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Celebrate your mother with a poem and win a prize for her courtesy of the Observer Newspapers. We're inviting our young readers, 18 and under, to submit a poem in praise of their mother. The poem can take any form from haiku to sonnet to free verse. A panel of judges will select their favorite. Seven winning poets will win a gift for mom. The prizes include an 11 by 14 inch portrait for up to 14 people from Focal Point Photography in Farmington and Canton (sitting fee is included), \$100 gift certificate to Ernesto's Restaurant in Plymouth Township, \$100 gift certificate to Antonio's Italian Cucina in Farmington Hills, \$100 gift certificate to Sandtraps in Livonia and more. We'll publish the winning entry and other entries on Mother's Day. Entries are due to The Observer by Monday, May 6. Send entries to Mother's Day Contest, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or fax to (734)591-7279 or e-mail to hgallagher@oe.homecomm.net.

THE WEEK AHEAD

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THURSDAY

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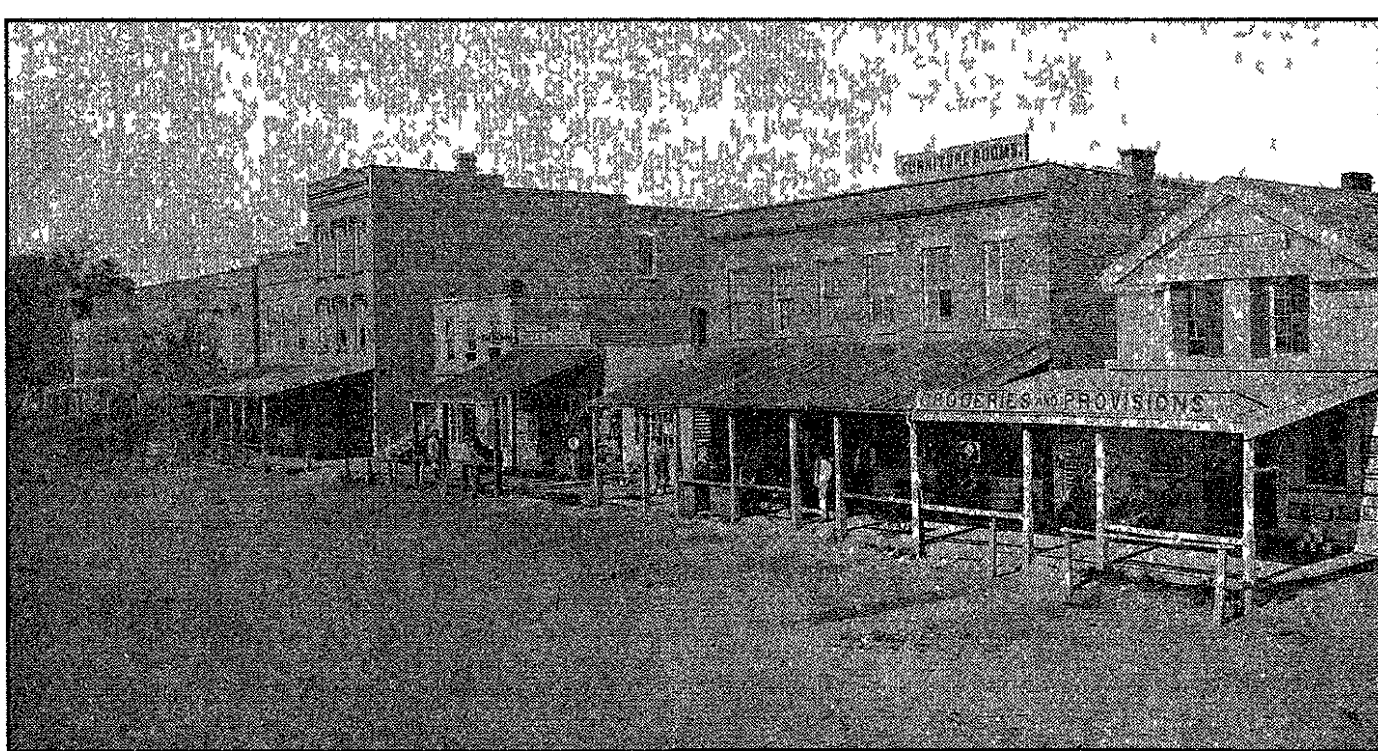
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Back in time: This is what Main Street in Plymouth looked like, circa 1858.

Township tales

Plymouth celebrates 175 years of history

BY TRACEY BIRKENHAUER
SPECIAL WRITER

As Plymouth Township celebrates its 175th birthday, it's a time for reflection and appreciation.



According to sources, Plymouth was settled in 1824 and became a township on April 12, 1827 by a legislative act of Gov. Lewis Cass. Back in the 1820s, Plymouth's first residents had tougher challenges to face than rush hour traffic on Ann Arbor Trail.

People had been told that Michigan was nothing but a huge swamp, said Beth Stewart, director of the Plymouth Historical Museum for the past 13 years. "What they found when they got here was it was heavily forested. Clearing land was extremely difficult. They would find a small clearing and work for months or a year to clear enough to build a home."



All aboard: Arriving in town by train in what is now Old Village was a common way of getting to Plymouth at the turn of the century.

They chopped trees with axes, before the time of the two-person saw. "It took somebody with a lot of fortitude to come to this area," Stewart said. Plymouth became a charter town-

ship on April 19, 1977, which allowed for greater protection from annexation attempts and improved taxing con-

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Tom's Oyster Bar may be coming out of its shell

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The sign in the window says "Coming Soon Tom's Oyster Bar."

It's been a running joke the past six years as the one-story building on Pennington Avenue has remained vacant, with no signs of renovation, let alone a place where you can sit down and eat

However, it appears that Tom's Oyster Bar may soon be the next new night spot in downtown Plymouth as a Roseville developer is set to demolish the current building and construct a three-story complex in its place, which will include first-floor restaurant space.

"It's going to be a great project," said Brad Egan, land development manager

for Ferlito Construction. "There will be residential condominiums on the second and third floors. The first floor will be leased to Tom's Oyster Bar."

Tom Brandel, owner of the famous Tom's Oyster Bar restaurants, once owned the building. However, he decided to sell the property and rent from the developer. Egan admitted that without the second and third floor

condos, the project wouldn't be feasible. "Downtown condos are a hot commodity right now in places like Royal Oak, Ferndale, Rochester and Plymouth," said Egan. "Today, people like living in downtown settings."

The condos will be about 1,100-square-feet each, with prices ranging

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District suspends teacher as investigation continues

BY TONY BRUSCATO
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A Canton High School social studies teacher has been suspended with pay while Canton police and school officials investigate inappropriate e-mails allegedly sent by him to a student.

Steve Mercatante has been on paid leave since March 5 after district officials found out about the e-mails, which a source said "contained inappropriate comments and sexual innuendo."

According to a release from Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, the district "is conducting an investigation concerning allegations of inappropriate e-mail communication by a high school teacher."

Canton police Sgt. Todd Mutchler said his department is investigating for possible criminal charges.

"He (Mercatante) has not been charged with a crime," said Mutchler. "The investigation is continuing, and should be completed sometime next week."

Mercatante's attorney, David Kramer of Novi, said he will meet with school officials next week.

"He (Mercatante) denies any wrongdoing," said Kramer. "We will meet with school officials to obtain the alleged documents and evidence."

According to a source familiar with

the investigation, a friend of the girl told another teacher about the e-mails, who then contacted the administration. The recipient of the correspondence reportedly admitted to receiving e-mails "numbering in the teens" and corresponding with the teacher. Mercatante's classroom computer was confiscated but the e-mails were reportedly deleted.

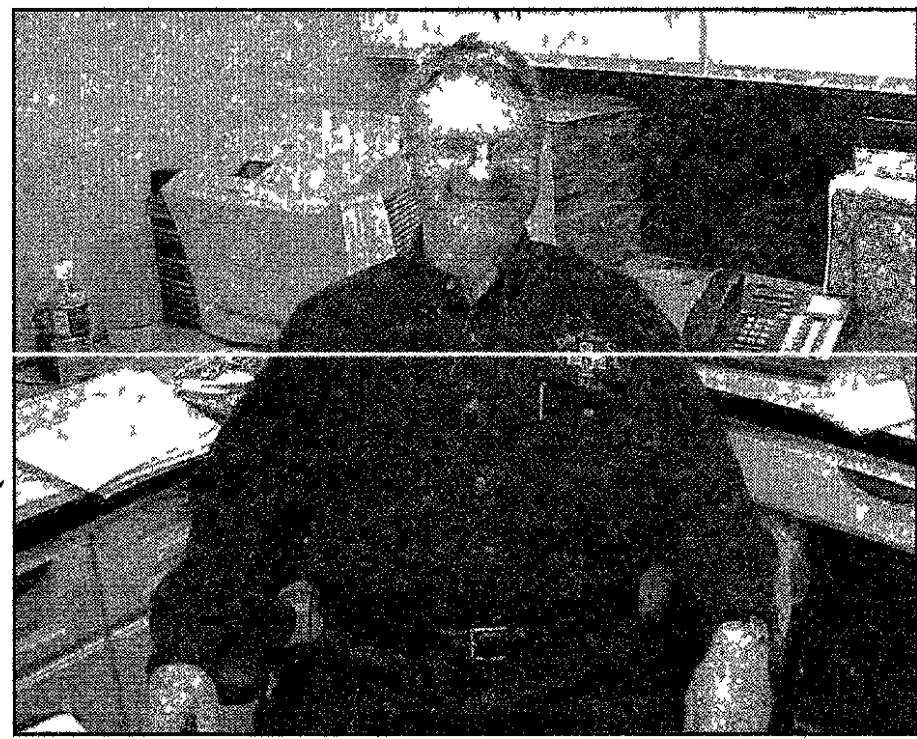
However, computer experts have reportedly been able to determine that "times and dates correlate with the e-mails that have been sent. The e-mails start with compliments and then result in the teacher discussing getting together after she graduates," the source said.

Deputy Superintendent Jim Ryan said the district took the allegations seriously as soon as the allegations were brought forth.

"We suspended the teacher immediately when we found out," said Ryan. "The teacher deserves due process during the investigation. We also don't want to forget to support the parent and student during this process."

There are reports the victim is 18, which means unless the e-mails contained illegal subject matter, Mercatante wouldn't be charged with a crime, but could still be fired by the district. Mercatante has been teaching for 35 years. Tenure for teachers comes during the fourth year.

In the pink



Dye job: Our Lady of Good Counsel Principal Ted Behn might want to have his memory banks checked. Several weeks after telling students he'd be willing to dye his hair, if they achieved a certain goal, OLG students made Behn pay up. Since March was National Reading Month, he made this deal: If each student in Mrs. Antoun's second-grade class read five books, he'd dye his hair. The students picked hot pink as the color. "The day of the deadline it looked like I was home free," Behn said, "but the last parent brought in the required parent verification slip at the last minute."

CSX causing project delays

■ A lack of response from CSX could be jeopardizing the Sheldon Road underpass project, which was supposed to have started this spring.

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Plymouth and Plymouth Township officials are increasingly pessimistic construction of a new underpass at the CSX Transportation Sheldon Road crossing will begin this winter, as planned.

It appears the lack of a response by the railroad could cause further delays in the \$8.8 million project, which at one time was slated to begin this spring.

Plymouth Township Supervisor Steve Mann and Plymouth City Manager Paul Sincock will meet with Wayne County officials on Monday, April 22, to discuss how to get the project back on track.

"While the county is nearing completion on its design for the project and has plans to start construction late this year, we have been unable to get CSX to respond to our repeated requests for review and approval of our plans," said Cameron Priebe, director of public services for Wayne County, in a letter addressed to city and township officials. "As you know, under federal law Wayne County cannot disrupt railroad tracks without the expressed consent of the company that owns them. We feel that we have exhausted all reasonable means at our disposal at the local level and are reaching out to our elected officials to help mediate a solution."

Mann has no doubt the project will eventually get started. But, when is

Please see **CSX, A5**

Church groundbreaking

Trinity Presbyterian Church, on the threshold of a major expansion, holds a groundbreaking ceremony on Sunday, April 14th at 10:45 a.m. for its Family Life Center. A member congregation of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church, Trinity is located on the northeast corner of Ann Arbor and Gotfredson Roads. The church was established in 1979 and has been worshipping on that site since 1981.

With a membership of 670, and a very active youth and children's ministry, the congregation has outgrown its present facility and is looking forward to adding 28,000 square feet, thereby doubling its present size. The additional square footage will provide much needed space for present and future ministries, as well as a large kitchen and an administration wing to accommodate a growing staff.

Founding pastor, Dr. William C. Moore, will preach on "A Groundbreaking Experience with God" at the three Sunday morning worship services, 8:30, 9:45 and 11:15 a.m., and also lead the congregation in a time of worship and thanksgiving as they break ground at 10:45 a.m. on the northern end of the property.

Engineering honors

Richard Miner and Timothy Currie of Plymouth-based Dietrich, Bailey and Associates

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have earned their professional engineer registration from the state of Michigan, Michael Bailey announced this week.

Miner is a graduate of Michigan Technological University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in civil engineering. He joined DBA in 1989, and is the senior plan review engineer for multiple municipalities. He acts as a coordination liaison between the planning commission and building department staff. Currie is a graduate of Lawrence Technological University with a bachelor's degree in civil engineering. He joined DBA in 2000, and is involved in the firm's design efforts, project management and construction supervision for private clients. He is also involved with the firm's municipal engineering projects.

Jazz concert

The Plymouth Canton Educational Park Jazz Ensembles I and II perform a free concert at the Penn Theatre in Plymouth at 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 6. The community is invited and a free-will donation will be accepted.

The Jazz Ensembles, under the direction of Clayton Wachholz, are currently seeking club status at the park. The purpose of this free concert is to showcase the Jazz Program at PCEP and at the same time, invite the community to utilize the ensembles as entertainment for local events, according to Lorraine Paffenroth of the Plymouth Canton Music Boosters.

"Ultimately, future concerts will bring in guest jazz artists," she said. "We are grateful to Jim Courtney and John Mazzai of the Penn Theatre Group for allowing us to rent the theater for this event."

For more information contact Clayton Wachholz at 416-2909 or Lorraine Paffenroth at 455-8213.

Farmer's market

Plymouth's Farmer's Market makes its return to The Gathering in downtown Plymouth Saturday, May 4.

The market, featuring a variety of fresh produce, dairy and cheese products, baked goods, flowers and plants, fresh herbs and dried flowers, is open Saturdays from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. through Oct. 19. The only time the market won't be open is during Fall Festival on Saturday, Sept. 7.

The Gathering is located across the street from Kellogg Park, next to the Penn Theatre, in downtown Plymouth.

For more information, call (734) 453-1540.

Police academy teaching students about life in township's department

BY BRAD KADRICH
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For nearly two dozen civilians, police academy training started Wednesday.

The first Citizen's Police Academy, sponsored by the Plymouth Township Police Department, met at township hall to begin a nine-week indoctrination into police life. The students, mostly residents of the township with a few business folks mixed in, heard about the department's history from Lt. Robert Smith, and got a glimpse into the long career of new Chief Tom Tiderington.

Reasons for taking part in the academy didn't vary much. Most of the students were either interested in becoming a police officer, or were concerned residents hoping to learn more about how the department works and how residents can benefit.

Roger Stewart has lived in the township for 27 years.

"I wanted to be a police officer right out of high school," Stewart

said. "The police department wouldn't take me, but the army did. I wanted to see what the police department is like from the inside."

Students will get a chance to do just that over the next several weeks. They'll get briefings on the judicial system from 35th District Court Judge Ron Lowe, on field officer training and patrol preparations from officers, Detective Sgt. Steve Rapson and Detective Kal Lauria will take them through the detective bureau and domestic violence investigations, and Sgt. Jeff Felts will talk about special operations.

Other highlights will include a chance to work the same weapons simulator officers use, and a demonstration of K-9 operations with the township's K-9 officer, Hogan, and his handler, Officer Steve Cheston.

Gerald and Rob Pivowar are making the academy a father-son affair.

"It just seemed like something interesting to do," said dad Gerald. "It's all about learning about the different services the township has to offer."

"It's always been fascinating to watch the police," said son Rob. "This was a chance to get an inside look at it."

This class concludes with graduation June 11, but the township plans on offering the academy again periodically. For information, call community service officer Jamie Senkbeil, 354-3243.

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The Board of Education of the Plymouth Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for **District-Wide New & Replacement Concrete**. Specifications and bid forms are available by contacting the PCCS Finance Department at (734) 416-2746. For technical information please contact Brian Goby in the Maintenance Department at (734) 416-2955. Sealed bids are due on or before 1:00 p.m. Wednesday May 15, 2002 and should be addressed to Dan Phillips RE to the PCCS E.J. McClendon Building, Attn: Dan Phillips RE, Concrete Bid 454 S. Harvey Plymouth, MI. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

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Early learning

Foundation hopes to help parents get their kids started on the basics

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A recent study commissioned by the Massachusetts Board of Education shows that only 40 percent of children entering kindergarten are prepared to do so.

For Bob Sornson of Brighton and Dick Braun of Plymouth, that's not nearly good enough.

The two men have founded the Early Learning Foundation, a Plymouth-based consulting firm designed to help parents become the best parents they can be and, in the process, get to children when learning is most important. The earliest years.

Sornson, executive director of special services for Northville Schools and co-director of the foundation, wants to give parents an outlet for information they may not even know is available.

"Our hope is to present really good information to parents to help them understand how to raise kids to have a healthy and happy life," said Sornson, who edited the book *Preventing Early Learning Failure*. "Not all parents seem to have the understanding that information is available to help them deal with behavioral, language and social skills problems that can be helped in the early learning years."

"There are plenty of kids developing a pattern of behavior opposite of where parents want them to be," Sornson added. "There's a wealth of knowledge out there."

Sornson said parents today succumb to the busy lifestyles led by most people, and don't always have the time to seek help. Parenting is not an ingrained skill, he said, and a lot of parents try to figure it out for themselves.

Consequently he said kids are spending 30 hours a week in

front of a television, more still in front of a video game or computer terminal. It's a pattern of behavior, he said, "we know isn't good for early learning."

"We want to bring the information out so every kid can get a good start," said Sornson, who holds a master's degree in special education of the emotionally impaired and is a doctoral candidate at Andrews University in Berrien Springs. "Parents can get information off the foundation's Web site (www.earlylearningfoundation.com), or they can get connections to the information they need."

Sornson thinks early learning at home can be a boon to local school districts, as well. Getting children involved in activities to improve language levels, motor skills and behavior skills early could possibly keep children out of special education programs.

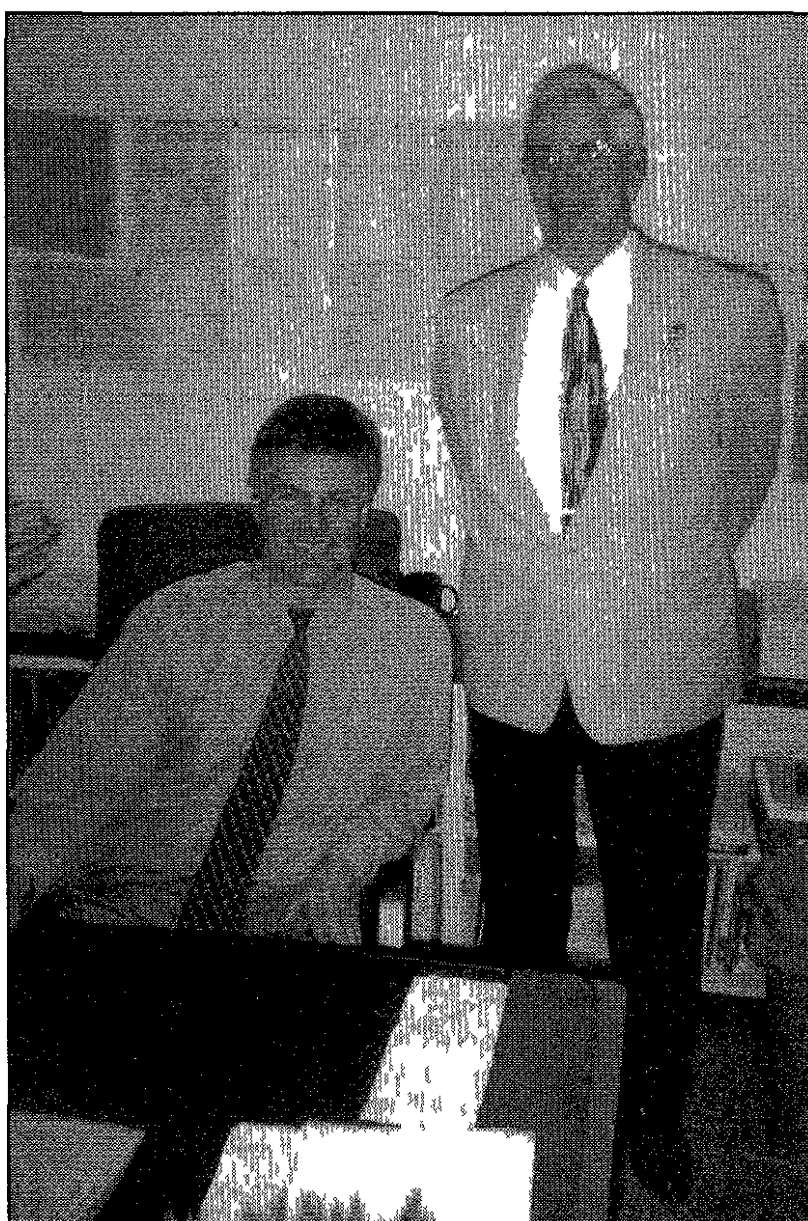
The foundation's studies show kids who are given early learning basics show up for school with less failures, better language, motor and behavior skills and a small likelihood they'll need special education.

In fact, a study Sornson will present in May shows all of that, and points out Northville has fewer than half the number of kids in special education programs.

"It costs about 120 percent more for a child in special education, on top of the normal cost of educating that same child," Sornson said. "Good early learning could save school districts millions of dollars."

Television hasn't helped the cause much. Although they're quality shows, Sornson said the idea that shows like *Sesame Street*, for instance, can teach good language skills is erroneous.

"All they do is listen to *Sesame Street*," Sornson said. "Good language is necessarily interactive



Learning opportunity: Bob Sornson, left, and Dick Braun have established the Early Learning Foundation in Plymouth.

It's never a passive project."

Technology has been great in a lot of ways, but it's also leading to sedentary lives that see children on the computer or playing video games a lot. This doesn't do much for developing the kinds of motor and social skills children will need, according to Sornson.

"We're seeing a lot of kids leading sedentary lives, and coming into school without the balance, without motor skills," he said. "Lots of parents don't know how to handle it."

Sornson gets a lot of opportunity to practice what he preaches, what with four children — 16, 12, 8 and 5 — at home. It's practical experience his partner finds invaluable.

"He brings a lot of that into our presentations," said Braun.

"When you show (parents) you're doing it yourself, it makes them think, 'We're in this together.'"

Giving parents the help to make it happen is what the foundation is about. To that end, the foundation sponsors its kick off seminar May 15 at St. John's Golf and Conference Center, with internationally known neurophysiologist and educator Carla Hannaford talking about early learning success.

The foundation hopes to springboard into more seminars, perhaps taking their act on the road to school districts.

"We've been talking about doing smaller groups in districts, where we would go to them," Braun said. "Our passion is on the parent education side. We want to get to parents and get them good information."

Seminar focuses on early start

BY BRAD KADRICH
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The newly established Early Learning Foundation of Plymouth hosts its break-out party May 15.

The foundation, founded by Bob Sornson of Brighton and Dick Braun of Plymouth, hosts a seminar, "Early Learning Success — Helping Your Child Achieve Academic Success and Emotional Well Being," from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Wednesday, May 15 at St. John's Golf and Conference Center.

The featured speaker is Carla Hannaford, a neurophysiologist and educator with more than 28 years of teaching experience, including 20 years as a professor of biology and four years as a counselor for elementary and intermediate school children with learning difficulties.

She is the author of several books, including *Smart Moves* and *Why Learning is Not All in Your Head*.

Her presentation focuses on helping children learn how movement, play, language development, security and emotional nurturing combine in the early years to help children become ready for the challenges of life.

Sornson will also be speaking, talking about helping children achieve academic success. Sornson is the author of several books and articles. His most recent book, *Preventing Early Learning Failure*, describes models for helping schools increase student success in the early grades.

Registration is \$150, which includes admission to both sessions, a copy of Sornson's book *Meeting the Challenge*, a continental breakfast and lunch. Call (734) 453-2379 to make reservations. Attendance is limited to the first 200 registrations.

For more on the program and on the foundation, visit the Web site at www.earlylearningfoundation.com.

OBITUARIES

RITA J. MACK

Services for Rita Mack, 66, of Plymouth were held April 12 at St. Kenneth Catholic Church with the Rev. Joseph Malha officiating. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Mrs. Mack was born Oct. 15, 1935 in Kingston, Pa., and died April 8 in Livonia. She was a homemaker. She came to the Plymouth community in 1966 from Detroit. She was a member of St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth. She was a loving mother, grandmother and sister.

Survivors include son, Jim (Dawn) Mack of Westland, son, Larry Mack of Northville, daughter, Joan (Mike) Quigley of Plymouth, daughter, Lori (Rick) Blandford of Canton, and son, Jeff (Maria) Mack of Westland, nine grandchildren, sister, Carol (Brian) Fox of Livonia, and sister, Barbara (Richard) Gdowski of Taylor Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association or the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements made by Schrader Howell Funeral Home.

FRANK J. MERCECA

Services for Frank Mercieca, 74, of Canton were held April 12 at St. John Neumann Catholic

Church with burial at Holy Sepulcher Cemetery in Southfield.

Mr. Mercieca was born Jan. 26, 1928 in Detroit and died April 8 in Canton. He was a research and development engineer for Ford Motor Company in Dearborn until retirement. He served in the U.S. Navy. He was a classic car enthusiast, loved golf and bowling and was a member of the Maltese Club of Dearborn.

Survivors include wife of 50 years, Jean Mercieca, sons, Robert, Michael, Frank, Mark, and Steven, daughters, Michelle and Christina, brothers, Robert and Joseph, sister, Rita, and 13 grandchildren.

Arrangements made by Harry J. Will Funeral Home.

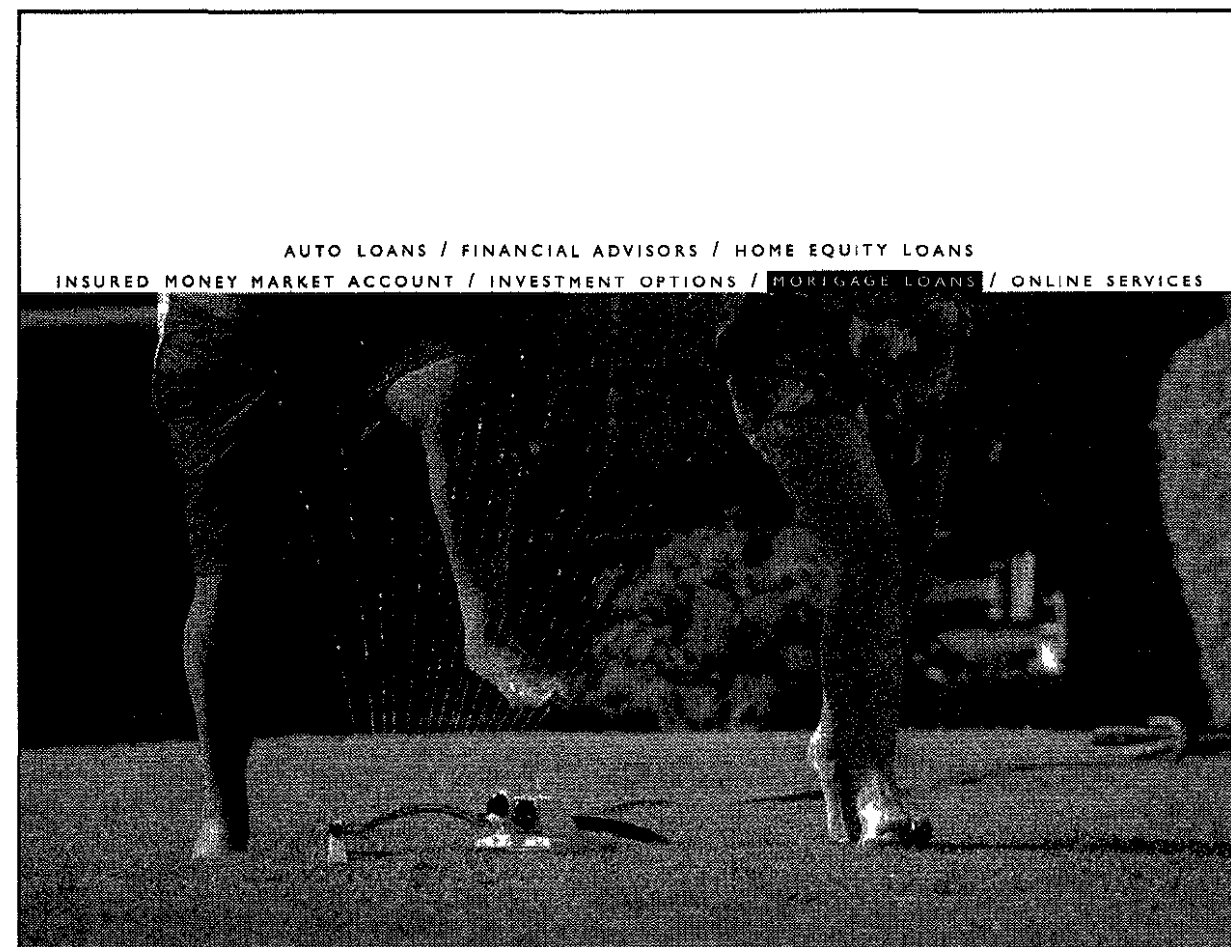
MARVIN ASA SNIDER, JR.

Martin Snider, 78, of Canton died April 11, 2002 in Superior Township.

Mr. Snider was born June 5, 1923 in Delphi, Ind. He worked as a vice president in the food industry.

Survivors include wife, Helen, son, Chip (Diana), three sisters, two brothers, two grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

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Fee	\$675 per team	\$1200 per team	\$750 per team
Registration Deadline	April 29 8 a.m.	April 18 8 p.m.	May 1 8 p.m.



Damming it: The Phoenix Dam had its share of problems back in 1920

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As a charter township, a seven-member Board of Trustees governs the area. The board consists of three top elected officials and four part-time trustees.

Township Supervisor Steve Mann appreciates where the township has been and where it is going.

"Look at how we've evolved and what we have to offer today," Mann said. "We have a great community that's great to live in and great to work in. We have good homes and good recreational opportunities. We have a wonderful school system, great cultural opportunities with a symphony, arts, and a historical society."

"There's a lot of history in Plymouth Township," he added. "Plymouth is a sought-after place to live. We don't have to beg for people to move to our community."

With 16.6 square miles, in 2000 Plymouth Township had a population of 27,798, an increase of 17.5 percent over 1990. The city of Plymouth occupies 2.27 square miles in the middle of the township, with more than 9,000 residents.

The geographic area that first comprised Plymouth included what is now Plymouth Township, the city of Plymouth and the communities of Northville and Canton.

In 1834, what was referred to as South Plymouth became Canton Township. In 1867, Plymouth village was incorporated. In 1898, Northville split away to become its own township.

In the early 1800s, what attracted many residents to the area was the Rouge River.

"It was a lot bigger at that time," Stewart said. "The river meant life — and industry. Without that river, we wouldn't be here."

One of the first settlers in Plymouth Township was Luther Lincoln, a distant cousin of Abe Lincoln. The Rouge River provided power for his mill, one of the first established businesses.

In 1871, railroads came to Plymouth.

"It was a major thing," Stewart said. "That's when this area changed from a milling area to a place that could have business-

es."

By the 1880s, Plymouth had attracted air rifle (BB gun) businesses.

"We were the air rifle capital of the world," Stewart said with a laugh. "Daisy Air Rifles were manufactured right here. We had seven air rifle companies in Plymouth. Some were offshoots of others. That was our big claim to fame."

By the early 20th century, big industry moved to Plymouth Township. Some of the first large companies included Burroughs, the adding machine company that later became Evansys, bicycle manufacturer Evans Products and Witman Barnes, an office equipment maker.

In the 1970s, Ford Motor Co. opened its Sheldon Road plant, which now houses Visteon.

Today, Plymouth Township thrives with industry and a wide variety of specialty businesses, restaurants and hotels.

"Plymouth Township is ideally located for so many things," Stewart said. "We're on the farthest northwest end of Wayne County and I think being part of one of the largest counties in the U.S. has probably helped us. It gives us the opportunity to be part of a huge, growing area and yet."

Plymouth is unique because it's been able to maintain its small-town flavor. All of that was due to a lot of foresight and planning on the part of a lot of people. The township attracted a lot of growth and industry but that didn't overshadow the historic nature of the community. People in Plymouth Township get the best of both worlds."

Wayne County Commissioner Lyn Bankes attributes much of Plymouth Township's success to solid government.

"They have kept taxes low, they have good schools and a good quality of life," Bankes said. "Where else can you go for this?"

Bankes treasures the local history in the area, especially the heritage of the automobile.

She hosts bus tours through Hines Park throughout the spring and fall. If you're interested in joining one of the tours, call her office at (313) 224-0946.

Township sets birthday party for July 4

Plymouth Township will celebrate its 175th birthday during the July 4th Good Old Fashioned Picnic from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Plymouth Township Park. The list of activities has not been finalized yet, but there will be nickel hot dogs, pop and ice cream.

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the main question "CSX is in a pretty powerful position," Mann pointed out "They have federal protection and we need their approval before the project can begin. At this point they seem reluctant."

CSX officials have not responded to inquiries by the Observer. However, John Roach, Wayne County Road Commission spokesman, said "CSX misplaced plans we sent them, so we set them another set and they promised a one-week turnaround."

CSX needs to agree with the construction plans, which include moving the tracks, or come up with suggestions that will work for the railroad so the project can move forward.

"We have enough time built into our schedule, but it hinges on approval of the plans," added

Roach "They seem comfortable in principle. But, it's our most significant hitch."

Sincock is also concerned about the relocation of water main lines during construction to make certain all parts of Plymouth will have access to water during the project.

"Our biggest concern is the northwest corner of the city," said Sincock. "The height is a significant difference and will affect water pressure at the upper elevations."

There are also utility company concerns that need to be addressed at the site.

The underpass project is 80 percent funded by the federal government, 10 percent by Wayne County, with the remaining 10 percent divided among Plymouth, Plymouth Township and CSX.

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from \$200,000-\$240,000 apiece. Egan has requested a special meeting of the Plymouth planning commission in hopes of getting approval to begin the \$13 million project.

"As soon as we can get site plan approval and permits from the city, we'll get started with demolition," Egan said. "We hope to complete the building by the end of the year."

Brandel said that despite taking so long, he's genuinely excited about opening a restaurant in downtown Plymouth.

"I believe when it gets going, the Plymouth restaurant will be my number one location," Brandel said. "It's a great market. The other new restaurants in downtown Plymouth seem to be doing great. People will drive to

Plymouth for something they're really looking for."

Brandel currently owns Tom's Oyster Bar restaurants in Grosse Pointe, Royal Oak, Southfield and Detroit. He also owns Howe's Bayou, a Cajun grill, in Ferndale.

As for the Plymouth restaurant, Brandel said look for many of the same trademarks that are institutions at the others, including wooden floors, wooden panel walls, tin ceiling, blue-checked table cloths and a chalkboard menu board.

"The Plymouth location will have the same concept as the others, but they are not cookie cutter restaurants," added Brandel. "Each has its own personality."

Columbine tribute

Message is loving memorial to daughter

BY DOUG JOHNSON
STAFF WRITER

Darrell Scott believes the Columbine massacre three years ago was a spiritual event, and that much good can eventually come from the tragedy.

Scott, whose daughter Rachel was killed at Columbine, spoke Thursday night at St. John's Conference Center in Plymouth Township.

"I would give everything I own - everything - to have her back for five minutes," Scott said.

Scott, who by his own estimates has spoken to two million people about Rachel, gave up a vice presidency in corporate America to crusade against violence and a "lack of spirituality" in schools.

His presentation includes news video tapes from the event April 20, 1999, and footage of Rachel's funeral carried on CNN, and personal remembrances from friends.

He does not directly reveal how he is able to relive her death for every speaking engagement, he has command of his emotions and is clearly deeply involved in her past. The audience was very quiet as he explained how Rachel was killed outside on the lawn by four bullets from Eric

Klebold's and Dylan Harris' weapons, how inside his son Craig was injured and watched two friends die.

A while after her death he got her backpack from the sheriff's office and found two diaries in it, part of a collection of writings that are the basis of a book, *Rachel's Tears*. Another book, *Chain Reaction*, has also been published by Scott.

He does not rail against the murderers, who killed 12 students, a teacher and then themselves. Nor does he blame TV, or the National Rifle Association or lax gun laws.

He even said before Congress a few weeks after the event "We don't need more restrictive laws. Eric and Dylan would not have been stopped by more gun laws or metal detectors."

Thursday Scott said his daughter "looked for the best in everyone." Her middle name (Joy) "reflected what she was about."

"My job is to get out of the way

and let my daughter's message get through."

Scott said her essay for class on ethics, her reading of the *Diary of Anne Frank*, her journals and her drawings all reflect on her nature, her longings and her faith.

Scott said he is often asked his religion and he says "Christian." "Rachel experienced a lot of different religions and beliefs" as part of the Scott family.

Scott explains that in a video made before the fateful day Eric Klebold "says into the camera 'we need to get a chain reaction going (of violence)'. Our challenge is to create a chain reaction - a foundation for a non-violence program," Scott said.

"Here are two children from the same city about the same age both asking for a chain reaction."

"I'm sure that some of you (in the audience) have lost children or know someone who has. It is the deepest pain of your life. Those of us in the Columbine family had a whole nation griev-

ing with us and for that we thank you," Scott said. "Remember, you're children are part of her generation."

Scott said Rachel may have foreseen her own death. One of her poems has the phrase "This will be my last year, Lord," according to Scott. Scott also shows a few of her drawings in his presentation, one of them showing tears (13 of them) streaming from a girl's eyes.

Scott has made it his mission to tell Rachel's story. Besides the books and the personal appearances he is involved in Rachel's Challenge, a non-violence school assembly and training sessions program.

"Forgive those who have wronged you," Scott concluded.

The writer, Doug Johnson, is a native of Colorado and went to elementary, junior high and high school in Littleton. For extensive background on Columbine check the Web sites of The Denver Post, The Rocky Mountain News or CNN.

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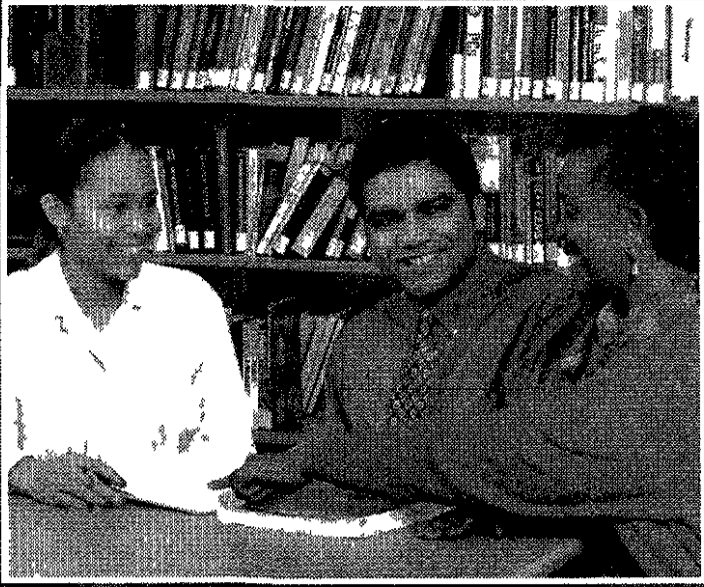
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HEARING TEST
 ■ Hug Center for Hearing in downtown Plymouth is offering free hearing screening in recognition of "Better Hearing Month" in May. Gerald Hug, a certified audiologist will also provide information and counseling regarding hearing loss, hearing aids, and assistive listening devices. Call (734) 451-0800 to schedule an appointment.

JEWELS & JUNQUE
 ■ Ladies Literary Club will host its annual Jewels & Junque fund-raiser to support a scholarship awarded to one John Glenn and one Wayne Memorial High School female student every May. The group sale runs 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Saturday, April 20 at the First Congregational Church in Wayne. A representative from Knightsbridge Antiques of Northville will be appraising items from 1-4 p.m.

PLANT SWAP
 ■ Come and join area gardeners in a friendly morning of swapping plants from some of Northville's most historic gardens. The event is 8 a.m. - noon Saturday, May 4 at Mill Race Village in Northville. Call (248) 348-1845 for further information.

TAI CHI CLASSES
 ■ Taoist Tai Chi Society is forming beginner classes starting at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 7 at 38121 Ann Arbor Rd, Livonia. Afternoon classes at 1 p.m. for seniors. Observers welcome. For more information, call (248) 332-1281 anytime.

P/C SENIOR PARTY
 ■ The Plymouth Canton 2002 Senior Party is just around the corner and we could use your help. The decorating committee needs volunteers to help with building props and work on decorations. Contact Sally Owens (734) 455 2868 or Chuck Lowe at (734) 453 3737.

NWSMOM
 ■ The Northwest Suburban

Mothers of Multiples will hold their annual Spring/Summer Clothing sale from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. Saturday, April 20 at Our Lady of Loretto Catholic Church in Redford. Over 30 tables of children's items and a bake sale. Admission is \$1 for adults.

ARTHRITIS COURSE
 ■ The Arthritis Foundation are offering an Arthritis Self Help Course to give people the knowledge and skills they need to take a more active part in their arthritis care. It will be offered April 16, 23, and 29 from 1-3 p.m. at Summit on the Park in Canton. Cost is \$20 and \$5 for a companion. Please call (734) 394-5485 to register.

PAINTING WORKSHOP
 ■ The Plymouth Community Arts Council offers a watercolor painting workshop with Donna Vogelheim April 12-14 from 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. (bring a lunch). The cost is \$250/members, \$275/non-members. Call the Arts Council at (734) 416-4278 to register or for more information.

SUMMER CAMP
 ■ Oak Trails School is now registering campers for summer fun. Camps are offered for children ages 3-12 and runs June 24-Aug 16. A variety of classes are offered including art, drama, filmmaking, music, Spanish, cooking and paleontology. Call (734) 662-8016 for information and a brochure.

SPRING CONCERT
 ■ The Plymouth Community Chorus presents its annual Spring concert at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 27 and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 28 at the new Northville High School at 45700 Six Mile in Northville. Tickets are \$10. Call (734) 455-4080 for further information.

BICYCLE RIDES
 ■ Bike tours throughout the Plymouth community, sponsored by the Plymouth Newcomers & AABTS, will start at 6 p.m. every Monday in April at the Comerica Bank back parking lot on Ann Arbor Road and Sheldon. Come join us for a fairly slow, low mileage bike ride thru our neighborhoods and to the focal points of our community, while minimizing sharing the road with fast moving motorists. For more information, call Alan Van Kerckhove at (734) 455 9144.

USED BOOK SALE
 ■ The League of Women Voters

is sponsoring a used book sale at Wonderland Mall beginning at 6 p.m. Thursday April 11 through 5 p.m. Sunday, April 14. For more information, call (734) 455-4726.

WOMEN GOLFERS
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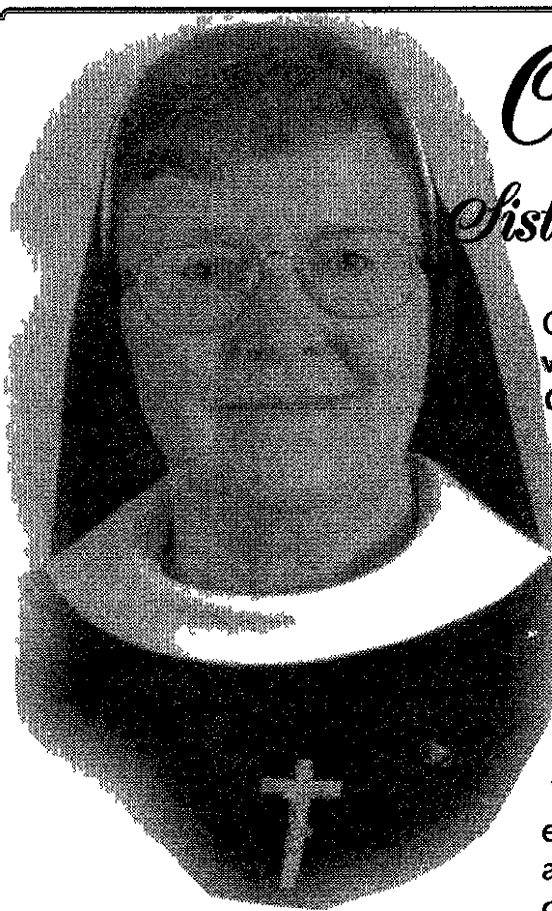
GARDENING CLASSES
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CO-ED T-BALL
 ■ The city of Plymouth is accepting registrations for the June 22 - Aug 10 season, with no games played on July 6. Practice is once a week, after work hours, and set by the coach. All games are on Saturday. Registration is April 1-19 at the Recreation Office during office hours. A birth certificate is required for registration. The cost is \$45 for City of Plymouth residents and \$65 for non-residents. Call (734) 455-6620 for more information.

ALUMNI LUNCHEON
 ■ Ladywood High School invites all graduates to attend an alumni luncheon at 11:30 a.m., Saturday, April 27 in Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia. All classes are invited. Ladywood High School is an all-girls preparatory school in Livonia administered by the Felician Sisters. Tickets are \$20. For reservations, call the school at (734) 591-1544.

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.

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.



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On Saturday, April 20, Madonna University will inaugurate Sister Rose Marie Kujawa, CSSF, Ph.D., as the university's sixth president.

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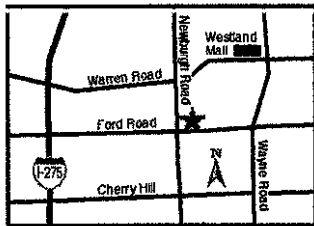
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Health Department encourages child immunizations

During National Infant Immunization Week, April 14-20, Wayne County Public Health officials are urging parents to get their children fully immunized against vaccine-preventable diseases.

Many parents know how crucial this process can be.

"It's important for young mothers to make sure that their children's immunization records are up-to-date," says 25-year-old Nikea Bonner, a Wayne County resident who brings her two children to the County's Wayne Health Center for shots. "I want my children to be healthy. There's too much going around."

Wayne County Public Health officials have indicated that some

health care providers are unable to get certain vaccines due to nationwide shortages or delays in the distribution of some of the recommended childhood vaccines. However, the County's health centers have supplies of these vaccines and will be administering them according to state and federal guidelines.

"Despite these nationwide vaccine shortages, we are still encouraging parents and caregivers to bring their children to one of our health centers to get immunized," says Donald Lawrenchuk, Wayne County Medical Director. "Protecting children and communities from vaccine-preventable diseases is a major public health concern."

Parents see the difference between private and public costs. "My private physician charges \$55 for vaccinations, and the County offers them for free," says Bonner. "And it's convenient for me to come here because you don't have to wait a month or two to be seen by a County health care worker."

The Wayne County Department of Public Health offers free shots at several locations to parents who do not have insurance coverage. A parent or legal guardian should accompany children seeking vaccinations and are asked to bring their youngster's immunization records to the clinic.

Dr. Lawrenchuk says the following vaccines are needed by age

two and can be given in five visits or less by a doctor or at a clinic:

- Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis (whooping cough)
- Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)
- Polio
- Hib meningitis
- Hepatitis B
- Varicella (chicken pox)

You can visit the following Wayne County Department of Public Health clinics for free shots. Call any health center for an appointment. Immunizations are given without an appointment on days designated for walk-ins.

Dearborn Health Center, 9708 Dix Road, Dearborn, (313) 842-

0700, By appointment only. Last Friday in the month.

Hamtramck Health Center, 3120 Carpenter, Suite 207, Hamtramck, (313) 368-9400. Walk in Wednesday, 11:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. By Appointment 8:11 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m.

Sumpter Health Center, 19130 Sumpter Road, Belleville, (734) 697-9455. Walk-in and Appointment on Mondays, 12:30-3:30 p.m. By Appointment only Tuesday and Thursday, 8-11 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m. Wednesday 3:30-6:30 p.m.

Taylor Health Center, 26650

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Wayne Health Center, 33030 Van Born Road, Wayne, (734) 727-7100. Walk in Monday and Thursday, 8:10-10 a.m. and 12:30-3:30 p.m. By appointment Tuesday, 12:30-3:30 p.m., Wednesday, 11:30 a.m. and 3:30-6:30 p.m. and Friday, 8:10-10 a.m.

Call the Wayne County Department of Public Health at (734) 727-7100 for more information.

Lawmakers wrangle over tax credits

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Parents in school districts from Rochester to Novi have set up "foundations," charities for raising a little extra money to support educational programming in those districts.

And state lawmakers would like to give them a tax credit in return for the donations.

Only one little problem — if the foundation supports a private or religious school, that tax credit could be unconstitutional.

That's the problem holding up progress on House Bill 4072, sponsored by Rep. Michael Bishop (R-Rochester), which will give a tax credit up to \$100, \$200 for those filing jointly, on state income taxes for those who donate to "educational foundations."

Bishop initially introduced the bill to extend the tax credits now available for those who donate to libraries, museums, colleges or

public television stations to include those who donate to local school district foundations.

"It's such a positive thing," Bishop said. "It is such a positive way for people to get involved in their local school district. Since the passage of Proposal A, a lot of people are looking for ways they can give additional support to their local districts. If I could have a legacy from my time in office, I would like it to be this, that I did this for public schools."

If it would be positive for public schools, private schools think it would be positive for them too. The Michigan Catholic Conference and the Michigan Association of Non-Public Schools bid to be included. An amendment tacked on in House Tax Policy Committee would add private schools to the list of those eligible.

But got the bill in trouble with the House Republican leadership, who believe it will likely be declared unconstitutional. Article

VIII of the Michigan Constitution prohibits such tax credits for private or religious schools.

Even though the bill had been approved by committee, House leadership recently sent it back to committee for a second look.

Rep. Jack Minore (D-Flint) explained the constitutional provision was apparently intended to prevent a tax credit from being used as a form of voucher system, to reimburse for tuition at private schools. And he anticipates that if credits were extended to non-public schools, the law would quickly be challenged by the Michigan Federation of Teachers, the Michigan Education Association, or the American Civil Liberties Union.

Minore favors credits for donations to public schools, but opposes extending the credit to private schools. Nonetheless, he is looking for a compromise, proposing a "severability" clause that would allow the law to remain in effect even if a portion of it is declared

unconstitutional.

Tax Policy chair Rep. Nancy Cassis (R-Novi) said she expects her committee will review the bill again when lawmakers return to session after spring break. She said Minore's compromise might be the way to get the bill back on to the House floor for a vote.

Bishop is not happy with that as a compromise, saying he doesn't like passing legislation that is likely to be found unconstitutional.

The goal of giving parents another way to support their local district "is desirable," Minore contended, "but it does kind of favor the richer districts." Poorer and urban districts are less likely to be able to run foundations that make a significant contribution to district finances, he said.

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FOCUS ON WINE

RAY & ELEANOR HEALD

Fisher Vineyards in renaissance

It's fun to reacquaint with pioneers in the California wine industry. Fred and Juelle Fisher probably don't think of themselves that way. Fred founded Fisher Vineyards in 1973 and after marrying Juelle in 1975, this couple joined in pioneer grape growing in the Mayacamas Mountains of Sonoma County. A tasting and discussion with them recently, however, revealed a winery in renaissance.

If you've been a wine lover living in Michigan for a number of years, you most certainly know the wines of Fisher Vineyards. Fred was born and grew up in Michigan. The winery's flagship Coach Insignia Chardonnay and Cabernet Sauvignon honor his family's heritage of craftsmanship, expressed through Fisher Body Co. for the autos of General Motors. His wines have often been touted as having a "body by Fisher."

With new wineries bursting on the scene monthly and grabbing wine media attention, the pioneers of the 1970s often take a back seat. That's sort of how it has been for the Fishers. Yet, they've made steady, top quality wines with aging potential and were early leaders in the latest trend of vineyard-designating wines.

Great vineyard challenges

Wedding Vineyard, where Fred and Juelle were married, is a rugged site that produces concentrated fruit at only one ton per acre. The cabernet showcases black fruit aromas and flavors and frequently chocolate and coffee nuances in the finish. The 1999 Wedding Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon \$130 has exceptional integration of fruit and oak.

In 1979, Juelle's parents Robert and Marcia Lamb purchased this vineyard, adjacent to the well-known Eisele Vineyard, now owned by Araujo. The first single-vineyard designated bottling was the 1991. Look for the highly-anticipated release of the 1999 Lamb Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon \$130 in August 2002.

Planted in 1988, RCF Vineyard, named after Fred and Juelle's son Robert Charles Fisher, has produced magnificent merlot in a rich, cabernet-like style that is one of the blockbuster merlots of California. The 1999 \$52 is a dynamic wine not to be missed.

First-born, daughter Whitney, has her vineyard too. It's on the south-facing slope of the Fisher's mountain estate where low yields of not more than two tons per acre, produce the Whitney's Vineyard Chardonnay. The 2000 Chablis-like wine with loads of California fruit power is \$48.

Renaissance in motion

The Fishers desire to perch their wines at the pinnacle of California winemaking took a giant leap forward in 2000 when they hired Mia Klein as consulting winemaker. Klein's reputation in the rigorous pursuit of excellence is well-exemplified in Dalla Valle.

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Wine Picks

Sauvignon blanc, sometimes called fume blanc, although it's the same grape variety, is the perfect spring wine. Crisp and dry, it's sometimes marked by a degree of oak sophistication as it is with our **PICK OF THE PACK** 2000 Chateau St. Jean Fume Blanc \$20. **EXCELLENT:** 2000 St. Supery White Meritage \$22 is sauvignon blanc blended with semillon, which brightens the fruit and broadens the palate impression.

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BY LANA MINI
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When times are tough people often turn to food for comfort. Peter Loren knows this, it's his job. It's also his job to know what type of meals people crave during periods of emotional or economic difficulty. The kind of food sought for comfort depends on the area of town. Currently, America is in a period where comfort food is wanted, and perhaps, even needed.

Loren is corporate chef and director of development for Epoch Events Premiere Off-Site Catering in Novi. It's the parent company to Too Chez restaurant in Novi, Forté in Birmingham and Tribute in Farmington Hills. One of Loren's prime responsibilities is to make certain the restaurants offer meals its clientele craves.

What's In:

- Peanut butter sandwiches
- Roast chicken
- Real potatoes with real butter
- Heirloom tomatoes
- Stews and roasts
- Meatloaf
- Real gravy

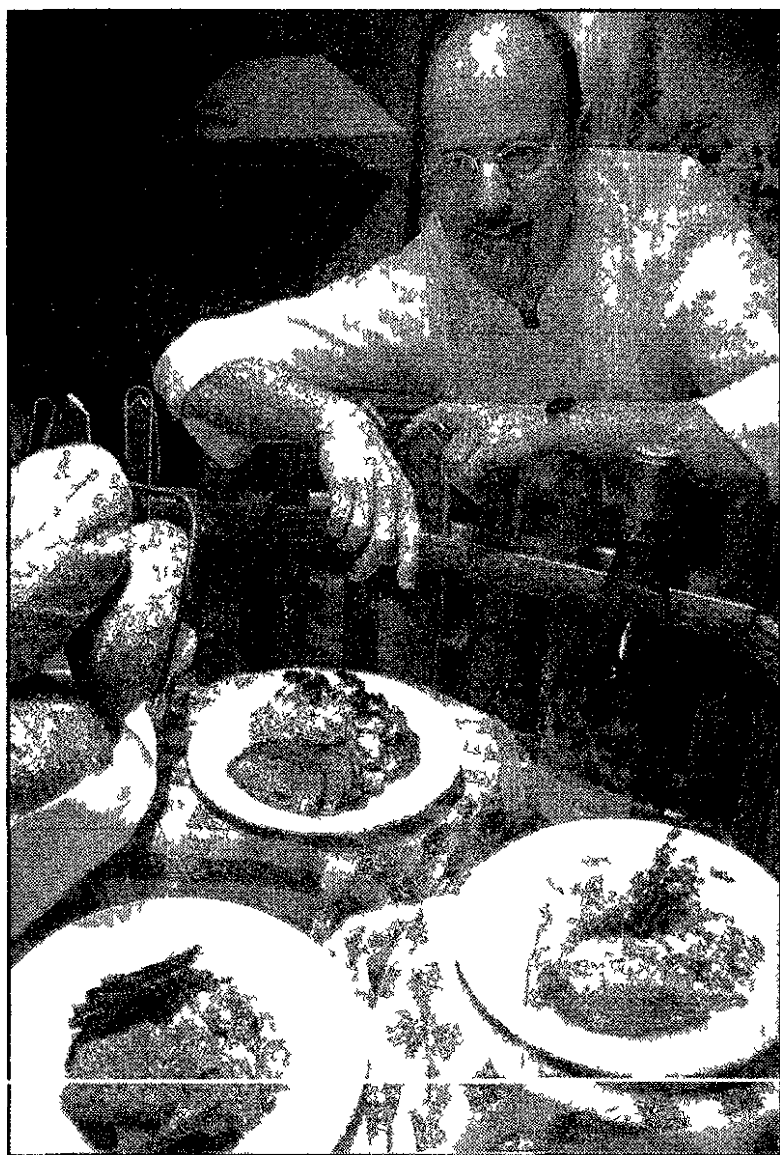
Today's desires are simple foods. Comfort foods.

For upscale areas like Birmingham or West Bloomfield the comfort foods sought at Forté may be lobster and butter - minus the fancy sauces and herbs. For middle and upper-middle-class clientele like those who frequent Tribute in Farmington or Too Chez in Novi they are seeking sandwiches with good breads and red meat.

"Everyone is making more conservative buys in the market and at the supermarket," Loren said. "Just on a different scale. And we want food that isn't so fussy. We want basic hearty meals that make us feel good."

Even before the 9/11 tragedy the trend at Too Chez was becoming more mainstream. The designer foods were being partially replaced by barbecued

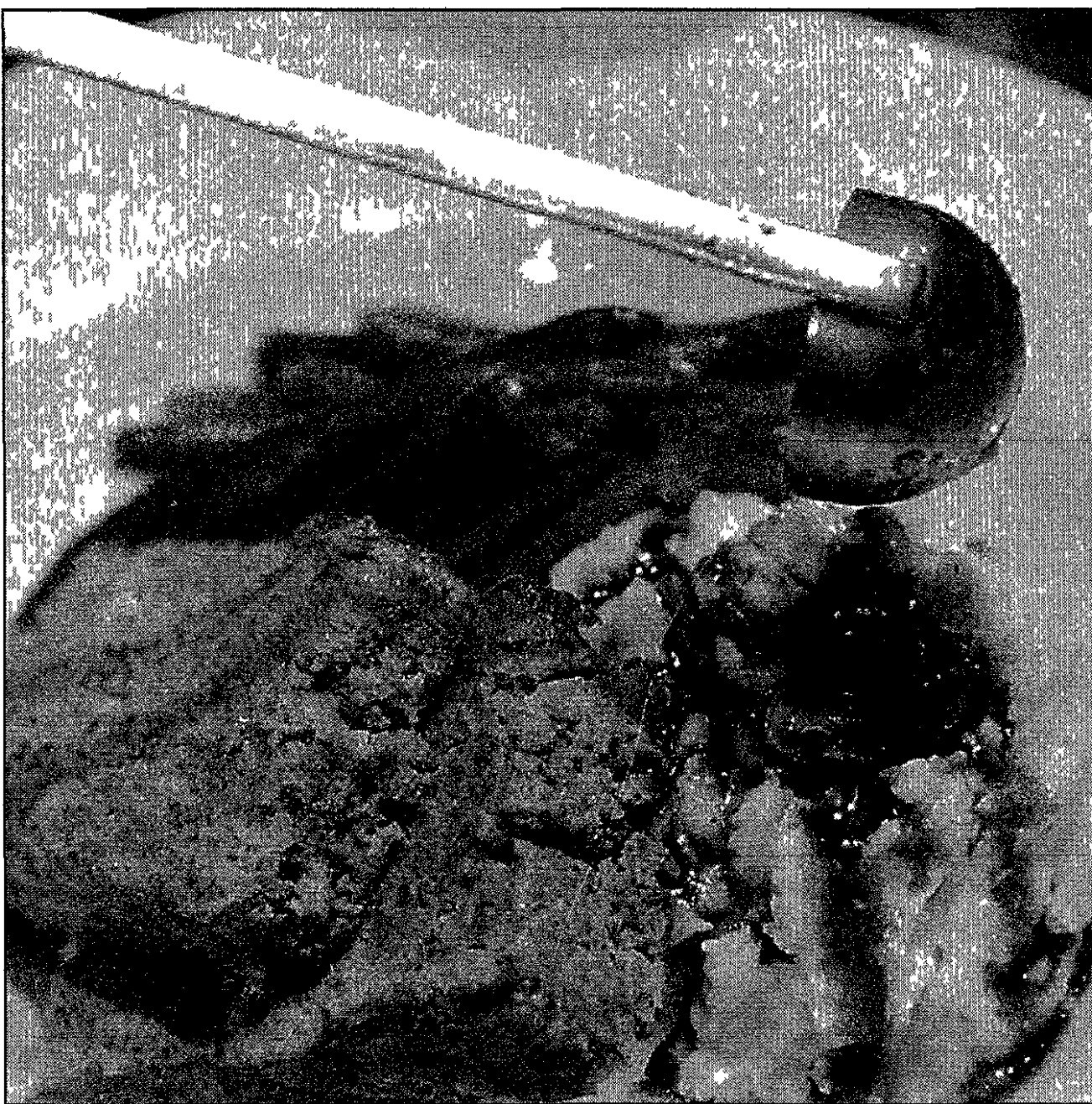
Just like home: Peter Loren, corporate chef for Epoch Events Premiere Off-Site Catering, stands with some traditional dishes such as Southern Meatloaf, Barbeque Braised Brisket and Country Fried Chicken.



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A simpler time

Hard times bring people back to familiar foods



Ladle it on: Beef gravy is poured over garlic mashed potatoes and southern meatloaf.

food, Loren said.

At Forté, since 9/11, the Apple Martini is in demand.

All income levels are cutting costs, just in different ways. In some areas meatloaf is replacing steak while in others \$45 bottles of wine are replacing those costing \$80, he said.

The economy is affecting what we're

eating, Loren said.

"Maybe people are ordering the apple martini because subliminally they're thinking of their love for New York. It's an emotional time," Loren said.

Right now, he said, people want simple food that's simple to prepare. Peanut butter sandwiches are com-

forting. So are whole roasted chickens with real potatoes and real butter, he said.

Heirloom tomatoes, actual "siblings" of original tomatoes grown in America hundreds of years ago, are in big demand. Stews and roasts are

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COMFORT CUISINE

Comfort recipes by Chef Peter Loren of the Epoch Events Restaurant and Catering Group

SOUTHERN MEATLOAF
SERVES 4 TO 6

- 1 1/2 pounds ground beef lean
- 2 cups Italian style bread crumbs
- 1 cup tomato ketchup
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/4 cup chopped green pepper
- 2 eggs beaten
- 1 beef bouillon cube
- 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper

- 1 Crush bouillon cube and beat with eggs
- 2 In a large mixing bowl, mix all ingredients together with a pastry cutter or spatula. Be careful not to over mix, which will make the meatloaf tougher.
- 3 Grease or spray a medium sized loaf pan with non-stick vegetable oil coating. Turn mixture into pan and mold into a loaf shape. Alternately, you may save butter stick wrappers and line the pan with them instead. The resulting meat loaf will have a slightly sweeter butter flavor.
- 4 Place in a pre heated 350 degree oven and bake approximately 1 hour or until an internal meat thermometer registers 155 to 160 degrees.
- 5 Cool 15 minutes, turn meat loaf out of mold and slice.

GARLIC MASHED POTATO WITH CHIVES
SERVES 4 TO 6

- 6 medium large potatoes peeled and cut
- Cold water to cover
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 1 2 tablespoons fresh minced garlic
- 1/2 3/4 cup milk or half & half hot
- 1 stick butter
- Salt to taste
- Black pepper, ground to taste
- 1 tablespoon chives minced

1 Place potatoes in a large saucepot and cover with water. Add 1 tablespoon of salt and bring to a boil. Reduce to a simmer and cook until tender.

2 While potatoes are cooking, place butter in a small saucepan or fry pan and heat on medium heat until melted. Add minced garlic and return to medium heat, stirring until the garlic is light brown.

3 Drain water from cooked potatoes. Mash dry potatoes until well broken and somewhat smooth. Add butter and garlic and one half of milk and beat until smooth. Add more milk as necessary to create a light and fluffy potato mixture.

4 Season with salt and black pepper as necessary.

5 Stir in chives or sprinkle over finished potatoes as served.

(More recipes on Page B2)

'Buyer beware' with nutrition supplements

BY PEGGY MARTINELLI-EVERTS, R.D.
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You or someone you know is probably taking them. They may be used to calm you down or chase away the blues. Some people use them to increase their concentration or improve athletic performance. Some people spend hundreds of dollars a month and swear by them. They are nutrition supplements. They include vitamins, minerals, herbs and other botanicals, amino acids, and other extracts or tinctures.

The supplement business is a multibillion dollar a year industry. The Food and Drug Administration regulates dietary supplements under the Dietary Supplement

It is important to be informed about products before purchasing them because it is often difficult to know what information is reliable and what is questionable.

Health and Education Act of 1994. Under this act, the manufacturer is responsible for ensuring that a nutrition supplement is safe before it is marketed. The FDA is responsible for taking action against any unsafe nutrition supplement after it reaches the market. Generally, manufacturers do not need to register with the FDA or get FDA approval before

producing or selling any nutrition supplements. Manufacturers do not even have to prove that the product works, only that the product label information is truthful and not misleading.

"I make sure to steer clear of supplements that accuse the medical profession or government of suppressing information about their particular product," said

Brian Schmitt of Rochester. "It is illogical to assume that large numbers of people and companies are conspiring to withhold information on beneficial treatments."

Product quality

Nutrition supplements are regulated as foods by the Food and Drug Administration. The United States Pharmacopeia sets standards for drug products, vitamin and mineral supplements, botanicals and herbal preparations, and nutrition supplements. These standards address quality issues such as standards

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Chef's comfort recipes include green beans and fried chicken

Comfort recipes by Chef Peter Loren of the Epoch Events Restaurant and Catering Group

GREEN BEANS WITH MUSHROOMS & ONIONS

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 1 1 1/2 pounds green beans fresh trimmed
- Water boiling to cover
- 1 tablespoon salt
- 1/2 stick butter
- 1 onion peeled and cut in half and sliced
- 2 cups mushrooms fresh sliced
- Salt to taste
- Black pepper ground to taste
- 2 tablespoons Parmesan cheese grated

1 Blanch green beans in boiling salted water 2 minutes. Extract beans and immediately chill in ice water to stop cooking and preserve the color and flavor of the beans. Reserve.

2 In a large frying or saute pan, heat butter and then sauté onions until a transparent and slightly caramelized brown. Add the sliced mushrooms and continue to sauté on medium heat until the mushrooms have softened and browned slightly. Add the beans and sauté together until all ingredients are heated through.

3 Season with salt and pepper and serve with a dusting of grated Parmesan cheese.

CLASSIC COUNTRY FRIED CHICKEN WITH CORN O'BRIEN

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 2 fresh chickens cut in pieces skin on
- 1 1/2 cups buttermilk
- 2 chicken bouillon cubes
- 2 cups all purpose flour
- 1 tablespoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon dry crushed

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requested too. Loren knows that what makes us comfortable is food that we're familiar with - food that grandma made. Still, customers want basic, but high quality foods. "They want real butter, not the

- oregano
- 1 teaspoon dry crushed thyme
- 1 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground black pepper
- Vegetable oil to fry

1 In a large bowl, dissolve bouillon cubes and buttermilk together.

2 Soak chicken in this mixture.

3 Combine flour, paprika, oregano, thyme, garlic powder, salt and pepper in a large bowl.

4 Remove chicken pieces one at a time and roll in flour mixture liberally. Repeat to get an additional crust if desired.

5 Heat oil to 350 to 375 degrees in a skillet or deep saucepot. Place breaded chicken in hot oil making sure not to crowd. Cook until brown. To be sure chicken is thoroughly cooked, it may be additionally heated in a 325-degree oven until done.

BARBECUE BRAISED BEEF BRISKET WITH POTATO & BACON GRATIN AND DIJON BASTED BRUSSELS SPROUTS

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 4 pounds beef brisket
- 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
- 2 large onions cut in julienne strips
- 2 cloves garlic chopped
- 1/4 teaspoon dry crushed thyme
- 1 tablespoon parsley fresh chopped
- 1 cup beer
- 2 cups beef broth (canned)
- 2 cups BBQ sauce
- Salt to taste
- ground black pepper to taste

1 Heat oil in skillet until very hot.

2 Place beef brisket in skillet and brown well on all sides. Remove brisket from skillet and season with salt and pepper and place in a deep

casserole dish with a well fitting lid.

3 Add onions to skillet and cook 3 to 4 minutes. Add garlic and seasonings. Cook 2 to 3 more minutes.

4 Add beer and beef broth and cook 2 to 3 minutes.

5 Pour enough beer mixture over brisket to cover one half. Baste half of the barbecue sauce over the top exposed brisket and cover with a lid and bake in a 350 degree oven 2 to 2 1/2 hours or until very tender. Add more beer mixture if necessary.

6 When meat is tender, remove from casserole and baste with remainder of the barbecue sauce. Rest meat 5 minutes. Serve.

CORN O'BRIEN

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 12 ounces frozen cut corn
- 1/3 cup green pepper diced 1/4 inch
- 1/3 cup red pepper diced 1/4 inch
- 1/3 cup onion diced 1/4 inch
- 4 strips bacon sliced and cut in 1/2 inch pieces
- 1 tablespoon cider vinegar
- 1 tablespoon fresh chopped parsley
- Salt and pepper to taste

1 In a large skillet or fry pan sauté bacon until nearly crisp, retain fat.

2 Add onion to bacon and saute 2 to 3 minutes.

3 Add peppers and continue to sauté until peppers are tender.

4 Add cider vinegar, parsley and season with salt and pepper.

5 Optionally a pinch a sugar can be added for sweetness.

POTATO & BACON GRATIN

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 5 6 medium potatoes sliced
- 2 cups chicken broth (canned)
- 1 large onion sliced thin
- 6 bacon slices

- 3 tablespoons all purpose flour
- 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese sharp
- pinch white pepper

1 In a saucepan, heat broth to a boil. Add potatoes and onions. Simmer covered 5 minutes. Drain and reserve 1 - 1/2 cups of the broth.

2 Cook bacon in skillet over medium heat until crisp. Remove bacon and crumble.

3 Blend flour with bacon fat and cook over medium heat one minute.

4 Add reserved broth to flour. Bacon fat mixture and stir in briskly. Cook 1 to 2 minutes or until bubbling and thickened. Add cheese and pepper to this mixture and stir in.

5 Grease a one quart casserole dish and layer onions into dish. Pour sauce over potato onion mixture and bake in a 375 degree oven approximately 30 to 45 minutes or until potatoes are tender. Remove from the oven and crumble bacon over top. Serve.

DIJON BASTED BRUSSELS SPROUTS

SERVES 4 TO 6

- 3/4 cup chicken broth canned
- 1 pound Brussels sprouts
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 tablespoon Dijon mustard
- pinch ground black pepper
- salt to taste

1 Heat chicken broth in a medium sized saucepan. Trim Brussels sprouts and make an 'X' incision on bottom of each Brussels sprout to ensure more even cooking.

2 Add Brussels sprouts to chicken broth and simmer uncovered until sprouts are tender.

3 Drain and reserve Brussels sprouts.

4 Toss Brussels sprouts in butter, Dijon mustard, salt and pepper.

5 Serve.

Spring forward with warm salad

BY J.M. HIRSCH
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After months of heavy, warming foods such as casseroles and stews, the advent of spring means we can lighten the load and work greener, cooler produce into what we eat.

You can do it gradually. Use this time of still-limited fresh vegetables as an excuse to toss together dishes that celebrate the contrast of warm and cool - like the spring days, as they come and go.

For a great seasonal meal that can be on the table in about 10 minutes, try a plate of hot and cold nachos.

Spread corn tortilla chips over a plate or platter. Layer them with shredded lettuce, chopped tomatoes and peppers. In a small saucepan, heat a can of navy or vegetarian baked beans and spread over the vegetables. Finish with dollops of cold salsa.

For a cheesy version, don't top the platter of nachos with cheese - that will require heating, which will wilt the lettuce and ruin the hot-cold contrast. Instead, add shredded cheese to the beans as they heat and stir frequently.

For another great spring dish, try Warm Potato, Onion and Capers Salad from Lidia Matticchio Bastianich's *Lidia's Italian American Kitchen* (Knopf, 2001, \$35).

This warm salad is great served on a bed of crisp greens. For a twist, toss it with cooked chilled bowtie pasta and olive oil.

Bastianich suggests trying the salad as it was traditionally made, without vinegar. But people who find the capers don't provide enough zing should sprinkle it lightly with vinegar and toss.

well before serving, she writes

WARM POTATO, ONION AND CAPER SALAD

(Preparation time 50 minutes)

- 1 pound Idaho or Yukon Gold potatoes scrubbed but not peeled
- 1 small red onion, sliced thin
- 1/3 cup chopped fresh Italian parsley
- 1/4 to 1/3 cup tiny capers drained
- 1/3 cup extra virgin olive oil
- Salt (preferably sea salt)
- Cracked or coarsely ground black pepper
- Several teaspoons red wine vinegar (optional)

Place the potatoes in a medium saucepan and add enough cold water to cover by about 2 inches. Bring to a boil over high heat then lower the heat slightly to a gentle boil. Cook until the potatoes are tender, about 20 to 35 minutes.

Drain the potatoes and let them stand until cool enough to handle, but still quite warm. Cut the potatoes into 1/2-inch slices and set them in a serving bowl.

Scatter the onion, parsley and capers over the potatoes, then drizzle everything with the olive oil. Sprinkle with salt and pepper to taste.

Toss gently until all ingredients are well mixed. If desired, add vinegar and toss again. Serve immediately.

(Warm Potato, Onion and Capers Salad is from *Lidia's Italian American Kitchen*, Knopf, 2001, \$35.)

Replenish your energy with refreshing drinks

These drinks are packed with vitamins, minerals and other nutrients but are also somewhat high in calories for such a small volume. Enjoy them in reasonable portions.

STRAWBERRY SMOOTHIE

- 2 1/2 pounds strawberries fresh sliced
- 1 quart vanilla yogurt, frozen low fat
- 1/8 teaspoon honey

In a clean, chilled blender, place strawberries, frozen yogurt and honey and blend on high until smooth. Pour into tall glass and garnish with sliced strawberry. Serving size 8 ounces.

CHOCOLATE YAHOO

- 1 quart orange juice
- 1 1/2 pounds strawberries fresh, sliced
- 4 bananas ripe peeled sliced
- 2 1/2 cups vanilla yogurt low fat
- 1 cup chocolate syrup

1 quart 2 cups ice cubes

In a clean chilled blender place juice, fruit, yogurt and chocolate syrup and blend on high until smooth. Add ice cubes and blend until frothy. Pour into tall glass and garnish with sliced strawberry and chocolate shavings on top. Serving size 12 ounces.

BANANA COCONUT CREAM COOLER

- 2 cups grapefruit juice
- 4 bananas ripe, peeled sliced
- 1 1/2 pounds strawberries fresh sliced
- 1 cup coconut cream canned
- 1 quart, 2 cups ice cubes

In a clean, chilled blender, place juice, fruit and coconut cream and blend on high until smooth. Add ice cubes and blend until frothy. Pour into a tall glass and garnish with sliced strawberry or sliced orange wheel. Serving size 12 oz.

Recipes courtesy of HDS Services

fake stuff," he said. "They want a nice piece of fish minus the fussy extras. In uncertain times we gravitate to when things were great and foods that remind us of it." No matter what the economy, "Even people who are cooking

people want good taste and texture. Broiled and baked and braised with simple butter or lemon is what we're cooking at home and eating at the restaurants. "They want real gravy with real mash potatoes."

Braised meats are popular at all the restaurants and gourmet shops, he said. People also want foods that will please the parents and the kids. "That's why the chain restaurants like Applebee's and Bahama Breeze are doing well right now. They have mainstream food."

Too Chez used to be a designation restaurant, now the menu has been adapted to make it a family neighborhood restaurant. And we want food that reminds us of home.

at home or entertaining at home are cooking comfort foods," he said. "We're in a time right now when people are re-examining their lives - either taking better care of their health or spending more time with family and friends in their own homes."

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of identity, strength, purity, packaging and labeling. The USP designation can help consumers identify high quality supplements. Because most botanicals and herbals are not regulated like drugs, they are not subject to the same standards and labeling requirements. Standards for these articles appear in the National Formulary. This designation indicates that the product complies with the public standards in the NF.

What mystifies me about some supplements are their claims to be chemically proven," said Jessica Straka of Royal Oak. "If this is true, where is the clinic and what exactly did they prove?"

It is important to be informed about products before purchasing them because it is often difficult to know what information is reliable and what is questionable. Consumers may first want to contact the manufacturer about the product they intend to purchase. Another source of information is the FDA web site for the article entitled *Tips For The Savvy Supplement User Making Informed Decisions And Evaluating Information* at <http://www.cfsan.fda.gov/~dms/ds-savvy.html>.

Some supplements can interact with prescription or over-the-counter medicines. Taking a combination of supplements or using these products together with medications could, under certain circumstances, produce adverse effects, some of which could be life-threatening. Be alert to advisories about these products, whether taken alone or in combination. For example, Coumadin (a prescription medicine), ginkgo biloba (an herbal supplement), aspirin (an OTC drug) and vitamin E (a vitamin supplement) can each thin the blood. Taking any of these products together can increase the

potential for internal bleeding. Combining St. John's Wort with certain HIV drugs significantly reduces their effectiveness. St. John's Wort may also reduce the effectiveness of prescription drugs for heart disease, depression, seizures, certain cancers or oral contraceptives.

Check assumptions

Check your assumptions before taking supplements.

Assumption 1 - Even if a product may not help me, it at least won't hurt me.

It is best not to assume that this will always be true. When consumed in mega doses, for a long enough time, or in combination with other substances, all chemicals can be toxic including nutrients, plant components, and other biologically active ingredients.

Assumption 2 - When I see the term "natural," it means that a product is healthful and safe.

Consumers can be misled if they assume this term assures wholesomeness, or that these food like substances necessarily have milder effects, which makes them safer to use than drugs. The term "natural" on labels is not well defined and is sometimes used ambiguously to imply unsubstantiated benefits or safety. For example, many weight-loss products claim to be "natural" or "herbal" but this doesn't necessarily make them safe. Their ingredients may interact with drugs or may be dangerous for people with certain medical conditions.

Assumption 3 - A product is safe when there is no cautionary information on the product label.

Manufacturers of nutrition supplements may not necessarily include warnings about potential adverse effects on the labels of their products. If consumers want to know about the safety of a specific nutrition supplement, they should contact the manufacturer

of that brand directly. It is the manufacturer's responsibility to determine that the supplement it produces or distributes is safe and that there is substantiated evidence that the label claims are truthful and not misleading.

Assumption 4 - A recall of a harmful product guarantees that all such harmful products will be immediately and completely removed from the marketplace.

A product recall of a nutrition supplement is voluntary and while many manufacturers do their best, a recall does not necessarily remove all harmful products from the marketplace. Consumers must be on the lookout for fraudulent or misleading products. These products don't do what they say they can do, or don't contain what they say they contain. At the very least, they are a waste of money, or worse, they may cause actual physical harm. The types of claims made in their labeling, advertising and promotional literature can often help you identify fraudulent products. Some possible indicators of fraud include:

- Claims that the product is a "secret cure," or that it is a "break through," "magical," or "new discovery." If the product were a cure for a serious disease, it would be widely reported in the media and

used by many health care professionals.

- Pseudomedical jargon, such as "detoxify," "purify" and "energize" to describe a product's effects. These claims are vague and hard to measure.

- Claims that the product can cure a wide range of unrelated diseases.

- Claims that the product is backed by "scientific studies," but no list of the studies or references that are out-of-date, irrelevant or poorly designed.

- Claims that there are only benefits, and no side effects of the supplement. If a product is potent enough to cause effects, it is potent enough to cause side effects.

Supplements' dark side

Some problems with nutrition supplements include the following:

- Nutrition supplements are not drugs, usually! There are reported cases of people becoming ill with heart failure, liver disease, and other problems due to mega dosing or interactions with other medication. Check with your doctor or pharmacist before taking nutrition supplements while taking any other type of medication.

- Do not give nutrition supplements to children. Many supple-

ments have strong biological properties. Dosing and safety are not well studied in children.

- There is a general lack of controls with regard to regulating the manufacturing process especially as it relates to standardization requirements.

- There are few controlled studies demonstrating the long term safety and effectiveness of many nutrition supplements.

- There are a huge number of suppliers of supplements and just about anyone can manufacture these products.

- The safety of the product is "established" by the manufacturer but there does not need to be any guarantees.

- Consumers can be misled by quality statements on the label of products that do not meet the

quality standards of the United States Pharmacopeia or the National Formulary.

Remember the old adage that if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is. Use supplements with caution. Supplements should help support, not replace, good eating practices.

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Maya, for which she oversees production, and in the wines of her own brand Selene.

Klein joined Fisher because she was impressed with the quality of the vineyards producing the single vineyard cabernets. She was also attracted to the second generation of Fishers. Fred and Juelle's children, who have shown the dedication of their parents.

As a start to reach the pinnacle of wine excellence, Klein had the Fishers climb their steep mountain vineyards in steps they'd not taken before. Once on board, she led Fred and Juelle through the final blending of the 1998 Coach Insignia Cabernet and the 1999 Chardonnay. It was Klein's call not to bottle the Wedding and Lamb Vineyard cabernets as single vineyard designates from the

tough 1998 vintage.

Under Klein's direction, the 2000 Fisher Coach Insignia Chardonnay \$35 has taken on a gorgeous fruit profile with backed-off oak character and distinguished touches of tropical fruit. It finishes delicate, creamy and sophisticated. The 1999 Coach Cabernet Sauvignon \$63 is brimming with dark fruit flavors. It's complex and layered, expressing fruit power with an elegant finish. Each vineyard designated wine is a signature from a special place.

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Mysterious 'Mr. Crane' worth knowing

Mr. Crane, If You Please by Anthony Blossingham Writers Club Press New York 2001 \$11.95
By KEELY KALESKI WYGONIK
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Out of sight, out of mind, the mysterious Mr. Crane is lurking somewhere. You never know when he'll turn up — "he's the Boogie man in a black suit." A dangerous one who gets away with murder.

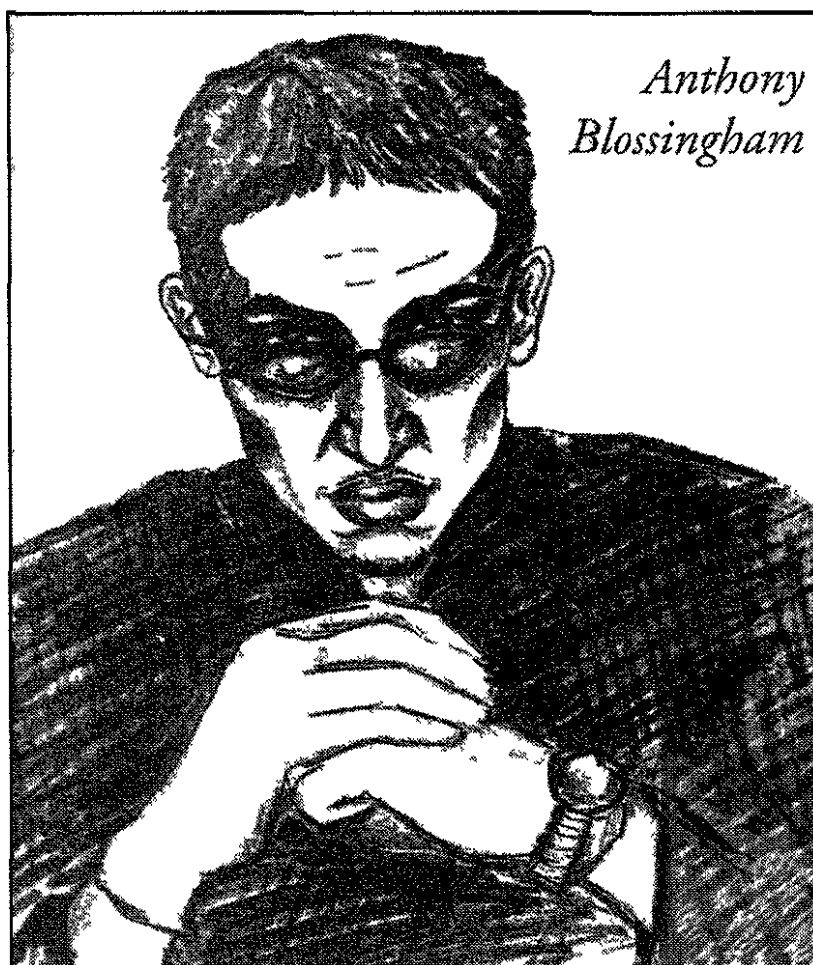
Anthony Blossingham draws the reader into this mystery that takes place in Acadia, Mich.

"The character of Mr. Crane was developed over 14 months, when I first thought of a merciless Hitman with a touch of honor," said Blossingham, who has written poetry, song lyrics, short stories and feature articles for the *Traverse City Record Eagle*. "The secret I've found to my personal experience of writing a novel is to keep yourself entertained by the story. Finally, enjoy yourself. It's supposed to be fun, an obsession. If you aren't excited about writing your novel, go outside or find someone to fall in love with."

It's obvious, from his first novel, that Blossingham is a man who loves words and knows how to weave them into a cleverly told story. There's a bit of Motown soul, love found and lost.

Having just graduated from high school, Jacob George James, against his father's wishes, packs his duffel bag and leaves the family farm in Minnesota.

Jacob thought of his hometown, Bishop Springs, as "Purgatory, it was a place of indecision and limbo. He couldn't choose anything there because none of it mattered to him."



Mr. Crane, if you please.

Mysterious: The mysterious Mr. Crane is infamous in the small Michigan town of Acadia, where the author's first fictional novel is set.

He's saved enough money for a bus ticket, and trip to Acadia, a town that has no problem with aspiring young authors like him-

self. He's working on a novel about a homicide detective from a big city who moves out to a farming town to solve big crimes.

It had stopped being interesting, and become a burden.

In town he meets his cousin Jilly, who like himself had no appetite for farming. James gets a job at the neighborhood bar. The owner, Frank Simona cautions James about Mr. Crane from the beginning — his darkened booth is untouched, and roped off from other patrons.

In between customers, Frank spins tales about some of Acadia's more colorful characters, especially the notorious Mr. Crane. James is enthralled.

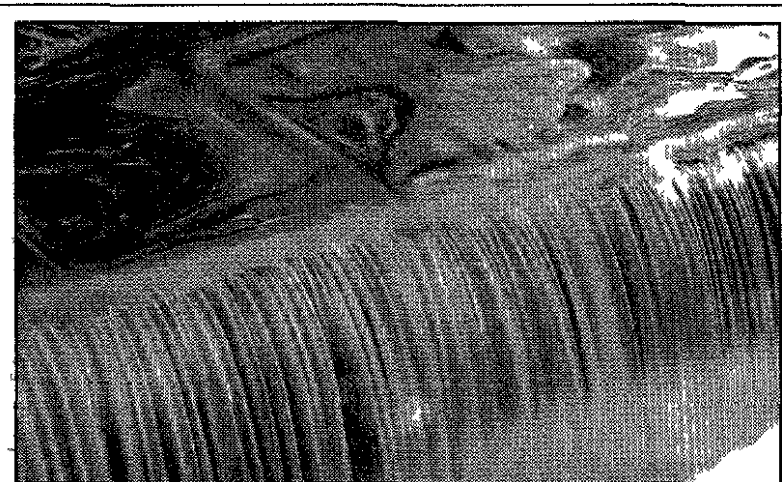
Is Mr. Crane fact or fiction? Is he still running around Acadia and Michigan with an "axe to grind?"

Blossingham keeps readers guessing, and in between tells a story of growing mutual respect and friendship between Frank and Jacob. There are missteps with death, and decisions that change Frank and Jacob's life.

"Take care not to be rude to tall gentlemanly strangers if you should choose to visit Acadia," cautions Blossingham. "Remember one thing for when you go on your nightly Acadian walks. Nothing kills like rudeness."

Mr. Crane, If You Please, can be ordered at your local bookstore, or Amazon.com. Visit the publisher's Web site www.univers.com for more information.

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Picture this: Bond Falls in Michigan's upper peninsula provided Monte Nagler the opportunity to capture this miniature landscape on film. This was one of the many pictures within a picture that he was able to make.

Focus on miniature landscapes

Too often photographers try to shoot the broad panoramic view while ignoring landscape details. Within every large landscape are hundreds of smaller ones just waiting to be captured by your camera.

FOCUS ON PHOTOGRAPHY



MONTE NAGLER

Lily pads shimmering on the surface of a pond, a cluster of fallen leaves, or a wave gently lapping the shore each of these and many more can be just as exciting and picturesque as the more expansive view.

Any environment contains an inexhaustible supply of fascinating miniature landscape detail.

Other than a keen eye no elaborate equipment is needed. At times, a set of close up filters or a macro lens will help to move in close and a tripod should be used to maximize sharpness and depth of field.

Seeing "simply" is a good way to begin to photograph miniature landscapes. That is start to look through the viewfinder and withdraw simple elements from the whole that, in themselves, make exciting, dramatic photographs. In other words, begin to see pictures within the pic-

ture. The view of a majestic mountain across the lake will make a beautiful, overall landscape shot, but don't overlook the miniature landscape produced by the velvety row of moss-draped rocks at the water's edge.

Rather than portray the whole plowed field in your country photograph, zoom in on a small section of freshly cut furrows.

Bond Falls in Michigan's upper peninsula has provided me with many sweeping and majestic waterfall picture opportunities. Yet isolating only an intimate detail as shown in the accompanying photograph produced an image that "says it all" about these magnificent falls.

Miniature landscapes will give a unique perspective to your picture and will emphasize textures and tones you often won't get by shooting the whole.

Remember, you're making photographs, not taking snapshots. Let your miniature landscape be a complete picture in itself while at the same time conveying the flavor and essence of the whole.

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.

Research family history

The Jewish Genealogical Society of Michigan is presenting a multi-topic workshop 12:30-4:30 p.m. Sunday, April 21 at Temple Beth El, 14 Mile Road at Telegraph Bloomfield Hills. Pre-registration is encouraged. Topics include:

- 12:30-1:30 p.m. — Research in the Franklin Archives or Holocaust Research
- 1:30-2:30 p.m. — Local sources of Polish research
- 2:30-3:30 p.m. — Ship arrival records and military records or unusual sources
- 3:30-4:30 p.m. — Writing a family newsletter or oral histories

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32289 John R Road 248-585-2070

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Star Rochester Hills
200 Bn. C. Circle 248-853-2260

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STUDENT DISCOUNT NOW AVAILABLE WITH VALID SCHOOL ID

Star Southfield
12 Mile between Telegraph and Northwestern off I 96 248-353-STAR

No one under age 6 admitted for PG13 & R rated films after 6 pm
FOR SHOWTIMES AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS BY PHONE CALL 248-372-2222
www.star-southfield.com
NP FEATURES: SORRY NO VIP TICKETS ACCEPTED SUNDAY

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United Artists Theatres
Barga n Matinee Da y for all shows starting before 6:00 PM
Some day advance tickets are table NP No VIP r. check accepted

United Artists West River
9 Mile / Block West of M dalette 248-788-6572 SUNDAY

THE SWEETEST THING (R) NV 12:40 3:00 5:05 7:35 10:05
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United Artists Commerce-14
3330 Springvale Drive Adjacent to Home Depot North of the intersection of 14 Mile & Haggerty 248-960-8901

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COSFORD PARK (R) 11:00 1:40 6:55 9:45
IN THE BEDROOM (R) 11:10 4:10 9:25
AMELIE (R) 1:40 6:30

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I SHOT ANDY WARHOL (R) 4:30

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118 Main at 11 Mile Royal Oak 248-542-0180

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THE FLUFFER (R) (1:15 3:15 5:30) 7:45 10:00
MONSTERS BALL (R) (1:00 4:00) 7:00 9:30
KISSING JESSICA STEIN (R) (12:45 3:00 5:15) 7:30 9:45

Maple Art Theatre III
4135 W Maple West of Telegraph Bloomfield Hills 248-542-0180

10 SCOUTED SHOWS 1
TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE BOX OFFICE OR PHONE 248-542-0180
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MONSOON WEDDING (R) SUN 12:00 2:45 5:15 8:00
MON THURS 12:45 5:15 8:00
LAST ORDERS (R) SUN 12:30 3:15 6:45 9:15
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DRAGONFLY (PG13) 9:15
SNOW DOGS (PG) MON THURS 5:00
COLLATERAL DAMAGE (R) 7:15 9:35

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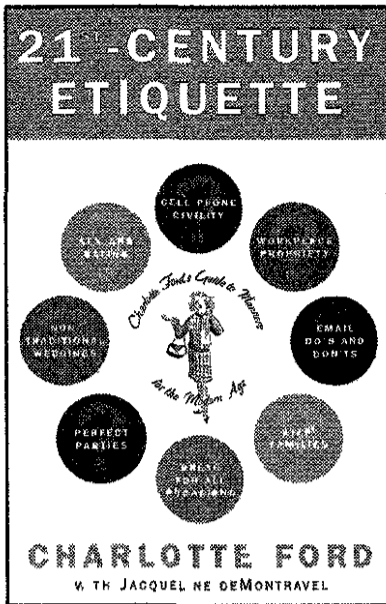
Manners not only for manors

Manners are not only for manors. That's the message in best-selling author Charlotte Ford's newest book on manners, *21st Century Etiquette: Charlotte Ford's Guide to Manners for the Modern Age*, (Lyons Press, \$24.95 Nov 2001), a fresh, and witty guide to maintaining civility in today's high-tech world. With easy to follow tips and common-sense advice, Ford shows readers that courtesy is never out of date and is always in style.

Ford, a New York City resident, will also speak on this topic when she is the featured guest of The Women's Division for Project HOPE (Health Opportunities for People Everywhere), at a luncheon on Friday, April 19, at the Fairlane Club in Dearborn.

In her book, Ford, daughter of Henry Ford II and an accomplished businesswoman in her own right, not only addresses current and social situations, but expands her comments to everyday situations in the gym, the use of cell phones, tipping, the single life, and many more areas where modern technology and alternative lifestyles have made former "rules" obsolete.

Each chapter contains "Do's and Don'ts" of topics, and end with a quiz. In the Taming Technology chapter, her cell phone "don'ts" include "Don't talk to someone else



Guide to manners: "21st Century Etiquette" is the newest book on manners by Charlotte Ford, daughter of Henry Ford II. She will speak at a luncheon and book signing at The Women's Division for Project HOPE Spring Luncheon on Friday

(the waiter, someone on the street, etc.) while on the phone." "Do's" include "Do keep conversations short and to the point if you are

forced to take a call in the company of others."

Chapters also contain a "Past Century/Present Century" summary of various etiquette questions.

The Friday program begins with a reception at 10:30 a.m. with Project HOPE member and pianist Alice Berberian Haidostian of Bloomfield Hills playing classic popular songs. At 11:45 a.m. Ford will make a brief presentation before the noon luncheon. From 1 to 2 p.m. she will answer questions from the audience and autograph copies of her book, which will be available for purchase.

The Spring Luncheon, a fundraising event to benefit Project HOPE, has received significant sponsorship from Marsh and Comeria. Co-chairwoman are Gwen Bowlby of Detroit and Julie Stackpole of Bloomfield Hills. Tickets are \$45, \$75 and \$100. Paid reservations should be received by April 15. For more information, call (248) 642-9585.

Project HOPE is a 43-year old not-for-profit agency. Volunteers around the world share in the mission of helping people, communities and nations to develop the medical skills and knowledge to help themselves, through training and health education.

SHOPPING BRIEFS

PROJECT HEALTHY LIVING

Project Healthy Living, which offers free and low-cost health screening tests and services to anyone who is at least 18 years old, will take place 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. **Monday-Wednesday, April 15-17, at Livonia Mall.** Livonia Mall is at Seven Mile and Middlebelt. For more information, call (248) 476-1160.

Bonus days are scheduled May 17-18. Healthy Kids Day will be May 18, with sports physicals offered for \$15. Information and fun things for youngsters and their parents will be available throughout the mall.

DISNEY PROGRAM

Business professionals in southeast Michigan can discover the Disney approach to service and loyalty through a half-day program presented by Disney Institute and sponsored by the Michigan Retailers Association.

The Disney Keys to Excellence will take place 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Tuesday, April 16, at the Holiday Inn-Livonia West, 17123 N. Laurel Park Drive in Livonia.**

The program will offer an exclusive look at the business side of the Walt Disney World Resort, presented by members of

the Disney management team. Attendees will learn how they can adapt Disney's principles and practices to promote service and loyalty in their own businesses. Cost for the program is \$175.

for MRA members and \$195 for non-members. The fee includes the seminar, program materials and continental breakfast. To register, contact the MRA's Robin Gregory at (800) 366-3699 or rsgregory@retailers.com.

Through reader feedback, this interactive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that's difficult to find.

If you have a request or information about where a product is sold or service is available, call (248) 901-2555 and leave a message with your name and phone number.

Please be patient about your requests and feedback, we receive an overwhelming number of phone calls.

Also, please spell any uncommon items. If you don't see information about your request, we couldn't find it. Requests are published twice.

WHAT WE FOUND:

For men's rubbers and men's leather rubber-sole wingtip shoes, try Famous Brand Shoes 13328 Michigan Avenue, one block east of Schaefer in Dearborn (313) 584-4114.

For Beauty for All Seasons makeup, try Maynard Boutique

Where can I find?

in Flushing, Michigan, (810) 659-4422.

For paint-by-number kits, try Mary Maxim in Port Huron, (810) 987-2000, and Warren Drugs (Sav-Mor) at 14 Mile and Middlebelt in Farmington Hills, (248) 855-1177.

For an under-the-cabinet recipe file box, try the Improvements catalog, (800) 642-2112.

For a 1 cent-a-minute phone card, try Marathon station at 25 Mile and Mound in Shelby Township, (586) 781-2284.

For Ukrainian or Polish egg dye, try the Polish Art Center, 9539 Jos Campau in Hamtramck (313) 874-2242. It carries all the supplies for egg dyeing.

To donate a sewing

machine and supplies, try the Vista Maria home on Warren Road in Dearborn, (313) 271-3060.

To recycle greeting cards, send the covers to St. Jude's Ranch for Children, St. Jude's Hospital, 100 St. Jude's Street, Boulder City, NV 89005.

WHERE CAN I FIND:

A store that sells Physician's Formula mascara and eyeliner for Carolyn of Keego Harbor?

A store that sells a soft nylon hair brush for Stephanie of Redford Township?

A store that sells a 60 inch wide oil cloth for Pat?

A store that sells a video of the weimaraner dogs, seen on

Sesame Street dressed in clothes, for Bill of Livonia?

A store that sells canvas material to make awnings for Mary Carol?

A store that sells a brass magazine rack (8 by 16 inches) for Pat of Troy?

A store that sells Color Forms for a 2-year-old child?

A store that sells Universal Rundle tub and tile cleaner for Louise?

A store that sells a record player with a spindle that plays 33 1/3 and 45 records for Mary Lou?


A store that sells the videocassette movies *Blithe Spirit* and *Dream Team* for Joanne of Livonia?

A store that sells Engaro perfume/cologne (in a green/blue box) for Mary Lou?

A store that sells a videocassette that has children's songs on it for Cindy?

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Galapagos Island tour an awesome adventure

BY NORMA AND WENDY SCHONWETTER
SPECIAL WRITERS

Where can you find penguins, impenetrable forests, and the highest capital city in the world? Give up? Ecuador. It's home to the Galapagos Islands, the rain forest, and Quito - which is perched atop an active volcano that towers nearly 10,000 feet above sea level. We guarantee you'll get your money's worth checking out this awesome threesome.

Charles Darwin put the Galapagos Islands on the map when he brought back his observations of animal adaptations from this unusual place. He saw iguanas happily swimming in the salty Pacific Ocean, penguins thriving far from home, and unconcerned Sormorants airing their tiny, useless wings. Imagine animals so unafraid of predators that nesting birds and mothers of newborn seals don't flinch when humans approach, plants and animals thriving in the absence of fresh water, finches with a multiplicity of beak shapes, each adapted to feeding on specific plants or seeds to eliminate competition. His explanation of these sights became the reasoning for his theory of evolution.

Fantasy adventure

Darwin saw all of this (and more) hundreds of years ago, and not much has changed. This is a fantasy adventure to exotic and remote islands, untouched by pollution, where preserving the native fauna and flora is a primary consideration. Two organizations work together for the conservation of the islands: The Galapagos National Park works to preserve and protect the natural resources of the Islands and the Charles Darwin Research Station, founded in 1959 under the auspices of UNESCO, conducts and facilitates research in the Galapagos Islands.

Aboard the Galapagos Explorer II, owned by Canodros S.A. of Ecuador, stellar service and ambiance mix amazingly well with shorts, sandy toes and sunscreen.



For the birds: Blue-footed boobies can be spotted in high-up rocky outcroppings

This 100-passenger ecotourism cruise ship offers nothing but beautiful, large, outside rooms, with all the frills, including 110 volt electricity. They are so conscientious about protecting the environment, they even supply you with an excellent biodegradable soap and shampoo. And here's a secret - the lowest deck has the largest rooms, with walk-in closets and sitting rooms. Even better, it's the smoothest sailing and has adjoining rooms - at the lowest price on the ship.

This is not a party cruise, it is ecotourism at its finest, an educational sightseeing trip, and the clientele reflects that difference. That doesn't mean it's not fun.

You don't need to be an athlete for this trip. Seniors and those with injuries joined ranks with the

jogging set on the islands. Guides are very accommodating, and if walking is deemed too rugged, you can tour the exterior of the island by Zodiac. While our counterparts granted their way to the top of an island in search of an elusive owl, we saw schools of graceful stingrays, puffer fish and herons in shallow, serene lagoons, and dolphins, humpbacks, penguins, and mating sea turtles in open water all from the comfort of our dinghy. There are also plentiful opportunities to snorkel, sunbathe or learn more about the islands in the library aboard ship.

Highlight

Bartholomew Island was the highlight of our trip. Take the hike for breathtaking views, and don't miss snorkeling here. Each island has its own plentiful treasure trove of exotic animals based on the specific food and shelter available. Exotic wildlife abounds, from clownish boobies (blue footed, red-footed and masked), mammoth albatross, and thieving frigate birds, to playful fur seals and sea lions.

Despite their equatorial location, it is remarkably comfortable year round in the Galapagos Islands due to the Humboldt Current, which travels north from the Antarctic. Temperatures range between nearly 90° F to the mid-60s. The best time to visit is December through April, but whenever you come there will be twelve hours of daylight to brighten your mood.

Located 600 miles off the coast of Ecuador, the Galapagos Archipelago consists of thirteen large islands, six smaller islands, and over forty islets. The islands, many resembling craggy moonscapes and scraggy flora, are the result of volcanic eruptions three to five million years ago, and are in one of the most active volcanic regions of the world. Four of the islands are now uninhabited, with a total of 16,000 people, along with the domestic animals they brought.

The only direct flights to Quito take 4 hours from Miami and are offered by American Airlines. It is the most economical and comfortable, with wider seats and more leg room. Other airlines servicing Quito are LanChile and Continental. Make time to see Quito, then use it as a departure point for the Galapagos and Canodros other gem, Kapawi Ecological

Reserve in the Amazon Rain forest

Ecuador, and its nearly two-mile-high capital Quito, is full of pleasant surprises. Ecuador is on Eastern Standard Time, the US dollar is the national currency, and the electric power (and plugs) are the same as in the US. Drivers are very courteous to each other and pedestrians and taxis are cheap. The southern part of the city, the Old City, has the largest Spanish Colonial district in the Americas, and in 1978 it became the first UNESCO site designated as a World Heritage City in order to preserve its colonial structures. The northern part of the city is very modern with skyscrapers, condos, hotels and the airport.

A short drive from Quito is the Equatorial Monument considered "The Middle of the World" by Ecuadorians. It's fun to watch visitors mug for the camera while straddling the line (painted yellow) that puts one foot in each hemisphere.

A visit to Quito is incomplete

without a tour to Otavalo, a large open air market. This day trip takes travelers on a breathtaking ride through the mountains, past volcanoes (twelve or more), lakes, and miles of greenhouses, where flowers and roses are grown for export. Continue on to Cotacachi to shop for fine leather goods, and then stop at scenic Cuichocho Crater Lake for lunch.

This is a great way to relax before being transported back in time in the Amazonian Rain forest of Ecuador.

Norma and her daughter Wendy Schonwetter enjoy globe trotting together. Norma is a Farmington resident. Tell us about your travels. Send stories and photos for consideration on our Travel page to Keely Kaleski Wygonik, Assistant Managing Editor of Features, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. E-mail information as a text file, or copy and paste into e-mail to kwygonik@oe.homecomm.net. Next week: The Amazon Rain forest.

If you go

Cruise: Offerings are typically 3, 4 and 7 days, some with extensions to other parts of Ecuador. A great combination is a 4 night cruise, 3 nights in the rain forest, with a few days in Quito.

Here are some tour companies that offer Galapagos trips.

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■ **Wilderness Travel** - www.wildernesstravel.com or (800) 368-2794

■ **Overseas Adventure Travel** - www.oattravel.com or (800) 955-1925

■ **Collette Tours** - www.colettevacations.com or (888) 260-9365

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Visiting Otavalo: Although Saturdays are hyped as the best day to visit Otavalo, it is also the most crowded. Go during the week when there are few tourists and great bargains.

What to eat, drink: Try some of the Ecuadorian specialties, like guanabana (a refreshing creamy fruit drink), potato cheese soup, empanadas, fritada (lean pork cubes), passion fruit desserts, and plantain. Sample 'Spirit of Ecuador', a potentially delicious fruit liqueur available at supermarkets for \$3.95/ 750 ml bottle.

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NAHL award-winners

The North American Hockey League has selected those among its ranks to be honored, and a couple of Compuware Ambassadors were among those chosen.

Andy Greene, a Miami (Ohio) University recruit, was named the league's most valuable defenseman. A first team all-league selection, Greene was second among defensemen in scoring with 16 goals and 29 assists (45 points) and led the NAHL with 11 power-play goals.

Todd Watson, the Ambassadors coach/general manager, was named coach of the year after leading Compuware to a 42-9-5 record, good for first overall in the NAHL and a berth in the USA Hockey Junior A National Championship May 3-4 in Bozeman, Mont. The Ambassadors led the NAHL in power-play percentage, converting 31.08 percent of their chances, and in penalty kill percentage at 87.35 percent.

Gymnastics standouts

Nicole Roach, a 12-year-old Canton resident, competing at the Region 5 Level 9 Gymnastics Regional in Lexington, Ky., April 7, earned herself a spot on the Region 5 team to compete at the Eastern United States National Championships in Kissimmee, Fla.

Roach, a member of the Sports Club of Novi Gymnastics Team competing in the Junior A Division (12-and-under), scored a 36.025 in the all-around competition, tying for 16th. The top 17 finishers were placed on the team. Roach also scored an 8.9 in the vault, tying for 14th, and had a 9.1 on floor, a 9.025 on balance beam and a 9.0 on uneven parallel bars.

Gymnasts were required to score a 34.0 in the all-around at their respective state meets to qualify for the Regional Club teams from Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky were in Region 5.

The Sports Club's Level 8 team competed at the Galaxy of Stars Meet at Central Michigan University finishing fourth with a score of 110.0. Among those on the team were Alyssa Kelley, 13, of Plymouth and Brittany Young, 12, of Canton.

Kelley was second in the all-around with a 36.65 score, finishing third on vault (9.025) and sixth on bars (9.325), she also had a 9.025 on beam and a 9.275 on floor.

Young was fifth on bars (9.15) and sixth on vault (8.55), with an all-around total of 33.9.

Baseball news

Former Anaheim Angels pitcher Jason Anderson will hold pitching lessons for players 7-18 years old. For more information, contact Anderson at (734) 254-8791.

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 wdivgreg4@aol.com. Those interested must be at least 14 years old and have a basic knowledge of baseball. Games begin at the end of May. Umpire scheduling may be worked around game scheduling if you are registered to play in the spring league. Visit the league's website at www.cqbsa.com for umpiring clinics and meetings.

Used equipment sale

Northville's Park and Recreation Department is sponsoring a one-day for all types of useable sports equipment and clothing from 9 a.m.-noon Saturday at its Main Street facility.

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Hockey registration

The Canton Amateur Hockey Association has registration forms for its Fall 2002 season available at the Summit of Canton and at the Arctic Edge Arena, located on Michigan in Canton.

The league is open to all level of players, from learn-to-play through house travel leagues. Play begins in September. For more information, call (734) 544-4460.

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.

Tough afield

Chiefs build big lead, roll to victory over Rocks

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A season ago, track aficionados could look at Plymouth Canton's boys team and see the Chiefs would be tough to beat in field events.

A lot of those guys are gone now. Which created some doubt: How good would Canton be this year?

Not even the Chiefs' coach, Bob Richardson, was certain.

In last Thursday's season-opening dual meet against cross-campus rival Plymouth Salem, that question was answered — satisfactorily for Canton.

The Chiefs built a 42-3 advantage through the field events against Salem, giving them an almost insurmountable lead and assuring them of their second-straight win in the Bolger-Mangan meet, this one by a 90-47 margin.

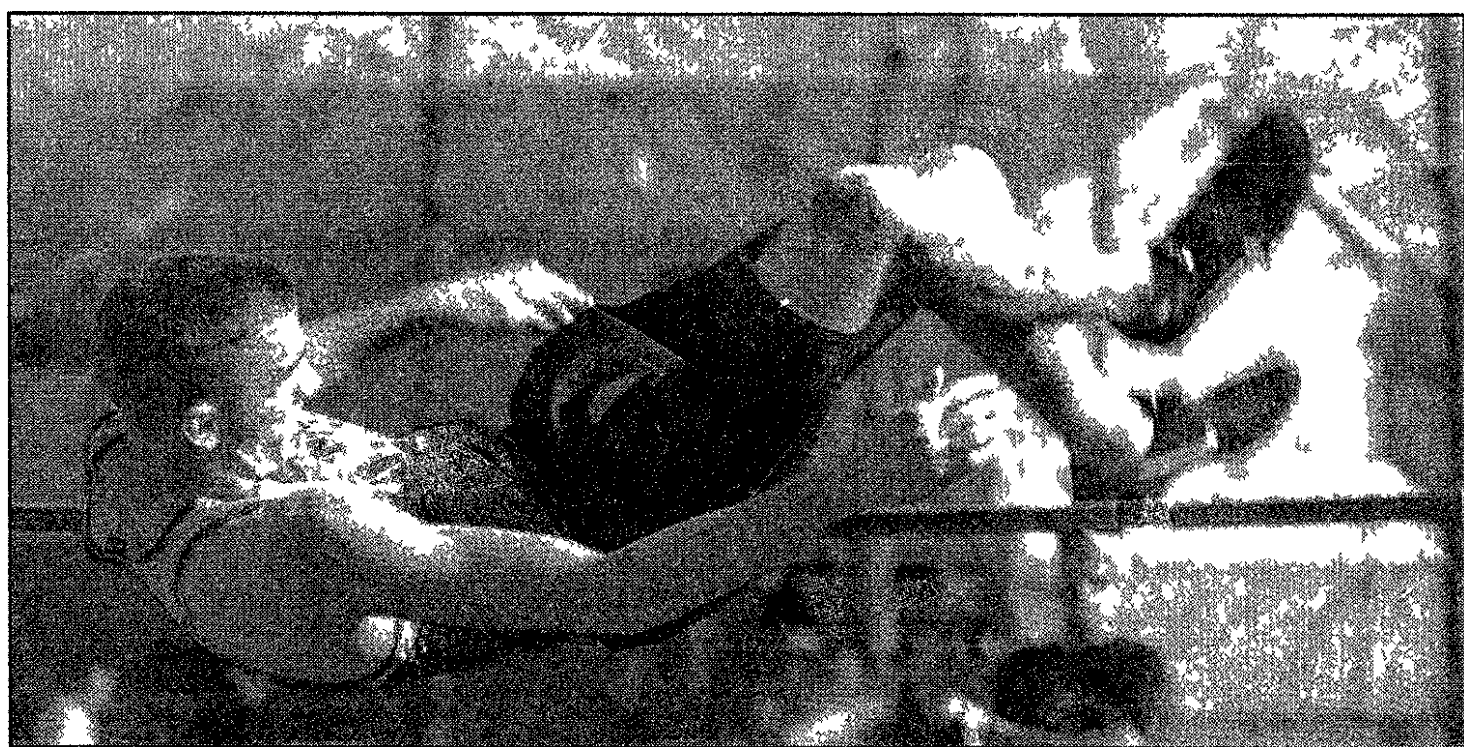
"I had no idea we'd be ahead that far," said Richardson of his team's dominating performance in the field events. "I knew we could get some firsts and I thought we could get some firsts and seconds."

The Chiefs didn't just get a few firsts and seconds — they got 'em all. Dane Kobus placed first in the shot put (41-feet, 9-inches) and second in the long jump (19-8 3/4). Bryan Frawley was first in the discus (111-5) and second in the shot (40-3), and Ken Page was first in the long jump (19-11) and second in the high jump (5-6).

Other winners for Canton in field events were Mike Lanus in the high jump (5-8) and Jon Chapman in the pole vault (10-0).

That still left eight individual track events and four relays. The Chiefs didn't fall off much, taking firsts in eight of those 12.

Most notable in the track perfor-



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Top spot: Canton's Mike Lanus cleared 5-foot, 8-inches to win the high jump against Salem. Lanus was also third in the long jump.

mances was that of junior Corey Walsler, who tied the 15-year-old school record in the 200 meters of 22.6, originally set by Brian Carney Walsler also finished first in the 100, clocking 11.2 while racing into a head wind — not far off another ancient school record (translated, that means pre-Richardson era) of 10.9, set by Elijah Rogers in 1984.

"Corey Walsler had a career day, for him," Richardson said, then added, "so far."

The implication was clear as good as he looked, Walsler will be better.

Canton won both hurdles' events, Kobus — who recently committed to Hillsdale College for football — capturing the 110s (15.9) and Corey Stewart taking the 300s (43.8). The Chiefs also got a victory from Aaron Schmidt in the 800 (2:03.9).

"We surprised ourselves a little bit in the hurdles," said Richardson. "We knew Corey (Stewart) would be good, but 43.8 by a sophomore and in April — that was real good."

Salem's strength figured to be in the middle distance and distance events, and for the most part it was Justin

Hajduk, a junior, finished first in both the 1,600 (4:37.8) and the 3,200 (10:08.0), with Chris Vraniak placing second in both the 800 (2:07.1) and the 1,600 (4:38.9). They also got a win from Tom Huls in the 400 (53.2).

"I saw some good stuff on the track," said Salem coach Geoff Baker. "I found some pretty good speed, now it's just a matter of finding a place for them."

"In our field events we just don't have the bodies. In the distance (events), we showed what we're made

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STAFF PHOTO BY ELIZABETH CARNEGIE

Fast track: Salem's Jill Gray takes the lead over Sarah McCormack in the women's relay.

Salem proves too strong for Canton

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Sure, it's an important meet. It's Plymouth Salem-vs.-Plymouth Canton.

Still, Salem's girls track team has been dominant in this meet over the past few years. When the two cross-campus rivals tangled last Thursday, more of the same was expected.

And it was. The Rocks finished first in three of the five field events, five-of-eight individual track events and three-of-four relays. The result — an 89-48 triumph that allowed Salem coach Mark Gregor to start thinking about next week's imperative dual meet against Walled Lake Central.

Not that Gregor would ever, ever admit to looking beyond the Canton meet to something else. But let's face it: It's been a while since Canton has beaten Salem. And Central is the defending Western Lakes Activities Association champion.

In fact, the Vikings swamped Salem last season in their dual meet, beating the Rocks 92-47 — their first dual-meet loss since 1997.

So perhaps a glance past Canton at Central, which visits Salem for their annual WLAA dual Thursday, is allowable.

"It was a good, competitive meet," said Gregor of Canton. "Canton has a lot of good athletes. But we had better depth than I thought. We have some freshmen who are stepping up to the plate."

Despite what seemed a lopsided loss, the Chiefs and their coach, John Venning, were anything but displeased.

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Mark Gregor
Salem coach

"I had some parents tell me after the meet, 'You wouldn't know who won or lost afterwards by the way the kids were cheering,'" Venning said. "That's because our girls met their goals. They're pumped. Right now, they're aiming for the regionals."

And the Chiefs did have some bright spots. The two brightest were Rachel Landman and Sarah McCormack. Each won two events, Landman capturing the long jump (15-feet, 8-inches) and the 200-meters (27.3) and McCormack winning the 1,600 (5:50.1) and the 3,200 (12:24.1).

"It was a beautiful tactical race," Venning said of McCormack's win in the 3,200 over Salem's Lane Griffiths, who placed second in 12:24.9.

The Rocks had more than their share of excellent performances, too, in particular Erriane Bundle, who won the 300 hurdles (52.1) and the 100 (13.2) and was part of the first-place 4x200 relay (1:52.3).

"Bundle had a really good meet," said Gregor, adding almost all of its girls were limited to three events.

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Salem seeks to build on its success

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Last season was an historical one for Plymouth Salem softball. The Rocks gained their second straight 20-win season and they won their first state district championship.

Now the question is, how can they build on that success?

Which is exactly what coach Bonnie Southerland wants to do. She also realizes it won't be easy, considering the losses her team must deal with.

"We had an excellent year — I couldn't have been more pleased," she said of Salem's 21-15 season in 2001. But "We lost our whole infield except at third base. That's 16 years of experience (that graduated)."

"Basically, this team has some shoes to fill."

Gone are two four-year varsity players in shortstop Katie Kelly and first baseman Dawn Allen. Both are playing

Trying to rebuild a team that can once again reach the 20-win plateau, and perhaps win a second-straight district title, won't be easy. But Southerland is confident she has the talent.

collegiately, Kelly at Albion and Allen at Henry Ford CC.

Also graduated are second baseman Jen Allen, pitcher Kristen Miller (16-7 last season) and outfielder Jen Warnick.

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It starts with returnees like senior catcher Amy Szawara, an all-Western Lakes Activities Association all-Lakes

Division player who batted .317 with 17 runs batted in. A third-year varsity starter, "Scrappy" was also named all-district. "She's one of the smartest players on the team," said Southerland.

Then there's senior centerfielder Kelly Jaskot, another three-year player who hit .315 with 14 RBI. Like Szawara, Jaskot played all 36 games for Salem last year, she was an all-WLAA selection and an all-district player. "She's just a well-rounded athlete," her coach said.

A third key returnee is junior Maggie Tudor, who led the Rocks in most offensive categories last season, batting .403 with 50 hits and 13 stolen bases (all team bests). Tudor had four doubles, two triples and 12 RBI and was named all-division, all region and all-district.

That was playing in the outfield.

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FILE PHOTO BY PAUL HUBSCHMANN

One of the best: Salem catcher Amy Szawara has proven herself to be one of the best in the WLAA at her position, batting .317 last season with 17 RBI.

Rocks look forward to promising season

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Lose the top two players from a team that finished in the middle of the pack and a coach might be concerned

Not Bill Nelson That's because everyone else on his Plymouth Salem boys tennis team is back

Not only that They've all spent a lot of time on the courts indoors over the winter, perfecting their games

"All of them played all winter, which makes it very encouraging," said Nelson, whose Rocks were part of a four team group in a four-point span that placed third through sixth at last year's Western Lakes Activities Associ-

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ation championships "We don't have any superstars, but we have a lot of good players

"We're not really weak in any position"

How that translates when compared to the rest of the WLAA is another story, but Nelson is confident the additional work over the winter will help — big time

Gone from last season's squad are John Machnacki, who played No 1 singles, and Andy Fenton, who was at No 2

Filling their spots will be, at No 1, Evan Roller, a senior who played No 3 last season and reached the WLAA semifinals

before losing to eventual conference champ Kyle Dehne of Northville, and at No 2, Mike Ware Jr, a sophomore who in the WLAA finals at No 4 last year took North Farmington's Rob Frankel to three sets before losing

Moving into their positions at No 3 and 4 singles will be last season's No 2 doubles team of Dave Wallen and Dave Daigneau Both are seniors Wallen figures to be at No 3 and Daigneau, a soccer player who "can run all day — he frustrates his opponents," will be at No 4 At last year's WLAAs, they too reached the semifinals before losing to the eventual champs from North Farmington, Dan Carlson and Dan Levy

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Bill Nelson
Coach

"I'd like to think our singles are pretty strong" said Nelson "I think we'll challenge people We'll be competitive"

At No 1 doubles, Kyle Jose a senior, returns, he'll pair with another senior, Jeff Sibbold, who moves up from No 4 doubles Both spent a lot of time indoors over the winter

Sameer Dohadwala, a junior, and Pat Shaw, a sophomore,

move from No 3 to No 2 doubles, while a pair of promising freshmen, Chris Treadwell and Robbin Wallen fill the No 3 slot Pat Pokarski, a junior who played No 4 last season, and Jason Rizzo, a senior who filled in at several spots, are at No 4 doubles Dave Kwak, a senior who is nursing a sore arm, also will figure in the doubles mix somewhere

"When we come up against the big boys like North Farmington (the defending WLAA champ) and Northville (second in the WLAA), we'll make a good showing," predicted Nelson "We're developing some new talent We've got a lot of freshmen — we've got 37 kids out We've got a lot of kids with a good work ethic"

Still, North and Northville figure to be at the top of the WLAA, despite some major roster changeovers Livonia Stevenson, third last season, has nearly everyone back, making the Spartans look pretty good, too

The Rocks should be in there, too Just where may depend on how far their winter workouts carry them

Despite their losses, Chiefs should still be solid

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Plymouth Canton wasn't exactly a boys tennis powerhouse in the Western Lakes Activities Association last season, but the Chiefs managed to carve out a strong finish for themselves

North Farmington (league winners the last five years) and Northville battled for top honors — again After them came Livonia Stevenson in a distant third, with Livonia Churchill, Canton and Plymouth Salem all packed in within four points of the Spartans

The Chiefs managed their impressive finish without much of a presense in singles play Only

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Kyle Andrews, at No 2, reached the final four for Canton in singles play, losing to Northville's Mark Thomson in the semifinals

Canton was however, strong in doubles play, reaching the finals in No 3 and the semifinals in No 1

That image won't change much this season Coach Barb Lehman likes to build her team through its doubles, where teamwork is a bigger factor

"I feel good about my singles, but in this league a new kid or an exchange student can come in and change it all so drastically," she said

Andrews' return should bolster

Canton's singles play Now a senior he moves to No 1

The Chiefs have lost five key contributors to last season's team, including No 1 doubles member Brian Balfour and No 2 doubles Kevin Nuttal Three others also will not return

That leaves some holes in the lineup to fill, which won't be easy for Lehman Chris Slupek, a senior co captain who played No 4 singles last season, moves up to No 2, and Brian Keeseey, a sophomore transfer student from Wisconsin, will be at No 3 "He has a good work ethic," said Lehman of her transfer addition "And he loves tennis"

Sam Kaufman, a sophomore who played No 3 doubles last

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season with Jeremy Romer, another sophomore — they reached the WLAA finals, losing to Stevenson's Corey Shedd and Nick Reale in three sets — will be at No 4 singles

Canton's No 1 doubles pairing of Brad Kreger and Mike Han, both seniors, looks promising to Lehman "I like watching them play," she said "They're both seniors and, well just the way they play it They make a good

team"

Andrew "Spike" Wagner, a senior, will team with Romer at No 2 doubles, while Steve West and Jon-Eric Cornellier, both juniors, will be at No 3 doubles "There's been a lot of improvement since last year," said Lehman "But we'll see just how much once the season starts"

One area of concern is No 4 doubles, which Lehman said is still undecided That could be an

important spot for the Chiefs "We need to come up with a fourth doubles that can give us some wins," the Canton coach said

If the Chiefs want to move up in the WLAA, developing additional players will be imperative North Farmington, winner of the last five conference titles, and Northville, the perennial runner-up, have lost considerable portions of their 2001 squads Stevenson hasn't, indeed, Lehman believes the Spartans could challenge the top two

Canton, Salem and Churchill figure to remain in the level just below But anything's possible

Madonna Crusaders rally to extend win streak to 3

Make that three straight Madonna University's baseball team rallied behind the strong pitching of Mike Hayes and Adam Kline to hold off Wolverine Hoosier Athletic Conference rival Spring Arbor 4 3 Friday at Livonia's Ford Field

The second game was suspended due to rain

The win, combined with the Crusaders sweep of Siena Heights Wednesday, 2 0 and 6 2 gave them three straight victories and improved their overall record to 13 16 6 7 in the

BASEBALL

WHAC Spring Arbor fell to 11 16 overall, 5 8 in the WHAC with the loss Siena Heights was 5 27 overall 3 6 in the conference through Wednesday's

games In Friday's win over the Cougars, Madonna scored three times in the second inning on a double by Sterling Mintzer, a run-scoring single by Neil Wildfong (from Plymouth Canton) an RBI ground out by Mark Cole and an RBI single by Mario D Herin They added a run in the fourth to make it 4 0 before Spring Arbor rallied, scoring three times on a double by Cory Parrott in the fifth inning Mintzer finished with two hits to lead Madonna Parrott had three hits for the Cougars Hayes got the pitching win for

Madonna, evening his record at 3 3 He allowed three earned runs on four hits and six walks, striking out five in 5 1/3 innings Kline relieved with two out in the sixth and gave up two hits in 1 1/3 innings to earn his fourth save Aaron Morrow took the loss for Spring Arbor

Last Wednesday at Siena Heights, Jeremy Stevens blanked the Saints in the first game on seven hits with no walks, striking out three in 6 1/3 innings Kline relieved and got the final two outs to get the save Phil Dunn took the loss for Siena Heights

Matt Rigley had two hits and an RBI to pace Madonna's eight-hit attack Mintzer also had two hits

In the second game, Cole had a single and a home run, driving in three runs to pace the Crusaders 6 2 win Joe Prucknik contributed two doubles and two RBI and Rigley totaled two hits including a double, and one RBI

Joel Halliday went all seven innings to get the pitching win, evening his record at 2-2 He gave up one earned run on four hits and three walks, striking out four Mike Hoshield absorbed the loss for the Saints

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Thurston ambushes Salem

Before the thunderstorms hit the area Friday afternoon, Redford Thurston was able to pick up its first baseball victory of the season at Plymouth Salem's expense

Thurston downed the Rocks 7-2 in a game that was called after 5 2/3 innings. The Eagles are now 1-1 on the season. Salem is 2-2.

Shaun Anstett was the winning pitcher, going five innings while giving up just one run on two hits and striking out six. He also went 2-for-3 at the plate with a run batted in. James Melvin went 2-for-2 with 2 RBI and one run scored. Travis Farkas, Dave Madigan and Paul Eckler each drove in single runs for the Eagles.

Salem got a single and an RBI from both Brian Bradley and Cliff Thomas. Steve Tobin took the pitching loss, allowing seven runs on seven hits in three innings.

CC 4-8, A.A. Pioneer 2-0: Redford Catholic Central freshman Eric Vojtkofsky didn't see action in Thursday's doubleheader until the seventh inning of the first game. He made his time on the field count in a big way after that.

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Vojtkofsky was the hero of the opener with a walk-off, two-run home run to help the Shamrocks to a 4-2 win over Ann Arbor Pioneer. He topped that performance in the nightcap by going 3-for-3 with two homers and a double, driving in five runs in CC's 8-0, six-inning victory.

Jeff Niemec got his second win of the season in the first game, pitching three innings and striking out four batters.

Senior Ryan Rogowski pitched four no-hit innings in the second game, fanning seven while securing his first win as a pitcher this season. Mike Monterey matched Vojtkofsky's day at the plate by going 3-for-3 with two singles and a double.

The Shamrocks, ranked 4th in the state pre-season, travels to fifth-ranked Grosse Pointe South Monday.

Agape 2, A.P. Inter-City 1: Mike Ossana's run-scoring double provided the difference Thursday as Canton Agape Christian

improved its record to 2-0 in a game played at Canton's Griffin Park.

Allen Park Inter-City Baptist fell to 0-1.

With the game tied at 1-1, Johnny Estrada reached base when the Chargers' catcher dropped a third strike. That set the stage for Ossana's game-winning double.

Agape got a run in the first inning after two were out, Josh Anthony doubling and Rob Hough bringing him in with a single. Inter-City tied it with a run in the second.

Hough went the distance on the mound for Agape, allowing one run on four hits and six walks, striking out eight. He benefitted greatly from his defense, including one play in the sixth in which Josh Claypool, Inter-City's starting (and losing) pitcher tried to score on a wild pitch.

Claypool got caught in a rundown between third and home, with Ossana — Agape's catcher — tagging him out, then picking off another Charger runner as he tried to advance on the play.

Claypool gave up just four hits and hit one batter.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

BASEBALL TRYOUTS

The Canton Cardinals 10-and-under travel baseball team, which will play 36 games in the Little Caesars League and various tournaments (including the state tournament), is having tryouts.

For tryout information, call Chris Tidwell at (734) 495-9767.

S'CRAFT VOLLEYBALL CAMPS

Schoolcraft College will offer a series of summer volleyball camps, directed by Ocelot women's coach Tom Teeters, for players ages 8 through adult.

There will be two sessions for all skills, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday, July 8-11 and July 15-18, spikers training, July 15-18, serving and defense training, July 8-11, setters training, July 15-18, and elite all skills, July 8-11.

The camps will be held at Schoolcraft's Physical Education Building, 18600 Haggerty Road, between Six and Seven Mile roads.

The cost for beginners and intermediate players for each session is \$90 (\$85 for each additional family member or groups of 10 or more).

A \$30 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration with full payment due on or before the first day of each session.

The cost for elite camps is \$125 (\$115 if registered by June 14, or for each additional family member or groups of 10 or more).

There is a \$10 discount for any additional session for beginners, intermediate or elite camp sessions.

For more information, call (734) 462-4400, Ext. 5564 or 5607.

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Schoolcraft College will be offering a series of summer soccer schools for boys and girls ages 5-16, 9 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday, July 15-20, 22-27, July 29-Aug. 3, Aug. 5-10.

The staff is headed by Dominic Scicluna, head men's

soccer coach at Schoolcraft, along with Mario and Tino Scicluna.

The cost for beginner and intermediate players is \$110 per session (\$100 for each additional family member or groups of 10 or more).

The fee for advanced players is \$135 per session (\$125 if registered by June 15 or for groups of 10 or more).

A \$50 non-refundable deposit is required per entrant with registration. Full payment is due on or before the first day of each session.

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Warriors edge PCA; Agape gets a victory

Down 6-3 after five innings, visiting Lutheran High Westland (2-0) rallied for four runs and a 7-6 victory Thursday against host Plymouth Christian Academy (0-1) in a non-league softball game played at the Canton Softball Center.

Pinch-hitter Lindsay Cunningham's 2-run double proved to be the difference. Ashlea Weston added an RBI triple and Sam Matyas added an RBI single in the sixth.

Matyas, Weston, Meaghan Engel and Cherie DeVries led the Warriors with two hits apiece. Amber Ward had a run-scoring triple and single for

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PCA Whitney Gould added an RBI single.

Heather Rose, the winning pitcher, worked five innings, allowing four earned runs. Cris Hilden came on to earn the save. PCA starter Lauren Terkoski struck out eight, walked one and allowed 11 hits in seven innings.

Farmington Mercy 6, Ladywood 2: Senior pitcher Megan Fedruk was her standout self Friday as host Farmington Hills Mercy opened its season with a 6-2 vic-

tory over Livonia Ladywood.

Fedruk struck out seven and didn't walk a batter while allowing four hits. The Marlins had 13 hits off Blazer pitcher Shawn Fallon, who fanned three and walked three.

Anna Schneider, Carly Tracey, Rachel Del Corvo and Lindsey Fedruk had two hits apiece for Mercy. Fedruk had a triple, Schneider and Sarah Roman a double.

Del Corvo, Fedruk, Holly Van Cleave, Schneider and Erin Agency had one RBI apiece.

Erin Hulett and Meghann Wilkenson had two hits and one RBI each for the Blazers.

Agape 12, Bethesda 8: Canton Agape Christian overcame a 3-0 first-inning deficit to defeat host Sterling Heights Bethesda Thursday in the Wolverines' season opener. Bethesda is 0-1.

Stephane Johnson led Agape with two hits and three runs scored, while Andrea Hough had two hits and scored two runs. Dana Hanes sparked a four-run Agape rally in the fifth inning with a two-run triple down the right field line.

Amy Henry got the pitching win, striking out nine and walking three.

Ocelots earn a title at Kalamazoo Valley CC

Back-to-back tournaments resulted in first and second-place finishes for Schoolcraft College's men's golf team last week.

On Friday at the Kalamazoo Valley CC Invitational at Gull Lake View-Stonehedge North, the Ocelots placed first in a field of 14 teams, scoring 289. Tri State University was a distant second at 300, with Flint Mott CC third at 303.

All four of SC's golfers placed in the top eight, led by a one

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under par 71 by Tom McCall (Garden City), who tied for second overall. Brian Downing (South Lyon) and Derek Lneberry (from Plymouth Canton) each shot a 72, tying for third, and Mark Doughty (from Plymouth Salem) had a 74. Other SC scores were 77s by both Brian Harnos (Garden City) and Jay Smith (Salem).

Last Thursday at the Muskegon CC Invitational at Muskegon Country Club, Muskegon finished first in the 12-team field with a 314, followed by SC at 319 and Kalamazoo Valley at 322. Downing and Lneberry led the Ocelots, tying for third-place overall with 77s, followed by Harnos at 80 and Smith and Doughty at 85. McCall shot an 86.

It'll be a busy week for the Ocelots. They play at the Henry Ford CC Invitational Monday at

Dearborn Country Club, at the St. Clair County CC Invitational Tuesday at Port Huron Country Club, then host the Schoolcraft College Invitational Friday at Gateway Country Club in Romulus.



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Field event winners for the Rocks were Susan Woodard in the shot put (36-6 1/2), Ashleigh Shear in the discus (98-2) and Jennifer Jedlick in the pole vault (8-0)

On the track, other winners for Salem were Stacey Schmedding in the 100 hurdles (17.3), Melissa Drake in the 400 (1:04.6) and Kara Dendrinis in the 800 (2:37.2) Schmedding, Celena Davis, Drake and Jessica Shamberger won the 400 relay (52.9), with Bundle combining with April Aquinto, Drake and Shamberger in the 800 relay (1:52.3) and Jill Grey, Lauren Kane, Erin Jensen and Dendrinis teaming for a win in the 3,200 (10:22.8)

Canton's Sarah Stobbe, Levely, Katie Cezat and Lindman collected a first in the 1,600

relay (4:28.8) The Chiefs other win came in the high jump, with Cindy Rotramel and Kate Calle tying for first (4-8)

As for their next opponent, Gregor knows the Vikings will pose a difficult challenge The question is, are they as good as they were last season? And how does Salem compare?

"I think we're better this year," the Salem coach said "A lot of it will depend on how much they've progressed and how much we've progressed"

Certainly the gap between the two teams expected to be at the top of the WLAA should narrow How much will be determined Thursday

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of, and our sprinters aren't that bad They will help us down the stretch"

The relays were split, the Chiefs winning the 800 (1:35.7) and the 1,600 (3:48.4), while Salem captured the 400 (46.7) and the 3,200 (8:40.8) Canton's 400 relay team was disqualified, something that, while not pleasing Richardson, wasn't all that upsetting

"I'm just glad the DQ occurred at a meet like this, early in the season," the Canton coach said, "because we can go real fast"

And they will do better, in just about everything, something that must be a concern to everyone else in the conference

TRACK RESULTS

<p>PLYMOUTH CANTON 90 PLYMOUTH SALEM 47 Thursday at CEP</p> <p>Shot put 1 Dane Kobus (PC) 41.9 2 Bryan Frawley (PC) 40.3 3 Dave Hull (PS) Discus 1 Frawley (PC) 111.5 2 Ricky Singh (PC) 107.3 Pole Vault 1 Jon Chapman (PC) 10-0 2 Dan Driscoll (PC) 9-6 3 Steve Kiljanczyk (PC) 9-6 High Jump 1 Mike Lanus (PC) 5-8 2 Ken Page (PC) 5-6 Long Jump 1 Page (PC) 19-11 2 Kobus (PC) 19-8 3/4 3 Lanus (PC) 17-10 1/4</p> <p>110 meter hurdles 1 Kobus (PC) 15.9 2 Bob Miller (PS) 16.2 3 Pawel Paszkowski (PC) 16.4 300 hurdles 1 Corey Stewart (PC) 43.8 2 Bob Miller (PS) 44.9 3 Boothroyd (PS) 45.6 100 1 Corey Waiser (PC) 11.2 2 Shardale Hearn (PC) 11.7 3 Mike Wilson (PS) 12.1 200 1 Waiser (PC) 22.6 (ties school record held by Brian Carney 1987) 2 Wilson (PS) 24.1 3 Anthony Nowak (PS) 24.3 400 1 Tom Huls (PS) 53.2 2 Brian Soash (PC) 53.5 3 Steve Shull (PS) 53.8 800 1 Aaron Schmidt (PC) 2:03.9 2 Chris Vraniak (PS) 2:07.1 3 Ray Eisbrenner (PC) 2:13.9 1,600 1 Justin Hajduk (PS) 4:37.8 2 Vraniak (PS) 4:38.9 3 Aaron Lanning (PC)</p>	<p>4 44.6 3,200 1 Hajduk (PS) 10:08.0 2 Lanning (PC) 10:21.0 3 Brandon McClellan (PC) 10:41.0 400 relay 1 Salem (Anthony Nowak Miller Bill Stemmermann Myron Covington) 46.7 800 relay Canton (Hearn Jerome Garrison John Szlinis Waiser) 1:35.7 1,600 relay Canton (Soash Singh John Szlinis Schmidt) 3:48.4 3,200 relay Salem (Vraniak Jim Leddy Steve Shull Justin Hajduk) 8:40.8</p> <p>Dual-meet records Canton 10 Salem 0-1</p> <p>PLYMOUTH SALEM 89 PLYMOUTH CANTON 48 Thursday at CEP</p> <p>Shot put 1 Susan Woodard (PS) 36 feet 6 1/2 inches 2 Jessica Bailey (PC) 32.7 3 Jennifer Early (PS) 30-10 Discus 1 Ashleigh Shear (PS) 98.2 2 Early (PS) 79-3 3 Lori Cairo (PS) 78-3 Pole vault 1 Jennifer Jedlick (PS) 8-0 2 Ashley Bohard (PC) 7-6 3 J Q Williams (PC) 7-6 Long Jump 1 Rachel Lindman (PC) 15.8 2 April Aquinto (PS) 14.11 3 Celena Davis (PS) 14-8 1/2 High Jump 1 (tie) Cindy Rotramel (PC) Kate Calle (PC) 4-8 3 Jessica Schmedding (PC) 4-8</p> <p>100-meter hurdles 1 Stacey Schmedding (PS) 17.3 2 Aquinto (PS) 17.5 3 Calle (PC) 19.5 300 hurdles 1 Emiane</p>	<p>Bundle (PS) 52.1 2 Amy Masterson (PS) 54.1 3 Andrea Lang (PS) 55.6 100 Bundle (PS) 13.2 2 Christina Redd (PC) 13.5 3 Jessica Shamberger (PS) 13.6 200 1 Lindman (PC) 27.3 2 Redd (PC) 28.2 3 Drew Franklin (PS) 28.6 400: 1 Melissa Drake (PS) 1:04.6 2 Franklin (PS) 1:07.0 3 Terease Chandler (PS) 1:08.0 800 1 Kara Dendrinis (PS) 2:37.2 2 Jill Grey (PS) 2:38.4 3 Erin Jensen (PS) 2:40.1 1,600 1 Sarah McCormack (PC) 5:50.1 2 Lauren Kane (PS) 5:51.1 3 Laura Friedman (PS) 5:52.3 3,200 1 McCormack (PC) 12:24.1 2 Liane Griffiths (PS) 12:24.9 3 Stephanie Hajduk (PS) 13:36.7 400 relay Salem (Schmedding Davis Drake Shamberger) 52.9 800 relay Salem (Bundle Aquinto Drake Shamberger) 1:52.3 1,600 relay Canton (Sarah Stobbe Jessica Levely Katie Cezat Lindman) 4:28.8 3,200 relay Salem (Grey Kane Jensen Dendrinis) 10:22.8</p> <p>Dual meet records Salem 10 Canton 0-1</p>
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Tudor moves from left field to shortstop to take over for Kelly, who was a four-year starter (Tudor's) quick, she's fast, she's got a quick release and she's a smart player," said Southerland "She's a hard worker and a very disciplined hitter"

Mandy Bradley, a junior, returns at third base, and she too brings with her a strong bat Bradley hit 346 with four doubles, two triples and 15 RBI last season, playing all 36 games She has a tremendous arm and she's strong, she can hit the long ball," said Southerland

Bradley will be the designated hitter some of the time to allow Southerland to get Janesse Chapman, also a junior, into the lineup at third base Another strong armed player Chapman will be the designated hitter as

well Rachel Heid, a senior, will take over at second base She saw some action last season, collecting 17 hits Jessica Bonello, a junior, will move to left field for Tudor, or wherever else she might be needed — versatility is her strength

At pitcher, senior Jill Posler brings some experience to the position She saw action in 16 games last season (starting and relieving), picking up five wins and posting a 2.47 earned-run average

Although Southerland does have a core of proven players to count on, her team is a young one (just five seniors) That means a few of her six sophomores will have to contribute

Brooke Posler is one she'll start at first base Courtney

Edwards will share time at second with Heid, Ashley Bilke will play in the outfield, and Alycia Murawski will back up Szawara at catcher Michelle Jurcak and Kelli Szczepanski will pitch some, with Szczepanski also playing in the outfield "We need to get her into the lineup," said Southerland

How well the transition from last season to this one will work is anyone's guess Although Salem won 21 games, they were just 7.9 in the WLAA

"We have kids who will step up," said Southerland "They have high expectations, but they have huge shoes to fill Most have played together before, and they get along great on and off the field

"Defense will be our strong point They're fundamentally

strong and, as I said, they've been playing ball together a number of years The sophomores will fit right in"

But will it be enough to make a run at North Farmington and Walled Lake Central and Livonia Churchill, the three teams that figure to be the toughest in the WLAA, and perhaps another district crown?

"We have some girls who won't settle for anything less," said Southerland "We can hit the ball well If we can hit the better pitchers in this league, it'll prepare us for the state tournament"

Sounds optimistic, and reach able

WEEK AHEAD

<p>PREP BASEBALL Monday, April 15 W L Central at Churchill 4 p m Salem at Franklin 4 p m Stevenson at Northville 4 p m John Glenn at Canton 4 p m Tay Kennedy at Wayne 4 p m Redford CC at G P South 4 p m Agape at Clarenceville 4:30 p m PCA at Luth Westland 4:30 p m</p> <p>Tuesday, April 16 Det Urban vs Agape 4:30 p m at Griffin Park 1 A P Inter-City vs PCA 4:30 p m at Griffin Park 2 Churchill at Crestwood 4:30 p m World Outreach at Huron Valley 4 p m</p> <p>Wednesday, April 17 Farmington at Salem 4 p m Canton at Farmington Harrison 4 p m Churchill at W L Western 4 p m Northville at Franklin 4 p m Stevenson at Franklin 4 p m John Glenn at W L Central 4 p m Wayne at Redford Union 4 p m DeLaSalle at Redford CC (2) 4 p m Luth W sid at Luth N west 4:30 p m</p> <p>Thursday April 18 PCA at B H Roeper 7 p m Redford CC at Stevenson 4 p m Franklin at Edsel Ford 4 p m Huron Valley at Tay Baptist 4:30 p m</p> <p>Friday April 19 Churchill at Salem 4 p m Canton at W L Central 4 p m A A Greenhills vs 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All knotted up: Salem, Canton both tie

Last season, the biggest problem for Plymouth Salem's soccer team was scoring goals. In Friday's season-opener, the Rocks did not seem to have upgraded that area much as they played Utica Henry Ford to a scoreless tie at Salem.

To be fair, the non-league match with the Falcons was called with 15 minutes remaining due to lightning. The weather had caused the start of the contest to be delayed 30 minutes. "It was a good opening game," said Salem coach Joe Nora. "It

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was hard-fought, by both teams. We had some good, quality chances and we gained a lot of confidence, so we know what we have to work on."

The match was the first in a four-games-in-six-days stretch for the Rocks, who host Walled Lake Central Monday, then play at Northville — ranked No. 2 in the state — on Wednesday. Both are Western Lakes Activities Association matches.

Canton 2, Novi 2: Eighth-ranked Plymouth Canton started off its season with a tie against the Novi Wildcats Wednesday at Canton.

Two players supplied all the offense for Canton in the game, with Stephanie Johnson scoring the first goal, assisted by Erica Ahrenz. Johnson later assisted on Ahrenz's go-ahead goal late in the first half.

Brianna Wolcott made 13 saves in goal for Canton, who is 0-0-1 on the season.

PCA 1, Lutheran Westland 1:

Sarah Moriarty scored the game-tying goal for Plymouth Christian Academy in the second half, giving the Eagles a draw Thursday at Lutheran Westland.

PCA is 0-1-1 overall, the Warriors are 0-0-1.

Samantha Wiemer got Lutheran Westland's goal in the first half off a direct kick. Moriarty's tying score came off an assist from Rachel Rudzins.

Ladywood 0, Bishop Foley 0: Livonia Ladywood opened a few eyes Thursday, battling defending Division II state champion

Madison Heights Bishop Foley to a scoreless draw. Ladywood is 1-0-1, Foley is 0-0-2.

Junior goalkeeper Stefan Szczechowski posted the shutout for the Blazers. She suffered a broken leg in the Foley match last year.

"My whole team played an excellent game," Ladywood coach Jill Logsdon said. "We walked on field ready to play. We worked hard and worked as a team. They really picked up their game to play Foley."

"They (Foley) broke Stefan's

leg last year, so I think my team was ready to pay them back by playing well on the field."

Sophomore sweeper Sue Christenson helped run the Ladywood defense, while center-midfielder Danica Rodriguez and Lindsay Rowe also prevented Foley from having many shots on goal.

"We were very excited," Logsdon said. "The team is working hard and performing well. They're coming to practice ready to work hard. They want keep this momentum going."

SPORTS SCENE

MEN'S BASEBALL LEAGUE

Players between the ages of 18 and 28 are needed for the new Men's Amateur Baseball League in southeast Michigan. Anyone interested in playing should contact Doug Zuba at 734-383-3402.

EMU YOUTH FOOTBALL CLINIC

The Eastern Michigan University football coaches will host a youth football clinic 1:30-4 p.m. Sunday, May 5, at Ryneerson Stadium in Ypsilanti for kids ages 8 to 14.

Each participant will receive a T-shirt, two tickets to the home

opener against Toledo on Sept. 7 and a tour of the team locker room and weight room.

The cost is \$10 before April 15 and \$15 after that date. All groups or teams of 10 or more will be charged \$10 a person.

The coaches, including head coach Jeff Woodruff, will teach basic skills and techniques to become an improved player. For more information call (734) 487-5642.

MS LONGEST DAY OF GOLF

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society is sponsoring the MS

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Participants are asked to organize a foursome, call the National MS Society at 1-800-FIGHT-MS or visit it online at www.nmssmi.org, pick a course and a day in May, register, raise pledges and get ready to play golf all day.

The event will raise money for research, programs and services for people living with MS, a chronic, often disabling disease

of the central nervous system. More information call Amber Ackley at (248) 350-0020, ext. 215.

HOLOWICKI HOOP CAMP

Bernie Holowicki's All-Star Basketball Camp, for boys and girls ages 8-15, will begin June 9 at Madonna University.

There will be three sessions of boys camps, the first at 9 a.m.-3 p.m. June 9-13, the second at 9 a.m.-3 p.m. June 14-18, and the third at 9 a.m.-3 p.m. June 19-23. The cost for each is \$150.

The girls basketball camp will

be July 10-14 at Madonna. Cost is \$140.

The camps will feature contests and prizes, a quality shirt for each participant, drills, camp awards, guest speakers, motivational and instructional videos, special games with the camp staff, a personal written evaluation, a camp championship tournament, and much more.

For further information or to register, call Bill Derderian at (313) 937-0966 or Madonna University coach Bernie Holowicki at (734) 261-3346 (home) or (734) 432-5591 (Madonna).

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The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community School invites all interested and qualified companies to submit proposals for Plymouth High School Bid Packet #6 which includes Bid Division 122A Exterior Signage and Bid Division 117A Acoustical Treatments. Plans will be available on April 15, 2002 by contacting the offices of McS/EV 24917 Indoplex Farmington Hills, MI 48335 or by phoning MaryBeth Dorsch at (248) 427-8400. Sealed bids are due to the E J McClendon Building 454 South Harvey Plymouth, MI 48154 on or before 1:30 p.m. Wednesday May 1st 2002 at which time they will be opened publicly.

The Board of Education reserves the right to accept any or reject all proposals, as they judge, in the best interest of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools.

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The Board of Education of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for **Water Piping for Gallimore Elementary School**. Specifications and bid forms will be available on April 15, 2002 by contacting Laura Hagan of the PCCS Maintenance Department at (734) 416-2953. On Thursday April 18, 2002 at 3:00 p.m. a mandatory pre bid meeting will be held at the entrance to Salem High School 46181 Joy Road Canton, MI. Sealed bids are due to the PCCS E J McClendon Building 454 South Harvey Plymouth, MI 48170 on or before 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 30, 2002 and should be forwarded to Dan Phillips RE Gallimore Piping Bid at the address noted above. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

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Grief teleconference

Saint Joseph Mercy Hospice of Washtenaw, Muehlig Funeral Chapel of Ann Arbor and Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Chapel of Dexter will sponsor 'Living With Grief Loss in Later Life.' This live via-satellite teleconference will be held 1:30-4:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 24 at Washtenaw Community College, 4800 E. Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor in the Morris Lawrence Building, Room 105.

The program will be moderated by Cokie Roberts, ABC News, and will feature a panel of experts who will examine the needs and barriers faced by our aging population in coping with the range of losses found in later life.

For more information, please call Saint Joseph Mercy's Hospice of Washtenaw at (734) 327-3409.

Adoption

Lutheran Adoption Services will hold a workshop dealing with parent-adoptee attachment issues 12:30-5 p.m. Saturday, May 11 at the Providence Park Medical Center, 47601 Grand River (at Beck Road), Novi.

Adoptive parents, adults adoptees and professionals will learn how attachment develops, why it can fail and how it affects families and marriages.

The fee is \$20 per person or \$30 per couple, and advance mail in registration is highly recommended. Individuals can register at the door for \$25 if space is available. Contact Tina Caudill at (248) 423-2770 or e-mail tcaud@lssm.org.

American Cancer Society

The American Cancer Society needs volunteers for its Road to Recovery program to drive cancer patients to and from treatment at Henry Ford Hospital in downtown Detroit. All volunteers need a reliable means of transportation and a few hours during the week.

"Sadly, patients everyday are canceling and postponing their cancer treatment simply because they do not have a ride," said Jessica Pott, Quality of Life director, American Cancer Society. "Right here in the metro-Detroit area, 10-20 percent of newly diagnosed cancer patients are not getting the treatment they need simply because they do not have transportation. It is our job to help them get back on the road to recovery."

To learn more, call the American Cancer Society at (248) 557-5353.

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Time for Tai Chi!

Seniors gain balance, flexibility and strength through ancient form of Chinese martial arts

BY SANDRA J. CAMPBELL
SPECIAL WRITER

Baby boomers across the nation are recognizing the many health benefits that Tai Chi, an ancient form of martial arts, brings to their aging bodies. This preventative maintenance exercise is made up of slow, graceful movements that flow from one position to another. Tai Chi has been found to improve memory function, provide better balance and greater flexibility, and produce an overall sense of well-being.

Bob Correll of Dearborn is a sifu, or instructor, who teaches Tai Chi Chuan classes in many metro Detroit areas, including the Redford Community Center in Redford Township. His interest in Tai Chi dates back to 1967 when he was a young army officer stationed in Viet Nam. He recalls, "One morning I saw a tiny elderly man moving in what appeared to be a slow-motion dance of incredible beauty and continuous flowing movement. This was my first exposure to Tai Chi Chuan."

In the early 1990s Correll experienced a serious health condition that required surgery. As part of the healing process he incorporated his knowledge of Tai Chi to design his own rehabilitation program.

My recovery was rapid and continuous, he said.

He currently is negotiating a plan to introduce his Yang style of Tai Chi Chuan as part of the rehabilitation program offered through Oakwood Health Systems. The slow, graceful movements can be easily adjusted to any fitness level, he said.

Happy students

Correll has designed a special modified form of Tai Chi for senior citizens. His students are thrilled

with their own physical and mental health improvements.

Anna LaCombe, a retired math teacher from Wayne, said of Correll: "He is a gentle soul who has adapted the traditional form and teaches us the mechanics of Tai Chi. He breaks each position down into four or five separate steps and then its practice, practice, practice. I try to do the warm-up exercises and the Form about three times a week."

Betty Gabrielli of Westland went through extensive back surgery and was forced to take an early medical retirement. "My physical therapist at the University of Michigan MedRehab in Ann Arbor suggested that I should take Tai Chi and stick with it for life," she said.

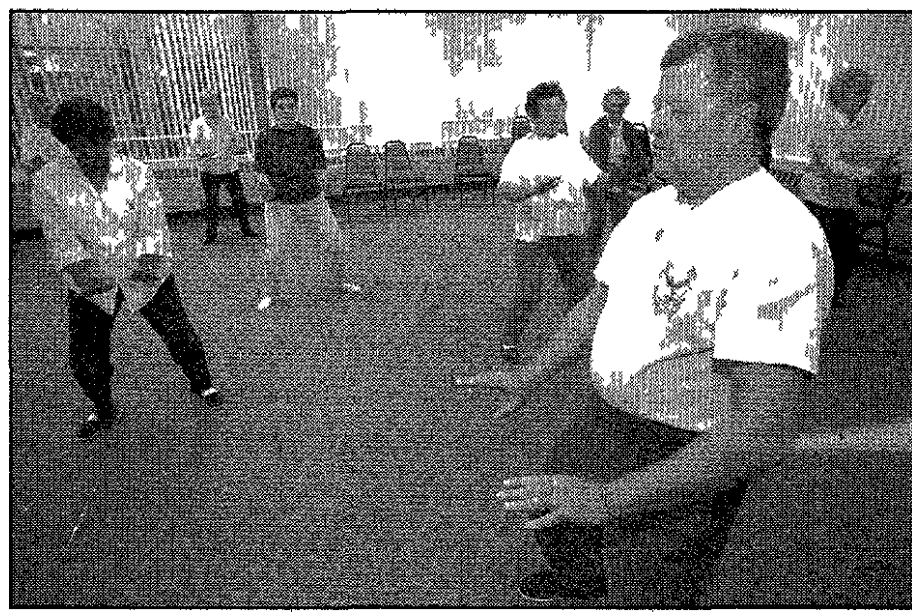
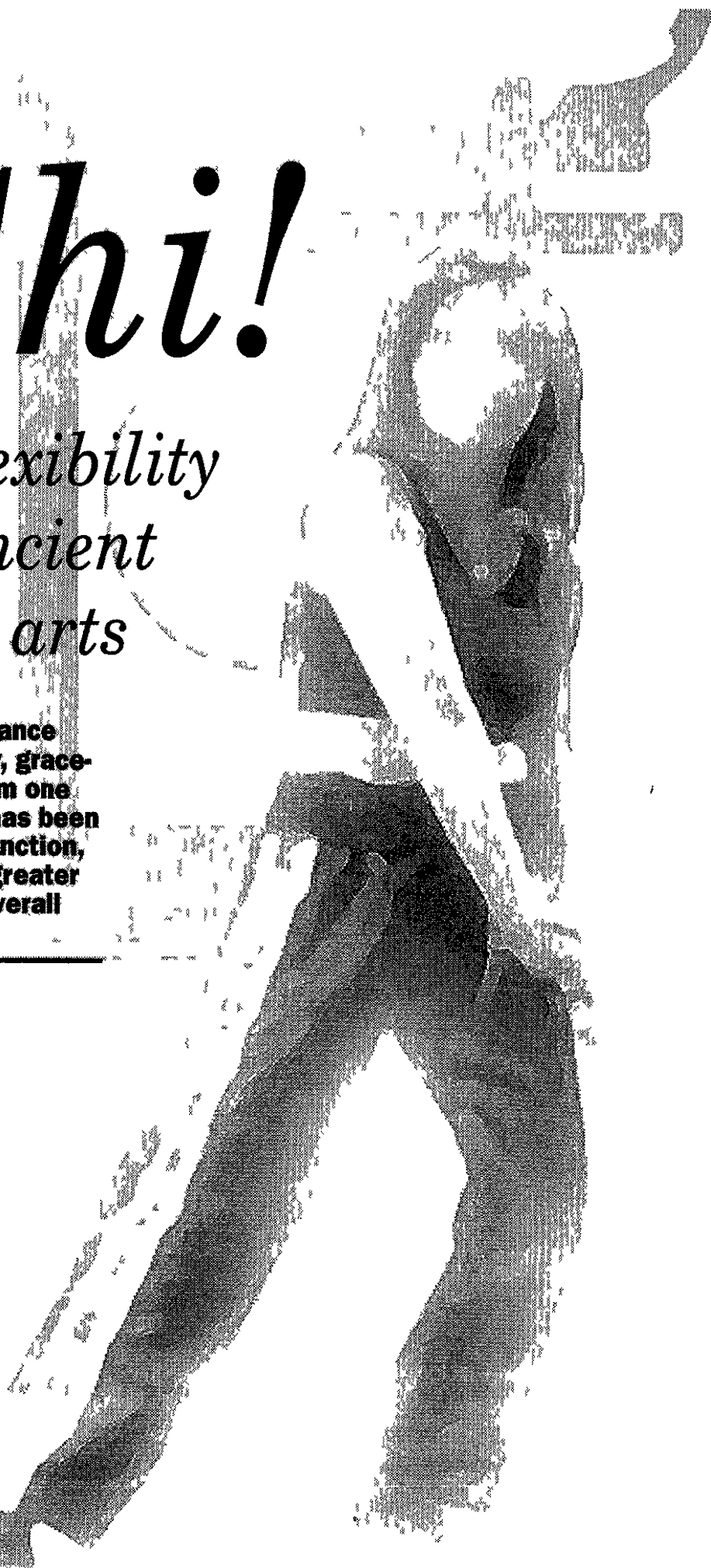
My involvement in the class has made me feel more hopeful of my future and in my ability to remain functional. Tai Chi gives a disabled person hope for a better physical tomorrow."

Since starting the class, Gabrielli's pain from osteoarthritis has been relieved through greater joint flexibility. Correll explains: "During the warm-up exercises we rotate every major joint in the body. This circular movement brings extra fluid to help lubricate the joints."

Seventy-nine year old Nadean Malosh of Wayne says the lessons have improved her memory and her ability to concentrate. "You have to learn a new posture each week and then remember it for next class."

Correll offered an explanation for Malosh's improved memory: "The nucleus of Tai Chi is the 'form' or series of postures. They are never held in a static position but are flowed through using transition moves. Each posture is learned in sequence much as in a choreographed dance."

Lower cholesterol may be another benefit of Tai Chi. "I went to my doctor for an annual check-up and my cholesterol was down," said Ann Leonard of Wayne. "He asked me what I had been doing different and I told him, 'Tai Chi!' I love this so much, I just can't quit coming!"



Working out: Tai Chi instructor Bob Correll leads his class of seniors through a series of postures Friday morning at the Redford Community Center.

Health benefits

Caroline Smith is the health program coordinator at Botsford Hospital in Farmington Hills. She has been taking Tai Chi for five years to

help alleviate symptoms of Reiter's Syndrome, an autoimmune disease that attacks her joints and muscles.

"Tai Chi helped me to slow down, relax and lower my resting blood pressure. The deep breathing exercises increased my lung function," she said.

Sally Rich of Bloomfield Hills is president and volunteer instructor for the Taoist Tai Chi Society, a non-profit organization that promotes the health benefits of Tai Chi. The health of many of her students has improved, she said. An elderly man who has cancer told her his energy level has increased. He has less pain and is able to sleep better at night. In addition, a woman with muscular sclerosis who came to the first class in a wheel chair now goes through the one-hour class with just her cane, thanks to special leg strengthening exercises.

Research studies reported in *Medicine and Science in Sports and Exercise* showed Tai Chi gave a 10 percent increase in cardio-respiratory.

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Quadruple bypass survivor runs in local race

BY JENNIFER KENNEDY
SPECIAL WRITER

Tom Dempster is living proof that exercise, a proper diet and a positive outlook on life can do a body good.

Dempster, a project coordinator in roofing for R E Graham Construction in Livonia, recently participated in the Livonia Family YMCA's annual St. Pat's Fun Run on March 16 along with 280 other runners. His goal was to finish the three-mile race in 36 minutes, but he finished in 32:13, much faster than he had imagined. To some avid runners, this may not seem a significant accomplishment, but to a 51-year-old man who experienced two previous heart attacks

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in 1996 and 1997 and quadruple bypass surgery on Feb. 14, 2001, this is like winning a marathon.

On Feb. 5, 2001, Dempster visited his doctor for a routine appointment, but she would not let him return home. He was diagnosed with a 60 percent blockage of his arteries, which required immediate surgery. The surgery at St.

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In good health: Tom Dempster joined the Livonia Family YMCA and exercises regularly, after undergoing a quadruple bypass in 2001. He even ran in the Y's annual St. Pat's Fun Run last month.

Tai Chi around town

■ On-going, drop-in classes are offered at the Total Rehabilitation Athletic Conditioning Center (TRACC), 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi, (248) 473-5600 TRACC also has specialized chair Tai Chi exercises for seniors and those with special needs Visit www.botsfordsystem.org/TRACC

■ Free demonstration will be given 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 23 at the Wayne Senior

Activity Center, 35000 Sims Ave., Wayne Call center director Nancy Wojewski-Noel at (734) 721-7460

■ Sessions underway since April 5 at the Redford Senior Center, 12121 Hemingway, Redford, with instructor Bob Correll Call center director Dorothy Morris at (313) 387-2788

■ Sessions underway since April 3 at the Taoist Tai Chi

Society, 38121 Ann Arbor Road, Livonia, with instructor Sally Rich Call (248) 332-1281

■ Classes available in September at The Summit, 46000 Summit Parkway, Canton, with instructor Eileen Sands Call (734) 394-5485

■ For more information on research regarding the health benefits of Tai Chi, visit www.krapu4.com/taichi/research/

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tion function in patients who had coronary bypass surgery

"Tai Chi makes the heart rate go up to aerobic levels providing an excellent cardiovascular workout The rhythmic movement shifts the body weight which helps to pump the blood from head to toe," said Rich

Dr. Elliot Kravitz, a specialist in geriatric medicine and advisor to the society, said Tai Chi has numerous advantages over other methods "It is evenly balanced, self-regulated and does not subject the body to the sudden shearing and tearing forces that so commonly lead to injury"

The American College and Sports Medicine Health and Fitness Journal reports a 47.5 percent decrease in falls of

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*Eileen Sands
Tai Chi teacher,
The Summit in Canton*

patients over 70 years old Tai Chi increases the self-confidence by giving them a better sense of balance

Ageless

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she said "It is a no-impact exercise that makes it easy on the joints for those who suffer with osteoarthritis Tai Chi is a weight bearing exercise that helps build bone density and prevent osteoporosis

Tai Chi has been described as 'meditation in motion,' she said Our class helps seniors to have better balance by teaching them how to distribute their weight evenly The exercises help to gently stretch the spine, which increases mobility and provides greater flexibility"

Sands' class has become so popular, there's a waiting list So, come on, baby Boomers, get off that couch, stand up and get moving again Tai Chi may not be the X-treme sport for the X-Generation, but it's just what the doctor ordered for you

Survivor from page C6

John Hospital was successful and Dempster remained on his cardiac rehabilitation program at the Livonia Family YMCA However, Dempster experienced another scare on Dec. 23, 2001. He had an emergency catheterization performed over the holiday season and it was determined he had a 57 percent blockage again With a change in his medication, he has been doing well.

"We (The Livonia Family YMCA staff) were concerned about him," said Teresa Maguran a personal trainer at the YMCA "Tom is such a nice guy and works out very consistently, so we see him all the time"

It is not easy for someone like Dempster He has a family history of high cholesterol His liver produces too much of it With a well balanced diet, doctor-recommended exercise, and the proper prescribed medication, Dempster has done his part to maintain a healthy lifestyle He eats lean meats like chicken, a few vegetables, and five fruits a day He also exercises on a regular basis

The battle begins

Three years ago, never having joined a health and fitness facility before, Dempster decided to battle his family's medical history and join the Livonia Family YMCA He has since lost 70 pounds, made friends and found a place where he feels comfortable

"The support I've received from the staff and the friends I've made at the (Livonia Family) Y has really encouraged me to accomplish what I've done so far," he said "I was determined to run in this race' And that he did with the support of his family, who was waiting for him at the finish line

Dempster, a divorced father of two daughters, Autumn, 21, and Kathleen, 15, had been the only family member belonging to the YMCA Now his daughters also belong

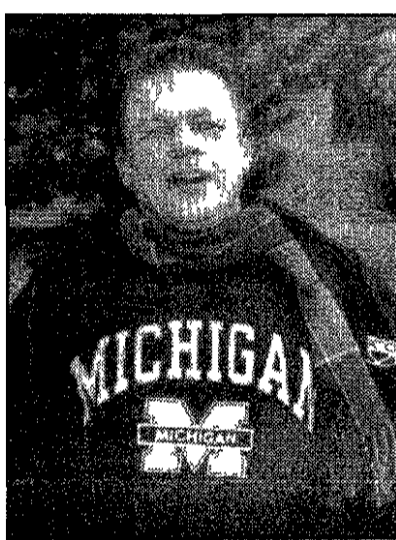
After his surgery in 2001, Dempster was monitored for three months, exercising once a week

"I started out with one-pound weights, and walking on the treadmill, he said "I slowly gained strength and endurance so now I can bench press 160 pounds and do three-to-four miles of cardiovascular exercise I do more cardio and go light on the weights"

Dempster varies his cardiovascular program with walking, running, the stairclimber and the elliptical machine, and a lot of stretching With his doctor's permission, he increased his mileage in order to train for the YMCA St. Pat's Fun Run It certainly proved successful

"Tom deserves recognition for his hard work It is not easy coming back from heart surgery and training to run in a race He shows that it takes a positive attitude and determination to maintain a healthy lifestyle," Maguran said

Dempster is extremely appreciative to the people who helped him achieve his accomplishment



Tom Dempster

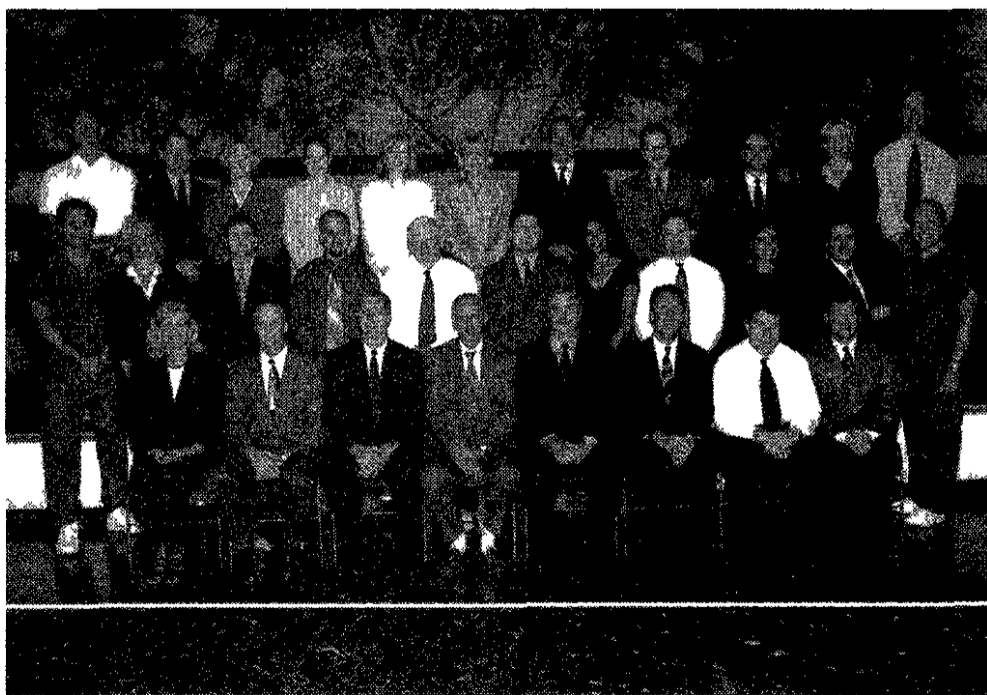
I took my St. Pat's Fun Run T-shirt that I received from entering the race and gave it to my doctor She was very excited

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APRIL

KIDS HEALTH DAY

The Farmington Family YMCA will present "Healthy Kids Day" noon-3 p.m. Sunday, April 14. Check-in begins 11:30 a.m. Activities include the presidential fitness test, obstacle course, healthy cooking, finger printing and spinal testing. Registration required. Call (248) 553-4020, ext. 122.

BREAST CANCER

"Focus on Healing," a therapeutic dance-exercise program for women recovering from breast cancer, will be offered 1-2 p.m. Monday and Thursday, April 15-May 2 at Metro Dance, 451 S. Mill Street, Plymouth. To register, call (734) 728-0807.

HEALTH CAREERS

Henry Ford Community College will sponsor a "Health Careers and Nursing Open House" 5-7 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, in the Health Careers Education Center on the main campus, 5101 Evergreen Road, Dearborn. Participants will tour state-of-the-art labs in 13 different career areas and speak with experts in emergency medical services, fire science, health information technology, nursing, pharmacy technology, physical therapy and more. Call the Health Career Division at (313) 845-9877 or visit www.hfcc.net/healthopenhouse.

MENOPAUSE

Dr. Jerrold Weinberg from the Birmingham Menopause Institute will present "Natural Approach to Menopause" 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 17 at MSU Management Education Center, 811 W. Square Lake Road, Troy. Discussion will include hormone replacement therapy, acupuncture, alternative treatments, heart disease, and osteoporosis. Free admission. Call (248) 267-5002.

BREAST CANCER

Sharing and Caring of Beaumont Hospital will present "Research in Breast Cancer Vaccine & Immunotherapy" with Dr. Weizen Wei, Karmanos Cancer Center, 7-9 p.m. Thursday, April 18. The presentation will be in the hospital's 1st Floor Conference Room, Beaumont Cancer Center, 3577 W. 13 Mile Road, Royal Oak. Call (248) 551-8585.

COLON CANCER

The Oakwood Cancer Center will offer a free educational program on colorectal cancer 1-2 p.m. Friday, April 19, at the Kalman Auditorium at the hospital's medical center in Dearborn. Doctors representing gas-

troenterology, pathology and oncology will present the program. Call (800) 543-9355.

MESSAGE-A-THON

Irene's Myomassage Institute will host its 4th annual Massage-A-Thon April 19-21 at 18911 West 10 Mile Road in Southfield. The 48-hour event will offer free one-hour massages by appointment. All donations received will benefit Lighthouse PATH, a shelter that provides homeless women and children with transitional housing, education and job training. The non-stop event will begin on Friday, April 19, at 7 p.m. and end Sunday, April 21, at 7 p.m.

COSMETIC SURGERY

Dr. Charles Boyd of the U-M Center for Facial Cosmetic Surgery, will discuss the latest techniques in facial plastic surgery 7-8:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 24 at the center, 19900 Haggerty Road, Suite 111, Livonia. Registration limited to 10 people. Call (800) 943-3223 or (734) 432-7651.

STUTTERING

Teens Who Stutter Network (TWIST), a support group for teens to share coping skills and practice speaking fluently with their peers, will meet 6-8:30 p.m. Thursday, April 25 at Beaumont Hospital, Administration Building, Private Dining Room, 3601 W. Thirteen Mile Road, Royal Oak. Call (248) 551-2107.

MAY

MENOPAUSE

Clinical psychologist Dr. Gail Majcher will present eight one-hour, weekly group therapy sessions on menopause. Topics include psychological-emotional changes, physical changes, hormone replacement therapy, natural remedies, relationship disruptions, and sleep irregularities. Sessions begin 4-5 p.m. or 5:30-6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 1, at The Main House, 426 S. Main, Northville. Cost is \$35 per session or \$265 for the series. Call (248) 348-5050.

TEENS/DRUGS

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor will host a two-night program on "Teens Using Drugs" 7:30-9 p.m. Tuesday, May 7 and May 14. Presented by social worker Ron Harrison in Classroom EC4, 2nd Floor, Education Center, 5305 Elliott Drive, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. Call (734) 973-7892.

BREAST CANCER

The breast cancer education and support group at Beaumont Hospital presents "Beyond Tamoxifen: hormone replacements, treatments and breast cancer" 7-9 p.m. Thursday, May 9, in the hospital's 1st Floor Conference Room, Beaumont Cancer Center, 3577 W. 13 Mile, Royal Oak. Dr. Marc Lippman of the University of Michigan, a nationally recognized expert in the oncology and endocrinology, will be the presenter. Call (248) 551-8585.

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There is another side to osteoporosis. The osteoporotic bone does not break but it aches all the time you are up and moving. Sitting relieves your pain being in bed eases the discomfort. However whenever you are standing or walking the ache returns. The discomfort usually centers in the lower back from the first lumbar vertebrae to the tailbone.

The problem with this form of osteoporosis is its persistence. It continues for years. Worse yet it becomes a little worse each year. You may undertake repeated x-rays or MRI scans with no evidence for vertebrae out of place or nerve impingement. You or your doctors may conclude you have "back strain."

Recognize that the pain of osteoporosis is important since treatment exists. Therapy does not consist of exercises to strengthen your back or massage to relieve your tight muscles. Rather appropriate treatment focuses on reversing the osteoporosis. In most instances that means use of estrogen type medications where appropriate or initiation of fosamax, actonel or alendronate depending on the preference of your doctor.

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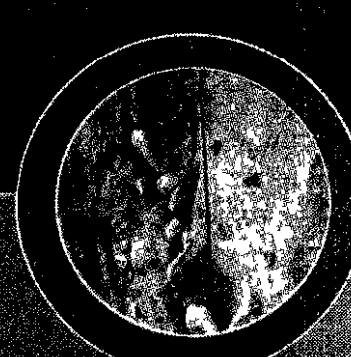
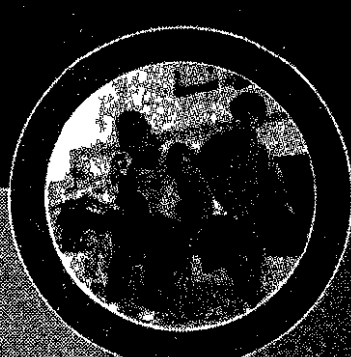
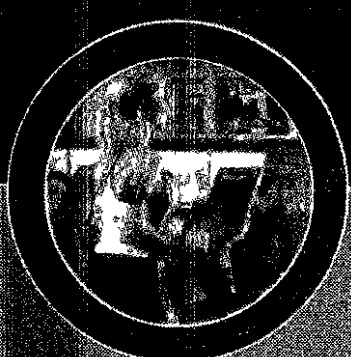
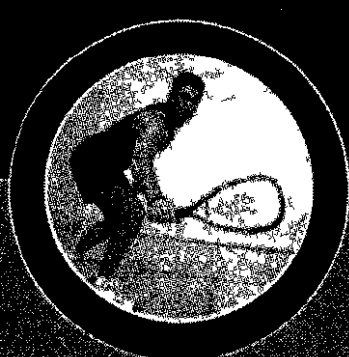
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Builder rents final phase at Copper Creek

Condominium living without owning a condo?

Consider leasing one in The Reserve at Copper Creek in Canton

The last 16 residences in the 72-unit community off Warren between Haggerty and Lilley will be offered on a rental basis

Floor plans remain basically the same as the other "homes" there except for some minor tweaking and a new insulation product

"We have found a market for high-end, upscale rentals," said Cary Belovicz, sales manager for Copper Creek Development. "Executives, transferees, contract people here for one, two or three years"

"They're not going to be here long enough to purchase, but they want to be comfortable," added Leah Brewer, leasing consultant

But there's another kind of potential tenant

"Somebody in the \$1,300 to \$1,700 rental unit now, who doesn't mind paying more for the luxury style we have," Belovicz said

"We researched the market and very few rentals are in that range," Brewer said. "They're full. Here, they have the best of both worlds. They can rent a high-end and not have to do maintenance"

Mel Belovicz, president of Copper Creek Development and Cary's dad, said he's often thought about holding back some new housing product for sale at a later date

Now that he's in a financial position to do so and he's finding that the new condominium market has softened a bit, the timing is right

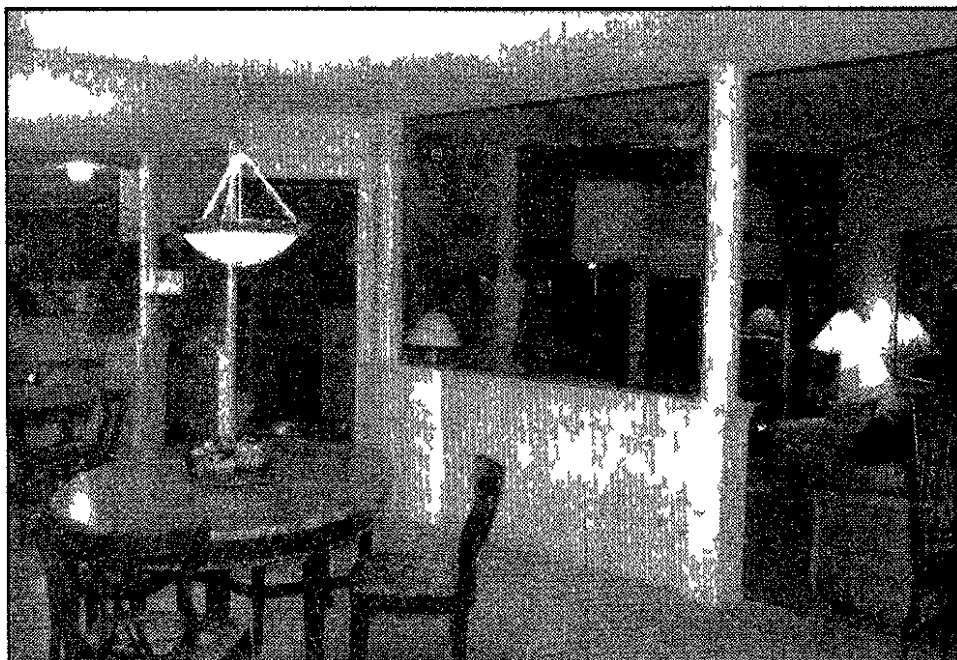
"The big draw is you can't rent something like this," Mel Belovicz said

"This is a very high-class, upscale condominium. It's a beautiful project with a pond and everything"

The 16 rentals, like the other buildings in the Reserve, will feature eight residences to a building, four on the ground floor, four on an upper level

Each has a private entrance, single car garage and basement

Rents range from \$1,700 for a ground floor unit of about 1,400 square feet to



For lease: The builder at Copper Creek is targeting transferees and folks already here who rent but want to move up

\$2,400 for an upper with about 1,700 square feet

All also contain air conditioning, fireplace, patio or deck, individual laundry with washer and dryer, separate jet tub and shower in the master, and range, microwave, refrigerator and dishwasher in the kitchen

Four different floor plans - three with two bedrooms, one with three and all with two baths - are available

The model - the Skyline - is an upper of about 1,700 square feet

The two bedrooms are on either side of the unit

The master, with cathedral ceiling, features a two-way fireplace between the bed and bath portions, a two-sink vanity, walk-in closet and compartmentalized toilet

The kitchen contains a half wall/breakfast bar that opens toward the dining area. The great room has a cathedral ceiling

The unit also features curved walls and niches and will rent for \$2,400 which includes water

The Reserve at Copper Creek has good freeway access to I-275

Shopping and Canton municipal/recreational offerings are fairly close, also

"Just the uniqueness of the product" will bring people in, Brewer said

"You can buy a condo and rent an apartment. Where can you rent a condo?"

The community is within the Plymouth-Canton school boundaries

The rental office/model in The Reserve at Copper Creek, (734) 394-0000, is open noon to 6 p.m. daily. A couple condos in Copper Creek still are available for purchase

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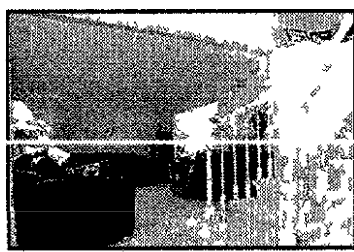


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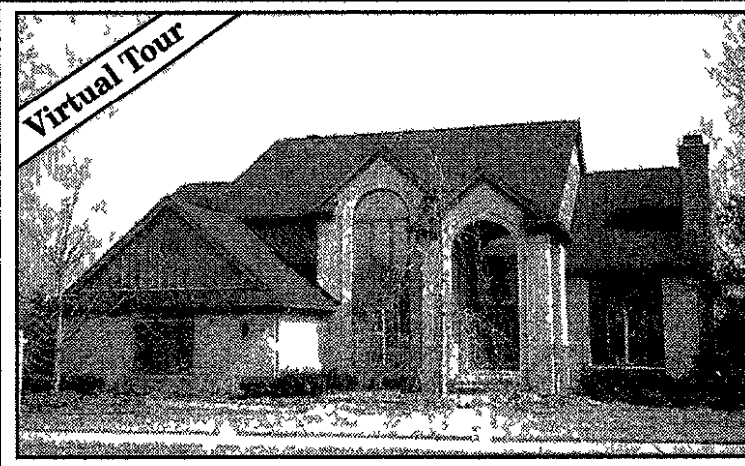
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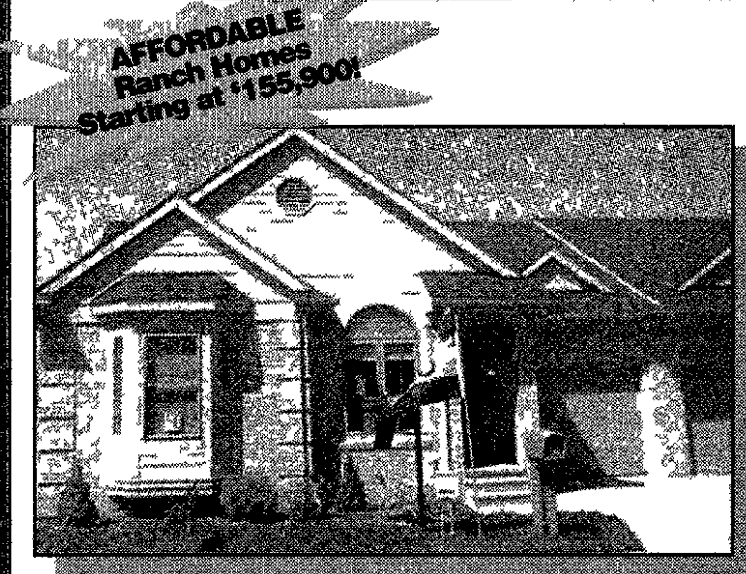
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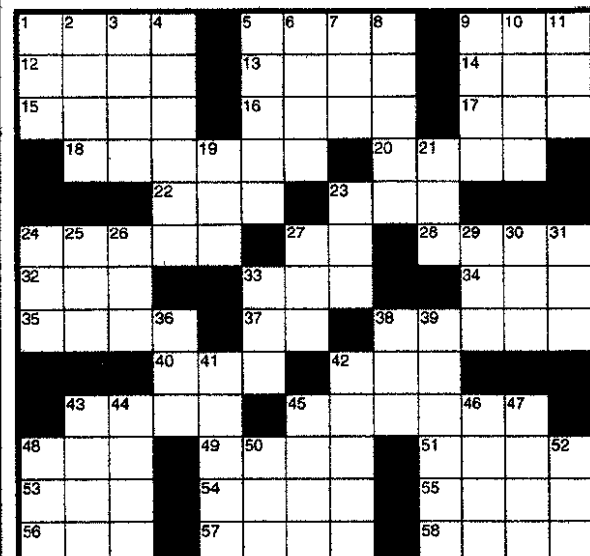
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Wonderful newer colonial freshly painted inside & out New hardwood flooring in entry & kitchen new carpet throughout wood blinds 1st floor laundry Fire place in great room Full basement Move right in! \$749,000 ECH 10NOR 248 646 1400

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BIRMINGHAM Bargain! Charming brick ranch large corner lot in prime neighborhood 3 bedrooms finished basement 2 car garage all new windows & hardwood floors walk to park Birmingham schools 2587 Dorchester \$219,000 (248) 816 8214

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POPULAR WESTCHESTER VILLAGE
Ranch w/updated baths & kitchen Neutral decor throughout w/hardwoods and beige carpeting Full finished basement w/glass block windows workshop office laundry and 38x22 rec room Gas fire place in living room New landscaping in 1998 and 2001 in ground gunite pool. Move in condition! \$279,900 ECH 30WES 248 646 1400

WIXOM Open Sun Noon 4pm 2008 Dover Dr (W of Wixom Rd n Off Charms) Stunning 2365 sq ft 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath colonial Hardwood floors in foyer kitchen & powder room Large kitchen w/island Living family/dining rooms 1st floor laundry fireplace multi level deck 3 car garage daylight basement neutral decor Walled Lake Schools built 1999 \$307,000 243 668 9178

BLOOMFIELD HILLS Spectacular Schools! Updated 3 bed room 1 5 bath 2 car garage \$210,000 248 931 6824

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Popular Fox Hills sub located deep within sub Spacious and well maintained sat box Colonial updated and charming 4 bedrooms 2 full and 1/2 bath Super family room \$279,000 ECH 12SPI 248 646 1400

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CAPE COD 3 bedroom 2 bath vaulted great room w/stone fireplace 3/4 acre w/sprinklers finished basement Brokers welcome \$219,900 (810) 225 2468

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NEW 2002 home 3 bedrooms 1 1/2 baths 1st floor laundry basement 2 car attached garage Close to schools & Shops 1666 Sheldon Road \$205,000 734 844 0112

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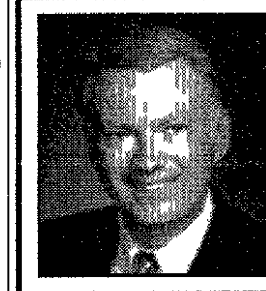
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The Listing Appointment

When you make an appointment with a REALTOR® to list your home, you put a number of wheels in motion. In order to give a professional listing presentation, the REALTOR® wants to be well prepared to discuss the value, saleability, and marketing of your home He or she will probably drive by the house prior to the appointment so as to know what style and floor plan you have It is also important to see your location in the neighborhood and the condition of adjacent homes The REALTOR® may also stop at the local zoning authority to obtain the legal description, assessed valuation, present taxes, and exact lot size or your property Once back in the office, information must be gathered on current listings and past sales of similar homes Through a process of comparison, a market value must be determined Finally, all of this information must be drawn together for your consideration

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Considerable work is necessary to prepare for an afternoon of showing homes to interested buyers A review of all current listings is made to determine which homes suit your needs This review sometimes includes personal visits to each home to be sure it meets your criteria Once these homes are identified, a phone call must be made to verify that the home is still available If it is, another call must be placed to the owner to arrange for access to the house Sometimes, because the owner will not be at home, a key must be obtained at the listing office Copies of pertinent information must be made so that you may have specific answers to your questions as you visit each home

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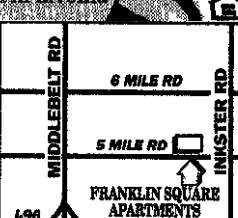
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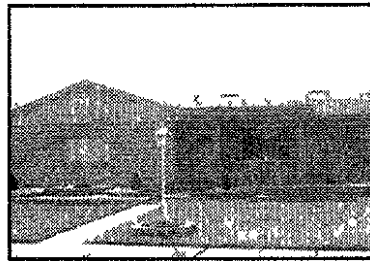
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TROY Private park like setting for this 4 bedroom 3 5 bath split-level home in NW Troy Lower level brick patio three level cedar deck Spacious foyer finished walk out lower level Model perfect home situated on a cul de sac \$587 900 (57FOR) 248 524 1600



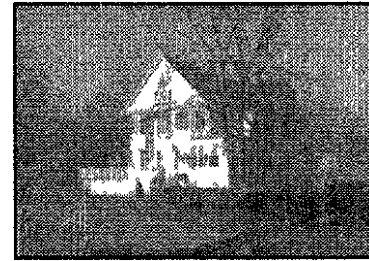
WOODS OF PRESTWICK VILLAGE Custom contemporary 4 BD 3 5 BA hwd w/ library GR w/frplc FFL DR 1st fl MBR A/C 2 furn 3 5 car gar fin LL gorgeous landscaping on 17th green/fairway class A golf memb incl \$30 000 equity Huron Valley Schools \$489 900 (24VIN) 248 363 1200



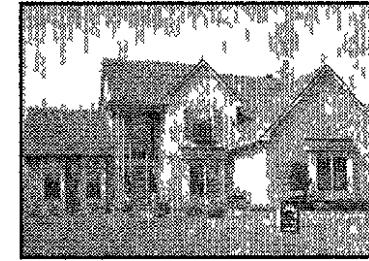
IDEAL LOCATION/UPDATED RANCH ON LARGE LOT Updated ranch w/large fenced lot Ideal location of Dea Hgts Updates include windows roof gutters siding trim landscaping driveway furnace water heater some baths Basement is finished w/full bath \$313 900 (26CEC) 248 626 8800



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HOLLY Custom built 3 bedroom 3 5 bath home w/oak floors cherry kitchen cabinets solid interior doors cedar porch fenced yard pole barn w/concrete floor & deck Water filter system prof finished basement w/bar office & 1/2 bath A nature lovers delight!! \$339 000 (03EQS) 248 642 8100



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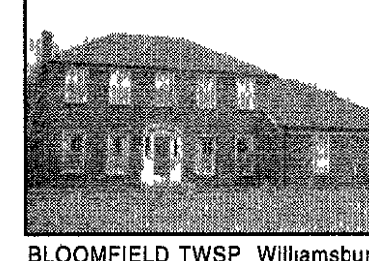


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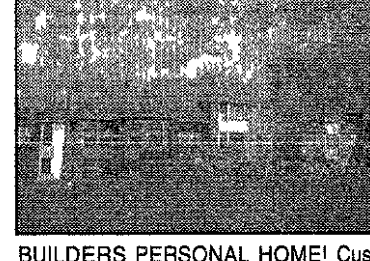
BLOOMFIELD TWP Williamsburg colonial in sub w/deeded lake priv on Walnut Lake & Bham Schls Some hwd floors kit w/ceramic tile Sub Zero Thermador oven & newer gas cooktop FR w/fireplace rec lights drwl to deck pri balcony & lg bath suite \$329 900 (91WOO) 248 642 8100



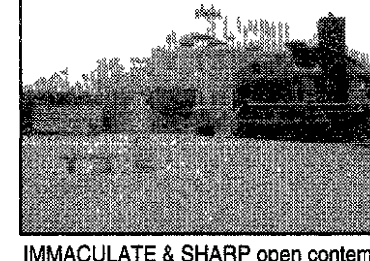
ROCHESTER HILLS. Great condition lovely home backing to woods 4 bedrooms 2 5 baths w/oversized rooms private library w/Judges paneling neutral decor 3 car garage oak kitchen w/island pantry & hardwood floor \$437 500 (93POR) 248 652-8000



MAGNIFICENT LUXURY HOME Ravine lot backing to nature area 3 bedrooms 3 5 baths finished walk out 3+ garage A/C C/A dining room family room great room living room master bedroom walk in closet seller is agent \$394 900 (55JES) 248 363 1200



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NORTHVILLE Magnificent contemporary brick & cedar 2 acre + dream estate Surrounded by woods & pond a mile from downtown 6 bedrooms 4 baths built in 90 w/quality Living room family room great room library finished walk out LL & 3+ car garage \$1 850 000 (01MAI) 248 642 8100



TROY A beauty! Spacious 4 bedroom 3 5 bath colonial w/ceramic foyer library w/French doors cathedral ceiling & skylight in family room Master with walk in closet multi level deck side entrance garage finished basement \$424 900 (91MOU) 248 524 1600



LAKE ORION Spectacular wooded yard backing to preserve 4 bedroom beauty features two story entry large chef's delight island kitchen glorious master suite 9 ft ceilings intercom security 2 tiered deck sub pool tennis sidewalks \$369 000 (00SEN) 248 652 8000



VERY SPECIAL HOME High ceilings open plan 3 bedrooms 2 5 baths for main dining room great room fireplace family room off lg kit 1st flr master Loft area on 2nd floor office library New carpet & paint 2001 Expand of newer doors to large deck Hot tub & play set neg \$374 900 (55RID) 248 363 1200



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OAKLAND TWP Custom built colonial on secluded wooded area Original owner & upgrades Cherry kit w/granite island & Sub Zero GR w/hwd frpl triple drwl to deck & pool fin walk out LL w/FR ex room home theatre biliard area & 2nd kitchen 3 car garage \$689 900 (97SNE) 248-642 8100



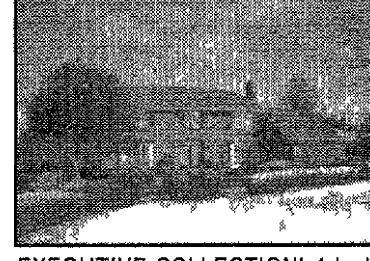
ROCHESTER HILLS Spectacular custom colonial w/4 bedrooms 4 full & 2 half baths Incredible finished walk out basement w/hardwood floors & 9 door-wall Dual staircases 2 fireplaces 2 wet bars & much more \$679 000 (59RAI) 248 524 1600



BLOOMFIELD HILLS 1st Green on Brookwood Golf Club Updated colonial w/island kitchen ceramic & Jenn Air 3-4 bedrooms 3 5 baths library huge master bedroom w/jet tub finished walk-out lower level w/wet bar & possible 4th bedroom \$364 900 (63BRO) 248 652 8000



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CLINTON TWP Custom quad w/4 bedrooms 2 full & 3 half baths Over sized two car side entry garage inground heated pool finished basement fenced yard Den could be 5th bedroom One year home warranty \$339 900 (01MOR) 248 524 1600



BLOOMFIELD HILLS Rare find Completely updated 4 bedrooms 2 5 baths family room w/fireplace finished basement w/wet bar newer Pella windows 2 car attached garage library or den large first floor laundry room \$354 900 (27BRE) 248 652 8000



READY TO MOVE IN! West Beverly Hills colonial on approx .58 wooded lot Birmingham Schools Circle drive 1st flr laun master bedroom suite w/cathedral ceiling DR w/replace 2 tier deck fin LL w/wet bar Lg kit w/breakfast area \$430,000 (19BEV) 248 626 8800



RIDGEWOOD HILLS BEAUTY! 4 bed room 2 5 bath colonial w/neutral tones family room w/vaulted ceilings & beautiful fireplace kitchen w/eating area & formal dining room 1st floor laundry roof (2001) deck & gazebo! Central Air \$327 500 (05PIN) 734 455 5600



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 2.0 16V engine auto AM/FM/CD player power locks power windows tilt steering wheel speed control air, dual power mirrors Securilock Passive Anti-theft System, lug rack rear wiper/washer/defroster, cargo area cover Attn Current Ford Lessee Stk #205137
\$198***
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 2.3 4 Cyl engine auto trans sliding rear window speed/tilt leather wrap steering wheel, AM/FM stereo/CD, floor mats, air Stk #203109 Attn Current Ford Lessee Only \$2000 due at Lease Inception
\$148***
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 6 Cyl bit speed ctrl power windows and locks air anti theft system Stk #06533
LIST PRICE \$18,815
 Employee Disc \$1314
 Factory Rebate \$1500
 Returning Ford Lessee \$1000
 Customer Cash \$1000
Save Sale Price \$4360 \$13,455
 0% APR Fin. Avail.

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 Power windows/locks roof rack CD tilt wheel center console spd ctrl perimeter alarm Stk #203935
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Employee Disc \$3638 WAS \$28,300
Factory Rebate \$2500 Save
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<p>2002 WINDSTAR LX</p> <p>ZERO DOWN \$1500 DOWN \$307⁷⁸ mo. \$264⁷¹ mo. 182 WINDSTARS AVAILABLE</p> <p>NOW... \$19,347³⁰*</p> <p>Off Lease Buy • Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member</p> <p>0% Financing Available</p> <p>WAS \$26,830</p>	<p>2002 RANGER XLT SC</p> <p>ZERO DOWN \$1500 DOWN \$196⁶⁸ mo. \$151²⁵ mo. 149 RANGERS AVAILABLE</p> <p>NOW... \$11,589⁵⁰*</p> <p>Off Lease Buy • Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member</p> <p>0% Financing Available</p> <p>WAS \$17,960</p>	<p>2002 EXPLORER XLS 4 DR</p> <p>ZERO DOWN \$1500 DOWN \$289⁸³ mo. \$248⁰¹ mo. 227 EXPLORERS AVAILABLE</p> <p>NOW... \$20,448⁸⁰*</p> <p>Off Lease Buy • Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member</p> <p>0% Financing Available</p> <p>WAS \$27,585</p>	<p>2002 F250 4X4 CREW CAB</p> <p>NOW... \$25,103⁵⁰*</p> <p>Off Lease Buy • Ford Employee or Eligible Family Member</p> <p>50 SUPER DUTY AVAILABLE</p> <p>0% Financing Available</p> <p>WAS \$32,960</p> <p>ECONOLINE VANS & SUPER DUTY WORK TRUCKS IN STOCK!</p>

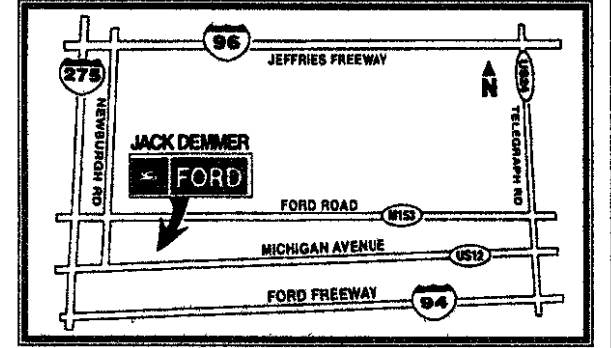
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WINDSTAR	0 Down \$1500	\$190
EXPLORER XLS	0 Down \$1500	\$2130
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<p>2002 ALERO GL2 SEDAN</p> <p>GMS Price \$15,296⁹⁹ Retail Price \$16,325⁹⁹</p> <p>GMS Lease \$218⁹¹ With lease loyalty Retail Lease \$248⁹⁷ With lease loyalty</p> <p>Total Due \$1921 59 Total Due \$1953 45</p> <p>3.4L V6 engine 4 speed automatic transmission 16 alloy wheels performance suspension fog light leather wrap steering wheel & shift knob remote keyless entry rear decklid spoiler Stock #02 1153</p>	<p>2001 SIERRA 2500 HD 4WD REG CAB PICKUP</p> <p>Was \$30,277.00</p> <p>GMS Price \$22,980⁹⁷ Retail Price \$24,380⁹⁷</p> <p>Interior rear view mirror light sensitive with outside temp & compass locking rear differential Vortec 8100 V8 SFI gas engine polished aluminum wheels front fog lamps AM/FM stereo w/CD player heavy duty trailing equipment Stock #01 5997</p>	<p>2002 SAFARI PASSENGER VAN</p> <p>GMS Price \$17,755⁹⁴ Retail Price \$22,993⁹⁹</p> <p>GMS Lease \$297⁴⁴ With lease loyalty Retail Lease \$325⁵³ With lease loyalty</p> <p>Total Due \$1990 79 Total Due \$2021 01</p> <p>High back front bucket seats locking rear differential Vortec 4300 V6 4 speed automatic transmission power windows and locks Stock #02 6379</p>	<p>2001 SAVANA VAN CONVERSION</p> <p>Was \$42,215.50</p> <p>GMS Price \$29,996¹⁴ Retail Price \$31,746⁹⁹</p> <p>5 way power driver's seat 6-way power passenger seat remote keyless entry system electric rear window defogger Vortec 5700 V8 4 speed automatic transmission AM/FM stereo with cassette & CD player Stock #01 5395</p>	<p>2001 SIERRA 2500 HD 4WD 4 DOOR PICKUP</p> <p>Was \$36,489</p> <p>GMS Price \$27,892⁹⁹ Retail Price \$29,592⁹⁹</p> <p>Hi back reclining bucket seats wideside body locking rear differential Vortec 8100 V8 5 speed automatic transmission Allison power driver & passenger seat electrochromic tint mirror transfer case electric shift front fog lamps, AM/FM stereo with cassette & CD Stock #01 6187</p>

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