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Dear Readers:

Today's edition of your hometown *Plymouth Observer* has a fresh new look and a new size. It's leaner - 15 inches narrower - easier to hold and updated with a fresh new typeface headline style and graphics. We've changed your *Plymouth Observer* while making sure to maintain its hometown appeal with the same great local coverage of what's going on in and around Plymouth and Plymouth Township. We've improved the typography so your *Observer* is easier to read. And we are introducing a new left hand column on the front page and all section fronts with short, timely and informative local news and photographs. As always, we welcome your comments. You can reach me at (734) 953 2100 or by e-mail at srosiek@homecomm.net. Sincerely,

Susan Rosiek

Susan Rosiek
Executive Editor

House forum

Local voters who want more information about candidates in the race for a 20th and 21st district seats in the Michigan State House of Representatives get their chance Thursday night.

The League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County and the *Observer* Newspapers host a forum Thursday night that will feature candidates in both races. The forum runs from 7:30 p.m. in the city commission chambers at Plymouth City Hall, 201 S. Main in downtown Plymouth.

All of the candidates are expected to appear. They include:

John Stewart

Republicans John Stewart of Plymouth Township, the incumbent in the 20th House District and Jonathan Grant of Plymouth. Unopposed Democrat Mark Blackwell of Wayne will also be there.

Jonathon Grant

The players in the crowded field of 21st House District candidates will also attend. They include Republicans Phillip LaJoy and Herb Scott, both of Canton and Democrats Mark Slavens of Canton and Eric LaCruze of Belleville. Candidates will be allowed an opening statement, one minute to answer each question and a closing statement. League members encourage the audience to ask questions. AnneMarie Graham Hudak of the League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County will moderate.



BRYAN T. L. OBSERVER

Five year old Griffin Bergers of Northville reaches to touch a Wind Wriggle while at Plymouth's Art in the Park last weekend.

Thousands turn out for Art in the Park

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

People by the dozens walked around carrying this year's hot item at Plymouth Art in the Park - a water faucet on a stick, with a crystal droplet hanging from it.

No one is quite sure why it was the hot item, and no one really cares. It's all part of what makes the Art in the Park special.

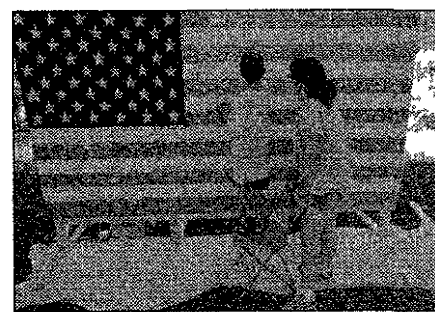
"That was definitely the hot ticket," said Art in the Park organizer Dianne Quinn said. "I'm very amused by it, because it's such a novelty item."

That's what Art in the Park is about, though. And that's what made it a "dream show," for the creators of the faucet, Dawn and Jerry Hanks of Big Rapids, whose company, Hankingings, sold about 900 of the faucets in Plymouth.

"It was one of those shows you dream about but never expect to have," Dawn Hanks said. "Who would have guessed? We sold out on Friday, so we didn't have any on Saturday. My husband brought me some from a show he was doing and the flag painting will hang at Plymouth City Hall minute we started putting them out Sunday, the people were there."

This year's 22nd annual festival drew about 420 artisans to the sun-drenched streets of Plymouth. Thousands of people (according to attendees' estimates, we're impossible according to police) strolled through the hundreds of booths. Mother Nature helped give the festival a nearly perfect weekend.

The weather cooperated, which was a huge plus considering



BRYAN T. L. OBSERVER

Nine year-old Kaleb Holmes of Commerce Township gets some help from Kyleen Kisabeth, 17, of Plymouth painting one of the last squares on the big mural kids helped paint at Art in the Park last weekend. The flag painting will hang at Plymouth City Hall minute we started putting them out Sunday, the people were there."

PLEASE SEE ART, A10

Coke service fizzles as city looks at contract

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

The City of Plymouth is threatening to pull nearly a dozen Coca-Cola vending machines off city property if the giant beverage company doesn't improve its service.

In a letter sent to Johnson Coca-Cola Bottling Group, Inc., in Belleville, city attorney Bob Marzano said "many of the service calls have been ignored. Many of the products contained in your vending machines are out of date. The City of Plymouth is losing revenue due to lack of sales of your product with machines that are not properly operating."

Steve Anderson, athletics and program supervisor, confirmed revenue is down because machines remain empty for indefinite periods of time. In the fiscal year 2000-01, Anderson said the city collected \$15,000 in revenue from its vending machines, of which

PLEASE SEE COKE, A6

City: Fall Fest can't stay open later

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth city commission turned down a request by the Fall Festival committee to stay open an hour later on two of the three days of the annual September event.

In an effort to generate more operating funds for the Fall Festival, the committee

requested the commission allow the downtown event to remain open until 11 p.m. on Friday and Saturday nights. The city ordinance calls for Kellogg Park to close at 10 p.m., unless otherwise designated.

"Even with a trial period it sets a precedent, and sends us down a slippery slope," said Commissioner Michele Potter, one of four commissioners who voted against the

resolution Monday night. "If we allow one event to do this on a trial basis, we're going to have every other event coming to us saying we want a trial period as well. The people who live in the downtown area could potentially be bothered by the noise going on an hour later."

Commissioner Dan Dwyer concurred.

PLEASE SEE FALL FEST, A7

Board hires lawyer for ethics inquiry

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth Township Board of Trustees got their man Tuesday, hiring noted attorney Michael Schwartz to look into allegations of ethics policy violations by trustee Abe Munfakh.

Schwartz, the former partner of Geoffrey Fieger who now heads his own firm in Farmington Hills, was recommended by township attorney Tim Cronin to look into the allegations against Munfakh,

whose critics say he violated the township's ethics policy by helping Salem Township officials get hooked to the Detroit Water System, even though Plymouth Township suffers from water problems.

Munfakh, in the employ of Ayres Lewis Norris & May, attended a February meeting between Salem Township and the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department designed to convince Detroit

PLEASE SEE ETHICS, A7



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Getting kisses

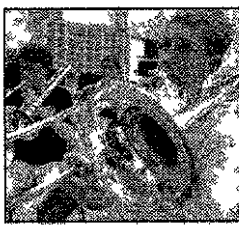
Monique Conrad, her son Christian and daughter Isabella spend time together on a summer afternoon. Christian was recently diagnosed as autistic and the family has been undergoing therapy. See the *Observer* Life story on Page C5.

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Kiwanis Club reroofs local home

Thanks to the members of the Kiwanis Club of Colonial Plymouth a local Plymouth resident is getting a new roof next week

A team of Kiwanians coordinated the project, securing the building supplies, hiring the labor, and rebuilding the roof. The home, selected by the Plymouth Council on Aging through a qualifying process, had a leaking roof with rotten boards damaged by the ice storms of recent years.

Thanks to the generosity of N A Mans, who donated the roofing materials and Classic Builders, who provided the labor, the club can continue to make our community better for everyone, especially those in need, said Darlene Dreyer, publicity chair for the Kiwanis Club.

The Kiwanians put their hands together to build the new roof as part of the big-picture mission of Kiwanis, "We build," according to Dreyer.

The members of the Kiwanis Club of Colonial Plymouth are committed to serving and building a better community.

It is only with the support of

generous community friends that the club can continue to build strong programs for young people strong homes

The project was one of many community service projects supported by funds from the Kiwanis Foundation

for those in need, and a strong community for everyone, Dreyer said.

This project was one of many community service projects supported by funds from the Kiwanis Foundation. Funds are raised through a variety of projects, including the upcoming 20th-annual golf outing and feast Aug 1.

For more information on the outing, call Lee Harrison at 734-416-6055.

For more information on the roofing project and other community service projects, please contact Dave Latawiec at (734) 751-5544.



Roofers Chris Bates, Kenny Satterlee and Don Lee from Classic Builders Inc work on the Kiwanis project home

PLYMOUTH PIPELINE

MARROW SUCCESS

Art in the Park wasn't only successful for its artisans. It also provided the backdrop for a successful bone marrow drive sponsored by the Plymouth Jaycees. Some 115 people were added to the National Bone Marrow Donor Registry through the drive, which coincided last weekend with Art in the Park.

The 60-member Jaycees chapter raised \$6,800 to help pay the costs of adding 115 people to the registry. "The success of the project was due to the cooperation and generosity of many individuals," said drive chairperson David Foss. "We're very grateful for their support, which helped us reach our goal."

CRAFTERS WANTED

The organizers of the craft show at the Plymouth Fall Festival are looking for 20 more artists and craftsmen to take part in the show, Sept 7 and 8. The show will be located at Veterans' Park in front of Central Middle School on Main Street. Spots 10-foot by 10-foot are \$75 per day — two-day crafters will get priority spots.

Call Colleen Brown at 734-455-1614 or log onto the Web at www.plymouthfallfestival.com or contact Brown by e-mail at colleen.brown@plymouth-fallfestival.com

PARKING PROBLEM

Maintenance and repair work at the city's Central Parking Deck have rendered approximately half of the parking spaces in the central parking lot unavailable for the next several weeks, city officials announced Monday.

Contractors are performing a variety of required maintenance actions on the deck structure. Parking is available under The Gathering pavilion and in the East Central Lot, just behind The Gathering. Maintenance on the parking structure is expected to continue through September.

Also, crews were expected this week to begin removal and replacement of the brick walkways in Kellogg Park, a project expected to take until some

time in August

PAVING PROJECT

The city's paving contractor began work on the Penniman water main installation Wednesday night, work that began at Sheldon Road and will work east.

According to city officials, the contractor is also expected to begin paving removal on Penniman next week, perhaps Wednesday. Removal will be completed on Penniman first before contractors move on to Sunset.

The water main and paving removal operations will affect traffic flows on Penniman. Access to Penniman is limited to local or residential traffic only, city officials said.

Work also continues on Blanche street as crews work to tie over the new water main into the existing system. The work is affecting Blunk, Ann, Harvey and Adams streets. The paving of Blanche is expected to begin late this month, officials said.

Questions can be directed to the city's department of municipal services, (734) 453-7737.

RESTAURANT CRAWL

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce has come up with something new for this year's Old Village Restaurant Crawl Aug 7.

According to Fran Toney, the chamber's executive director, a horse and carriage will transport ticket holders to and from the various restaurants participating in this year's crawl. The crawl, in its third year, is designed to expose ticket-holders to the specialties of Old Village restaurants.

Seven restaurants have signed up to participate in the crawl, including Bushel's Cafe, Grecian Cafe, Jack Dunleavy's Grill, Lower Town Grill, Plymouth Fish & Seafood, Shelly's Chicken Manor and Station 885.

Tickets are available at any of the participating restaurants or the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, 386 S Main. Cost is \$15 per person for adults, \$5 for children 12 and under. Call the chamber office at (734) 453-1540.

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Water restriction doesn't cramp residents' style

BY HEATHER NEEDHAM
STAFF WRITER

The mandatory water restriction issued by both the city and township of Plymouth so far hasn't cramped the style of even the most plant-conscious of residents.

A water supply emergency has been declared for the city of Plymouth, and both the city and township are under an odd/even watering restriction. Residents with even-numbered addresses should do outdoor watering on even-numbered dates and those with odd numbered addresses should water on odd-numbered dates.

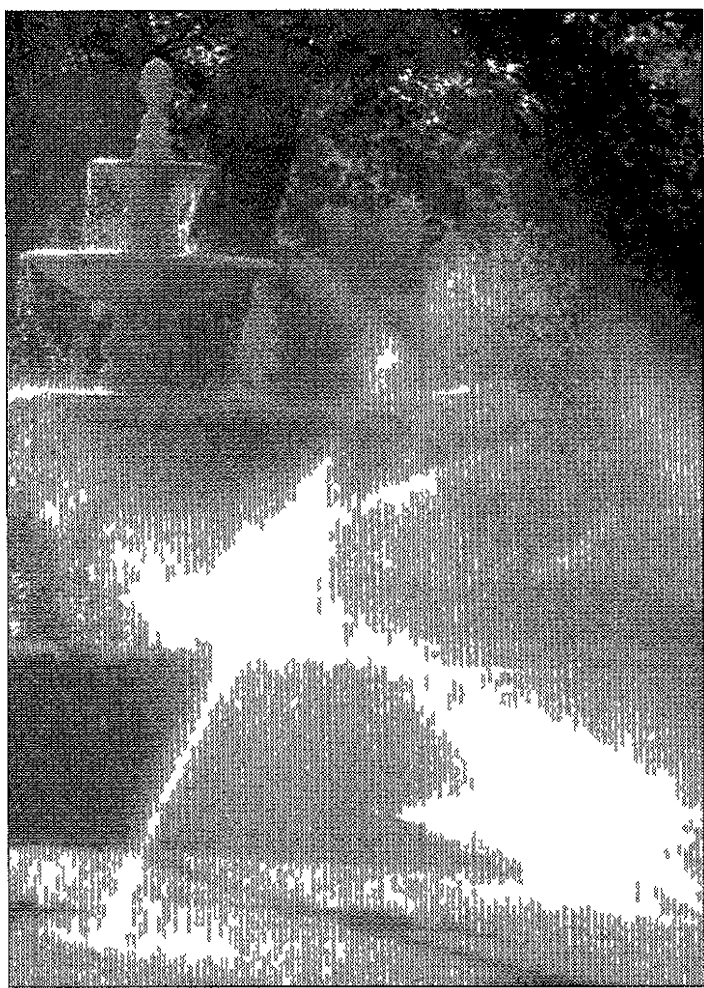
Restrictions have also been placed on watering between 6 and 9 a.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. These times have been described by Township Supervisor Steve Mann as being peak times for water usage.

The city of Detroit, which provides water to the city and township, issued a mandatory restriction on outdoor watering, which includes lawn and plant watering, vehicle washing and the filling of swimming pools. Plymouth City Manager Paul Sincock said that the mandatory restriction is just the first step in trying to fend off a water emergency.

The city's municipal services, police and building code enforcement departments work together in enforcing the water ordinance. Violators are given written warnings.

Most violators say they are merely unaware of the restrictions, Sincock said. A lot of them just aren't fully aware or may have to reprogram their (automatic) sprinkler systems, he said.

City resident Lisa Huth said that in her neighborhood people have already been fairly frugal with water, as evidenced by the large number of



BRYAN M. TCHHELL/OBSERVER

Sprinklers blaze away watering the grass in Kellogg Park on Monday morning. The city, like all users of the Detroit water system, is on a mandatory water restriction for the foreseeable future.

brown lawns.

I think a lot of people were waiting for rain, she said. The recent restriction hasn't been a problem for her.

Really if you can water every other day, it's good enough, she said. I think people really do try to follow the restriction.

Another city resident, Phil Stout, was outside giving his plants some TLC with his hose fitted with a trigger sprayer.

I have no problem with (the water restrictions), he said. We should save the water for those who need it the most.

Tom Hollis, public works manager for Plymouth Township, said that if the hot, dry weather continues, even deeper water restrictions could be in store for residents.

Hilltop Golf Course, the only township golf course, is affected by the odd/even watering restriction because it uses city water.

Though Hollis said the watering ordinance is seldom enforced, violators could face misdemeanor charges - up to \$500 fines and or up to 90 days in jail.

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Needs assessment set for new township hall

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

Township residents are one step closer to having a new township hall in which to conduct their business.

The Plymouth Township Board of Trustees Tuesday night approved the hiring of Plante & Moran Cresa, LLC, to perform a needs assessment designed to tell township officials what kind of facility they'll need. Township officials for years have insisted the current five-building complex is hopelessly out-of-date and inefficient.

It'll be Cresa's job to tell them how to fix it. The company, a division of the township auditors firm, Plante & Moran, will determine all available options, determine the cost of each option, and make recommendations on the construction of the new township complex, including headquarters for both the police and Plymouth Community Fire departments.

While the firm is being employed to help the township explore all options, the choices are really down to a pair of sites - property currently belonging to Don Massey along Ann Arbor Road at Haggerty, and

the current site of township hall. The preference would be the acreage that would be purchased from Massey in exchange for approval of the development of the rest of the property, but township officials have been working for months without reaching a deal.

The township will pay Cresa \$36,000 for its needs analysis, a figure that drew a little consternation from some members of the board Tuesday night. The hire came on the strength of a 4-3 vote, with trustees Abe Munfakh, Ron Griffith and Chuck Curmi dissenting, for various reasons.

I think it's premature, Curmi said. "I don't think we have everything together."

Munfakh objected based on an 18-month-old report authored by director of municipal services Jim Anulewicz that contains, according to Munfakh, much of the same information the township is now asking Cresa to deliver.

The staff put together this study that does everything we're asking Plante & Moran to do, Munfakh said. "We're going to pay \$36,000 to re-invent the wheel? I don't think we need to spend \$36,000 at this point. But even Anulewicz dis-

agreed with Munfakh. "We're down to two sites now, Massey would be preferable, and this (current site) would be secondary," Anulewicz said. "We never did do the detail that the board is now asking for."

Supervisor Steve Mann, who has been pushing the town hall project from the earliest stage of his term, was even more forceful.

"There's a stark difference between the report Jim and, which I applaud, Mann said. "But frankly it was done in a campaign year to make it look like something was being done on a new township hall."

Griffith's objection was based more on a question of conflict of interest.

He doesn't think the board should hire any part of a firm that does business with the township, despite Cresa's insistence there would be no conflict.

"If the work hasn't been done (in Anulewicz's report), certainly 90 percent of it has," Griffith said. "If we need a professional to do the rest of it, I'm sure there are other firms that could do it."

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FIRE LOG

The Plymouth Community Fire Department responded to the following runs over a seven-day period.

■ July 14 — Rescues on Deer south of Wing and at Penniman and Union, industrial rescue run on Port, residential rescue runs on Northville Road and on Mayville.

■ July 13 — Residential rescue runs on Newport, Ann Drury Lane and Brougham commercial rescue run on Northville Road, smoke investigation on Ann Arbor Road.

■ July 12 — Residential rescue runs on Sheiden, Haggerty, Marlowe and Green

Valley Court, rescue on S Main and at Penniman and Evergreen, smoke investigation on Ann, industrial rescue run on General, downed wires on General Court, vehicle accident on southbound I 275 at Plymouth Road, and a public building on Five Mile.

■ July 11 — Residential rescue runs on Holbrook, Newport, Hammill, Chandler, Beacon Hill and Postiff, vehicle fire and wash-down on westbound M 14 at Beck, commercial rescue run on Ann Arbor Trail, investigations on General Drive and on Albert public building rescue run on North Territorial.

■ July 10 — Downed wires

on Blunk, investigation on Oakchiff, and residential rescue runs on Willowbrook, Gregory and Glenview.

■ July 9 — Vehicle accident on westbound M-14 at Beck, residential rescue runs on Margurte, Wilcox, Aspen, Postiff and Shadywood, commercial rescue runs on Beck and on Sheldon, carbon monoxide detector on Woodberry.

■ July 8 — Residential rescue runs on Aspen, Ann Arbor Trail, Hammill, Beck, Wilson and Beaver Creek, public building rescue run on Five Mile, commercial rescue run on Beck and a single-family fire on Beck.

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Board approves \$100,000 playground renovation

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

A \$100,000 renovation of the Isbister Elementary playground in Plymouth Township has begun, after being approved by both the Board of Education and township trustees.

The new plan includes basketball courts, soccer fields, new trees and landscaping, and improvements to the drainage system to keep the playground from becoming unusable during periods of rain.

And, if the initial project works, township trustees could spend up to \$350,000 for recreational facilities at seven Plymouth-Canton schools

located within the township. It's part of an effort to help bolster recreational opportunities for township residents by improving existing playgrounds.

"We felt we could look at the schools to make sure those sites address the educational needs, but also look at the potential environmental aesthetic elements they could lend to the neighborhood," said Jim Anulewicz, the township's director of public services. "The biggest issue was how to come up with a project that would satisfy the needs of the school and what the township was looking for in terms of enhancement."

Anulewicz said "we had fac-

ulty involved, the principal (Lee Harrison) involved, and two or three students involved to gain some perspective to what they saw as important aspects for a master plan."

The financially-strapped school district was set to spend \$62,000. However, half the district's cost was saved when Ken Jacobs, the district's executive director of business services, stockpiled dirt from the new Plymouth High School site to be dumped as fill at Isbister.

"Isbister is one of our smaller

sites, just under 10 acres, but it's always presented a problem in terms of drainage," said Jacobs. "It takes forever to dry out, and the kids love to play in the wetness."

"There will be some disruption to the playground area, but I hope we have the major portion of the project done when school starts," he said. "Obviously, we won't have playable grass when school begins."

Anulewicz said he expects the playground project at Isbister to be completed some-

time in the fall or early winter. "There's additional vegetation in the form of trees," said Anulewicz. "We received a grant from Detroit Edison for 15 trees."

The Isbister PTO has committed \$5,200, and is expected to fund additional improvements, according to a memo by Interim Superintendent Jim Ryan.

While the school district isn't contributing much money, in-kind contributions such as maintenance of the fields and lining them for games are

expected to be the responsibility of the district.

Anulewicz said the total project could encompass as many as 90 acres at the seven school sites.

Besides Isbister, the schools include Allen, Bird, Farrand, and Fiegel elementary schools, as well as Pioneer and West middle schools.

"Each school will have a specific site plan, with the cost for each project dependent on the plan for each school," he said.

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BUSINESS BRIEFS

CORNWELL POOL AWARD

Cornwell Pool and Patio in Plymouth has been honored with a President's Circle Award by Lloyd/Flanders, the world's foremost producer of all-weather wicker and aluminum furniture.

The award was designed by Lloyd/Flanders to honor those who display consistent excellence in customer service, creative product presentation and exemplary standards of professionalism and business integrity. Cornwell Pool and Patio, owned and operated by Gerry Visel since 1962, has locations in Plymouth and Ann Arbor. The stores feature a range of outdoor furniture from materials such as teak and wicker to cast aluminum, wrought iron, steel and aluminum.

"We believe in our product and we believe in our retailers," said Dudley Flanders, Lloyd/Flanders president. "The success of one is truly dependent upon the other, so we feel extremely fortunate to have a company like Cornwell Pool and Patio presenting and representing our merchandise."

LOCAL PROMOTIONS

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Dale Campbell, vice president/national sales manager for Lloyd/Flanders, shakes hands with Cornwell Pool and Patio owner Gerry Visel after presenting him with the President's Circle award. Also from left are Jeff Drews, Cornwell manager, and Karen Visel and Lloyd/Flanders sales representative Teresa Campbell.

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Wade: A 'wonderful, wonderful man' remembered

BY JACK GLADDEN
STAFF WRITER

It was, in the words of Canton Supervisor Tom Yack, 'bittersweet' that the third item on Tuesday's Board of Trustees meeting agenda was a zoning ordinance amendment dealing with access standards for detention ponds.

The amendment was the culmination of a project set in motion by Planning Commissioner Bob Wade, who died last week after a three-year battle with cancer.

Among Bob's interests when it came to development was access to detention ponds," Yack said at the meeting. "Making sure they were going to be operated properly and so on. We called it the Bob Wade Zoning Ordinance for Pond Access."

Wade, 69, past president and CEO of Wade-Trim Group, a consulting engineering company he helped develop, had served on the Planning Commission since January 1994.

He was appointed to the commission after retiring from Wade-Trim, which has served as engineering consultants to the township for years.

"I was after Bob for a long time to think about serving on the Planning Commission after retirement," Yack said. "When he retired he said 'I'm ready.' He was very intense about his role on the commission and the Planning Commission's important role in the community."

"Because he was a civil engineer, he added an expertise to the commission that you just can't find very often."

Yack said Wade was never afraid to voice his opinion.

"There were times when there were differences of opinion on the Planning Commission, Yack said. "Bob's position generally was that government should not overreach in terms of control."

Wade was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer during a routine physical in 1999. As his condition worsened, he was unable to attend commission meetings, but his detention pond ordinance made its way through the system and won

final approval at Tuesday's board meeting.

Township officials had the ordinance engraved on a plaque. Yack and Planning Commission Chairman Vic Gustafson presented it to Wade at his home last week and it was on display at Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth, where visitation was held Monday and Tuesday.

Gustafson recalled Wade as "a consummate professional and mixed with that a tangy sense of humor."

He said Wade had the ability to analyze a problem with a



Wade

problem.

"It soon became a happening with the commission," Gustafson said. "We just waited for Bob's Mr. Chairman, I have a question." We knew what was coming - an engineering lesson for all."

project presented to the commission quiz the project sponsors with technical questions and design a method for solving the

Community Planner Jeff Goulet said Wade was a detail oriented person whose engineering background brought a great perspective to the commission.

"He was also a great person and a longtime Canton resident who made many contributions to the community," Goulet said. Developer Dick Lewiston, who has appeared before the Planning Commission with numerous projects over the years, said he had known Wade for 40 years.

"He was a wonderful, wonderful man," Lewiston said. "He

was a gentleman, fair and reasonable. He'll be missed."

In addition to his work with the township, Wade was active in American Consulting Engineers and other professional engineering organizations. He had served on the Plymouth Planning Commission, was a past member of the Wayne County Wetland Commission and volunteered for Habitat for Humanity.

He is survived by his wife, Barbara, son, Steven (Diane) Wade of Plymouth, daughter, Susan Wade of Canton, broth-

er, Warren (Sharon) Wade of Bronson, Mich., two sisters, Carol (Theodore) Minor and Marilyn (Neal) Horning, both of Traverse City, and grandson Brian Timmerman.

He was preceded in death by his father, Donald C. Wade, and mother, Marion Wade.

Services were held Wednesday in First Baptist Church of Dearborn.

The family asks that memorial contributions be made to the American Cancer Society, Boler Family Challenge, Great Lakes Division, P.O. Box 30280, Lansing, MI 48909-7780.

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Edward J. Kazyaka

Services for Edward J. Kazyaka, 65, of Canton were Friday, July 12 from SS Simon & Jude Catholic Church

Mr. Kazyaka was born June 9, 1937 in Detroit and died July 9 at his home. He worked in assembly for a paint company and served in the Korean War.

Survivors include his brothers Frank J. (Judy) and John (Lois), sister Lenore A. (Sigmond) Pilot, nine nieces and nephews and 13 grandnieces and grandnephews. L. J. Griffin Funeral Home in Canton handled the arrangements. Private cremation rites were accorded.

Mary Jane Ruth

Services for Mary Jane Ruth, 96, of Plymouth were Wednesday, July 10 from Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth with the Rev. Everett Bowen officiating and burial following at Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Detroit.

Mrs. Ruth was born May 27, 1906 in Detroit and died July 7 at Heartland Health Care Center. She was a homemaker. Survivors include her sister, Lihan Amsler, four grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Preceding in death were her

husband, Elmer Ruth, parents John and Lena Mansell and daughter Denelda (Benjamin) May Hornik.

Mary E. Thomas

Services for Mary E. Thomas, 66, of Plymouth were Saturday, July 13 from Our Lady of Good Counsel Church with the Rev. John Sullivan officiating and burial at Grand Lawn Cemetery in Detroit.

Mrs. Thomas was born June 11, 1936 in Detroit and died July 9 in Dearborn. She was a homemaker, a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church and bowled on a church bowling league. She enjoyed reading, gardening and traveling, especially to Florida.

Survivors include her husband of 43 years, Robert, son Michael Thomas of Orion Township, daughters Linda (Dale) Morris of Westland and Charlotte (Richard) Burke of Plymouth, brother Dr. Andrew (Waldal) Caughey of Livonia, sister Dr. Patricia Caughey of California, and five grandchildren. Preceding in death was her brother, Gerald Caughey.

Local arrangements were made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home of Plymouth.

Ruth Marie Wroble

Services for Ruth Marie

Wroble, 72, of Naples, Fla., formerly of Plymouth, were Saturday, July 13 from Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church with the Rev. Doc Ortman officiating and burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield.

Mrs. Wroble was born June 29, 1930 in Dearborn and died July 9 in Naples, Fla. She was a homemaker and a longtime member of Our Lady of Good Counsel. While in Naples, she was a member of St. Annes Catholic Church. She enjoyed making Christmas decorations for family members, loved sewing, reading and watching the Health Channel on television.

Survivors include her husband, Robert F., children Stephen (Karen) Wroble of Plymouth, Barbara (Barry) Waluzak of Riverview, Fla., Theresa (Michael) Mester of Canton, David (fiancee Sarah) Wroble of Pinckney, Lisa Wroble of Plymouth, Ronald Wroble of Canton and Cynthia (Robin) Carroll of Naples, Fla., siblings Dorothy Van Tubergan of Dearborn, Mickey Kargel of Hale and Clarence Schiller of Dearborn, 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death was her daughter, Suzanne Sicierski. Local arrangements

were made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home in Plymouth.

Ethel Martha Rutenbar

Services for Ethel Rutenbar, 90, of Plymouth, were held July 17 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Livonia with the Rev. Eric Stenbrenner officiating. Burial was at Glen Eden Memorial Cemetery.

Mrs. Rutenbar was born Aug. 17, 1911 in Livonia and died July 12 in Farmington Hills. She was a homemaker. She came to the Plymouth community in 1992 from Southfield. She was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church of Livonia for over 60 years. She sang in the church choir and was in the Ladies Aid Group. Some of her interests included music (at times she sang in the General Motors Choir), sewing, the Theater Organ Society at Redford Theater and dancing. She loved her grandchildren and her cottage at Hubbard Lake.

Mrs. Rutenbar and her late daughter, Joyce, did a lot of traveling together.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Carl H. Ash, husband, Bert Rutenbar, and daughter, Joyce Smith.

Survivors include daughter, Lorne Fertuck of Bloomfield Hills, grandchildren, Eric Fertuck of New York City, Jeff Fertuck of Chicago and Elizabeth Fertuck of Bloomfield Hills, sister, Hilda Nacker of Livonia, and brother, Walter (Anita) Garchow of Calif.

Catherine (Galus) Mulligan

Services for Catherine Mulligan, 71, of Plymouth were held July 16 at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth. Burial was at Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Mrs. Mulligan died July 13. She was valedictorian of her graduating class at St. Michael High School in Greenville, Pa. After their marriage, Catherine and Arthur moved to Plymouth in the late 1950s. She had a long history of heart problems and in recent years suffered from Alzheimers Disease. She was married for 40 years to her husband, who was postmaster of Plymouth. She loved traveling around Michigan and fishing. She was a member of Our Lady of Good Counsel Church and was a Eucharist Minister. At

one time, she worked for an accounting firm.

Mrs. Mulligan was preceded in death by her husband, J. Arthur Mulligan, son John A. Mulligan, sisters, Mary McElkane, Anna McDermott, Olga Burkett, and Martha McKay, and brothers John Galus, Andrew Galus, Michael Galus and Frank Galus.

Survivors include son, Patrick Mulligan, and sister, Helen M. Trefz of Allison Park, Pa.

In lieu of flowers, contributions to the Alzheimers Association are suggested. Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Joe Anderson Barton, Jr.

Services for Joe Barton, 55, of Ypsilanti, were held July 17 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Drex Morton officiating. Burial was at Washtenong Memorial Park in Ann Arbor.

Mr. Barton was born May 4, 1947 in Union City, Tenn. and died July 13 in Ann Arbor. He was a maternal handler at Associated Spring in Plymouth for 18 years. He came to the Ypsilanti area in 1997 after living most of his life in Canton. He was a member of the U. A. W. He enjoyed fishing, hunting and 'tinkering' with projects. He loved to be outdoors and appreciated the wildlife.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joe Anderson and Hazel Barton.

Survivors include sons, Joe Anderson (Colleen) Barton, III of Howell, and Adam Barton, grandchildren, Richie Tank, Anthony Tank, and Joe Anderson Barton, IV.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Ralph Eldred Gordinier

Services for Ralph Gordinier, 94, of Plymouth will be held July 20 at the Church of Christ, 9301 Sheldon Rd., Plymouth.

Mr. Gordinier was born Oct. 6, 1907 in Climax and died June 16 in Westland. He was a mechanical designer and inventor for Chrysler Corporation and Ford Motor Company. He retired in 1976. He enjoyed golf, bridge and was a pilot. He was a member of the government work force (CCC) in the Grayling area during World War II. He was born in Climax and lived in Brighton and Fla.

He was preceded in death by

his wife, Eula.

Survivors include children, Shirley J. (Alfred) Pinto of Maggie Valley, N.C., Barbara L. Cunningham of Columbia, S.C., Rebecca S. (Jeffrey) Foster of Tallahassee, Fla., Suzanne (Jack) Dempsey of Plymouth, Ralph E. (Helen) Gordinier of Punta Gorda, Fla., and Russel A. Gordinier of Oxford, and grandchildren, Ralph, Scott, Therese, Micah, Matthew, Brett, Bevon and Anna, and five great-grandchildren. Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Antonio "Tony" Berlongieri

Services for Tony Berlongieri, 61, of Canton were held July 18 at St. Thomas a'Becket Catholic Church with the Rev. Roger Prokop officiating.

Mr. Berlongieri died July 10 in Superior Township. He was an inspector for General Motors. He worked for General Motors for 33 years.

Survivors include wife, Emilia Berlongieri, son, John (Lynette) Berlongieri, son, Jerry (Britta) Berlongieri, father, Michele Berlongieri, parent-in-laws, Frank (Frances) Toscano, aunts, Angela Berlongieri and Edwina Cook, five brother-in-laws, four sister-in-laws, brother, Angelo Berlongieri, and sisters Anna Memchetti and Carmela Alicandri. Memorial contributions may be made to the Michigan Humane Society or the Capuchins Soup Kitchen. Arrangements made by McCabe Funeral Homes.

Jessica Elizabeth Grimmer

Services for Jessica Grimmer, who died at birth, will be at 2 p.m., Friday, July 19 in the chapel of Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia. The Rev. Joseph Bonno from St. Michael Lutheran Church in Canton will officiate.

Jessica was preceded in death by a brother, Jason, in 1998.

Survivors include parents, David (Carol) Grimmer of Northville, siblings, Daniel, Stephen, Brian, Jacob, Michelle, Angela, Natalie and Rachel, grandparents, John (Ruth) Yenc of LeRoy, Ohio, and Mary Grimmer of Wauwatosa, Wis. Memorial contributions may be made to the Hearts of Hope, 7240 York Street, Dexter, MI 48130.

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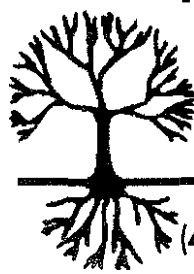
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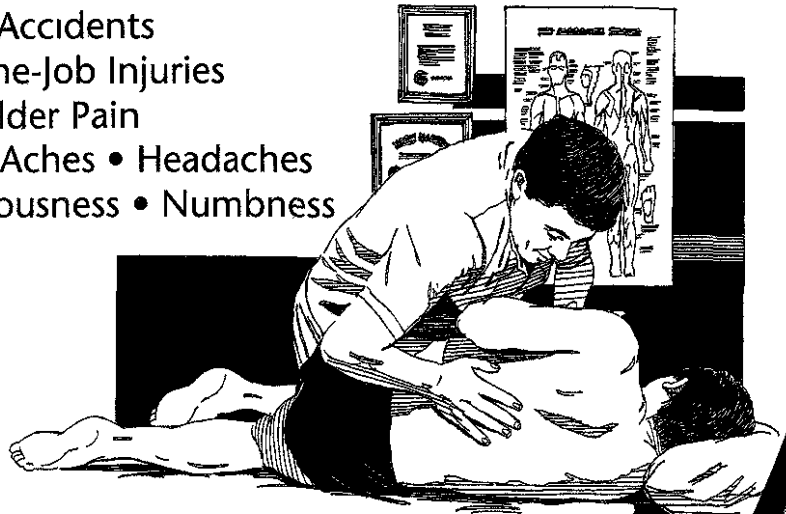
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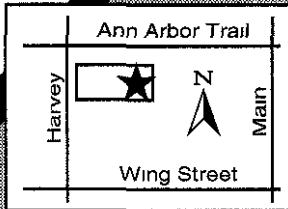
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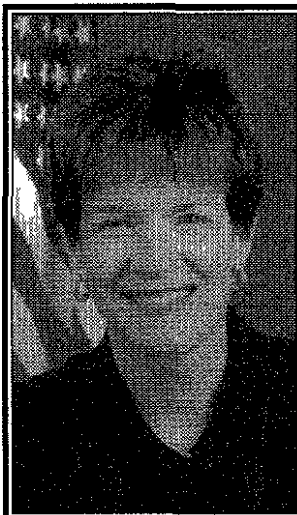


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ETHICS

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Water to add Salem to the system. Munfakh at first denied taking part in the meeting, then said he was there simply to perform introductions between the parties. Schwartz will conduct an independent investigation, talk to the key people and then

report back to the ethics committee. The ethics committee will then decide how to proceed. Schwartz's normal fee is \$375 per hour, he'll do the ethics investigation of Munfakh for \$235 per hour. 'He'll make a report to the ethics committee, and we'll take it from there,' said supervisor Steve Mann, who chairs the ethics committee. 'Hopefully, it'll be in a very

timely fashion. I would hope he'd make his report within four weeks.' The township board voted 5-1 to hire Schwartz. Munfakh abstained, while trustee Ron Griffith voted against the move. 'I personally think there's nothing there, and we're spending several thousand dollars on it,' Griffith said. 'I've known Abe for a number of

years, and I don't think he did anything that was unethical. The man's got to work and perform his duties as he can. I think we're really stepping out of bounds trying to interfere with two municipalities trying to do business with each other.' Schwartz, perhaps best known around Plymouth as the lawyer who defended Azizul Islam, convicted in October 2000 of murdering

and dismembering his estranged wife, deferred comment to the township board. Schwartz's resume convinced at least five of the township's trustees he's the right man for the job. He's a former assistant district attorney in New York, and served for nine years as grievance administrator for the Michigan Attorney Grievance Commission. He's been an adjunct professor of law at the

University of Detroit and at Wayne State University, where he taught classes in legal ethics. He's also the co-author, with Professor Lawrence Dubin, of the Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct and Disciplinary Enforcement. '(Schwartz) has a wealth of experience in this area,' Mann said. 'He's an expert in the field we were looking for.' bkdri@oe.homecomm.net (734) 459-2700

FALL FEST

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when he said, 'For the residents who live downtown, I don't think it's fair.' This year's event is scheduled for Sept. 6-8. Fall Festival president Mark Baldwin said the additional hour would help the festival make additional money, allowing it to become

more self-sufficient. 'The carnival rides are one of the main money-makers for the festival,' said Baldwin. 'Since this year there are Friday and Saturday night home high school football games, by the time the kids get to the festival it will be time to close down.' The Fall Festival committee was willing to give up the controversial beer tent it's had the

past two years in order to get the two extra hours. However, commissioners voted 4-2 against letting the event stay open later. Commissioner Ron Loisel was not present. 'Stipulating a one-year pilot program to see if there's a benefit is reasonable enough,' said Commissioner Stella Greene, who, along with Mayor Bill Graham, voted in favor of extending the time limit. 'I

would rather have one hour more of rides than a beer tent.' Last year, the Fall Festival recorded a \$10,000 profit, despite the fact it rained two of the three days. The event program booklet netted the Fall Festival \$15,000, the carnival, which gives 25 percent of its gross, paid the festival \$10,000, and the beer tent cleared \$2,000. Much of the remaining money raised for

costs comes from the non-profit groups, which pay a \$25 application fee, \$150 for each booth space, plus 25 percent of net profits. One of my goals is to make the festival as self-supportive as possible without taking profits from the civic groups,' said Baldwin. 'Then, they

could put more of their money back into the community.' Baldwin said the carnival rides will open two hours earlier on Saturday this year, at 10 a.m., however, he said, the money generated during the day won't compare to the money potential at night. tbruscato@oe.homecomm.net

COKE

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about \$10,000 came from Coke products. However, in the 2001-02 fiscal year, Anderson noted the city pulled in a total of \$12,000. Our candy and video machines did better, which means the other vending machine were down,' said Anderson. In my opinion, the lack of service by Coke is the cause of that. We're losing a ton of money because the machines aren't being serviced better.' Coke representative, Michael Mackiewicz, said he had no comment concerning the letter or service. City Manager Paul Sincock, who said he's received outdat-

ed merchandise purchased from Coke vending machines, said the machines were serviced before Art in the Park. However, Sincock wasn't pleased Monday, noting the machines once again hadn't been serviced and replenished. The five-year contract with Coke, which was signed in July 1999, gave exclusive rights for nine vending machines at the Cultural Center. 'The Cultural Center is the biggest seller of coke products for a facility with one sheet of ice in the state,' said Anderson. The city gets 30 percent of carbonated product sales, and 22

percent of non-carbonated drinks. The city allowed Coke to put four machines at Massey Field, four at The Gathering, and one each at City Hall, Department of Municipal Services and the library. Coke could be forced to take those machines out,' said Anderson. 'Additional machines they want to put at the Cultural Center and DMS are on hold until service gets better.' tbruscato@oe.homecomm.net (734) 459-2700

'We're losing a ton of money because the machines aren't being serviced better.' Steve Anderson, Athletics and program supervisor

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OUR VIEWS

Schwarz is best pick in GOP race

Republican voters on Aug. 6 should select **John J.H. "Joe" Schwarz** as their nominee for governor. Schwarz is the candidate willing to tell voters what they need to hear, not just what they want to hear. He is the candidate who is shooting the straightest this primary season.

Most important, he's the one telling GOP voters the depth of the state's budget problems, and how the party has drifted too far to the right.



Joe Schwarz

Schwarz believes Michigan's GOP has moved too far to the right. His opponent, he believes, represents a continued slide in that direction, and therefore would be 'unelectable' in the general election runoff in the fall.

We agree. After 10 years of domination by the Republican party in the halls of the Capitol, the next governor cannot count on such complete control of the legislative process.

Schwarz certainly has the experience working with the Legislature and the legislative process, he has served in the state senate since 1986, elected to the post of President Pro Tem of the Senate every year since 1993.

His resume lists terms as a city commissioner and mayor of the City of Battle Creek, so he understands local government as well. Schwarz' resume also includes a great deal of time serving as a physician.

One of the uncomfortable truths Schwarz is talking about is his belief that the state budget remains badly out of balance. Despite recent action in the Legislature to increase tobacco taxes and trim programs, he contends the budget will still fall short some \$970 million.

Schwarz advocates the relatively painless solution of delaying scheduled rollbacks in income tax and Single Business Tax rates for just a couple of years.

Schwarz classifies himself as pro-choice, saying that abortions should be available, safe and rare.

Schwarz represents a badly needed move toward the center, and would bring the party back to a position of representing the remainder of the state.

Dems find moderate in Granholm's race

Democracy is a gubernatorial primary should select Attorney General **Jennifer Granholm**, who is the most thoughtful and articulate candidate, and the one most willing to talk about the issues and their specifics in depth.

After a decade of one-party domination in state government, Michigan also needs a moderate in the governor's office, a need Granholm both fills and understands.

'I have been just floored in Lansing with the partisan acrimony that exists,' she said in an interview with our editorial board.

In fact, 'inclusion/diversity' is one of the five core values' around which her campaign revolves. The other values include: creativity/outside-the-box thinking, integrity, engagement and excellence.

Her stance as a moderate is also reflected in her positions on the issues. She opposes the recent tax hikes intended to solve the state's budget crunch, and further argues that the Single Business Tax should be eliminated.

While understanding of the concerns of school districts which are asking for changes to Proposal A, Granholm "would not return to a millage-based system for funding our schools." Rather, she would like schools to have more options for making capital improvements and allow for the creation of foundations to which residents could contribute to support school district programs.

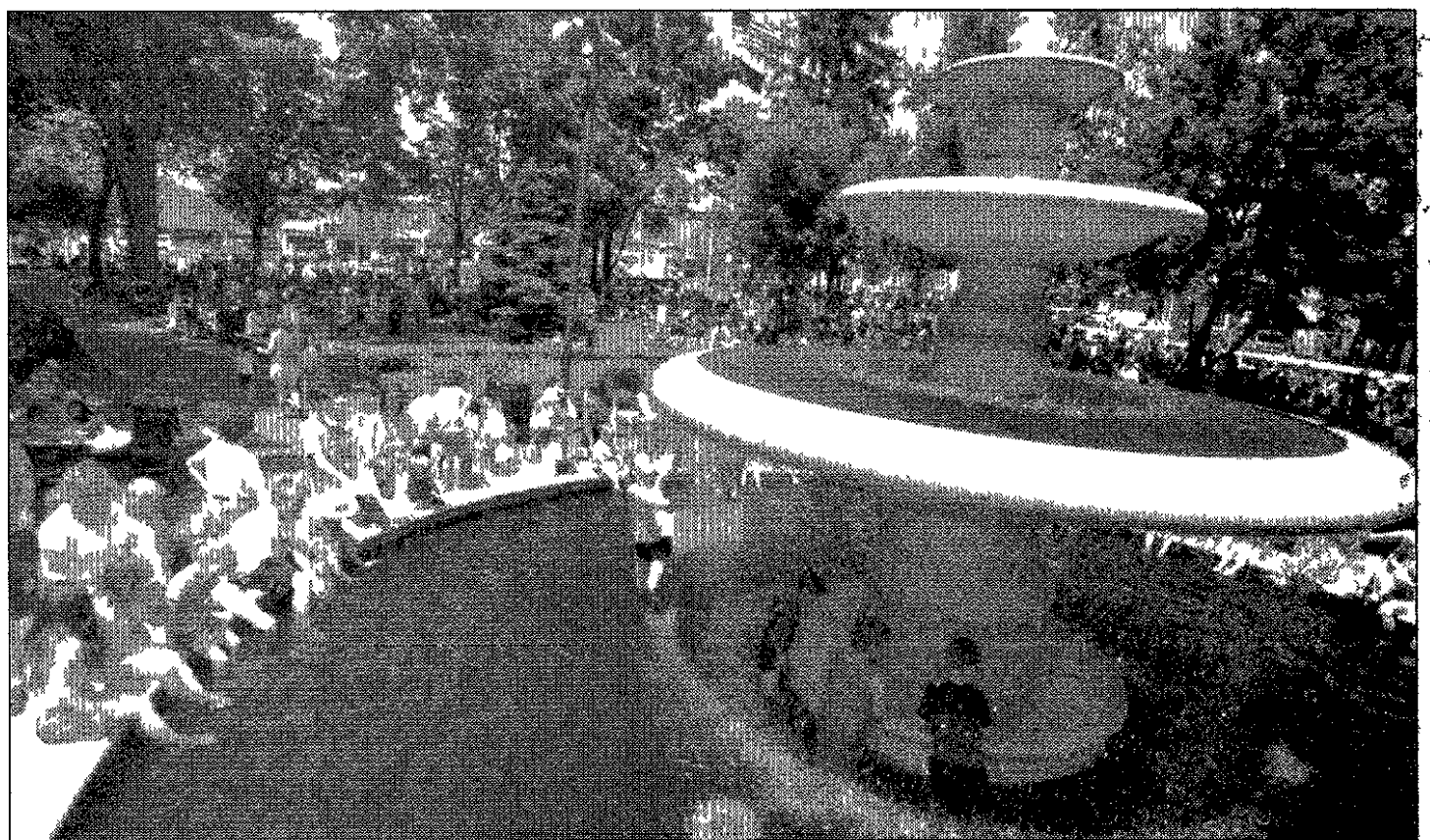
She has laid out intricate plans for addressing issues such as economic development, urban sprawl and controlling the cost of health care.

Unlike many politicians, Granholm allows her views to evolve as more information becomes available. Very visible as an opponent of concealed weapons legislation, Granholm now says the problems she feared and predicted have not come true. She says she is now taking a "wait and see" approach to the reformed CCW laws.

Granholm will serve the Democratic party best in the coming general election, and is best suited to serve the state as a whole, should she win the day in November.



Jennifer Granholm



BRYAN MITCHELL OBSERVER

Kids enjoy playing in the fountain in Kellogg Park during the first summer concert in the park of the year. The Music in the Park series, sponsored by the Plymouth Community Arts Council, is just one of many ways Kellogg Park helps give Plymouth that quaint, small-town feel.

LETTERS

Positive medicine

On Dec. 14, 2001, my daughter, Laura Kordick, underwent knee surgery. Laura is an athlete playing both basketball and softball. She had worked very hard to become part of a softball travel team before she had surgery.

As it turned out, due to the condition of her knee she was forced to quit in January. This was a traumatic time for her physically and emotionally.

The first month of therapy in (St. Joseph Mercy Rehab in Ann Arbor) clinic was a very depressing one for Laura.

She saw very little improvement in her leg and saw no hope in playing softball for her school, Plymouth Christian Academy in April. She did not comprehend the amount of time it would take for her to recover. During the second month of therapy, Laura was assigned to therapist Scott Gilbert.

Her attitude and emotional state turned around quickly and completely. Scott did not tolerate her use of the words 'I can't.' He challenged her both physically and emotionally with both patience and compassion. He zeroed in on what made her want to succeed and soon turned the therapy sessions into softball drills.

I think every therapist in the clinic will remember both Laura and Scott doing the shortstop shuffle down the aisle of the exercise room every Tuesday and Thursday for one month. After a session with Scott, Laura would leave the clinic smiling. Each day when we would get in the car to come home she would say, "Mom, I am so much closer to playing again and I owe it all to Scott."

When Laura had her fourth visit with Dr. Huebner, he began examining her leg strength as well as her flexibility.

She did so well that his remark was, "wow, this is great."

He told Laura she was his best case to recover in such a short period of time.

As of May, Laura began playing for Plymouth Christian Academy's softball team as a pitcher and first baseman.

At an April 30 game she hit a home run. She asked for the game ball so that she could sign and date it and present it to Scott as a remembrance to him on how he made a difference in one teenager's life.

Patricia Kordick
Plymouth

works were Linda Nemece Foster, poet, Margo La Gattuta, poet, and memorists Jean Alicia Elster, Phyliss Green, Gay Rubin and Cynthia King. Each work was well written and entertaining. One poet spoke of her family history from Poland, and another poet spoke of the life of her mother who inspired many poems.

The essayists kept the audience spellbound, as well. You could hear a pin drop if one had fallen during the readings. The short stories were unique and diverse.

One of the memorists' readings reminded me of home, back on the East Coast growing up in Connecticut and Massachusetts.

Her characters came to life for me as she described the teenagers' passion for ice skating, as that was also my great passion for many years. I could picture the young girls slinging their skates over their shoulders as I did many times.

In addition, the story brought to life many famous painters whom I also admire. She sprinkled them into the story matter of factly as if all teenage girls would have this type of interest in serious art. I feel that as a reader I truly connected with this story because of the parallels that matched with my life. A writer's greatest gift is to touch the soul of the reader, making him or her truly part of the story.

Thanks to DWW for bringing these six fine authors to Plymouth. I look forward to the 13th-annual Spring Reading next year!

Cheryl Vatcher
Plymouth

Garden thanks

The Trailwood Garden Club, member of the Woman's National Farm & Garden Association, thank all who made our seventh-annual Garden Walk on June 25 a success.

Our homeowners and their lovely gardens, Saxton's, Backyard Birds and the Plymouth Community Arts Council for selling tickets, those who helped publicize the event, members of the Plymouth and Lake Pointe branches and our members and friends who gave their time and talents and all who attended.

Georgia Randinitis, president
Trailwood Garden Club
Plymouth

Acting like children

I attended the June meeting where the alleged assault took place between State Reps. John Stewart and Bruce Patterson.

For the record I can tell you both gentlemen were out of control.

Neither added any value to the meeting and both let their disdain for each other show. Bruce Patterson was speaking when John Stewart arrived.

As Stewart ducked out of the room to grab a chair, Patterson made some comments about Stewart. As Stewart re-entered the room he demanded to know what Patterson said. The interaction was uncomfortable to watch.

We are in a room with candidates who are all aspiring to be public servants and two popular representatives are acting like 4-year-olds.

Stewart spoke to the group and landed a couple of verbal jabs to Patterson. Afterwards Stewart left and was quickly followed by Patterson. Moments later we heard John Stewart singing opera at the

top of his lungs as if to drown out the comments of Patterson. Although I didn't witness any physical interaction between the two, I can tell you that both men owe the people they represent an apology.

Thomas O'Connor
Redford

Supports Stewart

I write to strongly endorse John Stewart in the Republican primary and in the general election.

As an independent voter who looks to a candidate's character rather than to party affiliation, I firmly believe John Stewart is the kind of person who brings honor back to the tarnished calling of politics. We sorely need more people like him in Lansing. He should be elected as the Republican candidate for Plymouth and then should be elected to represent the district.

I have known John on a professional basis for awhile, and certain things are evident. Many lawyers and politicians will technically tell you the truth, but it's what they don't tell you that really matters. John has always disclosed to me all the facts he could gather on a particular issue.

Second, part of the reason why he doesn't hide facts is that he really strives to make the best decision for his constituents. He actually weighs all the evidence, reflects on it and makes the choice that will best serve his community.

Third, John is there for his district. He works long hours to serve constituent relations, and he's always willing to help. I admire him for his work ethic and his clear focus on serving the public.

Saura J. Saha
Detroit

Fair and honest

I am supporting Michael Gerou for 35th District judge because Mike is fair, honest and sincere.

I have known Mike professionally and personally for more than six years. Mike's integrity and professionalism were obvious the first time I met him as opposing counsel. Mike Gerou's personal and professional contributions have enriched this community and have contributed to making it a greater place to live. I hope you will join me in supporting Mike on Aug. 6.

Rita E. Lowenstein, attorney
Canton

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Now it is Republican party in need of centrist reform

We're rapidly approaching the Aug. 6 primary election. Here's a timely quiz for politically attuned readers, followed by a short essay based on the answers.

Who said which of the following?

a) "What do the American people want in their candidates? Straight talk, the unvarnished truth, certainly not some kind of harsh ideology. People may not agree with everything good candidates say, but people should place a high premium on candidates with high moral and ethical standards, the kind of people you can take at their word."

b) "This is a contest for the soul of the Republican Party. The party has moved further and further to the right, while the electorate has moved closer and closer to the center. If we continue to be moral absolutists, we'll be toast in November."

c) "I've never seen a candidate who stands for the things that are important to Michigan and couples that with undoubted honesty, integrity and commitment to principle."

If you picked U.S. Senator John McCain for (a), gubernatorial candidate State Sen. John H. ("Joe") Schwarz for (b) and former governor William G. Milliken (endorsing Schwarz for governor) for (c) you'd go to the top of the class.

What brought them all together? They're all moderate Republicans, an increasingly rare breed, gathered together in Michigan last Monday to promote Schwarz's candidacy for the GOP nomination for governor. For three remarkably distinguished, able and respected politicians, they got remarkably little ink or air-time from the media.

That's too bad, because what they're really working on is an attempt to moderate the steady drift to the right of the Republican Party, nationally and in Michigan. Schwarz makes no bones about it.

"My party is increasingly in the control of single issue groups like Right to Life and the pro-gun folks who may provide active and motivated foot soldiers in primary elections, but who do not represent the increasingly independent mainstream voters in America," he said.

I spent some time with Schwarz and McCain as their campaign bus careened from Detroit Metro Airport to Pleasant Ridge and then to Ann Arbor.

We talked about political reform in general and the Republican Party in particular.

Both seemed hopeful in their reform mission, if only because they both believe that Republican candidates who come across as moral absolutists may win primaries but are likely to lose in general elections come November. What's the best way to get across

your message of reform?" responded McCain at one point, "Pointing out that hard-line ideologues lose general elections. That wakes folks up right quick."

They cited polling data indicating that voters registering as Independent now make up a larger group than either Democrats or Republicans, especially in Michigan, a famous ticket-splitting state. They argued the best way to attract Independent voters is for candidates to be "centrist," to downplay ideology and to demonstrate character and integrity — "to be comfortable in their own skin." And they both referred to former President Theodore Roosevelt, who tried (and ultimately failed) to reform the Republican Party after the turn of the century, as their hero.

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Our conversation reminded me of what some Democrats were talking about 20 years ago. That their party had moved much too far to the left to appeal to mainstream Americans ... to be a way to generate new ideas to pull the party to the center.

That their party had moved much too far to the left to appeal to mainstream Americans, that absolutist liberal ideologues had taken over the party, that there had to be a way to generate new ideas to pull the party to the center.

Eventually, the Democratic Leadership Council, a think-and-act group, took up the task. It did the spade work on welfare reform, on job training as an investment in human capital, on free trade, on protecting the environment and providing ways for sustainable economic growth. Eventually, these ideas found a voice in Bill Clinton, who pulled his party to the center and, in so doing, got himself elected and re-elected President. Thankfully, political reform goes in cycles. One generation deals with one party, the next generation with the other.

These days, it's the Republican Party that's in need of reform. And the combination of John McCain, Bill Milliken and Joe Schwarz struck me as an awfully compelling lineup to make the case.

Phil Power is the Chairman of the Board of the company that owns this newspaper. He would be pleased to get your reactions to this column either at (734) 953-2206 or at ppower@homecomm.net.

LETTERS

Supports Stewart

State Representative John C. Stewart possesses the distinct qualities citizens should look for in electing public officials: a strong sense of civic duty, a passion for serving the best interests of the public, willingness to go the distance for constituents, integrity.

A person in a leadership position must set an example for others to follow. John Stewart's strong sense of civic duty has made him a role model. At a time when participation of citizens in their local communities needs to be championed, Stewart sets the standard by voting in ALL school and statewide elections.

Stewart's perfect voting record stands in sharp contrast to that of his Republican primary opponent, who has skipped nearly all elections for the past three years. Why would intelligent voters even consider casting their votes for a candidate who seemingly does not view voting as an important civic responsibility?

John Stewart's sense of civic duty extends beyond the ballot box to the communities of Plymouth, Northville, Wayne and eastern Canton. John and his wife, Beth, have been actively involved in the historical societies of Plymouth and Northville. John belongs to the Chamber of Commerce organizations in the respective communities. He has served as president of the Colonial Kiwanis and both he and Beth are active in the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

John Stewart's belief in civic duty and community involvement is such that he donated much of his pay increase, that was approved for all legislators just as he took office, to local community organizations.

Stewart has always shown respect for other elected public officials, regardless as to whether their political views match his own. Stewart's respect and civility shine in contrast to that of his Republican primary opponent, who has expressed disdain for many local public officials, mocking and belittling them on his Web site.

As state representative, John Stewart has worked to build a "connectedness" between his district and Lansing. He promotes the Plymouths, the Northvilles and Wayne like no other in Lansing.

To the communities in his district, Stewart has brought individuals with connections to state government.

For senior citizens, Stewart sponsored a health forum with State Representatives Paul DeWeese and Stephen Ehardt. The Humane Society presented a program for animal lovers at the behest of Stewart. Presidents of local universities visited the district to talk about higher education opportunities because of the invitations extended by Rep. Stewart. Officials from MDOT came to talk about the local roads, at Stewart's urging.

Representative Stewart also secured 21 grants from MEDC for economic development in the 20th district. The Small Business Association of Michigan presented John Stewart with its Legislator of the Year award. He gave up his opportunity to sing at a Detroit

Tigers ballgame to a group of excited students from Plymouth Christian Academy.

Returning to Lansing on days when he is not scheduled to be there, Rep. Stewart makes a point of greeting his local public and private school groups waiting to tour the state Capitol, because he is eager to get young people interested in civic affairs.

The people of the Plymouths, the Northvilles, Wayne and eastern Canton already have a state representative they can be proud of. Vote to re-elect John C. Stewart in the Republican primary, Aug. 6.

Martha A. Trafford
Canton

Forceful voice

We support the reelection of John Stewart as state representative. He is accessible, he strongly supports public education, and he has an analytical approach to decision making.

John Stewart is seemingly always on the job. While serving effectively on three committees, including Appropriations, he has maintained an almost perfect record responding to roll-call votes. He is accessible to local residents both at his local office and in Lansing, and he responds promptly to citizen requests. And he somehow still finds time to appear at local events, both political and civic.

John Stewart actively demonstrates his concern for public education. While private schools have a role to play, this nation's strength derives from our strong public schools. Stewart is dedicated to maintaining their strength and ensuring their continued adequate funding in the aftermath of Proposal A.

John Stewart values facts over ideology. He is willing to take political risks and vote his conscience, most notably when he recently voted against raising the cap on charter schools. During our 12 years living in Plymouth, this is the first time we've felt our district has a forceful and effective voice in Lansing. Let's keep a good thing going!

George and Ellen Mozurkewich
Plymouth

Support for Gerou

I'm writing to express my support for Michael Gerou for judge of the 35th District Court.

Besides having the experience needed, having a legal practice in Plymouth since 1987, he is also dedicated to the community. He's involved with the Plymouth and Canton Chambers of Commerce. He sponsors an Adopt-a-Highway cleanup in Canton, a Relay for Life Team, and the Plymouth YMCA Father's Day Run. He also coaches soccer, baseball, and basketball for the YMCA and is a Youth Mentor for Growth Works.

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Laura J. Carmickle
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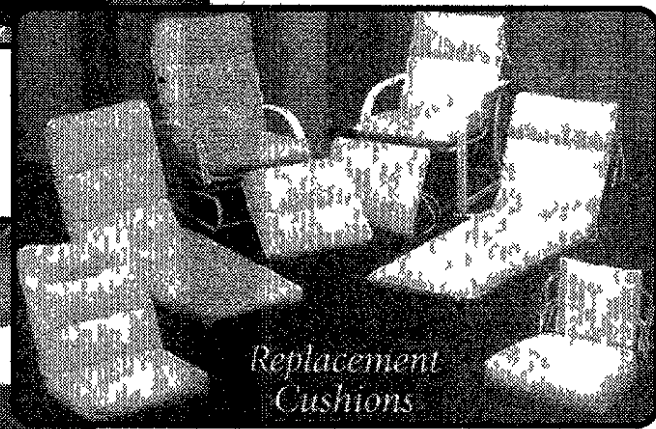
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Twelve-year-old Christine Clark of Livonia relaxes while at Plymouth's Art in the Park last weekend



Five-year-old Sophia Haase gets a pull through Art in the Park from her dad, Tim



Ten-year old Alexis Croswell looks at some Wizard of Oz figures while at Plymouth's Art in the Park

PHOTOS BY BRYAN MITCHELL/OBSERVER

ART

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what could have happened," Quinn said "We didn't have flooding, we didn't have excessive heat, no thunderstorms. We just had a beautiful weather weekend."

In fact, Quinn said, pretty much everything went smoothly. The shuttle service, moved this year from Compuware to Visteon, cut waiting time in half and, with a bigger bus, allowed more people to take advantage of the shuttle.

Some 1,500 children painted the American Flag mural that will be on display at city hall. The Plymouth Jaycees used the big crowds to their advantage in their bone marrow registration drive, adding some 115 people to the national bone marrow registry and raising \$6,800 in the process.



Eight-year-old Kyle Dulapa of Plymouth has his face painted by Jeff Birou, 16, also of Plymouth during Art in the Park

"It worked wonderfully," Quinn said of the partnership with the Jaycees. "It was a great opportunity to tap into that many people."

Quinn also said the switch to two information booths instead of one 20x20 tent was a key.

With the big tent, it was

always disorganized because there was so much going on," Quinn said. "We saw a show in Alabama that gave us the idea, and we had two new booths built and it worked beautifully."

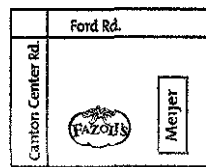
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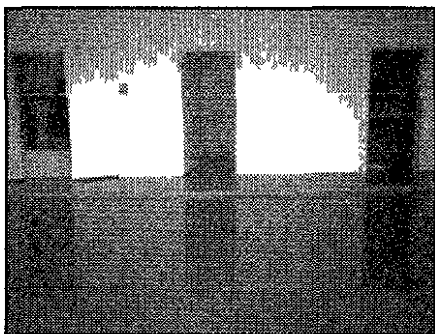
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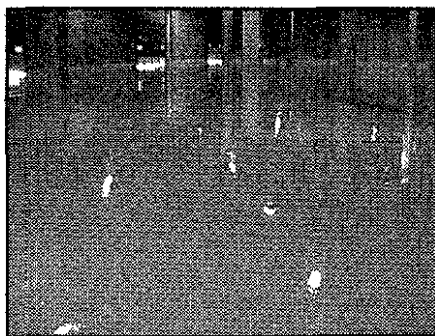
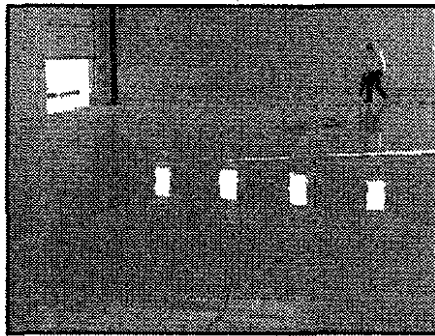
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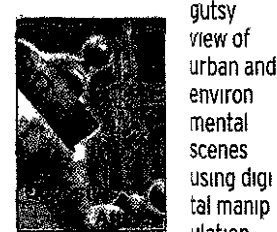
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What's up, Doc?

Bugs Bunny on Broadway combines live orchestra music and classic Warner Brothers cartoons at 8 p.m. Sunday July 21 at DTE Energy Music Theatre in Clarkston. The show opened at San Diego's Civic Theatre in 1990 to rave reviews before moving to Broadway several years ago for an extended run that same year. George Daugherty conducts the live orchestra which supplies such tunes as *The Rabbit of Seville*, *Long haired Hare* and *A Corney Concerto* to cartoons projected on a big screen. The show also stars such legendary Warner Brothers animated characters as Wile E. Coyote Road Runner Elmer Fudd Daffy Duck Porky Pig Giovanni Jones Granny and Michigan J. Frog. Tickets are \$30 and \$20 pavilion and \$15 lawn available through Palacenet.com The Palace and DTE Energy Music Theatre box offices and all Ticketmaster centers. Or by phone at (248) 645 6666.

Opposites attract

Randell and Patricia Reed Scarab Club artists present an installation of paintings digital imagery and poetry in the Scarab Club lounge through Sept. 1. An opening reception is planned for 7-9 p.m. Friday Aug. 1. Randell takes a whimsical and comical approach to his painting style inspired by modernist and magic realist painters from the 1930s-50s. Patricia Reed Scarab Club president creates a gutsy view of urban and environmental scenes using digital manipulation.



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Michigan Jazz Festival

Musicians focus on tradition



Barbara Ware introduces the Michigan Jazz Festival audience to select songs from her new CD *Let Me Off Uptown* recorded in the Wayne State University studio with the Matt Michaels Trio.

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

"That's not jazz," said Midge Ellis referring to the latest trend to call easy listening music smooth jazz.

Textbooks on music history seem to agree listing Charlie Parker, Duke Ellington, Count Basie, Billie Holiday, Dizzie Gillespie, Thelonius Monk, and John Coltrane as the masters of America's only true art form. That's why Ellis is so adamant about showcasing straight-ahead, Big Band, Dixieland, and Bebop at the eighth annual Michigan Jazz Festival. This year's all-day jam session is no exception with 26 groups playing all of these styles. On Sunday, July 21, more than 180 musicians will have the audience on the campus of Schoolcraft College swinging.

"John Trudell and Tom Saunders select the performers," said Ellis, a long-time Livonia resident to whom the festival is dedicated this year. Ellis was responsible for bringing in such greats as Stan Kenton to play the Clarenceville Jazz Series from 1969 to the early 1980s in Livonia.

"I'm excited about the new bands," said Ellis. "It's good that more musicians are hearing about it and want to be playing in it. We have Brad Sharp from Toledo and

'I grew up listening to Nat King Cole, Ella Fitzgerald and Lionel Hampton, and always wanted to be a singer but I never thought it was a dream I would realize.'

Barbara Ware
Singer

everything from Big Band to the Dixieland sounds of the Tartar Sauce Jazz Band, Bebop. Hopefully we cover the bases and there's lots of free parking. The program lists all the musicians so when people hear someone they like they'll know who he or she is."

Once listeners hear Barbara Ware's voice they won't have any problem remembering her name. The Southfield singer performs with the Matt Michaels Trio at 6 p.m. on the Lear Stage in the red tent. Ware is a frequent guest of Matt Michaels, a Southfield pianist.

PLEASE SEE JAZZ, B2



Farmington Hills pianist Dennis Tini and his wife singer April Arabian Tini perform 1:45 p.m. on the Inmart/Boll stage at Schoolcraft College.

MICHIGAN JAZZ FESTIVAL

What: Performances by 26 groups including seven big bands. Admission and parking are free. Food and beverages available at an outdoor food court and the Ocelot Grill and American Harvest Restaurant in the Waterman Center.

When: Noon to 10:30 p.m. Sunday July 21

Where: Schoolcraft College 18600 Haggerty Road between Six and Seven Mile Livonia. For more information call (248) 474 2720 or (734) 459 2454.

Outdoor festival brings Shakespeare to life

I understand how Lansley Mergener feels about Shakespeare. In college I had the opportunity to perform the role of Juliet in one of the scenes from *Romeo & Juliet* on stage. I still know many of the lines by heart. It's funny how great words tend to stick with you through the years.

Shakespeare is timeless and appeals to audiences of all ages. Even though only 19, Mergener would travel anywhere to experience the mystery and magic of the Bard. For the past two years the Farmington Hills resident's faithfully gone to the Michigan Shakespeare Festival in Jackson's Ella Sharp Park. This season she's particularly interested in seeing *Romeo & Juliet*, one of two tragedies rotating from July 18 to Aug. 4 in the eighth annual festival. Othello, directed by John Neville-Andrews the festival



Artistic Expressions

Linda Ann Chomin

artistic director opens Thursday July 18.

"I'm interested in seeing if it will be played as a love story or as a lust story," said Mergener, who's been studying theater and English at Yale University since graduating from Farmington High School. "I've read *Romeo & Juliet* more than once but never seen it performed live and always wanted to."

The Michigan Shakespeare Festival is unlike anything else around here. It's an incredible authentic experience. The stage



Victoria Walters and Paul Riopelle play the tragic lovers in Shakespeare's *Romeo & Juliet*.

is just like in Shakespeare's times with a balcony. The nice thing about it is it's outside. As the performance goes on you'll see the night sky. I saw

Macbeth last year. It kind of paralleled the nature elements. It makes for really cool shadow.

PLEASE SEE FESTIVAL, B2

MICHIGAN SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

What: *Romeo & Juliet* and *Othello*

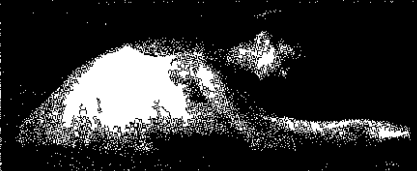
When: Opens with *Othello* 8 p.m. Thursday, July 18, and continues 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Thursday-Sunday to Sunday, Aug. 4.

Where: Ella Sharp Park, Jackson

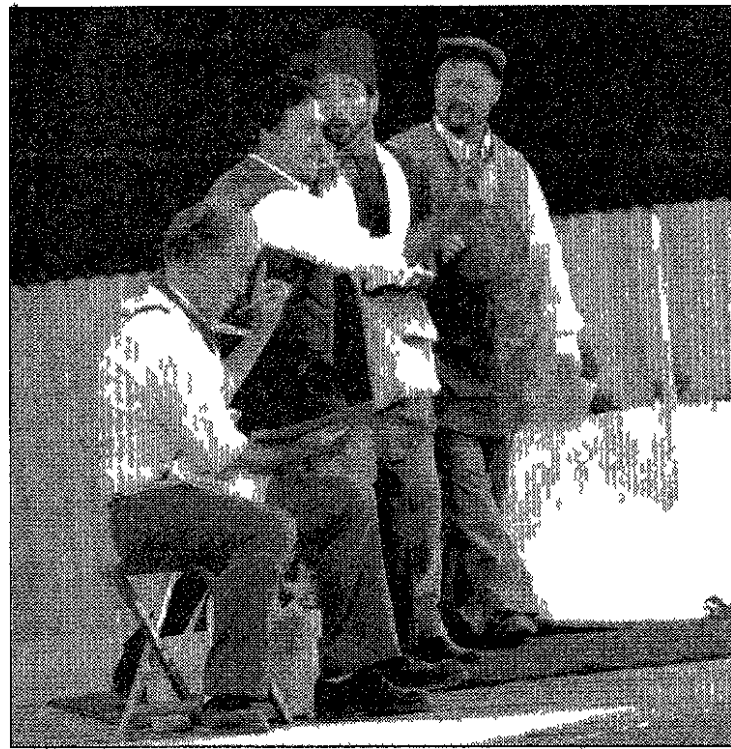
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Family Show: *Alice Through the Looking Glass* 5:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, July 20-21, 27-28 and Aug. 3-4. Tickets \$6, free for children when accompanied by paid adult.

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Last year's production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" holds fond memories for Richard Redman (right) and fellow cast members Leigh Woods (left) Dan Kenney and Paul Riopelle

FESTIVAL

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ows and effects as the sun's going down' Like Mergener, Paul Riopelle appreciates the words of Shakespeare so much that he doesn't mind rehearsing seven hours a day, six days a week. The New York actor plays Romeo in the production directed by John Seibert and Terry Heck. This is his second season with Michigan Shakespeare Festival. Last year he played Richard III. "It's really a play about coming of age," said Riopelle. "They both really grow up within a matter of days. By the end they've grown up to the point where they've developed love and devotion to each other that they're willing to kill themselves."

Although Riopelle's per-

formed in productions ranging from *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof* at Meadow Brook Theatre in Rochester Hills to *Picasso at the Lapin Agile* at the Performance Network in Ann Arbor and *Ghosts by Moonlight* at Battery Park City Parks in New York, his most memorable roles were with the National Shakespeare Company in New York, Cincinnati and Shenandoah Shakespeare festivals, and the Michigan festival. "Shakespeare is my first love because of the language," said Riopelle who grew up in Riverview. "He's able to express things exactly the way we're feeling." "Romeo is a role I've really wanted to play. A Romeo is only as good as his Juliet (played by Victoria Walters). If there's not a genuine chemistry between actors that's hard to fake. She makes it an easy job to go out every night and fall in love with her." Richard Redman finds playing Juliet's father equally as attractive but he's also having fun with the characters. Brabantio and Gratiano in *Othello*. Redman formed a love for Shakespeare at John Glenn High School in Westland and

has spent the last three years enjoying a variety of roles at the festival in Jackson. In *Othello*, Redman dies and returns to talk about it. Playing Lord Capulet in *Romeo & Juliet* is wonderfully challenging to make him a human being," said Redman. "He's not a very nice person. He's very autocratic. You probably wouldn't want him for a dad. In *Othello* I'm only in the first three scenes as Desdemona's father Brabantio then I die and come back as Gratiano. The director made them twin brothers to save money." "But the outdoor setting in the park is what's special to me. It's glorious but allows an element of intimacy." The setting is one of the reasons Trudy Mason loves playing *The Nurse* in *Romeo & Juliet*. Mason has more than 40 years experience as an actress starting in high school in Toronto where she was born and raised. She's done productions all over including Meadow Brook Theatre, Jewish Ensemble Theatre in West Bloomfield, The Purple Rose in Chelsea, San Francisco Shakespeare Festival, and San Francisco Repertory Company.

This is her first performance at the Michigan Shakespeare Festival and she's excited about all of the plays. "Outdoor Shakespeare is the only way to go," said Mason. "It's the way it started. It throws me back to Elizabethan times because it's very casual. We're not as impromptu as Shakespeare's players but there's still a sense of anything can happen." "Anybody who has not seen Shakespeare for the fear of it being too far above their heads should try it. Most amazing are the fight scenes that young men would totally enjoy. Set in the 18th-19th century, *Romeo & Juliet* is romantic. Anyone coming to see long flowing dresses won't be disappointed even though the directors move it ahead a few centuries." *Othello* is with the same company. It's a contemporary version of military today and there's also a family show *Alce Through the Looking Glass* that's a great way to introduce young children to theater.

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Art of the automobile

Concours d'Elegance draws a second look

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

Bill Mihalik is all revved up about the classic cars paintings and sculptures on exhibit Sunday Aug 4 at the 24th annual Meadow Brook Hall Concours d'Elegance in Rochester Hills

The three go hand in hand according to Mihalik who's chairman of the art committee. If spectators want to truly appreciate the beauty of automotive design, they need to view the more than 100 art works inspired by the 235 vintage automobiles on display — then take a long look at the cars which this year celebrate the 100th anniversary of Cadillac and Pierce-Arrow, and the 50th of the sleek, racy Corvette

'Art is an integral part of Concours where you look at the car in person and then at the paintings.'

Bill Mihalik
Chairman Art committee

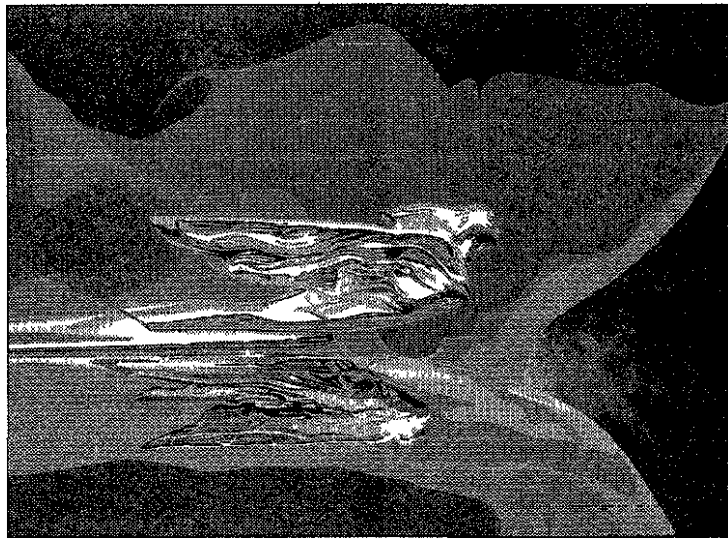
'Art is an integral part of Concours where you look at the car in person and then at the paintings,' said Mihalik, a Rochester resident who owns a Porsche 911S from the early 1970s and a 1959 Alpha Romeo. In Barry Rowe's painting of a 1916 Cadillac Dual-Windshield Sport Phaeton you can see it was styled to be in an elegant setting and it dominates that setting.

Until we see Tom Hale's painting of a 1959 Cadillac tail fin we don't realize the beauty of the tail fin. Alex Buchan's sculptures of vintage cars in a race setting gives viewers the idea this was really a wild ride and what it was to drive these cars back in 1915.

Classic car lovers will have the opportunity to bid on 14 of the artworks at an auction Saturday Aug 3 and ensure the preservation of Meadow Brook Hall at the same. A portion of the proceeds will be used to maintain the 110-room mansion built by Matilda Dodge Wilson, wife of automobile pioneer John Dodge and her second husband Alfred G. Wilson. A series of events leads up to the classic car and art show. The 14 auction art works will be on display at the Somerset Collection in Troy until a preview reception Friday, Aug 2 at Somerset North.

The reception is a fantastic event, said Mihalik. "It's always elegant when you have artists and art of this caliber and two or three classic cars on display, but it's also casual. You can walk up to talk to the artists and talk with them. It's one of the nicest events of the entire weekend. Meadow Brook is a mixture of world class cars with a friendly and personal environment for classic car artists, collectors and spectators.

This year we're emphasizing



Tom Hale titled this painting of a 1941 Cadillac hood ornament "Goddess"

availability of prints. In the past we only offered original art. It's important because it opens up automotive art collecting to people who aren't ready to invest in original art.

For Tom Hale, painting the original is what it's all about. The Farmington Hills artist designed automobiles for General Motors, Chrysler and American Motors for 20 years until deciding to paint full time in 1985. Since then he's steadily built a following for the acrylics that reflect the surrounding scenery in a classic car's chrome and paint. Hale's work can currently be found on the cover and a 12-page spread in Automobile Quarterly.

A person like myself can't purchase one of these classic cars, said Hale. Painting gives me the chance to show my passion for the automobiles just like the collector who has a passion for buying and restoring. If it causes spectators to walk back on the field to take a closer look at the styling then I've done my job.

Hale created the first art show at the Meadow Brook Hall Concours d'Elegance back in 1982 with Richard Teague. He's exhibited in it every year since then along with classic car shows all over the country including the prestigious Pebble Beach Concours. Four years ago he organized the first Bay Harbor Concours near Potoskey so he's especially knowledgeable about the shows.

From an artist's point of view I don't know of any show that integrates the art into the



British artist Barry Rowe created the original painting which is this year's art for the Meadow Brook Hall Concours d'Elegance poster.

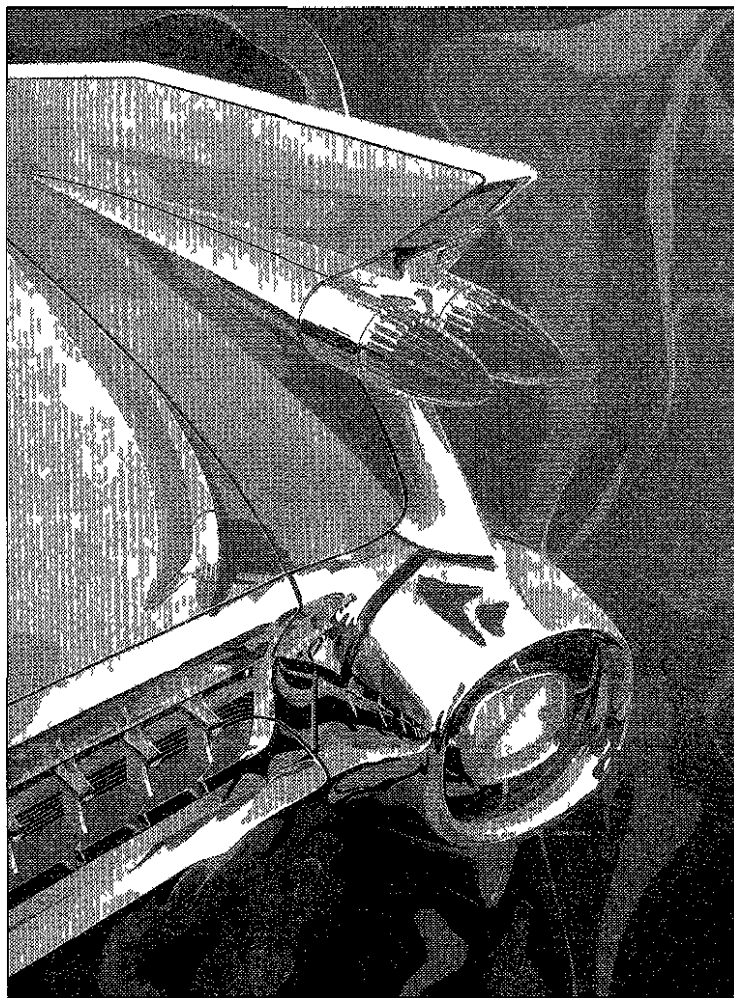
event any better than Meadow Brook," said Hale. "At other concours the art is a small sideshow. Meadow Brook is such a wonderful showcase for artists."

British born painter Gerald Freeman hasn't exhibited at Meadow Brook for as many years as Hale but is looking forward to this year's show just as much.

It's probably one of the nicest shows for the artist, said Freeman, a Southfield automotive artist who will do 10 shows this year including concours on the East Coast. This is his fourth year at Meadow Brook.

Like Hale, Freeman's enthusiasm for cars began years before he ever picked up a brush. As a teenager he built an Austin Ulster special in his parents' backyard.

Many of my oil and acrylic paintings are historical in nature," said Freeman who studied at the London School of Printing and Graphic Arts then became a freelance illustrator and designer. "I like to introduce the history of racing in the 1930s. Classic cars of the



Tom Hale captures the beauty of the ultimate tail fin in this painting of a 1959 Cadillac.

1930s I like to partner with beautiful scenery. I'm known more for my historical painting and telling a story. There's one of a car by a river with father and son fishing. My latest painting has two Golden Retrievers."

Andy Agosta doesn't paint but he's just as enthusiastic about the Meadow Brook Hall Concours d'Elegance. He predicts as chairperson of the all-volunteer event the sun is going to be shining and it's going to be beautiful.

There will be a great array of cars and car judges from all over the country to judge the competition, said Agosta of Rochester Hills. Agosta owns a 1970 Dodge Challenger. It's fun and Meadow Brook is such a beautiful place for a show. It's such a historic place. And

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another. It's all in the family. I even came home from the hospital in a Chrysler."

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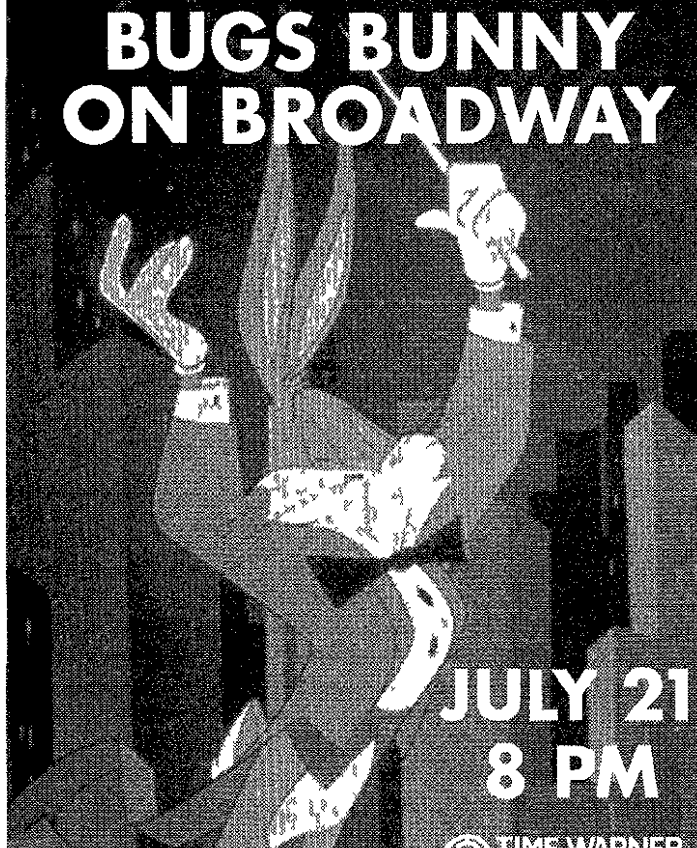
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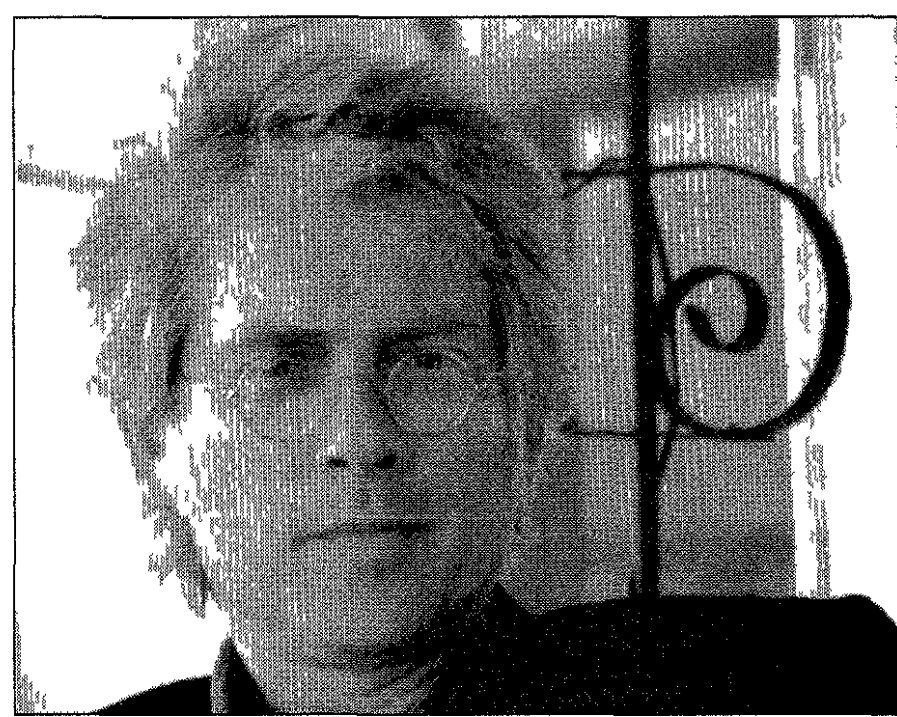
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Lenny Kravitz With Pink and Abandoned Pools 6:30 p.m. Tuesday July 23 \$62.50 pavilion \$32.50 lawn (248) 645-6666

Gn Blossoms With Sp n Doctors Seven Mary Three and Sponge 5:30 p.m. Wednesday July 24 \$32.50 pavilion \$18 lawn (248) 645-6666

Meadow Brook Music Festival Location On Oakland University campus

David Cassidy 8 p.m. Thursday July 18 \$45 and \$35 pavilion \$20 lawn (248) 645-6666

John Mayer and Guster With Martin Sexton 7:30 p.m. Monday July 22 \$24.50 pavilion \$21.50 lawn (248) 645-6666

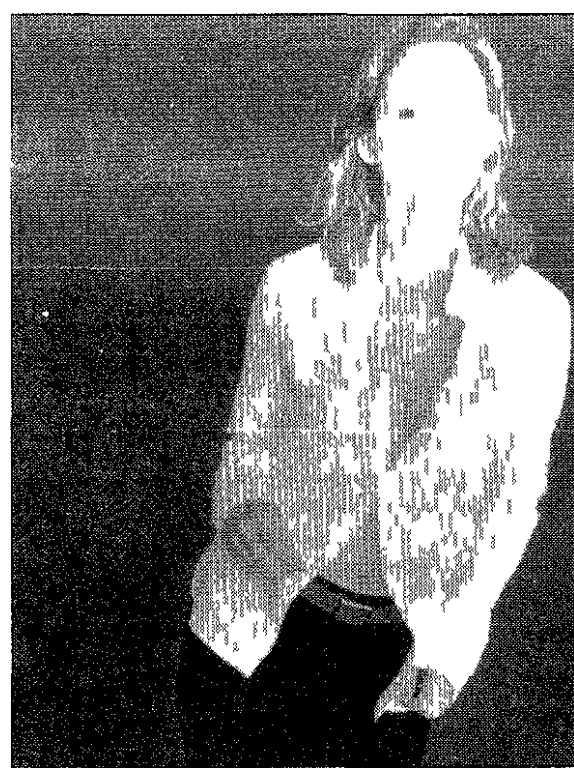
Jethro Tull 8 p.m. Sunday Aug 18 \$44.50 pavilion \$20 lawn (248) 645-6666

Royal Oak Theatre Location Fourth west of Washington in Royal Oak

Uprooted Tour 2002 Featuring Great Big Sea Seven Nations Young Dubliners 8 p.m. Friday July 19 \$25/\$30 day of show plus a \$2 facility fee All ages (248) 645-6666

Wilco With Preston School of Industry 8 p.m. Saturday July 20 Tickets \$22/\$23 day of show plus a \$2 facility fee All ages (248) 645-6666

Sonic Youth With Brendon Benson the Wellfed Boys and Wolf Eyes 8 p.m. Friday Aug 16 \$18 plus a \$2 facility fee (248) 645-6666



British singer/songwriter Julia Fordham comes to the Magic Bag 8 p.m. Sunday, July 21. The cover charge is \$10. The Magic Bag is at 22920 Woodward Royal Oak. For more information call (248) 544-3030

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CHORAL

Summer Sings
UMS Choral Union invites singers to join them 7-9:30 p.m. Monday July 22 and 29 for its ninth annual Summer Sings registration begins at 6:30 p.m. no audition necessary to sing

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The Basics (country) 7:30 p.m. Thursday July 18 Big Band Express 7:30 p.m. Thursday July 25 at Civic Center Park Five Mile and Farmington Road Livonia (734) 466-2540

Stars in the Park

Farmington Community Band 7:30 p.m. Thursday July 25 in Heritage Park on Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile Farmington Hills (248) 473-1857

Summer Concert Series

Secrets 7:30 p.m. Thursday July 18 Air Margaritaville 7:30 p.m. Thursday July 25 in Heritage Park Amphitheater on Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill behind the Canton Township Administrative Offices and Canton Library

Tunes on Tuesday Family Series

Guy Lous and Chautauqua Express play 11 a.m. to noon Tuesday Aug 6 in downtown Northville's band shell In the event of rain concert will be held at Genetti's Little Theatre (248) 349-0203 ext 1411

Wednesdays at Eight

Clarinetist David Bennet 8 p.m. Wednesday July 24 in the sanctuary at Nardin Park United

POPS/SWING/CABARET

Bird of Paradise Orchestra

9 p.m. Monday at the Bird of Paradise Ann Arbor (734) 662-8310 (big band swing bop)

JAZZ/BLUES

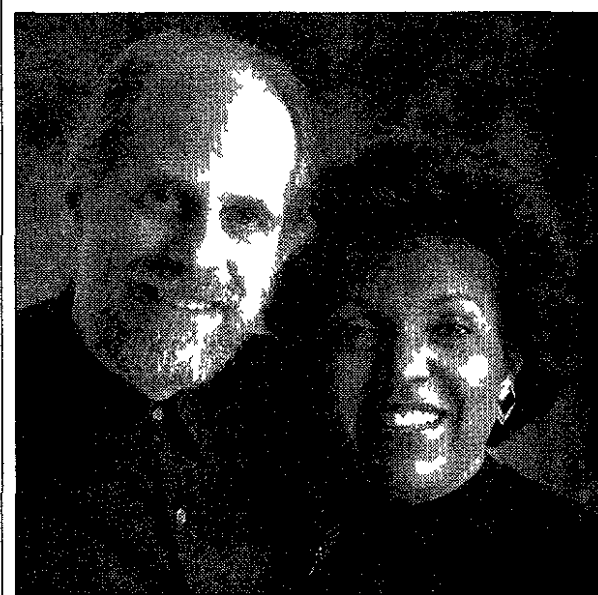
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Ramona Collins

The Toledo vocalist performs selections for

Making contact: Please submit items for publication in Going Places to Linda Chomin two weeks in advance of event. Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150 or fax (734) 591-7279



Ursula Walker and the Buddy Budson Trio play 7-10 p.m. Thursday July 18 and 25, at the Clarkston Cafe, 18 South Main, Clarkston. For more information call (248) 625-5660

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Celebrate America

Jan Rolston is one of the artists exhibiting in the Village Artists Studio show Friday-Sunday, July 19-21, at the Plymouth Coffee Bean on Penniman in downtown Plymouth. Meet the 17-artists at a reception

5:30-7:30 p.m. Friday, July 19. The theme of the show is "Celebrate America." Rolston's painting is titled "Freedom is Not Free Remembering Sept 11, 2001." For more information, call (734) 455-1487.

Artist garage sale

Event to benefit Rochester's Paint Creek Center

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

It's not often art lovers can pick up an original watercolor for \$15. John Cynar thinks that fact will make the first annual Artist Garage Sale Friday-Saturday, July 19-20, at Paint Creek Center for the Arts in Rochester a success. A benefit for the arts center's exhibition program, the garage sale features paintings, sculptures, prints, and photographs.

"We asked artists to clean out their studios," said exhibition director John Cynar. "We'll have lots of stuff with prices ranging from \$15 for small watercolors to framed pieces up to \$400. The money goes to support our exhibition program which costs anywhere from \$30,000 to \$70,000 a year."

Last year, Cynar organized a postcard show where artists created small works that sold for \$5, but decided to change the format. After all, everybody loves a sale.

"We do 14 exhibits a year," said Cynar. "A huge portion of the budget is spent on postage and mailing as well as lights and paint to retouch the walls almost every five weeks in the galleries."

ARTIST GARAGE SALE

What: First annual benefit features paintings, sculptures, prints, and photographs. Proceeds go to support the exhibitions program at Paint Creek Center for the Arts.

When: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 19-20.
Where: Paint Creek Center for the Arts, 407 Pine Street, Rochester. Call (248) 651-4110.

The July show is unusual in that it features a traveling exhibit from New York, *Mirrored Echoes - Self Portraiture*, features collage by the National Association of Women Artists in the Main Gallery, one of two in the arts center. A first floor gallery features environmental landscape photography by College for Creative Studies faculty member John Ganis.

"We try to promote Michigan

artists," said Cynar. "Ninety to 95 percent of the artists we show are from Michigan. It's been very difficult for artists to find places to exhibit. We do solo and group shows, solo so an artist like John Ganis can show a body of work."

"Nonprofits tend to be in the trenches of what's going on, what's being done and what's being shown. It's important for people to support us because we try to educate people about what artists are creating and if we can sell the work so much the better. There's so much talent out there."

And Cynar is booking as much of it as he can. A Main Gallery show opening Aug. 23 celebrates the arts center's 20th anniversary with artists from the last 20 years including Carol Zak and Stanley Rosenthal. The Michigan Water Color Society traveling exhibition takes over the Main Gallery Oct. 4. On Nov. 15, a 60-year retrospective by Zubel Kachadoorian, Small Works show of art objects, and the Holiday Gift Gallery offers something for every taste. For January, Cynar is putting out a national call for Outsider or untrained artists.

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Bigger isn't always better

Two years ago Nancy Coumoundouros had a great idea to produce a small, walkable fine art fair as part of the Farmington Area Founders Festival. Having done the granddaddy of all street fairs every July in Ann Arbor, I could appreciate the fact my sister Gwen and I wouldn't be swept along with the crowds anxious to make their way to the booths of 1,000 artists showing their wares.

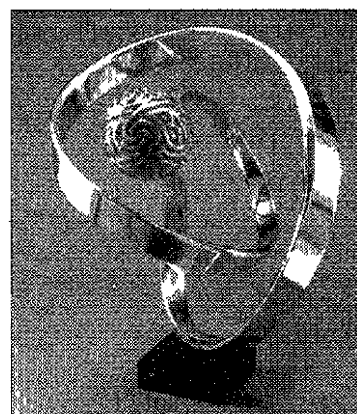
Works by 55 artists are definitely easier to browse and the festival atmosphere adds to the experience. This year Art on the Grand not only features paintings, weavings, jewelry, pottery, engravings, glass, photography, drawings, metal, and wood but entertainment sure to make you smile.

Presented by Farmington Hills Special Services Department, the excitement continues Thursday-Saturday, July 18-20. Wandering performers Groucho Marx (1-4 p.m. Friday) and Maurice the Art Critic (5-8 p.m. Friday and 3-6 p.m. Saturday) will have the crowds in stitches.

It's going to be a fabulous little fair, said Coumoundouros, cultural arts coordinator for the cities of Farmington Hills and Farmington. "I'm really excited about so many free activities. On Saturday at 2 p.m. we'll have the Red Garter Band and The World's Oldest Living Sax Section 2 p.m. July 18, as part of Senior Day."

"The Living Statue returns. She was pretty amazing last year. She covers herself completely with white makeup and drapes. There will be face boards where fair goers can stick their heads through a hole and become part of a masterpiece like *The Scream* (by Edvard Munch) or have their picture taken with a dragon. It's just a fun place to be."

Coumoundouros almost runs



Bill Keating created this sculpture. It is one of hundreds of works that will be on display in Art on the Grand.

He'll feature one person in an empty theater, spooky but appealing. There will be Hmong fabrics by May Yang, wood bowls by John and Joan Watkins of North Carolina, and demonstrations by the Farmington Artists Club who are also exhibiting.

"It's going to be a blast. It's small yet has a big variety. It's part of the Farmington Area Founders Festival so there are all different kinds of things to do. It's a user-friendly art fair."

Pam O'Neil exhibited in her first Art on the Grand last year as a member of the Farmington Artists Club and "thought it was fabulous" so she's back this summer with her own booth. The Farmington Hills painter brings watercolors and acrylics. An interior designer by trade, O'Neil loves color. One of her works *Mind Roulette* contains reds, yellows, blues, purples, and every color imaginable. Another painting of Red Rock Canyon in Las Vegas reminds viewers of the beauty with its rusts, browns, oranges, and blues.

Art on the Grand is one of several shows O'Neil will do this year. She displays her paintings at Arts, Beats & Eats in Pontiac Labor Day weekend and in a one woman show at Gallery XVIII in Pontiac in November.

"They're contemporary somewhat spiritual abstracts," said O'Neil who's been painting 15 years, eight or nine of them seriously. "I think color is very important in life. Color affects my life. I dream in color, think in color."

"Art comes from inside of us. I'm very philosophical about that and spiritual. I get a vision in my sleep and get up and paint."

Have an interesting idea for a story? Call Observer & Eccentric arts reporter Linda Ann Chomin at (734) 953-2145 or send e-mail to lchomin@oehomecomm.net.

ART ON THE GRAND

What: 55 fine artists exhibit their wares as part of the Farmington Area Founders Festival.

When: Noon to 9 p.m. Thursday, July 18 and 9-9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 19-20. For information, call (248) 473-1856.

Where: Memorial Park on Grand River in Farmington. For information call (248) 473-1857.

out of breath as she lists the many activities at Art on the Grand. Kids can have their faces painted, make art projects or be entertained by a balloon artist and clown.

I'm especially excited about glass artist Deb Eliassen of Farmington Hills and huge glass sculptures by Steve Brewster of Fla. Last year he brought bar stools with glass seats. Dave Bruner of Fla. will have black and white engravings, realistic but very stylistic.

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STUART LITTLE 2
Pint size hero Stuart Little and a reluctant Snowbell must journey through the city to rescue a new friend, a bird named Margalo, from a villainous Falcon. Featured among the vocal talent are Michael J. Fox, Nathan Lane, Melanie Griffith, Jonathan Lipnicki, and Hugh Laurie reprise their roles. (Columbia Pictures) Rated PG

THE EMPEROR'S NEW CLOTHES
History tells us that Napoleon Bonaparte died in exile on the desolate island of St. Helena in 1821. Or did he? This story supposed a more fanciful tale. A secret network of loyalists hatch an ingenious plot. The Emperor (Ian Holm in a double role) will return to Paris while a double takes his place in exile. Trading identities with a dissolute sailor, Napoleon is spirited back to France to reclaim his throne. Yet early on in the scheme, the plan goes awry. The double refuses to give up playing Napoleon, thereby stranding the former Emperor in Paris. Featured players include Ian Holm and Tom Watson. (Paramount Classics) Rated PG

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Groove with the oldies at American Bandstand Grill

BY BRIAN DOMINICK
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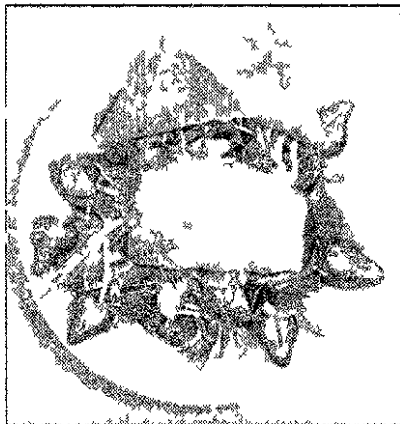
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Bandstand show and his new theme
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Grill embody the American musical
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...the music of yester

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LAWRENCE R. MCKEE/ECCENTRIC

Salmon & Baby Spinach Salad is one of the
coolest hits at the American Bandstand
Grill. Includes fillet of salmon, baby
spinach, strawberries, mandarin oranges,
cucumbers, and Roma tomatoes tossed
in balsamic vinaigrette dressing. \$8.95

tasty place to eat, reminisce and take
in the ambiance.

They have music all day and the
clientele is fun, Ledesma said.
You're constantly hearing music
and it gets (customers) going.

But it's not just the customers who
get a thrill out of being at this lively
place.

I love working here, he said. I've
been here for five years, and it's fun
to come to work.

On May 3, Dick Clark hosted an
anniversary special, ABC's American
Bandstand's 50th "A Celebration,"
which included appearances by
many top stars from the world of
entertainment who talked about
how American Bandstand impacted
their careers and lives. Several old
favorites like KC & The Sunshine
Band and new ones like Alanis
Morissette honored the legacy of the
show.

And with Clark's six captivating



LAWRENCE R. MCKEE/ECCENTRIC

Palate Pleasers: Ben Ledesma, Kitchen Manager of AB Grill in Auburn Hills, holds up two popular dishes: salmon & baby spinach salad (\$8.95) and rib eye steak entree (\$16.95).

restaurants and nightclubs through
out the U.S., the Bandstand legend
grooves on.

Authentic Rock n Roll memorabilia
including George Harrison's
hat and jacket and an Elvis picture
and shirt from his personal
wardrobe are displayed inside glass
enclosures in the restaurant, giving it
a museum-like feel.

Among the several American
Bandstand restaurants, the Auburn
Hills location is the smallest one.
The shiny orange and yellow cush
ioned booths and varicolored tables
and chairs provides seating for 187
people. But despite being the "baby
of the Bandstand bunch," Ledesma
says the Auburn Hills spot has 38
total employees and makes about
\$2.2 million a year.

Ledesma says Clark makes a point
of trying to visit the restaurant at
least once a year.

The last time he was here was
November and he should be out here
within the next couple of months,
Ledesma said.

When he comes, we'll have a line
to get in.

And it's quite a treat for the cus
tomers who are lucky enough to
catch the famous "host with the
most."

He'll sit down, come around, ask
people how they're doing, shake peo
ple's hands, sign autographs and
take pictures with them, Ledesma
said.

It gets pretty hectic and wild in
here. Some of the restaurant's
specialty liquor drinks are named
after some of the hits featured on
the good ole American Bandstand days.
Customers can swig. Hey, hey, it's
the Monkees. Blue Suede Shoes, and
Berry Berry Cocoa Pop, with their
dishes of delight.

We always try to change the
menu and spice it up a little,"
Ledesma said.

But the menu isn't the only thing
that gets spiced up. The customers
can't help but to stomp while they
chomp.

While they eat their meal, they
just get up and start dancing to it,
he said with a laugh. They get into it.

OTHER THEME RESTAURANTS WITH MUSIC

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The show will feature new and antique quilts, clothing and fiber art. Raffle

tickets for three outstanding bed quilts to benefit Safe House will be sold.

Special exhibits will include the Hoffman Fabric Challenge quilt display, a special exhibit called Quilts Expressively Korean featured in the March issue of Quilter's Newsletter Magazine, Artimals, a group of challenge quilts with animal themes, and Sheer Delights, a challenge quilt collection featuring sheer fabric.

The show will also include more than 40 vendors of fabric, patterns, and quilt-related items.



Dog daze

When it comes to dog toys, big breeds have always had the pick of the litter. Most bones, balls, Frisbees, and other canine playthings are designed for larger dogs like German shepherds and Labrador retrievers.

But little dogs like to play with toys, too. The Kong Company has come out with the Small Dog Kit, a package containing scaled-down versions of three of the company's most popular "big dog" toys.

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The kit retails for \$13.99 to \$15.99 and is available at leading pet supply stores.



HEATHER SONNTAG | OBSERVER

Diane and Tom Schrift enjoy taking care of their garden full of 220 bushes, which are all different varieties of roses that they grow for exhibition. Diane is the American Rose Society coordinator for the Great Lakes District Year of The Rose-2002 and Tom is a trustee for the Detroit Rose Society. The Schrifts are also consulting rosarians.

Roses have special appeal

BY JOAN BORAM
CORRESPONDENT

A surprising number of people react to the suggestion of including roses in their gardens by saying, "Oh, no, I could never grow roses!" as if it required arcane knowledge and skills that they could never master.

True, hybrid tea roses are tender and may require winter protection in our area, as well as spraying against insects and diseases.

Lovers of hybrid teas feel that their beauty makes the effort worthwhile, but others might want something less demanding to enhance a border of mixed plantings, to use as a hedge or groundcover, or perhaps to climb a graceful arch.

Plymouth resident Anne Warne is typical of the rose grower who loves roses, but favors those that don't require a lot of care and are sociable with other plants.

"I gave up on teas," she said. "I have a couple of David Austins, modern roses that are disease-resistant and resemble 'old-fashioned' roses, a pink climber 'The Fairy,' a really big shrub rose in front of the house, and other shrubs mixed in with daylilies,



COURTESY GREAT LAKES ROSES

Winter Sunset is an example of a rose Griffith Buck of Iowa State University produced by crossing hybrid teas with heartier stock.

columbine, foxgloves and other cottage-type flowers.

Altogether, about 15 bushes, including climbers, I often pair clematis with roses. When they're both in bloom, they complement one another, and a later blooming clematis will enhance the rose plant after its blooming time.

CARE

Warne is casual about her roses. She just trims the shrubs back in the spring, and sees that they get enough water all season.

She avoids chemicals whenever possible, preferring to spray a mixture of water, a capful of disinfectant, and a tiny bit of cooking oil against insects. She does use a commercial spray for black spot, however.

"I'm a great mover (of plants)," Warne said. "Sometimes I even move bushes when they're in bloom." "If you dig a big hole in advance, pick up the plant with enough soil around the roots, (drop it in the hole and pack dirt around it) and then water it well, it won't even know it's been moved."

PLEASE SEE ROSES, C2

2002 is a rosy year

Everything's Coming Up Roses could be the theme song for 2002.

The U.S. Congress passed a joint resolution proclaiming that this year be designated as the Year of the Rose. In March, Governor John Engler declared 2002 as the Year of the Rose in Michigan.

The rose is one of the oldest plants in existence, having been cultivated in gardens for over 5,000 years, and is grown in all 50 states. Engler's declaration said:

"The rose has long been a source of inspiration, representing love, friendship, beauty and peace."

The American Rose Society, and all Michigan rose societies, desire to join with all who love, honor and grow the rose, the world's favorite flower, on the occasion of the society's 110th anniversary. During the Year of the Rose, let the citizens of our Great Lakes State be involved in activities and events in celebration of the rose.

The rose has been honored before. For example, President Reagan signed legislation in 1986 to designate the rose as America's National Floral Emblem. Rose organizations include:

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This exhibit is for (and about) the birds

BY MARY KLEMIC
STAFF WRITER

The organizers of this event know it's for a serious cause - and it's for the birds.

It's the 17th annual Exotic Bird Exhibition of the Ann Arbor Cage Bird Club, taking place 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 4, at Weber's Inn in Ann Arbor. Admission is \$3, free for under age 12.

Proceeds go toward a Michigan State University scholarship for avian veterinary medicine, and to help bird rescue, conservation, research, vaccines and education.

"We invite people to come," exhibition co-chair Carol Aldrich said. "Our biggest thing really is the show. We have a good time."

Baby birds, new cages, food, creative bird toys, parrot appliques, T-shirts and play stands will be displayed. Katy McElroy, a cockatoo breeder from Cleveland, will give a lecture, showing

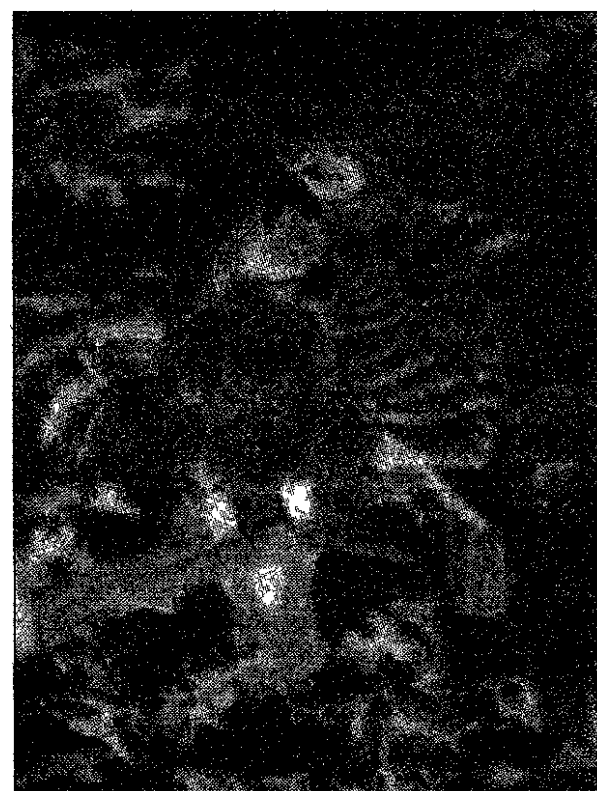
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slides and a video simultaneously. "She's the only (breeder) that I know that has an outside aviary for cockatoos," Aldrich said. "She uses the natural light. I've

never seen parrots out playing in the snow." Vendors from across the country donated raffle items for the event. A

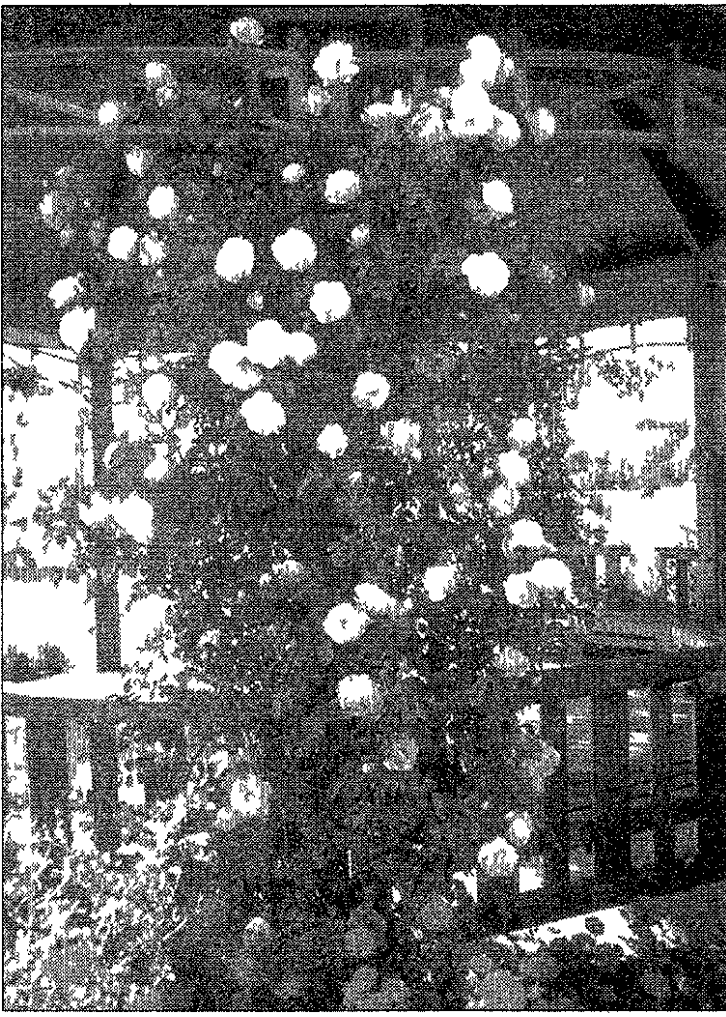
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The Graham Thomas is a climbing English rose

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ROSES

FROM PAGE 1

If you're a person to whom the only real rose is the florists rose, the Carefree Beauty' roses developed by the late Griffith Buck at Iowa State University, available at Great Lakes Roses in Belleville, are for you

"Dr. Buck crossed hybrid teas with heartier stock to produce roses that look like teas, but are hardy, disease-resistant, and repeat bloomers," said Nancy Landley, owner of Great Lakes Roses. "They fit into a cutting garden with other plants with no fuss."

"Carefree Beauty' roses are all grown on their own roots, while hybrid teas are often grafted."

"Roses grown on their own roots are easier to plant because you can plant them at the same depth they were grown in their containers."

You don't have to worry about suckers. If there are any, they can only have the same flowers as the mother plant."

The best way to keep roses free from pests and diseases is by growing them as well as possible.

Feeding, mulching and conscientious watering during dry



COURTESY DAVID AUSTIN ROSES

The James Galway is an example of a type of rose

spells will go a long way to keeping your plants healthy. Some varieties are more disease-resistant than others, so if you wish to avoid spraying, read labels carefully.

For more information on general rose care and "Carefree Beauty' roses, consult the Great Lakes Web site,

www.greatlakesroses.com. Landley requests that you check the Web site or call (734) 461-1230 for business hours.

BEAUTIFUL VARIETY

Marge Berndt has surrounded a grouping of pink "Carefree Beauty" shrub roses in her Plymouth garden with pink coral bells, white daisies and other complementary flowering plants.

A deep pink rose, "William Baffin," covers a rose arch, while not far away on another arch a deep purple clematis intertwines a climbing white hydrangea.

The total effect is beautiful and dramatic. Altogether, Berndt has 12 rose plants.

"I planted the pink Carefree Beauties about 10 years ago, and they are really simple to care for," said Berndt, who volunteers at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens. "I've never given them any winter protection."

Berndt estimates she has 10 or 12 roses, her favorite she calls "Bird" because some years ago a bird apparently dropped a rose hip that sprouted and

has grown into a 10-foot wide, urn-shaped shrub along the fence.

"It has little clusters of white roses, and the most wonderful fragrance. Wherever you are in the garden you can smell it."

Recently, Berndt would have been sure she couldn't find room for one more rose. Then, on the Plymouth Garden Walk last month, a thunderbolt!

"I saw a rose called 'Ballarina,'" Berndt said. "It was a cloud of delicate pink flowers. I have to have one! I'll find room someplace!"

When Diane and Tom Schriff bought their Birmingham house a few years ago, there were exactly two rose bushes, and they were in the backyard herb garden. Today, the Schrifts are the proud caretakers of 220 hybrid roses!

"It's a myth that roses are so much trouble," said Diane Schriff, American Rose Society coordinator for the Great Lakes District Year of the Rose. "They're simply perennials, and you treat them like perennials. Put them in the ground in full sun, give them enough water, and they'll grow."

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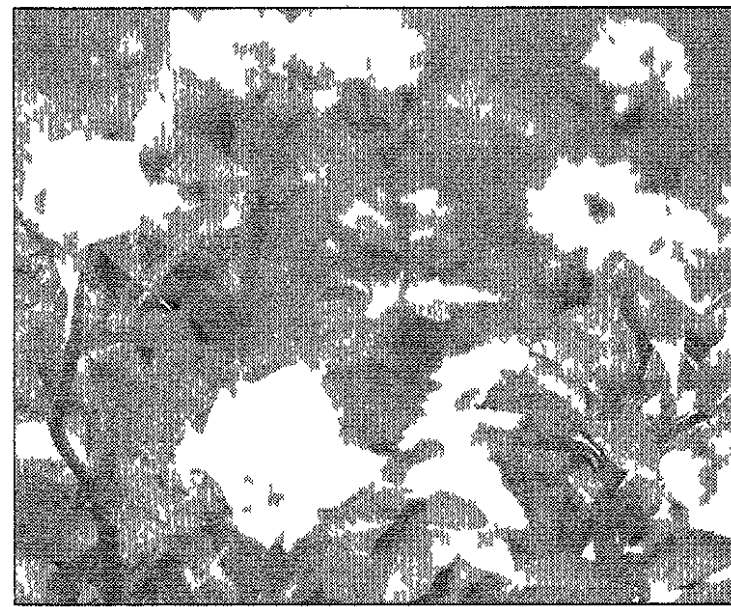
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Giggles mini roses are among the flowers in Diane Schriff's back yard

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It's more than time for midsummer care of your air conditioner

It was a late start to hot weather this year in our area, and as you know we have already had several days you could call 'real hot'. We have more on the way and even a possible long summer when the air conditioning for your home will take on a fair amount of hard work.



Appliance Doctor

Joe Gagnon

I know most of you prepared the unit during the spring season, but have you

checked it out lately? It seems it was only a few weeks ago when the air was filled with pollen floating all over the place. Where did all that stuff go to?

Go outside and take a look at the condenser unit and you'll find the coil area all around the unit is coated with the stuff that affects so many allergy sufferers. Look at the plants, bushes and flowers that have grown and make sure there is at least 12 inches of space between them and the coil area.

If the condition around the unit is anywhere close to what I have described, it's time for you to do a little

midsummer maintenance. Shut the air conditioning system off by virtue of the thermostat inside the house.

Make sure you leave it off for an hour or so after you have performed the cleaning of the condenser coil outside.

Use your garden hose and wash down the coil area and trim any growth of plants, bushes, etc. In doing this you have just increased the performance of your unit and decreased the energy consumption by quite an amount.

The next step is to go to the furnace and remove, clean or replace the fur-

nace filter. A clean filter will allow more air to flow through the registers and even allow cooler temperatures to enter the rooms in the house, especially those farthest away from the furnace room.

Many homeowners aren't comfortable with temperatures in upstairs bedrooms and I recommend they block off a few of the cold air registers downstairs.

If the dryer vent line exits the home and blows hot air on the air conditioning condenser, I suggest you use the dryer only when the air conditioning unit isn't operating. The 140-degree heat coming out of the vent line can

put a big strain on the outside compressor.

The condensing unit outside is the heart of your air conditioning system and a very expensive component to replace. Taking care of it such as cleaning it and making sure it has plenty of space to breathe can add years of life to the product. It's your dollar and you would like it to make cents. Stay tuned.

Joe Gagnon can now be heard on WWJ 950 and WXYT 1270. He is a member and past president of the Society of Consumer Affairs Professionals. His phone number is (248) 455-7281.

Dress up with basic clothing, organization

Q: We have lots of clothes stuffed in closets and drawers, yet my children complain they have nothing to wear.

A: Many wardrobes are incomplete because basic clothing items and proper organization of clothing are missing.

As manager of the household you are usually responsible for buying, washing, drying, ironing and organizing everyone's clothing.

It is important to keep things simple. Limit the amount of money you spend on trendy clothing items. Buy basic solid colors such as jeans, black, navy blue and tan for pants and shorts. You can use the same pants and add different shirts to change the outfit.

Use accessories such as jewelry, scarves and belts to change or accent an outfit. A plain navy dress will dazzle when you add the right accessories.

You don't need to stock up on clothing for children because they outgrow items quickly. You can limit the amount of clothing you have if you do laundry daily or more than once a week.

When I was growing up my mom did laundry once a week. Monday was the day she washed towels, bed linens and clothes. I would drown in laundry if I washed

clothes only one day a week. I have a bigger family and we are involved in sports and various other activities. One family member may go through several outfits a day.

If I do a couple of loads a day I don't need my sock drawer stuffed with 30 pairs of socks.

It is important to organize your clothes so pieces are easy to find. The items you use the most should be kept in the most accessible place. You may rotate clothing around as seasons change.

You should also keep your closets and drawers at 80 percent capacity. If you stuff drawers and closets, things will get wrinkled and lost.

Each month remove something from your wardrobe that you haven't worn in a couple of years. Keep a donation box in your storage area so you will have a place for these items.

Organize clothing by putting like things together. You and your family will be more likely to put clothes away properly if it is obvious where something belongs.

Create more drawer space by using laundry baskets and hanging sweater organizers.

Jeans and sweat clothes take up a lot of drawer space. Place a couple of laundry baskets on the floor of the closet to store bulky clothing items.

I placed a hanging sweater organizer in my teenage daughter's closet because she was limited on dresser space. We filled each compartment with shirts, shorts and

pants. It took up less space than hanging all of these pieces. She can clearly see everything and quickly get to each one.

You can also use the sweater organizer for younger children. Put an outfit for each day of the week in each compartment.

Organize your children's clothing so it is easy for them to find what they need. Use a plastic basket in the center of a drawer to create three compartments for sock organization.

You can put white socks in the middle basket, black to the right of the basket and blue to the left, and fill in with other colors behind the black and blue. This will make it easier to match socks with outfits because you won't spend time rummaging through a pile of multi-colored socks in one open compartment.

Shoe storage is another challenge. Keep dress shoes in their original boxes or in a shoe organizer in each person's closet.

Everyday shoes, tennis shoes and sports shoes contain a lot of dirt. Instead of storing them in the bedroom closet, create a system in the garage, mudroom or laundry room. You can use a shoe rack or basket to contain these shoes.

Today's refrigerator bulletin: Buy it, match it and organize it!

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BIRDS

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hand-made, queen size comforter will also be raffled. This batik piece, from the Indonesian island of Bali, features two birds that measure about 4 feet, on a blue and green background surrounded by greenery. It was given to the club by The Avian Ark, a bird conservation group that also provides quilts for raffles.

For the health and safety of those in attendance (whether feathered or not), all of the vendors' birds will be checked by a veterinarian when the show is being set up. Guests aren't allowed to bring their pet birds into the exhibit.

The Ann Arbor Cage Bird Club is a non-profit organization that was started about 1980. It has an estimated 30 to 35 members from an area extending from Ypsilanti to Flint to Farmington.

You don't even have to have a bird (to join), said Chris Karpo, who handles hospitality for the group.

Mainly pet bird owners (belong), said treasurer and past president Jim Aldrich. It's pretty much for information for each other.

People who don't have a pet bird but are considering getting one join to see what kind of bird they would like. Carol Aldrich said.

Club members vote on where to donate the money. Past recipients include The Avian Ark,

which counts birds in the Solomon Islands for conservation purposes, bird rescue operations, and avian research, such as that done by Branson Riche at the University of Georgia. Every year, the organization gives \$1,500 to MSU for someone studying to be an avian veterinarian.

"We invite the scholarship recipient to come and talk to our club every year," Carol Aldrich said. They say they never would have been able (to complete) without it."

The club meets the third Thursday of the month at the Ann Arbor Community Center, 625 N. Main in Ann Arbor. Membership is \$20 for a family for one year.

Meetings often feature guest speakers, including veterinarians and breeders, and activities such as making parrot sun catchers and sprouting seeds for bird food. The group has a Birdie Olympics in the fall.

"The idea is education, not just our members but the community," Carol Aldrich said.

Club members and their birds have visited families at the Ronald McDonald House in Ann Arbor, given shows at schools, and added a living element to an exhibit of stuffed songbirds at the University of Michigan. In December, members have a holiday dinner and donate food to the community center.

For information about the club, call (734) 327-5940.

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Here are answers to some gardening questions

All gardeners have questions about their favorite hobby at one time or another, so we'll get right to the point

Q: How can I increase my pachysandra?

A: Right after a heavy rain or when you have deeply watered the bare areas where you want additional plants, cut off the top leaf cluster, with its entire stem, right to the top of the second leaf cluster

Take a pencil and plunge it down into the 'mush' to a depth of at least 3 inches, at a 45-degree angle. Take one plant and plunge it into the tunnel, leaving just a little stem and the head sticking out. Hold the plant vertically and close the hole tightly to avoid air pockets. Keep the bed very wet for three or four weeks. In two weeks or so, little white rootlets will grow and the new plants will continue to grow. This will also improve the area

from which you took the cuttings and each plant that was cut will grow a new top, or several, making the old bed lush again

Q: The hot, hot weather we had recently really did a number on my vegetable garden.

A: I hope you have been watering during these past few weeks, and continue to water as long as necessary. Most vegetables need 1 inch of water a week. Place a shallow pan or can in the vegetable garden to measure to be sure it gets that 1 inch of water.

Q: I never know if my potted plants are receiving enough water even though the water drains out of the bottom. How can I know if their thirst is satisfied?

A: Plunge the plants in a bucket of water and leave them there until no more air bubbles appear. This way, all the roots receive sufficient moisture.

Q: When is the best time to fertilize rhubarb?

A: This month is perfect, but don't do this as long as the weather is hot and dry. Side-dress about 18 inches from the crown with a fertilizer high in nitrogen or use an organic fertilizer. Water well if necessary, then mulch with grass clippings or manure or cultivate to control weeds.

Remove the tall stems of cream flowers to retain vigor in the plant.

Rhubarb can be planted in the spring or fall in a sunny spot with excellent drainage. Dig in plenty of "black gold" before planting and place bare-root stock so the buds are covered by no more than 1 inch of soil. Potted rhubarb can be planted now or in early fall. Stop harvesting your rhubarb now.

Q: There is something white on my roses, lilacs, phlox and beans. What is it and how can I get rid of it?

A: There are two types of mildew that afflict these plants. Downy mildew produces white patches on the leaves in wet weather. Powdery mildew turns the leaves a powdery white and occurs when it is hot and humid.

A commercial fungicide recommended for use on these plants often helps to get rid of it. Or, grow the plants in a sunnier area and look for mildew-resistant plants next year.

Q: How much water should I give my hanging plants?

A: Hanging plants and potted annuals need feeding every two to three weeks with a water-soluble fertilizer at a concentration of 1 tablespoon

fertilizer per 2 gallon pail of water. Be sure the water runs through the hole in the bottom each time.

Q: My lawn may have grubs which I would like to eradicate. Any advice?

A: Packaged in powder beneficial nematodes mixed with water and sprayed on the soil will destroy the grubs very quickly. For long-term treatment, inoculate the lawn soil with milky spore disease, *Bacillus popilliae*. These products should be readily available at your nursery.

Q: Is it all right to apply mulch around woody ornamentals, perennials and established annuals now?

A: Yes, as long as the soil isn't dry. Mulches reduce weeding chores and conserve moisture. Use seed-free straw, grass clippings, pine needles, chipped or shredded bark or cocoa hulls (although expensive). Apply organic mulches at least 2 to 4 inches deep around the plants over cleanly cultivated soil. Don't cover the crowns of very low-growing plants.

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



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GARDEN CALENDAR

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In Arranging Fresh Flowers July 20, English Gardens floral designers will show participants how to enjoy the beauty of fresh cut flowers indoors. The step-by-step demonstration will feature lots of inspiration and design basics.

For more information call (800) 335-GROW or visit www.englishgardens.com. Rose programs.

Congress has declared 2002 the Year of the Rose. Roger and Nancy Lindley, owners of Great Lakes Roses, are celebrating with a series of programs 1 p.m. Saturdays that will enable Michigan gardeners to succeed with roses this summer.

Each presentation will last

about an hour. Great Lakes Roses is at 49875 Willow Road, between Rawsonville and Sumpter (Belleville) roads in Sumpter Township, just south of Belleville. Call (734) 461-1230 or visit www.GreatLakesRoses.com.

A hands-on workshop about rose propagation, conducted by Nancy Lindley, will take place July 20. Participants will prepare and root roses from cuttings. Reservations are requested. The \$20 materials fee will be collected at the door. Participants are asked to bring their own pruners.

Lectures
Saguaro Nursery and Gardens, 470 W. Five Mile in Whitmore Lake, presents free lectures 1 p.m. Sundays this month.

Holly Pilon, gardener extraordinaire, will speak on New and Classic Hostas for Michigan Gardens July 21.

All lectures last about an hour. No registration is required. Come prepared to walk. Call (734) 449-4237.

Die-cast collectibles

A Die-cast Collectibles Show will take place 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, July 21, at the Plymouth VFW Hall, 1426 S. Mill. Admission is \$5, free for those under age 10 with an adult.

Vendors and collectors will be selling such die-cast collectibles as Hot Wheels Matchbox, NASCAR and NHRA racing replicas, banks and vintage toys from the '50s to this year's hottest items.

For information, call (734) 455-2110.

Cup giveaway
Children visiting the Kids Castles at Art Van Furniture, 8300 Wayne Road in Westland (phone (734) 425-9600) and 2777 Novi Road in Novi

(phone (248) 348-8922) 2-4 p.m. Saturday, July 20, will receive a large USA sports cup while supplies last.

Ford Estate
The Henry Ford Estate on the campus of the University of Michigan, Dearborn, will host a presentation by Miriam Easton Rutz, author of *Public Gardens of Michigan*, 12:30 p.m. Friday, July 26.

Books will be available for sale with Rutz signing copies 30 minutes before and after the presentation.

Henry Ford Estate garden tours will take place 1 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. July 26. The \$5 donation will be used toward restoration of the Ford Estate.

HOME CALENDAR

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The Henry Ford Estate Pool Restaurant is open from 11 a.m. For more information, call (313) 593-5590.

Guild exhibit

Beyond Thread: Beyond Fiber, an exhibit by the Needlework & Textile Guild of Michigan, is featured to Friday, July 19, at the Oakland County Galleria, 1200 N. Telegraph in Pontiac.

Galleria hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday. For information, call the Office of Arts, Culture & Film at (248) 858-

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Clevite Calhoun and the kids next door

It was in the year 1996 that I first heard from the Reverend Clevite Calhoun. My husband was traveling and I was accustomed to screening his junk mail. It seemed the good Reverend Calhoun was calling my husband into service, imploring him to join his holy tour on temperance. I threw the letter away in a huff. My husband didn't need any of that nonsense, beer was a simple pleasure in life for him.

I never mentioned the letter when my husband returned from his travels.

I did, however, mention the letter to our neighbor, Jack Kenyon. He was standing in his yard, watering his flowers, playfully spraying my son's feet with his favorite weapon, the hose.

Fred got the strangest letter," I told Jack. "Some religious zealot invited him to join a tour on temperance!"

Jack, a man of few words, just kind of chuckled. It was then that my giggling daughter scampered by, begging for her own spray of the hose. Jack became so immersed in the play with the children I gave up the conversation and wandered back into the house.

For a time I thought no more of the Reverend Clevite Calhoun.

Life went on in the neighborhood in spite of strange occurrences. It seemed a phantom was on the loose, a fairy, tiptoeing unseen and unheard onto our back porch, leaving behind tomatoes, cucumbers, and varieties of squash. We were stunned, it seemed the stealth tomato fairy eluded even our faithful, ever vigilant watchdog.

One day I mentioned the anonymous gifts of garden delights to Jack. He just laughed and shrugged, as he gathered loose sticks for his arsenal of rabbit ammo used for scaring critters out of his beloved garden. In all of his years as resident and former mayor of his beloved Plymouth, he had never encountered such happenings.

Life went on in the neighborhood.

And Jack was always there.

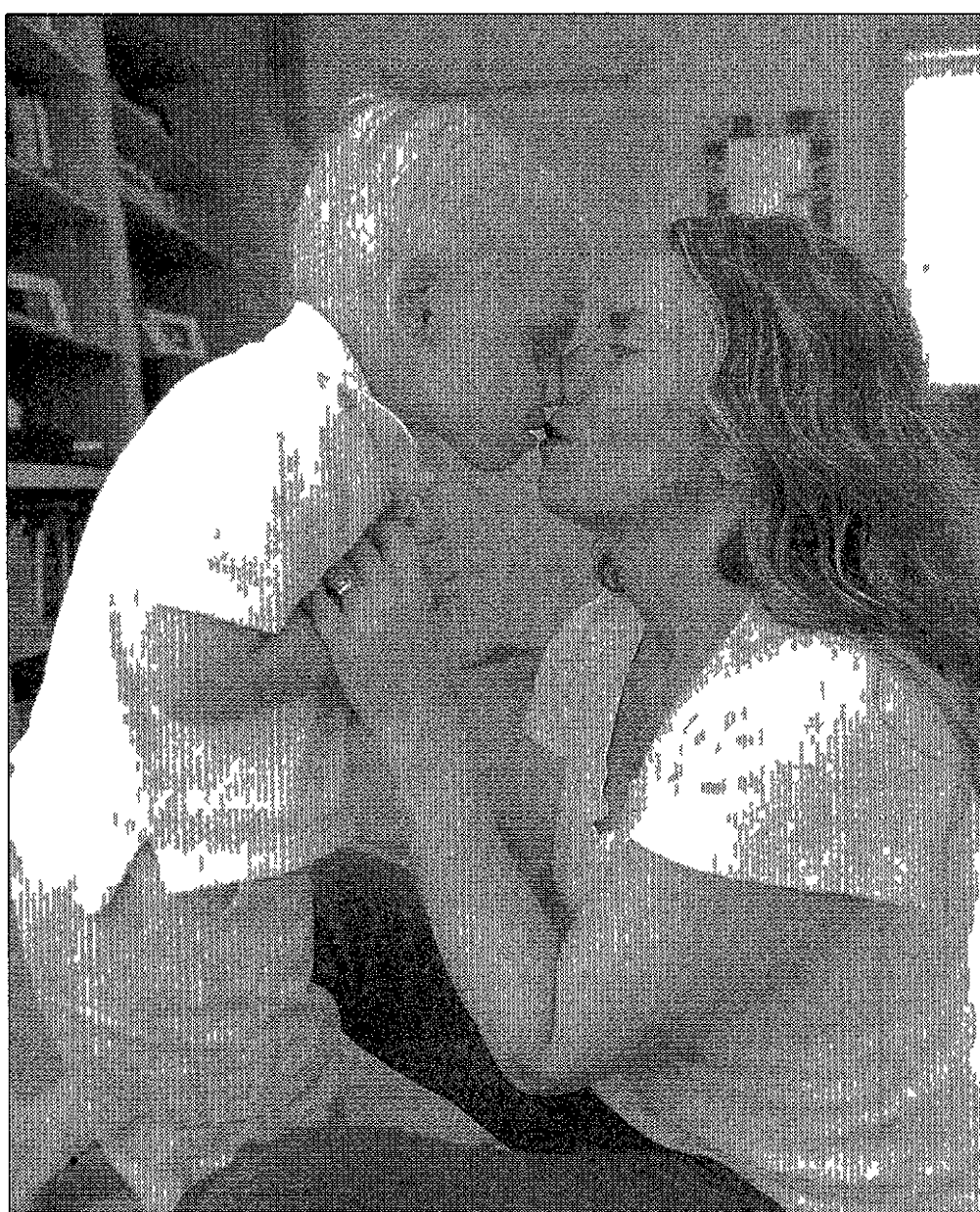
My husband eventually became an accomplice for the Reverend Clevite Calhoun. A frequent traveler, he often left on his many travels with a handful of letters. Letters from the Reverend Clevite Calhoun, imploring some unsuspecting reader to join his temperance tour. So traveled the Reverend Calhoun letters, postmarked Los Angeles, Tokyo or New York, and they were dropped in mail box after mail box.

Little did the recipients of the Reverend Calhoun letters realize the culprit of the temperance tour sat at home in Plymouth in front of his computer. Dressed in his Vans sneakers, wearing his Michigan sweatshirt, snacking on his favorite homemade cookies, Poppa Jack was busy at work, printing his next batch of letters. The temperance tours needed to go on.

And, as the years passed, I did catch a glimpse of the elusive tomato fairy.

Lying on my sofa, taking my afternoon relax, the tomato fairy was spotted bribing our watchdog with a dog biscuit. Though he was

PLEASE SEE STANDISH, C7



Monique Conrad gets a kiss from son Christian. Christian was diagnosed at age 2 as autistic, and his family is encouraged by his progress during therapy.

Christian Conrad wasn't really talking much, and he didn't play with his toys the way his mom thought kids did. Rather than push a toy car or truck along the floor, for instance, he'd tip it upside down and spin the wheels endlessly.

He didn't talk and didn't respond when mom and dad talked to him. At first, Monique worried her son was deaf. Her friends and family all told her the same things: "Don't worry, he's just a late talker. Boys develop slower than girls. Maybe you're doing too much for him."

Christian had seizures after receiving his first immunizations, which include the drug thiomersal. At 13 months, Christian cut his finger and had a tetanus shot. That's when his mother first noticed regression in her son's talking.

Finally, Monique and her husband David, decided to seek outside help. They took Christian to a friend of the family, speech pathologist Lorraine Zaksek at Speech Language & Sensory Motor, Inc., in Plymouth.

For the first time, the Conrads got a clinical look at their son outside the home environment and it frightened them.

When we took him there, that was the first time I really saw him in a place other than home," Monique Conrad recalled. "He just wandered around the room and cried, and he couldn't really focus on anything. (Zaksek) felt like there were some other issues going on."

FINDING OUT

At first, doctors and therapists told the Conrads Christian had some sensory integration problems. He took classes at Speech and Language for almost a year. Then the family went to see Dr. Rick Ng at the Center for Holistic Medicine in Bloomfield Hills.

Ng's diagnosis only confirmed what the family had come to fear: Christian was autistic.

"I had been doing some reading and was just needing it to be confirmed," Monique said. "We had a feeling, but we were sticking with pervasive development disorder. But Christian was doing

some of the specific behavioral traits of autism, so we couldn't stick with PDD anymore."

Though the diagnosis didn't surprise them, it still obviously had an effect. But the Conrads decided not to just mope. They took a positive attitude.

We were very sad, but we turned it right around, made lemonade out of lemons," Monique said. "He's young (28 months old at the time) and even Dr. Ng told us, 'we're not just going to have a little boy who can read and write, but we're going to have a scholar when this is all done.' So, while everyone is optimistic about

Christian's chances for recovery — mom says he's already making huge progress — the medical bills have begun piling up. Applied Behavior Analysis, an intensive, structured teaching program where lessons to be taught are broken into their simplest elements, is expensive, and not covered by health insurance in Michigan.

When Michelle Brown heard about, she decided to help, and since then friends have been hurrying to the Conrads' side. Brown, who is Monique Conrad's best friend and Christian's godmother, is helping organize a fund raise to help defray the costs of Christian's treatment.

As a pediatric nurse, I know there aren't always cures, but I have faith that with the necessary support and therapies, Christian will be able to live a normal life," said Brown, a registered nurse who works at Mott's Children's Hospital in Ann Arbor.

RAISING MONEY

The benefit takes place in Hines Park at Northville Road and Hines Drive in Plymouth from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10. The benefit picnic takes place at the Wilcox picnic pavilion, west of Northville Road east of Wilcox Road.

And, while raising money to help the Conrads afford the therapy is certainly one aspect of the fund-raiser, Brown, a Westland resident, and Monique Conrad are also turning the benefit into an informational seminar on autism.

"Obviously, we're gearing it toward raising money, but also toward raising awareness," said Brown, Monique Conrad's best friend since ninth grade. "It seems like everyone we talk to knows someone who is autistic. It's amazing."

Ng, the doctor who diagnosed Christian's autism, will speak, as will the dietitian who has Christian on a gluten- and casein-free diet that appears to be working wonders for the youngster. Monique Conrad will also man an informational table where she'll have tons of books to read and all kinds of literature.

With her son diagnosed with autism, the bene-

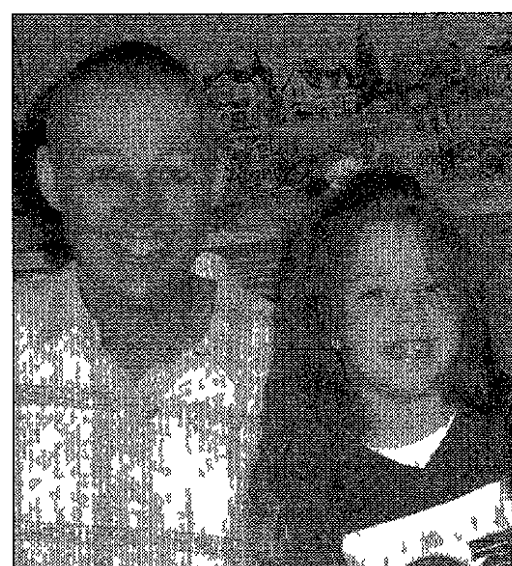
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Christian Conrad contemplates his shadow.

By Brad Kadrach ■ Staff Writer | Photos by Bill Bresler

Young girl donates hair in honor of her aunt



Ally Hermann (left) and her aunt Robin Reid are all smiles about Hermann's decision to donate her hair to Locks of Love. Reid passed away from breast cancer in June.

BY CHRISTINE BRODA
STAFF WRITER

When Ally Hermann found out her aunt, diagnosed with breast cancer in June last year, would be losing her hair due to chemotherapy treatments, the 8-year-old from Livonia pondered a question that probably would not have crossed the minds of many children her age.

Can I give her my hair for a wig? Ally asked her mother. According to mom Sue Hermann, the second-grader at Buchanan Elementary School came up with the idea on her own to donate her hair to her aunt, Robin Reid.

Ally has a very thick head of hair, even for an adult, said Hermann. "People always comment on it. She's very aware of her hair and so it was natural for

her to say this.

Upon realizing that it was not conceivable for Ally's hair to be used in a wig for her aunt, the Hermann family came up with an alternate plan.

"Because we knew this wasn't possible, we told her (Ally) about Locks of Love and the hairpieces they make for children," said Hermann. Ally immediately wanted to do this instead.

Ally's willingness to donate her hair recently took on added meaning. Her aunt, Robin Reid, passed away June 19.

LOCKS OF LOVE

Locks of Love is a charity that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children with medical hair loss. The non-profit organization accepts hair dona-



Eight-year-old Ally Hermann of Livonia had 10 inches of her hair cut off to donate to Locks of Love, an organization that makes wigs for children. Hermann sheared her tresses in honor of her aunt Robin Reid who recently passed away from breast cancer.

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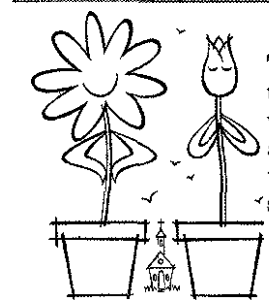
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Seminar
Calvary Baptist Church 43065 Joy Road Canton presents Speak Up With Confidence a three day seminar designed to teach people the skill of speaking and teaching with confidence Seminar held from 6:15 10 p.m. Thursday and Friday Aug 15 and 16 and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Aug 17 Call (734) 455 0022

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Clarenceville United Methodist
Join the buzz about Bug Safari a critter filled Bible school scheduled 9:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday Friday July 22 26 at the church 20300 Middlebelt Road Livonia Kids will take part in a hands on mission project for needy children in Eastern Europe Call (248) 474 3444

First Presbyterian
Vacation Church School God's Great Gallery is scheduled 9:30 a.m. to noon Monday Friday Aug 12 16 at First Presbyterian Church of Farmington The cost is \$5 per child Registration is now being accepted for kindergartners through 5th grade All children are welcome Call (248) 474 6170 to register

Grace Lutheran
Grace Lutheran Church on Warren Road in Canton offers their vacation Bible school Circus School 6:30 p.m. Monday Friday Aug 12 16 Cost is \$10 per individual or \$20 per family Call (734) 414 7422

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
God's Great Gallery vacation Bible school scheduled 5:30 8:30 p.m. Tuesday July 30 to Thursday Aug 1 For all classes Church is located at 26212 W Six Mile Redford Call (313) 537 3778

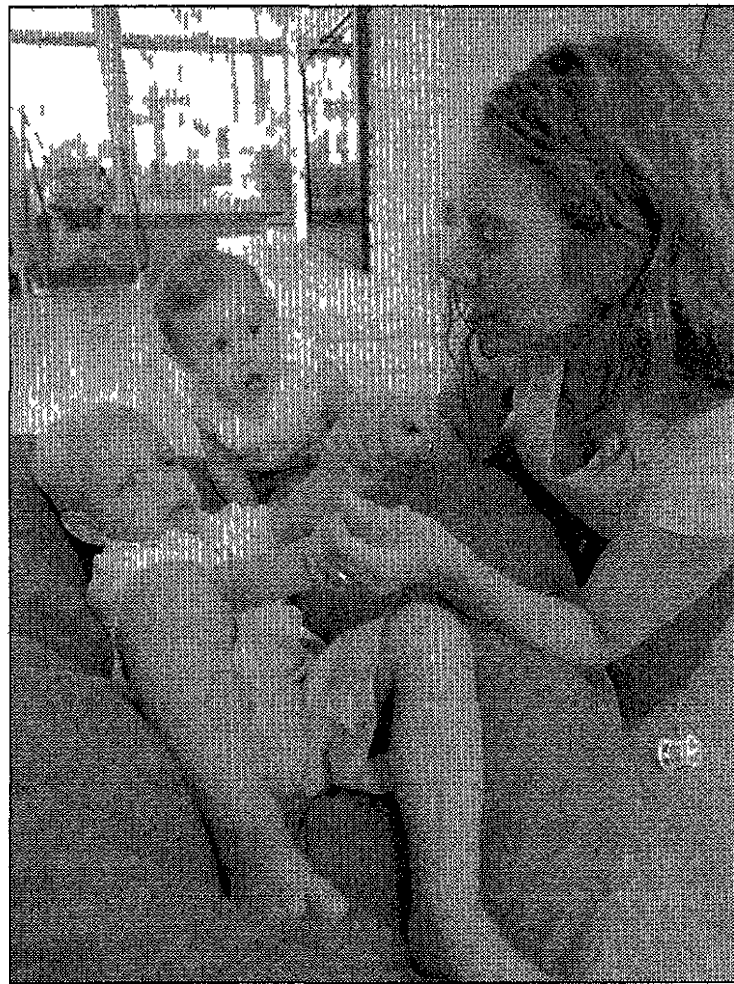
Lake Pointe Bible Chapel
Son Canyon River Adventure Vacation Bible School for ages 3 12 is scheduled 6:30 8 p.m. Monday July 29 to Friday August 2 Church is located at 42150 Schoolcraft Road (west of Haggerty) Plymouth Township Call (734) 420 0515
Livonia Church of Christ
Vacation by the Sea is the theme of vacation Bible school scheduled 7 9 p.m. Monday Thursday July 22 25 for preschool 6th grade children Adult class taught by the minister Larry Stephens Call (734) 427 8743

Memorial Church of Christ
Faith Mountain An Extreme Adventure With Jesus is the theme of this year's Bible school which runs 9 a.m. to noon July 29 Aug 2 for ages 4 through junior high Church located at 35475 Five Mile Road Livonia Call (734) 464 6722
Riverside Park Church of God
Join our Sunday morning Bible school Jesus Loves The Little Children 10:30 a.m. through the evening Sunday July 21 at the Nankin Mills Picnic Shelter Hines Park Call (734) 591 72

CHURCH SERVICES

Antioch Lutheran Church
Summer Sunday service 9:30 a.m. through Labor Day weekend Contemporary Praise service 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through Aug 28 preceded by 6:30 p.m. Bible study The church is at 33360 W 13 Mile Road corner of Farmington Road Farmington Hills (248) 626 7906

Clarenceville united Methodist
Clarenceville United Methodist Church's has made the following schedule change for summer Traditional Worship Service 8:45 a.m. Sunday School for all ages 10 a.m. Casual Service for Late Risers 11:15 a.m.



Monique Conrad, her son Christian and daughter Isabella spend time together on a warm summer afternoon

AUTISM

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fit hasn't just become a cause for Monique Conrad — it's become a crusade
"I want to help parents get a deeper understanding of how they can help their children," Monique said "That's one of my missions I believe have been called to me from God "My main goal is to reach out to the community," Monique Conrad said It used to be 1-in-10,000 children, now it's 1-in-166 boys I want to be on the forefront of educating other parents These children can be worked with with a lot of love

and a lot of patience
That's what the Conrads have been doing, and it's paying off You can hear the payoff in Monique Conrad's voice when she delivers the evidence "I get kisses from my son now"
The Christian Conrad Faith Benefit is still in need of donations of things such as hot dogs, buns, condiments, chips, pop, face paints, toys for prizes, etc Anyone wishing to make a donation can contact Michelle Brown, (734) 266-8131, or Joyce Sosnowski (734) 397-9246, or e-mail CCFaithFund@yahoo.com
bkadrich@oe.homecomm.net (734) 459 2700

HAIR

FROM PAGE C5
tions in the form of ponytails at least 10 inches long that are used to make custom, vacuum fitted, natural-looking hair prosthetics for children under the age of 18
After she and her mom researched Locks of Love on the Internet to find out exactly how to make a contribution Ally began the process of growing out her long thick hair last year
I call it bizarre hair said Hermann Its long, thick, it knots its frizzy"
Due to the "bizarre" nature of her daughter's hair, Hermann said Ally's attempts to grow it out were not easy
It hasn't been easy because of her thick hair It makes combing her hair every day really hard on Ally, but she has been a trooper through it all," said Hermann
Ally added that, during the time spent growing her hair long to meet the requirement, it was really hot"
But recently Ally got relief from her abundance of brown locks along with the satisfac-

tion of having helped someone in need On May 22 she had 11 inches of her hair cut off at Libby's Hair Fashions in Northville
The ponytail was packaged in a plastic bag and sent to the Locks of Love headquarters in Florida, where it will be used along with 10 15 other ponytails to make an individual hairpiece To craft a single prosthetic more than 140 000 strands of human hair are implanted by hand one hair at a time in exactly the same angle and direction as natural hair would grow
Ally, who now sports a short bob is happy with her new more comfortable look
"It's really nice and cool when the days are hot," she said All the kids liked it (haircut) when they saw it And when Ally told her friends what she had done with her hair she said, "they thought it was very neat"
Hermann said May 22 was "a day we'll forever remember"
"I'm pretty proud of her," she said "But I'm even more proud of the fact that she originally wanted to do it for her aunt It was all her idea Locks

of Love came second because doing it for her aunt wasn't feasible
While the family grieves for the loss of a beloved aunt, Hermann said Ally is happy to have been able to help someone else Her daughter's hair truly became locks of love For more information on Locks of Love or to find out how you can make

a donation call (561) 963 1677 or write to Locks of Love 2925 10th Ave North Ste 102 Lake Worth FL 33461 You can also visit the Web site at www.locksoflove.org
cbroda@oe.homecomm.net

STANDISH

FROM PAGE C5
heavily disguised under the guise of his hat, the tomato fairy seemed to bear a strange resemblance to Jack
I guess I thought Jack would always be there
It was just in May that the tomato fairy came no more The Reverend Clevite Calhoun letter now sits in the silent computer waiting for Poppa Jack to come
The strange occurrences are no more in our neighborhood Today the street seems a little quieter, my children are a little drier
Jack Kenyon had touched each of our lives in his quiet, sometimes mischievous way Somewhere, in the stars, the temperance tour goes on For Jack's spirit is a spirit that stays

with you for a lifetime
Today the spirit of Jack stays with the city of Plymouth and with the Plymouth Historical Museum
It stays with Jackie and Jim, Trish and Janet, and all of his beloved grandchildren
It even stays with poor, tiny rural communities in the West Virginian Appalachians, which were touched every year by his humble generosity
Yes, Jack, we do think of you every now and again, and with each thought, with each memory, you bring a smile to our hearts
My family thanks you, Jack We were proud and honored to be members of your tour
Cathy Standish is a Plymouth resident and regular contributor to the Observer She can be reached via e-mail at Cate1956@aol.com

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REUNIONS

As space permits, the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers print, without charge, announcements of class reunions. Send the information to Reunions Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Livonia 48150. Please include the date of the reunion, one contact person and a telephone number.

Anchor Bay High School

Class of 1982
A 20 year reunion on Friday July 26 at Tina's Country House in Macomb. For more details please contact Cabby Lenhausen at (586) 716 9967 or Tammy

(Clyma) Ristau at (248) 542 1559

Bentley High School

Class of 1962
A 40 year class reunion will be held 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Sept 7 at the Livonia Marriott. Call Joy Roose at (248) 668 9883 for further information.
Class of 1967
A 35th class reunion will be held Saturday Oct 12. For more information click on www.classmates.com. GailRyd@aol.com or Diransom@aol.com or call Gail Morell (313) 336 3329.
Class of 1958
A 44th reunion golf outing and picnic

is being held Saturday Aug 10. For more information contact Ellen (Baumgartner) Dorman at (734) 261 6984.

Birmingham High School

Class of 1952
A 50th class reunion will be held at 6:30 p.m. Saturday Sept 14 at Orchard Lake Country Club. Call Julie McKnight at (248) 646 1073 for more information.

Catholic Central

Class of 1961
For information about the Girls Catholic Central of Detroit 40th reunion call Jan Seefeld (248) 398 7777 or Nancy Nowak Kush (313) 291 1165.

Chadsey

Class of 1952
A golden anniversary reunion is in the early planning stages. Alumni are being asked to call and share their interest in attending a reunion. Call Florence A. Azzopardi (313) 937 1246.

Cherry Hill High (Inkster)

Classes of 1960s-1970s

The event will be held Saturday July 27. Call Debbie Troyer (313) 562 1041 or email dball824@aol.com. Romano Hook (248) 344 1938 or email muggs@comcast.net or Don Peterson (248) 344 4829 or email dlpete75@yahoo.com.

Clarkston High School

Class of 1972
Classmates are being sought for a 30th reunion Aug 2 at Liberty Lakes Golf Club. Call Alice at (248) 887 8058 or awwhite@bloomfield.org or Bill at (773) 324 5672 or Blatoza@BauerLatozaStudio.com.

Dearborn High

Class of 1952
A 50 year reunion is planned for Aug 3 at Dearborn Country Club. Call Carolyn (Hasetline) Chamon at (313) 937 1387 or Marianne Hoak at (313) 274 9064.

Class of 1977
A 25th class reunion will be held Aug 2 at the Dearborn Hyatt Regency. Any interested alumni should visit www.dhs1977.info on the internet for more information and to update their

personal information. For more information call Brian Higgins at (810) 225 3907.

Denby High

Class of June 1962
Reunion planned for Nov 30 at the Lochmoor Country Club in Grosse Pointe. Call Joe at (248) 656 9616 or email your address to Pam at Nursepam@starband.net.

Detroit Central High

Class of 1953
50th reunion Sept 13 2003. Call Bernice Betman (248) 737 5773.

Detroit Redford

Classes of January June 1962
A 40 year reunion is planned Friday Sept 27. Call Lee Leddy at (734) 425-7860.

Detroit Southeastern High School

Class of 1941 1942 and 1943
A reunion will take place Sept 27 at Barrister Gardens in St. Clair Shores. All alumni and guests welcome. Call Doris (May) Brewer at (734) 675 9757. Bert West at (586) 779 8794 or Paul Andrews at (313) 882 3974.

East Detroit High

Class of 1957
45th reunion Sunday Oct 13 at Eastpointe Manor East Detroit. Call Brenda (586) 978 7829.

East Lansing High

Class of 1957
Forty-fifth reunion on Saturday Aug 17 at Kellogg Center on MSU campus, East Lansing. For more information call Linda Foster at (517) 543-3041 or Sharon McConaghe at (248) 476-5936.

Edsel Ford High

Class of 1977
25th reunion Friday Aug 2 at the Hellenic Cultural Center in Westland. Picnic on Saturday Aug 3 at the Dearborn Homecoming Festival. Visit www.geocities.com/efhs1977 or register with classmates.com.

Farmington High School

Class of 1972
30th reunion Friday July 19 at Baker's of Milford for dinner and dancing. The cost is \$50/person. Alumni from 1971 or 1973 are welcome also! Call Mike or Wendy for more information at (248) 437-4791.

Fordson High

Class of 1952
Fifty year reunion Saturday Oct 5 at the Hellenic Cultural Center in Westland. For more information January grads contact (313) 388 1582 or orloffal@aol.com and June grads call (313) 565 1641 or contact jan-marv@juno.com.

Garden City East

Class of 1977

CANTON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE MANDATORY RESTRICTIONS - OUTDOOR WATER USE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to Canton Township Water and Sewer System Ordinance No 30 Section No 112.040 and in accordance with the July 11 2002 Outdoor Water Use Restrictions Notice issued by the Detroit Water and Sewer Department the Charter Township of Canton Board of Trustees institutes a Notice of Water Shortage that restricts and prohibits certain outdoor water usage and institutes an odd/even water use restriction to limit water usage. Individuals and businesses with odd numbered addresses are to do lawn watering fill swimming pools wash vehicles and engage in similar uses only on odd numbered days. Likewise those having even numbered addresses are to do lawn watering fill swimming pools wash vehicles and engage in similar uses on even numbered days. All users are requested to limit or avoid daily outdoor water use during the hours of 6:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. These restrictions apply until further notice.

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CITY OF PLYMOUTH PRIMARY ELECTION ACCURACY TEST MONDAY, JULY 22, 2002

The City of Plymouth will be conducting an accuracy testing on current optical scan voting equipment for the upcoming August Primary Election Monday July 22 2002 at 3:00 p.m. at Plymouth City Hall 201 S. Main Street Plymouth MI 48170.

This is a public meeting and any interested person is invited to attend to view the testing of this equipment for the upcoming election. City Hall is in compliance with the American Disabilities Act and is handicapped accessible.

Any questions can be directed to the City Clerk's office at 734 453 1234 ext 234.

LINDA J LANGMESSER CMC City Clerk

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S. Canton Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m. Thursday August 1st 2002 for the following:

2002 SIDEWALK GAP PROGRAM

Placement of approximately 12,600 square feet of 4" and 6" concrete sidewalk including ramps, concrete curb & gutter, restoration and other related items.

Specifications are available for pick up at Ayres Lewis Norris and May Inc 3909 Research Park Drive Ann Arbor MI 48108 2219. Phone number is (734) 761 1010. A non refundable plan deposit of \$35.00 shall be required. A 5% bid bond will be required. Bid documents are available for review at the Township Administration Building 2nd Floor Engineering Department Construction Association of Michigan F W Dodge and Construction Market Data. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the bid name company name address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race color national origin sex religion age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

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PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP SENDS OUT WATER QUALITY REPORT

The Plymouth Township Water and Sewer Department has sent out its annual drinking water quality report to consumers.

Among other things the report discloses the amount of various materials in the water including microbial and inorganic contaminants and pesticides and herbicides.

The annual report has been required by law since the US Congress passed the 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments.

Most of the Detroit metro area including Plymouth Township gets its drinking water from the Detroit River. The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department operates the water treatment facilities and pumping stations that supply water to the township which operates the pipeline infrastructure and acts as the retailer to area businesses and residents.

Residents or business owners who haven't received the report or have further questions can contact the Plymouth Township Water and Sewer Department at (734) 453 8131.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

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

David Medley ADA Coordinator
Charter Township of Canton 1150 S. Canton Center Road
Canton MI 48188
(734) 397 5435

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NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH

Consistent with the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department's mandatory water use restriction notice to limit water usage Plymouth Township is instituting our emergency water use reduction ordinance. This is an effort to avoid water distribution problems due to continued hot, dry weather and high water usage. Effective immediately all Plymouth Township customers shall institute an odd/even mandatory water use restriction to limit water use. (Individuals with odd numbered addresses are asked to do outdoor watering only on odd numbered days. Likewise those having even numbered addresses should water lawns, fill swimming pools wash cars, etc on even numbered days.)

Because water consumption is at its peak between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. daily, we are also requesting a voluntary observance to avoid outdoor use of water between these hours. Your cooperation in maintaining the odd/even water use requirement will enable water customers to continue receiving an even distribution of water with minimal low pressure problems and the possibility of a boil water situation.

The water use restrictions will be in effect until further notice. If you have any questions or concerns, please call the Plymouth Township Water Department at (734) 453-8131.

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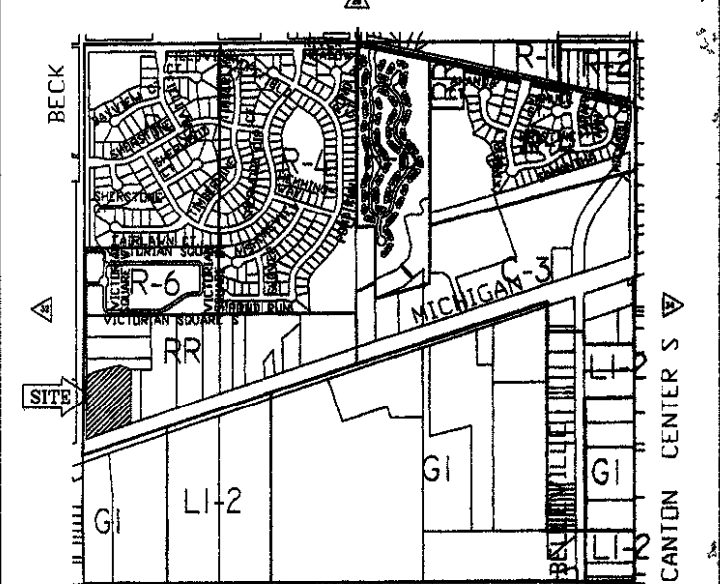
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PLANNING COMMISSION CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Act 184 of the Public Acts of 1943 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and pursuant to the Zoning Ordinance of the Charter Township of Canton that the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton will hold a Public Hearing on Monday, August 12, 2002 in the Chestnut Room, at Summit On The Park, 46000 Summit Parkway at 7:00 p.m. on the following proposed amendment to the Zoning Ordinance:

ZAHRAE/SINGH REZONING - CONSIDER REQUEST TO REZONE PART OF PARCEL NO 131 98 0005 000 FROM RR, RURAL RESIDENTIAL (1 DWELLING UNIT/5 ACRES) TO C-3 REGIONAL COMMERCIAL SOUTH OF THE SINES DRAIN. Property is located on the northeast corner of Michigan Avenue and Beck Road.



ZONING MAP SECTION 33

Written comments addressed to the Planning Commission should be received at the above address prior to Thursday, August 8, 2002 in order to be included in the materials submitted for review.

VIC GUSTAFSON, Chairman

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ELECTION NOTICE

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON

You are hereby notified that a general Primary Election will be held in the Charter Township of Canton on Tuesday, August 6, 2002 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of nominating candidates of the Democratic Republican and non partisan candidates for the following offices:

- Governor
- United States Senate
- Representative in Congress 11th District
- State Senate 7th District
- State Representative 20th or 21st District
- County Executive
- County Commissioner 11th District
- Delegates to County Convention by Precinct
- 1 Judge of the Circuit Court 3rd Circuit Regular Term Non Incumbent Position
- 1 Judge of District Court 35th District New Judgeship

and to vote on the following proposals:

Proposal 02 1 A Proposal to Amend the Provision of the State Constitution Governing the Operation of the State Officers Compensation Commission (SOCC)

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- Add Attorney General and Secretary of State to list of state officials whose salaries and expense allowances are determined by the SOCC. The list currently includes the State Legislature Governor, Lieutenant Governor and Supreme Court Justice.
- Require the legislature to approve by majority vote any salary and expense allowance determinations proposed by the SOCC before determinations to into effect. Currently the SOCC's determinations go into effect unless rejected by a 2/3 vote of legislature.
- Allow legislature to reduce compensation increases proposed by the SOCC.
- Provide that the SOCC's salary and expense determinations would take effect after the next general election. YES NO

Proposal 02 2 A Proposal to Allow Certain Permanent and Endowment Funds to Be Invested as Provided by Law and Increase Allowed Spending for State Parks, Local Parks, and Outdoor Recreation

- Allow certain permanent and endowment funds including Natural Resources Trust Fund State Parks Endowment Fund and Veterans Trust Fund to be invested as provided by law eliminating prior restriction on investing in stocks.
- Increase Natural Resources Trust Fund cap on assets from \$400 million to \$500 million.
- Allow the Natural Resources Trust Fund to continue to annually expend up to 33 1/3% of Fund royalties or other revenues up to a new asset cap of \$500 million.
- Increase allowed State Parks Endowment Fund spending to include interest and earnings and up to 50% of funds received from Natural Resources Trust Fund. YES NO

Proposal J Jails Millage Renewal

To renew the millage authorized in 1998 shall Wayne County be authorized to continue to levy this millage at the 2001 rollback rate of 9482 mills (about 94 cents per thousand dollars of taxable valuation) for ten more years (2002 through 2011) for any of the following previously authorized uses:

To acquire construct and/or operate jail misdemeanor or juvenile incarceration or detention facilities and for adult penalty options such as work release home detention and community restitution with at least one tenth of the millage used to acquire build and operate a juvenile offender work/training institution? This renewal is estimated to generate at least \$37 431 874 in property tax revenue in 2002. YES NO

Proposal K Special Education Millage Proposal

The following proposal asks voters to consider an additional 1.5 mills for mandated special education programs beginning in 2002. The current authorization of 2.00 mills which the voters approved at 1.00 mills in 1974 with an additional mill in 1988 has been rolled back to 1.8879 mills through application of the Headlee Amendment to the Michigan Constitution. The funds would be restricted to supporting these mandated programs in Wayne County school districts and reduce the reliance on the districts general funds for this purpose.

Shall the limitation on the annual property tax rate previously approved by the electors of Wayne County Regional Educational

Service Agency Michigan for the education of persons with disabilities be increased by 1.50 mills (\$1.50 on each \$1,000 of taxable valuation)? The estimate of the revenue the intermediate school district will collect if the millage is approved and levied in calendar year 2002 is approximately \$59,360,000. YES NO

Statement as Required by Section 3 of the Property Tax Limitation Act, Public Act 62 of 1993, As Amended, Being MCL 211 208 Amending the Property Tax Limitation Act

I Raymond J Wojtowicz Treasurer of Wayne County Michigan do hereby certify that as of June 26 2002 the total of all voted increases in excess of Constitutional fifteen mill tax limitation on the years such increases are effective are as follows affecting the taxable property of Local Unit:

Local Unit	Date of Election	Voted Increases	Years Increases Effective
County of Wayne	August 8 2000	1 mill	2002 thru 2009
Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency	August 6 1974	1 mill	2002 indefinitely
Wayne County Parks	November 8 1988	1 mill	2002 indefinitely
Wayne County Community College	August 8 2000	25 mills	2002 thru 2005
Wayne Westland Comm School District	November 3 1998	1 mill	2002 thru 2005
Wayne Westland Comm School District	June 12 1995	18 mills	2002 thru 2010 Inclusive
Plymouth Canton Comm School District	June 12 1995	18 mills	2002 thru 2004 Inclusive
Van Buren Public Schools	October 1 1999	18 mills	2002 thru 2006

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON PRECINCT NUMBERS AND LOCATIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Primary Election will be held on Tuesday, August 6, 2002 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the following polling locations:

Precinct No.	Name of Facility	Address
1 & 23	First Baptist Church	44500 Cherry Hill Road
2	Tri City Christian Center	3855 Sheldon S Road
3 10 21	St John Neumann Church	44800 Warren Road
4 & 13	Miller School	43721 Hanford Road
5 & 31	Crescent Academy	40440 Palmer Road
6	Royal Holiday Clubhouse	39500 Warren Road
7	Salem High School	46181 Joy Road
8	Resurrection Parish Church	48765 Warren Road
9 & 34	Erikson School	1275 N Haggerty Road
11 & 19	Tonda Elementary School	46501 Warren Road
12 & 14	Hulsing Elementary School	8055 Fleet Street
15	Walker School	39932 Michigan Avenue
16 & 17	Bentley Elementary School	1100 Sheldon S Road
18 & 29	Field Elementary School	1000 S Haggerty Road
20	Township Fire Station No 1	1000 Canton Center South
22	Hoben Elementary School	44680 Saltz Road
24 & 25	Canton High School	8415 Canton Center N
26 27 & 36	Summit on the Park	46000 Summit Parkway
28	Agape Christian Center	45081 Geddes
30	Metttal Airport	8550 N Lilley Road
32	Main Street Baptist Church	8600 Morton Taylor N
33 & 37	Dodson School	205 Beck N
35	Cherry Hill United Methodist Church	321 S Ridge Road

The Office of the Township Clerk, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, will be opened from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 3, 2002 for absentee ballots. Qualified voters must appear in person to receive a ballot.

On Monday, August 5, 2002 those requesting an absentee ballot must appear in person at the Clerk's Office no later than 4:00 p.m. Emergency absentee ballots ONLY will be issued on Election Day August 6 2002. All absentee ballots that are returned in person, must be returned to the Clerk's office by 4:00 p.m. on August 6, 2002.

Handicapped Voters with an inaccessible polling place are eligible to vote without notice at the Clerk's Office until the close of voting at 8:00 p.m. on Election Day.

If you are unsure of your voting location please refer to your voter registration card or contact the Clerk's office at 734 394 5120.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

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REUNIONS

25th class reunion Oct 19 E mail
GCEAST1977@aol.com or call Kim
Gallinat Orsette at (734) 762 6357 or
Julie Stapleton Edgar at (734) 762
6373

Class of 1982
20th reunion Nov 9 Call Traci at (517)
552 1955 or Denise at (734) 421 5584

Garden City West High

Class of 1971
Reunion scheduled for Aug 10 2002 at
the Marriott in Romulus Register at
www.classreunionsplus.com and visit
the class Web site at
www.homestead.com/gardencity
west71/index.html

Grosse Pointe North

Class of 1991
Call (800) 677 7800 visit www.taylorre
unions.com or e mail info@taylorre
unions.com or culbertson@taylorre
unions.com or write Taylor Reunion

Services PO Box 597 Dallas TX 75221
9929

Class of 1972
Thirtieth reunion on July 20 For more
information write to GPNHS class
Reunion PO Box 80771 St Clair
Shores MI 48080

Hazel Park High School

Class of 1967 (January and June)
A 35 year reunion will be held
Saturday Aug 3 in Andiamo's Banquet
Hall Warren Call (248) 608 2836 or
visit www.hazelparkclassof67.org

Henry Ford High

Class of 1972
A 30 year reunion will be held 7 p m
Friday July 26 at Burton Manor
Livonia Call Michael W Colton at (248)
626 6280 for more information

Highland Park High

Class of 1947
55th reunion Saturday Sept 21 at the

Red Run Country Club Royal Oak Call
Steve Karadian at (248) 851 1357 or e
mail Stefan8gd@aol.com
Classes of 1951 and 1952
A reunion is planned for Aug 11 at the
Marriott Centerpoint in Pontiac For
information call (248) 627 2179

Holly High School

Class of 1967 along with 1966 and 1968
A 35 year reunion being held Saturday
Aug 24 at Spring Meadows Country
Club of Linden Interested classmates
should contact Karen Wheeler at (248)
634 9275 Linda Cohee Pittenger at
(248) 634 3982 or Bill Walters at (248)
634 4593

Holy Redeemer

Class of 1962
Classmates call Frank S Barkovich
regarding the class reunion in 2002
Call (734) 397 8777
Class of 1953

A 50 year reunion is planned for Oct 11
2003 at Laurel Manor in Livonia
Contact Ellen McCarty Wright at ellen
inredford@yahoo.com

Livonia Stevenson

Class of 1972
A 30 year reunion is planned for Friday
Aug 9 at The Italian American Club of
Livonia Contact Kathy (Guilbault)
Harris (734) 462 1772 or
kathar53@aol.com or Paul St Henry
(734) 591 6081 or psth@aol.com

Lowrey High School

Class of 1967
A weekend reunion is planned for Aug
2 4 beginning at the South Shore Grill
and Marina a picnic at the Southgate
Park and a tour of Lowrey Contact
Linda Caldwell Johnson at (734) 459
7192 or bigparlin@yahoo.com

Class of 1954

Reunion planned for 2004 In the works
are various classmate committee
meetings Call Fay (Bolton) Reeves at
(248) 349 2094 or send an e mail to
her at fayree@aol.com or call Yvonne
(Bird) Chavis at (313) 277 1175 or e mail
her at ybchavis@aol.com

Mackenzie High School

Class of 1952
50th reunion Saturday July 27 at the
Northfield Troy Hilton Hotel Contact
Marilyn LaBonte Foley (313) 835 0869
e mail patmarfo@aol.com

Marian High School

Class of 1996
Contact Jennifer Latimer (248) 646
9060 or Tina Malloy (248) 433 1795

New Boston Huron High

Class of 1976 80
Reunion Saturday Oct 19 Contact 1977
Lynn Doyle/Curl (734) 782 5356 e mail
tcurl4@comcast.net 1978 Linda

Novak/Perry (734) 697 0868 e mail
jwppf44@people.pc.com 1979 Sharon
Lilly/Bokar (734) 941 3890 e mail
usps481@aol.com or Monica
Pachy/Tomlinson (734) 420 3411 e
mail m2tomlin@aol.com Contacts for
1976 and 1980 undetermined at this
time

Oak Park High School

Class of 1962
A reunion is planned for Oct 11 (Friday
Night Canteen) and dinner Oct 12 at
the Excalibur in Southfield For infor
mation contact ophs62reunion@
aol.com via e mail

Class of 1972

For information about a 30th reunion
planned for Aug 3 or to attend the
event send inquiry or names and
addresses to OPHS 72 c/o 30631 High
Valley Road Farmington Hills MI 48331

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON
BOARD PROCEEDINGS - JULY 9, 2002**

The regularly scheduled closed session of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton met at 6 04 pm for discussion of employee negotiations and pending litigation

Members Present Bennett McLaughlin Burdzyak Kirchgatter,
Shefferly LaJoy Yack Members
Absent None
Staff Present Director Durack
Also Present Chris Johnson of Johnson Rosati Labarge
Aselytne and Field PC

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy at 7 03 pm to move from closed session to open session Motion carried unanimously

A regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday July 9 2002 at 1150 South Canton Road Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7 03 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

Members Present Bennett Burdzyak Kirchgatter Shefferly
McLaughlin LaJoy Yack

Members Absent None
Staff Present Director Minghine Director Durack Director
Machnik Director Santomauro Director
Conklin Kathleen Salla

Motion by Bennett, seconded by LaJoy to approve the agenda Motion carried unanimously

Approval of Special Board Minutes Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the special board minutes of June 25 2002 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to approve the regular board minutes of June 25, 2002 Motion carried unanimously

Payment of Bills Motion by Kirchgatter supported by LaJoy to approve payment of the bills as presented Motion carried unanimously

General Fund	101	\$266 039 69	
Fire Fund	206	53 038 99	
Police Fund	207	115 580 11	Expenditure
Summit Operating	208	84 295 93	Recap for
Golf Fund	211	16 982 63	07/09/02
Street Lighting	219	15 749 66	
Cable TV Fund	230	24 402 09	
Twp Improvement	246	54 969 50	
E 911 Utility	261	368 48	
Auto Forfeiture(wwa)	267	2 183 83	
Federal Grants Fund	274	346 75	
Auto Theft Grant	289	218 98	
Downtown Dev Auth	294	1 988 64	
Post Employ Benefits	296	18 455 91	
Cap Proj Summit Const	402	143 238 64	
Cap Proj Road Paving	403	1 197 48	
Bldg Auth Construction	469	51 708 02	
Water & Sewer Fund	592	518 835 58	
Construction Escrows	702	83 060 38	
Total - All Funds		1,452,661.29	

Board Member Reports. Trustee McLaughlin reminded everyone of Canton's opening of the Bartlett Travis House on Sunday July 14th from 1 to 4 pm The Historical Society will sponsor an ice cream social and a tour of the house

PUBLIC HEARING Item 1. Consider Tax Abatement for Greenfield Die & Manufacturing Corporation. Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to open the public hearing at 7 06 p.m. Motion carried unanimously

Supervisor Yack declared the public hearing open to consider a tax abatement for Greenfield Die and Manufacturing Corporation

Supervisor Yack called for anyone present to speak in opposition or in favor of the granting of the tax abatement and no one came forth Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to close the public hearing at 7 09 p.m. Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the resolution for the application of Greenfield Die and Manufacturing Corporation and Industrial Facilities Exemption Certificate for personal property that when issued shall be in effect and in force for a period of 3 years expiring December 30 2005 Motion carried unanimously

COMMISSION CALENDAR Item 1. Approve The Election Commission Minutes of June 25, 2002. Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the minutes of the Election Commission dated June 25, 2002 and further to attach them to the regular Board Minutes of July 9, 2002 Motion carried unanimously

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ELECTION
COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS JUNE 25, 2002**

A regular meeting of the Election Commission of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday June 25, 2002 at 1150 South Canton Center Road, Canton, Michigan Clerk Bennett called the meeting to order at 6 20 p.m.

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to appoint Kirchgatter as chair of the meeting Motion carried unanimously

Roll Call

Members Present Bennett McLaughlin Kirchgatter

Members Absent None

Adoption of the Agenda - Motion by Kirchgatter supported by Bennett, to adopt the agenda as presented Motion carried unanimously

Item 1 Appointment of Precinct Inspectors for the August 6, 2002 Primary Election - Clerk Bennett presented the list of precinct inspectors for the August 6 2002 Primary Election She noted that each precinct was required by law to have at least one democratic inspector and one republican inspector

Corrections will be made to the list with the understanding that the list is subject to change as cancellations and new appointments are made

Motion by McLaughlin supported by Kirchgatter to approve the appointment of the precinct inspectors for the August 6, 2002 Primary Election as amended Motion carried unanimously

Item 2 Establishment of Absent Voter County Boards - Clerk Bennett indicated that nine absentee precincts have been assigned No more than nine could be used If fewer number of ballots are returned then expected then fewer number of counting boards will be used

The counting boards will be assigned as follows Precinct # 938 Reflects Legislative House District #20 / 939 thru 947 Reflects Legislative House District #21 *Note that it may not be necessary to use all Absentee Precincts This is relative to the number of returned ballots for this August 6, 2002 Primary Election

Motion by McLaughlin supported by Bennett to approve the establishment of the AV Counting Board Precincts as presented Motion carried unanimously

Item 3 Review of the Election Notices - Election notices were reviewed and publication dates were noted

Adjourn - Motion by McLaughlin supported by Bennett to adjourn the meeting at 6 45 p.m. Motion carried unanimously

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

Item 2. To Affirm Appointment And Terms of Expiration For The Construction Board of Appeals Members - Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to affirm appointment of members and term limits for the Construction Board of Appeals Ron Pennington (Chairman) expiring 12/31/02 Gregory Trombley, expiring 12/31/03, Edmond Robert, expiring 12/31/04, Bob Pacciocco expiring 12/31/05 and Joseph Philips, expiring 12/31/06 Motion carried unanimously

Item 3. Consider Final Approval of Zoning Ordinance Amendment 2002-01 Detention Pond Access Standards Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the addition of Section 2 27 and the amendment to Section 5 02(I) with the following resolution Motion carried unanimously

**RESOLUTION OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES
CHARTER TWP OF CANTON
Zoning Ordinance Amendment 2002
- Detention Pond Access Standards**

The Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton hereby approves the addition of Section 2 27 and amendment to Section 5 02(I) as follows

2 27 Access to Detention Ponds and Storm Water Facilities (New) Reasonable and practical access shall be provided to detention ponds and storm water facilities to allow for periodic sedimentation removal and proper maintenance of related structures, pumps mechanical filtration systems and related ancillary equipment The access shall be a minimum of 15 feet wide be unpaved and provide a grass paver type of subsurface stabilization to support heavy equipment The location shall be indicated clearly on the proposed site plan Access shall be located adjacent to a street drive aisle or paved parking area where practical The location of a pond access between two residential buildings is discouraged and will be allowed only when no other feasible alternative exists

5 02 General Landscaping Requirements. I Storm Water Detention and Retention Ponds - 3 The landscape plan shall include a required 15 foot wide maintenance access to all proposed storm water facilities and the planting plan shall be designed to prevent obstruction of the access by trees and shrubs pursuant to Section 2 27 Any above ground mechanical structures necessary for pond operation shall be identified on the landscape plan and shall be fully screened with evergreen trees

TERRY G BENNETT

Item 4 Budget Amendment Capital Projects Building Construction Fund Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the following budget amendment in the Capital Projects Building Construction Fund for the Administration Building expansion

Increase Revenues	\$18 500 000
Increase Appropriations	\$18 500 000

This budget amendment increases the Capital Projects Building Construction Fund budget from \$1 075 782 to \$19 575 782 Motion carried unanimously

Item 5 General Fund Budget Amendment Tree Fund Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve the following budget amendment in the General Fund to transfer the Tree Fund line item budget from Public Works Division budget to the new Tree Fund Division budget as listed in the model resolution and also approve the increase in the appropriate budget amendment for Tree Fund Public Works of \$50 000 and Tree Fund Program Tree Fund Division total increase by the same amount Motion carried unanimously

Increase/Decrease Appropriations.	
Tree Fund Public Works Division	#101 441 824 1000 \$50 000
Tree Fund Program	
Tree Fund Division	#101 285 970 0000 \$ 50,000
Total	\$ 0

This budget amendment decreases the Public Works Division budget from \$1 137,954 to \$1,087 954, increases the Tree Fund Division budget from \$0 to \$50,000, but does not increase or decrease the General Fund budget

Item 6. Budget Amendment - HTE Contract - Fire And Police Funds - Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to approve the following budget amendments in the Fire and Police Funds for the remaining portion of the contract with HTE, Inc for Public Safety CAD and Records Management Systems with an appropriation from the fund balance of \$102,301 and an increase in Capital Fire Outlay by the same amount and also in the police fund appropriation from the fund balance of \$239,119 and an outlay in Police by the same amount Motion carried unanimously

Fire Fund		
Increase Revenues		
Appropriation from Fund Balance	#206 000 699 0000	\$102 301
Increase Appropriations		
Capital Outlay Fire	#206 336 977 0000	\$102 301

The budget amendment increases the Fire Fund budget from \$7 466 534 to \$7,568 835

Police Fund		
Increase Revenues		
Appropriation from Fund Balance	#207 000 699 0000	\$239 119
Increase Appropriations		
Capital Outlay Fire	#207 301 977 0000	\$239,119

This budget amendment increases the Police Fund budget from \$11 627,823 to \$11,866,942

Item 7. Set Public Hearing to Establish a P.A. 198 Industrial Development District For Singh Executive Park - Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to set the public hearing for August 13 2002 to consider the request to establish Singh Executive Park Industrial Development District Motion carried unanimously

Item 8. Set Public Hearing to Establish P.a. 198 Industrial Development District to Be Named Haggerty Palmer - Motion by Bennett, supported by Kirchgatter to set the public hearing for August 13, 2002 to consider the request to establish the Haggerty Palmer Industrial Development District Motion carried unanimously

GENERAL CALENDAR - Item 1. Consider The Hamlet Final Planned Development District - Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to approve the request of the Petitioner to grant final approval of the Hamlet Planned Development District based upon recommendations made by Staff and Planning Commission as described in the resolution Motion carried unanimously

Item 2. Consider Livonia Builders Rezoning - Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to approve the request of the Petitioner to rezone certain property identified by property tax EDP #062 99 0028 702 and 062 99 0030 701 to R 3 Single Family Residential District Motion carried unanimously

Item 3. Consider Amendment to Links of Fellows Creek Planned Development District and Developer Instigated Revisions to the Site Plan for Links of Fellows Creek Condominiums - Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to approve the request of the project sponsor to grant final approval of the Links at Fellows Creek Amended Planned Development District site plan Motion carried unanimously

Item 4. Consider Okolo Rezoning - Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to approve the request of the petitioner to rezone certain property identified by property tax EDP #062 99

0025 701 to R 3, Single Family Residential District Motion carried unanimously

Item 5. Consider Request for Approval to Increase Contract Amount for Canton Sports Complex (Victory Park) Michigan Avenue - US 12 Deceleration Lane - Motion by Bennett supported by Burdzyak to increase the total project budget for Best Asphalt Inc to \$8 404 00 for Canton Sports Complex (Victory Park) Michigan Avenue US 12 Deceleration Lane The budget to come from account No 246 750 970 0000 Motion carried unanimously

Item 6. Consider Request for Approval to Provide a Budget of \$1466 to Corby Energy Services, Inc for Electrical Service to the New Victory Park Entrance Sign - Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to approve a budget of \$1 466 to Corby Energy Services Inc for electrical service to the new Victory Park entrance sign The budget is to come from account No 246 750 970 0000 Motion carried unanimously

Item 7. Consider Request to Pay Michigan Consolidated Gas Company to Relocate Their Gas Main as Part of the Napier Road Water Main Project - Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to authorize the Township Clerk to sign the Michigan Consolidated Gas Company Agreement and approve an amount not to exceed \$6 093 71 to be paid to Michigan Consolidated Gas for gas line relocation along Napier Road Motion carried unanimously

Item 8 Consider Increasing Blanket Purchase Order of Fleet Services' Vendors and Authorize Purchases Between \$500 - \$1000 from Those Blanket Purchase Orders - Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to authorize increases in the blanket purchase orders for Jack Demmer Ford, Inc (PO #32277) Spartan Distributors Inc (PO #32366) and W F Miller Company (PO #32401) of up to \$20 000 each is necessary Furthermore I move to authorize purchases between \$500 00 and \$1 000 00 from those blanket purchase orders Motion carried unanimously

Item 9 Consider Award of Bid to Interior Systems Contract Group (ISCG) for the Purchase and Installation of Furniture and Workstations for the Public Works Facility - Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to award the bid for the furniture and workstation components to ISCG for \$61,160 38 Motion carried unanimously

Item 10 Consider Award for Landscape Trees - Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to award the contract in the amount of \$5 160 00 to the lowest bidder Crmboh Nursery Inc for replacement of trees on property along Denton Road

Item 11 Consider Dedicating Cherry Hill Road Right-of-way to Wayne County - Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to authorize the Township Supervisor and Clerk to execute the Waiver and Quit Claim Deed dedicating the 50 foot right of way to Wayne County on the northwest corner of Cherry Hill and Ridge Road along Cherry Hill Road parcel # 71 071 99 0007 000 Motion carried unanimously

Item 12 Purchase of Sculpture for Cherry Hill Village Motion by Bennett supported by McLaughlin to approve the purchase of two sculptures from DuMouchelles Art Gallery for \$8 400 for Cherry Hill Village public areas Motion carried unanimously

Item 13. Purchase of Kimball CETRA System Furniture Parts for Reassemble of Existing Workstations - Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the purchase of additional system furniture parts from ISCG for \$8 438 27 Motion carried unanimously

Item 14 Purchase of Administrative Pool Vehicle - Motion by Bennett supported by Burdzyak to approve the purchase of a new administrative pool vehicle through the Oakland County Cooperative Purchasing program in an amount not to exceed \$17 780 I further move to approve the following budget amendment in the General Fund for this purchase Motion carried unanimously

Increase Revenues.		
Appropriation from Fund Balance	#101 000 699 0000	\$17 780

Increase Appropriations.
Capital Outlay Equipment #101 200-977 0000 \$17 780

This budget amendment increases the General Government Department budget from \$860,613 to \$878 393 and the General Fund budget from \$22 881,838 to \$22,899 618

Item 15. Purchase Order to Hire Rose Moving & Storage Administration Building - Public Safety Expansion/renovation Project - Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to approve the Purchase Order for \$20 000 to hire Rose Moving & Storage to perform professional services associated with the relocation of departments through the duration of the construction project Motion carried unanimously

Item 16. Request Approval to Purchase Three Portable Radios with Charger - Motion by Bennett, supported by LaJoy to approve the purchase of three (3) portable radios (Astro Digital XTS3000 Model I) and a Multi-Unit Smart Charger from Motorola for a total cost not to exceed \$9,000 Motion carried unanimously

Item 17. Approval of Radio System Maintenance Agreement with Motorola - Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to award the radio systems maintenance agreement to Mobile Communications Sales & Service, Inc., 34411 Industrial Road Livonia for a total cost not to exceed \$15 702 00 This contract is effective for two years and may be extended for another three years subject to price negotiation Motion carried unanimously

Item 18. Approval to Negotiate with Midstate Security and Purchase a Mug-shot Imaging System - Motion by Bennett supported by LaJoy to approve the Canton Police Department and MIS Department to negotiate with Midstate Security for the purchase of a mug shot imaging system and to purchase such system Further, to purchase hardware and software necessary to elevate the system to a level consistent with MIS requirements Total cost of this project not to exceed \$53,000 Motion carried unanimously

Item 19. Purchase of Automatic External Defibrillator - Motion by Bennett, supported by Burdzyak to approve the purchase of Automatic External Defibrillators for Pheasant Run Golf Club and Canton Softball Center from the American Red Cross Southeastern Michigan Chapter in an amount not to exceed \$6 545 70 Motion carried unanimously

Item 20. Fellows Creek Golf Club Management Contract - Motion by Bennett, supported by Shefferly to authorize the Supervisor and Clerk to execute the three year contract for the management of Fellows Creek Golf Club as presented Motion carried unanimously

Item 21 Approve Purchase of Gravel for Independence Park Motion by Bennett supported by Shefferly to authorize the payment of \$13,828 20 to Skyline Construction for gravel for Independence Park Motion carried unanimously

Item 22. Award Bid for Canton Leisure Services Climbing Wall Motion by Bennett supported by Burdzyak to award the Leisure Services Climbing Wall bid to Extreme Engineering in an amount not to exceed \$19 307 28 Motion carried unanimously

Motion by Bennett, supported by McLaughlin to adjourn at 8 21 p.m. Motion carried by all members present

THOMAS J YACK, Supervisor
TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

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SINGLES CALENDAR

Send items for consideration in singles calendar to Hometown Life, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, fax (734) 591-7278

EVENTS

Single Point Ministries

Single Point Ministries of Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church invites you to join over 500 single adults every Sunday at 11:30 a.m. in Knob Hall for fellowship and encouragement. The Rev. Paul Clough delivers messages to help equip you to maximize your singleness and relationship with God. Coffee, donuts, conversation and Christ are always present. SPM has a program and activity for every age group and life situation. Give us a try. For more information or to have a newsletter sent, call the SPM office at (248) 374-5920.

Walking Club

Single Point Ministries of Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church offers

a walking club. We meet in the hospitality area in the Grand Mall on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at 6 p.m. and walk outside rain or shine. Open to all fitness levels.

Baseball Game

We will be riding the Ward bus at 5:45 p.m. on July 19 to the Tiger baseball game with the post-game fireworks program. Ticket price of \$15 includes transportation, entrance into the game, and includes a slice of pizza and a small pop for dinner. For more information, call (248) 374-5920.

Metropolitan Single Professionals

Dining Parties

Our goal is to provide our members and friends with a sampling of some of the best and most interesting dining places in the metro Detroit area. Join us Thursday, July 25 at 7:30 p.m. at Camp Triconderoga Golf Course at 5725 Rochester Road in Troy. Call (248) 828-2825 for further information.

Single Mingle Dances

Come meet new friends, dance and socialize Friday, July 26 anytime from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Doubletree Guest

Suites on Novi Road at I-96 Exit 162. There will be a Top 40 DJ, cash bar, Hors d'oeuvres and door prizes. Admission is \$5 for Members and \$8 for non-members. Attire is Dressy Casual unless otherwise noted.

Everyone is welcome.

Volleyball In The Park

In need of summertime exercise? Join us for several casual games of volleyball. Nets will be designated Social, Intermediate and Competitive.

Everyone is welcome to come and play or just socialize. We play at two locations. Every Tuesday at Heritage Park (Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile). Afterwards we socialize at Shots Tavern on Ten Mile just east of Orchard

Lake on Thursdays at Harding Park (just south of I-696 Exit 17). Afterwards we socialize at Warrilows 2140 Hilton, just south of Woodward Heights. The cost is \$2 and we play through September.

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ANNIVERSARY

PRANGER

Donald and Joann Pranger of Plymouth celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary June 14 by attending an Anniversary Mass at St. Kenneth in Plymouth followed by a formal reception at St. Mary's Cultural and Banquet Center in Livonia.

Among the 90 in attendance were their 14 children, Debra, Sally, Mary, Tim, Matt, Christine, Laurie, Joe, John, Sharon, Ron, Greg, Pam and Susan. There were 13 grandchildren in attendance as well.

Don is a retired master patternmaker for 50 years, and was vice president of Allen Pattern Works in Fort Wayne, Ind., superintendent of the Plastics Mold shop at Transparent Container Company in Chicago, and foreman at Allmand Associates in Livonia. Joann was a real



estate agent for Real Estate One in Plymouth, now retired. Don is a senior member of the Society of Plastic Engineers, and lifetime member of the Knights of Columbus since 1960. He still enjoys woodworking projects and building model airplanes and boats. Joann spends time playing the piano.

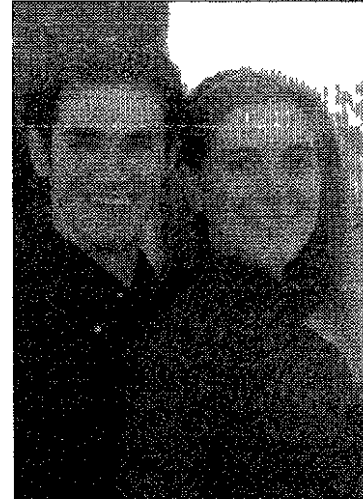
ENGAGEMENTS

SCHMALHURST-HOPE

Mike and Jan Schmalhurst of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Jill Denise to Christopher William Hope, son of Bill and Karen Hope of Berleville, Ohio.

The bride-to-be is a 1998 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School, a 2002 graduate of Ohio Northern University, and is currently attending graduate school at Ohio State University with a Master's Degree in Physical Therapy.

Her fiancé is a 1998 graduate of Clearfork High School in Belleville, Ohio, and will be a 2003 graduate in mechanical engineering at Ohio Northern University.



An August wedding is planned at the First Congregational Church in Mansfield, Ohio.

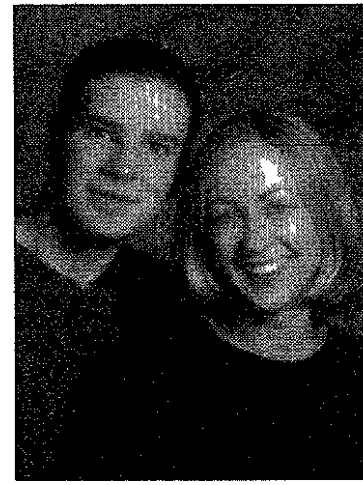
REID-SABO

Mr and Mrs Frederick D Reid of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Erin Renee to Gregory Scott Sabo, son of Mr and Mrs Steve P Sabo, Jr of Jackson.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is employed as an actuary with Hewitt Associates in Lincolnshire, Ill.

Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Michigan and is a manufacturing engineer with Caterpillar in Aurora, Ill.

An October wedding is



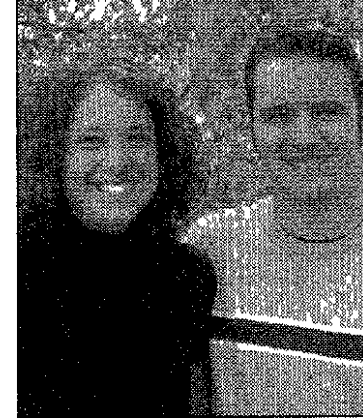
planned at Risen Christ Lutheran Church in Plymouth.

PRUITT-WEIMER

Dave and Lynn Pruitt of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Stephanie Lynn, to Brad Alexander Weimer, son of Tim and Carmen Weimer of Plymouth.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Canton High School and Michigan State University, where she received a business management degree. She received a gradship to attend the MSU masters program in the fall. She will be working in the Office of Admissions and Scholarships as an advisor during her graduate work.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Salem High School. He is attending the Specs Howard School of Broadcasting in



Southfield, where he plans to graduate this fall. He is an intern at both 1130 AM "The Fan" in Detroit and Channel 4 WDIV in Detroit.

A May 2003 wedding is planned at St. John Neumann Church in Canton.

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The Mid-Michigan Bucks won twice last weekend D3

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PREPS ■ RECREATION ■ OUTDOORS

Sidelines

Pride prevail

The Plymouth Canton Pride reached the final of the 12 and under girls fastpitch softball State Championship Tournament last weekend losing to Compuware 6-2 in the championship.

The Pride now advances to the World Series in Ft. Collins Colo. Team members are Sarah Anthony, Kim Beaudoin, Melissa Butzow, Beth Heldmeyer, Alyssa Johnson, Kim Keppen, Kim Klonowski, Kait McKinley, Claire Ostrowski, Hilary Payne, Stephanie Sadek and Kristen Warnick. The Pride are managed by Rich Rohn, assisted by Tony Gould, Mike Beaudoin and Russ Warnick.

The Pride will have tryouts at several different skill levels for Plymouth/Canton girls interested in playing travel fastpitch softball. Tryouts will be in August and September for the 2003 Pride teams.

Best with bass

At the Wal-Mart Bass Fishing League Michigan Division Tournament held Saturday on the Detroit River, David Rheault of Livonia caught five bass weighing a total of 17 pounds, 13 ounces to finish fifth in the field of 120.

Rheault's performance earned him \$758. Miles Johnson of Beaver Creek, Ohio, was first with five bass weighing 23 pounds, collecting \$3,447.

In the Co-angle Division, Peter Merckx of Westland caught five bass weighing 16 pounds, 2 ounces to finish third overall in a field of 120, earning \$517.

The Wal-Mart Bass Fishing League will visit the Grand River Aug. 3. Its third of five Michigan Division stops.

Coaches needed

Plymouth Salem HS is in need of freshmen and junior varsity boys soccer coaches for the fall season. Interested applicants must be a high school graduate and have experience in high school level coaching or must have played in a college program.

If interested, contact Salem athletic director Tom Willette at (734) 416-7766.

Holes-in-One

Kay Waack of Westland got a hole in one last Thursday while playing at Westland Municipal Golf Course. Waack used a five wood to ace the 125-yard seventh hole.

Joe Sussex of Northville got his first ever hole in one last Thursday playing St. John's Mark Course in Plymouth. Sussex, 32, used a seven iron to get his ace on the 186-yard fourth hole. He shot 38 for the round.

Conditioning skates

Peewee summer conditioning for house and travel hockey players are available from 7-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at Westland Arena. Each session will feature drills to improve skating, stick handling and shooting. There will also be scrimmage time.

Players must wear full equipment. Cost is \$15 per session. Goalies skate for free. For more information, contact Ralph Humphlett at (734) 422-4020.

Superb pitching helps Rams sweep the Warriors

BY BRAD MONASTIERE
STAFF WRITER

LCBL BASEBALL

The old baseball saying states that good pitching will usually beat good hitting. The Michigan Lake Area Rams put that theory into practice in an excellent day on the field Sunday.

The Rams picked up a pair of victories, 2-1 and 2-0 over the Warriors in a Livonia Collegiate Baseball League double-header at Livonia's Ford Field. The team improved its record this summer to 20-8-1 overall, while the Warriors fell to 6-21-1.

Madonna University's Mike Hayes (Redford Union) tossed a no-hitter in the nightcap, going seven innings with four strikeouts and six walks. He only needed to throw 98 pitches to secure the complete game shutout. Hayes lowered his season earned run average to 0.68 with the win, his third of the summer.

The Rams scored in the first inning to give Hayes all the support he would need.

Rob Hudson (Garden City) led the offense with two singles, a stolen base and a run scored. Ryan Freiburger drove home a run in the fifth inning and also collected a pair of hits. Charlie Anderson drove in the team's first run of the game.

In the opener, the Rams were the recipients of another fine pitching performance, this one by Central Michigan's Mark Lundquist, who struck out seven and allowed five singles in six innings of work. He improved his summer record to 7-2 with a 2.07 earned run average with the win.

The Rams got both of their runs in the

seventh, starting with a triple by Ty Herriott. Pinch runner Hayes scored the game-tying run on a double steal. Brad Leach delivered the final blow when he singled and scored on a sacrifice fly by Hudson to help the team win the game.

Leach went 2-for-3 in the game with a pair of stolen bases for the Rams.

The Michigan Bulls used some strong pitching of their own to defeat the Rams 5-0 in a Saturday afternoon contest, also at Ford Field. Jason Brooks was the winning pitcher, allowing only three hits and one walk while fanning six.

PLEASE SEE BASEBALL, D4



PAUL HURSCHMANN | OBSERVER

Former Plymouth Salem coach Joe Nora will coach soccer for Catholic Central next season.

Nora named new CC soccer coach

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Joe Nora's career in soccer has always been sprinkled with success, whether he was playing or coaching. Which is a good reason for Redford Catholic Central to want him to coach their team.

And that's the decision they made. Nora, a Plymouth native and former CC player who has coached Plymouth Salem's girls team the last three years, was hired to replace Dana Orsucci, who resigned after last season because he is moving to New Jersey.

For Nora, the chance to coach the team he played for a dozen years ago was too much to pass up. "I heard a rumor in January the job might be open," Nora recalled. So I made some inquiries and they called me back and told me it was open, so I asked for an interview.

But with all his other commitments — besides the Salem girls team, Nora coaches the under-14 girls Northville Sting and the under-17 boys Novi Jaguars while taking classes at Madonna University to become a certified teacher in Michigan — would Nora have jumped on this job had it been another school?

"It was just because it was CC," Nora admitted. "I had been coaching Salem's boys JV team and I liked working with (Salem varsity coach) Ed McCarthy."

He'll give that up now, but not the Salem girls team. "The first thing I did when I wanted to apply was, I met with (Salem athletic director) Tom Willette to make sure there was no conflict of interest," he said.

And Nora figured, with the present court case facing the Michigan High School Athletic Association and the threat of putting both the boys and girls seasons at the same time, now was the time to jump on the opportunity.

"When I heard the seasons might be changed, I figured this might be the last chance to get to coach my high school team," he said.

What both the CC administrators and Nora would like to happen is a return to prominence, something

PLEASE SEE COACH, D4

Recruits should keep Madonna spikers at the top

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

RECRUITING

It's already been a season like no other — and the start is six weeks away.

That's because Madonna University's volleyball team was facing a situation unlike any other in its history: the loss of seven players, including four starters. Jerry Abraham, the only coach the Fighting Crusaders have ever had, likened it to the period following the 1996 season, when he had to replace Julie Martin, Kelly McCausland, Meg Paris and Heather Steinhilber.

It meant Abraham had to hustle to fill the holes in his lineup. And he did, securing a wide-ranging, talent-laden group of players that should enable Madonna to remain a powerhouse both in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference and the NAIA.

"We've got a lot of talent," said Abraham. "They all come from good schools and good (volleyball) programs. Now it's just a matter of seeing where

they all fit in and how they blend together."

There are a lot of firsts to this recruiting class. The most notable would be a player who has definitely earned the label: coach on the floor — simply because she is a coach.

Shelley Stanton is a 6-foot outside hitter who graduated from Brighton HS and spent three years playing at Central Michigan University in the mid 90s. A desire to earn her degree in teaching, with a year of eligibility remaining, led her to Madonna.

Stanton, who will have senior status, has not been out of the game. Since leaving CMU, she has played sand volleyball and last winter coached the Linden HS team.

She gives us a dynamic, experienced player, something we needed after all we lost, noted Abraham. She has the

potential to be one of the best to ever play at Madonna. She's left-handed and she hits the ball extremely hard."

If Stanton was a combination of good luck/good recruiting, Natalja Timina combined fortune with perseverance and patience. Timina is a graduate of Riga Purvciems Secondary School in Latvia, a small country situated west of Russia.

Her recruitment is not quite official — all of the paperwork regarding her visa has not yet been approved — but Abraham is certain it will be, and he is looking forward to having his first-ever international player on the team.

Timina's road to Madonna wound through several sources, with more than a few e-mailings and phone calls required to set it up. It should all be worth it, Abraham said, even though he's never actually seen her play.

"I've seen tapes of her, and I've talked to people about her," he said of the 6-foot hitter. "She plays on a national team, and she's the captain of her high school and club teams. She plays against strong

competition, she's got nice size, she hits the ball well and she's good in the back row."

Timina is also an excellent student who speaks English well. Having an international player on the team "will be a whole different experience for our team," Abraham felt.

Two others Abraham hopes will be able to contribute immediately are Linsey Buche and Ashley Frost, both from Lake Odessa Lakewood HS, which reached the Class B semifinals last season. Buche is a 5-10 outside hitter, Frost is a 5-10 setter.

Frost signed early and could challenge for the starting setter's position. "I thought she was one of the better servers I'd seen at distributing the ball," said Abraham.

Buche was one of Lakewood's better players. "She hits the ball hard and has good all-around skills," Abraham said. "And she hates to lose."

Alison Nycamp is a 5-11 outside hitter from Zeeland, which — like Lakewood

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SPORTS IN BRIEF

COOPERSTOWN INVITATIONAL

The Cooperstown Baseball Tournament Association will be hosting an invitational tournament, Friday through Sunday Aug 16-18, at Victory Park-Canton Softball Center

Teams will play three preliminary round games and advance into a single-elimination format. The tourney is a qualifier to play in Cooperstown (N.Y.) Dreams Park. Tournament cost is \$450. The registration deadline is Tuesday, July 16.

The winning team will receive free tuition for 12 players and two coaches for a week of their choice to Cooperstown Dreams Park (a \$6,230 value). The second place team will receive an invitation to go the week of its choice, but would pay the tuition fee of \$445 per player. For more information, call (734) 421-1945.

FALL BASEBALL LEAGUE

Tournaments USA/USSSA Baseball is accepting registration for its fall baseball league, which runs from Aug 24 through Oct 13 at Victory Park-Canton Softball Center.

Age divisions included 11, 12, 13 and 14. Age will be determined by the 2003 season.

Each team will play 10 league games, double-headers either Saturday or Sunday. The top two teams per age group will meet in a postseason playoff.

Also included in the \$1,350 team cost is umpire fees, insurance, USSSA registration fee for 2003, game balls, league and playoff awards. The top team in each age group will receive an automatic berth into the 2003 USSSA World Series.

Entry deadline is Thursday, July 25. Space is limited to a eight teams per age division.

For more information, call (734) 522-8872.

CANTON FOOTBALL CAMP

A basic skills football camp for those in grades 5-8 will be held from 9 a.m.-12 p.m., Monday through Thursday, July 22-25, at Canton High School. The cost is \$35.

Campers need to bring cleats and water jugs. For more information, call Coach Richard Mui at (248) 661-2524.

GIRLS SOCCER OPENINGS

The Canton under-11 girls select soccer team is seeking additional players to complete the second-team roster for this fall in Division II of the Western Suburban Soccer League. For more information, call Bill Power at (734) 546-0389 or John Staub at (248) 670-3002.

The Plymouth Lightning U-11 girls select soccer team still has additional openings for players. For more information, call Kerry Truxell at (734) 261-0170.

MADONNA BASEBALL REUNION

Coach's Corner Bar and Grill, located at 19170 Farmington Road (one block north of Seven Mile), will stage a Madonna University baseball reunion from 6 p.m. until closing, Saturday, July 20.

The night of celebration and baseball memories also includes family and friends.

To reserve a spot, call coach Mike George no later than Thursday, July 18 at (248) 615-1330.

SOCCER SIGN-UP

The Redford Soccer Club is now accepting applicants for the Fall 2002 soccer season.

Boys and girls ages 5-7 by Aug 1 will play in Redford-only leagues, while players ages 8-18

will play in Redford as well as in surrounding communities. The club also plays games in Garden City, Livonia, Westland and Canton.

Registration forms are available at the Redford Township Parks and Recreation Department, at the Redford Ice Arena, or the Redford Public Library. For more information, contact Nancy Jackett at (313) 534-5687.

LIVONIA TENNIS TOURNAY

The City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation 2002 open singles tennis tournament will be Friday-Saturday, July 26-27, at the Sheldon Park tennis courts, located on Plymouth Road one block east of Farmington Road. The registration deadline is 5 p.m. Wednesday, July 24, at the Parks and Recreation office, located at 33000 Civic Center Drive inside City Hall.

Resident entry fees are \$12 (adult) and \$8 (children 17 and under). Non-resident fees are \$17 and \$10, respectively.

The tournament schedule for Friday, July 26 is 8 a.m. starts for boys 17- and 14-and-under, and 11 a.m., girls 17- and 14-and-under.

Mens 18 and over will start at 8 a.m. Saturday, July 27. Women's 18-34 play begins at 11 a.m. For more information, call (734) 466-2410.

FALL SOFTBALL LEAGUES

The City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation will hold a managers meeting for its men's fall slow-pitch softball leagues at 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 24, at the Parks and Recreation office, 3300 Civic Center Drive, at City Hall (New team registration will be announced at the meeting).

The eight-week league features games on Tuesdays and Thursday, starting Aug 20. Returning teams must register by 4:30 p.m. Friday, July 19. The cost is \$350 per team (plus umpire game fee). For more information, call (734) 466-2410.

Ladywood High School announces the opening of two fall season coaching positions. Experienced coaches are needed to fill the assistant girls cross country and assistant girls swimming positions.

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

LADYWOOD NEEDS COACHES

Openings remain available for the City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation USA Tennis lesson programs this summer at Sheldon courts, located on Plymouth Road just east of Farmington. The fee is \$25 for eight 50-minute lessons.

Classes available for Session III (July 22-Aug 2) include advanced beginner (ages 6-8, 9-12), 9-9 50 a.m., intermediate (ages 12, 13-and-over), 10-10 50 a.m., strategies and techniques for the advanced player, 11 30 a.m.-12 20 p.m., beginner and advanced beginner adult (18 and over), 12 30-1 20 p.m. For more information, call (734) 466-2410.

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The cost for single registration is \$105 and foursome registration is \$420. The registration deadline is July 10. Spots are limited. For more information, call (734) 451-6786.

FOOTBALL GOLF OUTING

The event will include a scramble format for golf, auction and dinner. The cost is \$150 per golfer (dinner only is \$50). It is limited to the first 144 golfers who sign up. For more information, call Denise King at (734) 422-1020 or Marie Morrow at (734) 453-6879.

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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

OTHER AREA GOLF OUTINGS

The 5th Annual Michael Kilgore Scholarship Fund Golf Outing, "Success is never giving up," will be Monday, July 29 at Polo Fields Golf and Country Club in Ann Arbor.

The format is a best ball scramble. Breakfast and registration will be at 9 a.m. followed by a 10 a.m. shotgun start.

Cost is \$90 per golfer, which includes breakfast, a barbecue buffet after the outing and prizes. Golf and tee sponsorships are available for \$150, while advertising in the program is available at various other prices.

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Twisters open with a rout

It was the Lakeshore Football League's Kickoff Classic, but in truth it was the Michigan Twisters who did all the kicking.

On Saturday at Devin Stadium in Willow Run Westland's Charles Fountain caught two touchdown passes, Jaquan Wright ran for two and John Robinson threw for two as the Twisters blasted Toledo's Glass City Grizzlies 47-0.

The Twisters gained 409 yards on offense with a variety of players contributing, including three quarterbacks. On defense they were equally effective, limiting the Grizzlies to

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just 76 yards on 41 plays.

Fountain caught a 62 yard touchdown pass from Orlando Wright, who was 4-of-8 passing and also ran 11 yards for a TD. The Westland native also scored on a 39-yard strike from Robinson, who was 3-of-5 with a second scoring pass of 19 yards to Dont Hamilton.

Wright led the ground game for the Twisters, which produced 240 yards. Wright carried just four times but gained

113 yards, scoring twice. Jason Gibson got 86 yards on 10 tries, with one touchdown.

The Twisters defense picked off two Grizzlies passes. Bob Pensari (Canton) intercepting one and Rich Peoples the other while allowing just four completions in 23 attempts for 45 yards.

They also recorded three sacks, with Aaron Brothers and Kevin Love getting one apiece.

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Livonia golfer shines at junior tourney

Lots of Observerland golfers scored at tournaments last week, but none did much better in their respective divisions than Ryan Alger of Livonia.

Competing at Chemung Hills in Howell on the Mejer Junior Players Tour Monday, Alger shot an 85 on the 5,517-yard course to finish second in the boys 10-12 division. Wesley Gates of Novi won the division with an 82.

In the girls 13-14 division, Christina McHenry of Livonia was eighth with a 119 and Andrea Warzymec of Livonia was ninth with a 120 on a course measuring 5,517 yards.

In the boys 13-14 division, Michael Gensch of Plymouth finished 15th with a 95 on the 6,207-yard course while Matt Talbot of Plymouth was 17th with a 97 and Matt Melloure of

Farmington Hills was 23rd with a 101.

In the girls 15-and-over, Liz Lulek of Canton took seventh with a 104, Samantha Talbot of Plymouth was eighth with a 104 and Maria Palaian of Farmington Hills was ninth with a 107 on the 5,611-yard course. And in the boys 15-and-over, Stephen Pilzner of Plymouth was 24th with a 95 on the 6,438-yard course.

At Bucks Run Monday in Mount Pleasant on the Power-Bilt Junior Tour, Danielle March of Canton finished third in the girls 16-and-over division with an 82 on a course measuring 5,900 yards. In the boys 16-and-over division, Aaron Newman of Farmington Hills shot an 82, Bryan Proven of Farmington Hills shot an 84 and Pat Shaw of Plymouth shot

a 90 on the 6,700-yard course.

At the Mejer tour stop at Thornapple Point in Grand Rapids Thursday and Friday, Matt Kruczynski of Westland produced rounds of 82 and 86 for a 168 on the 6,377-yard, par-72 course, placing ninth in the boys 15-and-over division. In the boys 10-12 division, Ross Gerulis of Canton was fifth with rounds of 89-92/181 on a 5,268-yard course.

At the Power-Bilt event Thursday and Friday at Tanglewood Golf Course in South Lyon, Rachel McHenry of Livonia finished first in the girls 11-15 division with an 81-76/157 on the 5,300-yard course.

In the boys 16-and-over division, Phillip Marsh of Canton finished third with a score of 75-71/146 on the 6,705-yard, par-72 course. Other

Observerland scorers in the 16-and-over division were Greg Laws of Wayne 11th with a 77-80/157, and Jimmy Burns of Plymouth, 12th with a 75-82/157.

In addition, Matt Lee of Farmington shot 80-83/163, Joe Pomorski of Canton had a 78-86/164, Danny Moss of Livonia shot a 79-91/170, Aaron Newman of Farmington Hills had an 83-88/171, and Steve Robinson of Livonia had an 82-91/173.

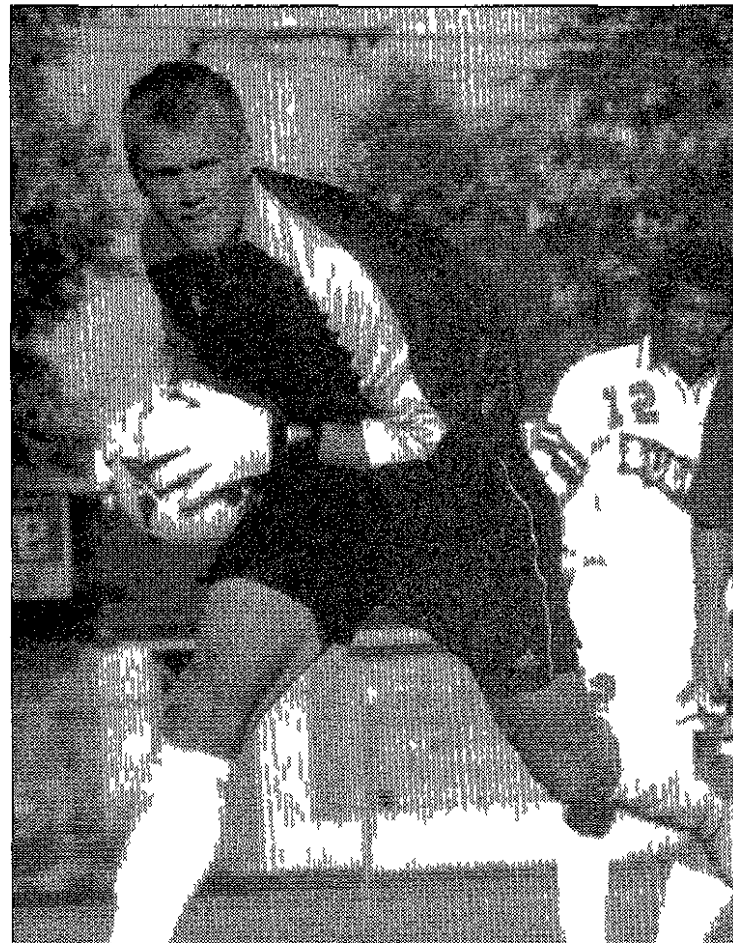
In the girls 16 and over division, Danielle March of Canton was sixth with a 101-87/188 on a 5,800-yard course. In the boys 11-15 division, Brad Schmitz of Livonia was 12th with an 85-79/164 on a 6,315-yard course and Anthony Malza of Farmington Hills was 18th with an 82-93/175.

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A big win: Eric Pogue was in goal in the Bucks' 6-2 victory over the Chill.

Offense carries Bucks to sweep

BY C.J. RISAK
STAFF WRITER

Call it a make-or-break trip. And the Mid-Michigan Bucks took the first option.

Realizing their hopes for a playoff berth in the Premier Development League were slipping away, the Bucks traveled to Sault Ste. Marie last weekend for two matches against the Thunder Bay Chill of the PDL's Heartland Division.

The Bucks needed points, and they got them with a pair of high-scoring wins that not only secured them four points for each victory but also two bonus points, one for each win with more than three goals scored.

The Bucks improved to 10-5-2 overall, collecting 10 points for a season total of 50 — six more than West Michigan (9-6-1-44 points) in a battle for the final playoff berth in the Great Lakes Division. Their final regular-season match is at 7:30 p.m. Saturday against Dayton, a win could assure them of a

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playoff berth.

Thunder Bay is 4-11-1.

On Saturday in Sault Ste. Marie, Ryan Mack (from Birmingham Seaholm) scored one goal and assisted on another and Pat Noonan got two assists to lead the Bucks to a 4-2 victory.

The game started in all-too-familiar fashion for Mid-Michigan when it surrendered an early goal to the Chill in the 16th minute.

But the Bucks managed to tie it at 1-1 late in the first half, Mack scoring in the 43rd minute on an assist from Boyzz Khumalo.

In the second half the Bucks gained control with a goal by Jason Perry (from Mack) in the 56th minute and another by Adam Heinemann (from Noonan) in the 64th minute.

A Chill goal narrowed the gap to one just two minutes

after Heinemann's score, but the Bucks wrapped it up with an added time goal by Will Kletzien (from Noonan).

Joe Zawacki (Livonia Stevenson) was in goal for the Bucks.

Sunday's match featured a different look for the Bucks. Back in the lineup were midfielders Dario Brose (also the team's coach) and Timo Scicluna (Redford/Detroit Country Day), neither of whom played Saturday.

Their affect was easy to detect — Brose scored two first half goals and Scicluna had a goal and an assist in the Bucks' 6-2 triumph.

Paul Snape (Oakland University) also scored two goals for Mid-Michigan and Mack got his second goal of the weekend.

Eric Pogue (Troy Athens) was in goal for the win.

Something else the Bucks did differently: They took the lead from the start and kept it, instead of allowing their opponent to score first, which was developing into an annoying habit. Brose and Scicluna made certain that wouldn't happen this time, each getting a goal in the first 21 minutes of the match.

Brose's second goal of the half gave the Bucks a 3-1 lead at the break. Mack's goal made it 4-1 in the 56th minute.

Snape accounted for their final two goals.

The 10-goal outburst made the Bucks the division's highest scoring team with 45 goals. Unfortunately, their defense is still lacking — they've allowed 35 goals, the second highest total in the division, and they have yet to shut out an opponent.

Spartans repel Wildcats' comeback try

BY BRAD MONASTIERE
STAFF WRITER

A comeback attempt by the Wildcats fell short in Monday's Metro Summer Hockey League game against the Spartans.

Despite scoring three of the final four goals of the game, the Wildcats were on the short end of a 13-9 decision at the Suburban Training Center in Farmington Hills.

The Spartans scored five times in the first period, getting them off to the big start they needed. Cantons' Michael Crowley scored a goal and two assists in the first period along with teammate Brian Sommariva.

The Spartans outscored the Wildcats 4-2 in the second period, adding to their lead entering the third. High-scoring forward Alex Foster (Canton)

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picked up four goals and two assists to lead the Spartans.

Falcons 12 Bulldogs 9 Most of the scoring in this one took place in the first period, and the Falcons put up just enough goals to hold the lead and pick up the victory. The Falcons were led by Jason Bloomingtonburg who picked up an incredible five goals and four assists, figuring in on nine of the team's 12 goals.

Westland's Tony Guzzo added three goals and three assists for the Falcons, who hung on to an 8-7 lead by outscoring the Bulldogs 4-2 in the third period. Andy Paul, a defenseman from Lake Orion, had two goals and three assists for the losing team.

Lakers 13 Wolverines 7. A five-goal run between the first and second periods gave the Lakers enough of an edge in their 13-7 win over the Wolverines Monday night.

Sean Smith (Livonia) had two goals and an assist in the five-goal streak for the Lakers, and Garden City's Andy Thackaberry added a goal and an assist.

Livonia's Bryan Marshall scored a natural hat trick in the third period, scoring three consecutive goals for the Lakers. He also assisted on two others in the game, while Redford's Chris Powroznik added three goals and one assist for the Wolverines.

Lakers 12 Broncos 2 The night before their win over the Wolverines the Lakers had little trouble in disposing of the Broncos Sunday night with a 12-2 triumph.

Ryan Wischmeyer and James Krygowski (both of Livonia Churchhill) scored the Broncos'

goals in the game, coming in the first and second periods respectively.

The Lakers had balanced scoring with seven different players picking up the team's 12 goals. Marshall had a goal and an assist for the Lakers.

Huskies 11 Warriors 5 A 7-1 advantage in the third period proved to be the difference in the Huskies coming from behind to pick up an 11-5 win over the Warriors.

The two teams entered the third period tied up at 4-4, but five goals from four different players on the Huskies put the game out of doubt. Howell's Trent Daavetta had three goals and four assists to lead all offensive players in the game.

Whalers 14 Bulldogs 6. Once again, a third period outburst was the key to a victory as the Whalers outscored the Bulldogs 8-2 in the third period of Sunday's 14-6 victory.

John May (Livonia) scored three times and assisted on three others for the Whalers. Canton's Jeremy Mayszak also scored once and picked up an assist for the winning team.

Canton's David Gill assisted on two early goals to help the Bulldogs out to an early 3-1 lead before the Whalers rallied.

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(and Riga Purvciems, for that matter) — is a school Abraham has never had a recruit from. She was second team all-state in Class A, and she has 'excellent all-around skills, great ball control, and she hits the ball

hard. She can help us in a lot of ways. She'll definitely challenge for an outside hitter's spot.
Ashley Zayti is a 5-10 setter/outside hitter from Holly who, like Nycamp, could play several positions.
Zayti possesses "good athleticism. She can play both positions, and it's rare to find

someone like that, a setter and a hitter."
Like all the recruits, Zayti may need time to raise her level of play to the collegiate level.
Still, even though so much was lost, the outlook is bright for Madonna volleyball.
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WSU athletic department signs a new radio deal

Wayne State University Director of Athletics Rob Fournier announced today the signing of a radio contract with WQBH Radio (1400 AM) to broadcast all 2002 football games and 2002-03 men's basketball games.
"The relationship with WQBH is a major step in our goal of upgrading our athletic programs," said Fournier. "With over 31,000 students, and over 200,000 alumni in the metropolitan Detroit area, this access presents a great opportunity to display our athletic success."
"I look forward to working with the professional staff at WQBH to develop our shared initiatives."
Concurring was Trienere Steinberg, WQBH general manager.
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Rob Fournier
Wayne State AD

excited about our new affiliation with Detroit's premier higher educational institution, Wayne State University," said Steinberg. "This partnership will give us both an opportunity to serve the entire metro Detroit community with first-class athletic events."
WQBH is Detroit's only community radio station that offers a full-service urban format.
The station began broadcast-

ing in 1925 as WMBC and has been WQBH since June 30, 1982. The station can heard as far east as Essex, Ontario, as well as covering the metro Detroit region.
The 2002 broadcast schedule begins on August 29th when the Warrior football squad visits Northern Iowa for a 8:05 p.m. kick-off. Broadcasters will be announced at a later time.

BASEBALL

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The Rams hurt themselves with three errors and allowing seven walks to the Bulls. Charlie Anderson led the Rams with two hits, while Brian Campbell (CMU, Livonia Stevenson) also picked up a hit.
Friday night, the Rams scored twice in the eighth inning to edge the Hurricanes

6-5 at Clintondale High School.
Balanced offense was the key for the Rams in this game, as six different players drove in runs, and seven different players reached base.
Oliver Wolcott (Plymouth Canton/Michigan State) went 2-for-3 with a run batted in and two runs scored to lead the Rams' offense. Herrnott, Campbell and Chris Trot (Plymouth Salem) each scored runs in the game.

The Rams fell behind 3-0 before getting the bats going. They scored twice in the fifth and sixth innings, setting up their eight-inning heroics.
T J Smith (Henry Ford CC) was the winning pitcher, going 2 1/3 innings pitched with three strikeouts while not allowing a hit.
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COACH

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similar to what the Shamrocks enjoyed when Nora played there.
With players like Dominic Scicluna, a Redford resident who now coaches Schoolcraft College's men's team, and Kerry Zavagnin, like Nora a Plymouth native now playing Major League Soccer for the Kansas City Wizards, CC reached a No. 1 state ranking

in 1989. Ironically, they were eliminated from the state tournament in the regional by Salem.
It wasn't that way last season. The Shamrocks struggled, failing to win a game until beating Livonia Franklin in the districts. They finished at 1-10-5.
"They had six or seven one-goal games, noted Nora. I talked to a lot of people and they said they were just having trouble putting the ball in the net. Definitely, the No. 1 goal is

the importance of working hard. Every time you step on the field, you should do the best you can. That's all I can ask.
To that end, Nora has instituted a pre-season conditioning camp, which players are currently going through. Tryouts will begin in mid-August, with the season starting in late August.
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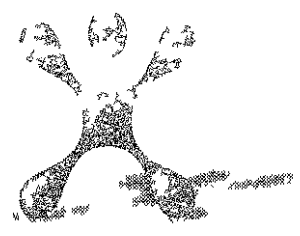
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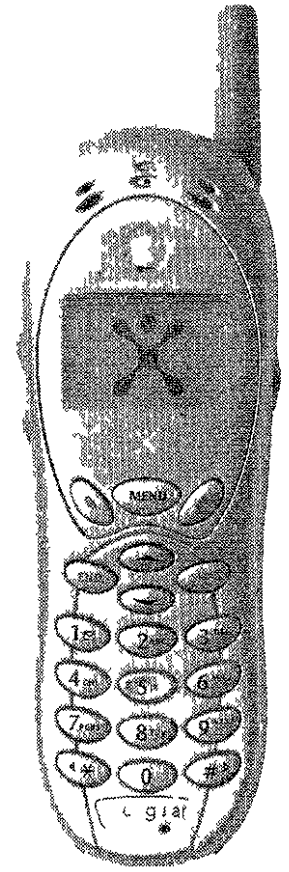
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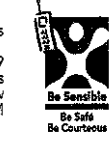
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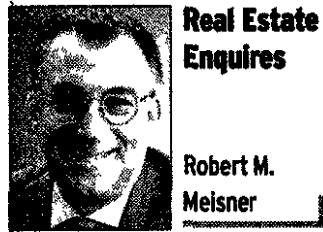
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Robert M. Meisner

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Our community association passed a rule phasing out all pets except seeing eye dogs, hearing aid dogs or any other dogs trained to deal with particular disabilities. Our new rule also requires that service animals be allowed if they are properly trained and certified for a particular disability. Do you think we have a right to require certification for the service animals?

In a similar case, a West Virginia court ruled that the association's rule doesn't violate fair housing laws. A community association may require that a service animal be properly trained. The court also said that the community association was allowed to require the members to provide written assurance from the dog's trainer that the animals were trained and to provide a statement from a physician specializing in the relevant disability that the dog was necessary to lessen the effects of the member's disabilities.

To justify a request for a service animal, the court reasoned that a member must show that the animal provides more than just comfort and companionship.

Robert M. Meisner is a lawyer who concentrates his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal advice.

COUNTY PERSPECTIVE

Authorized new dwelling units by county

County	2001	2000	1999
Livingston	2,101	2,062	1,998
Macomb	5,631	5,567	4,403
Monroe	756	1,007	720
Oakland	6,534	5,522	5,149
St. Clair	1,139	1,274	1,072
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Be willing to sell for less, buy for less now

BY DOUG FUNKE
STAFF WRITER

Kevin Finnerty is more than a bit concerned.

He and his wife, Sandy, listed their home for sale March 23. After 3-1/2 months, nearly two dozen prospects had stopped by, but no one submitted a purchase offer.

Finnerty had hoped to relocate by the time sons Shamus and Brenden start school in August. Now, he's not sure that's going to happen.

"Last year, it would have been gone in a month," he said. "This year, I don't know. My Realtor says there's a lot of houses on the market and they're not selling a lot now."

Sales seem especially sluggish in upper-end markets like Bloomfield Hills and Birmingham, Realtors say.

But the Finnertys live in Redford, a community regarded for starter homes. They initially listed their three-bedroom, one-bath, 1,100-square-foot brick bungalow at \$129,900, now \$122,900.

"It's reasonably priced. It never was the most expensive on the block," he said.

Finnerty hired professionals to repaint the interior and clean the carpets before listing. He upgraded the flooring in the dining room, added carpeting in the partially-finished basement. The lawn is well-kept.

"The Realtor has done everything I know he can possibly do," Finnerty said, adding that he suspects buyers might be turned off by just one bathroom and older windows.

But still ... "Houses have been staying on the market longer," said Lee Bittinger, broker/owner of RE/Max Classic offices in Canton, Livonia, Farmington Hills and West Bloomfield.

"There are more houses available. It's impacting salability," added Kay Pearson, manager of the Real Estate One office in Clarkston.

"There's always kind of a lull from around mid-June through early August," Bittinger said. "People going on vacation, things like that."

"It could be just world events," he said.

DON'T GIVE IN TO PESSIMISM

Here are a few tips to help sell your home when the market cools

- Hire a Realtor who is familiar with your area
- Price right when you first hit the multilist
- Make the house as dressy as possible with a thorough cleaning inside and out
- Remember the ultimate goal, don't allow a couple thousand dollars to scuttle a deal

"Things happening in the Middle East and the stock market has been falling a little bit recently. Maybe people are feeling a little bit shaky and are waiting to see what happens."

When things slow down, sellers have to be even more vigilant in marketing their homes.

"Have the house put its best foot forward," Bittinger said. "Make sure it's priced right. Don't try to over-price looking for a little bonus."

Sellers may eventually reap less money as their homes linger on the market, said Doug Keating, associate broker and an owner of Snyder Kinney Bennett & Keating in Birmingham.

But the up side is that sellers, in turn, probably will pay less when they go to buy. And probably get a better mortgage rate now, too, he said.

"This is a terrific time to buy up," Keating said. "The public gets too hung up on what am I going to get for my house. The key is what are you going to pay for what you want to buy."

So his take - be willing to sell for less

and buy for less now

"When you get into competition with new construction, say \$250,000, it definitely gets into a buyer's market," Pearson said.

With more houses available, buyers may be more willing to slow down and look for a bargain rather than move quickly, she suggested.

"It's going to have to be priced right and looking good," Pearson said. Hiring the right agent - one who knows an area or price point - becomes especially crucial.

"Just like doctors, we all have an area of our expertise," she said. "When the going gets tough, you need to point to those who have marketing ability, every tool in place."

Joyce Dobbs, a Realtor with Prudential Chamberlain Stehl in Rochester Hills, used the word "uncertain" to describe current market conditions.

"There are layoffs and rumors of layoffs. That's probably at the root of it," she said. "People really lost in the stock market the last couple of years. People are afraid to commit themselves to large purchases."

John W. Cole, broker/owner of Century 21 Cole in Redford, brings up job layoffs and uncertain economic times in his analysis.

"There's definitely a lull in the market," he said. "I'm not really sure what it is. Maybe, like the auto industry, it's due to saturation, or maybe the lull is due to economic reasons."

Both agree that sellers may have to reduce asking price.

"In all cases, it's back to exposure and price," Dobbs said. "If it's not exposure, it's price. They may have to reduce expectations. Sometimes it can be very difficult."

Cole also reflects Keating's thinking. "If you take an adjusted price here (when selling), you'll have the same effect in the location you'll be buying," Cole said.

He also touts the voice of specialized experience.

"Local Realtors know the marketplace better in most cases than someone in a far out area," Cole said.

Mortgage Bits



Tim Phillips Phillips

Sour economy yields tasty opportunities

Our spoiled economy and the souring Dow have many investors on edge, but home owners and buyers are reveling over the resulting smorgasbord of mortgage entrees. The recessed market (which has yet to show definitive signs of recovery) has produced the very pleasing side effect of continued low home mortgage interest rates. If you have been contemplating a move - either a refinance or a relocation - you probably have a few more months to reap a wonderful harvest.

Most property owners are very aware of the dramatic increase in their home values over recent years. Many also maintain traditional investment portfolios. In light of the losses many investors have realized in the stock market lately, your home is probably your most reliable investment. Certainly, it is among your most secure.

Real estate is a unique investment because it is a limited commodity. In the free market, a growing demand for a limited resource will force an increase in that resource's price. That's exactly what we are seeing in the housing market. In fact, some local communities have increased in value almost 10 percent over the last couple years. Many have sustained an average 6 percent growth annually for years.

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Boomers wage battle on lifetime of clutter, stuff

(AP) - It happens to many baby boomers and their little pieces of real estate

The attic or the garage, or maybe the closets or the kitchen cabinets, turn from a repository of great bargains and acquisitions into a nightmare

A little like The Blob or the exploding marshmallow man in Ghostbusters, clutter has taken over and turned a house or office into a mess

And little wonder Boomers, the wealthiest generation in history, have been the biggest consumers of clothes, gadgets and all kinds of stuff over the past 30 years

Many have fought back

You can see it from the proliferation of garage and yard sales in suburban neighborhoods. Others are seeking help, which is feeding the popularity of professional organizers, people who teach homeowners and

business people how to deal with the disarray

Julie Morgenstern, a professional organizer and founder of Task Masters, says most of her clients are boomers

"What they are saying is, 'I have too much stuff. It's weighing me down. I can't manage it all,'" said Morgenstern, who has written books on organizing. "Baby boomers cannot tolerate working these long hours, competing out there in the workplace and coming home to a house that is not peaceful or orderly," she said

"They want to reduce stuff and organize stuff. They want to enjoy their homes and kids, spouses and social lives," Morgenstern said

Shahla Salamat loves bargains and buying in bulk. She had cans of tuna by the case, tons of decorations for her home and lots of games for her kids to play

It was all starting to drive her and her husband a little crazy

"In the last four years, I've moved five times. You know how much stuff I brought with me to each place?" Salamat said. "I've asked myself, 'Where was your brain that you moved all this stuff?'"

She ended up going to an organizer for help

Janice Kemmer, president of American Business Organizers, gets calls for help from people "when they look around and find there's no open space in the cupboards, no more space to put clothes in the closet"

How do people get to the point where they're swamped? Why don't they just throw things out?

"They're inundated with volume and don't know what to do with it, so it tends to stack up," said Kevin Hall, president of Clutter No More

"I see a lot of stuff within a home that needs repair or is broken, but they don't know what step to take, like recycling a (computer) monitor"

Morgenstern said, "It's very overwhelming and it's a lot of brainwork and physical labor, also. There are a lot of things to go through and a lot of decisions to be made"

But sentimental value - and not only with baby shoes and record collections - can also get in the way

"You won't believe how much stuff I said goodbye to," Salamat said. "Sometimes, I think, I had a beautiful set of stemware from Mexico. Sometimes you think about all your old stuff and you think, 'Get a grip, it's just old stuff'"

Organizers say the key to eliminating clutter is to be realistic about your needs and the psychological reasons why you cling to items that you have little or no use for. They tell their clients to focus on the essentials

Hall, noting that people tend

to use only 20 percent of their possessions 80 percent of the time, asks his clients a lot of questions about the various things they own

"Do you need it a lot or do you love it? Do you need 20 pens in your top desk drawer? How many handkerchiefs do you need?" he said

Hall also urges clients to think before they bring in new clutter. Do you need to take home another pen from the next meeting you go to, he wonders

Sometimes people just aren't sure what they need

Salamat answered that question by boxing up some of her possessions and then, after not using them for six months, tossing them out

Organizers also find clients often don't know what to do with things they decide not to keep

Kemmer suggests giving to family members first, then to friends and then to charities

If you're not sure what would be an appropriate charity for

some of your possessions, ask around. Friends who have already gone through this process might have discovered some organizations you've never heard of. And remember to get a receipt so you can deduct the contributions on your income tax return

You might consider a yard sale, but it will mean a lot of work, and probably less financial return than you'd get with a charitable donation

And hard as it might be to accept, some things are better off being recycled or tossed out. People who have de-cluttered say life is a lot easier without all the stuff

Vickie Bashor, a personal coach, reorganized her office when she worked as a chiropractor and found she saved \$3,500 in overhead

"We found we could work more with a smaller space and smaller staff," she said. Bashor also reorganized parts of her home and found she has more time to do the things she wants to do

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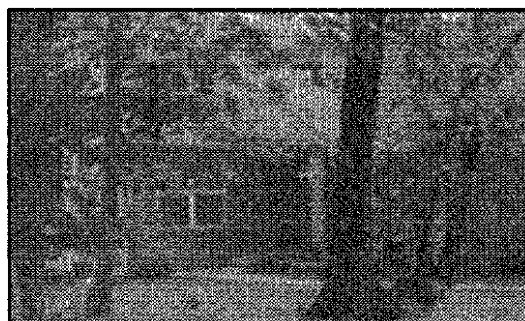
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Robert A. Hoida, AIA, joins the architectural firm of Hobbs + Black in Ann Arbor as a senior associate. He has 15 years of design, construction

MOVERS AND SHAKERS

and development experience with The Taubman Co. in Bloomfield Hills and Simon Development Group in Indianapolis.

Hoida, who has a Bachelor of Architecture degree from the University of Minnesota, lives in Livonia.

REDICO, a real estate management firm in Southfield and Trane Corp., a heating and cooling contractor in Novi, accepted

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Some \$3.2 million in capital improvements to the building led to annual energy savings of \$621,000, reported the Building Owners & Managers Association of Metro Detroit.

Mike Byars is marketing engineer for Trane. Jim Jonas, executive vice president for REDICO.

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Urban-living upgrades bring their own challenges

(AP) - A five-room apartment in an urban high rise kitchen, living room, dining room and two bedrooms. It's new. It has a view. But like a suburban tract house, it has no character.

No matter you're paying for location, so you start interviewing contractors and decorators to create your own special refuge.

Rip out interior walls, and the place begins to look like a trendy loft.

Prefer a more traditional look? Add crown moldings, replace hollow-core doors with pocket or French doors, replace painted faux wood casings and baseboard with hand-finished hardwood, add a non-working fireplace.

Or it could be an older urban space. Its charm is intact, if tattered. But the electrical system is outdated and the plumbing leaks.

Still up to the challenge of these hurdles and more?

While your suburban house is on the market, you might want to read *The New City Home: Smart Design for Metro Living* (The Taunton Press, \$34.95 hardcover).

Author Leslie Plummer Clagett will take you from New Orleans to Minneapolis, from New York City to Los Angeles, inviting you to look in on the finished interiors of more than 20 lofts, high rises, row houses and town houses, and a couple of places that had far more humble beginnings.

Each undertaking addresses a special issue.

Restoring a brownstone facade along historic district guidelines.

Gutting unused industrial space.

Opening dark interiors to the light.

Creating home offices and other special-purpose areas.

Making small apartments look bigger, or finding furnishings that don't look lost in wide-open interiors.

One hardly thinks of Los Angeles as a crowded metropolis of narrow lots, but there are plenty of houses from the 1930s and 1940s built cheek to jowl.

The only way to expand is up, and though the original construction was t up to code, the new addition must meet several regulations, from seismic standards to energy efficiency.

In this Spanish-influenced house, the new upper floor was built to an open plan, but a private building within a building was placed on either side at the top of the stairs.

One is a bedroom, the other a bathroom, and they break up

the space between the master suite and the library-study.

In addition to more space, the owners wanted more light. With the neighboring house on the west barely 6 feet from the kitchen wall, there was no view and no privacy. The solution: a series of oversized translucent glass sliding doors.

"The deliberate placement and height of the 8-foot-tall openings on the west side of the building trumped the potentially sun-blocking structure next door, filling the space with brightness," Clagett writes.

A skylight over the stairway added even more daylight. Second only to square footage, natural light is the city dweller's most valued commodity," the author says.

Because of their full, flat exposure to sun, skylights are far superior to windows when delivering the most light to the greatest possible area.

Unlike the L.A. house, light isn't a problem for the owners of a 1,400-square-foot loft in a trendy New York City neighborhood. In the living area, original double-hung windows with

hardwood casings rise more than 11 feet from near the floor to the ceiling.

That light is diffused in the adjacent master bedroom through a wall of translucent glass panels and clear acrylic rods stacked like Lincoln logs.

To define space without walls, the architect raised the floor of the entry hall and kitchen, so you step down into the living and dining areas. A mix of surface materials also helps break up the expanse.

With so much open space, where to store things? Double-decker closets line a hallway leading to the master bedroom.

The author warns that for large-scale projects it's best to work with an architect who knows the standards for barrier-free construction.

Here are some caveats for suburbanites taking up city living.

Central air conditioning is expensive to retrofit, and window units can be inefficient for large, open spaces.

If you're a homeowner and find graffiti on the front stoop, let the experts clean it off. If

you haven't already, apply an effective barrier coat to the clean surface.

Measure, measure and measure again before building storage units and other built-ins. In older buildings, especially, walls are irregular and widths can vary from ceiling to floor.

Consider fiber glass planters on trolleys to achieve greenery and color in a small garden or on a terrace or rooftop. They are easy to move around, camouflage eye-sores and stand up to heat and sun, freezing and thawing.

In high-rises, be aware that stiff winds can topple plantings and send lightweight furniture over the edge.

Be apprised of building rules involved in combining apartments, either above or below or next door.

Street noise is inevitable. Temper it with double-glazed windows. Rugs, the hum of a fan, air conditioner, or soft music will help muffle it, too.

And be prepared to compromise, and to cope with an occasional construction uprise.



LIVONIA Beautiful 3 bedroom & 2.5 bath ranch. Updates: Fam rm, 83 w/brk, FP & oak built in 98 kit & windows 87, main bath 89, master suite w/walk in closet & full bath 90. Gutters, more cabinets, furnace & C/A 91. Finished basement, floor bar, refrig/great 92. Bath Sprinkler system 98, roof strings 02. \$239,900 (D27HOU)



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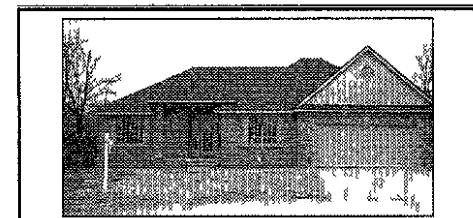
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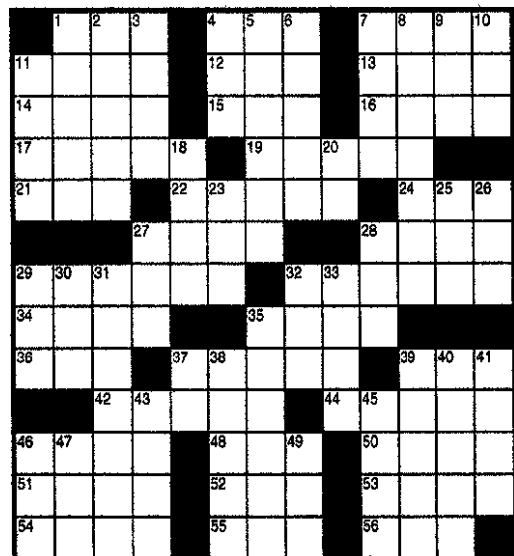
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Full benefits package including tuition reimbursement Send resume and salary expectations to HR Manager PO Box 71 Farmington Hills MI 48332 0071 E mail HR@acecontrols.com FAX 248 476 2470

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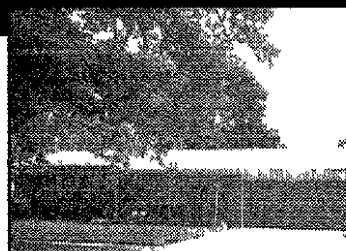
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PLYMOUTH - Charisma & charm! Walk to downtown Plymouth Family favorite Sunroom/family room w/3 walls of windows Kitchen w/Maple cabinets & renovated bath Some newer windows roof & A/C 3 car garage \$194 900 (28ADA) 734-455 5600



LIVONIA - Pride of ownership! 3 bed room 1 1/2 bath Fairway Farms Ranch! Master bedroom w/access to bath Updated kit FR w/gas fpl Doorwall to fenced yard w/cov patio Fin bsmt Furnace & C/A approx 5 yrs Newer win \$227 000 (15GOL) 734 455 5600



PLYMOUTH - Ridgewood Hills Beauty! 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial w/neutral tones Family room w/vaulted ceilings & beautiful fireplace Kit w/eating area & formal dining room 1st floor laundry roof (2001) deck & gazebo! Central air \$318 500 (05PIN) 734 455 5600



TAYLOR - Updated 3 bedroom 1 bath ranch Full 1 1/2 car detached garage w/220 service & workshop Roof 00 & copper plumbing/circuit breakers All appliances Low maintenance & low utility bills \$97 000 (48ELM) 248-349 5600



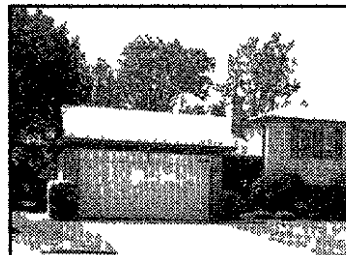
NORTHVILLE - Immaculate condo Bright 3 bedroom 3 1/2 bath w/newer HWH ceramic floors 6 panel doors Pella doors to patio neutral carpet finished basement w/wet bar & refrigerator Extra room for office Pets allowed \$209 900 (16WIL) 248-349-5600



FARMINGTON HILLS - Do not hesitate on this terrific 4 BR, 2 1/2 bath brick and alum Colonial on large wooded lot Move in condition Newer maple updated kitchen, large square footage Ready for a new owner \$284 900 (01SUM) 248 349 5600



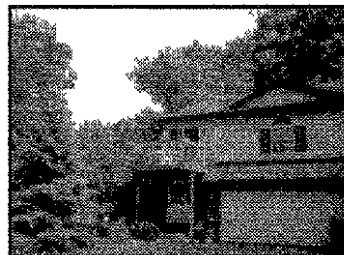
WESTLAND - Must see like new! 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Front of home faces open field Ceramic floors newer carpet C/A oak kitchen cabs & newer floors Lower level family room w/drvl 1/2 bath & large laundry room \$172 900 (90ALE) 734 455 5600



CANTON - Quiet park like setting! 3 BR 2 BA quad beautifully updated 2 rear doorwalls face private wooded lot Open flowing floor plan w/formal DR Partially finished rec room Fire place in 19x17 family room 2 car att gar \$224 900 (66HAR) 734 455 5600



CANTON - Private wooded lot! Enjoy your privacy! Numerous updates white kitchen updated baths vinyl windows roof (within 1 yr) & C/A Open floor plan & fireplace! Neutral décor \$204 900 (32RAI) 734 455 5600



WHITMORE LAKE - Enjoy sunsets over Whitmore Lake from the balcony of this 3 bedroom 2 bath 2 story condo Large rooms ceramic foyer & baths end unit backing to woods Neutral decor & 2 car garage \$215 000 (46LAK) 248 349 5600



LIVONIA - Country in the city Wow! Check out the lot & surrounding area This spacious ranch home has what your looking for 3 bedroom 1+ bath full basement w/frplc C/A att 2 car garage and updates too Better hurry \$234 900 (25LIV) 248-349-5600



LIVONIA - Castle Gardens 3 bedroom ranch located in ever popular Castle Gardens sub Huge updated kitchen Spacious family room w/fireplace & vaulted ceiling Two full baths, partially finished basement, 2 car garage, C/A hwdw flooring & Livonia Schools \$189,500 (00HUF) 248-349-5600



PLYMOUTH - Farmhouse w/acreage 4 bedroom 2 bath historic farmhouse just needs TLC to restore its charm! Almost 2 1/2 acres heavily treed Upper level w/mini kitchen full bath & outside entrance Explore the possibilities! \$349 900 (00ANN) 734 455 5600



DRBN HGTS - Nice area! 3 bedroom 2 bath brick ranch w/beautiful family room! Central air newer carpet & fire place in family room 2 car attached garage Appliances Basement \$229 900 (24JOH) 734-455 5600



ROYAL OAK - Beautiful brick ranch in Royal Oak 3 bedroom 2 bath, finished basement, newer furnace with C/A newer windows low maintenance lot with private fenced yard Easy access to all expressways Home Warranty \$164,900 (22UNI) 248-349-5600



MADISON HTS - Charming Cape Cod 4 bedroom 1 1/2 bath well cared for home with partially finished basement C/A & hardwood floors Located on a double corner lot Many updates \$129,500 (51BRO) 248-349-5600



PLYMOUTH - Downtown Plymouth! Walk to downtown Plymouth from this appealing bungalow! Updated kitchen bath & master bedroom Covered ceilings neutral décor Newer carpet landscape & C/A \$194 900 (25AUB) 734 455 5600

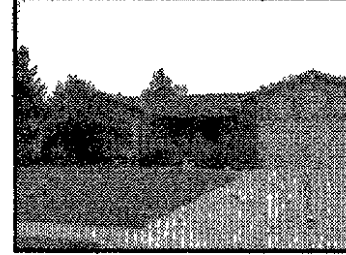


PLYMOUTH - Get packing! This is it! 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath Move in condition home Freshly painted & thoroughly updated Newer roof windows bath kitchen C/A & furnace Lovely parquet floors 2 tier deck/hot tub \$192 500 (20JOY) 734 455 5600

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NORTHVILLE 175 CadyCentre 248-349-5600
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VAN BUREN TWP - Say hello to good buy Brand new Savannah model 4 bedroom w/pond view Open floor plan w/2-story foyer Oversized kitchen Huge master with whirlpool Bridge overlooks great room and more \$273 900 (72RAY) 248-349-5600



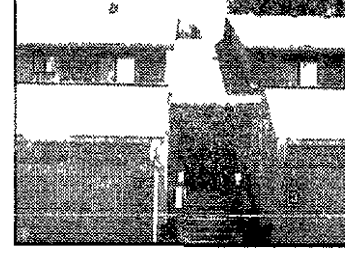
LIVONIA - Beautiful brick ranch Incredible 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath home w/bay window Natural fireplace, FFL ceramic tile updated baths & newer carpet Stevenson High School area Great neighborhood \$289 900 (31SOU) 248 349-5600



CANTON - Canton Ranch! 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath home w/gas fireplace in living room Cathedral ceilings eat in kitchen w/Pergo floor Deck fenced yard newer furnace C/A Full bsmt w/glass block windows 2 car att garage \$184 500 (01CUM) 734 455 5600



LIVONIA - Attractive & updated! 4 bedroom 2 bath well maintained home in desirable W Livonia 2 car att gar Remodeled Oak kitchen hardwood floors family room w/replace roof vinyl siding & walking distance to schools \$229 900 (40LAD) 734 455 5600



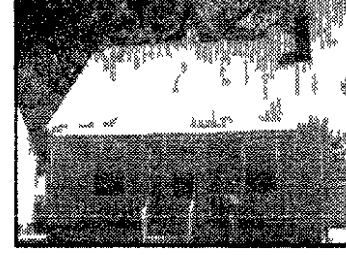
PLYMOUTH - Walk to downtown Plymouth! Nothing to do but move n! Spacious 2nd floor Ranch in mint condition Plenty of upgrades loads of storage Private deck wonderful natural setting private garage \$154 900 (23SYC) 734 455 5600



NORTHVILLE - Absolutely perfect Heart of downtown Northville Open floor plan great for entertaining 3 BR 2 BA kit FR & breakfast nook Open with skylights & vaulted ceilings For mal DR w/hwdw 2 frplcs neutral T/O Newer windows roof A/C & ext paint \$319 900 (14SPR) 248 349 5600



NOVI - Wonderful opportunity Super 2 bedroom 2 1/2 bath townhouse w/fin basement & carport Neutral & clean Built in 1988 & just like new Great setting & complex Tennis pool & club house \$157 900 (84BAS) 248-349-5600



WAYNE - Move-in start living So many updates to list on this 3 BR, 1 1/2 BA bungalow includes windows paint, carpet HWH lin bsmt w/wet bar glass block windows sun porch & 1 car gar w/newer roof & paint Ex-lg yard that is fenced w/privacy & lights Vinyl sided in 01 \$134 900 (57CAR) 248-349 5600



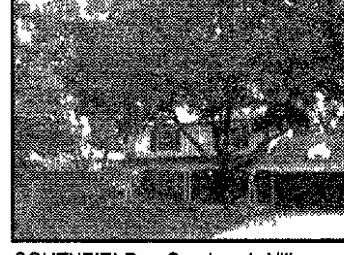
PLYMOUTH - Lovely Lakepoint Village! 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath Great location w/Plymouth Canton Schools Huge yard 3+ attached drive thru garage Newer roof vinyl siding windows & kitchen Home has C/A sprinklers & approx 1 acre! \$228 900 (16DOR) 734 455 5600



NOVI - Sharp Novi home! 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath home w/many updates incl kitchen baths roof windows security system Large deck w/hot tub enclosed in gazebo Large corner lot w/lighting & sprinklers \$218 900 (37MAU) 734 455 5600



DEARBORN - Classic Elegance! Backing to private wooded setting This 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Town Home w/private courtyard entrance Living room w/marble fireplace formal dining room opens to large deck Kitchen w/corran & cherry cabs Master suite \$379 000 (23TIM) 734 455 5600



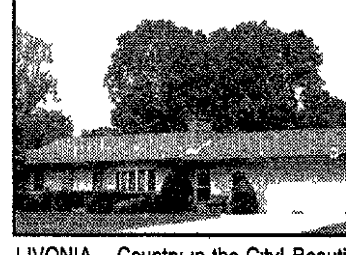
SOUTHFIELD - Cranbrook Village 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath colonial Bay window in DR Parquet floor & frplc in FR Hardwood floor in LR & DR Newer shingles furnace & HWH Great curb appeal Home warranty included \$234 900 (05RED) 248 349 5600



PLYMOUTH - Awesome brick ranch on lovely wooded lot Totally updated kit w/maple cabinets Plenty of counter space GR offers Ledge rock fireplace Grand picture window DR has 2 door-walls leading to spacious deck & 4 season room Maintained to perfection \$249 999 (00LAK) 248 349-5600



WESTLAND - Established neighborhood Well-maintained 3 BR, 2 BA ranch on lovely, tree-lined street Large MBR & bath Freshly painted & carpet cleaned Open updated kit Partially finished bsmt Nicely landscaped yard \$169 000 (58CHI) 248 349-5600



LIVONIA - Country in the City! Beautiful 3 bedroom home in Livonia Huge yard 3+ attached drive thru garage Newer roof vinyl siding windows & kitchen Home has C/A sprinklers & approx 1 acre! \$228 900 (16DOR) 734 455 5600



PLYMOUTH - Dollhouse in the city of Plymouth within walking distance to Kellogg Park & quaint shops Well taken care of & nicely landscaped Newer windows furnace HWH carpeting & copper plumbing \$179 900 (11PAL) 734-455 5600



SOUTH LYON - Many updates! Don't miss this beauty with many updates Vinyl windows in 88 landscaped in 96 Updated kitchen & electric with break ers in 99 Basement with glass block windows & ready to be finished! Two car garage \$172 873 (15VAS) 734 455 5600



LIVONIA - That up north feeling in the city 1 story ranch home on approx 1 79 acres 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath GR w/vaulted ceiling & fireplace A W/O basement 2 car garage mstr bdrm w/private bath Newer carpeting Close to expressways schools & shops \$279 900 (20SUN) 248-349-5600



CANTON - Immaculate 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath condo 2 story unit w/full basement Beautifully treed yard & private Newer HWH furn C/A, disp refrig stove dishwasher pedestal sink carpet paint counter & maple cabs Breakfast bar in kitchen \$139 900 (61FRH) 248-349-5600



FARMINGTON HILLS - Just like new Completely updated ranch sits on a great lot overlooking a park 3 spacious bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths & 2 1/2 car side entry garage \$279 900 (42FAR) 248-349-5600



WHITMORE LAKE - Look no further! 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial on a gorgeous wooded lot oversees a natural ravine! Stately master suite w/all the amenities Large bonus room (unfurnished) walkout partially finished \$259 900 (21FOR) 734-455 5600



DEARBORN - West Dearborn! Great location close to shopping schools & transportation Large kitchen w/ceramic floor Living room w/Oak trim Roof replaced in 2000 Huge 25x25 garage (w/door for boat!) \$145 500 (45PAR) 734-455 5600



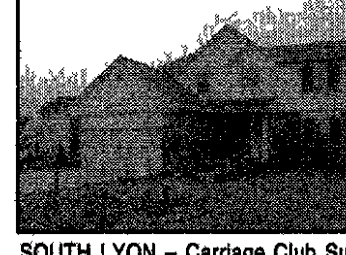
CANTON - Great curb appeal! Loads of Perennials & nicely landscaped! 3 bedroom colonial is charming to Family room w/nice brick fireplace & door wall to patio Country kitchen newer HWH & furnace Finished basement \$199 900 (90WIN) 734 455 5600



WHITMORE LAKE - Cottage on lake 3 bedrooms w/newer windows, W/O basement Lake frontage with dock Great vacation home or rental All sports lake \$220 000 (77NSH) 248-349 5600



NORTHVILLE - Downtown Northville If location is what you're looking for, this one is for you! A tear down on a large lot. A premium location for a new home Walk to downtown and enjoy all the Cultural events The value is in the land \$216 500 (74WIN) 248-349-5600

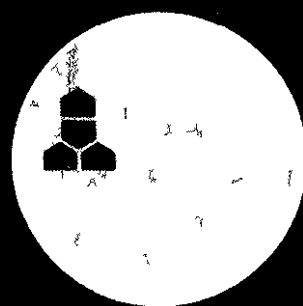


SOUTH LYON - Carriage Club Sub offers 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath 2-story One of the largest lots in the sub Gourmet kitchen includes Jennair app & white cabinetry Updated ceramic baths Open floor plan Extras T/O \$289 900 (11CAR) 248-349-5600

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SOUTH LYON \$449,900
BEAUTIFUL TANGLEWOOD HOME on 1st fairway! Over 2800 SF tastefully decorated w/crown moldings hwdwd flooring 4 BR 2.5 baths lovely mstr ste w/glamour baths A must see! (06SPY2)

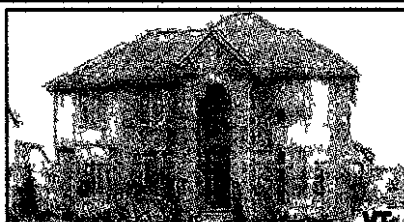
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CANTON \$449,900
STUNNING 4 BR, 3.5 BATH CAPE COD 3 car gar golf community prof fin LL gives 5146 sq ft of living space & full bath commercial grade wet bar & movie theater w/cstm leather stadium seats (S2161)

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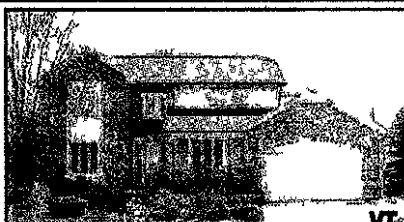
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PLYMOUTH \$439,900
\$55,000 LESS THAN BUILDER MODELS! Arched brk 2 stry entry w/hrdwd flrs! Open staircase to loft overlooks 2 stry GR! Gourmet kit w/lsnd! Formal DR & LR french drs to lib 3 car side 9 ft bsmt (W51303)

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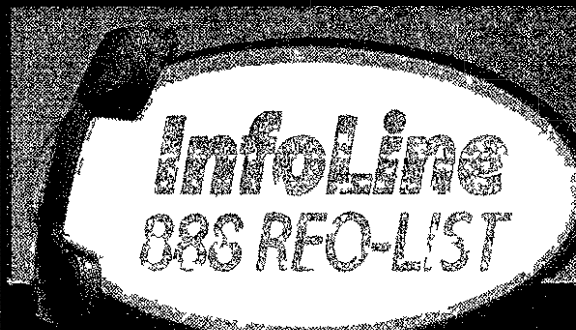
FARMINGTON HILLS \$399,900
SPECTACULAR HOME in Country Ridge Estates! Light/bright, newer kitchen w/corrian c tops furn/ roof Fin'd w/o w/full bath BR & rec room w/bar & FP Peaceful lot backs to trees! (33COU2)

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BELLEVILLE \$334,900
LAKEFRONT!!! Gorgeous westerly view of Belleville Lake 3 BR with attached 2 car garage updated windows & kitchen 2 fireplaces 11x18 greenhouse private dock (L41150)

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HAMBURG \$314,900
VACATION ALL SUMMER! Spacious 4 bdrm col on 75 acre All sports lake access fishing pond nature trails beach gazebos & play yard all within the sub Gourmet kit hrdwd flrs (23A9190)

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NORTHVILLE \$309,900
WONDERFUL 2-STORY 3 BR downtown Northville Condo! Open floor plan with GR dining room & library Finished daylight lower level (10STL2)

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LIVONIA \$269,742
BUY TODAY/REAP TOMORROW! Wonderful 4 bdrm col in a popular mature sub first floor laundry 2 car att garage Finished bsmt plus under family room Many more amenities!(23S34742)

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LIVONIA \$268,900
LOCATION, QUALITY, VALUE, & CHARM! Hidden Pines sub Brick colonial w/2 car att'd garage finished bsmt 4 BR 2.5 bath new fl & appliances mstr BR w/bath & walk in closet (C18912)

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ROYAL OAK \$259,000
BEAUTIFUL CRAFTSMAN STYLE BRICK BUNGALOW with original woodwork Hwdwd flrs built-in buffet bay window bsmt garage 3 BR 2 baths all appliances great front porch! Walk to everything!(02FOU2)

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DEARBORN HEIGHTS \$254,900
BETTER THAN NEW! 3 BR 1.5 bath colonial w/ att'd 2 car gar beautiful kt w/oak cabs FP in FR w/ drvlr leading to covered patio many updates & close to schools A must see!(C611)

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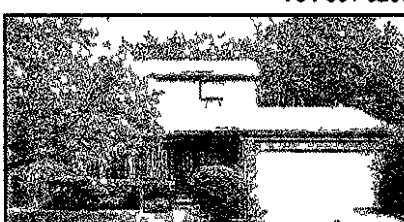
FARMINGTON HILLS \$249,900
TOTALLY REMODELED BI-LEVEL! 4 BR 2.5 bath home in a beautiful wooded sub New white kitchen w/corrian new windows doors & boiler 2 car attached garage It's beautiful! (96W002)

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COMMERCE \$249,900
PRIDE OF OWNERSHIP THROUGHOUT! 3 BR 2.5 bath home Features soaring ceiling in GR w/ FP lg kit w/entr island & bar area mstr w/bath ceiling WIC huge deck prof indcpt & much more!(H1630)

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CANTON \$235,000
VERY NICE CANTON COLONIAL! Lovely FR w/ frpl newer oak floors in kitchen, foyer & lav Three bay windows newer roof & carpeting A must see!(10KIN2)

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LIVONIA \$217,900
STUNNING 3 BR, 1.5 BATH BRICK COLONIAL Situated on a corner site in the highly sought after sunset park neighborhood Open flr plan w/eat in kit cozy FR w/FP part fin bsmt mstr BR w/ WIC & more!(S17462)

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WIXOM \$208,000
BEAUTIFUL HOME W/3 BR! 2 full baths 2.5 car garage & fin d bsmt! Most windows replaced 3/2002 Vaulted ceiling in LR newer neutral carpet in LR & FR Over 1800 SF must see!(48LOO2)

248 348 6430



LIVONIA \$207,000
WEST LIVONIA 1/2 ACRE BRICK CHARMER! Entertain guests on your prof brk paver patio under shade of mature trees on approx 1/2 acre lot Open flr plan covered cings fin bsmt w/w bar & so much more! (S11203)

PC 0707

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FARMINGTON HILLS \$199,900
GREAT INVESTMENT! Hard to find combination of quality style & space in this 5 BR 2 ba brick colonial on 1 acre Upper & lower levels could be separate rental unit (S20238)

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LATHRUP VILLAGE \$198,000
CHARMING COLONIAL W/NEW KITCHEN Vintage 1930's home kitchen w/cherry cabinets new appliances refinished hwdws 2 frpls fenced yard w/landscape Great curb appeal & location! (11BUN2)

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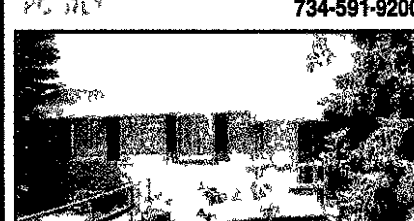
CLARKSTON \$189,900
EXTRAORDINARY LOT! Beautifully landscaped 1st flr mstr w/skylight & jacuzzi 3.5 baths storage galore! 18 x 30 2 story garage Newer roof siding windows furnace & a/c (23P4420)

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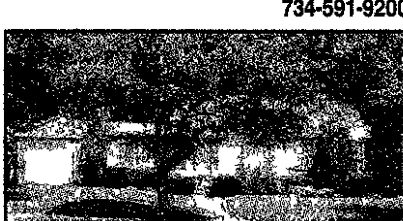
PLYMOUTH \$179,913
WHAT A VALUE! 4 bdrm 2 bath ranch Lg fam rm w/nat frplc leads to a covered deck Many updates Cui-de sac location Easy access to I 275 (23B8811)

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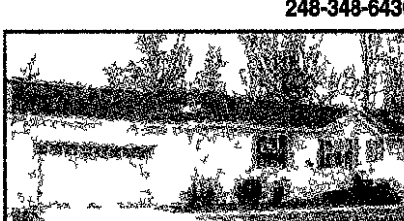
NOVI \$174,900
VERY NEAT & CLEAN, 3 BR RANCH on Lake Shawood Lg kitchen nice size LR 12 month home protection plan shed on property & freshly painted w/new carpet thru out (80AUS2)

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LIVONIA \$174,900
GREAT CENTRAL LIVONIA LOCATION Walk to schools parks Updated kit newer windows roof C/A Cozy family room w/nat frplc Fenced yard w/mature trees Attached 1 car garage (23B14984)

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GARDEN CITY \$174,900
WHEN ONLY THE BEST WILL DO! This lovely traditional ranch sits on a large country lot featuring 3 bedrooms 2 full baths dining room built in 1996 2 car att garage decks off front and rear of home (A324)

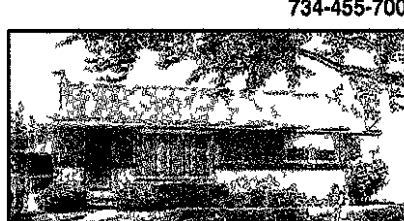
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WESTLAND \$170,000
WANTED BUYER WHO APPRECIATES VALUE for this 3 or 4 bedroom Colonial on large lot with family room fireplace 2 full baths newer roof and furnace and more (P359)

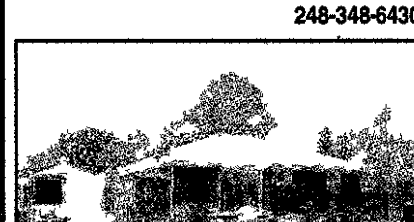
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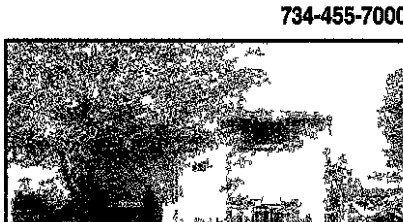
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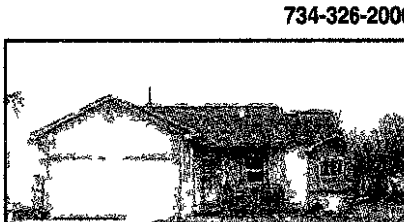
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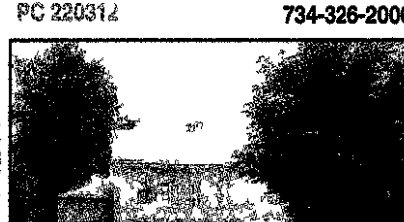
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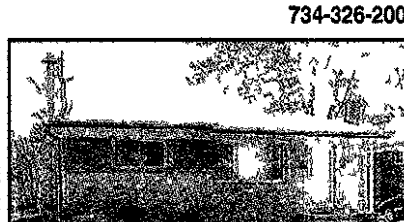
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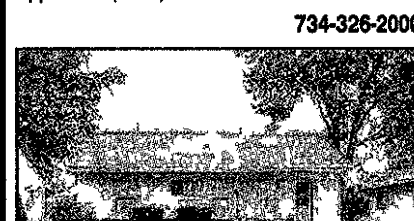
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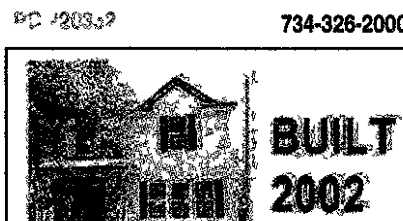
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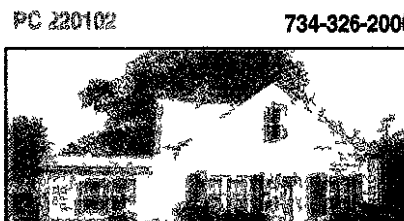
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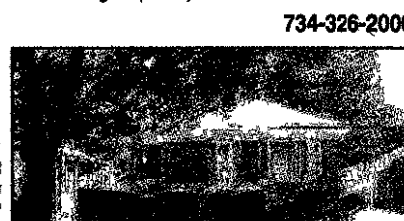
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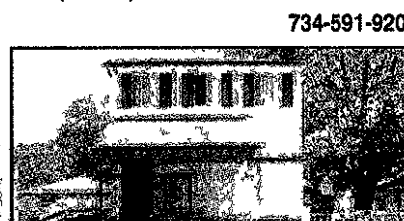
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7.11.0-7.13.0 CANTON Fr day July 19th 9-5 Household items and much more 142609 Hanford N of Ford & W of Lilley



7.11.0-7.13.0 FARMINGTON HILLS 33915 Dewberry N of 13 Mile W off of Farmington Rd (3 Oaks Subdivision) Thursday Saturday (18th 20th) 9-3 Household commercial shelving children's etc



7.11.0-7.13.0 LIVONIA July 18 20 9-5 air conditioners Nordcraft toys clothing household 30695 Lyndon N of Schoolcraft E of Merriman



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7.11.0-7.13.0 ROYAL OAK 4003 N Blair Ave N of 13 E of Rochester Corner of Sunnybrook & N Blair July 18 & 19 12 6 July 20 9-2 Dishwasher dryer clothes mowers household bedding & much more!



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LIVONIA Moving Sale 14625 Huff (2 bks W of Newburgh N of Lyndon) Electric range lamps tools small appliances misc household goods Must sell July 18 20 9 5pm

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PLYMOUTH 3 family July 19 21 9-5 9-1 1465 Palmer E of Sheldon btw Ann Arbor Rd & Ann Arbor Trail Furniture lamps vintage outdoor motor tools etc

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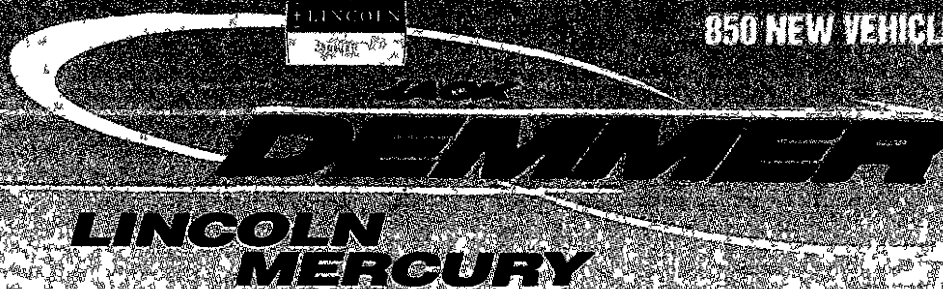
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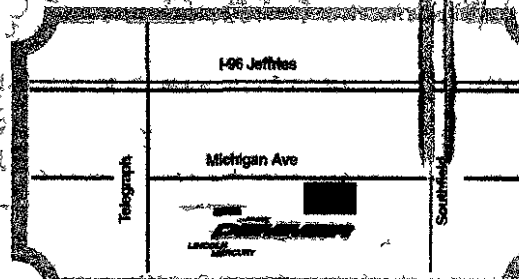
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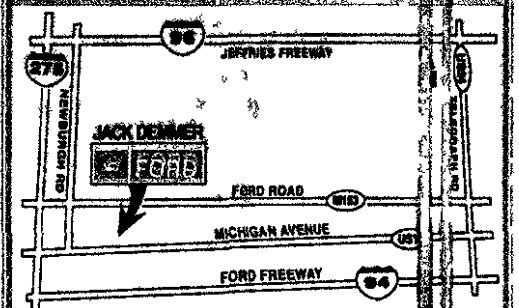
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