

THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY

City meets: *The Plymouth City Commission meets in its regular session beginning at 7 p.m. in the commission chambers at City Hall, Church and Main streets.*

TUESDAY

State of the community: *The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce hosts its annual State of the Community breakfast at St. John's Golf and Conference Center. Scheduled speakers include Plymouth Township Supervisor Steve Mann and Mayor Bill Graham. Breakfast will be served promptly at 7:30 a.m. For more information, call (734) 453-1540.*

FRIDAY

MDOT coming: *Rob Morosi of MDOT will conduct a press conference and answer questions about construction plans for the metro Detroit area and road projects in Plymouth specifically at 3:15 p.m. on the lower level of the Plymouth Historical Museum. The public is invited.*

Blood drive: *The American Red Cross is holding a blood drive at the Plymouth District Library from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday, March 22. Call Barb at (734) 453-0750 for any questions.*

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Filling up: *The once-nearly empty Essco Square strip at the corner of Ann Arbor Road and Sheldon is filling up, with three new businesses already in and two more reportedly on the way*

Business boom

New stores add to Plymouth's climate

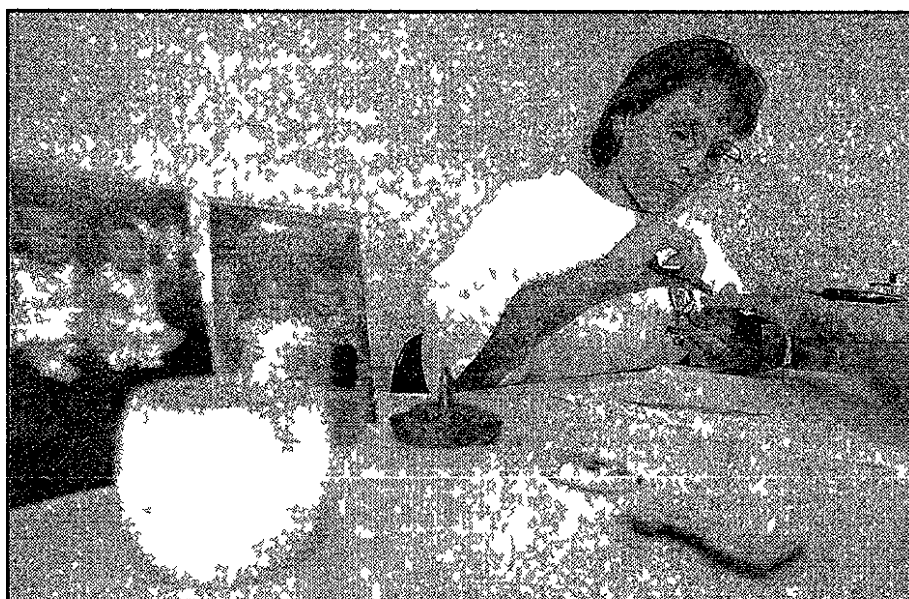
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With a new Downtown Development Authority on its way and empty storefronts filling up fairly quickly, you could pardon Plymouth Township Supervisor Steve Mann for feeling pretty good about the business climate in his world right now

The new Sunshine Honda construction is well under way, industrial businesses are flocking to town and even one of the township's sore spots — Essco Square — is rebounding nicely, thank you

"I don't see a whole bunch of empty storefronts," said Mann, elected to his

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STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

Family friendly: *Kim Roulin, owner of American Beauty, does a customer's nails with photos of her children, Kaitlynn and Kurt Jr., close by. The owners want customers to know the new salon is a family business*

Sunshine goes dark at Honda dealer

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Sunshine Honda owner Tom Bohlander was only looking to sell if the right deal came along

Last week, it did

Bohlander, who owned the Ann Arbor Road dealership for more than 20 years, has sold it to Jeff Cappel of Ann Arbor, who owns a 10-store chain called Victory that now includes the Plymouth business

Details of the sale were not

released

Victory also has a Ford dealership in Stockbridge, Mich., and there's a Victory Honda store in Monroe. The proximity to the Monroe location made Plymouth an ideal complement, according to Victory's general manager, Jeff Scott

"We felt that Sunshine Honda is in a great place, and we think the world of Plymouth," Scott said. "It's a great place to do business. The Honda product is a world-class product, and we're excited to be in Plymouth"

The sale won't do anything to stop the move of the dealership from its current location east of Sheldon to its new home east of Main Street. Construction continues on the new site, into which Victory hopes to move next month. That's the first change customers may notice

"Very quickly, we're going to move into that new building," Scott said. "We're hoping to be in there around April 15"

Scott said the other change cus-

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Planners give final OK to Wilcox condo project

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The planning commission has given final approval for the \$18 million condominium complex on the 2.5 acre Wilcox property in downtown Plymouth

D&P Ventures of Detroit will develop two phases on the property. Phase 1 will include four condos on each of the first four floors, with two loft units on the fifth. Phase 2 will be a similar building, however, the condominium units are expected to be larger

"We're very pleased the planning commission has given us approval," said Tom Pomaroli of D&P Ventures. "We're not sure when groundbreaking will be. We have a lot of engineering and other work before we get started"

The city's historical commission and city commissioners still need to give final approval, however, plans are expected to be approved by both

Pomaroli said the cost of the first phase, including infrastructure and a plaza, will be about \$10 million. Phase 2 will cost about \$8 million

Developers say Phase 1 will have mostly entry-level condos, selling for about \$500,000. Phase 2 condos will sell for approximately \$600,000-plus

Phase 3, a 10 condo building along Elizabeth Street, will be constructed at an as-of-yet undetermined date, at an estimated cost of about \$3 million

City commissioners last April gave final approval to original plans of one, five-story building with 35 condo units. However, D&P Ventures scaled back its plans as a result of the economy, from an original 146,000 square feet to just under 125,000 square feet

Pomaroli said his company will refurbish the Wilcox House, estimated to cost between \$500,000-\$750,000. The home is expected to become a single-family residence

Hats tossed into school fray

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An incumbent school board trustee, a former board president and a former school administrator are among those who have tossed their hats into the ring for three seats on the Plymouth-Canton Board of Education in the June election

Nominating petitions are available for registered voters at the E J McClendon Educational Center, located at 454 S. Harvey in Plymouth. Petitions must have a minimum of 20 valid signatures of registered voters in the district

Candidates have until April 8 at 4 p.m. to file their nominating petitions. The last day a candidate can withdraw from the ballot is April 11 at 4 p.m.

Mark Horvath, who was board president the last two years of his term from 1994-1998, is seeking one of the two, four-year seats. Horvath said he will focus on returning the public to the public school process

"We need to get the public engaged in open debate, on both sides (of the issues)," said Horvath, a Canton resident. "We have a board that rubber-stamps things, and doesn't answer the

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DDA board wants 2nd look at bylaws

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The new Plymouth Township Downtown Development Authority board of directors were ready to have the by-laws under which they'll operate approved at Tuesday's board of trustees meeting

But Plymouth Township trustees weren't quite as ready

Instead of approving the by-laws, the township board sent them back to the DDA board for a little tweaking

At issue is the role the township board will play in the hiring, and potential termination, of an executive director of the DDA. Although there is no plan at the moment to hire an executive director, the proposed by-laws allowed the DDA board to "employ and fix the compensation of an executive director," subject to the approval of the township board of trustees

There was also some discussion about whether DDA board members could be removed from the board "at will," or whether just cause must be

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Pampered pooch



STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

Blow dry: *Abby, a Bearded Collie, gets dried off from a fan after a bath at the Perfect Paws pet salon in Plymouth. Owner Shirley Keller has been grooming animals like Abby for 19 years*

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public's questions at meetings. We need to address differences in public and not behind the scenes."

Marcy Staley of Canton, who was appointed by the board to fill the vacancy created when Steve Guile resigned Nov. 30, said she's taken out petitions to run for the one year remaining on the unexpired term.

"I feel like I've just gotten my feet wet the past few months, and feel I can contribute more," said Staley.

"There are a number of issues facing the new board, such as the opening of Plymouth High School, teacher contract negotiations and funding."

Robert Nelson, a Canton resident, has already turned in his petitions to run for a four-year seat.

"In my 18 years of living in Canton, I have been pretty involved at the elementary school level," said Nelson.

"The school district is facing real challenges, such as funding, long range planning and the challenge of maintaining staff."

Also taking out petitions to run for one of the two, four-year

seats is Joanne Lamar of Plymouth.

"I've been active in the district for the past 14 years, and I want to take it to the next level," said Lamar, who resides in Plymouth.

Carol Saunders of Plymouth Township, former adult education coordinator at Starkweather Education Center, will also run for a four-year term.

"Education has been my life and I want to make sure we have the best educational future for our children," Saunders said.

Incumbent Susan Davis earlier announced she will leave after serving eight years on the school board.

Incumbent Darwin Watts has yet to announce whether he'll seek a second four-year term.

The election is scheduled for Monday, June 10, from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Questions concerning petitions or the election can call Elizabeth Adams, the district's elections clerk, at (734) 416-3095.

Clarification

Martha A. Trafford was incorrectly identified as a former Plymouth-Canton School Board member in a tagline on a column in the March 14 newspaper. She is a retired Livonia school teacher. We regret the error.

State of the community

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce hosts its annual State of the Community breakfast Tuesday morning at St. John's Golf and Conference Center.

The scheduled speakers include Plymouth Township Supervisor Steve Mann, Bill Graham, mayor of the City of Plymouth, Wayne County Commissioner Lyn Bankes, and Kathleen Booher, superintendent of Plymouth Canton Community Schools.

Breakfast will be served promptly at 7:30 a.m., with registration starting at 7:15 a.m. Breakfast costs \$8 for chamber members, \$12 for potential members. For more information, call (734) 453-1540.

MDOT coming

Rob Morosi of MDOT will conduct a press conference and answer questions about construction plans for the metro Detroit area and road projects in Plymouth specifically at 3:15 p.m. Friday, March 22 on the lower level of the Plymouth Historical Museum.

"In the spring and throughout the summer, construction becomes a major point of discussion in this area," said State Rep. John Stewart, (R-Plymouth Township), a member of the House Transportation Committee. "This lets people know where the orange barrels are

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going to be. If we know ahead of time what areas are going to be affected, we can plan accordingly."

The public is invited, and is welcome to ask questions.

Spring sale

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce sponsors a two-day "Spring into Plymouth" sale among Plymouth-area retailers March 22-23.

The idea behind the sale is to promote local retailers and provide area shoppers with the opportunity for bargains at their favorite downtown merchants.

"You'll be able to find everything you need to freshen up your home, inside and out," said Fran Toney, the chamber's executive director.

For information on participating stores and other details, call the chamber, (734) 453-1540.

Glass exhibit

Native West of Plymouth sponsors, "The Nature of Glass," its second annual April Glass Exhibit April 1-30.

Native West will feature two artists. Michael Storey uses a combination of bronze and blown glass for his creations, among them diving whales on a glass ocean wave,

sea turtles moving along a glass current and a busy hummingbird on a glass flower. Born in England in 1948, Storey moved to New Zealand and, after finishing school, settled in Australia. He operates studio-foundries in both Australia and in Eugene, Ore.

The other artist is Sara Creekmore of Magdalena, N.M., back for her second year. Creekmore works with fused, blown and lampworked dichroic glass making paperweights, bowls, vases and jewelry, among other things.

"The Nature of Glass" opening reception is set for noon 4 p.m. Saturday, March 30. Other Plymouth participants include Penniman Gallery, York Street Glass and Gabriela's. For information, call (734) 455-8838.

Theater fund-raiser

The Educational Excellence Foundation serving Plymouth-Canton Community Schools sponsors a dinner theater fund-raiser at 6:30 p.m. Friday, March 22.

The evening includes a special dinner in the Plymouth Rock Cafe prepared and served by Culinary Arts students, followed by a performance of *Pippin* from reserved seats in the Gloria Logan Theater. Tickets for the event are \$50 each, with only 100 tickets available.

Proceeds from this event will be used for needed repairs to the theater. Call 420-7010 Monday-Thursday mornings to reserve tickets. The Educational Excellence Foundation is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that funds curricular based projects that enhance teaching and learning in the Plymouth-Canton Schools. EEF is also a fiduciary advisor for scholarships benefiting Plymouth-Canton students.

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position in November 2000 "And the ones you do see don't seem to stay empty for very long"

Businesses certainly don't appear to be shying away from Plymouth In the city, the Mayflower Centre has already attracted Panera Bread and Starbucks The Plymouth Super Center on the north side of Ann Arbor is progressing, and the old Side Street Pub has already reopened as Doyle's Tavern

And in the township, perhaps the best indication of the business climate is the rebound of Essco Square, which until recently had none of its 11 spots empty

But in the last several weeks, three new businesses have opened shop there, and two more are reportedly on the way OK Cleaners and Tobacco & Cellular flank American Beauty, the hair/nails/massage business opened by Kurt and Kim Roulin

"People miss things being in this plaza a lot," said Kim Roulin, 34, a 15 year veteran of the financial care trade

So she and her husband decided to do something about it She has worked for other businesses as a nail technician the last 15 years, and Kurt is a tool-and-die man for Ford They've always wanted to own their own business, and decided the time was right

They got hold of Essco, the plaza's owner, and signed a lease The Roulin's did most of the design work — painting, construction and even building the receptionist's desk — themselves, saving some money in the process

American Beauty opened three weeks ago, offering hair care, nail work tanning and massage therapy, sort of a one-stop shopping destination designed primarily for women

"Only when you provide different services can you make it," Kim Roulin said "We wanted to allow as many services as possible that a woman would want to come to one place for"

And Plymouth Township was the right place for it, according to Kurt Roulin, because there isn't an overabundance of similar businesses

"This is a good location, especially because there isn't anything west of us," said Kurt, a Plymouth native and 1988 graduate of Salem High School "It's a fun business to own Everyone comes in here in a good mood, and they

leave in a better mood"

The resurgence of Essco Square — in addition to the three new businesses, Blimpie's and AAA Michigan are reportedly moving in — at the corner of Sheldon and Ann Arbor Road one of the township's most visible corners, has Mann feeling better

"It's been a concern for over a year," Mann said of the previously empty look of the plaza "You certainly don't want the appearance of a half-empty strip It doesn't speak well of the community's business atmosphere, especially at one of our primary locations"

The mood is also pretty good at Victory Honda, where the new owners are settling in after purchasing the 20-year-old auto dealership from Tom Bohlander Though no one is disclosing the figures in the sale — finalized last week — it's pretty clear new owner Jeff Cappo and his team think they made a solid business decision

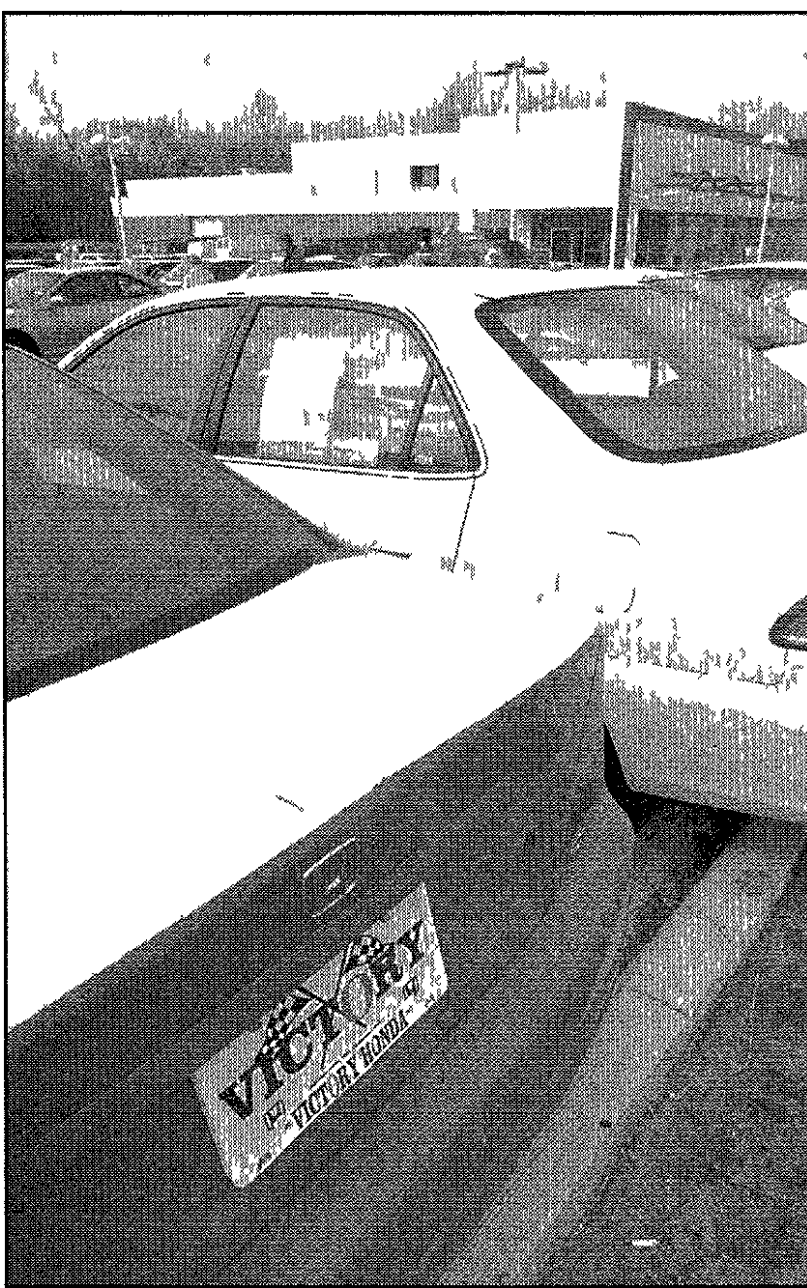
The company owns 10 dealerships, including locations in Stockbridge and just down the expressway in Monroe

"We think the world of Plymouth," general manager Jeff Scott said "It's a great place to do business The Honda product is a world-class product, and we're excited to be in Plymouth"

And while retail business improves, the industrial business is big business, as well For instance, Karmann USA, Inc, the American arm of the German automotive giant, has moved its base of operations to Plymouth, joining a growing business community that has the township's industrial parks overflowing

"Plymouth Township is very attractive to us," said Timothy Ohnd, the company's vice president and chief operating officer "We've been in business for over 100 years, and by moving here, we hope to expand so we're still here in another 100 years We're very excited about this"

With the township's new DDA ready to start capturing tax money, the healthy business climate couldn't come at a better time, according to Mann "It's kind of a revolving circle," the supervisor said "The more successful the businesses (in the DDA) are, the more tax money the DDA collects The DDA then puts that money back into the corridor, which makes it that much stronger"



STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

Getting ready: Cars have begun showing up at the new site for Victory Honda, on Ann Arbor Road east of Main Street Victory owners bought the former Sunshine Honda dealership from Tom Bohlander last week.

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tomers might notice right away as for the customers' convenience The new owners will expand the hours of operation Look for Victory to be open from 9 a m to 9 p m during the week, 9 a m to 8 p m on Saturdays

"We're open when the customer needs us to be open," Scott said "Today, moms, dads, husbands, wives, everybody works By the time you get home, there's not a whole lot of time left in the day to go out and look for a car That's been the key to our success -- our sign's always on, and c'mon down"

Though Bohlander was not available for comment, he is expected to remain active in the community He's a member of the board of directors for New Liberty Bank, and was recently appointed to the board of the new Plymouth Township Downtown Development Authority

"I'm happy to see (Bohlander) was able to sell and get what he wanted," Plymouth Township Supervisor Steve Mann said "He'll continue to be an active member of the Plymouth Township community and the Ann Arbor Road corridor"

Kids go cruising in search of careers

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There are over 25,000 careers in today's world, double the number just two years ago The average American will change jobs between seven and 10 times during their working years

Meanwhile, studies indicate the average teenager spends approximately three hours total deciding on a career direction

The Plymouth-Canton Schools Steps to Success program is hoping at least a couple of those hours will be spent learning about job opportunities at its Career Cruising night at Salem High School Wednesday

"Job trends, future careers, and what it take to get a job and keep it will be some of the topics discussed," said Betty Bloch, Steps to Success coordinator "There will be many interactive displays, videos, handouts and information about various careers"

Donna Nordman and Julie Puggini Denhof, both career counselors at Schoolcraft College, will speak to students and parents in the Salem auditorium from 6 30 7 p m The following two hours, students and parents can visit 50 career booths set up in the Salem cafeteria, including one staffed by the Plymouth and Canton Observer

"Not everyone has to go to the University of Michigan or be that professional we're familiar with," said Bloch "There are lots of people behind the scenes that are doing the things we need"

Approximately 70 percent of

U S jobs do not require a four-year degree, however those jobs do require workers who are highly skilled

Nearly 30 percent of college graduates are expected to settle for jobs that don't require a college degree

Currently, 20 percent of U S jobs require a senior college degree, but 90 percent of the jobs in this decade will require technical education beyond high school

"For example, many students who think they want to go into health care think they have to be a doctor or nurse," said Bloch "There are thousands of health occupations, some of which you can get with short term training, like x-ray tech or lab technicians"

Bloch admits that the Plymouth-Canton has a reputation for being a college prep oriented community

"Many parents want them to go to college, get a degree and be a professional," said Bloch "But the focus needs to be on us preparing students for the post high school experience, so that we're not sending them away without a clue of what they want to do"

According to the University of Pennsylvania, "Tons of unprepared high school graduates are shoved into four-year colleges, but they just don't know why they're there"

Career Cruising is open to any parents and students who want to attend

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present Township attorney Tim Cronin was directed to provide a written legal opinion on the subject, and the by-laws were sent back to the DDA board for more work

Other than that, the plans for the DDA are on track The township board Tuesday set an April 9 public hearing for the tax increment financing and development plans, the next necessary step in establishing the DDA

At the public hearing, the

township's consultant will lay out how taxes are to be captured, and how they will be spent

"It will outline how the money will be spent in the next four years, and in fact over the next 30 years," said director of municipal services James Anulewicz, the board's liaison with the consultant

The public hearing will take place at the township's regularly scheduled April 9 meeting, which starts at 7 p m

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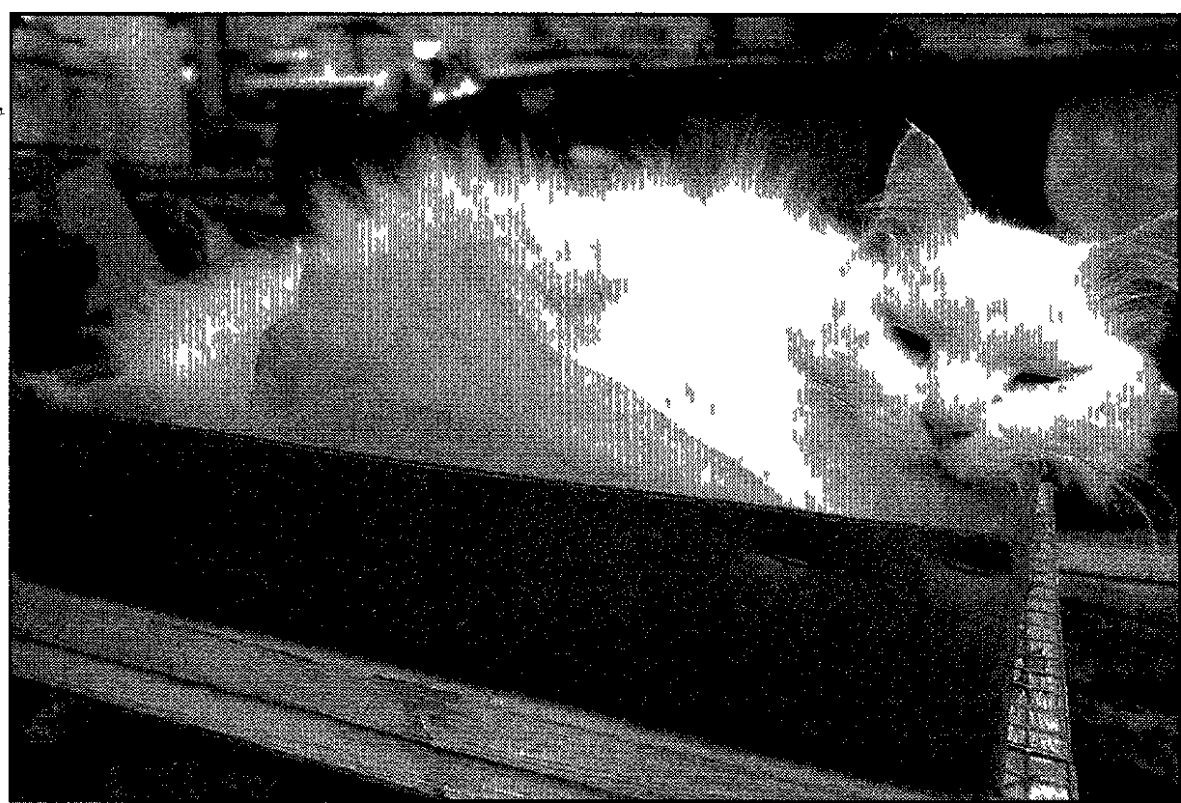
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Rough life: "Kitty" gets in one of his many naps at Graye's Greenhouse on Joy Road, at Lilley Thursday's spring equinox means the planting season is right around the corner, meaning things won't be quite so restful for the resident feline

Youth art contest names winners

Two Plymouth school students and a pianist from Novi are the winners of the 2001-2002 Alive with Musical Color youth artist competition, sponsored by the Plymouth Symphony, Evola Music in Canton, the Plymouth Rotary Foundation and the Plymouth Optimists

Using contributions from Rotary and the Optimists and with support from the Michigan Council of the Arts, scholarships worth \$1,500 were presented at the symphony's season finale Saturday night. The winners

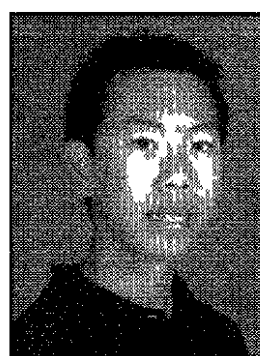
■ Zach Shemon, alto saxophone, is the first-place winner in the Senior Instrumental Division. A senior at Plymouth-Canton High School, Shemon began playing saxophone in sixth grade at Pioneer Middle School. He has received 15 division one State Solo and Ensemble Festival ratings. He has played in the Plymouth-Canton Educational Park Wind Ensemble since 1997, and is principal alto saxophone in the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band, Wind Ensemble, and the Michigan Youth Band.

Shemon has performed with the All-State Interlochen Band, the 2000 BOA Honor Band of America and the MSU Honor Band.

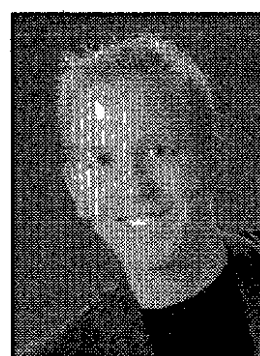
He studies with Jay Berckley. Shemon plans to attend the University of Michigan, where he will study chemical engineering



Elizabeth Schellhase



Robin Lin



Zach Shemon

and saxophone performance

■ Robin Lin, piano, won in the Senior Piano Division. A junior at Novi High School, Lin has studied piano for 12 years with Mary Sciliano. He has participated in various local competitions, recently receiving second place at the 2002 MMTA Concert Competition. Outside of his musical pursuits, Lin is a member of the National Honor Society, the Science Club, and the Quiz Bowl team.

■ Elizabeth Schellhase, a freshman at Plymouth Salem, is the Junior Combined Division winner. Schellhase began her musical studies on the piano at age 4, and on the French horn in sixth grade. She was a division winner in the Awards for Piano Performance Excellence sponsored by the Livonia Area Piano Teachers' Forum. She is a member of the Plymouth-Canton Educational Park Marching

Band, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Band, and pit orchestra.

Last summer, Schellhase played in the All-State Orchestra at Interlochen. She is currently the principal horn with the Michigan Youth Symphony. She will receive a \$250 Plymouth Optimist Club Scholarship Award for her performance in the competition.

Students receiving Honorable Mentions include Lauren Peterson, clarinet, of Westland, Joseph Girard, alto saxophone, of Canton, and Elliott Huang, violin, of Northville.

The Youth Artist Competition is held by the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra to recognize the young talent in the Plymouth-Canton, Livonia, Northville, Novi, Van Buren and Wayne-Westland school districts. The competition this year was open to all orchestral instruments including piano.

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Beer can history sparkles

Did you know the birthday of the world's first beer can was Jan. 24, 1935? That's the day flat-top cans of Krueger's beer first went on sale in Richmond, Va. The beer, a 3.2 percent Krueger Special Lager, had the highest alcohol content allowable at that time and was brewed by The Gottfried Krueger Brewing Co. of Newark, N.J.

Only 2000 cans were produced initially and the packaging was perceived as so unusual that it was purchased only by faithful Krueger drinkers. To test the success of the new containers, Krueger polled its purchasers on the taste of the canned beer. Ninety-one percent of the buyers gave it a thumbs up and 85 percent of its drinkers said it tasted more like fresh draft than bottled beer. Reassured by the results of its test run, Krueger gave the green light for mass production of the cans, and brewing history was made.

Unfortunately, photos are the only things left that document the beginning of the revolutionary packaging, and no known example of one of the original cans is known to exist among beer can collectors and historians.

In total, there are only four styles of beer cans ever made. The flat top, which was the first can produced, was used until 1970. The can was made of steel and weighed in at nearly 4 ounces when empty.

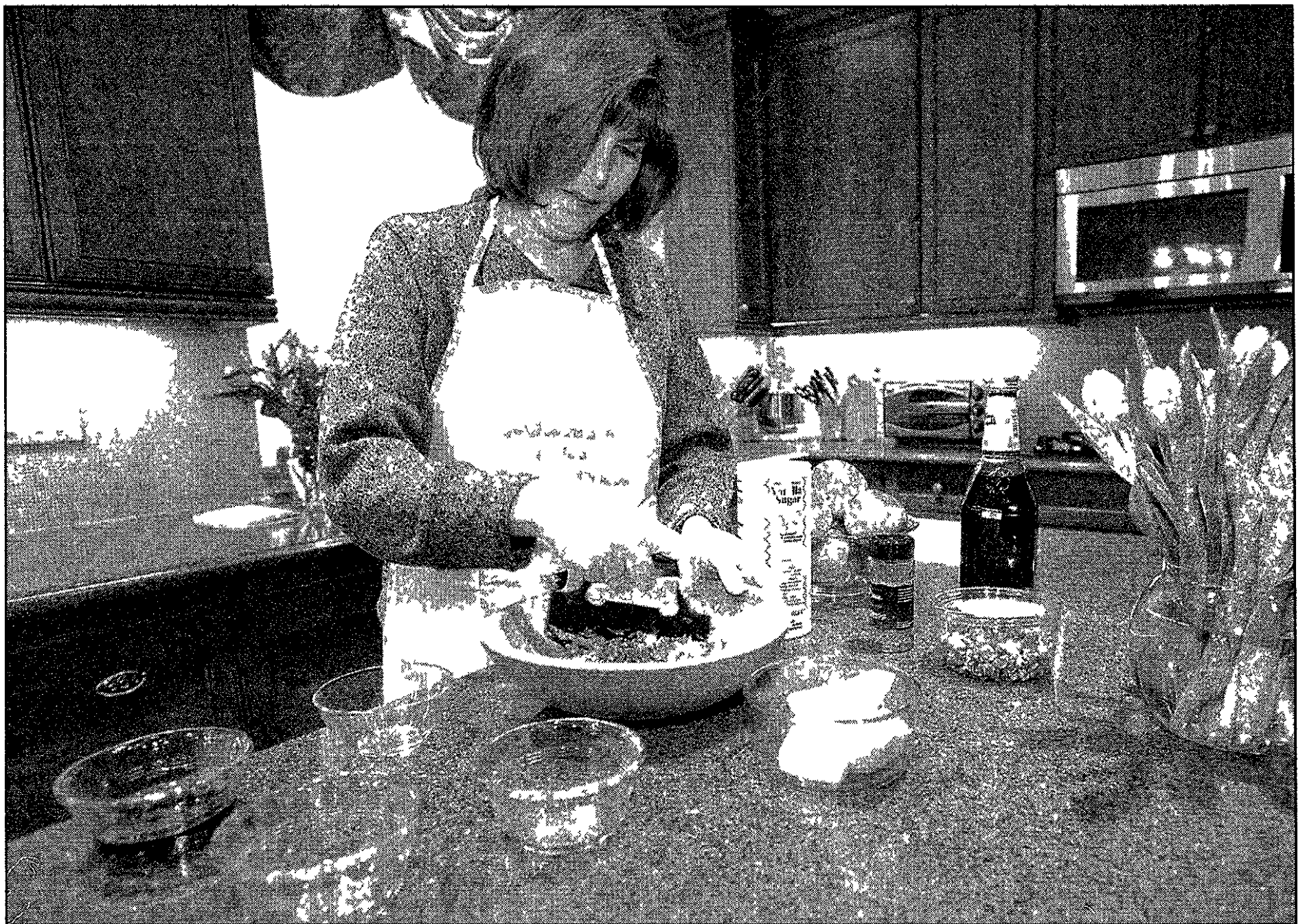
Cone tops, so named by the shape of the funnel like top of the can, were the next cans to enter the brewing scene. These cans were popular among the smaller breweries due to the fact that they could be filled on existing bottling lines without much adaptation. By 1960, the large breweries had driven the smaller breweries out of business and the cone top cans went with them.

The pull-tab, the most familiar can, debuted in March 1963 when the Pittsburgh Brewing Co. introduced its flagship brand, Iron City. All you had to do was put your finger in the loop on the tab and pull.

By 1965, nearly 4 percent of all cans produced had the easy-open pull-tab device. Pull-tabs were around for approximately 10 years. They were a beer drinker's dream and an environmental nightmare. Pets and wildlife were dying from ingesting them, as did a few people who dropped them into their beer and accidentally choked on them. They wound up on beaches where little children cut their feet on them and they seemed everywhere imaginable littered on roadsides.

Stay on tabs were the answer, and were introduced in 1975 by the Falls City Brewing Co. of Louisville, Ky. They stayed connected to the can after opening. Today virtually all carbonated beverages are marketed in cans with stay tabs.

Thought of the day
Beer is proof
That God loves us
And wants us to be happy
— Benjamin Franklin
As always, never trust a skinny
Brewmaster
Dean Jones is Brewmaster at the Big Rock Chop House, located at 245 S. Eton in Birmingham.



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That's tradition: Janis Holcman of Farmington Hills prepares a family Passover recipe for Charoset, which is a mixture of walnuts, apples, and grape wine

Passover feast reflects tradition, Judaic laws

BY SANDRA DALKA-PRYSEY
SPECIAL WRITER

Passover or Pesach is a time of celebration for Jewish people every where. And, like most festive occasions, it's a time for food and meals shared with family and friends.

According to Janis Holcman of Farmington Hills, Passover, which is an eight day celebration of the exodus of the ancient Jews from slavery in Egypt and their subsequent escape to the wilderness, includes the ritual Seder or "order" on the first two nights.

"The Seder has a set menu with each food and the wine used to symbolize a specific part of the Haggadah (the story of the Jewish plight). These foods, however, are used primarily as symbols and do not constitute a real meal. This is why we have a festive meal that follows the traditional Seder ceremony."

When preparing these meals, and all food consumed during Passover, kosher guidelines must be followed. (Kosher means clean or fit to eat, according to the dietary laws of Judaism.)

"During Passover, we cannot use any food or food ingredients that we have used throughout the year. Everything must be 'new' to symbolize the new beginning of the Jews' redemption. Also, Passover celebrates the renewal of the home in harmony with nature, as spring renews the world," said Holcman. "This is why I always

have a centerpiece of fresh spring flowers on my Passover table."

She explains that preparing for Passover requires cleaning out and discarding (or putting them away) all the food and ingredients that are in the cupboards and refrigerator.

"I clear out and thoroughly clean a shelf in my pantry for the Passover food," said Holcman, whose family practices conservative Judaism. "Orthodox Jews, who are more strict in their observance of Judaism, may clean out every inch of their kitchen (as well as the rest of their homes) to assure that not even one bread crumb remains when preparing for Passover. In addition, they often prepare all the kosher foods consumed during the holiday season."

The mother of two added that many Jewish families

now have the luxury of purchasing a wealth of kosher foods in grocery stores, especially those in areas that serve large Jewish populations.

"When my children were young, I had to prepare all the kosher meals, including breakfast, which was normally eggs or matzah (unleavened bread) and cream cheese. Now, even kosher cereals are available in the stores."

In addition to serving only kosher foods during Passover, meals are served on special dishes.

"I replace my everyday dishes with a set that I use only during this special time of the year." Because her family celebration has grown to include almost 20 members, she was required to purchase a new set of dishes a few

years ago. "I bring them out each year and sterilize them in the dishwasher prior to using them."

Again, according to Holcman, today's Jews are more fortunate than their ancestors. "My grandmother didn't have the luxury of a dishwasher. I remember her taking all the dishes used for Passover to the bathtub to soak in hot water to sterilize (clean) them."

Tradition also plays a part in the selection of foods served by Holcman for Passover meals. One dish (charoset) is prepared for the Seder to symbolize the mortar used by the Jews to build the pyramids in Egypt.

"I also serve this dish at all my meals because it tastes so good and everyone, especially children, like the sweet taste of this fruit, nut and wine mixture. It's especially good served on matzah, the unleavened bread, which symbolizes that there was no time for the bread to rise because of the Jewish flight."

In addition to the charoset, Holcman says her Passover meals include either chicken, turkey or beef brisket (only beef from the upper part of the animal and kosher-soaked in water to remove all blood and salted is used), vegetables, such as broccoli, and potatoes.

"Whatever I make, I have to follow kosher guidelines. These aren't too difficult to follow and have become second nature over the years."

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Charoset, glazed chicken recipes are family traditions

The Holcman family's charoset recipe and one for glazed chicken, which is suitable for Passover, are below.

CHAROSET

- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- 2 cups chopped Jonathan apples
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup kosher concord grape wine

Combine the nuts and apples. Sprinkle with cinnamon and sugar. Add the wine and mix well. Chill before serving.

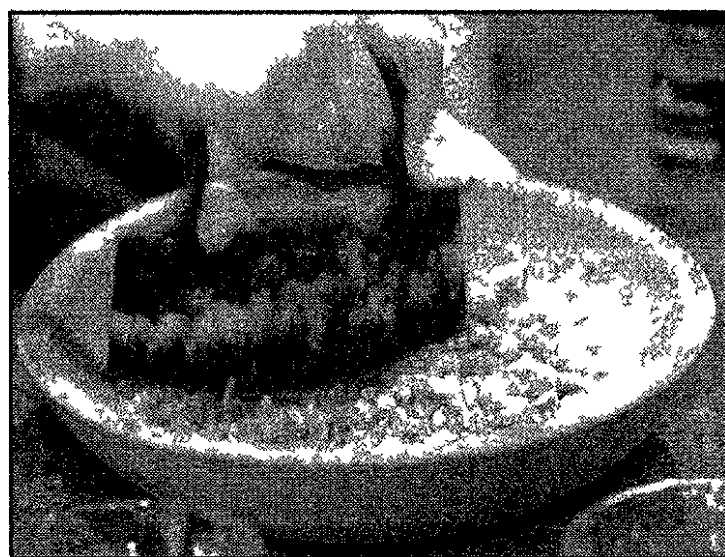
GLAZED CHICKEN

- 6 tablespoons margarine
- 1/2 cup honey
- 1/3 cup prepared mustard (stoneground)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 1/2 teaspoons curry powder
- 3 tablespoons balsamic vinegar
- 6 boneless chicken breasts

In microwave safe dish, melt margarine. In a small bowl, add remaining ingredients, except chicken. Add margarine to ingredients and mix thoroughly. When chicken is at room temperature, immerse in mixture and coat both sides. Arrange chicken in 9 x 13-inch baking dish, skin side up.

Bake in preheated 375 degree oven for 1 hour. Baste occasionally. Serve immediately.

Serves 6



Mixing: Nuts and apples are combined with other Charoset ingredients

Celebrate 'Start Today for a Healthy Tomorrow'

BY DIANE REYNOLDS

The American Dietetic Association theme for National Nutrition Month 2002 is "Start Today for a Healthy Tomorrow." That means including healthful eating and physical activity in your daily routine. Have you done anything about your lifestyle choices to make it happen? Do you forget healthy food choices when you dine out? Is your rushed lifestyle making high fat, high sodium and low fiber convenience

foods the primary choice for "home prepared" meals? Do you only exercise when the weather suits your fancy?

Maybe you really haven't made the commitment to building a healthy tomorrow yet. Even though the weather is still shaky, spring is around the corner. What better time than now to make some changes that will help you feel better?

Start By Shopping Smart for Produce ...

Use common sense and buy more

whole fresh foods and less packaged foods that draw you with advertisements. You need at least five servings of fruits and vegetables each day (nine servings is better!). Get reacquainted with these nutrition powerhouses! In-season produce saves you money. Asparagus in spring, zucchini in summer, apples and pears in fall, etc. Most fresh produce is very easy to wash and/or cook. Specialty markets that shop carefully for produce offer attractive fruits and vegetables that taste better. Check out the brilliant colors

you'll find at Plymouth Marketplace, Westborn Markets and Joe's Produce.

Some More Basics...

Fat-free milk, lowfat or fat-free yogurt, and lowfat cottage cheese belong in your refrigerator for bone health, blood pressure and weight control. Keep quick-cooking brown rice, whole-wheat pasta, quick oatmeal (not instant) and high fiber ready-to-eat cereals in your cupboard for whole grain choices. You need at least three whole grain servings a day. They sat-

isfy hunger and promote heart health. Add soyfoods to your meals a few times a week. You'll find soyfoods at specialty stores and markets like Hiller's. If the idea is foreign to you, start with flavored soy milk to add to fruit smoothies or soy cheese for cooked dishes.

Make Better Meat and Seafood Choices...

It's encouraging to see folks includ-

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ing heart healthy salmon in their shopping carts. Other fresh seafood, lean chicken and turkey breast, lean pork tenderloin and lean beef cuts are good choices.

Keep your portions the size of a computer mouse (3 ounces cooked). It's so much more appealing if you do that by making stir fry dishes with lots of veggies to extend the meat, poultry, or seafood.

Get a Basic Cookbook...

Purchase an updated basic cookbook that is geared for easy-to-make healthy recipes.

Check it out before you grocery shop, so you have a plan for what you need to buy. Try one of the recipes that follow for some easy ideas on getting back in the kitchen to better your health!

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SALMON SPINACH SALAD

- Ingredients**
 Four 4 ounce cleaned skinless salmon filets
 2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
 1/2 pound fresh spinach washed
 1/4 teaspoon light salt
 1/4 teaspoon fresh ground black pepper
 1/2 cup chopped onion
 3 (about 1 & 1/4 pounds) fresh vine ripened tomatoes remove seeds and chop
 1 tablespoon snipped flat leaf parsley
- Method**

HEALTHY TOMORROW RECIPES

Heat 1 tablespoon olive oil in a large nonstick skillet. Sauté the spinach in olive oil over medium heat for 1-2 minutes. Mix in salt and pepper. Remove from heat and divide the spinach among four dinner plates. Heat the remaining olive oil in the skillet. Sauté the onion and tomatoes over medium heat until the onion is tender, about 5 minutes. Push to one side and add the salmon. Sauté over medium heat until cooked through and fish flakes easily with a fork, about 6 minutes. Arrange one salmon filet on each plate of spinach and top with tomatoes and onion.

Serves 4 ITALIAN CHICKEN AND MUSHROOM STEW

- Ingredients**
 1 tablespoon extra virgin olive oil
 1 pound boneless skinless chicken breasts
 1 pound fresh white mushrooms cleaned and quartered (about 5 cups)
 1 cup coarsely chopped onion
 1 cup diced celery

- 1 teaspoon minced jarred garlic
 2 cans (14.5 ounces each) Italian stewed tomatoes
 1/2 teaspoon light salt
 8 ounces (2 cups) fresh green beans washed trimmed and halved

Method
 In a large nonstick skillet, heat olive oil. Add chicken, cook until browned over medium-high heat, about 3-4 minutes per side. Remove chicken from skillet. Add mushrooms, onion, celery and garlic to skillet, cook, stirring frequently until tender, about 6-8 minutes. Add tomatoes, salt and chicken, top with green beans. Cover and simmer until chicken is cooked through, about 5-6 minutes. Serve in bowls or over hot cooked brown rice or whole-wheat pasta. Serves 4.

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These are so attractive and tasty you won't miss the usual fried nacho chips. Makes a great appetizer or after-school snack. For a light supper, serve with bowls of navy bean soup and whole-wheat crackers.

Ingredients
 1/2 green bell pepper seeded and cut into 6 strips
 1/2 red bell pepper seeded and cut into 6 strips
 1/2 yellow bell pepper seeded and cut into 6 strips
 3/4 cup shredded reduced fat Monterey Jack cheese
 2 tablespoon chopped black olives
 1/4 teaspoon ground red pepper
 Few drops of Tabasco to taste

Method
 Arrange bell pepper strips close together in an ungreased broiler proof pie pan or ovenproof serving dish. Sprinkle with cheese, olives ground red pepper and Tabasco. Set oven control to broil and broil peppers with tops about 4 inches from heat for 3 minutes or until the cheese is melted. Serve immediately. Hint: Chop the remaining pepper halves the next day and add to spaghetti sauce.

Serves 6

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The guidelines call for substitutions for certain ingredients, such as Matzo meal for bread crumbs, potato starch for corn starch, 1/4 teaspoon baking soda plus 1/2 teaspoon of cream of tartar for one teaspoon of baking powder, and 3 tablespoons of cocoa plus 1 tablespoon of shortening for a 1-ounce square of baking chocolate. There are also adaptations for sour milk for baking, light and heavy cream and flavoring extracts.

"When my children were younger and living at home (Bradley, age 25, lives in California, Dana, age 20, is a junior at the University of Michigan) making charoset was a favorite family activity. Sometimes even Sam, my husband, joined in to help chop the apples. Now a food processor is all that I need."

There's another favorite activity, which the Holzman children enjoyed when they were young,

and continues now for the younger guests at the Passover meals. "A small piece of the matzah used during the Seder is broken off and hidden somewhere in the house. After the meal, the children go in search of this piece and the one who finds it receives a small gift."

She adds that her family has revised this tradition by hiding a bunch of pieces so every child in attendance can win a prize.

Beer makes chicken tasty

GRILLED CHICKEN BREASTS WITH CORN SALSA

- Salsa**
 1 1/4 cups frozen corn kernels thawed
 1/4 cup chopped red onion
 1/4 cup chopped red bell pepper
 1/4 cup chopped fresh cilantro
 1 1/2 tablespoons fresh lime juice
 2 teaspoons chopped seeded jalapeño chili

- Chicken**
 1/2 cup dark beer of your choice
 1 tablespoon low sodium soy sauce
 1 tablespoon chopped fresh cilantro
 2 teaspoons chopped seeded jalapeño chili
 2 teaspoons fresh lime juice
 4 skinless boneless chicken breast halves

For Salsa
 Combine all ingredients in bowl. Season with salt and pepper. (Can

be made 4 hours ahead. Cover and chill.)

For Chicken
 Combine first 5 ingredients in medium bowl. Add chicken and turn to coat. Cover and refrigerate at least 1 hour or up to 4 hours.

Preheat barbecue (medium-high heat) or preheat broiler. Drain chicken. Season with salt and pepper. Grill or broil chicken until just cooked through, about 4 minutes per side. Cut chicken into thin diagonal slices. Arrange chicken on plates. Top with salsa and serve.

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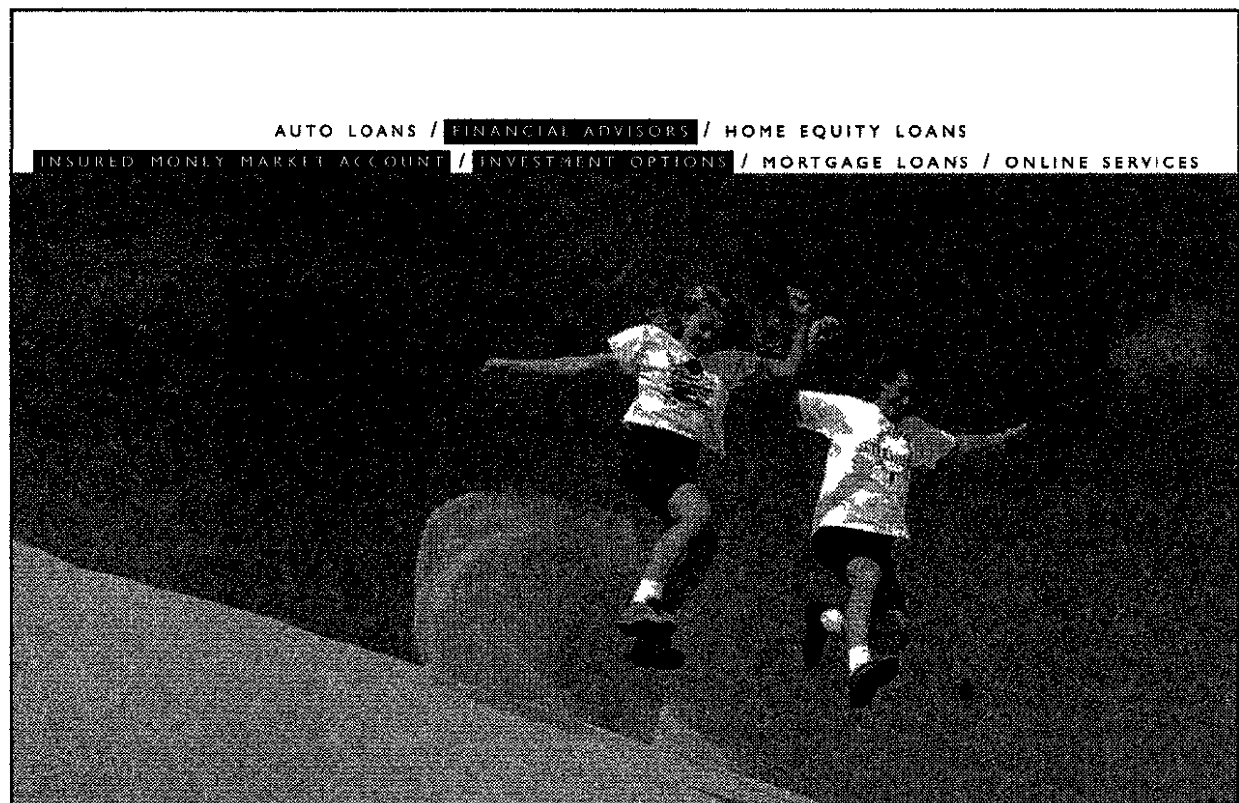
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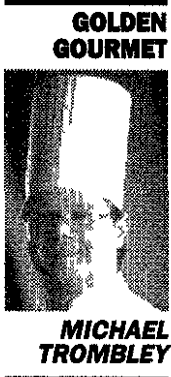
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Winter warmers offer comforting respite

Fifty years ago, winter was a time to use food stocked in root cellars, because supermarkets had a limited selection of fresh produce. Oranges and tangerines at Christmas were a luxury. This has changed. Your local supermarket offers products from all over the world. Don't forget locally grown and preserved foods like dried cherries and apples.



MICHAEL TROMBLEY

and a red pepper coulis. This is also the perfect time of year for bread pudding with caramel sauce. I've included recipes for spaetzles and bread pudding. Have fun with these recipes and on your next grocery shopping trip, look around the market and feast your eyes. Be a little creative and keep it simple - enjoy Michigan winters.

MICHIGAN NAVY BEAN SOUP

A recipe of The Golden Mushroom Restaurant
Serves 12
Ingredients:
2 pounds dry navy beans (soaked in chicken stock overnight)
1 ounce butter
1 onion sliced
2 ribs celery sliced
2 carrots sliced
1 tablespoon crushed garlic
1 teaspoon marjoram
1 teaspoon ground black pepper
pinch thyme
1 bay leaf
1 gallon ham stock
Garnish:
1/2 pound ham, diced 1/3

inch
3 carrots, diced 1/3 inch
2 onions, diced 1/3 inch
4 ribs of celery, diced 1/3 inch
Salt to taste
Simmer beans in chicken stock until tender (about 50 minutes). Reserve 1/3 of beans for garnish. In a large, heavy-gauge pot, sweat onions, celery and carrots in butter. Add ham stock, simmer 20 minutes. Strain ham stock into the beans and chicken stock and puree until smooth.
Place back on fire. Sauté garnish until vegetables are tender but not brown and add to soup. Let cook 10 minutes to develop flavor. Taste and correct seasonings.

SPAETZLES

A recipe of The Golden Mushroom Restaurant
Ingredients:
4 jumbo or 5 small eggs
1/2 cup milk
3 cups flour (1/2 semolina, 1/2 all purpose)
1 teaspoon salt
pinch of nutmeg
1/3 cups chopped parsley

Bring a large pot of water to boil. Quickly mix all ingredients together until smooth, soft dough forms. Do not over mix. Using a spaetzle machine or a large hole colander, set over the pot with boiling water, push the dough through the holes into the water.
Cook rapidly 3 minutes, drain, shock with cold water and drain again. Keep cold and covered until needed.
To serve, quickly sauté in a little butter until lightly brown and heated through.
Spaetzles can also be used in soups, in which case they are simply added in and not sautéed.

BREAD PUDDING

A recipe of The Golden Mushroom Restaurant
Serves 8
Ingredients:
Butter
Sugar
12 pieces of day old white bread (or dried in the oven) crust removed cut into cubes (enough to fill the bottom half of a 9 by 12 inch baking pan)

2 pints milk
5 eggs
2 cups sugar
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
Pinch of nutmeg
Butter and sugar baking pan
Add bread cubes. Slowly pour mixture of milk, eggs, sugar and vanilla over bread until saturated and let sit for 10 minutes. Bake in 350° F oven for 45-60 minutes covered with aluminum foil.
Allow to cool somewhat. Serve warm, with caramel sauce.

JACK DANIEL'S CARAMEL SAUCE

A recipe of The Golden Mushroom Restaurant

room Restaurant
2/3 cups sugar granulated
1/3 cup water
1/3 cup heavy cream room temperature
1 ounce Jack Daniel's whiskey optional
Bring sugar and water to boil in a heavy sauce pan. With a clean brush dipped in water, wash sides of pan to prevent crystallizing. Cook sugar until a deep brown color develops. Remove from heat, stir in cream, a little at a time, to a smooth consistency, (if you add cream too fast, it will harden the sauce). Stir in Jack Daniel's whiskey, if desired.

One pot dishes are great in the winter. I particularly like Michigan Navy Bean Soup, and included the recipe with this article. Meals don't have to be complex. Sometimes simple things like broiled king crab legs with a little whole butter can be very satisfying. You will probably see sales on them in your favorite market soon. A nice risotto (short grain Italian rice stew) with shrimp, crab or duck folded in makes a quick, hearty meal.
European foods such as spaetzles (little dumplings), or potato pancakes can be used with so many entrees. I like to serve them with pan-seared scallops.

Try HoneyBaked Ham for Easter breakfast, too

It's Easter morning. Welcome spring with a lovely breakfast. If it's warm enough, why not make it the first meal on your porch? Whether served indoors or out, you'll still enjoy the kids' egg hunt! Thanks to advance preparations, you'll only be handling last-minute details.
The unique HoneyBaked Ham & Cheese Rolled Pancake will be the center of attention. With a light fruit salad and a basket of warm HoneyBaked Smoked Bacon, Onion & Cheddar Muffins, compliments and happy memories are assured.
Make and assemble the pancake the night before and bake in the morning, while warming the pre-baked muffins. The melon for the salad can be sliced while the pancake is baking. Add the pre-made dressing at the last minute. Chilled orange juice with the sparkle of ginger ale adds a festive touch to the meal. Now you're ready for a delicious start to this special day - and you didn't even have to get out of your bunny slippers!

HONEYBAKED HAM & CHEESE ROLLED PANCAKE

Serves 8
Ingredients:
1/2 cup olive oil
1/2 cup all purpose flour
2 eggs
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons olive oil
2 tablespoons Parmesan cheese
1 pound HoneyBaked Ham, chopped
2 cups ricotta cheese
1 egg
1 cup Parmesan cheese
1 red bell pepper, seeded and chopped
1 bunch asparagus, cut into 1 inch pieces and steamed salt & pepper

Pancake: Preheat the oven to 400 degrees. Line a rimmed baking sheet with parchment paper or foil, cut to fit. Lightly grease the paper and set aside. Mix the olive oil, flour, eggs and milk in a mixing bowl until smooth. Pour the batter into the pan and spread until even. Gently place the pan in the oven and bake until lightly browned, 10-12 minutes. Remove and cool. Using the paper as a guide, gently roll up the pancake and refrigerate until needed.

Filling: Mix the ricotta, egg and cheese together and season with salt and pepper. Fold in the ham, red bell pepper and steamed asparagus pieces. Unroll the pancake and spread the filling over the pancake, leaving a 2 inch border on one of the long sides. Roll the pancake up, jellyroll style, and place on a greased baking sheet. Brush the surface of the roll with olive oil and sprinkle with the Parmesan cheese. Cover and

refrigerate until baking time, 4-6 hours or overnight.

Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Place the pancake in the oven and bake for 20 minutes until filling is hot and top is golden. Remove, cool for 10 minutes and cut into 2 inch thick slices. Place the slices on a heated platter and serve.

HONEYBAKED HAM & MELON SPRING SALAD

Serves 8
Ingredients:
1/2 honeydew melon, seeded, rinds removed and cut into wedges
1/2 cantaloupe, seeded, rinds removed, cut into wedges
1/2 pound HoneyBaked Ham, cut into thin silvers
1/4 cup orange juice
1/2 cup plain yogurt
2 tablespoons honey
1 teaspoon apple cider vinegar
freshly ground black pepper
1 tablespoon chives, chopped

Whisk the dressing ingredients together until smooth and refrigerate until needed, 6-8 hours or overnight.

Place the melon wedges and ham shivers on a decorative platter and drizzle the dressing over all. Sprinkle with chives if desired. Serve chilled.

HONEYBAKED SMOKED BACON, ONION & CHEDDAR MUFFINS

Serves 8
2 cups all purpose flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1 cup shredded cheddar cheese
1 cup HoneyBaked Smoked Bacon, cooked and crumbled
2 eggs
1/2 cup sour cream
3/4 cup milk
1 tablespoon honey
5 tablespoons butter, melted
1/2 sweet onion, finely chopped

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees and grease a 12 cup muffin tin, or line it with paper or foil baking cups.

In a mixing bowl, sift together the flour, baking powder and soda. Add the cheese and bacon.

In another bowl, whisk the eggs, sour cream, milk, honey, butter and onion until smooth. Pour the wet ingredients into the dry and fold the batter until just combined. Do not overmix. Spoon the batter into the prepared cups filling three quarters full. Bake for 20-25 minutes until golden and tops spring back when lightly touched. Remove and cool for 10 minutes. Serve hot with butter.

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Local author articulates 'Eight O'Clock Blues'

Eight O'Clock Blues: How one employee challenged a corporate giant and suffered the consequences, by Candy Stevans National Writers Press 2001 \$14.95 paperback

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Candy Stevans

Lots of people have the *Eight O'Clock Blues*, but few do anything about it. Candy Stevans of Rochester did, she wrote a book. "I wrote it because I was bitter — they destroyed my dream," said Stevans. Her hope is that managers will read the book and start treating employees like human beings.

Part fiction, part truth, *Eight O'Clock Blues* is about Sophia, 28, a single woman, living with her mother, a widow, in a suburb 40 miles northeast of Detroit. She's a secretary at one of the big automotive companies, and working toward a degree in English.

The story takes place in the 1970s. Sophia listens to Olivia Newton John on the radio and dreams about a nice guy and moving to Phoenix.

Her father died several years ago, leaving his only legacy to her mother, part of his pension. So it fell as her responsibility to take care of her mother and Sandra (her sister) who quit school when she was 16. She couldn't hold a job. Someone or something always caused her to quit.

But Sophia won't let herself leave her responsibilities. She's tethered not only to her family, but to a job she hates.

Because she's good at what she does, her boss blocks an opportunity for a promotion.

"Managers need to stop dehumanizing people and give workers an opportunity to grow," said Stevans. "They should create an atmosphere of growth. People

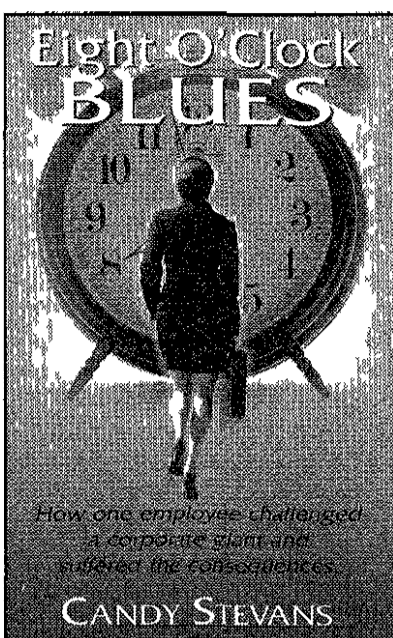
are afraid to speak up because they don't want to lose their job."

Sophia does speak up, and gets poor performance reviews because of it. When other people resign their work is assigned to her.

"A lot of the issues in the book are happening today," said Stevans. "Workforce reductions, overloading, employees doing three jobs. Managers should work with you, not against you. The harder you work the more they give you. There was no time for breaks. The manager just sees how to make a profit for the company, they're interested in getting ahead, and clock you, watch you to see if you're late even if you're still getting your job done. They're critical of you."

Good managers

A good manager, Stevans said, is someone who is willing to take responsibility for their mistakes and gives you compliments. They don't make you uptight or nervous, or have the attitude "I'm the boss do what I say." They don't expect you to work overtime and not get paid for it. A good manager is understanding,



and sister will be OK."

Sophia's transferred to the Training Department, away from the terrible Mr. Gyle, but Ernest, who seems on the surface to be an ideal boss, changes as his workload is increased.

"Sophia works for Ernest," Mr. Malstrom said. "She'll be moving to the front office when Frank gets a secretary."

"Is that a promotion?" Mr. Galant asked. "No. It's just a reorganization of the department," Mr. Malstrom interjected. "As Ernest's department grew, Sophia's workload increased, and Ernest assumed greater responsibility."

Things worsen, and Sophia is forced to make some difficult decisions.

Eight O'Clock Blues voices the frustration of workers doing two or more jobs because of corporate downsizing. There's definitely a them (management) against us (worker) debate going on.

In the rush to meet deadlines managers can overlook the needs of their employees, and *Eight O'Clock Blues* reminds them that workers are people too.

"Managers want to get as much work as possible out of a person, especially if they're industrious," said Stevans. "They want to keep trained employees in place to increase efficiency and profits, destroying worker self-confidence so employees don't challenge management."

"I think they should capitalize on their employee's strengths, they'd get a lot more out of them. I was studying English and could have been in public relations instead of typing reports. It would have been a win-win situation. When employees are happy with what they're doing it's better all the way around."

Stevans is a graduate of Oakland University and worked for two of the big three automakers before earning her degree in English with a minor in journalism. Her book is available at local bookstores, and through Amazon.com.

To order by mail, send a check for \$14.95 plus \$3.20 for postage and handling to Book One Publishing, P.O. Box 80781, Rochester, MI 48308-0781.

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New products have sprung for spring

DISCOVERING BEAUTY



MARY ANNE TOCCALINO

With spring on its way and every thing seeming fresh, new and alive, the beauty industry feels the need to present a whole school of new products from colors to face treatments

The news is that the FDA has just approved Tazorac, a product being prescribed for psoriasis and clearing up acne. It's for people who are no longer seeing results by using Retin A or Differin.

Dermatologists are claiming that it really works, but be prepared for several weeks of serious skin peeling. I'm sure if this is the case, we'll be hearing about it very soon as a fine line wrinkle reducer.

Skin care specialists all know that collagen is needed for someone to be wrinkle free. People who are needle shy and can't stand the thought of injections

may be interested to know that it is now available in other forms.

One is a dietary supplement called Toki (Japanese for "porcelain skin"). This is a powder collagen-replacement mix containing active supplements that can be mixed with water or any liquid. After the concoction is drunk, Toki is delivered through the bloodstream to the fibroblast in the dermis, causing collagen production.

Another product along this line is Face Lift Collagen 5.

My only concern with products that use "designer pentapeptides" that are said to actually boost collagen is: When you take in something orally like this, what effect does it have on other organs? So be aware of your entire body when experimenting with skin care.

Purple reign

Now for color, lilac is blooming. Purple has proved to be the most sought after color of the season. It's being seen softly rimming the entire eye, yet for more electric looks it is paired

with other brights such as teal, gold and turquoise.

The color works with every skin tone and it also intensifies all eye colors, giving off a healthy glow. Soft lavender and lilac brighten a fair complexion, while shades of grape and orchid give darker skin a beautiful exotic look.

Some of my favorites are Nars Crème Eye shadow in Lido and Cover Girl CG Eyeslucks in Sheer Silver.

Go for glow

With the warmer temperatures there is nothing as beautiful and sensible as glowing skin. A creation of new blush formulations in soft rosy hues can achieve this for you.

From liquid to stick to new lightweight creams, each consistency can be dabbed along the cheekbone moving toward the hairline, giving a natural flush to the skin.

Some examples are Maybelline Cool Effects blush in Very Berry Cool, Shiseido Creamy Blush in Rambler Rose, and Elizabeth Ardens Cheekcolor in Natural

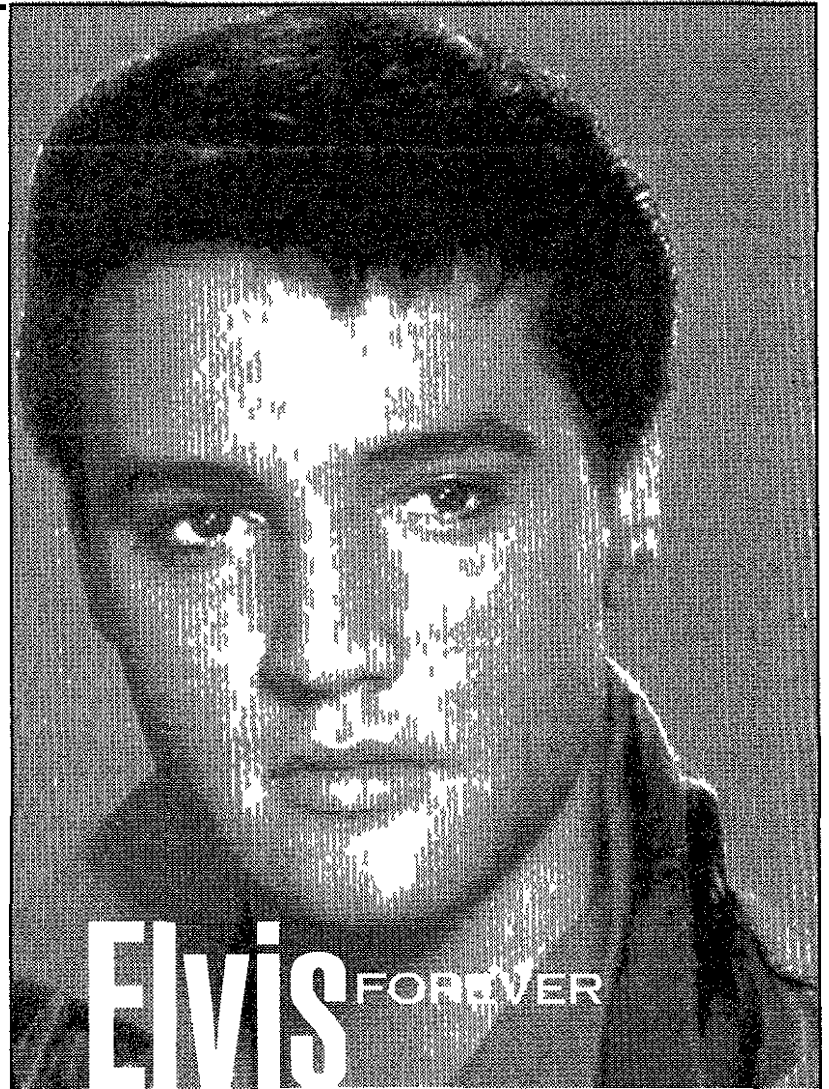
Red

Even though spring makeup is usually inundated with pastels and shimmers, makeup artists are creating out of the box by working with smoky chocolate around the entire lid teamed with a sun bronzed complexion.

Not only is soft pink in for the lips this season, but also the nude lip is in great desire. The aim is to make the lips muted and soft. Colors such as Tickle Lip Polish by Lorac and Sebastian Flesh Four are the perfect hue to achieve this glistening, soft lip.

Once again it's a change of season, which means a whole new slew of products are out there for our consumption. So, buy wisely and stock up on the broad spectrum of essentials available this spring.

Mary Anne Toccalino is a professional makeup artist and skin care consultant. She studied at Joe Blasco's School of Cosmetics in Hollywood, where her training included work in special effects for film and print. To ask Mary Anne a question e-mail her at matmkup@yahoo.com.



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Dana Buchman Focus Day will be Sunday, March 17, at the Livonia location, 37500 Six Mile (phone 734-591-7696).

Also at the Livonia store, a Chantelle Fit Event will take place 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 23.

COLLECTIBLE SHOW

The Cindy Oakes Collectible Show will take place 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March 17, at Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middlebelt. Jewelry dolls, cars and bears will be among the featured items.

ST PATRICK'S DAY TREAT

Youngsters are invited to pick up a fun green treat and activity

sheet (while supplies last) 2-4 p.m. Sunday, March 17, at Kids Castles at Art Van Furniture stores in Westland (8300 Wayne Road, phone 734-425-9600) and Novi (27775 Novi Road, phone 248-348-8922).

SUNBURST PAGEANTS

Livonia Mall, Seven Mile and Middlebelt, will host the Sunburst USA beauty and baby pageants Thursday, March 21. Entry forms are available at the mall. Entries are being accepted through the pageant date.

Winners will represent their counties at the state pageant.

The baby pageant is for boys and girls. The age groups are baby, newborn to 1 year, tiny, 1 year, and little, 2 to 3 years. A king and queen will be chosen in each age group and receive a crown, trophy and banner, and the \$200 entry fee paid to the state pageant. Runners-up in each age group will receive a trophy.

The beauty pageant is for

girls, ages 4 to 27 years. The age groups are pee-wee, 4 to 6 years, little miss, 7 to 10 years, pre-teen, 11 to 13 years, teen, 14 to 17 years, and miss, 18 to 27 years. A queen in each age group will receive a crown, trophy and banner, and the \$200 entry fee paid to the state pageant.

CLEAN YOUR CLOSET WEEKEND

Drop off gently used women's business attire at Art Van Furniture stores in Livonia, Westland and Novi Friday-Sunday, March 22-24. Hours are 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.

The Dress for Success agency will distribute the clothing to low-income women entering the work force. Receipts for tax deductions will be available.

Art Van Furniture, WJBK FOX TV's Working Women program, Magic 105.1 and Dress for Success have teamed up for the clothing drive.

TOY SHOW

The Spring 2002 Collectible Toy Show, sponsored by the Winross Collectors Club of America Michigan Chapter, will take place 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, March 24, at Monaghan K of C Hall, 19801 Farmington Road in Livonia. Admission is \$3 free for under age 12. For information, call (734) 747-7192 or (586) 795-8281.

The show will feature vendors with collectible and die cast toys: Hot Wheels, model car kits, promo action figures, sci-fi items and Matchbox Winross die cast trucks will be given as door prizes every half hour.

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Foreground objects add to photos

FOCUS ON PHOTOGRAPHY



MONTE NAGLER

As you know, all good relationships are built upon a solid foundation. In photography, the same often holds true.

Today, I'm going to talk to you about a smart way to add strength and impact to your photographs by a technique I call "adding foundation to your shots."

It's easy to do and you'll be pleasantly surprised at the difference in your finished prints.

By "foundation," I'm referring to foreground objects that add a basis or footing to your composition.

For example, a dazzling sunset setting on the lake will produce a stirring shot but it will be much stronger if you include a bit of shoreline or that gnarled piece of driftwood as a "foundation." The distant, snow capped mountain sure looks dramatic but don't you

think an improvement would be made if you were to add that pile of boulders in the foreground?

The old fishing cove is indeed charming, but how about making your shot even better by including some fishing boats or a bit of netting as a foundation?

Adding a basis to your scenic photographs is like adding footing and support to a structure. Your pictures will be aesthetically more pleasing and will also help to show a scale of reference.

Often times a foundation will help to "complete" your photo by giving more information to the viewer. The most important way you can add foundation to your pictures is to slow down and really "look." Carefully study your subject and analyze its surroundings.

Ask yourself how best can I enhance the subject and show it in its best light? What complements it and how can these elements be used effectively in the composition?

It's almost like accessorizing that new set

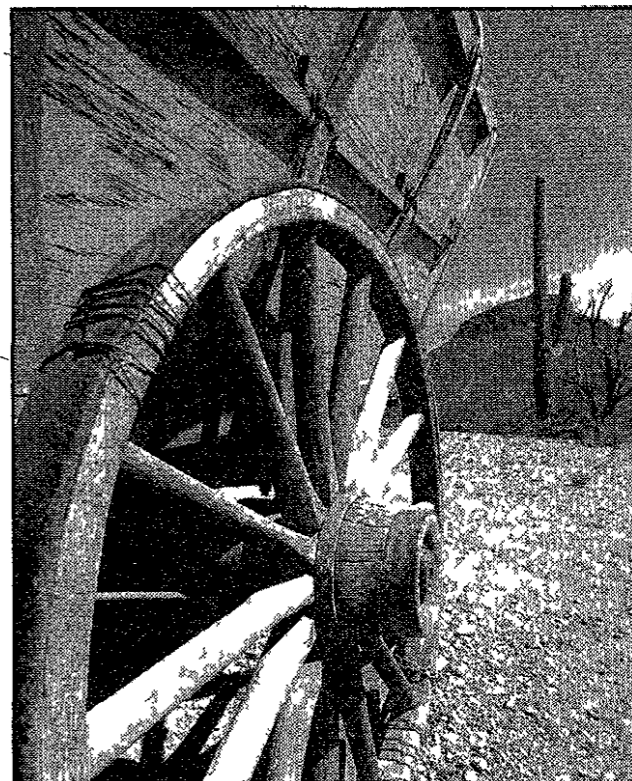
of clothes so that they are worn and shown in the best possible way.

Remember that in adding a foundation to your photographs you must pay particular attention to depth-of-field. You'll run what otherwise may have been a dynamic picture by having the foreground out of focus.

Use your depth-of-field scale on the lens barrel and your depth-of-field preview to make sure everything is going to be sharp. You may want to favor your wide angle lens to not only get more in the composition but to obtain even greater depth-of-field in your shot.

So get the relationship between you and your photography onto a solid basis by using foundations when you shoot!

Monte Nagler is a fine art photographer based in Farmington Hills. You can leave him a message by dialing (734) 953 2047 on a touch tone phone. His fax number is (248) 644 1314.



Wheel foundation: See how the old wagon wheel serves as a foundation and complements the cactus in the background. Monte Nagler took this picture in Tucson, Ariz.

CRAFT SHOW CALENDAR

Send items for consideration in the Arts & Crafts Calendar to Keely Kaleski Wygonik, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. To fax (734) 591 7279 or (248) 644 1314. E-mail kwygonik@oe.homecomm.net. Please copy and paste info into an e-mail or send as a text file.

SHOWS

American Polish Cultural Center.

Spring Arts and Crafts Show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Sunday March 23-24 corner of 15 Mile Road and Dequindre. Troy Admission \$1.50 no baby strollers. Over 70 booths. Polish food will be available for sale. (810) 658 0440.

Handcrafters: Arts and Craft Show

20th annual 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday March 22 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday March 23 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday March 24 Northville Recreation Center 303 W. Main St. Over 70 juried artisans will display florals, stained glass, baskets, wood items, paintings, clothing and accessories. Local participants include Tom LeGault of Plymouth. Admission \$2 no baby strollers. (734) 459 0050.

Stevenson High School: Stevenson

High School Booster Club is holding its annual Spring Spectacular Craft Show 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday March 23 33500 West Six Mile Road Livonia Admission \$2. There will be concessions available all day long and strollers are welcome. One hundred crafters are expected. Crafter applications are still being accepted. All proceeds go to support extra curricular activities at the high school. (248) 478 2395.

St. John's Episcopal Church

Crafts & More Sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. March 23 at St. John's Episcopal Church 555 South Wayne Road Westland 48186. Call (734) 729 1605 for space (no answer - leave message) \$25 for an 8 foot table. Come in to browse or buy Easter trees, crocheted items and much more.

CRAFTERS/ARTISTS SOUGHT

Schoolcraft College Crafters of every ilk are encouraged to apply for a spot in the 2002 Fall Craft Show at Schoolcraft College. Saturday Sunday Nov 9-10. With 150 crafters this show is one of the premier venues in the area and attracts crowds of more than 2,000 people. The show is juried and a limited number of

exhibitors are accepted in each category to maintain a balanced representation in each craft.

Crafters are asked to submit a photograph of their work with their application if they have not been accepted for a previous show. The show features all types of handmade crafts including painting, sculpture, pottery, jewelry, textiles, needlework, photography, glass, leather and woodcarving. Applications must be received by Friday May 3. To obtain an application contact the Margorie Lynch at (734) 462 4400. Ext. 5008. Schoolcraft College is at 18600 Haggerty Road between Six and Seven Mile roads west of 1275.

Crafter Alley Show

During the Westland Summer Festival Wednesday Sunday July 3-7 Westland Central Park 36651 Ford Road between Wayne and Newburgh roads. Art show of children's work ages 5-17 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday July 6. For more information about renting a table for the craft show or the children's art show call Sharon (734) 722 4857.

Lapeer County Summer Festival:

Applications are available for a juried arts and crafts show

Friday Sunday Aug 16-18 in downtown Lapeer. To obtain an application call Sandy at the Chamber of Commerce Office 431 N. Court St. Lapeer MI 48446 or call (810) 664-6641.

Holiday craft show: Applications are being accepted for the 16th annual Holiday Magic Craft Show at Leonard Elementary in Troy. The show is scheduled 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Nov 2. For applications/information e-mail craftshow@prodigy.net or call Marian at 248 680-1533.

Franklin Arts Council:

The Franklin Arts Council is seeking artists in all media for the annual Labor Day Fine Arts Show "Art on The Green" in Franklin Village Monday Sept 2. For an application call (248) 594-3093.

Livonia Arts Commission:

Is looking for artists and crafters for its 26th annual Arts Festival Saturday Sunday June 8-9 in Greenmead Historical Park in Livonia. For an application call the community resources department at (734) 466 2540.

Exhibitors are also wanted for the display cases in the Livonia Civic Center Library. Artists or collectors should contact Donna Eno at (734) 261 5870.

Antiques shop opens at mall

Yesterday's Treasures featuring antiques, collectibles and attic treasures, has opened in Livonia Mall Seven Mile and Middlebelt.

Modeled after other high end antique malls, the shop will accommodate consignment vendors in addition to its own lines of Tiffany jewelry, Barbies, Art Deco glassware, 1890s Chinese warrior dolls, Shirley Temple items,

Teddy bears, china and a wide assortment of other one-of-a-kind collectibles.

Owner Cindy Oakes of Livonia has been coordinating doll and collectible shows for more than 10 years. This is the retired Detroit schoolteacher's first full-time retail location.

The 4,700 square foot shop is off Center Court next to the Pub. Call (734) 591-3252.

Shopping from page B5

place now to Sunday, March 24, at Wonderland Mall, Plymouth and Middlebelt roads in Livonia.

Shoppers complete the Brain Quest and receive a coupon for \$3 off Wonderland's upcoming Spring Carnival Fun for the entire family.

Hours are noon to 8 p.m. Saturday, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 3 p.m. Wednesday Friday. Week days are reserved for school field trips, Scout troops and birthday parties. Call (888) 590 8800 for reservations.

SPRING COLORING CONTEST

Color Wonderland Mall's very own Daisy the Duck and enter to win a basketful of spring goodies. Coloring sheets and crayons are available at the Information Center at Wonderland Mall, Plymouth and Middlebelt roads in Livonia.

Entries will be displayed throughout the mall. Winners will be selected and notified March 30. Children 8 years of age and younger may enter. Call (734) 522-4100 or visit www.wonderlandmall.net.

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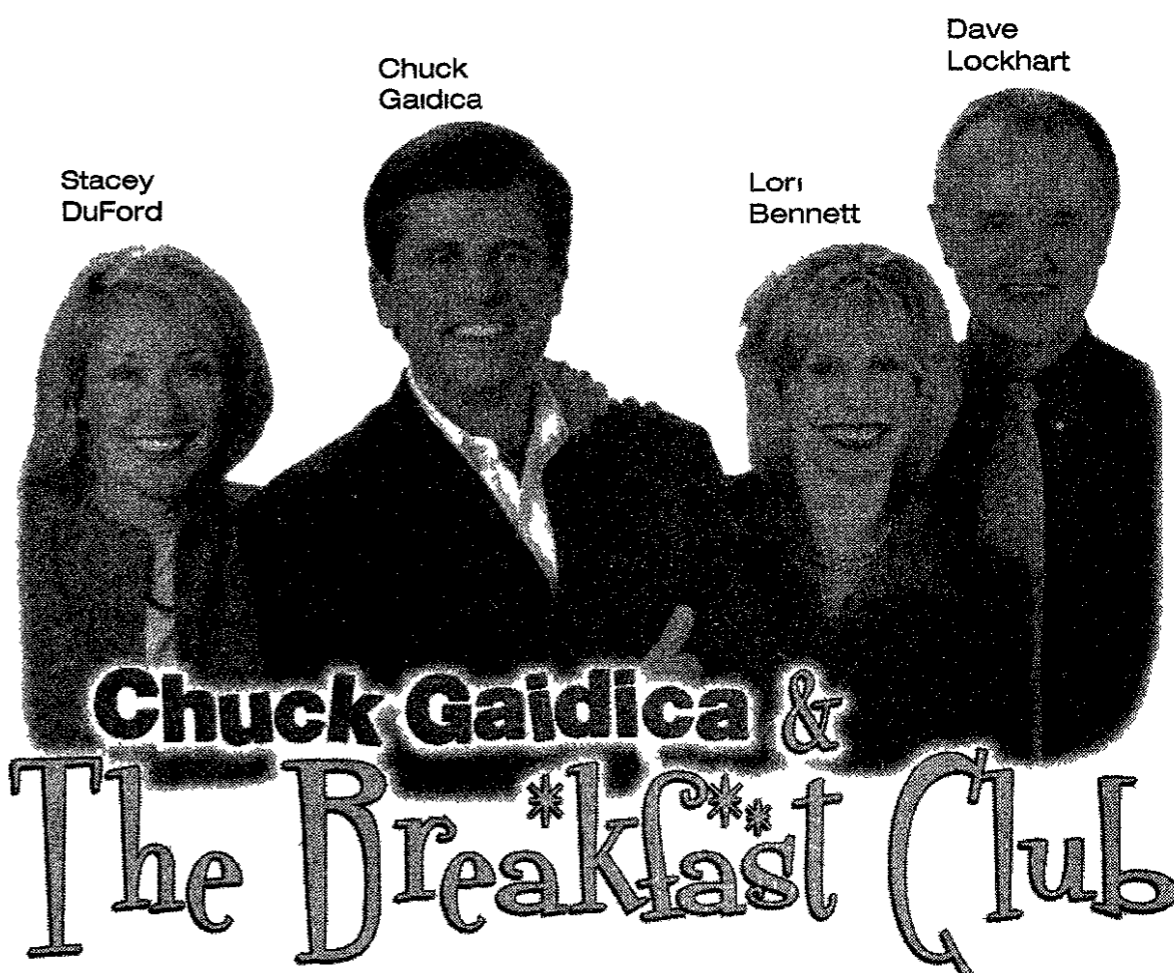
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TRAVEL

Visit to Paris brings this drama to life

By KEELY KALESKI WYGONIK
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Laura Raisch has only been to Paris once, but she believes you could go there a dozen times and not see enough.

"It's absolutely beautiful," she said. "The streets were so tiny, and the people were delightful. They giggled a lot at the American women."

London used to be her favorite city, not anymore. Raisch fell in love with Paris just like her father, Bob, who first visited the city in 1951. In December, Raisch toured Paris with her father, mother, Susie, and friend, Kim Brown. While they were there, they checked out the Lapin Agile, a cabaret bar, founded in 1986, that's housed in

a small cottage

Comedian Steve Martin visited the bar frequented by Pablo Picasso and other artists, and wrote a play, *Picasso at the Lapin Agile*. It's a story about what might have happened if Pablo Picasso and Albert Einstein had met. The story takes place at Lapin Agile.

Picasso at the Lapin Agile
Who: St. Dunstan's Theatre Guild of Cranbrook, 400 Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills.
When: 2 p.m. Sunday, March 17, 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, March 22-23.
Tickets: \$12 adults, \$10 students and seniors, call (248) 644-0527.

Now playing at St. Dunstan's Theatre Guild, *Picasso at the Lapin Agile* was one of the things that made Laura's trip to Paris so interesting. Her father was designing the set for the show and wanted to see what the bar looked like. Kim was doing the props.

After seeing the place, Laura decided to try out for the play and got the part of Germaine,

whose original name, coincidentally, was Laure Gargallo. She was an artist model and one of Picasso's lovers. In the play Germaine is a waitress and the bar owner's girlfriend.

Romantic gift

John Irvine of Rochester Hills portrays Freddy, the bar owner, and took his wife, Krystyn, to Paris during the week of Valentine's Day. It was a Christmas present. Krystyn is also cast in the play and portrays Suzanne, another one of Picasso's love interests.

"I fell in love with Paris," said Krystyn. "It's so rich in history, and the architecture is beautiful."

Her favorite place was the Montmartre area. "It has a very quaint, Old World feel to it, because of all the hills," she said.

Visiting Lapin Agile "was great, a neat experience," said John. "There's something about being in that bar that made it real, it's not a fictional place, it

brought a reality to the show."

His advice to anyone considering a trip to Paris - "Go, and don't believe the stereotypes you hear about the French being rude. That's not the case. The French are very accepting, and the language barrier is not an issue, learn a few words. We picked up a few guidebooks from Borders and just winged it. We talked to friends who'd been there and were just adventurous."

John and his wife stayed at the Intercontinental Hotel, and made arrangements through a travel agent.

Birthday celebration

Bob Raisch of Lathrup Village celebrated his 72nd birthday in Paris this December. A highlight was dinner at the Jules Verne Restaurant on the second floor of the Eiffel Tower. The reservations were made four months in advance of their trip. They ordered the fixed menu - 12 courses.

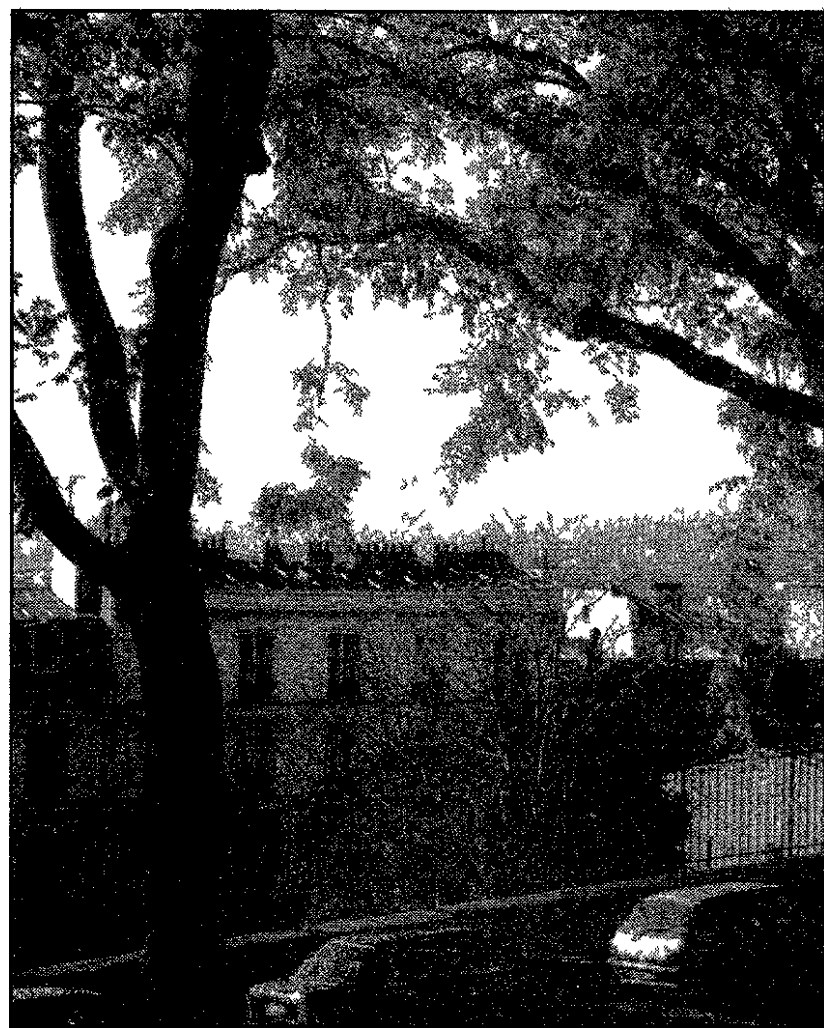
"The food was fabulous and the service impeccable," said Laura. "My dad is nuts about Paris. He made sure I saw all the famous sights. We stayed at the Le Jardin in the Opera Quarter. It was centrally located and came with breakfast."

Her favorite sights included the Louvre, Musee d'Orsay, Harry's Bar, Cafe de Flore, and the Opera House - Opera de Paris Garnier.

The lines were long at the Louvre, so she didn't see the Mona Lisa, but Laura did see an impressive textile exhibit of clothing from 2001 back to the 1400s.

"It was beautifully displayed, and they had tables of fabric you could touch. It was quite stunning," she said. At Musee d'Orsay she saw two wall side pieces by Toulouse-Lautrec that were amazing. It was her favorite museum, and used to be a tram station.

Harry's Bar was special because her dad had been there while he was in the service. There's a University of Michigan



Paris landscape: In the distance you can see the Eiffel Tower. This is the view from the steps of Sacre-Coeur, a Catholic Church.

flag on the wall

Being in the play at St. Dunstan's brings back happy memories of Paris. "Every night I'm in the show I get to go back to Paris," said Laura. "It will be hard to say Au revoir."

Her father is planning another trip to Paris in April. "I love the architecture, the food and wine," he said. "I find the French refreshingly honest."

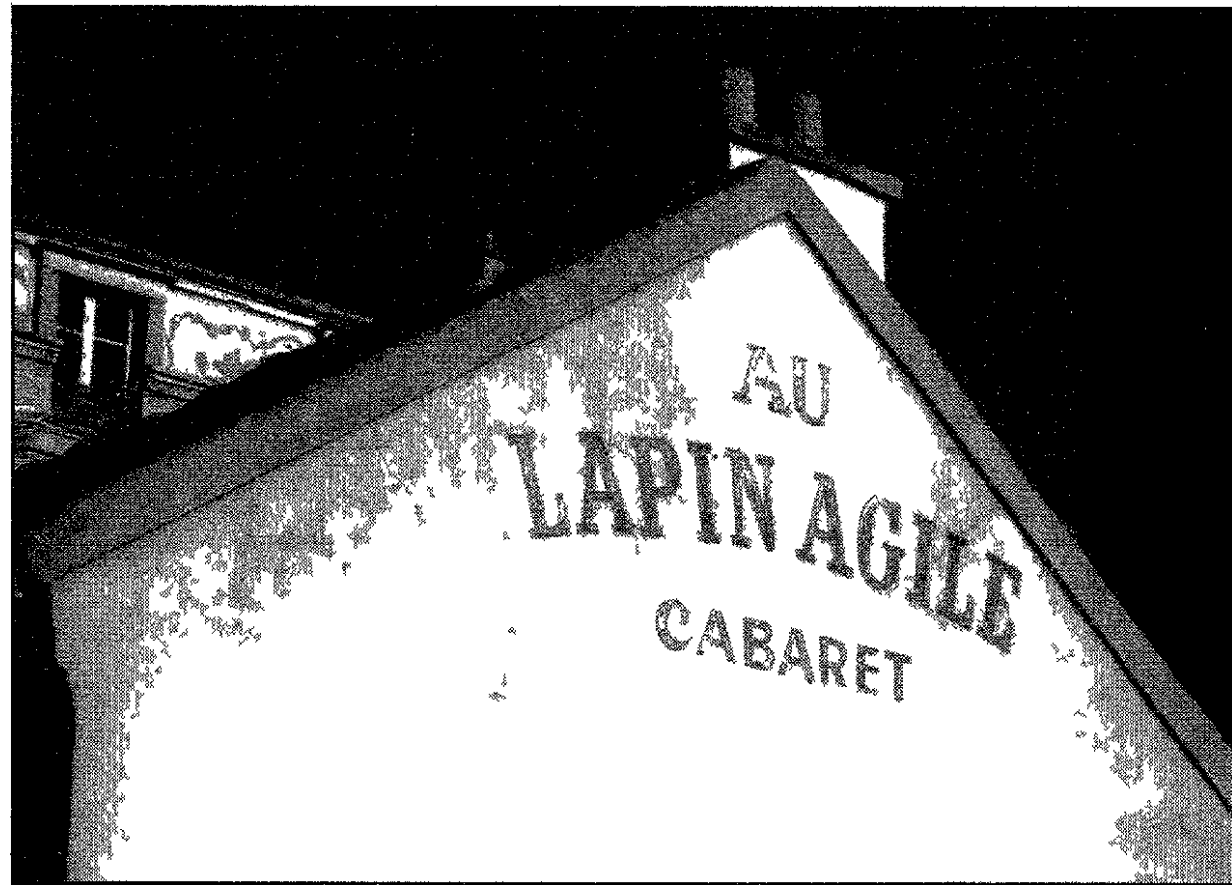
Visiting Lapin Agile helped him design the set for the show at St. Dunstan's. "It was great fun," he said. "I picked up many details."

His advice to anyone planning a trip to France is, learn a little of the language. He took a class at Oakland Community College.

"Go with a smile on your face, and change your money here. It's best to use credit cards, but take two and leave one in your hotel. You'll get the best exchange rate with a credit card."

"Be careful of pickpockets. The French hate it too. It's prevalent in Paris. Don't keep anything in your back pocket. Use the Metro - it's the only way to travel, and it doesn't take a long time to learn the system."

Laura recommends purchasing a copy of *Eyewitness Travel Guides to Paris* published by Dorling Kindersley, \$24.95. She found it helpful, and has purchased the book for friends who are planning to go to Paris.

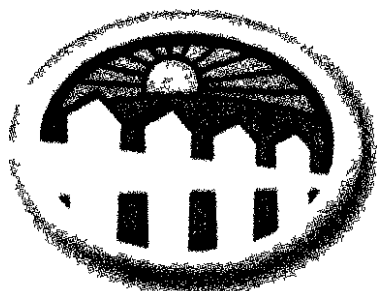


Cottage: From the outside, Lapin Agile looks like a rustic cottage. It's a well known nightspot that has a long history of being a gathering place for artists and writers.

Have you checked our menu today?



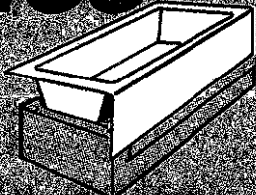
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2 views of Metro's eye-appealing new terminal

New 'earrings' can't hide flaws

Facility still a work in progress

BY PAUL BEAUDRY

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There was a stretch in time, during the early 1970s, when the Chicago White Sox tore up the infield grass at old Comiskey Park and put in AstroTurf.

One player described it as putting "earrings on a pig." When asked why earrings on a pig, the story goes, the player said "no matter how you dress it up, it's still a pig."

The analogy can also apply to the new Midfield Terminal - except the structure is the pair of earrings. It's a beautiful facility - reminding me of the best parts of Denver International, Atlanta's Hartsfield and Chicago's O'Hare - in terms of design, new features, being user friendly and all the other things you expect from a billion-dollar-plus facility.

Any problems remaining aren't with the facility, but can be pinned squarely on Northwest Airlines' curly red tail.

Parking Garage

A major improvement. Forget about the 11,000 parking spots the county brags about. Two new innovations deserve a big bonus.

One is a huge sign as you turn into the garage letting you know approximately how many spots are available on each level in each type of parking. If you turn into the economy parking entrance, a sign will inform you on how many parking spots are available on each of the 11 levels.

It's not infallible. I turned into a level that was listed as full and found a spot with no problem. But it gives you an idea where to head.

The other is the moving walkway that parallels the front of the terminal. Even if you park at the far end of a level, you only have to walk to the front of the building to pick up a walkway.

Checking in

It's a wonderful, airy, brilliant entrance to an airport - aesthetically. Functionally, it can be the mother of all bottlenecks.

A first-class passenger gets a first class trip through the system.

Their lines for ticketing and security are minimal - and even better if there's no luggage to be checked.

For the majority of the poor fools who don't check baggage at the curb (line was even longer) or use the much ballyhooed parking garage check-in (unattended), it was welcome to the cattle car (moo). With a 40-minute wait at 7:30 a.m. on a Saturday, Northwest was Northworst at its best.

The airline trumpets its multitude of E-ticketing stations, but if you have to check luggage, you must use an attended E-ticket center. The lines for the e-ticket service centers were longer than the regular ticket line in the Davey Terminal (they're even longer now). If NWA increases the number of flights to take advantage of the new terminal - which they haven't yet - it will get worse.

Signs to steer my fellow cattle would have helped, but were non-existent. Employees offering to help would have helped - but were rarer than an in-flight meal.

The best example was at the security checkpoint. At the north end of the terminal, the line snaked its way through the terminal. The end of the line was about 50 feet away from a second checkpoint with virtually no line. But the cattle had no idea there was a second checkpoint because A) there were no signs and B) no one told the passengers.

Checking out

Getting your luggage is very different and yet very similar. The goal of the new terminal is to have the luggage at the carousel within 15 minutes after the plane lands. And there have been horror stories of the baggage system not working, losing luggage and/or taking up to two hours for the bags to arrive intact.

On a Tuesday late morning, the bags took nine minutes to arrive from the time the cabin doors opened to the time they popped onto the carousel. Nine minutes. Two thumbs up.

However, the county and NWA dropped the ball completely on securing the area. As in the Davey

Terminal, the McNamara Terminal offers no kind of system to make sure the right person has the right bag. Anyone can come in walk off with baggage and no one would be the wiser.

Impossible? Not at Atlanta's Hartsfield Airport, where a guard matches the bag and claim check.

Fountain and other notes

FastPay is the greatest thing since television remote controls. You walk up to the machine, insert your parking ticket, zip in your debit or credit card and it spits out another ticket stub and an optional receipt. Insert the ticket stub into the gate at the design-

Please see EARRINGS, A10

BY HUGH GALLAGHER

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Remember the opening of "The Graduate"? Benjamin is flying home from college. His fingers are glued to the airplane seat arms, his knuckles white, his face frozen and the soundtrack plays "Hello, darkness, my old friend."

Yeah, it was like that flying into Detroit Metro Airport on the afternoon of March 9.

We had left warm, sunny Fort Myers, Fla., where the early afternoon temperature was already in the low 80s and found ourselves flying into a whipping, wracking, stomach churning windstorm. And it all began so well.

My wife and I left early Sunday

morning March 3. We had our son drop us off at the new Edward H. McNamara Terminal/ Northwest WorldGateway. We came from the west on I-94, then south on I-275 to Eureka. The signage on the freeway was poor and if I hadn't been following the new terminal story for a while, I might have missed that this was the way to the airport. Once on Eureka, the road narrows which raises questions about what it's like on a busy business Monday. On Sunday it was fine and the signage here into the airport was much better.

We zipped right in to the departures level. We pulled up to the curb and checked our luggage with the skycaps. Quick, easy, no hassle. Right inside the door we found an e-ticket kiosk. An attendant talked us through the procedure, which was helpful though the computer prompts are easy to understand.

We took the escalator down to the gates. There was no line at security and we passed through quickly with more time than we had expected to check out the new terminal.

The soaring, aerodesign has a definite wow factor. The floors were clean, the large space was well lit. Though many stores were closed, the essentials were in - coffee bars, newsstands, a couple tavern restaurants.

Breakfast anyone?

But this was early morning and we were looking for a good place for breakfast. We searched and searched and finally the On-Line Cafe opened. The waitress forgot part of my order, forgot our toast and then brought untoasted bread. The food was tourist class airline quality. And my wife couldn't get a cup of real tea. Nor could she get a cup of regular black tea at Starbucks. And when she finally paid for a cup at McDonald's, they told her - uh, oh - they'd run out of teabags. (Cracker Barrel, there's a real opportunity here to open a good breakfast restaurant.)

Speaking of food, it's not cheap. At first, officials promised "street pricing," meaning the cost of a Big

Mac was to cost the same at the terminal as it did at the one on Wayne Road and I-94.

Then they changed it to close to street pricing - higher, but not much higher. Try really higher. For example, a large Whopper value meal at the airport runs \$5.69. At the Burger King at Plymouth and Wayne roads, it's \$4.45 - a mark up of 27 percent.

We rode the tram, lots of fun but unless you have to go the whole length of the terminal, not that practical. Better are the moving sidewalks that efficiently move people and their carry-ons at a quick pace.

The fountain, the light tunnel and the huge windows to watch the jets are all entertaining.

Rough ride

We left a chilly Detroit for a warm south Florida and thought, all and all, that the new terminal was attractive, efficient, well run.

Then we returned. By the time we arrived in Detroit, the winds were ripping through at 60 knots. The pilot said he'd hover for a while and might have to take us someplace else.

Then an hour after scheduled arrival the decision was made, we were cleared to land. I've never been on a roller coaster that wild. When the plane landed the passengers on the full 757 gave the Northwest pilot a well-earned ovation. When the plane pulled in, we were delayed again because they couldn't connect the bridge from the terminal to the plane.

We expected that the luggage might take a little longer than usual, but almost two hours seemed excessive. First, the winds prevented the crew from unloading the luggage. Then the carousel had mechanical problems. They were planning on moving our luggage to another carousel and then changed their minds.

When we inquired about the problems with an "information" person, we were told they didn't handle that kind of information and we'd have to check with Northwest's office.

Please see PROGRESS, A10



STAFF PHOTO BY PAUL BEAUDRY

Aerodesign: The new terminal has an aeronautical design, moving walkways for quick movement and big screen TVs to watch the news.

We deliberately waited a week before venturing into the new Edward H. McNamara Terminal/ Northwest Gateway at Wayne County Detroit Metropolitan Airport. You can't judge a new building in its first days of operation.

We flew at different times on different days. One of us flew out on a Saturday morning and returned on a weekday midday. The other went out on a Sunday morning and back on a Saturday afternoon. One parked his car; the other was dropped off and picked up. One came in off Eureka Road; the other off Merriman. Both checked luggage. Both used E ticket. Here's what it was like at the new terminal.



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OBITUARIES

ORMA B. NORTH

Services for Orma North, 83, of Morristown, Tenn were held March 15 at Dover Cumberland Presbyterian Church with the Rev Howard Shipley and the Rev Dale Chapman officiating Services in Michigan will be March 18 in the chapel of Ward Presbyterian Church Burial will be at Glen Eden Acres in Livonia

Mrs North was born in Vegreville, Alberta, Canada and died March 11 in Tennessee She had served as organist and pianist at Dover Cumberland Presbyterian Church

She was preceded in death by her parents, Rev W J (Mary) Thompkins, and sister, Laura Johnson

Survivors include husband, Carl R North, daughter, Carla S Borsos of Plymouth, son, Timothy K North of Ammon, Jordan, sisters, Ruby Fietchall of Junction City, Ore, and Ina Norbo of Mercer Island, Wash, and brothers, William Thompkins of Morristown, Tenn, Keith Thompkins of Fountain, Colo, and Kenneth Thompkins of Pentacton, British Columbia Arrangements made by Stubblefield Funeral Home in Morristown

MATTHEW ANDERSON
Services for Matthew Anderson, 25, of Plymouth were held March 16 at St Kenneth Catholic Church with the Rev Joseph Malia officiating

Mr Anderson was born March 5, 1977 in Livonia and died March 12 in Plymouth He was a mechanic for Roush Industries in Livonia He came to the Plymouth community in 1992 from Livonia He graduated from Stevenson High School in 1994 He loved motorcross racing, the

outdoors, and especially hunting He was a loving son, brother grandson, nephew, and cousin

Survivors include father, David (Debbie) Anderson of Plymouth, mother, Gerrie (Al) Giss of Livonia, sister, Nadine (Dan) Mersch of Howell, brother, David Giss of Redford, brother, Kevin Giss of Livonia, brother, Curt (Diana) Borensak of Plymouth, brother, Jeff (Lauren) Borenski of Willis, brother, Mark Borenski of Plymouth, sister, Carrie Borenski of Dearborn, and brother Adam Borenski of Plymouth, grandparents, Kathleen VanTassel of Westland, Gerald (Sandra) Van Tassel of Saginaw, and Albert (Marcie) Anderson of South Carolina, several nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles also survive

Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Humane Society Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home

ROBERT BELLARMINE OLDANI
Services for Robert Oldani, 66, of Farmington Hills were held March 16 at St Fabian Catholic Church

Mr Oldani was born Dec 15, 1935 in Detroit and died March 14 in Farmington Hills He worked as a contractor for the United States government

Survivors include wife, Marilyn, son, Robert (Stephanie), daughter, Kathleen (Craig) Horn, son, John (Karen), son, Michael (Heather), son, Patrick (Dawn), brother, Norbert, brother, John (Betty), brother, Robert (Marjorie) Patek, and 13 grandchildren

Memorial contributions may be made to Angela Hospice, American Cancer Society, or Jesuit Society Arrangements made by L J Griffin Funeral Home Canton Chapel

THEATRE AUDITIONS

Auditions for "Hansel and Gretel" will be held at the Marquis Theater, in downtown Northville at 6 p m Saturday, March 23 Auditions for children 8-15 years old Performers must prepare a song in their vocal range and bring their own sheet music An accompanist will be provided Performers must also prepare to read a poem, no longer than two minutes It does not have to be memorized Call (248) 349 8110 for information

EASTER EGG HUNT
Being held at Heritage Park in Canton on March 30 Children 10 and under, divided by age group, can search the grounds for all kinds of treats Children four and under will begin at 9 30 a m, and ages five ten will begin at 10 15 a m For more information, call (734) 394 5460

EASTER BRUNCH
St John's Golf & Conference Center is pleased to host an Easter brunch, open to the public Children will be treated to a visit by the Easter Bunny, and the whole family will enjoy "big band" entertainment from Noon until 3 p m Adults \$25, Seniors (65 and up) \$17, Children (5 12 yrs) \$10, Children under 5 eat free Call (734) 414 0600 for reservations

EASTER EVENTS
Fox Hills presenting Breakfast with the Easter Bunny on March 23 and March 30 Lunch with the Easter bunny is on March 30 Games, crafts, egg drop, lots of fun Easter Sunday brunch on March 31 For reservations call (734) 453 7272

CANTON SOFTBALL
Canton Softball Center is currently accepting registrations for the spring softball Session 1 runs from April 19 July 19 with an 18 game and double header season and playoffs Call (734) 483 5600 for registration

SKATE ACROSS AMERICA
Plymouth Figure Skating Club annual ice show at 7 30 p m, March 22 and 23 at the Compuware Sports Arena Tickets are \$6 and \$5 (seniors and children 12 and under) and will be available at the door

TAI CHI CLASSES
New beginner Tai Chi classes starting at 7 p m Monday, April 1 in Livonia and Bloomfield Hills Classes for seniors begin at 1 p m Wednesday, April 3 in Livonia For more information, call (248) 332 1281

SCHOOL REGISTRATION
St Mary Catholic School, located on Michigan near Wayne Road in Wayne, is accepting registrations for grade K-8 beginning March 19 For more information, call the school office at (734) 721-1240

ARTS AND CRAFTS
Handcrafters will be sponsoring the spring Arts and Crafts Show 9 a m - 9 p m Friday, March 22, 9 a m - 5 p m Saturday, March 23, and 11 a m - 5 p m Sunday, March 24 Over 70 juried artisans will display their talents at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 W Main St

SPRING SINGLES DANCE
Our Lady of Good Counsel Church invites singles ages 30 to 55 to meet new friends, dance and socialize in the OLCG social hall from 8 p m - midnight April 13 Admission is \$8 for snacks and refreshments included with a DJ Dressy casual attire For

details call (734) 453-0326

THEOLOGY ON TAP

Christians come to The Box Bar four times this month This program gives single and married adults an opportunity to meet and share faith and spiritual experiences in a relaxed, social setting Sponsored by St John Neumann Catholic Church each Tuesday evening at 7 p m from March 5 to 26

WINTERFEST BEER TASTING

Schoolcraft College sponsors the Gourmet Club and Merchant's Fine Wine beer tasting from 7-9 p m Thursday, March 21 Patrons must be 21 years of age and prove it to attend Tickets will be \$35 and include fine culinary cuisine, up to 50 tastings of assorted beer, door prizes and a complimentary tasting glass Call (734) 452 4411 for information

SENIOR FITNESS

New six-week session begins at 9-10 a m Tuesday, March 19 at the Friendship Station in Plymouth Cost for the session is \$8 for more information, call Ann DeGhetto at (734) 354-3203

BLOOD DRIVE

The American Red Cross is holding a blood drive at the Plymouth District Library from 10 a m to 4 p m on Friday, March 22 Call Barb at (734) 453-0750 for any questions

SPRING MUSICAL

This spring enjoy a musical adaptation of "Jack and the Beanstalk" at Northville's Marquis Theater, March 9 through April 21 Tickets to all public performances are \$7 50 for information, call (248) 349-8110

SOFTBALL LEAGUES

The city of Plymouth will once again be offering men's slow-pitch and modified softball leagues this spring The registration fee per team is \$550, which includes game balls and the non-resident fee deposit Umpire fees are not included Call the Cultural Center at (734) 455-6620 for further information

HEALTHY HEART CLASSES

St Mary Mercy Hospital offers classes related to cardiovascular health from Feb 12 through March 26 to clarify the overabundance of heart health information available to consumers There is a \$10 fee per class and

participants are asked to pre-register by contacting the Community Outreach Department at (734) 655-8940

SWIM CLASSES

Canton Township Leisure Services has added several swim classes for parent and child, preschool, youth, teen and adult aquatic programs Classes begin the week of March 4 with registration ongoing for residents Call (734) 394-5460 for class availability

PCEP FUNDRAISER

Plymouth Salem Freshmen Student Council is selling America's ValuCards as their fundraiser The cards sell for \$10 and offer discounts from area businesses Unlike coupons, America's ValuCards can be used every day for an entire year Fifty percent of the profit will go to the school Call (734) 416 2800 for more information

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The Ann Arbor Art Center will be offering week-long spring break workshops for children aged 6-12 beginning Feb 25 to April 1 These will be held in week-long, half-day sessions Children can register for morning sessions from 9 a m to 1 p m, or afternoon sessions, from 1 p m to 4 p m The cost is \$85 for members and \$95 for non-members Call (734) 994-8004 x 101 to register or information

RECREATION REGISTRATION

The City of Plymouth is now taking registration for its classes for all ages Classes include gymnastics, dance, core body exercise, tots jump-a-rama, taekwon-do, personal development, aerobics, clogging, senior trips and programs and much more Call (734) 455-6620 for more information

ART CLASSES

D&M Studios, in cooperation with the city of Plymouth Recreation Department, will hold painting and drawing classes for senior citizens from 9 a m to noon Thursdays for the painting and 1 - 3 p m for drawing and open studio Both classes will be at the D&M Studios in Canton, and the fee is \$2

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New firm crafting its own furniture niche

Interior specialists and Plymouth residents Maureen and Robert Kraemer and Kelly Bee Mangion have partnered to launch Intramode, a new source for commercial designers, architects and homeowners looking for distinctive, commercial-grade contemporary furniture at good prices.

Architects Maureen and Bob Kraemer, the husband and wife team who head Kraemer Design Group, PLC, an architectural firm based in Detroit, and Mangion, a commercial interior designer, have brought high design and low prices to the same table with Intramode.

Their shared vision of the company is to offer high quality furniture that is inspiring and exciting, along with a unique price component-cost plus procurement fee, which allows them to offer a value that is nearly unbeatable in the marketplace.

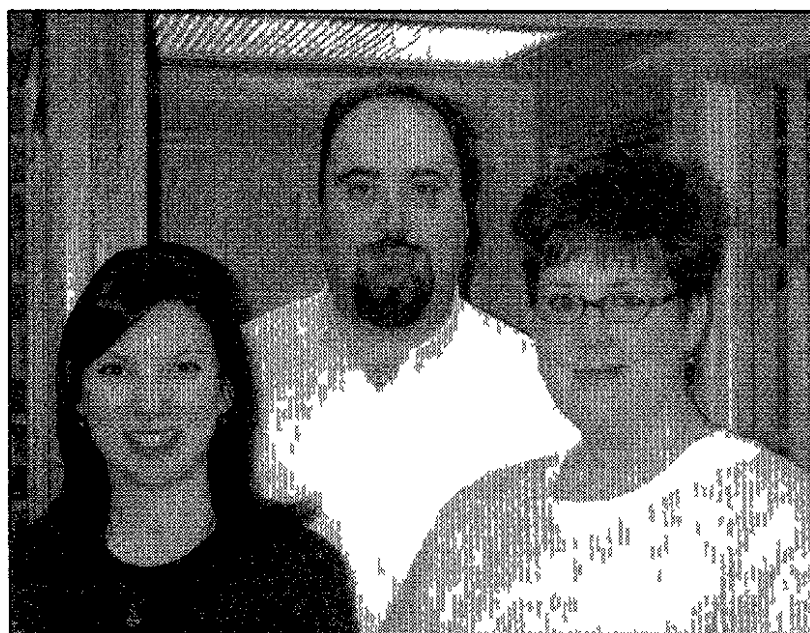
"As designers, we know there is a niche for Intramode," said Bob Kraemer, managing member.

"Furniture is a lot more than a place to sit and store your stuff. Great furniture generates an emotional response. It's fun. It makes us feel good."

As an independent dealer not affiliated with a major furniture line, Intramode will sell non-licensed furniture (everything but Herman Miller, Steelcase, Haworth and Knoll) and won't emphasize one product line over another.

Intramode selects a product type to fit the client's needs without favoring any given manufacturer over another, Kraemer explained.

Intramode was launched from the Detroit offices of Kraemer Design Group, and has grown



New owners: Plymouth residents Bob and Maureen Kraemer and Kelly Bee Mangion are the owners of Intramode, a new furniture business.

out of the firm's need to procure furniture for its list of clients. Intramode also will offer design and specifying services.

The firm is a Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE), with Maureen Kraemer and Mangion holding the majority stake in the company.

Intramode is being certified as a Detroit-Based Business Enterprise (DBB) and Small Business Enterprise (SBE).

"Intramode is offering customers a unique value in the contract furniture industry," Maureen Kraemer said.

"Instead of large markups, we'll sell furniture at our cost plus a procurement fee. We are excited to bring this pricing structure to our customers, and we are certain it will be very popular."

While the company expects the majority of sales to come from

commercial interior designers, architects and corporate purchasing departments, it also will offer its line of furniture to home consumers who are looking for innovative designs for home offices and other uses.

Maureen Kraemer has a master's degree in architecture and a bachelor's degree in communication both from the University of Michigan.

Bob Kraemer has a master's degree in architecture also from U of M, and is a licensed architect in the states of Michigan, Ohio and Maryland, and maintains NCARB certification.

The Kraemers have two daughters, Maura and Keelin.

Mangion has a bachelor's degree in architecture from Lawrence Technical University.

She is an allied member of the American Society of Interior Designers.

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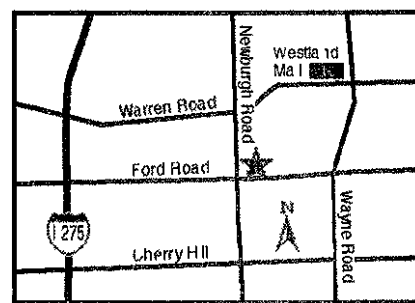
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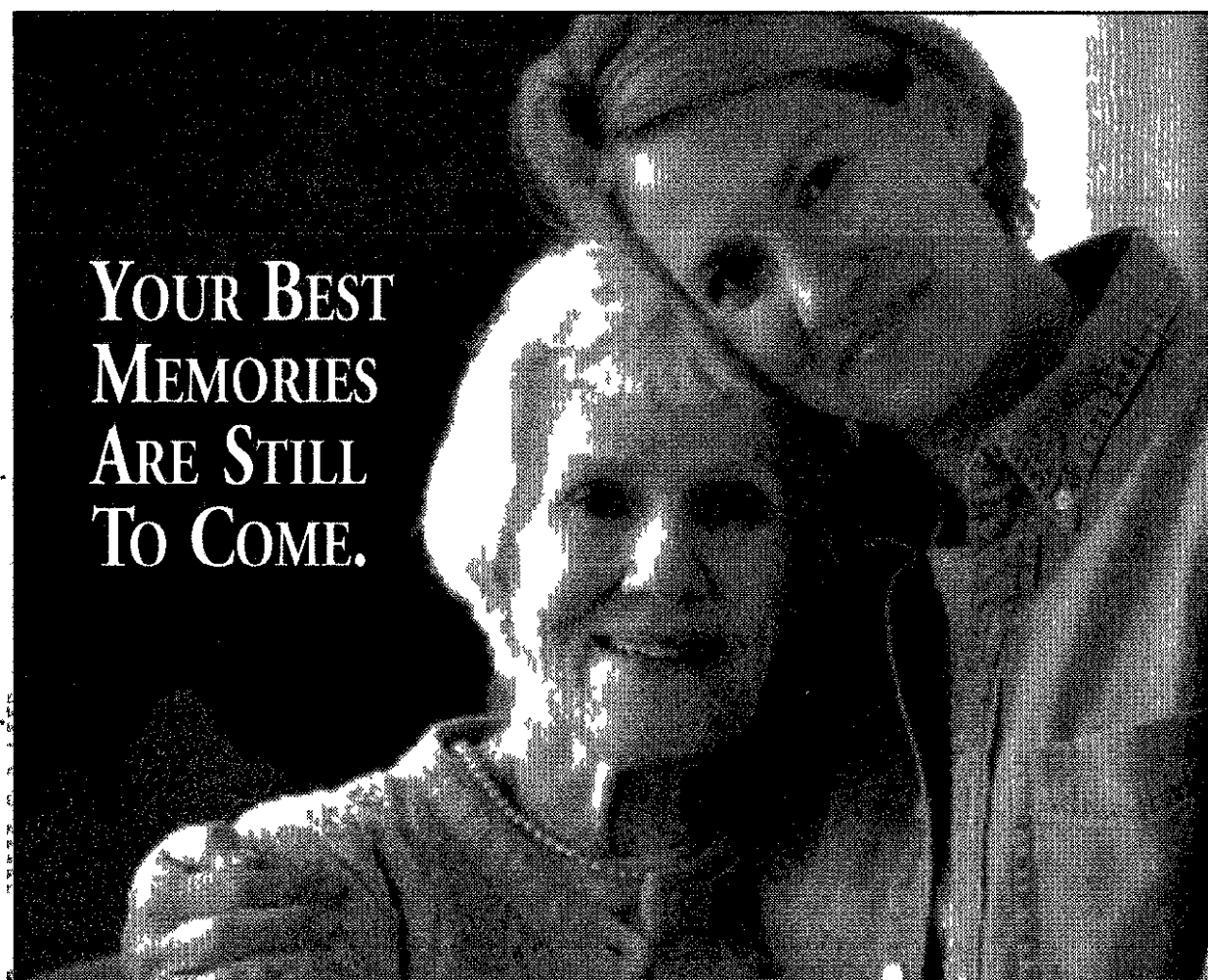
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 The monthly meeting of the Suburban Republican Women's Club will be at 11 a.m. Thursday, March 28 at Sandtraps on Five Mile in Livonia. Speaker will be Richard convertino, Asst. U.S. Atty. Gen. Crime Strike Force, on the topic of prosecution of terrorists. For reservations, call (248) 471-5659 by March 25.
WSCNACW
 Meeting at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday April 9 at Ernesto's. Cost is \$18 for members and \$22 for non-members. The topic will be "Ingredients of Success" with Priscilla Peterson speaker. RSVP to Brenda Durling at (734) 462-4670.
WWCGS
 Meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday March 18 at the Livonia Civic Park Senior Center Building on Farmington Road. Speaker will be Connie Ayres on "Maps-An Unused Source of Information". Meetings and classes are open to the public and free of charge.
DAR
 Sandwich luncheon and annual meeting at Noon on March 18 at the home of Susan Ganz on Ply-

mouth Ridge Dr. in Plymouth. The program is "Organize to Make Your Genealogical Filing System Work For You" with speaker Liz Kerstens. Call Susan Ganz at (734) 254-0085 for further information.

CANTON ROTARY CLUB
 The Rotary meets at Noon on Mondays at the Roman Forum in Canton on Ford Road. All guests are invited to join us for lunch for more information on our community and international service projects.

TOPS
 Are you unhappy with your weight? Why not join TOPS? We weigh in weekly and meet to share ideas about losing weight, exercising, etc. We meet at 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays at Geneva Presbyterian Church, 5835 N. Sheldon, Canton. For more information call (734) 459-4387.

ASTRONOMY DISCUSSION
 Plymouth Library offers a free monthly Family Astronomy Discussion Group from 7-8 p.m. for both individuals and families with children 6 years and older. Door prizes, slides, video and handouts. Call Mike Best at (734) 459-2378.

MOMS CLUB
 Western Wayne County stay-at-home mothers may meet at 10 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month. The group offers play groups, activities, outings and community service opportunities. Call Wendy Paulot, (734) 398-6957.

WEST SUBURBAN STAMP CLUB
 Meeting at 8 p.m. the first and third Fridays of the month at the Plymouth Historical Society, 155 S. Main St., Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH CANTON JAYCEES
 Looking for people 21-39 interested in making friends, helping with good causes and having a good time. The Jaycees meet at 7:30 p.m. every second Wednesday of the month at the Plymouth Township Clerk's office. Call (734) 453-8407 or show up at the group's monthly meeting.

COMMUNITY DEMOCRATS
 The Community Democratic Club meets at 7 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month at UAW Local 845 Hall. Business meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. The club serves Canton, Northville, Plymouth and the Livonia 13th District. For information, call Becky Tavarozzi (734) 398-5845.

TOASTMASTERS
 Develop your public speaking, communications and leadership skills. Guests welcome. No pressure to speak. Being held at St. John Episcopal Church in Plymouth. This group meets at 7 p.m. every first and third Monday of the month. Please call (734) 459-0715 for more information.

WESTSIDE SINGLES
 Westside Singles presents dances every Friday night at the Burton Manor. Doors open at 8 p.m. to 1 a.m., dressy attire, bud get bar, D.J., 25 and older, price is \$4 before 8:30 p.m. and \$6

after 8:30 p.m. Call (734) 981-0909 for further information.

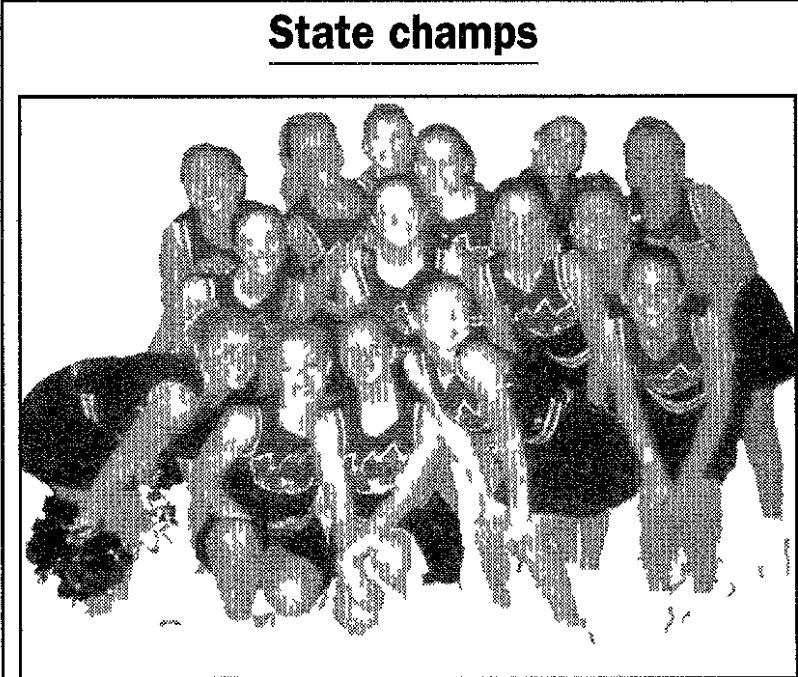
K OF C BREAKFAST
 The Knights of Columbus holds a breakfast buffet 8:30 a.m. to noon every Sunday at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 150 Fair St., Plymouth. All you can eat buffet. Newly remodeled breakfast room. Call (734) 453-9833 for further information.

ARTS COUNCIL
 Every second Tuesday at noon you may take your lunch and learn about art with the speakers from the DIA. The cost is \$5 for members and \$8 for others. Lectures are free to senior citizens. Winter 2001 classes for children-acting, singing, drawing, sketching and painting. For adults-photography, drawing, sketching, watercolor, salsa dance, and figure drawing with models. Art or drama birthday parties or Scout workshops custom designed for each group (any age) at the Plymouth Community Arts Council. For information, call (734) 416-4278.

KIWANIS BREAKFAST CLUB
 The Plymouth-Canton Kiwanis Breakfast Club meets 7 a.m. every Tuesday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. Guests are welcome. Call Charr Briggs at (810) 406-8489.

BNI
 The Canton II Chapter of Business Network International (BNI) meets 7-8:30 a.m. every Wednesday at Roman Forum Restaurant, 41601 Ford, Canton. The Laurel Park Chapter meets 7-8:30 a.m. at Archie's Family Restaurant on Plymouth Road, east of Merriman, Livonia. The Plymouth Chapter meets every Thursday at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, Plymouth. The Livonia Chapter meets 7-8:30 a.m. at Senate Coney Island on Plymouth at Stark, Livonia. Call the BNI regional office at (810) 323-3800.

MOPS
 The Plymouth Baptist Church holds the Mothers Of Preschoolers meetings 9-11:30 a.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. These meetings provide a time for moms to develop new friendships with other moms. Child care is provided. The church is at 42021 Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth, between Lolley and Haggerty. Call (734) 453-5534.



State champs

Top squad: Plymouth Christian Academy's varsity cheerleaders are the Class D state champions after the sideline team competition at Saginaw Valley State University March 9. The team qualified for the state meet by winning the regional the week before. Team members include Moriah Boyd, Kim Harris, Lauren Gaines, Emily Henry, Bethany Herr, Liz Lulek, Lauren Hartz, Katie Bloom, Maria Conti, Sara Roberts, Angela Bell, Kristen Teitjen, Allison Clemmons, Emily Bloom, Jenna Nill and manager Tiffany Yonkman. The team is coached by Suzanne Immerfall and Jenny Stellma.

MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES
 The Plymouth Canton Mothers of Multiples Club meets 7 p.m. the third week of each month on alternating Mondays and Tuesdays. Play group meets twice a month on alternating Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Call Pam Hee stand at (734) 981-3341.

MOMS CLUB
 MOMS Club welcomes all western Wayne County stay-at-home mothers to meet at 10 a.m. the third Tuesday of each month. Play group meets every Wednesday. Call Lisa at (734) 844-3685.

HUMAN RIGHTS GROUP
 The Human Rights Group meets at 7 p.m. the first Sunday of the month at the Plymouth Coffee Studio, 600 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Call Paulette at (734) 416-9288 or Charlene at (734) 963-0649.

PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS
 Plymouth Newcomers is a social organization dedicated to helping people meet others in the

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VOLUNTEERS

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EEF hosts dinner fund-raiser

The Educational Excellence Foundation serving Plymouth Canton Community Schools sponsors a dinner theater fund-raiser at 6:30 p.m. Friday, March 22.

The evening includes a special dinner in the Plymouth Rock Cafe prepared and served by Culinary Arts students, followed

by a performance of *Pippin* from reserved seats in the Gloria Logan Theater. Tickets for the event are \$50 each, with only 100 tickets available.

Proceeds from this event will be used for much-needed repairs to the theater. Call 420-7010 Monday-Thursday mornings to reserve tickets.

The Educational Excellence Foundation is a registered 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that funds curricular based projects that enhance teaching and learning in the Plymouth-Canton Schools. EEF is also a fiduciary advisor for scholarships benefiting Plymouth-Canton students.

Field crowded for 3rd district judge spot

BY TONY BRUSCATO
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A fourth person has announced intentions to run for the third judge seat in Plymouth's 35th District Court.

Thomas Doetsch, Sr., chief referee of Wayne County's 3rd District Court, will join three other

candidates in the Aug. 6 primary.

Doetsch worked as an assistant Wayne County prosecutor for 13 years before being appointed to the bench in 1993.

Doetsch joins a field which includes Karen Woodside of Northville Township, assistant Wayne County prosecutor and

former township supervisor, Eric Colthurst of Plymouth, attorney and part-time 35th District Court magistrate, and attorney Mike Gerou, who lives in Plymouth Township. The two candidates who receive the most votes in the August primary will challenge for the judgeship in the November general election.

Station, students earn broadcasting awards

WSDP 88.1-FM, the student-run radio station in the Plymouth-Canton school district, was named High School Station of the Year at the Michigan Association of Broadcasting Conference.

Broadcasters from throughout the state attended the conference. It's the second straight year WSDP won the award.

Three station employees also won awards, with Jake Bugeja earning five of them. Bugeja won first place honors for best newscast, best play-by-play, best public service announcement and best promotional announcement. He got a second-place honor for best air check.

Greg Angel, a Salem High School junior and the station's promotions director, earned a second-place award for best newscast.

"It was a privilege to have my work recognized," Angel said.

John Fournier earned a second place in best play-by-play.

"I'm especially pleased our students received awards," station manager Bill Keith said. "Their work is exceptional and worthy of the recognition."

WSDP is owned and operated by the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. The station is staffed by students at Salem and Canton High Schools.

Annual auction

The annual 88.1-FM Radio Auction is set for 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday, May 11.

The auction benefits the student-run radio station. Listeners will be able to bid on items donated by area businesses. Every half-hour new items will be available for bidding. Money

raised from the auction will be used for equipment upgrades and to fund three scholarships the station offers annually to graduates.

Beginning in April, station supporters will be able to keep track of new items up for bid by checking the station's Web site, www.881theescape.com. Listeners from around the country will be able to listen to the auction via the World Wide Web.

"We were excited to receive calls from Chicago, Las Vegas and North Carolina during last year's auction," Keith said. "I'm hoping for even greater response from our alumni and out-of-town friends this year."

Volunteers will be contacting businesses for donations through the end of April. Businesses interested in donating items can call the station, (734) 416-7732.

SUPPORT GROUPS

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Lawmakers put airport into hands of an authority

BY MIKE MALOTT
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Legislation putting the operation of Detroit Metropolitan Airport under the control of a seven member authority cleared its biggest hurdle Wednesday in the state House. Representatives voted 75-31 on adoption.

Senators quickly followed suit voting 28-8 in favor and sent the bill to the governor.

Gov. John Engler's press secretary Susan Shafer said he is expected to sign the bill in the next few weeks and quickly move to name his appointees.

Shafer said none of the amendments made in the Legislature were significant enough for him to withdraw his support.

In fact the measure was little changed from the deal originally struck between Engler and Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara to create the authority.

Key components were the make up of the authority — four appointees to be named by the Wayne executive, two by the governor and one by the Wayne County Board of Commissioners — and immediate effect allowing Engler and McNamara to name the members themselves.

Supporters — Republicans and outstate Democrats — say the measure will go a long way toward solving financial problems at the airport, such as no bid contracts and cost overruns uncovered in two years of legislative hearings and reviews by the state Auditor General.

This bill lessens the chance of cronyism and nepotism when it comes to airport operations and puts sharper teeth in other areas of regulations and internal review, said Rep. Jim Koetje (R-Grandville), chair of the House Airport Review Subcommittee.

Wayne County Democrats were disappointed by the rejection of amendments they offered to give more seats to the county commission and to change the terms to the appointees to allow the next governor and executive to name authority members.

"I can't tell you what a joke I think this legislation is," Rep. Gloria Schermesser (D-Lincoln Park) said. Rather than making the airport more accountable, she said it would insulate airport officials from the voting public. It will be like giving the keys to the inmates.

Rep. Glenn Anderson (D-Westland) had similar reservations.

"If the airport has been so mishandled," Anderson said, "why are we giving the same person who has been running it all those appointments?" The county commission has been pushed out. I have a basic problem usurping the

authority of an elected body."

Amendments

Several amendments were made to the bill, the most significant offered by Rep. Buzz Thomas (D-Detroit). That amendment requires the authority to honor union contracts with airport workers. It bars lay-offs at the airport as well as reductions in pay or benefits for workers for one year.

"At the end of the day, I voted no," Thomas said. "It would not have been the bill that I would

have written, but given the reality that this was happening, I think we did the best we could for making changes to the proposal and securing worker protections in particular."

Rep. Bruce Patterson (R-Canton) said he was pleased overall with the bill.

He's been critical of operations at the airport for years, ever since he was a county commissioner. Even though the House, in voting, only accepted two of Patterson's 10 proposed amendments, he said the

bill should address a number of concerns he has had about airport operations and finances.

Wayne County auditor Brendan Dunleavy was not pleased with the outcome. He said the authority will have inadequate oversight, because the authority board will meet just four times per year. Independent auditors, provided for under the bill, will report directly to the airport chief executive officer. Lawmakers specifically rejected a proposal to increase the county auditor's ability to review air-

port finances and operations, but Dunleavy said he may still have the ability to audit the airport.

"It's a Wayne County authority, and the law says the airport is a Wayne County asset," he explained.

He said he'll look into the legality of his office running audits on the airport anyway, a question that may get tested in court eventually if the governor or executive attempts to block him.

Wayne County commissioners are also considering testing the

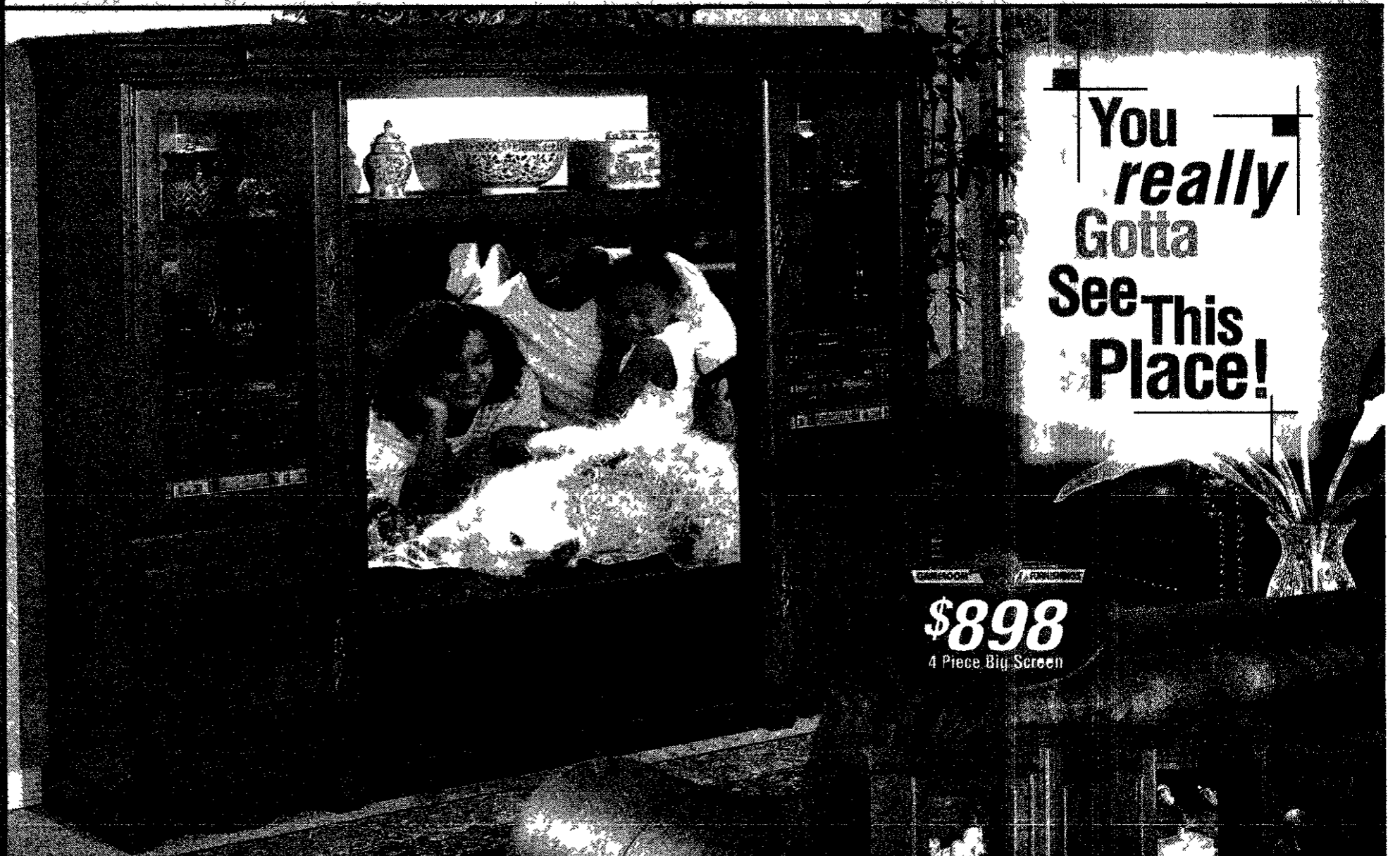
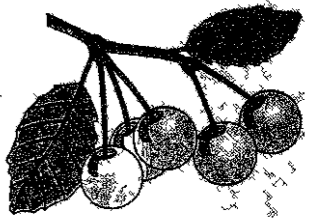
authority legislation in court, according to Wayne County Democratic lawmakers.

Senate Bill 690 passed 75-31, but the following vote on immediate effect saw a 76-29 tally.

Reps. Bruce Patterson (R-Canton), Andrew Raczkowski (R-Farmington Hills), John Stewart (R-Plymouth) and Laura Toy (R-Livonia) voted yes. Reps. Glenn Anderson (D-Westland), Bob Brown (D-Dearborn Heights) and Jim Plakas (D-Garden City) voted no.

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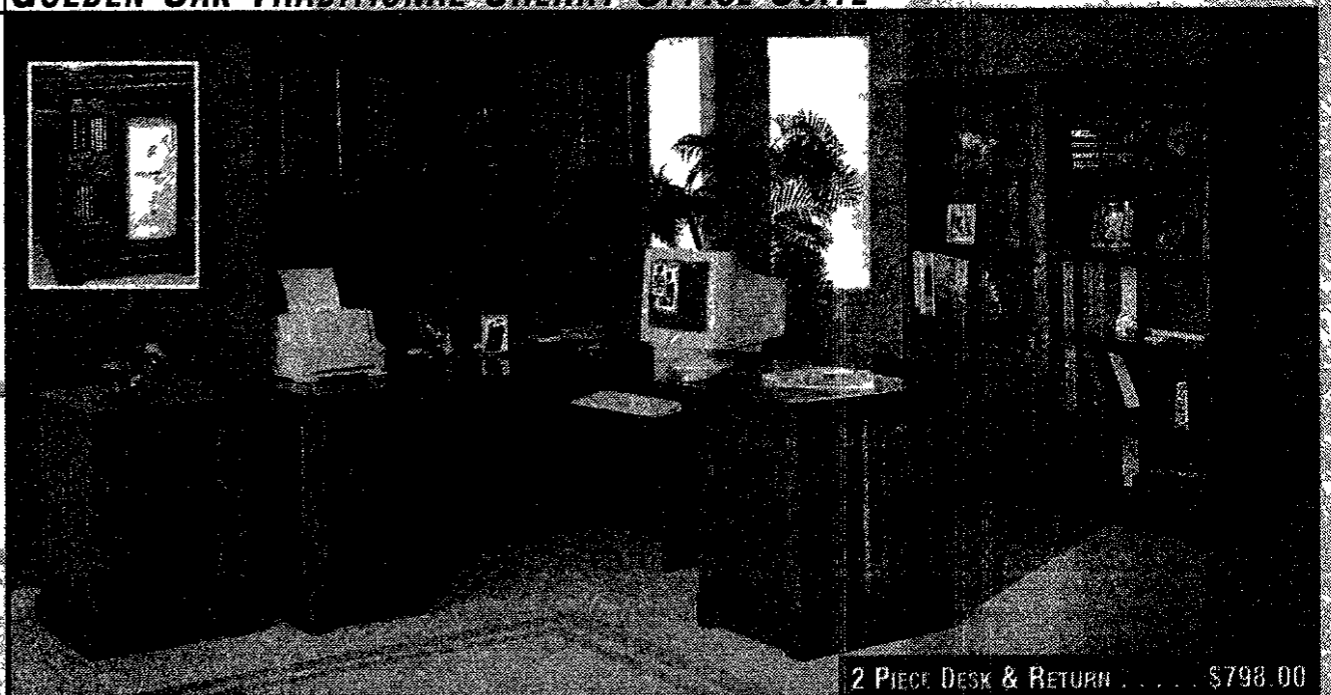
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As for security, there was no one around to see if we had picked up the right bags or taken someone else's. Also, there are no places to sit in the luggage pick up area, which is especially uncomfortable for the elderly and infirm.

We finally left the airport at 7:10 p.m. for a flight with a 4:05 p.m. arrival time. Obviously, the new terminal fine as it is, is still a work in progress.

Hugh Gallagher is managing editor of The Observer Newspapers.

Earrings

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While the \$2.1 million fountain might be pretty and wonderful, it is one of the few fountains where they discourage coin tossing. The fountain has been shut down a couple of times because coins jam the system.

The gate areas don't have much more seating than the Davey Terminal, nor are more comfortable. The advantage comes from the area around the gate. Simply, there is more room around the gate to stand and more room means less congestion.

The shops are nice at the airport, but face it. The vast majority of the shops, such as the Motown General Motors or Henry Ford Museum, are going to be used by people who A) want a souvenir or B) want to buy one for someone else. They aren't must-visit places. The bottom line is that the Midfield Terminal is an impressive facility. It's the facility's major tenant that needs to get its act together. PDQ. Otherwise, it's like putting earrings on a pig.

Paul Beaudry is a paginator for The Observer Newspapers.

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WRESTLING

Glenn, CC lead area wrestling squad

BY BRAD EMONS

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After over a decade in virtual anonymity, the Westland John Glenn wrestling program was back on the map for the 2001-02 season.

The Rockets captured their first Western Lakes Activities Association championship since 1988 and also brought home the Lakes Division and WLAA crossover dual-meet titles, not to forget a close runner-up finish to Redford Catholic Central in the Observerland Invitational.

Glenn also reached the Division I Team regional semifinals before falling to Belleville. The Rockets finished with an 18-3 dual-meet record under coach Bill Polk, who garnered Observerland Coach of the Year honors in only his second year at the varsity helm.

This year's All-Observer squad includes state champion Ryan Rogowski of Redford CC in the 189-pound class.

Catholic Central, a Catholic League and team district champion, leads the way by placing six on the squad of 20 selected recently by the area coaches. Glenn garnered four first-team berths.

Introducing the 2001-02 All-Observer wrestling team:

Matt Steintrager, 103, Redford CC — One of the cornerstones of CC's wrestling team now and in the future is sophomore Matt Steintrager. The 103-pound district champion also took home first place medals in the Observerland Salem and Toledo St. John's Tournaments and compiled a 45-5 record this season.

Coach Mike Rodriguez said Steintrager's work ethic has been a key part of his improvement. "Matt has worked diligently these past two years to place himself at this level of competition," he said.

Nick Naber, 103, Westland Glenn — The junior was Glenn's first state qualifier in six years, posting a mark of 38-7, including an unbeaten record in dual meets.

He reached the finals in six of his eight tournaments and placed at least third in all eight. He is a three-year varsity starter with a record of 68-21.

"Nick is a natural for the sport of wrestling," Glenn coach Bill Polk said. "He is very determined to be a champion. Nick has worked hard for his success and we look forward to his senior year."

Ramis Bajrami, 112, N Farmington — A four-year wrestler, Bajrami captured the Observerland Oakland County championships and he also won the White Lake Lakeland Invitational title. He was second in the WLAA Wyandotte and Berkley tournaments.

Bajrami compiled a 27-9 record this year with 17 pins and was 68-40 during his career. A state qualifier in Division II last year, he lost to Northville's Ravi Saran in the eventual state runner-up in a Division I regional.

"He had a great year. I just wish he would've gone a little further," coach Jim Stuef said. "Of the wrestlers I've coached, he's probably the toughest. For him to make 112 pounds, he had to be disciplined about staying close and not letting himself balloon up. He was a captain and a good leader in the room. He always worked hard."

Kefentse Mandisa, 119, Westland Glenn — The senior captain went 33-8, winning three tournaments including Catholic Central, Observerland and Ypsilanti. He also placed second in the Western Lakes.

Mandisa's career record is 57-28. "Kefentse's dedication to his team and wrestling has helped build a new tradition at John Glenn," Polk said. "He is one of the hardest working wrestlers I have ever coached."

Mike Goethe, 125, Ply Salem — His list of accomplishments from this season is indeed impressive — first at both Salem Invitational first at the Wyandotte Invitational first at the Observerland Tournament (and tourney MVP) first at the WLAA Tournament (for the second time) fourth at state meet.

But perhaps the best thing on Goethe's list is that he's just a junior — a junior who was 48-6 this season and already has more than 100 career wins (107-40).

"Mike realizes how good he can be," said Salem coach Greg Wooschuk. "We hope that he steps up and brings along some of his team."

Brian Clement, 125, Liv Churchill — The junior placed sixth in the Division I meet and also qualified for the state meet with his 100th victory.

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Whalers take OHL West — again

The streak continues

For the fourth-straight season, the Plymouth Whalers won the Ontario Hockey League's West Division championship, clinching the title with a convincing 4-1 victory over the second-place Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds Wednesday in front of a raucous crowd of 3,867 in Sault Ste. Marie.

It was the second-straight disappointment for the Greyhounds, who entered the final two minutes of last Sunday's game against the Whalers at Compuware Arena with a two-goal lead. A win would have narrowed the gap between the teams to just two points, instead, the Whalers got a pair of goals in those last two minutes from Damian Surma to pull off a 3-3 tie.

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That meant four points separated the two teams prior to Wednesday's game, a margin that — with three games remaining — would be difficult to overcome, but not impossible.

Alas, Plymouth was not about to allow that to happen. The Whalers have dominated the OHL for most of the season, a win in their last two games guarantees them the regular-season championship, which means they would have home-ice advantage throughout the OHL playoffs. Plymouth scored twice in the first six

minutes of Wednesday's game, getting goals from Chad LaRose — who had been hampered for two weeks by an ankle injury — and Kris Vernarsky. Stephen Weiss, who had three assists in the game, and Nate Kiser assisted on the first goal. Weiss and LaRose assisted on the second.

The Greyhounds narrowed the deficit to 2-1 on a goal by Brent Kelly, his 38th of the season. But that's as close as they would come.

Following a scoreless second period, the Whalers secured the win with third-period scores by Brad Yeo and another by LaRose, giving him 31 for the season. Surma and Greg Campbell assisted on Yeo's goal, Weiss and Vernarsky had assists on LaRose's

Jason Bacashihua was superb in goal for the Whalers, stopping 24 of 25 shots. The Greyhounds' Ray Emery turned away 24 of 28 shots.

Just who the Whalers will face in the opening round of the OHL playoffs was still to be determined. After last weekend, the London Knights and Sarnia Sting were tied for the fourth (and final) playoff spot in the West Division, each with 63 points. London, which had played one fewer game than Sarnia, picked up its 64th point when it played Windsor to a scoreless tie Wednesday.

When the playoffs will begin also must be determined. This much is certain: The Whalers will open at home, either Friday or Saturday.

Ocelots begin a title quest

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Out of the fire and into the frying pan?

That's what Schoolcraft College is facing next when it returns to Hutchinson, Kan., on its second-straight trip to the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I men's basketball tournament.

The 32-0 and No. 1-ranked Ocelots, who recently completed a grueling five-game, eight-day stretch — traveling from Muskegon to Cincinnati and finally to Wahpeton, N.D. — open first-round action against last year's NJCAA runner-up, 31-2 Alleghany (Md.), at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Sixteen teams from across the country are vying for the coveted crown, including defending champion Wabash Valley (Ill.), sporting a 30-4 mark.

Alleghany, located in Cumberland, Md., has a strong tradition in the JUCO ranks. NBA All-Star guard Steve Francis played for the Trojans before going on to the University of Maryland.

Alleghany coach Bob Kirk is in the NJCAA Hall of Fame.

"The first game is where teams are most vulnerable and I like the fact that we're playing Alleghany first because we have to play them somewhere in the tournament anyway," said Schoolcraft coach Carlos Briggs, who is 138-23 in five seasons with the Ocelots. "They have a lot of history going for them and they're one of the winningest programs."

The two schools have a common opponent.

Alleghany's chief in-state rival, Hagerstown, took the Trojans to overtime before losing in the Region 20 championship, 80-73. Alleghany won three of four meetings this season against Hagerstown, while Schoolcraft beat Hagerstown, 90-84, in the College of Southern Idaho Tournament over Thanksgiving weekend.

"We have to be well prepared because they're a tough team, they're big and they're athletic," Briggs said. "To say the least, we have our work cut out for us in the first game."

In a 92-85 victory over Westchester (N.Y.) in the District 3 Inter-region final, Alleghany's Troy Godwin, a 6-foot-6, 304-pound center from Suffolk, Va., scored a game-high 29 points and

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grabbed 12 rebounds. Point-guard Erick Wills (Laurel, Md.) added 15 points and nine assists, while 6-7 guard Trellio Galloway (Myrtle Beach, S.C.) contributed 13 points, 20 rebounds and four assists. The team's other standout is 6-9, 230-pound forward Jamar Smith (Sicklerville, N.J.), who finished with 12 points and 21 rebounds.

"The big kid (Godwin) has good hands and runs the floor," Briggs said. "Smith is smart, athletic and can shoot the three."

"Their guard play is good. They like to score off dribble penetration."

Schoolcraft will counter Alleghany's attack with full-court pressure and rely on its bench.

"Our defense has been consistent all year," Briggs said. "Our depth and our consistency with the way we've played down the stretch has helped us win games."

"Our guys understand the system defensively. We try and keep guys in front and we help out as much as possible. In the Vincennes (Ind.) game (the Region 12 final) nobody scored for 4 1/2 minutes, but our defense kept us in the game."

Schoolcraft has relied on a number of players to get the job done this season.

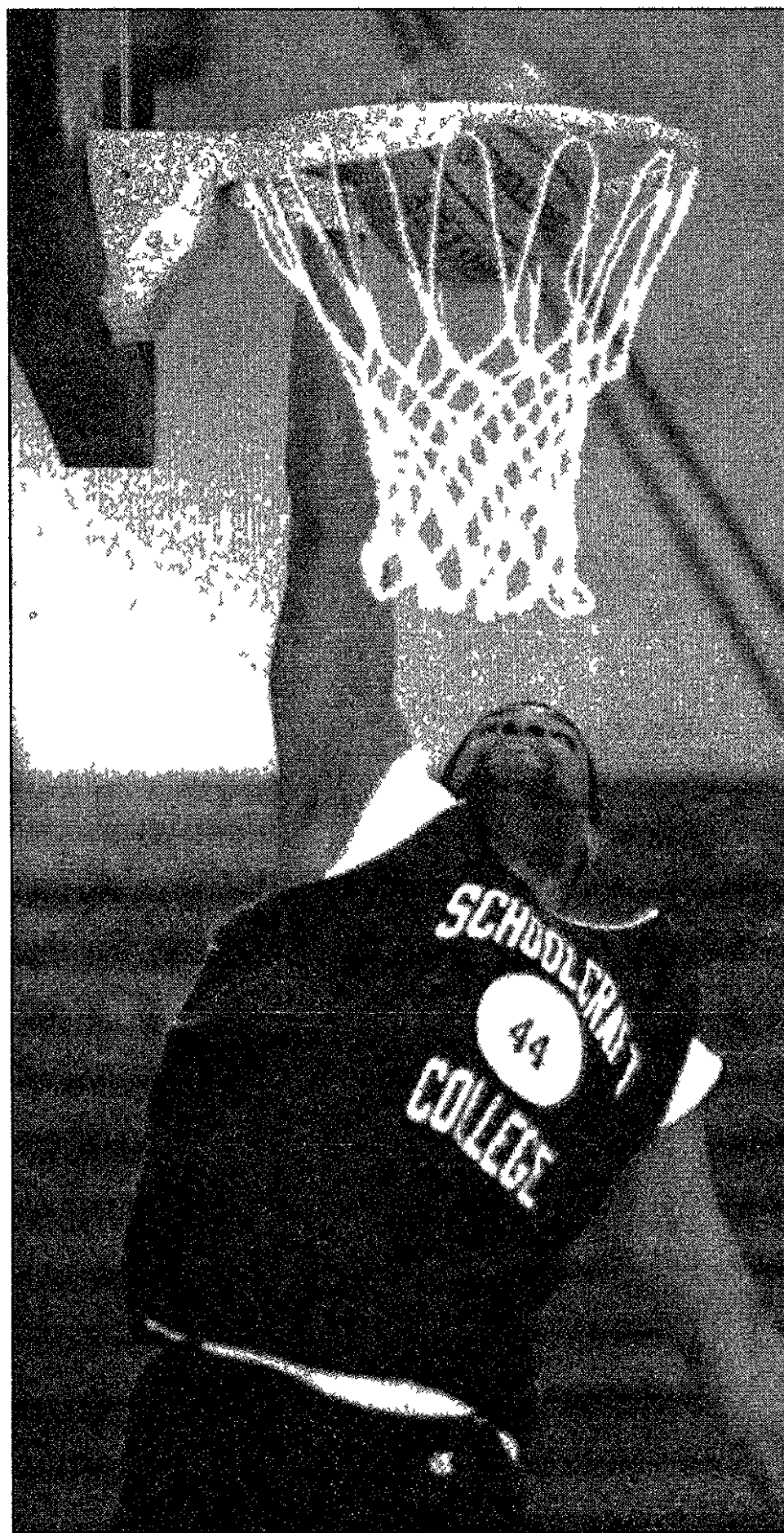
Mike Williams, a 6-8 forward from Detroit City High, leads the Ocelots in scoring (21.5 points per game) and rebounding (11.2 per game). He is also second in assists and leads the team in steals.

Williams, getting strong looks from the Pac-10, ACC, Big Ten and Big 12 conferences, was named All-Region 12 MVP, All-Conference and All-Michigan Community College Athletic Association.

Guard Javon Clark (Detroit) Cass Tech, a deadly 3-point shooter (40 percent), averages 15.6 points per game. He made first team All-Region and was second-team All-Conference.

His running mate at guard is University of Detroit Mercy signee Rulon Harris (Detroit/Mumford), a transfer from Flint Mott CC, who runs the point. The 6-1 Harris made second team All-Con-

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Inside presence: Schoolcraft center Yaku Moton-Spruill of Westland John Glenn is the team's third leading scorer and second leading rebounder.

Kickboxer battled his way to the top

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Growing up in a rough-and-tumble northeast neighborhood of St. Louis, Mo., Ray Darden learned the art of self-defense at an early age.

Going to the same school that produced the Spinks brothers, Michael and Leon, also prepares you for survival.

"I started martial arts when I was eight and I became an amateur boxer at 11," said the 36-year-old Darden, a Livonia business owner who recently became Karate International Council of Kickboxing (KICK) U.S. Light-Heavyweight champion (175 pounds). "I was into boxing, karate and I played football as a kid."

"I had about 100 amateur (boxing) bouts until I was 18, but a lot of it was unsanctioned because I didn't want my mother to know. I won the Diamond Gloves, but I boxed more for recreation back then."

Darden spent four years in the Marine Corps, going through boot camp in San Diego. An air control electronics operator, he was later stationed in the Philippines, Korea and Okinawa before closing out his military stint in Yuma, Ariz.

During his Marine Corps stint, he continued to stay in shape.

"Those four years I worked out in the gyms all the time," Darden said.

After leaving the Marines, Darden moved to Mexico and worked as a Spanish interpreter for a construc-

tion company.

When he eventually moved back to the U.S., Darden began full contact kickboxing, turning pro in 1990. He jumped into it headfirst with no amateur background.

After 60 pro bouts, Darden got his break last fall when the scheduled opponent of U.S. Light Heavyweight champion John "The Terminator" Turlington pulled out with a broken hand.

Darden, the fill-in, took full advantage, scoring a ninth-round knockout against Turlington on Oct. 13 in Eureka, Mo., for the KICK crown, which is a rival sanctioning body of the PKA and ISKA.

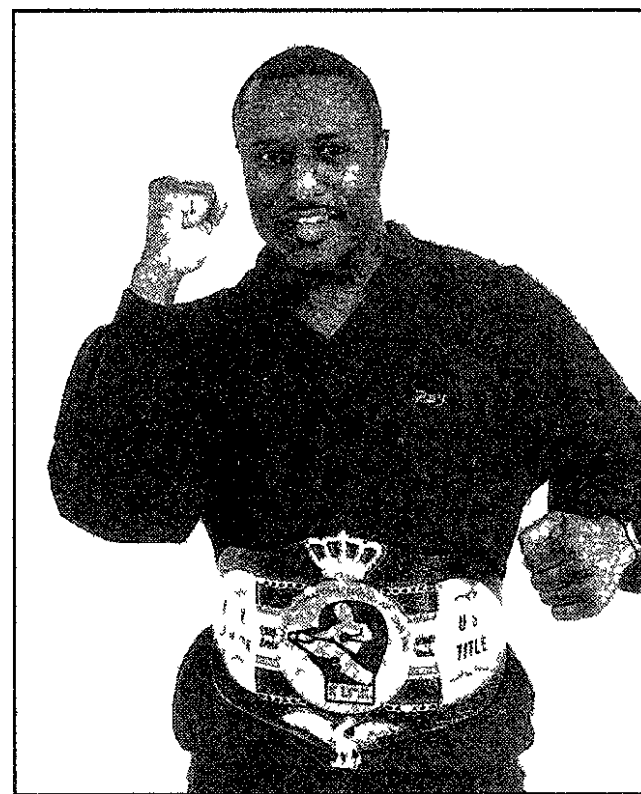
"I had been looking for a title shot, I like to thank him," said Darden of "The Terminator's" original opponent. "Now I'm looking for a world title shot, hopefully sometime this year."

His next attempt was scheduled to be for the 168-pound Super Middleweight title against Doug LaFontsee of Grand Rapids.

But tragically, Canadian Derek Clements, was killed last month in a bout with LaFontsee in Grand Rapids, a bout in which Darden was in attendance.

There is talk now that LaFontsee will retire. "The risks are permanent damage or death," Darden said. "But I believe my early athletic childhood has made a lot of difference because it's been a lifetime thing."

"I'd like to go until I'm 40, unless someone beats me



U.S. champion: Ray Darden is now seeking a World kickboxing title shot.

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

Skate Across America

The Plymouth Figure Skating Club's annual ice show will be at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Plymouth's Compuware Arena.

The show will feature the seven synchronized skating teams from PFSC's Gems on Ice, including the juvenile, novice and junior national teams. At Lake Placid, N.Y., the juvenile team won the national championship, while the novice team took home the pewter medal. The junior team finished seventh

out of 14 teams.

Also featured will be Lisa Danemiller, the national novice bronze medalist, and Sheila Harkaway and Brandon Larcum, the national intermediate pair silver medalists.

Tickets are \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors and children 12 and under, and will be available at the door.

Perfect start

Albion College's baseball team enjoyed its spring trip to Fort Myers, Fla., winning all eight of

its games, and a pair of pitchers with local backgrounds filled important roles in that start.

Sophomore Steve Gordon, from Plymouth Salem HS, allowed just one run on three hits and three walks, striking out 11 in beating Beloit College 8-1 in 11 innings on the trip. Gordon gave up two runs (one earned) on seven hits and four walks, striking out 13 for a 0.82 earned run average.

Brent Vasher, also a sophomore (from Plymouth Canton HS), allowed one run on two hits and a walk, fanning seven in a

strong start against Concordia (Ill.) University. Vasher did not get the win, but the Britons won 4-2. On the trip, Vasher surrendered one run on three hits and one walk over seven innings, striking out nine, with a 1.29 ERA.

Top marks

Rachel Van Steenis, a Livonia native and a member of All-Star Gymnastics in Novi, finished third in the Level 7 all-around at the Totally Rad Meet in Kalamazoo Feb. 24. Van Steenis placed

second in the vault (9.225), fourth in the uneven parallel bars (8.0), fifth in the balance beam (8.275) and sixth in the floor exercise (8.75) for a 34.25 all-around total.

Van Steenis is an eighth-grader at Emerson Middle School.

Golf outing

The Plymouth Salem dance team will sponsor a golf outing April 27 at Hilltop Golf Course in Plymouth. Cost is \$87 per player, which includes 18 holes of golf with cart, a continental

breakfast and a chicken sandwich lunch.

Extras include long drive and closest to the pin contests (both \$5). The best team receives a gift certificate for a free round of golf.

RSVP by April 9. Names of foursome, entry fee and e-mail address to Salem Dance Golf Outing, 1406 Rand, Canton, MI 48187.

For further information, call Kathie Zaumel at (734) 981-3301 or Nichole Barrett at (734) 416-9141.

Adult hockey leagues

Men's and women's recreational hockey leagues for spring and summer are now forming. Leagues are for over-21, over-30, over-40 and over-50, with play on various evenings from April 14 to July 25 at Plymouth and Canton arenas.

For more information and registration forms, call John Wilson at (248) 471-0658 or e-mail him at john@rspi.net.

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The Retirees (over 50) "Drop in" Hockey will continue its schedule through the spring and summer, starting at 9 a.m. Tuesdays and Fridays at Plymouth's Arctic Pond.

All senior players are welcome, no experience is necessary.

Cost is \$11 per game, with coffee, juice, muffins and donuts after each game.

For more information, call John Wilson at (248) 471-0658 or call the arena at (734) 207-7663.

Men's spring hoops

The City of Westland Department of Parks and Recreation will be staging a men's spring basketball league March 13 through April 7 at the Bailey Recreation Center.

The cost is \$280 per team (due upon registration).

For more information, call (734) 722-7620.

Meet the coaches

Livonia Stevenson High will stage its "Meet the Team" Night for athletes, parents and coaches from 7-9 p.m. Thursday, March 21 at the school's auditorium.

All athletes (grades 9-12) and their parents are urged to attend.

Topics include athletic and academic eligibility, sportsmanship, varsity letter requirements, physical information, season schedules, team rules, policies and consequences, team photos and banquet information.

The new fieldhouse will also be discussed.

For more information, call Stevenson athletic director Lori Hyman at (734) 523-9417.

Chamber golf outing

The Westland Chamber of Commerce will stage its 22nd annual golf classic Tuesday, June 25, at Pheasant Run Golf Club in Canton.

Registration is at 7:30 a.m. (includes continental breakfast) followed by an 8:30 a.m. shotgun start (scramble format).

Sponsorship packages are also available including hole (\$130), range (\$150), closest to the pin (\$300), birdie (\$350) and eagle (\$500).

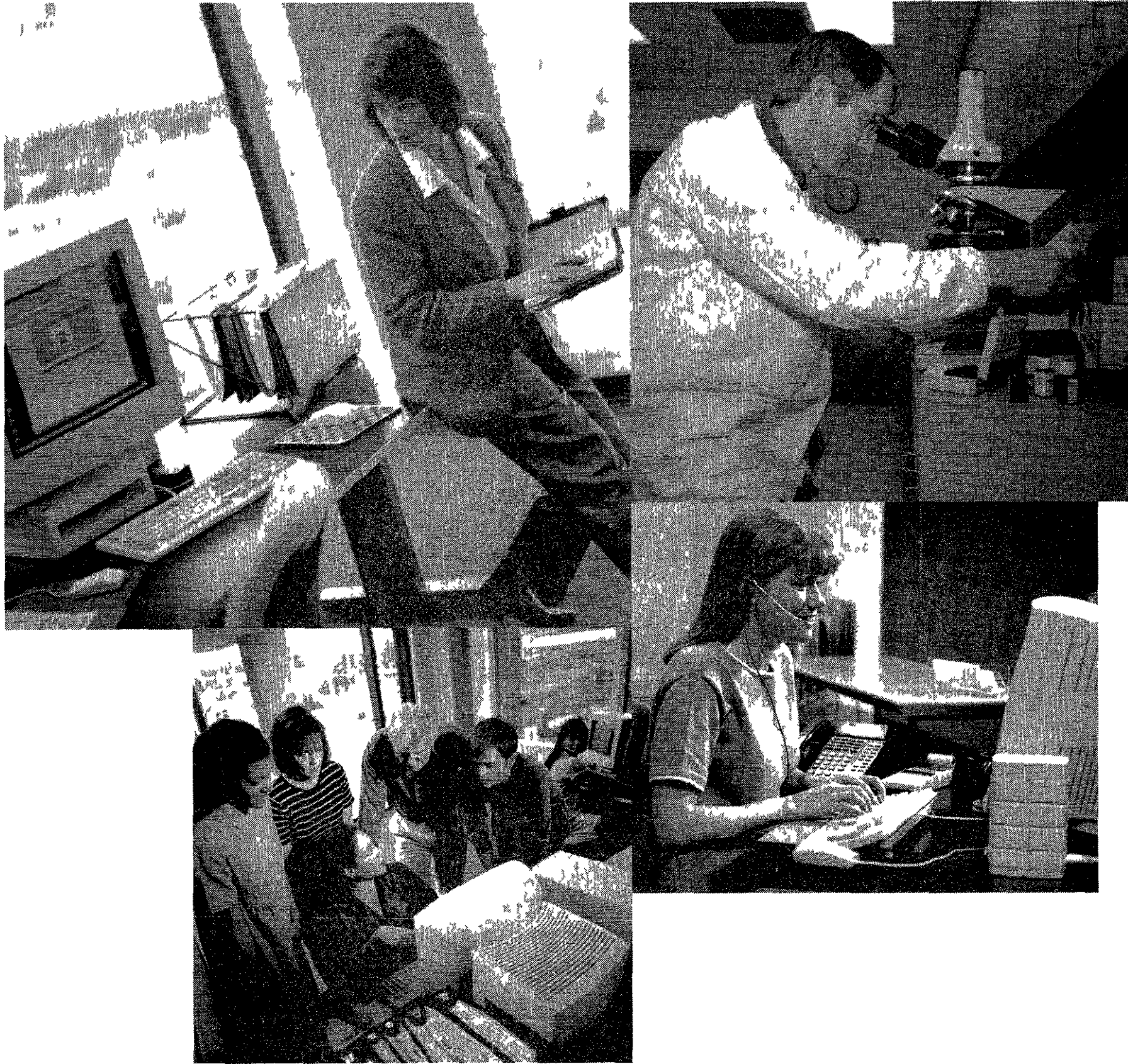
For more information, call the chamber at (734) 326-7222.

Hoop tournaments

The Midwest Youth Basketball Association will hold basketball tournaments April 6-7 and April 20-21 at Full Blast in Battle Creek. The tournaments will have a three-game guarantee with awards for first and second.

Cost is \$175. For more information, call (866) 831-2002.

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ference and was a first-team All-Region selection. He averages 8.0 points and 7.2 assists per game. Westland John Glenn grad Yaku Moton-Spruill, a 6-8, 260-pound center, averages 14.4 points and 5.9 rebounds per game. He was voted second team All-Eastern Conference in the MCCA. The other starter is 6-6 forward Emir Medunjanin, the only player returning from last year's squad who saw action last year in Hutchinson. He averages 8.2 points per game. Other key Schoolcraft reserves

Kickboxer from page C1

up before then. So what drives Darden? "It gives you a sense of high self esteem and who you are," he said. "It gives you a sense of your capabilities. You're able to stretch maybe farther than you can stretch. It's a challenge." After moving back to St. Louis, Darden was seeking to hone his boxing skills. His brother Fred, who was also his manager, was living in Detroit and suggested Ray train at the famed Kronk Gym, home of Thomas Hearns and several other world class boxers. Ray often commuted on weekends to get sparring sessions, but eventually moved here to establish a base to teach the art of self-defense. Darden then teamed up with business partners Pamela Whitehead, manager of Joey's Comedy Club, and Garth Rummel. On Jan. 3, they opened their studio on 36123 Plymouth Road, located just east of Levan, in Livonia. The self-defense and personal

trainer offers a variety of disciplines including cardio kickboxing, basic kickboxing techniques on the bag, step and weight classes and Tae Bo (without bags). He also sells crime prevention products. Darden is also in the process of renovating adjacent space for amateur and pro boxing. Operating his kickboxing studio while maintaining a training schedule keeps him busy throughout the day. "I'm usually up at 5:30 a.m. doing roadwork, I run probably three to eight miles per day," Darden said. "I'm in the gym at 6:15 with my aerobic classes. I try to get in my training in between my morning and evening classes." "I'm more-or-less self-managed and self-trained. I want to promote it and make it a lucrative sport. I'd like to get it into the Olympics. I'm a representative and I think the odds are pretty good we'll be seeing full contact at the amateur level."

include 6-7, 280-pound center Delvar Barrett (Detroit Cooley), who averages 9 points, 6-5 forward Ronald Dorsey (Detroit Pershing), averaging 8.3 points, 6-5 forward Julius Austin (Baldwin), 4.4 points, 6-6 forward Carl Muhammad (Detroit Redford), 3.8 points, and Gary Johnson (Wayne Memorial), 3.3 points. Last year, Schoolcraft won its opening round game against Western Nebraska before losing in overtime to eventual champion Wabash Valley. The Ocelots also lost a consolation game in OT to

Okaloosa Walton (Fla.), which featured Boston Celtics first round draft pick Kedrick Brown. "What I think I learned last year is that you have to play the bench more because you're in for the long haul in a tourney like," said Briggs, who needs four more wins to bring home the national title. "And I learned that the further you go, every possession and every play becomes that much more important." "We also have to make sure you get enough rest before you play." If Schoolcraft gets past Alleghany, the Ocelots would play the winner of Itawamba CC (Fulton, Miss.), 21-5 vs Coastal Georgia, 24-9 — in a 6:30 p.m. quarterfinal matchup Thursday. The losers square off in the consolation round at 12:30 p.m. Thursday.



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Brian is one of those that you could tell to run in a blizzard and there would be no questions asked. Churchill coach Marty Altounian said "His improvement this year not only showed on the mat but in his leadership on this team. He made the guys around him want to excel like him."

"I'm eager to see where next year takes him. He has a chance to be one of the best ever at Churchill."

Jason Fischer, 130, Liv Stevenson
The junior finished 22-1 including an Observerland title and a second place finish at the Division I district.

"Jason has the potential to be an All State wrestler next year with dedication, determination and hard work in the off season. Stevenson coach Bob Moreau said:

Rece Cox, 130, Westland Glenn Just a freshman, Cox launched an impressive career by going 30-11 including a win at the Western Lakes meet. He also placed first at the Ypsilanti Invitational and was runner up at both the Salem and Observerland meets.

Rece is one of the most dedicated athletes I've ever seen. Polk said "Rece is the type of wrestler you can build a solid program around. Even as a freshman, he stepped up as a leader. Everything he does he puts 110 percent into it."

Phil Perry, 135, Westland Glenn The senior captain reached the finals of six of eight tournaments while placing in the top three in all eight.

The three-year varsity performer finished 65-24 in his career including a 38-9 mark this season.

"I wish I had Phil one more year because he has been a great example for all the younger wrestlers on our team. Polk said "His future will be as great as

his career has been. I'm sure he will be a great coach some day."

Nate Rodriguez, 140, Redford CC. An outstanding junior year may only be a preview of things to come next year for CC junior Nate Rodriguez. After a 2002 campaign that saw him ring up a 43-5 record along with a Catholic League title and first places at the CC Invitational, Observerland Tournament and Toledo St. John's Tournament, Coach Rodriguez said higher goals are in place for him next season. "Nate caught fire in the middle of the season and things were looking great for him," he said. "Unfortunately, unexpected injuries do happen and he has 365 days to prepare for next season."

Trevor Stewart, 145, Redford CC. Another CC wrestler who rang up an impressive record but was derailed by injuries, freshman Trevor Stewart made quite a splash in his first season on the high school wrestling circuit. He finished with a 44-2 record and took first place medals in every tournament the Shamrocks participated in before winning a district championship. Despite his fourth place finish at regionals, Coach Rodriguez predicted great things for him. "He is a very talented young man who makes coaching pure joy," he said. "I am looking forward to the next three years of his career."

Tony Kennard, 145, Ply Salem. An ankle injury kept Kennard from finishing his senior season the way he would have liked to at the state finals, but it didn't diminish an otherwise superb campaign.

Kennard was MVP at three tournaments, finishing first at both Salem Invitational as well as the Wyandotte and Williamston tournaments and a win at the WLAA and at regionals. His match record for the season was 46-6 for his career he was 84-18.

Everybody on the team learned from

how Tony conducted himself in competition," said his coach Greg Woochuk.

Bryan Marsh, 152, Wayne. After going undefeated during the regular season and winning an Observerland title, Marsh went on to finish with a 42-4 record including a fourth place finish at the Division I state meet. Marsh posted a career record of 110-20.

"He is one of the Wayne High greats," coach Dave Davis said. "I really, really don't want him to leave."

Steve Wallace, 160, Wayne. The junior finished 38-2 this season to run his career record to 84-23. This season, the co-captain won every tournament he entered, including the Mega Conference and district meets. He did not make weight at the regional by 0.1. He also beat the Division III state champion at the Romulus Tournament.

He was only the fourth sophomore in school history to make it to the state meet (2000-01).

"Beware of him next season," Davis said.

Jay Abshire, 171, Liv Churchill. The senior transfer from Catholic Central became eligible just before the Observerland meet where he won the title and went on to claim a WLAA crown as well.

Abshire finished with an 18-5 record and placed seventh in Division I.

"Jay is a very intense and competitive young man who overcame many obstacles this year to achieve what he did. Altounian said "He was a joy to watch wrestle and amazed many people who he wrestled."

Chris Cracchiolo, 171, Redford CC. An excellent career was topped off in fine fashion for CC senior Chris Cracchiolo. A 41-11 record included district and regional championships, capping a career that saw him get his hand raised in 112 out of 127 total matches wrestled. "Here is a young man who has worked his heart

out to develop," Rodriguez said.

Ryan Rogowski, 189, Redford CC. What better way to wrap up a career than with a state championship? That's what CC senior Ryan Rogowski was able to accomplish in 2002 after two prior top-8 finishes at the state meet. He had a 33-2 record last season and finished his career with a 15-24 mark. He was a three-time district champion, three-time regional champ and state runner-up in 2001.

"This year there was no one to stop him, not even the block out at the Palace before the finals," Coach Rodriguez said. "It was outstanding to see Ryan accomplish his dreams."

Phil Rothwell, 215, Ply Canton. Twice the WLAA and Observerland champion, Rothwell completed his senior season by establishing a new school record for career pins with 93. He finished the season sixth in the state, compiling a 45-3 match record for his career. Rothwell was 127-26.

"Phil is a hard worker who has earned the name of animal," said Canton coach John Demisick. "But he's also a quality person who we will miss having around."

Blaic Naysmith, 215, Redford CC. A former hockey player, Naysmith made the transition from the ice to the mat seem pretty smooth. A 39-4 senior season record along with a career mark of 112-22 prove that. He said winning his first high school match remains his best memory, as well as the success the team had in his time with the program. "It was great to see him finally make it to states and place in his senior season," Coach Rodriguez said.

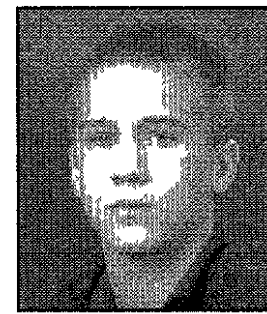
Tony Martinez, 275, Liv Franklin. The senior was a two-time state qualifier who posted a career record of 57-21, including a 33-8 mark this season.

Martinez took first at the Berkley Invitational, won the Western Lakes and dis-

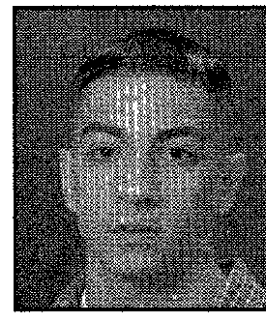
trict titles.

"I've only coached Tony for two years, but I've seen tremendous improvement over those two years. Franklin coach Dave Chiola said "He's definitely the guy

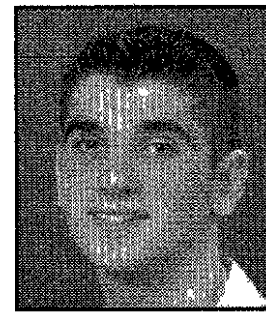
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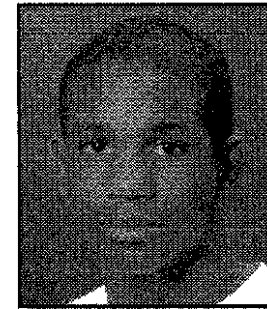
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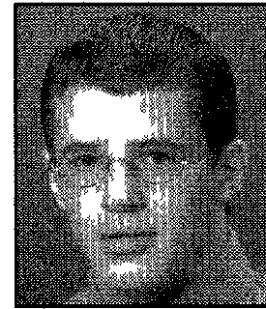
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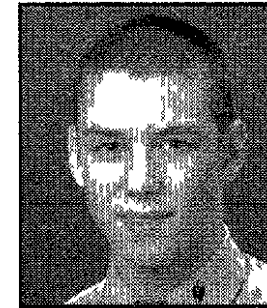
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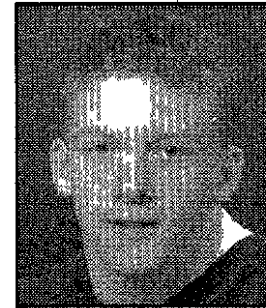
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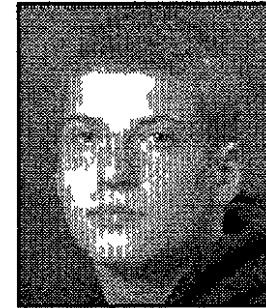
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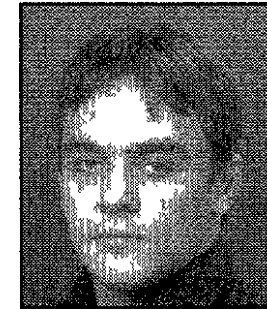
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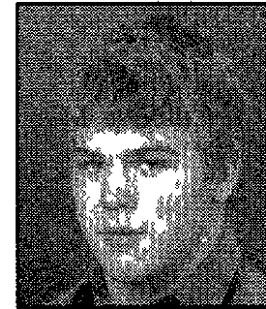
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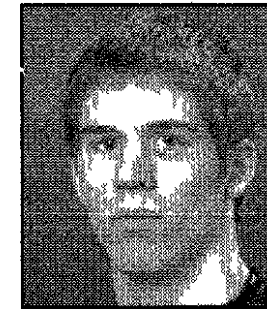
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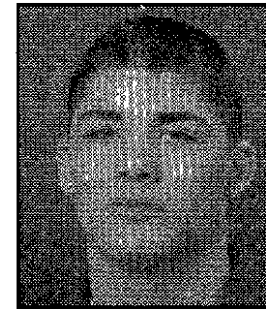
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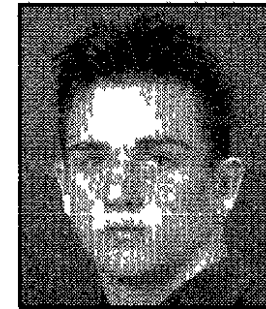
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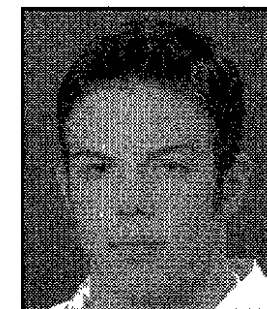
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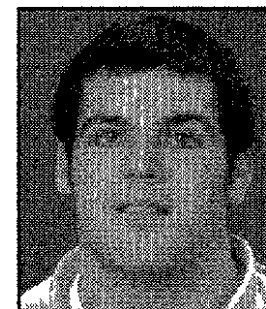
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Many homes in the 56-lot detached condominium community, developed and built by S R Jacobson off Novi Road between Old Novi Road and 13 Mile, will have that look.

Buyers at Camden Court can choose from among nine floor plans, with a couple others on the drawing board. Three different exterior elevations are available per plan and most offer different interior options.

"The goal was to orient garages to the rear so the front of the home would have a nice streetscape," said Scott Jacobson, president and CEO. "A lot of people have said it reminds them of houses they see in smaller towns."

Folks who grew up in Detroit or remember visiting grandparents there now appreciate the neo-traditional style, said Chuck McHenry, sales consultant at Camden Court.

Homes with larger, covered front porches oriented closer to the sidewalk, picket fences and trees in the back yard reflect that style.

"I've had a lot of young families come in where both parties work and they don't want the maintenance," McHenry said. "Then I've had people coming from 3,000-5,000-square foot homes move in for the same reason. They want to go smaller and still be comfortable."

That comfort, provided by a \$125-per-month association fee, includes landscaping, lawn cutting, snow removal and exterior painting of the cement siding every five years.

Camden Court's location also is a draw. "You're within walking distance of the beach at Walled Lake, you're a mile from Twelve Oaks, a mile from M-5 to get to a number of expressways," McHenry said.

Then, there's the homes, themselves. "We're trying to have different plans that appeal to different groups," McHenry said.

"In some plans the stairs are in front, others in back. One has a large great room and a dining room that could be used as a study. Other plans have a living room and family room," he said. "I think the size surprises them."

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Two models, both with back-entry garages, have been constructed.



Camden Court: Homes that feature a New England Seaboard style of architecture with large porches and splashes of color also contain back-entry garages

The Fitzgerald, a colonial of 2,204 square feet, features a great room, dining room and kitchen/ nook with breakfast bar counter.

The master with cathedral ceiling contains a walk-in closet and two-sink vanity. Two secondary bedrooms and a full bath are standard. The model includes an optional fourth bedroom.

Base price is \$307,000, the model with extras, upwards of \$340,000.

The Vanderbilt, a colonial of 3,289 square feet, is much more compartmentalized with a formal dining room, living room, butler's pantry, great room and kitchen/nook.

The master has a unique walk-in closet with an area that can be used for a variety of purposes from exercise room to storage.

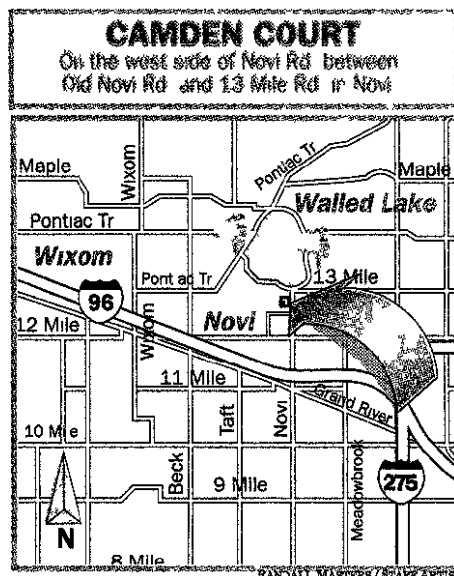
A loft area is at the head of the

stairs. The two secondary bedrooms are separated by a jack-and-jill bath.

Base price is \$326,500, the model, as is, in the \$390,000 range.

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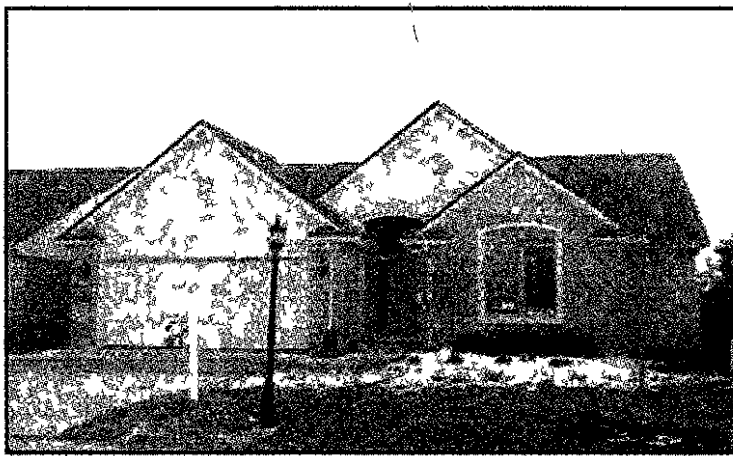
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The exterior is brick with uniquely shaped windows. It has a large front door with window panels on each side, a covered front porch with pillars and an added touch of shutters on the front window.

The two-car garage is on the right side with one big door, a window on the front and accent lights on the sides.

Once inside, the foyer leads to the great room in the rear and the kitchen, nook and dining room on the right.

The kitchen is C-shaped with the pantry and refrigerator on the front wall. A door opens into the garage, next to a good-sized utility. The nook has a large window on the side and patio doors in the rear that open onto the covered stoop.

The dining room is adjacent to the great room. Large windows



facing the rear light the room and make it pleasant for those evening meals.

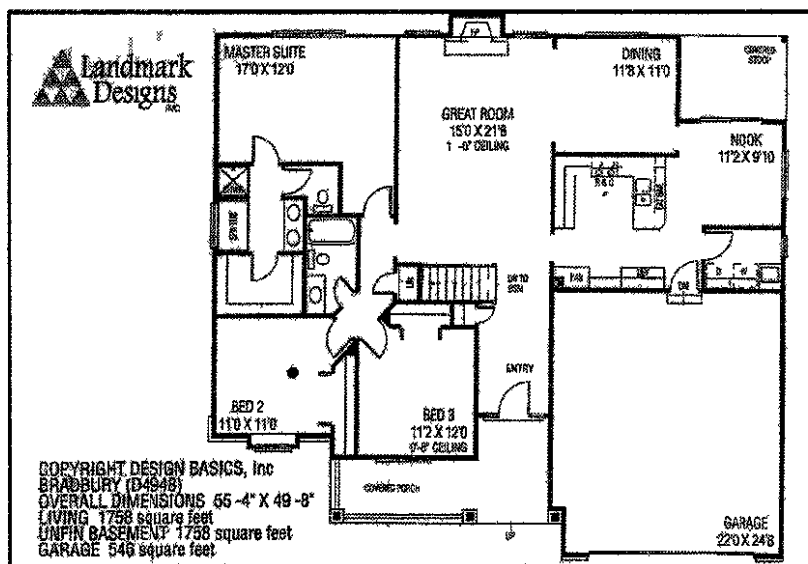
The great room has an 11-foot ceiling and a fireplace in the rear. The room is open and spacious, ideal for family gatherings and entertaining.

The master suite is located on the back left side of this home. It has a large suite area with

three windows overlooking the back yard. The master bath has a separate shower, spa tub, his-and-her sinks and walk in closet.

Two bedrooms are positioned on the left side and in front of the Bradbury. This is ideal for smaller children as the rooms are close to the master suite.

A full bath is in the hallway convenient to both bedrooms and



the rest of the home. A large linen closet also is in the hallway.

Stairs to the unfinished basement are adjacent to the linen closet. With the basement space added to the 1,758 square feet in the main living areas of the Bradbury, this would make an

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Steel doors offer great strength but can dent.

Fiberglass doors have the highest energy ratings and can withstand dents. Once they're painted, it's often difficult to tell a Fiberglas door from a steel door.

Doorlites, or window sections, is another consideration when buying a door. Doorlites that are pre-installed at the factory are the most energy efficient, while those that are cut out by the dealer are least efficient.

The only disadvantage of pre-installed doorlites is that if the glass breaks (very unlikely), the whole door has to be replaced, which is more expensive.

And while doorlites may add an aesthetic element to doors, they will reduce the R value to about 7 for steel or Fiberglas models.

Doors also are rated for how long they can withstand fire.

Typical homes feature doors that can hold off fire for 20 minutes. Businesses generally use 90-minute doors, although I've seen some approved 90-minute doors that employ a wood frame, which negates the ability to fend off fire.

One last thing to consider is the sweep, or bottom plate on the door, which is designed to prevent leaks at the bottom of the door. Some have pre-set sweeps, but most common are adjustable sweeps because they allow dealers to adjust them to eliminate air leakage.

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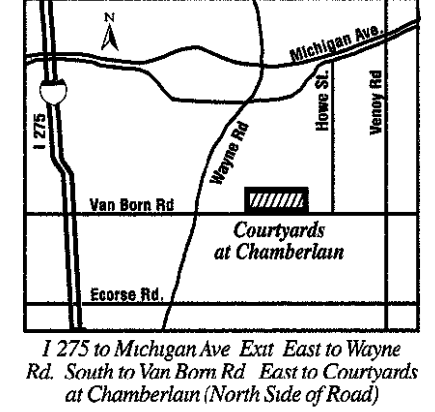
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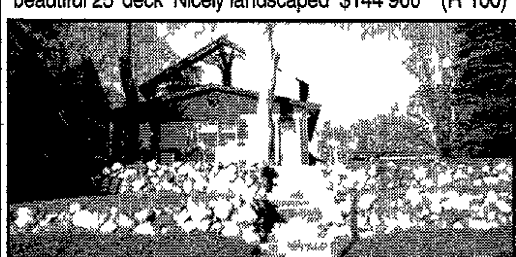
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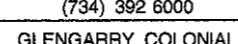
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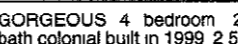
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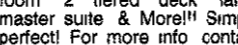
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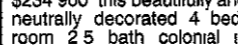
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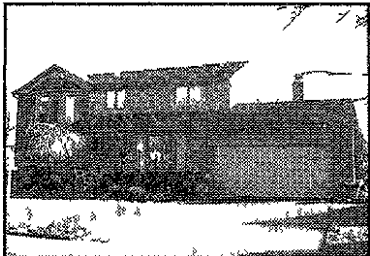
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THORN RIDGE SUB COLONIAL In meticulous condition Finished lower level w/5th bedroom bath wet bar exercise rm Two story foyer library w/hardwood floor island kit French door bay windows 1st floor laundry formal living room & dining room \$424 900 (50CHA) 248 652 8000



FLAWLESS ALMOST NEW four bedroom West Bloomfield home with many enticing upgrades 2 story foyer is just the beginning of the many splendid surprises Walled Lake Schools \$529 000 (48MIL) 248 363 1200



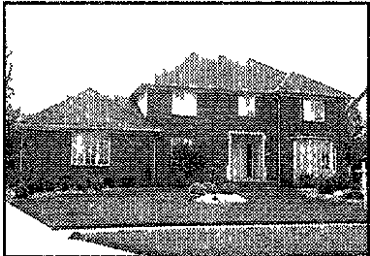
NEW CONSTRUCTION on Upper Straits Lake Panoramic view through 2 story great room windows library has mahogany accents Butler pantry con neuts dining kitchen & breakfast rooms Master w/private porch 3 full baths up Bsmt could be finished \$1 895 000 (56SHO) 248 626 8800



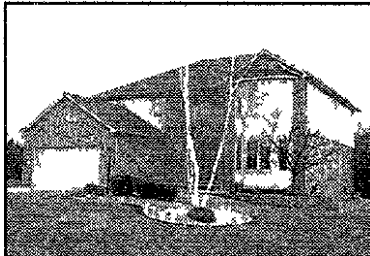
WEST BLOOMFIELD SCHOOLS 4 bedroom 3 5 bath Colonial on beautiful wooded lot Lake privileges Finished daylight LL Sunroom and deck over look trees 2 pantries in island kitchen Cathedral ceiling in master suite \$397 900 (79MIS) 248 349 5600



FARMINGTON HILLS Desirable 5 BR ranch in cul de sac privacy backs to woods Brick pavers deck landscaping 3 5 BA DR w/skylights ceramic floor in kit & foyer LL W/O as separate living quarters Florida room full room under garage w/workshop \$440 000 (98APP) 248 642 8100



TROY Sharp 1997 built Colonial with four bedrooms 2 5 baths and a cul de sac lot Kitchen with cherry wood cabinets ceramic foyer and kitchen floors circular staircase Master with Jacuzzi and shower Enormous family room \$464 900 (71TIM) 248 524 1600



ROCHESTER HILLS Sharp neutral treed lot Two story ceramic entry library w/bay window WIC formal dining 1st floor laundry open floor plan Large kitchen air sprinklers move in condition \$349 900 (73WIN) 248 652 8000



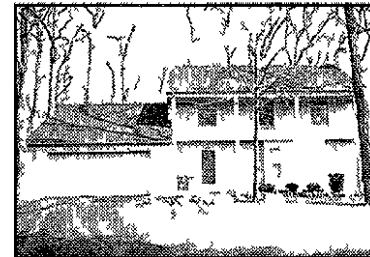
WOODS OF PRESTWICK VILLAGE Custom contemporary 4 BD 3 5 BA h/dwd T/O library GR w/FFL DR 1st fl master A/C 2 furn 3 5 car gar fin LL landscaped on 17th green/fair way class A golf membership included 30 000 equity Huron Valley Schools \$489 900 (24INV) 248 363 1200



A HAPPY HOME BEGINS HERE Enhance your life with this gorgeous 4 bedroom 2 bath contemporary home w/open floor plan that shows like a flawless model Neutral decor Natural FP gourmet kitchen freshly painted T/O Finished basement great for storage \$420 000 (70TIM) 248 626 8800



SPECTACULAR HOME Incredible setting backs to protected wetlands Professionally fin W/O basement 2 fire places crown moldings doors hard ware & trim package Exquisite granite countertops circular drive & gardens \$450 000 (41OAK) 248 349 5600



BLOOMFIELD TWP Updated 4 BR 2 5 BA Colonial on beautiful lot (approx 2 acre) backing to woods Cherry kit w/wood floor & appliances FR w/door wall to brick paver patio 2 FPs and newer carpet Large master w/4 closets \$435 000 (29LAM) 248 642 8100

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BRAND NEW & STUNNING This contemporary home has the best of every thing 3 BD 2 5 BA w/ceramic & h/dwd floors Master BA w/Jacuzzi tub FFL Coran or granite counters 3+ car gar Walkout to wooded yard on over 1 acre lot \$349 900 (92OAK) 248 363 1200



TRAILWOOD SUB! Much sought after Trailwood Colonial Original owners took pride in maintaining & updating home 4 BR 2 5 BA Updates include elec roof windows kit bath & plumbing! \$298 000 (18APP) 734 455 5600



OUTSTANDING LAKEFRONT This newer Lower Straits home is gorgeous Awesome sunsets 4 bedrooms 3 baths with a great floor plan and custom features T/O Across from Edge wood Country club \$895 000 (92EDG) 248 349 5600



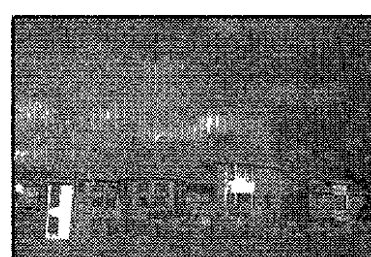
BIRMINGHAM Totally redone house beautiful! 3 BR 1 5 BA Colonial w/h/dwd floors hot tub huge deck private yard basement and garage A must see \$429 900 (67NOR) 248 642 8100

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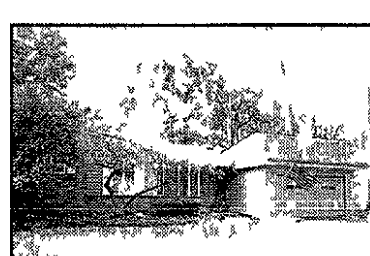
A HOME OF DISTINCTION Custom features include beamed ceilings oak & ceramic flrs FP in FR & LR lib w/built in wet bar Generous wooded lot West Bloomfield Schools \$339 900 (51CHE) 248 363 1200



BUILDERS PERSONAL HOME! Custom touches and upgrades T/O! 1st flr master w/luxury bath 2nd master upstairs too! Prof fin walk out level w/full kit 2 FPs & sun room w/hot tub! \$589 900 (01DEE) 734 455 5600



TANGLEWOOD GOLF COMMUNITY Cape Cod W/O on 2nd fairway offers 1st floor master w/2 WIC ceramic bath GR w/2 way FP oak kit w/walk in pantry Fin W/O basement w/full bar game area Great deck 3 car garage \$459 000 (60SPY) 248 349 5600



BIRMINGHAM Updated 3 BR 2 5 BA with newer white kit w/skylights h/dwd floors and windows FR w/gas FP and large dining area Private yard w/inground pool and patio Close to Seaholm High School \$399 999 (66WOO) 248 642 8100



TROY Walk to new Troy High School from this sharp custom built Colonial with four bedrooms two full and two half baths Oversized kitchen and family room Hardwood entry foyer and kitchen Professionally finished basement \$443 900 (36BEN) 248 524 1600



ROCHESTER HILLS Beautiful Tudor with 4 bedrooms 2 5 bath gourmet kitchen with island work station double ovens and walk in pantry open floor plan library with judges paneling and finished basement \$349 800 (56SUN) 248 652 8000



DECORATOR PERFECT Upgrades on everything from gold faucets to sky lights to glass front cabinets and 2 master closets Gorgeous finished basement with fireplace and wet bar Recessed lights \$400 000 (35CRO) 248 626 8800



SPRINGBROOK FARM HOUSE! 4 spacious BRs 1 5 remodeled BA plus ter walls h/dwd flrs lots of windows! Natural FP 2 story bldg could be guest house Prime land w/stream next door to park! \$270 000 (00DRA) 734 455 5600



READY & WAITING Great family sub Vista s of Novi 4 bedroom 2 5 bath Colonial Very open floor plan Beautiful hardwood floors Home Warranty included Occupancy negotiable \$354 500 (93HEA) 248 349 5600



ROYAL OAK Must see Beverly Hills/Royal Oak ranch with super updates H/dwd floors skylights custom kit FP deck bsmt with wet bar all on an extra large lot \$329 900 (44SEM) 248 642 8100



TROY Emerald lakefront quad on a large private lot Four bedrooms 2 5 baths dining room first floor laundry and finished rec room Great views from large deck overlooking the lake Don't miss this great family home! \$329 900 (98EME) 248 524 1600



ROCHESTER First floor master Refined details like curved archways pillars vaulted ceilings and special molding accentuate the luxurious design of this 4 bedroom home Hard wood floors first floor master French doors \$336 900 (03POI) 248 652 8000



BEAUTIFUL BLOOMFIELD HOME A brick exterior welcomes you into this large 4 bedroom 2 5 bath Colonial with a spacious master bedroom You'll appreciate the first floor laundry This kitchen is so nice you'll fall in love \$424 900 (20DEL) 248 626 8800



1ST FLOOR MASTER! 2 story entrance soaring ceilings & bridge! Open floor plan 1st flr master suite inc Jacuzzi & separate shower & door wall off deck H/dwd flrs in GR DR & lib \$539 750 (21DRI) 734 455 5600



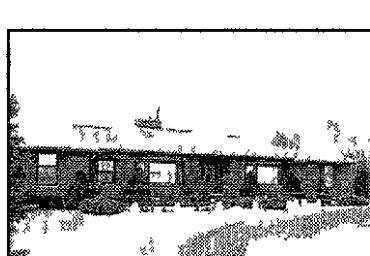
BLOOMFIELD HILLS Outstanding Colonial with 6 bedrooms Great room has vaulted ceiling fieldstone fireplace & h/dwd floors Updated white kit w/granite tops & all appliances Fin LL w/2 large BRs in law suite & FR \$839 900 (39HUN) 248 642 8100



TROY Four bedroom 2 5 bath Colonial on a park like lot Library living room dining room first floor laundry family room w/cathedral ceilings Newer roof and many windows Troy schools immediate occupancy \$349 900 (16PAR) 248 524 1600



BLOOMFIELD HILLS Chestnut Run South Private location on cul de sac w/partial wooded site Spacious kitchen w/granite & garden breakfast room Master suite w/his & her walk in closets sauna all season sunroom au pair suite \$1 075 000 (65STO) 248 652 8000



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WEST BLOOMFIELD SCHOOLS Charming 4 bedroom 2 5 bath Colonial with open floor plan Neutral decor Extensive use of marble in 2 story foyer & fireplace in family room Master suite with walk in closet & full bath First floor laundry Library huge deck \$399 000 (25LON) 248 626 8800



LOOK NO FURTHER! 4 BR 2 5 BA Colonial on a gorgeous wooded lot oversees a natural ravine! Stately master suite w/all the amenities Large bonus rm (unfinished) walkout partially finished \$259 900 (21FOR) 734 455 5600



BIRMINGHAM Beautiful Colonial 9 ft ceilings crown moldings h/dwd floors granite countertops & recessed lighting 2 large door walls lead to deck & landscaped yard Open floor plan w/island kit FR w/FFL formal DR & LR master suite \$579 000 (26SMI) 248 642 8100



ROCHESTER HILLS 1991 built four bedroom Colonial with great finished walk out basement and large deck Located on cul de sac backing to a beautiful treed park w/playground gazebo & physical fitness workout trail \$337 000 (67THA) 248 524 1600



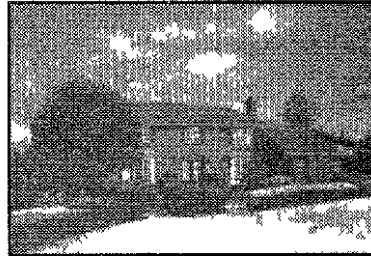
ROCHESTER House beautiful Professional neutral decor 4 fireplaces 5 bedrooms 4 2 baths 2 staircases gourmet kitchen w/appliances wine room fin walkout & 3 car garage Romantic elevated master w/marble FP \$698 500 (11PEB) 248 652 8000



PERFECT EXECUTIVE HOME On large prof landscaped lot 2 story GR Generous dining area Chef's kit w/pantry 1st floor master 3 car garage Farmington Hills Schools \$549 900 (53PEM) 248 363 1200



QUALITY BUILT BRICK CONTEMPORARY 4 bedrooms 3 full 2 half baths Bridge overlooking GR w/FR & wet bar Ceramic floor T/O FR & library Gourmet kit w/island & walk in pantry Central vacuum Security & sprinkler system \$675 000 (60MAP) 248 626 8800



EXECUTIVE COLLECTION! 4 BR 2 5 BA Colonial on an 1 6 rolling acres! 3 FPs master suite w/garden tub & FP H/dwd flrs in foyer DR & FR Ceramic tile in kit nook & sunroom 1st flr laun dry 3+ car gar \$429 900 (25LER) 734 455 5600

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Bowling's best take off

The big silver bird with the ed fin protruding high sits at the end of the runway, jet engines revving for takeoff into the wild blue yonder

There are many bowlers aboard the aircraft. Its destination is Billings, Mont., with a contingent of the Greater Detroit Bowling Association on board to attend the American Bowling Congress National Convention (March 13-17)

I gaze at the many fellow delegates on board, they are also scheduled to bowl in the ABC Tournament while at the convention

The thought occurs to me "All of these guys are bringing several bowling balls each, there must be hundreds, so how in the heck is this thing going to get off the ground?"

Not to worry, Al, they always seem to fly just as well with or without two tons of bowling balls

The captain pushes the throttles ahead and off we go

By the way, the new McNamara Midfield Terminal is amazing, easy to get confused as to where to go, but it is really big, and I mean big

Now that spring has finally arrived in Michigan, but in Montana it is still very much winter. Those never-used longjohns may

actually come in handy for once

When this edition hits the streets, the big silver bird will have already landed back at Detroit Metro

The annual season will opened Friday with several amendments to the ABC constitution for consideration and voting

The combined delegates from southeast Michigan by far outweigh any other region of the nation and our votes will have a more weighted influence on the outcome

We have already met in caucus and discussed our vote, as the GDBA will vote as one solid block

Some proposed amendments may seem trivial, and many will be easily dismissed. There are some rules issues that may affect you in some way, and we are there to represent your best interests, the Detroit area bowlers

Delegates will also have attended several workshops on matters akin to keeping bowling going strong

There will have been some debate over the proposed Single Membership Organization (SMO), which was introduced last year

It is not yet up for a vote this year, as further studies will be made. As it stands now, the idea seems to be losing support among the local delegates

It would combine the ABC, WIBC, YABA, USA Bowling and Bowling, Inc into one single operating body

Since our organizations are

made up mostly of volunteers, it may weaken rather than enhance the structure of organized bowling

This entire matter is somewhat lengthy to try to explain in this space, so a follow-up will appear in this column as we learn more and it gets closer to a vote, which could take place a year from now

The ABC Tournament this year at the Billings site has the fifth highest number of bowlers registered in ABC history with 10,250 teams entered from all 50 states and six other countries

It started on Feb 9 and will finish on June 22

Michigan and Illinois are virtually tied for the most teams entered, but the Land of Lincoln has 747 five-player teams while Michigan has 745. A distant third was Ohio with 630

You may have noticed the Earl Anthony posters which have been placed in all local bowling centers. It is there to promote the Earl Anthony Memorial Scholarship Fund and is intended to create a \$1 million scholarship fund for youth bowlers to further their education

It will be administered by YABA under its 501(C3) tax exempt designation. Contributions are considered tax deductible

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There are envelopes attached to the posters to make it easier to send in your contributions

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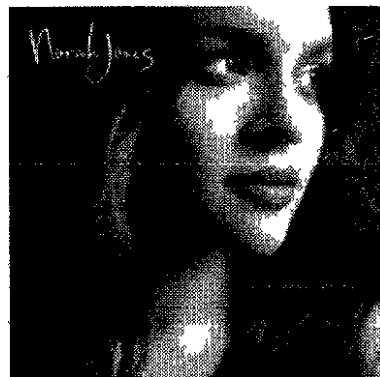
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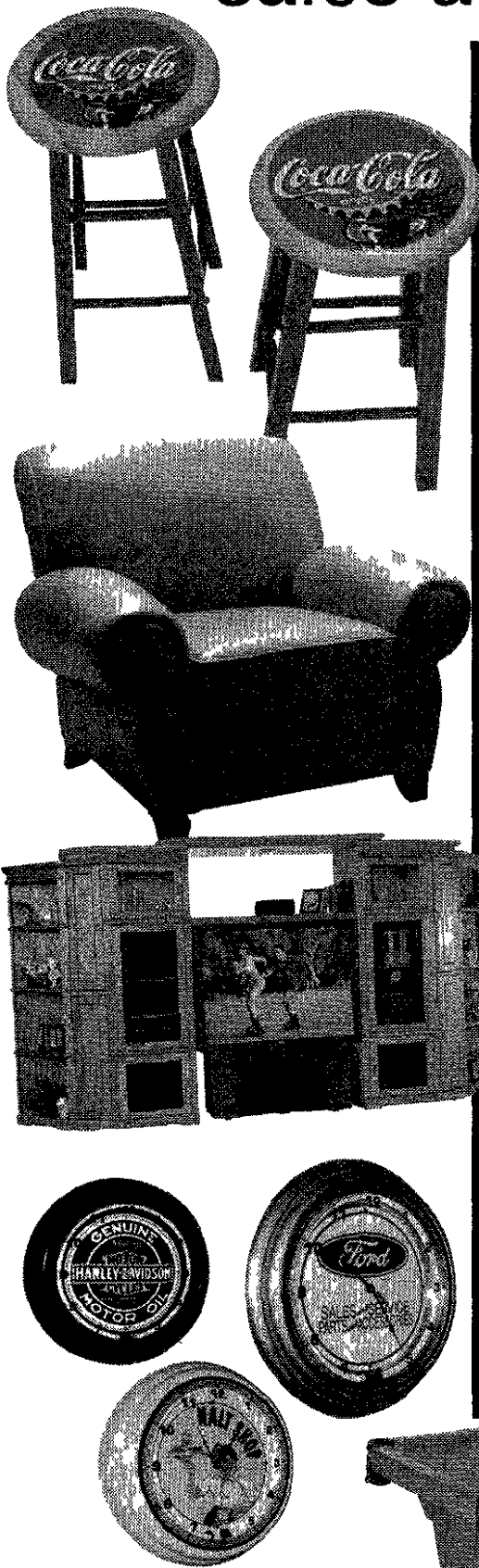
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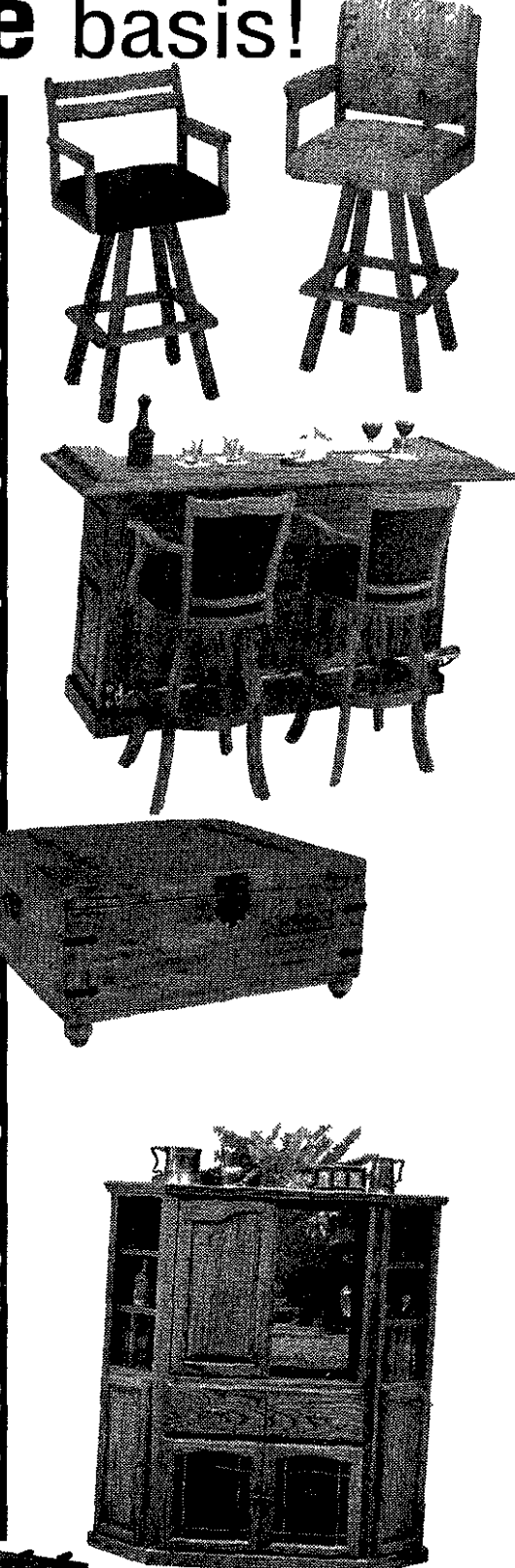
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SPORTS ROUNDUP

Adult golf

The Michigan Cup will operate adult golf leagues this spring and summer at Fox Hills in Plymouth, Pheasant Run in Canton and Taylor Meadows in Taylor. These leagues are for men and women.

The Fox Hills men's league will meet on Thursdays for 20 weeks beginning April 11. Cost is \$425 which includes prizes, league administration and league fees.

The Taylor Meadows couples league will meet on Fridays for 16 weeks beginning April 26. Cost is \$325 which includes prizes, league administration and league fees.

The Pheasant Run men's league will meet on Tuesdays for 20 weeks beginning April 16. Cost is \$695 which includes cart, prizes, league administration and league fees.

Fox Hills women's league will meet on Tuesdays for 16 weeks beginning April 30. Cost is \$330 which includes prizes, league administration and league fees.

Leagues are open to individuals or two-person teams. Entry deadline is 14 days prior to the start of league season. A league reservation may be held with a \$200 deposit, with the balance due seven nights before the start of league play.

Checks should be made payable to 'The Michigan Cup' and sent to 27676 Cherry Hill, Ste 101, Garden City, MI, 48135. For more information, call (734) 522-8872 or by e-mail golf@michigancup.com

Football sign-up

Those interested in signing up for the 2002 St Edith Football team's fall season may do so from 2-6 p.m. Saturday, March 23 on the stage at St Edith school.

Those who will be in the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh or eighth grades in the fall and belong to the St Edith school or parish, or bordering parishes such as St Kenneth, St Aidan, St Colette, St Maurice, St Gerald and Holy Family, are eligible.

Programs offered include Freshmen (third-fourth grade), Junior Varsity (fifth-sixth) and Varsity (seventh-eighth).

Cost is \$100 for St Edith parish members, \$125 for non-parish. Early sign-up is encouraged, since roster limitations are a possibility and registration will be on a first-come, first-serve basis.

St Edith is located on Newburgh, south of Five Mile. For further information, call Brad Dickey at (734) 459-9788.

Read Observer Sports

Women's soccer

The Great Lakes Women's Soccer League is seeking players for the outdoor season, Sunday evenings, June through August, for 18-and-up competitive, 30-and-up competitive and recreational.

Teams or individuals, experienced or novice, are invited.

For more information, call (248) 624-7515 or fax (734) 207-1656, or visit www.GLWSL.com

Coaches wanted

Livonia Ladywood is seeking a girls track and field throw coaching and a JV girls golf coach for the spring season.

Fall coaching positions are also open varsity and JV tennis, and assistant swimming.

For more information, call Ladywood athletic director Sal Malek at (734) 591-2323.

Coaches' openings

Plymouth HS, scheduled to open in the fall, has openings for several coaches' vacancies. Included are:

Boys basketball, wrestling, swimming, gymnastics, volleyball, pom pon and cheerleading.

Anyone interested may submit their resumes to Terry Sawchuk, director of athletics, Plymouth HS, 46181 Joy, Canton, MI, 48187.

Group golf

Hilltop Golf Course is now booking group golf outings for 2002. Group rates are available for groups of 16 or more golfers, weekdays or weekends. Book your outing by March 31 and receive an 18 hole round of golf for two with power cart and a dozen Titleist Tour Balata or HP2 Tour golf balls.

Weekday pricing (May through September) before 10 a.m. is \$35 per player, which includes 18 holes of golf with cart, contest markers and score sheets. From 10 a.m. to noon, cost is \$30 per golfer. Other options are available.

For more information, call (734) 453-9800.

Baseball camp

Total Baseball will offer its Total Baseball Spring Break Baseball Camp from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. from April 1-3 at Powers Park in Novi (located at 10 Mile and Taft). The camp is open to those 7-17 years old, with instruction from professional players and college coaches on

the proper techniques for pitching, hitting and fielding.

Participants will be clocked on a radar gun for arm and bat speed. Cost is \$125. Call (248) 668-0166 for further information.

Baseball tryout

Little Caesars' 16-and-under summer travel baseball team is having tryouts every Sunday at Eastern Michigan. There are openings for a few solid players.

If interested, call (734) 516-3723 for more information.

Football meeting

Our Lady of Good Counsel's football program will have an organizational/informational meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 11 at the church's gym, located at 1062 Church in Plymouth. All boys who will be in grades 3-through-8 in the 2002-03 school year and their parents are invited to attend.

Those in the following parishes may participate: Good Counsel, St. Kenneth, Our Lady of Victory, St. Mary of Wayne, St.

Richard, Holy Family of Novi, St. Thomas A'Beckett, Divine Savior, Resurrection, St. James, St. John Neumann.

For further information, call Mike Girsakis at (734) 454-0847 (home) or (734) 427-6270 (work).

Flag football

Total Soccer in Wixom will run 7-vs-7 Flag Football Leagues on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from March 5 through April 25. This fast-paced indoor league is for those 18 years and older. Flags are provided. Team rosters are a maximum of 14.

League fee is \$799 per team. There's a six-team minimum, 12-team maximum for Tuesdays and a 16-team maximum for Thursdays. For more information, call Total Soccer at (248) 669-9817.

Umpires needed

Anyone interested in umpiring in the Canton Community Junior Baseball Softball Association should contact Greg Angel at (734) 981-3007 or e-mail him at wdvgreg4@aol.com

Those interested must be at least 14 years old and have a basic knowledge of baseball. Games begin the end of May. Umpire scheduling may be worked around your game schedule if you are playing in the spring league.

Visit the league's Web site at www.cjbsa.com for umpiring clinics and meetings.

WaCo tryouts

The WaCo Wolves USA 16-and under travel baseball team will have tryouts at Eastern Michigan University's Bowen Fieldhouse Sunday. The team will travel to tournaments in Knoxville, Tenn., and Wheeling, W. Va., plus play in three tournaments within the state.

For tryout times, call (734) 620-1050.

Anyone interested in submitting items to Sports Scene or Sports Roundup may send them to sports editor C.J. Risak, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or may FAX them to (734) 591-7279.

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WAYNE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TAX INCREMENT FINANCING AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE ANN ARBOR ROAD CORRIDOR, CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY

Please take notice that the Charter Township of Plymouth Township Board of Trustees shall hold a Public Hearing on Tuesday April 9, 2002 at 7:00 p.m. local time at the Township Hall 42350 E Ann Arbor Road Plymouth Michigan to consider the adoption of a Tax Increment Financing and Development Plan for the Charter Township of Plymouth Downtown Development Authority. A complete description of the Development Area of the Plymouth Charter Township Downtown Development Authority is as follows:

Part of Sections 34, 35 and 36 T 1 S, R 8 E Plymouth Township Wayne County Michigan described as:

Beginning at the center corner of said Section 34, thence easterly along the east-west one quarter line of said Section 34 and the north limits of Plymouth Charter Township and within the Ann Arbor Road right of way to the east one quarter corner of said Section 34 said point also being the west one quarter corner of Section 35 thence continuing easterly along the east west one quarter line of said Section 35 and the north limits of Plymouth Charter Township and within the Ann Arbor Road right of way to the center corner of said Section 35 thence northerly along the north south one quarter line of said Section 35 and the west limits of Plymouth Township and within the Mill Street right of way to the extension of the north line of Parcel #78 60 99 0025 000 thence easterly along said extension and the north line of said Parcel #78 60 0025 000 and the north line of Parcels #78 60 99 0011 000 #78 60 99 0012 000 #78 60 99 0014 000 #78 60 99 0013 000 #78 60 99 0017 000, #78 60 99 0016 000 and #78 60 99 0015 000 extended to the centerline of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad thence northwesterly along said centerline to the extension of the west line of "Eastlawn Subdivision" thence northerly along said extension to the south right of way of vacated Firwood Drive thence easterly along said south right of way of vacated Firwood Drive to the west right of way line of General Drive thence northerly along said west right of way to the extension of the north right of way of Firwood Drive, thence easterly along said extension and the north right of way of Firwood Drive, thence easterly along the west and south lines of "Waverly Village Subdivision" to the west line of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" thence southerly along said west line of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" to the northwest corner of Lot 80b of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" thence easterly and southerly along the north and east lines of said Lot 80b to the northwest corner of Lot 78b of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision", thence southerly and easterly along the west and south lines of said Lot 78b to the west right of way of Gold Arbor Road thence northerly along the west right of way of Gold Arbor Road to the extension of the north line of Lot 77 of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision", thence easterly along said extension and the north line of said Lot 77 and the north line of Lots 76 33 and 32 of Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" to the west right of way of Southworth Road thence northerly along said west right of way of Southworth Road to the extension of the north line of Lot 27 of Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" thence easterly along said extension and the north line of said Lot 27 to the east line of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" thence northerly along said east line of "Tomlinson Estates Subdivision" to the southwest corner of "Greystone Estates Subdivision" thence easterly along the south line of "Greystone Estates Subdivision" extended to the east right of way of Haggerty Road thence southerly along said east right of way of Haggerty Road 93 feet wide to the extension of the north line of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2, thence easterly along said extension to the northwest corner of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" and the east right of way of Haggerty Road 120 feet wide, thence southerly along the west line of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2 and the east right of way of Haggerty Road to the southwest corner of Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" thence easterly along the south line of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" to the southeast corner of Lot 77 of Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" thence southerly along the west line of Lots 79 80 81, 82 83 and 84 of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" to the southwest corner of said Lot 84 and the north right of way of Ann Arbor Road thence easterly along the south line of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2" and the north right of way of Ann Arbor Road to the southeast corner of Lot 85 of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2", thence northeasterly along the southeast line of said Lot 85 and the westerly limits of I 275 right of way to the northeast corner of said Lot 85 of "Arbor Village Subdivision No. 2", thence northerly along the east line of said subdivision and the west limits of I 275 right of way to the most southerly corner of Parcel #78 63 99 0020 702 thence northeasterly along the southeasterly lines of said parcel and the westerly limits of I 275 right of way to the southeast corner of "Hidden Heights Subdivision" thence northeasterly and northerly along the easterly lines of said subdivision and the westerly limits of I 275 right of way to the northeast corner of Lot 41 of said "Hidden Heights Subdivision", thence due east across I 275 to the east limits of I 275 right of way and the west line of Parcel #78 63 99 0004 000 thence southerly and southeasterly along the west and southwesterly lines of said Parcel #78 63 99 0004 000 and the easterly limits of I 275 right of way to west line of "Plymouth Village East Subdivision", thence northeasterly and easterly along the northwest and north lines of "Plymouth Village East Subdivision" and continuing easterly along the north line of Parcel #78 63 99 0001 002 extended to the east line of Section 36 and the east limits of Plymouth Charter Township thence southerly along said east line of Section 36 and the east limits of Plymouth Charter Township and within the Eckles Road and Ann Arbor Road rights of way to the east one quarter corner of said Section 36 thence continuing southerly along said east line of Section 36 and the east limits of Plymouth Charter Township and within the Ann Arbor Road and Eckles Road rights of way to the extension of the north line of "Cambridge Village Subdivision", thence westerly along said extension and the north line of "Cambridge Village Subdivision" to the east right of way of Tavistock Drive said point also being the northwest corner of Lot 72 of "Cambridge Village Subdivision" thence west-northwesterly across Tavistock Drive to the northeast corner of Lot 1 of "Cambridge Green Subdivision" thence westerly along the north line of said Lot 1 to the northwest corner of said Lot 1 thence southerly along the west line of said Lot 1 and the west line of Lot 2 and the northerly west line of Lot 5 of "Cambridge Green Subdivision" to a corner of said Lot 5 also being the southeast corner of Parcel #78 66 99 0006 004 thence westerly along a north line of said Lot 5 and the north line of Lots 6 and 7 to the northwest corner of said Lot 7 of "Cambridge Green Subdivision" thence southerly and southwesterly along the west and northwesterly lines of said subdivision and the easterly limits of I 275 right of way to the northeast corner of Parcel #78 66 99 0002 002 thence southwesterly along the northwesterly lines of said parcel and the easterly limits of I 275 right of way to the southwest corner of said Parcel #78 66 99 0002 002 and the northwest corner of Lot 39 of "Cambridge Green Subdivision" thence southwesterly along the westerly lines of Lots 39 40 and 41 of "Cambridge Green Subdivision" and the easterly limits of I 275 right of way to the southwesterly corner of said Lot 41 thence due west across I 275 to the westerly limits of I 275 right of way and the

easterly line of Wayne County Condominium Subdivision Plan No 52 also known as "Bradbury Parkhomes" thence northeasterly and northerly along the easterly lines of said condominium and the westerly limits of I 275 right of way to the northeast corner of said condominium and the southeast corner of Parcel #78 66 99 0001 004 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 66 99 0001 004 and the south line of Parcels #78 65 99 0021 702 and #78 65 99 0021 703 extended across Haggerty Road to the west right of way of Haggerty Road thence northerly along the west right of way of Haggerty Road to the southeast corner of Parcel #78 65 99 0006 000 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 65 99 0006 000 to the southwest corner of said Parcel #78 65 99 0006 000 thence northerly and easterly along the west and north lines of said Parcel #78 65 99 0006 000 to the southwest corner of Parcel #78 65 99 0002 000 thence northerly along the west line of said Parcel #78 65 99 0002 000 to the northeast corner of Lot 17 of Arbor Village Subdivision thence westerly and northerly along the north line of said Lot 17 and the east line of Arbor Village Subdivision to the northeast corner of "Arbor Village Subdivision" and the south right of way of Ann Arbor Road thence westerly along said south right of way of Ann Arbor Road to the east line of Parcel #78 65 99 0004 000 thence northerly westerly and southerly along the east north and west lines of said Parcel #78 65 99 0004 000 and the south right of way of Ann Arbor Road to the northeast corner of Lot 49 of "Arbor Village Subdivision" thence westerly along the south right of way of Ann Arbor Road to the northwest corner of "Arbor Village Subdivision", thence southerly along the west line of Arbor Village Subdivision" to the southeast corner of Parcel #78 62 99 0024 000 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 62 99 0024 000 extended to the centerline of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad thence northwesterly along said Railroad centerline to the extension of the southerly line of Lot 20a2 of "Gould Industrial Park" thence southwesterly along said extension and the southerly line of said Lot 20a2 and Lot 20a1 of "Gould Industrial Park" to the east right of way of General Drive thence southerly along the extension of the east right of way of General Drive to the south right of way of Postoff Drive thence westerly along the south right of way of Postoff Drive crossing Lilley Road to the extension of the west line of Parcel #78 61 99 0016 000, thence northerly along said extension and the west line of said Parcel #78 61 99 0016 000 and the west line of Parcels #78-61 99 0015 000 and #78 99 0014 000 to the south line of Parcel #78 61 99 0012 002 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 61 99 0012 002 and Parcels #78 61 99 0011 000 and #78 61 99 0007 000 to the most easterly line of Parcel #78 61 99 0005 004 thence southerly westerly and northwesterly along the east south and southwest lines of said Parcel #78 61 99 0005 004 to the southeast corner of Parcel #78 61 0005 002 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 61 99 0005 002 and the south line of Parcel #78 61 99 0005 001 across Rocker Avenue and continuing westerly along the south line of Lots 49 and 50 of "Rocker Estates No. 2" to the northwest corner of Lot 48 of "Rocker Estates No. 2" thence southerly along the west line of said Lot 48 and the west line of Lots 47 and 46 of Rocker Estates No. 2" to the southeast corner of Lot 2 of "Rocker Estates", thence westerly along the south line of said Lot 2 to the east right of way of South Main Street thence southerly along the east right of way of South Main Street to the southwest corner of Lot 3 of "Rocker Estates" thence westerly across South Main Street to the northeast corner of Lot 6 of "Palmer's Acres Subdivision" thence westerly along the north line of said Lot 6 and the south right of way of Marlin Avenue to the northwest corner of said Lot 6 thence northerly across Marlin Avenue to the southwest corner of Lot 5 of "Palmer's Acres Subdivision" thence northerly along the west line of said Lot 5 and the west line of Lot 4 of Palmer's Acres Subdivision" and the east line of Lots 18 19 and 20 of Palmer's Acres Subdivision" to the northeast corner of said Lot 20 thence westerly along the north line of said Lot 20 across Ball Avenue and along the north line of Lots 37 and 42 of Palmer's Acres Subdivision" to the northwest corner of said Lot 42 thence continuing westerly across Corinne Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 77 Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly along the north line of said Lot 77 and the north line of Lot 170 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" to the northwest corner of said Lot 170, thence southerly along the east right of way of Northern Avenue to the southwest corner of Lot 167 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly across Northern Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 177 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly along the north line of said Lot 177 and the north line of Lot 262 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" to the northwest corner of said Lot 262 thence continuing westerly across Oakview Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 273 of Green Meadows Subdivision" thence continuing westerly along the north line of said Lot 273 to the northwest corner of said Lot 273 thence northerly along the west line of Lots 272 271, 270 and 269 to the northwest corner of said Lot 269 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly along the north line of Lot 363 of "Green Meadows Subdivision" to the northwest corner of said Lot 363 thence westerly across Marlowe Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 366 of Green Meadows Subdivision" thence continuing westerly along the north line of Lots 366 and 460 to the northwest corner of said Lot 460 of Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly across Elmhurst Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 463 thence continuing westerly along the north line of Lots 463 and 557 to the northwest corner of said Lot 557 of Green Meadows Subdivision" thence westerly across Brookline Avenue to the northeast corner of Lot 560, thence continuing westerly along the north line of said lot to the southwest corner of said Lot 560 thence southerly along the west line of Lots 560 561 562 564 565 566 and 567 of Green Meadows Subdivision" extended to the south right of way of Marlin Avenue thence westerly along the south right of way of Marlin Avenue across Sheldon Road to the west right of way of Sheldon Road northerly along the west right of way of Sheldon Road to the southeast corner of Parcel #78 58 99 0036 001 thence westerly along the south line of said Parcel #78 58 99 0036 001 and the south line of Parcel #78 58 99 0030 000 to the southwest corner of said Parcel #78 58 99 0030 000 thence northerly and easterly along the west and north lines of said Parcel #78 58 99 0030 000 to the southwest corner of Parcel #78 58 99 0034 000 thence northerly along the west line of said Parcel #78 58 99 0034 000 extended across Ann Arbor Road to the north right of way of Ann Arbor Road thence easterly along the north right of way of Ann Arbor Road to the southwest corner of Parcel #78 57 99 0005 703 thence northerly along the west line of said Parcel #78 57 99 0005 703 and the west line of Parcel #78 57 99 0005 704 extended across Pinetree Drive to the north right of way of Pinetree Drive thence easterly along the north right of way of Pinetree Drive extended to the north south one quarter line of Section 34 and the east limits of Plymouth Charter Township thence southerly along said north south one quarter line and the east limits of Plymouth Charter Township and within the Sheldon Road right of way to the center of said Section 34 and the Point of Beginning.

Maps plats descriptions of the Development Plan (including the method of relocating any families displaced as a result of tax increment funded activities) are available in the Township Clerk's office 42350 E Ann Arbor Road Plymouth Michigan 48170 4303 (734 354 3224). A map clearly illustrating the boundaries of the DDA as described above along with a list of tax identification numbers identifying each lot or parcel included in the DDA, can be inspected at the Clerk's office located at the main Township office complex 42350 Ann Arbor Road Plymouth Michigan. All aspects of the Tax Increment Financing and Development Plan will be open for discussion at this public hearing.

MARILYN MASSENGILL Clerk

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Notice is hereby given that on 3/22/02 at 10 am at Mayflower Towing, 1179 Starkweather, Plymouth, MI a public auction of the following

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The Charter Township of Plymouth is accepting sealed proposals for Type I Class I, Medium Duty Rescue Units Specifications are available at Plymouth Township Clerks Office Building #3 42350 Ann Arbor Road Plymouth Michigan, during regular business hours - 8:00 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday All bids must be completed in their entirety. The Charter Township of Plymouth reserves the right to increase equipment quantities. All prices must be quoted FOB to the Charter Township of Plymouth.

All purchases are to be for official business of Plymouth Township only. The Township reserves the right to waive any and all irregularities or informalities contained herein, or to select any bid or proposal in whole or in part which is deemed to be in the Township's best interest. A mandatory pre bid meeting will be held on March 27, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. at Plymouth Township Hall Building #1 East Wing Conference Room, 42350 Ann Arbor Road Plymouth, Michigan.

All bids must be sealed and received by the Plymouth Township Clerk no later than Monday April 22 2002 at 3:00 p.m. NO EXCEPTIONS.

MARILYN MASSENGILL Clerk
Charter Township of Plymouth

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MEDICAL BRIEFS

SJMh cancer program

The cancer program at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital of Ann Arbor (SJMh) was recently awarded the Five-Star Investor Award from the American Cancer Society. The Five-Star Investor Award is presented annually.

The award is presented to worksites that are active in fighting cancer on multiple fronts through the American Cancer Society AT WORK program. Organizations must qualify in five out of nine areas to earn the award and recognition associated with it. SJMh qualified in the following areas: Access to Cancer Information, Making Strides Against Breast Cancer, Relay For Life Smoke-Free Workplace, Volunteerism and Sponsorship.

The hospital is currently planning to begin a program in another qualifying area called Active for Life, a physical activity program to lessen cancer risk.

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor has one of Michigan's top cancer programs, providing comprehensive diagnosis and treatment for all types of cancer. The program is a federally designated Community Clinical Oncology Program and one of only 52 hospitals nationwide designated by the National Cancer Institute to participate in the latest cancer treatment and prevention trials.

Epilepsy

The Epilepsy Foundation of Michigan is sponsoring its annual "Winning Kids" Program, which recognizes the accomplishments of more than 30,000 children with epilepsy in Michigan who have overcome tremendous challenges. Children with epilepsy between the ages of five to 10 are eligible.

Our "Winning Kids" will represent the Foundation, participate in fundraising events and other activities throughout the year. The "Winning Kids" Program helps the youth to demonstrate their winning spirit and increase their self-esteem as they tell their stories.

Nominations are being accepted through April 1. Individuals wishing to nominate a child should call the Epilepsy Foundation at 1-800-377-6226 for an application. Parents will be notified in April if their child is chosen as a "Winning Kid." All "Winning Kids" will be officially introduced May 15 at the first Flame of Hope Awards Reception in Birmingham.

Achy joints

People who don't get adequate osteoarthritis (OA) pain relief from anti-inflammatory drugs may qualify to test a new, investigational pain killer. Doctors at Beaumont Hospital are prescribing an experimental oral medication in a research clinical trial to determine its effectiveness in relieving OA pain in hips and knees.

Participants will take either a placebo or Dirame (Shire Pharmaceutical Development Inc.) for up to 13 weeks along with their non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID) or acetaminophen. They will make periodic doctor visits and keep a pain diary.

After the initial 13-week period, participants may continue in the study for an additional year. All participants will take Dirame during this phase.

Participants must have been diagnosed with osteoarthritis, have moderate to severe osteoarthritis pain, be 18 years old or older, and female participants must not be pregnant or become pregnant during the study, among other criteria.

Call Beaumont's Anesthesia research office at (248) 551-1907 for more information on this study.

We want your health news

There are several ways you can reach the Observer Health & Fitness staff. The Sunday section provides numerous venues for you to offer newsworthy information including Medical Datebook (upcoming calendar events), Medical Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field) and Medical Briefs (medical advances, short news items from hospitals, physicians, companies).

We also welcome newsworthy ideas for health and fitness related stories. To submit an item to our newspaper you can call, write, fax or e-mail us.

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Fiber, water, exercise can avert problem

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It's not exactly the subject of dinner-time conversation, but the problem is common. Constipation. Few people go through life without suffering an occasional bout of stubborn bowels. So what can we do about it? Plenty.

First of all, understand that the frequency of bowel movements among healthy people varies greatly, ranging from three movements a day to three a week, according to The American Gastroenterological Association. As a general rule, says the AGA, problems can start after three days. Someone may feel bloated, uncomfortable and "gassy." Stools may harden and be difficult to pass.

"Not to have a bowel movement at least once a week points to a constipation problem," said Dr. Denege Ward, an internist with the University of Michigan Health System who practices at U-M Canton Health Center.

Barring other pathologies — structural problems such as cancer, tumors and anal outlet obstructions or non-colonic diseases such as diabetes, hypothyroidism, Parkinson's, and even depression — most constipation problems can be easily treated with lifestyle changes.

"Mostly I see constipation in young females and the elderly," said Ward. "I don't see it as much in men. In young females it's mostly because of their lifestyles — low fiber diets high in carbohydrates, not enough exercise and lack of water."

Don't let constipation send you into a panic. "Everybody has bouts of constipation. Nobody is always regular," said Dr. David Margolin, a senior staff colon-rectal surgeon at Henry Ford Hospital. "It's been drilled into the American public that they must move their bowels every day. They don't have to."

Causes of constipation

Remember, constipation is a symptom, not a disease. It is also an age-related condition. According to the AGA, older adults are five times more likely than younger adults to report problems with constipation. This may be due to poor diet, insufficient fluids, lack of exercise, and the use of certain drugs.

Most of the time, constipation in all age groups can be corrected with diet and time. The follow-

ing are some of the most common causes of depression listed by the AGA:

■ Poor diet — The culprit may be a diet high in animal fats (meats, dairy products, eggs) and refined sugar (rich desserts and other sweets), but low in fiber (vegetables, fruits, whole grains).

■ Imaginary constipation — This is very common and results from misconceptions about what is normal. The antidote from a medical standpoint is simple: Inform the sufferer that the frequency of his or her bowel movements is normal.

■ Irritable bowel syndrome — Known as a spastic colon, IBS is one of the most common causes of constipation in the United States. Spasms of the colon delay the speed with which

vulsants for epilepsy, antiparkinsonism drugs, and antihypertensive calcium channel blockers.

■ Loss of body salts — The loss of body salts through the kidneys or through vomiting or diarrhea is another cause of constipation.

Fiber, water and exercise

"The biggest offense is diet. We as Americans eat terribly. We don't have enough fiber in our diet," said Margolin, who also indicts caffeine. "Caffeine is a terrible thing. It dehydrates the stool and makes it harder and more difficult to pass."

A healthy diet should include 20 to 30 grams of fiber a day, said Ward. "The public is not taking fiber as seriously as they should for constipation and for cancer prevention."

According to a handout from Beaumont Hospital, *Breaking the Constipation Habit*, cut down on refined, starchy foods. Instead, choose whole grain cereals, pasta and bread, add nuts, fruits and vegetables. Cut down on fatty foods, such as butter, cooking oils, cream and bacon. Although these foods may soften stools, they can cause diarrhea.

Water is essential in preventing constipation. Drink at least eight to 10 glasses a day to keep your stools soft. Prune juice or hot beverages may stimulate the urge to have a bowel movement.

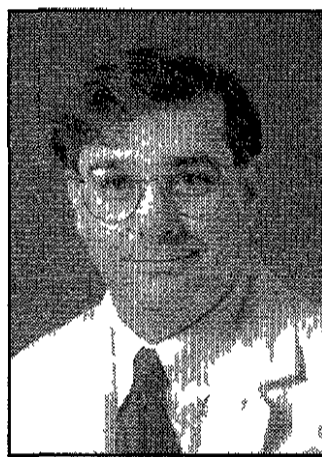
Also, start exercising. Began with a simple walking program and do it daily. "Exercise increases the body's metabolism, which contributes to coordinated bowel movements," said Ward. Make sure you drink sufficient amounts of water while you exercise.

Lastly, while you're getting your diet and exercise regimen back on track, set aside a time each day after breakfast or dinner for an undisturbed visit to the toilet. Relax. And remember, reading or listening to music while you're in the bathroom isn't something just sitcom characters do.

While "stimulant" laxatives should be avoided, bulk-forming laxatives — such as Metamucil, FiberCon and Citrucel — can be used every day. They work by adding bulk and water to the stool so it can pass more easily through the intestine. Bulk laxatives can be taken about twice a day in the beginning, said Ward.

"It takes about a week, and then when bowel movements become more productive you can cut back."

Please see **CONSTIPATION, C9**



Dr. David Margolin

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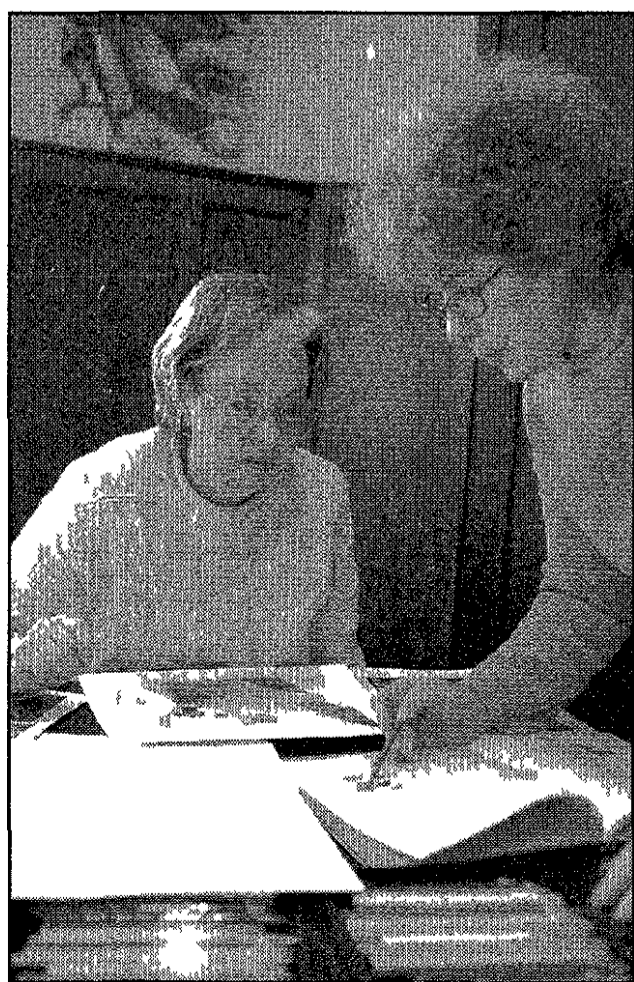
the contents in the intestine move through the digestive tract, leading to constipation. Poor bowel habits — Do not ignore the urge to go! Some people refuse to use public restrooms, or claim their daily schedules are just too busy. Remember, if you don't use it, you lose it. The urge to have a bowel movement may stop, leading to progressive constipation.

■ Laxative abuse — Laxatives that act as stimulants, such as Ex-lax, can be habit-forming. A person may require increasing dosages until the intestinal muscles become lazy and fail to work properly.

■ Hormonal disturbances — These include an underactive thyroid gland, hormonal changes during pregnancy, and the normal hormonal changes associated with puberty.

■ Medications — "Medications are a huge problem, even antacids because they have calcium in them," said Margolin. Other medications that can cause constipation include pain medications (especially narcotics), antacids that contain aluminum, antispasmodic drugs, antidepressant drugs, tranquilizers, iron supplements, anticon-

Artist adds color to lives touched by cancer



STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HOFFMEYER

Artistic direction: Susan Johnson of Rochester Hills gets a little guidance from artist Marilyn Gorman during colored pencil class at Gilda's Club.

BY KEELY KALESKI WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

Gilda's Club is a homey, healing place where broken people put themselves back together. Anyone touched by cancer is welcome, and they won't be a stranger for long.

I climbed the steps with some trepidation, fearful that I'd start crying. My husband, David, was diagnosed with Acute Myelogenous Leukemia on Sept. 8, 2000. He died four months later on Dec. 17. His nurses told us about Gilda's Club, but we never went. David was in the hospital most of the time. His remission was short, Oct. 2-24.

Birmingham artist Marilyn Gorman was my reason for visiting. She runs a colored pencil class on Wednesdays from 1-3 p.m. I found her in the dining room helping Rita Kamp, a cancer survivor, with a colored pencil portrait. Nancy Duke Epstein of Franklin was busy working on a landscape.

"I love this place," said Epstein, a cancer survivor who co-facilitates the class. "It's a great place, like your own home. I've made a lot of friends."

Epstein never did artwork before, but found a creative outlet with colored pencils. They're user-friendly, nontoxic, lightweight and portable, she says.

Being able to draw is not a prerequisite for the class. Gorman shows class participants how to trace a favorite photograph and bring it to life with color.

"It builds your self-esteem, and you can erase what you don't like," said Phyllis Praski, who joined Gilda's Club after losing her husband to cancer. "You come out with a decent picture. It's given me a lot of confidence, all of a sudden I'm an artist."

Gorman is a patient teacher. She brings 30 years of art training to the table, has been a member of the Colored Pencil Society for eight years and served on its national board for three years.



She knows the emotional toll cancer often demands. Her father died of bone cancer, and the disease isolated him.

"I said I didn't want anyone to die of cancer alone again. He needed a group of guys to play pinochle with. I came here and said, 'I don't know what I can do, but I'd like to help you.' They said, 'We

Please see **TOUCH, C9**



Artist at work: Susan Johnson puts finishing touches on a colored pencil drawing at Gilda's Club.

Join the 2002 Komen Detroit Race for the Cure

Lace up those athletic shoes and join the fight against breast cancer!

It's time for the 11th Annual Komen Detroit Race for the Cure, presented locally by the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute. The event will be held Saturday, April 20 at Comerica Park in Detroit. Over 1,500 breast cancer survivors will attend the event, a testimonial to the benefits of early detection and treatment of the disease. The event also honors lost loved ones.

Michigan's largest race, the Komen Detroit Race for the Cure funds local breast cancer screening, education and treatment programs, as well as the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation Research Program. Michigan's First Lady Michelle Engler will act as this year's honorary race chairwoman. Mayor Kwame M. Kilpatrick and his wife, Carlita, will serve as co-chairmen.

The event schedule is as follows:
 ■ 6:30 a.m. - Information and packet pick up at Comerica Park

■ 8 a.m. - Opening ceremonies honoring breast cancer survivors and memorial to lost loved ones

■ 8:30 a.m. - Warm-up
 ■ 9 a.m. - 5K men's competitive run, 5K women's competitive run, fun walk (non-competitive), 5K walk/run for women men, family and friends

Entry fees for adults 18-64 are \$20 by March 29, \$25 by April 12, and \$30 thereafter. Fees for youths 6-17 and seniors 65 and older are \$10 by March 29 and \$15 thereafter. Children age 5 and under are free. Participants may register online at www.karmanos.org/racefortheuredetroit/ or order entry forms by calling 1-800-KARMONOS at 1-800-527-6266 weekdays between 7:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. Registration forms also are available at New Balance Troy and Farmington stores.

The Race Expo will be held 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, April 19 at the Southfield Centre for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road (between Nine and Ten Mile), Southfield. The Expo is the last chance to register for the race.

Why join the race?

It is estimated that 7,300 women in Michigan will be diagnosed with breast cancer in 2002. An estimated 1,400 mothers, sisters, wives and friends will die of the disease. The 2001 Komen Detroit Race for the Cure drew 28,000 participants and raised \$1 million for breast cancer education, treatment and research.

The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation was established in 1982 by Nancy Brnker to honor the memory of her sister, Susan G. Komen, who died of breast cancer at the age of 36. Today, the foundation has more than 75,000 volunteers working through a network of U.S. and International affiliates and Komen Race for the Cure events. Since its inception, the Komen Foundation and its affiliates have invested more than \$350 million in the fight against breast cancer.

You can make a difference. Lace up those athletic shoes and sign up for the 2002 Komen Detroit Race for the Cure.

Constipation *from page C7*

Call the doctor

Although constipation can be bothersome, it's usually not serious. However, it could be the only noticeable symptom of a serious underlying disorder, such as cancer, says the AGA. It can also lead to complications, such as hemorrhoids caused by extreme straining or fissures caused by the hard stool stretching the sphincters. Bleeding can occur and appear as bright red streaks on the surface of the

stool.

Extreme constipation can lead to fecal impactions, which usually occurs in very young children or older adults.

Notify the doctor when symptoms are severe, last longer than three weeks, or when any of the above complications occur. A doctor can detect problems in the rectum and lower colon by doing a sigmoidoscopy, which is accomplished by inserting a flexible, lighted instrument through the anus. Or a doctor can perform a

colonoscopy to inspect the entire colon.

Another diagnostic tool is the colon transit study, which involves the patient swallowing two pills each containing 12 small, metal rings. The rings are tracked by x-ray over a period of one week to detect movement. If necessary, a doctor can perform additional tests.

Don't wait too long before seeing a doctor, said Margolin. "We can help. You don't have to be miserable."

Touch *from page C7*

have art classes. Why don't you teach one?"

Gorman moves around the table smiling, offering suggestions and encouragement.

"It's been absolutely delightful," she says. "I have met so many people who give me energy. It's a group of very inspirational people. Everything is always good at Gilda's Club, even when people have problems, because someone is holding them up. We take them a step at a time and give them a cup of coffee and hug when they go home."

Susan Johnson of Rochester Hills is working on a picture of a koala bear. She enjoys creating art, but also visiting with the other women. She was diagnosed with breast cancer in May.

"My picture is right there," she says, pointing to a colorful leaf on the wall. "I like working with the colors. It's relaxing. You need something to do that takes your mind away from everything. You don't need a lot of stuff when you're working with colored pencils, but the main thing is the people. They're so nice and encouraging. I like getting feedback and hearing about their illness."

Cancer is draining. In many cases, the cure can be as bad as the disease. Chemotherapy has all kinds of side effects, many of them unpleasant. Some people develop mouth sores, lose their hair - and the will to keep fighting.

"I try real hard to be positive about cancer," said Ruth Wood of Madison Heights, who has liver and lung cancer. "When I'm here doing artwork I forget about cancer and have fun. There are a lot of survivors, and it gives me a positive outlook. Like at night when I can't sleep, instead of lying there thinking about myself I'll do some artwork. I really look forward to coming here. If I feel down it gasses me up for quite awhile. I have more good days than bad days. They're all family here. Everyone's understanding."

An hour flies by. I find myself wishing I had more time to stay and color and talk with these brave, creative women. I share my story with them and start to cry. It still hurts. Phyllis gives me a hug, and tells me about Gilda's Alumni Club, a grief support group that meets twice a month. Rita invites me to join Gilda's Singers 7-8 p.m. Tuesday. She jokes that she could plan my whole week.

I surprise them and show up to sing on Tuesday. Rita is not there, but Phyllis and Ruth are. They're glad to see me, and I'm glad to see them. These women understand cancer is about loss, and hope. It's a thief that can take away the people you love and your sense of well-being. But cancer also teaches you to cherish life as you never have before.

Life isn't easy. Gilda used to say, "It's always something," and she's right. But at Gilda's Club you learn to grin and bear it.


Gilda's Club is at 3517 Rochester Road in Royal Oak (look for the white picket fence). For more information, call (248) 577-0800 or visit www.gilda's-clubdetroit.org.

This is the first story for "Healing Touch," a new feature to our

Health & Fitness page that illuminates the efforts of people dedicated to helping others get well. Send suggestions for programs or people to feature in Healing Touch to Renee Skoglund, Health Reporter, Observer & Eccentric

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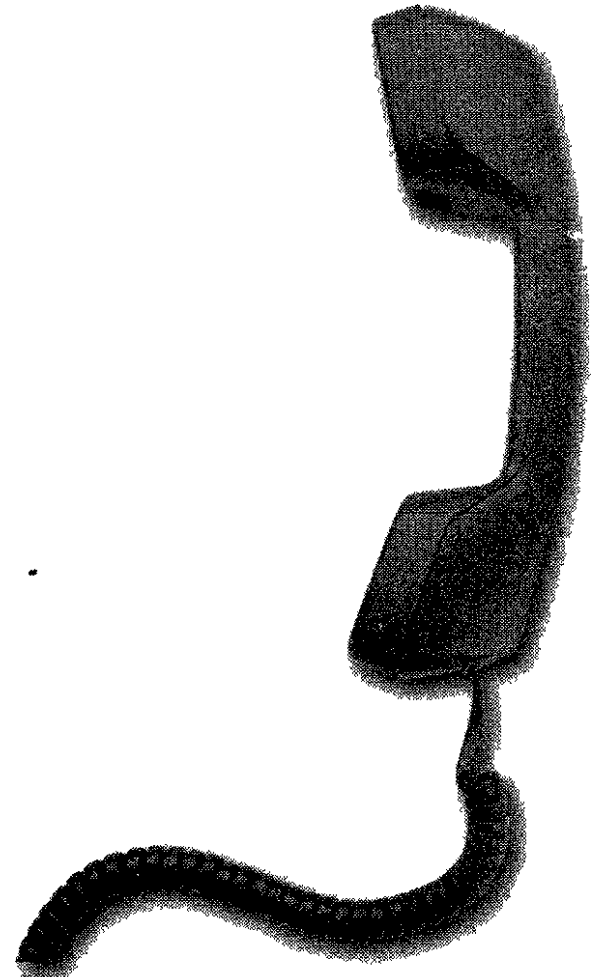
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BUSINESS

BUSINESS CALENDAR

MON, MARCH 18

BUSINESS LUNCHEON
The Economic Club of Detroit will hold its Luncheon Meeting at the Troy Marriott Hotel at noon. J. T. Battenberg III, chairman, CEO and president of Delphi Automotive Systems, Inc., will present "Building Value and Trust in Today's Business World." Tickets are \$28 for club members and \$33 for guests. For reservations, call (313) 963-8547.

TUES., MARCH 19

NORTHVILLE BUSINESS
The Northville Chamber of Commerce will host the 13th Annual Taste of Northville Business Showcase 5-8 p.m. at Northville High School, 45700 Six Mile Road, Northville. The showcase will feature 90 exhibitors from retail, service and professional businesses in the Northville community. Area top rated restaurants and caterers will provide samples from their menus. Free

give a ways raffles and promotional goodies. Cost \$7, adults, \$6, seniors, \$3, children under 12. Call (248) 349-7640.

THURS, MARCH 21

BUSINESS "BRAG"
Here's a chance to tell everyone about your business. Morgan Stanley, 100 W. Big Beaver (just west of Livernois), Troy, invites you to join them 8-9 a.m. for a "business brag fest." Participants have 60 seconds to say anything and everything about his or her business. Bring plenty of business cards. RSVP by calling (248) 641-1750 or e-mail sandy@troychamber.com

ASQ
The American Society for Quality, Ann Arbor Section will sponsor their "Annual Career Night" 6:30-9 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, Plymouth Rd. at US 23. Mark Bourget of Manpower, Inc. will discuss "Navigating a Turbulent Job Market." Pizza and pop served. Free for students and ASQ members. \$10 for non-ASQ

members. E-mail your reservation by Mar 18 to arrangements@asq1010.org

TUES, MARCH 26

RETIREMENT SOLUTIONS
Otha Smith, a mutual fund consultant with Morgan Stanley, will present "Smart Solutions for Your Retirement Distribution" 7 p.m. at the Marriott Hotel, 17100 N. Laurel Park Dr., Livonia. No cost. Call Wendy Landreth at (734) 779-8025.

WOMEN'S ECONOMIC CLUB
Enron executive Sherron Watkins - who recently testified before a Congressional subcommittee about the company's improper partnerships - will be the guest speaker at the Women's Economic Club noon luncheon at the Ritz Carlton in Dearborn. The event will honor Metro Detroit's 100 Most Influential Women, as selected by *Craai's Detroit Business*. Tickets are \$40 for members and \$35 for guests. Call (313) 963-5088 or visit www.womenseconomicclub.org

Schoolcraft College offers international business series

Classes that teach the basics and fine points of doing business outside the United States are underway at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

Participants in Schoolcraft College's International Trade Certificate Program may choose the entire series, which began March 12, or specific sessions. Each session meets from 2-5 p.m., either Tuesdays or Thursdays.

The series includes:
■ March 19 and 21, International Finance: Letters of credit, methods of payment, currency exchange rates, choosing a bank, financing options.

■ March 26 and 28, International Logistics: Risk management, export procedures and documentation, electronic data interchange, freight forwarders vs. international logistics firms.

■ April 2, Cross Cultural Communication: The role of culture in business, customs and et-

quette, negotiations, hosting international visitors, living and working abroad.

■ April 16, Foreign Government Sales: Doing business with developing nations, the role of multinational development banks, USAID.

■ April 23, Trade Agreements/Legal Aspects of Foreign Trade: The role of the World Trade Organization, regional trade agreements, international trade-related organizations.

Two country-specific seminars feature Canada and Mexico on April 4 and the European Union on April 18.

Participants can earn a certificate of achievement by attending all core seminars and one country-specific seminar for a \$500 fee. Individual seminars are \$90 each. For more information or to register, call (734) 462-4448, ext. 5572.

Schoolcraft College is located

at 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile roads, just west of I-275.

Local meeting targets Microsoft Project users

Chuck Thibodeau will preview Microsoft Project 2002, 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, March 20 during a meeting co-sponsored by Microsoft and the Michigan Project Users Group, Southeast Michigan Chapter, at the Microsoft Office, Southfield Town Center, Building 1000, Suite 1930 in Southfield.

Registration begins 5:30 p.m. Refreshments will be served. Microsoft Project users and all those interested are welcome to attend.

Thibodeau will discuss the advanced new features and applications of Microsoft Project 2002 including Microsoft Project Standard, Microsoft Project Professional, Microsoft Project Server, Microsoft Project Web Access (Microsoft Project Server Client Access Licenses) and more.

Thibodeau, a Microsoft Technology Specialist, has spent the last 18 years in the project management industry in various roles including presales support, business consulting, account management and business management for project management software and consulting firms. He has worked with clients to develop enterprise project management solutions in

almost every sector - automotive, financial, pharmaceutical, aerospace/defense, manufacturing, telecommunications, high tech, retail and utilities.

Reservations are necessary and seating is limited. To make a reservation, send an e-mail to logistics@mpug-sem.org or call (734) 741-0841. Membership advantages apply. For more information on reservations, directions to the meeting, and membership, visit the MPUG Southeast Michigan Chapter Web site www.mpug-sem.org or the MPUG Global Web site www.mpug.org.

The Michigan Project Users Group-Global was established in

April 1997 to serve the needs of MS Project users. MPUG-Global has more than 2,000 members. Member benefits include access to a "members only" Web site that contains presentations for all chapter meetings, articles, tips, and information from Microsoft. A subscription to *The Project Network*, MPUG-Global's quarterly newsletter, Monthly Ezine with tips, tracks and the latest news, MPUG "members only special offers," evaluation/beta copies of Microsoft software, opportunities for sharing knowledge, and networking opportunities with other members and experts in the field.


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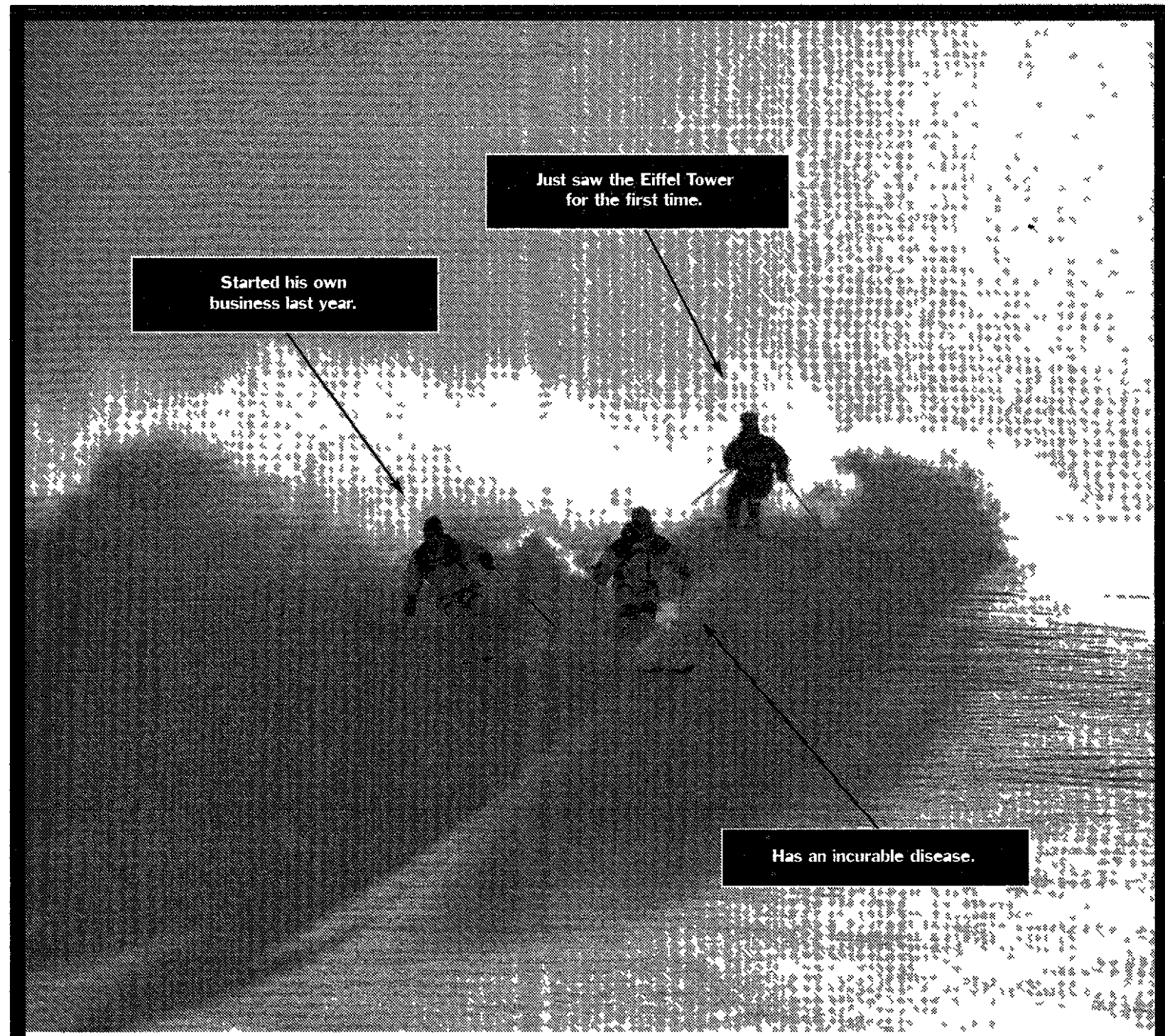
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SALE PRICE \$19,135*

LEASE FOR \$295⁷⁰ 36 mos. \$2348.14 due at signing**

GMS PRICE \$18,236*

GMS LEASE \$268³² 36 mos. \$2294.12 due at signing**

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V8 automatic tilt cruise fixed rear and side door glass air conditioning Stock #2 6030 **WAS \$24,673**

SALE PRICE \$19,979*

LEASE FOR \$295⁷⁰ 36 mos. \$2348.14 due at signing**

GMS PRICE \$19,018*

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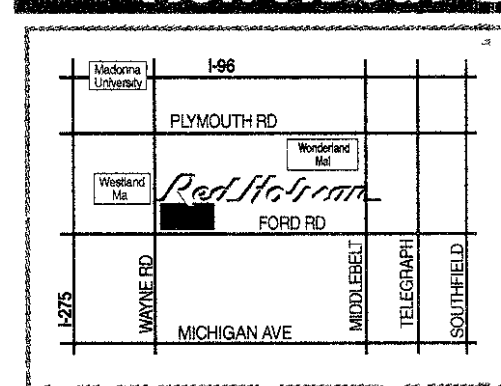
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basic machine setup and
adjustments
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experience a plus
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hands-on machine adjust-
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trol Department
\$14 95/START
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We do!
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Playleaders must have one year of college or more (copy of transcript and letter of reference required)
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Only completed applications with a copy of your high school diploma or GED will be considered.

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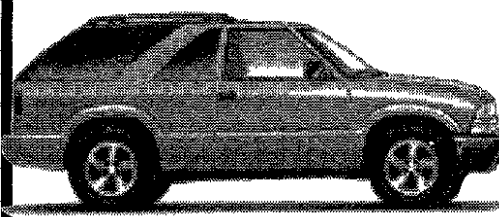
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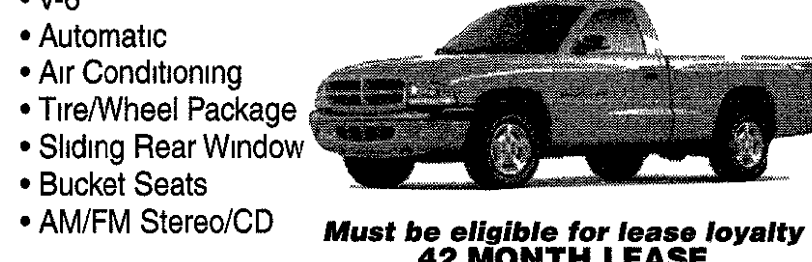
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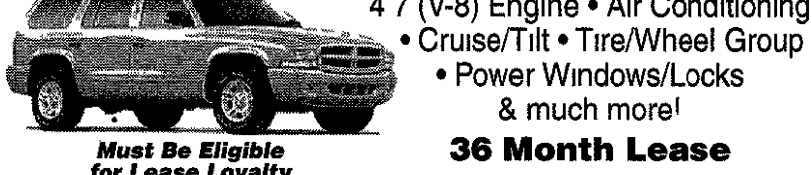
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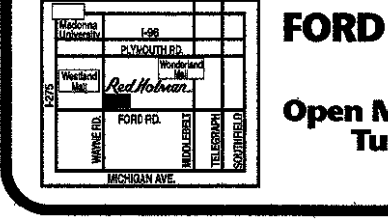
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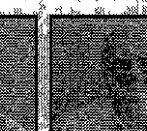

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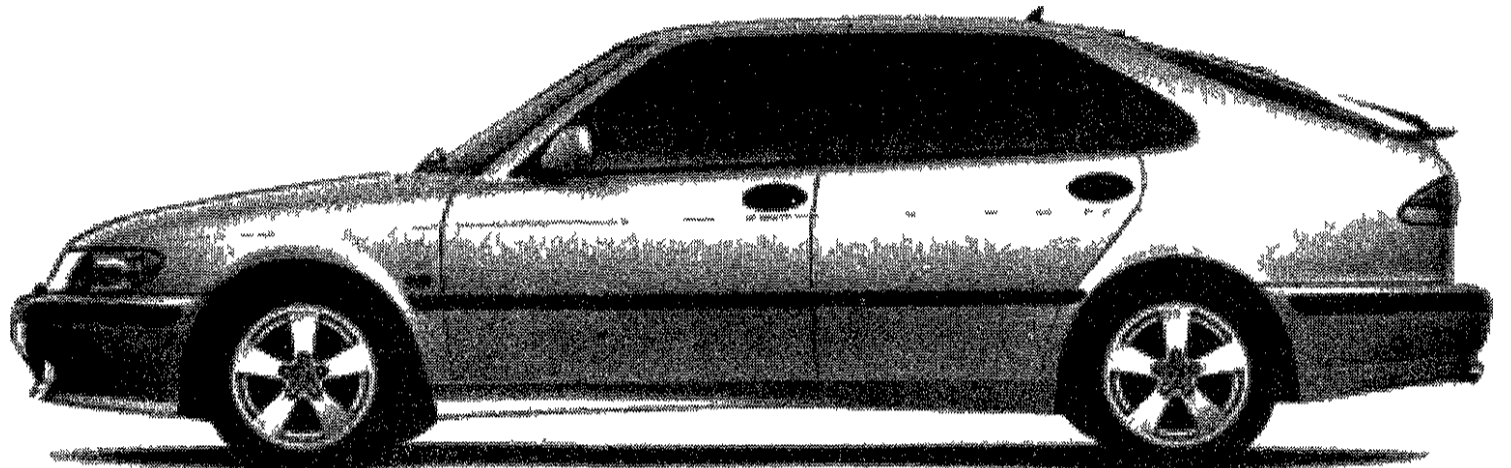
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<p>2002 ALERO SEDAN</p> <p>5 Yr 60,000 Mile GMPP</p> <p>GMS Price \$13,643³³ GMS Lease \$14,167³³</p> <p>Retail Price \$203³⁶ Retail Lease \$223⁷⁷</p> <p>Total Due \$1866.54 Total Due \$1882.77</p> <p>2.2L DOHC 4 cyl eng, 4 spd, auto trans, P215/60R15 touring tires Stk #02-1227</p>	<p>2002 SIERRA 2500 HD 4WD 4 DR PICKUP</p> <p>GMS Price \$27,556⁵¹ GMS Lease \$401⁵³</p> <p>Retail Price \$28,539⁵⁵ Retail Lease \$433¹⁸</p> <p>Total Due \$2079.78 Total Due \$2113.17</p> <p>Front reclining buckets w/power wideside body locking rear differential Vortec 6000 V8 4 spd auto trans polished alum wheels front fog lamps snow plow prep provisions cruise control remote keyless entry w/airarm deep tinted glass Stk #02-6169</p>	<p>2002 SAFARI PASSENGER VAN</p> <p>GMS Price \$20,419⁸⁸ GMS Lease \$371⁸³</p> <p>Retail Price \$21,194²² Retail Lease \$395⁴⁴</p> <p>Total Due \$2048.14 Total Due \$2073.17</p> <p>High back front bucket seats locking rear differential Vortec 4300 V6 VFI engine 4 spd auto trans brushed alum wheels conventional two tone paint rear heater 7 rear air duct doors 7 rear window defogger driver's power seat AM/FM stereo w/CD & cass Stk #02-5112</p>	<p>2001 SAVANA VAN CONVERSION</p> <p>TV/VCP, Leather Loaded</p> <p>Was \$45,215⁰⁰</p> <p>EVERYONE \$32,746³³</p> <p>6 way pwr driver's seat, 8 way pwr pass seat, remote keyless entry system elec rear window defogger leather, Vortec 5700 V8, 4 spd auto trans, AM/FM stereo w/cass & CD, TV/VCP, loaded Stk #01-5395</p>	<p>2002 SIERRA 1500 4 DR</p> <p>GMS Price \$21,477²² GMS Lease \$295⁹¹</p> <p>Retail Price \$22,294³³ Retail Lease \$320³³</p> <p>Total Due \$1967.66 Total Due \$1944.08</p> <p>Wideside body Vortec V8, alum whls AM/FM stereo w/CD recovery hooks, HD trailering equip air, cruise remote keyless entry w/airarm power windows & locks, deep tinted glass inside rear view mirror w/pass & temp Stk #02-6218</p>

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