Mass/benediction/candleight procession/Rosary at Our Lady of Providence Chapl in Northville at 4 p m Sunday, Oct 14

Celebrant for the service, sponsored by the Plymouth Knghts of Columbus, will be Fr David Lesniak, pastor of St Stepens Church in Port Huron

The church is at 16115 Beck Road, north of Five Mile Road in Northville The procession will take place outdoors, so paticipants are being encouraged to dress accordingly For more information, call Paul, (734) 459-1175

#### Artists on display

Michigan Made, located in downtown Plymouth, presentitwo Michigan artists during October

Artist Sandra Somers of New Boston appears from noonto 3 p m Saturday, Oct 13 Since 1970, she has created scenes athe simple life of times long past Somers will give out signed parts during her visit

Craftsman Ray Drake of the Sawdust Shop from Devitt appears from 11 a m to 4 p m Saturday, Oct 27 Drakewill demonstrate his carving of Santas and snowmen His carngs are all done individually by hand from Northern Michigan Mite Cedar or Basswood

Michigan Made is located at 830 W Ann Arbor Trail dwntown Refreshments will be served during both appearancesFor more information, call (734) 207-8794

#### **Hospice benefit**

Angela Hospice's 14th-annual Light Up a Life Benefit **kes** place Friday, Oct 26 at Burton Manor in Livonia

This year's event features a high-powered fashion showom the Somerset Collection, live and silent auctions, two raffleand an elegant sit-down dinner

A variety of items will be up for bids, including a scuba tr to Cozumel, Mexico, a golf weekend in Amelia Island, Fl a framed, autographed Steve Yzerman Jersey, and a Law & Cer: Special Victims Unit behind the scenes package

The benefit also welcomes back several local celebrities inding Channel 7 meteorologist Kim Adams along with metelo gist Paul Gross and Good Health reporter Lila Lazarus th from Channel 4

Another highlight will be the "Fortune 500" raffle, for wh only 100 tickets are being sold at \$100 each for the chance ten 10 cash prizes ranging from \$250 to \$5,000



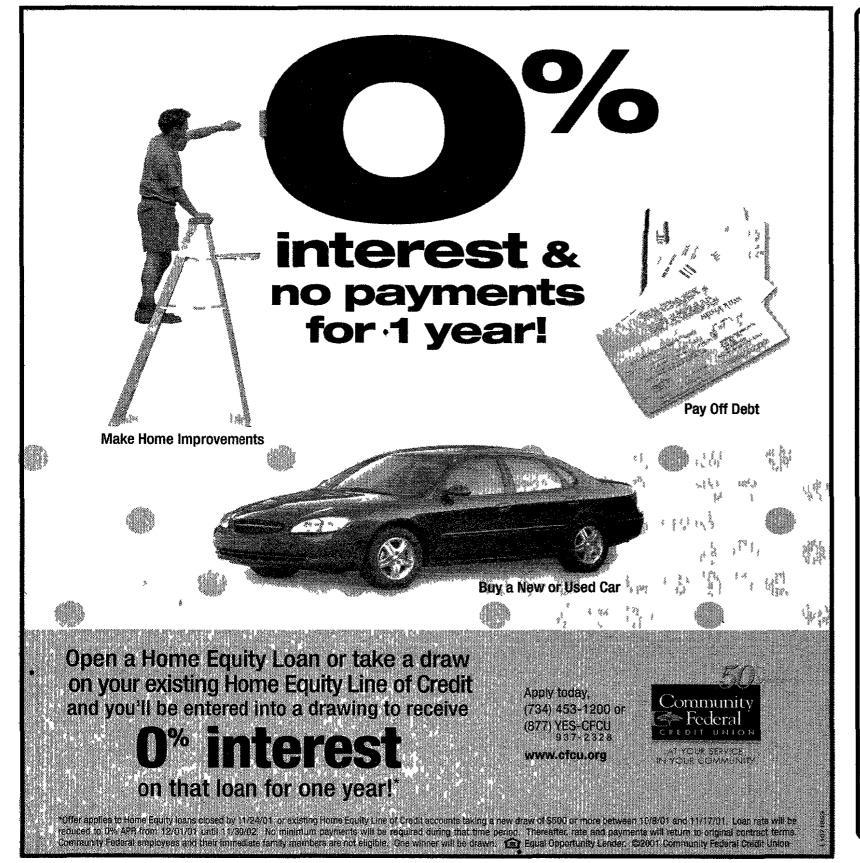
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## **Bill for 3rd judge** gets through House

#### BY TONY BRUSCATO STAFF WRITER thruscato@oe homecomm net

Legislation giving Plymouth's 35th District Court a third judge passed the state House on a vote of 106 1 Tuesday afternoon

Rep Bruce Patterson, R-Can ton Township, is the author of the bill seeking the third judge ship,

'I got it done like I said I would," said Patterson from the House floor, where he maneu vered the legislation "Except for one Democrat, nobody was in opposition to it '

The bill wasn't scheduled to go before the House until next month However, Patterson said he was able to get it through earlier, though he declined to reveal the circumstances that allowed the legislation to be brought before the House this week

The bill now goes to the state Senate

'It will be interesting to see who gets it through the Senate," said Patterson "It's out of my

#### control now "

The Canton lawmaker said he'll be meeting with William Van Regenmorter, R George town Township, chairman of the Senate judiciary committee, in an effort to get the piece of legislation through the upper chamber and onto Gov John Engler's desk

House lawmakers apparently put little stock in a recent report from the State Court Adminis trative Office which failed to rec ommend a third judge for the court that serves the cities of Plymouth and Northville, plus the townships of Canton, Ply mouth and Northville

For nearly a decade 35th District Court judges have been seeking a third judge to handle an increasing caseload in a district which is growing in popula tion Figures released by the court show judges John Mac Donald and Ron Lowe handle an average 22,389 cases per year That compares to the statewide average caseload of 12,735 for district court judges





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stare Photo BY Patt. HURSCHMANN Horse and baby: Phil Gout-man of West Bloomfield (above) holds son Scottie, 15 months, up on the edge of a fence to allow him an up close and personal visit with the resident horse at the Plymouth Orchards on a recent Saturday afternoon. Mom Beth joined the two of them for the autumn outing. (Left) Alex Surette, 2, of Plymouth and Veronica Kocik, 2, of Westland find some fun at the Orchards, located on Warren Road in Canton.

#### **HOW TO HELP**

Many residents have asked how they can contribute to help victims and their families of the Sept 11 national tragedy Here's a list of reputable organizations that are accepting contributions

UFA Widows and Children's Fund

c/o Uniformed Firefighter's Association

204 East 23rd Street, 5th Floor

New York, NY 10010

PBA Widows and Children's Fund

c/o Patrolmen' Benevolent Association

40 Fulton Street, 17th Floor New York, NY 10038

NYCPPI (aids the families of police,fire, EMS, and other city employees)

The City of New York 100 Church Street, 20th Floor New York, NY 10007

The New York Fire 911 Relief Fund

Contributions can be dropped off at the Farmington Hills Fire Headquarters at the southwest corner of 11 Mile and Orchard Lake Road or sent to

General IAFF Secretary-Treasurer's Office 1750 NY Avenue NW

Washington, DC 20006-5395

Other organizations accepting donations include

The American Red Cross, 800/HELP-NOW

The Salvation Army, 800/SAL-ARMY

■ United Way, (212) 251-4035 (the United Way's September Eleventh Fund will help the victims of the attacks and their families and provide immediate support to established emergency assistance agencies)

Observer readers cash

winners in the Observer Newspapers Fall Reader Pro-

Kenneth Paulson of Farmington Hills is the winner of a weekend for two in Stratford, Ontario His prize includes tickets to see Twelfth Night and Inherit the Wind, along with lunch at the Church Restaurant

Judy Lidzbarski of Livonia will receive four tickets to an renewed subscribers were eliupcoming performance of Rin-, gible for the drawing gling Bros Barnum and Bai-

Four lucky readers are lev Circus at Joe Louis Arena. William Mitchell of Redford winners in the Observer - Foundation and the Winner of Newspapers Fall Reader Pro-Township is the winner of motion The drawing was four tickets to a November held Tuesday morning in the weekend performance of Dis-Observer offices - new On Lee at the Joe Louis Arena. Carolyn Boland will receive

four tickets to a Plymouth Whalers home game and a \$50 gift certificate to Ginopolis Parthenon Restaurant inside Compuware Sports Arena

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## Local company partners with court to help fight domestic violence

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM STAFF WRITER hneedham@os.homecomm.net

Just as wireless phones proved to be valuable tools in piecing together what happened on the hijacked aircraft on Sept 11, they can also be valuable for victims of domestic violence who need to call 911.

911. Plymonth's 35th District Court and Ann Arbor Wireless, 606 S. Main, have teamed up to make sureemergency situations involving domestic violence do not turn into tragedies.

In 2000, the court, w h i c h serves Plymouth, Plym o u t h Township, Canton and Northville, heard 160 domestic violence

cases Kerry Erdman, 35th District Court administrator, said the court will decide who gets the phones on a case-bycase basis. Court officials will interview domestic violence victims to determine their need and desire for mobile phones. The court will consider the victums' financial need

as well "To be completely honest, this is something we hope we never have to use," Erdman

said. "So many people have (mobile phones) nowadays this will give domestic violence victims some security. "I suspect in most cases there's a good possibility they'll have (mobile phones) already." he added Two Samsung digital phones which will be provided to the court and to the victims free of charge, will only be able to dial 911 and will not be able to receive incoming calls, said Bill Davidson, store manager at Ann Arbor Wireless. The business will initially provide the court with two phones and will pro-

vide more if

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iest, "The safety and well being we of people is important to us nan: we always want to try and help."

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## **P-C claims Governor's Trophy**

#### BY DIANE HANSON SPECIAL WRITER

The Plymouth-Canton Educa tional Park Marching Band's performance was as spectacular as the bright fall day at the 28th annual Michigan Invitational Marching Band Tournament held at Eastern Michigan University's Rynearson Stadium on Sept 30

The Flushing Raiders hosted 19 competing marching bands and sent the Governor's Trophy for the overall highest score back once again to rest in the P-CEP Marching Band's packed display case This year marks the 26th the trophy has been awarded and the 17th time to the Plymouth-Canton Band

"I thought we had a really good performance," said Salem junior Evan Reissenweber, who plays tuba "We kept in mind and did better on everything we worked on "

Emily Chalifoux, a flutist and Salem senior, agreed "I think we did the best we could have done," she said "We really worked hard over the past week and there have been challenges with the weather, but we pushed

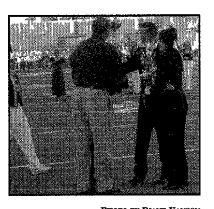
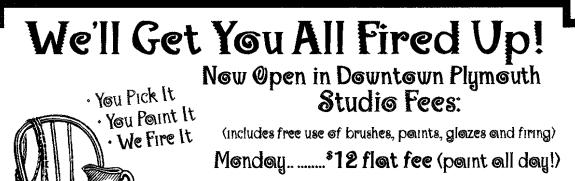


PHOTO BY DIANE HANSON **The envelope, please:** Drum majors Ashley Spohn and Jeremy French accept a multitude of awards at the 28thannual Michigan Invitational



#### through it all "We just went out there and laid down the best show that we

could " And it definitely paid off In addition to the Governor's Trophy, the 190 Plymouth Canton marchers captured the Flight I first place trophy and swept all three caption awards for Best Music, Best Marching and Best General Effect with a score of

80 55 Other Observer area bands at Sunday's competition included Farmington Harrison, first in Flight III with a score of 69 9, Farmington, fourth in Flight II with a score of 59 9, and both in Flight I, West Bloomfield, fifth with a score of 60 2, and Westland John Glenn, seventh with a score of 47 8

"This was clearly a much better performance than last week," said Band Director Clayton Wachholz of the Plymouth-Canton production "The tempos have been bumped up so, automatically, the show is much better But we know we have a lot to work on "

Michael Tarr, P-CEP Marching Band assistant director, was pleased "They really built up a strong performance this week," he said This year's show, he added, while difficult to compare to previous years, 'is probably just as hard if not harder, than anything we have put on the field so far"

Plymouth-Canton's past shows were typically built around a story line or popular show theme This show is more about an experience," said Tarr of this year's "Programme One," which weaves a tapestry of music, color and pageantry for the audience "We wanted to try something new and different"

And while the audience clearly appreciated the P-CEP performance, it's not quite done

"We haven't played the whole music score on the field yet and there is probably another good minute and a half of drill to add" said Wachholz "Right now the show ends awkwardly, but that's OK because everybody knows that this is not the final ending

The audience can look for ward to seeing a lot more ' addea Wachholz with a smile They ll ceitainly get their moneys worth



PHOTO BY DIANE HANSON

**Award-winning:** A winning combination of color, sight and sound brought the Governor's Trophy back to the Plymouth-Canton band room





PHOTO BY DIANE HANSON

**Getting it right:** The Plymouth-Canton Color Guard member in this photo that ran on Page A3 in Sun day's Observer should have been identified as Adri anne Adams, a junior at Salem High School





## Brick fund-raiser lays foundation for new band uniforms

#### BY HEATHER NEEDHAM STAFF WRITER hneedham@oe homecomm.net

Saxophonists, trumpeters, trombonists, percussionists, flutists, colorguard and all the others who have made the PCEP band a way of life in high school are getting a chance to have their names engraved onto bricks to be displayed at the new Plymouth High School

The Plymouth-Canton Music Boosters is attempting to raise \$45,000 to go toward purchasing new band uniforms, which haven't been replaced since 1993 To accomplish this, the group is selling bricks for \$120 each, which will include the engraved names of present and former band students Order forms are available at the school to all present band members and are being mailed to former band members

Each brick is capable of containing two lines of 20 characters each, including spaces

"It's a chance to be immortal-1zed in the wall of the new Plymouth High School," said John Jackson, alumni representative for the Plymouth Canton Music

## City gets new cable franchise

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM STAFF WRITER

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Americast cable subscribers in Plymouth, Plymouth Township, Canton and Northville will have a new name to write in the "Pay to the order of" section on their checks beginning soon

Plymouth's City Commission Monday approved transferring Americast's franchise agreement to Wide Open West, a cable/Internet service provider based in Denver The firm was founded in 1999 and recently purchased Ameritech New Media, Ameritech's cable branch for an undisclosed amount

Plymouth City Manager Paul Sincock said he was unsure when the new name change would take effect, but said he was confident Wide Open West would be as good to work with

#### Boosters

Among those being immortalized will be Jackson's son, Pat, a trumpet player who graduated last year

Plymouth High School is scheduled to open in September 2002

The first 480 to respond will be included in the wall All present and former PCEP band members are eligible to have their names engraved on the bricks, according to Jackson

The boosters will retain the surplus from the sale of the engraved commemorative bricks after the vendor and any incidental costs are paid

Future band members will be the focus of an upcoming fundraiser, which would allow band members to have their names engraved on bricks that would be laid into a walkway

The PCEP marching band has consistently won awards both in state and national competitions In 2000, the band won first place in a statewide competition held at the Pontiac Silverdome

Some of the fund-raising goals for the boosters are

Buying new uniforms for the marching band Repairing or replacing dam-

aged and worn-out instruments Funding additional instrumental instructors for marching band and day band students

The brick fund-raiser is just one of several fund-raisers the band holds throughout the year Other fund-raisers include selling Little Caesars pizza kits, the holiday fruit sale and a gift certificate sale program through Kroger and Meuer, where 4 to 15 percent of the certificate sales go back to the band

Fund-raising has been a way of life for the band for years, but has become increasingly important because of financial constraints facing school districts

"The level of regular funding doesn't come close to covering

the costs of a nationally known program like Plymouth-Canton's," Jackson said

Judy Evola, community relations director with Plymouth-Canton Schools, said fund-rais ing efforts by the band and other groups such as parent-teacher organizations do not go unnoticed

"The school district is very appreciative of the time and effort they put into these fundraisers," Evola said

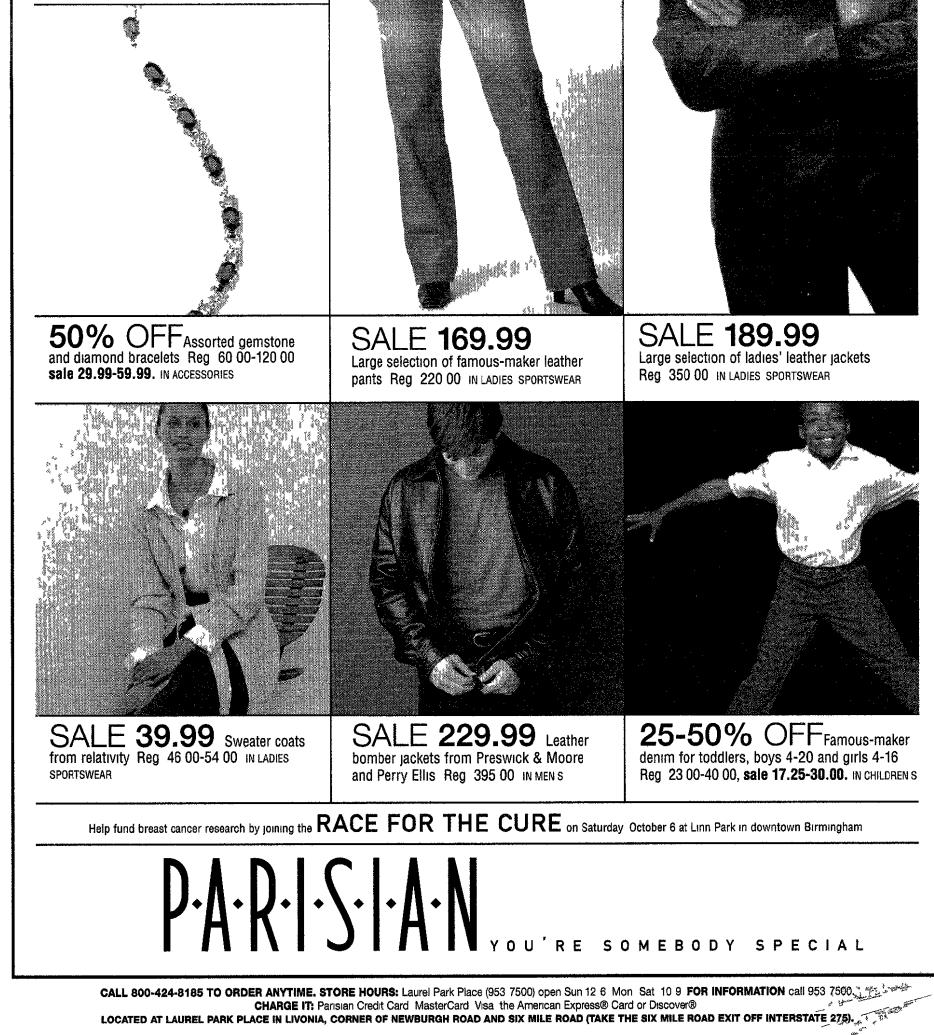
"All of our PTOs and band boosters provide vital supplemental income that assists the program and in many cases, many extracurricular activities "

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as Americast has been

"The Ameritech New Media people have been absolutely wonderful to deal with," Sincock said "We have every reason to believe we will continue to have a very positive relationship with the firm Wide Open West

Since 1996, cable service in the Plymouths, Canton and Northville has been provided by two carriers - Americast and Comcast, formerly MediaOne

Kim Crooks, an attorney representing Wide Open West, said no major changes are in store

"Our goal is not just to continue providing analog and digital (cable service)," Crooks said "We do intend to bring some sort of high-speed Internet access to customers, too "

Commissioner Bill Graham said he was concerned about Wide Open West's name

"The name does not exude technology," Graham said





PLYMOUTH D STRICT LIBRARY S POPULAR PICKS \$ ۽ پ

Every week the Plymouth District Library staff provides the Observer with their list of "Best Sellers" based on the number of requests for titles by library patrons The books are available by placing a request with the library, 453 0750.

#### FICTION

1) Black House, Stephen King and Peter Straub 2) Volhalla Rising, Clive Cussler

3) Envy, Sandra Brown 4) Mercy, Julie Garwood

#### NONFICTION

1) Jack Straight From the Gut, Jack Welch

2) John Adams, David McCullough 3) Wild Blue, Stephen

Ambrose 4) Crossing Over, John

Edwards PARENT'S CHOICE

CHILDREN'S NEW EASY READER BOOKS 1) The Enormous Orocodile, Roald Dahl 2) Get Well, Gators Stephanie Calmenson 3) Pinky and Rex and the Just Right Pet, James Howe 4) Rabbit and Turtle Go To School, Lucy Floyd

#### **MILITARY NEWS**

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

#### GRADUATE

Daniel C Maier has graduat ed from the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps basic Camp Challenge at Fort Knox, Ky The cadet is a student at the University of Michigan He is the son of Richard F and Karen J Maier of Plymouth He is a 1997 graduate of Plymouth Christian Academy in Canton

James E Perkins has graduated from the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps basic Camp Challenge at Fort Knox, Ky The cadet is a student at Marion Military Institute, Ala He is the son of James F and Susan L Perkins of Plymouth and a 2001 graduate of Ply mouth Canton High School

Air National Guard Airman 1st Class James T Somervell has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas In addition, airmen to complete basic training earn credits toward an asso ciate's degree through the Community College of the Air Force Somervell 1s a 1986 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School

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#### **CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON** ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Charter Township of Canton will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon two weeks notice to the Charter Township of Canton Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Charter Township of Canton by writing or calling the following David Medley, ADA Coordinator

Charter Township of Canton 1150 S Canton Center Road Canton MI 48188 (734) 397 5435

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#### PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING FOR USE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL CONDITIONS PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

DATE OF HEARING	October 17 20	Ю1
TIME OF HEARING	700 p m	
PLACE OF HEARING	Plymouth	$T_{0}$
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7 00 p m Plymouth Township

#### 42350 Ann Arbor Road

NOTICL IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission has received a request from ERVets to approve an after hours emergency veterinary clinic pursuant to Zoning Ordinance 83 The subject property is located at 40850 Ann Arbor Road which is on the north side of Ann Arbor Road east and west of I 275 Application No 1692/0801 Tax ID No 064 03 0156 000 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

### Thief snatches Salem flag

Authorities are looking for 'However, the flag was at half whomever stole a giant 20 by- staff because of the recent 30 foot flag from in front of Salem High School last Sunday

"Usually, the flag is flown at full staff and no one can reach it,' said Principal Gerry Ostoin

tragedies and someone apparently was able to take it down " The school has a \$1 300 con

tract with Rocket Enterprises of Warren to replace the flag every two months

### Schools continue relief efforts

Fund raising efforts for victims and their families in the wake of the Sept 11 terrorist attacks on New York and Washington, D.C. continued in local schools last week

Students and the PTO at All Saints Catholic School in Canton have collected more than \$2,000 so far

Students in Jennifer Miller's fifth grade class raised \$1,554 through a "Coins for Our Country" drive

The PTO sponsored a "Jean Day," collecting \$500 in donations from students who were allowed to wear blue jeans for the day That money will go to the New York firefighters' fund

Students at Field Elementary School have been raising money for the Red Cross There are donation cans in every classroom, and the students will continue to fill them until the end of this week

Brownie Troop 699 in Canton organized a returnable cans drive to raise money for the Red Cross They collected cans on Sept 27

### Contest seeks talented teens

Inc. a tax-exempt organization, is currently looking for young ladies with a performing talent for the 2002 Michigan Finals of Hal Jackson's Talented Teens International Scholarship Competition

Auditions will be held Oct 9 in Ann Arbor and Oct 13 in Southfield To schedule an audi tion, please call (313) 438 0061 There will be a \$5 audition fee Interested young ladies must be a Michigan resident, ages 10 -

Talented Youth Development, 17 years old and have passing grades Singing, dancing, and acting and other performing artists are encouraged to audition in order to compete for scholarships international trav el, and many other prizes

Accepted applicants have a chance to win \$75 - \$5,000 college scholarships All accepted participants will receive a \$50 participation scholarship For more information, visit the com petition Web site at www. TalentedTeens.org

#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL PERFORMANCE **EVALUATION REPORT** (FY 2000 CDBG "CAPERS")

#### PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD AND PUBLIC HEARING

The above named document for the Canton Community Development Block Grant Program is available for inspection at the Resource Development Division office 1150 S Canton Center Road Canton Michigan 48188 during regular office hours

Comments will be accepted on the CAPERS for a period of 30 days beginning October 4 2001 The public hearing for the CAPERS will be published at a later date Comments received during the public comment period or during the public hearing will be forwarded to the Department of HUD and will become an addendum to the aforementioned document

**TERRY BENNETT Clerk** 

#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA **OCTOBER 11, 2001**

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 2001 AT 7 30 PM 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

## **6th-grader spins** way to yo-yo elite

#### BY CAROL MARSHALL STAFF WRITER cmarshall@oe homecomm.net

Jake Maloney takes playing around seriously Hard work and a lot of practice has won him a spot among the top 10 yo-yoers in the country

The Canton 12-year-old was recently sought out by yo-yo maker, Duncan, and Maloney was recruited to the elite Team Duncan

"I was actually pretty excited about that," Maloney said, his hands in constant motion while he played with one yoyo, then two "I use Duncan yo-yos at all competitions and basically represent the company '

Maloney, a West Middle School sixth grader, began yoyo playing just three years ago

"I saw a bunch of kids playing with yo-yos and doing some really cool tricks, and thought I'd like to try it," Maloney said He admitted he had to plead with his mother to buy his first yo-yo Once she gave in, and he learned his first two tricks from his father, Mike, he was hooked

His mother, Gail, recalled it was shortly after her son turned off the television for good

"He hasn't watched television in three years," she said "No television, no Playstation, nothing" The family participated in a challenge to leave the television off for one week. and at the end of the week, Gail Maloney offered to dou ble her son's allowance if he renounced television permanently

Jake Maloney took her up on her offer Soon after, he picked up yo-yo, and now practices between two and four hours every day

Yo-yo has become more than just fun and games for Maloney He has collected more than 400 yo-yos in three years, and has learned some of the most difficult tricks being practiced in the coun-

"Walk the dog," or "rock the baby" are now just kid's stuff to Maloney He has mastered tricks that are as difficult as they sound, with names like double iron whip, double suicide and spirit bomb

"You can never have too many yo-yos," Maloney said with a grin, opening a large trunk, filled with yo-yos and strings, in the family living room

Maloney constantly seeks new information about tricks on the Internet He also attends yo-yo club meetings three times a month

"You just really have to have strong arms and a strong wrist," Maloney said "And you have to practice a lot '

#### **CITY OF PLYMOUTH NOTICE OF CLOSE OF REGISTRATION FOR** GENERAL ELECTION **NOVEMBER 6, 2001**

#### To the Qualified Electors of the CITY OF PLYMOUTH - WAYNE COUNTY, ML

Notice is here by given that October 9th 2001 is the last day to register to vote or change your address for the above stated election

If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address in the above stated jurisdiction in which you live you may do so at the following locations and times listed in this notice

Qualified electors may also register to vote or change their address in the following nanner

#### In Person

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At your City Clerk's Office or at the office of any County Clerk during normal business hours

At any of the Secretary of State Branch offices located throughout the

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JOE BRIDGEMAN Secretary Planning Commission

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WESTERN TOWNSHIPS UTILITIES AUTHORITY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS **REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS** 3:00 P.M., MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2001

Regular meeting called to order at 3 16 pm Present Thomas Yack Steve Mann Richard Henningsen Agenda - adopted as amended adding items VIII(a) and VIII(b) Minutes of the regular meeting of August 27 2001 - approved Schedule of operating expenses totaling \$1 120 162 23 - approved Operations & Maintenance Report for August 2001 - received and filed Director's Report for September 2001 - received and filed Second Amendment To Final Order of Abatement No 2138 - approved Emergency Wet Weather Treatment System Administrative Consent Order draft accepted

Award of Contract Grit Removal and Disposal from Sanitary Sewer Pump Stations - purchase order contract awarded to Genessee Industrial Services of Detroit Michigan

2001 Goals Update - received and filed

SCADA Phase 3 Approval - purchase order contract awarded to Aggressive Systems Inc of Farmington Hills Michigan

YCUA Plant Expansion Update - received and filed

The regular meeting was adjourned at 4 35 p m

Chairman THOMAS J YACK

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 October 4 2001 07093

#### LEGAL NOTICE STORAGE USA

Notice is hereby given that on (OCTOBER 16 2001) Tate & Co Auctioneers Executive Administrator for Storage USA will be offering for sale under the judicial hen 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 B35 Paul Bauman Television Dresser Microwave 2 Armchairs Mattress Toys Children's Furniture Boxes Tables Clothes CD

	Rack Misc Household Items
B39 Growth Funding	High tech Office or Shop Equipment
	Dresser Microwave Stand Mattress Box Springs Headboard, Table with Chairs Boxes Baby Seat Bags Misc Household Items
	Sectional Sofa Loveseat Kitchen Table End Table Foot Stool Lamp 3 Desks Boxes Plastic Bags Bed Frame
	Box Spring Bed Frame Toys Plastic Bags Boxes Dresser Coffee Table 2 Couches 2 Air Conditioners Vacuum Cleaner Bicycle
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Agenda will be discussed

Pledge of Allegiance to the flag

Roll Call Blaylock Cisek Demopoulos Johnson Redfern

Acceptance of Agenda

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- 1 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 (TABLED FROM SEPTEMBER 13 2001 MEETING)
- (Building)
- 2 Donald & Melissa Michael 8499 Orhan Canton Mi 48187 are requesting a variance to Fence Ordinance # 103 Section 6 J and Section 8 D regarding Opaque fencing on Corner Lots Parcel # 001 02 0524 000

(Building)

3 David Lamb 47235 Maben Road Canton Mi 48187 is appealing Zoning Ordinance 26 02 dealing with lot width and lot width to depth ratios in the R 1 and R 3 zoning Districts

Parcel # 035 01 0033 009 and # 035 01 0033 010

(Planning)

Approval of September 13 2001 minutes

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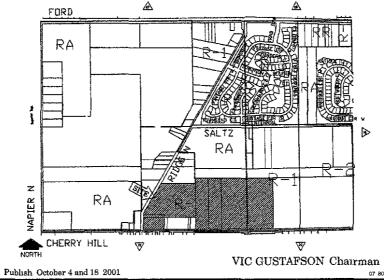
#### PLANNING COMMISSION **CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON** NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

#### AMENDMENT TO THE ZONING PROPOSED 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 29 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

**UPTOWN CHERRY HILL VILLAGE PLANNED DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT (PDD) - FINAL PLAN** - CONSIDER REQUEST TO ESTABLISH A PDD AS PERMITTED IN SECTION 27 04 OF THE ZONING ORDINANCE INCLUSIVE OF PARCEL NOS 072 99 0003 000 072 99 0004 000 072 99 0015 000 072 99 0016 000 072 99 0017 000 073 99 0018 000 072 99 0022 000 AND PART OF PARCEL NO 067 99 0011 000 Property is located on the north side of Cherry Hill Road east of Ridge Road (Second Public Hearing)

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the above address prior to Thursday October 25 2001 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review



At the specified agency for clients receiving services through the Family Independence Agency the Department of Community Health Michigan Jobs Commission and some office of the Commission for the Bhnd

At the military recruitment offices for person enlisting in the Armed Forces

By Mail

By obtaining and completing a Mail Voter Registration Application and forwarding to the Election Official as directed on the application by the close of registration deadline Mail voter registration applications may be obtained by contacting

Linda Langmesser, CMC City Clerk 734 453 1234 ext 234 201 S Main Street Plymouth MI 48170

Note A person who registers to vote mail is required to vote in person unless they have previously voted in person in the City where they live or are at least 60 years of age or are handicapped

LINDA LANGMESSER CMC City Clerk

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#### CANTON TOWNSHIP NOTICE OF CLOSE OF REGISTRATION FOR SPECIAL GENERAL ELECTION **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2001**

To the Qualified Electors of CANTON TOWNSHIP - WAYNE COUNTY Voter Precincts #2, #15,#20 and #28 Only

Notice is hereby given that MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2001 is the last day to register to vote or change your address for the Tuesday, November 6 2001 Election The purpose of said Special election is to vote on the following Wayne County Community College District millage proposal

Shall the Limitation on the amount of taxes which may be imposed on taxable property in the Wayne County Community College District be increased by one dollar and fifty cents per thousand dollars (1.5 mills) of the taxable value of all taxable property in the College District for a period of ten (10) years, 2001 to 2010, inclusive, as new additional millage to provide funds for all community college purposes authorized by law? It is estimated that 1.5 mills would raise approximately \$32,349,210 00 when first levied in 2001

If you are not currently registered to vote or have changed your address m the above stated jurisdiction in which you live you may do so at the following locations and times listed in this notice

#### IN PERSON

- At your city or township clerks office or at the office of any county clerk during normal business hours
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TERRY BENNETT CANTON TOWNSHIP CLERK 1150 S CANTON CENTER ROAD CANTON MICHIGAN 48188

Phone 734 394 5120

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#### **LESLIE A. DICKINSON**

Services for Leslie Dickinson, 91, of Canton Township were held Sept 29 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev Terry Jadzinski officiating Burial was at Parkview Memorial Cemetery in Livonia

Mr Dickinson was born June 28, 1910 in Marmaduke, Ark, and died Sept 26 in Livonia He was a retired truck driver at Hayes Sand and Gravel of Livo nia He came to the Canton community in 1993 from Livonia He was a member of Community of Christ Church in Plymouth He was a member of the Odd Fellows in Mio and the Teamsters and Operating Engineers Union He loved his children and helping others He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather

Mr Dickinson was preceded in death by his son, Dale Dickinson

Survivors include wife, Arlene of Canton, son, Ray (Pat) Dickinson of Livonia, son, Wayne (Corinne) Dickinson of Canton, daughter-in law, Judy Dickinson 11 grandchildren, 18 greatgrandchildren, and several nieces and nephews

#### **RALPH ALBERT BURSKEY**

Services for Ralph Burskey, 49, of Salem Township were held Oct 1 at Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev Michael Meyer officiating Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield

Mr Burskey was born April 17 1952 in Detroit and died Sept 25 in Superior Township He was a financial advisor

Survivors include wife, Mary Ann Burskey of Plymouth, daughter Audrey Burskey of Livonia brothers, Richard S Burskey (Jacqueline) of Brighton, Robert J (Suzanne) Burskey of Ann Arbor, Russell J Burskey of Livonia and Rodger J (Bonnie) Burskey of Com merce Township, several cousins, aunts and uncles and nieces and nephews

#### **GEORGE R. HUNTER**

A memorial service for George Hunter 69 will be held Oct 19 at the Plymouth First United Methodist Church with the Rev Dean Klump officiating

Mr Hunter was born Aug 22, 1932 in Detroit and died on

Sept 11 at his home in Florida He graduated from Plymouth High School in 1951 He was a journeyman electrician, member of Local 58, Plymouth-Canton school bus driver, umpire, Little League coach/administrator and a Plymouth volunteer fireman He participated in the Plymouth Canton Civitan Club, Masons Plymouth Rock Lodge, Plymouth junior football/basketball leagues and also Brighton foot ball

Survivors include his wife. Betty Hunter of Zephyrhills Fla, sons, Alan Hunter of Plymouth, Doug (Beth) Hunter of Clinton, Ill, and Dan (Sandy) Hunter of Canton, grandchil dren, Amy and Ashley of Can ton, Allison and Christian of Illi nois, aunt, Jean Fullterton of Detroit, cousins, Marion Creith of Redford, Grace Orr of Colum bus, Ind, Elaine (Gary) McLaren of Plymouth, and several nieces and nephews

Memorial contributions may be made to the Plymouth United Methodist Church, Plymouth Canton Civitan Club or the Ply mouth Masonic Lodge

#### **STEWART "JACK" NANTAU**

Services for Jack Nantau, 80, of Livonia were held Sept 28 at Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev William B Lupfer offici ating Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Park in Livonia

Mr Nantau was born Aug 8, 1921 in Windsor, Canada and died Sept 25 in Ann Arbor He lived for 46 years in Livonia, previously of Detroit He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the US Marines He was a longtime member of St John Episcopal Church in Plymouth and was a Mason He was retired from the Detroit Public Schools, having served as Super intendent of Operations of Buildings His hobbies included music, exercise and reading

Survivors include his wife Mabel H Nantau of Livonia, daughters, Jeannine (Keith) Cle land of Plymouth, Karen (Roy) Meadows of South Lyon, and Jacqueline (Joe) Beitz of Ply mouth, brother Arthur Nantau of Venice, Fla sister Helen M Douglas of Redding, Calif, grandchildren, Stephen, Bryan, Kristin Elizabeth, Erica and Nicholas great grandchildren

Cameron and Megan and sever al nieces and nephews

Memorial contributions may be made to the United States Marines Toys for Tots, 7600 E Jefferson Detroit MI 48124

#### **PAULINE MONGRAIN**

Services for Pauline Mongrain, 78 of Westland were held Oct 3 at McCabe Funeral Home Can ton Chapel with the Rev C Richard Kelly officiating Burial was at Parkview Memorial Cemetery

Mrs Mongrain was born Aug 6 1923 in Detroit and died Sept 30 in Shelby Township

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edmund Mon grain

Survivors include daughter Jill (Mike) Salmeto of Shelby Township, son, John (Rebecca) Mongrain of Tennessee, Jim (Irene) Mongrain of East Lansing, and Jeff (Tina) Mongrain of Canton, and eight grandchil dren

#### FRANCIS J. STARRETT

Services for Francis Starrett. 76, of Inkster were held Sept 29 at St Thomas a Beckett Catholic Church with the Rev C Richard Kelly officiating Burial was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield

Mr Starrett was born March 22, 1925 in Detroit and died Sept 27 in Pittsfield Township

Survivors include wife, Barbara Starrett of Inkster daugh ters Nancy (Bob) Platter of Can ton, Elaine Starrett, and Mary (Brad) Reynolds, brother, Ed (Monica) Starrett, sister, Betty (Dick) Adams, six grandchildren, and six great grandchildren

#### JAMES C. REINBOLD

James Reinbold, 69 of Garden City died Oct 1 in Pittsfield Township He was born Aug 10, 1932 in Lincoln Park

He was preceded in death by his wife, Frances Reinbold

Survivors include son, James C (Tresa) Reinbold, daughter Kım (Mıke) Csuhta, son, Mıke Reinbold, and two grandchil dren Alexa Reinbold and Nicole Csuhta

Arrangements made by L J Griffin Funeral Home Canton Chapel

#### JEFFREY D. RADTKE

Services for Jeffrey Radtke 44 of Holland will be held Oct 6 at the Harry Will Funeral Home in Livonia Burial will take place at Glen Eden Memorial Park

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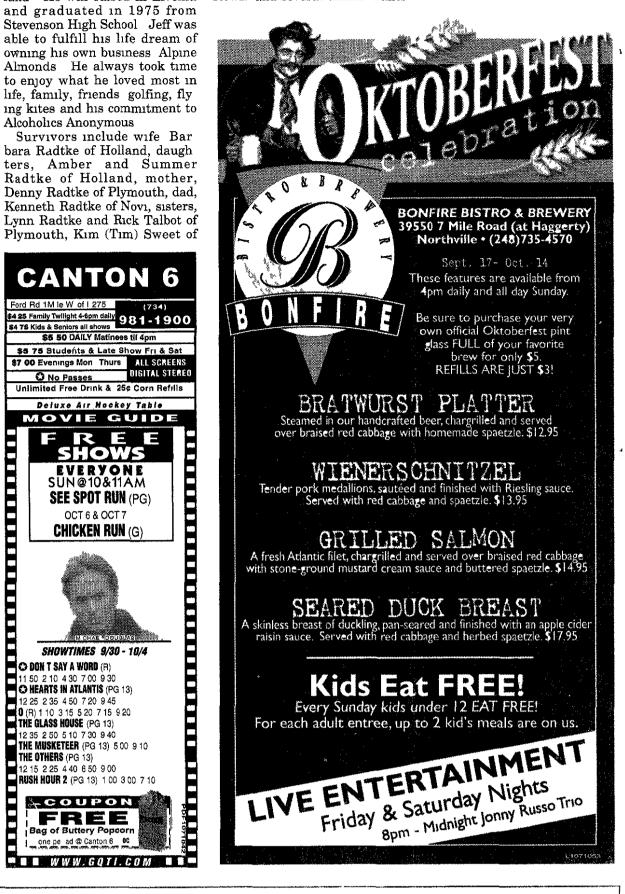
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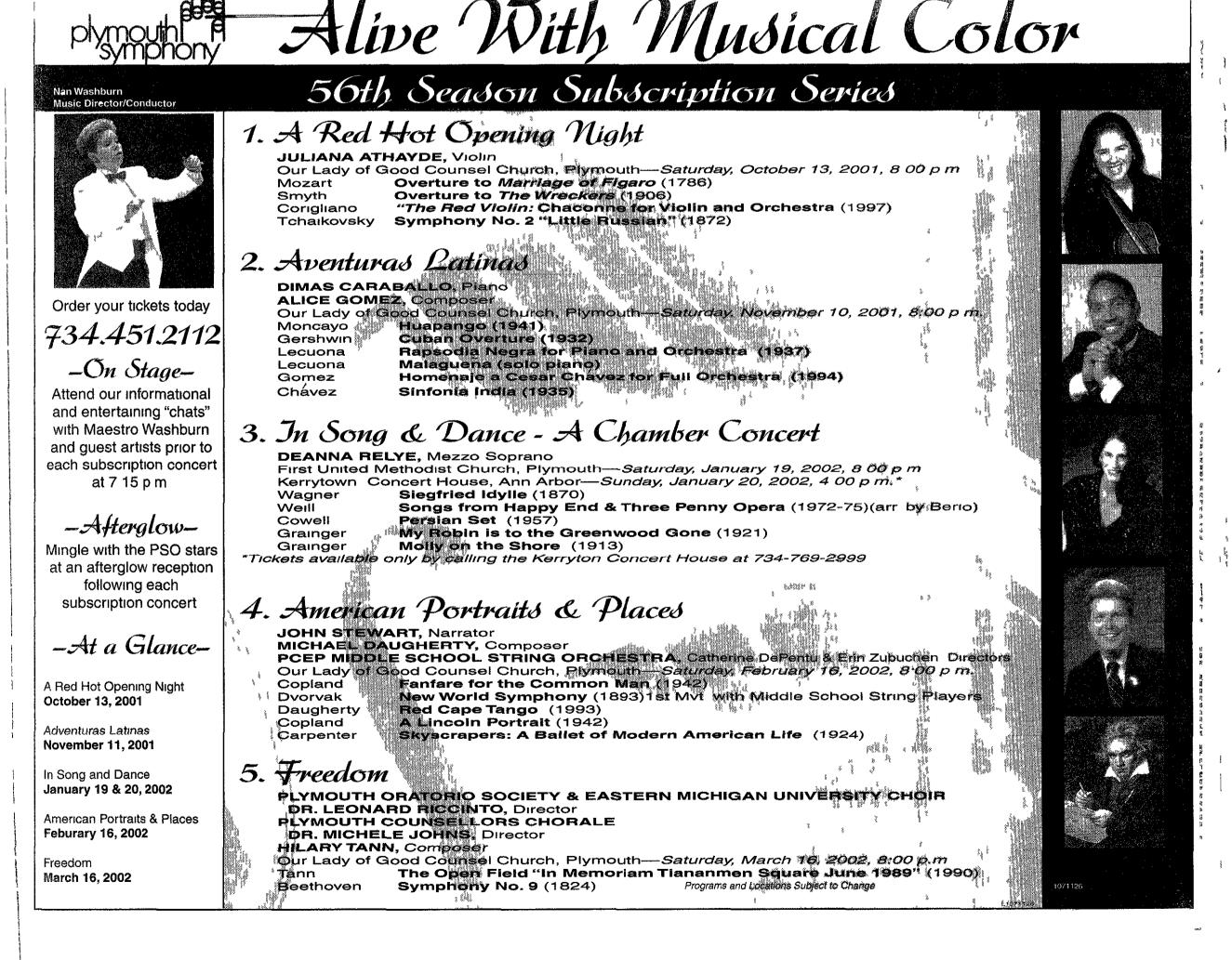
Mr Radtke died Oct 2 in Hol land He was raised in Livonia and graduated in 1975 from Stevenson High School Jeff was able to fulfill his life dream of

Raleigh NC brothers Richard (Mary) Karbowski of Dearborn Douglas Karbowski of Trenton, Diane (Phil) Clay of Brown stown Pam Kain of Brown stown and several uncles aunts

and cousins

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Holland or the Trust Education Fund for the Radtke children





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## **House approval of 3rd** judgeship is right move

#### It's about time

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Nearly a decade ago local officials began pushing the state for a third judgeship in the 35th District Court Now, it looks as if that could actually happen, with the first significant progress on the most recent proposal coming last week The Michigan House of Representatives voted 106-1 in favor of a bill authored by Rep Bruce Patterson, R-Canton, that would create the new judgeship along with other changes in the district court system

There are caveats of course The bill has to pass in the Senate, and it requires Gov John Engler's signature before the end of his term next year In these complicated economic times, when other state and international issues dominate the agenda, that's no sure thing The Senate has plenty of ammunition to shoot the bill down, should it choose that route A just-completed study from the state Court Administrative Office failed to recommend the additional judgeship as part of its review of several district courts

Then too, there's language in the bill that would require Westland's 18th District Court to absorb the 29th District in the city of Wayne, an idea that sparked opposition in both of those communities last spring

Even Patterson tacitly acknowledges those hurdles "It will be interesting to see who gets it through the Senate It's out of my control now," he said, reacting in rather low-key fashion to the bill's passage in the House

Still Patterson deserves credit for rightly picking up a cause few would have bothered with That he would cham pion the additional judgeship is com pletely in keeping with his character as a legislator who pays serious attention to constituent services

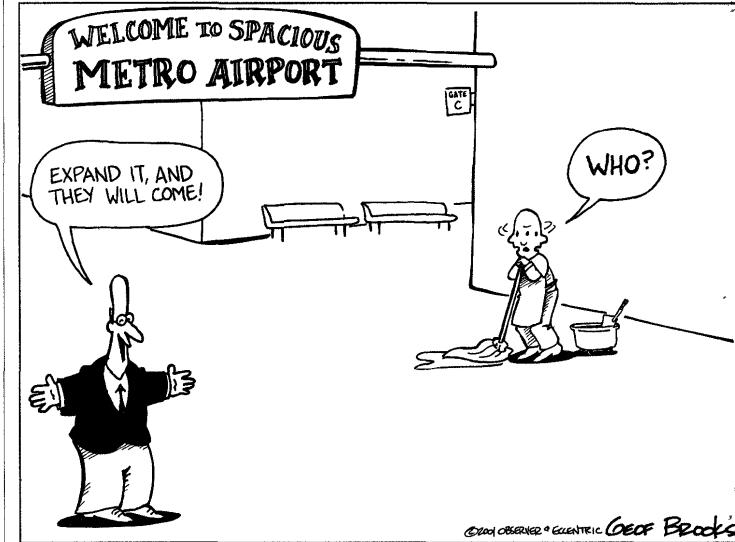
the issue has merit

Almost everything that affects the legal system in southeastern Michigan has changed since the district court system was put into place by the legislature 32 years ago Population has shifted, traffic patterns are different, as are trends in education, employment and technology Even our views on crime and the way society deals with it are radically different than they were in the 1960s

Recent changes in state law also play a role in how many people walk through the doors of the courthouse, just north of downtown Plymouth, each day The limit on civil cases handled at the district level went from \$10,000 to \$25,000 several years ago Also bumped up was the limit on property theft/ damage cases heard at the district level – from \$100 to \$1,000 Those changes, we note, were made by the same legislature that repeatedly turns a deaf ear toward allocating or shifting additional resources to cover the burdens it dumps on our local courts

Nowhere has there been more impact than the five communities covered by the 35th District Court Plymouth, Canton and Northville townships, along with the cities of Plymouth and Northville In fact, Judges Ron Lowe and John McDonald (along with help from a visiting judge several times a week) preside over criminal and civil matters for a geographic area that contains 84 square miles and nearly 140,000 people Figures compiled by court administrator Kerry Erdman indicate the court last year handled 44,778 cases an average of 22,389 for each judge That's nearly twice the 12 735 average handled by Michigan dis trict judges during the same 12 month period

The Michigan House of Representa tives has done its part The state Senate and Gov Engler have an obligation to provide judicial relief and adequate rep



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#### **Emotional time**

My name is Erin Wysocki (daughter of school board member Tom Wysocki) and I am a senior at Hope College in Holland, Mich I believe my mother contacted you regarding your article on people's feelings about what happened on Sept 11th So I guess I'll just tell you about my day on the 11th

I always watch the Today Show in the morning while getting ready for classes and work Tuesday, Sept 11, began just like any other day I was in the bathroom to fix my hair and makeup when I suddenly heard the hosts interrupt the program with a special bulletin Seeing as my apartment is quite small, I merely popped my head out the bathroom door to see what all the hullabaloo was about

As soon as I saw the World Trade Center was on fire I grabbed my stuff and took it into the living room By this time my roommate was up and joined me there We watched the live broadcast as speculation went from a possible bomb exploding to rumors of a small commuter plane crashing into the tower As soon as they confirmed that it was a plane that crashed and exploded, I thought of a terrorist attack I mean really, it was a perfectly clear day and that building is not something that you would just happen to not see, you know? Then my fears were confirmed as Jill and I watched the second plane crash into the other tower live We continued to monitor the developments until we had to leave for class and work at 9 30 I had to sit through a 90-minute class wondering what on earth was going on So as soon as class was over, I rushed across the street to the library, where Jill was working Her boss informed me that she had left for a prayer vigil in the Pine Grove (an area in the center of campus where many campus events are held), so I took off to find her and see what the latest developments were Though I couldn't find Jill, I did find a group of my friends there, who informed me about the collapse of the buildings Quite a large number of people, including students, staff, and faculty, had gathered around the perimeter, where a small stage and sound system were being set up Though I had shed a few tears watching the second plane crash, I think I was still pretty much in a state of shock, unable to cry or do much of anything except console my friends whose emotions were running at full force As soon as the first song that we sang, On Christ the Solid Rock I Stand, my emotions caught up with me and I was completely and utterly unable to open my mouth to do anything but sob I regained my composure and was able to sing the rest of the song as well as the songs following After singing and some speeches by our president, Dr James Bultman, and Dean of the Chapel, Tim Brown, we organized ourselves into small groups and prayed This has been the most emotional (time) of my life I have poured my heart out in prayer for the victims and their families, for the rescuers, for our government, for the people of our country, for those who were involved in the planning and execution of the events which occurred on that somber day, and for the entire world As I reflect upon the events, I cannot help but think about the fact I am roughly the same age as my grandparents' generation was when Pearl Harbor was attacked I wonder what

caused the world to get to this point and what our futures will be as a result of what has happened

What worries me now is how our country is reacting to the idea of war Hearing people in the United States speak of wanting an all-out let's-justbomb-and-obliterate-everything-insight war, I get very afraid of what extreme steps people may take here in our homeland without thinking hard about it first I really hope and pray that it is not that type of war

I may be radical in what I am about to say, but I feel it deeply As a Christian, it is my hope to live a life as much like my saviour's life as I can and I really know that Jesus Christ would have forgiven them for their actions I forgive those people who carried out those kamikaze missions I truly feel a peace about this It is bad enough that they will spend the rest of eternity in Hell

I think that if the general public was able to calm down enough to resist jumping out of their seats and allow the government and armed forces to do industry will recover Because we are Americans and we pull together better than any group of people in the world

We certainly have a great task before us, mourning our dead, guarding against further attacks, rebuilding what was lost, both in lives and property But we will succeed because that's the American thing to do We need to realize that instead of only seeing the negative things, we need to look for the rebirth of the American spirit And when we do we will rise like the Phoenix from the ashes, and we will be stronger, more united and a better people

Believe in America, and support America Don't let fear and shortsightedness finish the terrorists' job Because to do any less is an insult to the men, women and children of all races of all nationalities and all creeds who perished in the terrorist attacks of Sept 11 2001

**Bill Williams** Livonia

## **Metro oversight efforts** fall well short of mark

bizarre moves coming out of Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport – even on the airport's own supercharged zaniness scale - it now appears we'll be treated to dueling oversight committees to monitor construction and other contracts handed out by the county executive Much as we'd like to believe two such groups will provide an extra safeguard for taxpayers and double the integrity of the letting process, we're a tad skeptical

The Wayne County Commission announced its endeavor last week, calling the group a stakeholder's committee It will consist of Airport Director Lester Robinson (a county employee), representatives from Northwest Airlines, a smaller airline, concessionaires, employee unions, the Detroit Chamber of Commerce and the state Bureau of Aeronautics and could begin meeting in the next week or two

The Michigan Legislature, meanwhile, is set to trot out a similar effort by week's end Sen Glenn Steil, R-Grand Rapids, has said he will introduce legislation setting up a group to monitor and approve airport contracts Steil, you'll recall, is heading up the legislature's ongoing 18month "investigation" of airport practices

Let's not dwell on the political timing of these developments, except to note that intelligence efforts by both factions who seem to know exactly what the other is planning and when - seem far superior to anything cooked up of late by federal authorities Their potential effectiveness, however, is fair game And that's where we see some real problems

The set-up for the county's committee is lacking in key areas. To begin with, it doesn't have the power to award contracts or even change the way contracts are let All it can do is review proposals, suggest changes and hire auditors to do a little Monday morning quarterbacking This might be sufficient if recent contract history at the airport didn't include charges of favoritism, cronyism and plain old poor financial judgment

But even if the contracting process was

In what strikes us as one of the more a model of ethical behavior to this point, the idea that a so-called watchdog group made up almost exclusively of interested parties - whose members benefit both directly and indirectly from its decisions · can meet its stated goal is just asking for trouble

> Finally, there seems to be some confusion over how the stakeholders will reach consensus Namely, will they meet in private to hash out the good, bad and ugly on airport deals or will those actions be discussed under the full glare of the media - and public - spotlight? Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara said the committee would be encouraged to meet publicly and would in any case make minutes of its meetings public

> While the legislature is still hammer ing out the details of its contract over sight committee, there are signs of trouble there as well For example, we've seen nothing to indicate this latest effort will be free of the us vs them politics dominating the legislature's Metro agen-

> Also, there is real danger in removing contract decisions from the local level and sending them to Lansing Not only does it unnecessarily bog down the process, but in the end, it lessens accountability Just look at some of the recent school financing decisions for a clue as to what the effect might be on the airport and its primary users

> We'll give this much to the state com mittee At least it will be subject to the requirements of the Michigan Open Meetings Act

> The Observer believes both efforts are less than genuine and will ultimately come up short In particular, the Wayne County Commission should take a second look at its plan to broaden both the committee's membership and mission

> And it goes without saying that any effort to clean up questionable contracting practices at the airport must be wide open and fully accountable to the public A lack of timely public disclosure and scrutiny is responsible for much of the airport's contracting mess in the first place

their jobs, we would be much better off As it has been said on the news this war will be a war of strategic planning and specialized teams Our troops probably won't consist of people who have run to sign up for the armed forces in the last week because they want to kill Bin Laden

I think it's really sad that it took an event like this to get people to realize how much we take for granted here m the United States We are really fortunate and people don't appreciate that enough Is it only to be in times of great crisis that the public opens their arms and pocketbooks? Perhaps this will bring the people of the US back to earth and back to their knees

Erin Wysocki Plymouth

#### We will survive

On Sept 11, 2001, our country was subjected to a horrific terrorist attack Thousands have lost their lives, both in the initial attack and in the rescue attempts that followed Heroes and villains have come to the forefront of the media Men trying to foil an airline hijacking gave their lives, certainly saving the lives of many on the ground

Fire fighters and police suffered great tragedy in the aftermath of the attacks And men like prime suspect Osama bin Laden or whomever perpetrated this attack will see their names cursed by most of our planet's inhabitants The suffering of all those who lost family members and friends will serve as constant reminders of this second day of infamy

So what will happen now depends on all of us How do we react to the turmoil? Should we fear our neighbor because he looks different or speaks a different language or practices a different religion?

Certainly not Our country was founded on the beliefs of freedom from any type of oppression, speech, religion, peaceful assembly, etc Read your newspapers, watch your televisions, look at America! People coming together as Americans Not Irish- or Asian- or African-Americans, not as Jewish-Americans or Catholic-Americans or Muslim-Americans, but as AMERICANS'

This is why we will prevail This is why our financial markets will survive and, when the panic selling ends, will thrive again This is why our airline

#### Airlines will pay

In an otherwise fine article about the formation of an oversight committee at Metro Airport, reporter Tim Smith made an error

In writing about revenue bonds which would be sold to raise money for airport expansion and remodeling, Smith wrote

"In the event the airlines are not able to pay off those bonds - a possibility, given air travel industry economic woes following the Sept 11 terrorist attacks - the necessary revenue likely would be generated by Wayne County residents, who probably would have their tax bills raised without a state referendum "

This is absolutely not true The bonds will be paid off by revenue from the airlines, generated by air travel The full faith and credit of the airlines are pledged to pay off the bonds

If there was any default in the payment of bonds, it would fall to the airlines using the airport Wayne County taxpayers would never be obligated to repay the debt Neither would the Wayne County General Fund budget.

> Edward H. McNamara Wayne County Executive

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## **O**THER **O**PINIONS

#### Thursday, October 4, 2001

## Mind's image of New Yorkers changes with 1st visit to city

Sitting in a 48th-floor restaurant at the Marriott Marquis Hotel Saturday night during my first visit to New York, it disquieted me to look at the other high-rises I could imagine someone sitting in their window the morning of Sept 11, gazing at the 110-story World Trade Center when the first hyacked aircraft smashed into the north tower

My mind's eye quickly flashed on the memory of standing in the newsroom, watching live on TV as



the second plane crashed into the south tower, and I could empathize with someone watching out their own window In New York City right now, you can't escape the tragic

events of that awful morning I was in New York with my older brother, Bryan, who owns season tickets to the Jets and goes to New York frequently Naturally, I expected New Yorkers to

Brad Kadrich

be absorbed in the effort to recover from the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center But the manner in which they're approaching it – and the degree to which they've taken the effort – surprised me Pleasantly

From the relatively unaffected borders of Plymouth, Mich, it's easy to watch the news or read the papers and say, "Those poor people " The response to the rescue effort here has been nothing short of amazing But there's something about being in New York, watching as the natives try to rebuild, to reclaim some sort of normalcy in their lives that makes you sad and proud, all at once

It's sad when you walk in downtown Manhattan and can actually *feel* the pain the first time you see for yourself, as I got a chance to do Monday, the damage wrought on this city, on our country Standing some 400 yards away, you can see the mountains of debris, the nearby buildings with windows – and lives – shattered, the burned-out hulk of a once-teeming district

You can actually feel the difference in the footing, the slipperiness of the soot-covered sidewalks, when you've crossed into Ground Zero The stench gets to you even sooner than that

People are battling to recover, to not let their lives be consumed by the hell the terrorists inflicted on us That's why most of the people were on our flight from Detroit to New York in the first place Were they scared? Probably After all, only 50 or so passengers occupied a Northwest Airlines flight designed to carry 125

I was one of the 50, because I didn't want to let fear keep me from my first visit to the Big Apple I wanted to see the Jets, and I wanted to see Ground Zero I didn't want to let Osama bin Laden take that away from me

I expected security to be tighter at Metro Air port and it was Had to show my boarding pass and photo ID to get past the security checkpoint More uniformed people with badges

The biggest difference though, was the lack of passengers There were plenty of security people on hand, but the ratio was smaller than in most classrooms. They started bearding our flight at 3 p m, and had us seated and in the air before 3 30 "I've *never* checked in that fast," said my brother, the frequent flyer

Is the lack of passengers directly attributable to the tragic events of Sept 11? Almost certainly "We're on a four-day trip, and only one of the

legs is full," said flight attendant Doreen Leuthard, who hails from Minneapolis, Minn, Northwest's hub "I don't know if people are more afraid now, but they are more aware They're

watching a lot more " Aside from the fact we got pretzel sticks instead of peanuts, the flight was uneventful No one seemed scared People drank their complimentary beverages, read their books and magazines, or just slept One young woman played Spider Solitaire on her laptop computers

After landing in New York, we got tickets to Les Miserables', then had dinner in The View, the 48th-floor restaurant in the Marriott Marguis

Everywhere we went all weekend, there were reminders that New Yorkers are determined to pull themselves up, literally dust themselves off and get back to living

We walked around Shubert Alley at Broadway, buying souvenirs to support Broadway Cares Equity Fights Aids effort Lots of noise and hubbub, hustle and bustle, until a fire engine roars by Everything stops, and applause rings out for the firefighters, whose popularity in this city has rightfully skyrocketed

At Chelsea Jeans, a clothing store two blocks from the rubble, everything remains covered in dust as owners await decisions from the insurance company Opened just last year, Chelsea Jeans still needs a massive clean-up effort, and some structural repair, but they find themselves hamstrung by red tape, drowning in their own emotions

"Consider that everyone who works here has families, and a lot of our customers came from those buildings, and you don't know if they're alive or not," said Al Levy, the manager at Chelsea Jeans "It's hard"

The area is barricaded to keep pedestrians out, but they come anyway They stand at intersections, where you can see the destruction yards away They come and they stand for interminable periods of time, transfixed by the sight, transformed by the experience

But they aren't letting it get them down They are buoyed by the support they've gotten from around the country, but New Yorkers seem to be a special breed While appreciative of the help, they want to send a message to the terrorists New York is still open for business

With the support of people all over the country, New Yorkers haven't just adopted 'United We Stand" as a motto

For them in these dark days its a way of life

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Phil Power

Next year's election will be the biggest in years With Gov John Engler leaving office, the governorship is up for grabs

Term limits will purge most sitting members of the state Senate

Ambitious House members are jostling to move up Poised to run for the state House are shoals of local politicians

Those contemplating the wonders of running would do well to remember the old adage Be careful in what you wish for, you just might get it

The fact is that the 10-year boom that made holding office so much fun – plenty of revenue to pay for both tax cuts and more spending – is over

Done Finished Instead, financial experts are predicting Michigan's economy is heading into a downturn comparable to the tough times in the 1970s and early 1980s produced by the Arab oil embargo and the Gulf War in 1991

Tax collections were headed south even before the terrorist attacks on Sept 11 With a fullblown recession almost certainly in the cards, the revenue picture looks very, very bleak It's clear the state budget that begins this week (on Oct 1) is based on wildly optimistic revenue estimates, and some in Lansing are saying the budget for next year could be out of balance by \$1 billion or more

That puts candidates who were looking forward to more fun and games while in office in a real bind The obvious financial policy remedy is to cut costs and – gasp' – raise revenue But advocating the obvious becomes tough in a competitive and uncertain election year

When it comes to cutting appropriations, most Democrats roll their eyes and look for ways to sidle out of the room Most Republicans are fixated on cutting taxes Both are utterly unprepared to answer the simplest questions about what they would do about the state's financial situation if elected

In an attempt to be helpful to those running for office, I offer two modest proposals

First, postpone the scheduled reduction in income and business taxes until the economy picks up Freezing the present rates at current levels would yield around \$200 million in revenue this fiscal year and almost \$600 million next year Although this isn't going to cure budget shortfalls of \$1 billion it ain't chicken feed

Second, stop burying our heads in the sand

## Boom is over, and with it fun & games in state budget

about imposing sales taxes on purchases made over the Internet

There is no doubt that shopping on the 'Net is the wave of the future

Customers accustomed to pointing and clicking with their mouse are perfectly aware they aren't paying sales tax when the FedEx package arrives

The Michigan tax form has a line where taxpayers can enter the 6-percent sales tax owed on pur chases made from retailers who do not have a physical presence in Michigan Hands up, everybody who has meticulously kept records and entered the appropriate 6 cents on every dollar spent!

Treasury estimates that not taxing purchases made on the Internet will cost Michigan \$240 million this year With retail sales still surging on the Internet, the revenue lost is likely to increase substantially in years to come (While we're at it, consider that not taxing out of-state retailers is in fact a 6-percent penalty against companies that have stores in Michigan and provide jobs to our residents )

From his position as chairman of the National Governors Association, Gov Engler is leading an attempt to set up a collection system for taxes on Internet purchases Some 20 states have already signed up, not including Michigan, yet

The bill stalled in House Tax Policy Committee this spring, where conservatives assailed it as a new tax that will stifle the promise of e-commerce Leadership managed to bypass Tax Policy by running a new bill through House Commerce Once it reached the floor, representatives narrowly approved the measure in a 57-50 vote

I realize neither of my modest suggestions are as much fun as having it both ways, as we did in the 1990s But any candidate with even a shred of responsibility is going to have to come up with some plausible policy for resolving what, as of now, looks like a very tough economic dilemma

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## Legislature passes compromise education funding bill

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Local school districts "are likely celebrating" the passage of a compromise education budget bill in the state Legislature Wednesday, Sept 25, according to Brian Whiston of Oakland Schools

The compromise avoided the worst of the cuts proposed earlier this year, restoring basic funding for districts to \$6,500 per pupil for the current school year

But the restored funding comes at the expense of "categoricals," specially earmarked accounts for programs like summer school for elementary students, reading recovery programs and professional development for teachers Some categoricals have been trimmed, others eliminated

For local districts, it means the cuts aren't as deep as they had feared

#### **Urban schools affected**

Those most likely to suffer cuts will be older, more urbanized school districts that are more heavily dependent on those categoricals, said Sen Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield

Even for them, the losses are "cuts to the increase," the administration is quick to point out All schools are getting more money than last year, when the basic allowance was \$6,300 per pupil

The state is in the second year of a three-year budget A slowing economy meant that lawmakers had to pare back, but when they failed to reach agreement in the spring, Gov John Engler ordered an across-the-board 5-percent cut

That could have been costly to some districts, although the amounts varied Walled Lake for instance, would have lost more than \$1 million

Another district hard hit would have been Rochester, los ing \$855,000

The compromise, worked out in conference committee and passed by the House Thursday, Sept 20, and in the Senate Wednesday, Sept 25, brought back the per pupil "foundation grants" to the level schools had originally anticipated

Taking the money instead from those special programs, lawmakers found a way to trim \$149 million from the budget for the current year, dropping the budget total from \$11 139 billion to \$10 989 billion Next year's budget of \$11.3 billion got trimmed \$302 million, said Whiston, who serves as legislative liaison for the Oakland Intermediate School District

It was the newest categorical programs that got cut first, said

Shulman, R-West Bloomfield Summer school for elementary students, a program intended to assure that youngsters get extra instruction if they still can't read by the time they leave third grade, was cut altogether

That could be a problem for some districts. Whiston said Waterford, as an example, had launched a summer school program for the first time last year Now with no funding, it will likely have to be cut immediately

Another reading program, reading recovery, got trimmed \$25 million this year and \$30 million next year, but was not eliminated altogether

Professional development programs for teachers were axed entirely, effective this year

One new categorical, Parent Involvement & Education grants, also known as PIE grants, was spared trimming for this year The \$45 million program is intended to teach parents how to work with their youngsters to improve school performance But the program gets cut altogether next year

Whiston said that poses a problem for school districts expected to gear up to start the new program this year only to have to cut it next year

Republicans for the most part were pleased with the final compromise Harcek explained dis

Todd Harcek, aid to Rep Marc tricts had lobbied lawmakers primarily saying they wanted to keep the "foundation grants," per pupil funding, at the previously set levels

> Aaron Keesler, spokesman for Sen Dan DeGrow, R Port Huron, agreed that the main goal was preservation of that basic school district funding

#### 'Rainy Day Fund'

Democrats, on the other hand mostly objected Sens Alma Wheeler Smith, D-South Lyon, and Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield, both argued that the state should have been willing to dip into its budget stabilization fund, the "rainy day fund," to keep spending at anticipated levels

"We are talking out of one side our mouths when we say programs like 0-3 preschool, reading assessment, parenting education and professional development are critically important, and out of the other side when we say they are going to have to be delayed It's wrongheaded We are saying these things should be done, but not on our dime "

Smith argued the rainy day fund should be use, "that's what it's there for "

Peters said the state has already dipped into the rainy day fund, for more than \$70 mil lion And since education is supposed to be the state's priority, it

should have for schools, too

"That's the purpose of the fund, to smooth out dips in the revenues in our cyclical economy and make sure we have continuity in our programming This is a short-sighted approach to budgeting and education." Peters said

In the Senate, the education budget was approved in a 22-13 vote

In the House, the budget passed 62-44





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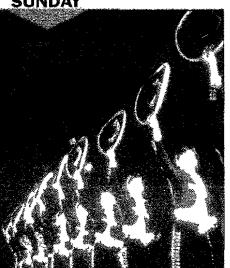
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#### BY LAURIE HUMPHREY SPECIAL WRITER

t was a time when guys were guys and girls were dolls Guys and Dolls a romantic comedy featuring the lives of Times Square gamblers, comes to the Fisher Theatre Oct 9

Making his Detroit debut as Nathan Detroit actor Maurice Hines will take the audience on a song and dance rollercoaster ride set in 1950 He leads the 28 member cast through Oct 28

This is a show for fun happiness and laughter' said Hines a native New Yorker 'This is a perfect show for this time (referring to the need to move on from news of recent terrorist attacks in New York Virginia and Pennsylvania )

Nathan Detroit needs to win big so he can marry h s fiancee of 14 years Miss Adclaide plaved by Alexandra Foucard First however he needs to come up with \$1 000 to ensure the continuation of his craps game He takes a chance betting a fellow gambler Sky Masterson (Brian Sutherland ) cannot convince one Sergeant Sarah Brown (Diane Suther

Back in time: Take a trip to the 1950s with Maurice Hines and friends in "Guys and Dolls'

Hines rides into Detroit high on the wings of suc cess 'At the Arena Stage in Washington, we broke the 50 year attendance record,' he boasted, "and at the Wolftrap in Virginia, we had 7,000 people standing on their seats screaming their applause"

Hines attributes the show's success to the cast and crew There is a lot of young talent " he said 'We bring a new energy to it "

'This is the best cast I ve worked with since I worked with my brother (Gregory Hines) "he

added

**Guys and Dolls** What Musical theatre set in the 1950s When 8 pm Tuesday Friday 2 pm and 8 pm Saturday 2 pm and 7 30 pm Sunday Shows run Oct 928 Where Fisher Theatre Detroit

Wright with choreography by Ken Roberson

Hines started entertaining at the age of 5, appearing first with his brother as "Hines Kids" and then with his brother and father as "Hines, Hines and Dad " The trio opened for Judy Garland and Ella Fitzgerald just to name a few Consequently, he lists Garland and Fitzgerald among his role models Others include Lena Horn, Carol Channing, Sammy Davis and Fayard Nicholas

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Hines s talent extends beyond stage performing He is also an accomplished director choreographer, screen actor and recording artist

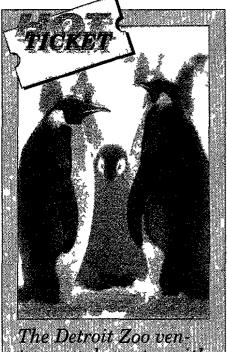
I love doing everything he said highlighting his roles in Harlem Suite (director choreographer and actor) and Jelly's Last Jam (actor) He also directed The Radio City Spectacular as the first African American director for Radio City Music Hall

His Broadway credits include Eubie! Bring Back Birdie, Sophisticated Ladies and Uptown Its Hot! for which he received a Tony nomination In addition, Hines received a Helen Hayes Award nomina tion for his current role as Nathan Detroit Yet it was his first role in Guys and Dolls that he considers a career highlight 'The first time I did Guys and Dolls, 25 years ago, I was called the Richard Pryor of musical com-





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land) of The Salvation Army to accompany him to Havana The performance follows these gamblers and their respective others as true feelings are unveiled

"I think its a wonderful show" Hines exclaimed, "but it's not so much about what I think It's what the audience thinks'

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#### THEATRE

## Theater company opens season with 'Bodyland'

### By JENNIFER PLACINTO STAFF WRITER

Imagine a world where death doesn t only encom pass funeral planning but also decisions about selling the deceased person's body parts and struggling with the moral and ethical issues that entails

It may not be too hard to fathom when we consider all the people on waiting lists for donated organs they may never receive

This futuristic possibility of buying and selling human body parts and advances in biotechnology is played out in Bodyland a production showing at the Furniture Factory, the old Weber Furniture Factory building on Third Street in Detroit which has been renovated as a performance space

Directed by Erika Block for the theater company Walk & Squawk Bodyland opens Thursday Oct 11 to anyone who wants to choose their own entry price

'It's up to people," Block said of the cost "We want them to come One person gave us a loaf of bread "

Closed since a brief opening last year in October flooding in December put the newly renovated factory back under construction Now Walk & Squawk Per formance Project, which has a long term lease of the building, is getting ready for it's first full season

"It's huge because we have this really packed sea son," Block said "We're now able to present other artists'

The idea was taken from a play Block wrote in 1987 Rewritten as a collaborative piece, a thread of

Squawk: Hılary Ramsden. artistic director. (left) and Yvonne DuQue give it their all



the former play was used as a springboard for the improvisation piece about a dad and daughter who must decide what to do with their wife/mother's body parts after she dies

Bodyland focuses on the impact the sales have on families and questions, " how much of who we are is wrapped up in our physicality," Block said "Do you take some of that person's being or identity with you? "It's about raising questions, not answering them"

#### Sip & Squawk

Talk backs after the show, called Sip & Squawk, allow performers and professionals to talk with audi ence members about their questions and differing perspectives

Everything we're doing is a new kind of work," Block said "It's not just going to the theater"

The name in itself, Walk & Squawk Performance Project 1s pretty unforgettable and that's what artis tic directors Erika Block and Hilary Ramsden were counting on With Ramsden's focus on movement and Blocks on writing, they wanted a name that conveyed the group's goal of combining movement, language and sounds and giving them equal play

'For most people, it's kind of unusual," Ramsden said "I guess it's the way we work We look at the issues and characters from a different perspective than most '

#### **Re-reopening**

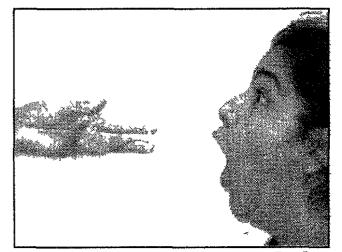
tings for every performance

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On Oct 20, the Furniture Factory will celebrate its first anniversary with a party after the performance of Bodyland And the new interior will be on display

We have a wide open 15,000-square-foot building with this very cool mix of art deco 1920s retail space' Block said "We did as much as we could

(without) changing the basic features of the building They put up walls, moved a staircase and created a second floor lobby which overlooks the lower lobby A wall of glass, made of windows and French doors, allows division of the space without blocking natural sunlight New plumbing, electrical and modern bathrooms were added And the 100 seats inside the performance area are moveable, allowing for new set-



ERIKA BLOCK

From within: Yvonne DuQue puts her full voice forward as she practices her part in Walk & Squawk's Bodyland, premiering *Oct* 11

'For *Bodyland*, we're going to take the place apart and put seating all over the place," Block said

"It's an intimate space which is kind of raw," Ramsden said, adding that it's reminiscent of Chicago or New York theaters "It's a very different experience if you're sitting 5 feet from a performer or 10 feet from a performer as opposed to sitting 50 or even 100 feet away'

They also have plans to use the building's iron and steel awning for small outdoor performances

The Furniture Factory is open to other media to promote artists from around the nation and world It features space for a gallery, classes, theater, dance and musical productions

"It's unusual for here," said Block "It's not that it's such a unique concept outside this area "

Kimberly Johnson of Kimberly Consulting in Birmingham saw the Furniture Factory as a perfect oppor tunity to complete what wasn't done at the Detroit

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## Hines from page B1

#### edy," he said with pride

Hines prefers not to look back on his success however, having no intention of slowing down He'd rather look to the future

"Once I'm finished with Guys and Dolls, I'll start on the movie version of Yo Alice, a hip-hop version of Alice in Wonderland," he said It was written, composed and arranged by metro-Detroiters Lee Summers and Timothy Graphen

While Hines's busy schedule doesn't allow time for vacations, he does plan to make the most out of his three-week stay in Detroit

I am so thrilled to be coming to Detroit," he said "I'm from the Motown era and I've wanted to come there for a long time I plan to see everything and every-

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**Maurice Hines** one "

Upon learning the company would perform in Detroit, he tickets be sent to Aretha

Includes:



ERIKA BLOCK Hand to mouth: Rehearsing their parts in Bodyland, Hilary Ramsden (left) and Jeffrey Steiger have a hard time hiding their emotions



## **Bodyland** from page B1

Opera House While she was managing director at the Opera House, there were plans to build a small performance space

"I was very disappointed that that phase did not go forward," Johnson said

She thinks the Furniture Factory will spur commercial development of that area of Third Street and attract cutting-edge

artists

"Without it there, we really in terms of cultural life, don't have it all," Johnson said of Detroit "Definitely, it's very, very important for Detroit's national and international arts reputation You can't have a great city without being able to attract great artists "

#### **The Furniture Factory**

Some \$650,000 in renovations were made to the old Weber Furniture Factory on Third Street in Detroit to make way for a performing space

Money was raised through a serious capital campaign

"We've done it very cost efficiently," said artistic director Erika Block, adding approximately \$150,000 was donated in services and goods

Now Walk & Squawk, the resident theater company, is ready to open the first full season and it's packed

■ Walk & Squawk is putting on two theater productions Body land, a play about buying and selling body parts, which runs Oct 11 - Nov 11 The Last NightStand, a comedy about humans, goldfish, entrances and exits, runs April 11 - May 12

■ On Tour at the Furniture Factory is a presentation of national and international artists whose work pushes aesthetic and political boundaries Shows in October and March

The costs for On Tour and Walk & Squawk are \$18 on Sundays, \$24 Fridays and Saturdays or \$20 with 7-day advance purchase

■ WDET at the Furniture Factory – Monthly live shows hosted by WDET personalities spotlighting emerging and established Detroit musicians Thursday nights beginning Oct 25 in an intimate work space Runs through April Cost is \$10 12

■ Spoken Words – A monthly reading series featuring three generations of writers of InsideOut, Detroit's poetry-in-schools project October through April Cost is \$5 per session or free for students with student card

Classes at the Furniture Factory - Open Tech, a behind-thescenes look at a technical rehearsal, offered Oct 6 The Artist's Play Space, a weekly opportunity for "serious" actors, dancers and artists to play games and be silly (Oct 15 - Dec 17) Perfor-mance Workshop, Oct 27 Living In the Body, a workshop for women on movement exercises and physical theater games (Oct 30 Nov 6) Maskmaking (Nov 10 and 17)

"I like the fact that we're doing mask making workshops for families and we're also doing one in the winter for the perform ers," Block said

■ Gallery – Exhibit Nov 6 In 2002, begin rotating exhibits four times per year

■ Factory passes are available for \$175 With the purchase of eight tickets, buyers can use the tickets for any performance they'd like and have free admission to open tech, free parking, and free drinks in the café

For more information call (313) 832 8890 or log on to walk sauawk org

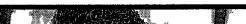


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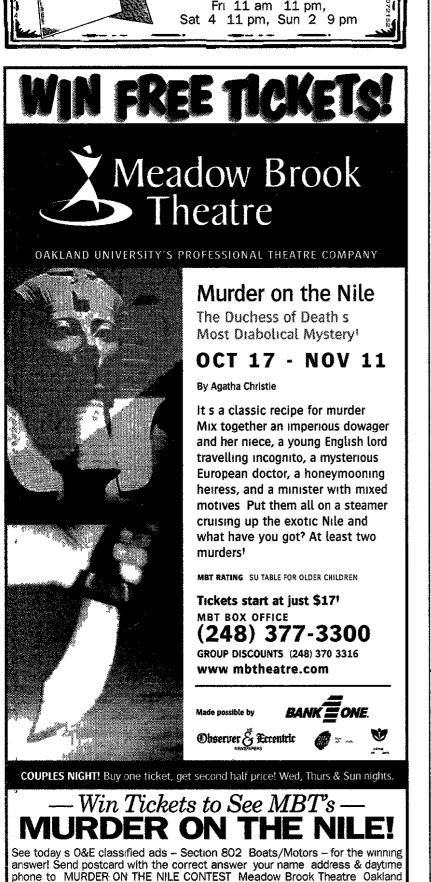
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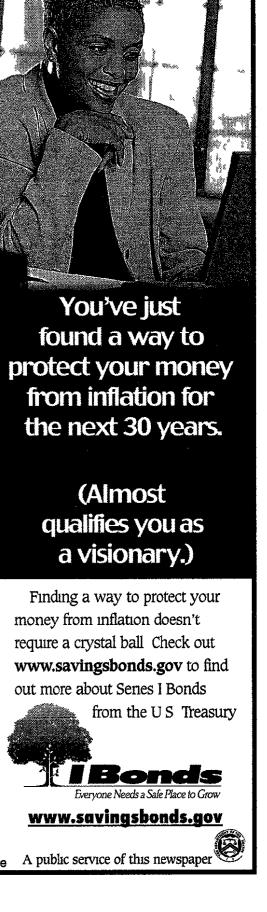


requested that complimentary Franklin "She is the Queen after all," he quipped



phone to MURDER ON THE NILE CONTEST Meadow Brook Theatre Oakland University Rochester MI 48309 Five winners will be randomly selected from entries with correct answers received by Wednesday Oct 31st





#### SPECIAL EVENT

## Tiger-trainer takes circus to new heights

#### BY CHRISTINA FUOCO SPECIAL WRITER

Sara Houcke's performance with the Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey Circus gives a whole new meaning to "Beauty and the Beast

The 5-foot-10 flaxen-haired stunner with a pierced tongue and navel looks more like a runway model than a tiger trainer She steps into the cage that she shares with her tigers and the ferocious animals melt at her feet

"The relationship, it's not the usual act you would see where the man comes into the ring, throws the chair, there's a lot of screaming and the cats are jumping everywhere," said Houcke, who appears with the circus at Joe Louis Arena now through Sunday, Oct 7

"I do a lot of petting I feed the meat from my hands There's one-on-one contact You see the tigers and the lions jumping everywhere Here it's a much smoother, easy-going act "

Her nickname, the Tiger Whisperer, a play on Robert Redford's character in the film The Horse Whisperer, comes from the way that she communicates with her tigers Houcke whispers - or "whuffles" as she calls it - to the cats, cuddles and caresses them

During this year's performances, Houcke works with four different kinds of tigers - standard, white with stripes, snow white and golden tabbies - all of whom stand at an average height of seven feet tall and weigh 400 pounds Houcke's interest in tigers is a relatively recent one, although the circus has always been in her blood

Houcke, born March 22, 1977, in Torquay, England, is a seventh-generation circus performer Her father, Sacha Houcke, is a famed French aniWho: Sara, "The Tiger Whisperer," and the rest of the Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey Circus When: Times vary, Thursday-Sunday, Oct 4-7 Where: Joe Louis Arena, 600 Civic Center Dr., Detroit Tickets: \$10, \$15, \$17 50 and a limited number of VIP tickets, call (248) 645-6666°

mal trainer while her mother, Judith Benson, 1s a former English professional dancer, turned trapeze artist Sacha Houcke and Sara's younger sister Kerin now also tour with **Ringling Bros** 

"I grew up with it," Houcke said about the circus "I love it I wouldn't want it any different It seems so normal to a person now I've done it all my life It's in me '

She began her circus career at age 2 as a clown in Switzerland's Circus Knie At 17, she moved from her parents' home in Switzerland to Germany to work with another circus By that time, Houcke already had experience performing with camels, elephants, horses, rhinos, hippos and zebras

"It was harder than I thought it would be to leave home, to not have mom around you all the time It's not a piece of cake "

Her job wasn't easy, either Houcke was hired to run the animal department for the circus

"I had to get the feed, find veterinarians in every city, set up and set down, everything that belonged to taking care of the anımal," said Houcke, who speaks four languages

At the age of 19, she found tigers fascinating and soon thereafter "realized that they weren't very many female tiger trainers And there aren't all

that many tiger acts going on, either

Three years ago, she was able to bring that idea to fruition when she moved to the United States to work for Ringling Bros The cats' owner, Josif Marcan, taught her how to work with the animals Meanwhile, Houcke found it important to focus on creating a relationship with the cats, whom she watered, cleaned and fed so she could get to know them

She and the tigers know each other so well that they can read their moods, explained Houcke who enjoys clubbing in the towns in which she is performing

"Sometimes it'll work good, sometimes it won't I can't put my head into the head of the tigers to see what is going on that day If I'm nervous, the cats will be nervous that one day If I'm uptight about something, the cats will feel it and mess around with me'

"They totally feel my mood I have to be happy about going m there "

Conversely, Houcke respects the tigers' ever-changing moods

"They come up and you know that they want to be petted We stay out of conflict that way, too If he's in a bad mood, I won't push myself on him If the tigers' in a good mood, if they're doing all right, I'll go in and approach They're like human them beings If you're in a bad mood, you don't want someone nagging you about it "

Houcke remains close to the tigers outside of performances She parks her "home," a 45-foot RV that she pulls from city to city, next to their cages

Since Houcke joined the circus, she has become a media darling, the focal point of advertisements and commercials, as well as the



**Cat-lover:** Sara The Tiger Whisperer "whuffles" to her cat

York Times, People, Details, The Today Show, CNN Showbiz media outlets

topic of interviews with The New Today, Inside Edition and other me It wasn't something that I was going to expect to come out of it '

"It's been pretty amazing for

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#### THEATER

**CENTURY THEATRE.** Fully Committed continues 1 30 p m Wednesday 7 30 p m Wednesday Thursday 8 30 pm Friday Saturday 5 30 p m Saturday Sunday and 1 30 p m Sunday at the theater Detroit \$2732 50 \$37 50 (313) 963 9800 **GEM THEATRE:** Dinner with Friends continues 2 p m Wednesday 8 pm Wedneday Friday 6 pm and 9 pm Saturday 2 pm and 6 pm Sunday at the theater Detroit \$27 50 \$37 50 (313) 963 9800 MEADOW BROOK THEATRE Pump Boys and Dinettes continues to Sunday Oct 7 at the theater on the campus of Oakland University Rochester \$26-\$38 (248) 377 3300

PLOWSHARES THEATRE COMPANY: Trouble in Mind continues through Sunday Oct 21 7 30 p m Thursday Friday 3 p m and 8 p m Saturday and 6 p m Sunday Anderson Center Theatre at Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village, Dearborn \$20 advance \$25 at door matinee \$15 advance \$25 at door seniors/stuents \$15 advance \$20 at door and 2 for 1 Thursdays \$20 for 2 in advance \$25 for 2 at the door (313) 872 0279

#### COMMUNITY THEATER

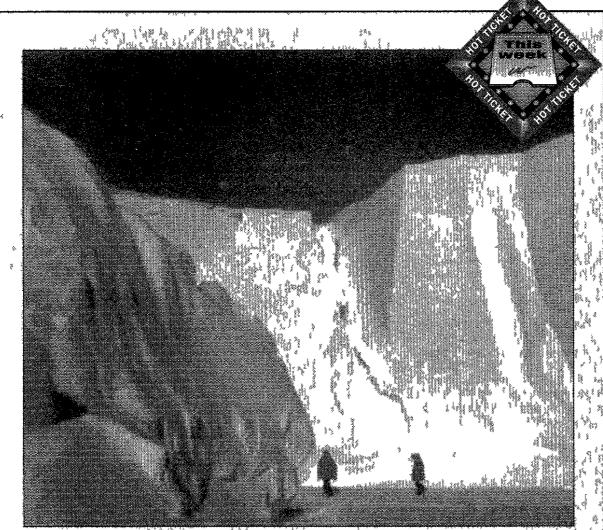
**CAPITOL THEATRE:** The Nearness of You 8 p m Friday Oct 12 at the theater 121 University Ave W Windsor Ontario \$18 adults \$12 students and seniors Canadian (519) 2537729 or www.capitol on ca

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**FRIENDLY PLAYERS:** Present *Murder in the Magnolias* 7 p m Friday-Saturday, Oct 26-27 in the Canton Public Library on Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill \$35, includes dinner Proceeds to benefit the mys tery department at the library Call (734) 397 0999

PERFORMANCE NETWORK. Taking Leave continues through Oct 7 at the Performance Network 120 E Huron Ann Arbor 8 p m Thursdays Saturdays 2 p m Sundays (734) 663 0681 RIDGEDALE PLAYERS Once Upon a

Mattress Oct 5 17 12 14 19 21 and 26 28 at the theater 205 W Long Lake Road Troy (248) 988 7049 www.ridgedaleplayers.com



The Detroit Zoo presents "Under Antarctic Ice," a photography exhibit by Norbert Wu at the Wildlife Interpretive Gallery. Now through Nov. 4, the photographs demonstrate ice formations and the diversity of life in extreme Antarctic conditions. From landscapes to wildlife and underwater images, the exhibit is produced by the Pacific Grove Museum. The Detroit Zoo is located at the intersection of 10 Mile Road and Woodward Avenue, off of I-696 in Royal Oak. Admission is \$8 adults, \$6 children ages 2-18 and senior citizens and children under 2 are admitted free. Call (248) 398-0900 or visit the Web site at www.detroitzoo.org.

OAKLAND UNIVERSITY. How Many Clowns Can yYu Fit into a Volkswagon? 8 pm Friday Saturday Oct 1213 2 p m Sunday Oct 14 Varner Hall Studio Theatre Show includes magic music and dancing with the focus on comedy \$10 \$8 seniors \$5 students (248) 370 3013 THEATRE COMPANY Race Oct 4 21 McAuley Theatre University of Detro t Mercy s Outer Drive cam pus 8200 W Outer Dr Detroit \$3 \$12 (313) 993 1130 (313) 993 6461 www.udmercy.edu.or theatre@udmercy edu U-M THEATRE & DRAMA: The Good Person of Szechwan Oct 47 and 11 14 Trueblood Theatre Department of Theatre and Drama University of Michigan Ann Arbor (734) 763 5213 U-M MUSICAL THEATRE: Good News Thursday Sunday Oct 1114 at the Mendelssohn Theatre Ann Arbor \$15-20 reserved \$7 student with ID (734) 764 2538

FALL COLOR TOUR: By Southern Michigan Railroad of Clinton and Tecumseh 11 a m 1 30 p m and 4 p m Oct 6 Nov 4 Southern Michigan's South Yard 806 S Evans St between Patterson Street and Russell Road Tecumseh \$15 \$10 seniors ages 65 and older \$8 for youths ages 2 12 (517) 456 7677 MOSCOW STATE CIRCUS 7 30 pm Frday Oct 26 11 am 3 pm and 7 30 pm Saturday Oct 27 and 1 p m and 5 p m Sunday Oct 28 The Palace of Auburn Hills 2 Championship Dr Auburn Hills \$5\$12 (248) 377 0100 REDFORD THEATRE: The Sting with Robert Redford and Paul Newman 8 p m Friday Oct 5 and 2 pm and 8 pm Saturday Oct 6 at the theater 17360 Lahser Road Detroit \$3 (313) 537 2560 **RINGLING BROS. AND BARNUM &** BAILEY CIRCUS: Thursday Sunday Oct 47 Joe Louis Arena Detroit (313) 983 6606 A TASTE OF THE SEASON: U M University Musical Society s sea son opening dinner with strolling supper and all Beethoven concert by Berlin Philharmonic and conduc tor Claudio Abbado 5 30 p m Friday Oct 12 Dow Atrium of UM Chemistry Building Ann Arbor (734) 936 6837

MAYBURY STATE PARK: Color hike 2 p m Saturday Oct 6 Harvest Festival noon to 4 p m Sunday Oct 14 Eight Mile Road one mile west of Beck Road Northville Township (248) 349 3858 X TRAVA CON. Comic book toy and non sport card show 10 a m to 4 p m Sunday Oct 7 at the Knights of Columbus Hal Livonia \$2 (248) 426 8059

#### BENEFITS

ACTION AGAINST HUNGER A bene fit for Forgotten Harvest features comedian Richard Jeni a cappella Jazz choir The Grupyons, 8 n.m. Saturday Oct 20 at the Millennium Center Southfield Tickets start at \$35 (248) 350-FOOD (3663) DETROIT AREA ART DECO SOCIETY: Annual sale to to benefit DAADS features art deco art nou veau textiles vintage jewelry clothing decorative items for the home 9 30 a m to 4 p m Saturday Oct 6 Southfield Centre for the Arts \$3 (248) 582 DECO **DETROIT INTERNATIONAL WINE** AUCTION: 6 p m Saturday, Oct 20 Detroit Marriott Renaissance Center Ballroom Detroit Benefits Center for Creative Studies (313) 664-7464

**GREYTHOUNDS OF EASTERN** MICHIGAN: A concert of classical and popular music to benefit Grevthounds of Eastern Michigan and St Mary Catholic Church 7 pm Thursday Oct 4 St Mary Catholic Church 34530 Michigan Avenue Wayne \$5 at the door For more information about the con cert or adopting a greyhound call (810) 658 5399 or send e mail to grevhounddog@earthlink net STAGECRAFTERS: FUNdraiser 6 p m Friday Oct 12 Baldwin Theatre downtown Royal Oak Taste of Royal Oak raffle and auc tion performance by The Second City \$50 (248) 541 6430 limited seating GUY FAWKES BALL: With cock

GUY FAWKES BALL: With cock tails dinner and dancing 6 30 p m Friday Nov 2 Townsend Hotel Birmingham \$50 \$300 Benefits Cranbrook Academy of Art (248) 645 3301

LAUGHING POSITIVELY: Comedian Darrell Hammond performs 7 30 p m Tuesday Oct 16 at the Detroit Opera House \$75 pro ceeds go to Kadima a nonprofit mental health agency (248) 559 8235

**KATE PATTERSON VARIETY SHOW:** To benefit the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society 5 9 p m Sunday Oct 21 at the Ritz Carlton Dearborn \$55 please respond before Oct 5 (313) 389 1501

#### HALLOWEEN

**CREEPY CLYDE'S HALLOWEEN COSTUME PARTY:** Featuring The Ghoul and Froggy food, dancing and prizes for the best costumes 7 p m Friday Oct 5 Father Patrick O Kelley Knights of Columbus 23663 Park St Dearborn \$30 (313) 278-5600

HALLOWEEN CARD PARTY: 6 30 10 p m Friday Oct 12 Ss Simon and Jude Church 32500 Palmer Road Westland Light meal and snacks and door and table prizes \$7 (734) 728 2090 or (734) 729 2716

LITTLE GOBLINS' NIGHT OUT: Trick and treat and a hayride for children ages 8 and younger 5 7 30 p m Sunday Monday Oct 28 29 Edsel and Eleanor Ford House 1100 Lake Shore Road Grosse Po nte Shores \$7 Reservations required (313) 884 4222

SLAUGHTERHOUSE Featuring 7 000 square feet of sets and adventures designed by artists working for Disney and Universal

#### 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 acts to add to their vocal presentation (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 60 member chorus presents two con certs a year at Christmastime and in the spring (734) 427 5397 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 auditions for the 2001 2002 sea son

#### ZAMIR CHORALE OF METROPOLITAN DETROIT: Open

rehearsals and auditions for new members, 7 30 p m Thursdays Congregation Beth AHM 5075 W Maple Road, Bloomfield Township (248) 661 9505

#### CHORAL

**U-M GLEE CLUBS:** And Smith College Glee Club perform Brahms *Ein deutches Requiem* 3 p m Sunday Oct 7, Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor \$5 (734) 764-1448

#### POPS/SWING/ CABARET

BIRD OF PARADISE ORCHESTRA: 9 p m Monday at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662 8310 (big band swing, bop)

VIVACE SERIES: Opens with a cabaret program performed by William Bolcom and Joan Morris 8 p m Saturday Oct 6, Birmingham Temple 28611 West 12 Mile Farmington Hills \$18 \$15 seniors/students (248) 788 9338 or (248) 661 1348

#### JAZZ/BLUES

AMG EDGEFEST Featuring The Barking Sph nx Ensemble 8 p m Thursday Oct 4 Kerrytown Concert House 415 N Fourth Ave Ann Arbor \$10 Mazurek/Van Der Schyff/Roebke Trio with Konk

SRO PRODUCTIONS Visiting Mr Green 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 1213 1920 and 2627 and 2 p m Sunday Oct 14 21 and 28 Burgh Historical Park Southfield \$10 \$8 seniors/children (248) 827 0710

**ST DUNSTAN'S THEATRE:** *Putting it Together* Oct 5 6 at the the ater 400 Lone Pine Road Bloomfield Hills 8 p m each day except 2 p m Sept 23 and 30 \$15 \$12 seniors and students (248) 644 0527 www stdun stanstheatre com

#### THEATRE GUILD OF LIVONIA-REDFORD No No No A Thousand

Times No (She s Only the Farmer s Daughter) 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 1213 1920 and 2627 and 2 p m Sunday Oct 14 21 and 28 at the theater Redford \$12 \$10 seniors/students (313) 531 0554 **ROSEDALE COMMUNITY PLAYERS** Moon Over Buffalo 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 1920 Oct 2627 Nov 23 and 2 p m Sunday Oct 28 Upstage Theatre 21728 Grand River Ave Old Redford \$11 (313) 537 7716 or (313) 532 4010

#### DINNER THEATER

**THEATRE ARTS:** Hobo Halloween Celebration 10 30 a m 12 30 p m and 2 30 p m Saturday Oct 20 and Oct 27 featuring Theatre Arts presentation of *The Wacky Witches* on the Coe Rail Party Train 840 Pontiac Trail Walled Lake Reservations a must (248) 960 9440

#### COLLEGE THEATER

**EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY:** *Gypsy* 8 p m Oct 12 13 and 18 20 and 2 30 p m Oct 14 Quirk Theatre Eastern Michigan University campus Ypsilanti \$7 \$11 in advance \$8 13 at the door

**HILBERRY THEATRE** The Learned Ladies by Moliere 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 5 6 and Thursday Friday Oct 11 12 and 2 p m Wednesday Oct 10 at the the ater Detroit (313) 577 2972

#### YOUTH PRODUCTIONS

**DETROIT PUPPET THEATER:** Crane Maiden 2 pm Saturdays Oct 6 13 20 and 27 at the theater Detroit \$7 \$5 children (313) 961 7771

INTER ACTIVE CHILDREN'S LUNCH THEATER: Saturday with the Johnsons 11 30 a m Oct 6 and 20 at Genitti s Northville (248) 349 0522 or visit the Web site for a coupon www genittis com KIDS KONCERT: Biakuye performs traditional African music and dance 1 30 p m Saturday Oct 6 at the Southfield Centre for the Arts \$4 \$2 50 groups of 20 or more \$20 for a party room (based on avail ability (248) 424-9022 YOUTHEATRE: Opens its season with Cinderella 11 a m and 2 p m Saturday Oct 13 2 p m Sunday Oct 14 15600 J L Hudson Dr Southfield \$8 (advance) \$10 (door) (248) 557 PLAY

#### SPECIAL Events

ARTS OF INDIA CONFERENCE: Learn more about the arts and cul ture of India 9 a m to 10 30 p m Friday Saturday, Oct 56 features art exhibit, community folk, food, clothing and craft, speakers talking about education in India and the Himalayan concept of peace, dance and yoga workshops, classical dance performances, and an Indian dinner, at Wayne State University Detroit Ticket prices vary (313) 577 1615 CHILI COOK-OFF: The Great Lakes Regional Chili Cook off comes to downtown Plymouth 11 a m to 6 pm Sunday Oct 7 (734) 455-

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in concert: Marnie Baumer, a Garden City native now living in New York City, will present a benefit concert, "Heartsongs Voices from New York," at 7 30 p.m Thursday, Oct. 11, at O'Leary Auditorium, Middlebelt Road north of Ford Road, Garden City The actress/singer/cabaret singer will perform songs by New York songwriters Tickets cost \$12 and are available at the door or in advance from Garden City High School choir students Proceeds will benefit the families of the New York City police, fire and EMS workers



studios through Halloween Tienken Road east of Rochester Road Rochester Hills Recommended to those 12 and older due to graphic nature of exhibits \$10 Monday Thursday, \$12 Friday Saturday (248) 601 1925 www slaughterhouseon line com

#### CLASSICAL

ARIANNA STRING QUARTET. 8 p m Sunday Oct 7 in Pease Auditorium Ypsilanti Free (734) 487-4380

**BIRMINGHAM MUSICALE:** Seventy sixth season opens 1 p m Thursday Oct 11 at Birmingham Community House Program includes performances by soprano Carol Petty pianist Elsie Watson, and a flute trio (248) 288-3723 **CRANBROOK MUSIC GUILD:** Presents the St Petersburg String Quartet 8 p m Tuesday Oct 16 at Christ Church Cranbrook, Cranbrook and Lone Pine roads \$25 at door, \$15 students (810) 751 2435

#### JACQUELINE CSURGAI-SCHMITT

The planist and friends present a free concert to dedicate the Steinway concert grand plano 8 p m Saturday, Oct 6 Ford Community & Performing Arts Center Dearborn (313) 943 2354

#### AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

**AVON PLAYERS:** Auditions for *The* 1940s Radio Hour four females (late teens to middle age) and eight males (late teens to over age 60) 7 p m Monday Tuesday Oct 1516 high energy ensemble per formers who can harmonize and sing in true jazz style will be required as well as non singing roles all singers will audition to *I II be Seeing You* at the playhouse Rochester Hills (248) 650 2526

#### **BEL CANTO CHORAL GROUP:**

Looking for women of all voices to perform repertoire of light classi cal show tunes light opera seasonal and ethnic favorites through the metro Detroit area (313) 640 0123

Pack 10 pm Thursday Oct 4, The Firefly Club 207 S Ashley St Ann Arbor \$15 Andrea Parkins/Hamid Drake Duo 8 p m Friday Oct 5 Kerrytown Concert House Les Projectionnistes with Gregg Bendian s Interzone, 10 p m Friday Oct 5, The Firefly Club, Ed Sarath and Timescape, 2 p m Saturday Oct 6 Kerrytown Concert House, Matthew Shipp Trio with Mark Helias Open Loose, 7 p m Saturday Oct 6 Kerrytown Concert House 8 Bold Souls, 10 p m Saturday, Oct 6 Workbench Furniture 410 N Fourth Ave Ann Arbor Matt Darriau s Paradox Trio midnight Saturday Oct 6 The Firefly Club \$10 \$70 Edgepass for all shows (734) 769 2999 MARK ARSHAK: 9 p m Saturday Oct 6 Edison s Birmingham No cover (248) 645 2150 RON BROOKS TRIO: 9 p m Tuesday and Thursday at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662 8310 BUGS BEDDOW BAND: Friday Oct 5, Greektown Casino, Detroit (888) 771 4386, Saturday, Cavern Club Ann Arbor (734) 332 9900 TIM FLAHARTY TRIO WITH NANCY K:9pm to 1 am Friday, Oct 5 Woodruff's Supper Club Royal Oak (248) 586 1519

PAUL FINKBEINER'S JAM SESSION: 9 p m Sunday, at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$2 cover (734) 662 8310

RICK K. AND BRAZIL AND BEYOND: 8-11 p m Friday Saturday at Big Fish Dearborn (313) 336 3650

MIKE KAROUB'S CELLO JAZZ: 8-10 p m Friday Oct 12 Borders Books and Music 45290 Utica Park Boulevard Utica (810) 726 8555

LOS GATOS: 9 p m Wednesday at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$5 cover (734) 662 8310 BRETT LUCAS BAND: 9 p m

Thursday Friday Oct 4-5 Edison's Birmingham No cover (248) 645 2150

MATT MICHAELS TRIO: With Don Swindell (trumpet and flugelhorn) 8 11 30 p m Wednesday, Oct 10, Ron s Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road Westland \$5 cover with din ner \$10 cover without dinner (734) 762 7756

## Qdays 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.

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#### JANE MONHEIT: 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 11 Power Center Ann Arbor \$25 and \$30 (734) 763 TKTS

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

rynożero com TONY POPE'S N'ORLEANS SIX: 3 6 p m every other Saturday at S K Brewer s Food and Spirits Southfield \$6 cover Food available during show and dinner hour (248) 476 2674

JOHN SUBBLEFIELD: 9 p m Wednesday Oct 10 at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor \$10 (three sets for one cover \$7 students with ID (734) 662 8310 CASSANDRA WILSON: 8 p m Friday Oct 5 Orchestra Hall Detroit (313) 576 5111

#### FOLK/ACOUSTIC

RICHARD BUCKNER: With Anders Parker 8 p m, Tuesday Oct 9 The Ark, 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$13 50 (734) 761 1451 CATIE CURTIS: 8 p m Wednesday Oct 10 The Ark 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$17 50 (734) 761 1451

HOT SOUPI 7 30 p m Sunday Oct 7, The Ark 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$11 (734) 761 1451 **RFD BOYS:** 8 p m Friday Oct 12 The Ark, 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$10, \$9 members students seniors (734) 761 1451

#### COUNTRY MUSIC

THE TWANG BANGERS TOUR. Featuring Bill Kirchen Dallas Wayne Red Volkaert and Joe Goldmark 8 p m Thursdsay Oct 11 The Ark 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$15 (734) 761 1451

#### WORLD MUSIC

**KLEZMATICS.** 8 30 p m Saturday Oct 13 Orchestra Hall Detroit \$16 \$45 (313) 576 5111 (Jewish folk)

PAT MCDUNN 8 11 p m Friday at Duke Humphr es Rochester Hills No cover (248) 601 1100 (ir sh) TANNAHILL WEAVERS 8 p m Thursday Oct 4 The Ark 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$16 (734) 761 1451 (Scottish)

#### MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY

#### **CLUB:**Steve McGrew and Dean Mink Oct 4 6 \$6 Thursday, \$12 Friday \$14 Saturday (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: Mayor Go Round Thursday Sunday Jammin Wednesdays featuring The Best of Second City at Second City Detroit (248) 645 6666

**SECOND CITY TOURING COMPANY:** 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 5 6 The Ark 316 S Main St Ann Arbor \$20 \$15 with student ID (734) 761 1451 **JERRY SEINFELD:** 7 p m Friday and

7 & 10 p m Saturday Oct 5 6 at the Fox Theatre Detroit \$47 \$62 and \$77 (248) 433 1515

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**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

#### CRANBROOK INSTITUTE OF

SCIENCE: Mostly Music a hands on interactive exhibit that offers opportunities to listen to music from different eras and countries, and experiment with various instruments while learning about harmony and dissonance tone and pitch and rhythm and synthesizers Sept 29 Jan 6 at the museum 39221 Woodward Ave , Bloomfield Hills \$7 adults, \$4 children ages 4-17 students with ID and senior citizens ages 65 and older free for children ages 3 and younger 1 877-462 7262 or

www cranbrook edu **DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS:** Founders Junior Council presents an evening of art music food 6 10 p m Thursday Oct 4 at the muse um \$25 at door First Friday 6 9 p m Fr day Oct 5 features draw ing n the galieries artists at work world music Free with museum admission (313) 833 7900

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**BLUE CAT:** 7 p m Wednesday Thursday Oct 10-11 Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **THE BLUE HAWAIIANS:** 7 p m

Friday Saturday Sept 28 29 Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **THE BLUES AIRMEN:** Saturday Sept 29 Phil s Garden City (734) 522 9450

**BLUE SUIT TRIO:** Featuring Doug Deming 7 p m Thursday Oct 4 Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **BONNE TEMPS ROULLE:** 7 p m Fnday Saturday Oct 19 20 Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **BOUNCING SOULS:** With Flogging Molly One Man Army Madcap 6 p m Wednesday, Oct 24, Clutch Cargo Pontiac All ages \$12 (248) 645 6666

THE BROTHERS GROOVE: 10 p m Thursdays Music Menu Detroit (313) 964 MENU

AL CARMICHAEL: 7 p m Monday Oct 8 15 Fox and Hounds Bioomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644 4800 ALICE COOPER: 7 p m Tuesday

Actice COOPER 7 pm filesday Oct 9 Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak \$36 (248) 645 6666 THE DAMNED: With Swingin Utters 8 pm Saturday Oct 13 St Andrews Hall Detroit All ages \$15 \$17 (248) 645 6666

DARK STAR ORCHESTRA: 7 p m Thursday Dec 27 Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak \$16 \$19 All ages (248) 645 6666 DC TALK: With Toby Mac Tait and Kevin Max 7 30 p m Friday Oct 26 Hill Auditorium Ann Arbor \$19 \$26 (734) 763 TKTS

**THE DELIVERY BOYS:** 9 30 p m Saturday Sept 29 Cowley s Old Village Inn Farmington (247) 474 5941

**DETROIT BLUES SOCIETY:** Presents Detroit Blues Piano Summit V with Mike Montgomery Kerry Price Kenny Cox Bob Seely 2-4 30 p m Saturday Oct 13 Scarab Club Detroit All ages Free (313) 831 1250

NEIL DIAMOND: 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 5 6 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$37 50 \$67 50 (248) 645 6666

DISTURBED W th Adema 7 30 p m Sunday Nov 4 State Theatre Detroit All ages \$28 50 (248) 645 6666

**THE DONNAS.** With The Kicks The Evelopers 7 p.m. Tuesday Oct 16

GROUND ZERO GIT DOWN TOUR: With Fishbone Blofly Dirty Walt & The Columbus Sanitations Mr Madvibe 9 30 p m Wednesday, Oct 17 Blind Pig Ann Arbor \$18 (248) 645-6666 HAUNTFEST: 6 10 p m Thursday and Sunday in October 6 10 30 p m Friday Saturday in October and 6 11 p m Monday Wednesday Oct 29 31 only and 12 4 p m matinees Saturday Sunday Oct 27 28 at DTE Energy Music Theatre Independence Township (248) 645 6666

HEROINE SHEIKS 8 pm Monday Oct 8 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$8 (248) 645 6666 SCOTT HENDERSON: Canceled Refunds at point of purchase DAN HICKS & THE HOT LICKS: 8 p m Monday. Oct 15 Magic Bag Ferndale \$15 (248) 544-3030 AL HILL & THE LOVE BUTLERS: 9 p m Saturday, Oct 20 336 Main, Plymouth (734) 454-6500 9 p m Tuesday Thursday Oct 23-25 Habitat inside Webers Inn Ann Arbor (734) 665 3636, Solo perfor mances 9 pm Friday Saturday Oct 19 20 336 Main Plymouth (734) 454 6500 HOT WATER MUSIC With Hot Rod Circuit Rival Schools This Frequency Five 5 pm Sunday, Nov 4 The Shelter Detroit All ages (248) 645 6666

#### THE CHARLIE HUNTER QUARTET:

With Keller Williams 7 30 p m Wednesday Oct 10 Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak \$16 50 All ages (248) 544 7949 **JAN HUNTER:** Former frontman for Mott The Hoople performs 8 p m Saturday Nov 3 St Andrews Hall Detroit All ages \$25 (248) 645 6666

**INCUBUS:** 6 30 p m Friday Nov 2 State Theatre Detroit All ages \$25 (248) 645 6666

**INSANE CLOWN POSSE:** 6 30 p m Wednesday Oct 31 Michigan State Fairgrounds Eight Mile and Woodward Detroit All ages \$25 (248) 645 6666

JAGUARES: 7 pm Friday Dec 14 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$27 50 \$30 (248) 645 6666 JAH WOBBLE AND DEEP SPACE 8 pm Thursday Oct 11 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$12 (248) 645 6666

JANE'S ADDICTION. With Live Stereo MC s 7 pm Saturday Oct 20 The Palace of Auburn Hills MAXWELL: With Alicia Keys, 7 30 p m Tuesday Wednesday Oct 9 10 Fox Theatre Detroit \$37 50 \$75 (248) 433 1515

#### STONEY MAZAAR & THE

WESTSIDERS: 7 p m Friday Saturday Oct 12 13 Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 MEGADEATH: 8 p m Saturday Oct 6 St Andrews Hall Detroit 21 and older \$25 (248) 645 6666 MIDNIGHT OIL: With Will Hoge, 6 p m Friday Oct 26 Clutch Cargo Pontiac All ages \$20 (248) 645 6666

#### MIDWEST PROFESSIONAL EDUCATION SERIES SEMINAR:

Presented by the Chicago Chapter of the Recording Academy this is the second installment in the series and will include panelists producer Chuck Alkazian (Old 97s) producer Mike E Clark (insane Clown Posse) musician Cheyenne Goff (Bliss 66) artist Tony TmoneyG" Green (Dr Dre) attor ney Howard Hertz (Eminem) producer Tim Patalan (Sponge) chair man of the Detroit Blues Society **RJ Spangler (Alberta Adams)** artist Tim "Stretch Calloway (Calloway) artist and producer Adam Walker (19 5 Collective) and more 6-8 p m Monday, Oct 8 Second City Theatre Detroit Panelists will discuss the partner ship that exists between producers and artists and issues affecting musicians Attendees will have a chance to ask questions Tickets available on the day of the event -\$10 for ASCAP/ Recording acade my members and students \$15 for nonmembers or free for anyone who joins the recording academy at the event Call (313) 965 2222 THE M-80S: 9 30 p m Saturday Oct 13 8 pm Wednesday Nov 21 and 8 p m Monday Dec 31, Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak Tickets \$10 except New Year's Eve show \$35 advance 21 and older (248) 645 6666 MOCK ORANGE: 7 pm Wednesday Oct 10 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$7 (248) 645 6666

MOTOR CITY BOOGIE WOOGIE FESTIVAL Rescheduled to 8 30

p m Saturday Nov 3 Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak Tickets \$25 \$35 Workshop 2 30-4 30 p m (248) 544-7938

MY LIFE WITH THE THRILL KILL

PRESTON SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY: Featuring Spiral Stairs of Pavement With The Shins The Standard 8 p m Saturday Nov 3 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$10 (248) 645 6666 THE PROCLAIMERS: 9 p m Saturday, Oct 6 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$12 (248) 645 6666 Date CEDECT DADKS Fundau

RAY STREET PARK: Friday Saturday Oct 56 Nik s Bar & Grill Romulus (734) 326 9300 RICHIE HAVENS:Performs a special World Food Day concert 8 p m Saturday Oct 13 Southfield Centre for the Arts, Southfield \$20 \$25 (313) 965 8117 Ext 28 JONATHAN RICHMAN: 9 30 p m Monday Oct 8 Blind Pig Ann Arbor 19 and older \$10 (248) 645 6666

KENNY ROGERS: 8 p m Sunday Dec 16 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$15 50 \$35 (248) 645 6666 ROOMFUL OF BLUES: 8 p m Thursday Oct 18 Magic Bag Ferndale \$15 (248) 544 3030 RUSTED ROOT: 7 30 p m Sunday Oct 7, Michigan Theatre Ann Arbor \$25 All ages (248) 645 6666

**BOB SCHNEIDER:** With Ike Reilly 8 p m Thursday Oct 25 Magic Bag Ferndale 18 and older \$12 (248) 645 6666

SISTERS IN THE SPIRIT: With Yolanda Adams, Shirley Caesar, Mary Mary and Virtue 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 11, Fox Theatre Detroit \$22 50 \$42 50 and VIP seats (248) 433 1515 **SNOOP DOGG:** With Kurupt Daz Tha Liks DJ Jam The Eastsidaz 8 p m Wednesday Oct 17 Masonic Temple Theatre Detroit \$32 50 \$42 50 (248) 433 1515 BRITNEY SPEARS: With O Town, 7 30 pm Monday Nov 26 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$42 \$67 50 \$1 per ticket donated to children of New York City police and fire officials lost in the World Trade Center attack (248) 645 6666

SPIRITUALIZED. 9 p m Tuesday, Oct 30 Majestic Theatre Detroit 18 and older \$15 (248) 645 6666 RICK SPRINGFIELD 8 p m Friday Nov 16 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$18 50 \$37 50 (248) 645 6666

STEREOLAB. 5 p m Saturday Nov 3 Clutch Cargo Pontiac All ages \$14 (248) 645 6666

ROD STEWART: 7 30 p m Friday

#### DANCE

**CONTRA DANCE** First Saturday Contra Dance 8 p m Saturday Oct 6, Pittsfield Grange 3337 Ann Arbor Saline Road Ann Arbor \$8 \$7 Ann Arbor Council for Traditional Music and Dance members (734) 769 1052, English Country Dancing 7 9 45 p m Tuesday Oct 9 Chapel Hill Clubhouse 3350 Green Road Ann Arbor \$6 (734) 422 1170

#### JAZZ AND SPIRIT DANCE

THEATRE: Offers classes to adults and children in tap modern/jazz ballet and gospel praise at the school 22715 Plymouth Road between West Outer Drive and "Telegraph, Redford Fees begin at \$30 for children \$40 for adults ,(313) 534 0301

LIZ LERMAN DANCE EXCHANGE: \*Halielujah! In Praise of Paradise Lost and Found with Rudy Hawkins and the Rudy Hawkins Singers, 8 p m Saturday Oct 6 Power Center, 121 Fletcher St Ann Arbor \$14-\$28 (800) 221 1229 MOON-DUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands featuring swing fox trot waltz cha-cha and Latin 8 30-11 30 p m Saturdays at the Livonia Civic Center 15218 Farmington Road at Five Mile \$5 (248) 967 1428

RHYTHM N' SHOES: Weekly ball room/Latin dance party with DJ 8 30 10 30 p m Thursdays at the club 2172 Franklin Road Bloomfield Hills \$7 (248) 334 0299

**SAN FRANCISCO MIME TROUPE** *Eating It* 8 p m Friday Oct 12 Power Center Ann Arbor \$12 50 and \$16 50 (734) 763-TKTS

#### COMEDY

ANN ARBOR COMEDY SHOWCASE: Bert Chili Challis Thursday Saturday, Oct 4 6 (734) 996 9080 JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S: Rob Haney Oct 4-7 8 30 p m Thursday 8 15 p m and 10 45 p m Friday Saturday 7 p m Sunday Derek Richards Oct 11 14 at the club 5070 Schaefer Road Dearborn (313) 584-8885 MUSEUM/GREENFIELD VILLAGE: IMAX movies *NSync* and *Super Speedway* continue at the museum Dearborn (313) 271 1620 **MEADOW BROOK HALL:** Tours con tinue through June 1 30 p m Monday Sunday and 2 30 p m and 3 30 p m Sunday teas 3-4 30 p m Tuesday Oct 16 Nov 20 Jan 15 Feb 19 (\$30 prepaid reservations required) at the hall in Rochester (248) 370 3140 or www meadow

#### LIVE MUSIC

**AEROSMITH:** With The Cult 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 25 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$45 25-\$65 25 (248) 645 6666 **AFRO CELT SOUND SYSTEM:** Show has been postponed **ALBERTA ADAMS:** 7 p m Friday Saturday Oct 5 6 Fox and Hounds Bloomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **THE ALLIGATORS: CD** release party 8 p m Saturday Oct 6 The

Red Doggie Saloon Milford (248) 685 2171

**TORI AMOS** With Rufus Wainright 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 18 Fox Theatre Detroit (248) 645 6666 **THE ANNIVERSARY:** With Superdrag 7 p m Saturday Oct 13 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$10 (248) 645 6666

**BAHAMADIA:** With Ming & FS Friday Oct 5 St Andrews Hall Detroit (248) 645 6666 **BASEMENT JÄXX:** 9 p m Wednesday Oct 10 St Andrews Hall Detroit \$20 (248) 645 6666 **BEENIE MAN:** 9 p m Wednesday Oct 24 Majestic Theatre Detroit 18 and older \$20 (248) 645 66666 **BISMARK:** Saturday Oct 13 Nik s Bar & Grill Romulus (734) 326 9300

#### THE BLACK CROWES: With

Beachwood Sparks 8 p m Thursday Oct 11 Eastern Michigan Convocation Center Ypsilanti (248) 645 6666 **BLACK MAGIC CROSSING:** With WBR Wolf Pac MFPS, 6 p m Thursday Oct 4 Emerald Theatre Mt Clemens \$8 (810) 913 1920 Majestic Theatre Detroit \$12 All ages (313) 833 9700 **DROPKICK MURPHYS:** With Sick of It All Tiger Army 4 30 p m Saturday Oct 13 Clutch Cargo Pontiac All ages \$13 (248) 645 6666

**D-12:** With Kottonmouth Kings Bionic Jive Sunny Ledford 7 30 pm Wednesday, Nov 21 State Theatre Detroit All ages \$25 (248) 645 6666 BOB DYLAN: 8 p m Friday Nov 9 Cobo Hall Detroit \$25 \$37 50 (248) 645-6666 EAGLE EYE CHERRY: With Leona Naess 8 pm Monday Oct 22 Magic Stick, Detroit \$10 18 and older (248) 645 6666 EKOOSTIK HOOKAH 7 30 p m Thursday, Oct 25 Michigan Theatre Ann Arbor All ages \$15 (248) 645 6666 THE FAINT: 8 p m Sunday Oct 14 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$8\$10 (248) 645 6666 FAMILY VALUES TOUR: With Stone Temple Pilots Staind Linkin Park Static X Spike 1000 Monday Oct 15 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$45 reserved and general admission (248) 645 6666

MELISSA FERRICK: 8 p m Sunday, Oct 21 Magic Stick Detroit (248) 645 6666 FIVE HORSE JOHNSON: With Halfway to Gone Shepwrench, Dirty Americans 8 p m Saturday Nov 3, St Andrews Hall Detroit All ages \$8 (248) 645 6666 GAITHER CHRISTMAS HOMECOMING: 6 p m Saturday Dec 8 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$22 \$31 Seniors 60 and older and

children receive \$3 off \$22 seat ing Group rates are available (248) 645 6666 **GARAJ MAHAL:** 8 p m Saturday

Oct 20 Blind Pig Ann Arbor 18 and older \$12 (734) 623 9962 **GOOD CHARLOTTE:** With MEST Movie Life, 5 p m Friday, Nov 2 St Andrews Hall Detroit All ages \$10 (248) 645 6666

**GOV'T MULE:** 9 p m Saturday Oct 6 Majestic Theatre Detroit \$15 18 and older (313) 833 9700 \$45 50 (2480 645 6666 JENDZA: With Gunhack Crash 94 8 p m Thursday Oct 25 Emerald Theatre Mt Clemens 18 and older (810) 913 1920 JJ PARADISE PLAYERS CLUB: 8 p m Tuesday Oct 9 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$8 (248) 645 6666

ELTON JOHN: 8 p m Saturday Oct 13 Joe Louis Arena Detroit \$47 50 \$87 50 (248) 645 6666 50 CENT HEADRUSH. With Liquid #9 Friday Oct 12 Nik s Bar & Grill Romulus (734) 326-9300, Friday Saturday Oct 26 27 Nik s Bar & Grill Romulus (734) 326 9300

FREEDY JOHNSTON: 8 p m Tuesday Oct 9, Magic Bag Ferndale \$10 advance (248) 544 3030

JOSH JOPLIN GROUP: 8 p m Monday Oct 8 Magic Bag Ferndale \$8 (248) 544 3030 JUDAS PRIEST: With Anthrax Iced Earth tour is rescheduled to 8 p m Wednesday Feb 6 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$18 50-\$29 50 Tickets for the original date will be honored or may be refunded at the point of purchase (248) 645 6666

FEMI KUTI: 8 p m Thursday Nov 8 Majestic Theatre, Detroit \$25 \$28 (313) 833-9700

LADY SUNSHINE AND THE X BAND: 10 p m Friday Oct 19 Memphis Smoke Royal Oak (248) 543 4300

BOBBY LEWIS & THE CRACKERJACK BAND: 8 30 p m Thursday 9 30 p m Friday

Saturday Oct 1113 18-20 25-27 Major Tooley s, Northville (248) 465 1680

OTTMAR LIEBERT: 7 p m Wednesday Oct 24 Royal Oak Music Theatre Royal Oak \$25 \$35 21 and older (248) 645 6666 LITTLE DEVIL: Saturday Oct 6 Phil s, Garden City (734) 522

MAN OR ASTROMAN: With

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Atombombpocketknife 8 p m Friday Oct 26 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$12 (313) 833 9700

KULT: With Professional Murder Music 9 pm Friday Nov 2 Majestic Theatre Detroit 18 and older \$12 (248) 645-6666 NEW DEAL: 9 pm Saturday Oct 13 Magic Stick Detroit 18 and older \$10 (248) 645 6666 NEW FOUND GLORY: With H20 RX Bandits 6 30 pm Thursday Nov 1 State Theatre Detroit \$25 (248) 645 6666 19.5 COLLECTIVE: 9 p m Saturday Oct 20, St Andrews Hall Detroit All ages \$7 (248) 645 6666 NRBQ 8 pm Thursday Oct 4 Magic Bag Ferndale \$15 (248)

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**ROBERT NOLL:** Solo 7 p m Thursday, Oct 18 Fox and Hounds, Bioomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644-4800 **O.A.R.:** With Ordinary Peoples 7 30 p m Wednesday Oct 24 Michigan Theatre Ann Arbor All ages \$15 (248) 645 6666 **ORIGINAL HITS:** 7 p m Tuesday Oct 9 16 Fox and Hounds Bioomfield Hills All ages Free (248) 644 4800 **OYSTERHEAD:** Featuring Trey Anastasio, Les Claypool Steward

Copeland 7 30 p m Sunday, Nov 4 Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor (248) 645-6666

#### PERNICE BROTHERS: With

Kingsbury Manx 8 p m Sunday, Oct 14, Magic Bag Ferndale \$9 (248) 544 3030

THE PHARCYDE: With Souls of Mischief, Planet Asia Rasco (Cali Agents), Kutmasta Kurt with Motion Man 8 p m Wednesday Nov 7 St Andrews Hall, Detroit All ages \$20 (248) 645 6666 PLAY: 5 p m Friday Oct 5 Southland Center, 230000 Eureka Road Taylor Free show

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TOUR:

With Slipknot Mudvayne Rammstein American Head Charge System of a Down, 6 p m Tuesday Oct 23 Cobo Arena Detroit \$37 50 (313) 471 6611

**P.O.D.:** With Fenix TX Blindside, 7 30 p m Sunday Oct 28 State Theatre Detroit All ages \$22 (248) 645 6666 Nov 9 The Palace of Auburn Hills \$45 25 \$75 25 with 25 cents per ticket donated to Lifebeat (248) 645-6666

ST. GERMAINE: Show has been canceled

ST. THOMAS BOYS ACADEMY:

With Bump N Uglies Breakpoint Motor City Burgers, 6 p m Thursday Oct 18 Emerald Theatre Mt Clemens All ages \$7 (810) 913 1920

SUGAR RAY & THE BLUETONES:

Featuring Monster Mike Welch 8 p m Tuesday Oct 16, Magic Bag, Ferndale (248) 544-3030 **SUN MESSENGERS:** Celebrating 20 years together 10 p m Thursday Oct 18 Apollo Lounge Greektown Casino Detroit

**TANGERINE DREAM:** 8 p m Thursday Nov 1 Second City Theatre Detroit 18 and older (248) 645 6666

**THEY MIGHT BE GIANTS:** 7 30 p m Tuesday Oct 23 Michigan Theatre Ann Arbor All ages \$23 (248) 645 6666

THIRD SEASON: With The Ottomans Tripper 7 p m Thursday Nov 8 Emerald Theatre Mt Ciemens \$6 (810) 913 1920 TRAVIS: With Remy Zero, 7 30 p m Thursday Oct 11, Michigan Theatre Ann Arbor All ages \$22 \$25 (248) 645 6666

UMPHREY'S MCGEE: 8 p m Thursday Oct 11 Magic Bag Ferndale \$7 (248) 544-3030 WARPED INSIDE TOUR: With New Found Glory H20 RX Bandits, PT s Revenge 7 30 p m Thursday Nov 1, State Theatre Detroit All ages

\$13 50 (248) 645 6666 **THE WATERBOYS:** 8 p m Thursday, Oct 11 St Andrews Hall Detroit 18 and older \$20 (248) 645 6666 **MIKE WATT:** 8 p m Saturday Oct, 6 The Shelter Detroit All ages \$10 (248) 645 6666

CHRIS WHITLEY: 9 30 p m Wednesday Oct 24 Blind Pig Ann Arbor 19 and older \$10 (248) 645-6666 WILCO: 9 p m Friday, Oct 5

Majestic Theatre Detroit \$17 \$20 18 and older (313) 833 9700 **WIXOM SLIM & THE WYZE GUYS:** Saturday, Oct 6 The Rookie Sports Cafe Wayne (734) 729-7337

### MOVIES

## Film plays game of good cop-bad cop

#### BY JAY M. GROSSMAN STAFF WRITER jgrossman@oe homecomm net

"You have to decide if you're a wolf or a sheep, if you want to go to the grave or if you want to go home

#### - Det Sgt Alonzo Harris

Searching for this summer s gritty police drama? Look no fur ther than Training Day, a fastpaced action thriller that explores the fine line between cops and criminals

Det Sgt Alonzo Harris (Den zel Washington) is a 13-year veteran with the Los Angeles Police Department He is a jaded cop, someone who lost sight of why he's carrying a badge and gun That tricky animal known as justice is no longer a question of right or wrong to him

'It's not what you know," he tells his new partner, rookie Jake Hoyt "It's what you can prove "

Officer Jake Hoyt (Ethan Hawke) wants to join Harris and his undercover unit so he can work his way up to detective and buy that nice house in the sub urbs Fresh from the academy, he still believes a good cop can make a difference

The movie stretches over a 24hour period in which Hoyt has a chance to impress Harris and

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show he has the stuff to make a good undercover officer Harris, meanwhile, has other plans for his new partner

I liked this movie on many levels, starting with Denzel Wash ington He's created a complex character in Alonzo Harris, a detective who still believes somewhere in his heart that he's out there doing good for the community When Hoyt questions his tactics at one point, Harris explodes in his face and recites the number of arrests and convictions he's made over the years

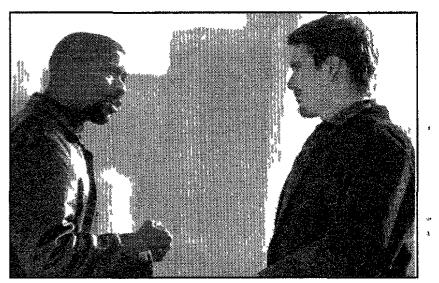
At the same time, swaggering around in his black leather coat

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and heavy gold chains, you know that Harris is anything but a good cop He believes he is a wolf among the sheep He might be there to protect the sheep, but he's still a wolf

Ethan Hawke also gives an edge to his performance It quickly becomes clear this man is willing to blur some lines if that's what it takes to earn his detective badge And when he finally turns on Harris, it's not because of justice

One warning This is a violent movie Nearly all the characters have some blood on their hands and a gun by their side Rush Hour 2 is for the family - this



Drama: Denzel Washington and Ethan Hawke star in "Training Day"

one's for adults only Also look for cameo perfor-

mances by music stars Snoop Dogg, Dr Dre and Macy Gray Overall, I give Training Day

#### **COMING ATTRACTIONS**

Scheduled to open Friday Oct 5

#### TRAINING DAY

This movie tracks the events of the first day on the lob of a rookie cop (Ethan Hawke) working in the Los Angeles Police Department s undercover narcotics unit His partner is Alonzo a corrupt veteran cop (Denzel Washington) Stars Denzel Washington Ethan Hawke Tom Berenger Snoop Dogg Dr Dre Scott Glenn Macy Gray Charlotte Ayanna Raymond J Barry Sarah Madison Eva Mendes Will Foster Stewart and Harris Yulin

#### **BETTER THAN SEX**

The story centers on Josh a National Geographic photographer from Australia who plans a one night stand before leaving for an assignment in London. What follows is a three day sexu al escapade with Cin a woman he meets at a party Featured players include David Wenham Susie Porter Catherine McClements Kris McQuade and Simon Bossel



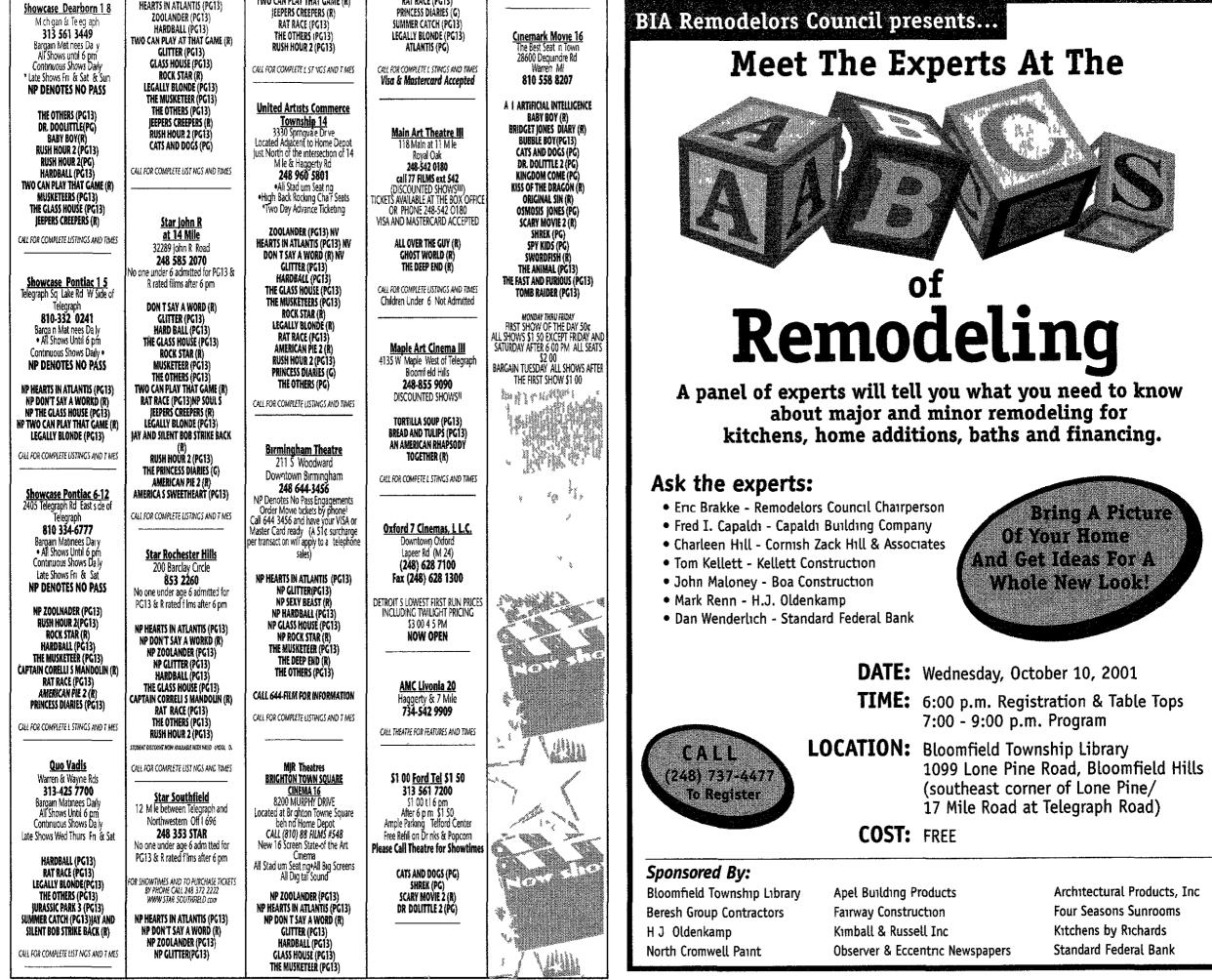
The story of a long time widower who makes the risky deci sion to contact his first love. She hasn't seen him for 50 years and has been married for decades. Showing exclusively at the **Detroit Film Theatre** 

#### JOY RIDE

The story centers on a college freshman who embarks on a cross-country trip to pick up the girl of his dreams. The trip takes a turn for the worse when he stops on the way to rescue his troubled older brother who goads him into playing a practical joke on a lonely trucker over the CB radio Trouble ensues when the trucker wants revenge and becomes their worst nightmare Featured players include Steve Zahn Paul Walker Leelee Sobieski and Matthew Kimbrough

#### MAX KEEBLE'S BIG MOVE

After a depressing first day of school much builled seventh





Kids only: (Lto R) Zena Grey, Alex D Linz and Josh Peck star ın "Max Keeble's Big Move."

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grader Max Keeble finds out that he s moving to a new city in a week. Rather than put up with the normal routine of school he starts getting revenge on all the people who have picked on him After creating all kinds of mayhem Max finds out he s not moving after all and must face up to the consequences of his actions Featured players include Alex D Linz Clifton Davis Amy Hill and Orlando Brown

#### SERENDIPITY

The story centers on Jonathan and Sara who met one magical night when they were in their twenties. He was in love at first sight but Sara believed in destiny Now after 10 years two fiancées and 3 000 miles between them only fate can decide whether they re destined to be together again Featured play ers include John Cusack Kate Beckinsale John Corbett and Jeremy Piven

Scheduled to open Friday Oct 12

#### **IRON MONKEY**

Set in 19th century China when corrupt village leaders find themselves repeatedly robbed by a masked bandit Iron Monkey named after a local deity they force a traveling physician into investigating the mystery and stopping him Stars Donnie Yen Rongguang Yu Sze Man Tsang Fai Li Sai Kun Yam Jean Wang James Wong Yee Kwan Yan and Shun Yee Yuen

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National Amusements	Showcase	HARDBALL (PG13)	ROCK STAR (R)	Ford Wyoming Drive-In Theatre
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And a case entering	6800 Wayne Rd	LEGALLY BLONDE(PG13)	RAT RACE (PG13)	(313) 846-6910
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248 373 2660	Late Shows Wed Thurs Fr & Sat	AMERICAN PIE 2 (R)		DON'T SAY A WORD (R)
Barga n Matinees Daily	NP DENOTES NO PASS	THE OTHERS (PG13)		ORIGINAL SIN (R)
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NP HEARTS IN ATLANTIS (PG13)	ROCK STAR (R)	United Artists Theatres	WE'VE TRIPLED OUR LOBBY AND ADDED	RUSH HOUR 2 (PG13)
NP DON T SAY A WORD (R)	IEEPERS CREEPERS (R) PRINCESS DIARIES(G)	Bargain Mat nees Da ly for all shows start no before 6 00 PM	FIVE NEW SCREENS THE ONLY THEATRE	SWORDFISH (R)
NP THE GLASS HOUSE (PG13)	сивиста рамна (4)	Same day advance t ckets available	IN OAKLAND COUNTY WITH THE NEW	
HARDBALL (PG13)	CALL FOR COMPLETE L STINGS AND TIMES	NV No VIP t ckets accepted	DOLBY DIG TAL EX SOUND SYSTEM AND MORE CHECK US OUT!! OUR	AMERICAN PIE 2 (R)
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ROCKSTAR (R) TWO CAN PLAY THAT GAME (R)		United Artists	FREE REFILL ON POPCORN AND POP	
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I wanna dance with Todd Baechle I'm sure he's a much better dancer than I am There are some things you just know

Todd Baechle is the somber-voice singer and synth-player of Omaha, Nebraska's post modern rock revivalists, The Faint On the first listen to Danse Macabre, the latest by The Faint, I knew Baechle and his bandmates were no strangers to the dance floor

A. CASOLA

But when I called the fluffy-blonde musician last week, he didn't sound like he was in the mood to chat - nevermind dance He answered his cell phone

while traveling somewhere near Jacksonville, Fla, and all I could hear were the rumblings of his bandmates - his brother Clarke Baechle (drums), Jacob Theile (synthesizer), Joel Petersen (bass) and Mike Dappen (guitar) - who all must've been in that van too long It makes it hard to hold a conversation, still we managed And I learned all about this band I've just started to admire, though they've been around for quite some time

#### **Faint memories**

"We started playing together in 1994, basically it was the same band with some different members," said Baechle simply "In 1997 we decided to call ourselves The Faint It took a while for us to agree on a name '

You see, the band didn't want to limit itself by offering up the wrong moniker They sought a name that would describe the music, but not completely define it After all, a lot has changed in the past seven years

'When we first started out, we played in a folk setting where we would sit down," said Baechle "It was like low-fi folk music Our sound has just kind of evolved over the years'

Don't expect to unwrap a copy of *Danse Macabre*, and hear any-thing remotely folk-like These days the band sound more like a morose hybrid of 80s synth-heroes like Thomas Dolby or Duran Duran drenched in modern electronica

"We just got tired of the indie guitar sound," said Baechle While loud guitars are still paramount, its the synthesizer that's stealing

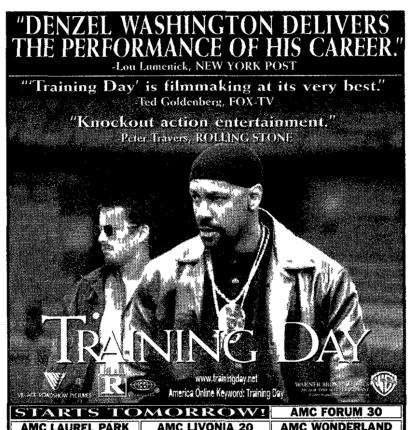


The Faint

And so, punk rock mentality lives But the world surrounding this band sounds so much darker these days, as Danse Macabre comes across more like a collection of grim fables than mindless disco hits There is no real explanation for it, but the CD seems appropriately timed at this, the start of the spookiest season

"Well, we had been touring a lot on the last album, Blank Wave Arcade For a couple of years we'd been playing these songs We were trying to move forward and be more interesting with our electronics It turned out a little bit darker We still wanted it to be fun to play, fun to watch and fun to dance to "





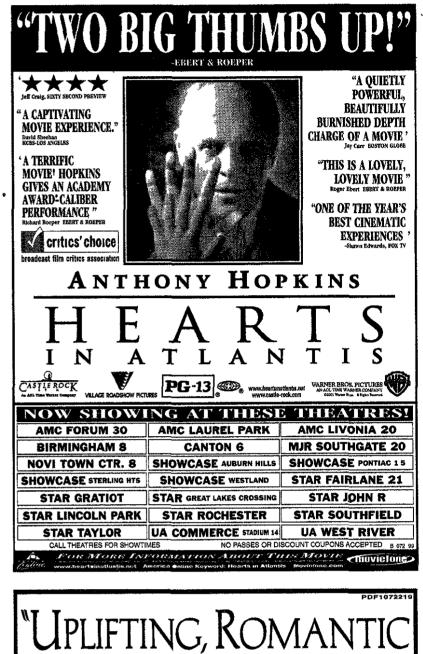
And from the spacey start, Agenda Suicide, to the solemn Ballad of a Paralysed Citizen that ends the record (and my only complaint is that it isn't nearly long enough), Danse Macabre is easily danceable and fiercely unforgett the

"We hope people will come out and dance with us," invited Baechle

All I can think is me first!

The Faint gets high tech with fancy lights and moody fog, 8 pm Sunday, Oct 14, Magic Stick, Detroit Tickets \$8 \$10 for this 18 and older show Call (248) 645 6666

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#### DINING

## Get your fill at Loving Spoonful

#### BY CHRISTINA FUOCO STAFF WRITER

A Schoolcraft College graduate, Shawn Loving had his mind set on combining his cooking skills with the ability to give back to the community

After nine years away from Michigan, he has returned to do just that On Tuesday, Sept 18, Loving opened Loving Spoonful in Farmington Hills, his fifth restaurant venture and first in Michigan

Loving recruited his employees through Schoolcraft and his other alma mater, Golightly Vocational School in Detroit

"Largely because I was born and raised on the east side of Detroit, I'm a big fan of cultural progression here and a big fan of Schoolcraft College, which is my alma mater "

Located in the former Copper Creek restaurant, Loving Spoonful offers eclectic dishes such as rye and pistachio-encrused whitefish, herb and garlic pork tenderloin and napoleon potato tower

Loving prides himself on keeping up with adventurous ingredients

"I can take a very light herb and mix it with a strong fish and have it balance It challenges you to be able to (accomplish) what the customer needs," said Loving, who lives in Wixom

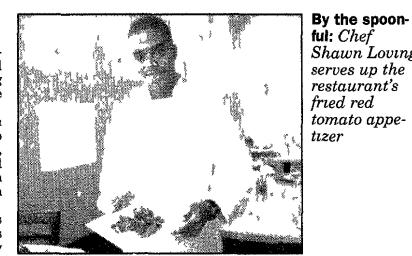
"I'm intrigued by quinoa, a new grain that's being used a lot I like the fact that guests ask me (about) the way it is being paired with a lamb dish The restaurant is involved that way '

He takes guinoa and blends it in lamb trilogy grilled loin chops, roasted lamb sausage and Moroccan spiced lamb patty

In keeping with his goal of maintaining customers' satisfaction, Loving prints his menus in house, allowing him to frequently change available dishes

"Having tasty food, not having food that is pretentious or not understandable (is the goal) It's very important that the customers understand what they're eating These days, it's an honor to have people come into your restaurant"

Cooking has long been an important part of Loving's fami ly He learned to cook from his mother, whom he considers "a home chef," and his father, a dietitian at a hospital



"I loved Thanksgiving and Christmas time when I could watch my friends and family smile and eat and do all those things," Loving said

Schoolcraft College gave him the opportunity to study and compete abroad His travels have taken him to Bangkok and Singapore, among other places

"As a chef, one of the most important things is to travel and share ideas with other chefs," Loving explained

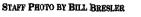
He honed his craft at Chef Keith Famie's former Royal Oak venture, Les Auteurs, as well as the Ponchartrain Nine years ago he left Michigan to work for at Disney World in Orlando, Fla, where he opened the Garden Grill at Epcot Center's The Land There vegetables and herbs are grown hydroponically (in a nutrient solution rather than soil) He aided a cultural task force in EuroDisney and opened two Race Rock Cafes, one in Orlando and the other in Las Vegas, Nev His fourth restau rant venture is Fountainview Espresso

Loving hadn't necessarily planned on opening a restaurant in Michigan While he was searching for locations for his new venture, metro Detroit made the most sense

"I was trying to find a location We looked at Chicago, New York, cities with all the conventions of bigger cities There was a lot of talk about how this area could use another 'destination restaurant location 'he said

A building off the ninth hole of Farmington Hills Copper Creek Golf Course was a prime loca tion Loving Spoonful's spacious dining room and oversized win

ful: Chef Shawn Loving serves up the restaurant's fried red tomato appetızer



Loving Spoonful Where: 27925 Golf Pointe Boulevard, Farmington Hills. (248) 489-9400 Open: I1:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 5-10 p.m. Mondays-Thursdays: 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and 5-11 p.m. Fridays; 5-11 p.m. Saturdays; 4-9 p.m. Sun-days. Reservations recommended Menu: Eclectic, with an emphasis on new trends in cooking. **Cost:** Lunch: \$5-\$5.95 for appetizers: \$4.50-\$6 salads: \$8.25-\$9 sandwiches: \$8.25-\$11.50 "Special Specialties:" \$4.55.75 \$4-\$5.75 desserts; Dinner: \$7-\$8.50 appetizers; \$4.50-\$6 salads; \$5-\$6 soups and broths; \$15-\$27.50 main courses; \$5.50-\$7 desserts. All major credit cards accepted.

dows overlook the course The airy room spills into a two-level deck peppered with glass-top patio tables and beige chairs

He dubs it "a very casual dining experience where the true emphasis of the restaurant is the food

With the opening of Loving Spoonful, Loving himself is becoming a mentor The title "chef" almost makes him laugh He explained that he's humble, and frequently learns from his staff

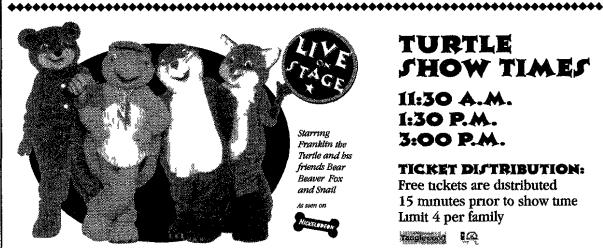
"I always second guess myself I ve gone back to Schoolcraft and to have (students) call me chef I don't know how to take that, he said with a smile

His modesty goes along with the motto of Loving Spoonful, which he explained

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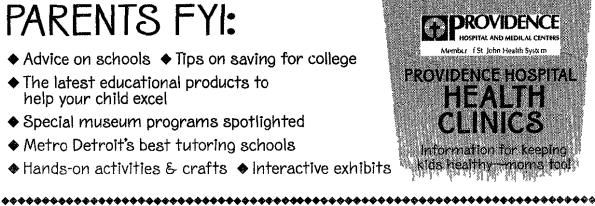
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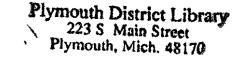
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SQUEEZE THE DAY

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## Making the most of a 24-hour day

was a sophomore at Michigan State when I first learned the Latin phrase "carpe diem," which means seize the day"

While lecturing about literature and history, my humanities professor, a nondescript but brilliant little man, would fill me with such inspiration that I was ready to burst

"Live your life to the fullest people," he'd proclaim as he paced around the classroom "Grab life by both hands and don't let go Seize the day!"

For the most part I've managed to fol low that advice, or at least I've tried to And while I may not be the young, gung-ho, somewhat naive optimist I was then, I often pause and remind myself to seize the day

Now that I'm older and so much wiser however, I'd like to suggest a slight revision of the carpe diem mantra "Seize the day" implores you to go for it to take some risks That's fine of course But at this point in my life, I think "Squeeze the day" is perhaps more appropriate

Why<sup>9</sup> Because, like you I m pressured by the demands of parenthood and all of lifes obligations From Barney songs in the morning to bath time and goodnight kisses at night, I strug gle to keep my sanity

I'm also stressed by deadlines, neverending to do lists, home improvement projects, etc As my calendar gets more full each day I strive to keep things simple

My 5 year old daughter has a simple way of looking at time 'There's school time play time ind rest time It's just od'r tomorrow and jesterday (Of course she also de cribes the past in terms of yester night yester year and even 'yester Christmas') But she hasn't really mastered the concept of thinking long-term, and what better

# kemnitz candies golden anniversary Sweet success

## Original candy recipes still popular with owners, customers

#### BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER kmortson@oe.homecomm net

"Forest Gump was wrong you do know what you're going to get if you know what you're looking for," said Everett Smith, husband of Kemnitz Candies owner Cindy Smith

Smith is referring to the special design each handmade chocolate from the Plymouth candy shop features on the top The unique marker enables choco late lovers to literally "read" what kind of filling is inside the candy before they take a bite

"Every design isn't necessarily a universal code but it's something we've been doing since we bought the place from the Kemnitz family 30 years ago," said Cindy Smith

Cindy and her family marked the 50th year the small candy store has been in business in Plymouth the weekend of Sept 28 with free giveaways to customers and an anniversary cake

"I think we've been successful because we offer a quality that we feel is superior," said Cindy "Aside from still handmaking a majority of our chocolate candies we offer services like gift wrapping, shipping and special orders "

Cindy's mother, Audrey Hamlin and grandmother Marie Swain, purchased the downtown Plymouth store from George and Betty Kemnitz in 1969

"My grandfather was in real estate for years and knew my grandmother wanted to do something in business for herself He called her one day and said there was a store downtown for sale and did she want to go look at it He didn't even tell her on the phone what kind of business it was "recalls Cindy

#### **Going strong**

Thirty-two years later the Smith family still owns the Ann Arbor Trail business Cindy said they never changed the name from Kemnitz because they want ed a smooth transition and didn t want people to ini 'ially compare the two families and how they did business

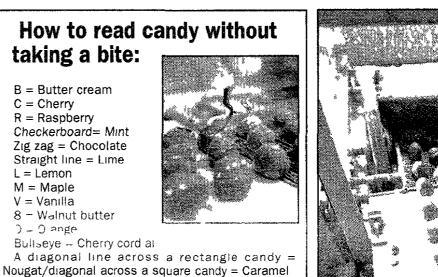
In time people came to relize we bought the from George said Cindy who believes the original owner has since passed away

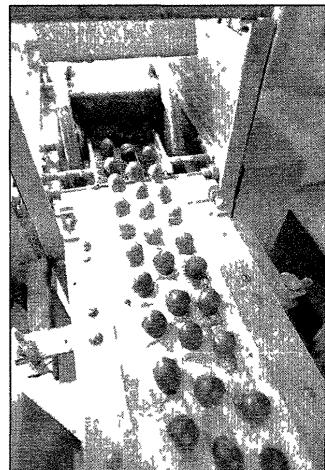
Aside from being new owners, little has changed in the candy store since it opened in 1951 Cindy said they still use all the same recipes the Kemnitz family introduced 50 years ago as well as the candy making equipment, processes, chocolate molds and many of



STAFF PHOTOS BY BRYAN MITCHEL

**Classic:** Merle Hamlin, 73, pours melted chocolate into the machine that will coat the cherry cordials they are making in the Kemnitz Candies kitchen in Plymouth's Old Village Cherry cordials (below) moved down a conveyor belt to be coated twice in chocolate Today they are making two gallons of cordials





way to squeeze the day than that

In fact, despite the overwhelming responsibilities and headaches they bring my children allow me to squeeze all I can out of life The way they look at the world makes me laugh and mar vel at how honest and beautiful they are

For instance, when the subject of Canada somehow came up at the din ner table recently, Eileen stated emphatically, "My friend Rosie lives in Canada"

"She does?" I said

'Yeah "

"Canada, really?"

"Yeah" Then I thought about it for a minute

"Oh, you mean Canton, honey Can ton is a city like Plymouth Canada is a country like the United States"

"Yeah You say can like the scare crow in the Wizard of Oz "

This kindergartner kind of logic makes my head spin, yet at the same time I treasure it because I see her growing and learning right before my eyes

Then there's Erin, my wonderful wild-child Almost 2 years old, she revels in life's simple pleasures with gusto — eating spaghetti, for example, until she's left with an orange face that makes her look like Fred Flintstone Gargling her milk, screaming with delight, imploring me to read the same book over and over again, and wearing her big sister's ballerina tutu all day long

When she and I were alone one afternoon after the terrorist attacks, I turned on the TV for a minute to catch the latest news As I watched the rescue and recovery workers comb through the mountain of rubble that had once been the World Trade Center, I began to cry Erin, though not understanding why I was sad, patted my arm and said, "It's 'kay mom It's 'kay mom"

I looked at her and hugged her with all my might All the despair and hopelessness I felt at that moment melted away

So that's why this column will be called Squeeze the Day I hope to share some insights about family life and how we manage to discover life's httle pleasures in the midst of our hectic sched ules And how there are times, usually when you're ready to drop from sheer exhaustion, that you get to squeeze your kids and everything is OK once again

Lynn Waldsmith Pawlik is a freelance writer and mother of two children She and her husband live in Plymouth



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN Family: Owner Cindy Smith and her husband Everett inside Kemnitz Candies the quality ingredients

"The recipes, the quality and the chocolate have not changed,' said Cindy "In some instances we really have to hunt around for the fine products that go into making our candy Many companies have down-sized over the years or closed and we've had to find differ ent vendors who carry these products to insure we're selling the same class of candy we did years ago "

Cindy has since purchased the rights to the candy store from her mother However her husband Everett, both her parents and her uncle David Swain are still involved in handmaking the countless batches of candy that are produced at their off site kitchen in Plymouth's Old Village

"Cindy s mom has always been the wheel in the middle of the wheel she makes things happen around here," said Everett, "and Merle is big on qual ity control"

Although Audrey will be cutting down the time she spends in the kitchen because of recent knee surgery, her husband Merle has no plans of leaving "I have an investment here," said Merle, 73 "I'm here to make sure everything is how it's suppose to be Even though I've been making these recipes for 30 years I still get the book out every time This is work It takes me eight hours just to clean one machine and no matter what happens to us there has to be candy

Please see SWEET, C3

## Benefit to support cancer center

#### BY LAURIE HUMPHREY SPECIAL WRITER

Organizers of the St Mary Mercy Hospital annual Hollywood Nights fund-raising event are counting on more than prayer to draw a crowd Oct 18 They are serving up The Platters

"This will be an entertainment packed evening," promised Sherri Fletcher, director of fund development and volunteer services at St Mary Mercy Hospital "We ve got Bowzer's (from Sha-Na-Na) Rock & Roll Revue and The Platters coming" The event, held at Laurel Manor

The event, held at Laurel Manor Banquet and Video Conference Center in Livonia, begins at 6 pm Tickets must be purchased before Oct 16 by calling (734) 655-2907

Fletcher and a team of 18 have worked non-stop since last year's event to make this one just as successful They hope to raise more than \$200 000 for the hospital's new Cancer Center, scheduled to open in late spring/early summer of next year

"This is actually the kickoff of fundraising events for the Cancer Center It's a multi million dollar project," said Fletcher

In addition to live music, the night will feature a 50-50 raffle, with a guar anteed cash prize of \$1,000, a suit donated by Pat Manno Clothing and Tailoring Company of Dearborn, a \$1 000 acoustic guitar from the Guitar



STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

**Committee:** Sherri Fletcher, director of fund development/volunteer services St Mary Mercy, committee member Matt Hatz, Cambridge Homes Inc, honorary chairman Carol Cassie, president First Michigan Title Inc, and committee member Elma Granata of Granata Construction gather at Laurel Manor

Shop in Canton, and an overnight stay at the Livonia Marriott

Participants can also look forward to \_\_\_\_\_\_

"I wont tell you what we're having," Fletcher said about the secret menu,

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## NorthRidge food drive upcoming

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON STAFF WRITER kmortson@oe homecomm.net

In just three years NorthRidge Church in Plymouth has been able to more than double the number of families they help feed through their annual food drive

According to Richard Pingilley, pastor of congregational care, the 4th annual "Faithfully Offering Our Donations Drive One car, one bag," event not only benefits the Plymouth Salvation Army food pantry, but St Christine's Food Pantry/Soup Kitchen of Detroit and Promise Village Home for Children - Detroit

"The food you donate helps provide food for each recipient family,' stated Pingilley "It does something else it provides hope Participating in the food drive is a tangible way to express thanks for what God has provide for you by providing for others in our community '

The first year the NorthRidge Care in Action Ministry collected

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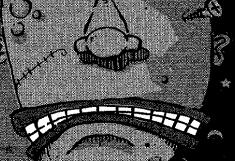
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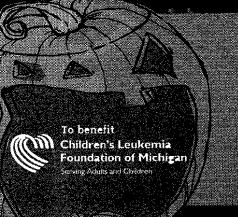
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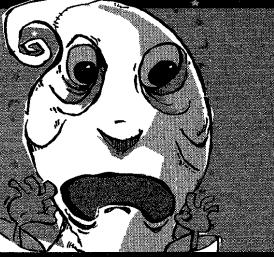
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#### LAS VEGAS NIGHT

St Edith Church (15089 Newburgh Road) in Livonia will host a smoke-free Las Vegas Night 7 p m to midnight Oct 5 and 6 Admission will be \$1 and maximum payout is \$500 All proceeds benefit the general fund Call (734) 464-1222

#### FALL RUMMAGE SALE

Newburg United Methodist Church will host a fall rummage sale 9 a m to 5 p m Oct 5, and 9 a m to noon Oct 6 (36500 Ann Arbor Trail) in Livonia between Wayne and Newburgh Roads

#### BIDS, BEATS & BITES

Garden City Hospital will host their annual fall fundraiser "Bids, Beats & Bites 2001" Oct 12 at Laurel Manor Banquet Center in Livonia Proceeds will be used to purchase a C-arm for surgical and endoscopic procedures The highlight of the event will be a live and silent auction To purchase tickets, become a sponsor or donate a unique auction item please call (734) 458-4331

#### MOM'S SALE

St Edith and St Kenneth's Mothers of Preschoolers Group will hold a Mom-to-Mom sale 9 a m to noon Oct 13 at St Edith Church (Newburgh Road south of Five Mile) Call Lisa (734) 513-2202

#### BREAST CANCER WALK

The American Cancer Society will host Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, a non-competitive walking event that celebrates breast cancer survivorship and promotes breast health awareness This year, Making Strides will be hosted in two locations in Southeast Michigan, Saturday, Oct 13 at Detroit's Belle Isle Park and Sunday, Oct 14 at Ann Arbor's Briarwood Mall Call (800) ACS-2345

#### MICHIGAN LIVER WALK

The American Liver Foundation Michigan Chapter is proud to announce the first Liver Walk Oct 13 at Lower Huron Metropark in Belleville The 5K (3 1 mile) walk will start at noon Visit www active com to register or call (248) 489-5400

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Members of the Daughters of the American Revolution - Sarah Ann Cochrane Plymouth-Northville Chapter will meet at noon Oct 15 at the Plymouth Historical Museum Please bring a donation for the veterans such as blankets, soap, bath gel, shampoo, paperback books, lotion, envelopes, deodorant, stamps, toothpaste, etc Nancy Darga, manager of Design for Wayne County Parks will discuss "Rouge Waterway and the Underground Railroad" All members and guests should bring a sandwich, drinks are provided

#### **RUMMAGE SALE**

St Paul Lutheran Church (20805 Middlebelt and Eight Mile) will host a rummage sale from 9 a m to 6 p m Oct 18 and 19 Bag sale Oct 20, 9 a m to 1 p m Ample parking - light lunch

#### ST. GENEVIEVE RUMMAGE SALE

St Genevieve School (28933 Jamison - two blocks east of Middlebelt, and two blocks south of Five Mile) in Livonia will be sponsoring a rummage sale 9 a m to 3 p m Oct 19-20 Tools, clothing, furniture, toys, housewares, books, electronics, sports and exercise items Please come and help support our school and bag yourself some bargains!

#### **ROCKIN' FOR CHARITY**

Rockin' For Charity, a non-profit organization, will hold an event Oct 20 at Ann Arbor Pioneer High Schools Center for the Performing Arts to benefit "From the Heart" for CS Motts Children's Hospital The event titled "Elvis Through The Years" will feature five of the nations top Elvis Presley tribute artists, a live band, and a personal friend of Elvis who will speak on her experiences with Elvis as well as take questions from the audience The event is also slated to offer a raffle and silent auction Elvis Through the Years has been sanctioned by Elvis Presley Enterprises, Inc and is an official event Please check out Rockin' for Charity's web site at www rockinforcharity com

#### PASTIES FOR SALE

Newburg United Methodist Church is making and selling cornish pasties as a fund raiser Pasties are \$2 50 each and can be ordered by calling (734) 422-0149 Someone will be there to take orders 9 a m to 12 30 p m Oct 30 and 31 Call in orders only Do not leave any orders on the answering machine Any orders faxed, e-mailed or left on the machine will be ignored Pick up times are 11 a m to 5 p m Nov 8 and 11 a m to 6 p m Nov 9 The church is located at 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia Order early, only 1,000 pasties will be made

#### **ARTS & CRAFTS SHOPPE**

St Valentine School (25875 Hope St Redford) will host their 10th Annual St Valentine Arts & Crafts Shoppe from 10 a m to 4 p m Nov 10 Call (313) 255-6825 or visit www geocities com/stvalcraft

#### COMMUNITY HOSPICE RAFFLE

Community Hospice & Home Care Services, Inc , of Westland is hosting a raffle for a 1966 Red Ford Fairlane All proceeds benefit Community Hospice & Home Care Services, Inc Tickets are \$5 each The drawing will be held 3 p m Aug 25, 2002 You need not be present to win Call Heather (734) 522-4244

#### **SINGLES MINGLE**

#### BETHANY DANCE

Bethany Together will hold a dance for divorced, separated and widowed people 8 p m to 12 a m Sept 29 at the Divine Providence Parish Hall (25335 W Nine Mile) between Telegraph and Beech Daly in Southfield Proper attire (no jeans) \$9 includes beverages and snacks **METROPOLITAN SINGLES** 

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sionals invite you to an Oct 19 dance 8 p m to 1 a m Oct 19 at the Double Tree Guest Suites in Novi Novi Road at I-96 Admission \$8 Oct 26, 14th Annual Halloween Party/Dance 8 p m to 1 a m at the Double Tree Guest Suites in Novi Semi-scary, costumes are optional/casual Admission \$10 Call (248) 851 9909 or visit www mspsc com



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## Food drive from page C1

food was in November of 1998 and donations helped them fill 200 boxes Pingilley said in 1999 350 boxes were delivered and in 2000, 500 boxes distributed

"We initially just donated nonperishables to stock the Salva tion Army food pantry but we received so much food the follow ing year we decided to take on other organizations," said Pingilley 'Our heart has always old us to help the folks of Detroit We knew the Lord would lead us where the donaions were needed the most '

The Plymouth pastor said the Keebler organization has been generous enough to donate a semi trailer for the church to store and sort the canned and poxed food until distribution They've helped us tremendous y added Pingilley

#### **Breads and cereals**

Boxes of cereal (unsweetened bran corn flakes oat bran etc) Quick oatmeal Noodles, Spaghet II Rice

#### Proteins

Tuna (in water) Plastic jar of peanut butter Canned chicken Canned chili Canned stew Beans (pinto kidney refried) Fruits and vegetables

Canned fruit Dried fruit Raisins 100 percent fruit juice Tomato sauce Tomato paste Dairy

Velveeta cheese Powered milk (individual packets)

#### Miscellaneous Baby items Diapers (large/extra arge) Laundry detergent (powder

The collection dates for the fourth annual event are Oct 20 21, Oct 24 and Oct 27-28 Donors are asked to leave bags of food behind their cars when you come the Wednesday and Saturday and Sunday services over consecutive weekends If you have a donation and are not a member of the church, bags of food may be brought into Guest Services inside the church 9 a m to 5 pm Monday, Oct 22 through Friday, Oct 26

"You don't have to buy every thing on the list," said Pingilley It is our desire to help those less fortunate than ourselves and vour donations will not only pro vide meals for needy families but help us in our goal of having a consistently stocked pantry" For further information call (734) 414 7777 (ext 225)

#### only) Toiletries

Other Pork and beans Spaghetti sauce Paper towels Bisquick Creamer Sugar salt flour commeal Please support NorthRidge Care in Action Ministries Fourth Annual Faithfully Offering Our Donations Drive one car one bag Donations will be accepted Oct 20 21, Oct 24 and Oct 27 28 Please remember leave bags behind your car for pick up (in case of rain place paper bags inside plastic bags and tie tight ly) Donate only on glass contain ers

You can also donate at the Ser vice desk at the main entrance (normal operating hours)

### Sweet from page C1

Our customers expect to see something in those cases

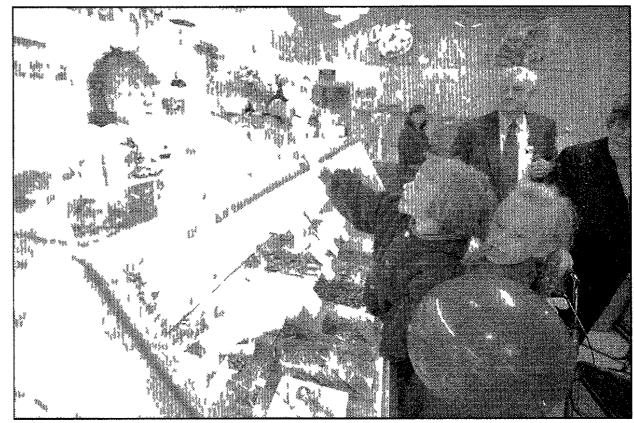
It s the thousands of customers that have come through Kemnitz Candies door that keeps Cindy excited and encouraged about the business It's incredible the amount of people that we talk to and have gotten to know over the years Kids who came in here when I was in high school are now bringing their children said Cindy

#### Everyone's like family

The two full time employees Smith employs Renatta Adams of Livonia and Rebecca Hamlin of Canton say the family atmo sphere has always been an appealing quality to not only themselves but their customers

"I've worked here on and off for 15 years' said Adams who designed and baked the cake for the 50th anniversary celebra tion "I get a kick out of people who bring their children in and say 'This used to be mommy s favorite' or Daddy used to get this candy when he was your age

Customer Gertrude Fuchs of Livonia said the White Chocolate Pecan Bark has been a longtime favorite of hers My son used to buy me a pound of the bark on special occasions He died five years ago but when I m out that way I still stop and buy some ' said Fuchs who first discovered the shop years ago while lunch



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN

So many choices: Katherine Lawton gets a boost from her sister Rebecca as she buys white chocolate lollipops from the candy counter at Kemnitz Merle and Audrey Hamlin pass on the right

ing downtown at the Mayflower Of the dozens of hard and gummy candies gum drops, non pareils and other confections the handmade clusters, bark patty's and cordials prove to be

the most popular

Cindy says the biggest sellers are cherry cordials, turtles (pecan delights), coconut clusters pecan bark and their deluxe assortment box of handmade

chocolates Another favorite are their milk, dark and white chocolate bunnies, chicks, ducks and other figures the Smiths make

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but I can tell you it's good stuff The dinner will capture the essence of their culinary abili ties

Hollywood Nights has raised more than \$1 million for the hospital since its creation nine years ago Nobody 1s happier about its success than its cre ator, Carol Cassie president of First Title in Livonia

'It's inspiring that the resi dents and business people are oming together to make Livo na a better community for verybody said Cassie Seeing It (mmunity hospital grow and expand is to everyone s Jdvantage

Cassie began Hollywood Nights as a way to give some thing back to the community that had supported her business In seeking a benefactor she found that 'St Mary had done a lot for this community There were a lot of fund raisers taking place, but nothing for the local hospital' She set up the annual charity event with the intention of running it for three years, then handing it over to hospital staff She is back to help this year after a sıx-year hıatus



biopsy table and probe for breast cancer detection 'Now it can be

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'I came back to help the Cancer Center,' she said

Cassie credits hospital staff and John Del Signore, owner of Laurel Manor, with making the event what it has become, a suc cess

Every year, we give the hospi tal at least \$150,000," said Fletcher

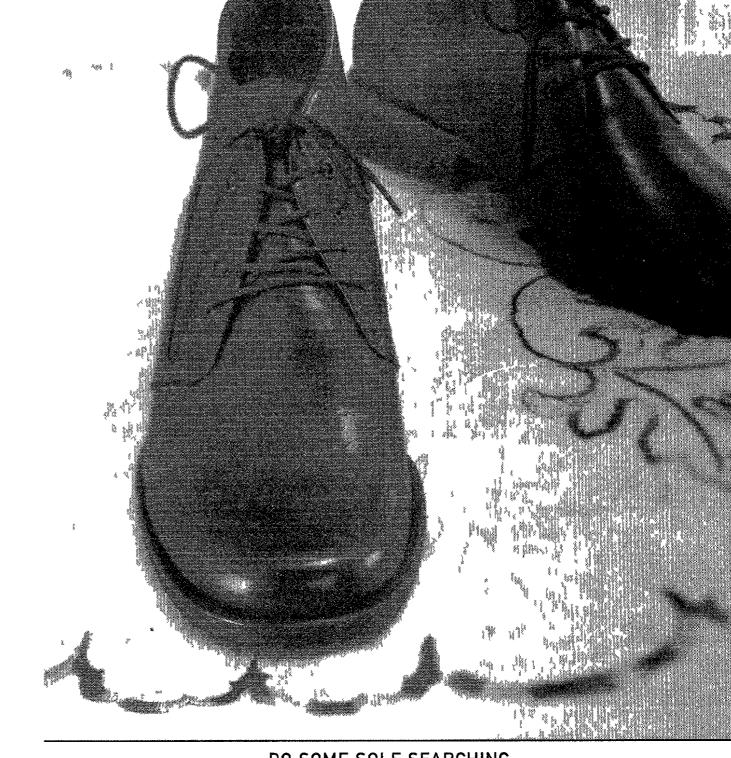
Last year's contribution resulted in a new stereotactic

detected sooner and there is less chance of disfigurement if a woman needs a mastectomy ' she explained

"This event is for the commu nity," Fletcher said 'Everyone in the community will benefit from having a more comprehen sive care facility right here because when you're not feeling well, it's better to stay close to home

Fletcher expects about 900 people to attend the ninth annu al event She predicts that 'not only will they thoroughly enjoy the evening, but they will leave with a warm feeling inside knowing that they are helping someone maybe even them selves "

Tickets prices for the black tie optional event are \$75/person for general admission, \$150/person for VIP admission More expensive tickets include prefer ential seating and a gift



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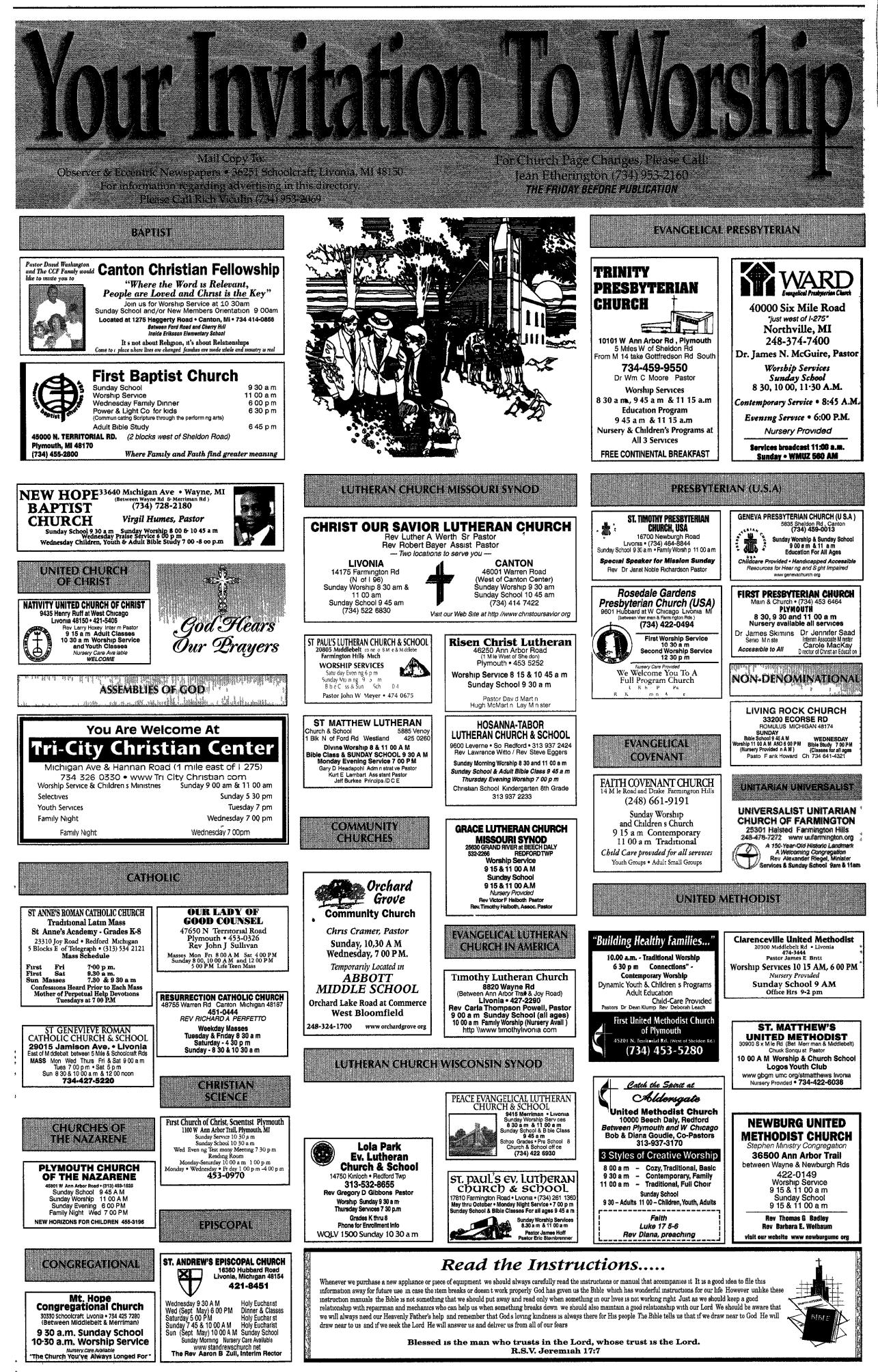
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#### Bianchi

Americo (Rico) Bianchi and Joan (Marrespe) Bianchi were married June 30, 1951 in St Colman Church in Cleveland,  $\mathbf{OH}$ 

The couple renewed their wedding vows at a Mass June 10 at St Kenneth Church The celebrants were the Rev Joseph Mallıs, the Rev William J Pettit and the Rev Eugene Krezeminskı

After the Mass a reception was held at the Italian-American Club of Livonia hosted by their children and their spouses They include Richard (Rick) and Phyllis Bianchi, Dawn and Roger Lang and Mark and Lisa Bianchi Many relatives and close friends were in attendance Among those attending was Rico's 98-year-old mother Angelina Bianchi of Middleburg Heights, Ohio

The couple have five grandchildren Gregory, Russell, Raymond, Candace and Ava Monet

One June 24, a family vacation to Disney World and a cruise to Nassau was hosted by the couple Rico is retired from the Ford Motor Company where he worked for over 40 years Joan is



a former real estate salesperson who worked at Century 21 for over 15 years

The couple are active members of the St Kenneth Church, the Italian-American Club of Livonia where Rico is a director and the Woods of Northville Homeowner's Association where he is the current president

Rico and Joan have traveled extensively visiting Jerusalem, Italy, Australia, New Zealand, Figi, Greece and the Greek Isles, Spain. Portugal. Morocco. Mexico, many countries in Western Europe and points of interested in the United States

#### Mouhot-Mitchell

Stacy Mouhot of Redford Township and Joseph Mitchell of Clawson exchanged wedding vows Saturday, Sept 22 in The Little Log Chapel in Gatlinburg, Tenn The Mitchells will reside in Ferndale

#### Liszewski

Frank and Angeline (Wapinski) Liszewski celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Saturday, Sept 1 They have been Westland residents for the past 25 years and were married on Labor Day in Detroit at the Sweetest Heart of Mary Church They have one daughter, Arlene Zazula, and two granddaughters, Angela and Ann-Marie A surprise dinner is planned on Sept 16 at Angela's home in Royal Oak for many family members and friends

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### Mussat-O'Neil

Jim and Kathy Mussat of Goodyear, Ariz, formerly of Northville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stephanie Lynn, to Sean Patrick O'Neil

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ladywood High School and Western Michigan University, where she earned a bachelor of science degree in elementary education She is a second grade teacher at Kent Lake Elementary School in South Lyon

Her fiancé, son of Roger and Connie Frayer of Livonia and Patrick and Carolyn O'Neil of Troy, is a graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and Michigan State University He earned a bachelor of science degree in urban regional plan-

#### Douglas

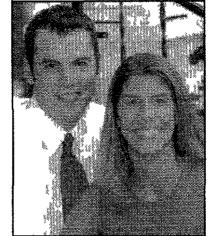
Herman R Douglas Jr and Joan E (Williams) Douglas are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary this month The couple wed Oct 6, 1951 at San Luis Obispo, Calif They have lived in Westland for 13 years

The Douglas's have three children Denise M and her husband Dennis Gudenau of Warren, Gregory D and his wife Teri Douglas of Westland and Angela R and her husband Paul McKelvey of Clinton Township

They also have 10 grandchil dren, one great-grandchild and a second on the way

Herman Douglas Jr 1s a worked as a self-employed private investigator before he retired six years ago Joan Douglas worked in mobile home sales

Herman 1s a member of the Marine Corps League and the



ning and is employed as a city planner for the city of Dearborn An October wedding is planned at St John's Church in Plymouth



Loyal Order of Moose's Enrollment Team His wife, Joan, is a member of VFW Auxiliary, DAV Auxiliary, Marine Corps League Auxiliary and the Redford Suburban League

To celebrate this special occa sion, the couple plans to share an anniversary dinner and trav-

#### **Post-Luranc**

Katie M Post and Jeffrey J Luranc announce their engagement

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Caledonia High School and Michigan State University She is a buyer/planner at Celestica Corp in Rochester, Minn She is the daughter of the late Barb and Jim Post

Her fiance is a graduate of Detroit Catholic Central High School and Michigan State University He is a material handling engineer at Daimler-Chrysler A G in Auburn Hills He is the son of Jane and Joseph

#### Robinson

Russell Palmer Robinson Jr and Gayle Louise (Brown) Robinson of Westland are celebrating 50 years of marriage The couple wed April 26, 1951 at Gesu Church in Detroit They have been Westland residents for the past 45 years

The Robinsons have 10 children Kathleen Law of Wayne, Linda Cinader of Belleville, Debbie Fox of Detroit, Russell C Robinson of California, Mary Sturm of Wayne, Rickie Robinson of Plymouth, Randy Robinson of Westland, Raymond Robinson of Westland, Robert Robinson of Southfield and Ronald Robinson of Wavne

They also have 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren

Gayle was born Nov 14, 1930 in Detroit Russell was born Feb 8. 1929 in Dearborn They both served in the U.S. Marine Corp. during the Korean War Russell served in battle in the Chosin Reservoir

Russell worked for Clyde's Carpet and Gayle worked for K-Mart Both retired in 1994 They are members of the Montford Point Marine Corps League Detachment Gayle has compiled



Luranc Jr of Garden City A July wedding is planned in Grand Haven



family trees for Robinson, Steinbrecher, Brown and Campau Russell enjoys spending time on the computer To cele-



brate the occasion, family and friends attended mass at St Bernadine's Church in Westland, where the Robinson's marriage was blessed Their 10 children then hosted a family dinner in the couple's honor Fifty family members attended Congratulations to the Robinsons

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#### **GRIEF SUPPORT WORKSHOP**

The path to healing grief is a difficult one No one should have to walk it alone 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 Cindy Wickman Failing, a member of Christ the King, will present the curricu lum and be one of the facilitators of the support group(s) Advance registrations are most appreciat ed, but if you can't decide to come until the last minute, that's O K

#### **POINT OF GRACE**

NorthRidge Church (49555 North Territorial Road) in Ply mouth will host "Point of Grace" at 7 30 p m Oct 5 with their

special guest "FFH" — this is the "Free to Fly" Tour Call (734) 414-7777

#### **DIVORCED/WIDOWED**

Divorced, separated and widowed men and women of all ages are encouraged to attend a week end designed for those who wish to let go of the painful past and create a more peace filled future Facilitated by trained people who have 'been there" and offer their support The next "Begin ning Experience" weekend is Oct 57 at St John Center in Plymouth Pre-register by Sept

#### 29 Call Jan (810) 939 7173 or Maureen (313) 937 8320 ALUMNI MASS

Madonna University will cele brate Mass during the Alumni Reunion 5 p m Oct 6 in the Uni versity Chapel on campus All alumni and friends are invited to attend The liturgy will be given by the Rev Frank A Grispino assistant professor, religious studies Intentions will be offered for the families of victims of the recent terrorist attacks RSVP (734) 432-5740

#### WOMEN'S DAY LUNCHEON

The Detroit Church of Christ presents a women's day luncheon "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 Call Kimberly Tate (734) 483 7026 or e-mail wlb@techemail com

#### **GRANDPARENTS SUNDAY**

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Church in Livonia Larson will sing during the 8 30 a m service and lead the new song service at 11 a m as part of Grandparents Sunday Call (734) 522-6830

#### **HEALTH MINISTRY**

St Colette Parish Health Min istry presents Paul Masalskis at 7 pm Oct 10 to address "Caring for Your Spine "He is a chiropractor at the Lowen Clinic in Farmington He will discuss the importance of the spine and how our nervous system relates to it as well as to our other organs He will also discuss basic human anatomy of the spine and the dif ference between traditional and chiropractic medicine and how to improve and preserve your health beginning with your back Meet in the church social area across from Laurel Park Place between Six and Seven Mile roads (17600 Newburgh Road) Call (734) 464-4436 to reserve a spot

#### BLOOD DRIVE

The Red Cross will operate a blood drive 1-7 p m Thursday, Oct 11 at St Edith Parish (15089 Newburgh Road) in Livo nia Walk-ins are welcome

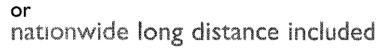
#### WOMEN'S RETREAT

Christ Our Savior will be sponsoring a women's retreat, "Relat ing 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 1s 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

#### **DE-STRESS OR DISTRESS**

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church (39020 Five Mile Road) in Livonia will host a De-Stress or Distress event involving relaxation, reflexology and renewal Learn to identify and knowledge upsets, what are you feet telling you and discover the meaning of the tender places Need clean feet or fresh foot coverings towel floor mat (optional) and drinking water Joan Ballantyne, facilitator \$10 per per-

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#### **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 Oct 19-21 and Nov 16-18 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

GARY SMALLEY VISIT

Marriage guru Gary Smalley will host a conference titled "Marriage for a Life Time," Oct 19-20 at NorthRidge Church (49555 North Territorial Road) in Plymouth Smalley has helped thousands of couples (single and married) deal with the issues that couples are confronted with to threaten their relationships as well as giving them guidelines on how to avoid relationship dis așters Visit www garysmalley com or call

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#### **SENIOR HOUSING FAIR**

Newburg United Methodist Church (36500 Ann Arbor Trail) 🛫 of Livonia will host a Senior Housing Fair 11 a m to 4 p m Saturday, Oct 27 Featured speakers include Rick Bloom (long term care insurance), Kate 🛶 Collins (what types of senior facilities are available?), James Frederick (durable power of attorney/medical power of attor ney - who needs it/why?), and Honor Raymond (what is Stephens Ministry and how can it help me through this trying time?) We have invited over 80 senior facilities to attend Go to one place and get all the answers to your questions The fair is free Call (734) 422-0149 to preregister

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#### 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 banquet is set for Saturday, Oct 27 at the Hawthorne Valley Country 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 return ing 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

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#### **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

#### CODY

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#### **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

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■ Class of 1971

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■ Class of 1991

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Power Lavigne (248) 738-4868 or ■ Class of 1996

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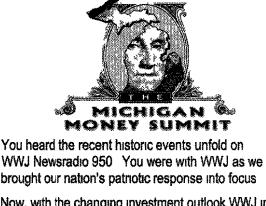
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Attractive single white male 40 s warm hearted and honest enjoys trave photography concerts and the outdoors Seeking a bold lady with a sense of humor Oakland county BOX 36064 GENTLE ROMANTIC humorous affectionate sensi t ve understanding loyal and hon est male 57 511 short beard and mustache b g guy w tha big heart Enjoys walks in the park moon and the stars sun and the sea d nner and a move and just g v ng before receiving BOX 15394

MORE THAN FRIENDS

IN THE ONE FOR YOU Late 79 s ooks 60 w dowed white male 58 190 bs non smoker Enjoys travel dn ng out golf and Forda in the winte If you think we e a match cai me BOX 15363

R U MY SOULMATE? Great s ngie Dad 40 stable lov ng romantic fit honest and all around good guy Seek ng a young slim sweet hearted loving single mom to make a wonderful fam ty BOX 24983 NOW IS THE TIME SENTIMENTAL S ng e wh te male 58 150 lbs<sup>2</sup> far sens tve skin kind gente and extremely romantic Seeking easy going kind lady 48 to 55 for long<sup>4</sup> term relationship possible mar r age Wayne county BOX 24988 Single white male mid 50 s 63 brown hair and eyes non smoker altruistic many interests. Seeking altruistic many nterests. Seeking white female 38.60 sim medium white tema e 38 60 s im med um bu d who appreciates life and her self for frendsh p f rst and whatev er that may lead to Oak and coun ty BOX 35928

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

ATTRACTIVE SWM 33 Professional down to earth and fun lov ng guy who seeks an attrac tive female who enjoys I fe and likes to have fun loakland County BOX 36054 EVERY MINUTE COUNTS 35 yr old single divorced father of one 62 with average build a engys din ng out biking horse back riding pool bowling mov es and qu et evenings at home Locking for a single white female 26 to 32 for a relationship Wayne County BOX 24992 ADVENTUROUS

#### LET'S LAUGH TOGETHER

DO YOU QUALIFY?

45 for ong term relationsh p Wayne county BOX 25970

ESCAPE

LOOKING FOR MY QUEEN

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Ibs African American maie medium um brown complex on medium bu d easy gong clean d sease and drug free Enjoys bike riding cooking garden ng moves long drives hold ng hands cudding and spending time with a special white female 35 to 55 with a nice per sona ty BOX 26907

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FULL FIGURED LADY S

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NEW

ADS!

Handsome pass onate intelligent funny tall well bult single white mae 34 looking for very pass on ate adventurous intelligent kind hearted female for friendship and romance Oakland County BOX 23337 D vorced wh te father of one 42 yrs old 58 175 lbs healthy happy somewhat sane non smoker i ght drinker Seek ng a famale who enjoys the outdoors plays muse ums staying at home cooking reading and more BOX 25281 I NEED YOUR LOVING

Divo cad white male in early 50 s seeking fun loving white divorced or widowed female with a smile on White male 48 muscular attractive financial and self secure Seeking selective classy attractive white or Asian female under 55 for ong term relationship her face and a smile on her heart 38 to 55 for friendsh p or long term relationsh p West S der BOX 26039 HANDSOME ARTIST ESCAPE \* Escape the single I fe with me Single white male 42 yrs old -510 195 bs curly blond har 5 haze eyes somewhat act ve very adventurous Looking for single white female 35 to 50 pette to med um build non smoker social drinker with sim lar interests finan-cially secure BOX 26015 \*

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for sincere elationship no head games BOX 13835

GOOD HEARTED FEMALE GOOD HEARTED FEMALE Seeking good hearted white male 39 to 47 teddy bea to average ou di who s caring and trusting omantic and employed no games no k ds non smoke social drinke anjoys movies music sports cats dining friends/family in the Down River area. Wayne county BOX 31953

#### ALL AMERICAN GUY

ALL AMERICAN GUY Sngle white female 40 55 non smoke brown har medum to husky loving carng ikes avanety of activites sports Seeking a husky honest white guy 36 46 ser ous long teim relationship Macombe County BOX 36039 attractive for basic companionship working to a relationship BOX 10421 PRETTY ENTREPRENEUR Giving Giving loving compassionate curvy ots of fun great conversa t onalist 55 looking for sincere

VIVACIOUS OPTIMIST Pet te 51 attract ve wh te profes s onal d vorced mom Enjoys work ng out da y good conversaton mus c sports and s an opt m st Look ng for a profess onal (college degreed) d vo ced wh te male 40 TO 55 physically tract ve tall no beard or moustache good sense of humor non smoker Cakland county BOX 38068 VIVACIOUS OPTIMIST

enjoys walking swimming movies music and dining out. Seeks white male 40 50 s m to med um build LET S GET TOGETHER You found her Addrable pette prefers gentleman 48 60 full of ille great sense of humor kes to have new experences Cal you won't regret t Oakland County BOX 25008 56 fo a mean nglul relationship in Garden City BOX 26999

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**60 S GENERATION** Ft petite wel educated profes s onal attractive honest high energy spontaneous open mind ed fun loving artistic female seek ng man who s college grad works out I kes h mse f s happy finan cially secure communicates clearly s there for the good and bad t mes Wayne County BOX 36137

#### **NEW BEGINNINGS**

Single white female 47 54 lbs en ovs moy es cand e light din even ngs at home Seeks sigle black male 47 53 with sim lar inter ests for friendship possible rela tionship Wayne County BOX t onship 36142 SEEKS SINCERE MAN

W dow 56 weight proportionate Honest sincere humorous not a smoker or dinker I kes music trav outdoors and working out Seeks honest caring sincere man no couch potato or self centered person BOX 10554 BLUE EYED BLONDE

Divorced fema e 46 58 attrac tve sender bonde hair blue eyes smoker outgong and spon taneous Enjoys music dancing pool and attention Seeks tall man 38 55 who s respons ble roman to burgerup spontaneous and t c humorous spontaneous and fun BOX 10562

#### BLONDE BEAUTY

Single white female 56 attract ve blue eyed blonde outgoing spon taneous and oves affect on cars animals camping dancing motor cyc es Seeks a sweet big sing e white male 25 to 38 who is honest and spontaneous and can keep up with he BOX 10563

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tor who s oving self awale healthy ove of dance musc and this beautiful word ale a plus Oakland County BOX 36076 cooked) movies quality time and fun elationship Oakland County IT'S A START IF YOU RE READY Do you enjoy sunsh ne golf t avel good food humor f owe s com pan onsh p? If you are act ve any Cal this 25 yr old single female 52 102 lbs brown hair blue eyes enjoys movies playing darts bar scenes with friends and child en Looking for a single male 23 to 29 age over 54 widowed single divo ced and ooking fo a stable e at onship and the one Widowed white female 55 non

#### smoker ready to enjoy I fe again BOX 36090

TAKE A CHANCE 50 yea s young female non smok er a few extra pounds f nanc al y secure good sense of humo hon est Seeks a white maje 43 to 50 with the same qualities. Down River area BOX 048 ARE YOU THE ONE?

Young Ame can bus ness owne seeking a 28 to 33 y old plofes siona American who sispiritua responsible passionate ft and healthy fo a fiendship fist BOX 12179

CALL ME SOON 56 non smoke occas ona dr nker affect onate and sincere 29 y old female 53 seeking a male who s God fealing enjoys children s athletic lovable frenc ly outgoing intel gent and kind just as I am BOX 2264 ATTRACTIVE BRUNETTE

FIRST TIME AD Single white female 48 neve mar red 6 225 lbs blown hall blue

red 6 225 bs bown ha blue eves Enjoys voleybal bowing dancing fishing sports dining music and more Seeking a white genteman 6 o taler 40 to 50 who beleves that one should be honest caling have good molas and enjoy life BOX 13721 MOTOWN GAL

Look ng for a k nd s ncere s ng e or d vorced male 48 to 60 non smoker fo ong te m monoga mous e at onship am 51 y old d vo ced female love Motown musc and class c ca s I beleve n omance and en oy s mple p eas u es Down R ve a ea BOX 14471 STAND OUT IN CROWDS

smoker who enjoys working out movies etc. Seeking 29 39 single white male to spend time with 59 fema e brunette attract ve seeking a male 59 or ta er 60 o olde for bus trips theate dancing and more BOX 15373 nd time with FIRST TIME AD W dow 75 55 140 bs attract ve and very act ve Locking for a sin ge male 70 to 75 to go to unch or dinne du ng the week BOX 10429 LADY OF PASSION

Young 53 pretty average we ght b g brown eyes and har looking for white gentleman who s not alrad of his feelings since e only no games for long term re at onship Wayne County BOX 18707

#### White fema e classy ft energetic blonde har above average look ng non smoker horse owner Seek ng active white ma e 46 to 66 to enjoy fun parties dinners moves and enjoy i fe together BOX 13749 ATTENTION BILL You responded to my ad ma box #33724 I d d not get your phone

se cal back number can you please ca Wayne County BOX 18962 SEEKS PERFECT MATE

SEEKS PERFECT MATE Att active 50+ w dow fun loving physically ft Seeks male des ing travel working out bicycling gof mountan hking sking swimming dancing din ng out family cock ing quiet even ngs closeness sharing nitmacy ove Requesting to much? Tel me BOX 24980 Seeking a sincere honest no games played non smoking social drinking single white male by a divorced white female 54 who likes to do almost everything Looking for friendship companion ship or something ong term. Wes side. Wayne County BOX 25333 West

HONESTY + BASEBALL ROMANTIC FEMALE Single white Ch stan professional female 46 attractive with a heart of gold great cook Enjoys quiet times and movies walker Seeks well groomed white male non smoker with Christian values Wayne County BOX 26052 Single becautifui black female 46 med um build enjoys dining out travelling and movies. Seeking male with sim ar interest race unimportant for dating and possible relationship. Wayne County BOX 28881



NEW BEGINNINGS

Single white female 47 54 176 bs never mar ed 3 g own chi dren who en oys candiel ght din ne s moves homebody seeking back male 49 to 52 fo dating and possible reationship. Wayne count ty BOX 27024 ty BOX 27024 30 SOMETHING

Degreed single Christian black female 35 attractive with Hispanic descent ooks marrage minded and oves Senfeid des es single County BOX 27028 COUNTRY GIRL

COUNTRY GIRL D vorced white ady non smoke non drinke I kes horseback r ding has own horses Enjoy camping waking boating filea markets old cars movies Seeks gentleman 57 to 65 with sm an interest Monice County BOX 27030

LOVELY BUT LONELY Tall sende attract ve romant c fun lady seeks honest oyal romant c flex ble gentleman that s 55 plus over 510 and fun to be with Let's start as f ends first Oakland County BOX 27034 ONE IN A MILLION

ONE IN A MILLION Pretty perky pump 210 lb pas sionate d vorced white profess on al 55 y od fema e Seeks sngle wh te ma e f nanc al y emot on al y stable non smoker who enjoys people trave p ays moves din ng out boat ng laughter and romance G ve me a ca and we can talk tal over then BOX 27319

SEEKING MR RIGHT 35 yr od femae 57 brown har green eyes 3 ch Idren En oys the outdoors camp ng h k ng the park qu et evenings at home mov es Seek ng male 38 42 w th s m ar nterests fo dating and pos s ble relationsh p Wayne County BOX 31911 SEEKING MR RIGHT

TALL & ROMANTIC Ft young looking 45 Christian professional lady romantic tal very attractive optimistic welliedu very attract ve opt mist c well edu cated En oys the good ife boat ng natu e hiking travel and din ng Seeking soul mate tall thin attractive horiest affectionate posive attlude sense of humor successfu with vales Ingham County BOX 31920

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men

HAVE MUCH NEED YOU 49 yr old d vorced white maie 6 225 lbs I am a school teacher and have a 12 yr old daughter Enjoy the outdoors dining out movies Seeking a romanic woman to share my life with Live in Birmingham 1 exercise play gutar and have a pace in N Michigan BOX 13824

TREAT U LIKE A QUEEN Singe white male 40 Catholic slim in ce ooking hard working honest single Dad active and fun loving very attent ve and affect on ate Looking for a single white female 25.45 slim to medium build who s ready for a long term reationship Wayne County BOX 32008

LET S HAVE FUN White male 25 6 250 lbs smok er casua drinker fun loving out going Enjoys concerts inding motorcycles playing music Seeks female 25 36 physically fit and caring for ir endship possible rela tonship Wayne County BOX 3000 32009

park going out having fun dancing Wayne County BOX 31999 VERY ATTRACTIVE Single black male 36 510 170 Go ahead and call Open minded s ngle white male **39** easy to talk to romant c and adventurous Seeks single white female 24 42 for meaningful relationsh p Wayne County BOX 32006 lbs nice physiaue humorous intelligent non smoker employed pendents Likes din ng dan ng mov es Seeks fit single o d vorced white female for dating Wayne County BOX 32020



los seek no easy going and intell gent pretty white female in her 40 s for a poss bie long term rela tionsh p Im waiting to hea from you Redford Area Wayne County BOX 36011

NOT INTO BAD BOYS Single white male mid 40 s Seeking slender female long blonde or auburn ha r 30 36 never long been marr ed no children shy pleasant nice legs Not nto bad boys then give me a call BOX 10534 MY HEART BELONGS TO?

Black single man divorced nice God fearing 44 yrs old working with house and car Encys walks traveling bike riding and laughing Seeking female race unimportant attractive smart and intelligent BOX 10550 SELF ASSURED Well read widely traveled 36 divorced white male home owner In search of a confident and mature intelligent and attractive 20 s to 40 s fema e 1 am 55 160 Single male 5.8 175 lbs auburn har and blue eyes non smoker financially stable enjoys camping lbs blonde/hazel athletic muscular build good look no and a man of many interests Wayne County long waks games qu'et times at home and more Looking to a female with similar interests for BOX 31959

#### **60 S MUSCLE CARS** Single white male college educat ed no dependents **39** 61 230 lbs brown brown Seeks short cute single white female 30 40 1

SINCERE

single write intel 64 210 tbs brown/brown enjoys concerts sports outdoors and being n love Looking for attractive single white female 33-42 for serious long term relationship Wayne County BOX 31968

BROWNS TOWN AREA

Single white male 51 yrs old 510 210 lbs smoker brown hai

blue eyes Seeks single white female tall smoker 45 55 height weight proport onate for poss ble relationsh p Wayne County BOX

ALIVE 55 55 yr o d dvorced white male brown hair blue eyes 195 lbs very athiet c Lock ng for a white female 45 55 attractive slender act ve loves life Enjoys working out golf

d ning or spending quiet romantic evenings together Wayne County

A NICE MAN

Single white male 62 200lbs muscular build looking for a nice female athletic cute 18 24 I like

PLEASANTLY PLUMP?

movies walks on the beach

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BOX 31976

IT S WHAT S INSIDE 11 S WHAT S INSIDE Divorced white male 40 56 170 lbs brown hair blue eyes hard working Enjoys camping swim ming beach rding moto cycles and amusement parks. Seeking enjoy auto racing riding motor cycles love animals restore cars and motorcycles and much more Wayne County BOX 31960 and amusement parks Seek r someone height and we ght doe nt matter it's whats inside th counts BOX 13787 iek ng that Caring loving attractive 41 yr old single white male 64 210 lbs

LATE FIFTIES

poss ble re at onsh p BOX 10700

SOPHISTICATED MEN Two single black males sophisti cated Seeking two sophist cated women who would like to have a good time BOX 27343 MORE THAN FRIENDS

Attract ve sngle white male 40 s warm hearted and honest enjoys travel photography concerts and the outdoors Seeking audacious lady with a sense of humor Oakland county BOX 31937

I M A SINCERE PERSON If you are 48 to 58 sim white and attractive call me if you are look ing for a non violent loving happy ing ror a non violent lov ng happy go lucky non-drink ng guy call me Im 59 175 lbs attract ve wd owed and lonesome lock ng for a lfe tme relationship III answer your call Down R ver no games BOX 33419 TRYING TO FIND YOU!

Attract ve lady under 60 slim to fill my lonely heart Widowed attrac tve gente big hearted look ng for a permanent relationship BOX 33704 ONE WOMAN MAN

Single white maie 53 6 210 lbs very loyal ded cated seeks white female that requires of tender lov ing caring who enjoys dining out dancing the outdoors going up North on weekends Wayne County BOX 33726

VERY STRAIGHT I m white w dowed attractive light hearted well built enjoy all the good things in Ife Looking for an attractive well built lady under 59 for possible permanent relation ship Dearborn Wayne County BOX 35956

## SHOWS SOME CLASS shows some CLASS yet provocative single white male promotes understanding and meaningful communication Looking for a pleasant good natured single white female 35 to 50 to interact with on a daily bases Oakland County BOX 36015

#### HOUSE BROKEN

Ret red Catholic gentleman 54 non smoker non drinker educated SUMMER FUN Athletic muscular single white male 43 62 231 lbs brown blue with diverse interests see king sin mate 43 62 231 lbs brown blue clean cut degreed never marred no dependents cutgoing personal ty enjoys outdoors working out new activit es Seeks frendly single fema e age location open Wayne gle white female under 58 hones sincere for long term relationship possible marriage no game pl ers Wayne County BOX 35987 no name nia

#### female age location open County BOX 27018 JUST A CALL AWAY

with similar qualities for relationship BOX 27152

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Pass onate funny intelligent tall handsome well but 63 205 lb single white male 36 looking for passionate nietil gent, attract ve fun female for romance and possi 20 year old white professional-male 6 250 lbs affectionate-brown hair goatee non smoker Enjoys movies dining out con-certs camping and more Seeking a female 25 to 32 prefer white with similar qualities for long term ble long term relationship Oakland County BOX 36072

ADVENTUROUS

FIRST TIME AD Single black male **31** 61 229 Ibs handsome bus nessman is seek ng female 21 to 45 for com panionship height/weight propor tionate race un mportant BOX

FRIENDS FIRST All yr old white dvorced male home owner easy going Enjoys bk ng work ng around the house cas nos parks movies dining out and more Seeking a female for some fun t mes and f lendsh p first BOX 10437

relationship you re looking for by HONEST AND CARING pacing your FREE ad today Call 33 yr old wh te profess onal d vorced male honest caring Enjoys long waks boat ng fshing mov es candlelight d nners romantic musc dancing and more Seeking a female who is honest and caring BOX 12206 1 888 829 6359 24 hrs /day

ARE YOU THE ONE? 58 vr old mate 59 170 bs brown by protormate by 170 bs brown har and eyes retred non smoker non crinker Enjoys music old movies gardening conversation and more Seeking a medium to pet te female with smilar interests BOX 12222

MARRIAGE MINDED 37 yrold dvo ced male 510 170 lbs my interests include golf camping the outdoors and travel ing up North Look ng for a single female who wants to have fun and ng to possible marr age BOX 13728

JUST LOVABLE JUST LOVABLE Sngle white male 44 loves hug ging cutding kss ng and lots of affection Seeking female with the same niterest age race size open BOX 14939

GIVE ME A CALL 20 yr old male 56 165 lbs enjoys working out fishing hunt ng hiking Seeking an attractive female 20 to 35 race unimportant to a serous relationship BOX 15383

#### COSMOTOLITAN TEACHER

Sing ewhite male 50s world traveled music an average height and weight Seeks very pretty friendly single white female for friendship and more BOX 15384

your call L BOX 24966

**IM A SINCERE PERSON** If you are 48 to 58 sl m white and att active cal me if you are look ng for a non vicient loving happy go lucky non drinking guy call me Im 59 175 bs attractive wid owed and lonesome look ng for a ife tme relationsh p 111 answer your call Down River No games

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Cheers: Everett and Cindy Smith toast the store's 50th anniversary Friday night

#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON BOARD PROCEEDINGS - SEPTEMBER 25, 2001

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton held Tuesday September 25 2001 Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7 00 p m and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Roll Call

Members Present Bennett Burdziak Kirchgatter LaJoy McLaughlin Shefferly Yack

Members Absent None

Staff Present Director Conklin Director Durack Director Machnik Director Minghine, Director Santomauro

Supervisor Yack amended the agenda to delete Consent Calendar Item No 6 Set Public Hearing Date for SRI Marble and Granite Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to adopt the agenda as amended Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to approve the regular meeting minutes of September 11 2001 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the study session minutes of September 11 2001 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Kirchgatter supported by Shefferly to approve payment of the bills as presented Motion carried unanimously

	1	Expe	ndı	ture Recap fo	or September 25,	2001	
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	Golf Fund	<b>211</b>		32,481 74	Road Paving	403	196 716 70
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	(WWATEE)	267	\$	1 469 45			
	Federal Grants						

Fund 274

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to adopt a resolution approving the participation in Public Act 413 of 2000 Auto Insurance Fire Loss Motion carried unanimously

 $351\,60$ 

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the increase of the Home Depot blanket Purchase Order No 26641 by \$5 000 00 for a new purchase order total of \$25 000 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the easements with Cherry Hill Investors LLC for the Declaration of Easements and Agreement for Maintenance the Municipal Sponsored Project Easement for Water Main and the Municipal Sponsored Project Easement for Water and to approve the Waiver of Right of Way for township donation of land for road right of way and further to authorize signature of said agreements by the Township ground entrance signs by increasing the height and reducing the area add provision for compliance of this section for other non residential uses in residential zoning district reduce the size in area and height and increase the setback from the property line of golf course signs and reduce the size in area and height and increase the setback from the property line of temporary announcement signs in subdivisions

#### 29.007 Section 7. SIGNS AUTHORIZED WITH A PERMIT IN SINGLE FAMILY ATTACHED RESIDENTIAL (R-6), MULTIPLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL (MR) AND MOBILE HOME PARK (MHP) ZONING DISTRICTS.

This section is amended to reduce the size in area and height for temporary "for sale" or for rent" signs in multiple family or mobile home developments reduce the size in area and require all entrance signs in multiple family or mobile home developments to be ground signs, reduce the size in area and height for temporary off premise announcement signs for multiple family and mobile home developments, reduce the size in area for wall signs in such developments, increase the setback and reduce the size and area for golf course signs, and reduce the size in area and height and increase the setback for temporary project announcement signs in multiple family and mobile home park developments

29.008 Section 8. SIGNS AUTHORIZED WITH A PERMIT IN OFFICE DISTRICTS, (0-1), AND MID-RISE (MRD) AND HIGH-RISE DEVELOPMENTS (HRD)

This section is amended to increase the setback requirement for ground signs, provide for size requirements for ground sign face and sign structures add provisions for masonry bases on ground signs, add provisions for masonry bases on ground signs in the Downtown Development District (DDA) add provisions for wall signs and reduce size in area and height for project announcement signs

#### 29.009 Section 9. SIGNS AUTHORIZED WITH A PERMIT IN ALL COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL ZONING DISTRICTS (C-1, C-2, C-3, C-4, RP, LI-1, LI-2, GI)

This section is amended to modify the calculations for determining the square footage allowed and add provisions for wall and awning signs reduce size in area and height and specify number for window signs provide for size requirements for ground sign face and sign structures add provisions for masonry bases on ground signs add provisions for masonry bases on ground signs in the DDA District eliminating the use of billboards in conjunction with ground signs reduce the size in area for free standing menu order and drive through assistance signs and reduce size in area and height and increase the setback for temporary project announcement signs

29 010 Section 10 SIGNS AUTHORIZED WITH A PERMIT IN AGRICULTURAL, RURAL RESIDENTIAL, AND RURAL ESTATE ZONING DISTRICTS (RA, RR, RE)

This section is amended to apply to RR and RE zoning districts reduce size in area and height and reduce setback from property line for ground signs reduce number and reduce size in area and height and increase setback from property line for off premise signs for bona fide agricultural products permitted in the zoning district and further defined in the State Construction Code M C L A 125 1502 increase setback from property line and reduce size in area and height for golf course signs, and reduce size in area and height and increase the setback from property line for temporary project announcement signs for permitted development in the zoning district

## Sweet from page C3

seasonally from more than 50 chocolate molds

"Many of the molds are the originals," said Smith who added a lamb to the selection this year "We use over a ton of chocolate just at Easter time "

#### 50 more years

With five decades of candy selling and making behind the Kemnitz name the Plymouth business is sure to be a longtime treasured landmark for years to come

"In this day and age it's not unusual to see a company fail after one or two years," said Smith "I credit the quality of our candy and the loyalty of our customers with our continued success It's a special business we work in and I've always felt lucky to work in such a unique place"

Kemnitz Candies is located at 896 West Ann Arbor Trail, downtown Plymouth Visit www.kemnitz candies.com or call (734) 414 7218



Toast: Merle and Audrey Hamlin enjoy the celebration Sept 28 at the Plymouth candy store

#### approval Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to increase Purchase Order 29866 to Wade Trim & Associates from \$16,760 00 for an amount not to exceed \$20 280 00 to cover five (50) additional inspection days for the additional sidewalk repair work identified after the initial contract approval Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Burdziak to approve the contract with L Squared Construction LLC in the amount of \$103 916 50 plus a 10 percent contingency of \$10,391 65 for a total not to exceed amount of \$114 308 15 Public Works will send an invoice to Craig Sharp for Canton USPS associated costs to construct sidewalk to provide funding in two (2) payment equaling 50 percent at the contract award and the remaining 50 percent upon completion and acceptance of the work Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to introduce, table and publish the amendments to the Water Supply and Sewer System Ordinance No 30(R) Section 4 Motion carried unanimously

#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON AMENDMENT TO WATER

SUPPLY AND SEWER SYSTEM ORDINANCE NO 30 SUMMARY

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE WATER SUPPLY AND SEWER SYSTEM ORDINANCE NO. 30, SECTION 4, ENTITLED "CONSERVATION OF WATER; AUTHORITY", PROVIDING FOR THE AUTHORITY TO MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIRECTOR TO ISSUE NOTICE OF WATER SHORTAGE IN CERTAIN INSTANCES; PROVIDING FOR THE SAVINGS OF ALL PENDING PROCEEDINGS AND BALANCE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR VIOLATION AND PENALTY, PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY OF ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE ORDINANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF ALL CONFLICTING ORDINANCES, PROVIDING FOR THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ORDINANCE.

#### THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS

#### SECTION 1. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 4, CONSERVATION OF WATER, AUTHORITY

Ordinance No 30 is hereby adopted to amend Section 4 of the Water Supply and Sewer System Ordinance No 30 entitled Conservation of Water Authority to read as follows

#### 112 040 Section 4 CONSERVATION OF WATER, AUTHORITY

This section provides that the Township Board may during periods of water shortages limit or prohibit the use of water for nonessential uses for the preservation of the health safety and general welfare of the people of the Township Upon a resolution of the Township Board that a period of water shortage exists the Clerk shall cause to be published in a paper of general circulation a Notice of Water Shortage which contains the prohibitions concerning water usage as established by the Township Board

Further the Township Board authorizes the Municipal Services Director to issue a written Notice of Water Shortage which contains prohibitions or restrictions on outdoor water usage which are in accord with a written notice to the Township from the Detroit Water and Sewer Department imposing outdoor water use restrictions The Municipal Services Director shall in conjunction with the Township Clerk cause the Notice of Water Shortage which contains the prohibitions concerning water usage to be published in a paper of general circulation

Supervisor and Clerk Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to set the public hearing for October 23 2001 to consider the Industrial Facilities Exemption application of Axxis Corporation for their new facility located at 7375 Commerce Boulevard Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to set the public hearing for October 23 2001 to consider the Industrial Facilities Exemption application of Meridian Automotive Systems Inc, for their new facility located at 4280 Haggerty Road Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to set the public hearing for October 23, 2001, to consider the Industrial Facilities Exemption application of Uni Boring Company Inc for their facility located at 7261 Commerce Boulevard Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the lot split and combination for parcels EDP#134 01 0005 000 134 01 0006 001 and 134 01 0006 002 as shown on the survey dated June 25 2001 as requested by Mr Morris Levine Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to award the bid for 21 000 feet of 1 inch K Copper Tubing, all in sixty foot rolls to S L C Meter Service Inc, 3059 Dixie Hwy Waterford, Michigan 48328 in the amount of \$22,890 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to adopt a resolution to set the December 1, 2001 Millage Rate of 1 51 mills for general township purposes 2 9400 mills for Fire Protection purposes, Special Assessment and 4 4000 mills for Police Protection purposes a Special Assessment Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to adopt a resolution approving the budget for the Western Townships Utilities Authorities for the fiscal year ending September 30 2002 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to introduce table and and publish the amendments to the Sign Ordinance No 120(E) Motion carried unanimously

#### SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON SIGN ORDINANCE ORDINANCE NO. 120

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION AND CONTROL OF THE CONFIGURATION, FABRICATION, LOCATION, INSTALLATION, AND MAINTENANCE OF SIGNS WITHIN THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON, PROVIDING FOR GENERAL PROVISIONS; PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN DEFINITIONS; PROVIDING FOR CONFIGURATION AND FABRICATION REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING FOR INSTALLATION AND LOCATION REQUIREMENTS; PROVIDING FOR THE LIMITATION OF THE NUMBER OF SIGNS; PROVIDING FOR THE LIMITATION OF THE NUMBER OF SIGNS; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES, PROVIDING FOR APPEALS; PROVIDING FOR REPEAL, PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR SAVINGS CLAUSE AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ORDAINS THAT THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS ARE TO BE AMENDED

#### 29.002 Section 2 DEFINITIONS.

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This section is amended to modify the definition of sign and ground sign 29.003 Section 4. SIGNS PERMITTED WITHOUT REQUIRING A

SIGN PERMIT.

This section is amended to reduce the size in area and height for signs advertising parcels of land or building for rent sale or lease in office, commercial and industrial districts reduce the setback for institutional use bulletin board reduce the size in area for signs identifying construction activity add provisions for signs temporarily erected for municipal construction projects and add provisions for help wanted signs

#### 29.005 Section 5. SIGNS PROHIBITED IN ALL ZONING DISTRICTS.

This section is amended to prohibit inflatable figures except as specifically permitted in accordance with section 4 5 and 9 6, increase the period of time string lights can be used in connection with commercial premises, provide for the removal of signs when a business is no longer in existence or a product no longer sold prohibits the use of ground signs identifying more than one business within a multi tenant building or multiple building site, prohibits portable signs except as provided in section 29 014

#### 29.006 Section 6 SIGNS PERMITTED IN ALL SINGLE FAMILY RESIDENTIAL DISTRICTS AND REQUIRING A SIGN PERMIT.

This section is amended to reduce the size in area and height and the setback from property line of temporary advertisement signs for new developments both on premise and off premise modify the size requirement for subdivision

#### 29 011 Section 11. NON-CONFORMING SIGNS

This section is amended to add provisions for non conforming signs when site plans are required for changes to the property

#### 29.012 Section 12. REZONING SIGNS IN ALL DISTRICTS.

This section removes provision for signs for Consent Judgement amendments and Planned Unit Development, and modifies provisions for signs when rezonings are requested by the Township

29.013 Section 13. CONSTRUCTION OF SIGNS WITH NATURAL MATERIALS.

This section is hereby removed from the ordinance and reserved

#### 29.014 Section 14. PORTABLE SIGNS

This section is amended to increase the setback from the property line

**29.015** Section 15. GASOLINE SERVICE STATIONS SPECIAL SIGNS This section is amended to reduce the size in area for gasoline price signs and reduce the size in area for "attendant served" and "self serve signs in accordance with Ordinance 102, section 2

#### 29.017 - 29 023 Sections 17-23.

ENFORCEMENT AND VIOLATIONS; PENALTIES; CONSTRUCTION NON APPLICABILITY, APPEALS, REPEAL, SEVERABILITY; SAVINGS CLAUSE; EFFECTIVE DATE.

These sections remain in effect as of the previous revision date December 2 1999

\*NOTE: The Amendment to the Canton Township Sign Ordinance No. 120 becomes effective upon publication of the ordinance after its second reading. A complete copy of this Amendment is available for public inspection in the Canton Township Clerk's Office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton, MI 48188 during regular business hours. The following people addressed the board regarding this issue Tim Ford,

Robert McCausland, Greg Greene and Duane Bordine Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving

the rezoning request of Rich Eisiminger (Hromek Property) Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the site plan for Wyndchase II Townhomes - Phase 2 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the final site plan for Tottenham Woods (Woodcreek Planned Development District) Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adopt a resolution approving the parking lot expansion for Rose's Restaurant Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to adopt a resolution approving the revised Tax Abatement Guidelines for the Charter Township of Canton to be effective September 25, 2001 Motion carried unanimously

The following people addressed the board regarding this issue Robert McCausland and Daniel McCausland

Motion by Bennett, supported by Burdziak to authorize the purchase of four (4) heense upgrades of ArcView 8 1 from ESRI Inc, from Planning Services – Capital #101 853 977 0000 (\$3 765 00), and Public Works – Capital #101 853 447 0000(\$4 000 00) for a total not to exceed amount of \$7,765 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to authorize the Township Clerk to sign the easement agreements between Canton and Ameritech Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to fund the Arctic Pond, Inc, utility installation development costs for the Canton Ice Arena in accordance with the terms of the February 20, 2001 Lease Agreement for \$51,539 00 under Project Budget #246 750 970 0000 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to fund TMP Associates, Inc, the reimbursable expense of \$37,000 00 for topographic survey and geotechnical investigation for the administration building addition design under project budget #246 270 970 0000 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to authorize Tilton & Associates, Inc. to complete Canton's Storm Water Pollution Prevention Initiative for an amount not to exceed \$9,600 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to increase Purchase Order 29665 to Olson Cement from \$138 786 00 for an amount not to exceed \$164 743 09 for additional sidewalk repairs identified after the initial contract Any person in violation of this Notice of Water Shortage shall be subject to penalties as prescribed in this Ordinance

#### SECTION 2. SAVINGS OF ALL PENDING PROCEEDINGS AND BALANCE OF THE ORDINANCE

This section provides that the balance of Ordinance No 30 except as herein amended shall remain in full force and effect All proceedings pending and all rights and habilities existing, acquired or incurred at the time this amendatory Ordinance takes effect are saved and may be consummated according to the law enforced when they are commenced This amendatory Ordinance shall not be construed to affect any right pending before the effective date of this amendatory Ordinance

#### SECTION 3. VIOLATION AND PENALTY

This section provides that any person corporation partnership or any other legal entity who shall violate or fail to comply with any of the provisions of this Ordinance or any of the regulations adopted in pursuance thereof shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof may be fined not more than \$500 00 or imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days or both in the discretion of the Court

#### SECTION 4 SEVERABILITY.

This section provides that if any section subsection clause phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction such portion shall be deemed a separate distinct and independent provision, and such holdings shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion hereof

#### SECTION 5. CONSTRUCTION OF ORDINANCE

This section provides that this Ordinance shall be liberally construed in such manner as to best effectuate its purpose. The provisions of this Ordinance shall be construed, if possible in such manner as to make such provisions compatible and consistent with the provisions of all existing Ordinances of the Township and all amendments thereto

#### SECTION 6. REPEAL OF CONFLICTING SECTIONS.

This section provides that portions of Ordinance No 30 are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this amendatory Ordinance full force and effect

#### SECTION 7. EFFECTIVE DATE

This section provides that this Ordinance becomes effective after publication of the second reading

Copies of the complete text of this Ordinance are available at the office of the Charter Township of Canton 1150 S Canton Center Road Canton, Michigan 48188, during regular business hours

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the purchase of an automated target system from Action Target Provo Utah for a cost of \$43 882 68 plus a contingency amount of \$4 388 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to approve the transfer of \$760,000 00 from the General Fund to the Capital Projects Road Paving Fund for the Denton Road paving project and further move to approve the appropriation of \$760 000 00 from the General Fund fund balance revenue account #101 000 699 0000 and increase appropriation account #101 959 965 4000 Transfer to Capital Projects Fund by \$760 000 00 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to approve the FCC form 394 application request to transfer the Ameritech New Media Inc (SBC Communications Inc), cable television franchise with Canton Township to Wide Open West Michigan LLC Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to approve the Staff Recruitment Incentive Program Motion carried with Trustee Shefferly as the only Nay

Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin that the Wayne County solid Waste Management Plan 2000 Update be approved by the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees and that this action be communicated by the Supervisor to the Director of Wayne County's Land Resources Management Division Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy at 1004 pm to adjourn Motion carried unanimously

The above is a synopsis of the actions taken at the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton held Tuesday September 25 2001 The full text of the approved minutes will be available following the next regular board meeting of October 9 2001

THOMAS J YACK, Supervisor TERRY G BENNETT Clerk
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## 'Survivor' celebrity first lecturer

The Livonia Town Hall lecture series will kick-off their 2001-2002 season with guest speaker Michael Skupin from the hit television show "Survivor The Australian Outback '

Skupin describes himself as spiritual, even before he got on the show "Survivor" He has said the experience deepened his faith He currently owns a software company which specializes in Christian topics Skupin says the show made him more spiritual and the experience had nothing to do with money or television

Skupin, originally from Farmington Hills, lives in White Lake with his wife Peni and their three children Michael, Kalyn



and Emily The 38th sea-

son of the lecture series begins 10 30 a m Oct 17 at the St Mary Cultural Center (18100 Merriman Road) in Livonia

There are several ticket options available including a

season of lecture series tickets for \$45, season lecture series and luncheon tickets, \$93, individual lecture ticket. \$20 and more If you are interested in attending call Emily Stankus for reservations (734) 420 0383 Livonia Town Hall is a non-profit organization whose proceeds benefit Livonia Symphony Society and other Livonia charities

The guest speaker for Wednesday, Nov 14 15 Georgie Ann Geyer, award-winning journalist and syndicated columnist



open house at its new location 2-5 p m Friday Oct 19 It recently moved from its old location on Main Street to its new location (684 Deer Street), It is inviting people to stop by its new location to learn more about its counseling services

With roots dating back to 1919, Plymouth Family Counseling, a program of HelpSource, has provided counseling services for children, adolescents, individuals, couples and families suffering from anxiety disorders, depression, eating disorders, ADD/ADHD issues, and grief issues Due to the increasing need, Plymouth Family Counseling recently added Christian counseling to its list of services

Plymouth Family Counseling benefits from its association with HelpSource by giving the thera-

Plymouth Family Counseling will be hosting an pists the opportunity to utilize the additional support from HelpSource's other programs, such as CLEAR House for outpatient substance abuse treatment and Big Brothers Big Sisters of Washtenaw County for youth mentoring services

HelpSource, Washtenaw County's largest independent social service agency, formed in 1996 when Huron Services for Youth merged with Child and Family Services HelpSource offers a variety of services for children, adolescents, teens, adults, seniors, couples and families ranging from counseling services to foster care services to adult day services

For more information on HelpSource's Plymouth Family Services, contact Madeline Palmieri at (734) 453 0890

### Rotary youth program seeks local teens

If you are a full-time high school student between the ages of 15 18 and are looking for an opportunity to expand your horizons, live in another country, learn a new language and culture then the Rotary Club of Plymouth wants to hear from you Applications for outbound youth exchange placements are now being accepted

According to Jan Eisen, Rotary International sends over 7,000 students each year on exchange to another country Two types of exchanges are available The first is a year long exchange where students are placed in another country with one to four Rotarian host families In this exchange the student becomes

part of the household and community and is considered their host family's son or daughter for the duration of the visit The student attends school and 1s encouraged to participate in school activities as well as Rotary sponsored activities and projects

The second type of exchange 1s a six to eight week exchange where the student will visit a foreign country for three to four weeks and a youth from that household will stay with your family for the same amount of tıme

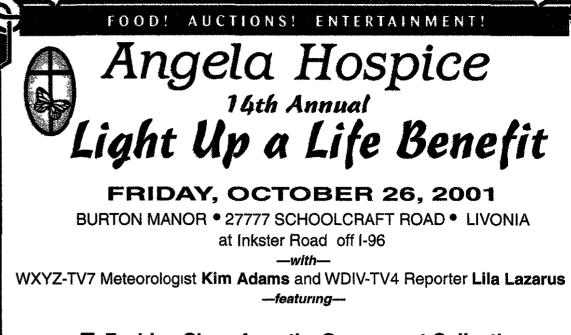
"There are dozens of host countries to choose from and typ ically students are placed in one of their top choices " explains

Scott LaRiche

Applications for student exchanges are available at www studentexchanges org/ Local clubs interview all applicants and recommend the students they deem appropriate for exchange to the Rotary District Committee

Interviews with the District Committee take place in mid-November and successful applicants are notified in December There is an application fee and parents are responsible for pur chasing an open ended round trip airline ticket to the country assigned

Contact Jan Eisen at (734) 416 1865 or Scott LaRiche at (248) 348 1030



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- Elegant Sit-Down Dinner

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#### Tickets: \$65 per person. Call (734) 464-7810

All proceeds benefit the programs at Angela Hospice including the MyNest is Best pediatric program and the Good Samaritan program whichensures hospice care is available to everyone in the community regardless of financial means Angela Hospice 14100 Newburgh Road Livonia is sponsored and operated by the Felician Sisters of Livonia Angela Hospice Compassionate care for children adults and families since 1985





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## SPORTS

#### Grid picks D3 Swim times D4

Thursday, October 4, 2001

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#### Elias stable

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Homer Elias, the well-liked defensive line coach for Plymouth Canton's football team, remained in serious but stable condition Tuesday at Detroit's Henry Ford Hospital

Elias collapsed last week with what is still an undiagnosed brain injury According to Canton HS athletic director Sue Heinzman, Elias was apparently conscious but didn't seem able to recognize those around him

Elias is also employed as a security guard at Canton He played college football at Tennessee State prior to joining the Detroit Lions in 1978 He was a guard with the Lions through 1984

#### Sarkesian at it again

A week earlier, Mia Sarkesian made her first goal of the season an important one when she netted the game-winner in a 1 0 Notre Dame win over Nebraska Last Sunday, she added to her legend by scoring another game winner — the sixth in her collegiate career — in a 2-1 overtime win over 19th ranked West Virginia

The senior midfielder from Canton (Plymouth Salem HS) started with a free-kick cross on the right side from Amanda Guertin to Mary Boland, whose header from the left post went across the goal mouth to Sarkesian at the opposite post From there, she headed it into the net for the gamewinning goal 12 05 into OT

Sarkesian also drew an assist on Boland's goal nine minutes into the second half spring her loose with a through ball that Boland carried into the box before blasting a shot past West Virginia keeper Melissa Haire The Mountaineers knotted with a goal from Chrissy Abbott with 19 minutes left in regulation

Notre Dame ranked fourth in the nation, improved to 801 and 30 in the Big East

#### **Players of the Week**

🗱 Madonna University s Donna Birkenhier a senior middle hitter or the volleybail tears was named the Wolverine Hoosier Athletic Conter ence player of the week The Dear born native totaled 30 kills in three matches with a 397 kill average She also had 15 blocks for the Lady Cru saders, who went 3 0 for the wee Madonna leads the WHAC with a 5-0 record The Crusaders carried a 13-6 mark into this week

## **Rocks still perfect**

Canton fails to slow down Salem scorers

### BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR cjrisak@oe homecomm net

It started at about the midpoint of the second quarter

Plymouth Canton's Katle Cezat had scored a basket a minute earlier to push the Chiefs' lead over Plymouth Salem to 16 12 Cezat's first basket, scored with 6 48 to play in the second quarter, had given Canton its biggest lead. 14-9

With 4 04 to go in the half, Salem's Kelly Jaskot knocked down a long jumper to narrow Canton's lead to two - and to start the Rocks on a roll that would provide them with a lead they would not relinquish

There were some queasy moments for Salem down the stretch, but the Chiefs couldn't overcome the deficit that began with Jaskot's second quar ter basket It ended with a 46-39 win for the Rocks on Canton's court, leaving them unbeaten through nine games and 4-0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association

Canton fell to 5 4 overall, 2-2 in the WLAA

"They re a good team, said Canton coach Bob Blohm of the Salem squad 'They handle the ball well they don't turn it over, they re solid defensively and they're a smart team

'When you get two players on the floor like Jaskot and (MaryLou) Liebau, it creates problems

Which is what the two seniors did to

Canton all evening Jaskot's second-quarter basket started a nine point run for the Rocks taking them from four points down to six up

It wasn't all offense to be sure The Chiefs were pres sured into five turnovers in a five minute span of the second quarter and 17 for the game Salem had 13

Salems turning point which took them into halftime eading 23 19 Canton leg 10 a fter one quarter) didn t end wit the in errision T e R eks arted the third aart r where he l th cord outscoring Canton

10.2 and preventing a field goal for 5.49 of the period They outscored the Chiefs 16.7 in the third to open up a 39-26 advantage entering the fourth

After that, it was experience that won out Canton never surrendered, the Chiefs reversed the tables in the fourth



To the hoop: Salem's Mary-Lou Liebau (above) slices between Canton's Courtney Jarman (20) and Christina Redd (n her way to the bas ket Liebau scored 18 points and teammate Amy Szawara (10, at left) netted 10.

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PAUL HURSCHMANN

## Whalers look solid during 3 games in 3 nights stretch



The Plymouth Whalers proved something last weekend Three games Three nights

The opener and the closer in that stretch on the road Sounds very rough

And it didn't start well for the Whalers, who played at Sarnia Friday, came home to host Windsor Saturday, then played at Windsor Sunday In Friday's opener against the Sting, the Whalers got the game-tying goal from Mike Smith 3 35 into the third period

That sent the game into overtime, which proved no favor to Plymouth - 4 11 into the extra period, Kris Newbury slipped a shot past Whaler goalie Jason Bacashihua to give Sarnia a 3-2 OT win

Plymouth still gets a point for a tie, but Sarnia earns two points for a win

The Whalers never led in the game The Sting opened the scoring with a goal by Juris Stals with just 51 seconds left in the first period, Greg Campbell knot-ted it for Plymouth with an unassisted goal 3 02 into the second Five minutes later, Eric Himelfarb regained the lead for Sarnia - which is the way it stayed until Smith's score in the third (from Karl Stewart and George Nistas)

Bacashihua had 18 saves in goal for the Whalers Cory Campbell made 24 for the Sting Ply mouth outshot Sarnia, 26 21

Losing like that in the opener of a three games-in-three nights stretch sounds like trouble, but for the Whalers it was just a warm up On Saturday at Com puware Arena, a big game from defenseman James Wisniewski (from Canton carr ed Plymouth to a 6 2 victory and on Sunday at Windsor Arena three third peri od goals lifted the Whalers to a 5 2 triumph

On Saturday, Wisniewski sparked a five goal second period with a pair of power-play goals scored 86 seconds apart He also had two assists in the game

Dan Knapp, a forward for the Compuware Ambassadors, 1s the North American Hockey League's player of the week Knapp collected nine points last week in three Ambas sador wins, starting with a goal and two assists in a 7-4 victory over Cleveland

In a weekend series against Chica go, Knapp had two goals and an assist in a 6 4 triumph and a goal and two assists in a 4 1 win

#### **Canton boosters**

The Plymouth Canton Chiefs Football Booster Club will host its month ly meeting at 7 pm Wednesday in Room 165 of Canton HS All parents of Canton football players are encouraged to attend

Also, the Banquet Committee meet ing will follow the Booster Club meet ing For more information call Angela Koerner, club president, at (734) 416-9120

#### Parent/child golf

The Milford Police Athletic League is sponsoring a Parent-Child Golf Outing Sunday, Oct 14 at Mystic Creek Golf Course, located inside Camp Dearborn Play will begin with a shotgun start at 12 30 pm, teams will be flighted by the child's age

Divisions are eight-and-under, 10and under, 12-and-under, 14-andunder, 16 and-under and a senior division

Cost of the outing is \$50, which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, buffet dinner and trophies to the top two teams in each division

For more information, call Rick Sharpe at (248) 684-1322

#### **Baseball tryouts**

The Michigan Indians travel baseball club, based in Plymouth, will have open tryouts for next years 13 and-under team from 2-5 p m Sunday, Oct 14 at Massey Field in Ply mouth

For more information call Mark Glover at (248) 349-3392

quarter, outscoring Salem 10 2 and with 1 52 still to play it was a five point game (41 36) But the big plays went to the Rocks down the stretch

Amy Szawara and Jaskot both missed the front ends of one and one free throws, but Liebau rebounded the ball

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Please see WHALERS, D6

## St. Clair wins showdown with SC

BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR cjrisak@oe homecomm.net

The bottom line was this Schoolcraft College's vol leyball team was good Tuesday when it hosted St Clair County CC in what figured to be the match to decide first place in the Michigan Community College Athletic Association's Eastern Conference

It's just that St Clair was a little better And when you have two teams that rank among the best in the NJCAA (St Clair is ranked No 1) a little can go a long ways

#### VOLLEYBALL

Which is why Tuesday's match went five games. with the Skippers just managing to edge SC 30-27, 26 30, 30 19, 27 30, 15-11

St Clair's win snaps the Lady Ocelots' win steak at 17 consecutive match wins SC is now 23-3 overall, 9-1 in the conference St Clair is also 9.1 in the confer ence having lost earlier this season at home to SC Indeed, the Ocelots three losses this season have

all come against St Clair

"I felt the keys were serve receive — it was not as good as it was the last time we played them --- and in the last game, we let down a little bit," said SC coach Tom Teeters "And our serving was real weak We're used to getting more aces than that, with fewer errors'

Indeed, the Ocelots committed 18 serving errors while collecting 14 aces Fran Hamilton led SC with four aces, Kerstin Marshall (Livonia Franklin) and Ioana Vescan had three aces each

The Ocelots did have their chances In the last

Please see VOLLEYBALL, D6

## Spartans stop Rocks

#### BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR cjrisak@oe.homecomm net

Essential in the design of a blueprint for victory is creating opportunities

But that's just the first step Doing something with those opportunities is what ultimately wins games

In Wednesday's Lakes Division showdown between Livonia Stevenson and Plymouth Salem, the host Rocks came out strong against the state's top-ranked Spartans, controlling play in the game's first 15 minutes and for most of the second half

But the chances Stevenson got, it converted, which is why it won, 21

The victory clinched the Western Lakes Activities Association's Lakes Division crown for Stevenson, which improved to 14-0 overall and 4-0 in the division Salem slipped to 8-6-2 overall, 3-1 in the division

The Spartans will host Plymouth

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Canton, which beat Farmington Harrison 4-1 Wednesday to secure the WLAA's Western Division title, for the league championship on Oct 17 Stevenson beat Canton 2-0 on Sept 19

"That was very poor," was Stevenson coach Lars Richters' evaluation of his team's performance Wednesday "Against a team of Salem's caliber, it's never going to be easy, I promise you That's the message I gave them at halftime "

It didn't seem to sink in with the Spartans in the second half, and that nearly proved fatal Salem scored with 25 16 left, then a minute later put two shots from point-blank range off the crossbar

"We really let them back in it," Richters said "But this will be a good lesson for us Some of it's been too easy If we don't learn the lesson now, it will cost us later "

Certainly Salem began the game

with far more energy, dominating play for those opening 15 minutes, rarely allowing a Spartan incur sion into its territory But the Rocks failed to get a quality shot on goal in that span

Then a letdown in front of their own goal altered the momentum An unmarked Paul Johnson took a pass from Stevenson teammate T J Djokic inside the Salem box and made no mistake, drilling his shot past keeper Tavio Palazzolo

With 23 38 left in the first half, the Spartans had the lead Two minutes later, they doubled their advantage

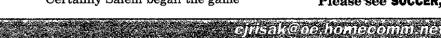
Djokic was tripped inside the Salem penalty area and with 21 33 left he was awarded a penalty kick He converted, and it was a 2-0 game

When the first goal went in, it hurt us a bit," said Salem coach Ed McCarthy "And so did the second goal But at halftime, we still felt we could win this game We were playing that well "

#### Please see SOCCER, D8

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STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL HURSCHMANN Headstrong: Salem's Kevin Savitskie (in white) heads the ball while marked by Stevenson's David Novara



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## **Canton, Salem trail**

It was a middle-of-the-road kind of finish at last Saturday's Grosse Ile Invitational for both Plymouth Canton's and Plymouth Salem's boys cross coun try team but not for Salem's Justin Hajduk

Held at Elizabeth Park in Trenton, the Invite featured seven teams (Saline had two) Saline finished first overall with 43 points followed by Brighton (50), Canton (52), Salem (84), Saline's B team (130), Taylor Kennedy (197) and Taylor Truman (202)

Hajduk led all runners, finish ing first in a meet-record 16 12 - just outdueling Saline's Dustin Voss, who also broke the previous meet mark with a 16 13 Brighton's Kevin Gienapp was third (16 39) and Canton's Aaron Lanning placed fourth (1656)

Strong pack running aided the Chiefs Their other scorers were Pat Pruitt, ninth (17 20), Jon Western, 12th (17 29), Steve Debien, 13th (17 29), and Matt Rymond, 14th (17 31) Other Canton runners were Brandon McClellan, 16th (17 45) and Ross O'Hara, 24th (18 16)

Salem remaining scorers included Chris Vraniak, 10th (17 23), Jason Lewis, 20th (17 56), Randy Bearden 25th (18 17), and David Anderson, 28th (18 32) Other runners for the Rocks were Benjamin Brockschmidt, 34th (19 59) and Blake Heidenreich, 35th (2009) The Rocks were also represented at the eight-team Dearborn Divine Child Falcon InvitaI X-COUNTRY

tional, where they finished sec ond with 59 points Dearborn Fordson was first with 50

Jim Leddy led Salem and all other runners, placing first overall in 1700 Adam Warner was next best for the Rocks, finishing 11th 18 05, followed by Mike Horgan 14th (18 16) Erik Ness, 16th (18 27), Bill Stemmerman, 17th (18 29), Jason Poniatowski, 25th (19 05), and Mike Jahn, 32nd (19 56)

Salem runs in a Western Lakes Activities Association tri meet against North Farmington and Farmington today at Cass Benton Canton goes against Walled Lake Western and Northville in a WLAA tri-meet today at Cass Benton

#### Salem girls run 3rd

Plymouth Salem's girls team divided its team for two invita tionals Saturday, and both managed to bring home trophies with top three finishes

The Rocks' 'A' team placed third at the Grosse Ile Invitational, held at Elizabeth Park Salıne's 'B' team was first with 38 points, followed by Saline's 'A' team with 47 points Salem had 60, followed by Brighton (71) and Plymouth Canton (142)

Kristin Mastic was the Rocks' top finisher, placing 10th in 20 54 Next best for Salem was Stephanie Hajduk 12th (21 16), Kim Wood, 13th (21 31), Lauren Kane, 14th (21 32), Jill Grey, 16th (21 50), Erin Jensen 19th

(21 59), and Lusa Keski-Hynilla, 21st (22 07)

At the Divine Child Invitation al Salem's 'B' team was second with 92 points Top Rocks were Monica Przebianda, ninth (21 33), Lianne Griffiths, 13th (21 52) Halle Burton, 15th (21 56), Kim Mason, 23rd (22 33), and Allison Sponseller, 32nd (23 01)

The Rocks also had a 'C' team at the Falcon Invitational, with Meghan Galvin as their top placer (38th in 23 26) Other 'C' scorers were Abbie Shaw, 43rd (23 37), Susan Woodard, 44th (23 48), Andrea Griffiths, 48th (24 05), and Jackie Gauthier, 49th (24 07)

Salem takes on WLAA rivals North Farmington and Farmington in a WLAA tri-meet today at Cass Benton

#### Freshman-sophomore meet: Ply

mouth Salem's freshmen/sophomores boys team placed second with 115 points at Tuesday's Westland John Glenn Freshmen/Sophomore Invitational at Central City Park

Dearborn won the eight team meet w th 44 points

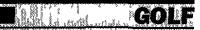
Adam Warner paced Salem placing fifth in 17 54 Next best for the Rocks was Mike Jahn in 19th (17 54) followed by Jarrod Bailey 21st (19 18) John Israel 32nd (20.39) George Placinta 38th (21 46) and Yair Leventhal 43rd  $(21\ 55)$ 

Four Salem girls also competed at Tuesday s Freshmen/Sophomore Invita tional Kim Towne placed 29th (23 26) Alyssa Borowy was 35th (24 27) Sum mer Kassem was 36th (24 31) and Rikki Sowinski was 42nd (25 38)

Rockets get better of Chiefs

This one was tough to take Plymouth Canton's golf team suffered a bit of deja vu Monday in a Western Lakes Activities Association meet at Hilltop, los ing 163-164 to Westland John

3 in the WLAA Glenn is 5.4 What bothered Canton coach Tom Alles was that in his eight vears as Canton's coach his team has played on the back



nine twice — meeting John Glenn both times and losing both times each by a single stroke

The Rockets' Jeremy Fendelet and Jason Lang were co medal 1sts, each shooting a 37 Rick Sudak was next best with a 43, followed by Keith Fukuda with a 46 Chris Marinkovich 50 and

Jim Rawson, 52

Canton's top scorer was Jason Brand with a 38 Andrew Wagn er was next best at 41, with Ryan McKendry at 42, Scott Oliver at 43, Tim Son Hing at 47 and Ryan VanLoozen at 51

The Chiefs play Walled Lake Western today at Bay Pointe, then complete their WLAA dual season by hosting Farmington Friday at Hilltop

### Glenn The loss left Canton at 5 ING DPILGRIM

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## **Playoff dreams close to reality**



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wins) and are already in the state playoffs They include unbeatens Farmington Hills Harrison, Livonia Clarenceville and Red-

Two more are knocking on the door this weekend - Westland John Glenn and Plymouth Canton, both at

ford Bishop Borgess

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Canton faces 5-1 Walled Lake Western with second place at stake in the Western Division of the Western Lakes Activities Association

Glenn, meanwhile, has already wrapped up the Lakes Division crown and will face winless Farmington this Friday in its homecoming game

Wavne Memorial (4-2), helped by a forfeit victory in its season opener against Romulus, needs to win two of its final three to make its first playoff appearance since 1990 The Zebras have home games with Lincoln Park and Taylor Truman before finishing with John Glenn

The 3-3 area teams - Redford Catholic Central, Redford Thurston, Livonia Stevenson and Lutheran Westland — must all win out in order to make the postseason

CC has not missed the playoffs since O Meara Beaudry Risak New England - None schools have achieved 1994, while Stevenson has gone the past the magic number (six two years Thurston and Lutheran Westland have never made the postseason

> As far as the race among your prognosticators. Emons maintained his lead after going 11-3 last week (tied with Paul Beaudry) Dan O'Meara and C J Risak correctly picked nine out of 14 games

> So the season tally stands Emons, 73-14, O'Meara, 68-19, Beaudry, 67-20, Risak, 66-21

> Here is a quick look at this weekend's action

#### FRIDAY'S GAMES (all at 7 p m. unless noted)

St Agatha (2-4, 1-3) vs Mt. Carmel (1-5, 1-4) at Wyandotte H S The Aggies beset by injuries will not make the postseason after three straight appearances They snapped a three-game losing streak with a 2612 win over Ecorse Mt Carmel is coming off a 36.8 loss to unbeaten Taylor Light & Life PICKS St Agatha - Emons Beaudry O Meara Risak

Liv Franklin (2-4, 1-3) at Farm Hills Harrison (6-0, 4-0) Even the New England Patriots would have trouble in this one. These Franklin Patriots however have competed with two tough Western Division foes the past two weeks losing 28-12 to Plymouth Canton and 149 to Walled Lake Western both 51 teams Franklin may have one edge in this matchup - the kicking game. Soccer player Andy Siefert has been a pleasant sur prise so far this year PICKS Harrison - Emons

Liv Stevenson (3-3, 2.2) at N Farmington (2 4, 22) Stevenson is fighting for its playoff life Its a contrast of quarterbacking styles The Spar tans Bill Marsack likes to run (93 yards in 12 carries against Salem) while North's Rich Hegstrom likes to throw (12 of 18 for 157 yards vs Farmington) PICKS Stevenson - Emons Risak North --- O Meara Beaudry

Farmington (0-6, 0-4) at Westland Glenn (5-1, 4-0) The Rockets got a sterling performance last week from Andrew Peiffer in a thrilling 24-21 Lakes Division OT victory over Walled Lake Cen tral Farmington a 297 loser to North last week faces an uphill climb PICKS. John Glenn -Emons O Meara Beaudry Risak

Lincoln Park (1-5, 1-4) at Wayne (4-2, 3-1) The Zebras have a legitimate shot at making the state playoffs Wayne rebounded last week after a dismal 22.6 showing against Garden City to beat Ypsilanti 1713 Lincoln Park is coming off a 156 loss to Woodhaven PICKS. Wayne -Emons O Meara Beaudry Risak

Romulus (0-6, 0-5) at Garden City (2-4, 0-4)\* The two newcomers to the Mega Conference s Red Division have had little success thus far Romulus which forfeited a season-opening 21 14 win to Wayne when it used an ineligible player is seeking its first official victory. The Eagles fell last week to 51 Wyandotte 280 while Garden City lost to 51 Allen Park 350 PICKS Garden City - Beaudry Risak Emons Romulus -0 Meara

Red Thurston (3-3, 2-3) at D H Crestwood (3-3, 2-2) Thurston s playoff aspirations took a severe blow after Friday s 14-12 loss to River Rouge Crestwood defeated Redford Union 22.6

as Ray Castillo had 122 yards rushing and two 1). Central suffered a tough overtime loss to TDs to go along with 14 tackles PICKS Thurston — O Meara Crestwood — Emons Beaudry Risak

Redford Union (1-5, 0-3) at Gib Carison (1-5, 1-3) Carlson a 33 12 loser last week to Blue Division leader Southgate owns a victory over River Rouge RU which fell 22.6 last week to Crestwood last week has only one victory (against Dearborn Heights Robichaud of the Gold Division) PICKS Carlson - Emons Beaudry Risak RU - O Meara

Liv, Clarenceville (6-0, 5-0) at H W Lutheran East (2-4, 2-4), 7 30 pm. East is coming off a 32 31 triple OT loss to Bloomfield Hills Cran brook as Adam Crawford scored four TDs in defeat Clarenceville continues to steamroll through the Metro Conference The Trojans have outscored their six opponents so far this year 299 20 PICKS. Clarenceville - Emons O Meara Beaudry Risak

Northville (3-3, 1-3) at Liv. Churchill (1-5, 0-4)\* Northville is coming off a 61 20 drubbing against Harrison while Churchill found the offensive going tough in a 360 defeat against Canton Churchill has played the Mustangs tough in the past PICKS: Northville - Emons O Meara Beaudry, Risak

W.L. Western (5-1, 3-1) at Ply Canton (5-1, 3-1). This battle for second place in the WLAA's Western Division is definitely the best matchup of the night Western is coming off a 14-9 win over Franklin while Canton beat Churchill 36 0 The winner is in the playoffs the loser has to wait another week PICKS Canton - Emons O Meara Beaudry W L Western - Risak

Ply. Salem (1-5, 1-3) at W L. Central (4-2, 3-

32 for 227 yards Derrick Brooks

led CC in rushing with 15 car-

ries and 92 yards, while Rogows-

kı had 42 yards on four carries

Tom Jakackı was 5-of-12 for 76

yards, completing three for 49

yards to Ryan Wrobleski and two

Rogowski also led the way on

defense with 12 tackles, while

more to Rogowski for 27 yards

Blaic Naysmith had eight

John Glenn last week The Vikings have speed and a potent offense led by left handed thrower Ryan Trailer Salem fell last week to Stevenson 23 7 PICKS: Central - Emons O Meara, Beaudry Risak

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#### SATURDAY'S GAMES

Macomb Lutheran North (51, 51) at Luth. Westland (3-3, 2-3), 1 p m North is coming off a ... 36 13 Metro Conference victory over Grosse Pointe Woods University Liggett as Joe Lefevre, rushed for 108 yards and two TDs Lutheran Westland found itself in a tough bind losing to unbeaten Clarenceville 466 PICKS North -Emons O Meara Beaudry Risak

Redford CC (3-3, 1-3) vs Warren DeLaSalle (2 4, 0-3), 7 pm at E Detroit: The Shamrocks haven fallen on hard times following a last minute 26 21 defeat to University of Detroits Jesuit CC must now win out to make the state playoffs DeLaSalle is coming off a 4310 loss to -Orchard Lake St Mary s a team which was' defeated earlier this year by CC PICKS CC ----Emons O Meara Beaudry Risak

#### SUNDAY'S GAME

Bishop Borgess (6-0, 3-0) vs Det East Catholic (1-5, 03), 1 p m at Det Denby The unbeaten Spartans are the area s biggest sur prise They continued to roll after last week s 44 6 drubbing of Detroit Loyola East Catholic fell to Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard 13-8 PICKS Borgess - Emons, O Meara Beaudry Risak

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**REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL 154 BIRM BROTHER RICE 167** Oct 2 at Oakland Hills

CC scorers Andy Soley even par 36 (medalist) Andy Mitchell and Jared Hen derson 39 each Jack Kelly 40

Rice's top scorer Pat Gallagher 39 Dual meet records CC 93 overall Rice 65

#### **REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL 159 DEARBORN DIVINE CHILD 163** Oct 1 at Dearborn Country Club

CC scorers Andy Soley and Jimmy Burns 39 each Tristan Lester 40 Andy Mitchell 41



## Cubs put CC's playoff plans in jeopardy

Redford Catholic Central is in very real danger of missing its first trip to the state football playoffs since 1994 after losing to University of Detroit-Jesuit on Saturday night, 26-21 at Keyworth Stadium

On the other hand, even with the loss to the Cubs, the Shamrocks have a better shot at returning to the Prep Bowl at the Silverdome than U-D does

The Shamrocks ran into a fourth-quarter buzzsaw with the Cubs' offense and quarterback Marc Zera – who led U-D to 19 points in the final period for the win

The loss drops CC to 3 3 over all and 1 2 in the Central Divi sion and will need to win its final three games to insure a

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playoff spot Ironically, even with the win, the Cubs can't qualify for the CHSL playoffs, despite improving to 4-2 overall and 2-2 in the Central

An Orchard Lake St Mary win over Brother Rice on Saturday would leave those two teams advancing to the playoffs If Rice beats St Mary and CC beats 2-4 DeLaSalle, a three-way tie between CC, U-D and St Mary sends the Shamrocks to the playoffs But 1f CC loses to the Pilots, the league and state playoffs are out

Derrick Brooks opened the scoring for CC with a 39 yard TD run on the second series of the ham deflected the extra point game The Cubs came right back as Zera hit Sean Cassleman with a 4 yard scoring pass to tie the score at 7-7

After a scoreless second quarter, Ryan Rogowski gave CC a 14-7 lead as he stopped a U-D drive by picking off a Zera pass on the CC 5 and returning it 50 yards He scored five plays later on a 3 yard run

Zera started the fourth with a 15-yard run to tie the game, but CC came back with a 15-play, 64 vard drive with Brooks going the final 15 yards for the score and a 21-14 lead

But Zera led U D again, using a four play drive and hitting Lonnie Hurst for a 37 yard touchdown But Landon Lang

and CC held a 21-20 lead

The Shamrocks had to punt on their next possession and the Cubs took over on their 16 Thirteen plays and 84 yards later. Sean Roland ran in from the 5 to give the Cubs the touchdown and win

The Cubs outgained CC. 368-247, with Zera completing 17-of-







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HVL at Franklin Road 4 30 p m C ville at Luth North 4 30 p m Wayne at Romulus 4 30 p m RU at Farmington 5 30 p m Thurston at Southgate 5 30 p m Saturday Oct 6 Luth Wisld at Inter City noon N Farm at Harrison 12 30 p m Troy Athens at Stevenson 1 p m **BOYS CROSS COUNTRY** Thursday Oct 4 Canton Northville W L Western at Cass Benton 4 p m Salem Farmington North Farmington at Cass Benton 4 p m Churchili Franklin Harrison at Nankın Mils 4 pm Stevenson John Glenn at W L Lentral 4 p.m. Saturday Oct 6 Yps lant Invitational 9 30 a m Wayne County Meet at Wow Met opa k 10 a m **GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY Thursday Oct 4** Canton Northville W L Western at Cass Benton 4 p m Salem Farmington North Farmington at Cass Benton 4 p m Churchill Franklin Harrson at Nankin Mills 4 p m Stevenson John Glenn at W L Central 4 p m Saturday, Oct 6 Ypsilanti Invitational 9 30 a m Wayne County Meet at Willow Metropark 10 a m GIRLS SWIMMING Thursday Oct 4 Farmington at Salem 7 p.m. Ladywood at Pinckney 6 30 p m Churchill at Harrison 7 p.m. Canton at Franklin 7 p m W.L. Central at Stevenson 7 p m John Glenn at N Farm 7 p m Wayne at Taylor Truman 7 p m Saturday Sept 6 A A Huron at Stevenson noon **GIRLS TENNIS** Thursday Oct 4 Salem vs Canton 4 p m

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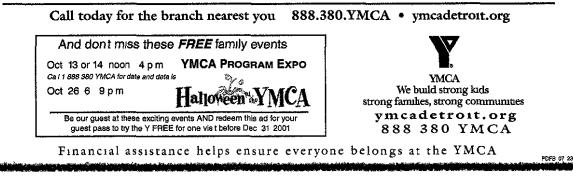
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## **Roeper powers past PCA; Agape tumbles**

Bloomfield Hills Roeper did what everyone else has been doing to Plymouth Christian Academy's girls basketball team of late - charging out to a big lead in the first half and coasting to the win

Roeper, now 3-1 in the Michi gan Independent Athletic Con ference, built a 27-12 advantage by halftime in easing to a 44 27 victory PCA fell to 2-7 overall, 0-3 in the MIAC

"It seems to be the pattern of late," said PCA coach Annie Mai colm of her team's first-half trou bles "We shot poorly from both the line and the field

"We had a hard time putting

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the ball in the basket "

Indeed, the Eagles made just 3-of 16 free throws Amy Brandt's eight points led PCA in scoring, Shannon Murray was next best with seven Sarah Pernick was tops for the

Roughriders with 10 points Son dra Morrıs added nıne

One of the Eagles' bright spots was the defensive play provided by Megan Roupas, particularly in the second half as PCA limited Roeper to 17 points

Whitmore Lake 48, Agape 36. The Wolverines fell behind quickly and the Trojans repulsed a second-half rally in the non conference game

Whitmore Lake (2-6) led 16-10 after one quarter and 32-16 at the midpoint Agape (9-2) shaved 10 points off the lead in the third quarter but "that was as close as we got," coach Chuck Henry said

The host Trojans got 23 points from Nicole Salanin and 14 from Melissa Sparks They also made all but three of their 19 free throws

Agape, which was 8 for-15 from the line, was led by Lisa

Swilley, who scored 10

Ladywood 61, Borgess 37: Livonia Ladywood (7-3, 4-1) remained in a tie for first place in the Catholic League's Central Division Tuesday with a homecourt victory over Redford Bish op Borgess (0-5, 0 5)

Ruthie Sventickas, a junior forward, finished with a teamhigh 16 points for the Blazers, who led 39-22 at intermission Sventickas scored the first three baskets of the second half to give Ladywood a commanding 45-22 lead

Lauren Hesano and Jana

Ther with 11 points and Rikkia Beumel scored 12 and 11, respectively, for Ladywood Junior forward Christin Jury grabbed nine rebounds

Borgess was led the Liz Ann Charlies with 16 Natosha Smith

chipped in with 11 and Tara Charles finished with 10 to account for all 37 Borgess points Borgess was 10 of 19 from the

free throw line, while Ladywood was three of five



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## Chiefs blast Glenn; Rocks roll

Nine players scored goals for Plymouth Canton in the Chiefs lopsided 100 soccer victory over Westland John Glenn Monday at Canton

Brad Westlund paced Canton, which led 7 0 at the half, with two goals and an assist Four others had a goal and an assist each Nick Rolfe, Evan Baker, Jason Lenahan and Brandon Dugan

Zak Juntila, Ryan Busse, Mike Davis and Erik Durance also scored goals for the Chiefs Alex Popescu collected two assists and Patrick Zemanski had one

Greg Musser and Kris Holowicki were both in goal for the shutout

The win pushed Canton's record to 12-1

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Salem 6, W.L. Western 0: Jared Lamborn scored three goals to ignite Plymouth Salem's victory at Walled Lake Western Monday

Kevin Peurasaari, Kevin Savitskie and Rvan Fazio also netted goals for the Rocks. with Fazio adding an assist Shane Smith picked up two assists, and Brian Popeney and Jeff Bennett got one assist apiece

Tavio Palazzolo and Popeney split time in goal for the shutout

PCA 6, Agape 1: Plymouth Christian Academy got back on the winning track Saturday with a non-league win over crosstown rival Canton Agape Christian

The Eagles improved to 7-3-2 Matt Gallagher's two goals led PCA Drew Gallagher, James Bauslaugh, Rob Treadwell and Ryan Kazmarek contributed one goal apiece Rob Hough scored for the Wolverines On Friday, the Eagles played Michigan Independent Athletic Conference foe Bloom-

field Hills Roeper to a scoreless tie, which

Roeper won in an overtime shootout by a 4 3

margin Mark Ericson was in goal for PCA

## Salem-Canton from page D1

after Jaskot's miss and got fouled herself She hit both to end Canton's eight-point run and extend Salem's lead to seven

On the Chiefs next possession, Liebau stole the ball and got it to Jaskot, who was fouled This time she hit both free throws, and with just 28 2 seconds left the Rocks' lead was nine

"Our seniors really stepped up" said Salem coach Fred Thomann, "not unlike the job (Canton's) seniors did to us last year Our girls had (this game) marked on their calendar going into the season

"It's not easy to play in this gym and it's not easy to play against his team They're always well prepared '

Salemhas six seniors on its roster Canton has two

That lack of experience showed for the Chiefs down the stretch when — with the clock ticking away and Salem clinging to that five point lead — they failed to foul the Rocks allowing precious seconds to get away

Free throw shooting in the clutch didn t help Canton either Although the Rocks missed two

one and-ones, they fought back with four makes and ended up 5of-8 at the line in the last 117 Canton was 2-for-5 in the last 4 23 The Chiefs also had three turnovers in the last 2 30 and lost that rebound on a missed free throw

"We hung in there pretty good," said Thomann "Also, we're getting better We've made a nice jump since the beginning of the season "

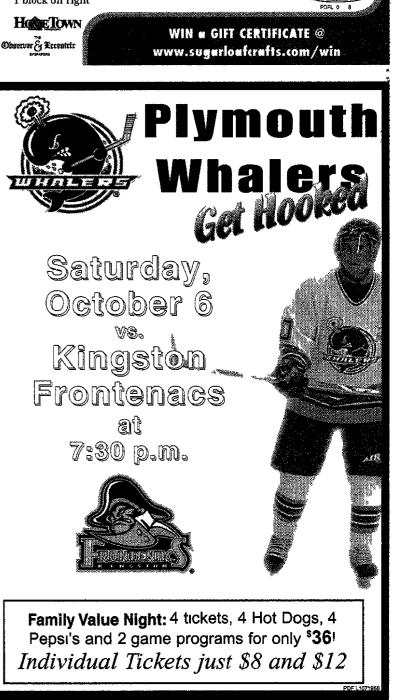
Leading scorer in the game was Liebau with 18 points Sza wara had 10 and Jaskot eight

Kristen Lake paced Canton with 11 points, Briana Wolcott added 10

Blohm wasn't unhappy with his team's performance "I thought we stepped up and han dled their pressure pretty well,' he said "Overall, I was pleased We're still trying to get some game experience, and our execution can get better '

It was Salem that did the exe cuting on this night Next year, the Chiefs will have six seniors on their varsity, and maybe it will be their turn





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## Whalers from page D1

The game was tied after one period, Cole Jarrett scoring on the power play for Plymouth (from Wisniewski) and Phil Gib son countering with a power play marker for the Spitfires

Smith started the Whalers' five-goal run in the second (from Kris Vernarsky) with another power play goal at the 6 14 mark, making it 2-1 Tim Sestito made it 3 1 (from Nistas and Smith) at 7 15 before Wisniews ki's two goals (the first from Robichaud Andre and Vernarsky, the second from Vernarsky and Stewart) increased their lead to 5 1

Nate Kiser finished the Whaler scoring (from Wisniewski) at the 15 18 mark of the sec ond Ryan Donally got Windsor's second goal 20 seconds later

Bacashihua made 31 saves in goal for Plymouth, Brock McGillis had 22 for the Spitfires Sunday's game was decided in

a span of 7 02 of the third period Tied at 2-2 after two periods, the Whalers got goals from Sestito (his team leading fourth of the sea-" son, from Nistas) at 5 45, from Camp bell (from Vernarsky) at 839, and from Danny McDonald (from Stewart and David Liffiton) at 12 47 McDonald's first goal of the game, and season, tied the game at 1-all 13 23 into the first period (Stewart and John Mitchell assisted) After Tim Gleason had regained the lead for Windsor just 18 seconds into the second period,

Nistas tied it again for the Whalers with a power play goal 4 26 into the period (from Smith and Robichaud)

shots in goal for Plymouth Ryan

#### 324 Brampton Battalion 2.0.0 Paul Drew turned away 29 Aschaber also had 29 saves for the Spitfires

#### TENNIS RESULTS 10.144.11

#### LIVONIA STEVENSON 5 PLYMOUTH SALEM 3 Sept 28 at Salem

No 1 singles Erin Mazzoni (LS) def Nik Hiady 63 6-1 No 2 Ashiev Moccia (LS) def Aarti Bakshi 61 60 No 3 Sara Gonzalez (LS) def Sam Newton 6-0 6-0 No 4 Maria Dimopoulos (LS) def Lauren Cita 62 60

No 1 doubles Mardy Bradley Missy Nelson (PS) def Jen Jensen Kristan Weiser 76 60 No 2 Lindsay Pyle Maranon Shasey (PS) def Flo Barile Claire Petersen 61 76 No 3 April Aguinto Jacqui Slebodnick (PS) def Kather ne Fretz Lindsay Novotny 6-1 61 No 4 Kristy VanBelle Jody Winkler (LS) def Kemy Griffith Amy Geick 63 63

Stevenson s dual meet record 80 overall 8 0 WLAA

#### NORTH FARMINGTON 8 LIVONIA FRANKLIN O Sept 28 at Franklin No 1 singles Emily Jaffe (NF) def Vanita Shukla 63 60 No 2 Bethany Nestor (NF)

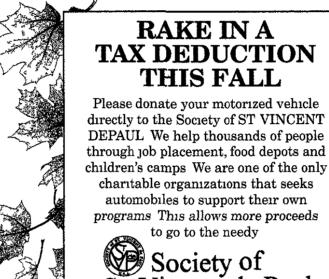
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game, they opened up a 5-1 lead — only to have it quickly

team-best 27 kills with a 386 kill percentage She also had six digs and two aces, but committed six service errors

Hamilton had 14 kills (355) and 11 digs, Carly Szajnecki contributed 13 kills (308), Kellie



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## No problem Madonna crushes Concordia

It wasn't much of a test Tuesday for the Madonna University women's soccer team

The Lady Crusaders, who led 7-0 at halftime, allowed just one shot on goal en route to a 10-0 victory at Concordia College Madonna, now 5-4 overall and

3-0 in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference, was led by Becky Guibord's hat trick Christen Shull (Plymouth

Salem) added two goals and four assists

Other MU goal scorers included Megan Thiry, Susannah Bryant, Claudia Finn, Jessica

Betson, and Emily Neuendam It was the first collegiate goal for both Finn and Betson

Emily Jackson (Farmington Hills Harrison) contributed two

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assists, while Thiry, Bryant, Nicole Allevato and Michele Vettraino (Livonia Stevenson) had one each

Jennifer Barker (Stevenson) had to make just one save, while counterpart Jackie Waterhouse made 12 for Concordia (2-6-1, 0-

#### •ILL -SPRINGFIELD 5, MADONNA 1

(MEN) On Saturday host Illinois Spring field (361) exploded for three goals in the final 11 minutes to put away Madon na University (6.6)

Ismail Yakıckı scored in the 79th and 88th minutes while John Milkovic notched his second goal of the game in the 86th minute

Goals by Savas Poyraz (35th minute)

and Milkovic (49th minute) stake Springfield to a 20 lead before MU s Zach Wilkes cut the deficit to from Jonathan Johnson off a nice cross from Matt Rozek

Springfield outshot the Crusaders 10

Matt Strabbing (Plymouth Canton) made 13 saves

•SCHOOLCRAFT 2, TRITON, ILL 2 (MEN) A penalty kick by Tom Eller (Livonia Stevenson) with only 10 min utes left Saturday gave Schoolcraft Col lege (811) the tie against host Triton (III)

Mike Thomas (Stevenson had the other goal for the Ocelots who were tied at halftime 11

Matt Gasparotto (Farmington) was in goal for Schoolcraft

On Sept 27 Schoolcraft blanked visiting Lansing CC 8-0

Kern had 30 set assists and seven digs, and Vescan totaled 27 set assists

With SC now in the NJCAA's Division II, these two teams figure to meet at least a couple more times "It'll be tough," said Teeters "We should be able to serve better and serve receive better

"The key then will be to play consistently We were just a little tentative in our serving and passing tonight

From now on, with each meeting the importance will increase

#### Madonna sweeps Thunder

Madonna University completed the first half of its Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference volleyball season with a perfect 6-0 mark by trouncing Tri-State University 30-13, 30-13, 30-8 Tuesday at Tri-State The Lady Crusaders improved to 14-6 overall, Tri State is 0-4 in the conference, 0-6 overall

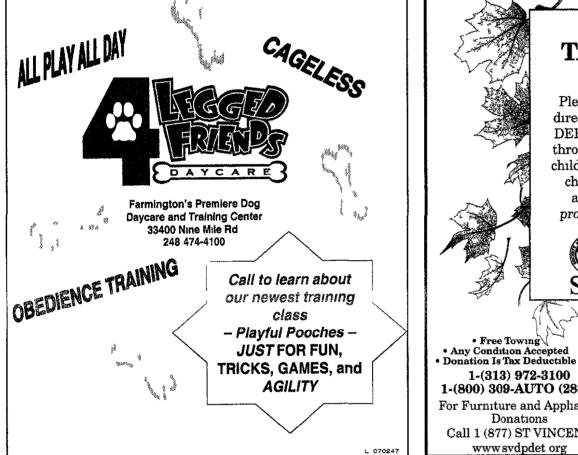
Lauren Ban's 11 kills (643 kill percentage) led Madonna Laura Lesko contributed eight kills (333), Donna Birkenhier (1000) and Marylu Hemme (667, Plymouth/Livonia Ladywood) each had seven kills, and Jennifer Frost (714), Tera Morrill (625. Westland/Livonia Franklin) and Hayley Myers (1 000) each had five kills Hemme also had eight dıgs

Natalie Sayre had 34 set assists, three service aces and sıx dıgs, Amanda Suder (Plymouth Salem) had four aces and nine digs and Elizabeth Frecsko had three aces and five digs

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No 1 doubles Michelle Boothroyd Chrissy

slip away to a Skippers' 6-1 run Andrea Kmet (Westland/Franklin) had a superb hitting game, collecting a

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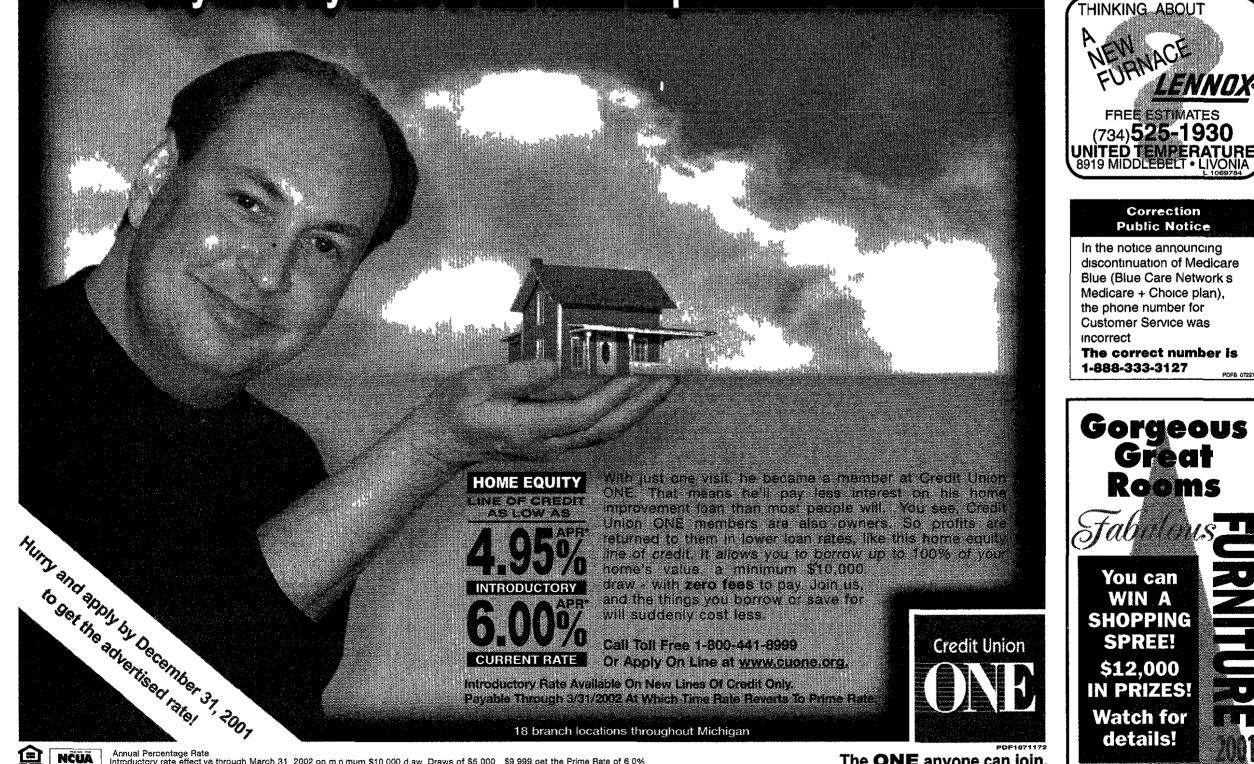
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## **Twisters secure LSFL division crown**

The Michigan Twisters secured the Lake Shore Football League's Northern Division championship Saturday with a 55-0 rout of the Motor City Cougars at Willow Run HS

The Twisters take on the Lorain County (Ohio) Steelmen. the LSFL's Southern Division runner up, at 7 pm Saturday, Oct 13 at Willow Run

The Twisters, 8-1 for the season, were supposed to take on the Michigan Rattlers of Battle Creek in their last regular-sea-

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son game this Saturday at Wil low Run, but the game was cancelled and the Rattlers were kicked out of the league for "unacceptable public conduct on the field of play" last Saturday in their game against the Battle Creek Rage

In their win over the Cougars, the Twisters dominated on both sides of the ball The defense

scored two touchdowns, one by Tim Simon on a 49 yard inter ception return and the other by Tim Hohl (from Canton) on a 13yard return of a fumble on a kickoff

All told, the Twister defense, led by linebackers Bob Pensari (Canton), Aaron Brothers (Canton) and Chuck Lauber (Westland), who totaled 23 tackles, limited the Cougars to seven

yards on 41 plays Offensively, Twister quarterback Rob Elswick played a quar-

ter-and a-half, completing 6-of-11 passes for 106 yards and two touchdowns, one a 23-yard strike to Reggie Brandon (Wayne) and the other a 24-yard toss to Anthony Leighton John Robinson (Redford), who took over for Elswick, had one completion a 42-yard TD toss to Frank Niscoromni (Farmington)

Jason Gibson added 65 rushing yards on five attempts, scoring on runs of 19 and 30 yards, and Ben Ferguson (Garden City)

## Lions' varsity, freshmen win

The Canton Lions varsity improved to 2-2 with a 24-6 win over the Redford Rangers in a junior football league game Sun-day at Central Middle School The Lions scored first on a touchdown pass from Marcus Ossana to Colin Toth Kevin Minor kicked the first of his three two-point conversions to màke it 8-0

Ossana made it 16-0 when he ran 80 yards to paydirt in the third quarter The Lions closed their scoring on a fourth-quarter TD pass from Konrad Konsitzke to Matt Kennison

Defensive standouts for the Lions were Taylor Fox, Jonathan Wood, Joe Sander and Kennison, who snared two interceptions

The Canton Lions junior varsity team dropped its third straight game, 6-0, to the Rangers, who scored the game's only touchdown early in the third quarter

The Lions received strong defensive play from Nick Dunleavy and Chris Hasse who both recorded interceptions

Offensively, John West, Vernon Stewart and Chris Fischer turned in solid efforts

The Lions freshmen squad drubbed the Rangers, 20-0 to raise its record to 2-1 1

Nick Wright, Myron Puryear and Chris Stewart scored TDs for the winners Defensively, the Lions were led by Stephen Mehrer who had an interception and a fumble recovery Anthony Seling also had an interception and Puryear added a fumble recovery as did Jake Peterson

#### Steelers' JV wins

The Plymouth Canton Steelers varsity football team suffered a

#### JR. FOOTBALL

captured its Catholic League division championship with a one-sided 40-18 victory over St Scholastica Saturday

Good Counsel got going quick ly and never let up Matt Lyons scored on touchdown runs of 39 and 51 yards, Matt Sweda scored on a 44-yard run, Matt Cza jkowski reached the end zone on a 16-yard run (following a Kyle Gendron fumble recovery) and caught a 16-yard TD pass from Steve Paye, and Gavin Ambrosi scored on a 29-yard pass from Daniel Schultz

The undefeated Crusaders against St Agatha Kevin Sullibegin their quest for the Catholic League City Championship with a quarterfinal playoff game against Our Lady of Refuge at 1 pm Sunday at Orchard Lake St Mary

The Good Counsel junior varsity souad also clinched its Catholic League divisional title and remained unbeaten with a 28-6 win over St Scholastica Quarterback Ben Vaughn ran for two touchdowns and Ryan Houska also ran for two TDs The Crusaders travel to Detroit Country Day to play St Hugo's Sunday in a crossover game

The Yellow Division JV team played St Agatha to a 7-7 tie

van scored the lone touchdown for the Crusaders Their crossover game is also Sunday against St Hugo

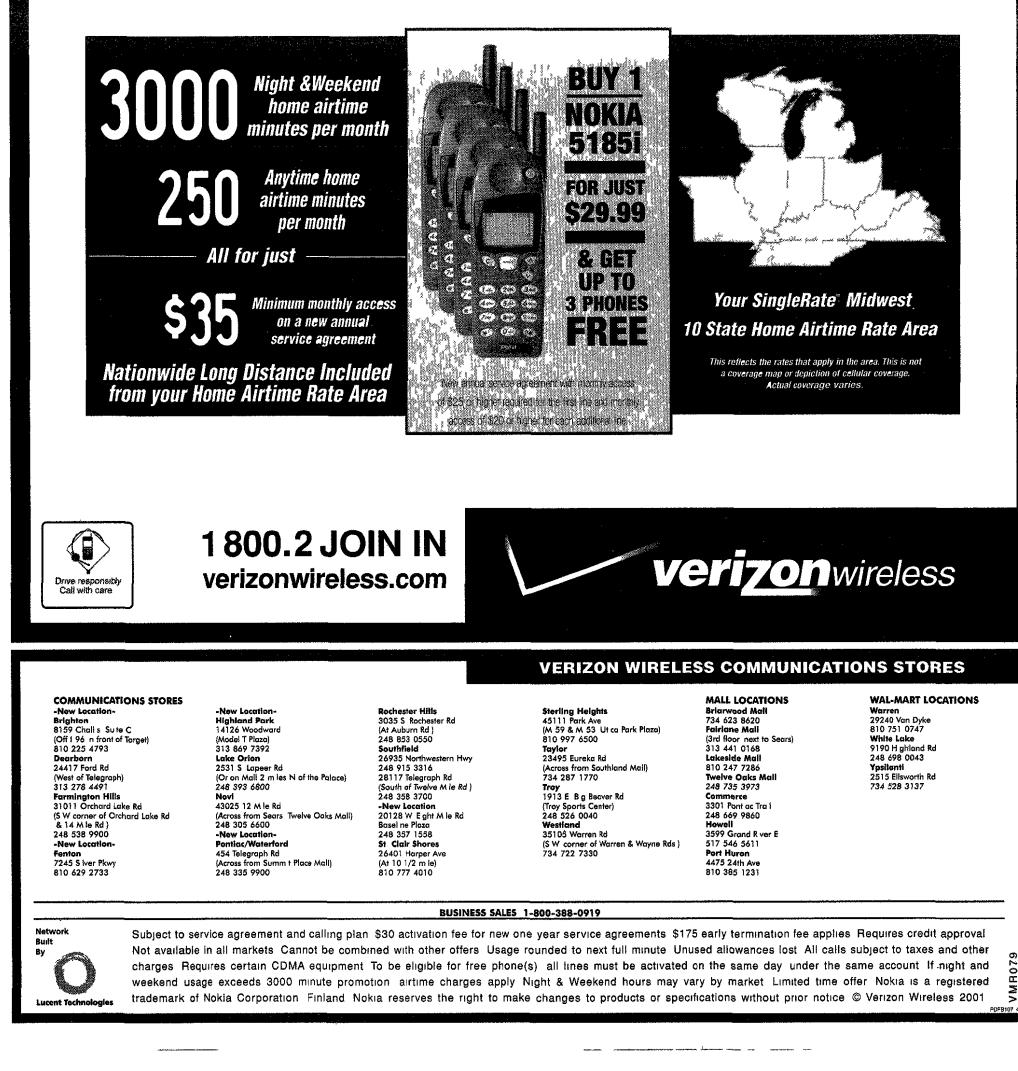
The fourth grade freshmen team defeated Livonia St Michael 7-6 Kevin Delapaz scampered for a 60-yard touchdown run Their last game of the season will be against St Anne's Sunday In their final game of the season, the third grade Crusader team finished undefeated with a 7-6 triumph over St Michael Mike Bernie scored the only touchdown for the Crusaders and ran in for the extra point, too The 3rd grade team finished with a 5-0 record

got 64 yards on five tries, contributed a 19-yard TD run Jaquan Wright had 53 yards on Chuck Petitpas (Livonia) confive carries, and Ryan Trentman verted seven extra-point kicks



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tough 16 10 loss Sunday to the Farmington Rockets, evening their record at 2.2 The Rockets built a 16-2 lead, the Steeler points coming on a safety following a bad snap on a punt, but Kevin Bradley scored on a 50yard run in the fourth quarter to pull the Steelers to within 16-10 That, however, was as close as they got

The Steelers junior varsity improved to 3-1 with a 21-0 win over the Rockets Steeler Dalton Walser scored on a 30-yard pass from Adam Powers, which followed a 40-yard pass from running back Deshon McClendon to Walser to open the game After the Steelers' defense stopped the Rockets, Jim Judge rambled 70 yards for a TD to make it 15-0 McClendon had a 30-yard scoring run late in the game to seal the victory

The Steeler freshman were not so fortunate as they stumbled to 1-3 with an 18-0 loss to the Rockets The Steelers had impressive efforts from David Wilcox, Danny Norris, and Jeff Greer on offense and Malık Rıch, Kyle Good, Christian Salata and C J Gregory on defense

The Steelers 2001 Homecoming starts at 5 pm Saturday at Central Middle School

Good Counsel takes title The Our Lady of Good Counsel varsity football team (7-8 grades)

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•St Agatha is looking for a varsity volleyball coach Those interested may contact athletic director John Fenbert at (313) 531 9379

#### SPORTS ROUNDUP

#### PAL GOLF OUTING

The Milford Police Athletic League is sponsoring a parent child golf outing, beginning with a shotgun start at 12 30 p m Sunday, Oct 14 at Mystic Creek Golf Course, located inside Camp Dearborn

Teams will be flighted by the child's age Divisions are eightand-under, 10 and-under, 12and under, 14-and under, 16and-under and a seniors

Cost is \$50 per person, which includes 18 holes of golf, a cart, buffet dinner and trophies to the top two teams in each division

For more information, call Rick Sharpe at (248) 684-1322

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•Downriver Travel girls fast pitch softball will hold tryouts for the 2002 season on Saturday, Oct 6 at Southgate Anderson High School Girls 18-and-under will have tryouts from 10 a m noon and 14- and 16-and-under will be from noon-2 p m Coaches are also needed for the 14-andunder teams

For more information, call Renee Pesci at (734) 282-8850 or e-mail her at rpesci1@home com

#### **HOOP COACHES CLINIC**

Eastern Michigan University men's basketball coach Jim Boone and his staff will conduct a coaching clinic for all levels of coaching Saturday-Sunday, Oct 20-21 at the EMU Convocation Center

Detroit Pistons assistant Kevin O'Neill, Grand Valley State head coach Dean Lock wood and former Western Michi gan University coach Bob Donewald will be guest lectur ers

The two day clinic is \$35 per person or \$25 per person if four or more coaches from the same staff attend

For more information, call the EMU basketball office at 1 800 585 4667 or 734 487 0464

#### **HERITAGE PARK 5K RUN**

The Heritage Park Fall Clas sic, a 5 kilometer run walk will start at 9 a m Sunday Oct 7 in Farmington Hills (located on Farmington between 10 and 11  $W_1 \in road$ 

The entry fee is \$15 (if received by Monday Oct 2) or \$20 (race day at the park)

For more information call the Farmington Hills Parks and The Livonia Family Y is accepting registrations for its fall youth basketball league (ages 6 and up) beginning Oct 20

For more information call (734) 261 2161

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Recreation Department is accepting registration for women's volleyball teams from 9 a m to 9 p m daily through Oct 15 at the Wayne Community Center, 4635 Howe Road

The cost is \$240 per team There is no residency require ment All games will be played on Mondays beginning Nov 6 Included in the league cost is 15 week season playoffs and awards

For more information call Steve Winkelman at (734) 721 7400

### **Soccer** from page D1

Even without their coach's halftime warning it should have been apparent to the Spartans by the time the second half was 10 minutes old Salem was not going to surrender The Rocks kept coming after Stevenson

Fourteen minutes in their releatless attitude paid off Jarod Lamborn put the ball to Brian Popeney whose shot from 20 yards out was deflected by Stevenson defender Joe Lubins ki Unfortunately for the Spar tans the ball floated over the outstretched arms of keeper Charlie Knoll and into the net making it 2 1 The Rocks could smell blood

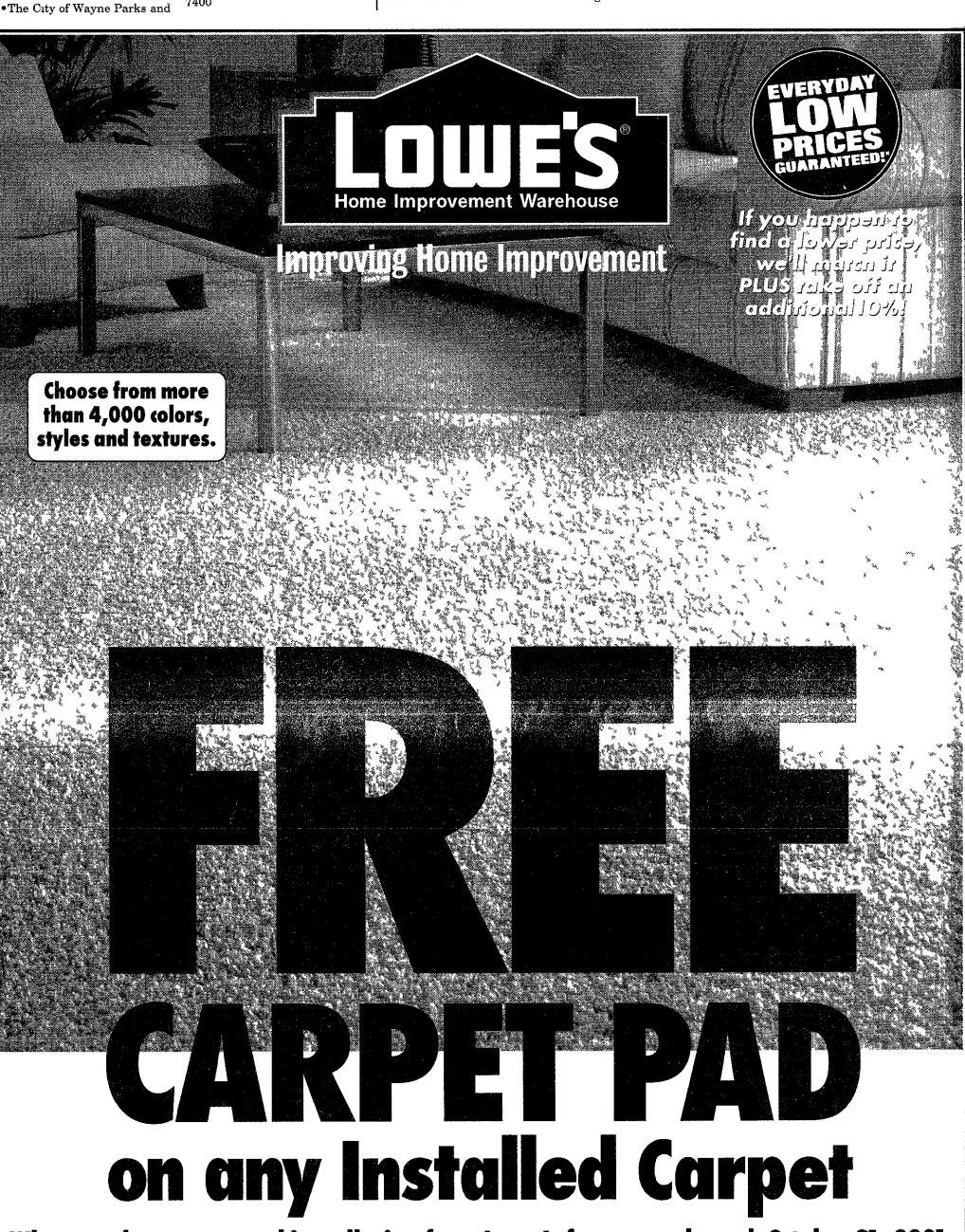
Their attack gained energy and one minute after Popeney's goal it very nearly paid off

A Salem free kick from 35 yards out ultimately reached Kevin Savitskie in a crowded Stevenson goalmouth Savit skie's hard header rang off the crossbar above Knoll rebound ing to another Rock who drilled a shot right back on goal — and again off the crossbar

It would be the last scoring chance Salem would have A wasted opportunity

Despite the loss now they know we can play with anyone in the state said McCarthy Overall I m content with the way we played Even with the loss, we can take some momentum from this game into the (state) tournament '

For the Rocks a win would have been nicei to build on



Recreation Department between 9 a m and 4 p m Monday through Friday at (248) 473 1800

#### TRISH DONNELLY RUN

The Trish Donnelly-Runnion Memorial Fund Run is scheduled for Sunday, Oct 7 at Canton's Heritage Park

The competitions will be at 10kilometers, 5-kilometers, and a one mile walk/run Registration will begin at 7 30 a m, with the 10K run at 8 45 a m, the 5K run at 10 a m and the one-mile walk/run at 10 45 a m

Entry cost is \$15 before Sept 30 and \$18 after, or the day of the race All pre-paid entries will receive a long-sleeve T-shirt (late entries will receive them while supplies last)

Medals will be given to the top five finishers in the one mile run/walk, awards will be presented to the top three places in each age division of the 5K and 10K races, with awards also given to the overall winners of the 5K and 10K

Proceeds from the Trish Donnelly-Runnion Memorial Fund Run goes to benefit higher education and breast cancer awareness

For registration information, call Pat Donnelly at (734) 981-4753

#### **CHEVY SOCCER FESTIVAL**

The Chevrolet Soccer Festival and Tournament is coming to Farmington Hills on Saturday and Sunday, Oct 6 and 7, at Founders Sports Park

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There was also an argument brought by the defendant that the association had not enforced the restriction against all owners and was therefore barred by the doctrine of waiver However, the court said that while many other individuals were operating businesses in violation of the covenant against commercial use, these businesses were innocuous

The appellate court recognized that the trial court had had an opportunity to view the neighborhood and conclude that no other property came close to defendant's in terms of commercial activity

Therefore, you or your association may have a basis to bring an action against the commercial use, assuming that you have the legal ability and enough money to do so

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# Should I move? Should I MEVE

## BY DOUG FUNKE STAFF WRITER dfunke@oe.homecomm.net

Helen Jakubus has lived in her Redford bungalow for 50 years and has no intention of relocating

"Why should I moye? I like the neighborhood It's quiet People are nice to me The kids are good," she said

"When my husband died (30 years ago), the insurance man said, 'Don't sell your house Think twice I have people sell (immediately) and they're sorry to this day"

Relatives help Jakubus take care of the home and her health 1s good

Oren and Jeryline Gilkey Jr moved next door to Jakubus about a year and a half ago They had lived in a house in Detroit for about 18 years, cashed out and tried apartment life for a couple of years They tired of the noise

## Why'd they do it?

The Michigan Association of Real tors in June surveyed 400 people from around the state who had moved within the last year

Here is a breakdown on their main reason for a move

- 24% wanted newer/bigger home
- 15% business/job
- 13% purchase of first home
- 1 7% wanted better area

6% – retired

- **5%** closer to family friends
- 5% downsizing 4% – marriage
- 4% wanted more yard
- 3% money, economics

No-cost mortgage? No way!





Jumbo shrimp, plastic glasses, metal woods, pretty ugly An oxymoron is a combination of contradictory or incongruous words I think of them as words that cannot modify one another, or words that cannot belong together and still make sense I get amused when I hear this one no-cost mortgage I get amazed when borrowers actu-

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ally believe it

Did you ever see a magician shuffle three upside-down cups and ask a viewer to find a hidden ball? The illusionist can make the ball appear or disappear wherever he desires

Your loan officer can often so the same thing with costs You may not "see" the costs - and some may claim they do not exist - but be assured the expenses are real and you will pay for them

There are essentially three ways for borrowers to cover the essential costs associated with their mortgage pay cash out of pocket, use the equity in their home, or have somebody else pay for them That "somebody" could be a seller, if you find one willing It could also be your lender, who will usually put you in a loan product that will pro-duce a sufficient "yield" to cover your costs If a lender does cover a your costs, he will certainly recoup that money in some other way

If you have it, using your home's equity would be a good option because you would be using an unrealized gain to cover the expense, not the alreadytaxed cash that would be coming from your wallet Additionally, most of us find it easier to pay a few bucks extra per month for the slightly higher loan amount than we do forking out several hundred dollars or more up front

Taking a higher interest rate and asking your lender to cover your costs is a good idea if you have little or no cash or equity, or if you plan to be in the loan for only a few years You will have slightly higher monthly payments because of the higher interest rate, but only for relatively short duration

RANDALL MASTERS/STAFF ARTIST they want the people who buy it to be like them, enjoy it, take care of it It's the

human psyche "Buyers, they're excited about moving into a new home, moving out of a smaller space, emotional about some of the expens-

es and the upkeep of a home," she said Too many major life changes all at once can lead to stress and health problems, mental health experts maintain

A change in residence was listed just below trouble with a boss on a social readjustment scale developed by Thomas Holmes and Richard Rahe at the University of Washington

But, as Baker pointed out, a decision to move "arely happens in a vacuum

Death of a spouse divorce and mari tal separation rank 123 on the Holmes/Rahe stress scale A change of address can compound the stress level of those events

So no sudden decisions, please

#### **HOME SEEKER'S CHECK LIST** SELLER DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

(REQUIRED BY LAW)

#### LEAD DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

(REQUIRED BY LAW)

#### **M**HOME SUMMARY FEATURE SHEET

(ROOM DIMENSIONS, ETC)

- SCHOOL DISTRICT SERVING **NEIGHBORHOOD (WHERE EXACTLY** ARE BUILDINGS, BUS STOPS)
- AGE OF MAJOR MECHANI-CAL/STRUCTURAL COMPO-**NENTS** (FURNACE, WATER HEATER, SHINGLES, WINDOWS, ETC)

#### **MAPPLIANCES INCLUDED?**

- PROPERTY TAXES (BASED ON SELLING PRICE, NOT CURRENT RECORDS)
- MUNICIPAL SERVICES PROVIDED (TRASH COLLECTION, LEAF PICK-UP, SNOW REMOVAL, LIBRARY)
- CONDITION OF NEIGHBORING PROPERTIES

"It's close to her job, close to my job," Gilkey said "I guess she just liked the houses in Redford We knew we couldn't afford a house in Livonia '

People move for all kinds of reasons

The need for less room, more space A job transfer Better educational opportunities for the kids Marriage, divorce or death

Then there's retirement Health concerns An inability or unwillingness to tackle maintenance chores Financial problems Discomfort with a changing neighborhood

#### On the move

"The general rule of thumb is that every seven years people tend to move nationally," said Gail Madziar, spokeswoman for the Michigan Association of Realtors

"Some people move mainly for financial gain every three to five years," said Stuart Baker, a counselor at Schoolcraft College in Livonia "I think most people move in times of transition of one kind or another"

"If they're relocating or buying a new home in the area, they usually need more space," said Mary Rettig, a Realtor with ERA Alliance in Farmington Hills "Or they want to get out of an apartment

"Or they want new surroundings They've been in the house for a while and they're just ready to go," Rettig added

The decision to move isn't always the right one, said Jeff Decker, an associate broker with Wilhelm & Associates in 3% – move to country

2% – divorce

1% each – convenience, wanted one level home, waterfront, handicap access, wanted condo, poor health, school, wanted less land, undecided/ don't know

#### Clarkston

"The financials have to be the bottom-line look on things," he said "My own parents were looking at selling their home I was looking at their current payments, location, quality of the home and looked at where they would be moving

"I told them, 'it's my opinion, you're better off staying where you are," Decker said

A couple of empty bedrooms and the constant up-and-down stairs prompted his folks to consider a move, Decker said For now, they're staying put

Rebecca Meisner, associate broker with Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke in Birmingham, doesn't believe that the monetary decision to stay or go is controlling

"The financials have to be there – vou can't do it if you can't afford it, but people normally move for psychological reasons," she said

#### **Emotional experience**

Moving can be an emotional experience under the best of circumstances, Rettig said

"Usually for sellers in the home 10 years or more they have so many memories and

"I would want someone to slow down, take a pause and ask, 'What is this really about? Is there fear involved here or is this a good, well-thought out decision?" said Bari Berkowitz, MA, LLP

She's a psychotherapist and life coach in West Bloomfield specializing in adult life transitions

"That's what gets people in trouble – making decisions unconsciously without processing through," Berkowitz said "You have to slow down and take the emotion out of it "

A problem neighbor, for instance, isn't always a good reason to jump into a relocation There's no guarantee that you won't find a blockhead waiting for you in your new digs or a problem won't move next to you anyway

#### After the decision

Sellers and buyers - folks usually are on both ends of the spectrum during the moving process - can help themselves immeasurably once they decide to move

"If you're a seller, you must make it (house) as fresh, clean, open, bright and light as possible," Meisner said

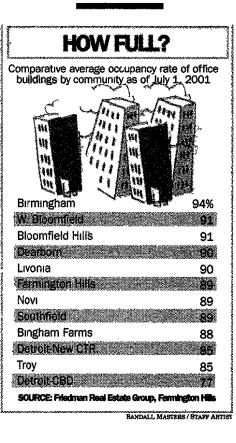
"Ask a friend to go through the house, literally walk through as a purchasing person would and be honest about what they see," Decker said

Realtors generally speak with one voice about what buyer's can do

"Get pre-approved for a mortgage," Rettig said

"Those consultations are free," Decker added

Tim Phillips is a mortgage loan offi cer in Plymouth For a free mortgage pre qualification or credit assessment, go to www vlender com / p / phillipshq or call (734) 797 5522 [24 hours] Homebuyers should always consult a professional for guidance specific to their situation









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## Mortgage rates dip to lowest levels in 3 years

Mortgage rates around the country this week dropped to their lowest levels in nearly three years

The average interest rate on 30-year fixed-rate mortgages fell to 6 72 percent, down from 6 80 percent last week, according to the nationwide survey released by Freddie Mac

It marked the seventh week in a row that 30-year mortgages have been under 7 percent This week's rate marked the lowest level for 30-year mortgages since they averaged 6 69 percent the week of Dec 18, 1998

Fifteen-year mortgages, a popular option for refinancing, dipped to 6 23 percent this week, compared with 6 30 per-

cent the previous week, and is the lowest level since Oct 9, 1998

A year ago, rates for 30-year mortgages averaged 7 88 percent and rates for 15year mortgages averaged 7 53 percent

On one-year adjustable-rate mortgages, lenders were asking an average initial rate of 5 45 percent, down from 5 58 percent the previous week This week's rate was the lowest since Oct 30, 1998, when the rates on one-year ARMs averaged 5 42 percent Last year at this time, ARMs stood at 7 21 percent

These rates do not include add-on fees known as points, which averaged around 1 percent of the loan amount for all three types of mortgages

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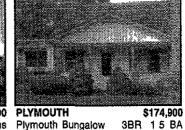
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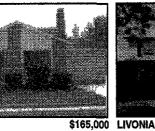
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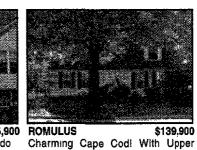
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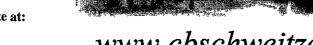




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#### CONTINUING EDUCATION

Schoolcraft College offers a day long real estate continuing education class required annually for state license renewal 8 am to 3 pm Friday, Oct 5, on campus, Haggerty between Six and Seven Mile, Livo ma

Cost 1s \$60, \$48 for persons 60 years of age and older To register, call (734) 462-4448

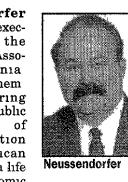
#### **CONDO OPERATIONS**

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 pm Tuesdays, Oct 9 30, at the Bingham Park III Office Park, 30200 Tele

#### **MOVERS AND SHAKERS**

This column highlights promotions trans fers hirings, awards won and other news within the real estate, construction architec ture and mortgage communities Send a brief summary including town of residency and black and white photo to Real Estate Movers and Shakers, Observer & Eccentric Newspa pers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150 Our fax number is (734) 591 7279 Our e mail address is bjensen@homecomm net •

Joe Neussendorfer has been appointed executive director of the Mason Contractors Association in Livonia Neussendorfer 1s a mem ber of the Engineering Society of Detroit, Public Relations Society of America, Construction Forum of the American Bar Association and a life member of the Economic Club of Detroit



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Diane Adamick, senior mortgage adviser with Approved Mortgages, presents a free class for first-time home buyers 7 8 30 pm Tuesday, Oct 9 at Summit on the Park. Can ton Center Road at Palmer, Canton

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Farmington Community Education and Oakland Builders Institute offer a 16 hour class to help participants pass the state builders licensing exam 6 10 pm Tuesdays and Thursdays Oct 9 18, at the Commu nity School 30415 Shiawassee, Farmington

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#### FORUM MOVES

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ROOM FOR TOYS AND YOU - Two story home featuring 24 x 36 pole barn 95 upgraded appliances spacious loft wrap around deck for entertaining a ge overlook study and premium trim package living room 27 x 14 with natural fireplace in this nearly new 3 bedroom 2/2 bath furnace air conditioning 97 Al on 18 Plymouth Country Club Estates detached acres Clean clean clean \$274,900 (191MO) French door eading to magnificent 2 tiered



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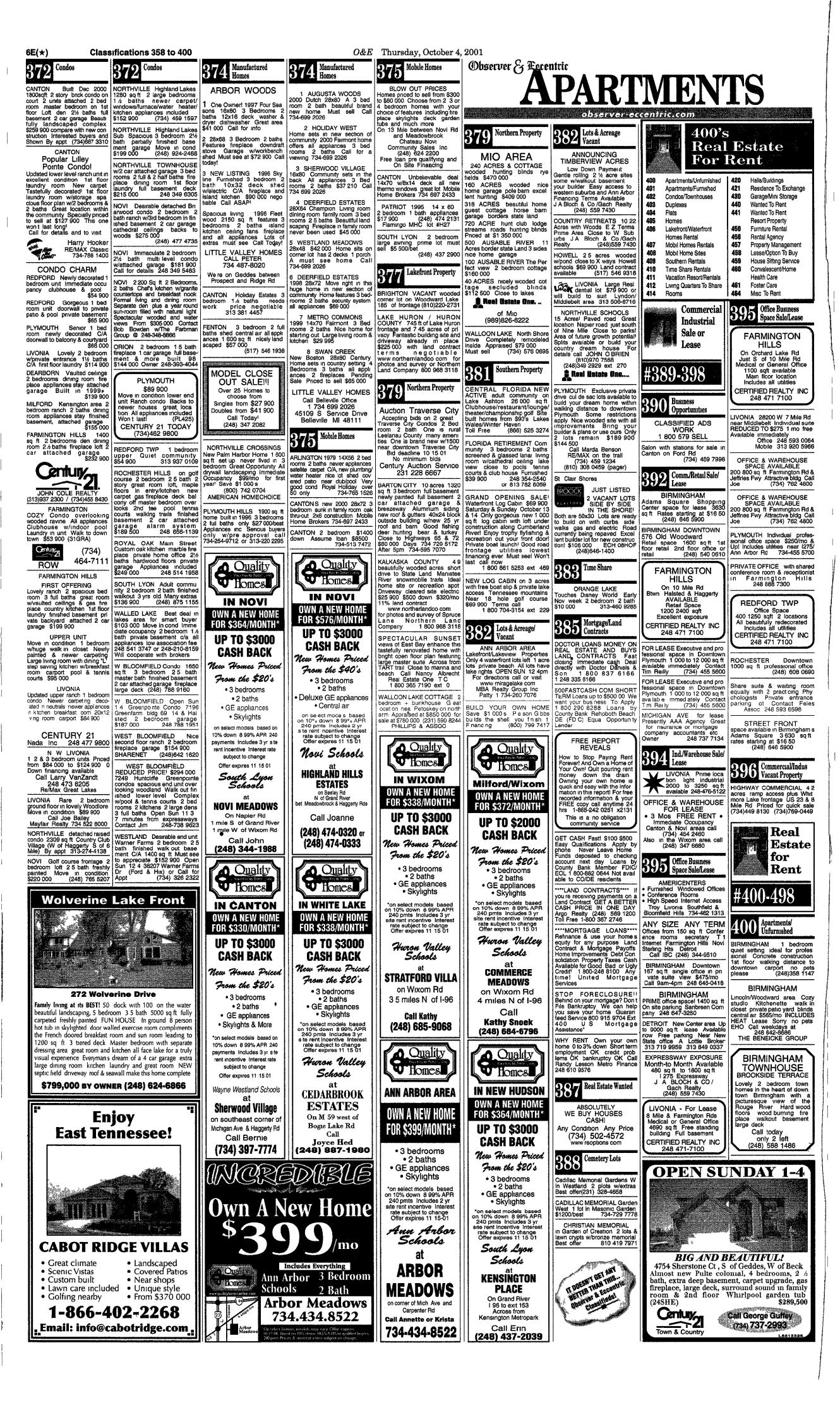
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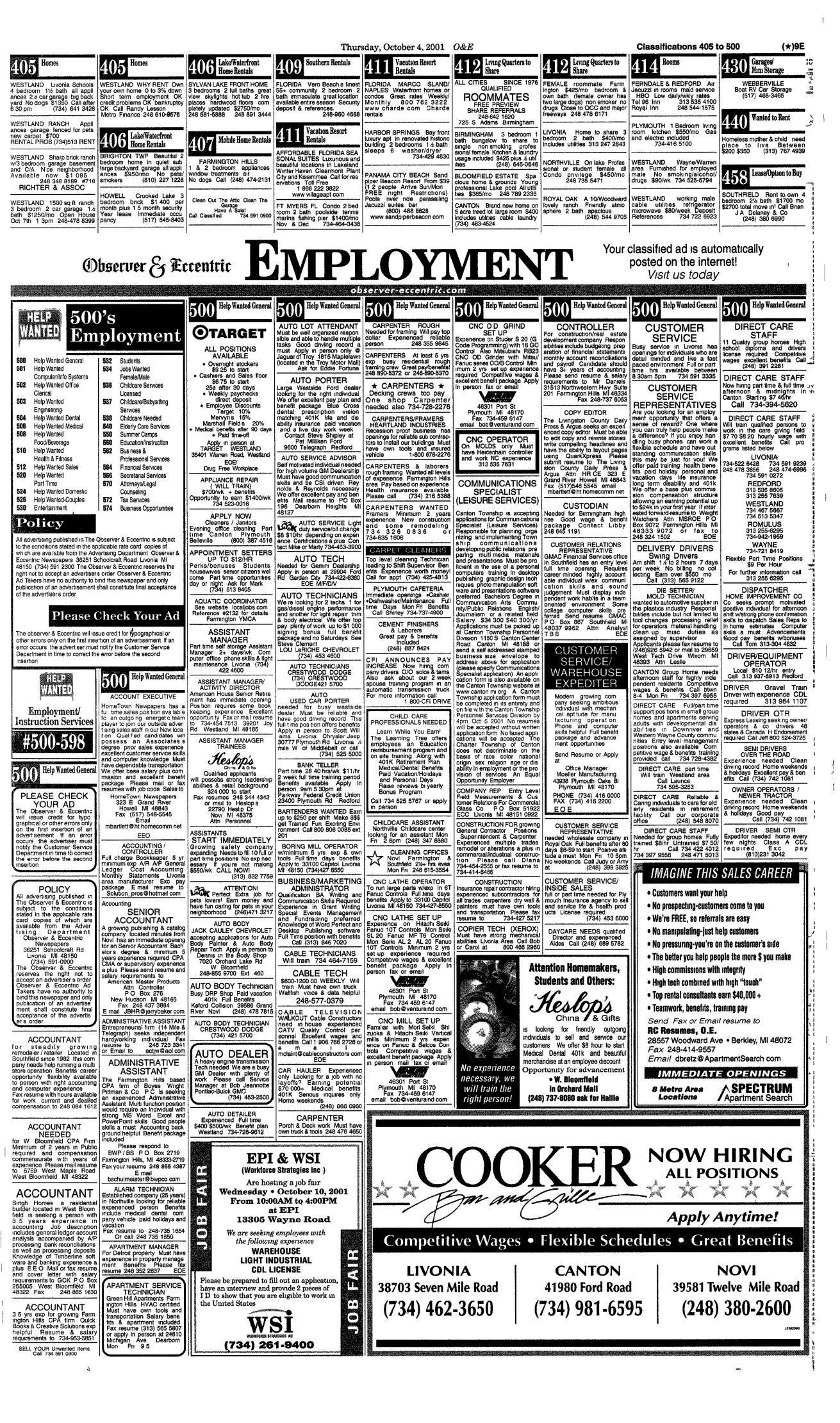
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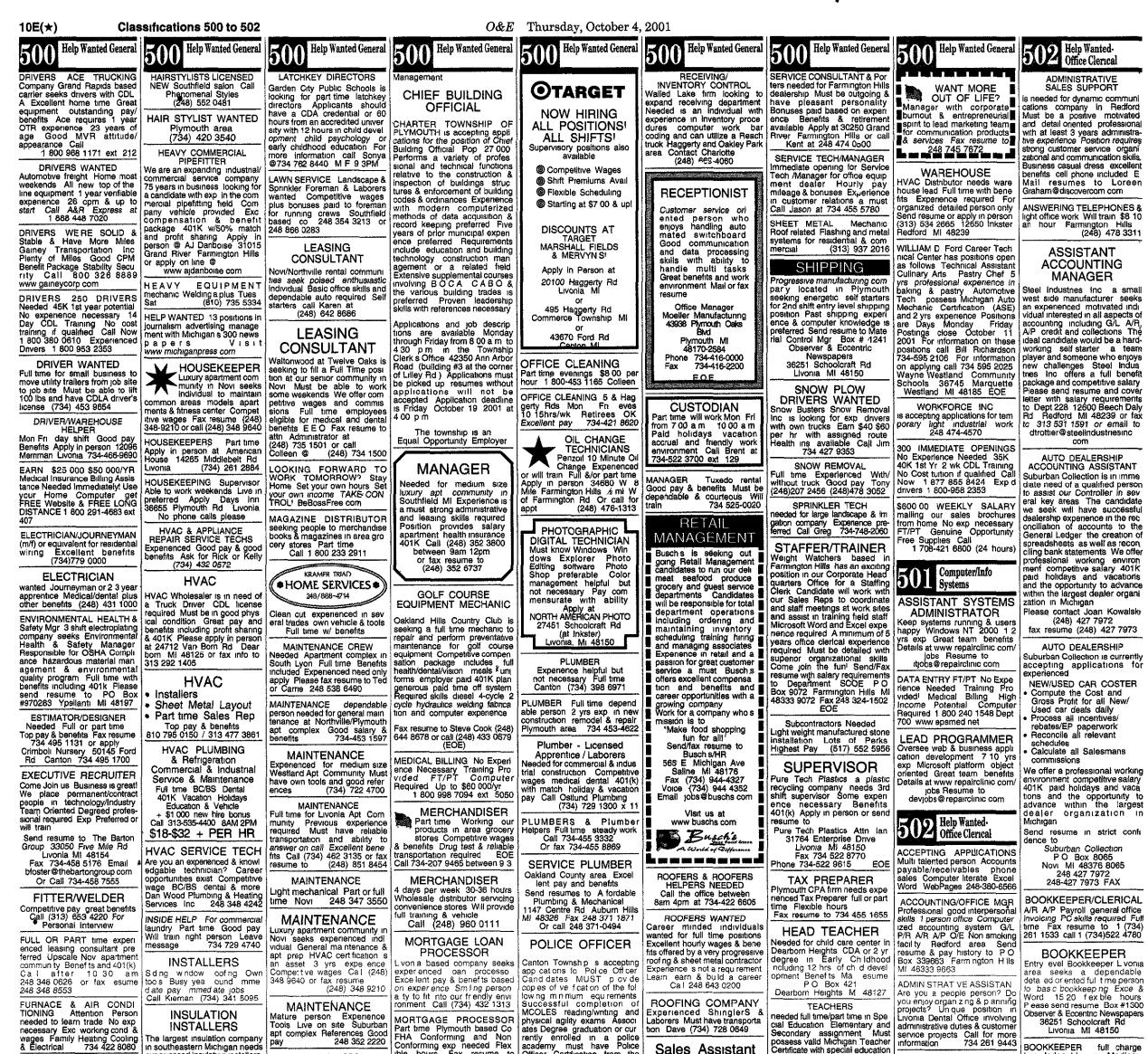
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OUTSTANDING BRICK COLONIAL Four bedrooms 2 2 baths with Northville schools Family room with fireplace First floor laundry new May



WONDERFUL UPDATED HOME! Newer triple pane windows entry doors garage door (93) & central air (00)<sup>1</sup> Beautiful white kitchen (98) Hard wood floors under carpet Home rebricked gas fireplace close to Hines Parkl \$202 900 (64ANN) 734 455 5600



BRICK RANCH ON AN OVERSIZED LOT! Three bedroom Ranch home with much to offer! Complete new kitchen (00) furnace & central air (99) roof (00) fulfilate & central an (99) foot tear off (98) windows & doorwall (98) 3 /₂ car heated garage with newer 18 door Nice deck & sprinklers \$189 900 (15GEO) 734 455 5600



THIS HOUSE HAS IT ALL AND MOREI Four bedroom 2/2 bath lovely large kitchen with cherry cabinets first floor laundry 3 fireplaces finished basement glass block windows Newer Andersen windows Nice back yard & large deck to commons \$407 500 (10NOR) 734 455 5600

ONE OF A KIND! Two story ceiling in

living room dining room and great room! Beautiful solarium Newer siding

stone windows (01) hardwood floors

carpet & fresh paint Five ton air condi-tioner Many upgrades large bedrooms & first floor laundry \$335 000 (35NOW)

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GREAT INCOME PROPERTY Cur rently being used as an income (2) fam ily but could be changed to a 4 5 bed room family home This is a must see to appreciate Hardwood floors double lot & newer roof \$279 900 (68HAR) 248 349 5600

UPDATED RANCH on large wooded

lot Three bedrooms two baths with

large family room and master suite

Updates galore including 3 season

room Country in the city \$169 900 (50PIM) 248 349 5600



IN TOWN LOCATION You have to see this sharp home with that old world charm. A lot of updates including kitchen cabinets furnace central air bath paint & hardwood floors Three bedrooms basement dining room & many other neat features \$196 900 (33HOR) 248 349 5600



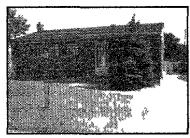
COUNTRY SETTING/WOODED Heavily wooded paradise only begins to describe this custom built Tudor tucked away in a very secluded setting Professionally finished lower level Florida room 2 way fireplace Charm ing and updated \$312 900 (15NIN) 248 349 5600



Recent additions to this 3 bedroom 2 offer Master bath with jetted tub walk in closet an office and small family



creek & woods Newer windows neu tral decor & all appliances Finished basement with great location and price \$79 900 (31HER) 248 349 5600



EXTRA CLEAN 3 BEDROOM RANCHI Doorwall deck off kitchen Newer win dows furnace shingles family room fourth bedroom game room lower level bath with shower in finished base ment Neutral colors throughout Fenced yard Priced to sell \$122 950 (13BIR) 734 455 5600



HANDY MAN SPECIAL RANCHI Three bedroom with Important Updates done Located on prime lot facing Westland Municipal Golf Course Updates furnace central air roof win dows steel entry door \$105 000 (59BIR) 734 455 5600



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OPPORTUNITY Two possi



ACRES! Rolling land & 2 ponds! 2/2 story brick home Finished walk out with full studio apartment Family room with great view! Two fireplaces third floor study/loft Glorious master with spa 2 walk in closets & fireplace \$840.000 (72GBA) 734 455 5600



WHAT A GREAT BUYI Stone front 3 bedroom 2/2 bath Colonial with large front porch First floor laundry family room with fireplace & cathedral ceiling & large kitchen with island & work sta tion Master with cathedral ceiling bath with garden tub & his & her closets \$222 500 (61HIC) 734 455 5600



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DARLING HOME Three bedroom 2 bath Bungalow with family room and many newer features windows roof central air Updated kitchen & electrical Upgraded carpet and huge 21/2 car garage just perfect for the mechanics Š109 900 (50NIA) 248 349 5600



DESIRABLE Plymouth Condo with 2 bedrooms 1/2 baths & fireplace Vault ed ceilings sky lights central air and neutral throughout Walk to downtown \$134 900 (91PIN) 248 349 5600



3 bath Lake Tyrone beauty with gor geous view Too much to list Sky

lights first floor laundry great finished

walk out with family room 4 car garage

with unfinished loft 2x6 construction

\$349 900 (60BUL) 248 349 5600



BETTER THAN NEW Four bed 2/2 bath Colonial with an open floor plan Family room with vaulted ceiling & fire place Upgraded island kitchen with Corian tops walk in closet & bath in master den/library wood deck & trees \$329 000 (20HAN) 248 349 5600



HORSE LOVERS DREAM Enjoy country living in this well cared for home on approximately 7 acres Updates include kitchen bath newer furnace/air & newly added family room Three-stall horse barn & fenced pasture are great for horses \$235 000 (01DIX) 248 349 5600



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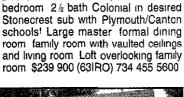
CAR BUFF DREAM Four bed



ble 4 bedroom Bungalow! Coved cell ings in living room & dining room. Cell ing fans in most rooms includes both bedrooms Newer carpet vinyl windows & rooft \$93 900 (99BRA) 734 455 5600



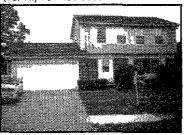
CLEAN AND NEAT BUNGALOW Three bedroom two bath hardwood floors updated kitchen brick patio fenced yard central air full bath in basement Ventless gas fireplace nice ly landscaped yard! \$134 900 (12CRO) 734 455 5600





UPDATED FOUR BEDROOM BUN GALOWI With extra buildable lot Home and lot not in flood zone! Home is being sold AS IS Home shows well but is not a drive by \$99 900 (97KIN) 734 455 5600

roof attic fan gutters deck carpet & hardwood floors! Country kitchen with appliances Glass block windows in basement Newer Pella windows throughout Oversized garage with 8 door Backs to woods! \$215 000 (38PRI) 734 455 5600

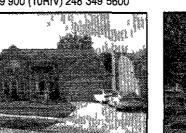


PLENTY OF ROOM TO GROWI Four bedroom 2 / bath Colonial with fifth bedroom in basement! Fresh paint & newer carpet (family room) vinyl win dows circuit breakers steel entry door doorwall to large deck! \$166 000 (03PRI) 734 455 5600

bath English Tudor with 5 car garage Quality materials Library family room with fireplace & cathedral ceilings A lot of ceramic crown moldings Profession ally finished walk out basement. Metic ulously maintained \$396 900 (63WAK) 248 349 5600



2001 CAPE COD IN CANTON Seller just got all the amenities complete & are relocated Ready to just move in & enjoy Four bedroom  $2\frac{1}{2}$  bath great room den dining room oak kitchen open floor plan full basement 3 car garage 2 decks sprinklers & central air \$349 900 (10RIV) 248 349 5600



NEWER 4 BEDROOM BRICK COLO NIAL This home has a large oak kitchen with island hardwood floors & 2 story foyer Neutral carpeting through out Large master Pro landscaping with private back yard Basement has garden windows Close to schools \$314 900 (01WES) 248 349 5600



TONQUISH SUB Four bedroom two bath Tri level with 2/2 garage Open floor plan with plenty of storage Neu tral decor Great family neighborhood with sidewalks \$159 900 (01COM) 248 349 5600

PERFECTION THROUGHOUT Awe

some executive home features first

floor master suite 4 bedrooms 3 full &

2 half baths 2 story great room cherry

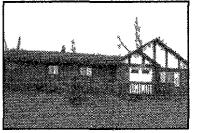
& granite kitchen \$599 900 (60POI)

248 349 5600

ALMOST TOTALLY REBUILT Like new construction Quality built 3 bed room 2 bath walk in closet first or second floor master bedroom first floor laundry front & back porch newer fur nace central air roof & the list goes on Corner lot with room for a large garage \$139 900 (50WIL) 248 349 5600



LAKEFRONT PERFECTION Sunsets from this Teal Lake home are breath taking Franklin IV model upgraded throughout Maple & granite kitchen walk out basement sun room cedar decks brick paver patio walks & much more \$947 000 (54PAR) 248 349 5600 back yard with covered patio & barn type shed This brick 3 bedroom Ranch home is very clean well maintained & move in ready Hardwood floors newer kitchen floor windows gutters roof hot water heater & much more \$132 900 (36SOU) 248 349 5600



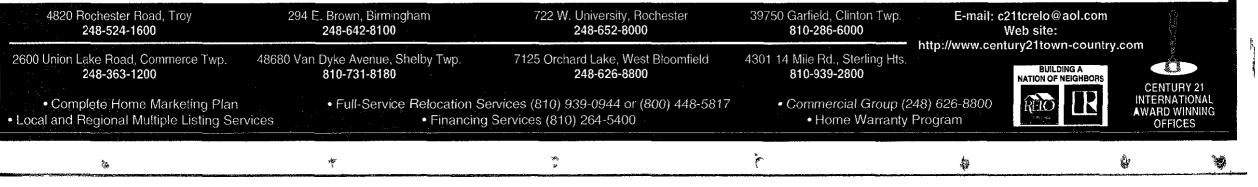
ALMOST AN ACRE OF COUNTRY LIVING Totally updated Ranch with 3 bedrooms 2 baths hardwood floor in kitchen dining room & hall French doors quality baths jetted tub & fire place in living room & dining room \$244 900 (21STO) 248-349 5600



CHATHAM HILLS Four bedroom Colo nial with newer furnace large family room formal dining room walk in clos et in master bedroom and fenced yard \$269 900 (48LAN) 248 349 5600



LIVONIA THE BEAUTIFUL Sprawling Ranch home has an outstanding floor plan w/large living room w/ireplace Formal dining 1st floor laundry family room & attached garage You II love the area & the new out building for storage \$178 900 (00HIL) 248 349 5600



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bed 2 bath brick Ranch with newer roof (home & garage) kitchen with all appliances windows & doors electric glass block windows Finished basement with wet bar & full bath new sun room Fur nace & central air updated Privacy fence \$147 900 (94DEE) 734-455 5600



OUTSTANDING HOME! Great home! Beautiful yard! Ready to move in & enjoy! Stove refrigerator washer & dryer stay Five ceiling fans & window air conditioner Three bedroom part fin ished basement & garage \$119 900 (68FOX) 734 455 5600



ed! Everything including the bath tub within the last 5 years! Beautiful oak kitchen with dishwasher & microwave Newer roof shingles & furnace with central air Oversized 2 car garage & finished basement<sup>1</sup> \$126 900 (43LYN) 734 455 5600



NICE OVERSIZED LOT! Three bed room 1/2 bath Colonial Doorwall to large deck Open floor plan Almost like new! Enjoyable oak kitchen Immediate occupancy Large shed for extra stor age! \$169 105 (75NOR) 734 455 5600



PLYMOUTH PRIME! Walk to down

town parks & schools Well maintained

& freshly painted Brick 1/2 story with

part finished basement Living room

ON 2 ACRES! BREATHTAKING HOME! Four bed 41/2 bath Colonial with South Lyon schools! Master suite with 2 walk in closets & Jacuzzi pro finished walk out cedar deck 3 car garage 2 fireplaces gorgeous kitchen & decor \$574 900 (68TUS) 734 455 5600

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WALKTO DOWNTOWN! Fabulous new kitchen from top to bottom 99 newer furnace and roof 2.5 car garage and private yard. Move in ready!(45BUR2)



NORTHVILLE \$189,900 **INVESTMENT POTENTIAL!** 1 11 acres in Northville Twp Charming 3 BR Ranch florida room, bsmt garage Add on to current home or build new one! (85SEV2)

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\$189,900 BELLEVILLE BELLEVILLE LAKE! Condominium home with its own dock and nice kitchen appliances Fresh neutral decor & immediate occupancy Three full levels (23B48301)



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\$79,500

LIVONIA \$189,900 MINT CONDITION Completely remodeled ranch with basement & 2 car garage Brand new kitchen updated windows six panel doors roof sprinkler system furnace (D356)



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NORTHVILLE! Income property 2 story home 4 BR 2 baths 2 car garage bsmt deck & porch Needs some work walk to town! Land contract (01YER2)



#### WESTLAND

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WESTLAND

A FINE OPPORTUNITY AWAITS 3 bedroom brick Westland Ranch 1 1/2 baths full finished basement family rm w/fireplace 2 car attached garage Lots of extras (C331)



MOVE RIGHT INTO THIS SHARP RANCH! Updates incl windows AC & furn 96 patio 98 roof 99 kit counter/interior painting 01 Fin bsmt & 2 car garage! Wonderful area! (82WHI2)

REDFORD

GARDEN CITY

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FAMILY HOME Large corner lot offers great

space for the kids to grow and play Doorwall

from master bdrm to deck Freshly painted

GREAT VALUE for 1st time buyers or investor

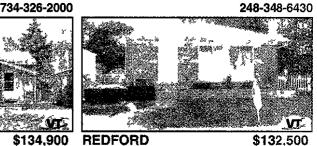
Mint condition condo with numerous updates

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garage ready to move into (V164)



WALK TO GARDEN CITY PARK 3 bedroom 2 bath home is waiting for a family Updated roof windows doors furnace C/A electrical plumbing HWH kitchen bath carpet paint (F307)



WELCOME HOME Clean 3 bdrm brick ranch w/open floor plan Newer roof entry doors furnace C/A windows brand new tub Base ment part finished glass block 2 car garage (W135)



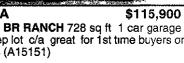
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\$59,900



LIVONIA SPACIOUS 4 BR COLONIAL Hardwood COZY 2 BR RANCH 728 sq ft 1 car garage floors open fl plan new roof 2 car garage/work extra deep lot c/a great for 1st time buyers or shop some TLC needed Clarenceville investors (A15151)

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WESTLAND \$114,900 LOADS OF POTENTIAL This 3 bedroom Ranch offers covered front porch circle drive open floor plan from kitchen to dining area and living room doorwall to back yard (C356)



CANTON \$125,500 ONE LIFE TO LIVE so start enjoying it now in this 2 bdrm 1 5 bath townhome Low mainte nance/move in condition Full bsmt Courtyard patio Complex w/pool Easy access to x way (23N41370)





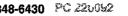
REDFORD UNIQUE SETTING ON ALMOST 1/2 ACRE Great for gardener country lover or own built in play area 3 BR ranch home offers new sid- Hardwood floors screened patio overlooks ing trim gutters newer roof & furnace hwh plus much more!(F20473) PC 070462 734-326-2000

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CANTON

garage Shingles replaced within the last 6 baths 2 pantrys Separate entry from real of wooded view1(65MID2) years Live in lower and rent the upper (K158) home Sold as is city repairs in office (G343)

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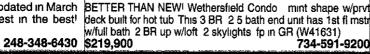


LARGE FAMILY HOME Or investment Home

has 4 bedrooms 2 libraries 2 living rooms 2

RANCH W/4 PLUS COUNTRY ACRES! Updated in March BETTER THAN NEW! Wethersfield Condo mint shape w/prvt of 2000 barn immediate occupancy Invest in the best! Dreams come true!(85PEA2) \$349,000

MILFORD



734-591-9200 \$134.900

LIVONIA

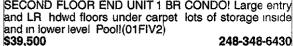
WHAT A GREAT WAY TO START! This 3 BR home was built in 1998 - 2 5 car-5 garage private yard covered porch w/pavers private neighborhood c/a (S20416) 734-591-9200

UPPER-LOWER Could be a single home

Charming older brick features basement and

SECOND FLOOR END UNIT 1 BR CONDO! Large entry and in lower level Pool!(01FIV2) \$39,500

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HOUGHTON LAKE, Mich – It turned heads It's a joy to drive on long, long trips

Great Trunk space Acceleration is phenomenal And it made people friendly



Located in the middle of Michi gan's mitten, Houghton Lake is the largest inland lake in the state It's known for its abundance of walleye, boating accessibility and

**ANNE** accessibility and **FRACASSA** also for its win tertime sports

like ice fishing and snowmobiling People don't generally see beautifully styled luxury cars of this kind of quality up here, so you can imagine it caused a bit of a stir at the local Wal-Mart and Marathon station People wanted to talk about it, look at it and ask a lot more questions than I want ed them to

Heck, all I wanted to do was get out of the parking lot and go back to the cottage, for Pete's sake

Lexus stomped on the mid lux ury market a couple of years back when it introduced the GS 400 sedan I drove it then and like the spunk it had

But this new GS 430 the only thing I can complain about 1s the 'in the-glovebox' multi CD changer I think you need a jet pilot s license to be able to operate it

I don't really ask for a lot out of the cars and trucks I test I only want to be able to operate nearly everything with out tearing through the massive manuals that come in every vehicle these days I played with the CD player for a while then just left it alone My husband did, too, and he couldn't figure it out, either

The styling of this vehicle is not only eye catching, but also slim and sleek It glides through the air with the greatest of ease, really Power is provided by a 4 3liter V8 with 300 horses that are quieter than a church mouse Lexus says it can accelerate from 0 60 mph in a hair under 6 sec onds

I didn't time it, but I can tell you that when you needed to move quickly, that power was there Whether pulling out of the subdivision, out of the school parking lot into a four lane, 50 mph speed limit road, or passing on the freeway, you would never have a worry

Lexus engineers helped the engine along through the use of Variable Valve Timing with intel ligence or VVT 1 What this system does is optimize valve overlap throughout the engines speed range in all operating conditions What that means to you and me is that power is there when you need it no matter whether it's summer or winter spring or fall The engine is married to a 4

speed automatic transmission that is outfitted with E Shift No it's not like e mail or anything



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and it's not a dot com either E Shift allows you to let the transmission shift normally, or auto matically, or you can control the gear shifting through the use of buttons What that lets you do is have a more "spirited" driving experience if you want it

Let's go inside for a minute You'll find leather surfaces all around that are very, very, very comfortable Once strapped in, you'll feel very secure with the seating surfaces enveloping you in comfort It's a good three-hour drive to the lake, and never was I fatigued, tired, uncomfortable or cranky when I got out Hard to believe, I know, that I would ever get cranky

When the kids jumped in the back seat the first day of the test, they got all excited In the middle of the dash is a screen Sorry, chil dren, it's not a TV, I told them as they asked where the VCR was located

It's a touch screen navigation system that's one of the most accurate I've seen Available as an option, the system uses DVDbased technology to store the map data, rather than the way it was stored before, on a computer hard drive Also available on the touch screen are control functions for the stereo and climate control systems

Because it's located so strategically, both the driver and passenger can access the screen with ease Even in the brightest sun light, there weren't any problems seeing the data on the screen, either

Because Lexus is very safety

conscious, the safety protocol placed in the vehicle is more than adequate We're talking about stuff like the standard front and rear crumple zones, reinforced passenger compartment and three-point seatbelts for all five seating positions, of course

And it's even got the dual front airbags But this Lexus goes one no, two - further with front seatmounted side airbags and side curtain airbags for the driver and front passenger All five seating positions also have adjustable headrests And, of course, there are tether brackets in the rear for the child safety seats

On the techno side, you'll find standard ABS with a brake assist feature that determines if you're braking for an emergency and compensates for it The Vehicle Skid Control feature helps keep the GS 430 straight when detecting understeer or oversteer It controls the vehicle through torque intervention or by causing the car to brake individual wheels to keep you straight

Taking my daughter cross town to the doctor for a sudden sinus infection proved to be a task She wanted a McFlurry for the ride back (she, like most kids, dislikes visiting the kind doctor) and as we were waiting for the order in the drive-thru, a gentleman pulled around and informed me my rear tire was flat

Irritated as all get-out, I parked the Lexus on level ground and called AAA It would take at least 90 minutes to get to me Considering the other daughter was out of school in 45 minutes, I had to get out to change it myself, all the while mumbling that I didn't need this

Imagine my surprise to see a full-size spare in the trunk Everything went smoothly and I was on my way, albeit pretty dirty, in about 20 minutes No harm, no foul

It was an interesting week in the GS 430, to say the least If you can afford to pay \$50,000 for a luxury car, that is a vehicle well worth owning

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2001 Lexus GS 430 Vehicle class Mid-luxury sedan Power 4 3-liter 32-valve V8 Mileage 18 city - 23 highway Where built Toyota City, Japan Base price \$47,355 As tested \$54,248

Recreational Vehicles	812 Campers/Motor Homes/Trailers	812 Campers/Motor Homes/Trailers	822 Trucks For Sale	822 Trucks For Sale	<b>322</b> Trucks For Sale	824 Mini-Vans	824 Mini-Vans	824 Mini-Vans
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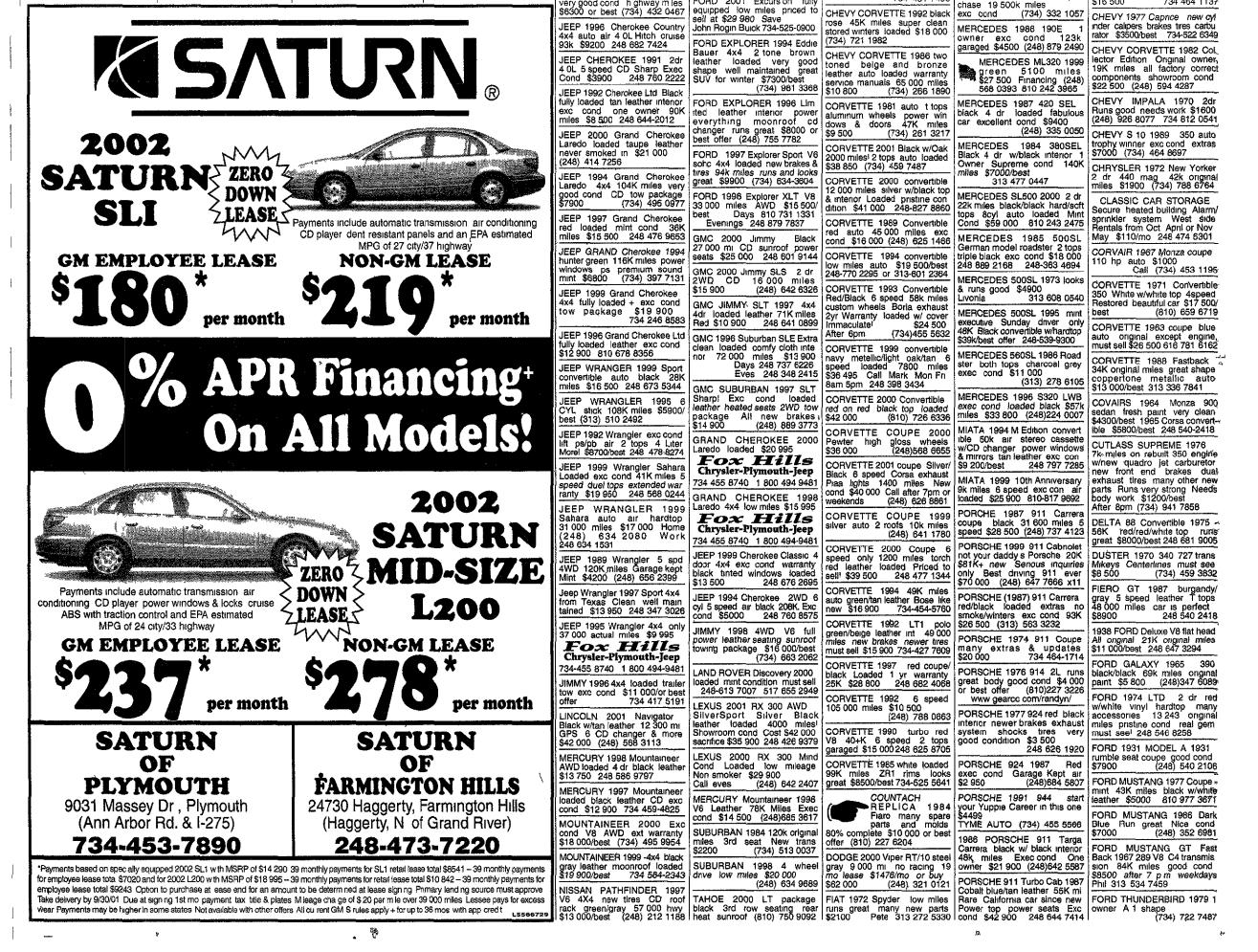
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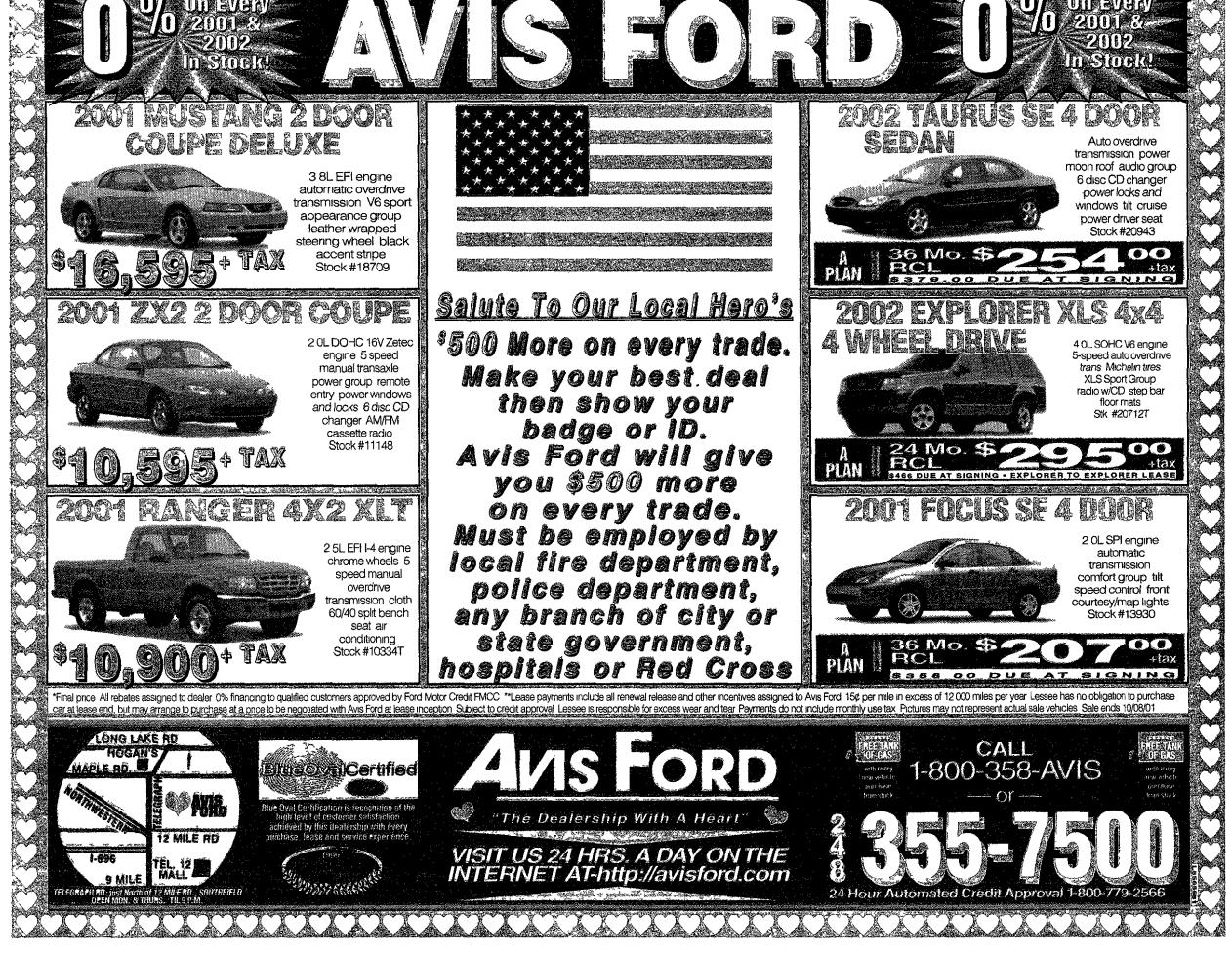
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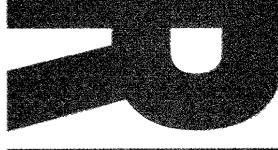
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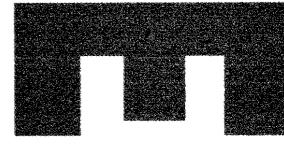
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Second Amish Mission Style Dining Room with floating top in solid cherry from the Indi ana Amish Country is available at Laurel Furnes ture in downtown Plymouth

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## Veneer or solid wood, the choice is up to style

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#### BY JENNIFER PLACINTO STAFF WRITER

It's a grainy business, but the difference between solid wood and veneer tables really isn't all that fuzzy

Depending on the style, it can be very difficult to tell the difference between modern veneers and solid wood, said Nori Rubin, interior designer at In Style, a furniture store in West Bloomfield

And quality veneers can be just as durable But you have to consider the function and style of the piece before choosing between solid wood and veneer

Veneer tables are made by placing a thin layer of the type of wood you desire - oak, maple, cherry, etc - over less expensive wood and laminating it to the surface

"The actual veneer is wood," Rubin said "The table is still constructed very well, but the cost is cheaper'

On average, with similar dining room tables at In Style, that cost difference is around \$200

"It's not a huge difference when you're spending over \$1,000," Rubin said

Eric Buzenberg of Walker/Buzenberg Furniture in Plymouth said the costs of veneers and solid wood tables at his store are very similar

"There really isn't that much of a difference," he said "Veneer can be an expensive process sometimes "

Choosing the right table, Buzenberg said. depends on the style you're looking for

"We can show them what veneer can do for them," Buzenberg said

Whether looking for something a little more formal or trying to find that perfect piece to fit the room, veneer can offer table tops that are unique and quite formal, he said

"When you have a veneer, the grains can be placed in different directions, the way you want it to be," Rubin said

"If they're looking more for a certain look," Buzenberg said, "that would be somebody who wants a veneer top '

Solid wood tables can have variations in color, due to wood being taken from more than one tree, and are planked, a series of pieces of wood put together

For some these characteristics are desirable, Buzenberg said For others, veneer creates the look they're seeking

"Almost all veneer surfaces are blemish free," Rubin said, adding that solids can have knots and other natural imperfections

About 80 percent of customers who buy their

Interiors (Livonia), Franks

pieces at In Style opt for veneers, Rubin said "Very often people would prefer it because the

price is lower," she said And. Rubin said, very few people ask whether or

not the table they are buying is made of solid wood "More and more people are so price conscious

right now," Rubin said You can get very high quality (veneer) "

In the 20 years she has worked in her field, Rubin said she has never seen any of the veneer pieces pull away from the table

Many veneers now are made with sheets 1/16inch to 1/32-inch in width as opposed to the 1/8inch of years past, although Rubin said, some manufacturers still make the thicker veneers

In some cases, veneers can be stronger than solid . wood when layers are used, she said

But because Rubin is an antique hunter, she would opt for solid wood when buying a non-functional piece that might serve as a family heirloom

"Years ago, that's how they were made," she said "(Solid wood) would signify something more antique I'd rather have something that was made the way it was years and years ago'

Solid wood and veneers require good care with wood polishing products that don't contain ammonia or silicone

"I think if you're using proper care with both a solid wood or veneer top you can expect lots of years of use," Buzenberg said

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Solid selection: It can be very hard to tell the difference between solid wood tables

and veneer tables. Selection is really based on the look you desire, since veneers,

depending on the manufacturer, can be just as durable as solid wood tables



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# Fabulou FURNITURE Families love to gather in the dining room

#### BY KEN ABRAMCZYK STAFF WRITER

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Homeowners love their great rooms or living rooms or family rooms, but talk to them about where they may feel closest to their children, and they may say the dining room

With the holidays approaching, homeowners will be looking to have the entire family over for a big family gathering

"That takes planning and coordination, and perhaps, a new dining room table or hutch

\*A dining room table that once was sufficient for a family of four or five may now need more room för the grandchildren or an extended family of stepchildren

"It's one of the first things they have to address, especially if they are building a new home," said Ken Kucab of McLaughlin's Furniture of Southgate and Novi Dining room tables remain one of the more consistent aspects of furniture sales there, said Kucab

Customers often want a casual look, not just a wood top or Formica, either, often a granite, Corian or tile top

"You have all kinds of combinations with a wood base or metal," Kucab said

**H**"Before they shop, they should get the dimensions of the area where the chairs and tables will go."

> -Don Wurm owner of Laurel Furniture

Casual is a good transitional look with contemporary, he added

Accessories are multi-faceted "Wine racks and buffets are what people are buying," said Kucab

'Cherry is still very popular, but you also have maple that people really like," Kucab said

Don Wurm, owner of Laurel Furniture in Plymouth, sells a lot of solid oak and cherry Amish

furniture for the dining room "Before they shop, they should get the dimensions of the area where the chairs and tables will go," Wurm said "They should think about how many people will be sitting at the table and whether they need a buffet or side table

Wurm likes the options offered by Amish furniture "They do offer nine or 10 different sizes," Wurm said

formal look with cherry and mahogany

that'

We have a lot of people in their mid-20s to mid-30s look for pieces with marble or granite tops, and they like a sideboard or server with it," Konat said "People who are older like the more traditional look '

customers at this time of year "You are seeing people who want

to plan ahead for the holidays,"

Customers also look for china

and curio cabinets to accompany

that dining table set Sideboards

offer the set up for a buffet table

"You can have a full table, and

people can serve themselves

though, is the Amish," Wurm

said "It's big with me because

there's eight finishes, two differ-

ent woods and customers like

Interiors in Livonia, says many

customers now look for a more

Kevin Konat, owner of Classic

"The most popular furniture,

from the buffet," Wurm said

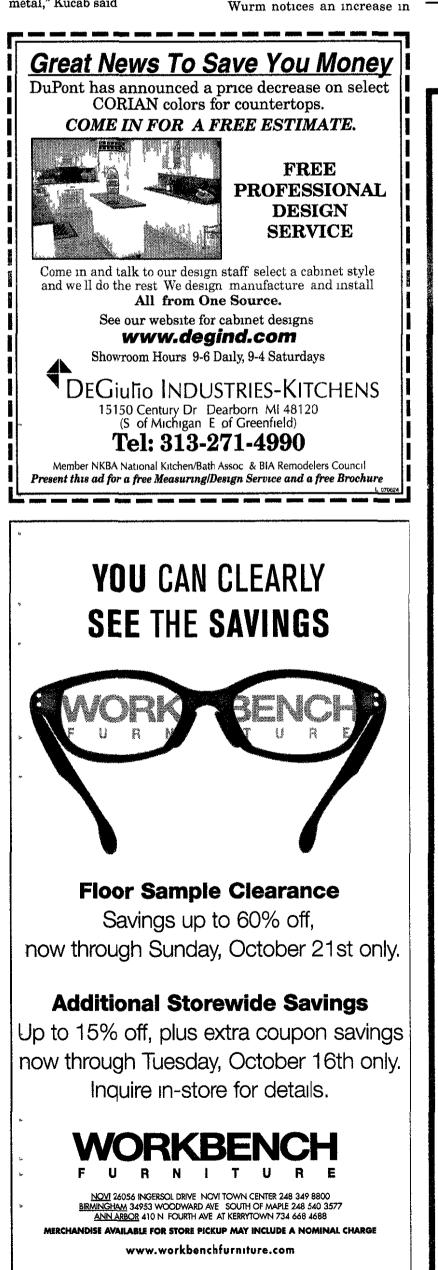
Wurm said

Today's architects also design homes with windows and glass in the dining rooms, so there ısn't as big a demand for big china cabinets, Konat said

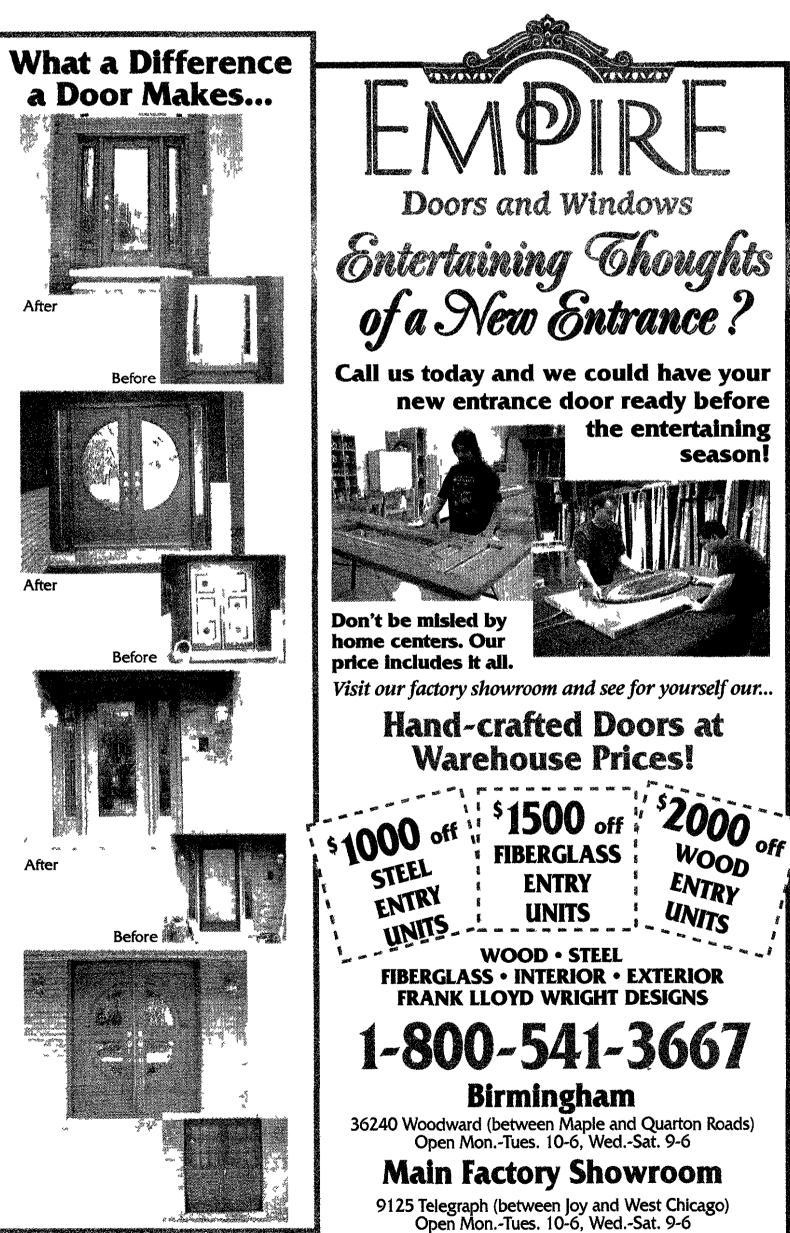
Hardwoods frequently used in making furniture are ash, cher-

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PHOTO COURTESY OF NEWTON FURNITURE Magnificent: Canadel offers tables in maple woods which can help keep a casual, yet contemporary, tone to your dinette









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## From traditional to contemporary, homeowners have many style options

#### BY JOAN BORAM SPECIAL WRITER

"livable" home? Or a "comfortable" room?

Whether we decide to furnish a room or an entire house, we bring with us certain preconceived ideas of how we want to live, and how we want to be seen by others Chances are we know what we don't want, even if our "wants" aren't clearly defined However, when faced with the myriad furniture styles available, we're often overwhelmed and unable to say, "That one "

Sometimes a professional interior designer is just what we need to help us make decisions, reconcile our private and public images, and live happily ever after

For example, chents of Ed Postif, president of Edward Postif Inc, a Plymouth-based interior design firm, recently bought a ranch home in a subdivision, built sometime in the 1980s Ardent golfers, the couple wanted their contemporary-style home to have the convivial

**M**"The most important factor in a successful design is a design flow that runs through the What is your definition of a house and represents the owners' personality."

> Mark Morganroth president of Sherwood Studios

club house

"We decided to create a combination library-dining room The clients only used the dining room once a year, for Thanksgiving, and then they only had one guest," says Postif

"To create an intimate, friendly. conversation area with a pub look, I used sage-green velvet on a custom-made banquette and on two antique chairs The large TV was installed in a custombuilt unit made of old barn pine wood "

#### Complementary

Postif used arts-and-crafts furniture and William Morris fabrics throughout the house Although the furniture and fabric designs were popular in the late 19th century, the strong and simple lines

warmth that they enjoyed in the of the furniture style, accented by prominent oak grain, complement the contemporary architectural style of the home while adding warmth and character The fabric designs, typically in quiet greens, gold, ruddy madder reds and deep indigo blues, add a note of

quiet elegance to the pared-down

integrity of the furniture "I like to incorporate antiques to finish a room," says Postif 'When we've selected upholstered pieces and rugs, I'll add English or French or early American pieces,,a chair or a side table perhaps, to add character and warmth The patina of oldness httle cracks, dark old brass, and duller finishes - contrasts with shiny new pieces and adds a sense of history"

French antiques generally are "Provincial" - rustic country

pieces - or the classic Louis XV XVI, or Empire Louis pieces typically have curving lines, and decorative add ons, such as bouquets, baskets of flowers, swirls and scrolls Definitely luxurious, they're also delicately proportioned and airy in feeling

Empire pieces were a product of the Napoleonic era Napoleon wanted to disassociate himself from royalty, but he also wanted his regime to have historical antecedents Empire style draws on the Roman Empire for inspiration, and is characterized by clas sical lines, columns and laurel wreaths, and the Napoleonic bee Often, there are gold touches

Traditional 18th century English taste ran to large, chunky, dark furniture pieces designed by Adam, Chippendale and Sheraton during this era are orderly, symmetrical, and architectural Very classic and clean, they often feature columns, pedi ments, or fretwork Early in the 18th century, walnut was commonly used for furniture, but in mid-century, when trading with

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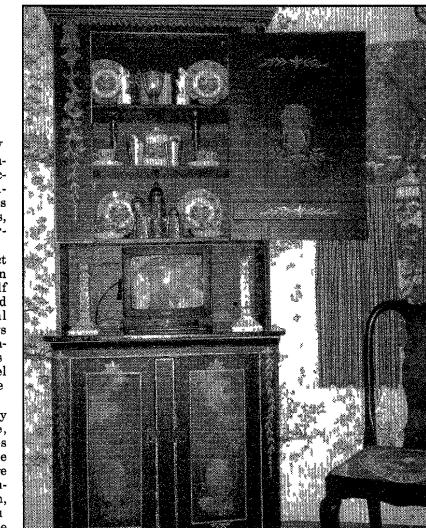


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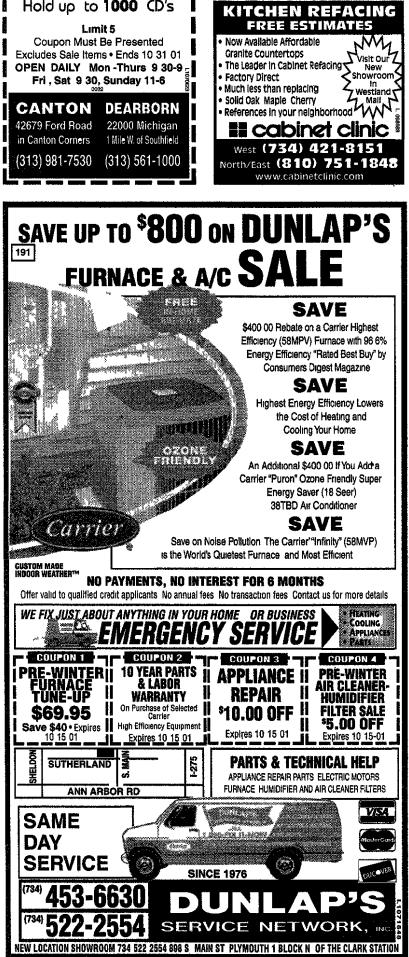
A friendly area: Ed Postif used sage-green velvet on a custom-made banquette and on two antique chairs to create an intimate, friendly conversation area The large television was installed in a custom-built unit made of old barn pine wood



#### Dining from page J3

wood, mahogany and poplar Softwoods include cedar, cypress,

final touch of beauty to wood fur niture Clean finishes allow the markings and grain variations of naturally beautiful woods to show through Tinted or opaque finishes change the color of the wood, Finishes can vary the look of a piece, making it appear smooth and sophisticated or



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Kevin Konat, owner of Classic Interiors

local outlets including Newton Furniture offers two tone tables including 62 colors with 92 options such as mixing dark cherry table legs with a maple

top Broyhill offers Richmond Hill, an 18th Century styling, that adds Georgian grace with wood solids and select cherry veneers "Time proves that simple ele

267 N Main Street Plymouth

gance lasts,' according to the Broyhill Web site For a more casual look Saloom

Fur inture combines nature into a hirdcrafted piece Clay and ground rock are pressed into porcelain tiles and help create a beautiful table top from either a Garden Path or River Stone pattern The piece is available at Walker Buzenberg in Plymouth

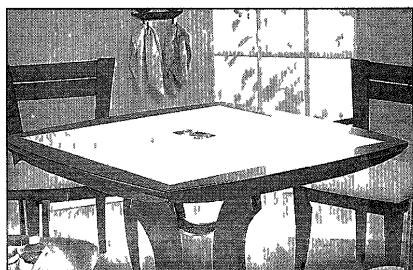


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**Pressed rock and clay:** Bring a riverbed or garden path into your home with a new line from Saloom H niture, a manufacturer of casual dining furniture. Earth and clay are pressed into tiles





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ished, mahogany became the wood of choice

Postif frequently turns to Chris Pray, owner of Europe Direct Warehouse in Ferndale for antique furniture and small pieces Franklin resident Prav travels to Europe several times a year to replenish his stock of British and French antiques His workshop also provided the custom banquette and barn wood TV unit for Postif's clients

"It's the best place I know to find a big selection of excellent pieces at excellent prices," says Postif

According to Mark Morgenroth, ASID, president of Sherwood Studios in West Bloomfield Township, most people have a theme, such as contemporary, traditional or eclectic, in mind when they decide to decorate

#### Show your theme

"The most important factor in a successful design is a design flow that runs through the house and represents the owners' personality," says Morgenroth

"Years ago, most design was traditional, but within the past ten years, there's been a trend towards warm contemporary It's characterized by straight lines, no carving or columns on the wood, no skirt on the sofa Earlier contemporary was colder and starker, employing polyester lacquer finishes and, often, formi ca "

Today's contemporary style uses rosewood, mahogany or nat ural oak with a clear finish It's apt to have rounded arms and puffier cushions

An earlier contemporary sofa may have been covered in leather but today's Ultrasuede is warmer than leather and says Morgenroth, 'Nothing wears or cleans as well as Ultrasuede

Traditional furniture which still has many proponents is more detailed and is character zed by a more handcrafted 1 (k than contemporary W d stained with a matte finish The the tables S of and chairs are lives

the Caribbean colonies flour- II "Once, nobody would have dreamed of putting an heirloom table next to a modern sofa. But if the pieces are of good design, it's ideal for a lived-in look."

> Bill Wolf owner of Newton Furniture

stain gives a softer look espe cially when a special brush is used to add black dots, adding a "distressed" look to make the furniture seem older and mel lower

"Most of my clients are refer rals," says Morgenroth "They've seen my work in friends' homes. and they liked what they saw

#### What do you like?

'When they come to the studio, I ask them what they liked and didn t like about the house they had seen I also visit their house and we chat about their lifestyle Then we walk through the studio and they tell me what pieces they like and which they don't like Invariably they will pick a certain style

Based on what they tell me and what I ve observed, I'll put together a design scheme Some times a client will tweak it a lit tle, but they almost always accept the overall scheme

Bill Wolf, CEO of Newton Fur niture in Livonia has observed that his clients are getting away from super casual and veering towards transitional a combina tion of traditional and country

Once, nobody would have dreamed of putting an heirloom table next to a modern sofa' says Wolf 'But if the pieces are of good design it's ideal for a lived in look Country is coming back but its not as precious as it was in an earlier incarnation It has a more handcrafted look than other styles

American country is character ized by simple and honest lines made of words like pine maple 1 1 ĮĮ  $^{\rm ch}$ Ł

high backed with ruffled skirts Rustic country is more rough hewn and basic the hunting lodge look, or southwestern or Mexican designs are examples

European country styles were often adaptations of sophisticat ed urban or court furniture adapted to country living Styles vary from the painted light woods of Swedish country to the warm wood tones of Provence Italy or England

#### Finding the look

Like Shakespeare Wayne Bondi, staff interior designer at Gorman's Fine Furniture, Troy refers to the ages of man, win nowing the Bard's seven to three 'Young people want the look' Comfort means nothing They'll sit on boards of they per ceive it's in Their look is con temporary, period Slee leather, no frills for this group Sleek,

"Young families want furni ture that's indestructible and dirtproof Comfort is nice, but its a bonus They want some thing that will last practically forever, or until the youngest goes to college A favorite piece for this group is the "chair and a half" Under 60 inches it's just the right size for a mother and small child

Finally, the kids are gone and comfort is the main thing Warm traditional is popular with this group A clear line sofa not too bulky, with a damask or woven cover Often they ll finish the new décor with an ornate accent piece such as a large gilded mirror with carved pediments in the Italian Renais nie vle I la recetion the lit stac 1



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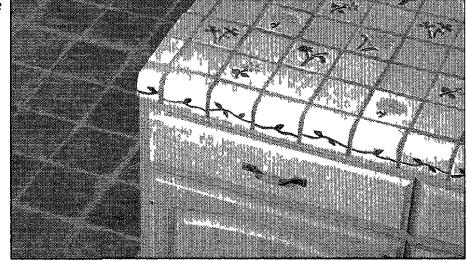
Get it straight: Most people have a theme, such as contemporary, traditional or eclectic, in mind when they decide to decorate Warm contemporary is characterized by straight lines and no carving or columns on wood.







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#### BY CORINNE ABATT SPECIAL WRITER

Choosing tile for your home can be an awesome task

The good news 1s there's lots of exciting tile out there and plenty of experts willing to help you make wise choices

Michigan boasts a strong tile tradition, due in large part to the influence of the historic Pewabic Pottery of Detroit Today, many tile showrooms are located in the areas of Wayne and Oakland counties, offering everything from tumbled marble and slate to highly glazed ceramic tile

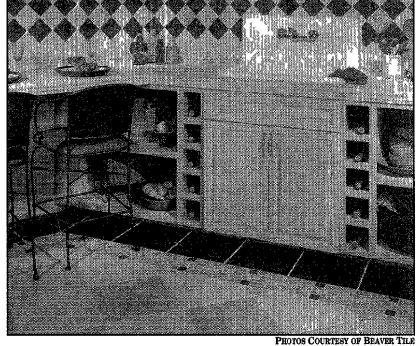
Nancy Coucke, showroom manager for Virginia Tile in Farmington Hills, said there are "no rules" on what you can mix

"We're seeing a lot of mixing of materials - metal with slate, glass with slate, ceramic or tumbled marble with slate, Coucke said

'In the kitchen, tumbled mar ble for the backsplash can be combined with granite countertops and a tile- covered center island " The tile island in the showroom display is topped in a brilliant, indigo blue, edged in white with a small green motif running through it

"There's tile to fit every lifestyle, French country, contemporary - any period," Coucke said "There's also a trend toward using larger size tiles, even for backsplashes These require less grouting and the larger the tile you use, the larger the space will look, especially on the floor "

Many tiles come in multiple sizes Customers may even design their own tile floor "rugs" for a particular area Choose plain tile for the background, edge the rug in a coordinating color and design a center medallion or deep border There are some stunning examples to start your creative juices flowing



It's natural Thinking retro? Florida Tile's Ankara Portfolio provides lots of options for creating the look of the past.

#### **Popular produce**

While scenes of fruits and vegetables for kitchens remain popular, people are always thinking about resale in this area, she added "The Midwest is conservative, much more so than the West Coast, for instance,<sup>2</sup> Coucke said

The wholesale-only Beaver Tile showroom in Farmington Hills will, if your builder or contractor sends you there, make you feel like a kid in a huge candy store

Linda Fawkes said the showroom is arranged by color Fawkes likes to ascertain a customer's taste and style before touring them through what is truly a dazzling array of products There are more than 80 drawers of still life and figurative designs, if you decide to go with pictures on tile

"Right now stone and nostal gia are big' Fawkes said 'The stone look is classical

"People like color, but are afraid of it Anything with nature is very popular, especially in Michigan

For those with summer and/or retirement homes up north, tiles with pine branch motifs, acorns, Michigan fish, birds and flowers are golden

Whatever period your home and decor, it's there, with retro among the most requested Want to recreate the look of small black and white mosaic tile in a turn-of-the-century house? It's there Love the look of Florida Art Deco from the '20's and '30s? No problem

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## Customers now have more choices in kitchen cabinets

#### BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI SPECIAL WRITER

Since most of us spend more waking hours in our kitchens than anywhere else in the house, it's not surprising that we pour a lot of our decorating energies in the cabinets and accessories

"There's still some movement toward contemporary designs, but I think the traditional, solid woods, like the light maple, cher ry and light oaks are taking over right now,' said John DeGiulio, owner of DeGiulio Kitchens in Dearborn

There are many more accessories today, with features like lazy susans, two tied dividers

and desks in the kitchen com plete with hanging filing sys tems

"Kitchens are much more customer oriented than they ever used to be, because the customer is so much more aware" said Loreen Keeth, vice president of Top Shop in Farmington Hills 'You have to make the kitchen fit the homeowner and their way of life It's an individual thing And each one is styled to that individual '

Choices abound today com pared to 15 years ago, she said, when customers chose from either white cabinets or light, medium or dark oak

"All of a sudden there are col

ors and different styles of wood " Keeth said

"People gravitate toward the new Kitchens are much more fun than they used to be You're allowed a lot more creativity You're not locked into some body's idea of what it should be "

Most moms don't stay in the kitchen eight hours a day, seven days a week anymore, Keeth added

The kitchen has become cen tral base for crafts, homework entertaining and time to relax around a fireplace to appreciate the warmth of home and family "It's the core of the family and

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**Clean and bright:** This kitchen is warm and inviting with the smooth grain of Brighton maple cabinets offered through HomeCrest Cabinetry

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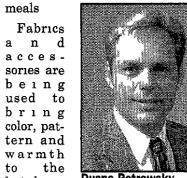
#### Kitchen

Today's consumers are looking for comfort and function, as well as style, when selecting furnish ings for the kitchen

It is important to select the correct size and shape dinette table for the space There should be a minimum of 30 inches walk ing space around the table -36inches is ideal

Maple and cherry for cabinetry and flooring seem to be the cur rent woods of choice Light, clear finishes have become very popu lar Consumers are opting for dinette sets with more than one finish Painted finishes and col ored stains in combination with woods that blend with cabinetry and flooring are a popular trend

Family dining habits have changed dramatically in recent years Meal time has become much more casual The designs of kitchens have changed as a coul Mi E deis i e incor pointing enting spaces built into the counters for on the run



 $\mathbf{the}$ **Duane Petrowsky** kıtchen Fabrics for window treatments and seat cushions bring warmth and color to the area Accessories on tabletops, walls, counters,

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Longevity is key in the mind of the dining furniture buyer Homeowners are looking for styles that will transcend time and stay in style through chang ing trends Because of this tra ditional and transitional styling remain popular

and above cabinets give the

kitchen life and personality

For a more formal look tradi

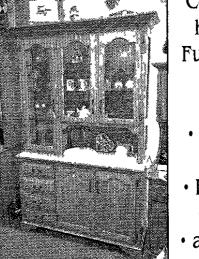
tional styles with carving in darker woods that resemble European antiques are used In contrast, cleaner lines and sim ple detailing keep the Louis Phillipe style in demand for those wanting the look and feel of understated elegance

Today's consumers are becom ing more comfortable mixing dif ferent styles in the same room. It is no longer required to buy an entire matching dining room set Rather than a standard china cabinet many people are choos ing sideboards with accessories and artwork to add interest and character to the dining room

In smaller rooms where the use of a china cabinet is pro hibitive, scaled down non tradi tional dining pieces such as hand painted secretaries curios and chests are being introduced These accent pieces supply stor age and display space as well as a warm and comfortable dining atmosphere

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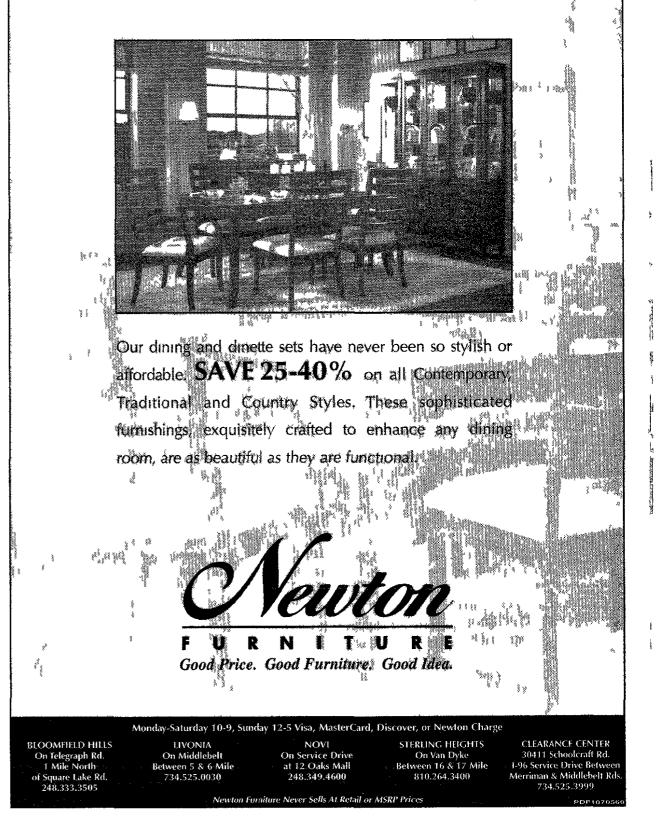


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## Dine in Style



# *Fabulou*: FURNITURE Appliances integrated into kitchen cabinets

#### BY LISA LUCKOW-HEALY SPECIAL WRITER \*

The days of mainstream appliance choices have given way to popular brands now boasting professional lines that emulate high-end kitchen designs Even high-end manufacturers are appealing to a wider audience

with a greater array of models to look and feel suit a multitude of needs

General Electric advertises its Monogram Collection featuring commercial type stainless steel appliances This relatively new line of appliances can also be discreetly integrated into cabinetry for a high-end kitchen type of

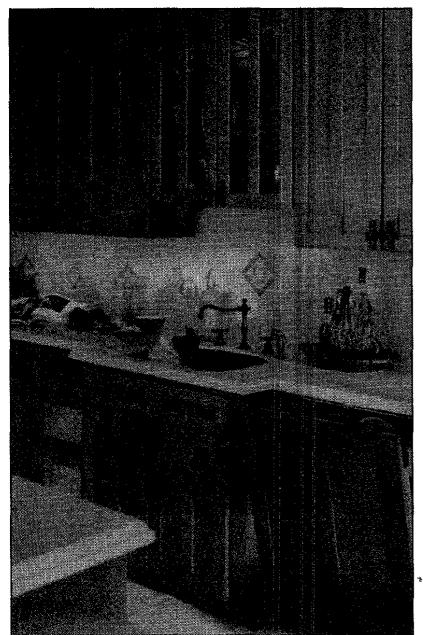


PHOTO COURTESY EXPO DESIGN CENTER **Streamlined:** This built-in Bosch dishwasher. found at EXPO Design Center, allows a more streamlined look

"One of the biggest trends in kitchen design is hiding appliances using panels that match the kitchen cabinetry," said Stephen Kuch, kitchen and bath specialist, KSI Kitchen & Bath Showrooms in Livonia "The customer wants to make the kitchen look as if no appliances are apparent "

Sears features Kenmore, its own brand of appliances Kenmore has a new line called Kenmore Elite This is the premium line of kitchen and laundry appliances Sears claims will provide high performance without sacrificing the value Kenmore customers have come to expect from the brand

Kenmore Elite products are being marketed as those with high-end features and more contemporary styling Sears designed the line with Kenmore French Curve styling to mirror what the company claims is a European trend to softer-looking, contoured appliances

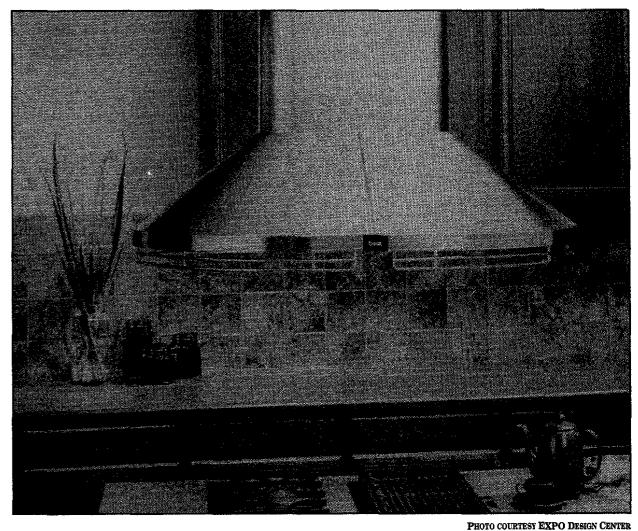
Bosch, a high-end German appliance brand, now features 24 dishwasher models to suit a wide range of budget and styling needs Bosch dishwashers have come to be recognized for their quietness, energy efficiency and cleaning performance

Bosch appliances are more expensive, but boast a reputation for quality and performance that often outweighs the need for competitors' trendy, less expensive offerings

The built-in look is another trend in appliances Brands such as Sub-Zero and Kitchen Aid feature premium, built-in home refrigeration But consumers can also find the built-in look with less expensive brands

Appliance trends are constantly changing to meet consumer needs

"Customers are asking for built-in refrigerators, wall ovens and microwaves slide in ranges and professional looking lines said John Hillawi appliance manager, EXPO Design Center in West Bloomfield



Stylish hood: A ventilation hood like this free-standing Best Island hood from EXPO Design Center is a design element all its own

One of the biggest trends in kitchen design is hiding appliances using panels that match the kitchen cabinetry. The customer wants to make the kitchen look as if no appliances are apparent.'

> Stephen Kuch kitchen and bath specialist at KSI Kitchen and Bath

"Many people are matching appliances to their cabinetry by using trim panels Stainless steel is another preferred appli ance surface Black confes in sec ond as many countertops now feature darker colors '

According to Kuch, trends in kitchen design to compliment appliances have their positives

said

"It houses steam when a per son leaves a coffeemaker on inside the garage The steam from the coffeemaker can dam age the inside wood ceiling of the garage On the flipside, the appliance garage helps hide small appliances

#### 'Many people are matching appliances to their cabinetry by using trim panels.'

John Hillawi appliance manager at EXPO Design Center

up lots of counter space," Kuch convenience and the kitchen space savings

'From a design standpoint, the customer is only losing 3 inches of upper cabinetry space in a standard kitchen

New appliance trends show case exciting designs and a multitude of choices But the ongoing trend is quite clear The end result is still dependent on the "The appliance garage, a tomers love over-the-range customer's personal preferences

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and negatives

Kuch also said that many cuskitchen cabinet accessory, takes microwave ovens for the sake of and budget



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the core of the home," Keeth said

When planning a new kitchen or making changes to an old one, it's important to identify the space that will be used and it's important to decide if you want an open or closed area, according to an Internet Web site, www homestore com

"Some serious cooks are appalled by the idea of a space where they can't concentrate in solitude, or where messy pots are in view," the Web site said

"The two main poles in kitchen style are country and contemporary Beyond that, there are period, geographical, romantic, gourmet and eclectic styles '

#### Oak cabinets popular

Styles come and go, but Dave Stapleton, owner of New Concept in Livonia, said oak kitchen cabinets have been "popular for 100 years and probably will be for another 100 years "

The lighter oaks are more popular than the dark More and more people are asking for glazed finishes on their cabinets They start with a stained wood and take either a darker or lighter stain as a contrasting color that gets picked up in the crevices

Distressing the wood and making it look antique is another popular technique

The other extreme would be the very clean, very polished look using things like aluminum accents," Waller said "You can pretty much create anything that you want "

Light maple and other natural looking woods are making their way into a growing number of homes, Stapleton added

Cherry is another popular wood that a lot of homeowners are asking for, according to Carmen Hancock, president and owner of Kitchen Plus in Livonia

While white is still popular in kitchens, Hancock doesn't see it as a current trend She does, however, hear a lot more people asking for creams and light

#### **II** 'The No. 1 question is: "Can you get me more room in my existing kitchen?" '

Dave Stapleton owner, New Concept Kitchens & Bath

toned yellow on their cabinets

Homeowners are also looking for convenience by adding loads of accessories to their kitchens that ultimately make their lives a lot easier, like roll-out trays and shelves, fold-out pantry racks for pans and lazy susans in all sizes Roll-out trash containers with a multitude of bins for recycling are requested a lot, too, Stapleton added

The number one question is 'Can you get me more room in my existing kitchen?" " he added

Efficient design patterns to make the most of an area is essential Builders sometimes are more concerned about cost and less focused on whether or not they're creating space that can't be used, Stapleton added

#### Start with work triangle

"I always start by trying to get the work triangle," he said "The triangle consists of the sink, stove and refrigerator We're looking for the most convenient set up for the person working in the kitchen '

Gail Fefkorn, sales manager for Kitchen Suppliers, Inc with showrooms all over metro-Detroit including Canton, Livonia and Waterford, has seen a lot more homeowners adding glass accents to their kitchens

"Your countertops – going to Corian or granite – really puts in a nice touch, too," Fefkorn said adding that moldings also play a big role in making the kitchen look stylish

Homeowners are looking for high end, rich effects

"In the past we used to sell far more entry level type cabinets in the showroom," she said "Cus tomers are taking their equity and putting it into their homes

They're going for custom and semi-custom cabinets

"Believe it or not, even though everyone says sales are down, maybe the traffic isn't what it used to be, but people are spend-ing money," Fefkorn said "They're making their homes, their homes and giving it a nice custom look '

Homeowners are also opting for highly decorative cabinets with elaborate trims, moldings and appliqués

This trend is also seen in the Tuscany-style kitchen, known for a tremendous amount of detail, especially in the cooking area around the range It calls for decorative housing for the ventilation system and it lends itself to more bulky looking cabinets

#### Islands in the kitchen

Islands have become as common in kitchens as the sink They come in all different styles and colors and take up more space than they did in the past One island type gives the

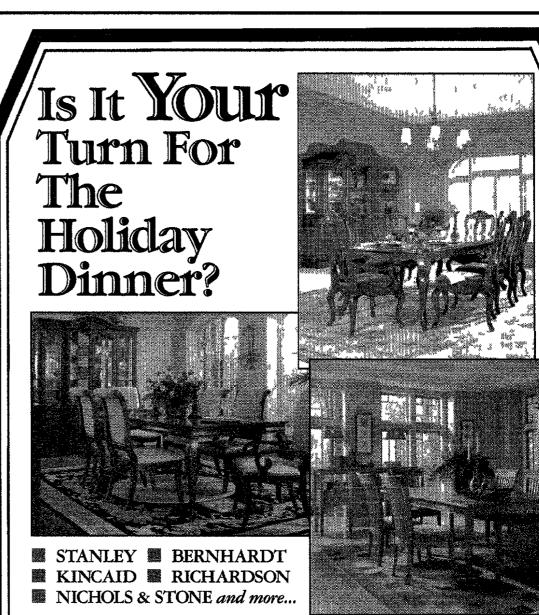
appearance of floating, because they're placed on bun legs so the cabinets don't go to the floor

"The one thing that doesn't change in the kitchen, is that it is still very much the heart of the home," Hancock said "Families are smaller and kitchens are becoming larger to accommodate activities, eating and entertaining Everyone still ends up in the kıtchen

Do your homework about what is available so you won't be disappointed after the job is done, DeGiulio advises

"The important thing is to visit the showrooms before you decide on anything Get some design expertise with in-home consultations and see the designs before you actually buy They must see the door sample, and they should have a design before they buy the kitchen '

DeGiulio also sees more and more kitchens designed for two people When the husband and wife are working they also share the duties of cooking he said



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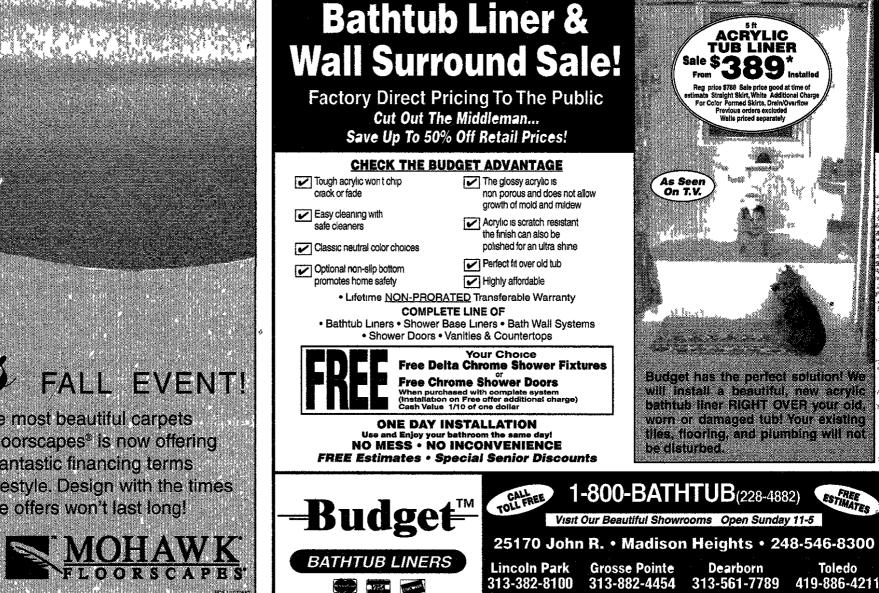
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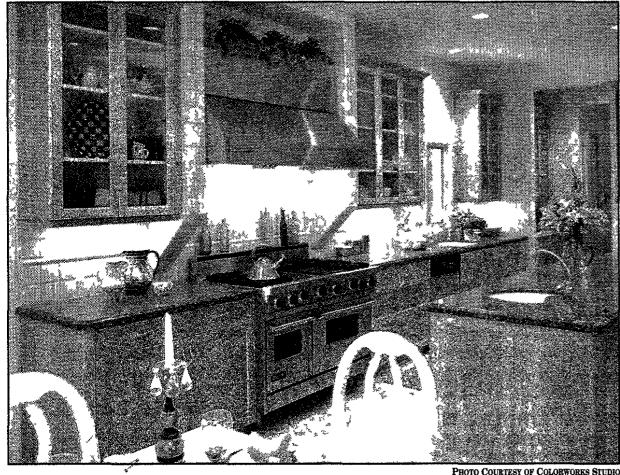
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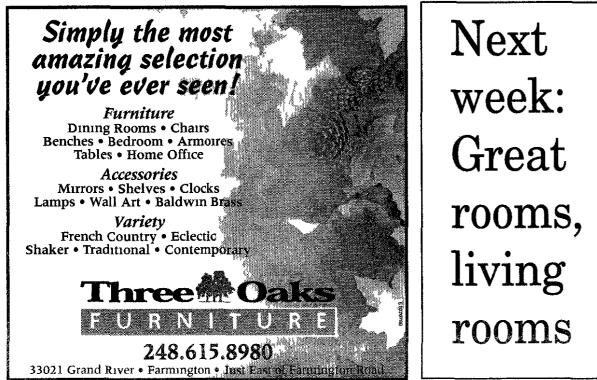
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**Country French:** This kitchen features textured tile on backsplash, with stainless steel appliances and granite counters



## Make your rooms vibrant with these flooring options

## BY KEN ABRAMCZYK STAFF WRITER kabramczyk@oe.homecomm.net

When homeowners want to truly add dynamic looks to their home, they often look down at the floor

Flooring options remain as varied as homes themselves, especially in the kitchen where wood, ceramic tile and laminates can be used In the dining room wood and carpet remain popular

The dining rooms is one of those rooms that can stand out in a home, says Mike Riley, owner of Dalley Carpet stores in Livonia and Canton

"The dining room, along with the bathroom, are places where people can get a little more daring with colors," said Rilev "It's not uncommon for homeowners to use dark green, dark red and dark blue on the wall, so they use colors in the carpet to match "

Textures are used often to conceal footprints, Riley said Borders also are used in a formal setting, said Riley "They might have a floral print in the center, then a solid color on the border," Riley said

Luanne Acevedo, a sales representative at the Tile Shop in Farmington Hills, said her company sells a lot of a natural stone tile for dinettes and kitchens, and it's even used in the dining room

"We're seeing a lot of limestone, used with a little bit of marble and granite," Acevedo said "It's very popular, because of its natural look It's kind of rustic looking and very elegant " Some limestone features traces of fossils and shells in the rocks

#### Kitchens

Customers also prefer the neu tral tones in the kitchen and porcelain tiles said Acevedo Porcelain is more durable and

flexible than ceramic " Acevedo said When ceramic tiles chip. you will see a red clay color When porcelain chips, you will see the (tile's) same color

Homeowners also place the tiles in a diagonal pattern for a change of pace, and often the floor contains granite and marble tiles for a change of pace, Acevedo said

Popular porcelain tiles are the Pietra Dorata, a grayish, natural toned tile, the Cairo Porcelain, containing pink and rose tones, and the Basalito Biacca, which has a rough finish with white tones and neutral colors, Acevedo said

Hardwoods, laminates, vinyl sheet goods and even cork are popular in the kitchen and dinette areas, Riley said

"The gloss level of the vinyl looks better than it did at one time," said Riley "Now they're making vinyl look like ceramic tile and hardwood The vinyls made by Armstrong and Congoleum now have a natural stain and natural tile look "

#### Get out wet mop

Laminate is popular because you can wet mop the floor "You can't wet mop hardwood, and they have a look of ceramic or wood," Riley said

Laminate floor is comprised of an inner core and an outer layer of wood or plastic veneer that can simulate wood, marble or granite

Gray and terra cotta are popular laminate colors, Riley said

Engineered hardwoods are different from the 3/4-inch hardwoods "When you put in the 3/4 inch wood, it's difficult to pull out your dishwasher to service it," Riley said "Engineered floors are not as thick '

Floors are pre-finished, but customers can order it unfinished

"Finishes contain aluminum oxide which makes a very hard finish on the floor said Riley That s where they are going with finishes performance and

durability'

Choices run the gamut with maple, oak, ash and hickory

With ceramic tile, customers want the larger tiles of 12-by-12inch and 24-by-24-inch "The" look is more natural and you" have less grout With a bigger". tile, you have less grout and less maintenance," Riley said

Then there's cork floors, comparable in price to ceramic tiles Cork floors are extremely durable, they are more forgiving and easier on your legs," Riley said

#### Hardwoods popular

Of course, you can take a walk on the wild side with exotic hardwoods Oak and maple remain the most popular domes-~ tic choices for wood floors, according to Cole Martin, presi-... dent of BeaverHome com, but there is great interest in the new? exotics from South America BeaverHome com offers hardwood flooring online That Web? site works with a Brazilian com-3pany that is in complete compliance with the principles and cri---teria of the Forest Stewardship Council to help protect re-... forestation of native Brazilian".~ trees

"Jatoba is the russet color ofautumn leaves, while Macaranduba 15 somewhat darker," Mar-... tın saıd Jatoba ıs a Brazılıan" cherry, while macaranduba is" also known as ironwood

"Both are three times harderthan oak, so you can imagine. how durable and low-maintenance they are

Tere Bresin, a New Jersey designer, said hardwood flooring has skyrocketed in popularity since the early 1990s

"Hardwood floors are classic and classy They are clean looking, natural and warm, and they suit every decor They are also easy care and doctors may rec ommend them because they don't trap animal dander dust, pollen and other allergens



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#### BY MARY KLEMIC STAFF WRITER

Wine cabinets have come out of the cellar

Today's wine enthusiasts can store wine in units that are attractive and functional, sophisticated in both appearance and technology

A customer can select a unit in the Sub-Zero 400 Series in wood or stainless steel The metal shelves are rustproof and have wood facing Some units include a shelf that tilts slightly toward the front so bottles can be displayed

"(A unit) can be totally integrated in cabinetry, or under a counter," said Ginger Trevarrow, at the Trevarrow showroom in Auburn Hills

The storage pieces are at home in a kitchen, bar area, recreation room, walk-through entertainment area or butler's pantry

The series features humidity control – to prevent corks from drying out – ultraviolet-resistant glass doors and a service alert indicator Doors also come in a solid style The units can tie in to the security system of a residence

Each unit has two separate temperature zones that can be set between 38 and 65 degrees Fahrenheit Wine that is being prepared for serving that day can be kept in one section while other wines can be kept in a different section for long-term stor-

## If '(A unit) can be totally integrated in cabinetry, or under a counter.'

Ginger Trevarrow

Wine storage units fit many rooms

age The smallest model in Sub-Zero's series is the five-shelf, under the counter unit that holds 46 bottles The largest model stores a total 147 bottles

on 14 shelves In between are a 14-shelf unit that holds 132 bottles, and a model that features a two-drawer base for additional food and beverage storage The latter holds 78 bottles and has a display shelf for six bottles

Suggested retail prices range from \$1,900 to \$4,500

Kenmore offers a 2 5 cubic foot wine storage model – 26 inches high and 18-5/8 inches wide – that fits quarter- and half-barrel kegs The unit is priced at \$245

"It's self-defrost There's no freezer at all," said Larry Grace, refrigeration specialist at Sears at Oakland Mall in Troy "It's insulated well"

Wine storage units to be built into walls can be special ordered through KitchenAid, Grace said Features include canted wine racks to hold 60 bottles The cost is around \$500

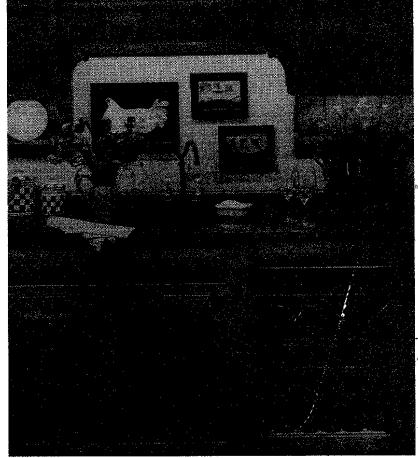


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**Undercounter:** Designed for undercounter use, Sub-Zero's smallest wine storage unit has five shelves and a 46-bottle capacity

## Add a designer's touch to your home

Adding a creative designer touch to your room is easy Mak ing that designer look reflect your own personal style is even easier Using a designer painting technique can give your room a professional look and reflect your personality – without the profes sional price Sponging and ragging are two popular painting techniques that use multiple colors Deciding which colors look best doesn't need to be a difficult task By using the Color Key System at your local Devoe/Fuller-O'Brien paint store, you can combine col ors that create a mood and a personal touch

The Color Key System divides colors into natural harmonizing

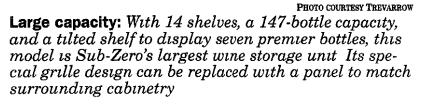
mood palettes of "warm" and "cool' Whatever paint combina tion you pick, you can be sure it will harmonize You can be creative daring and have confidence that the colors match And your room will have a designer feel

Now that you ve picked some colors its time to paint The punting techn que sponging blends colors and gives the room the feeling of an impressionist

#### painting

When sponge painting first put on the basecoat and let it dry

After the paint is dry, use a finatural sea sponge available at your local paint store and damp en it in water Then touch the side of the sponge to the paint and blot it on some newspaper This will prevent your sponge from depositing too much paint on the wall





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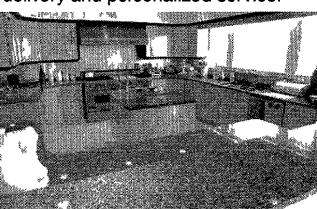
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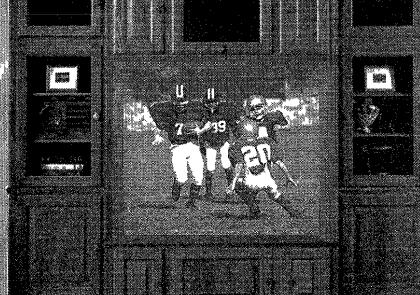
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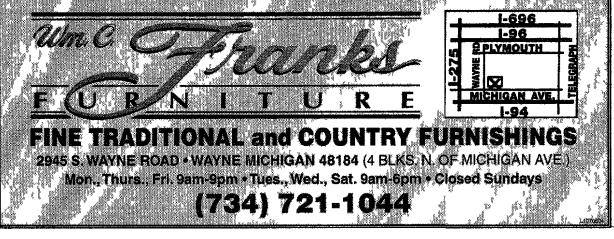
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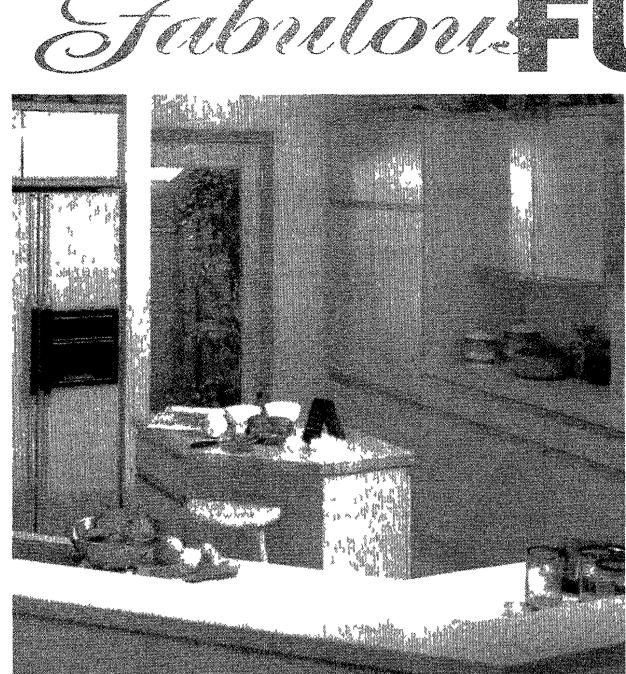
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Laminate: Laminate countertops and backsplashes are popular This is Sonnet's almond laminate

## RNTU Countertop, backsplashes can make a kitchen look marvelous

#### BY LISA LUCKOW-HEALY SPECIAL WRITER

Say good-bye to a lackluster surface and hello to variety and mix of textures

Homeowners are beginning to appreciate the special effects of glass, metal and tumbled stone on countertops and backsplash-

They are also opening their eyes to using two different materials together for a more interesting mix and, at the same time, a cost savings

"I don't think there's a rule of thumb to what you do with your countertop and backsplash mate rials," said Phyllis Schoenherr of Beaver Tile in Rochester "It's about what people like in color and texture

"Tumbled stone with glass and metal give your kitchen that mix of textures for excitement Some materials give off the look of fabric when mixed with simple surfaces '

According to Schoenherr, customers are seeing more hand painted tiles Beaver Tile features an artist who does just

who collects Depression glass," Schoenherr said "She had a big Hoosier Our tile artist painted tiles to pick up this theme in blues and soft grays

look is something people enjoy looking at They want special backsplashes Very few cus tomers I've worked with stick to a monochromatic look

Granite and limestone are two other popular, hard, natural sur faces Kitchen and bath stores and tile distributors are seeing these materials used all the way from the countertop surface into the backsplash for ease of main tenance

"When my customers turn to me for advice, I often suggest using granite or Corian on the island surface, and a laminate or other type of surface on the countertops and backsplashes for and interesting mix, and a cost savings," said Carrie Adams, CKD, Kurtis Kitchen and Bath Centers in Livonia

"Customers are also doing a lot of fun things with tile inserts and patterns for variety, and oftentimes, better wearability '

Laminate countertops and backsplashes are still popular particularly for budget conscious consumers However, many peo ple are getting away from the high-laminate look in favor of

"There are so many variances to every surface design choice ' said Gary Henley, kitchen designer, Farmington Cabinet

"I think the handpainted tile Co Inc 'The majority of our jobs are laminate or Corian, but many of my customers are working with tile or tumbled marble

'Often, they don't know enough about these surfaces and how to integrate them into their kitchen design It's my job to point out new products and choices I can show a customer a beveled edge laminate countertop if that's what his or her budget can afford

"It's like shopping for a computer - you don't always know what you need so you explain your needs '

Henley said the average cost of a simple, U shaped kitchen surface with a Corian countertop and sink (not including the backsplash) with installation is approximately \$5 000 to \$5,500 The same kitchen in a laminate surface not including the sink or backsplash is in the \$1,500 range

'Resale wise Corian, tile, tumbled marble and granite are good values," Henley said

Schoenherr believes that when customers comes to Beaver Tile. decision

limestone for example they want us to help them put the design - the color and texture together," Schoenherr said

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