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Beyond basics

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Pipeline

Radio writers

Moosehead Comedies in Ann Arbor has announced Theatre of the Air a 15 minute radio show written and produced by local play wrights Mike Davis of Plymouth and Marc Holland of Ann Arbor The show can be heard on WSDS AM 1480 at 7 45 a m Sundays starting Sept 29 Moosehead officials tout the show as a hilarious new show with an old time feel with episodes featuring offbeat characters starting with Nick Addams, a bumbling 1940s era detective

Davis 38 and Holland 37 performed Murder After These Messages at the Plymouth Fall Festival this year In addition to the murder mystery dinner the ater engage ments they ve produced throughout the metro Detroit area their three published plays have been performed from Spokane Wash to South Africa

Family affair

An exhibit by artist Nora Mendoza helped the Plymouth Community Arts Council kick off its year long Celebration of Women earlier this week The exhibit runs through Oct 17 Each month exhibits work shops demonstrations and lectures will focus on the var ied aspects of women throughout the ages and around the world Mendoza was named Michigan Artist of the Year in 1999 and is a recip ient of the Governor s Arts Award She will speak about her work at the fall ArtReach luncheon at the PCAC at 11 30 a m Oct 1 Call the PCAC (734) 416-4278 for details

Tall order

Varsity and JV Rockettes from Salem High School got more than they bargained for at a recent car wash fund raiser when Canton firefight ers stopped by with one of the township rescue rigs

Team members Lisa Stemmerman Kristen Bernacik Courtney Garlepy Courtney Gromacki Kim Martin Heather Cornell Ashley Schopieray and Missy Lachowski scrub the rig while Imari Patel and Emily Arble await their turn The car wash was held in the parking lot of the Rite Aid store at Ford and Canton Center roads

Voter registration

Time is running out on any one hoping to cast a ballot in the Nov 5 general election who isn t already registered

Registration deadline is Monday Oct 7 at the city or township clerk s office or at any Secretary of State branch office Call the city clerk s office (734) 453 1234 or town ship clerk (734) 453 3840

City expects healthy general fund

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

No matter what financial cuts the next governor of Michigan decrees to balance the state's budget, city officials believe they'll be able to weather the storm

While awaiting the auditor's report on the financial condition of the city at the end of the 2001-2002 budget year, Plymouth Finance Director Mark Christiansen said he's confident the city will end up the year adding $284,000 to the general fund That would increase the city's available fund balance to $860,000

And, if you consider that in 1997-98 the city recorded a general fund deficit of more than $22,000, there's been a turnaround of more than $880,000 in just five years

'No matter what happens at the state level, I don't have any real concerns about our financial position," said Christiansen "I think the (state's) economic situation isn't as rosy as predicted, but I'm not that concerned"

Christiansen not only points to the $860,000 he expects to have in the general fund, but the $550,000 budget sta-

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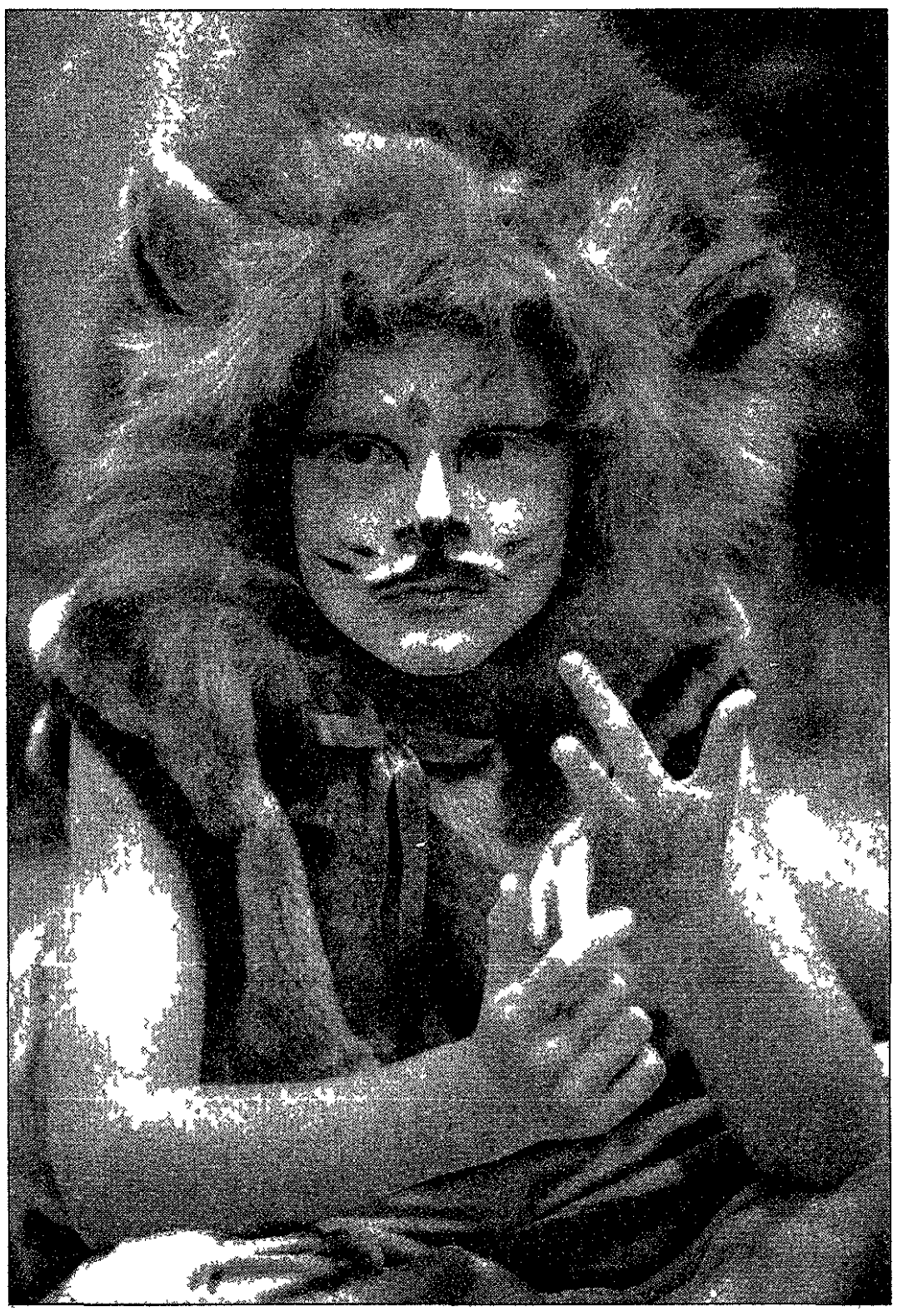

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Isbister Big Top

First-grader Julian Alverio, in costume as a lion, watches the First Grade Circus under the big top in the gymnasium at Isbister Elementary Wednesday The entire first grade put on a show for parents at the end of the school day, offering animal acts, high wire performers, clowns and acrobats For the story and more photos, please see Page A3

ADs among fans of new synthetic turf for varsity field

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

For Canton High School Athletic Director Sue Heinzman, a day like Friday was the nightmare she and her fellow athletic directors have endured for several years

It was raining in the afternoon, and Heinzman was busy scheduling and rescheduling junior varsity football games that needed to be played on the only varsity football field at Plymouth-Canton Educational Park In the mix was a decision on whether the high school football team would play its game Friday or Saturday because of the rain

While football is generally played in all types of weather, the athletic directors at Plymouth-Canton need to be particularly aware of field conditions because just one game-turned-mud bowl could ruin the playing surface for the entire season

"With so many teams that need to play on the field, we need to be careful," said Heinzman "Not many schools have this much traffic on one field

PLEASE SEE FIELD, A6

Ethics inquiry could close in 2-3 weeks

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

The cloud hanging over Plymouth Township Trustee Abe Munfakh may be about ready to lift

Attorney Michael Schwartz, hired by the township to conduct an investigation into claims Munfakh violated the township's ethics policy, should be ready to file his report, hopefully within two to three weeks, according to township supervisor Steve Mann

Munfakh has been accused of violating the township's ethics policy by representing Salem Township in that municipality's bid to get hooked up to the Detroit water system Critics say Munfakh shouldn't have gotten involved because Plymouth Township often suffers from poor water pressure, and that Detroit water should deny water to Salem until it can provide sufficient service to existing customers

PLEASE SEE ETHICS, A5

Here's your chance to win a shopping spree

The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and 12 area merchants are teaming up to send 12 lucky winners on home furnishings shopping sprees

It's all part of Fabulous Furniture 2002 in our *At Home* section on Thursdays, Oct 3, 10 and 17

Twelve lucky winners will receive a $1,000 gift certificate to shop at Avenue Gallery (Birmingham, Rochester, Ann Arbor and Novi locations), Classic Interiors (Livonia), Eclipse Window Tinting (Redford Township), Woven Treasures (Birmingham), William C Franks Furniture (Wayne), Laurel Furniture (downtown Plymouth), N.A. Mans Building Center (Canton Township), Newton Furniture (Bloomfield Hills, Livonia, Novi and Sterling Heights locations), Pine Tree Lighting (Lake Orion), Recherché (Waterford), Watch Hill Home Interiors (Birmingham) and Walker Buzenberg (Plymouth)

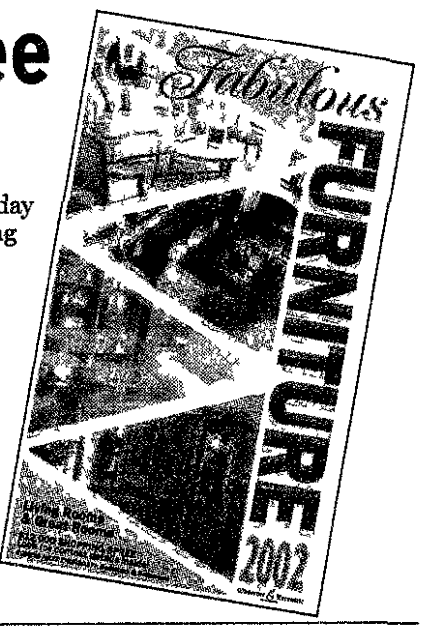
Winning is easy Each participating merchant will have official Fabulous Furniture displays at their stores and entry forms available beginning Oct 3 You may enter one time at each store You'll want to visit each store (several merchants have multiple locations) and increase your chances of winning

You must be at least 18 years old to enter All entries have an equal chance of being drawn The deadline to enter is 5 p m Thursday, Oct 24

Look for the entry form in your Thursday and Sunday Observer and in participating stores beginning Thursday, Oct 3

Don't miss the Thursday, Oct 3, edition on Dining Rooms and Kitchens followed by the Thursday, Oct 10, edition which features Living Rooms and Great Rooms The At Home section of Oct 17 will highlight Bedrooms and Bathrooms

Here's a chance to spruce up your home and read about the latest in furniture styles and decorating tips in *At Home* Fabulous Furniture 2002



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Publisher: Hometown papers stay relevant to local readers

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

HomeTown Communications Network, Inc , founder, owner and chairman Phil Power said his group of 70 hometown newspapers is successful because they stick to the theory of community journalism

"We want to make community newspapers the essential tool for people for the readers and their families to live the good life in their own hometowns," Power told members of the Plymouth Noon Rotary Club on Friday "That means we have an obligation to make the Observer (and Eccentric) useful, relevant, and an essential tool of the conduct of daily lives of adults and kids And, it also means our journalistic focus is different from the New York Times, the dailies (Detroit News and Detroit Free Press) and the Ann Arbor News

Power, who admitted he was a member of the Rotary Club years ago but had to quit because he couldn't make the meetings, said he likes the changes in downtown Plymouth

"I would say that the downtown today is the fulfillment of the dream that people I knew in Plymouth 25 years ago were looking for It's a fantastic accomplishment," he said, referring in part to the new Mayflower Center "Kellogg Park has never looked better Plymouth has become a destination for a lot of people"

Power went on to emphasize that community journalism digs into the issues of the community, and is accomplished by putting the reporter in the shoes of the reader

PHOTO BY LISA FEDOR

Phil Power addresses the Plymouth Rotary Thursday

"There is a difference between reporting generalities without having thought about what they mean to people in their daily lives.'

Phil Power
HomeTown Communications Network Inc

"There is a difference between reporting generalities without having thought about what they mean to people in their daily lives," he said "What does the news mean for the ordinary divinity of daily life for the people who live in their own hometown? What does the story mean to the reader? How does the reader take the information and use it in the ordinary conduct of their life?'

For Power, who began his biweekly chain of newspapers in 1965, that means his basic philosophy to community journalism can be achieved by following five fundamental propositions

"We are in business to enhance the lives of our readers, to nurture the communities that we serve, to contribute to the business success of our advertisers, to provide fulfilling careers for our staffers, and to earn a fair profit

"At the end of the day, that's what we are all about," he said "We think those words get to the heart of what we spend a great deal of time and passion doing"

Power began HomeTown Communications by publishing six newspapers in western Wayne County with a staff of about 20 employees His network now includes 70 hometown newspapers throughout Michigan, near Cincinnati, Ohio, and in the upper midwest, and employs about 1,000 people

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AROUND TOWN

GRAINS OF SALT

The City of Plymouth plans to purchase nearly 2,000 tons of road salt for the upcoming winter City commissioners approved the purchase from Morton Salt at a cost of $26 per ton, the same price as the city paid two years ago City Manager Paul Sincock said the price is $20 less than what the city paid last winter, "when there was considerable discussion among communities related to pricing issues last fall It was reported that the attorney general's office began investigations related to price fixing among salt vendors" The city issued a joint bid with the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, which is estimating it will use nearly 1,000 tons of road salt this winter

CLOSED CROSSING

The City of Plymouth received no comment at a public hearing Monday concerning closing the York Street railroad crossing and vacating a portion of the street, closing it to vehicular traffic

The State of Michigan determined there was a need for lights, bells and gate arms at the crossing Both CSX Railroad and the city administration determined the cost would be prohibitive, and decided to shut down the crossing The city administration will exchange some property with a private owner in an effort to create a cul-de-sac on York Street

HOME EXPO

The Plymouth Beautification Committee and Plymouth Building Department are sponsoring the first Home Improvement Expo from 10 a m -4 p m Saturday, Sept 28 at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer Area businesses will share their expertise and provide residents information and advice on such topics as how to apply for a building permit, chimney repairs and cleaning, electrical and plumbing repairs, kitchen and bath remodeling, fireplaces, heating and air conditioning systems, decks and landscape design, wallpaper, paint and decorating ideas

Workshops, including faux finishing, installation of wall safes and deadbolts, landscape design, electrical troubleshooting and selecting an architect will be conducted throughout the day For more information, call (734) 453-1234, Ext 206

ROCKS RED GLARE

The skies will light up over Salem High School next Friday

A fireworks display will be part of the Homecoming activities for the Rocks Sept 27 game against Walled Lake Central

Wolverine Fireworks Display will provide special effects at the 7 p m start of the game and through the halftime festivities Fireworks will mark the pre-game, help celebrate touchdowns and the announcement of the Homecoming King and Queen

The display will end after halftime

Admission to the game is $4 for adults and $3 for students

RARE BOOKS

The Friends of the Plymouth District Library are sponsoring a Used and Rare Book sale Oct 3-5 from 9 30 a.m -9 p m

Available books will include first editions, signed books and collectibles, priced from $5 Buyers will be able to choose from between 200-300 books

The sale takes place at the Plymouth District Library, 223 S Main For more information, check out the library's Web site, www plymouthlibrary org, or call (734) 453-0750

FALL PERFORMANCES

The Plymouth Community Arts Council's Fall Series of Friday Performances opens Sept 27 when local soprano Kim Delansky and tenor David Fischer present an evening of songs "about love"

Highlighting the evening will be a collection of Richard Rodgers' romantic songs in honor of his 100th birthday

Plymouth resident Gillian Eaton will direct "When Can We Talk?," a theatrical presentation that explores the lives of volunteers who bring art into Michigan prisons and the men and women they serve The collage of stories is inspired by the Prison Arts Project founded by Buzz Alexander of the University of Michigan

On Nov 22, the PCAC will present Hip Harp with Christa Grix and her jazz harp trio Considered one of the finest harp trips in the country, they bring a unique and fresh approach to harp, taking it from the concert hall to the jazz club, according to PCAC officials All performances begin at 8 p m Series tickets are available for $60, individual tickets can be purchased for $25 For more information, call the PCAC, (734) 416-4278

SERVICE SEMINAR

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce sponsors a seminar designed to helping service providers give better customer service

"The Art of Giving Great Service" seminar, featuring Ari Weinzweig, takes place from 8 30-10 45 a.m Wednesday, Sept 25 at St John's Golf and Conference Center in Plymouth Township Weinzweig, CEO and founding partner of Zingerman's Ann Arbor, will share his approach on treating customers like royalty Attendees will learn customer service techniques and factors Zingermans has developed and for which it has received national awards

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Circus serves as learning tool

Isbister first-graders benefit from fun experience

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

When Sarah Smith and Carol Green were teachers together at Smith Elementary Smith was impressed with an idea Green used to capture the attention and imaginations of her students

So Smith, who later moved to Isbister Elementary, decided that imitation really is the sincerest form of flattery, and flattered Green who now teaches at Dodson Elementary, by stealing the idea

Thus, the circus came to Isbister Wednesday

Some 100 first-graders took part in the circus, playing the parts in all the acts you d normally see at a circus — tight-rope walkers, juggling clowns, and seal acts

The kids dressed up, either in costumes made by their parents or in costumes collected over the years by teachers

'It s a real fun way to build your classroom community and get kids to follow directions, said Smith, a first-grade teacher at Isbister "We had tight-rope walkers walk down a balance beam, bears who rode scooters, and elephants who climbed on a giant ball

Smiths students — along with the kids in fellow first-grade classes taught by Joanne Kokoszka, Denise McClane and Aileen Wise — played all the parts Staffers took pictures, and teachers and students will spend time putting a book together explaining all about the circus

The kids love it," Smith said They get real excited, we write poems about it I take pictures and put them on the computer, and then they tell me about the different acts"

The day included juggling clowns, lion and tiger acts com plete with trainers, and then the grand finale a human can nonball How d they pull that off in an elementary school gym?

We decorate a desk to look like a cannon, and the student crouches under the desk" Smith explained We count down from 10 and then I pick him up and run him across the stage

PHOTOS BY PAUL HURSCHMANN | OBSERVER

A group of bareback horse riders wait in the hallway before entering the gymnasium where the circus performed

It s all designed to make the early part of the new school year easier on the first graders many of whom are going to all day school for the first time and have to overcome a bit of homesickness

First grade is kind of hard for kids because they have to stay a whole day Smith said Something like this gets them excited about the beginning of the school day **It takes their minds off of home and mom"**

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David Winchip from left sits with clowns Michelle Flora and Michael Hoover as they watch the other circus performers Seals Emily Patton Ian Balnaves and clown Jake Vojcek are in the foreground

Third grader Emily Sneideman 7 watches the parade of circus charac ters pass her in the hallway at Isbister Wednesday

Claire Cousino walks the tight rope at right as the other aerial artists await their turn on the high wire

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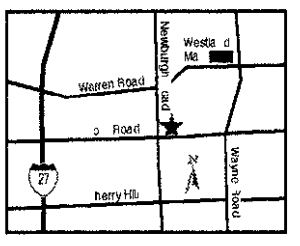

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Activities begin at 6 p m with hors d'oeuvres Dinner, featuring a gourmet meal of excellence, will be served promptly at 7 p m Dancing will follow dinner with the sounds of Domingo Acosta and his Chicago orchestra, Los Latinos

To purchase tickets or make reservations, contact Manuel Reyes at (313)665-4020 or manuel reyes@gm com, Jose Rodriquez at (248)471-5616 or elmoreno@peoplepc com

Proceeds from the Festival de las Americas help to fund college scholarships, including scholarships for Hispanic students attending Madonna University in Livonia.

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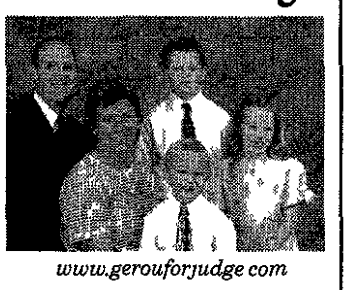

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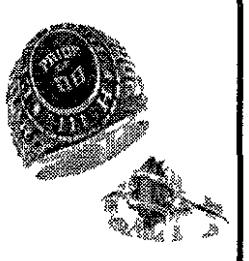

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Tree to come down to avoid home damage

BY TONY BRUSCATO
STAFF WRITER

Martha Buzuvis doesn t like the thought of chopping down the tree that towers over her Elizabeth Street home

However, since the 86-year-old Plymouth resident has to choose between her house of 34 years and the tree, the tree must go

"I will be sorry to see it go, it's a nice tree,' she said "But, what can you do? I don't want to lose my house I ve got to live somewhere '

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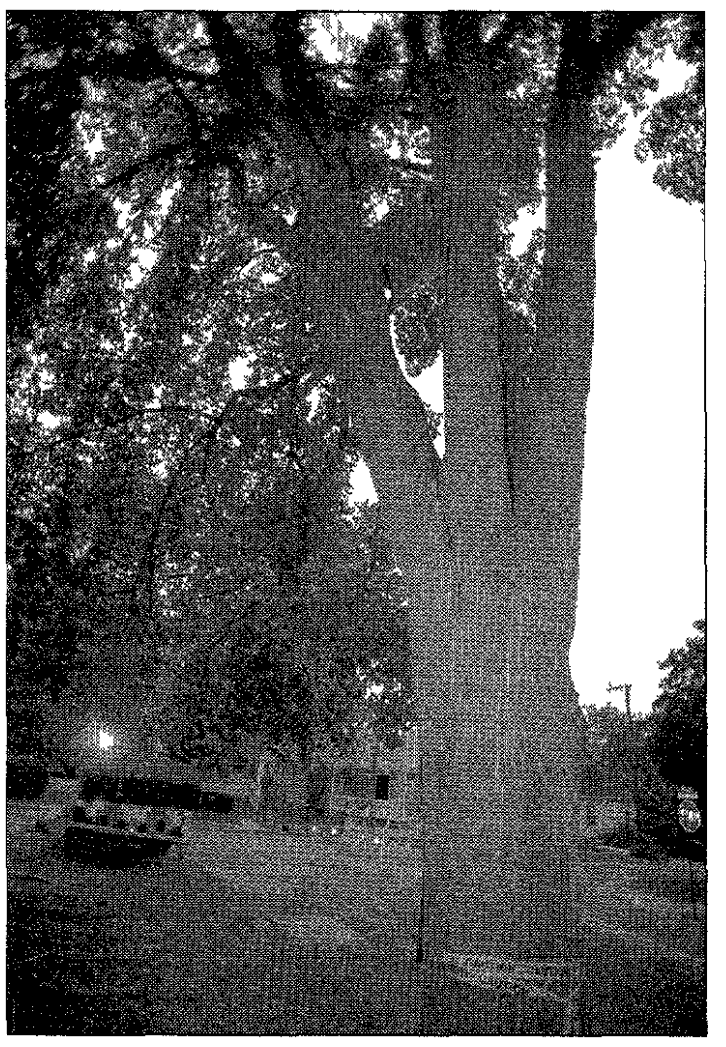
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This 150-year-old tree on Elizabeth Street, south of Roe, is cracked down the middle of the trunk, and endangering the house which sits below it

The tree, which some have estimated at being 150 years old, developed a crack in the trunk and was in danger of falling on the house, and taking power lines with it

The Plymouth Community Fire Department stood guard Wednesday afternoon, closing off several streets near the tree, while Detroit Edison sent a crew to secure it until it could be cut down

"Since this (Wednesday) afternoon it cracked this much," said Tim Williams of Plymouth Township, Buzuvis' grandson, who held his hands about a foot apart "And, every time the wind blows, you can hear it crack more If it falls it's going to take everything with it, about half the house '

City Manager Paul Sincock said it was a precarious situation

"It's clear it's coming down You can hear it cracking, and the crack has grown about eight inches in two hours," he said "It could potentially take out a primary power line in the neighborhood '

Firefighter Jim Harrell, who along with his crew stood guard near the tree, said he heard the tree cracking

"It s been snapping and crackling and popping since yesterday," he said "It's a legitimate concern "

For Buzuvis, it's the second tree she's lost in her front yard as a maple tree died earlier this summer

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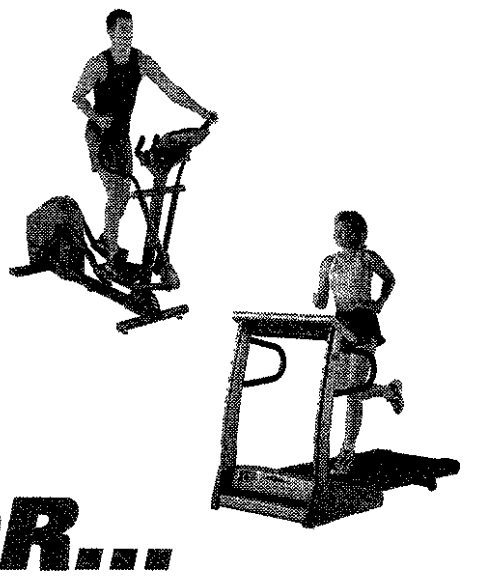

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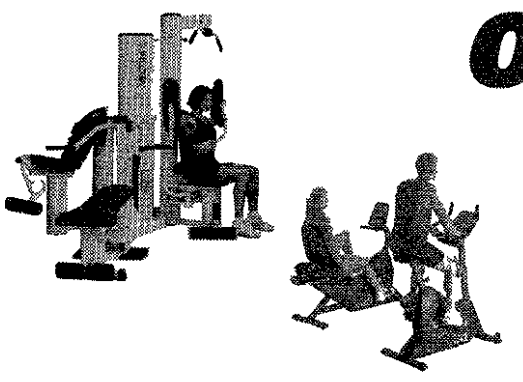

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They're (the state) not going to eat into a million-and a-half dollars in reserves," he said 'But, I would be concerned about $300,000-$400,000 of it because of what the state may do"

There were concerns all last year as the city faced cuts, and additional threats of cuts, in state revenue sharing funds

"Our net loss of revenue is down $127,000, Christiansen said "With a new governor and new legislature, there's no telling what may happen to state-shared revenues

'My feeling is that we're going to hear the state s situation is going to get worse before it gets better,' he said

It may not be state revenue sharing, but my feeling is that they will go after other money, like gas and weight taxes, that come down to local governments in some way'

But, despite the cuts and threats of additional state revenue sharing take-backs, Christiansen said the city has positioned itself to keep from again being burned by the state

'We've been keeping a real close handle on expenses,' he said 'We re paying closer attention to what our department expenditures are

"It certainly hasn't been because of an increase in revenues because we've lost revenues in state-shared money, and tax revenues remain restricted to the cost-of-living, basically"

Christiansen said the city is in even better shape if you consider surpluses outside the general fund

'We never used to have surpluses in the other funds, like the street funds and waste and recycling fund, but they all had ample increases this year,' said Christiansen "That amounts to another half-million dollars worth of reserves in those funds that could be transferred out and used for other purposes, if there was an emergency'

Christiansen said the final audit figures will be available by the end of the year

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ETHICS

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They say Munfakh's involvement is detrimental to the interests of Plymouth Township residents who elected him to represent them

While acknowledging his engineering firm, Ayres Lewis Norris & May, did represent Salem in its negotiations with the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department, Munfakh said he did not take part in the process, except to make introductions at one meeting Some citizens have complained to Mann, and other trustees have criticized Munfakh Earlier this year, the township agreed to hire Schwartz to collect data and talk to key figures in the controversy, then render an opinion as to whether Munfakh violated the township's ethics policy Munfakh has steadfastly denied any such violations He was unavailable for comment Friday Mann said he hopes to get the report within two or three weeks

"(Schwartz) has talked to people and he s reviewed a variety of documentation,' Mann said "This has lingered on long enough, and it s time to move on'

Once Schwartz makes his report to the ethics board — made up of Mann, treasurer Ron Edwards, clerk Marilyn Massengill and trustees Chuck Curmi, Kay Arnold and Ron Griffith — a decision will be made on how to proceed

While there's no mechanism in place to remove Munfakh from the board, the ethics board will still have to decide what to do with Schwartz's report Some sort of public censure appears to be the stiffest penalty available

That will be up to the board to decide," Mann said 'It's time to get closure on this'

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OBITUARIES

George Wilson Hafer

Services for George Hafer, 93, of Westland, were held Sept 17 at the Vermeulen Funeral Home with the Rev Tom C Hansen officiating Burial was at United Memorial Gardens in Superior Township

Mr Hafer was born Sept 4, 1909 in Claunch, Ark , and died Sept 13 in Westland He was an automotive factory worker and was employed by McCord Corp for 30 years During World War II he worked on defense contracts He loved sports, and had played semi-professional baseball He also enjoyed gardening Survivors include dear wife of 70 years, Hattie Mae, daughter, Betty (John) Cole of Plymouth, sister, Dorothy Carpenter of Ark , granddaughters, Linda (Dean) Choma of Livonia and Lisa (Kevin) Hille of Plymouth, grandson, John (Ruth) Cole of Ypsilanti, great-granddaughter, Rachael Hille, great-grandson, Joseph Choma, one nephew and one niece Memorial contributions may be made to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburg Road, Livonia, MI 48154-5010 Arrangements made by Vermeulen Funeral Home

Stella D. Schodowski

Services for Stella Schodowski, 74, of Westland will be held Sept 21 at the L J Griffin Funeral Home Canton Chapel with burial at Mt Olivet Cemetery

Mrs Schodowski was born June 29, 1928 in Hamtramck and died Sept 16 at Heartland Nursing Home in Ann Arbor She worked as a clerk in retail

She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond P Schodowski Survivors include daughter, Patricia M (Joseph) Wrobel, sister, Helen Kaun, and grandson, Stephen

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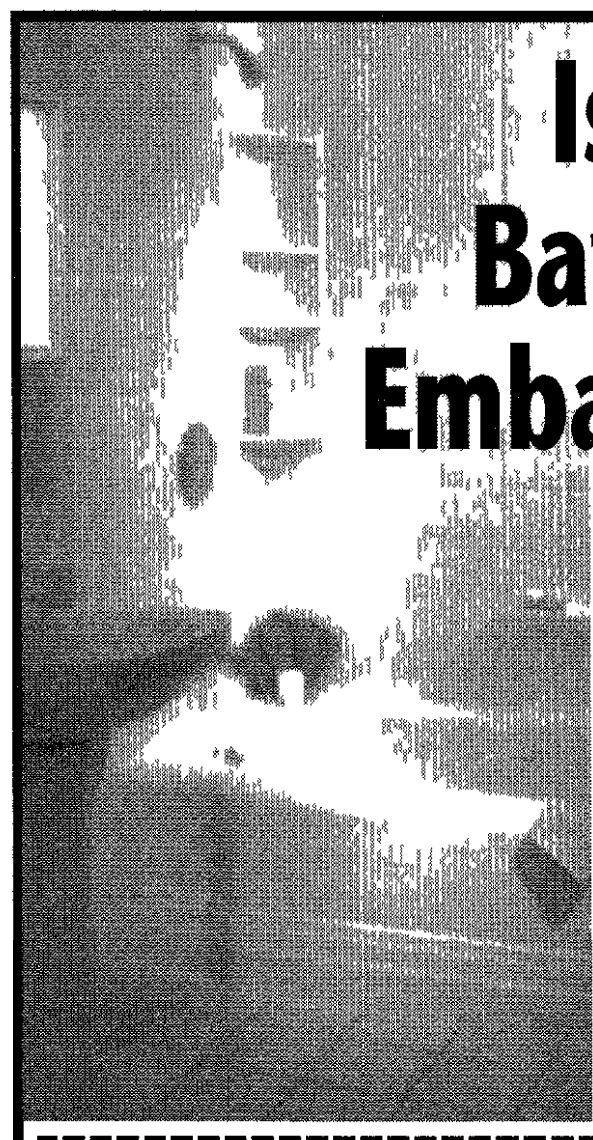

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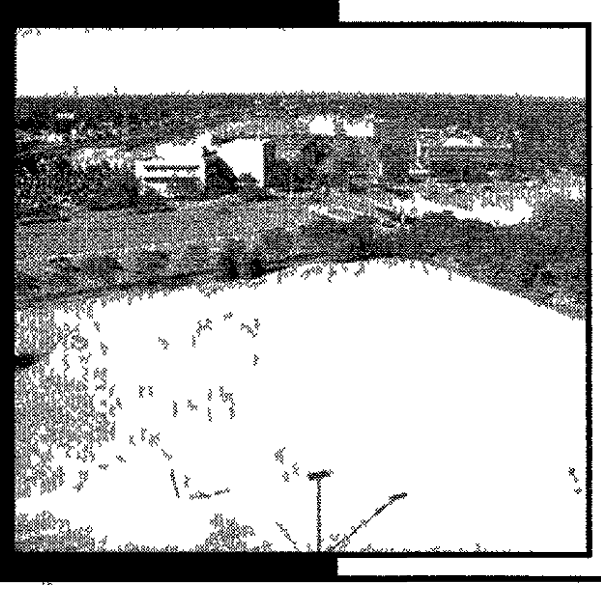

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Poll shows McCotter in lead; forum set

BY MATT JACHMAN
STAFF WRITER

As a new poll showed Republican Thaddeus McCotter with a sizable lead in the 11th Congressional District race, he and rival Kevin Kelley both agreed to appear in a candidates forum next month

The EPIC/MRA poll of 400 people showed McCotter, a state senator, with a lead of 15 percentage points over Kelley, the Redford Township supervisor

Thirty-nine percent of respondents favored McCotter, while 24 percent went for Kelley, the poll said Thirty-seven percent were undecided The poll has a margin of error of 4 9 percent

Kelley, McCotter and Green Party Candidate William Boyd, meanwhile, all said they will appear at a candidates forum on Wednesday, Oct 9, sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County The forum is scheduled from 7-8 30 p m at the cafeteria at Canton High School

Taxpayers party candidate Daniel Malone could not be reached

The League's format calls for opening statements from the candidates, followed by written questions from the audience, and then closing statements It will be videotaped for broadcast on local cable television

Other candidates forums in the district, which includes Redford, Livonia, Westland, Garden City, Plymouth and Plymouth and Canton townships, are a possibility The 11th District includes several communities in Oakland County, and Eva Packard, vice president for citizen education with the Oakland Area League of Women Voters, said that group is trying to organize a forum

Paul Bukowski, McCotter's campaign manager, said he's pleased with the results of the recent poll but isn't taking anything for granted

The results show that "our message and goals are working," Bukowski said

Kelley said he is "not impressed" with the poll results A Democratic Party-commissioned poll in August found Kelley just 4 percentage points behind McCotter, with political dynamics favoring Democrats

"Considering that my opponent and his party have already spent over a quarter of a million dollars on this race, and I have spent less that one hundred thousand, I am not impressed with the numbers,' he said in a prepared statement

FIELD

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"That's one reason we need synthetic turf," she said

That will be the discussion at Tuesday's Board of Education meeting, scheduled for 7 p m at Plymouth High School

"We need the synthetic turf because of the unique concept of our park," said Ken Jacobs, executive director of support services "It's been an issue for several years At some point, it may be determined we won't be able to use the varsity track this year'

Jacobs said he and the athletic department will present information to trustees regarding synthetic turf for the varsity football stadium, which would be paid for with $1 3 million from the 1997 bond issue passed by voters to construct Plymouth High School

Administrators cite the fact that soon there will be three high school football teams, three boys varsity soccer teams, three girls varsity soccer teams and the marching band using the same field

Last year, a football game had to be canceled because of an unsafe playing surface, and a marching band competition had to be moved to South Lyon, which has a synthetic surface, because of a muddy field

Jacobs said it s likely the varsity track team will need to use the newly constructed junior varsity track because drains under the varsity track are collapsing, and the running surface can't be repaired

"We had a physical education student, who was jogging, put a foot through the surface of the track and injure her ankle," said Jacobs "The track is over 30 years old, and we can't find ways to repair it effectively anymore"

Jacobs is hopeful the information presented to trustees Tuesday night will be convincing enough to get permission to move forward with the project

"If we get approval from the board, we want to develop specifications and put the project out for bid in December,' he said We need to award the bid by Jan 14 in order to meet scheduled play for mid-August (2003)

"If it's not constructed by then, we'll have big problems,' Jacobs said

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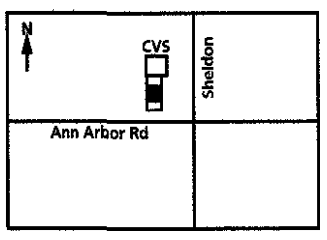

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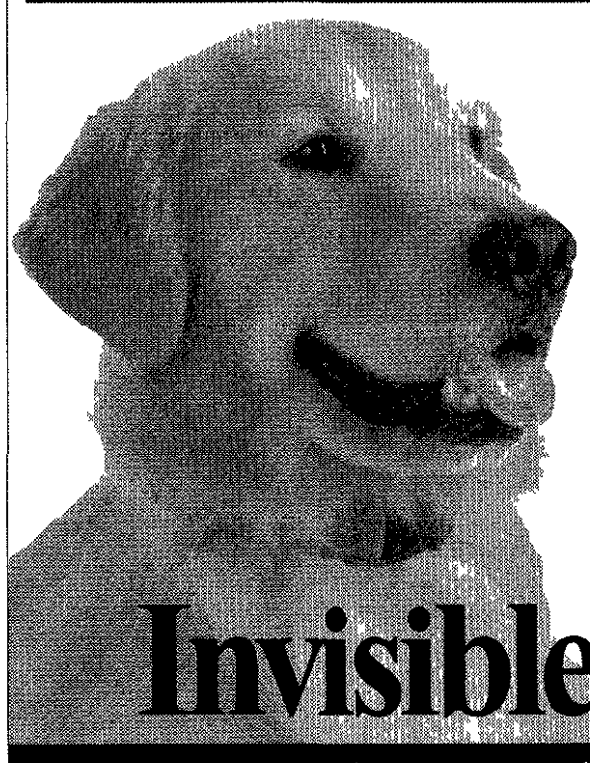

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Discover how watercolor media reacts with different materials and the amazing effects that can be produced at this one day work shop at the PCAC on Saturday Sept 28 Participants should bring anything with texture such as bubble wrap wax paper and old nylons to get great texture and depth in their painting To register or for more info call (734) 416 4278

Pottery Classes
The Village Potters Guild in Plymouth has immediate openings for aspiring novice through experienced potters in class 10 a m 1 p m Wednesdays The cost is $180 for 12-week session with additional open studio times available during the week For more information call (734) 207 8807

Rummage/Bake Sale
The Canton Rotary will be holding its annual rummage and bake sale Saturday and Sunday Sept 21 22 The hours are 9 a m 5 p m on Saturday 10 a m 4 p m on Sunday We are welcoming any donations for this fund raiser To drop off or have any items picked up please call Bill Brown at (734) 420 2733 or Mary Beardsley at (734) 981 2139

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Plymouth Symphony
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Arthritis Self-Help Course
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Free blood pressure screenings will be taken at the Plymouth District Library 11 a m 2 p m on the third Wednesday of every month No appointment is necessary Call (734) 453 0750 for further information

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Kid time

Sophia Barkoff, 2-1/2, plays with a puppet at the Plymouth District Library recently The library offers a number of programs for children of all ages

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The annual Fall/Winter Clothing Sale being held from 10 a m to 1 p m at Our Lady of Loretto Catholic Church on Saturday Sept 28 Over 30 tables of children s items Also a bake sale

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Suburban Republican Women's Club
The monthly meeting will be held at 11 a m Thursday Sept 26 at the Pick A Bone Restaurant 30325 Six Mile Road in Livonia There is a $12 charge for the luncheon Visitors and guests always welcome For reservations call (248) 471 5659 by Sept 23

DAR
Sandwich luncheon at noon on Sept 23 at the Plymouth Historical Society Museum in Plymouth Bring a sandwich drinks and dessert provided Beth Stewart Plymouth Historical Museum executive director will give a tour of the museum s new Lincoln Room and history of the Society Call Sue Petres at (248) 344-4635 for information

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MOPS-Westland
Westland MOPS meets at Westland Free Methodist Church Sept through May on the second and fourth Fridays of the month Free child care Contact Nikki Guenther at (313) 937-2479

Tai Chi
Taoist Tai Chi Society offers ongoing tai chi classes for all ages in Livonia and Bloomfield Hills at 7 p m Afternoon classes at 1 p m available in Livonia Observers welcome Visit our Web site at www taoist org For more information call the society at (248) 332 1281 anytime

La Leche League
Breastfeeding information and support group meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 10 a m For more information and meeting locations please contact Michelle at (734) 397 0197

Canton Rotary Club
The Rotary meets at noon on Mondays at the Roman Forum in Canton on Ford Road All guests are invited to join us for lunch for more information on our community and international service projects For more information call Laura at (734) 207 8517 or e mail to ExecSec@rotary6400 org

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

MOMS Club
A local chapter of the MOMS Club welcomes interested stay at home mothers in the Canton/Westland area to meet the third Tuesday of each month MOMS Club offers weekly activities playgroups community service opportunities and a lot more! For more information please contact Wendy at (734) 398 6957

West Suburban Stamp Club
Meeting at 8 p m the first and third Fridays of the month at the Plymouth Historical Society 155 S Main St Plymouth

Plymouth Canton Jaycees
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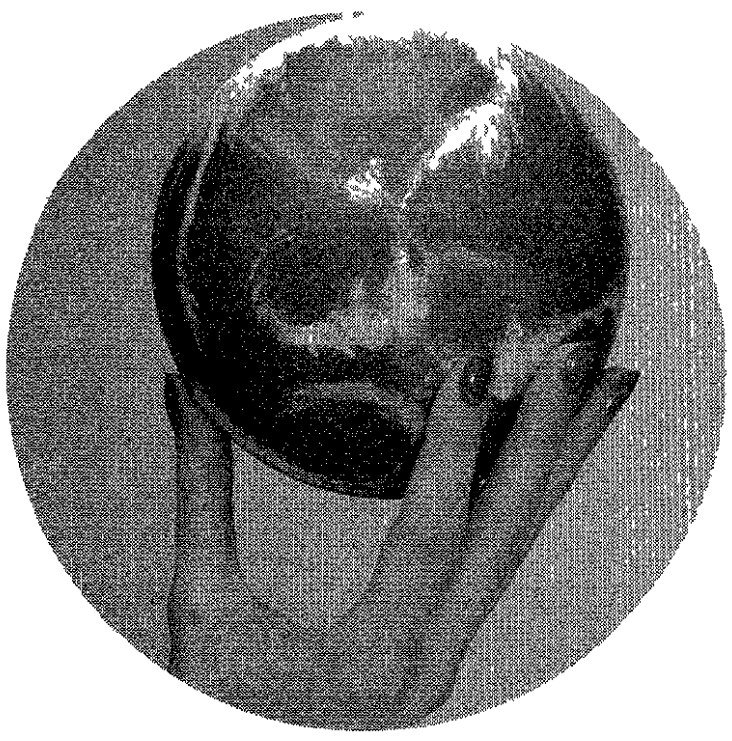

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New Saberettes hit the ground cheering

Plymouth High School pom-pon team already an award-winner

BY JILL HALPIN
CORRESPONDENT

Plymouth High School may be the newest entry on local sports rosters, but school spirit is already growing strong, thanks to the Saberettes the 20-member freshman pom-pon team

Traditionally high school pom-pon teams perform only during home football and basketball games

The Saberettes are setting a new standard in school spirit by attempting to support as many school teams as they can In addition to performing at all home PHS football and boys basketball games, the team is also making appearances at PHS soccer games, according to Saberettes coach Lynn Balogh

"I have also talked to the girls basketball coach about performing during some of their games We are trying to be supportive to as many teams as we can, said Balogh

They currently practice at least six hours a week and their hard work is paying off.

Balogh, also a dance teacher at Masters of Dance Arts in Canton said, We want to bring support and encouragement to all school teams Many of these teams are real powerhouses for our school and we want to provide as much encouragement as we can"

Having the Saberettes work to support other high school groups was part of a master plan according to PHS Principal Dr Michael Bee

Bee said he worked closely with PHS Athletic Director Terry Sawchuck to create something unique at the new high school

Our vision was to create something special to help all of the students feel attached to their school, said Bee Having the pom team and the cheer leaders work together with other teams helps foster a sense of family and unity within the school Bee said

When you come into our weight training rooms, you might see the girls basketball teams using the rooms at the same time as other teams, working together," Bee said That s what we are trying to promote We are setting the bar in a different place

The award-winning Saberettes were formed in June and spent most of the summer in intensive practice The group attended a week-long Mid-American pom camp in Mount Pleasant in July and took top honors for their kick-line performance and original routine

They currently practice at least six hours a week and their hard work is paying off

The team received accolades for their performances at the Plymouth Fall Festival

It was hard to believe that this was a new team They did a great job, said Plymouth resident Gina Sloan who attended the festival with her sons, Anthony and John Sloan

Saberettes include Amanda Baldwin, Mary Baniowksi, AmiAnn Bobo Jessica Bono, Sara Brown, Sylvia Dai, Alex Eckardt, Lauren Halpin, Megan Heard Tara Kay, Christine Laws, Jenn Leshkevich, Alex Linerode, Blair Locklar Angelina Moise, Keely Rudolph, Laura Schulz, Nicole Sofios, Megan Sommerville and Melissa Spillers Lisa Sarkesian is the assistant coach

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Tara Kay from left Angelina Moise Keely Rudolph and Mary Baniowoski work out with the rest of the Plymouth Saberettes squad during practice Tuesday

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The Plymouth Saberettes squad strikes a pose at the end of one of their routines during a practice Tuesday in the high school cafeteria

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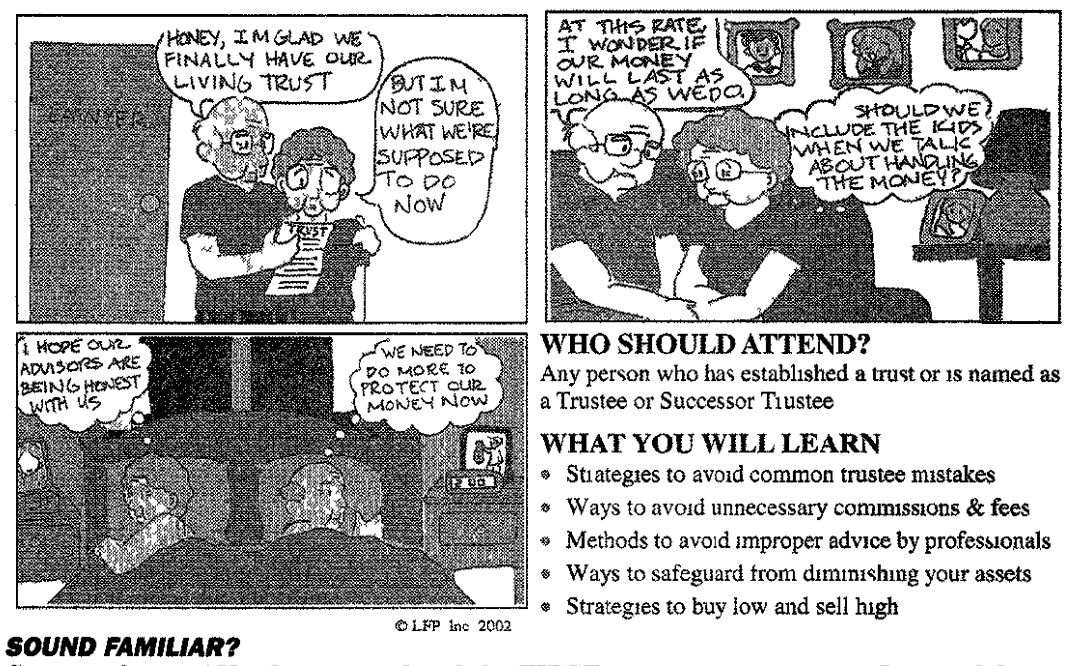

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Experts say future is bright for Rouge River

BY KURT KUBAN
STAFF WRITER

Nearly 300 people gathered Friday at the Cranbrook Institute of Science to celebrate a year s worth of progress in restoring the Rouge River to a healthy waterway

Numerous public officials from Wayne and Oakland counties participated in the 10th-annual year in review, including Congressmen Joe Knollenberg (R-Bloomfield Township) and John Dingell (D-Trenton), Oakland County Executive L Brooks Patterson, and Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara.

According to Kelly Cave, director of the Wayne County's watershed management division, the most promising accomplishment of the last year is the fact water quality throughout the watershed has improved for the third consecutive year

Dissolved oxygen level goals were met 95 percent of the time, and harmful E coli bacteria levels have decreased dramatically, according to Cave As a result, wildlife communities, including fish, and frogs and toads have become more numerous

Cave said none of this would have been possible without the combined efforts of local, county, state and federal officials

"All levels of government have stepped forward to do what needed to get done," she said "Ten years ago, the thought of people playing in and around the river was just unthinkable to all but a few people That isn t the case anymore We are definitely on the right track '

Oakland County Drain Commissioner John McCulloch also attended the conference, and was touting his controversial plan to create five drain districts in Oakland County Currently, each municipality has its own drain district

He said having five jurisdictions, which would run along the lines of the county's five different watersheds including the Rouge, would help the county meet state and federal mandates concerning water quality He said the recent progress with cleaning up the Rouge is an example of how partnerships between governmental agencies can help restore watersheds

"I really do look to the Rouge to show how numerous communities can work together to improve water quality," he said

Knollenberg and Dingell have been instrumental in securing millions of federal dollars to help pay for many of the projects, including the Rouge River Wet Weather Demonstration Project, which has become a model for communities all over the country

Knollenberg said the day when people can catch trout and swim in the Rouge is not too far in the future

"The short-term improvements to the river are positive, and the long-term view is exciting We are seeing improvement at a pretty good pace," he said

Despite the successes, Knollenberg said there are still people who don't think twice about polluting the river As an example, he noted the major oil spill earlier this year that contaminated 27 miles of the lower portion of the river, and eventually made its way out to the Detroit River

"We have to remain diligent if we are going to see this through," he said

League hosts meeting on transportation

The League of Women Voters of Northwest Wayne County hosts a public transportation discussion starting at 7 30 p m Monday, Sept 23, in the Michigan Room of the Livonia Civic Center Library on Five Mile, east of Farmington Road

Residents are invited to participate and ask questions

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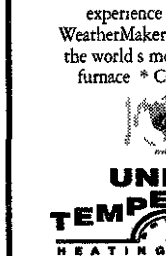
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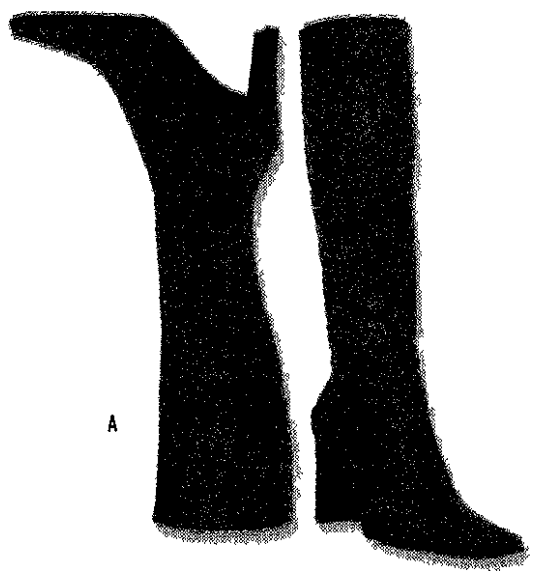
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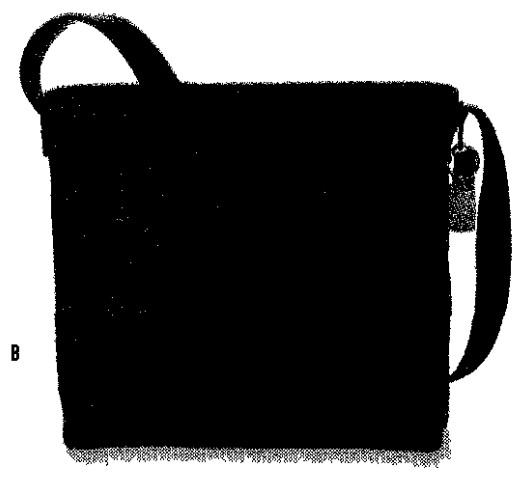
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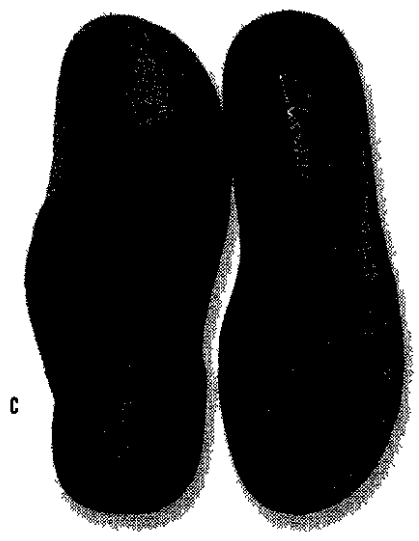
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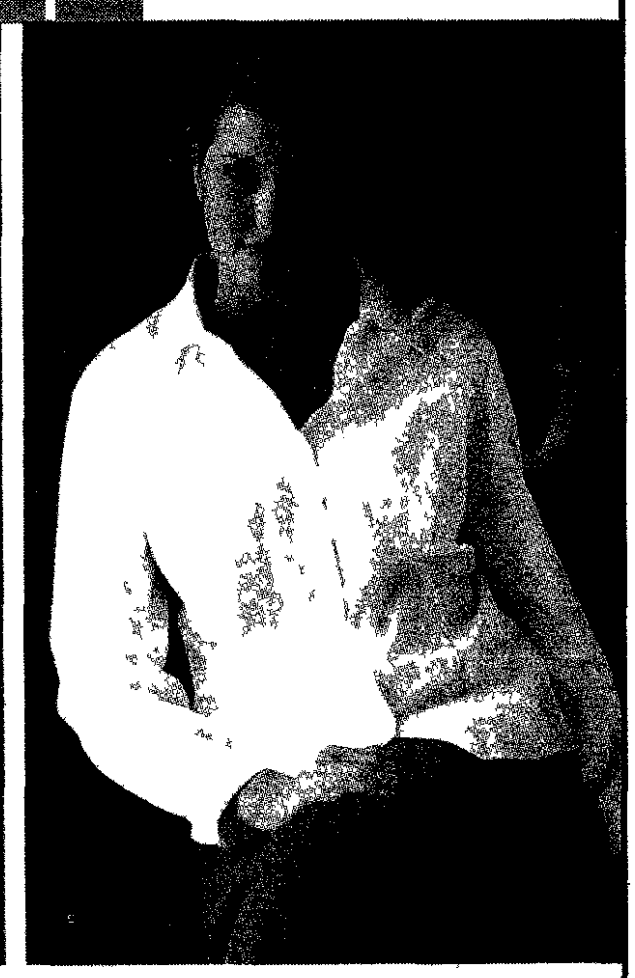
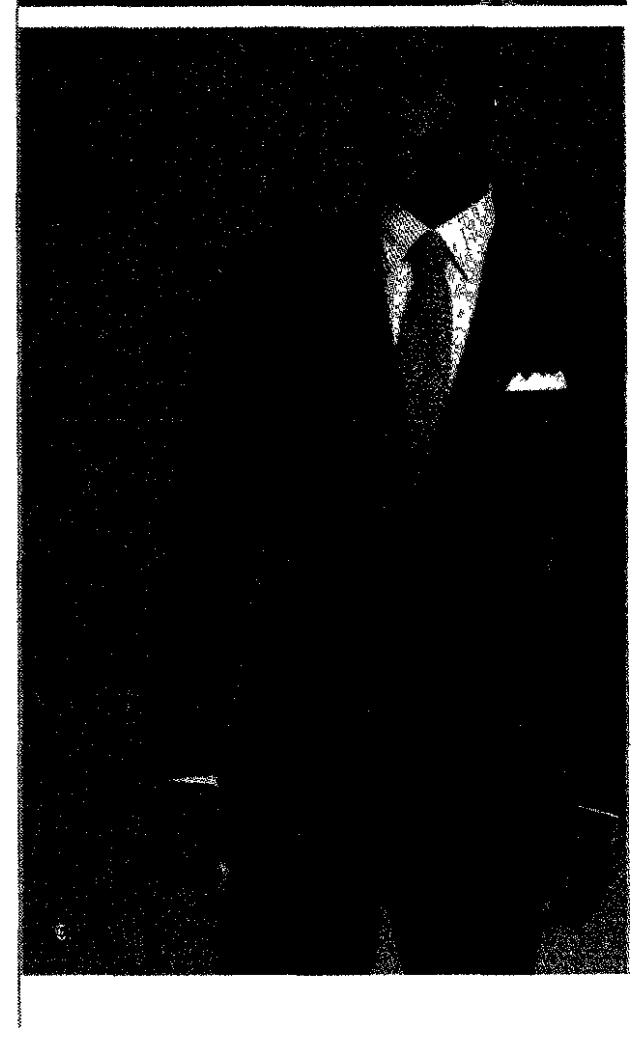
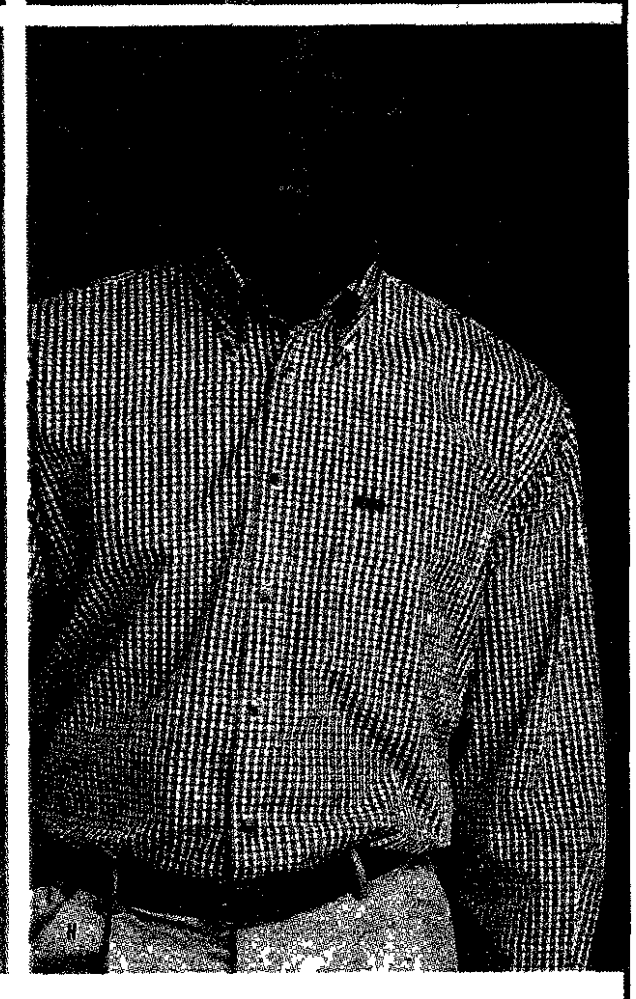
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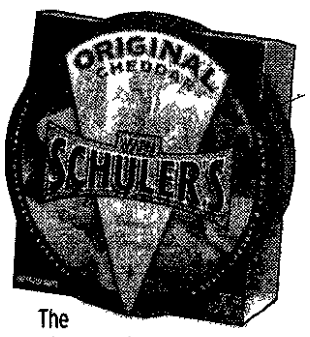
Ready-to-serve

Southfield based Win Schuler Foods has introduced new packaging – a ready to serve black tub that can go from refrigerator to table whenever company is over



The package re design includes a removable card board sleeve with new graph ics, food photography and easy to-prepare recipes

The company also just introduced a Sharp Cheddar cheese spread

More is better

Five servings of fruits and veggies a day to ensure short term nutritional needs isn t enough to guard against health problems that develop over time the American Institute for Cancer Research

When it comes to prevent ing cancer eating more veg etables is second only to quit ting smoking in its impor tance as a protective meas ure says Melanie Polk AICR s director of nutrition educa tion

Fruits and vegetables help reduce the risk of cancer heart disease and other chronic diseases like diabetes They ve increased the recom mendations from five serv ings to nine

Some people might think eating five daily servings of fruits and veggies is a big challenge says Polk But it s fairly easy to accomplish once you get a goal and realize a standard serving is just one half cup for most types of fruits and vegetables

A study by the USDA found that the potato is America s most widely consumed veg etable – iceberg lettuce fol lowed second Those veggies just aren t good enough the AICR says One serving of raspberries is better for example Other specifically good foods are sweet potatoes watermelon and tomatoes

Begin dinner with a veg etable or fruit course Take advantage of the rule if you see it you ll eat it Keep fruits that are easily eaten near the television or computer

New in Detroit

A new restaurant that is labeled as upscale yet casual is opening soon in the the atre/stadium district of down town Detroit

Small Plates is the name of the eatery located in the Eureka Building at 1521 Broadway – The Opera House is directly across the Street Comerica Park Fox Town and Ford Filed are two blocks away Valet service is offered and parking is available in three lots nearby Shuttles will be available during Red Wing games

Small Plates is an appetizer restaurant The open kitchen design has brick oven for guests to view The menu has items like garlic shrimp and crunchy bread portabella mushrooms with zip sauce Barbecue ribs with French fries and gourmet style pizza

Small Plates will feature fresh desserts and full bar

BEYOND BASICS

Recipe ideas for squash are more than butter and sugar

BY LANA MINI
STAFF WRITER

There s more to squash than butter and brown sugar Not that there's anything wrong that.

Most squash is typically cooked the same However, the varieties available are vast and so are the recipes offered locally

At the eclectic Traffic Jam & Snug restaurant in Detroit (511 W Canfield at Second Street), acorn squash is wonderfully stuffed with dried berries and wild rice At local farms, like Wasem Fruit Farms in Milan, different squashes are starting to come and the Wasem family staff has ideas for many

Leola Wasem likes to experiment with squash However when she's at work, she likes to put water on the bottom of a glass dish, cut a butternut or acorn in half and face it down in the dish Then she'll microwave it for anywhere between 10 and 20 minutes for an easy, Vitamin A-enriched lunch

Peak season at most local markets for squash is in just a few weeks, Wasem said

"Often I'll just put spaghetti sauce on baked spaghetti squash," Wasem said "And add a little butter and cheese"

Or to give the stringy spaghetti squash some variety, she'll add shrimp and lemon or sour cream, parmesan and ginger

This year acorn is abundant locally, butternut is a little slower to ripen

Sweet Dumplings are nicely abundant too — they're the size of an acorn with cream skin with green stripes, she said

WHAT'S YOUR RECIPE?

Do you have a favorite or unusual squash recipe?

It can be simple or intricate

How about a squash cooking tip?

If so, please share it with us We'll print your information in an upcoming issue

Please include the recipe or preparation advice along with your name, city where you reside and a telephone call in case we need to contact you

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PREP WORK

It's not easy to cut common squash Use a strong knife to cut the skin, which is easier than peeling If the squash is too hard to get the knife through, try tapping the blade with a small mallet Or slice the squash partially while it s raw and then place it in the microwave for several minutes just to soften

PLEASE SEE **SQUASH, A3**

PHOTOS BY TOMMY HOFFMEYER

Above, Sous Chef Sal Rizzo, left, and Executive Chef William Hall of Papa Joe's Gourmet Market hold a platter of their latest squash creations including zucchini stuffed with carrot mousse Left, Hall said currently he's selling more than 20 different types of squash – from sweet to savory

HOW TO CHOOSE A SQUASH

It can be tough picking out a ripe squash at the grocery store or market because of thick and tough skins

Executive Chef William Hall of Papa Joe s Gourmet Market in Birmingham says to examine the stem of the squash and make sure that it's dry If it is, chances are the squash will be just ripe enough

On harder skins like acorn squash, Hall says make certain the skin isn't rock hard to the touch

New in North Coast wine country

Each time we return from a trip to California s Napa Valley and Sonoma County, people ask 'what's new? ' There's always something new The following are highlights to help you plan a trip

Focus on Wine

Eleanor & Ray Heald

RED CARPET TASTINGS

To learn more about wine or taste top-of-the-line wines, we recommend the "Taste Exploration Series, ' interactive tastings ($10-$20 depending on the topic) in private small-group settings at Franciscan Oakville Estate in St. Helena Advance reservations are required Phone (800)529-WINE

The Cardinale Estate boasts a picturesque stone winery in the heart of the Oakville District in Napa Valley The spectacular hilltop visitor's center offers 360-degree views of Napa Valley Advance reservations are needed for a directed tasting ($2 per glass up to $25 per flight for Atalon Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, Atalon Mountain Estate Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, Cardinale Red Wine and limited production wines, including Lokoya, upon release Reserve at (800)588-0279

For $20 per person, you can taste four wines with four appropriate food pairings in the new private tasting room at St Francis Winery, 500 Pythian Road (at Highway 12), Santa Rosa (800)543-7713 Tastings don't get much better than St Francis Reserve Behler Vineyard Chardonnay with smoked salmon souffle or Reserve Nuns Canyon Vineyard Merlot with chicken, sausage and shrimp gumbo with rice There are two more wines and two more great pairings from winery Chef Todd Muir but we'll let you discover them

NEW RESTAURANTS

After a day of wine tasting, your palate is up for some great eats

Opened late last year, the California craftsman bungalow-style Martini House, 1245 Spring Street, St Helena (707) 963-2233, teamed restaurateur Pat Kuleto (Boulevard, Farallon and Jardiniere in San Francisco) with talented Executive Chef Todd Humphries, late of San Francisco's Campton Place and the Wine Spectator's Greystone at the Napa Valley Culinary Institute of America.

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WINE PICKS

There's a broad range of prices for Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Blends

In this category, touted Napa Valley bottlings are often the priciest

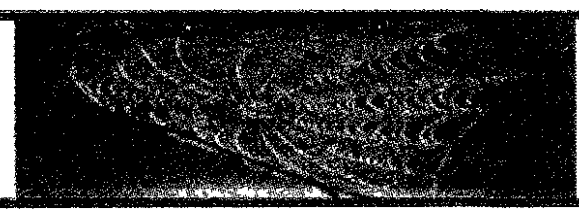
■ Awesome 1999 Justin Isoceles, Paso Robles $48

■ Delicious 1999 Geyser Peak Cabernet Sauvignon Block Collection Kuimelis Vineyard $26 and 1999 St Supery Dollarhide Ranch Cabernet Sauvignon, Napa Valley $70

■ Best Buys 1999 Rothbury Estate Cabernet Sauvignon, Australia $7, 2000 Buena Vista Cabernet Sauvignon $9, Rosemount Estate Cabernet Merlot $9, and 2001 Penfolds Koonunga Hill Cabernet Merlot $11

■ Got steak? Buy 1997 Michele Chiarlo Barolo $45 and treat yourself

Are there cobwebs on your cultural calendar?



Turn to today's ARTS section. Get inspired with ideas for some worthwhile things to do.

Pasta and butternut is an unusual autumn dish

Butter and brown sugar on butternut and acorn squash is classic, but sometimes I don t want a sweet dish at supper

Mark Bittman, the author of The Minimalist Cooks at Home,' whom was interviewed in last week's Taste section suggested adding pasta to the butternut squash for a Northern Italy style plate Typically, the dish is tortelli stuffed with zucca which is a pumpkin-type squash with the taste of butternut

Lana Mini

The traditional recipe seemed too tedious for a weekday, so I tried the easier version published in 'The Minimalist Cooks at Home '

The dish didn't necessarily look spectacular, but it was pleasant enough Rather than stuff shells or penne, the recipe calls for pureed squash on top of the pasta. I was out of penne so instead used linguine — making a trip to the store wouldn t have followed the minimalist philosophy

Here s the recipe I recommend it if you want to experiment with squash

Penne with Butternut Squash

- 1 pound peeled and seeded butternut squash start with a whole squash weighing about 1 1/2 pounds
- 2 tablespoons butter or olive oil
- salt and freshly ground black pepper
- 1 pound pasta or other cut pasta
- 1/8 teaspoon freshly grated nutmeg or to taste
- 1 teaspoon sugar optional (I did n t use any)
- 1/2 cup freshly grated Parmesan cheese

Cut the squash into chunks and place it in a food processor Pulse the machine on and off until the squash appears grated Alternatively, grate or chop the squash by hand Set a large pot of salted water to boil for the pasta

Place a large skillet over medium heat and add butter or oil A minute later add the squash, salt and pepper to taste and about 1/2 cup water Cook over medium heat, stirring occasionally Add water, about 1/4 cup at a time, as the mixture dries out, but be careful not to make it soupy When squash begins to disintegrate, after about 10 to 15 minutes, begin cooking pasta While it cooks, season squash with nutmeg and optional sugar and add salt and pepper

When pasta is tender, scoop out about 1/2 cup of the cooking water and reserve it, then drain the pasta Toss the in the skillet with the squash, adding the reserved pasta-cooking water if the mix seems dry Taste and add more of any seasonings if you like and toss with Parmesan and serve

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HEALDS

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Humphries calls his menu Napa Cuisine We dubbed it downright delicious! Reservations in advance are a must

The restaurant at Applewood Inn, 13555 Highway 116, Guerneville (800)555-8509 opened in summer 1999 but this was our first chance to visit

A moderately-priced California-Provencal a la carte menu is served in a casually elegant French Barn-style restaurant with two river rock fireplaces

After reviewing the menu, we wanted to say, "Could you bring us a few bites of everything?" We were more than pleased with the salmon and duck specials which complemented a great bottle of Hartford Court Pinot Noir

Aureole (New York and Las Vegas) restaurateur Charlie Palmer opened Dry Creek Kitchen in the new Hotel Healdsburg, facing the famed Healdsburg Plaza at 317 Healdsburg Avenue, Healdsburg (707)431-0330 Palmer focuses on Sonoma County's bounty of poultry, game, meats and fish together with fresh ingredients in an ever-changing seasonal menu Sonoma County wineries are the exclusive feature of the wine list If you don't make an advance reservation, you could have a long wait at the comfortable bar

NEW PLACES TO STAY

The full-service luxury Hotel Healdsburg, 25 Matheson Street, Healdsburg (800)889-7188 ushers in a new era to the historical city It's a perfect spot to conclude a day of visiting wineries in Alexander, Dry Creek and Russian River Valleys A spa is open daily from 10a m to 7p m Rates begin at $305 for a Deluxe King Special value season rates are available November 1 to March 15

Rates for 16 stylish queen bed guest rooms in two Mediterranean-style villas at Applewood Inn, 13555 Highway 116, Guerneville (800)555-8509 begin at $155 Suites with Jacuzzi baths for two start at $225

The Hilton Garden Inn at 3585 Solano Avenue, Napa (707) 252-0444 opened at the end of August this year King doubles are $259 AAA discount of 10 percent honored

LATE-BREAKING NEWS

Less than two weeks ago, two historic California wine families made history with the announcement that the Gallo family had purchased the renowned Louis M Martini Winery In 1933, Italian immigrant Louis M Martini built the winery in the heart of Napa Valley Current family winemaker Michael Martini runs the winery with his sister Carolyn A Gallo spokesperson indicated that they will stay on in their present capacities

"Gallo understands," Carolyn Martini said, "the value of our family's contribution and has been very willing to work through all the concerns of the Martini family members and design a structure that works for everyone Culturally for our company, this is a great fit "

Real estate has as much to do with the wine business as it does with any other Given that, this is a Gallo acquisition to watch

The Healds are Troy residents who write about wine spirits food and restaurants for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers To leave them a voice mail message dial (734) 953 2047 mailbox 1864#

Clarkston company launches new granola

Clarkston-based Michaelene's Gourmet Granola created another low-fat granola — this one containing ginger

The Ginger-Peach-Honey Crunch, is being promoted as healthy product that contains ingredients that may reduce risks of cancer, heart disease and high blood pressure Ingredients include green tea, crystallized ginger and natural peach flavor

In 16-ounce resealable bags, the Crunch is the 22nd flavor in the Michaelene's line Lamaze instructor Michaelene Hearn founded the company in 1984 for pregnant women looking at alternatives to junk food Today the granola can be found at bakeries, produce markets, airline catering services and gourmet shops

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SQUASH RECIPES

Italian Stuffed Spaghetti Squash

1 medium spaghetti squash
1 tablespoon vegetable oil
1/2 cup onion, chopped
1/4 cup celery, chopped
1 clove garlic, minced
1/2 pound ground beef
1/2 cup mushrooms, diced
1/3 cup rice, cooked
1/2 cup canned tomatoes
1 tablespoon fresh parsley, chopped
1 teaspoon oregano
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup mozzarella cheese, shredded

Cut the squash in half lengthwise, and remove the seeds. Place the halves cut side down in a baking pan with half an inch of water. Bake in a 350 degree oven for 30 minutes. In a large skillet, heat the vegetable oil and saute the onion, celery, and garlic until soft. Add the ground beef and brown, then drain off the fat. Stir in the remaining ingredients except for the cheese and simmer for five minutes. Then turn the squash over and stuff with the filling. Sprinkle the halves with the cheese and bake for an additional thirty minutes.

Cranberry-Filled Acorn Squash

SERVES FOUR
2 acorn squash
3 cups cranberries
3/4 cup apple juice, divided
3/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
2 teaspoons cornstarch
2 tablespoons walnuts, chopped

Pierce the rind of the squash and bake or microwave them, whole, until they're soft to the touch. Set aside. Combine the cranberries, 1/2 cup of the apple juice, the sugar, cloves, and nutmeg. Cook over low heat, stirring occasionally, until the cranberry skins 'pop." Combine the remaining apple juice with the cornstarch, mixing well. Gradually stir this into the cranberry mixture and heat just until thickened.

Cut the squash in half, remove the seeds, and spoon the cranberry mixture into the squash shells. Sprinkle with the walnuts and place in the oven or microwave to heat thoroughly.

Above recipes from *Celebrate the Harvests! Michigan Farm Markets and Farm Strands* (by Don and N Nelle Frisch. William B. Eerdmans Publishing Company)

Roasted Butternut Squash and Garlic Soup

1 butternut squash (approximately 2 pounds)
3 tablespoons olive oil
1 head garlic, cloves unpeeled
1 cup hot water
2 1/2 cups Chicken Stock
1 teaspoon freshly ground white pepper
1 teaspoon salt

1. Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Slice the squash in half lengthwise and remove the seeds and stringy pulp with a spoon. Rub the flat side with olive oil and place the squash, cut side down, in a glass baking dish, sprinkle the garlic cloves around the squash. Add the water and the rest of the oil. Bake for 1 to 1 1/2 hours or until the squash is very soft. Remove from the oven and cool slightly.

2. Scoop the squash pulp into the bowl of a food processor fitted with the metal blade. Squeeze the pointed end of each garlic clove, letting its pulp drop into the food processor.

3. Process for 30 seconds, until the mixture is very smooth. Add the chicken stock 1/2 cup at a time, pulsing the processor after each addition. Add the pepper and salt. Pour the mixture into a 2-quart saucepan and place over medium heat. Bring to a simmer and adjust the seasonings.

Variation: Add 1/4 cup orange juice with the chicken stock and 1 tablespoon curry powder with the seasonings.

Advanced Preparation: Can be prepared 2 days in advance. Cover and refrigerate.

Gratin of Squash, Leeks, and Rice

2 1/2 pounds yellow squash and green zucchini, grated
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1/2 cup Arborio rice
1/4 cup olive oil
3 medium leeks, well cleaned, white and light green parts only, finely chopped (about 3 cups)
2 medium garlic cloves, minced
2 tablespoons finely chopped fresh Italian parsley
2 tablespoons flour
2 cups half and half
3/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1/4 teaspoon freshly ground pepper

1. Place the grated squash in a colander set over a bowl and add 1 teaspoon salt, tossing to distribute evenly. Allow the juices to drain for 15 to 30 minutes.

2. Squeeze the squash in handfuls or wring out in a clean dish towel over the bowl to collect the juices. Reserve the juices and dry the squash carefully on paper towels.

3. In a medium saucepan, bring 1 1/2 cups of water to boil and add the rice. Simmer for 10 minutes. Drain and reserve.

4. In a 10-inch ovenproof skillet, heat 1 tablespoon olive oil over medium-high heat. Saute the leeks until slightly soft, about 5 minutes.

5. Add the remaining olive oil and saute the shredded squash over medium high heat until almost tender and all liquid is evaporated, about 4 minutes. Add the garlic and parsley. Saute for 1 minute.

6. Sprinkle with the flour and stir over medium heat, using pasta fork, for 2 minutes. Remove from the heat, add the partially cooked rice, 1/2 cup half-and-half and 1/4 cup vegetable liquid, and stir to combine. Continue cooking, stirring constantly until slightly thickened, about 3 minutes.

7. Continue adding the cream, 1/2 cup at a time, cooking until thickening begins to occur. After the last of the half-and-half has been added, stir in all but 2 tablespoons of the Parmesan. Add the remaining salt and the pepper.

8. Preheat the oven to 425 degrees. Sprinkle the remaining cheese on top of the dish. Bake until browned and bubbling, about 25 minutes.

Advance Preparation: Can be prepared 1 day ahead through step 7. Cover and refrigerate. Bring to room temperature before baking in 425-degree oven.

Above two recipes from the book *Thanksgiving Dinner: Recipes, Techniques, And Tips for America's Favorite Celebration* by Anthony Sias Blue and Kathryn K. Blue

Vegetable Medley with Tahini-Poppyseed Sauce

Vegetables
1 small head cauliflower, cut into florets
2 large yellow squash, cut into spears
1 small head broccoli, stems peeled and diagonally sliced, florets separated
2 large carrots, cut into spears

Sauce
4 tablespoons tahini
1 tablespoon sweet white miso
1 garlic clove
1/4 teaspoon ginger juice
2 tablespoons poppy seeds, toasted

1. Fill a large stock pot with 3 quarts of water. Bring to a boil.

2. Cook each vegetable until tender and bright in color. As each vegetable is cooked, place it in a colander. Cover with a bamboo mat or non-terry cloth towel to keep warm.

3. Meanwhile, add sauce ingredients to a blender. Blend until uniform in color. Add vegetable cooking water as needed to reach desired consistency.

4. Arrange vegetables on a large platter. Serve with sauce.

Variation

■ Add one red pepper, cut into strips.

Above recipe from *Lenore's Natural Cuisine* by Lenore Baum (by Culinary Publications)

SQUASH

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the skin — and then continue to cut.

MORE THAN ACORN AND BUTTERNUT

There's at least 20 different squash varieties markets like Papa Joe's Gourmet Market in Birmingham and Rochester and enough recipe suggestions to try them all.

'And in three or four weeks there'll be more, said Chef William Hall, executive chef at Papa Joe's on Woodward in Birmingham.

While Hall admits he enjoys the basic baked and buttered squash, it's exciting to showcase its versatility.

For example, he flours zucchini and sautes it. Then he adds white cheese, butter, sage and roasted red peppers for a hot or cold dish that's sold at the deli. With yellow zucchini he adds a carrot mousse to the middle. Tiny patty pans are stuffed with crab meat.

'Some of the dishes are sweet, but I like to make them savory too for a different variety, Hall said.

He seasons acorn squash with rosemary and stuffs with pine nuts and golden raisins. He suggests cutting Hubbard squash into strips, which is similar to pumpkin, and sauteing it in butter and adding Parmesan and white truffle oil.

While squash represents American fall harvest, many of them like Turks Cap, originated in France. Still, it's the basic butternut, spaghetti squash and acorn that remains popular locally. Other varieties that can be baked in the traditional matter include:

Delicate — a sweet heirloom squash.

Buttercup squash — its consistency and flavor is somewhat peanut butter like.

Cusaw White or Jonathan Pumpkin — sweet and pale orange.

Sweet Meat — an Oregon-based heirloom with deep blue green skin and very orange, sweet flesh.

Turks Cap — red, orange, green and white stripes. A French squash with very thick flesh.

Rouge Vif D' Etampes — flat and ribbed that dates back to Paris in the 1800s. Good for pies or baked with butter.

Golden Delicious — not the apple, the squash! Teardrop shape and weighs 7-9 pounds.

Dickinson — round or elongated and can weigh 40 pounds. Tan skin and sweet flesh.

Tennessee Sweet Potato — flesh is pale yellow and slightly sweet for pies or baking.

Chinese Miniature White — Small four inch white pumpkins that can be baked and scooped out.

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New ESPN reality game show has Michigan roots

Eight strangers in two teams Ten wacky sports tasks And a 30-day cross-country race

If you're thinking TV reality game show, you're right But don't assume the contestants all are jocks or diehard sports fans, says former Birmingham resident Neil Mandt, creator and co-producer of *Beg, Borrow & Deal,* a new hour-long reality game show that premiered Tuesday on ESPN

"They all did it for the adventure Only one is a big sports fan,' Mandt described the game's eight players 'We did a variety of auditions in LA and Chicago and Philly, an open casting call You have to be friendly, out-going and a genuinely warm person

"You need to rely on strangers you'll never make it in this game if you rely on friends and family"

Mandt knows a bit about adventure and the kindness of strangers

The film director (*Hijacking Hollywood*) and television producer has backpacked extensively in Africa and Europe and once while in Spain, was a passenger on a train that "broke down in the middle of nowhere"

"There was a local guy who gave me and a few others a ride where we needed to go — six hours away," Mandt said 'We had no money to give him '

MANDT'S ADVENTURE

Beg, Borrow & Deal is a bit like Mandt's adventure *The players — four* on each team — started the game in New York City last April 29

With nothing more than the clothing on their backs, they had to complete 10 of 40 required sports tasks and make their way to Alcatraz Island off the California coast within 30 days

The game rules prohibited players from handling money or credit cards, but allowed them to ask strangers, family and friends for temporary help They also had to convince major sports teams, venues and media to help them complete their sports tasks

'The game is hard because it's so deceptive,' said Cobi team member, Josh Gates, during the first show "Sure, it's hard to get these tasks accomplished It's really difficult to find sports celebrities who are willing to do these crazy things with us But it's just as hard to get a sandwich '

During the first episode, team members convinced strangers to lend cell phones, give them subway tokens, car rides, a hotel room and pay for food Gate's team also talked their way into Giants Stadium to catch 35-yard passes from player Jesse Palmer and convinced an Olympic medalist to pose for photos — two of the required sports challenges

A camera crew captured every move

Although the cameras might have influenced a few passersby to help team members — especially if they wanted a few seconds of fame on a television game show — they were 'more of a negative than a positive," Mandt noted

"Consider this, it's post 9-11 (tragedy) and you're a security guard and someone tries to talk their way in And you're being videotaped You're not going to let them in "

During the premiere episode, a guard *ejected one team from a major sports* arena and several hotel managers turned the penniless players away

STAY TUNED

By the end of the first episode — which covered two game days — one team had finished two sports tasks and the other was still trying

Mandt suspects *Beg, Borrow & Deal* will appeal to both sports fans — who will watch for the athletic challenges — and non-fans who are interested in the players, their personalities and ability to work as a team

"There is no question the show not only appeals to the sports fan, but more important than ever, he can say to his girlfriend or wife, hey let's watch this together,' Mandt said

Both Mandt and his brother enjoy watching sports and have worked for ESPN

Michael Mandt was a production assistant on ESPN s SportsCenter before becoming a free lance sports television producer for NBC Sports, ABC Sports, TNT, USA network, NBA Entertainment and Major League Baseball He has been a part of three Olympics and has earned two Emmy Awards and a Cable Ace Award for his work

Neil Mandt moved to Los Angeles after a stint as an entertainment reporter for WDIV in Detroit He worked as a free-lance producer and reporter for a variety of projects, including CBS News investigative reports, the O J Simpson trial and the British show, *The Big Breakfast* He left television to write and produce *Hollywood Hijacking*, a feature film, in 1995 and produced and directed a 14-episode DVD series, *Frontier Martial Arts Wrestling* in 2000 He pitched the idea for *Beg, Borrow & Deal* to ESPN in the spring of 2001

'I had this idea for a show I set up a meeting (with ESPN) and they jumped on board This was going to be a big move for them, an expensive move and a creative move that they hadn't done before, Mandt said He suggested bringing his brother on board and "they loved the idea.'

Mandt produces the show from Los Angeles His brother has accompanied a crew on the road and is in post production

We're still editing *There's six months* of 350 hours of tape We're cutting it down to eight episodes

They're also casting for new players for the next game, tentatively set for summer 2003

It's definitely going to be more difficult We ll have even more restrictions on the assistance they can get It's going to be hard'

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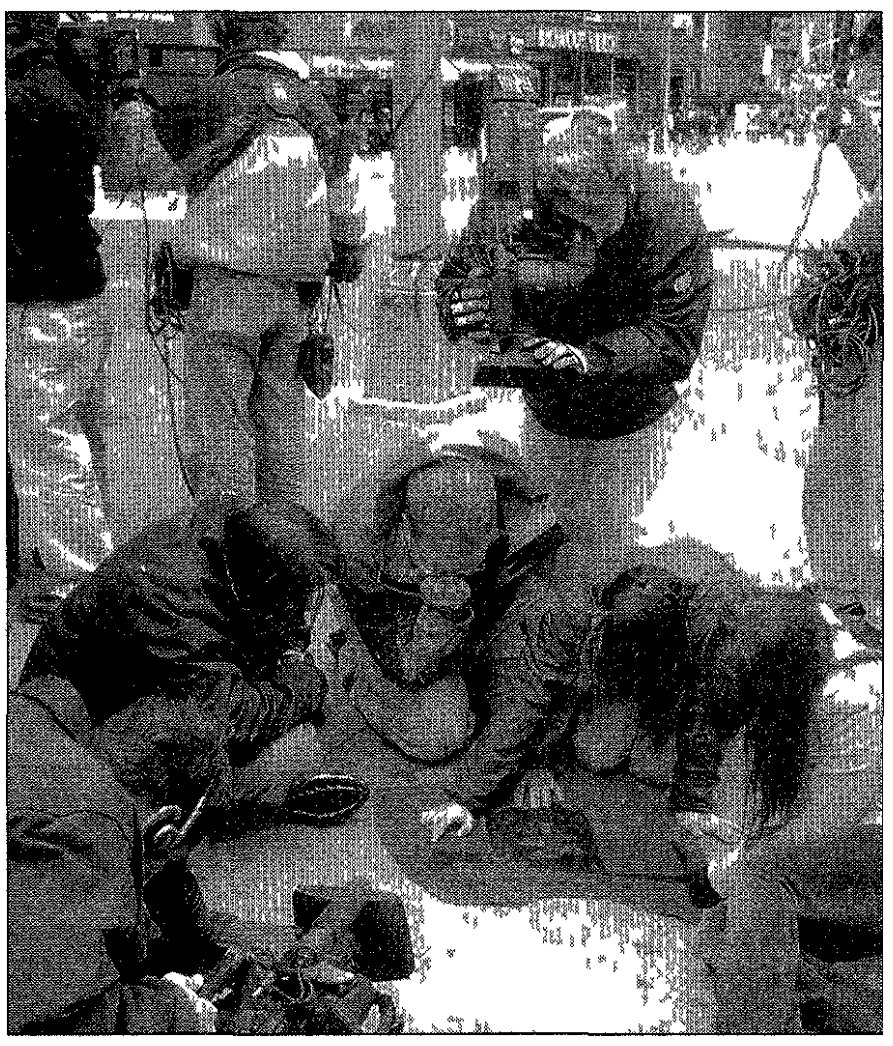

Camera crews catch one of two teams on the new ESPN reality game show Beg Borrow and Deal, in deep thought as they figure out their next move

Michael Mandt (left) and Neil Mandt (right) pose with Rich Eisen the host of their ESPN show, *Beg, Borrow and Deal* The Mandt brothers grew up in Birmingham

BEG, BORROW & DEAL

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Focus On Photography

Monte Nagler

For example, a 100mm lens produces an image exactly twice that of a normal lens A 400mm lens gives you an image size eight times your normal lens

As the lens lengthens, some interesting things happen The lens' angle of view becomes narrower and the depth-of-field becomes shallower A narrow angle of view enables you to isolate a detail in a distant building or eliminate a cluttered foreground A shallow depth-of-field is great for blurring distracting backgrounds so that attention is directed towards your subject such as an outdoor portrait

By far, the most useful telephoto lenses are those with medium focal lengths between 85mm and 200mm Because they minimize facial distortion and allow a comfortable distance between photographer and subject, medium telephotos are ideally suited for portraits In addition, they are perfect for many other situations in which you have to keep a moderate distance from your subject such as candid street shots or animals at the zoo

Telephoto lenses of 300mm or longer are usually for specialized demands and would be too powerful for ordinary usage However, if you have a keen interest in wildlife photography or prefer huge suns in your sunset shots, then these and longer lenses may be for you For the occasional 'long reach', a tele-extender combined with your telephoto will work just fine

Remember, because the magnification of telephoto lenses accentuates the effect of camera movement, faster shutter speeds are required

To obtain a sharp picture, the rule of thumb is to use a shutter speed closest to the focal length of the lens

For a 135mm lens, handhold at no slower than 1/125 second With a 200mm lens, you should be at 1/250 second If slower shutter speeds are needed because of low light or small aperture requirements, better get out your tripod

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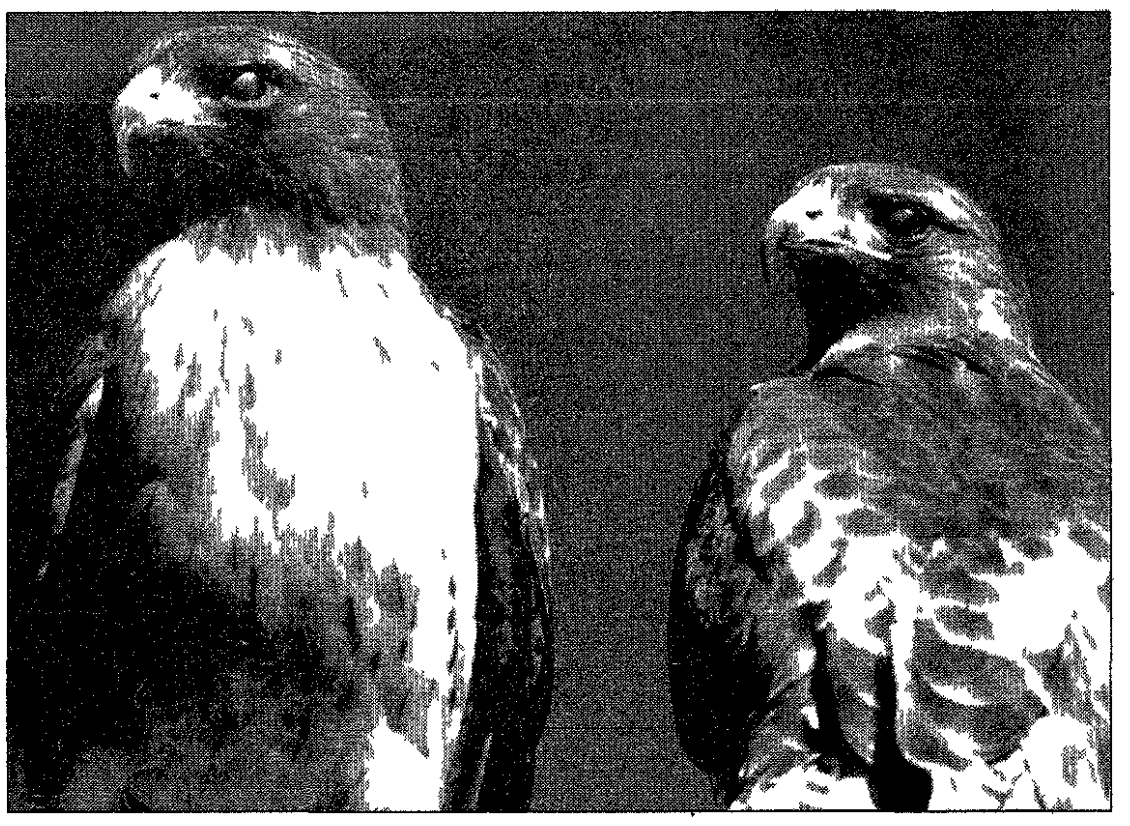

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CRAFT CALENDAR

Wayne County

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St. Aidan Parish Fall show The Livonia parish is looking for crafters for its 19th annual craft show 9 30 a m 3 30 p m Saturday Oct 19th For more information or an application call (248) 477 8942 or (734) 427 1457

Delta Kappa Gamma Show Crafters need for 16th annual juried show at West Middle School in Plymouth 9 a m to 4 p m Saturday Oct 19 Call Terri (734) 416 6165

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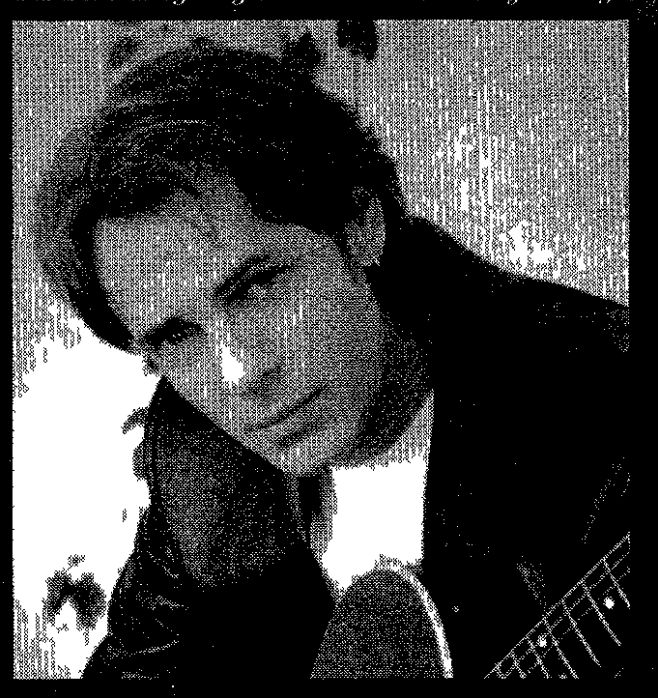

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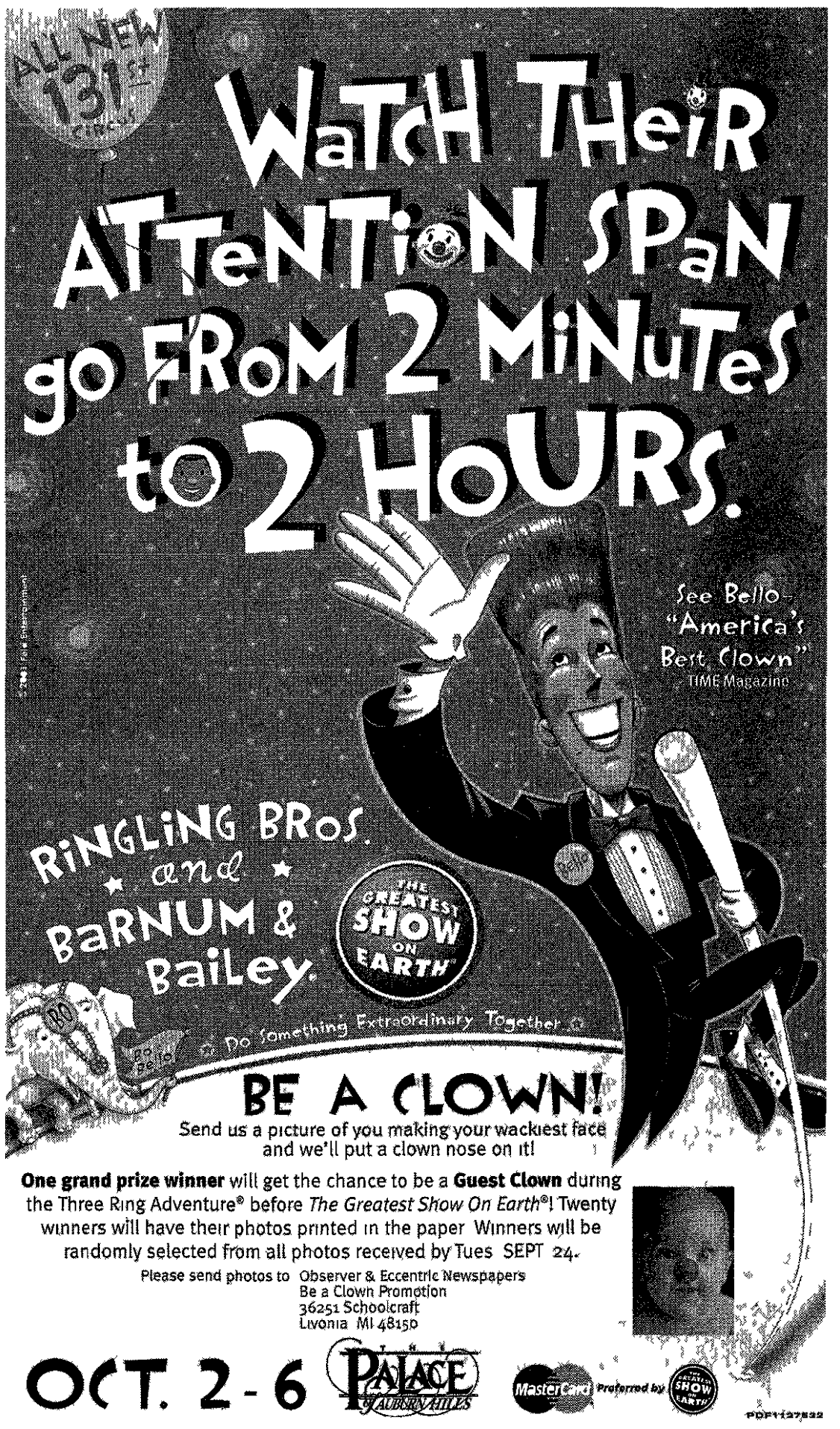

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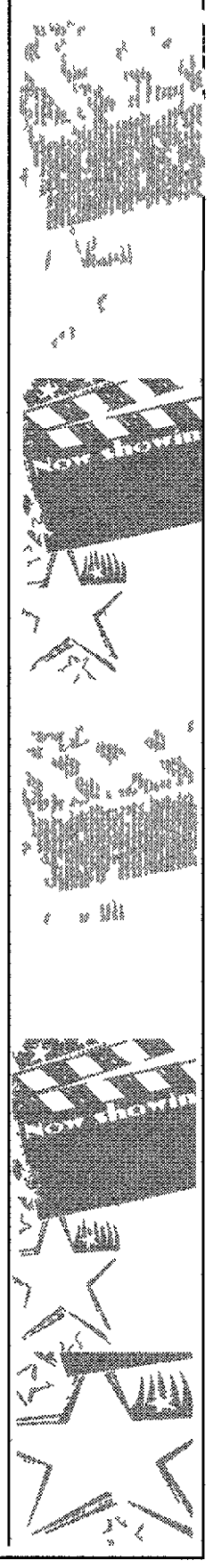

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WHERE CAN I FIND?

Through reader feedback this interac tive feature is dedicated to helping readers locate retail merchandise that s difficult to find If you have a request or information about where a product s sold or service is available call (248) 901 2555 and leave a message with your name and phone number Please be patient about your requests and feed back we receive an overwhelming number of phone calls Also please spell any uncommon items If you don t see information about your request we couldn t find it Requests are published twice

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– A store that sells **under the-cabinet lights** that are battery operated for Jim
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A store that sells the **movie video Greystone Lord of the Apes** for Susan of Redford
– A store that sells **Mace** (pepper spray with tear gas)
– A store that sells **Ivory soap moisture care skin conditioning bath soap** in the fresh scent for Irene
– A store that sells an **electric sweater shaver** for Linda of Farmington Hills
– Someone who can make a **copy of a home video** into a videocassette to be played on a European (Holland) VCR for Margaret
– A store that sells an **adult size bean bag chair** for Barb
– Information on how to obtain a **Jane Seymour clothing catalog**
– A store that sells a bag of **Kraft caramels** for Kathy
A store that sells a **five-inch cloth doll, Sleepy Baby** for Denise
– Someone who does **appraisals for a house** (for an estate to be sold between family members) for Kelly of Bloomfield
A store that sells **Primatene inhaler** for asthma for Bill of Dearborn
A store that sells **clip on round button earrings** in pearl or black no trim in a medium size for Helen of Troy

– Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

AT THE GALLERIES

Making contact Please submit items for publication in At the galleries to Linda Chomin two weeks in advance of the event Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Livonia MI 48150 or fax (734) 591 7279

CALL FOR ARTISTS

Canton Project Arts
Seeking artists for its 10th annual Fine Arts Exhibition to be held Oct 5 11 at Summit on the Park in Canton The juror is Nancy Thayer a faculty member at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and College for Creative Studies Detroit The arts council is also still looking for volunteers to help with the show and with various projects throughout the year For more information call (734) 394 5193

Creative Arts Center
Seeking artists for its Hispanic Awareness Month Exhibit Sept 21 to Nov 2 artists must be of Hispanic Chicano or Latino heritage show juror is Nora Mendoza artists should submit at least three slides but not more than nine there is a $15 appli cation fee For more information call Carol at the arts center (248) 333 7849

Sharing the Gift
Looking for artists for the 10th annu al juried fine arts show and sale The multi media exhibit will be held Oct 5 11 at First Presbyter an Church in Northville The juror is Leslie Masters Awards and prizes totaling more than $1000 will be presented Deadline for entry is Friday Sept 20 For an appli cation call (248) 349 0911 For more information call Judy Kohl at (248) 348 2678

LECTURES

Oakland Community College
Selected Sculptures of Sergio De Giusti a lecture and slide presenta tion by the Redford sculptor De Giusti will discuss his work and the major public works he s created including his latest project in Detroit *The Michigan Labor Legacy Monument* 10 a m Wednesday Oct 16 in Room 303 Building J on cam pus Orchard Lake Road and I 696 Farmington Hills (248) 522 3518

FESTIVALS/SHOWS

Art in the Park
Closes out the summer fair season with 170 artists Saturday Sunday Sept 21 22 in Shain Park north of Merrill east of Bates Proceeds bene fit Common Ground Call (248) 456 8150

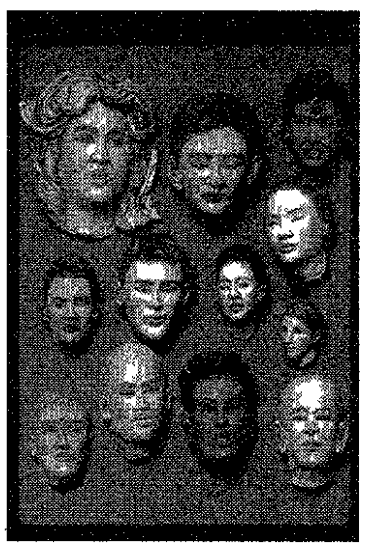
Crafts & Cider Festival
The 29th annual fundraiser for the Clarkston Community Historical Society spotlights 100 exhibitors 10 a m to 6 p m Saturday Sept 21 and 10 a m to 4 p m Sunday Sept 22 In Depot Park one block west of Main on Depot Clarkston (248) 625 2499

OPEN HOUSE

Pioneer Building
Tour the building at 2679 East Grand Boulevard (just east of I 75) in Detroit and meet an eclectic group of 22 artists who occupy its studios and work spaces Admission is free and much of the artwork on display will be for sale Painters sculptors print makers and photographers work in the 1914 former factory which was converted to artists studios in the mid 1990s The open house runs 2 8 p m Saturday Oct 5 (313) 371 6522

GALLERY EXHIBITS (OPENING)

Danielle Peleg Gallery
Opening reception for *Red* a show by abstract expressionist painter Rodney Denne is 6 9 p m Friday Oct 11 at the gallery 4301 Orchard Lake Road suite 145 West Bloomfield The exhibit runs through Nov 1 (248) 626 5810



This clay and encaustic work by Judy Moonelis is one of the works in "New Faces,' a group exhibition at Robert Kidd Gallery in Birmingham The show continues to Oct 5

Henry Ford Community College
Opening reception for Faculty Exhibit II 6 8 p m Wednesday Oct 23 Exhibit 1 continues through Oct 11 II contin ues through Nov 29 Both at the S sson Gallery 5101 Evergreen Dearborn (313) 845 6485

Washington Street Gallery
Kate Roesch s recent paintings on exhibit Oct 1 Nov 2 at the gallery 215 E Washington Ann Arbor Opening reception for Dreams and Interruptions is 7 9 p m Friday Oct 4

xhedos Cafe
Opening reception for *Images of NYC* by Elayne Gross and Maurine Sillman 4 7 p m Sunday Sept 29 in the cafe at 240 West Nine Mile Ferndale Photographic exhibit runs through Nov 2 (248) 399 3946

GALLERY EXHIBITS (ON-GOING)

Ann Arbor Art Center
Mail Art Adventures in Postal Modernism features more than 700 pieces of postcard art by artists of all ages from kindergartners to senior citizens continues to Oct 6 117 West Liberty (734) 99408004

Artspace Exhibits
Marlborough Graphics on display to Monday Oct 21 at 303 East Maple Birmingham (248) 258 1540

Batista Gallery
The former Anderson Gallery pres ents work by Christine McCauley and Marilyn Schecter through Sept 28 McCauley does encaustic painting Schecter collage 155 South Bates and Martin Birmingham (248) 593 6892

Farmington Hills City Gallery
Still life exhibit by May Ying Lee con tinues to Oct 1 Costick Center 28600 West 11 Mile (248) 473 1856

Habatat Galleries
Miriam DiFiore and Shin ichi & Kimiake Higuchi exhibit new work through Sept 28 in the new loca tion 202 East Maple east of Old Woodward Birmingham (248) 203 9900

Hermitage Gallery
19th century paintings contemporary art and copies of the masters 235 Main Street between Second and Third in Rochester (248) 656 8559

Lemberg Gallery
Susan Goethel Campbell s new works on exhibit through Saturday Oct 19 gallery talk 7 p m Wednesday Oct 9 23241 Woodward Ferndale (248) 591 6623

Robert Kidd Gallery
New Faces a group exhibition featur ing more than 40 artists who are rel atively new to the metro Detroit area continues to Oct 5 in Birmingham (248) 642 3909

Lawrence St Gallery
Laura Whitesides Host of Birmingham Kris Azelis Lamb West Bloomfield and Saundra Weed Westland exhib t their work through Sept 28 6 North Saginaw Pontiac (248) 334 6716

Livonia Arts Commission
Presents its 5th annual Fine Arts exhibit featuring 51 artists through Sept 28 in the Fine Arts Gallery at the Livonia Civic Center Library 32777 Five Mile east of Farmington Road Colored Pencil Society exhibits through Sept 27 in the lobby of Livonia City Hall 33000 Civic Center Drive east of Farmington Road (734) 466 2490

Maniscalco Gallery
Abstract paintings by Mark Wolak continues to Nov 9 17728 Mack Grosse Pointe (313) 886 2993

Meadow Brook Art Gallery
Minimall an exhibition by Peter Snadden continues to Oct 6 artist s gallery talk 5 p m Tuesday Sept 10 208 Wilson Hall on the campus of Oakland University Rochester (248) 370 3005

Revolution Gallery
Wish You Were Here an exhibit inspired by music from *Postcards* by Bright Sheng includes works by Marsha Cottrell Maya Lin David Shaw Anne Wilson Jae Won Lee Jim Melchert and Robert Turner and *The Sun* a d splay of works by Rebecca Quaytman through Saturday Oct 19 23257 Woodward Ferndale (248) 541 3444

Sybaris Gallery
Identity an exhibit of sculpture and jewelry by Harriete Estel Berman to Oct 12 artist reception 6 8 p m Friday Sept 20 202 East Third Royal Oak (248) 544 3388

York Street Glassworks
Don Schneider shows a variety of his works 875 York Street in Plymouth s Old Village (734) 459 6419

JUST FOR KIDS

Creative Arts Center
Beginning Sept 28 classes for chil dren include pre school art and movement ceramics beginning and advanced cartooning classes for teens and adults include beginning and advance blues guitar taught by WDET s Robert Jones movement act ing and stage combat ceramics black and white photography cre ative writing scholarships available with documented financial need 47 Williams Pontiac (248) 333 7849

Farmington Hills Cultural Arts
Lighthouses and Legends is sure to be a popular with kids (ages 5 11

Find golden sand, mountainous terrain in Portuguese islands

BY JUDY BERNE
CORRESPONDENT

On a recent cruise, we visited Portugal s two inhabited Madeira islands situated off the coast of Morocco Madeira and Porto Santo, separated by about 30 miles, are a contrast in topography, size and ambiance

Porto Santo, flanked by small volcanic peaks, is primarily the color of ochre — receiving very little rain The orange-tiled roofs that I remembered from a previous visit to Portugal add to the island s golden glow Porto Santo means Holy Port It's much smaller than the main island of Madeira

It s also much more low-key, receiving a lot fewer tourists although its wide, soft golden sand beaches extend for about five miles

Our cruise material included this description Remote Porto Santo still offers visitors an air of tranquillity and a look at an unhurried way of life, where stress has not yet had its effect On the other hand, one must keep in mind that tourist facilities are not of the same high standard as on the sister island, Madeira '

The word, I think, is unspoiled

Yes, there are a few souvenir shops, but they are small and also sell items for the general population

You can see the sights of Porto Santo in a couple of hours Its main town and capital of Vila Baleira boasts a few interesting churches, Christopher Columbus home that he shared with his wife until she died and he went on to discover the New World, and the island s fort Pico de Castelo, built in the 16th century to deter attacks by pirates

Columbus home appears in keeping with his job selling sugar and sugar cane between the Madeira Archipelago and Lisbon A museum that has been added shows some later portraits of him as well as the routes of his four journeys and small replicas of the ship on which he sailed

MADEIRA FACTS

Where: The Madeira Islands Portugal
When to go: Year-round
Population: Madeira Island, 280 000 Porto Santo 5 000

Columbus' home appears in keeping with his job selling sugar and sugar cane between the Madeira.

I loved the small church across the street with its latticework of fresh flowers behind the main altar On the day we visited, workers were twisting strands of sweet smelling evergreen around its encircling fence posts in preparation for a festival

Porto Santo souvenirs are mainly of straw, shells and, of course, tiles Shopkeepers are unhurried so be prepared to have them get to you at their convenience

The larger island of Madeira is verdantly green, mountainous and relatively beach-less by comparison Ilha da Madeira means the island of wood

I had been to Funchal, its capital, on a previous trip to Portugal I did not mind returning,

This time, approaching from the sea and anchoring at the port of Funchal, we missed seeing the terraces of fertile fields that generations of farmers have etched from the island s steep, irregular terrain

On my last trip I had engaged in the two activities for which the island is duly famous

One is staying at the famous, slightly stuffy, Reid s Hotel, which has a memorable swimming pool built into the rocky coast on which it sits The other is riding in a wicker sofa-style toboggan, pulled by two young men in white flannels and boaters from the hillside city of Monte back down into Funchal

This time we spent our day in port wandering Funchal s steep cobbled streets We visited its 15th Century Manuelinestyle cathedral, enjoyed the pattern of black and white stones that quilts its main square, and had lunch at an outdoor cafe, near the prominent statue of Joao Goncalves Zarco, who co-discovered and named the islands

We also made our way to a highlight of our previous visit the "Workers Market'

Think the largest covered farmer's market you can imagine filled with produce and flowers, then a second large room devoted to scaling and filleting fish, and a balcony featuring still more offerings On the edges of the market proper, handicrafts are just a bargain away

Low-key Porto Santo dresses up for a religious festival

The line from the song, introduced years back by Flanders and Swann, goes "Have some madeira my dear, it s really much nicer than beer ' That may or may not be true, depending on your taste An expert on Portuguese wines told us, port has it all over madeira wine Unfortunately, that was after we had already purchased two bottles of madeira in tidy wicker holders as gifts

Madeira also is renown for its embroidery It is magnificent but pricey Although smaller, more reasonable samples were available at the market and at a nearby embroidery factory, the dining room tablecloth that caught my eye at a private shop was marked more than $4,000 I was happy, and my husband even happier, when it turned out the store was closing for siesta and there wasn't time for further consideration

The island of Madeira is enjoyable, but the British influence sometimes threatens to overtake the Portuguese Reid's Hotel, the toboggan run, and the cottage industries of embroidery and wicker, were all introduced by the English Santo Porto is more representative of the mainland

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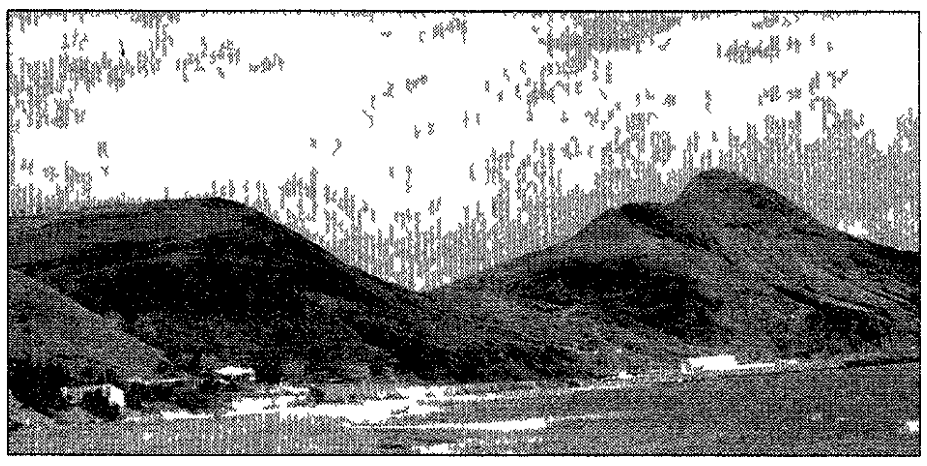

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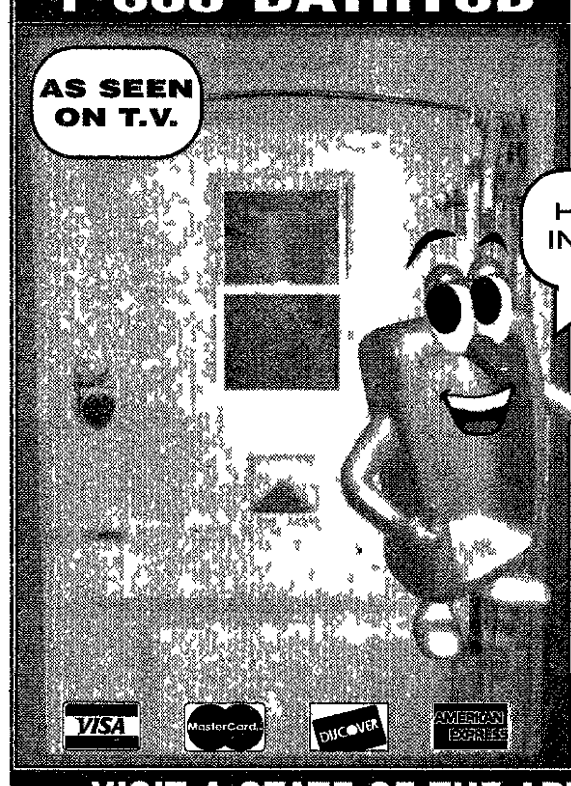

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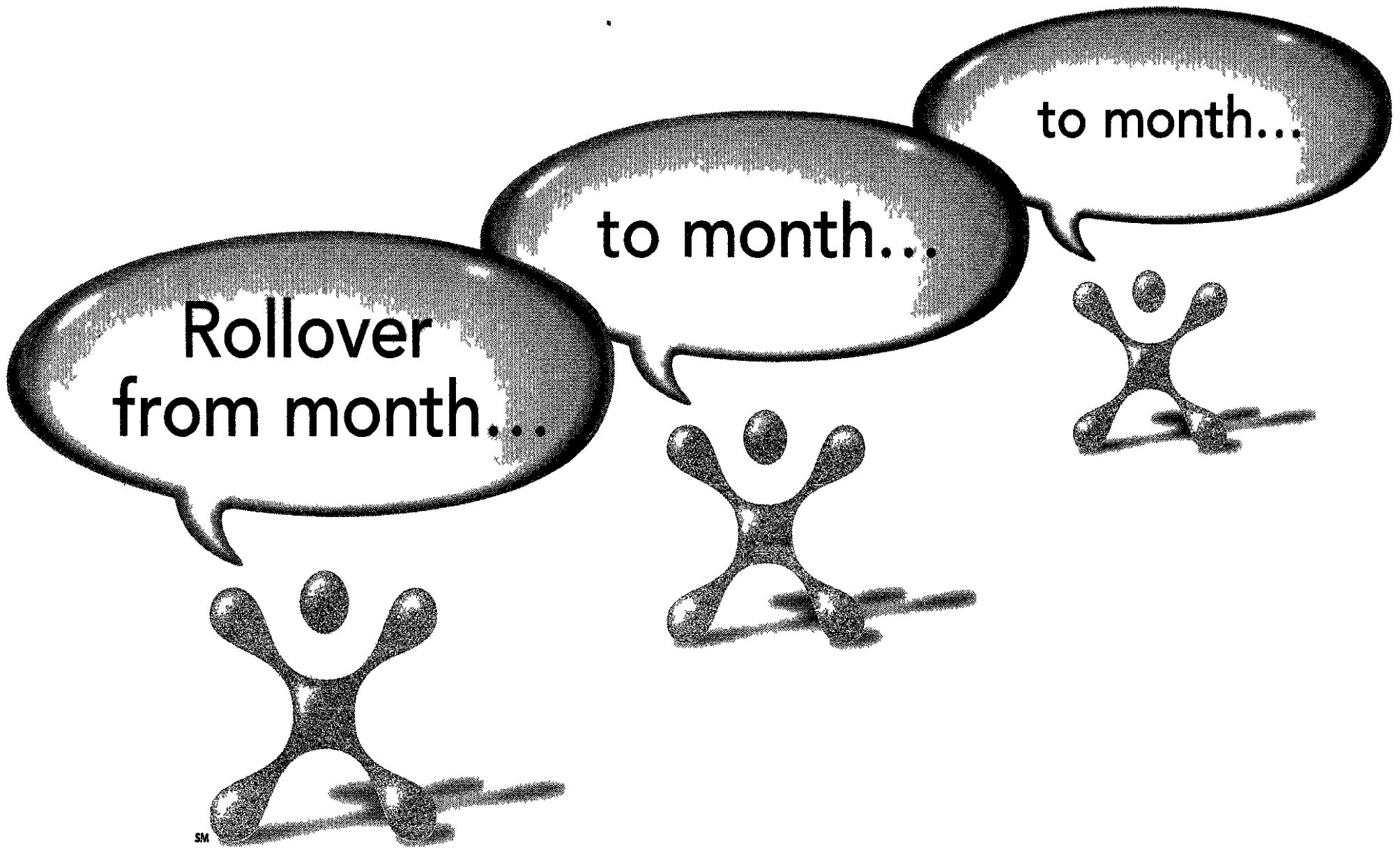

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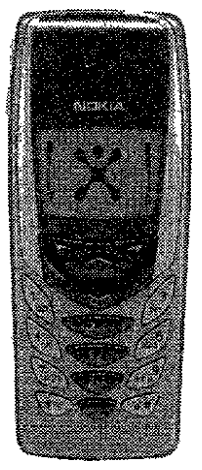

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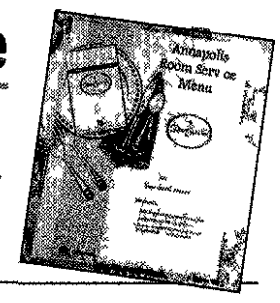

Highlights

Player of Week

Allison Mills a sophomore midfielder for Albion College and a Canton HS graduate was named the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association s offensive soccer player of the week after scor ing three goals and assisting on another in the Britons 5 0 win over Heidelberg

The win gave Albion a 4 1 overall record For the season Mills leads the Brits with five goals and an assist (11 points)

Also Ashley Rosaen a freshman midfielder for Albion from Canton scored her first career goal in the victory The Albion men s team won its second straight match giving it a 2 3 record beating Manchester College 3 1 Sept 11 Marcus Boynton scored twice in the victory with Erik Durance – a fresh man defender from Canton – assisting on Boynton s second goal

Soccer champs

Two out of three ain t bad

Which is what the Our Lady of Good Counsel soccer teams accomplished at the St Alfred s Kick Off Classic in Taylor Aug 24 26 The girls varsity and the boys junior varsity each won titles

The girls varsity beat St Francis Cabrini 1 0 in an over time shootout to win the championship Laura Guina and Christina McAuliffe scored for Good Counsel in the shootout and keeper Katie Childs turned back one of two penalty kicks from St Francis to clinch the win

The OLGC girls reached the final by beating St Alfred 5 0 and St Pius 2 0 Childs was named the girls varsity tour nament s most valuable play er for her performance in goal and Natalie Maurer was named team all star by opposing coaches and refer ees while eight other team members received all star votes Other team members are Annie Clemente Shannon Corby Amy Doenitz Ellen Gwozdek Kelly Hodges Rachel Killian Elizabeth Kirchmer Amanda Leon Kathryn Lorenz Sarah McKay Katie Rosinski Megan Shmyr Erica Straub and Alina Villarreal The head coach is Mike Clemente assistant coaches are Patty Corby and Mark Kirchmer

The OLGC junior varsity boys defeated Our Lady of Sorrows 2 0 in their champi onship match with Sam Waxer and Zorian Sasyk scor ing the goals Waxer was selected as the boys junior varsity MVP while Zorian was voted as the team s all star

The OLGC team advanced with victories over St Francis Cabrini 6 0 and St Alfred 4 0

Other team members are Paul Aninos Guy Bellemare Chris Cieniuch Michael Falvey Brad Hartland Matt Keast Andrew Killian Patrick Killian Patrick Reidy Ryan Sartorius Alex Sasyk Nick Scopone Jon Seifert John Stallings Zac Tripp Sam Villarreal Greg Wainwright and Stephen Werner The head coach is Mark Seifert Steve Reidy is the assistant coach

The varsity boys lost to Our Lady of Sorrows 2 1 in their first game The team bounced back the next day to beat St Anslem, 3 1 Philip McKay was voted the team s All Star

Late free throw ruins PCA's comeback

BASKETBALL

It was there for the taking All Plymouth Christian Academy had to do was keep host Southfield Christian from inbounding the ball and scoring for a 1 6-second span

But fate, nor the officiating, was kind to PCA

Anna Jones, a 6-foot sophomore center, was fouled on the inbounds pass and, with no time on the clock, sank the second of two free throws to tie the game at 38-all With three starters having fouled out and a fourth out with an injury, PCA was no match for Southfield Christian in overtime, eventually losing 46-38 Friday

The defeat left PCA at 1-4 overall, 0-1 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference Southfield Christian is 3-4 overall, 1-0 in the conference

"We overcame a lot of odds, said PCA coach Annie Malcolm 'I'm really proud of their effort

Indeed, PCA was trailing 31-21 after three quarters and, with 2 30 left to play, were still down by seven But three-pointers by Amanda Saagman and Melanie Brady, followed by a two-pointer by Brady that gave PCA a 38-37 lead with just three seconds left

After two timeouts, Jones was at the line for her tying free throw For the game, Southfield Christian was 9 of-23 from the line, PCA was 1-of-6

Brady had a strong game nonetheless, scoring 13 points and grabbing 12 rebounds Saagman finished with 10 points, and Laura Guilfoyle had 11 boards

Southfield Christian got 15 points from Kimani Williams and 11 points from Amy McDowell

Agape 42, A.P. Inter-City 23: In a

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Grid games cancelled

Poor weather conditions, including heavy rains, lightning and a tornado watch, led to the postponement of the Livonia Stevenson-at-Salem and Canton-at-Walled Lake Western football games Friday night

Both games were rescheduled for yesterday, the Stevenson-Salem game scheduled for 4 p m at Salem and the Canton-Walled Lake Western game for 7 30 p m at Western Many games in the Wayne and Oakland County areas were cancelled, including the Livonia Churchill-Westland John Glenn, Redford Union-Robichaud and Garden City-Dearborn Fordson

"It was very, very weird," was how Salem coach Bob Cummings described his being home on a Friday night in September

Results of Saturday's games will appear in Thursday's Observer

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Chad LaRose attended the Red Wings camp, but he'll be back in action for the Whalers this season LaRose was their leading goal-scorer last year with 32

Whalers seek to return to the elite

BY C J RISAK
STAFF WRITER

The pressure is off And that's good

At least that's how Mike Vellucci, in his second season as the Plymouth Whalers' coach/general manager, sees it Last year, the Whalers were everyone's pick to make another run at the Ontario Hockey League title and the accompanying berth in the Memorial Cup Tournament

And why not? They had guys like Stephen Weiss, Damian Surma, Kris Vernarsky, Brad Yeo and Greg Campbell Each of them scored at least 46 points And they had Jason Bacashihua, considered the league's best goalie, he posted a 2 34 goals-against average with five shutouts

But expectations were so monumental that anything less than an OHL title would be considered a dis-

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Wisniewski plans to return early to Whaler lineup

BY C J RISAK
STAFF WRITER

There was a three-month stretch of James Wisniewski's young life that was, to say the least, challenging

April, May, June, 2002 In that span, Wisniewski saw his Plymouth Whalers' hockey team go from a favorite for the Ontario Hockey League Championship to a first-round casualty, easily the biggest upset of the OHL Playoffs

Following that he joined the U S under-18 team that traveled to Slovakia for the World Junior Tournament, a team that ultimately won the gold medal But he didn't make it through the entire tournament, Wisniewski suffered a knee injury that required surgery

The ramifications were serious His NHL draft status — he had been rated as a possible first-round pick — was damaged, he was eventually taken by the Chicago Blackhawks in the fifth round

He also missed his senior season of baseball at Canton HS And he hobbled through his graduation on crutches

Wisniewski's status with the Whalers was also uncertain According to early projections, it would require six months of rehabilitation, which meant he wouldn't return until November

Last Wednesday, as the Whalers were preparing for their season-opener against Erie, Wisniewski was preparing for something that was just as inspiring

"Today's my first real practice, he said "I am so excited"

His rehab has gone extremely well, so well that he was on the ice for his first team practice session of the season already, so well that he could be playing by mid-October And that's something he wants, badly

The first-round elimination last spring left a bitter taste with the Whalers But with so many players having graduated to other levels of hockey, the responsibility to make sure the memory is maintained falls to those who remain

Including Wisniewski He's no longer the young phenom, whose rookie season as a Whaler was so promising and his improvement continued last season, when he collected 11 goals and 25 assists (36 points)

Now he's counted on to be a team leader And he's looking forward to it

"This is what I've been waiting for," he said "I want to be a go-to guy"

He certainly approached his rehab stint with determination, and its paid dividends — not just because he'll hit the ice early, but he'll be bigger and stronger, too

Wisniewski entered the OHL at 187 pounds He played last year at 197, now he's 207, most of the weight gain due to upper-body workouts

"Actually, when I've been shooting my hands felt better than they have in five years," he said "It's probably

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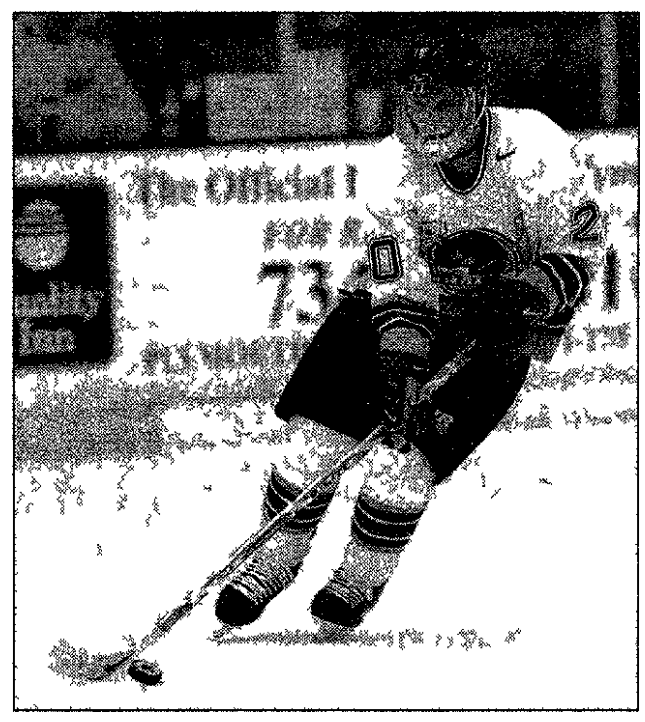

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James Wisniewski, a Canton HS graduate, is one of the Whalers best defensemen He netted 11 goals last season

2nd-half goal surge boosts Northville past Canton

SOCCER

Canton got on the board first, but it only took Northville a six-minute stretch of the second half to take command and, ultimately, get a 2-1 win Wednesday in a Western Lakes Activities Association soccer match at Canton

The loss left the Chiefs at 4-4-2 overall, but more importantly, it came in their first WLAA Western Division game It gives Northville a major advantage in obtaining the division title and a berth in the WLAA championship match

"We came out a little flat (in the second half) and they jumped all over us," said Canton coach Don Smith "We played well, we just came up a little flat for a two-minute span"

The Chiefs scored in the first half when David Mintz knocked in a rebound of a Dutch Morrell shot The Mustangs got after Canton quickly in the first half, allowing them to score twice in the first six minutes

James Hannah scored both, the first on a rebound and the second after dribbling through most of the Canton defense Alfonzo Ah Auvaydough assisted on the first, Ben Sherman got the assist on the second

Canton was further hampered by the loss of keeper Kris Holowicki just after the first goal Holowicki took a shot to the throat and had to leave the game, he was replaced in goal by Steve Mischung

The Chiefs play at Walled Lake Western Monday and at Westland John Glenn on Wednesday

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S'craft recruit signs with NC-Charlotte

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Marcus Bennett has yet to play of minute of basketball for Schoolcraft College, but the 6-foot-3 guard from Detroit Renaissance High is high on the University of North Carolina-Charlotte's priority list Bennett, who spent a semester at Michigan before transferring to Schoolcraft in January, committed last week to play for the '49ers, a member of Conference USA. He'll sign an NCAA letter of intent in November UNC-Charlotte coach Bobby Lutz scouted Bennett earlier this summer at the Jerry Mullins' JUCO Tournament in Tulsa, Okla "As soon as I got back (from Tulsa) they (UNC-Charlotte) they came up here and were in the gym, it's the best fit for me," said Bennett, who averaged 26 points per game as a senior at Renaissance 'Coach Lutz was honest and upfront It's a good program It's on the rise They've been to the NCAA (tournament) "I also like their style, it's up-tempo You'll get to shoot a lot of shots because they get up and down the floor But their number one thing is defense"

Bennett, who along with teammate Ricky Paulding (Missouri) helped Renaissance to the Detroit Public School League title (2000) as a junior, was a late signee at Michigan He appeared in one exhibition game for the Wolverines before the NCAA ruled he would have to sit out his first season as a partial academic qualifier

"Being at Michigan was a good learning experience for me as far as time management, both on and off the court, and staying on top of the books," Bennett said Bennett, who can play both guard spots, decided in January to move to Schoolcraft and play for the Ocelots, who are coming off 32-4 and 35-1 seasons and two straight trips to the NJCAA Division I Tournament in Hutchinson, Kan He practiced with the team for six weeks

"I watched Marcus all through high school and he played AAU ball for me," Schoolcraft coach Carlos Briggs said "For Marcus and Charlotte, it's a win-win situation for both sides Bobby (Lutz) is a proven coach, and Marcus won at Renaissance and hopefully he'll do the same here ' Bennett will play this season for the Ocelots and have three years of eligibility remaining at UNC-Charlotte

'He's a good system player who should be starting by his junior year if he doesn't start his first year," Briggs said

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battle of once-beaten teams, Canton Agape Christian took control quickly and never relented in bouncing Allen Park Inter-City Baptist Friday at Discovery Middle School

Agape is now 7-1 overall Inter-City is 5-2

A.J Creps provided the difference for the Wolverines, scoring 10 points, making 10 steals and collecting nine rebounds

"Her development as a post player, combined with my daughter, will make a difference,' said Agape coach Chuck Henry

Amy Henry led the Wolverines with 15 points, she also had seven steals Emily Tong added seven points

Diana Brinkman scored 10 points for Inter-City

Agape led 15-8 after one quarter and 23-11 by halftime By the end of three quarters, the Wolverines' lead had grown to 32-17

"We played great defense tonight," said Henry

Salem 32, Wayne Memorial 23: It was, as Salem basketball coach Fred Thomann described it, "A good, workmanlike effort Now we have to concentrate on getting ready for Livonia Stevenson (Tuesday) and Walled Lake Western (Thursday) next week."

The Rocks will play both games at home Western is expected to be among those challenging for the Western Lakes Activities Association title

On Thursday at Wayne Memorial, Salem rode a first-quarter 16-3 start to a 32-23 triumph at Wayne Memorial Stephanie Philips keyed the fast start, nailing 6-of-6 free throws in the opening quarter She finished with a game-high eight points Ellen Canale was next best with seven

The win gave the Rocks a 3-3 overall record They are 1-0 in the WLAA Wayne fell to 1-5 overall, 0-1 in the conference

Salem led 18-6 at the half and 28-14 after three quarters Shannah Jones and Renita Price each scored six points for the Zebras

Canton 50, Northville 39: This time Canton took control quickly and kept it

The Chiefs opened Thursday's WLAA season with a 13-4 opening quarter at Northville and never let up in improving to 5-2 overall, 1-0 in the conference The Mustangs are 0-7 overall, 0-1 in the WLAA.

"We led the entire game," said Canton coach Bob Blohm 'They hung in there but the story of the game was we defended real well and we did a good job on the boards'

Jessica Johnson led the Chiefs in scoring with 16 points Katie Cezat added 14 points and 13 rebounds

Agape is now 7-1 overall. Inter-City is 5-2.

Northville got 13 points from Nicole Cauzillo Canton pushed its lead after the first quarter to 29-17 by halftime After three quarters, it was 36-21

Ladywood 58, Notre Dame Prep 29: Four consistent offensive quarters carried Livonia Ladywood (4-2) to the Catholic League crossover victory Thursday over visiting Pontiac Notre Dame Prep (3-3)

"We had no scoring droughts tonight," said Ladywood coach Andrea Gorski, whose team led 17-8 after one quarter, 28-15 at halftime and 43-19 after three periods

Seniors Lauren Hesano and Ruthie Sventickas each scored 12 points for the victorious Blazers Megan Szczypka chipped in with nine points and five steals

Senior forward Chelsea Grozenski had 10 for the Fighting Irish

Clarenceville 45, Ecorse 23: Sophomore forward Marissa Martin tallied 20 points and pulled down 11 rebounds Thursday as Livonia Clarenceville earned its first win of the season with a victory over Ecorse

Clarenceville is now 1-5 overall, while Ecorse is 0-7

Junior guards Whitney Kubera and Emily Collins added nine and eight points, respectively, for the victorious Trojans, who led 23-9 at halftime before pulling away with a 16-5 third-quarter run

Clarenceville won despite making only five of 24 free throws Ecorse got a team-high nine points from Zamora Davis

Stevenson 41, John Glenn 21: Senior Tracy Taylor led a balanced scoring attack Thursday as Livonia Stevenson (1-5, 1-0) earned its first victory of the season with a Western Lakes Activities Association-Lakes Division triumph against visiting Westland John Glenn (4-3, 0-1)

Taylor finished with 11 points and eight rebounds Sophomore guard Lauren Trosell added nine points and three steals, while senior Nanette Garrison contributed seven points

"We got some offensive rebounds and scored on some putbacks," said Stevenson coach Amy Rozman, whose team led 25-9 at halftime "We also got scoring from different people, which is nice, We used a full-court and half-court press and capitalized on some turnovers"

Jennifer Thauvette, who hit six of six free throws, finished with 10 points The Rockets made only nine of 25 as a team, while Stevenson was one of seven

W.L. Western 48, Churchill 39: On Thursday, host Walled Lake Western (4-3, 1-0) rallied in the final quarter to subdue Livonia Churchill (2-4, 0-1) in a WLAA-Western Division opener for both teams

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Jessica Johnson led Canton with 16 points in a win over Wayne Memorial

Churchill held a 32-30 lead going into the final period before the Warriors stormed back with an 18-7 run

Lauren Talbot led Western with 15 points, including five of six free throws

Robyn Johnson and Kelly Verellen scored 14 and 12, respectively, for the Chargers

"They (Western) made a run in the fourth (quarter) that we couldn't recover from," Churchill coach Rod Windle said "We started off strong and I thought we were going to make a run They responded with some steals and some fastbreak points"

Churchill was 10 of 12 from the free throw line, while Western was 16 of 22

Huron Valley 52, Franklin Road 38: Senior forward Lauren Merian pumped in 30 points Thursday as visiting Westland Huron Valley Lutheran (5-2, 2-0) bounced back from a 21-20 halftime deficit to beat Michigan Independent Athletic Conference foe Novi Franklin Road Christian (1-2, 0-2)

Merian, who had 31 in Tuesday's 60-29 MIAC win over Sterling Heights Bethesda Christian, made all eight free throws and helped spark a 20-5 third-quarter Huron Valley run

Sophomore guard Becky Schultz added 10 points for the Hawks, while freshman forward Brittany Hickman added six points and 10 rebounds

Freshman guard Erica Yost led Franklin Road with 20 points

"Team defense was the big thing tonight," Huron Valley coach Kris Ruth said "In the third quarter we tightened up our defense with a box-and-one Lisa Noel (senior guard) did a great job guarding Yost."

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THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL
Friday Sept. 27
W L Central at Salem 7 p m
Wayne at Churchil 7 30 p m
W L Western at Franklin 7 30 p m
Canton at Stevenson 7 30 p m
John Glenn at Northville 7 30 p m
Luth Westland at Luth East 7 30 p m
Saturday Sept. 28
Clarenceville at Holy Trinity 1 p m
Redford CC at Country Day 7 p m
PREP GIRLS BASKETBALL
Tuesday Sept. 24
Huron Valley at Warren Zoe 6 p m
St Agatha at Clarencevil e 6 30 p m
Oakland Christian vs Agape 7 p m
at Discovery MS
A P Inter City at Ply Christian 7 p m
Luth North at Luth Westland 6 30 p m
Ladywood at Mar an 7 p m
Northville at Churchill 7 p m
W L Western at Franklin 7 p m
Stevenson at Salem 7 p m
W L Central at John Glenn 7 p m
Wayne at Garden City 7 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
Canton at W L Central 7 p m
W L Western at Salem 7 p m
Agape at Hamtramck 7 p m
Huron Valley at St C ement 7 p m
Church l at Stevenson 7 p m
Franklin at Wayne 7 p m
Northville at John Glenn 7 p m
Friday Sept. 27
P y Christian at Roeper 7 30 p m
D vine Child at Ladywood 7 p m
PREP BOYS SOCCER
Monday Sept. 23
Canton at W L Western 7 p m
Clawson at Clarencev lle 5 p m
Stevenson at Wayne 5 30 p m
Church ll at W L Central 7 p m
Franklin at Northville 7 p m
John Glenn at Sa em 7 p m
Tuesday Sept. 24
Roeper at Ply Chr stian 4 30 p.m
Warren Zoe at Huron Valley 4 30 p m
Hamtramck at Clarenceville 4 30 p m
Luth North at Luth Westland 4 30 p m
Redford CC at Troy 7 p m
Wednesday Sept. 25
Canton at John Glenn 5 30 p m
Northville at Churchill 7 p m
W L Western at Franklin 7 p m
W L Central at Stevenson 7 p m
Wayne at Salem 7 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
Greenhil s at Agape 4 30 p m
Luth Westland at Clarencev lle 4 30 p m
Friday Sept. 27
Agape at Ply Christian 4 30 p m
Redford CC at U D Jesuit 4 p m
Bapt st Pa k at Huron Valley 4 30 p m
Churchill at A A Pioneer 5 30 p m
Thu ston at John Glenn 5 30 p m
Saturday Sept 28
Troy at Canton 12 30 p m
PREP BOYS CROSS COUNTRY
Monday Sept. 23
Redford CC vs. H W Notre Dame
at Cass Benton Park 4 15 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
WLAA city meets at Cass Benton 3 45 p m
Saturday Sept. 28
Grosse Ile Invitational 9 30 a m
Sterling Heights Invitational 10 a m
Haslett inv tational 9 30 a m
Centerline Invitational 9 30 a m
Alpena Inv tational 10 a m
PREP GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY
Tuesday Sept. 24
Ladywood Regina Div ne Child
at Stoney Creek Metropark 4 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
WLAA city meets at Cass Benton 4 20 p m
Saturday Sept. 28
Grosse Ile Invitational 9 30 a m
Sterling Heights Stevenson Inv tational TBA
Falcon Inv at Cass Benton 10 a m
Centerline Invitational 10 a m
Alpena Invitational 10 a m
PREP GIRLS SWIMMING
Monday Sept. 23
Ladywood vs N D Prep (EMU) 7 p m
Tuesday Sept. 24
Redford Union at Churchill 7 p m
Franklin at A A Huron 7 p m
Salem at Wayne 7 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
Canton at Northvi le 7 p m
Churchill at W L Western 7 p m
Franklin at W L Centra 7 p m
John Glenn at Stevenson 7 p m
Friday Sept. 27
Western Wayne Inv at Wayne 4 p m
Saturday Sept. 28
Salem Rock Inv tat onal noon
Western Wayne Inv at Wayne 1 p m
PREP BOYS GOLF
Monday Sept 23
Stevenson vs Wayne (Fellows Creek) 2 45 p m
John Glenn vs. Salem (N ville Hills) 2 45 p m
Churchill at W L Central 3 p m
Franki n vs. Northville
at Tanglewood 3 p m
Redford CC vs Warren DeLaSalle
at Gowanie Golf Course 4 p m
Ply Chr stian vs Greenhills
3 45 p m at Hickory Creek
Tuesday Sept. 24
Ply Christian vs Franklin Road Christian
at Glen Oaks 4 p m
Wednesday Sept. 25
Churchill vs Northville
at Whisper ng Willows 2 45 p m
Franklin vs W L Western
at Idyl Wyld 2 45 p m
Stevenson vs W L Central
at Fox Creek 2 45 p m
John Glenn vs Canton
at Fellows Creek 2 45 p m
Wayne vs Salem (N ville Hills) 3 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
Salem vs W L Central
at Edgewood 3 p m
W Wayne Inv at Huron Meadows 9 a m
Redford CC vs D v ne Child
at Dea born Country Club 4 p m
Ply Chr st an vs Greenhills
at Les e Park 4 p m
Friday Sept. 27
John Glenn vs Wayne (Fellows Ck) 2 45 p m
Churchill at W L Western 3 p m
Franklin vs Canton (Hilltop) 3 p m
Stevenson vs Northvi le
at Tanglewood 3 p m
PREP GIRLS TENNIS
Monday Sept. 23
Northv lle at Church l 4 p m
W L Western at Frankl n 4 p m
W L Central at Stevenson 4 p m
Canton at John Glenn 4 p m
Wayne at Salem 4 p m
Wednesday Sept. 25
Salem at W L Centra 4 p m
Divine Child at Clarenceville 4 p m
Churchill at W L Western 4 p m
Franklin at Canton 4 p m
Stevenson at Northv lle 4 p m
John Glenn at Wayne 4 p m
Thursday Sept. 26
Ladywood at Grosse Ile 4 p m
Friday Sept 27
Northv e at Salem 4 p m
Clarencevi e at Redford Un on 4 p m
Canton at Churchill 4 p m
Frank n at John Glenn 4 p m
W L Weste n at Stevenson 4 p m
W L Central at Wayre 4 p m
PREP GIRLS FIELD HOCKEY
Monday Sept. 23
Liggett at Ladywood 4 30 p m
Wednesday Sept. 25
Mercy at Ladywood 4 30 p m
MEN S COLLEGE SOCCER
Wednesday Sept. 25
Madonna at Sp ingf eld 7 p m
Friday Sept 27
Madonna at Bethel (Ind) 4 p m
Saturday Sept 28
Tr ton ( ) at Schoolcraft noon
Madonna at Sp ng Arbor 2 30 p m
WOMEN S COLLEGE SOCCER
Sunday Sept 22
MSU C ub at Schoolcraft noon
Tuesday Sept. 24
Madonna at T ff n (Ohio) 2 p m
Friday Sept 27
Madonna at Sag naw Va ey 4 p m
Saturday Sept 28
Madonna at Spring Arbor noon
Schoolcraft at Genesse (NY) TBA
Sunday Sept 29
Schoolcraft vs Er e (Pa) at Genesse (NY) TBA
WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL
Tuesday Sept 24
Madonna at Cornerstone 7 p m
Henry Fo d at Schoolcraft 7 p m
Wednesday Sept 25
F nt Mott at Schoo craft 7 p m
Thursday Sept 26
Wayne Co at Schoolc aft 7 p m
Saturday Sept. 28
Tr State (nd) at Madonna noon

Steelers' varsity team tames Wildcats, 27-0

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The Plymouth-Canton Steelers varsity football team kept its record perfect with a 27-0 rout of the Ann Arbor Wildcats last Sunday in a Western Suburban Junior Football League game played in Ann Arbor

Mo Saidi, Spencer Tobin and Cameron Falsetti scored offensive touchdowns for the Steelers, who improved to 2-0 The defense did its part on the scoreboard, too, with Deshon McClendon returning an interception for a TD and Paul Kanaan blocking a punt that resulted in a safety

The Steelers junior varsity team evened its record at 1-1 with a 26-0 blanking of the Wildcats last Sunday Dalton Walser led the Steelers with nearly 100 yards rushing and two touchdowns Malik Rich and Chris Mann also rushed for touchdowns

Michael Bashawaty paced a strong defense with seven tackles, together with Nick LaPorte, Kyle Good and Walser

The Steelers freshmen were not as fortunate, suffering a 20-0 loss to the Wildcat freshmen Tyler Rusin and Zach Guy were the Steelers offensive leaders, on defense, Rusin, Justin Gohl, Tony Rhodes, Tyler Goble and Anthony Calles led the way

SWIM RESULTS

WALLED LAKE NORTHERN 78
PLYMOUTH 102
Thursday at Canton

200 yard medley relay Plymouth (Elaine Lafayette Meghan Hagood Kat e Hughes Jill Spangler) 2 14 89
200 freestyle Heather Dine (WLN) 2 31 79 2 Catilina Oprican (P) 2 35 14
200 individual medley 1 Lafayette (P) 2 35 5 2 Spangler (P) 2 54 66
50 freestyle 1 Katie Hughes (P) 28 97
Diving 1 Laura Rowe (P) 131 35 2 Andrea Fleming (P) 108 85
100 butterfly 1 Hughes (P) 1 12 58 2 Caitlin Kolesar (P) 1 32 16
100 freestyle 1 Oprican (P) 1 09 63 2 Hagood (P) 1 12 87
200 freestyle relay 1 Northern (Sarah Wilson Diane R emer Lacy Gulish Heather Dine) 2 11 51
100 backstroke 1 Lafayette (P) 1 09 70
100 breaststroke 1 Gulish (WLN) 1 34 21 2 Hagood (P) 1 34 29
400 freestyle relay Plymouth (Hughes Oprican Lafayette Spangler) 4 26 32

SALEM 131
WALLED LAKE WESTERN 55
Thursday at Salem

200 Yard medley relay Salem (Lisa Gullikson Kelsey Lincoln Ashley Aquinto Danielle Powers) 2 00 58
200 freestyle Jennifer Crabill (S) 2 10 86
200 individual medley Heather Michalsen (S) 2 22 58
50 freestyle Powers (S) 27 21
Diving Marsh (WLW) 223 80 points
100 butterfly Kristen Nevi (S) 1 09 28
100 freestyle Lincoln (S) 58 30
500 freestyle Hadley (WLW) 5 36 97
200 freestyle relay Salem (Lincoln Michalsen Amanda Newman Powers) 1 48 57
100 backstroke Hadley (WLW) 1 06 29
100 breaststroke Kim Heaney (S) 1 19 11
400 freestyle relay Salem (Powers Lincoln Michalsen Newman) 3 56 82
Dual-meet record Salem 2 1 overall 2 0 in the Western Lakes Activities Association

WOODHAVEN 120
LADYWOOD 112
PLYMOUTH 70
Monday at Woodhaven

200 yard medley relay Woodhaven (Dee Connochie Webb Koehlinger) 2 06 62
200 freestyle Sanders (W) 2 21 37
200 individual medley Connochie (W) 2 32 56
50 freestyle Koehlinger (W) 28 60
Diving 1 Strawsine (W) 2 Laura Rowe (P) 104 20 3 Andrea Fleming (P) 89 0
100 butterfly 1 Connochie (W) 1 02 54 (state cut school record) 2 Elaine Lafayette (P) 1 11 12
100 freestyle Katie Hughes (P) 1 03 42
100 backstroke Elaine Lafayette (P) 1 09 10
100 breaststroke Webb (W) 1 21 75

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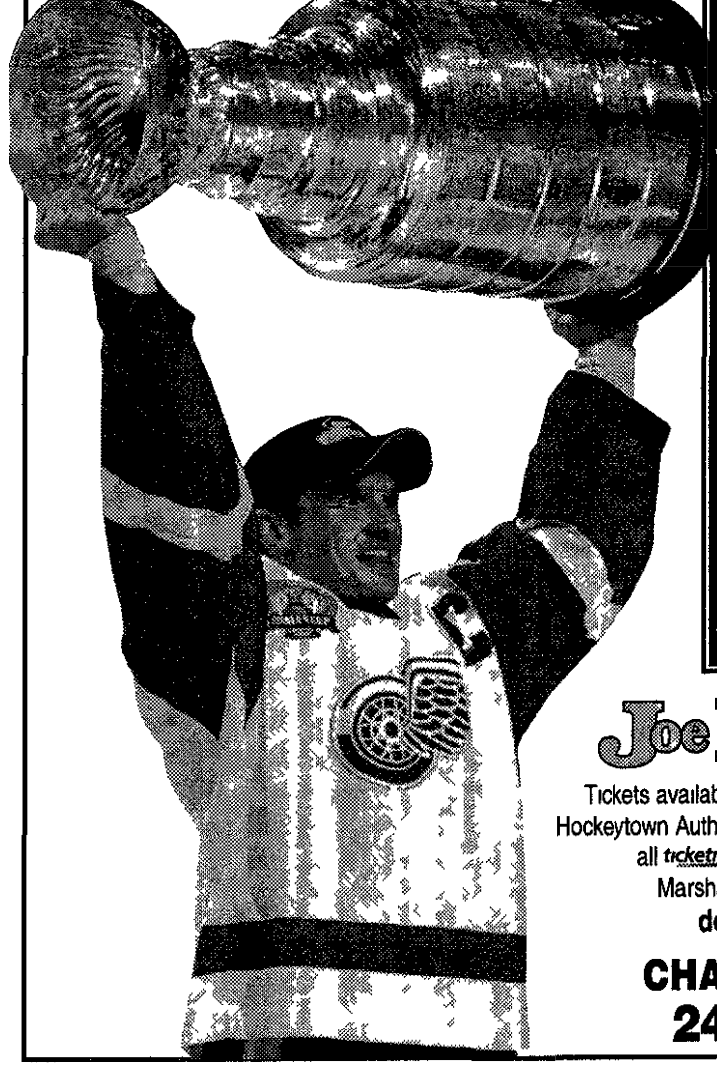

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SPORTS IN BRIEF

CENTRAL TOPS CANTON

It hasn't quite reached the status of a jinx yet, but it s getting there

In his tenure as Canton's golf coach, Tom Alles' teams have never beaten Walled Lake Central at the Vikings' home course, Edgewood Golf Club That streak continued last Wednesday when Central bounced the Chiefs, 149-156, in a Western Lakes Activities Association meet

'I've never won at Edgewood," said Alles "They played very well, we played mediocre They were hot today"

Indeed the Vikings were, with all four of their golfers shooting under 40 Tony Rishell tied for medalist honors with a 36, Rob Ulrich and Steve Percha each shot 37s, and Sean McMarion had a 39

Canton was paced by Bryan Wioncek with a 36, which tied him for medalist honors Ryan McKendry had a 39, Scott Oliver shot a 40 and Dominic Gallo had a 41 Ryan Van Loozen had a 44 and Steve Paul shot 45 The loss left Canton at 2-1 Central is 1-1

PCA RUNNERS GET WIN

For the second year in a row, Division 4 Plymouth Christian Academy's boys cross country team got a dual-meet victory over a Division 1 school — in this case, Taylor Kennedy, which the Eagles defeated 20-41 last Monday at Cass Benton

Seven of the top nine places went to PCA runners, led by Mark Varney, who was first in 18 40 Ben Welton placed third (20 36), Jon Wendt was fourth (20 56), Matt Stephens was sixth (21 30), Brian Holychuk placed seventh (22 36), Caleb James took eighth (22 53) and Scott Brandt was ninth (23 45)

David Cox was best for Taylor Kennedy, finishing second (20 01)

There's plenty of openings for bowlers

Ten Pin Alley

Al Harrison

Wanted More bowlers Town n Country Lanes in Westland is hoping to build back up the Thursday Night Men's Trio League, which has lost a few good men lately for some reason or another

According to manager Joe Jaskolski, 'This has always been one of our strongest and best leagues and one of the most competitive in town"

There is a need for a few more good bowlers to add new strength to this league

As a trio league, it moves pretty fast and even though it has a 10 p m start, they still get home at a decent hour

Town n Country is located on Wayne Road, just south of Cherry Hill

For more information call Joe at (734) 722-5000

■ The Sunday Youth Classic Traveling League, which has produced many good bowlers over the years, began its season last Sunday at Country Lanes in Farmington Hills

It was a little tougher go than they are used to as the scores were fairly good for the most part last week

They ll return Sunday to Country Lanes for the second consecutive week a quirk in the scheduling, and maybe they will have a chance to figure out the best shot second time around

Still a few more team openings, so mom and dad, if your kids are good bowlers, give Ed Wright a call at (248) 477-5047 or Bob Black at (313) 386-2381

■ Bye-bye Claudia, we hate to see you go

After 28 years with Mayflower Lanes in Redford, Claudia Anger is leaving the bowling business altogether after being operations manager for both Mayflower and Beech lanes

She made a lot of friends during her stay, from the various leagues during the day, especially the Monday, Wednesday and Friday seniors

Claudia had been a great help to the Senior/Youth Challenge for the past eight years particularly in raising funds for the scholarship program

"I enjoyed working with all the bowlers during the day, they are like family to me," she said

Anger will be taking a position with the 28th District Court in Southgate

Good luck, Claudia on your new career

■ Jim Jimmerson has retired from his job as production manager of the Observer Newspapers, and has now the extra time to enter the Senior Men's Classic on Wednesday mornings at Mayflower Lanes

I made sure that he would join my team because he is an excellent bowler

After the second week on our team, we haven't lost a game, winning all six after losing three games the first week when Jim could not be there

On Wednesday, Jim recorded nine strikes to start the third game, left a solid 10-pin and finished with 279, just beating out a 278 game for high game jackpot money

Welcome to the league, Jim, and keep up those booming strikes

Al Harrison is a resident of Garden City and director with the Greater Detroit Bowling Association He can be reached at (734) 422 1609

SPORTS ROUNDUP

EMU BASEBALL GOLF TOURNEY

The Eastern Michigan University eighth-annual Varsity Baseball Alumni and Friends Golf Tournament will be Monday at The Majestic at Lake Walden Golf Course in Hartland, with former EMU standout John "Mud' Clay honored with the Ron Oestrike Distinguished Alumni Achievement Award

Clay is the seventh award-winner, having become EMU's first modern All-American in baseball In 1968, a rare pitching performance resulted in a no-hitter against Western Illinois, propelling EMU into the NAIA National Tournament Clay signed with the Detroit Tigers in 1969, but served in Vietnam from 1969-71, earning a bronze star in 1970 Today, he is an elementary principal in the Howell public school system

The golf tournament is $125 per person, with hole sponsorships available at $100 each Included in the golf package are 18 holes of golf with cart, breakfast, dinner, gifts and raffle prizes Proceeds benefit the EMU baseball team For more information, call EMU head coach Roger Coryell at (734) 487-0315

MBA EXPANDING

The Metro Basketball Association, now in its 13th year, is expanding for the 2002-03 season

Teams will be made up of boys and girls in grades 3-8 with games scheduled in Garden City, Dearborn and Dearborn Heights

Divisions of play include grades 3-4, 5-6, 7-8 Grades 3-6 league play beings Nov 2 and runs through the end of March Grades 7-8 league play starts the third week of January and runs through the end of March

Registration deadline for grades 3-6 is Saturday, Sept 28, the deadline for grades 7-8 is Saturday, Dec 7

Included in the $150 registration fee 12 league games, playoffs, uniforms to keep, bi-monthly newsletter, fun night competition, league insurance, practice time, Saturday games, awards banquet (following season) and recognition awards (for all players) For more information, call (734) 522-8872

PARENT-CHILD GOLF

A Parent-Child Best Ball Golf Outing, sponsored by the Milford Police Department, is scheduled for 11 30 a m Oct 13 at Mystic Creek Golf Course in Milford Cost is $50 per person, which includes 18 holes of golf, cart, buffet lunch and trophies

Teams will be flighted by child's age eight-and-under, 10-and-under, 12-and-under, 14-and-under, 16-and-under, 18-and-under and 19-and-over

Registration deadline is Oct 10 For more information, call Officer Rick Sharpe at (248) 684-1322

SWIMMERS WANTED

The Marlin Swim Team is accepting applications for new members ages 6-18 Practice times are 6 8 p m weekly

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YOUTH BASEBALL TRYOUTS

■ The Canton Cubs, an under-12 travel baseball team associated with the Canton Community Junior Baseball and Softball Association, wants to add a few players to the 2003 team A tryout is scheduled for 10 a m -noon at Griffin Park's Field No 2, located at Sheldon and Cherry Hill in Canton Potential players must be residents of Plymouth or Canton For more information, call Steve Estes at (734) 844-1233 or Larry Ott at (734) 981-4280

■ Tryouts for Westland Federation's 15-16 year-old travel team will be at 1 p m each Saturday and Sunday throughout the month of September at Rotary Park in Westland

For more information, call (734) 326-5626 or (734) 595 3496

■ Tryouts for the Michigan Dragons 13-and-under tournament travel team will be from 5-7 30 p m Friday, Sept 27, 10 a m -4 p m , Saturday, Sept 28, and 10 a m -1 p m Sunday, Sept 29 — all at the Dearborn Heights Recreation Center

For more information, call Jeff Kearney at (313) 792-9220 or Jim Cox at (313) 928-9528

■ A Livonia-based Little Caesars baseball will be staging tryouts at 2 p m Sunday, Sept 22, at Bicentennial Park (field No 7), located at Wayne and Seven Mile roads

All boys should be 13 years of age from Aug 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003 The team will play a 30-35 game schedule and three tournaments

For more information, call manager Frank Pencola at (734) 425-7384, and coaches Jim Favaro at (734) 425-0070 or Eric Mitchell at (734) 425-7524

GIRLS SOFTBALL TRYOUTS

■ Tryouts the Livonia Storm, a girls fastpitch travel organization, will be Saturday-Sunday, Sept 28-29, at Bicentennial Park in Livonia.

Age brackets include 10-, 12-, 13-, 14- and 16-and-under

For tryout times for each age group and to register, visit www stormfsp com

For more information, call Rick Long at (734) 261 1428

■ Thunderbird Softball Inc (TSI) will have tryouts for its 2003 girls fastpitch softball teams Saturday, Oct 5, at Fields No 5 and No 8 of Victory Park at Canton Softball Center In case of rain, tryouts will be the following Sunday, Oct 6

Tryouts for 10 and 12 year-olds will be from 9-11 a m on those dates, tryouts for 14, 16 and 18 year-olds will be from 11 a m -1 p m Victory Park is located at 46555 Michigan in Canton, behind the High Velocity and Artic Edge facilities For more information, call Tom Ciotti at (734) 844-2656, Brian Starling at (734) 718-3360, Dave Seagren at (734) 737-9968, or Bruce Horste at (734) 981-1796

HUNTER SAFETY CLASS

The City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation will stage a hunter safety class from 6-10 p m Friday, Sept 20 and 8 a m -6 p m Saturday, Sept 21, at the Senior Citizen Center, located at 10800 Farmington Road, south of Plymouth Road

Space is limited The cost is $10

Any born in 1961 or later needs this class certification in order to acquire a hunting license Bring your own lunch Beverages will be provided

Advance registration began Aug 13 at the Parks and Recreation office, located inside City Hall

For more information, call (734) 466-2410 To obtain an activity registration form, visit www ci livonia mi us

ADULT HOCKEY LEAGUES

Registration is on for adult recreational hockey leagues for over-21, -30, -40, -50 and a new novice league on Sunday evenings, September through March at the Plymouth Cultural Center, Arctic Pond in Plymouth Township and Arctic Edge in Canton

For more information or to obtain a registration form, call John Wilson at (248) 471-0658, the Arctic Pond at (734) 207-7663, or visit www rspi net You can also email john@rspi net

GIRLS SOCCER OPENINGS

■ 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

YOUTH WATER FIT PROGRAM

The City of Wayne Parks and Recreation Department is starting a youth land/water fit program

Session I (ages 7-10) will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays, Sept 17 through Oct 10

Session II (ages 11-14) will be Tuesdays and Thursday, Oct 15 through Nov 7

For more information, call (734) 728-2900

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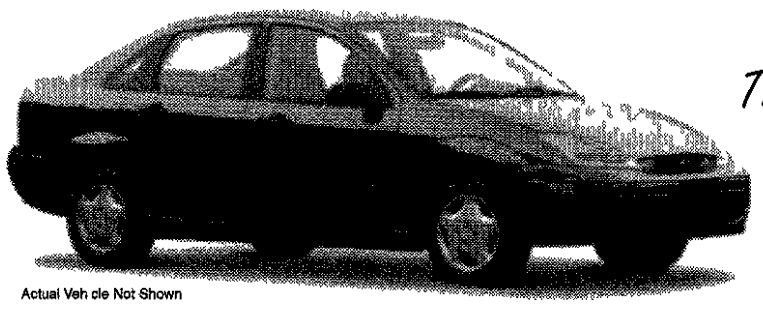

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WHALERS

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appointment

What happened was a major disappointment The Whalers the league s top team during the regular season were ambushed by the London Knights in the OHL s opening round of the playoffs

It was their earliest exit from the playoffs since 1996 97 and only the third time in the last 11 seasons they lost in the opening round

Everybody asks what hap pened last year," Vellucci said I ve been answering that question alot We went to the OHL Finals the two years before that, plus we had a lot of guys playing in the World Junior Tournament 'I think they were burned out

Most of the guys from that team are gone — including all of the aforementioned Weiss is with the Florida Panthers, Bacashihua is with the Dallas Stars, and the rest are with assorted minor league teams except for Campbell who was traded to Kitchener for Ryan Ramsay

Of the Whalers top 10 scorers from a year ago, only Chad LaRose Karl Stewart, Cole Jarrett and James Wisniewski are back — and the return of LaRose and Stewart was uncertain until last week,when they were released by the Red Wings

LaRose was second on the Whalers in scoring a year ago with a team high 32 goals and 27 assists (59 points) Stewart had 20 goals and 23 assists (43 points), while Jarrett (14 goals 24 assists 38 points) and Canton native Wisniewski (11 goals 25 assists 36 points) were major offensive threats at the blue line Jarrett was a fifth-round selection of the Carolina Hurricane in 2001, Wisniewski, who suffered a torn anterior cruciate ligament at the World Junior Tournament and has been undergoing therapy since his knee surgery, was chosen by the Chicago Blackhawks in the fifth round last June

If there s a comparison to be made between the current Whalers squad and its predecessors it would have to be with the 1999-2000 team That team had to replace David Legwand, who was with Nashville, Harold Druken, who was with Vancouver, and goalie Robert Esche, who was in the Phoenix organization It was expected to be a rebuild ing year

Instead the Whalers reached the OHL Finals, losing to Barrie in seven games

Can the current team match that success? Vellucci isn t say ing so, but he won t deny it, either

Actually, I like (not being the favorite), he said I d rather be the pursuer than the pursue

'We are younger We re rebuilding, but we re talented

There are question marks, to be sure Lose that much fire power — Weiss was the fourth player taken in the 2001 draft — and uncertainty is a certainty Vellucci did not sit idly by during the summer He traded Campbell, a speedy and fairly productive left wing, for Ramsay a center who had 24 goals and 24 assists for Kitchener and is described as more of a grinder

I think he ll be a fan favorite, that s for sure, said Vellucci He s strong and has an incredible shot He ll be one of our top players "

The acquisition of Ramsay is a move toward getting bigger and stronger up front, which was a goal of Vellucci s

We have no real superstars," the Plymouth coach said Everyone can contribute in his own way Everyone can score goals Up front we have a lot of depth

LaRose and Stewart, togeth er with Ramsay, will provide experience at the forward spot Others to watch are second-year players John Mitchell (nine goals nine assists, 18 points), Tim Sestito (10 goals, 11 assists, 21 points) and Jonas Fiedler (eight goals 12 assists, 20 points)

Vellucci also obtained wingers Matt Armstrong and Jimmy Gagnon from Peterborough for draft choices Armstrong had 17 goals and 21 assists (38 points), while Gagnon collected five goals and 16 assists (21 points) Both should make the Whalers tougher up front

The Whalers strength, at least initially, should be at the blue line with the return of Jarrett, Wisniewski and Nate Kiser (three goals, six assists, nine points) — once Wisniewski is healthy and if Jarrett, plagued by injuries during his OHL career can stay that way Also back is David Liffiton (three goals, nine assists, 12 points)

First round draft pick Martin Cizek, a native of the Czech Republic, could provide immediate help on defense as well So should Taylor Raszka, a winger and also a first-round selection

With Bacashihua leaving, a question lingers in goal Paul Drew, who has backed up Rob Zepp and Bacashihua the last two years, finally gets his chance at being a full time starter He was 13 5 5 for the Whalers last season with a 2 51 goals-against average, but he s never played more than six-consecutive OHL games He will this season

'He s put in his time" said Vellucci He deserves his chance, he s waited his turn'

The same can be said for several Whalers Now it's time to stand and deliver

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WISNIEWSKI

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from all the weightlifting

Wisniewski's work on the power play is well documented Indeed, he was one of the OHL s leaders in plus/minus last season at plus-39

More strength and revenge for a season terminated prematurely could carry Wisniewski — and the Whalers — a long way Such incentives certainly don t bode well for the rest of the OHL

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Wayne's De'Lano Boles (No 2) helps out John Dobbins (No 31) haul down Franklin fullback Matt Parker (No 26)

Franklin shaves Wayne in defensive struggle

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

FOOTBALL

Livonia Franklin and Wayne Memorial got reacquainted on the football field Friday night for the first time in over 36 years

With the series tied at 2-2 and both teams 0-3 this season, it was only fitting this Western Lakes Activities Association game wasn't decided until the final quarter when quarterback Mike Johnson scored from 7 yards out with only 2 53 remaining to give the visiting Patriots a 7 0 victory

After playing to a scoreless stalemate for three quarters, Franklin spoiled Wayne s homecoming festivities by marching 87 yards in 13 plays for the game-winning TD

Up until that point, the Patriots had failed to cross the Wayne 30-yard line and managed just 73 yards in total offense

The game was stopped with just 3 38 gone in the first quarter due to lightning The two teams then spent 30 minutes in the lockerroom before returning to the field to resume play

"The wet field and the wet ball gave us a sense that our passing game was ineffective and we had to run the ball, said Franklin coach Chris Kelbert, who called junior fullback Matt Parker s number eight times for 55 yards 'We work our guys like workhorses and I think it was conditioning at the end We felt like we were in better shape '

Johnson, who stands only 5 feet, 7 inches tall and weighs 165 pounds, proved to be resourceful in directing Franklin's final scoring drive He rushed for three of Franklin's five first downs, all on keepers up the middle

I m real impressed with number 18 (Johnson),' Wayne coach Floyd Carter said "He's not a big kid, but he s a real scrapper

And their fullback (Parker) at the end ran hard The last drive they executed well and scored it It hurts '

Parker's 84 yards in 16 carries helped offset Wayne's main offensive threat, junior tailback T J Dillard, who finished the soggy night with 74 yards on 20 carries Neither team could muster much total offense as Franklin outgained the Zebras, 150 130 The Patriots also had 10 first downs to Wayne's six

The speedy 5-11, 184-pound Dillard, who had 67 first-half yards, was held to 7 total yards in eight second-half carries

"They were keying on T J and give them credit, Carter said of Franklin s defense I thought we could move the ball, but they were prepared to play and they hit 'Against some of our Power I stuff they did a nice job of adjusting and they played hard"

Kelbert credited his two defensive coaches, Paul Peters and Steve Freier, with putting his players in the proper schemes

They're two great defensive coaches,' Kelbert said They get our kids into the right spots The past three weeks we've been in the right spots, but haven't made the plays But today we did make those plays The focus all week was No 8 (Dillard) We knew offensively that they (Wayne) thrive on the big play We didn t want that to happen'

Wayne s defense also played well, picking off a pair of Franklin passes, one by Tyrell Ford in the second period and the other coming in the third quarter by Ramon Kinloch

But Kinloch's 40-yard return was nullified by holding call, putting the ball back at the Franklin 47

"We made too many mistakes to win," said Carter, whose team is 0-4 overall and 0-3 in its first season in the Western Lakes 'We had one key situation on one drive where we had a first down, but because of holding its third (down) and 20-something"

Wayne played without starting quarterback Zach Lappan, who suffered an ankle injury in a Monday practice Back-up Brad Wilson showed flashes of promise, rushing three times for 23 yards But the junior was only three of 17 passing for 21 yards

I thought Wilson did a nice job for the first start," Carter said

Meanwhile, Kelbert was elated to get that first victory Even the weather delay failed to deter the Patriots

'We got ready to play and we didn't want it to go another day," said the Franklin coach

After 36 years between games with Wayne, another day couldn't wait as far as the Patriots, now 1-3 overall and 1-2 in the WLAA, were concerned

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Wolfram keys OT victory for Warriors

BY CHAD MACK
SPECIAL WRITER

FOOTBALL

After losing in overtime last week, Lutheran Westland made good on homecoming and gave the home crowd a performance that won't soon be forgotten

The Warriors Joel Wolfram showed the heart of a lion as he carried his team to victory Friday against Cranbrook, 20-14

Both teams are 3-1 overall and 2-1 in the Metro Conference

'Our kids really sucked it up in the second half, first-year Lutheran Westland head coach Paul Guse said 'You have to give our offensive line a lot of credit We were able to run just our base plays We just knew that this was a chance for us to redeem ourselves

The 5-foot-11, 180-pound senior captain got familiar with the end zone, scoring all 20 of the Warriors points, three touchdowns and a two-point conversion

"This has to be the best game I've ever played in,' Wolfram said 'I got to give credit to the left side of the line They opened some big holes"

The game really was the Wolfram show

He rushed the ball 37 times for 226 yards The entire offense for Cranbrook could only muster up 179 total yards for the game

The Cranbrook attack was severely hamstrung in the first half, only gaining 68 yards through the driving rain

'It seemed like that should have affected us more,' Cranbrook head coach Gary Gerson said 'I think that we just missed some reads Our spread (offense) is still good I ll stick with it

In the first half it appeared like the game was going all the Warriors way

The score was 6-0 after Lutheran Westland took the opening drive and marched right down the field as Wolfram punched it in from 8 yards out

On the drive, the Warriors converted three third downs and one fourth down The two-point conversion was no good when Lutheran Westland quarterback Doug Haller was sacked by the Cranes Kyle Miller

Cranbrook took the lead 7-6 after blocking a punt and setting up shop on the Warrior 18-yard line Two plays was all that it took Cranbrook to get back in the game On second down, tailback Hassan Hanbleh took the hand-off and scampered 18 yards off left tackle to tie the score at 6-6 Cranbrook converted the PAT for the first time, 7-6

The lead, however, was short-lived The next drive for the Warriors was another lesson in smash-mouth football

After a personal foul on the extra point attempt left the Warriors starting on their own 21, it looked like old momentum was starting to waiver on the side of Cranbrook.

But Lutheran Westland responded with a six-play, 79-yard drive capped by a spectacular 56-yard TD run on fourth and inches by Wolfram

He also added the two-point conversion giving the Warriors a 14-7 advantage

'We were a little unprepared for this strong of a running attack," said coach Gerson "I think that is where we lost it"

Cranbrook came back and tied it with 11 46 left in regulation

The Cranes' quarterback, Ryan Karolak, hit split end Andrew Sherman on a slant that Sherman hauled in and sprinted into the end zone for the tying score On the last drive of regulation, Lutheran Westland drove all the way down to the Cranes' 20

But without a kicking game, the Warriors were forced to try a risky pass into the end zone that was picked off by John O Connell for the Cranes

The next play Cranbrook took a knee and sent the game into overtime

The Cranes took the ball at the 10-yard line to start the extra session

On three plays they lost a total of 8 yards and were intercepted on third down by Ian McLaughlin

Contrastly, it only took Lutheran Westland three plays to win

Stevenson is impressive in swim win

BY BRAD EMONS
STAFF WRITER

SWIMMING

The supposed showdown between the top two girls swim teams in the Western Lakes Activities Association never materialized Thursday as host Livonia Stevenson rolled to a 119-67 triumph over Northville

Only 11 points separated the two teams Sept 7 at the Western Lakes Activities Association Relays, but on this night the Spartans were hitting just about on all cylinders The outcome ended some pre-meet internet chatroom banter

"I've never seen us put together a better dual meet other than a few years back when we beat (Ann Arbor) Pioneer,' Stevenson coach Greg Phill said 'Northville is a really good team, but they lost one of their good freshman I kind of thought it could have been closer, but our kids really stepped up'

Stevenson, which has captured 11 straight WLAA titles and 12 straight WLAA Relays crowns, won seven of 12 events to improve its dual meet record to 2-0 'Nobody on my team wants to be the first to lose the league meet," Phill said "I approached this meet with conservative emotion, but I think deep down they really wanted it They were on last night"

Stevenson was led by senior Andrea Hurn, who took firsts in the 200-yard freestyle (1 56 95) and 500 freestyle (5 16 21)

Hurn also teamed up with Julie Ward, Laura Geverink and Erin Cook to win the 200 freestyle relay (1 43 98)

The foursome of Hurn, Marisa Gordon, Andrea Giczewski and Cook also captured the 400 freestyle relay (3 42 23), which nearly topped last year's performance of 3 41 42 at the state meet Freshman Marisa Gordon led a sweep of the 200 individual medley (2 15 73) as teammate Erin Cook took second (2 17 7) and Katy Sondergaard finished third Other Stevenson firsts were recorded by diver Katie Edwards (230 30 points) and Cook in 100 breaststroke (1 13 66)

Jennie Carr and Shannon Hogan paced Northville

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TO REZONE TO.	OS ARC Office Service Ann Arbor Road Corridor District
DATE OF HEARING:	October 16 2002
TIME OF HEARING:	7 00 PM
TIME OF HEARING:	Plymouth Township Hall 42350 Ann Arbor Road

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of Plymouth Charter Township has received a petition to rezone the following described property From OS, Office Service and R 1 single Family Residential Districts, to OS ARC, Office Service Ann Arbor Road Corridor District Application #1740

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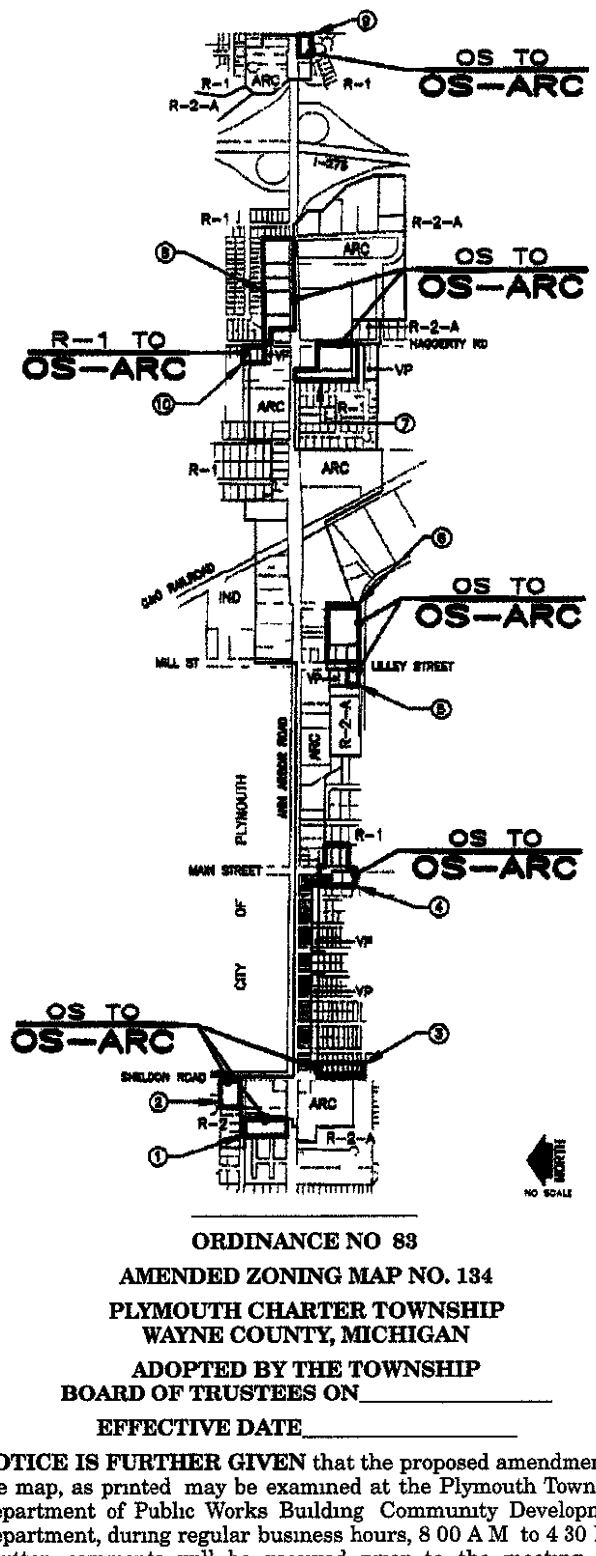

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JOE BRIDGMAN Secretary
Planning Commission

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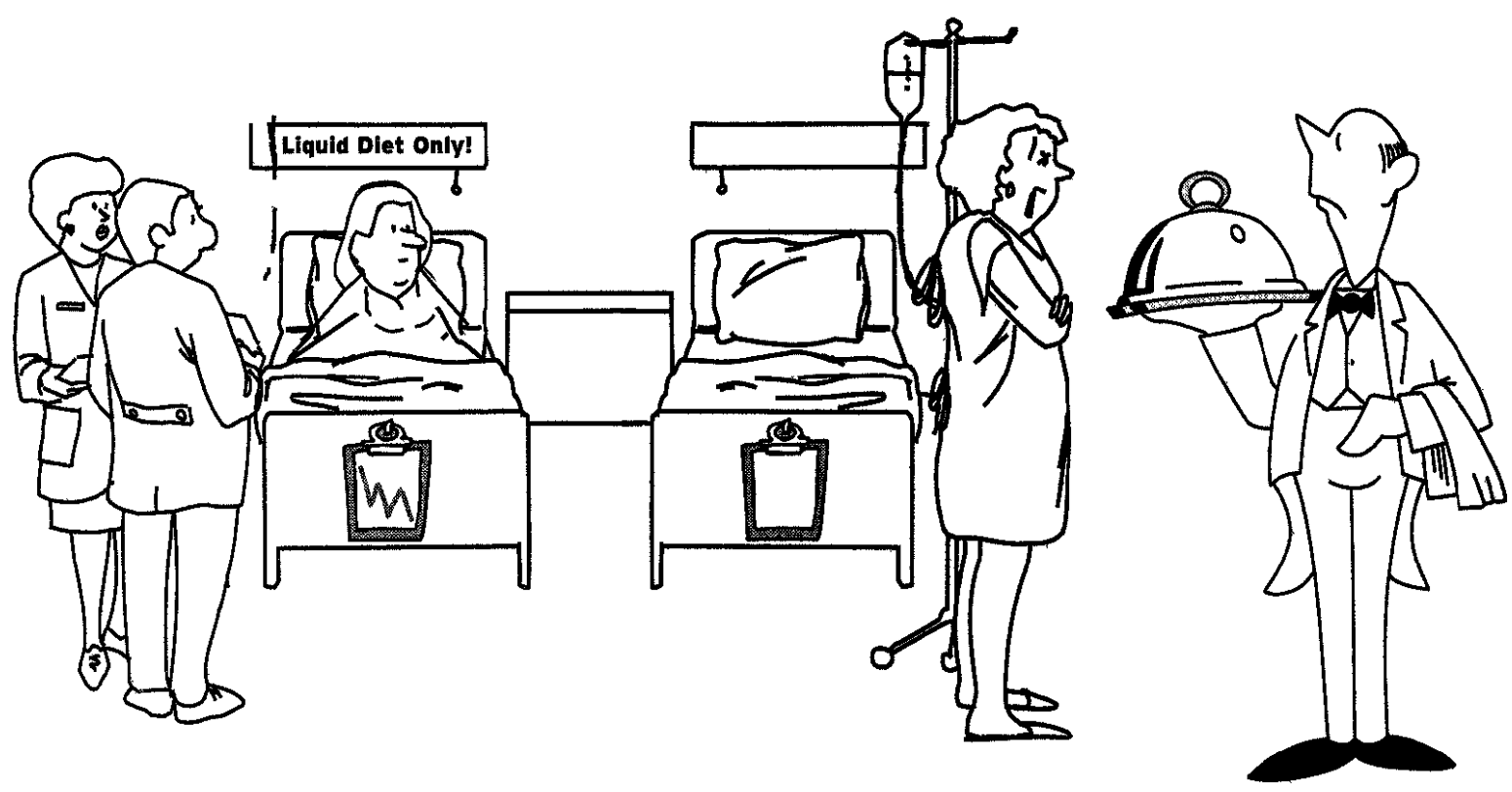

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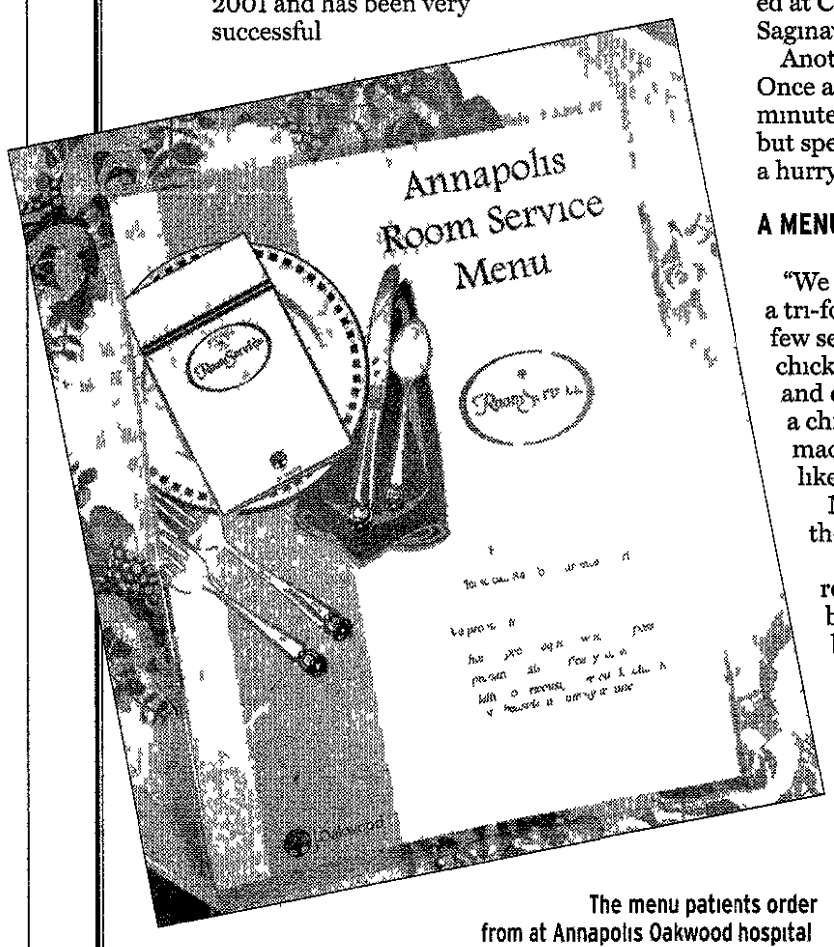
BY PAM FLEMING
CORRESPONDENT

Imagine being able to order pizza while you re in the hospital Or perhaps a chicken caesar salad or a bacon, lettuce and tomato sandwich suits your fancy Well, depending on your medical condition these are just a few of the choices that patients at Oakwood Hospital & Medical Center in Dearborn now have at mealtime

The new patient menu program, appropriately called Room Service, is just that You get to order off a menu and phone in your food order when you re hungry – just like at a hotel Dara Bross director of Food and Nutrition Services at Oakwood said the new program was implemented in July 2001 and has been very successful



The menu patients order from at Annapolis Oakwood hospital

The program was also recently adopted at Oakwood Annapolis Hospital in Wayne and Oakwood Southshore Medical Center in Trenton

"We were actually looking at ways we could provide exceptional service for our patients That's one of our goals And hospital food is kind of a challenge We found out about this new service that started being offered at hospitals on the West Coast," Bross said

"Patients lose control over their routine when they're in the hospital We felt this was a way to give them back some control And we thought that the ability to order what they want when they want it will even help patients get better sooner In fact, patients do eat better and get better faster," she noted The pilot program is also being tested at Covenant Health Care Center in Saginaw, she added

Another benefit of Room Service is speed Once an order is called in, it takes just 19 minutes to process Not quite fast-food fast, but speedy enough to quiet hunger pangs in a hurry

A MENU FOR ALL DIETS

"We have one menu for all diet types It's a tri-fold in a plastic cover We offer quite a few selections – sandwiches, salad, pizza, chicken tenders as well as meatloaf, turkey and dressing, and some newer things like a chicken caesar salad Everything is made to order, and it's very restaurant-like," Bross said

Members of the nursing staff explain the new meal program to patients

"When they feel hungry, and they're ready to order, it's brought up Its been a challenge because it's different, but our Food Service staff has really embraced it They have a lot more interaction with the patient now, which they enjoy They've done a great job,' Bross said

She noted that the 615-bed hospital has a Food Service staff of about 100 people

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Operations supervisor Debbie Watt, left, confers with Rebecca Wilkinson on a breakfast order

RESPONSE IS POSITIVE

The response from patients has been understandably positive

"The patients really love it They are surprised when they learn that they can order their own food I remember visiting a patient, and his wife was holding the menu when I came in She said it was just amazing," Bross added

Sharon Truskowki, 38, of Brownstown was a patient at Oakwood for the delivery of her and husband Mark's, son, Luke, on Nov 17, 2001 Since she had no dietary restrictions, she got to order whatever she wanted off the new Room Service menu

"The menu looks just like a restaurant menu, and breakfast was the best," she said. "I had French toast one morning and pancakes the next In the afternoon, I ordered a club sandwich, which was good, too"

Truskowski said she liked the new service 'We got to our room late, so I didn't eat breakfast until later To be able to eat when you wanted was convenient And, it's nice to

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U-M experts: Sex really does matter for women

When the birth control pill became available to women in the early 1960s, a new revolution was set to give women more control of their sexuality And since then, women have continued to make great advances in education and in their professions, but when it comes to their sexuality, most women are still behind the times

Now, 40 years after that revolution started, sex experts at the University of Michigan Health System want to help women discover what they need to make comparable advances in their sexuality to have a healthy, satisfying sex life With the publication of a new book, *Sex Matters for Women A Complete Guide to Taking Care of Your Sexual Self,* three U-M sex experts – Sallie Foley, MSW, Sally Kope, MSW, and Dennis Sugrue, Ph D – hope to empower women to make "sex matter for them in spite of busy schedules and even illness

Sex matters, and sex matters for women," says co-author Sallie Foley, a certified sex therapist in the department of social work at the U-M From the moment people are born until they die, they actually have sexual responses and a sexual identity"

FINDING SEXUAL IDENTITY

Uncovering that sexual identity is the first step to building sexual knowledge and self-confidence A woman s sexual identity is greatly based upon the events throughout her life how she was raised, how sexual information was presented to her and what messages she has received from the culture and the media

Often, these messages create some common sexual roadblocks for women, which may get in the way of mental and physical pleasure, and a relationship

Early on, women are taught not to enjoy sex or to be cautious about the problems it can cause like unwanted pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases,' says Foley "Because of these messages, it isn't until much later in life, if at all, that women discover the positive and fun side to sexuality'

While messages of caution are necessary, Foley says it's equally important to follow them up with information about the positive aspects of sex

A lack of sexual education may also create other obstacles as a woman's body ages or she is faced with illness But these obstacles can be overcome

BECOME INFORMED

First, Foley recommends that women invest in books and take the time to look at educational Web sites to build their sexual understanding

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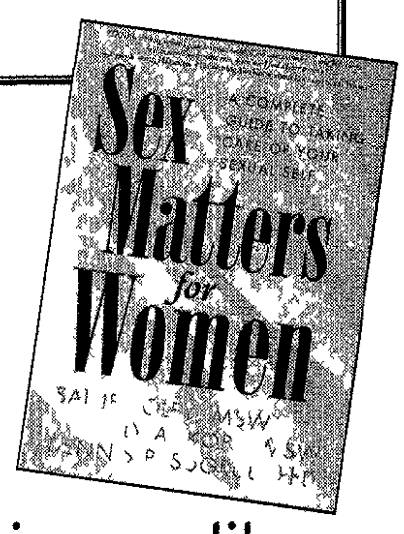
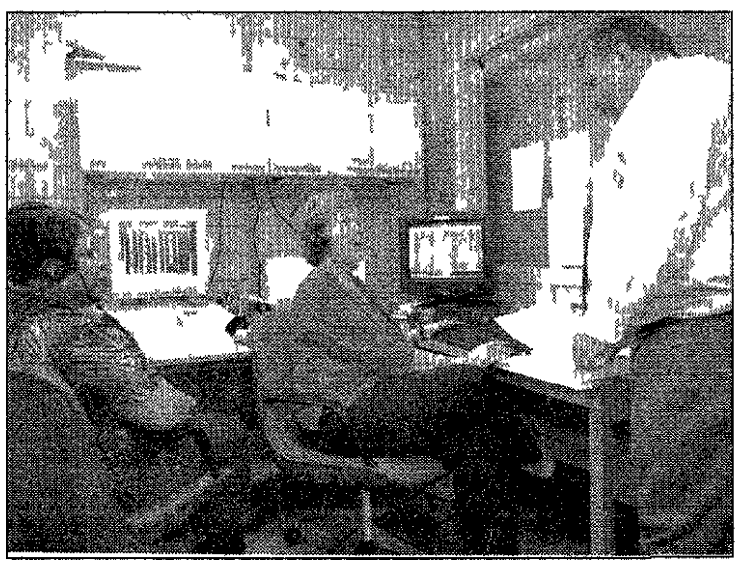


Facts about women and their sexuality

■ While women have made great advances in their careers and education, very few have made comparable advances in their sexuality

■ It's important that women know the risks involved with sex – STDs, unwanted pregnancy – but they should be informed about the positive aspects of sex, too

■ Some common obstacles to achieving a sexually satisfying life include a lack of sexual education, an aging body, illness or surgery



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Food and Nutrition Services Director Patrick O'Keefe chats with diet menu processors Peggy Mason, left, and Dianne Prowell They handle the room service calls and pass them on to the prep area

Livonia Urgent Care offers early flu shots

BY RENÉE SKOGLUND
STAFF WRITER

Dr Mohammed Arsiwala, of Livonia Urgent Care, urges people to get their flu and pneumonia vaccination early this year so they can head into the holiday season with one less worry

"Influenza vaccine can prevent influenza, he said "Most people are ill with influenza for only a few days, but some get much sicker and may need to be hospitalized"

Flu shots will be offered at Livonia Urgent Care, Mission Health Medical Center, corner of Seven Mile Road and Newburg, 8 a m to 5 p m every Tuesday and Thursday, beginning Sept 24 Flu shots cost $18, pneumonia shots, which are recommended every three years for people over 50 or for those with respiratory problems, cost $35

The Centers for Disease Control warns that influenza is far more dangerous than a bad cold It's a disease of the lungs, and it can lead to pneumonia Each year about 114,000 people in the United States are hospitalized and about 20,000 people die because of the flu

At highest risk of severe illness are people 65 years old and older, children six to 23 months, adults and children with a chronic health conditions – heart disease, diabetes, kidney disease, asthma, cancer and HIV/AIDS – and women more than three months pregnant during the flu season

The CDC said myths still exist about the flu vaccine The following statements are fact, not fiction

■ The shot cannot give you the flu Flu vaccines are made from killed influenza viruses, which cannot activate the flu

■ Although some people can still get the flu after being vaccinated, this is not likely If you do get the flu, you are likely to be far less sick than you would have been without the protection However, the flu shot will not protect you from other viruses that can cause illnesses that sometimes feel like the flu

■ The worst side effect from a flu vaccination is a sore arm The risk of a rare allergic reaction is far less than the risk of severe complications from influenza

■ Not everyone can get the flu shot If you are allergic to eggs (used in making the vaccine), are ill with a high fever, or have had a severe reaction to a past flu vaccination, you may not be able to get this protection

■ The flu vaccine is not only for the old and sick Both adults and children who are in good health need a flu shot to stay healthy

Even if you are not at risk of complications, you should get a flu shot to protect everyone you live with and contact

■ The flu shot can be given before or during the flu season While the best time to get a flu shot is in October or November, a flu shot in December or later will still protect you

Last year Livonia Urgent Care was inundated with people seeking flu shots It's best to act early, said Arsiwala An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure, except there is no instant cure if you get the flu

'Influenza causes thousands of deaths each year, mostly among the elderly," he said

Seniors seeking the flu shot should bring their Medicare and secondary insurance cards, as well as their driver's license Flu shots will be given through December For more information, call Livonia Urgent Care at (734) 542-6100

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OAKWOOD

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be able to order what you like, not what they serve to you It makes your hospital experience more pleasurable," she added

Bross said that all of the hospital staffs that have tested the program have received rave reviews from patients on Room Service

'In June, I presented Room Service at a seminar for the American Society of Healthcare Food Service Administrators in Orlando, Fla The room was just jammed It's been slow to come to this area, but it's coming We really need to give the customers what they want, she said

Not only has the new program been a learning experience for the dining staff but also for the nursing staff at Oakwood

"Now they need to communicate with them even more effectively on what tests and procedures they may be having so their eating doesn't interfere with that You don't want patient's food to arrive as they are leaving to have a test done, Bross said

But what about patients with heart disease, diabetes or other diet-restricting conditions?

"There's a page on the menu for special diets Each menu item is identified as to whether it's heart healthy and the number of carbohydrates in it We also have a halal diet for Muslim populations," she said "If a patient calls Food Service, and they're on a special diet, the clerk who answers the phone assists them in their selections It's a nice educational opportunity for the patient as well"

Bross said that the doctors at Oakwood have also been very supportive of the new Room Service menu

"They want their patients to eat and get well,' she added The menu is even available to patients in the emergency department and the intensive care unit

SEX

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These tools can provide insight into what happens to the body during menopause or after having a baby, when either low desire or low arousal can affect sexuality

Many women also experience changes in their bodies due to a disease or after surgery

"Sex during a disease or after surgery is an area that only now we're beginning to talk about," says Foley "The idea is that it's not enough to just survive a disease Survival is about wanting to lead a normal life, and that life should include sexuality"

But one thing to keep in mind in any of life's situations is that creating a sexually healthy life takes work Foley encourages women to put the same effort into their sexual selves as they would any good friendship or an exercise program

Women also need to accept themselves for who they are – both physically and mentally Being comfortable with your body is an important step in gaining sexual self-confidence In addition, women should try to avoid measuring themselves against images in magazines

"Ultimately, it's not what the media does to a woman, it's not what magazines do to a woman, it's what we do to ourselves,' Foley says "If we start changing our viewpoint about how we see other people in their aging or their body, we'll change our own self-perceptions"

And if women need advice or are experiencing any type of sexual difficulty, Foley strongly recommends that they make an appointment with their health care provider or ask questions during a routine examine

For more information about the book, "Sex Matters For Women A Complete Guide to Taking Care of Your Sexual Self," visit http //www guilford com

Balancing work and family workshop offered

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WRIST PAIN

Probably everyone has experienced wrist pain No one no matter how careful can avoid picking up a bowl package or book that was deceptively heavy with subsequent strain on the wrist Strain while trying to twist a bulky jar top or remove a jammed key is part of life

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Splinting the wrist s possible at night though turning and moving the splint is awkward During the day it is impossible to use the splint as you cannot drive type or even use the splinted hand for eating Advice to rest the wr st is not practical You may need to accept that heal ng will take a long time

You should see your doctor or a physician hand specialist if pain persists or worsens at the base of the thumb as this s te particularly prone to develop osteoarthritis To evaluate for this possibility your doctor will order x rays This procedure is the best way to reveal the presence of arthritis and its extent

Treatment for persistent wrist pain starts w th splinting may include medication for pain or inflammation and often makes use of joint injection If these measures fail a number of operations exist to replace worn bones of the wrist The option you should not take is to live with the pain

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HypnoBirthing
Botsford Center for Health Improvement in Novi will offer Free Introduction to HypnoBirthing in Japanese 7 p m Monday Sept 23 at the center 39750 Grand River Avenue between Haggerty and Meadowbrook Learn deep relaxation techniques Japanese interpreter Free but space is limited Call (248) 477 6100 The class will be offered in English only Sept 30

Menopause
Dr Pam Smith of the Center for Health Living & Longevity will discuss Nutrition Weight Memory & Menopause 7 9 p m Wednesday Sept 25 at Health Dimensions 32985 Hamilton Court (south off 12 Mile Road between Farmington and Orchard Lake roads) Farmington Hills Cost is $15 Call (248) 489 1573

Grief support
Angela Hospice in Livonia offers ongo ing grief support groups every second and fourth Tuesday of the month The next meeting is 1 p m and 6 30 p m Tuesday Sept 24 Call Bereavement Coordinator Ruth Favor at (734) 464 7810

College
Saving for College a one session class sponsored by Beaumont Hospital s award winning Parenting Program and taught by a certified financial planner is offered 7 9 p m Wednesday Sept 25 Class meets in the hospital s Administration Building Classroom 1 3601 W Thirteen Mile Royal Oak $10 Call (800) 633 7377

Low back pain
Oakland Physical Therapy PC will present The Latest Advances in Exercise for Low Back Pain 7 p m Thursday Sept 26 at the Providence Medical Center 47601 Grand River Ave Suite B124 Novi RSVP by (248) 380 3550

Midwifery Institute Fund-raiser
Family Fun Day noon to 4 p m Saturday Sept 28 West Park Band Shell Ann Arbor live music games face painting karate demonstration complimentary refreshments scav enger hunt Tour the nearby Midwifery Arts Center 722 Brooks St Call (734) 663 1523 or visit www holisticmid wifery org for details

Alcohol and addiction
Horizon Treatment Center 29444 Joy Road Livonia will offer a free work shop for family members having diffi culty coping with a loved one who suf fers from an alcohol or drug addiction 11 a m to 1 p m Saturday Sept 28 Pre registration is required Call (734) 421 8272

OCTOBER

Grief support
Space for Changing Families a commu nity service of the National Council of Jewish Women/Greater Detroit Section will offer an eight week bereavement support group for adults grieving the death of a spouse or partner The group will meet 7 9 p m Tuesdays Oct 1 to Nov 19 at the Space for Changing Families/NCJW office Homestead USA Building 26400 Lahser Road Suite 100 Southfield Call (248) 355 9936

Lose weight/stop smoking
Providence Medical Center Livonia will host a Wellness Seminar for weight reduction 3 5 p m and 6 30 8 30 p m Wednesday, Oct 2 at the Mission Health Medical Center 37595 Seven Mile Road (at Newburgh) Livonia The center also will host a Wellness Seminar for smoking cessation 6 30 8 30 p m Thursday Oct 3 Hypnosis behavior modification audio cassette $59 Call (877) 345 5500

Healthy heart
Beaumont Hospital s Sharing & Caring program will offer Keeping a Healthy Heart 7 9 p m Thursday Oct 3 in the hospital s 1st Floor Conference Room Beaumont Cancer Center 3577 W 13 Mile Road Royal Oak Call (248) 551 8588

Senior fest
The Center for Lifelong Learning at Henry Ford Community College will hold an Autumn Senior Fest 10 30 a m to 1 30 p m Friday Oct 4 at 22586 Ann Arbor Trail in Dearborn Heights Sarah Talley from the Social Security Administration will discuss the Social Security Trust Fund extension employ ment income after retirement what every women needs to know about Social Security and related issues Cost is $10 per person and includes a buffet lunch Big Band entertainment exhibits and door prizes

Women's wellness
Burton Manor Banquet Facility in Livonia will host the Women s Enrichment Forum Mind body & Soul 9 a m to 1 30 p m Saturday Oct 5 Health information and prizes Cost is $35 per person Pre registration required by Sept 29 Call (248) 544 1380

Family relationships
Oakwood Complementary & Alternative Medicine Center in Westland will offer a workshop called ' Ten Ways to Strengthen Your Family 10 a m to noon Saturday Oct 5 Parents with children of all ages will learn how to live happier healthier and more pro ductive lives Cost is $20 Call (800) 543 WELL

Fibromyalgia
The CFS/Fibromyalgia Support Group meets 7 p m the second Thursday of the month at the Livonia Civic Center Library 32777 Five Mile Road The next meeting is Oct 10 Call (248) 346 3164

Thyroid cancer conference
The 5th Annual Thyroid Cancer Survivor Association Inc Conference will take place Oct 11 13 at the Los Angeles Athletic Club Los Angeles Calif More than 50 speakers including endocrinologists surgeons nuclear medicine specialists nutritionists attorneys and survivors Register by visiting ThyCa s Web site www thyca org

Cancer walk
The American Cancer Society will hold its Making Strides Against Breast Cancer walks in both Detroit and Ann Arbor The 5 mile walk in Detroit is scheduled for Saturday Oct 12 At Belle Isle Park with registration at 8 30 a m and the walk at 9 30 a m The 3 5 mile walk in Ann Arbor is scheduled for Saturday Oct 19 at Michigan Stadium with registration at 8 a m and the walk at 9 a m Call (800) ACS 2345 or visit www cancer org

Healing arts
The Tree House 22906 Mooney Street Farmington presents Music and Sound in the Healing Arts 1 7 p m Saturday Oct 12 Learn about high energy and low energy music vibra tional sounds and color therapy and the therapeutic benefits of music Organic dinner included Cost $55 sin gles and $100 couples Limited seating Call (248) 473 0624

Parkinson's Disease
The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County will meet 1 30 p m Sunday Oct 12 at the Saint Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center Bldg 5305 Huron River Dr Ann Arbor Topic First aid in the home Call (734) 741 9209

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Breast cancer/HRT
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Teen parents
Partners for Parenting Teens presents its 4th annual teen parent conference Consider the Possibilities 8 30 a m to 2 30 p m Friday Oct 25 in the Wayne RESA Annex Building 5454 Venoy Road Wayne Learn about alco hol use legal and paternity issues employment resources and more Register by Oct 18 Call Deborah or Tara at (734) 721 7012

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Self-Help groups
Anyone seeking information on a vari ety of self help groups may call the Michigan Self Help Clearing House at (877) 777 5556

Divorce support
The Women s Resource Center at Schoolcraft College offers a Divorce Support Group 7 9 p m the second and fourth Tuesday of each month Call the WRC at (734) 462 4443

Fibromyalgia
Fibro Friends & More a support group for sufferers of fibromyalgia and Chronic Fatigue Syndrome meets 1 p m the first Thursday of the month at the Merriman Road Baptist Church 2055 Merriman Road Garden City Call Tina at (734) 495 0226 or Lucy at (734) 953 8576

Bereavement
Together to Share a grief support group meets 10 a m the first Monday of each month at American House on Middlebelt Road in Livonia The group meets 3 p m the third Thursday of the month Call (800) 770 9859

Surgical flight syndrome: How to reduce the risks

Doctors and their patients should exercise caution and, in some instances, take special measures to prevent serious medical problems that could result from airline travel in the period preceding or following a surgical procedure, says an editorial in the current issue of *Aesthetic Surgery Journal*, the peer-reviewed publication of the American Society for Aesthetic Plastic Surgery (ASAPS)

Deep vein thrombosis/pulmonary embolism (DVT/PE) is commonly referred to as "economy class syndrome" because the condition has been associated with cramped airline seating

(DVT occurs when blood clots develop within veins, PE occurs when blood clots within veins break off and are trapped in the lungs) The precise cause of the condition is unknown, because there are numerous risk factors

The most common risk factors include prolonged immobilization or bed rest, obesity, oral contraceptives, varicose veins, an underlying malignancy and surgery

Airline travel also increases the risk of DVT/PE due to factors such as limited leg room and long periods of inactivity, dehydration from low humidity in the cabin, and the effects of high altitude which can decrease oxygen absorption into the blood

Women are generally more vulnerable to DVT/PE than men The more risk factors, the more susceptible one is to an occurrence of DVT/PE

"Airline travel and surgery can potentially act synergistically to increase the risk of DVT/PE," says Dr Alan Matarasso, senior scientific editor of Aesthetic Surgery Journal and author of the editorial

Nevertheless, patients often may travel in conjunction with undergoing surgical procedures

Basic guidelines that can help prevent problems associated with airplane travel include

- Drink plenty of water It is recommended that 8 ounces of water be consumed for each hour of airplane travel
- Avoid dehydrating agents such as caffeine and alcohol
- Perform in-seat exercises Get up and walk around the cabin as frequently as possible.
- Wear loose-fitting clothes and avoid surgical compression binders
- Inform your physician and surgeon of any planned extended airline travel In some cases, physicians may recommend additional measures to further reduce risks

Taking proper precautions with airline travel before and after surgery can help to ensure patient safety

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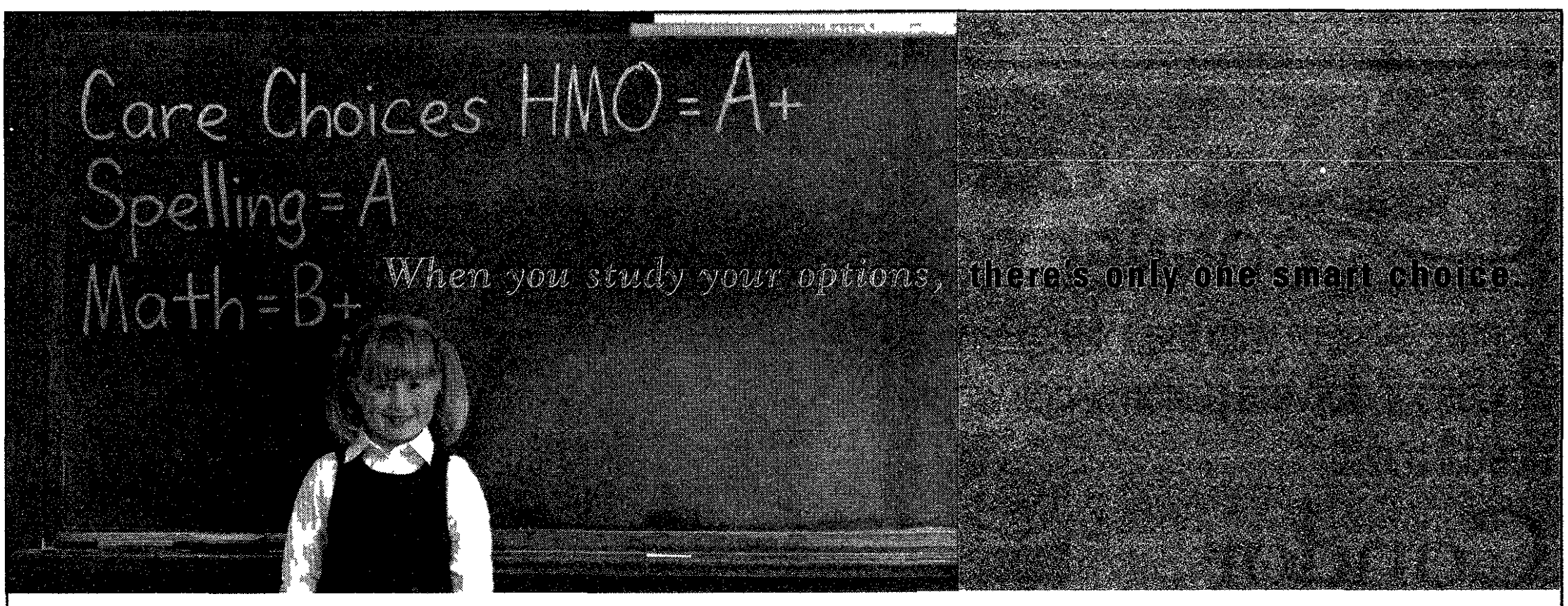

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Large condo community to overlook Walled Lake

Even though construction just started on East Bay Village, attached townhouse condominiums across the street from Walled Lake in that city, more than three dozen of the 284 residences already have sold

That s not too surprising considering access to the water, beginning price point just under $168,000 and planned on-site amenities including swimming pool and clubhouse

The community is off East Lake Drive between 14 Mile and Pontiac Lake Road

'You come here and you escape quickly," said Mark Fenton, the developer/builder 'You can walk to downtown Walled Lake You look at how quick you can get to anywhere with Maple (Road) and M-5'

"You get an up North feeling without the drive," said Wendy Bratt, sales manager "Where else can you go for under $200,000 and get a resort-like feel?

"People can walk downtown for restaurants, a beach," she added 'They can sit right on the water at the end of the day There's great fishing on this lake

East Bay Village has a private dock to which all residents will have access, but no boat slips

"It's really about lifestyle here, Fenton said "I think they're a great value for the money"

"We're getting quite a lot of young professionals, single or married, looking at getting out of rent," Bratt said "They like the convenience of not having to get into a car to get to restaurants

"This is an up-and-coming community with lots of development and growth on the horizon," she said "People look at is not only as a place to enjoy, but an investment"

Three floor plans are available

The Cove, a raised ranch of sorts with 1,150 square feet, two bedrooms and 1-1/2 baths, carries a base price of $167,900

The Bay, a multi-level of 1,600 square feet with three bedrooms and two baths set over the Cove, starts at $192,900

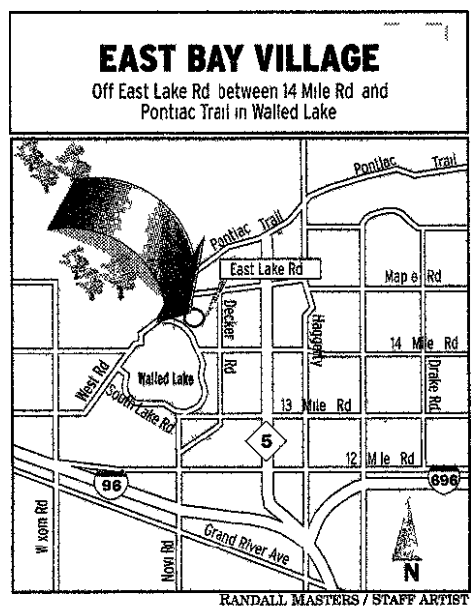
The Atlantic, a multi-level end unit of 1,640 square feet with three bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths , begins at $239,900

All include at base price air conditioning, range and dishwasher, landscaping and carpeting throughout

The Cove and Bay plans have a single-car attached garage, the Atlantic, two-car The Bay and Atlantic plans include decks The Bay has lots of stairs

A large attached condominium community under construction across the street from Walled Lake will feature nearly 300 residences

Gas fireplaces (starting at $2,400) and finished lower levels (starting at $7,500) are extra



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The Cove situates the laundry and half-bath at garage level An unfinished lower level which could become a rec room is a few steps down, the living room a few steps up

An open kitchen/dining area, two bedrooms and a full bath are one level up from the living room

The Bay places the living room/dining area, kitchen/nook master suite and laundry on the second floor A series of steps leads from the garage entrance and front door

Two bedrooms and a full bath are up an additional level

This home features a modified jack-and-jill bath with combination tub/shower servicing the entire main living area including the master

The Atlantic places the laundry on the uppermost level with the master, two secondary bedrooms and a second full bath

The living room, dining area, kitchen/nook and a half bath are on the main living area one floor below the bedrooms

Brick, vinyl siding and dimensional shingles are primary exterior materials

East Bay Village, serviced by city water and sewers, is within the Walled Lake public school boundaries

The property tax rate is $42 44 per $1,000 of state taxable value, half of sales price for new construction That means the owners of a $192,900 home there would pay about $4,100 the first year

The monthly association fee, which includes water, initially has been set at $125

Phyllis Davidovich was the first to buy, ordering a ranch

"I love the location, love being on the water,' she said "The floor plan was very attractive, the size of it The people you deal with are very accommodating Questions and concerns are addressed immediately"

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A big difference between this home and most others is that there is no garage attached to the Minuet itself

Entry into the home is from a covered porch A guest would come directly into the great room with stairs to upper and lower floors on the right

The great room has a fireplace centered in the left sidewall and two sets of French doors leading to a deck The railed deck acts as a cover for a walk-out patio below

The dining area is next to the great room and kitchen An eating bar further delineates the kitchen from the dining area

A large amount of counter space shaped in a C makes this open area easily accessible for the cook of the family and helpers, too

The laundry and a full bath are opposite each other beyond the kitchen and just a few steps from two secondary bedrooms

Upstairs is the master suite and a loft, which could act either as another bedroom or the sitting room or den for the master A door from here opens onto a covered side deck

The master contains two large storage areas and a pair of walk-in closets The bath component features a separate tub and shower plus his-and-her sinks

The basement area has an optional recreation room with the same kind of fireplace/ French door configuration to a patio as the main floor has to the deck It also has a wet bar

The other side of the basement is unfinished It has many possibilities such as extra bedrooms, sewing room, exercise room or computer room

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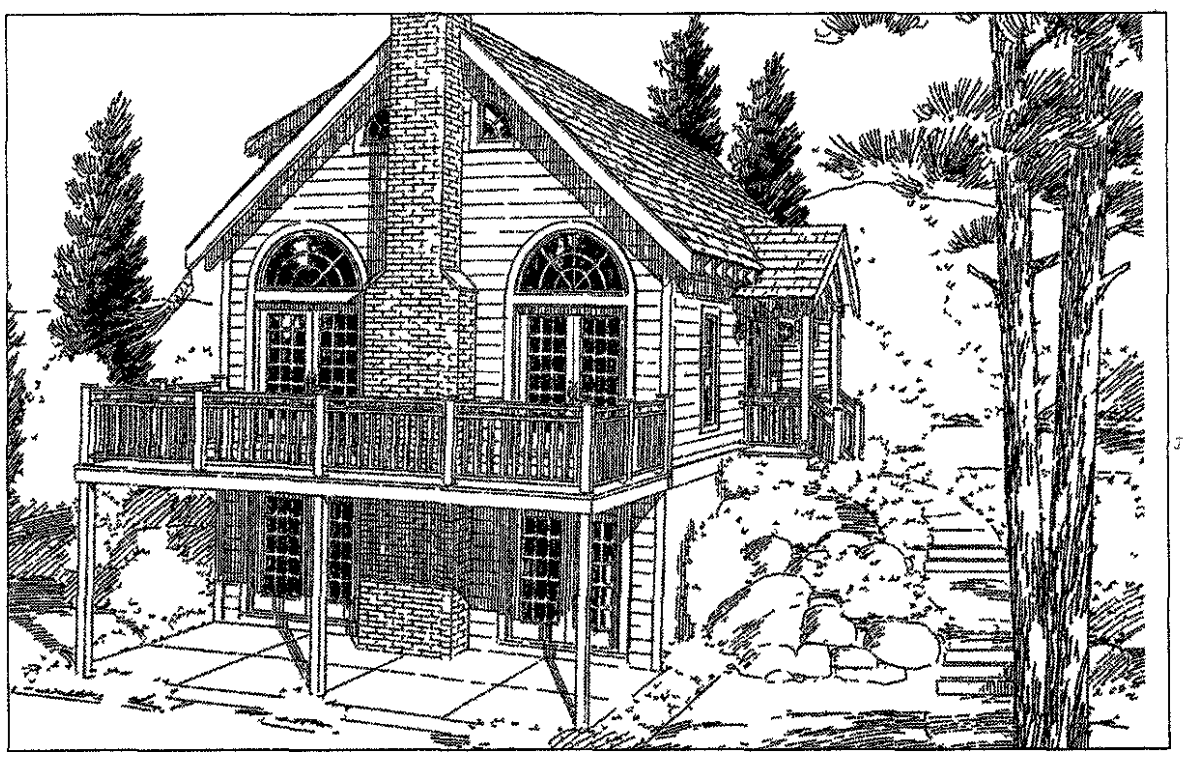

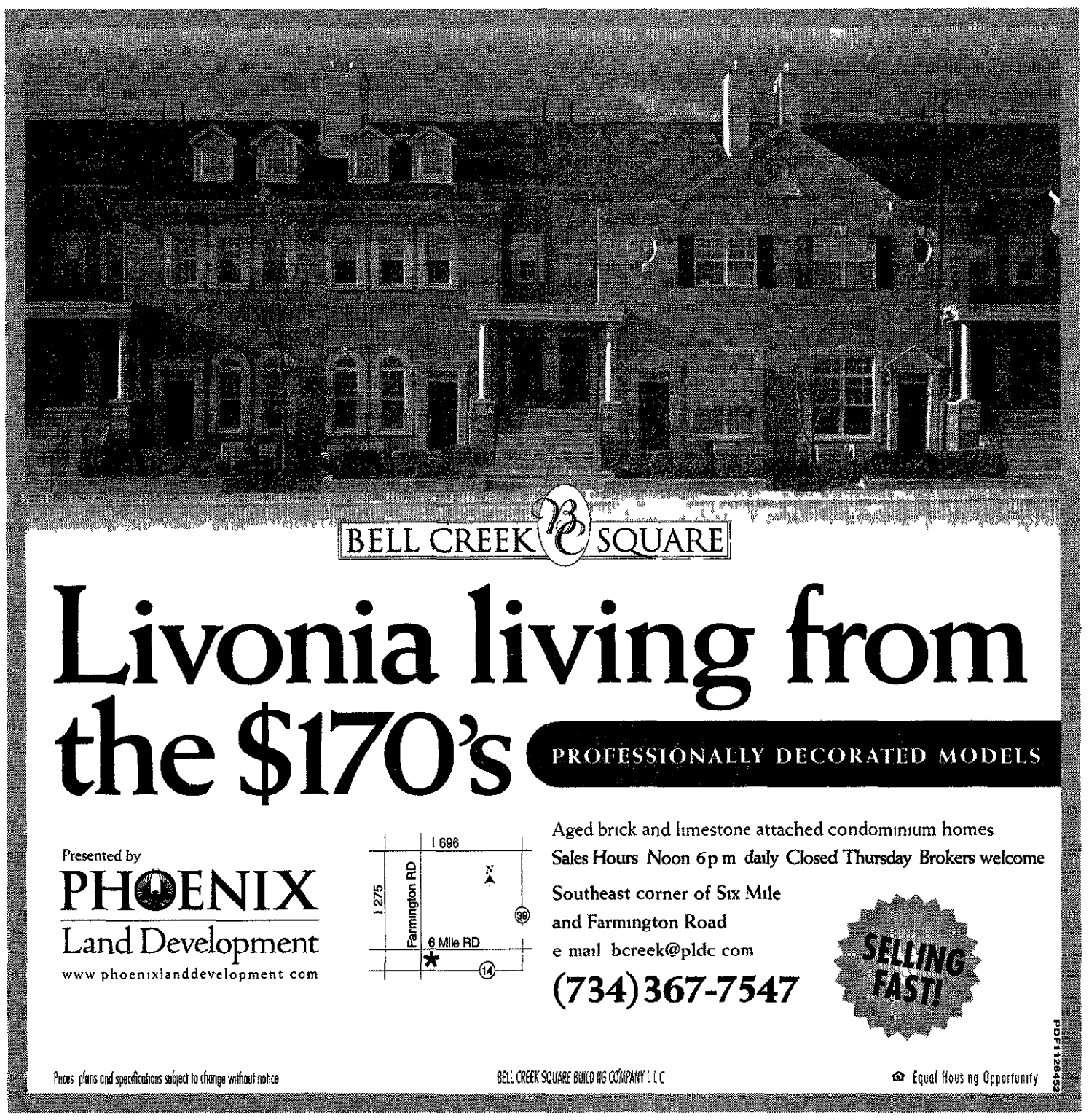

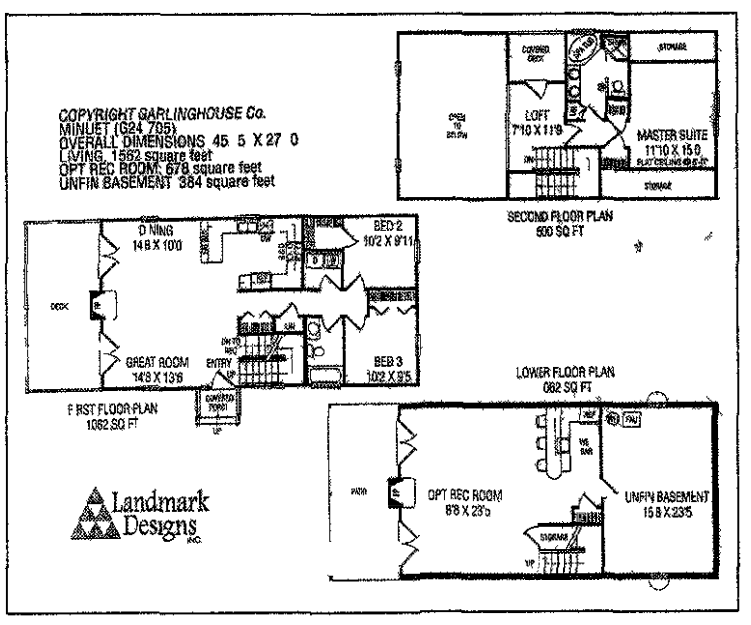

The new room everyone wants

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As working from home becomes commonplace, the home office begins to supplant the den or study

Once a place to mull over finances, pay bills or do some serious reading, this space fast is becoming an all-purpose room with a little help from new technology and enhanced home products

Phone and modem hookups are essential to such spaces, whether the fixtures are built into walls or installed somewhere along the floor for convenience

Walls and ceilings become host to media equipment, the extent of which depends on the professional or personal needs of the homeowner

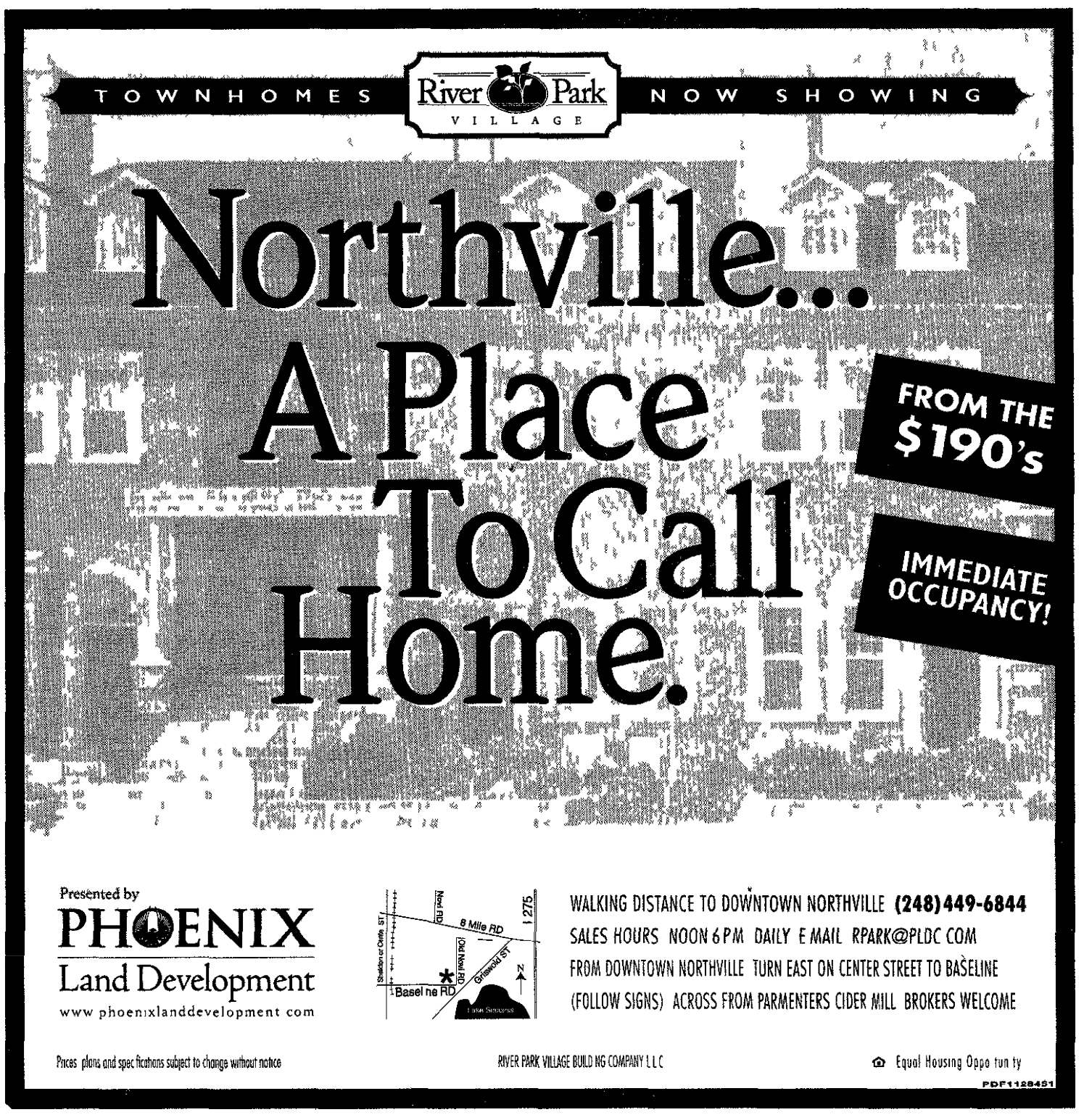
Built-in shelving and cabinetry eliminate the need for heavy, costly furniture that can be hard to fit in more compact spaces, while creating a natural sound barrier from other rooms in the home

Composite countertops made of granite and marble create attractive, durable work surfaces that are impervious to scratches and strong enough to bear the weight of computer equipment

Subtle lighting, especially natural light that filters through attractive window arrangements, is a welcome change from the sterile fluorescent lighting of many work environments

Such well-equipped home offices become ideal spots for receiving clients, operating a home-based business or simply managing household affairs

At once a media room, computer room, sitting room, library and study, these versatile spaces provide the flexibility modern homeowners want and need



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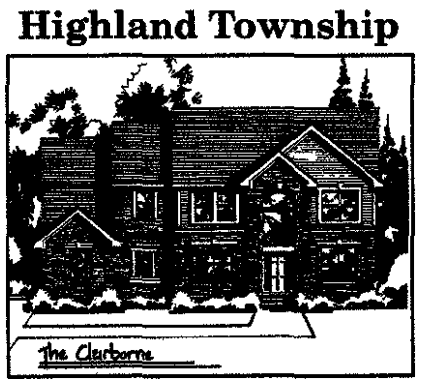

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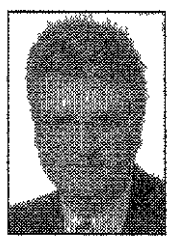
Here's how to reduce energy expenses in your home – Part I

The hot, humid weather we had this summer typically compels us to keep our air conditioners running nonstop

If you're like me, it isn't until you get your first big summer electric bill that you seriously consider ways to save money and stay cool

As a builder, I've discovered some relatively easy ways to help my customers cut the costs of energy bills

First, it's important for customers to understand where their energy dollars are going In the U S , the typical household spends $1,000 to $1,500 each year on utility bills



Stephen Taglione

Heating and cooling costs account for up to one-half of that expense, followed closely by the cost of using appliances and lighting, which consume one-third of that amount The cost of heating water consumes an additional one eighth of that amount

With that in mind, we can focus on the two primary ways to reduce home energy usage

The first is to purchase and use energy efficient products such as high-efficiency heating and cooling equipment and energy-efficient appliances

The second way is to conserve as much energy as possible by adopting habits that decrease the amount of energy used to operate homes

Conservation and efficiency improve that I recommend include the following

■ Set your thermostat at a higher temperature in the summer and a lower temperature in the winter

Even better, install a programmable thermostat You can then match the heating and cooling of your home to your family s schedule

Programmable thermostats cost about $40-$100, but can save 10-15 percent on your costs without compromising comfort

■ Check and change air filters regularly Dirty filters can reduce the efficiency of your air conditioning, heating and ventilation systems

■ Examine the ratings on any new air conditioning equipment you purchase

Homes I build include central air conditioning units with at least a Seasonal Energy Efficient Ratio (SEER) rating of 12 For room air conditioners, look for units that have a high Energy Efficiency Ration (EER)

For both types of air conditioners, the higher the SEER or EER rating, the more energy efficient the unit

■ Consider alternative to cooling your home Fans and dehumidifiers use less energy than air conditioners

I will discuss other ways to curtail energy expenses in an upcoming column

Stephen J Taglione is the immediate past president of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan He s also a master builder with nearly 15 years experience in the industry and president of Westminster Abbey Homes LLC in Bingham Farms

Home follows new healthy indoor air guidelines

(AP) – Chuck Knight was turned on to the "healthy design" concept when he worked on the new corporate headquarters for the American Lung Association of Minnesota

The project inspired Knight, an architect, to build his family's home under new health-oriented guidelines developed by that organization

The Woodbury home, featured in the Parade of Homes Fall Showcase in the Twin Cities, is billed as the first home in the nation to follow the American Lung Association s newly revised builder guidelines

The guidelines, which focus on indoor air quality, durability and energy efficiency, are an updated version of building practices introduced by the American Lung Association's Health House program in 1993

The practices cover everything from the foundation, framing and flooring to heating and air conditioning, insulation and the roof

"I learned a lot from what Health House was doing – what s behind the walls, filters, where mold potential could be – that I was never aware of, Knight said

He was especially motivated to build a "healthy home' because one of his four children suffers from mild asthma

According to Knight, indoor air quality can be improved by implementing some relatively simple construction and maintenance practices

The Woodbury house for example, uses granular fill under the slab to prevent moisture and mold growth in the home and features large overhangs over the windows and walls to direct rainwater away from the house

It also has soft foam Icynene insulation in the walls, floors and ceilings The insulation controls noise and increases energy efficiency, while discouraging harmful allergens and mildew from getting into the home

Additional features include a state-of-the-art ventilation system, radiant floor heating, a central vacuum system for easy cleaning in each room and tile instead of carpet on the main level

Tile and wood floors are considered preferable to carpet because they harbor fewer pollutants and are easier to clean

'When you spill – and you will have spills in the house – all of the moisture will evaporate in the radiant floor system, Knight said "Just the little things make a world of difference

Angie Lien, director of the American Lung Association's Health House program, said the program has built more than 120 homes in 35 states It was developed in response to increased rates of asthma and allergies that coincided with the construction of tighter homes in the 1980s

The organization estimates that 36 million Americans suffer from allergies or asthma, and many triggers for those maladies – including volatile organic compounds, dust and biological contaminants – can be found in the home

In the 1980s, we wanted to save on energy much as we do now,' Lien said So the construction techniques began to change in tightening up our homes We didn't bring in enough fresh air and exhaust out the stale air

'With tightening up the homes, what we did is trap pollutants inside, which can be a health concern, especially if you have asthma and allergies," she said

Steve Klossner, a Health House technical consultant, said moisture is one of the biggest culprits when it comes to mold growth and poor indoor air quality In the past, homes were built more tightly without adequate regard to preventing moisture intrusion, he noted

And that lent itself to developing biological contaminants, because we got water where we didn t want it,' he said 'And it also lent itself to allowing water into our wall and ceiling assemblies, and it would start to grow mold

The Woodbury house will be tested for at least a year to monitor how effective the new Healthy Home guidelines are

'We need good data to show the difference between where we are now and the impact of this kind of house for the future,' Knight said

Although the Woodbury home is a higher-end project, Lien noted that homes don't have to be expensive to have quality indoor air

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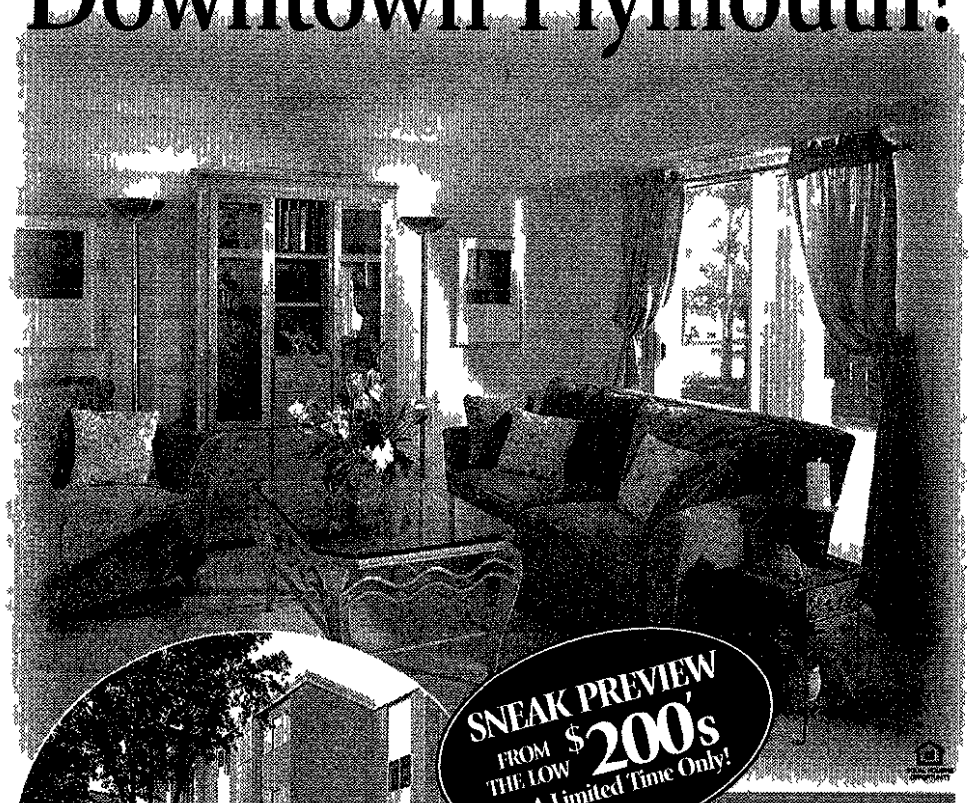

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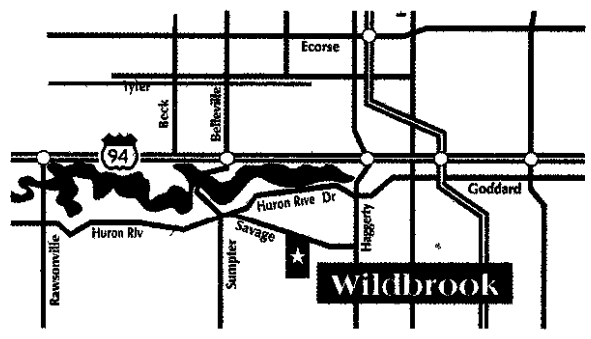

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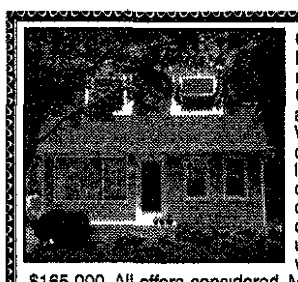

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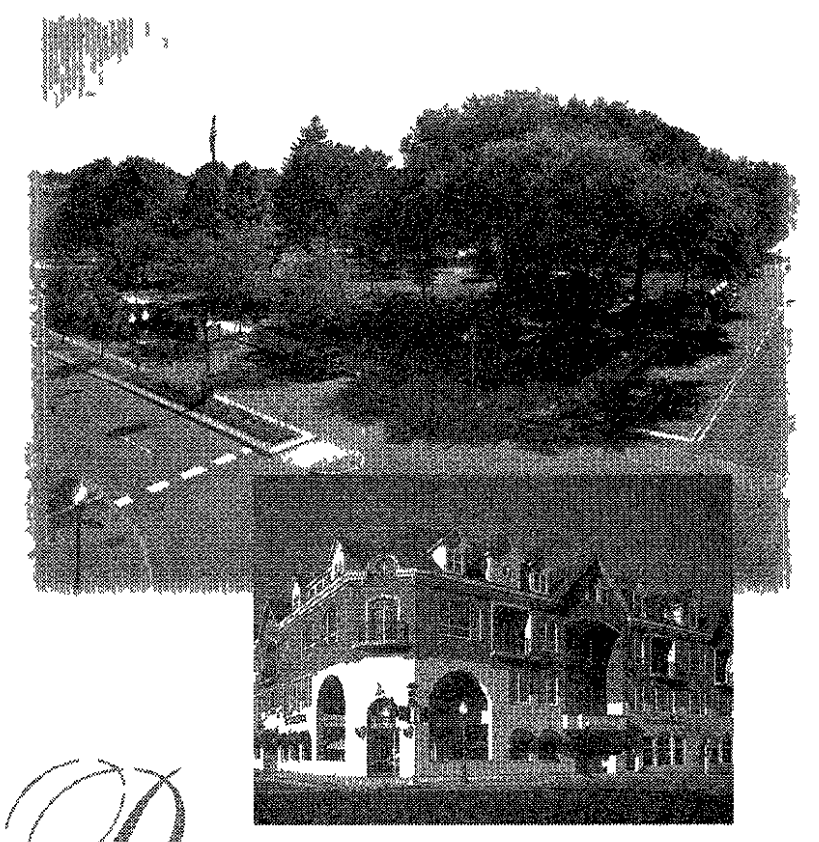

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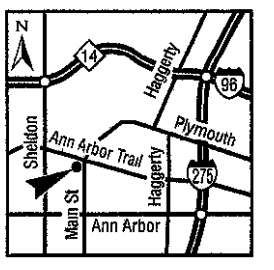

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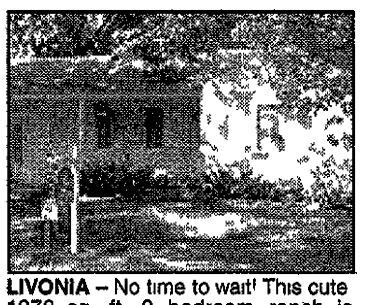

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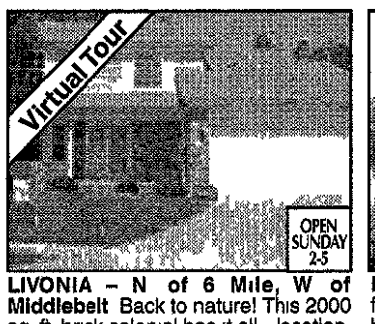

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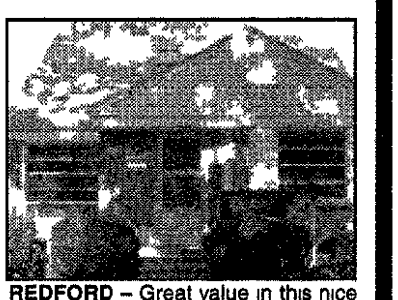

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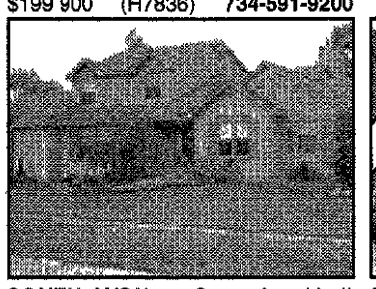

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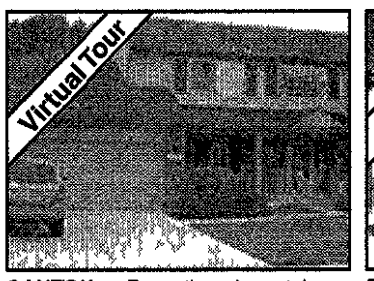

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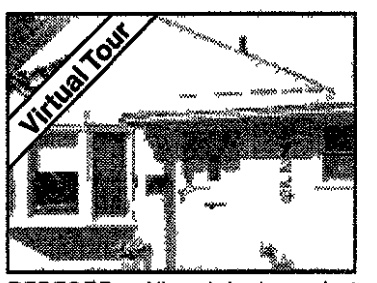

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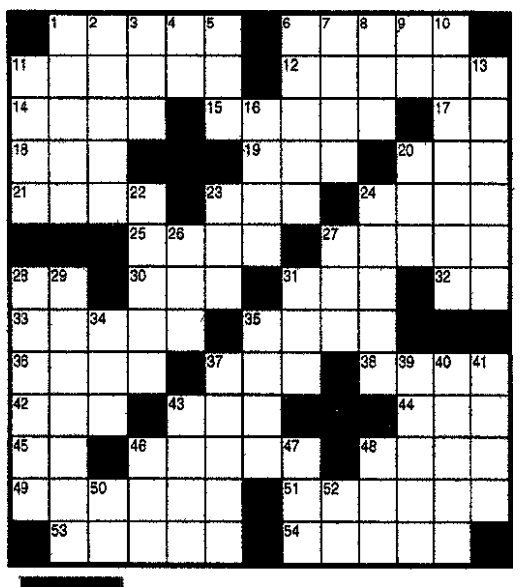

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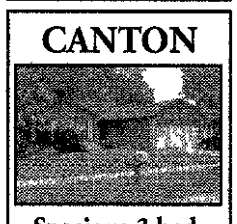
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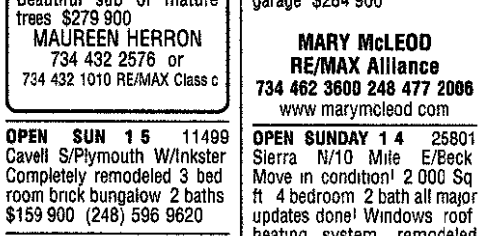

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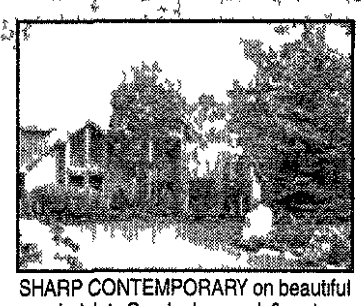

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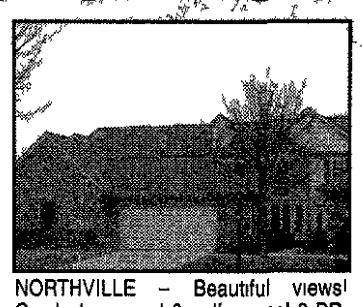

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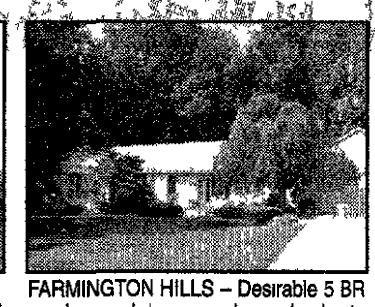
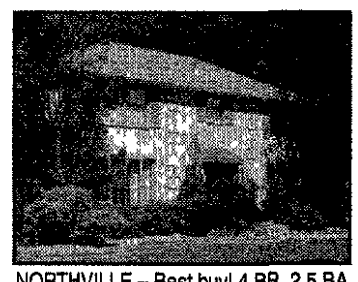


FARMINGTON HILLS – Desirable 5 BR ranch in cul de sac privacy backs to woods Brick pavers deck landscaping 3 5 BA DR w/skylights ceramic floor in kit & foyer LL W/O as separate living quarters Florida room full room under garage w/workshop $419 900 (98APP) 248 642 8100

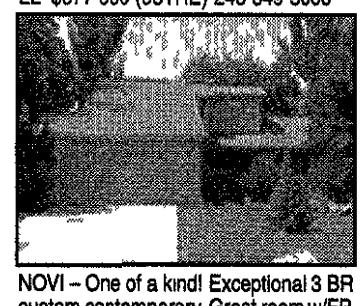
LAKE ORION – Former model Spacious Colonial in popular Silverbell Oaks Beautiful hardwood floors grace this former model Professional decor with custom window treatments 2 story grand foyer plus 2 story family room gourmet kitchen luxurious master $429 900 (74KAE) 248 652 8000

GORGEOUS COLONIAL – 4 BD 4 BA huge MBR w/spacious bath large kitchen walkout basement w/bath inground pool w/Jacuzzi extensive decking paver walks 3 car garage 3 fireplaces vaulted ceilings privacy and seclusion $449 999 (95JAM) 248 363 1200

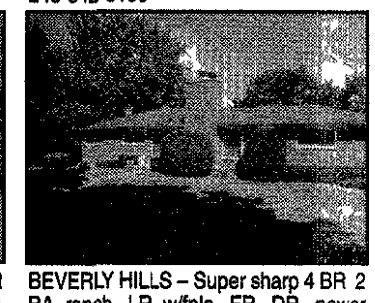
CAR CONNOISSEURS ESTATE On just under 3 acres Exquisite country estate renovation w/additions First floor master suite 2 story window great room turreted breakfast room lower level game room 3 bedrooms up w/study Note 2nd garage for 6 $2 199 000 (31SPR) 248 626 8800



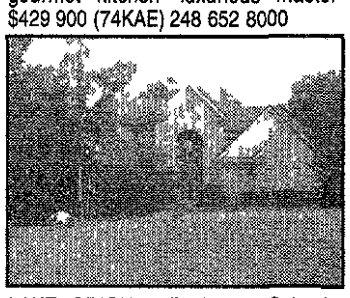
NORTHVILLE – Best buy! 4 BR 2 5 BA Colonial w/4200 useable sq ft! Original 3 season sun room w/added FP forced air & elec heat Updated kitchen base ment roof furnace A/C deck & land scape $454 000 (04WAT) 734-455 5600



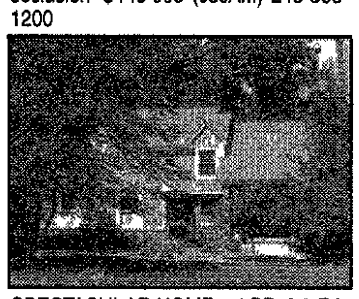
NOVI – One of a kind! Exceptional 3 BR custom contemporary Great room w/FP cathedral ceiling Separate DR & 2nd story loft First floor laundry Finished basement Private corner lot very nice $319 900 (25PHI) 248-349-5600



BEVERLY HILLS – Super sharp 4 BR 2 BA ranch LR w/fplc FR DR newer white mode kit rec rm w/full bath and Jacuzzi Hdwd floors fabulous private lot w/45x15 custom pool Newer fur nace A/C and windows A great house great area! $314 900 (10BEV) 248 642 8100



LAKE ORION – Rochester Schools Orion Sub 4 bedrooms 2 5 baths excellent condition Lavish master w/ceramic bath & jet tub Gourmet kitchen w/2 ovens Family room w/sound system & gas fireplace 2 car garage and more $379 977 (73IND) 248 652-8000



SPECTACULAR HOME – 4 BD 2 5 BA GR FR hdwd ceramic 2 way fire place Large kitchen w/center island 2+1 garage Huge wrap around deck in the trees Lots of windows & doorwalls Top of the line everything Vaulted ceil ings Fin walkout LL What a great home $399 900 (40SAL) 248 363 1200

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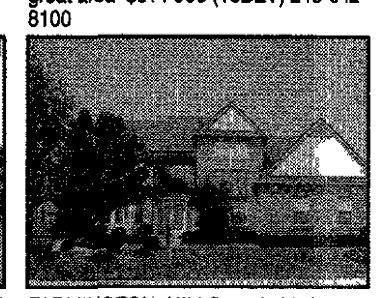
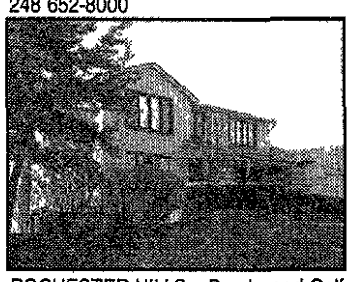
BLOOMFIELD HILLS – Fabulous and the largest residence on approx 8 acres 12 BRs 9 BA 12 fplcs huge LR FR GR w/all imported fplc Newer kit unbelievable MBR suite & 3rd floor ball-room for 100 guests Pool tennis cts coach house and 4 car gar w/apt $7 999 900 (30SUR) 248-642-8100



FARMINGTON HILLS – 1998 built 4 bedroom colonial w/formal living and dining rooms sturdy GR wood floors 9 ceilings 1st floor laundry and finished lower level with in-home theatre and fit ness center Gorgeous sub Quick occu pancy $398 900 (91WIN) 248 524 1600



ROCHESTER HILLS – Brookwood Golf Club Fresh paint and new carpet set a neutral tone in this updated Colonial on the 1st green Features include island kitchen w/Jennair library finished walk out basement Community tennis pool and clubhouse $349 900 (63BRO) 248 652 8000

SPACIOUS & GRACIOUS HOME – New 4 BD 2 5 BA home w/park in back yard Great room w/windows galore large kitchen w/custom cabinets MBR w/fireplace & Jacuzzi tub Walkout LL w/daylight windows Hardwood floors ceramic baths upgrades everywhere! $349 900 (45MAD) 248 363 1200

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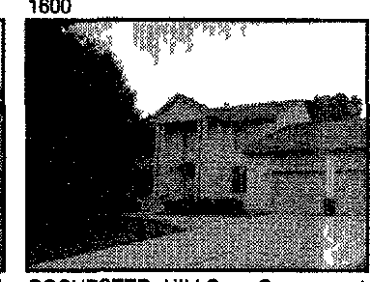
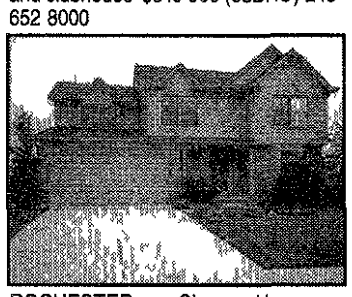
ORCHARD LAKE – Motivated seller! Fabulous contemporary on quiet cul-de-sac original owner 4 BR 3 5 BA vault ed GR w/fplc and doorwalls to deck Kit w/granite island lib fin WO LL w/GR and full bath 3 car gar $574 900 (72HIC) 248 642 8100

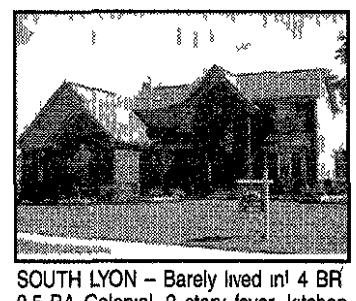


ROCHESTER HILLS – Gorgeous 4 bedroom 4 5 bath brick colonial w/4 skylights circular drive and finished W/O basement w/kitchen wet bar and 5th bedroom Library/den w/full shower Backs to the scenic Clinton River Home warranty included $495 000 (48RIV) 248 524 1600



ROCHESTER – Shows like new Hardwood floor from entry through kitchen and eating area Great master suite w/vaulted ceiling and jetted tub Neutral carpet great landscaping and deck Quick possession $324 933 (18POI) 248-652 8000

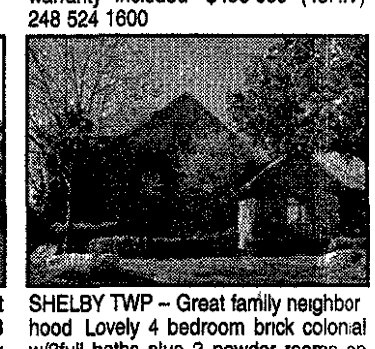
FARMINGTON HILLS TUDOR – 4 BR 2 5 BA w/3+ car garage on nearly ½ acre in gated Ramblewood FR w/beamed ceiling & fireplace formal dining w/wet bar & spacious BRs First floor laundry Immediate & ready to move into $339 900 (90APP) 248 626 8800



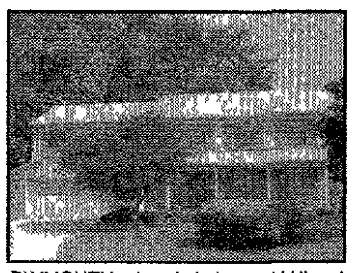
SOUTH LYON – Barely lived in! 4 BR 2 5 BA Colonial 2 story foyer kitchen w/hdwd floors & island Formal DR LR & FR w/FP Neutral tones throughout 1st flr laundry Walkout basement Large deck $397 500 (35BUC) 734 455 5600

SOUTH LYON – Tanglewood Golf Community offers this incredible 3 BR 2 5 BA Cape Cod w/1st floor master suite 2 story great rm w/FP Oak kitchen w/walk in pantry 2 BRs w/loft open to kitchen Prof fin bsmt 3 car side entry garage $479 900 (80SPY) 248 349 5600

BLOOMFIELD – Detached condo w/1st flr MBR ste w/2 WIC s and whirlpool 3 BR 3 5 BA double door entry library w/fplc LR w/elevated ceiling and fire place Large kit formal DR w/access to deck fin LL L/C terms avail $569 900 (13PIN) 248 642 8100

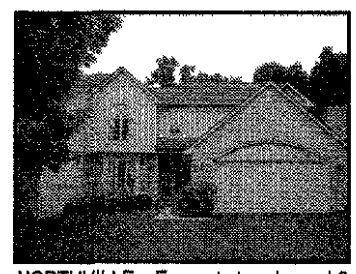


SHELBY TWP – Great family neighbor hood Lovely 4 bedroom brick colonial w/2full baths plus 2 powder rooms on main floor MBR bath w/whirlpool library w/French doors extensive use of crown moldings Marble FP island kitchen brick paver patio, 3 car garage $369 900 (36PHE) 248-524-1600

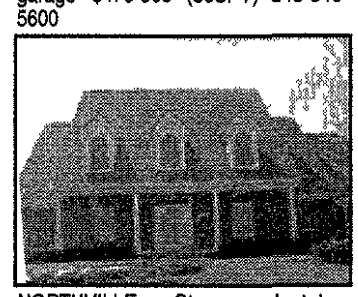


PLYMOUTH – Lovely Lakepoint Village! 3 bedroom 1½ bath Great location w/Plymouth Canton Schools Fieldstone fireplace in family room Updated kitchen w/Corian & Oak hardwood floors Hardwood floors under carpet $239 900 (24DOG) 734-455 5600

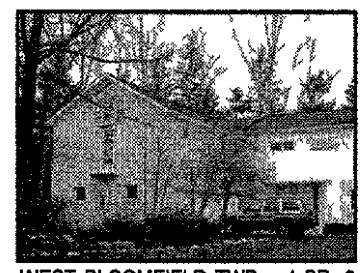
A MUST SEE COLONIAL! – This 4 bed room 2 story built in 1997 has stairs from foyer & 2 story foyer Ceramic throughout 2 full baths & 2 lavs Nicely finished basement plus more! One year home warranty $349 900 (27CRA) 248 626 8800



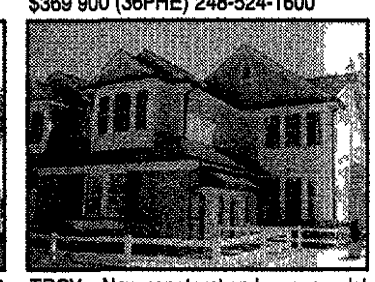
NORTHVILLE – Exquisite townhouse! 3 BR 2 5 BA Walk to downtown Northville Bright neutral & immaculate Freshly painted GR w/cathedral ceil ings gas FP Formal DR Library w/newer carpet & kitchen w/breakfast room $316 888 (37COV) 734-455 5600



NORTHVILLE – Stunning plantation style Cape Cod 4 BR 3 5 BA home w/granite counter tops hdwd flooring custom screened porch extensive stone walkways landscaping & decking 1st floor master suite Many built ins Major upgraded Amenities $747 000 (67FOX) 248 349 5600

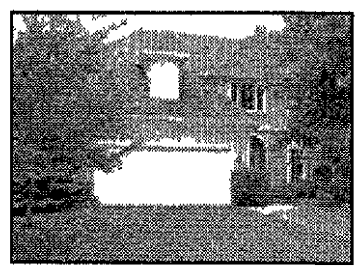


WEST BLOOMFIELD TWP – 4 BR 2 full bath & 2 5 baths white contempo rary artist studio finished basement w/Bloomfield Hills Schools Enjoy Walnut Lake privileges - private beach $499 900 (33WEN) 248-642-8100



TROY – New construction luxury condo! Three bedrooms 2 5 baths first floor master suite w/bath and walk in closet Two car attached garage Grand two story entrance foyer w/hardwood floors Family room w/FP Lush landscaping and privacy fencing $339 900 (26APP) 248-524-1600

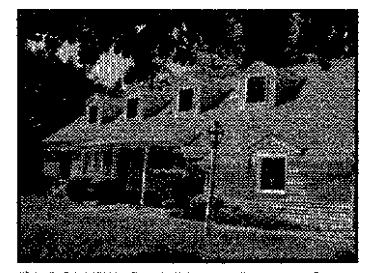
PERFECT EXECUTIVE HOME – On large prof landscaped lot 2 story GR Generous dining area Chef s kitchen w/pantry 1st floor master bedroom 3 car garage Farmington Hills Schools $499 900 (53PEM) 248 363 1200



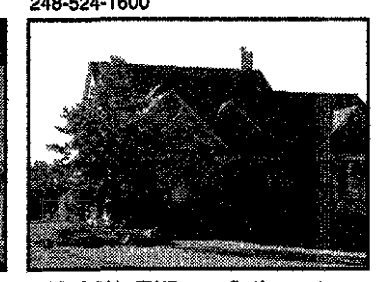
ABSOLUTE PERFECTION! – Very cus tom 4 bedroom French architecture 4½ baths hardwood floors extensive mold ings and tray ceiling detail Granite kitchen island Jennaire appliances Huge breakfast room finished base ment Large treed park like lot $479 900 (26ELI) 248 626 8800

PLYMOUTH – Custom ranch! 4 BR 2 5 BA Ranch w/newer hdwd flrs in kitchen DR foyer & hall Kitchen w/newer maple cabs & Corian 2/02 Newer windows Solid WD Doors Finished LL w/family room game room 4th BR $305 800 (70SIM) 734 455 5600

NORTHVILLE – Perfect Peaceful Private Sharp 3 BR 3 5 BA waterfront condo Marble foyer granite counters 2 FPs & many built ins Fin walkout LL w/office & wet bar DR/French door to deck Spiral stairs to LL and deck Much more $420 500 (64BLU) 248 349 5600



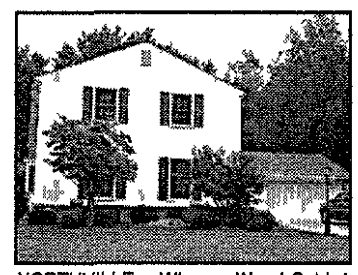
BLOOMFIELD TWP – Elegant Cape Cod on approx 1/2 acre in popular Foxcroft sub 3/4 BR 2 5 BA W/O bsmt, updated white kit and hrdwd floors 2 fplcs FR LR and library Newer fur nace large deck overlooks park like setting $499 000 (30SUR) 248 642-8100



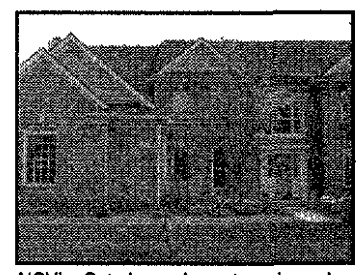
ADDISON TWP – Golfers dream house Three bedroom 2 5 Cape Cod on the fourth green of Copper Hills Golf Club w/membership included Hardwood floors library three car side entry garage first floor master bed room Tastefully decorated Home war ranty $394 500 (71HEM) 248-524 1600

SUPERB CUSTOM RANCH – Cul de sac location in Willow Woods 3 BD 2 full baths +2 half baths 2x2 thru fire places large eat in kitchen wonderful LL w/under floor heat lots of custom tile marble cabs granite sep MBR on 1st level $499 900 (85ELI) 248 363 1200

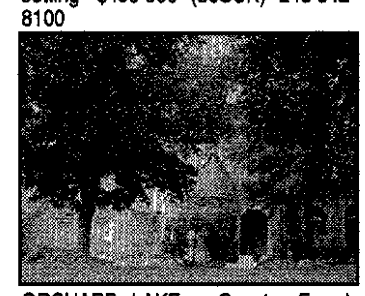
HOME WITH CONTEMPORARY FLAIR – Two story foyer studio ceiling living room w/fireplace FR w/fireplace & wet bar Gourmet kitchen MBR suite w/sitting area & Jacuzzi Newer carpeting freshly painted interior One year home warranty $429 000 (10HID) 248 626-8800



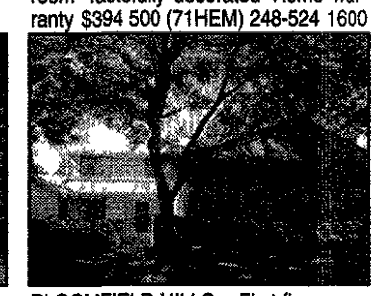
NORTHVILLE – Whisper Wood Sub! 4 BR 3 5 BA beautifully remodeled Colonial New kitchen w/hickory cabs & granite counter Large GR w/FP Pella doorwall to cedar deck w/hot tub Andersen windows Newer roof $369 900 (06STE) 734-455 5600



NOVI – Cut above Amenities abound in this 4 BR Colonial w/soaring ceilings 2 staircases granite counters plantation shutters brick patio/wrought iron cul de sac location Prof landscaped w/Northville Schools $567 000 (97AUT) 248 349 5600



ORCHARD LAKE – Country French residence w/spacious LR/fplc library w/French doors at entry huge kit w/island and pantry FR w/fplc built in bookcases and game table area w/doorwalls to patio MBR w/bath suite and fin bsmt $489 900 (54CHE) 248 642-8100



BLOOMFIELD HILLS – First floor mas ter condo w/private cul de sac location near Birmingham GR w/gas FP and cathedral ceiling w/view of wooded yard and deck Kitchen w/pantry and doorwall to paver patio Two car garage Neutral T/O $439 000 (27ARB) 248 524-1600

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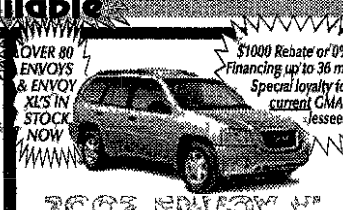

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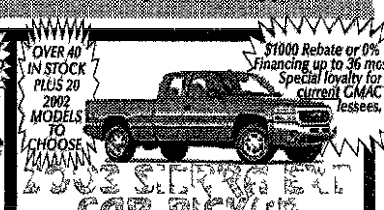

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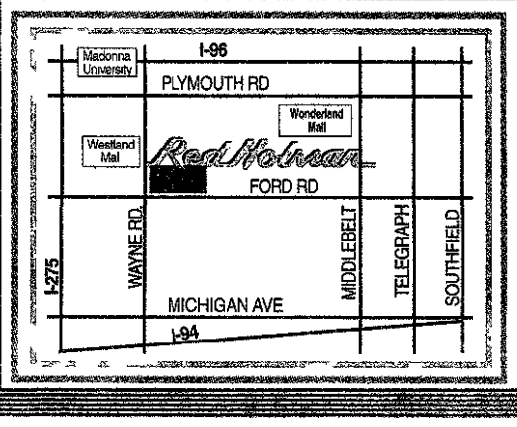

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Retail Price $40,806.63* Retail Lease $538.16** Total Due $2292 65

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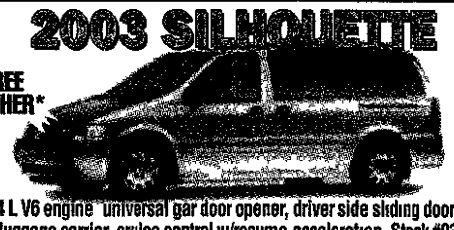

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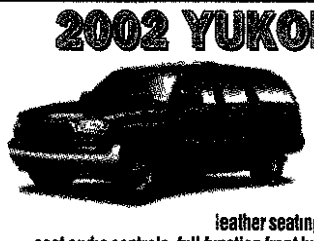

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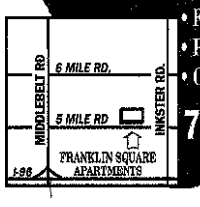

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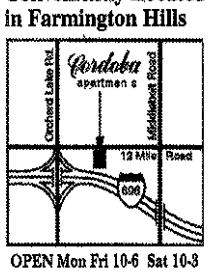

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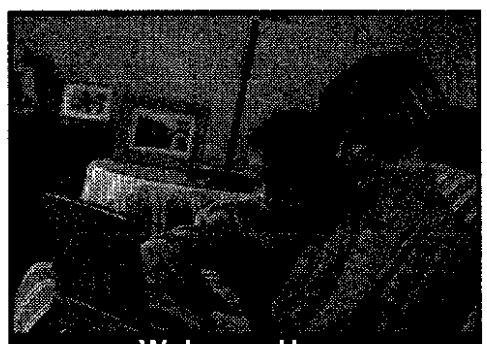

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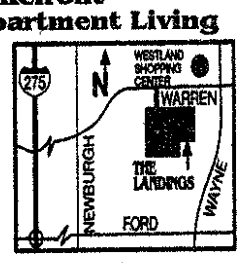

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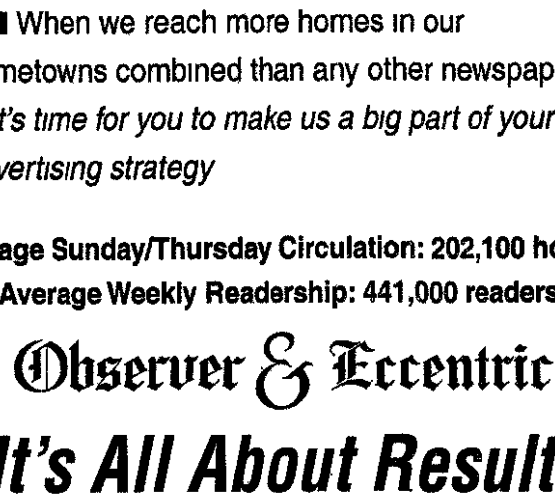
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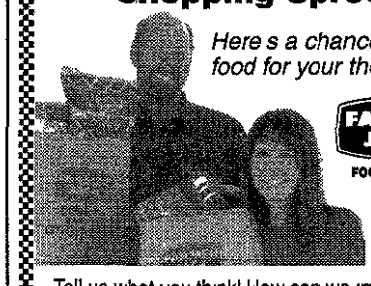

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Livonia MI 48154
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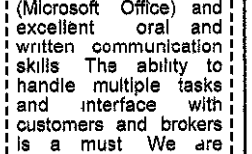

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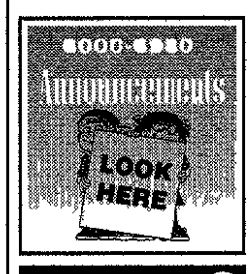

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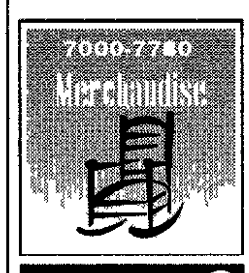

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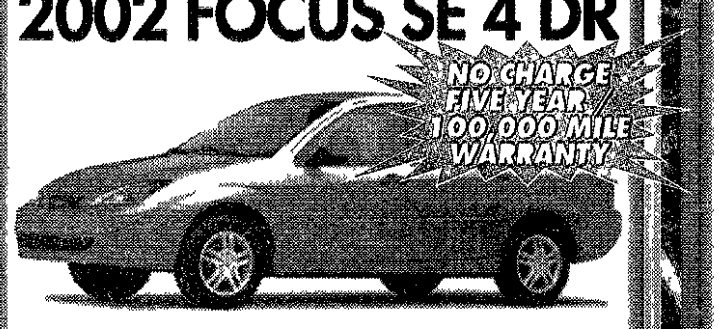

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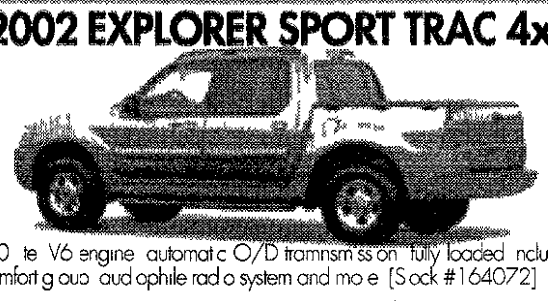

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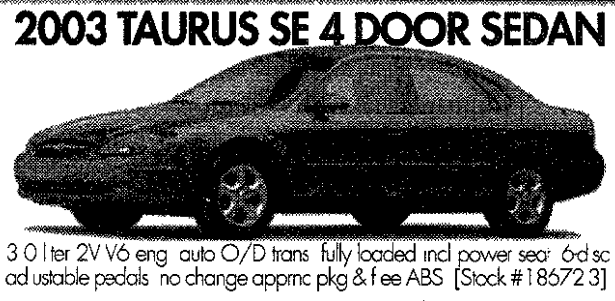

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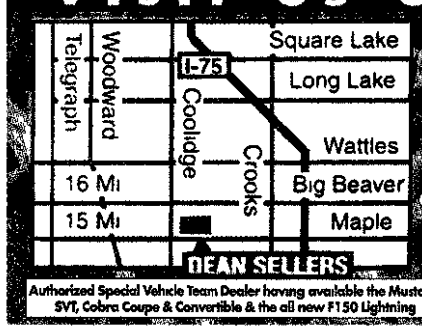

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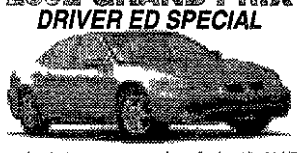

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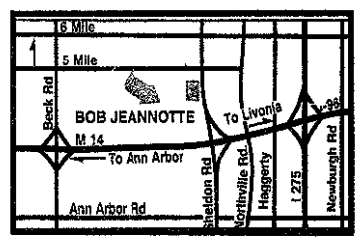

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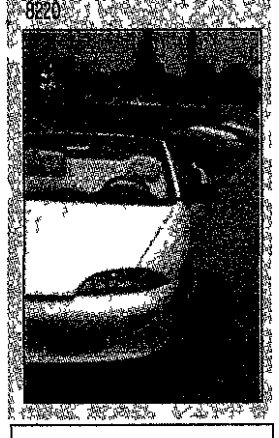

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The last time I drove the Ford Explorer Sport Trac was in sunny California several years ago Ford took us from the airport directly to a beautiful park in San Francisco where you could see the Golden Gate Bridge

All of a sudden, up pulls a backhoe filled to the top with boulders The backhoe operator dumps the entire load into the back of the Sport Trac Then someone starts picking them out of the flatbed, revealing to us that the Sheet Molded Composite cargo box can take anything you can throw at it without harming the interior of the truck's bed

I was impressed Especially since everyone wants to put a bedliner or some other protector in their truck's bed

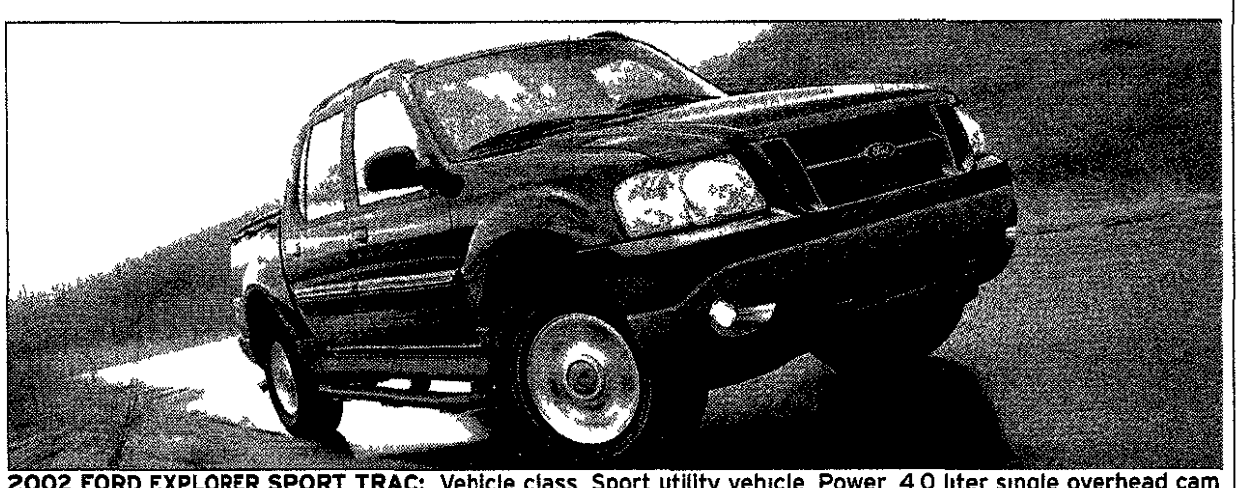
By the way -- did you know that those new after-market spray-on coatings you can get from various venders immediately voids your truck's paint warranty? That's because the truck bed s factor finish must be destroyed GM actually considers the installation of a spray-on liner "excessive damage" that impacts the warranty coverage

Get an Explorer Sport Trac and you won't have to worry about any of this stuff The only thing I didn't like was the available lockable hard tonneau cover it was hard to open and harder to put stuff in the rear bed

Back there, you'll find a 51-inch (or 29 6 cubic feet of cargo space) pickup box that you can outfit with a swing-over tubular bed extender that considerably extends the bed even farther The tubular frame locks in place and is very lightweight Even from outside the truck, it's easy to put in place

OK Enough about the pickup box Let's get into some of the meat and potatoes of what makes the Explorer Sport Trac a very special truck Inside, it's really not very different from the Explorer, which is still the best-selling SUV

Interior appointments are very, very nice Seating is comfortable The Sport Trac I drove had leather seats that were very soft and comfy There are two buckets up front and room for three with a rear 60/40 split bench seat In the back seat are head restraints on the outboard seating positions



2002 FORD EXPLORER SPORT TRAC: Vehicle class Sport utility vehicle Power 4 0 liter single overhead cam V6 engine Mileage 15 city/19 highway Where built Louisville Price as tested $31,400

The leather seats up front also feature manual lumbar adjustments and 4-way head restraints for both positions You can also choose from cloth bucket seats that have a 6 way adjustable recline feature for the driver

The interior is very nicely laid out for the driver the only disturbing feature was the center stack that houses the heating/venting/cooling and AM/FM/CD/cassette stereo You actually have to take your eyes fully off the road to operate the controls I didn t like that at all I guess after some time, you'll probably get used to it -- just like typing or something But I didn't like the placement of both those components

Everything else is smartly placed and geared totally to the drivers experience Stalks are within fingertip reach and instrumentation is easy to understand

The optional overhead console features map lights, a compass, outside temperature and a garage door storage bin the center storage console is geared toward the rear passengers by allowing them rear heater/air conditioning controls, headphone jacks and audio controls

The Sport Trac features four full-size doors that allow passengers in and out very effectively the interior is very roomy Large people can fit back there comfortably

Powered by a 4 0 liter single overhead cam V6, the standard Sport Trac comes with a 5-speed manual transmission that outputs 210 horses Opt for the 5-speed automatic overdrive transmission for ease of operation You'll be able to tow a maximum of 5,300 pounds with Sport Trac

Driving around town and traveling to the upper reaches of Michigan's lower peninsula was a joy Handling was superb Ride quality is really wonderful Sport Trac also features shift-on-the-fly 4-wheel drive system that would be a joy to have off-roading or having fun in the snow The 4-wheel drive system is available in both configurations of the Sport Trac, either with the 5-speed manual or 5-speed automatic

Fuel capacity has been changed to add a little more than 2 more gallons this year, increasing it to 22 4 gallons That gets you nearly to the top of the mitten from Detroit Fuel economy ranges from 15 to 21 mpg, depending on transmission and whether you outfit it with 4-wheel-drive or not

As for the looks of the Explorer Sport Trac, it's beautifully executed in every way The Explorer series has always had handsome looks -- that's why it sells so well

I would seriously take a look at Sport Trac as an alternative vehicle that's perfect for a family who needs the versatility of a pick-up truck

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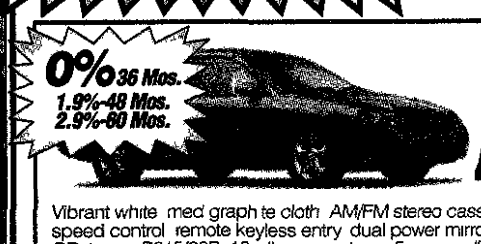

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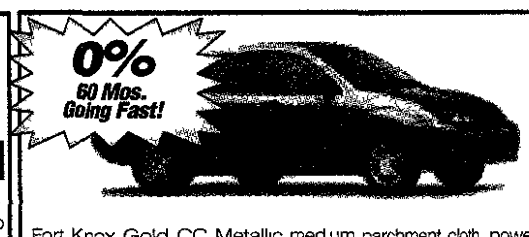

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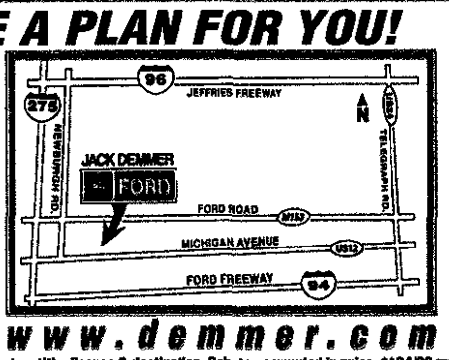

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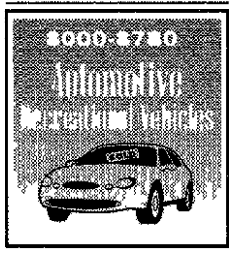

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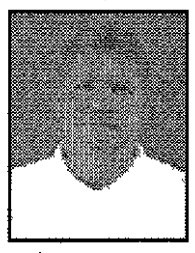

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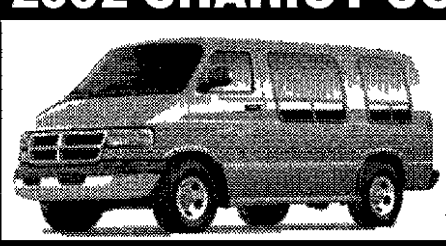

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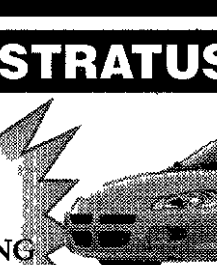

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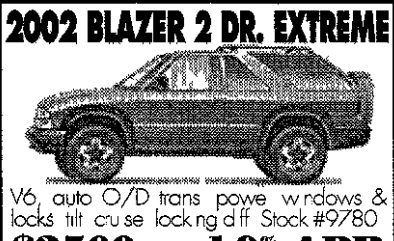

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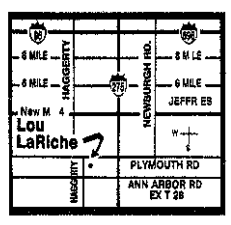

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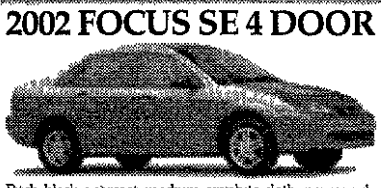

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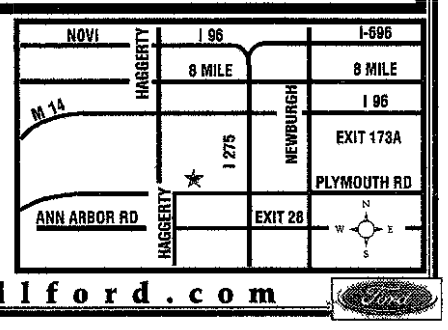

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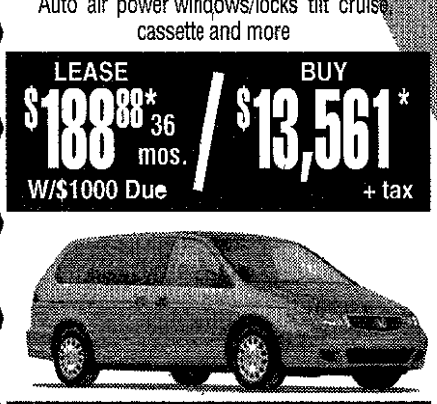

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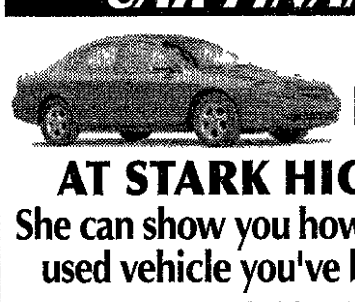

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Rebate $2,500
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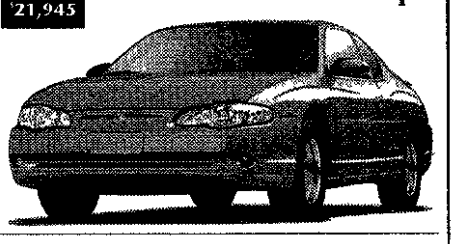
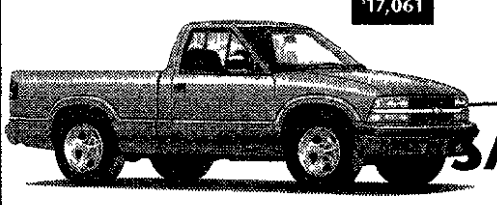


2002 Fleetside Pick-up
msrp $17,061
GMS Purchase $15,451
Rebate $3,000
SALE! $12,451



2002 Impala Sedan
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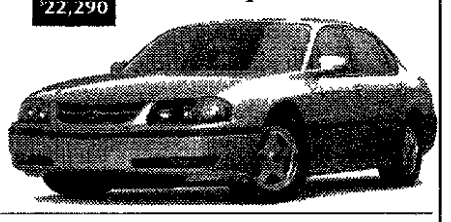
Rebate $2,500
SALE! $17,266



2002 Cavalier 2-Door
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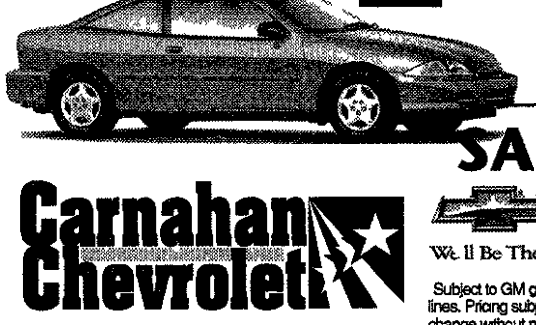
Rebate $2,500
SALE! $11,598



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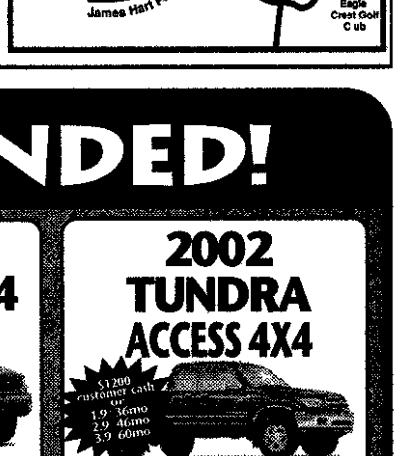

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Stock #3 8250
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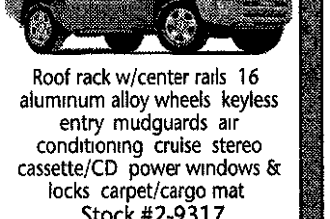

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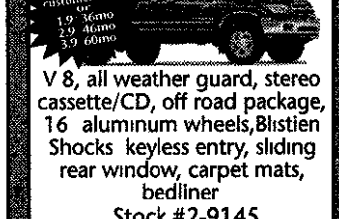

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Stock #2-9145
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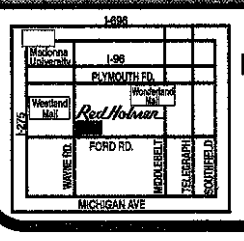
SALE PRICE $24,895*



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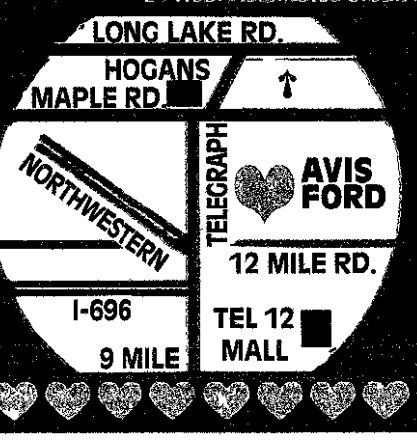

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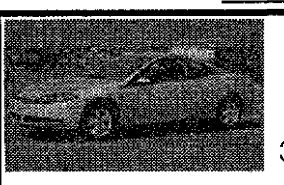
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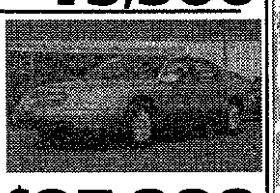
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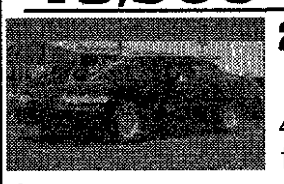
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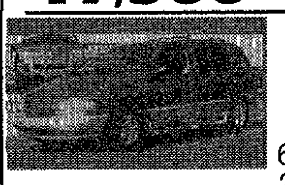
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