



Moving
Dancers enter brave new worlds
in Filter: Section E

Filter
PURE ENTERTAINMENT!

Star Struck
Horoscopes with
Dennis Fairchild
in Filter.

Your hometown newspaper
serving Plymouth and
Plymouth Township for 118
years

THURSDAY
October 30 2003
75 cents

PLYMOUTH
Observer

Good eats
Chaldean
cookbook brings
out the best in
ethnic cuisine
Taste, D1



VOLUME 118 NUMBER 19

www.hometownlife.com

©2003 HOMETOWN COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

Pipetina

Culture grants

St John's Episcopal Church was one of the beneficiaries when Michigan's Arts and Humanities Touring Program announced grants this week. The program, funded by the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, consists of a wide variety of cultural programs ranging from school assembly musical performances to library storytellers. "I'm pleased our local schools and churches received this much-deserved cultural funding," said state Sen. Bruce Patterson (R-Canton), who announced the grants. "This money will be used to educate our young children and open their minds to a diverse selection of music, theater and comedy." The program awarded a total of \$40,248 to 351 programs statewide.

Poetry slam

Chalk up a big success for the Plymouth District Library. More than 60 teens from across western



Wayne County took part in last week's Poetry Slam at the library. The event was emceed by Jeff Kass, founder of Ann Arbor Youth Poetry, who said of the competition, "It's more about the poetry than the points." The event featured love poetry, social commentary, comedy and personal confessions.

Hall of Fame

The Plymouth Evening Kiwanis Club and the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce are seeking nominees to the Plymouth Hall of Fame. Deadline for nominations is Dec 1. Background information to support nominations is helpful. Nominations are being accepted at the chamber, 386 S Main, fax (734) 453-1724. For more information, call (734) 453-1540.

Cops, fire among possible city cuts

Reduced leaf pickup and cuts in snow removal, police and fire services — even special events in Kellogg Park — could be the end result if voters don't approve a millage increase on Tuesday's general election ballot.

Proposal 1, if approved, will

allow city commissioners to raise property taxes from the current 11 mills to a maximum 15 mills in each of the next three years. Plymouth city commissioners will be forced to evaluate personnel and service cuts to the tune of \$12 million for the 2004-05 fiscal year if

Proposal 1 goes down to defeat. According to a list given by City Manager Paul Sincock to commissioners, nearly three-quarters of the monetary cuts could come from reductions in the police, fire and public works departments. In the August memo, Sincock

indicated the city could save \$225,000 in reduced municipal services operations by:

- Reducing the leaf pickup schedule
- Limiting snow removal overtime to major streets only
- Scheduling residential snow removal for only Monday

through Friday, with no provisions for overtime.

- Eliminating summer concerts in Kellogg Park
- Limiting special events to the Fall Festival, Ice Festival and Art in the Park — only if

PLEASE SEE CUTS, A6

Program becoming tradition

Scarecrows are family event

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

Of course the scarecrows displayed in Kellogg Park include the requisite witches and goblins to commemorate the Halloween season.

But they also include a wide variety of costumes, put together using the wit and imagination displayed by the two dozen or so individuals, groups or organizations who took advantage of the program, an increasingly popular event sponsored every year by the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce.

It's the fourth year of a program which this year saw 22 scarecrows go up in a program uniquely Plymouth.

"It's one of the unique things that makes Plymouth so special," said chamber executive director Fran Toney. "The people really get into it, and it shows. They are so adorable. We can see people walking back and forth looking at them all day long."

The scarecrows go up in early October, and remain in the park through Halloween weekend. The chamber provides the straw, and a sign announcing the decorator. The



PLEASE SEE SCARECROWS, A6

Three-year-old Sophia and 6-year-old Emily Weyer of Canton were excited to look at the different scarecrows on display in downtown Plymouth.

Budget maintains millages

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth Township Police Department will get a little extra leadership, the township's fund balance will grow a little larger and residents will pay the same general operating millage rate as last year as the result of the township board's passage of its 2004 budget Tuesday.

The board voted 4-3 to pass a \$127 million budget that includes projected revenues that exceed projected expenditures by some \$59,000. According to township officials, it's the first time since 1983 that a budget has happened.

The vote established the township's millage rates at the same level as last year: 0.8173 each for general operating and fire operating, and 1.6348 for police and fire. That leaves the township's total general fund millage rate at 3.2694.

The measure also includes a 2-percent hike in the law enforcement budget that will be spent largely on personnel. Chief Tom Tiderrington will be allowed to create a second lieutenant's position, a job that would include the supervision of the township's communications staff.

Under the proposed organizational chart, the police department would have two lieutenants who would divide supervisory responsibilities over the

PLEASE SEE BUDGET, A5

Friends recall woman's spirit

Cycle crash claims woman 'with tons of energy'

It's not often that someone makes an impact on the lives of family, friends, colleagues — just about everyone they come into contact with.

But to those who knew Lori Rotellini — a Northville Township resident and



Rotellini

"Lori was a tiny lady with tons of energy, sparkling eyes and always a smile," remembered Ann Kuhn, principal at Farrand Elementary, where

Rotellini's son Joey, 15, and daughter Marissa, 13, attended school. "She was never without a smile."

Rotellini, 41, and her husband Joe were riding their Harley Davidson motorcycle on Haggerty Road Sunday afternoon when a car crossed in front of them.

"They were riding southbound on Haggerty (south of Eight Mile) when an 80-year-

PLEASE SEE ROTELLINI, A5



Blood drive

Helen Cole (left) of Garden City finishes giving blood as RN Pam Cirocco assists her. The Red Cross Bloodmobile was at the U.S. post office in Plymouth Township Tuesday. Comcast and the post office co-sponsored the drive.

RECEPTIONIST/Front Desk
5 to 7 years of receptionist/clerical experience prior commercial.
Things went really well with the ad. Thanks! PK Livonia
1-800-579-SELL
PUT OUR CLASSIFIEDS TO WORK FOR YOU!

CONTACT US
Newsroom (734) 459-2700
Newsroom fax (734) 459-4224
Classifieds 1-800-579-SELL
Home delivery 1-866-88-PAPER
HomeTown COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

INDEX

Apartments	F7	Jobs	G3
At Home	C1	Movies	E6
Automotive	G7	Obituaries	A4
Classified	F6	Real Estate	F1
Classified Index	F5	Service Guide	G5
Crossword Puzzle	F6	Sports	B1

LOOKING AHEAD
American Profile
Kory Koontz has battled diabetes but it hasn't kept him from becoming a competitive rodeo team roper.



What's a class act like yours doing without an impressive audience like ours?

Our 12 twice-weekly and three weekly Observer & Eccentric bring local news into the homes of a 570,000 adults — every one of them a potential customer!

Call 734-953-2153 in Wayne County 248-901-2500 in Oakland County 248-651-7575 in Rochester-Rochester Hills to advertise

AROUND TOWN

CLASS REUNION

The Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem Classes of 1993 are having their 10-year reunion Friday, Nov 28 at Burton Manor in Livonia.

For more information, e-mail cantonsalem1993@hotmail.com

CHARITY TRICK-OR-TREATING

The Student Council of Farrand Elementary and the children of Farrand are participating in the Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF this Halloween

In addition to the traditional candy hunt that night, students will also be collecting change, hoping to raise a total of \$1,000

Community members who would like to donate the money directly through the school may do so by calling Student Council Leader Chris Hammond, (734) 420-7100

CIDER AND DONUTS

The staff at Independence Village is throwing its doors open with an invitation to have hot cider and donuts and guided tours of the retirement community, located on Northville Road in Plymouth

The event takes place tonight (Thursday) from 5:30-6:30 p.m. Visitors will be able to enter to win a prize. Independence Village features an activities calendar, and apartment homes with all the amenities

It's located at 14707 Northville Road

For more information, call (800) 803-5811

MERIT SCHOLARS

Seven students from the Plymouth-Canton Educational Park were named National Merit Scholarship program semifinalists

Canton High School seniors Thomas Constantine, Patricia Nelson, Panin Ofori-Mensa, Kirsten Schmitt and Mimi Yao, and Salem seniors Nicholas White and Gao Yang, rank in the top 1 percent of their peers across the nation



Canine hired

Buster, the new residence dog at Brighton Gardens, takes a break from his new duties to get some attention from Sunrise Senior Living employee Madelona Sackrison. Buster was hired to give residents of Brighton Gardens, an assisted living facility, the ability and joy of interacting with a pet without having to shoulder the burden of ownership. Buster is a 6-year-old collie-paniel mix.

The program has named some 16,000 academically talented high school seniors as semifinalists. They now have an opportunity to advance in the competition for 8,000 Merit Scholarship Awards (about \$32 million) to be offered in Spring 2004.

GARDEN CLUB

The Woman's National Farm and Garden Club is taking orders for fresh greens, including wreaths, roping, door swags and mixed greens.

Delivery will be made Monday, Nov 24.

To place an order, call JoAnn Harrel, (734) 455-4224, or Karen Horton, (734) 207-0563.

LEWIS PRODUCTION

The First United Methodist Church of Plymouth presents "From Narnia, With Love," Mark McPherson's dramatization of C.S. Lewis' spiritual journey from atheism to Christianity at 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov 1.

McPherson, an author and performer, has created a range of historical figures for stages throughout the United States, Canada and Great Britain. His performances have included characters such as Winston Churchill, Charles Dickens and

NUTCRACKER PERFORMANCE

In the long-standing holiday tradition, the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra joins with the Plymouth-Canton Ballet and the Plymouth Canton Educational Park Madrigal Singers to present the classic fairy tale, Tchaikovsky's *Nutcracker Ballet*.

The classic story will be presented at 11 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec 6, and at 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec 7 at Salem High School Auditorium, 46181 Joy Road, Canton. Admission is \$18 for adults and \$10 for children.

Following the matinee performances, the Plymouth Symphony League will host the Sugar Plum Tea in the cafeteria. Tea tickets are also available at \$5.

These delightful performances are made possible through the generous support of the Plymouth Symphony League, and the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, a partner agency of the National Endowment for the Arts.

Groups of 10 or more receive a 10-percent discount. For tickets, season subscriptions or more information, contact the Symphony Office at (734) 451-2112 or at plymouthsymphony@aol.com.

Tickets are also available at the following outlets: Crystal Diamond Setters in Plymouth, Dearborn Music in Canton, Evola Music in Canton, or through the Plymouth Canton Ballet Company.

MARTIAL ARTS CLASSES

East West Martial Arts offers a free month of training as part of an academic scholarship program.

Any child between the ages of 5 and 15 with a progress report average of a "B" or better can receive one month free martial arts classes at East West. Patrons may bring a copy of the progress report to East West Martial Arts, 521 Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth.

For more information call (734) 414-7789 or visit the Web site, www.eastwestmartialarts.com/CHILDREN/index.htm.

District adds \$1.9M to fund balance

Despite tough economic times, the Plymouth-Canton School district added \$1.9 million to its fund balance, giving it a general fund savings account of nearly \$15.2 million.

The ending balance doesn't include another \$5.7 million in Durant funds, a one-time award from the state for not properly funding special education programs.

It's the third year in a row — despite opening three new schools and facing budget shortfalls — that the district has increased its fund balance.

The year-end audit of the district's finances for the 2002-03 school year was given to the Board of Education by the auditing firm of Plante & Moran at Tuesday's board meeting.

"We could not have done this without the help of our budget managers, who took to heart the financial concerns of the district," said Patricia Brand, executive director of business services. "It's due to this that we're going to be able to survive longer."

Survival has become the name of the game for school districts statewide. Last year, Gov. Jennifer Granholm issued an executive order which resulted in a \$900,000 loss to the district. And, with the state facing another billion-dollar budget deficit, there are rumors foundation grants could be reduced by as much as \$200 per pupil.

"There's been much discussion all over the state on the financial predicament of the state," said Brand. "At this point in time, the numbers are floating on an every day basis. Michigan has lagged behind the general economy."

The increase in fund balance is the rosy part of the picture. According to Brand, if state funding remains the same, and Plymouth-Canton continues to see increases in student population, the district will still see a budget shortfall of nearly \$1.5 million by next June.

And, projecting to the end of the 2006-07 budget year, the

district will be more than \$24 million in the red.

Brand said other districts are fighting the same problem, including Bloomfield Hills with a \$15 million deficit projection and Royal Oak at \$10 million over the same period.

School officials say that with 97 percent of the district's revenue coming from the state, and 90 percent of expenses in personnel, it's difficult to plan ahead in tough economic times.

"It's hard when revenues are frozen, or going lower, and costs are going up," said Superintendent Jim Ryan. "Some tougher times are coming due to the economy."

Ryan said the \$15.2 million fund balance can erode very quickly.

"I will be recommending to the board to use more fund balance to protect the programs we have left," he said. "I don't believe there are any good cuts left to make. No matter what you do now, it's going to hurt and impact education."

Ryan indicated it will take larger cuts, such as transportation or athletics, to make an impact on future budgets.

"We'll continue with spending control as much as we can, but I think the board will rely on fund balance more than ever to get through better economic times," he said.

Ryan said using a new diesel fuel that burns better in district vehicles, cell tower revenue and the possibility of establishing the district's own telephone system are innovative attempts to raise revenues and save on costs.

Board president Judy Mardigan said she expects the state's economy to turn around, but is still looking at adding more money to the fund balance.

"If we could go into next year with a little bit more added to the fund balance, that would be very helpful," said Mardigan, "especially if the state hands us a reduction in the foundation grant this year."

HAMMELL MUSIC

NOW FORMING! Beginning PIANO, KEYBOARD & ORGAN CLASSES
Instructor Highly Experienced

Introductory Offer
6 WEEKS \$29.95

Includes Materials
No Instrument Needed
All Ages Including Adults

Livonia Store Only
Middlebelt, N. of 3 Mile
Call Maria, Ext. 112 734-427-0040

OE08155919

BARNETT
Roofing and Siding Inc.

RESIDENTIAL • COMMERCIAL
Certanteed Select Shingle Roofer
Duro-Last Master Elite Award Winner
Professional Roofer Advisory Council

Family Taking Care of Families for Over 40 Years!

41700 Michigan Ave • Canton • 734-397-8122

OE0910393

POSTAL PERIODICAL REQUIREMENTS

Plymouth Observer - Publication NO USPS 436-360, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, Michigan, is a subsidiary of HomeTown Communications Network and is published every Thursday and Sunday. Periodical postage is paid at Livonia, Michigan 48150. Subscription rates \$51 per year — delivered by newspaper carrier. In-County Mail Rates are \$72.95 per year. Out-of-county rates are \$108.95 per year. Postmaster: Send address changes to Plymouth Observer, Circ Dept., 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, MI 48150.

OE08140 88

Family Care Solutions

We provide personalized services to tie your families homecare needs together

Call us for customized

- Gift Baskets
- Catering

The perfect solution for the upcoming Holiday season.

Specializing in the placement of qualified professionals for

- Nanny Care
- Elderly Care
- House Managers

Downtown Plymouth
233 S Main Street

For more information call (734) 459-6930

OE08 608

BIRTHDAY FREE MEAL

BONFIRE

39650 Seven Mile Road • Northville
248-735-4570 • michiganmenu.com

Schelde Enterprises, your Michigan family of fine restaurants, is celebrating our 35th birthday by offering you a free entrée on your birthday. Just visit Bonfire Bistro on the day of your birthday and receive a free entrée with the purchase of an entrée of equal or greater value.

Expires 12/31/03. Birthdays will be honored the day of the guest's birthday ONLY. Guest must present a photo ID to receive the free entrée. An entrée of equal or greater value must be purchased to receive the free entrée. Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and Christmas birthdays will be honored on the day before the day after the holiday. Full price is paid for any beverages, appetizers, and desserts. Birthday promotion not valid with any other discount or promotional offer.

OE0810887

Anniversary

Join Our **FOOD DRIVE** to benefit the **CANTON GOOD FELLOWS** & You Can WIN A **FABULOUS PRIZE!**

Total Stock Celebration Sale!

SAVE 20% to 50% Storewide On All Jewelry, Watches & Gifts!

- ALL Diamond Semi-Mounts 20% to 50% OFF Orig. Price
- ALL Cultured Pearl Necklaces 20% to 30% OFF Orig. Price
- ALL Color Stone Bracelets 20% to 50% OFF Orig. Price
- ALL Citizen Watches 25% OFF Orig. Price
- ALL Sterling Silver Jewelry 20% to 50% OFF Orig. Price
- ALL 10kt & 14kt Gold Pendants 20% to 30% OFF Orig. Price

WE ACCEPT: Cash/Check MC/Visa/AMEX Discover Financing 12 Months Same As Cash! w a c

Showroom of **ELEGANCE FINE JEWELRY**

6018 Canton Center Rd. • Canton, MI 48187
*Sale excludes loose diamonds & special orders

Return this ad for 1,000 Free Diamond Points good towards Winning Fabulous Jewelry Prizes!
Limit 1 Ad per day per entrant. Expires 11/5/03

SALE HOURS:
Monday thru Saturday 9:30 AM to 6:00 PM
Thursdays Open til 8:00 PM
Closed Sundays!

OE0810887

Marchers take top spot in 24-team field

Park best at Huron Valley for 11th time

BY DIANE HANSON
CORRESPONDENT

Saturday was a chilly, soaked-to-the-bone kind of day for the 170-member Plymouth-Canton Educational Park Marching Band, which endured steady downpours through morning practice and evening performance at the Huron Valley Invitational at Lakeland High School in White Lake.

But that didn't dampen the P-CEP spirit and it certainly didn't wash out the dynamic performance of this year's show, "Souls of the Gypsy Caravan."

"I thought it was an outstanding performance and everyone really put their hearts into it," said Jenn Horst, a Salem senior and four-year flutist. "We haven't had a competition for three weeks so we really worked hard for this. We practiced all day in the rain, so we were pretty wet. It was a little slippery on the artificial turf at Lakeland, but it was fun performing in the rain."

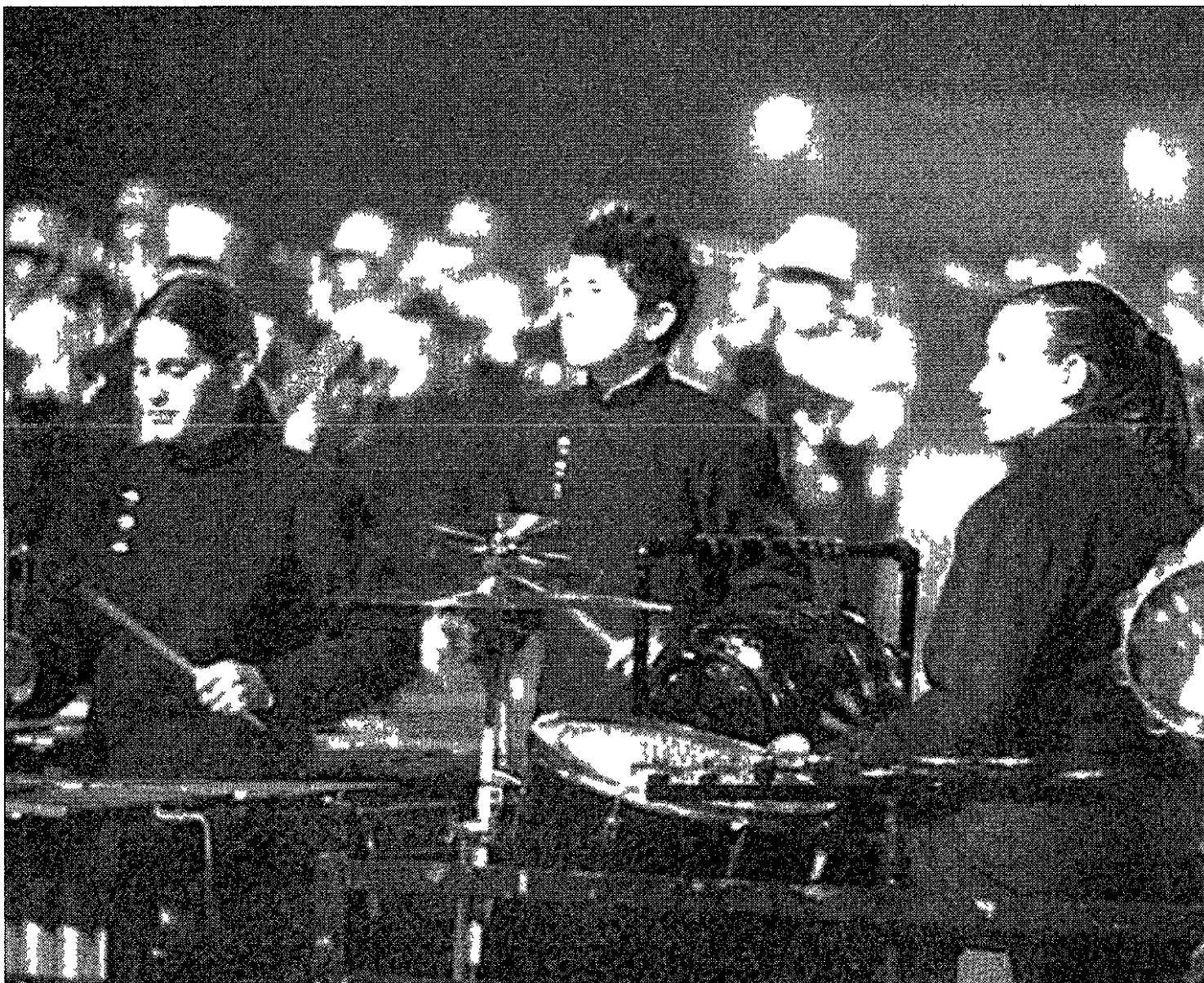
The nationally acclaimed marchers made a grand sweep of Flight I trophies including first place, Best Music, Best Marching, and Best General Effect along with the Grand Champion Traveling Trophy for the highest overall score, 86.55, of all 24 competing bands.

This marks the 11th year P-CEP has taken the top trophy of the 13 it has been presented.

Other Observer & Eccentric area bands included Flight III—Farmington Harrison, first; Flight II—Livonia Franklin, fourth; and Farmington, sixth. Flight I—West Bloomfield, sixth, and Westland John Glenn, eighth.

Kavita Srivastava, a Canton junior and one of the four drum majors, appreciated her band's commitment in spite of the rain. "There was this intensity among everyone in the band," she said. "It's what we like to call 'Plymouth.' Everyone pulled together for the show and we felt there is nothing that can get in our way that, together, we can't overcome."

Band Director Marc Whitlock was pleased with the last outdoor competition of the season. "All things considered, they did a really great job," he said. Those things included the weather conditions as well as the new material added over the last few weeks.



Percussionists Jennifer Natiw, Dave Shannaberger and Meridith Bailey concentrate on their performance at the Huron Valley Invitational as rain drops puddle on their instruments.



Bass drummer Andrew Sass gets drenched, but doesn't miss a beat during P-CEP's performance of "Souls of the Gypsy Caravan" at Lakeland High School Oct. 25.



The pouring rain didn't dampen the spirits, slow the steps or dull the performance of the P-CEP Marching Band on Oct. 25. The 170 marchers earned the highest score of all 24 bands at the Huron Valley Competition in White Lake.

"They did a great job with this material that is only about a week old," he added.

"And we are still making changes as well as adding about 12 more pages of drill."

The students are anticipating those changes. "There will be changes before States and even more before Nationals," said Salem sophomore Al Moran, a saxophonist. "This

years show is awesome and it still has a ton of potential. We have a really fast paced opener and we aren't even up to the full tempo in the first movement."

That opener will be about 172 beats per minute with the second half at around 180 beats per minute by the time the band competes in the Bands of America Grand National Championships in

mid-November, noted Whitlock.

"That means these students will literally be taking three steps per second for three full minutes," he explained. "And they will be playing complicated music at the same time."

Over the next few weeks, Whitlock added, "we have a lot on our plate to do and I think we have just about enough time to do it. When we are completely finished, we will have a product we can all be proud of."

Department responds to residential calls

FIRE RUNS

The Plymouth Community Fire Department responded to the following runs during the period from Oct. 22-28.

■ Tuesday, Oct. 28 - Residential rescue runs on Haggerty and Startweather at Liberty, commercial rescue run on Beck, industrial rescue run on Port, rescue run at a public building on Beck, vehicle accident rescue run on Lilley at Ann Arbor Road.

■ Monday, Oct. 27 - Residential rescue runs on Arthur, York, Main, Byron, Morrison and Schoolcraft, rescue run at a public building on Ann Arbor Road and Five Mile.

■ Sunday, Oct. 26 - Residential rescue runs on Ridgewood, Byron, South Drive, Aspen, S. Main, and Lincoln Court, smoke investigation run on Mast, single family fire run on Woodland Place.

■ Saturday, Oct. 25 - Residential rescue runs on Haggerty, Sunset and Plymouth Road, commercial rescue run on Plymouth, vehicle accident rescue run on southbound I-275 at M-14 and other rescue run on northbound I-275 at Plymouth Road.

■ Friday, Oct. 24 - Residential rescue run on Eastside Drive, industrial rescue run on Sheldon, rescue run at a public building on Ann Arbor Road, vehicle accident rescue run on eastbound M-14 at I-275, vehicle fire run on Ann Arbor Trail west of Mill.

■ Thursday, Oct. 23 - Residential rescue runs on Newporte, Greenbriar, rescue run at a public building on Ann Arbor Road, vehicle fire run on westbound M-14 west of Beck, vehicle accident rescue run on westbound I-275 north of Plymouth Road, other rescue runs on Five Mile.

■ Wednesday, Oct. 22 - Residential rescue runs on Ern, S. Tyler, Haggerty, McKinley, vehicle accident rescue run on Ann Arbor Road and Rocker, rescue run at a public building on Ann Arbor Road, and commercial rescue run on Haggerty.

Grandmother of thirteen Passionate about line dancing Avid bargain shopper



LIVING LIFE
TO THE FULLEST AT...

The
GRAND COURT

A Grand Tradition in Retirement Living
INDEPENDENT AND ASSISTED LIVING AVAILABLE

Call about our Fall Move-In Special -
"The Choice Is Yours"
734-451-1155

37501 Joy Road • Westland MI 48185
Visit Our Web-Site: www.brookdaleliving.com

MICHIGAN'S LARGEST
SPORTS CARD SHOW
STAMP COLLECTING SECTION OCT. 31, NOV. 1-2 BUY TRADE SELL
FRI 12-9 • SAT 10-9 • SUN 10-6

SPORTS CARDS • COMICS • MEMORABILIA • SUPPLIES & MORE!
ADMISSION ONLY \$2.00 PER CARLOAD!

BASEBALL HALL OF FAMER
BILLY WILLIAMS
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND • 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
\$17.50 BALL / FLAT (up to 11x14) • \$27.50 BAT / JERSEY / NUMBER • \$22.50 OTHER ITEMS

WWE SUPERSTAR
ROB VAN DAM
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM
\$20.00 ANY ITEM

68 WORLD SERIES CHAMP
WILLIE HORTON
SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1ST
3:30 PM - 5:30 PM
FREE AUTOGRAPHS

EXFEARience
The New Death Experience Haunted House
OCTOBER 23 THROUGH NOVEMBER 2
HOURS: Sun - Thur. 7:30 pm - 11:00 pm • Fri. & Sat. 7:30 pm - Midnight
For more info call 734-913-9693 or visit www.exfearexperience.com

HAUNTED HOUSE COUPON
\$3.00 OFF
VALID SUNDAY THRU THURSDAY
\$1.00 OFF
VALID FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS
GOOD FOR ENTIRE GROUP ETC.

Gibraltar TAYLOR
TRADE CENTER, INC. 15525 RACHO RD.
(I-75, EXIT 36)
734-287-2000

FREE
FRIDAY ADMISSION
TO THE TRADE CENTER
COUPON FR DAY OCT 31ST ONLY

LIVING LIFE TO THE FULLEST AT...
The GRAND COURT
A Grand Tradition in Retirement Living
INDEPENDENT AND ASSISTED LIVING AVAILABLE
Call about our Fall Move-In Special -
"The Choice Is Yours"
734-451-1155
37501 Joy Road • Westland MI 48185
Visit Our Web-Site: www.brookdaleliving.com

Dale J. McIntosh

Services for Dale McIntosh, 49, of Plymouth (formerly of Livonia and Redford), will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 1, at Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with Sanford Burr officiating.

Mr. McIntosh was born May 30, 1954, in Detroit and died Oct. 27, 2003. He came to the Plymouth community seven years ago from Redford. He grew up in the Livonia community. He worked at DTE Energy for 22 years as a heavy equipment operator at the Monroe Power Plant. He also owned DJM Framing, a home-based company.

He loved to play golf and was an avid hockey player for most of his life. He played hockey for Detroit Country Day, Churchill High School in Livonia, and Lake Superior State University. He also played AAA hockey for the Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds. He once attended the Detroit Red Wings Fantasy Camp.

Survivors include wife, Trish, daughters, Lyndsay McIntosh of Livonia and

Kristin McIntosh of Inkster, sisters, Terri (Bill) Graham of Plymouth, and Laura (Scott) Belue of Greenville, SC, parents, Neil and Shirley McIntosh of West Union, SC, many nieces and nephews, and Echo, the Wonder Dog.

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

M. Jane (Goyt) Hueni

Jane Hueni, 66, passed away on Sunday, Oct. 25, 2003. She was born in Battle Creek on Dec. 7, 1936, to Charles and Martha Stevens. She was a graduate of Holt High School and attended Michigan State University. Jane retired as a loan supervisor for the Michigan State Employees Credit Union.

For many years she was also the organist for St. Casimir Catholic Church. In recent years, she was active in assisting refugee families in Lansing and served as President of the

Players Club Condominium Association. Jane enjoyed water fitness and traveling to her residence in Naples, Fla. She and her family were also active with the Lansing Ski Club and Lansing Sailing Club.

Jane was preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Martha (Cobb) Stevens and her former husband, Tim Goyt.

Survivors include her husband, John F. Hueni, II, daughter, Traci (Paul) Sincok of Plymouth, sons, Tim Goyt of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Chris (Annette) Goyt of McAllen, Texas, stepsons, John (Lori) Hueni, III of Riverside, Mich., and David Hunenberg of Phoenix, Ariz., stepdaughters Jennifer (Isai) Vieyra of Phoenix and Rachel (Somkhit) Soukhomne of Victorville, Calif., four grandchildren, John Hueni IV, Jessica Hueni, Andrew and Lindsey Soukhomne. Also surviving are her brother, Dan (Wendy) Hueni and sister-in-law, Mary Cantrell, along with several nieces and nephews.

A memorial Mass was celebrated by Rev. John P. Klein on

Oct. 28, 2003 at St. Gerard Catholic Church in Lansing. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make memorial contributions, in loving memory of Jane, to the American Cancer Society.

Bruce N. White

Services for Bruce White, 54, of South Lyon, were held Oct. 27 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in South Lyon. Mr. White was born Jan. 16, 1949, in Detroit and died Oct. 23, 2003. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1968-1972. He moved to South Lyon in 1977 and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church, Hartland Players, S.R.O. in Southfield, Plymouth Theatre Guild, and St. Paul of the Cross Retreat League.

Survivors include wife, Nancy White of South Lyon, children, C.J. (Leigh Anne) White of Alabama, Colleen White of South Lyon, Shawn White of South Lyon, and Devin White of South Lyon, mother, Isobel White of Ortonville, grandson, Isaac White, brother, Douglas White of California, sister, Noni White of Florida, and 13 nieces and nephews.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Spotlight Players Theatre Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 700451, Plymouth, MI 48170 or S.R.O., 26000 Evergreen, Southfield, MI 48037-23055, or St. Paul of the Cross Retreat Center, 23333 Schoolcraft, Detroit, MI 48223.

Arrangements made by Phillips Funeral Home, South Lyon.

Arnold "Al" Wilcox

Services for Al Wilcox, 60, of Canton, were held Oct. 27 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Jerry Yarnell officiating.

Mr. Wilcox was born April 2, 1943, in Highland Park and died Oct. 25 in Canton. He worked for Metaldyne in Plymouth and for Uniroyal. He came to the Canton community six years ago, was a Plymouth resident for five years, and lived in Dearborn before that. He loved the ocean and enjoyed boating, tubing and sking.

Mr. Wilcox was preceded in

death by father-in-law, Morton, and nephew, Mark.

Survivors include wife, Margaret Wilcox of Canton, son, James (Stephanie) Wilcox of Florida, grandchildren, Kathleen, Alexander, and Caleb, brother, Milton (Susanne) Wilcox of Canton, sister, Roberta Helms of Garden City, 13 nieces and nephews, five great-nieces and great-nephews, mother-in-law, Elaine Baker, and brothers-in-law, James (Cecile) Baker and Martin (Julie) Baker.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Oreta Wanda Malloy

Oreta Malloy, 73, of Canton Township, died Oct. 25, 2003, in Superior Township. Mrs. Malloy was born March 15, 1930, in Weidman, Mich. She was a homemaker.

Mrs. Malloy was preceded in death by husband, Allan.

Survivors include daughter, Brenda L. Malloy, son, Thomas A. Malloy, grandchildren, Amber and April, two brothers, and two sisters.

Arrangements made by L.J. Griffin Funeral Home, Canton Chapel.

Helen J. Noetzol

Services for Helen Noetzol, 84, of Northville (formerly of Plymouth) were held Oct. 30 with the Rev. Drex Morton officiating.

Mrs. Noetzol was born July 10, 1919, in McKees Rocks, Pa., and died Oct. 28. She was a longtime resident of Plymouth and a former longtime resident of Dearborn. She worked for General Motors for many years. She was a member of SNPJ Lodge. She enjoyed searching for antiques and frequently attended garage sales. She was an avid sports fan, and especially loved the Detroit Tigers.

Mrs. Noetzol was preceded in death by daughter, Jolan Kondratko.

Survivors include husband, Floyd, children, Cheryl (Paul) Holmberg of Northville, Nicolette Szczesny of Livonia and Suzette (Mike) Gerrity of Rochester Hills, grandchildren, Krsann (Joe) Clark,

Michael (Paula) Kondratko, Kenneth Kondratko, Kelly (Rick) Solak, Erin (Gary) Braun, Megan (Brad) Pugh, Jill Szczesny, Lauren Szczesny, Elizabeth Gerrity, and Marisa Gerrity, great-grandchildren, Melissa (Vince) DeMassa, Heather McKenna, Hannah Kondratko, Katie Kondratko, Julia Solak, Samantha Solak, Hayden Braun, and Colin Day, great-great-granddaughter, Alexandra DeMassa, brother, James Balazs, and sister, Dorothy Byrnes.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association or the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Helen L. Laffey

Services for Helen Laffey, 79, of Plymouth will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, Oct. 31, at St. Kenneth Church with the Rev. Joseph Malha officiating.

Mrs. Laffey was born April 13, 1924, in Indianapolis, Ind., and died Oct. 27. She was a resident of the Plymouth community since 1958, a registered nurse and a homemaker. She was a member of St. Kenneth Catholic Church in Plymouth. She was an avid sports fan, who especially enjoyed football and hockey. She was also especially a fan of Notre Dame. She enjoyed spending time at the casino as well.

Mrs. Laffey was preceded in death by husband, Robert, who died in 1975.

Survivors include children, Steven Laffey of Ann Arbor, Robert (Dorris) Laffey of Westland, James (Carol) Laffey of Livonia, Thomas (Peggy) Laffey of Los Altos, Calif., Paul (Connie) Laffey of Columbia, Tenn., and Michael (Janell) Laffey of Plymouth, grandchildren, Meghan, Maureen, Kyle, Matthew, John, Jessica, Cara, Emily, and Nicholas, brother, John (Beryl) McAllen, sisters, Dorothy McAllen, and Cele Donnelly.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Maryknoll Fathers & Brothers, P.O. Box 301, Maryknoll, NY, 10545-9989.

Arrangements made by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Are Your FEET in PAIN?

Don't live with heel pain, bunions or other nagging problems when you have a choice. Canton Foot Specialists provides a variety of treatment options for foot and ankle conditions. We also offer home visits for seniors and homebound patients.

To cushion your step, try our high-quality, individually contoured orthotics. They provide such great relief, we guarantee them!

Three locations to serve you:

- 43050 Ford Rd, Suite 150, Canton
- Garden City Medical Office Building, Suite 307
- 990 W Ann Arbor Trail, Suite 201, Plymouth

Appointments. (734) 981-7800

Website. cantonfoot.com

PDF020160880



CANTON FOOT Specialists

Canton Foot Specialists

— Quality care with a gentle touch.

Did you know?

More people choose auto insurance through AAA because a friend recommended it.

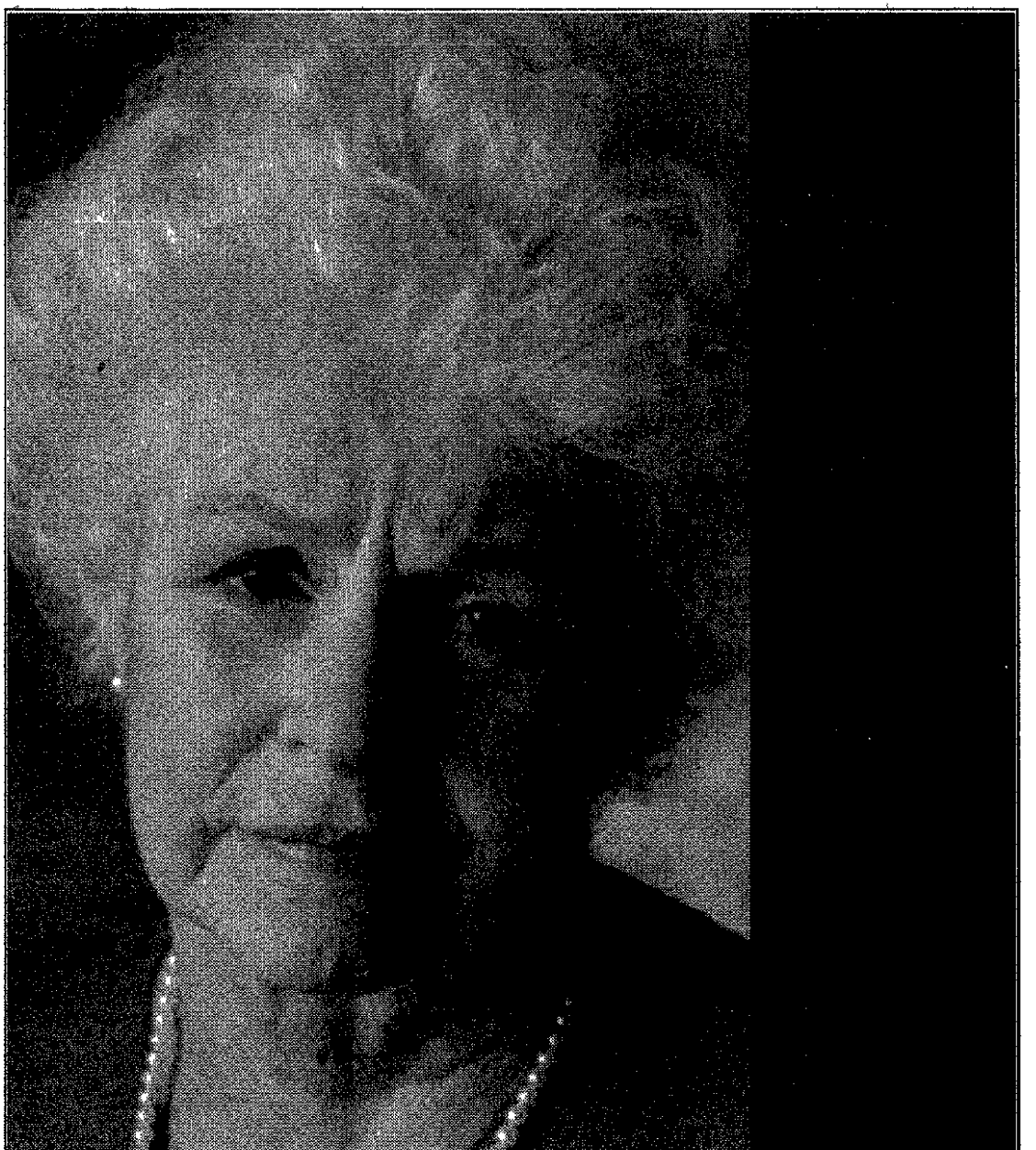
That's right. With auto insurance through AAA, you get service that's so satisfying it'll be no surprise that most of our insurance customers come to AAA because someone they know recommended us. Plus, you can choose the coverage that's right for you and your budget with the help of your local AAA agent — a friendly face in your neighborhood that can take care of all your insurance needs. But with AAA you don't just get excellent customer service, you also get multiproduct discounts and superior claim service. That means when you call AAA with a claim, you talk to a real person, no matter what time of day or night it is. For your FREE, no obligation insurance quote, get in touch with your local AAA agent.

Plymouth
1472 Sheldon Rd.
(734) 451-4501



Insurance underwritten by Auto Club Insurance Association family of companies

0808160158



Incontinence can take away your freedom.

Oakwood can help you get it back.

Too many women allow themselves to go untreated for incontinence due to embarrassment or simply accepting it as part of the aging process. Incontinence is not natural, and in most cases, is treatable. The Oakwood Healthcare Center — Canton is proud to announce that Dr. Salil Khandwala is now accepting patients for the treatment of incontinence and other urogynecologic concerns. To schedule an appointment, call 734.454.8001.

And take back your freedom



Oakwood

1009051031

Plymouth Marketplace

ONLY AVAILABLE
It's All Falling Into Place...

Look for our New Name
 (and new look)
 November 1ST

110 W. Ann Arbor Road at Lilley • Plymouth
 (1 Mile W. of I-275 • Exit 28)
 Hours: Mon.-Sat. 9-7; Sun. 9-6
 (734) 453-2535

PRODUCE	
Mellow RIPE BANANAS 29¢ Lb	Michigan Yellow COOKING ONIONS 49¢ 3 Lb Bag

US #1 IDAHO POTATOES 99¢ 10 Lb Bag	Sweet MICHIGAN CARROTS 59¢ 3 Lb Bag
---	--

BEVERAGE	
HESS SELECT CABERNET SAUVIGNON \$12.99 <small>HOT PRICE</small>	CHATEAU GRAND TRAVERSE LATE HARVEST RIESLING \$12.99 750 ML <small>LIMITED SUPPLY</small>

MOLSON CANADIAN Close Out \$7.99 5 Ltr Red Wing Can + Tax & Dep	12 Pack Bottles SAM ADAMS OCTOBER/LAGER/LIGHT \$11.99 + Tax & Dep
--	---

MEATS	
North Atlantic CANADIAN SALMON FILLETS \$4.79 Lb <small>SAVE \$3.20 LB.</small>	Amish-Boneless CHICKEN BREAST \$1.99 Lb <small>SAVE \$1.60 LB.</small>

Boneless Center Cut PORK CHOPS \$2.79 Lb <small>SAVE \$1.30 LB.</small>	Boneless PORK ROAST \$2.39 Lb <small>SAVE \$1.60 LB.</small>
--	---

WINE TASTING
 Saturday, November 8, 2003
 7:00-9:30 p.m.

VFW Hall, Post 6695 Mill Street
 (Lilley Road, right behind Plymouth Marketplace)
 Advance Tickets: \$30 per person
 At the Door: \$35 per person
 This is your chance to taste over 99 different wines and beer, and sample delicious hors d'oeuvres and deli delights prepared exclusively by the Plymouth Marketplace Deli.
 Purchase great wines for the Holiday Season at greatly discounted prices!!
 Call 734-453-2535 for reservations and tickets
 A portion of ticket proceeds to benefit St. Christines Soup Kitchen



David and Kari Frayne of Plymouth and their daughter Elizabeth, 2 look at a variety of scarecrows on display in downtown Plymouth, including one done by the Plymouth Canton Interact Club

SCARECROWS

FROM PAGE A1
 groups do the rest. Judges are chosen and prizes are handed out to the top scarecrows. The idea of doing something so out-of-the-ordinary is a lure for many of the groups. The folks at Saturn of Plymouth, whose Saturn Astronaut took second place honors, thought it

would be a good way to enjoy the season. "We had lots of fun doing it," said Scott Neuhardt, sales manager at Saturn of Plymouth, whose scarecrow took second-place. "It was a good opportunity for the team to get together and do a fun thing not related to selling cars. We have several (employees) who live here, it's a great community and we wanted to be involved."

The thing Toney likes best about it is the family tradition that seems to be developing. On decorating day, many families come out to make a day of it in Kellogg Park. "They bring cider, and the kids are throwing straw at everyone," Toney said. "The park is so full of kids and families. It has become a tradition now, and that's a good thing."

CUTS

FROM PAGE A1
 those activities pay 100 percent of the costs plus a rental fee. Reducing sewer cleaning services. Eliminating crack sealing of city streets. According to Sincock, the city could save another \$200,000 a year by terminating the full-time fire service agreement with Plymouth

Township and initiating a part-time paid fire department. A savings of \$322,000 could be realized with several reductions in the police department, including: Eliminating two police officers, who are currently being paid, in part, with federal grants. Eliminating police records processing, which would require police officers to process records and perform other clerical duties. Terminating the police dispatch contract with Plymouth Township, and contracting the service with Northville Township — which would save \$50,000 annually. Graham Laible, 77, and his wife Bea, 74, are lifelong residents of Plymouth. Voting absentee, Graham Laible said he favored the tax increase.

they go the entire 15 mills it could hurt the budgets of a lot of young people. However, Bea Laible — whose father, Bill Hartman, was mayor in 1947 — said that's the very reason she voted against the tax increase. "Talking with people, it seems to me that so many people are already having trouble paying taxes," she said. "I think we could live with the reduced services." The election of four city commissioners is also on Tuesday's ballot. The makeup of the new commission could eventually determine which cuts will be made. Even if Proposal 1 passes, some of the candidates favor deep budget cuts before considering any increase in taxes. The five candidates include incumbents Dan Dwyer and Michele Potter, and challengers Peter Bunting, Anthony Guilhom and Dave Workman. The top three vote-getters will receive four-year terms. The fourth-highest candidate will serve for two years.

CANTON 6
 Ford Rd 1 Mile W of I 275 (734)
 \$5.25 Kids all shows 844-FILM
 \$6.75 Students & Late Show Fri & Sat
 \$7.75 Evenings Mon-Thurs ALL SCREENS DIGITAL STEREO
 No Passes
 Unlimited Free Drink & 25¢ Corn Refills

MOVIE GUIDE
FREE FALL MATINEES EVERYONE
 SATURDAY & SUNDAY 10 & 11 AM
SCOOBY DOO (PG)

DISNEY'S BROTHER BEAR
 SHOWTIMES 10/31 - 11/04
 BROTHER BEAR (G) STARTS SATURDAY
 SAT TUE 12 10 2 30 4 50 7 10 9 20
 SAT LS 11 20
 SCARY MOVIE 3 (PG 13)
 SAT 12 30 2 50 4 40 7 15 9 50
 FRI/SAT LS 11 50
 RADIO (PG)
 FRI 11 40 2 05 4 30 7 10 9 30
 FRI/SAT LS 11 45
 SAT TUE 11 40 2 05 4 30 7 00 9 30
 HUNTER JURY (R)
 FRI 11 30 2 05 4 40 7 15 9 50
 SAT TUE 11 30 2 05 4 40 7 20 9 50
 THE TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE (R)
 FRI 12 10 2 15 4 50 7 20 9 35
 FRI/SAT LS 11 55
 SAT TUE 12 45 2 55 5 10 7 30 9 40
 UNTOUCHABLE GUILTY (PG 13)
 FRI 11 30 2 05 4 40 7 15 9 50
 BOOB BOY! (PG) FRI 12 20 2 30 4 40
 SAT TUE 12 30 2 40 4 40
 SCHOOL OF ROCK (PG 13) ENDS FRI
 12 30 2 50 5 10 7 30 9 50 FRI LS 12 05

COUPON FREE 20oz DRINK
 with \$2.99 purchase of 46oz case of beer or popcorn
 BEST DEAL! In Plymouth only at www.canton6.com

Put a smiley face on your favorite punkin

Plymouth Jewelry & Gifts

IN THE OLD VILLAGE
 620 STARKWEATHER
 734-453-1860

Tues Wed 10 6 Th & Fr 10 8 Sat 10 5 • Closed Sun & Mon

MARGOLIS NURSERY MARGOLIS NURSERY MARGOLIS NURSERY

FREE PERENNIALS!
 Buy 1 Get 1 Free • All Perennials and Grasses

40% off ALL SHRUBS Without Guarantee <small>(25% off WITH Guarantee)</small>	30% off ALL TREES Without Guarantee <small>(15% off WITH Guarantee)</small>
---	--

35% off ALL ORNAMENTAL TREES
 Without Guarantee (20% off WITH Guarantee)

Delivery and Installation Available!

MARGOLIS NURSERY, INC. 9600 Cherry Hill 734-482-0771
 Open Mon. Sat 8 6 Closed Sunday

FORD ROAD
 PROSPECT CHERRY HILL MARGOLIS GODFREYSON BECK RD

MARGOLIS NURSERY MARGOLIS NURSERY MARGOLIS NURSERY

To submit an item for the Plymouth Canton community calendar mail it to 794 S Main Plymouth MI 48170 e mail it to burick@oe.homecomm.net or fax it to (734) 459 4224

AROUND TOWN

Ann Arbor Art Center

Ann Arbor Art Center offers work shops during November. Sundays at 1 p.m. in which staff is on hand to provide instruction and projects that spark creativity for adults children and families. On Nov 2 visit Korea learn about Korean culture and create a guardian post.

Holiday Greenery

The Plymouth High School Pompon Squad is having a fund raiser of fresh cut holiday greenery for your homes businesses gravesites gifts etc. To place an order please call (734) 455 4318

Basic Skating

The City of Plymouth Recreation Department offers classes Nov 3 to Dec 20 every level. Each class is 25 minutes with additional 25 minutes of practice time at the Plymouth Cultural Center Ice Arena. Call (734) 455 6620 x 304 for further information

Holiday Home Tour

Northville Community Foundation's Holiday Home Tour being held from 10 a.m. 4 p.m. Nov 14 15. Tickets are \$18. Five outstanding homes have been selected ranging in years from 2 years to 30 years old. For ticket information call

(248) 374 0200

Crafters Wanted

Annual craft show at Hawthorne Valley in Westland is looking for crafters for the Holiday show being held Sunday Nov 30. For information call Suzanne at (734) 844 3128

Learn to Skate

Roller skating or roller blading classes for November now forming for ages 4 12 at Skateland West. Registration for winter Inline Hockey is Dec 7

Extravaganza/Home Party

The proceeds from this event help support the traveling dance competition team at Dance Extreme Studio located on Joy Road in the Pine Tree Shopping Plaza from noon 4 p.m. on Sunday Nov 2 2003

Hayrides with Storytelling

The evening begins with a hayride to a moonlit stage set in the woods with a fire burning nearby where storyteller Debra Christian will be spinning family oriented stories. The evening concludes with a hayride back to the barn where fresh cider and donuts await. Plymouth Orchards every Friday and Saturday nights in October at 7:30 p.m. Call (734) 451 1128 for info

Magic Craft Show

Applications are being accepted for the 17th annual Holiday Magic Craft show at Leonard Elementary in Troy Show is Nov 1 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. For info and applications e mail craft show@prodigy.net

Teens Using Drugs

A free two night series on identifying and helping teens harmfully involved with alcohol and other drugs. Part 1 What to Know is presented 7:30 9 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month from October through June at St Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center. Part 2 What To Do is presented the second Tuesday of each month Oct through June at same time and place. Call (734) 973 7893 for information

Food Drive

Cornerstone Chiropractic conducts a food drive to support its local food pantry. Donors who bring in 10 20 cans of food will receive an initial exam and X rays for \$27. The drive is being conducted Oct 27 30 at Cornerstone Chiropractic at Ford and Canton Center. Call (734) 207 7770 for an appointment

Foster Care

Lutheran Social Services of Michigan is a foster care agency in the community that places children in loving foster homes. The agency is in need of loving and stable homes committed to parenting children ages 10 to 17 years old. Call (734) 971 5776 to find out how you can help

Crafters Wanted

Sts Peter and Paul Church in Dearborn Heights is looking for crafters for the 15th annual Arts and Crafts Show. The show is being held Saturday Nov 22. For information call (734) 522 9653 or (248) 474 2297

Learn to Skate

Arctic Edge Ice Arena in Canton is offering a fall Learn to Skate program for various levels of instruction. Call (734) 487 7777 for more information

Senior Golf Special

Fox Hills Golf and Banquet Center is offering a Senior Special of 18 holes of golf any weekday Monday through Friday before noon. The cost is \$25 with cart. Offer good through Nov 30

Entertainment books

Plymouth Community Chorus is selling the 2004 Entertainment Books to help fund their musical scholarships and charitable activities. They can be ordered by calling (734) 459 6829

Preschool Programs

Head Start programs are available for 3 and 4 year olds offered by Starfish Family Services a learning environment preparing children for kindergarten. Michigan School Readiness Program for 4 year olds is also available. For either call (313) 541 4340 or (734) 326 6271

School Registration

Music matters at the School for the Performing Arts in Ann Arbor and registration for classes and lessons has officially begun. For further information call (734) 995 4625 or log on to the school's Web site at www.spa.org for a complete listing of classes and camps

Preschool Registration

Willow Creek Co op Preschool is accepting registrations for the 2003

04 classes for 3 and 4 year olds. Morning and afternoon sessions available. Call Mary Anne Bourgeois at (734) 844 7515 for more information

Inline Roller Hockey Leagues

Skatin Station II in Canton is accepting registration. One game a week. Call (734) 459 6401 for more information

Preschool Registration

The Plymouth Salvation Army is opening registration for its preschool programs for fall 2003. The 3 year old program is on Tuesday and Thursday and the 4 year old program runs Monday Wednesday and Friday. For more information call Peggy at (734) 459 1358 or (734) 453 5464 Ext 25

Fish Fry

Fox Hills Golf & Banquet Center is again hosting an All You Can Eat Friday night fish fry or pasta dinner at the Fox Classic Clubhouse from 5 9 p.m. The cost is \$8.75 per person

Nursery Co-op Registration

Plymouth Children's Nursery Co op registration has begun for the 2003 04 school year. Openings for 3 4 year olds various class times and days. Call Nola Wellman at (734) 453 0595 for information

Storytime

Peggy Price Heiney presents a special story time for children ages 5 7. Stories creative dramatics and book selection round out this monthly session at the Plymouth Library. Registration is required. Call (734)

453 0750 for further information

Plymouth Symphony

Plymouth Symphony League is launching the 2004 Greater Detroit Area Entertainment Book Sale. The cost is \$30. Place your order at the Plymouth Symphony Office or call Mary Thomas at (734) 453 3016

Recreation Registration

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

CLUBS

Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club

Looking for energetic new members to participate in community service projects. This club meets the first Thursday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Plymouth Salvation Army Building on Main Street. The third Thursday is a dinner meeting with a speaker. Call (734) 981 7259 for further info

MMM Society

The annual fall Armor/Figure Model Show and Contest on Nov 8 at the Plymouth Elks Lodge in Plymouth. Anyone wishing to see the show or enter a model in the contest should contact Rich Forsys at rfcsc@comcast.net or (734) 254 9063



verizonwireless
We never stop working for you.

Color Me FREE.

Get a great deal on our newest color phone.

BUY ONE
Color Nokia 3589i

GET ONE
FREE

\$49.99
AFTER MAIL-IN REBATES



\$149.99 Original Price for two (1st phone \$99.99 2nd phone \$50.00) (taxes apply)
— \$100.00 Mail In Rebates (\$50.00 per phone)

With a new 2 year Agreement per phone on plans \$34.99 or higher. While supplies last.

AMERICA'S CHOICE® NATIONAL CALLING PLAN

UNLIMITED
Family Calling

between your America's Choice Family SharePlan® lines on the national mobile to mobile network. National mobile to mobile network is not available throughout the America's Choice Network.

for only **\$20** monthly access per additional line

when you sign up on an America's Choice Calling Plan \$39.99 and higher

With a new 2 year Customer Agreement per line

UNLIMITED
NIGHT & WEEKEND MINUTES

UNLIMITED
NATIONWIDE LONG DISTANCE

All when calling on the America's Choice network.

Call placed outside rate area \$69/min Select CDMA phone required

CALL **1.800.2 JOIN IN** CLICK **verizonwireless.com** VISIT **any of our stores**

CELINE DION

A new day...

Created by DRAGONE

PRESENTED BY

CHRYSLER

Share your good fortune with a friend!

Invite them to join the Players Prestige™ Club between October 27th and November 6th and you both will be eligible to

win 2 tickets to see Celine Dion – A New Day in Las Vegas*!

This very special prize package includes:

- Two tickets to see A new day... featuring Celine Dion
- Four days, three nights accommodation at Caesars Palace
- \$250 U.S. food and beverage voucher
- Ground transportation to and from McCarran Airport
- Roundtrip airfare to Las Vegas

For more information call 1-800-991-7777 or visit www.casinowindsor.com.

CASINO WINDSOR

More of what you're looking for!

Know Your Limit, Play Within It! Ontario Problem Gambling Helpline: 1-888-230-3505. Must be 19 years of age or older to enter Casino Windsor. Casino Windsor reserves the right to cancel or change this promotion without prior notice. Complete promotional rules are available at the Players Prestige Booth. You do not have to be present to win. Cash option of \$2,200 CDN offered in lieu of trip package. Celine Dion – A New Day promotion prize must be claimed before 9 a.m., Thursday, November 20, 2003. Players Prestige members receive one half off for each new referral. Maximum \$500.00 CDN airfare. *Some restrictions apply.

VERIZON WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS STORES

ANN ARBOR
2570 Jackson Ave (Next to Blockbuster) 734 789-1722
Briarwood Mall (In Sear's Wing Near Center Ct.) 8159 Challie Suite C (Off Grand River In front of Target) 810 225 4789

BRIGHTON
42447 Ford Rd (Corner of Ford & Lilley Rds. Canton Corners) 734-844 0481

DEARBORN
24417 Ford Rd (Just West of Telegraph) 313-278 4491
Fairlane Mall (3rd Floor Next to Sear's) 313-441 0168

DETROIT
14126 Woodward (Model T Plaza) 313 869 7392

FARMINGTON HILLS
31011 Orchard Lake Rd (SW Corner of Orchard Lake Rd. & 14 Mile Rd.) 248 538 9900

FENTON
17245 Silver Pkwy (In the Sear's plaza) 810 629-2733

GRAND BLANC
12821 S Saginaw St. (In Grand Blanc Mall) 810 606 1700

LAKE ORION
2531 S Lapeer Rd (Onon Mall 2 Miles N of the Palace) 248 393 8800

NOVI
43025 12 Mile Rd (Twelve Oaks Service Dr North of Sear's) 248-305 8800
Twelve Oaks Mall (Lower level play area) 248 335 9900

PONTIAC/WATERFORD
454 Telegraph Rd (Across from Summit Place Mall) 248 335 9900

ROCHESTER HILLS
3035 S Rochester Rd (At Auburn Rd.) 248 855 0550

ST CLAIR SHORES
26401 Harper Ave (At 10 1/2 Mile) 586 777 4010

SOUTHFIELD
28117 Telegraph Rd (South of 12 Mile Rd.) 248 358 3700
20126 W 8 Mile Rd (Baseline Plaza just west of Evergreen) 248 357 1558

STERLING HEIGHTS
45111 Park Ave (M 59 & M 53 Uchoa Park Plaza) 586 997 8500
Lakeside Mall (Lower Ct. play area) 23495 Eureka Rd (Across from Southland Mall) 734 287 1770

TROY
1913 E Big Beaver Rd (Troy Sports Center) 248 628 0040

WESTLAND
35105 Warren Rd (SW Corner of Warren & Wayne Rds.) 734 722 7330

WAL-MART LOCATIONS

Howell
3599 Grand River E 517 546 5611

Port Huron
4475 24th Ave 810 385 1231

Warren
29240 Van Dyke 586 751 0747

White Lake
9190 Highland Rd 248 698 0043

BUSINESS CUSTOMERS, PLEASE CALL 1.866.899.2862

Free Handset Software Upgrade!

RadioShack

You've got questions. We've got answers.®

Great City

OUR VIEWS

Incumbents are among city picks

In what has been a painfully uneventful election season — especially by city of Plymouth standards — candidates haven't done much to distinguish themselves from one another.

That means we have to rely on past performance (for the incumbents) and potential (for challengers). Using that formula, we recommend Plymouth voters choose both incumbents — Dan Dwyer and Michele Potter — along with challengers Peter Bunting and Anthony Guillom.



Potter

Dwyer has become perhaps the commission's strongest, most-reasoned voice. Dwyer has spent countless hours bringing himself up to speed on issues ranging from zoning questions to budget deficits. He has displayed a willingness to learn and has made himself knowledgeable on many issues.



Dwyer

Dwyer was a major influence on a committee to develop standards to help deal with a rising number of liquor license requests in the city. He has also been the driving force behind the move to build a public restroom downtown, a significant need considering the thousands of people who come to Plymouth for concerts, fairs and festivals.



Bunting

Likewise, Potter has earned re-election. She championed a commission to study youth-related issues in the community, and followed through on that campaign promise by bringing to fruition the Plymouth Community Youth Advisory Committee.



Guillom

She's also consistently one of the strongest voices in trying to hold the city administration's feet to the fire in terms of trimming the budget to lessen the impact of budgetary restraints on city residents. She also dispelled the idea she'll seek the state House of Representatives seat currently held by John Stewart by promising to serve out her commission term.

Bunting has spent the last couple of years earnestly working to learn more about the city. He is a devout regular at city commission meetings and has paid attention to issues such as the budget, capital improvements and development.

Anthony Guillom is a political newcomer, but the commission is likely to have a strong stable of experienced politicians. Some fresh blood would be a welcome addition. Guillom's financial background would help ease the loss of financial whiz-kid Bill Graham.

Lotto games carry benefits, social risk

In an effort to bolster stagnant ticket sales, and bring some \$50 million of revenue to the state in the process, the State Lottery Commission on Monday launched a pair of new games.

Club Keno and pull-tab tickets were introduced to nearly 1,000 business establishments with a Class C liquor license — which allows them to serve alcohol by the glass — with the hopes of priming the cash pump that feeds the state.

It's a potential revenue stream that will not only fuel the lottery coffers, but also pump millions of dollars into Michigan's education budget. The state in general and the Department of Education in particular can use the money, so trying the games seems to us a good idea.

However, lining even a small portion of the state's pockets with ideas so strongly tied to drinking and gambling could be a treacherous course replete with dangerous obstacles.

The Club Keno game will feature drawings every five minutes for 20 hours a day. Critics can certainly envision someone with a drinking problem sitting at a neighborhood bar, feeding \$10 bills to the proprietor figuring, in an alcohol-induced haze, to get rich by hitting the million-dollar prize any minute now.

Lottery Commissioner Gary Peters thinks the state is prepared to help deal with such problems.

The \$50 million that could be raised by these new games makes them worth trying. The potential social harm is a danger of which the state must be aware, and with which it must be poised to deal.



Ghouls, ghosts and goblins galore played to the crowds at the annual Plymouth Jaycees haunted house, open tonight (Thursday) for the last time this year. The Jaycees' haunted house is one of the area's top attractions every Halloween.

LETTERS

Skeptical on hall

After hearing all of the pros and cons concerning the new township hall, we have tried to evaluate both sides.

But, after reading several articles on the new Web site www.plymouthfacts.com, we were stunned at the lack of planning and follow-through by the township officials before they took such a large leap. If there were no reservations by the township board, why did three of the four trustees vote against the plan? They each recommended obtaining more specific information before making a final decision.

We would be very skeptical about approving more debt (\$6 million dollars in bonds plus interest for 20 years, equals \$9,320,000) or using the tax dollars that we have already contributed to the fund balance over the years for this project. If the fund balance is so large, have we already been over-taxed or over-assessed?

Each citizen has to vote his or her conscience in the Nov. 6 election, but we urge each and every one of the voters to read the articles on this Web site before casting your vote.

Maybe the big problem is simple — the wrong location at the wrong price.

Jerry and Sharon Chouinard
Plymouth Township

Urging 'yes' vote

When the voters trusted me to serve as supervisor of Plymouth Township it was a trust that I took, and continue to take, very seriously. I was asked, and in fact campaigned on, the need to move projects forward and to prepare Plymouth Township for the next generation.

This meant making sure that our children had recreational opportunities, our streets were safe, and that our property values were maintained so that today's equity could be shared with the next generation.

Look what we have accomplished: our sprayscape was popular beyond all expectations and mothers and daughters, fathers and families spent hours taking advantage of this new aspect of our township park, Lake Pointe Soccer Park, Miller Family Park, Isbister Elementary School Park. Each a component of creating a family atmosphere. And just wait until the new skating area is opened for the first time this year in Plymouth Township Park.

But now I need your help again. We need to provide adequate space for our firefighters and police officers, those who are on the front line of protecting our families and our community. We must stop talking about building a new town, police and fire hall. We must continue the momentum of positive progress in our community and see that this project, talked about for over a decade, finally becomes a reality.

Lisa and I are raising our son in a community of which we are proud, a community that provides opportunities for the future of his entire generation. We must keep our community vibrant, welcoming people to town, and keeping families enjoying what we already know is the

best place to live, work and play.

Your trust has meant a lot as we have kept our taxes low, kept water rates in line, and yet still provided quality additional services. I am asking you to trust me, and the hundreds of Concerned Citizens for Plymouth Township, by voting "yes" Nov. 6 for a new police, fire and town hall without a tax increase.

Steven Mann
Plymouth Township supervisor

No on hall

The new Plymouth Township hall proposal is not only about whether or not the hall is a good plan for our township, but it is just as much about the exercise of voter's rights.

In the United States, all of us have a right of representation, but some of our elected officials don't see it that way. When it comes to spending at least \$12 million on a project like this, it appears that Steve Mann and friends would rather cater to special interests than to the requests and opinions of voters of Plymouth Township.

Steve Mann has been quoted as saying that, "He was elected to make the hard decisions," and Ron Edwards has warned voters, "to be careful what they vote for," insinuating that if the \$6 million bond proposal is not approved, other plans to finance a new hall will move forward that will be more costly to the taxpayers.

It is a shame that petitioners had to force Steve Mann to place the proposal before the voters. Make no mistake: Steve Mann only wants your vote on his election day.

As I understand it, the Steve Mann/Ron Edwards plan to spend \$12 million taxpayers dollars "without a tax increase" goes like this: \$6 million from bonds that residents can pay off at \$400,000 a year for the next 20 years (where will you be in 20 years?). The current township complex could be sold for \$2 million.

Now, my math skills may be a bit fuzzy, but that leaves \$4 million to be funded by current township surpluses. At township meetings, questions about large surpluses were explained as being set aside for rainy-day emergencies. Spending our \$4 million dollar surplus on a township hall does not sound like a rainy-day emergency to me. In fact, if our current tax burden allows for \$400,000 per year payments, and a \$4 million dollar surplus, the residents of Plymouth Township are being taxed too much!

The new township hall proposal is a very risky proposition and there are just too many unanswered questions. Why can't the existing site be modified to be more efficient? Why are we paying \$150,000 per acre (to Don Massey) when the land is appraised at \$100,000 per acre? What are the total development costs for the property (\$12 million seems to be an estimate)? And, why locate this new hall at the southeastern corner of the township, not to mention that the corner of Haggerty and Ann Arbor Road has very high traffic volume and it will be much more difficult to access by residents.

The proposal to sell \$6 million dollars worth of bonds was only approved by

four of seven board members for these very reasons and this is not a very resounding endorsement.

With this plan, you can count on being asked to pay more taxes, just like the 15-mill Headlee rollback proposal in the city of Plymouth. So, hang on to your wallet and your rights. Vote no on Nov. 6.

Dan Holton
Plymouth

Supports hall

Too often, the votes we cast are negative votes against something or for the "lesser of evils." On Thursday, Nov. 6, Plymouth Township voters have a rare opportunity to make two positive statements with a single vote.

The first positive statement is in support of a much needed new Township Hall. Even opponents acknowledge this need. The meager objections they raise lack substance. They call for more information without producing more than is already available. They cite opposition from some township officials without questioning their motives or acknowledging the validity of a majority vote. They say "no more debt" without suggesting an alternative to what is the most responsible approach to financing a project like this.

The second positive statement is in support of the leadership shown by township Supervisor Steve Mann. Unlike his predecessor, who let the analysis of options paralyze township decision-making, Steve Mann used a thorough review process as the basis for a decision that moves the township forward.

Unlike the Breen-era cabal that would have made key decisions outside the public eye and then try to quash any opposition, Steve Mann went out of his way to assure an open process. When faced with opposition, he honored their right to disagree. You can judge a leader by how they handle themselves in situations like this. By any measure, Steve Mann has shown exemplary leadership that deserves our support.

Whether you share these views or not, please vote on Thursday, Nov. 6. When you do, I urge you to "think positive" and vote yes!

SI Nabra
Plymouth Township

SHARE YOUR OPINIONS

We welcome your letters to the editor. Please include your name, address and phone number for verification. We ask that your letters be 400 words or less. We may edit for clarity, space and content.

Mail
Letters to the editor
Plymouth Observer
794 South Main
Plymouth MI 48170

Fax
(734) 459 4224

E-mail
bkadrich@oe.homecomm.net

QUOTABLE

"It's an opportunity for the bowling community to do something in a positive way for charity, and Special Olympics is one of the best ... We're happy to do it."

— Roy Biggs, Plaza Lanes GM, on participating in an event to benefit Special Olympics Michigan

PLYMOUTH
Observer

Part of HomeTown Communications Network™

Brad Kadrich
Community Editor

Todd Williams
Director of Advertising

Hugh Gallagher
Managing Editor

Peter Neill
General Manager

Susan Rosiek
Executive Editor

Dick Aginian
President

Jack Lessenberry
VP Editorial

Phil Power
Chairman of the Board

Our fundamental purposes are to enhance the lives of our readers, nurture the hometowns we serve and contribute to the business success of our customers.

Legislature wants to balance state budget by cuts alone

Here's an update on the state's budget deficit situation. All I hear from the Republicans is the Johnny One Note song — "cut, cut, cut" — accompanied by a high whining chant of "no new taxes"

And the Democrats, petrified by the memory of what happened during the last big budget crisis in the early '80s, have mostly been silent. Twenty years ago, facing a deficit that was proportionately much worse than this one, new Gov. James J. Blanchard persuaded the Legislature to enact a temporary income tax increase. This did the job, the bills were paid without eating our seed corn and crippling the state's universities. But angered voters recalled two Democratic state senators who voted for the tax hike, gave control of the state senate to the Republicans and began the rise of their senate leader, one John Engler.

So it looks like the reflex arc of the political system will be to solve the budget crisis by cutting expenditures.

Well, what does that mean? OK, Mr. and Ms. State Legislator, let's take a look at what a pure expense cutting strategy gets us. To review, the deficit now seems to come to around \$600 million for the general fund and about \$350 million for the school aid fund that pays for K-12 schools. These projections are for this fiscal year, the one that started Oct. 1.

Obviously, the best place to start with is the \$9.1 billion General Fund budget, 82 percent of which is made up of the Department of Corrections, higher education (colleges, universities and community colleges), community health (mostly Medicaid), and the Family Independence Agency.

Gonna cut corrections, Ms. Legislator? Sure it's a good target, given its enormous growth over the past decade. In 1980, the department employed 5,000 people, today, with a total budget of \$1.6 billion, it employs 17,000 people, something like 30 percent of the state's work force. But are you really prepared to endure the wrath of the law 'n' order crowd (not to mention the prison guards union) by voting for deep cuts in prison budgets?

What about Medicaid, Mr. Legislator, or at least those places in the \$2.6 billion Medicaid budget where we have some theoretical legal flexibility to cut? You can kick a bunch of poor kids out of the program. You can limit the money we spend on drugs for poor people on Medicaid. Or you can dump some poor old people out of nursing homes. Mr. Legislator, how stony a heart and how tough a skin do you have?

Higher ed. Never you mind, Ms. Legislator, that you've already cut more than 10 percent in state aid for colleges and universities over the past couple of years and, as a consequence, tuition increased by 10 percent just last fall. But OK, go ahead and take a \$100 million bite out of the \$1.6 billion higher edu-

cation budget, that's around a 7 percent cut, which under the circumstances might seem reasonable.

But look again. This time around, the calendar works against you. It's virtually certain, Ms. Legislator, you and your colleagues won't get around to passing a budget until early next year. Universities' fiscal years begin July 1, giving them only six months to make up for budget cuts made at calendar year end. So a cut of 7 percent imposed in, say, January 2004, will have to be made up for by a tuition increase of something like 14 percent, probably at mid-year.

Do you really want to go to meetings with parents of kids in college who are screaming at you for jacking up their tuition bills a full 25 percent over just two years? Not likely.

The same calendar problem works against you, Mr. Legislator, when you think about plugging the \$350 million hole in the School Aid Fund. Nobody wants to do it, but it's beginning to look as though the state foundation grant of \$6,700 per pupil will have to be cut. Let's say you decide on 3 percent or \$185 per kid, effective Jan. 1, 2004 — a modest number, you say. But as districts are already in the middle of their school year, a 3 percent cut amounts in fact to a 6 percent cut in operations.

And you tell me what school district can cut 6 percent out of its operations during the last half of the year without grave damage.

Because you're clever, you might have some clever gimmicks to propose.

"Let's cut state government employment back and get leaner and meaner. Sounds like a good one. But state government is already leaner and meaner, down from 70,000 employees in 1980 to 55,000 employees in 2003, of which 17,000 are corrections employees (see above). What about taxing the Indian casinos, which aren't paying tax? Sorry, because the Indian tribes are autonomous nations, that's a federal matter and outside your jurisdiction.

I've been talking with Tom Clay, the respected budget analyst for the Citizens Research Council. He concludes, "Maybe, if you work real hard, you can cut around \$300 million out of the \$600 million general fund deficit. But after that, it gets very, very tough."

After all this, my suggestion to Gov. Jennifer Granholm is simple: Submit to Mr. and Ms. State Legislator two entirely different state budgets. In one, go through the exercise of solving the problem by cuts alone, "Engleresque" might be the appropriate term.

In the other, propose a radical restructuring of the workings and costs of state government. Let 'em writhe in pain, urge far-seeing thought and debate.

Then remind them that it's the Legislature's job to enact a constitutionally required balanced budget. And making those hard decisions is what they are paid for.

Phil Power is the chairman of the board of the company that owns this newspaper. He would be pleased to get your reactions to this column either at (734) 953-2047 or at ppower@homecomm.net.



Phil Power

Headlee override, hall bond issue prove it's still politics as usual

If you look up the word brouhaha in the dictionary, you'll find a picture of the Plymouth political scene.

This time, though, the real races are for taxpayer money. In the city, commissioners are asking residents to allow them to waive the Headlee Amendment rollback to raise the city's general fund millage rate to a cap of 15 mills.

Commissioners supporting the action, including Mayor Pro Tem Colleen Pobur, say the commission has no intention of raising it all the way. Incumbent Michele Potter, whose seat is up in Tuesday's election and who opposes the idea, says, basically, "yeah, right."

Commissioners Pobur, Ron Loisele and Stella Greene have been making the rounds of the city's informational meetings, conducted mostly at the Plymouth Cultural Center, where City Manager Paul Sincok has laid out, via Power Point presentation, the effects of the potential millage increase on city services.

I watched one such presentation, and found it relied mostly on the city's explanation of its budget, and carried no overt

message of doom, other than to spell out the kinds of cuts that will be made should the question fail at the polls. The potential loss of public safety services, including police officers, was a bit melodramatic, but on point.

Of course, numbers can be made to say anything the presenter wants. For instance, Pobur has said the commission won't raise taxes any higher than is necessary to balance the budget, estimating such a hike at 2.5-3 mills. As former city Commissioner Sean FitzGerald correctly points out, that's only six-tenths of a mill less than the full 15 mills.

More troubling is the use of city personnel to try to scare the public into voting yes. The city was recently invited to Tonquish Creek Manor, a government-subsidized senior living facility, to accept the grateful thanks of residents for the city's efforts during the Great Blackout of 2003. Two uniformed police officers accompanied them.

City officials took advantage of the opportunity to pitch Proposal 1, and just happened to point out the city would lose police manpower if the proposal failed. Now, it might not look to you like officials were trying to scare these seniors — who won't be affected by Proposal 1 one way or the other — into voting in favor of it. But that's how it looked to FitzGerald and other critics.

At one of the meetings, FitzGerald asked if it was merely coincidence these uniformed officers, being paid on city time, were at Tonquish Creek the same night the city conducted its briefing. To which Pobur replied, "There's no such thing as coincidence."

The discussion of a new township hall in Plymouth Township has been a little more heated. Fliers have started, well, flying. There's one put out by Plymouth Facts, LLC, a group registered on the state's Web site by former township Supervisor Maurice Breen, that does the same thing some say city officials are doing: Telling a fuzzy sort of truth.

For instance, the piece claims township officials "never held public hearings on the site development." While we agree more public hearings were needed, the township did, in fact, conduct such a session at St. Kenneth's Church last October.

The flier, which may violate state election law because it doesn't indicate who paid for it, also says the township paid \$30,000 for CRESA's needs study, "which duplicates a staff study." In fact, while some of the information is similar, the CRESA study contains far greater detail. Is \$30,000 too much to have paid for it? Perhaps.

The flier also makes some good points. Water/sewer fund money is going to be used to help pay the cost of the \$12 million project. The township already owns property on which it could have built — the current site at Ann Arbor Road and Lilley and the DPW property on Port. And officials never put out bids for the needs study, instead giving it to the real estate arm of the township's own auditors, Plante & Moran.

Then there are the requisite fliers advocating the township hall, as well, so many that some residents are getting fed up with them. To date, fliers have been distributed by the Plymouth Township Police Officer Association, the Plymouth Township Firefighters union and the Concerned Citizens for Plymouth Township.

And, while the CCPT would like folks to believe it's a grass-roots effort to combat the naysayers, a closer look reveals something a little deeper. But look at the names on the Concerned Citizens for Plymouth Township: Joe Bridgman is the township's deputy clerk and will run for the office next year if current Clerk Marilyn Massengill doesn't; Dennis Cebulski is chairman of the planning commission, Harry Jachym is on the Zoning Board of Appeals, Roy Hart is on the compensation committee, Elaine Hovey is on the Downtown Development Authority.

While no one is questioning the character or the dedication of any of these people, it's still an obfuscation. A real grass-roots effort would have more "regular Joes."

And, while no campaign laws are being broken, at least one of the mailings was paid for using a postal permit belonging to Supervisor Steve Mann, the guy who has the most to gain politically if the bond proposal passes in the township.

Who says it's not politics as usual in Plymouth? Brad Kadrich is community editor of the Plymouth Observer. He can be reached via e-mail at bkadrich@oe.homecomm.net or by phone at (734) 459-2700.



Brad Kadrich

Leather...



The Look and the Feel!

Right now we are displaying updated designs that are spirited, beautiful and comfortable. The new styles, colors and leathers are well-suited to the demands of today's lifestyles.

Sofas, chairs, recliners can be yours now at **substantial savings!** Stop in today and let us explain the facts of this lasting alternative for the furnishing of your home.

Now Fall Sale Priced!
and with 12 Months No Interest*

"Celebrating 70 Years"




Walker/Buzenberg

fine furniture

240 North Main Street • PLYMOUTH • 734-459-1300
 Mon, Thurs, Fri 10-9 • Tues, Wed, Sat 10-6, Sun 1-5
 *Financing With Credit Approval • Order Now for the Holidays!
www.walkerbuzenberg.com

Do your students love learning with technology?



The Best Buy Children's Foundation has launched **te@ch**, a \$3 million program to reward schools that are creatively integrating technology into their curriculum.

Go to BestBuy.com and click on the Community Relations link for all the details.



Best Buy's program to reward schools that integrate technology into the curriculum.



Children's Foundation

Follow your favorite high school sports team each week in the Observer

2003 Race for the Cure raises \$880,000 locally

More than 20,000 runners and walkers passed the finish line earlier this year on June 21 at Comerica Park as part of the Komen Detroit Race for the Cure, but generous friends have continued to give for months in the fight against breast cancer.

On Sept. 29, 150 of the top Friends for the Cure fund-raisers - captains of teams with more than 50 participants and their guests - gathered at the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, local presenting sponsor of the race, where they were honored for their efforts.

Race "Friends" solicit donations from their own circle of neighbors, acquaintances and professional colleagues. More than 1,200 individuals collected \$366,000 from over 10,000 donors in this year's efforts, a 33 percent increase from last year. Since its inception in 1997, \$17 million has been raised locally through the Friends for the Cure program.

Overall, the 2003 Race raised \$880,000 in support of local breast cancer screening, education, and special treatment programs, as well as the National Research Grant Program of the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.

Shari Franko of Dearborn took the first place solicitor award with a grand total of \$5,582. To date, Shari's Friends contributions total \$150,000.

Second place winner Karen Sallee of West Bloomfield collected \$4,200.

Oakland County Family Independence Agency in Bloomfield Hills gathered to raise \$4,019, taking the third place award.

Volunteer Friends for the Cure Co-Chairs Michael Meldrum of Lathrup Village and Tammi DeProffio of Northville both see this as a way of extending their employer Johnson & Johnson's credo into the community.

"I've never seen so much accomplished by the enthusiasm and commitment of a great group of people," said Meldrum, whose wife, Maureen, is the Race Chair and an 11-year breast cancer survivor. "It's great to see such broad-based support for a cause that afflicts so many," added DeProffio.

Teams brought 9,000 participants to this year's Race. Volunteer Teams Co-Chair Jan Tebelman of Sterling Heights helped lead the recruitment effort. Tebelman has strong ties

to the event after losing her sister Nan to breast cancer. "Nan's Fans," the team created in memory of Nan, won the award for the largest Family-Generated team. Other awards were given to the largest teams: Ford Motor Co., Compuware, Smith Barney (Corporate, 3 size divisions), Birmingham Schools (School) and Team New Prospect (Community).

Based in Detroit, the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute is dedicated to the prevention, early detection and eventual eradication of cancer. The Institute operates the Meyer L. Prentiss Comprehensive Cancer Center of Metropolitan Detroit, one of 39 National Cancer Institute designated comprehensive cancer centers in the United States. Operating on an annual budget of \$200 million with 1,200 staff, 300 faculty members, hundreds of volunteers and \$50 million in research grants, the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute is one of the largest cancer centers in the United States.

Established in 2001, the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Foundation is a non-profit organization that raises funds to support the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute.

The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation Race for the Cure Series raises significant funds and awareness for the fight against breast cancer, celebrating breast cancer survivorship and honoring those who have lost their battle with the disease. With funds raised by the Komen Race for the Cure Series, the Komen Foundation with its Affiliate Network is able to fund breast cancer research grants, meritorious awards and educational, scientific and community outreach programs around the world. Since its origination in Dallas, Texas in 1983, the Komen Race for the Cure Series has grown from one local Race with 800 participants to a series of more than 100 Races with 1.5 million people expected to participate in 2003.

For more information on the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, its activities, or how you can get involved, visit www.karmanos.org or call (800) KARMANOS. For more information about the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, visit www.komen.org or call 1 800 I'M AWARE.

SEMCOG: 90,000 area jobs lost since March 2002

Southeast Michigan lost 90,000 jobs from March 2002 to August 2003, according to *Employment Change by Community, Southeast Michigan, 1999-2002*, a new report released by SEMCOG, the Southeast Michigan Council of Government.

Although the losses are still significant, this time period showed smaller losses in manufacturing employment than in previous years and improvements in most other sectors. Southeast Michigan reported 2,233,329 jobs in August 2003, a 2.3 percent drop in jobs from March 2002.

Employment Change by Community, Southeast Michigan, 1999-2002, shows place-of-work employment at the community level for the first time and shows year-by-year change for eight classes of employment. Previously, such data was only available at the county level. SEMCOG is now able to identify the locations of almost all employment establishments.

LOCAL JOB LOSSES

For the period covered in the detailed report, Canton Township and Plymouth Township were the only communities showing job gains among Observer communities.

Canton Township added 478 jobs in 1999-2000, 498 jobs in 2000-2001 and lost 350 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net gain of 626 jobs. Garden

City added 64 jobs in 1999-2000, and lost 161 jobs in 2000-2001 and 378 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net loss of 475 jobs.

Livonia gained 858 jobs in 1999-2000 but lost 3,054 jobs in 2000-2001 and 2,836 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net loss of 5,032 jobs. Plymouth gained 342 jobs in 1999-2000 but lost 471 jobs in 2000-2001 and 402 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net loss of 531 jobs. Plymouth Township gained 1,253 jobs in 1999-2000 and 797 jobs in 2000-2001 but lost 1,399 jobs in 2001-2002 for a gain of 651 jobs.

Redford Township gained 623 jobs in 1999-2000 but lost 551 jobs in 2000-2001 and 684 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net loss of 612 jobs. Westland gained 305 jobs in 1999-2000 but lost 754 jobs in 2000-2001 and 1,143 jobs in 2001-2002 for a net loss of 1,592 jobs.

The report tracks jobs at the national, state and regional levels. While the U.S. gained 2.2 million jobs between 1990 and 2000, the economic recession of 2001-2002 resulted in a loss of about two million jobs. Total jobs in Michigan peaked in 2000 with 2,332,242 jobs. In 2002, that figure was down to 2,242,452, a loss of 89,790 jobs. The most recent job loss number - just over 9,000 from March 2002 to August 2003 - indicates a much slower rate of loss.

Most of the job loss in Southeast Michigan was in manufacturing - specifically

in the sectors called apparel from fabrics, rubber and miscellaneous plastics, primary metal industries, fabrication of metal products, industrial and commercial machinery, electronic and electrical equipment and transportation equipment. The largest losses were in Detroit, Livonia, Sterling Heights and Warren - each lost over 2,000 manufacturing jobs. In Southeast Michigan, 72,000 manufacturing jobs were lost from the March 2000 peak to August 2003. In 1999, manufacturing accounted for 27 percent of the total job gain in the region that year, and from 2000-2003, it accounted for 73 percent of total job loss.

SERVICE JOBS GAIN

Communities with most service-based employment - for example, health care, education, and personal services such as hair stylists, auto mechanics and plumbers - saw slight employment gains.

Despite a 5,594-job loss in 2002, the net gain in service jobs from 1999-2002 was 25,485. Communities gaining significant numbers in service jobs were Detroit (4,290), Dearborn (3,733), Ann Arbor (1,790), Farmington Hills (1,419) and Clinton Township (1,419). The services industry is the largest employer in Southeast Michigan, comprising about 39 percent of total employment.

Employment Change by Community, Southeast Michigan, 1999-2002 contains seven maps that illustrate employment change in the region. There are also tables that detail employment by eight classes of employment (such as manufacturing, retail, services, etc.) by county and by every community in Southeast Michigan.

"SEMCOG will continue to track employment in Southeast Michigan on an annual basis," said Paul Tait, SEMCOG Executive Director. "I am hopeful that the region will emerge from what economists have called a 'jobless economic recovery' to actually add jobs in coming months - especially higher-paying manufacturing jobs."

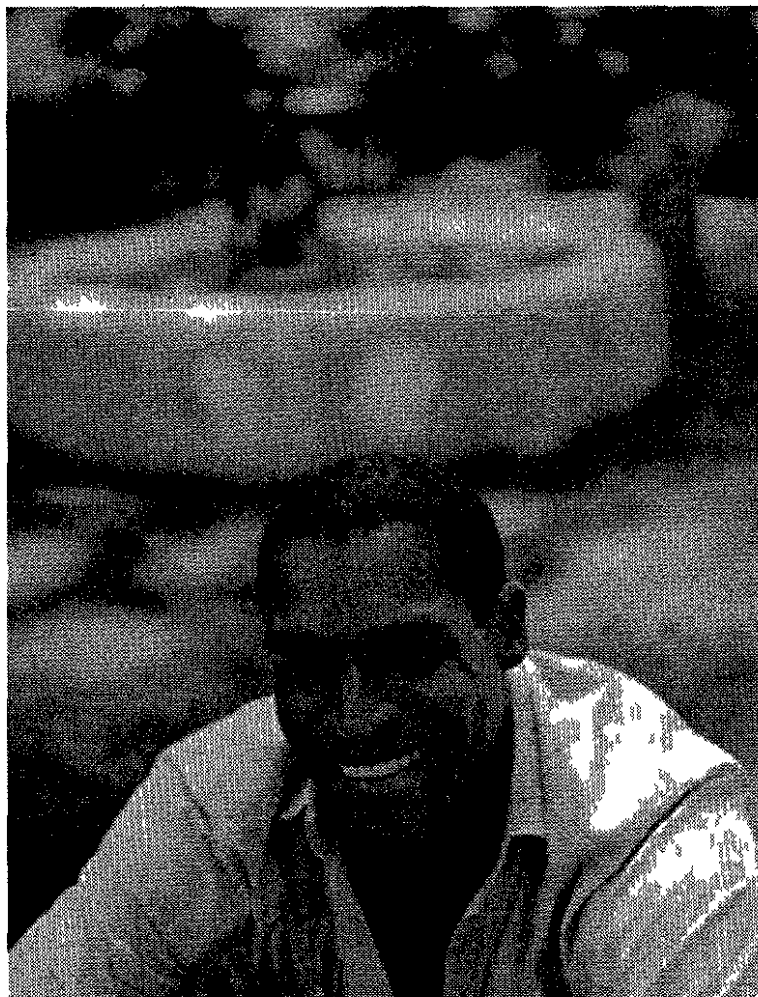
Copies of *Employment Change by Community, Southeast Michigan, 1999-2002*, are available from SEMCOG Information Services, (313)961-4266, for \$20.

It can also be downloaded in PDF format from SEMCOG's Web site - www.semco.org.

Data from the report will soon be added to the Community Profiles database on SEMCOG's Web site under the heading "Current Employment Estimates by Industrial Class."

SEMCOG is a regional planning partnership of local government units serving 4.9 million people in the seven-county region of Southeast Michigan.

I dwell in Possibility



in a home where I can step outside and feel the grass between my toes,

in having a toolshed, mowing my lawn with a tractor, and washing my car in my own driveway,

separated from my neighbors by picket fences instead of dry wall,

in the Possibility of hammocks, lawn chairs, and tire swings,

and the Possibility of watching my kids discover a playground in their own backyard.

Standard Federal Bank
ABN AMRO

Standard Federal Bank
MEMBER FDIC

BIGGER & BETTER!

AMAZING CORN MAZE & HAYRIDES

Over 6 acres of tall field corn, cut into a crazy maze. It is your job to find the right way out. Get lost in the moonlight with your significant other or come in the daylight with your family. You will get to look around when you find the observation deck.

Adults \$10
Children 5-12 \$5
Under 5 are FREE

Located 10 minutes north of 32 Mile Road, straight up Rochester Road on Hagerman Road in the Village of Leonard. Signs posted in town. Don't get lost until you get here!

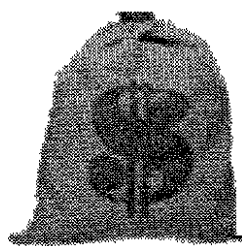
OPEN WEEKENDS
Friday 6-11 • Saturday 12-11
Sundays 12-6

Open until Nov. 2nd • School Field Trips

— Haunted After Dark on Friday & Saturday

For more information call: **(248) 628-4014**
www.amazingcornmaze2001.com

We'll give you



for your gently used baby and children's clothes, equipment, toys furniture & accessories (maternity clothes, too!)

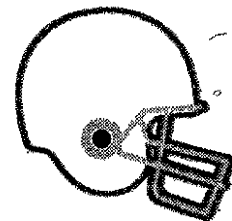
Call for an appointment to drop off your items. We'll call you back with a cash offer!

TIGGY WINKLES

Children's Resale Boutique
30993 Five Mile Rd. Livonia
734 458 5313

CE08157884

CE08160189



Sidelines

Steelers win

The Canton Lions varsity was defeated by the Plymouth-Canton Steelers 14-0 Saturday night. The Lions finished with a 3-5 record.

The Lions received strong defensive efforts from Chris Fischer, Cory Needham and Justin Scott.

The Lions junior varsity squad dropped a 16-13 decision to the Steelers. Myron Puryear, Chris Stewart, Chris Koetting, Nick Wright, Anthony Seling and Caleb Rankins played well offensively for the Lions. The JV Lions finished 3-5.



ANDREW RUBINSTEIN

The Canton Lions freshmen unit finished the regular season 8-0 thanks to a 20-6 win over the Steelers. Miles Clifton led the way, scoring two TD's on offense while intercepting two passes on defense. Chris Ostrowski, Adam Payne, Brad Trublowski and Jack Slater also played well for the Lions, who will face the Dearborn Heights Redskins in the first round of the playoffs this weekend.

JV invite

Salem's junior varsity cross country team had four runners finish in the top 10 and scored 20 points to win the RUJV Invitational Friday at Cass Benton Park in Northville.

Alyssa Mastic was the overall winner, finishing in 20:53. Katy White finished second at 21:07 and Marisa Carpenelli was third, also at 21:07.

Allison Janda (21:07) was fifth, and Lianne Griffiths rounded out Salem's top-10 finishers with her ninth-place time of 21:21. Chelsea Baldwin finished in 21:27 and Kristin Mastic came in at 22:00.

Volleyball

Registration is currently being taken for a co-ed volleyball league that will play in Canton beginning Friday Nov 14, at the Summit. Cost is \$160 per team, which guarantees 14 games. The league runs from mid-November to mid-March.

Officials fees of \$10 per match are paid at the court weekly. Recreational and competitive divisions are offered, with teams composed of six people on the court (three males, three females). For more information, please contact Dan or Glenda with Canton Leisure Services at (734) 483-5600.

Chiefs begin chasing gridiron gold

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

Canton football coach Tim Baechler knows his 9-0 Chiefs beat Wayne Memorial 34-21 six weeks ago. He knows the Zebras went 6-3, which makes his Chiefs the favorite in Friday's prep football district opener.

He also knows the old cliché - You can throw records out the window when

the playoffs start - is true, because he's been there.

That's why Baechler will have his Chiefs focused on the Zebras when Wayne comes to Canton for the 7 p.m. kickoff Friday. He knows, because three years ago, Canton went 6-3, then reached the regional final against Clarkston before falling.

"The thing about the playoffs is it's a different atmosphere," Baechler said.

"You know (in the regular season) you've got more games coming up, you still have goals to reach."

"It's not as life-or-death in the regular season. Once you get in the playoffs, everyone feels it, everyone's more intense, and every play really matters. That's the challenge, and our kids know that."

To get it done, the Chiefs will dance with what brought them. Running the

ball. Canton's three-back offense features running backs Devin Thomas, Travis McKinney and Chuck Schumacher. Thomas and McKinney ran for some 900 yards apiece and Schumacher, the fullback, chipped in nearly 500.

Baechler knows that's his team's strength, but he said he's also comfortable with the passing of quarterback

PLEASE SEE CHIEFS, B2

Salem boys 2nd, girls 3rd in region

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

It's old hat for Salem boys cross country coach Geoff Baker to be taking his team to the state finals, but it's a relatively new experience for girls coach Dave Gerlach.

Both will savor the taste, though, when the state's best teams gather Saturday at Michigan International Speedway for the state finals. Both of Salem's teams qualified after finishing in the top three at last weekend's regional at Willow Metropark in New Boston.

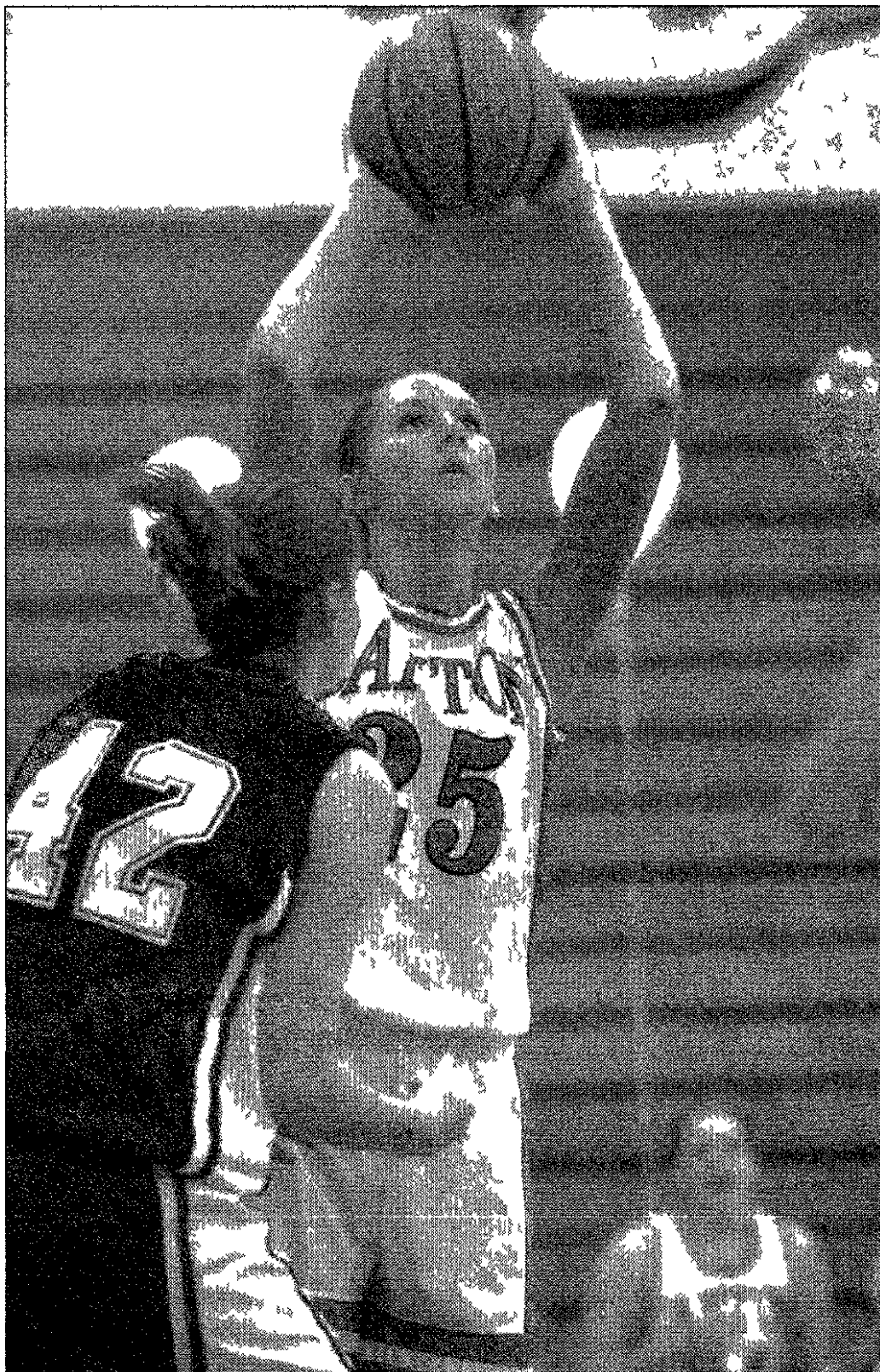
The boys very nearly pulled out a win over Redford Catholic Central, but couldn't catch the Shamrocks, who won the meet with 40 points. Salem put five runners in the top 15 and finished second with 43 points.

"We're very happy with the performance, although we wish we could have gotten three more points," Baker said. "When a team goes 1-2-3 on you, you think there's no shot. But our guys stepped up."

The Shamrocks earned the first three overall finishes, but then Salem put the pressure on Senior Adam Warner, who earlier in the week had run his personal best time, finished fourth overall in 16:56.9.

Sophomore Jimmy Walsh (17:06.5), junior Scott Fysh (17:10.4) and sophomore Dan Kapadia (17:10.9) then ran 7-8-9.

PLEASE SEE SALEM, B5



Canton's Katie Cezat hitting a shot over Salem's Theresa Coppellie, scored 25 points to lead the Chiefs over the Rocks Tuesday night.

Chiefs survive Salem

BY BRAD KADRICH
STAFF WRITER

This game had everything. The Western Lakes Activities Association's only two unbeaten girls basketball teams, two aggressive defenses, and a cross-campus rivalry billed as one of the state's best.

And it lived up to the hype. Junior forward Katie Cezat scored 25 points, hauled down 15 rebounds and blocked eight shots, and Canton held on for a 43-38 WLAA victory Tuesday over Salem in a game that sets up a showdown Thursday at Walled Lake Western.

Cezat scored in a variety of ways and helped the Chiefs (14-2, 10-0 WLAA) ward off the Rocks despite a late 3-point barrage by Salem's Carly Schwan.

"Katie had a great game," Canton coach Bob Blohm said. "I thought her teammates did a great job setting screens for her and making the passes at the right time to get her open."

The game turned in the third quarter. After going to the locker room at halftime tied 21-21, the Chiefs came out and held Salem (11-5 overall, 9-1 WLAA) scoreless in the third quarter. Canton didn't exactly light it up, either, but outscored Salem 5-0, a five-point margin that was eventually the difference in the game.

For a team that shot just 6-of-21 in the second half, it was the long-

PLEASE SEE WLAA, B5

Eagles' title dreams dashed in OT

Eliot Woolford has had a knack for scoring big goals in state tournament games. The junior midfielder from Auburn Hills Oakland Christian came through once again Tuesday afternoon.

Woolford scored a golden goal with 4:20 left in the first sudden-death overtime period as the second-ranked Lancers rallied to defeat fourth-ranked Plymouth Christian 2-1 in a Division 4 regional semifinal at Sterling Heights Bethesda Christian.

With the win, the Lancers (18-3-1) moved onto Saturday's 1 p.m. regional final - the fourth straight year the school has reached that point - against the winner of Wednesday's other regional semifinal between eighth-ranked Westland Lutheran and unranked Bethesda Christian. Plymouth Christian finished 19-3-1.

On the game-winning goal, Woolford headed in a corner kick from senior midfielder Ben Pirman past Plymouth Christian's Matt Saagman.

"I just jumped up and the ball came right to me and I headed it in," said Woolford of his seventh goal of the season. "It was perfect corner kick. I was just glad to be there ready for it."

Two years ago, Woolford scored during a goal-mouth scramble late in a regional final against Grosse Pointe Woods University-Liggett to send the game into overtime, and last year netted the equalizer with



Plymouth Christian's Lew Tripp (12) and Tim Oswalt (22) react after Tripp scored a second-half goal against Oakland Christian goalie Kevin Hall. The Eagles, however, were ousted in overtime 2-1.

37 seconds left in the state semifinal against Allen Park Inter-City Baptist, again to send the game into overtime.

His heroics this time around wouldn't have happened if the Lancers hadn't tied the game with 3:34 left in regulation.

Senior forward Nick Bontumasi began the play with the ball in the left corner. After beating his

defender, he sent a through ball into the box, where junior fullback Trevor Wilson slid into the ball and sent it just inside the far post. The play came less than a minute after Saagman left the game with an injury.

Plymouth Christian, which split with the Lancers during the regular

PLEASE SEE EAGLES, B6

Madonna wins 7th straight net title

The Madonna University women's volleyball team may have dropped in the latest NAIA poll, but the Crusaders are champions of the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference for the seventh consecutive year.

MU improved to 34-2 overall and 9-0 in the WHAC with a convincing 30-10, 30-12, 30-10 triumph Tuesday at home over Aquinas College.

Natalja Timna (Riga, Latvia) led the victorious Crusaders with 20 kills in 25 attacks (800 percentage). Laura Lesko added 15, while Sharyse Bush and Caryn Inman contributed 10 and nine, respectively. Setter Ashley Frost finished with 39 assists, while Tera Morrill (Livonia Franklin) had a team-high 15 digs and five ace serves. Amanda Suder (Salem) added 10 digs.

Aquinas falls to 15-16 and 5-4.

After losing only their second match of the season Friday to Indiana-Southeast in the Big Guns Tournament in Chicago, MU fell from fourth to sixth in the national poll.

But MU swept their next three opponents including St. Xavier University (Ill.) 30-27, 30-13, 30-23 in the nightcap Friday. Lesko led the way with 13 kills, while Suder provided 21 digs in the victory.

On Saturday, the Crusaders disposed of Bethel (Ind.) College, 30-28, 30-20, 27-30, 30-17, as Lesko never showed signs of cooling down, leading the Crusaders with 23 kills.

Suder amassed 31 digs, while Frost contributed 56 assists.

In the tournament finale, Madonna beat St. Francis (Ill.), 30-18, 26-30, 30-19, 30-23, as Timna recorded 21 kills. Lesko added 20, giving her 66 for the tournament.

Morrill led all Crusaders with 24 digs, while Frost chipped in with 51 assists.

PLEASE SEE MADONNA, B5

Shamrocks, Brighton set for ground game

Fans of the forward pass might want to find something else to do on Saturday afternoon

There might be more fits thrown than footballs when 6-3 Brighton travels to Hilbert Jr High to play 8-1 Catholic Central at 1 p.m.

"Between the both of us, we're going to be in for a fast football game," said CC coach Tom Mach. "I guess we both like to run the ball."

But the reasons behind the ground game differ. While CC has always been a team geared for the ground game, the Bulldogs under coach Bill Murray have always gone with the flow. In this case, it took the Bulldogs a few games before they found their groove.

"Football, in the course of the season, is evolution as much as anything," said Murray, whose team needed a win in its final game with Temperance Bedford to clinch a playoff spot.

"Hopefully, you get much better at the end than the beginning. I think we got better at the things we were trying to do. And the thing we weren't successful

at, we tried to evolve away from. And one of those things was throw the football."

CC has a 329-80 scoring advantage this year, while Brighton has outscored its foes, 215-89.

For want of a little help here and there, the Bulldogs could have been 9-0. They lost to perennial powerhouse Rockford by two points to open the season, lost to Novi by a field goal in overtime and a last-gasp flea-flicker was picked off against South Lyon or game would have gone to overtime.

"So CC is our fourth top 10 team this season," said Murray. "We've played some good teams and (CC) ranks right up there."

The Bulldogs are mainly a Wing-T team but can run from multiple sets. Anthony Besso and Chris Elsie lead a corps of solid running backs, but fullback Nick Lawrence is the runner that Mach feels bears watching.

"He's a big kid (6-3, 215) and he can hurt you when he comes right at you. And they have a good group of speed backs," said Mach. "But they also have a good size line and they can block

well. Fraser Burton is 6-4, 295 and Chris Cord is 5-11, 305 and they run behind them."

Of course, with both schools running a lot, it could make things easy to defend. Or not.

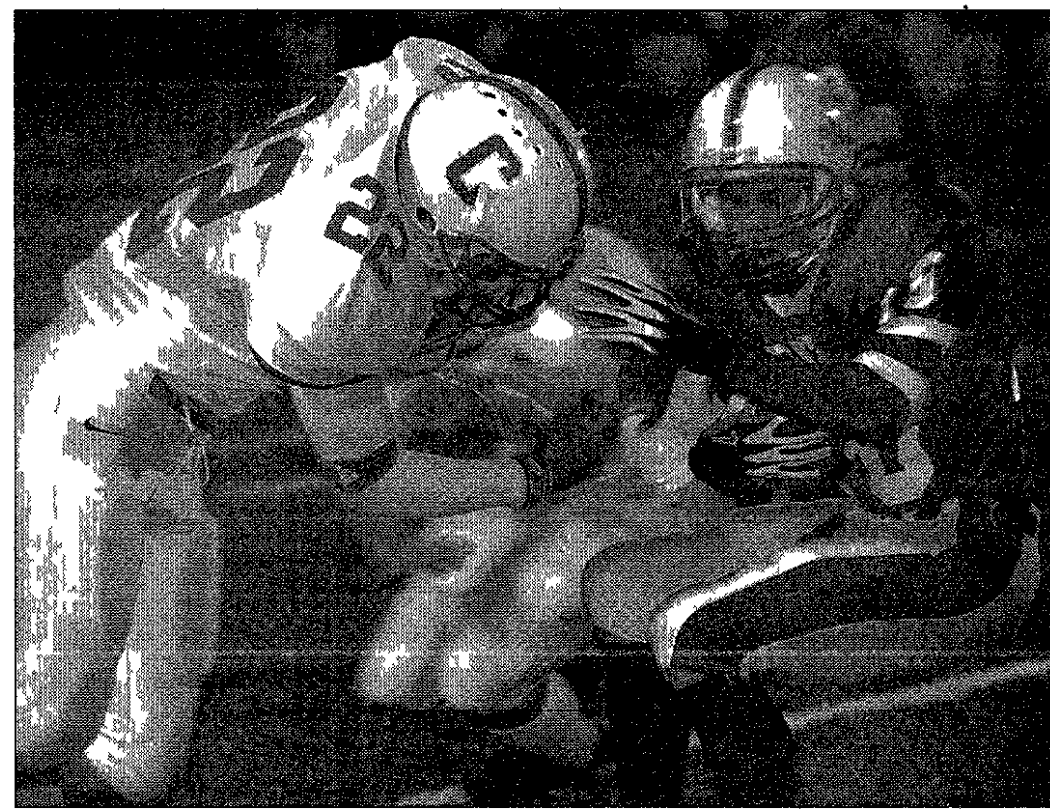
"They are similar to us in a lot of ways," said Mach. "When their running game is clicking, they could control the ball and keep it away from us. They look very good. We're trying to pick up tendencies, but we don't see them."

Mach feels the guessing game will continue with Brighton's defense.

"They do a lot of different things on defense, but we're still trying to figure out what it is," said Mach. "It's basically a 4-3, but there's a lot of adjusting formations so you don't get a base defense look."

Murray feels his team looks in the mirror when it plays CC.

"They don't do a lot of things. They just line up against you, run their basic offense, and out-personnel you," said Murray. "We just have to do our stuff and not make mistakes. There's nothing fancy about that."



After dispatching Salem High School Friday, Canton's Julian Smith (left) and his teammates prepare for Wayne Memorial in the playoff opener.

CHIEFS

FROM PAGE B1

Shawn Little. He's counting on his offensive line to control the line of scrimmage, allowing the Chiefs to get going.

"I don't think you change a lot at this point," Baechler said. "You try to possess the ball and make first downs. People are going to try to take away what you do best, and you have to take advantage of that."

Wayne's first-year coach, Craig Hnatuk, knows taking away what Canton does best isn't going to be easy. The Chiefs averaged nearly 38 points per game, outscoring their opponents 340-149.

"No one has stopped their offense the whole year," Hnatuk said of the Chiefs.

"They don't make mistakes and they've been very impressive. They're a heckuva team to go 9-0 and win our league (Western Lakes)."

"We have to put them in some uncomfortable situations and caused turnovers. We've changed some things defensively."

Wayne, which captured six of its first seven games to earn a Division I playoff berth, is reeling after being outscored in their final two regular season games by a combined total of 79-15.

A healthy T.J. Dillard, who has four 200-yard plus rushing games this season, should help Wayne's game plan this week. The senior tailback, battling the flu and unable to practice all last week, had only seven carries in a 40-8 loss last week to rival John Glenn.

Canton will depend on its team defense concept to try to stop the Zebras. Baechler said linebackers Jake Powers and Jeff Hudson have "played great," and the secondary, despite four new starters in seniors Eric O'Shaughnessy, Devin Thomas, Bryon Siefert and Steve Campbell, has also played well.

"Our defense is real simple. We line up and play," Baechler said. "There's not a lot of stunting, not a lot of blitzing. We come up and tackle the football and keep things in front of us. It may not be dazzling, but as a team we play pretty good defense." Baechler is counting on all

of that to keep Canton focused on a dream he said he thought was possible after the second week of the season. He said he wasn't sure how good the Chiefs could be, but sensed they could achieve an unbeaten season.

In a meeting with his players, Baechler found he wasn't alone in the feeling.

"The way our kids competed, I had this surreal feeling about them," Baechler said. "I told them I could see this group of kids going 9-0, and they were like, 'We can, too!'"

Baechler said his players still feel like they've got things to do, despite the unbeaten season and Western Lakes title. And they know the road starts with Wayne Memorial.

"Wayne Memorial has talent, they're a good team or they wouldn't be here," Baechler said. "The kids have really been able to stay focused and not get complacent, and not choke. They've been up and excited to play football. It feels pretty darned good, but the kids are like, 'We're not done.' They want to keep going."

tkadrich@oe.hometown.net
(734) 459-2700

Catholic Central rolls over Fordson for Prep Bowl title

It wasn't as lopsided as last year, but Catholic Central's Prep Bowl A-B championship win was just as convincing as the Shamrocks rolled over Dearborn Divine Child, 34-7, at Ford Field on Saturday.

It was the second-straight year that the Shamrocks beat the Falcons for the title, with a 45-14 win last year.

CC (8-1) racked up 408 yards in total offense, with 350 coming on the ground. The Shamrocks held Divine Child (6-3) to just 220 yards.

Actually, the Falcons held an early 7-3 lead as Jason Gungell put CC on the board first with a

22-yard field goal. Trickery gave DC the lead with Ryan Shay throwing a pass on a fake punt for a first down, Josh Truax gaining 50 yards on the next play to the CC 5 and Nick Posa finishing off the scoring on a 3-yard TD run.

But after that, it was all CC. Eric Vojtkofsky intercepted a pass at the DC 9 and scored three plays later on a 1-yard TD run. Derek Brooks added a 61-yard TD and Gungell hit a 44-yard field goal before the half for a 20-7 lead.

Brooks added a 4-yard TD in the fourth quarter and Darnell Tyson had a 21-yarder to close

out the scoring.

Brooks led CC with 183 yards rushing on 12 carries, while Tyson had 104 on seven carries and Vojtkofsky had 44 on 12. Dave Thomas was 2-for-5 passing for 58 yards.

Truax led DC with 119 of the team's 147 yards rushing, while Matt Forstek was 4-for-17 passing.

Anthony Sabo, Kevin Horal, Vojtkofsky, Blake Kavanaugh and Andy Christensen all had six tackles, while Kyle Smith had 2 1/2 sacks and Alex Wojcik added an interception. Gungell also put all seven of his kickoffs into the end zone.

Surf the web all you want

...for only
\$13.99 per month*

Includes:
| SPAM & Virus protection for your e-mail | Toll-Free technical support 24 hours a day, 7 days a week |
| Available parental controls filter | And NO CONTRACTS!

A deal this good won't last long,
so sign-up and start surfing today before this offer expires

1.866.761.8742
or www.htdconnect.com

THE Observer & Eccentric
NEWSPAPERS
hometownlife.com

*New customers only

Brought to you by your trusted, Hometown Newspaper.

HEY HEY HOCKEYTOWN!

ARE YOU READY TO GEAR UP FOR A NEW SEASON?

COME IN AND CHECK OUT OUR NEW NIKE GEAR!

EVERYTHING RED WINGS!

1845 E. Big Beaver Road • 10 AM - 9 PM, Monday through Saturday • Noon - 5 PM, Sunday
(Located on the NW corner of Big Beaver and John R.)
"THE OFFICIAL RED WINGS STORE" • (248) 680-0965

Hockeytown Mini Packages are now available!

Get 2 Red Wings Games
PLUS 4 days of College Hockey at "the Joe"

Joe Louis Arena
A Division of **COLLEGE HOCKEY AT "THE JOE"**

www.collegehockeyatthejoe.com

Full Hockey Lover's Packages still available.

To Order or For More Information: Call (313) 396-7575
or log on to: www.detroitredwings.com

Enter to win Detroit Red Wings Tickets

Check Today's Classifieds Section
to See How You Can Enter to Win!

THE **Observer & Eccentric**
NEWSPAPERS

Playoff pairings: Stupid is as stupid does

I have a niece whose real name is Kristy, but whose nickname is "Word Police." Why? Because every time someone uses the word "stupid," she blurts out "You can't say 'stupid' because 'stupid' is a bad word."

She's too young to know about the Michigan High School Athletic Association. But if she did, she'd say "You can say 'stupid' because 'stupid' is the right word."

At least it is as far as this season's football playoff pairings are concerned. How the MHSAA can justify some of the district placings is beyond me.

Walled Lake Western and Central wouldn't meet in Division 1 until the state finals.

Both Farmington coach John Bechtel and his North Farmington counterpart, Rich Burrell, felt that their Game Nine matchup on Friday would be replayed within the next two weeks. Nope. The Raiders and Falcons wouldn't meet until the Division 2 finals.

Let's assume a miracle does happen and St.

Katharine/Borgess beats Detroit DePorres and Harper Woods Trinity. The Dragons would play their regional game either at Climax/Scotts or St. Joseph Lake Michigan Catholic - even though Waterford Our Lady of

the Lakes gets to stay within, oh, 75 miles or so of home. Even if the planets stay properly aligned in the universe, it still makes no sense for Lake Michigan Catholic to have to play at DePorres.

Apparently, the MHSAA got its years mixed up. Catholic Central doesn't move from Redford to Novi until Fall 2005, not 2003. But that doesn't stop CC from playing in a district with its new neighbors - Brighton, Walled Lake Western and South Lyon - while Saline, further east than Brighton is in with Canton, Wayne and Westland John Glenn.

And as CC coach Tom Mach put it, "We scouted the right schools, we just won't be playing them until a couple weeks later, assuming they win and we win."

Thurston gets to play in the nearby community of Fowlerville (yes, you can see the pyramids from there), but Farmington gets to play at Adrian (the pyramids are in the middle of town).

I know the MHSAA claims it divides the state up into geographic regions, then into districts, before looking at playoff points, but sometimes common sense goes right out the window.

In the region with CC, Canton and John Glenn, the MHSAA

GRID PICKS

divided the region into north-south for districts. Had it been divided into east-west, CC would have been where it should have been - with Canton, John Glenn and Wayne - although I can think of three coaches who prefer it the way it is.

My personal favorite region is Division 3, Region 4. The MHSAA has the districts more or less in synch, geographically, in the Metro Detroit area. But all four teams in District 1 are 6-3 while District 2 has three 9-0 teams - one of whom would host a game in nine of the other 15 matchups.

And two of the 6-3 teams are Warren Fitzgerald and Dearborn Divine Child - which would be perfect fits with Thurston and Farmington Harrison.

This year's overall pairings are a perfect reason for the MHSAA to change philosophy and divide the divisions into four geographic regions, then seed the eight schools within districts.

Not having teams from smaller school districts like Walled Lake or Farmington meet until state finals is ridiculous. And stupid.

Speaking of stupid, the regular season results are final. Livonia-Westland Sports Editor Brad Emons is the winner at 85-20 after going 8-3 last week. Paul Beaudry, the Redford-Garden City editor was a perfect 11-0 to go 83-22, while Plymouth-Canton's C.J. Rusak was 10-1 and 81-24.

Emons has won the last three regular season titles, but Beaudry has won the playoff picks in 2001 and 2002 - and everyone knows the playoffs matter the most.

FRIDAY'S GAMES

Wayne Memorial (6-3) at Canton (9-0) 7 p.m. Three weeks ago the temptation might have been to pick Wayne as a long shot. But that's what it is now - a long shot. Canton is just playing too tough. And let's face it - with the revenge factor of Catholic Central not looming on the horizon until the regional final the Chiefs can settle down and stay on a roll. This week anyway it was 34-21 in favor of Canton when these teams first met on Sept. 12 and there's no reason to think it will change. **PICKS:** Canton - Beaudry Rusak Emons.

Saline (7-2) at Westland John Glenn (8-1) 7 p.m. Saline has a history of good teams and good football. In fact, once upon a lifetime ago I used to make it a point to go to Saline to cover their Homecoming game cause it was what high school football games were supposed to be.

But these are not your father's Hornets (OK, maybe not your father's). They have a more diverse play selection than an off tackle run, a 7 yard slant pattern and a deep post. On the other hand, these are not the same Rockets that started the season. Since losing to Canton, Glenn has improved every week.

And there is a revenge factor looming next week, should they win. Lot to be said for that. **PICKS:** John Glenn - Beaudry Rusak Emons. **Thurston (8-1) at Fowlerville (9-0) 7:30 p.m.** There's also a lot to be said for homecooking too. Fowlerville has given up a little more than 10 points per game, scored about 28 and has three wins over playoff teams on its belt. Thurston has just one win over a playoff team and looked confused in its only loss - a rematch with Trenton.

Having said that, Thurston should win this game. The Eagles can come a team in waves at the skill positions. It's more than quarterback Corey Reid and running back Darran Matthews although that's a big part of it. There's a lot to be said for a quick strike offense although playing at Fowlerville will negate some of that. The winner will more than likely get Farmington Hills Harrison next Saturday. Lucky huh? **PICKS:** Thurston - Beaudry Fowlerville - Rusak Emons.

Macomb Lutheran North (6-3) at Clarenceville (8-1) 7:30 p.m. This battle between two Metro Conference teams was decided in Week Four. Clarenceville 41 Lutheran North 7. That's all you need to know. **PICKS:** Clarenceville - Beaudry Emons Rusak.

SATURDAY'S GAMES
Brighton (6-3) vs. Redford CC (8-1) at Hilbert Jr. High 1 p.m. Even CC coach Tom

Mach had to laugh about it. Between the boys of us, we're going to be in for a fast football game. Yes, CC has met its match in a run happy offense with the Bulldogs. Actually, B.D. (before Drew) Brighton used to run more than CC does now.

Brighton has a potent weapon in fullback Nick Lawrence, but the Bulldogs don't have as many weapons. Still, there's a lot of talent there. Of their three losses, one was in OT (one by two points and C) fell a failed flea flicker short against South Lyon. It will be interesting to see how their fourth loss turns out. **PICKS:** CC - Beaudry Rusak Emons.

St. Katherine/Borgess (6-3) vs. Det. DePorres at Detroit Urban Lutheran 1 p.m. So if for some strange reason the Baggies beat DePorres in this one they can lay claim as the best private team in Redford since DePorres is the only team to beat Catholic Central.

Nice idea, ain't gonna happen. **PICKS:** DePorres - Beaudry Emons Rusak.

The Prep Grid Picks were selected by the Observer staff. Any questions or comments about this column may be emailed to pbeaudry@oe.com or homecom.net.

Lost weekend: Madonna falls twice on Kentucky road trip

Scoring four goals wasn't enough for Madonna's women's soccer team as the visiting Crusaders lost their second consecutive game in a high-scoring affair Saturday evening to Robert Morris (Ill.) at Lindsey Wilson (Ky.) University 6-4.

Madonna (12-5-1) got on the board first when senior Emily Jackson scored unassisted six minutes into the game. Camila Novaes responded for Robert Morris (13-2-1) thirteen minutes later to tie the game at 1-1.

Another quick goal by Robert Morris put the Crusaders into a 2-1 deficit.

Junior Sarah Park (Westland John Glenn) picked up the slack for the Crusaders scoring the first of her three goals to bring Madonna back with a 2-2 tie. Robert Morris never faltered, answering back with another goal, the first half ending in a 3-3 tie. Pack scored the only other Crusader goal at 58:45 in the second half to tie the game at four, but Robert Morris broke the tie and Crusader heart's scoring two consecutive goals putting the contest out of reach for Madonna.

Friday night, the Crusaders suffered their fourth loss of the

season to No. 2 ranked Lindsey Wilson (16-1) getting shutout 4-0. Playing tough throughout the first half against the Blue Raiders, Madonna managed to keep the game scoreless.

Lindsey Wilson's Rowana Alsanea scored the game's first goal just 35 seconds into the second half giving the host Blue Raiders a 1-0 edge. The score stood pat until the 77th minute when Lindsey Wilson scored two goals in just 34 seconds to maintain their lead 3-0.

Antoinette Anounga added the final goal with just one second remaining to give the Blue Raiders the 4-0 final.

Get in the pink with Health & Fitness. Every Sunday in the Observer

TAX PROBLEMS?
We settle any tax, any year
(248) 985-HELP (4357)




BATH and KITCHEN REMODELING

- Licensed Master Plumber
- Ceramic Tile Installed
- Quality Materials and Workmanship


FREE ESTIMATES
Visit Our Full Kitchen and Bath Showroom

(Same location since 1975)
**34224 Michigan Avenue
Wayne, Michigan 48184**
(734) 722-4170







CONGRATULATIONS
Suburban Hockey
— and —
Observer & Eccentric
TEAM of the MONTH
TROY STING



Congratulations to the Troy Sting Squirt A Team, champions of the Sarnia Golden Blade AAA Tournament!




Observer & Eccentric
NEWSPAPERS

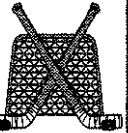


MICHIGAN HOCKEY

Sign up for Suburban Hockey's Thanksgiving Clinics! On Friday, November 28th at Suburban Training Center in Farmington Hills and the Onyx-Rochester Ice Arena. Puck handling & Playmaking will be held from 10:00-11:50 AM, followed by Quick & Fast from Noon-1:50 PM and Shoot to Score from 2:00-3:50 PM. Clinics are open to ages 6 and up. Call (248) 478-1600 or visit www.suburbanhockey.com today!



L OE08158993





Rock financial
The Mortgage Experts
PRESENTS



PISTONS
GOIN' TO WORK. EVERY NIGHT.

It's **FAMILY NIGHT** and **LADIES NIGHT** at THE PALACE

PISTON RULE

FAMILY FRIDAYS

NOVEMBER 7 • 8:00 pm
vs. **MILWAUKEE BUCKS**
Get 4 \$22 tickets, 4 Pistons mini-basketballs and \$20 of concessions vouchers for only \$80 total. Upgrades available.

get there when the doors open at 6:00 pm...
Ben Wallace Road Jersey to the first 5,000 fans 14 & under courtesy of Rock Financial.

WORKIN' harder than EVER

Ladies Night

NOVEMBER 5 • 7:30 pm
vs. **BOSTON CELTICS**
LADIES TICKET SPECIAL... \$33 TICKETS FOR \$15
(AT THE PALACE BOX OFFICE ONLY, SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY)

- Drink specials in the Terrace Club and Palace Grille Lounge all night long
- Basketball 101 instructed by Pistons assistant coach Pat Sullivan in Terrace Club from 6:30 - 7:00
- Bachelor silent auction featuring some of Michigan's most eligible bachelors
- Free throw on Pistons floor following the game for ladies only

get there when the doors open at 6:00 pm...
Pistons Schedule Magnet to the first 10,000 fans courtesy of Fox Sports Net.

PDF OE08158921

Palace

GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!

TICKET PLANS OR INDIVIDUAL TICKETS: 248-271-0100 OR PISTONS.COM

back-to-back central division CHAMPIONS

MADONNA

FROM PAGE B1

LADY OCELOTS WIN TUNEUP

The stage is set for tonight's Eastern Conference showdown between host Schoolcraft College (22-11, 14-1) and St Clair CC (49-9, 14-0)

Game time is 7 Schoolcraft kept pace in the standings with a 30-11, 30-10, 31-29 triumph Tuesday over visiting Oakland Community College as Keri McLeod (Westland John Glenn) had team-best six kills and a 667 hitting percentage

Mayssa Bazzi led the Lady Ocelots in three categories service difficulty, ace serves (10) and receive accuracy (.333)

Setter Kelly Sines led with 19 assist-to-kills, while Liz Fredlund had seven assists and a team-best set percentage of 467 Caitlin O'Hara and Katrina Napier each added six digs

WLAA

FROM PAGE B1

distance shooting of Schwan that got Salem back in the game The 5-foot-5 senior guard hit a triple to tie the game 26-26 with 6 22 left Cezat came right back with a bucket, but Schwan then gave Salem its first lead of the second half with a 3-pointer from the top of the key with 5 50 left Molly Conlon gave the Chiefs the lead briefly with an offensive putback, but Schwan gave the Rocks their last lead, 32-30, with her third straight 3-pointer and fourth of the game She finished with 12 points

"She found her rhythm and got in a groove," Salem coach Fred Thomann said of Schwan "That was big for us, but she didn't get any more looks"

After Schwan's last 3-pointer, Canton went on an 8-0 run, including six points from Cezat After freshman Becci Houdek tied it 32-32 with a floater in the lane, Cezat scored three straight baskets, on a bank shot and two

short jumpers, to put the Chiefs up 38-32 Salem had one last shot With Canton leading 40-38, junior Alyssa Guerin missed a layup Thomann thought there was contact, but no foul was called Cezat grabbed the rebound, was fouled and was 1-of-2 from the line

"Rebounding was one of the biggest keys," Cezat said "We knew (Salem) would set a lot of screens, and they can shoot the three, so we prepared for that"

Early on, it looked like the Rocks might run away from the Chiefs in their own gym Guerin hit a 10-foot jumper, Theresa Coppelle scored on a layup and junior Ellen Canale knocked down a 3-pointer to put Salem up 7-0 with 6 25 left in the first period Blohm called a timeout, and the Chiefs rattled off 13 of the next 15 points, 10 of them from Cezat, to take a 13-7 first-period edge

As the game got tighter, so did the defense as both teams stayed aggressive The fourth quarter featured a series of scrambles for loose balls, with players hitting

the floor in an effort to control the tempo "Typical game, lots of ebb and flow," Thomann said "We'd take the lead and they'd come back, then they'd take the lead and we'd come back. Then they closed it out"

Senior guard Rachele Guastella scored seven points and had four rebounds and four assists for the Chiefs Canale finished with 10 points, including a pair of 3-pointers

ALLEN PARK INTER-CITY BAPTIST 34, PLYMOUTH CHRISTIAN 25 Chelsea McCune scored 15 and Anita Stamps 13 for Allen Park Inter City Baptist in Tuesday's Michigan Independent Athletic Conference road win over Plymouth Christian Academy

Plymouth (3 12 0 9) trailed by four at half time before Allen Park (11 4 6 4) returned with damaging performance

We were outscored by nine points in the third quarter PCA coach Kevin Nast said We didn't get key stops when we needed to and missed shots we desperately needed

The Eagles put up a fight in the final quarter but fell short

I was proud of the girls in the fourth quarter Nast said They outscored them (Allen Park) 17 13 so the effort was there

Kelsie Tietjen had eight points and 10 rebounds and Amanda Saagman seven points for PCA

bkadrich@oe homecomm net | (734) 459 2700



Canton's Rachele Guastella lunges for the pass made by Salem's Theresa Coppelle In the background Canton's Katie Cezat guards Coppelle

SALEM

FROM PAGE B1

for the Rocks

Junior Adam Kosteva finished 15th in 17 29, while senior Brian Kutnick ran a personal best 17 59 2 to finish 26th overall to help extend the Rocks' season

"The bottom line at this point was making it for another week," Baker said "It was a put-up or shut-up type day That was our goal, to make it to state and give our best effort to try and win"

The boys best state finish was a sixth place in 1989 This marks the 11th time in Baker's 17 years as coach the Rocks have qualified for the state meet

It's a little more of a rare occurrence for the girls, who make their first appearance at the state finals since 1996, when they finished 12th, and just their third overall

Like the boys, the girls got solid performances from their core group of runners, scoring 56 points to finish third behind Livonia Stevenson and Livonia Churchill in the regional

Junior Laura Friedman had Salem's best overall finish, coming in seventh in 20 03

Freshman Hannah Cavicchio was 10th in 20 09, while junior Lauren Kane finished 15th in 20 25

Junior Monica Przebienda (20 47) and sophomore Amanda Kassem (20 57) were Salem's other top-20 finishers

"Obviously, it was a great day for our program," Salem coach Dave Gerlach said "It's something we worked for all summer, and all fall Five of our seven runners ran very well"

Gerlach said he figured the regional to be a three-team race going in and, to avoid putting pressure on his runners, decided to focus on competing, rather than times

"We didn't put emphasis on times, it was just, 'Go out and compete,' Gerlach said "Our goal was to qualify for the state finals and we did that The kids are excited, the parents are excited"

Canton's teams didn't fare quite as well, finishing sixth in the boys race with 145 points and fourth in the girls race with 125 points

Stephen Cheek was Canton's lone state qualifier, finishing 11th overall in 17 22 Canton's Eric Zech finished 23rd in 17 52

Senior Sarah Stobbe was Canton's top girl, coming in 18th in 21 05 Sophomores Rebecca (21 22) and Lisa Clinton (21 35) were 20th and 25th, respectively, while senior Carrie Olsezkowicz finished 28th in 22 04

Division 2

In the regional at Elizabeth Park in Trenton, Plymouth High School's boys team finished ninth overall with 230 points Sophomore Nathan Kotegian was Plymouth's best finisher, coming in 23rd in 18 16

The girls finished eighth with 199 points Sophomores Sarah Sherwood (21 23) and Jackie Beeler (21 56) were Plymouth's top runners

bkadrich@oe homecomm net | (734) 459 2700

Go talk all night.
Go talk all weekend.
Go roam free.
Go with no annual contract.



The best of wireless with no annual contract

- unlimited night & weekend minutes
- nationwide long distance and roaming
- plus lots of Anytime minutes

all on the AT&T Wireless National Network

no credit check or sign-up costs

all with the
\$29.99
plan

Plus you can add mModeSM service that lets you email, surf the Web, download games, music, pictures, and more

reachout

on the wireless service America trusts



AT&T Wireless

call: 1 866 REACHOUT or for our best deals click: attwireless.com

AT&T Wireless Stores

AUBURN HILLS
3922 Ba dw n Rd
248 745 3806

CANTON
43241 FORD ROAD
734 981 2107

FAIRLANE TOWN CENTER
19900 Michigan Avenue
313 253 3999

NEW LAKESIDE MALL
14800 Lakeside Circle
586 532 2580

MONROE MI
Frenchtown Square Mall
734 243 0533

SOMERSET COLLECTION
2800 W Big Beaver Rd

BIRMINGHAM
34200 Woodward Ave
248 593 8679

DEARBORN
22137 Michigan Ave
313 565 2600

FLINT
3232 Linden Street
810 733 1770

LIVONIA
37677 S x Mile Rd
734 462 1110

NOVI
43267 Crosscut Blvd
248 347 1643

TWELVE OAKS MALL
27304 X Novi Road
248 449 9092

BRIARWOOD MALL
814 Briarwood Circle
734 913 9257

DETROIT
2680 E Jefferson
313 259 1176

HURON VILLAGE
3217 Washtaw Blvd
734 973 2043

MADISON HEIGHTS
32800 John R Rd
248 589 2770

ROSELLE
31902 Graf Ct
586 293 0142

Also Available At Participating Locations Of



Important Information

©2003 AT&T Wireless All Rights Reserved Requires activation on a qualified plan and a Next Generation device Not available for purchase or use in all areas Usage rounded up to the next full minute Limited access to data service automatically included Data services require additional charge Credit card or bank account required for automatic recurring payment Amounts deposited into your account are not transferable or refundable and expire after 30 days Your service will be suspended once your balance is depleted Sending text messages roaming and long distance charges surcharges assessments other restrictions charges and taxes apply Availability and reliability of service are subject to transmission limitations Not available with other offers Offers available for a limited time You will be bound by the AT&T Wireless Service Agreement and rate plan materials Night and Weekend Minutes Available on plans \$29.99 and above for calls placed from the AT&T Wireless National Network Long distance charges may apply Night and Weekend rates from 9:00 p.m. - 5:59 a.m. Monday - Friday and Friday 9:00 p.m. - Monday 5:59 a.m. Nationwide Long Distance and Roaming No wireless long distance or roaming charges apply to domestic calls placed from the AT&T Wireless National Network Standard time charges apply



Please recycle this paper

Ocelot men rule soccer region

The Schoolcraft College men's soccer team is just one victory away from earning its third straight trip to the National Junior College Athletic Association Division I tournament, which starts Nov. 17 in Tyler, Tex.

The Ocelots wrapped up the Region 12 title in a row Sunday in Toledo, Ohio with a 4-1 victory over Eastern Conference rival Macomb Community College to improve to 12-4-1 overall.

Schoolcraft, getting a first-round bye, will play either Lewis & Clark (Ill.) or Springfield CC (Ill.) for the district title, on Nov. 8 or 9, for the right to make the eight-team NJCAA nationals.

The Ocelots overcame a 1-0 halftime deficit to beat Macomb as Rodenc Asllani of Albama tied the game on an assist from Paul Johnson (Livonia Stevenson).

Dan Curru (Redford Catholic Central) then came off the bench to score the game-winner and Jeff Flora (Salem) also subbed in for the Ocelots' third goal. Charlie Noles tallied the final goal from William Friend, who finished with two assists.

"They (Macomb) played five guys in the back and we had a hard time getting through," Schoolcraft coach Dominic Scicluna said. "We made some changes in our lineup at halftime and we attacked four up front and created more of an offensive attack."

"Our spirit was overpowering. We just had to persevere. We just had to keep going and our relentless attack was bound to find some holes."

On Saturday, Schoolcraft survived a stiff test against Cuyahoga (Ohio), winning 1-0 on Asllani's goal from Noles. Liam Curran, who posted the shutout, was named Region 12

Goalkeeper of the Year

"They gave us the toughest fight we've had all year and we still dominated," Scicluna said. "We played tough, hard and intense."

Earning All-Region honors were Asllani, Johnson, Friend and David Comito, the latter whom is a native of Australia (Girloy College).

"David was grossly overlooked for All-America honors," said Scicluna.

Schoolcraft will now step up its training in preparation for the district.

"It (the region) was a wonderful event and people enjoyed themselves," said Scicluna, who guided the Ocelots to a third-place finish last year and a sixth-place finish in 2001. "We used our 'Cumatae' cheer. We're starting to put together more pieces to the puzzle."

MADONNA 2, SIENA HEIGHTS 0

Tuesday's final regular season game at home merited the Crusaders with the Wolverine Hoosier Athletic Conference top seed and a first round bye in the WHAC Tournament thanks to two goals by senior Justin Fishaw (Canton).

I couldn't ask more from Fishaw today, said MU coach Tino Scicluna whose team finishes the regular season 16-1 overall, 12-0 WHAC. He played extremely well aside from the obvious goals he stepped up today as a senior and moved the ball well, kept good composure and ran our offense.

Fishaw scored both unassisted goals in the second half and now has four on the season.

Crusaders goalie Darrel Quinn made seven saves in the shutout.

MADONNA 1, ST. FRANCIS (IND) 0

Evan Baker (Canton) scored his fifth goal of the season Saturday afternoon and was his second game winning goal in as many games giving the visiting Crusaders the edge.

EAGLES

FROM PAGE B1

season, dropping the first game 2-0 and winning the second 5-0, played near-perfect defense on Oakland Christian's high-powered duo of Pirmann and Bontumasi for over 75 minutes.

"We did a great job defensively, these kids played their hearts out," said Eagles coach Jerry Bicksler. "When you have two state-ranked teams like this, someone's going to have to come out on top. It just hard when it's your team is the one going home. We played a great game."

Oakland Christian posted a 26-10 shots advantage in the game, including 13-8 with shots directly on goal, but Plymouth Christian countered with an 11-6 advantage with cornerkicks, which helped set up the game's first tally.

Plymouth Christian senior forward Tim Oswalt's cornerkick bounced around inside the penalty box for nearly 10 seconds before junior forward Lew Trapp poked in a shot from close range with 38:37 left to play in the second half. Oswalt nearly scored an insur-

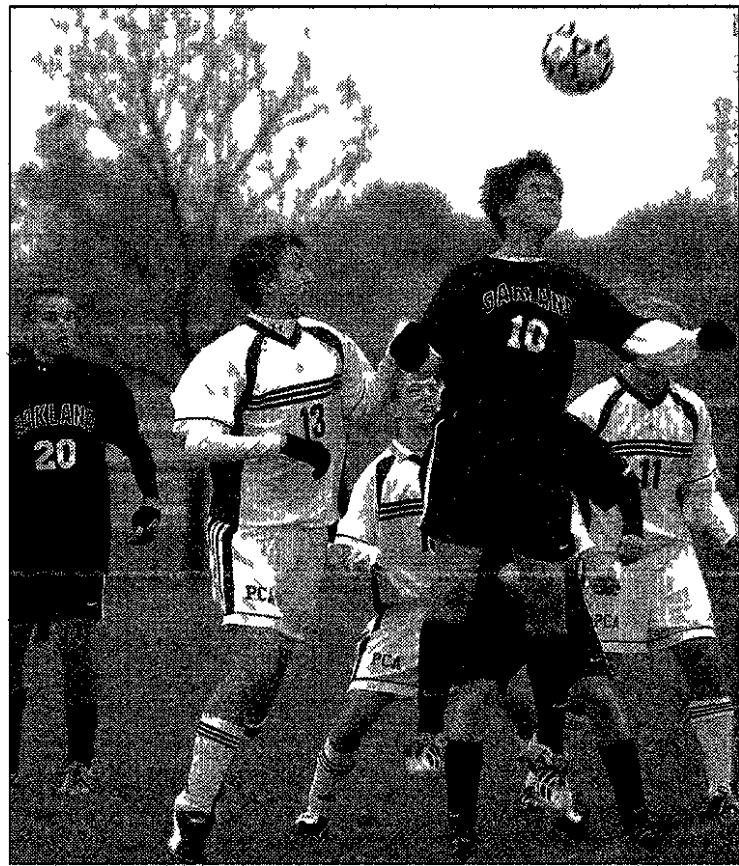
ance tally on a counter-attack with 4:35 to play, but his left-footed blast from 20 yards out was stopped by Oakland senior goalkeeper Kevin Hall.

Hall finished the night with eight saves, including two in overtime. Saagman finished with 12 saves, although he did not allow the game-tying goal as he was on the bench with an injury. Woolford's goal was the Lancers' third shot of overtime, but first directly on goal.

"This was a team win," said Oakland Christian coach David Rutledge. "We played extremely hard and had some kids come through with some big goals and against a very good (Plymouth Christian) team."

Woolford, whose team has lost in the state semifinals twice in the last three years and another time being eliminated in the regional finals in a shootout, said his team has goals of bringing home some state hardware.

"We have Ben Pirmann and Nick Bontumasi who are two of the top players (in Division 4)," he said. "They have done so much for this program, that we want to win a state championship for them. We'll do whatever it takes."



Oakland Christian's Eliot Woolford (10) drills a header toward the goal in the first half against Plymouth Christian as Eagles' players Jon Wendt (13) and Drew Gallagher (11) close in.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON PLANNING COMMISSION 2004 MEETING SCHEDULE

At the Meeting of October 6, 2003, the Planning Commission of the Charter Township of Canton adopted the following meeting schedule for 2004:

January 5 February 2 February 16 March 1 March 15 April 5 April 19 May 3, May 17 June 7 June 21 July 19 August 9, August 23, September 13 September 20 October 4 October 18, November 1 November 15 December 6 December 20

The meetings will be held at 7:00 p.m. in the Chestnut Room at Summit On The Park, 46000 Summit Parkway.

Vic Gustafson, Chairman

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169203

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ACCESS TO PUBLIC MEETINGS

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

David Medley, ADA Coordinator
Charter Township of Canton, 1150 S. Canton Center Road
Canton, MI 48188
(734) 394-5260

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169203

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m., November 13th, 2003 for the following:

HIGH PRESSURE SEWER JET RODDER & CATCH BASIN CLEANER

Bid forms may be picked up at the Finance Budget Department counter or you may contact Mike Sheppard at (734) 394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169204

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m., November 13th, 2003 for the following:

TOWNSHIP VEHICLE DISPOSAL SALE

Bid forms may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department counter or you may contact Mike Sheppard at (734) 394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169201

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m., November 13th, 2003 for the following:

CISCO COMPUTER NETWORK SWITCHING EQUIPMENT

Bid forms may be picked up at the Finance and Budget Department counter or you may contact Mike Sheppard at (734) 394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169208

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON REQUEST FOR BID

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Charter Township of Canton, 1150 Canton Center S, Canton, Michigan will accept sealed bids at the Office of the Clerk up to 3:00 p.m., November 13th, 2003 for the following:

BODY MOUNTED CAMERA STABILIZER

Bid forms may be picked up at the Finance Budget Department counter or you may contact Mike Sheppard at (734) 394-5225. All bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope clearly marked with the proposal name, company name, address and telephone number and date and time of bid opening. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals. The Township does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or disability in employment or the provision of services.

TERRY G BENNETT Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169204

Charter Township of Canton Board Proceedings - October 21, 2003

A regular study session meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday, October 21, 2003 at 46000 Summit Parkway. Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Members Present: Bennett, Burdick, Kirchgatter, Shefferly, McLaughlin, Zarbo, Yack.

Members Absent: None
Staff Present: John Spencer, Tony Minghine, Ann Conklin

ITEM 1. SUBORDINATION AGREEMENT - HIGH VELOCITY SPORTS GROUP Motion by Bennett supported by Kirchgatter to approve and authorize the Township Clerk to sign the Subordination Agreement between Comerica bank and the Charter Township of Canton. Motion carried unanimously.

ITEM 2. FY 2004 BUDGET REVIEW The Board reviewed the proposed 2004 Canton Township Budget. Discussion took place regarding various line items within each department's proposed budget. **Administrative and Community Services Department:** •Elected Officials •Administrative Services •Clerk •Finance and Budget •Leisure Services •Municipal Services •Public Safety •Treasurer

Leisure Services Department: •Overview •Parks Division & Cemeteries •Senior Citizen Programs •Recreation Division •Canton Softball Center •Community Center Fund •Golf Course Fund •Municipal Services •Building and Inspection Services •Engineering Services •Public Works Drains, Sanitation •Planning Services Planning Commission Zoning Board of Appeals •Water and Sewer Fund Budget •Fleet Maintenance Division •Capital Projects Road Paving Fund **Public Safety Department:** •Fire Fund •Police Fund •Emergency Management •911 Emergency Services

ADJOURN Motion by Bennett supported by Zarbo to adjourn at 10:45 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Thomas J Yack Supervisor / Terry G Bennett Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169207

Charter Township of Canton Board Proceedings - October 22, 2003

A regular study session meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Canton was held Tuesday, October 22, 2003 at 46000 Summit Parkway. Supervisor Yack called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. Members Present: Bennett, Burdick, Kirchgatter, Shefferly, Zarbo (also present late arrival Yack (7:20 pm) and McLaughlin (7:24 pm)).

Members Absent: None
Staff Present: Tony Minghine, John Spencer, Tom Casari, John Weyer, Tim Fass, Dan Durack, Jeff Goulet, John Santomauro, Mike Rorabacher, Geri Svee

ITEM 1. FY 2004 BUDGET REVIEW The Board continued review of the 2004 Proposed Budget. Discussion took place regarding various line items within each department's proposed budget. **Administrative and Community Services Department:** •Elected Officials •Administrative Services •Clerk •Finance and Budget •Leisure Services •Municipal Services •Public Safety •Treasurer

Leisure Services Department: •Overview •Parks Division & Cemeteries •Senior Citizen Programs •Recreation Division •Canton Softball Center •Community Center Fund •Golf Course Fund •Municipal Services •Building and Inspection Services •Engineering Services •Public Works Drains, Sanitation •Planning Services Planning Commission Zoning Board of Appeals •Water and Sewer Fund Budget •Fleet Maintenance Division •Capital Projects Road Paving Fund **Public Safety Department:** •Fire Fund •Police Fund •Emergency Management •911 Emergency Services

ADJOURN Motion by Bennett supported by Zarbo to adjourn at 9:12 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Thomas J Yack Supervisor / Terry G Bennett Clerk

Publish October 30, 2003

CE03169209

CANTON POLICE DEPARTMENT 1150 S. CANTON CENTER RD. CANTON, MI 48188

The following vehicles have been deemed abandoned and will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, November 4, 2003 at 10:00 A.M. The auction is to be held at Westland Car Care Towing, 6375 Hix Rd., Westland, MI 48185.

Please Note: The bidding will start at the towing and storage charges.

1988 Mercury	Cougar	Red	1MEB6048JH677902
2001 Nissan	Altima	Silver	1N4DL01D81C136928
1990 Ford	Mustang	Gray	1FACP42E1L211837
1985 Oldsmobile		Gold	1G8CW6934F4350549
1986 Chrysler	LeBaron	Maroon	1C3BC51K2GG257907
1994 Pontiac	Bonneville	White	1G2HZ52L3R4244504
1985 Chevy	Camero	Gray	1G1FP87S5FL473484
1986 Chevy	Astro Van	Turquoise	1G8DM15Z2GB220803
1993 Ford	Escort	Green	1FAPP15J3PW246636
1992 GMC	Safari Van	Silver	1GKDM15Z5NB521914
1968 Ford	Cust. 100 PU	White	F11YK6C83912
1986 Toyota	Corolla	White	JT2AE92E8J3157013

Publish October 30 & November 2, 2003

CE03169202

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a special election to be held in the Charter Township of Plymouth County of Wayne Michigan, on the 6th day of November 2003 from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 8:00 p.m. there will be submitted to vote of the qualified electors of said Township the following proposition:

Township Hall Bond Proposition

Shall the Charter Township of Plymouth Wayne County Michigan borrow the principal sum of not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000) payable in not to exceed twenty five (25) years from the date of issue, and issue its general obligation limited tax capital improvement bonds pursuant to Act 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001, as amended, for the purpose of paying part of the cost of acquiring, constructing and equipping a new township hall and site improvements and appurtenances related thereto? The principal and interest of the bonds shall be payable from the general funds of the Township lawfully available for such purposes including property taxes levied within applicable charter statutory and constitutional tax rate limitations.

THE PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST OF SAID GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS SHALL BE PAYABLE FROM THE GENERAL FUNDS OF THE TOWNSHIP INCLUDING AD VALOREM TAXES LEVIED WITHIN APPLICABLE CHARTER, STATUTORY AND CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITATIONS.

All qualified and registered electors may vote on the above bonding proposition.

The places of voting will be as follows:

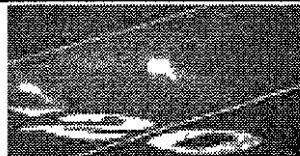
- Precinct 1 Farrand School 41400 Greenbriar
- Precinct 2 Friendship Station 42375 Schoolcraft Road
- Precinct 3 Allen School 11100 Haggerty Road
- Precinct 4 Township Clerk's Office 42350 Ann Arbor Road
- Precinct 5 Bird School 220 N Sheldon Road
- Precinct 6 West Middle School 44401 Ann Arbor Trail
- Precinct 7 United Assembly of God Church 46500 N Territorial Road
- Precinct 8 St. Kenneth Catholic Church 14951 Haggerty Road
- Precinct 9 Church of the Nazarene 45801 Ann Arbor Road
- Precinct 10 Fiegel School 39750 Joy Road
- Precinct 11 First Baptist Church 45000 N Territorial Road
- Precinct 12 Pioneer Middle School 46081 Ann Arbor Road
- Precinct 13 & 16 Risen Christ Lutheran Church 46250 Ann Arbor Road
- Precinct 14 Ibsister School 9300 Canton Center Road
- Precinct 15 First United Methodist Church 45201 N Territorial Road
- Precinct 17 NorthRidge Church 49555 N Territorial Road

This Notice is given by authority of the Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth County of Wayne Michigan.

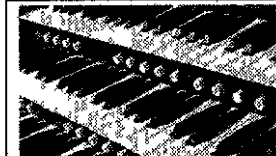
MARILYN MASSENGILL
Clerk, Charter Township of Plymouth

Publish October 26 and October 30, 2003

CE03169200



Follow your favorite high school sports team in the Observer



Plan your weekend activities each Thursday with Filter

Accents

'Bubble' your pets

The Crazy Pet Co has introduced the Catch-A-Bubble Dog Toy, a unique new plaything for pets and people.

The Catch-A-Bubble toy lets kids of all ages blow bubbles that harden in the air, so they last much longer.

"We've increased the lifespan of the bubble," said Barbara Denzer, vice president of Crazy Pet.

Since these bubbles are long-lasting and resistant to breaking, dog owners can stack them high in the air and have their pet run through the pile.



Not only are the bubbles durable, they're also formulated to attract dogs with a mouth-watering peanut butter aroma.

The nontoxic bubbles are safe for pets and people. When the bubbles do break, they will not harm or stain hair, skin, clothing, floors or furniture.

The new Catch-A-Bubble is part of the Crazy Pet line of licensed products. Built around the Crazy Pet cast of cartoon characters that run their own pet supply company and donate profits to help rescue displaced animals, the award-winning line is dedicated to teaching children core values through its Bones of Character campaign.

For more information, contact the Crazy Pet Co. at (800) GEE-PETS, or visit the Web site at www.crazydog.com.

Pets 'celebrate'

Celebrating Halloween has become more popular in recent years, not only among people, but for pets, too.

According to a frightfully unscientific survey of 403 pet owners conducted by the Pet Supplies Plus chain in September 2003, a little over half (51.6 percent) of all owners plan to dress up their four-footed friends in costumes this Halloween.

Pet Supplies Plus has the following advice for people who will be dressing up their pets this Halloween:

Make sure any costume does not interfere with a pet's vision, either front or peripheral.

Do not cover a pet's nose or mouth with a costume.

Also do not restrict airflow by tying a costume around the neck. Be sure that the pet can move around freely with costume on.

Cool fall trends



Tassels make for a nice touch of elegant detail.



Kim Turner stands beneath a light that might be used to demonstrate an urban modern effect.

Designers like Asian furniture, larger lights and colorful draperies

Homeowners may want to brighten up their homes with draperies, purchase an Asian piece of furniture to add to a transitional mix, or add bigger and brighter lights this fall to add color to their rooms.

Those were just some of the suggestions from a group of interior designers at Michigan Design Center in Troy, who discussed what the trends are this fall and what they expect next year.

While homes may be getting larger, but that doesn't mean the furniture has to.

Patti Kommel, interior designer and owner of Homework Interiors of Birmingham, believes consumers are going back to smaller scale pieces. Many older homes in the area have smaller rooms and the larger pieces just aren't practical, she said.

Kommel likes the contemporary pieces in the Thomas Pheasant collection from Baker furniture. Kommel points out the detail and craftsmanship in the dental motifs of the moldings. "People are looking for something to go with their crown moldings," Kommel said.

The furniture's finish consists of a high gloss. The furniture's shape has clean, straight lines.

For those who want the softer textures, a nearby sidechair features a traditional style with saber legs and silks. Kommel just returned from High Point, N.C., where the furniture manufacturers discussed the trends with designers.

"They're producing colors for next spring and fall, which will be the chocolates, reds and blues," Kommel said.

Many of Kommel's clients and furniture customers in general shop for dining room tables as the holidays rapidly approach. "A lot of them are kind of in a panic, when they are hosting the dinner," Kommel said. "Dining rooms are one of the areas they want to spruce up."

MORE ASIAN

Asian influences are popular, especially as transitional pieces between contemporary and traditional styles. Silks and chenilles remain hot upholstery trends.

Kommel points to an Asian bed has woven leather and sides in bamboo. Like the contemporary style, it has clean style and clean lines. "It's the next cutting edge of contemporary," Kommel said. "This gives it kind of an Old World look." The style works with traditional, too.

Barbara Berry furniture brings a California look to the home with a khaki raw silk upholstered chair.

The traditional sleigh bed is still popular and is still going strong 15 years later due to its curves and massiveness. "It's really not masculine and it's not feminine," Kommel said. The deep rich tones of the walnut or mahogany add beauty to the room.

Nesting tables are needed in homes with entertainment for people who want to sit down and place their beverage on a small table.

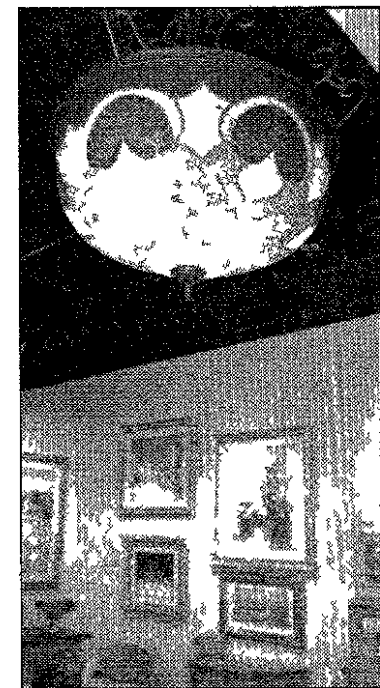
For those who want French country, a dinner table in pine, fruitwood or walnut can show off distressed

wood and wormholes for an Old World look. Tables also feature self-storing leaves, so you don't have to walk to a closet or storage room for them when company comes over.

"Still the traditional element is real strong," Kommel said.

"The colors are changing a little bit, to reds and orange, olive tones and chocolate brown," Kommel said. "Next fall, it will be grey, just a hint of it."

The CAI Designs showroom features an eclectic look with the Asian influ-



This light bursts with color.

Annual holiday Giftorama benefits Kingswood Campus

Enjoy a weekend of friends, shopping and art at the 33rd annual Kingswood Giftorama, a gift show that will open its doors Saturday-Sunday, Nov 8-9, at Kingswood Campus of Cranbrook Schools, 39221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills.

More than 50 carefully selected stores from around the United States, South Africa, Europe and Mexico will tempt shoppers with distinctive items while supporting the nonprofit mission of

Cranbrook Kingswood Schools.

Shoppers will savor the holiday splendor and beauty of Kingswood School, a National Historic Landmark, as they browse or relax and have a light lunch. The cafe, parking and production of Kingswood Giftorama are run by volunteers who strive to make the event fun and memorable.

The late artist Marshall Fredericks, who is renowned for his outdoor

sculpture in and around Michigan, will be honored at Kingswood Giftorama.

Fredericks' sculptures include the *Spirit of Detroit*, *Leaping Gazelle* at the Detroit Zoo and *Freedom of the Human Spirit* in Shain Park in Birmingham.

A display and sale of commemorative sculptures will be available as well as a charming children's book about his work. The author, Marcy Fisher, and illustrator, Christine Woomer, will be on hand to

sign copies of *The Outdoor Museum*.

Giftorama's Champagne Opening will take place Friday, Nov 7.

Giftorama hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Nov 8, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov 9.

Admission is \$7 per person Nov 8-9.

Call (248) 645-3565 for information.

Kingswood Giftorama is a nonprofit event with all proceeds going to restoration, tuition assistance and other Cranbrook Schools projects.

MARKET PLACE

Submissions

Do you have a special item you'd like to showcase in Market Place on the front of At Home?

We'd like to feature it! Send a photo or slide of the piece along with information to Ken Abramczyk, At Home editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

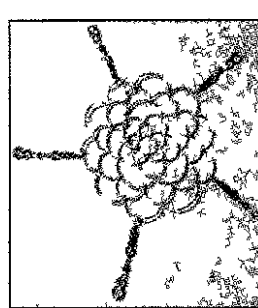


Crowning achievement

The 'blossom crown' invented by Royal Oak resident Anne Cork helps create beautiful floral arrangements.

The product is a handmade metal doily that takes on the appearance of a flower. Each 'petal' of the crown serves as a compartment for a stem. Elegant beaded tassels made of fire-polished crystals from the Czech Republic, dangle from the outermost 'petals.'

Place the crown on top of a vase and gently press down around the circumference. Put the first flower in the center hole. Add flowers around it until you are satisfied with the overall look. You don't have to fill each blossom crown opening.



The item simplifies floral design, stabilizes arrangements, allows vase water to be changed without disturbing the arrangement, and assists in prolonging the life of the flowers. The blossom crown comes in three sizes: petite (fits up to a 4-inch diameter vase), medium (fits up to a 5-inch diameter) and large (fits up to a 6-inch diameter). Ten different color combinations are available for the tassels. Cork is the founder of Annabelle Noel Designs. For more information, call (866) 886-9901 or visit www.blossomcrown.com.



PLEASE SEE TRENDS, C3

Pieces from Life's Crazy Quilt a pleasure to read

"PIECES FROM LIFE'S CRAZY QUILT,"
by Marvin V. Arnett (University of Nebraska Press, \$26.95)



Victoria Diaz

Marvin V. Arnett grew up during the 30's and 40's in a rented flat near the corner of Herbert and Bangor on Detroit's west side. Via brief and lively scenarios in "Pieces from Life's Crazy Quilt," she takes us on a lively journey through those growing-up years, providing an up-close-and-personal look at what life was like in one of Detroit's African-American enclaves during that historic era.

Arnett paints Herbert Street as something of a crazy quilt neighborhood, a place 'with a split personality' all its own. "Factory workers, domestic day workers, welfare families, and just plain hustlers occupied buildings on our side of the street," she tells us. "Our side also could boast of a writer who lived in the small house on the alley. Five

teachers, a doctor, several store clerks, a nurse, and numerous city, state, and federal employees occupied the north side of the street. Even one of Joe Louis's aunts lived in the large brick apartment buildings directly across the street from our flat."

The title of this memoir was inspired by Arnett's mother, Melissa Grace Sprague, a gifted seamstress who specialized in making crazy quilts and not just for beds and babies. In the aging, four-family flat where the Spragues lived, she hung her creations on the thin walls, in order to cover gaping cracks and soften the edge of Detroit's winter winds. In 32 concise chapters,

Arnett fashions a picture of this time, this place, and these people that seems as vivid as one of those quilts made of wools, velvets, gingham, silks, satins, and other treasures from her mother's cherished "rag bag."

Some of these literary segments are touching and even deeply sad, although none seem ultimately despairing. Even the account of the death of the author's sister, Jewel, offers an image of hope at its conclusion, as the family gathers for breakfast on a new day, struggling to regain a measure of normalcy.

Other parts of the memoir paint frightening pictures of neighbors (the sanctimonious

Rev. Saxon, for example, who makes sexual advances toward Marvin in an alleyway), or events (the 1943 race riots, during which the author's father, William, kept a nighttime vigil, "his hunting rifle across his knees, and "the sound of breaking glass, running feet, and pistol shots" in the darkness).

Several of the pieces add a touch of wry humor to the overall picture. In "My Father vs. the Church of the True Believers," we witness a memorable event called the Chicken Legs Fracas, during which Arnett's father tangles with a greedy churchgoer over a pair of drumsticks. In "To Thine Own Self Be

True," we see how the future writer gets herself in hot water at the Lothrop Library by checking out an "adult" book. In "My Brother and the Katzenjammer Kids" William Sprague gives true meaning to the word, "cool," as he deals with the notorious neighborhood bully.

Despite a slight tendency to repeat information, and to lean on clichéd phrases now and then, Arnett has put together a splendidly structured memoir. "Pieces from Life's Crazy Quilt," a part of the American Lives Series edited by Tobias Wolff, will bring pleasure to many readers, and will hold extra special appeal for those in the Detroit area.

Good shots are just around the corner

Sure, it's fun to photograph in such picturesque places as the Canadian Rockies, the California coast or a quaint village in Europe. But you also get great shots close to home.

If you put on your photography hat and really begin to look, you'll be pleasantly surprised at the photographic opportunities in your own house, in your backyard or right in the neighborhood.

Here are some ideas. Inside the house, begin in the kitchen. A still-life composed of different cooking utensils will make an interesting shot. Use your butcher block countertop for an ideal background. Or how about the row of plants on the window ledge? Careful composition and exposure will produce a picture of which you'll be proud.

Late afternoon light spilling shadows on the carpet or hardwood floor will work fine for your camera. Or the subtle shadows and textures of wrinkled sheets on an unmade bed



Focus on Photography
Monte Nagler

You don't have to venture far from home to produce strong pictures. Just keep your "photographic vision" geared up.

will enable you to make an interesting shot.

Really look at your house on the outside and I guarantee you'll see many things just waiting to be photographed. Maybe it's the pattern of bricks under the window sill delicately interwoven with a vine of ivy. Or

perhaps a close-up of a decorative door handle would make an excellent detail picture.

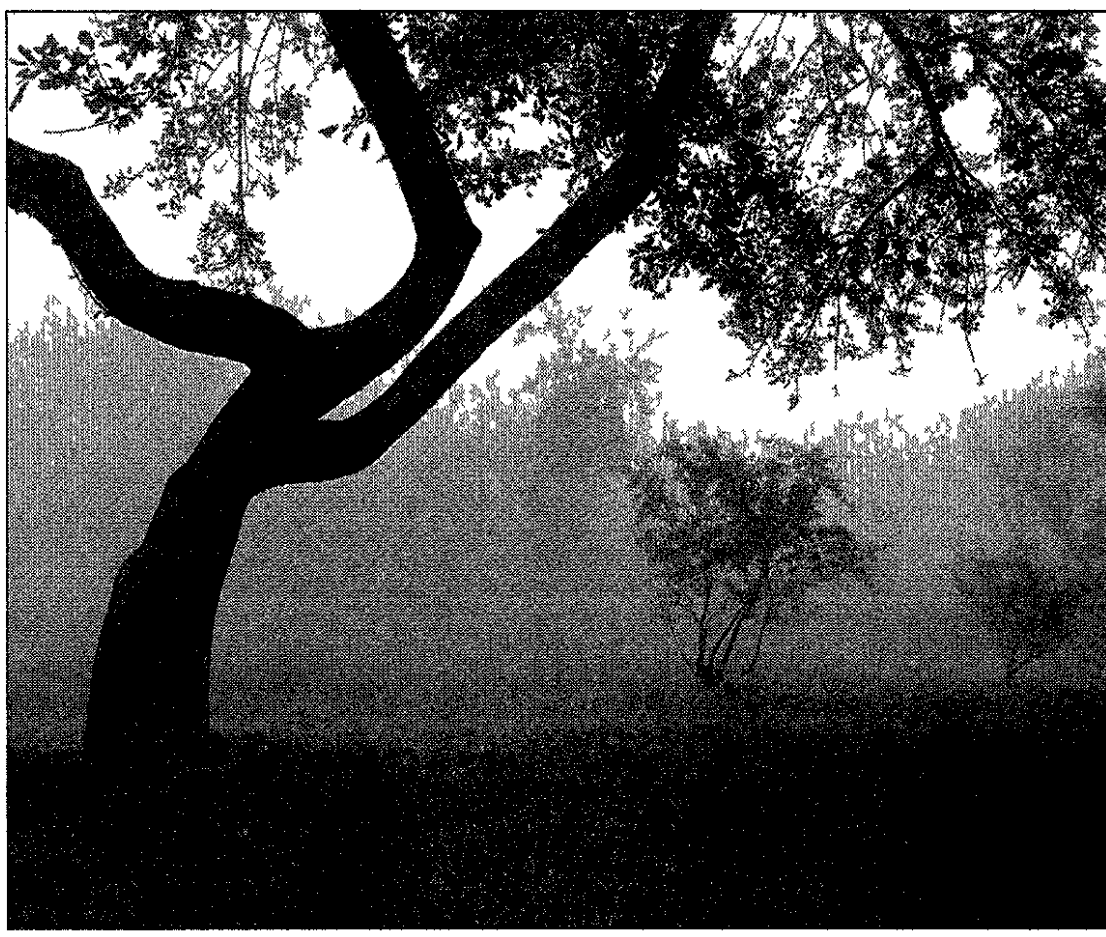
How about some of the flowers in your garden or a cluster of fallen autumn leaves?

Moving in close and simplifying can reward you with a real winner.

A foggy morning prompted me to head outside with my camera. I found this moody scene not far at all from my home. Careful framing and exposure produced this shot for me. It could have been taken in the woods in some faraway place. But it was almost in my own backyard.

So you don't have to venture far from home to produce strong pictures. Just keep your "photographic vision" geared up and you'll see many possibilities right at home.

Monte Nagler is a fine art photographer based in Farmington Hills. You can leave him a message at (734) 953-2047. His fax number is (248) 644-1314.



Monte Nagler didn't have to travel far for this mood-filled shot of trees and mist right in his own neighborhood.

MATTRESS & FUTON SHOPPE

Warm & Cozy Sale!

SNUGGLE UP FOR SAVINGS SERTA MATTRESS SALE!

<p>Serta SUPERIOR Sertapedic Plush or Firm Great Value</p> <p>WOW</p> <p>Twin Full Set \$285 Queen Set \$335 King Set \$385</p>	<p>Serta ELANA Pillow Top Our Best Value</p> <p>WOW</p> <p>Twin Full Set \$385 Queen Set \$429 King Set \$485</p>
--	--

MATTRESS COUPON

\$100 OFF SERTA PERFECT SLEEPER SETS
\$200 OFF Visco Latex Mattress Sets

TWIN SIZE MATTRESSES from \$59.95

0% FINANCING

COME IN AND TRY A FUTON
• Largest Selection in Michigan • Over 30 Futons • 100's of Covers in Stock

<p>FUTON COUPON</p> <p>\$50 OFF Futon Package \$399 to \$599 \$100 OFF Futon Package \$600 & up</p>	<p>LOG PORCHES \$399</p>	<p>CAMPY BEDS \$119</p>	<p>BUNK BEDS \$169</p>
--	---------------------------------	--------------------------------	-------------------------------

Where Can I Use A Futon?

- UP NORTH CABIN
- DORM
- GUEST ROOM
- APARTMENT

GRAND OPENING! ROSEVILLE • 32098 Gratiot • 586-294-8360

<p>BIRMINGHAM 32787 Woodward (1 blk. S. of 14 Mile) 248-549-1951</p>	<p>LIVONIA 31629 Plymouth Rd. (1 blk. W. of Merriman) 734-425-1500</p>	<p>SOUTHGATE 17820 Eureka Rd. (Bet. Reek & Allen Rd.) 734-281-7766</p>	<p>2 TAYLOR LOCATIONS 23650 Eureka Road (Near Southland Mall across from Value City) 734-287-0454</p>
<p>CANTON 42489 Ford Rd. (at Lilley in Canton Corners) 734-844-0400</p>	<p>NOVI TOWN CENTER (Near Men's Warehouse) (SOUTH OF I-96) 248-348-5494</p>	<p>LAKESIDE 13909 Hall Road (Across from Lakeside Mall) 586-532-8055</p>	<p>and 22385 Ecorse (1/2 Mile E. of Telegraph) 313-291-3603</p>
<p>DEARBORN 1860 N. Telegraph Rd. (2 Blks. S. of Ford Rd.) 313-724-1160</p>	<p>ROYAL OAK 28074 N. Woodward (S. of 12 Mile Rd.) 248-414-6909</p>	<p>YPSI / ANN ARBOR 4593 Washtenaw Rd. (1/4 Mile E. of US-23) 734-975-9200</p>	<p>www.futon-mattress.com Futon Mattresses & Covers Sold Separately</p>

GARDEN CALENDAR

Herbs
The Evening Herb Study Group will meet at 7 p.m. Monday Nov 3 at 7 p.m. at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens. Located on Dixboro Road south of Plymouth Road in Ann Arbor in room No. 125 (far end from the auditorium). Members will discuss herbal creations (soap making, food items, crafts, etc.) and will bring a gift to exchange. The program is free and new members and visitors are also welcome. For more information contact Joan Wysocki at jdwysoc@ao.com or call (248) 349-5310 or contact Lesley Chace at ledsbeaken@aol.com or call (734) 730-2212.

Roses
Henry Rankin of Grand Rapids will present Fabulous Climbing Roses 7-9 p.m. Friday Nov 7 at the meeting of the Roses West Roses Society at the Novi Civic Center 45175 W Ten Mile in Novi (Exit 162 coming into Novi). Handouts, a silent auction and potluck supper will be presented. Bring a dish to pass. Call (248) 449-4626.

Marty Figley garden writer for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers will present Herbs and Spice and Everything Nice. Admission is free. For information call (248) 356-2915.

Livonia Garden Club
Keeping your Houseplants Happy is the topic for the next meeting of the Livonia Garden Club at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday Nov 4 at the Livonia Senior Center located at Farmington and Five Mile roads. The featured speaker

Hill & Dale
The Hill & Dale Garden Club of Farmington Hills will have a general meeting 7 p.m. Thursday Nov 13 in the Heritage Park Visitors Center Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile in Farmington Hills.

THE ORIGINAL HOME IMPROVEMENT SPECIALISTS

One Call Gets the Things You Want Done...DONE.

What do you need to get done today?

- CARPENTRY
- ELECTRICAL
- PLUMBING
- KITCHEN & BATH REMODELS
- DRYWALL
- PAINTING
- CERAMIC TILE
- GENERAL HOME REPAIRS

<p>SAVE \$100 on any work over \$750</p>	<p>SAVE \$50 on any work over \$250</p>
<p>SAVE \$25 on any work over \$100</p>	<p>FREE ESTIMATE</p>

Offer subject to change without notice. Not valid with any other offer.

Western Wayne County 734-522-1040

Plan your weekend activities each Thursday with Filter

TRENDS

FROM PAGE C1

ence "You see it more because of the influence of yoga and Zen," said Susan Zinger, executive vice president and general manager of the Michigan Design Center

WARMING UP

For draperies, orange is a popular color for homeowners, but that color is now evolving into more of a reddish-orange, according to interior designer Karen Swanson, of Accommodating Interiors of Grosse Pointe Park, who also works with the Michigan Design Center "We're starting to see the warm colors as well," Swanson said

Swanson still does a lot of neutral colors, too "People are doing a lot of expansions of their homes, and one thing they notice after the renovations is they see a lot of big windows," Swanson said "And what they ask me is what can they do to stop the sun from hitting all their furniture"

Swanson pulls stocks of various colors "The reds are vibrant, and the oranges warm up the space"

"You saw a lot of colors like the crisp cool light blues and greens and maybe the chartreuse and green you used to see," she said "A lot of it is warming up "You'll see a lot of nice and warm colors in the fall and winter, and maybe a change in the spring with the change of season"

"You don't see the hunter green so much anymore, but more of a sage green " But Swanson also encourages clients to "go with the colors they love" "They'll keep them for years," she said

Kim Turner, interior designer, shows off a light by Ulle Darni in the DeGrimme Gallery, which exhibits a vibrant and beautiful floral color "Designers are using these larger lights not just in the large homes, where they've been seen traditionally, but to illuminate small homes"

The lights are used more as a statement, Turner said "These aren't just metal and glass, but are "a more modern contemporary aspect of design," Turner said



Michigan Design Center's Karen Swanson looks at fabric swatches



Patti Kimmel, an interior designer, points out the geometrics of a chair in describing the new trends of contemporary furniture at the Michigan Design Center

"They are using the larger light fixtures that they can possibly use," Turner said "Themes can be varied, from the antelope horn chandelier for a Western theme to the urban modern effect of a variety of textures in a light created in India"

But color will remain a major theme in fall trends "People are staying home, enjoying their dwelling, and they design it as a reflection of their personality," Turner said

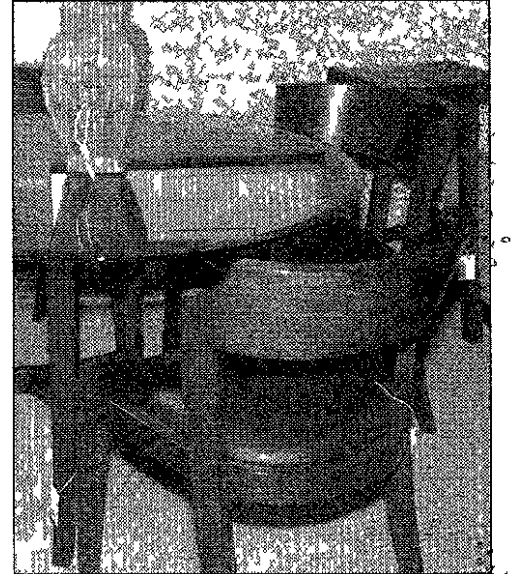
Note: The Michigan Design Center 1700 Stutz Troy is normally open only to design trade professionals (interior designers, decorators, architects, contract specifiers, builders, retail furniture store owners/designers and institutional purchasing agents) For more information, visit michigandesign.com



Asian influences are popular this year. Here are a couple of accessories to brighten up your home from the Michigan Design Center



This chair comprised of a khaki raw silk and accompanying nesting tables add dramatic flair



Spruce up your dining room with this glass top table and matching chairs from the Michigan Design Center

FABULOUS FALL SALE

Now is the time to prepare your home for
Holiday Entertaining

SALE ENDS NOVEMBER 15th

SAVE

25% to 40%

on EVERYTHING IN THE STORE

and We Will Pay Your 6% Sales Tax!

- Thomasville
- Harden
- Charleston Forge
- Bob Timberlake
- Nichols & Stone

- Dinaire
- King Hickory
- Lexington
- Hooker
- Restonic

- Hekman
- Sligh
- Hitchcock
- Sam Moore
- Canal Dover

- Jasper Cabinet
- I. M. David
- Bradington-Young
- Howard Miller

VISIT OUR IN STORE CLEARANCE CENTER

CLASSIC INTERIORS FURNITURE

20292 Middlebelt • (S. of 8 Mile)
Livonia
(248) 474-6900

Visit us at www.classicint.com

Hours:
M, Th, F 9:30-9:00
Tu, W, S 9:30-5:30
Sunday.....1-5

- All Discounts Are Off Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Prices
- All Previous Sales Excluded
- Offer Not Valid In Conjunction With Any Other Promotional Discount



Clean your home at least once a week

My home is clean and picked up part of the time, usually when I am preparing to entertain. The remainder of the time it is a mess. Is there any way to keep my home clean and organized all the time?



Domestic Planner

Diana Koenig

Maintain whatever you organize, and clean regularly. Maintenance is the best way to avoid a huge mess in your house. Cleaning on a regular basis and putting items back where they belong is the simplest, yet most effective maintenance program I have found. Clean routinely once a week and your house will look clean most of the time. Then ask yourself the question, "Do I clean for myself or other people?" Our motivation will determine our degree of success.

I clean for the pure satisfaction of living in a clean home. I do it for me. If I never had a visitor, I would still keep my house clean. If you clean for others, you will only be motivated to clean when you are expecting visitors. This forces you to clean on demand (emergency cleaning is seldom convenient and usually not as effective.) I know people who have done some very creative cleaning when they received only a few minutes' notice that guests were arriving.

Here are some of their techniques: 1. If the dishwasher and the sink are both filled with dishes, carry the exposed dirty dishes to the bathtub, but don't forget to pull the shower

curtain in case your guests need to use the bathroom. 2. Fill cardboard boxes with household clutter and hide the boxes in the garage or the basement. 3. Of course, you can always shove any items littering the floors under the beds or the couch. I do not recommend these methods because they can be stressful. It also requires a lot of extra work getting things back to their original location (like carrying all the dishes from the bathroom back to the kitchen.)

Establishing a cleaning maintenance program would be a lot easier. Your home would instantly be ready for guests and you could enjoy a clean home on a regular basis.

Keep your house picked up. This means putting everything back where it belongs when you are done using it. If you live with other people, this can be a more difficult problem to tackle. It may require not only training yourself to put things away, but other household members will need to understand and practice this method as well. You may try a positive approach when someone leaves something out. "Honey, would you please put this back where it belongs?"

If that approach does not

work, you may need negative reinforcement. "This item now belongs to me because you did not put it back where it belongs." Train yourself and your family that when you are done using something, you must put it back immediately. When you need it the next time you will be able to find it quickly. It is so tempting to say, "I'll just put this on the counter for now and put it away later." Before we know it, we have accumulated an entire counter full of "I'll put it away later" items.

We have now increased the length of time it will take to put everything away because we have added a new element, sorting. We will have to sort through everything before we put it away. Other family members may not share the same philosophy as you. They may feel that leaving something out is more convenient because the item is in plain view where they can access it quickly. I would rather take a positive approach with them but I am prepared to use, "It's mine now." Maintenance means putting away each item as soon as you are finished using it.

Today's Refrigerator Bulletin:

"House maintenance equals house in order!"

Send your questions and success stories to Diana Koenig, P.O. Box 1702, Manchester, MO 63011. E-mail: dianakoenig@hotmail.com, www.domesticplanner.com

High-end appliances worth the price

recently spent two weeks doing the home show circuit where I talk face-to-face with homeowners.

This year's shows were no different than in previous years in that consumers have a lot of gripes about their new major appliances. In my conversations with service technicians who fix appliances every day, the general consensus is that there is a lot of junk out there.

In my every day life I speak to many people who have a question about an appliance in their homes and to be honest with you, most are on the negative side. You must understand that I am a sounding board of sorts for the public so they can vent their frustrations simply because there isn't anyone else to talk to.

Some of the manufacturers moved their call centers - where people can call for help - overseas. Just try and talk to someone who you can't understand.

The word quality is so needed in today's appliance industry and it is so lacking. It is true that there is some of it out there, but how does the average consumer know where to find it? Let me quote a recent statement by Carmine D'Alessandro, the president of the Professional Service Association: "Consumers are not stupid! Why do you think Sub-Zero,



Appliance Doctor

Joe Gagnon

Wolf, Dacor and these other high end appliances are selling so well? Those products have real, tangible, measurable quality and their price reflects that."

Now here is an industry leader coming right out and giving product names of what you should consider purchasing. You might think that his list is rather short. It is, and I think that mine would include a few more names. I stand behind his statement about the Sub-Zero Manufacturer being one of the best in this country. Yes, still American with the old fashioned tradition of building a product with simple design, that does the job better than most and a quality factor that they will absolutely not compromise. This writer has nothing to do with Sub-Zero in any way shape or form, but I've heard from enough people to know that when you need help from them, they give it to you in a very accommodating way.

They very well could be the example of intelligent service that has been lost by so many

other manufacturers. The typical service technician has a standard comment to be made regarding the word quality. "Why did they stop making a certain model? It was the best product they had."

It is a fact that when the tool-and-die parts used to make a certain model wears out, it cost millions of dollars to replace all of this manufacturing equipment. The company Maytag told me years ago that they wouldn't produce any more garbage disposers because the dies were worn out. At one time the Maytag disposer could chew up a bucket of bolts. Up to this day, no one has ever made a disposer like theirs.

In today's world when shopping for a major home appliance, you as a consumer need to do your homework. And if you don't, I will be at a home show in your neighborhood or speaking to a group in the area. You can feel free to come over and say hello and tell me all about your troubles. Besides how do you think I get to write these columns? You teach me. Stay tuned.

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

Too Late To... Classified

These last minutes ads that just had to get in!

Northern Properties 3790	Home Sales & Real Estate 7080	Garage Sales 7110
HARBOR SPRINGS View to die for! Luxury condos full harbor view next to beach. New 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath. 2 available. Top of the line construction. \$895,000. By appt. 513 238 3416. www.HarborView2000.com	HOME PARTY EXTRAVAGANZA! Sat Nov 8 9am-1pm. 6441 Turnpike. 1 blk W/Morton Taylor at Hartford. Canton Toys & books can dis. sorapooking & more! More info (734) 416 9887	WAYNE Thurs & Fri 8:30-2:30. 37314 Bendix W of Wayne S of Annapolis. Furniture, kids stuff, lawn equip. Moving all must go!
Apartments - Unfurnished 4800	7100 Estate Sales 7100	Cats 7830
BLOOMFIELD HILLS Guest house private. Open floor plan cathedral ceilings overlooking wooded ravine. Fabulous view pool. Avail. Nov 15. \$950/mo to mo. (248) 737 2744	ANOTHER GREAT ESTATE SALE BY IRIS Fri Oct 31, 10-4. Sat Nov 1, 10-4. 3254 interlocken N off of Long Lk between Orchard Lake Rd & Middlebelt (bear right on interlocken).	Beautiful medium haired needs exc home Female 9 yrs old (734) 844 6680
REDFORD Rouge Creek Apts. 24757 5 Mile. 1 bedroom. \$525+security. Appliances/heat/water. No pets. Mon thru Sat 11am-6pm. 313 945 0524	Several large abstract paintings • several sculptures • 8 traditional dining chairs • several leather chairs • gorgeous games table & 4 chairs • 2 designer bed sets • painted mirrors • 2 Baker lamps • foyer table • task bedroom chest • service for 16 of Rosenthal chins • stereo & TV's • lots of designer outdoor furniture • organ • exercise equip • hammock • snow blower • skis • boat • boat hoist • ski hoist • air hockey • stick hockey • pin ball machine • mod juke box • designer clothes • bags shoes & jewelry (Chanel Gucci Vera Wang etc) • mid century Knoll chrs • area rugs • large oriental rug • misc. antiques & collectibles. 248-217-7161. 248-626-6335. Appraiser & Liquidator for 40 Yrs in Metro Area.	Lost & Found Pets 7830
Homes For Rent 4890	25 Words + 13 Million Homes = Great Results	LOST Highland White Terrier Sun Oct 26 Southfield area. Answers to Maggie Reward 248 443 2435
FARMINGTON HILLS Sharp 2 bedrooms. fenced yard. \$650/mo plus security. Credit check. 248 977 8218	You can market your product to 13 million households throughout North America by placing your classified ad in more than 800 suburban newspapers like this one for only \$895. One phone call one invoice one low payment is all it takes. Call the Suburban Classified Advertising Network fax on demand service at 800 356 2061 or 312 644 6610 x4731 to speak with a sales coordinator.	
Royal Oak Large updated 3 bedroom hardwood floors fireplace a basement all appliances 2 car garage 14 Mile/Woodward \$1200/mo. 248 788 3678		
Vacation & Resort Rentals 4110		
HARBOR SPRINGS Skiers! 4 bedroom 2.5 bath victorian cottage with fabulous harbor view. 10 minutes to best skiing in midwest. 513 238 3416		
Positions Wanted 5340		
HOME HEALTH CARE GIVER 24 hr live in exec refer ences. Call 248 645 6137		

ARCTIC INSULATION

THE ATTIC EXPERTS

A poorly insulated attic can waste up to 1/3 of all the heat that your furnace produces!

WE SPECIALIZE IN ATTIC UPGRADES

\$100 off with this ad

Call for a FREE quote: 734-207-3325

Have Your Furniture Reupholstered Today and Receive...

2 PILLOWS FREE!

with your order!

FREE ESTIMATES IN HOME!

KIM'S UPHOLSTERING

(734) 427-5140

NEED A PLUMBER?

BURTON & SONS INC.

PLUMBING HEATING

FAMILY OWNED & OPERATED FOR 3 GENERATIONS

32900 Manor Park • Garden City
734-427-3070

WHOLE HOUSE REPIPED

- ONE DAY INSTALLATION
- \$100.00 OFF WITH AD

FREE SERVICE CALL

(\$49.00 Value)

WATER HEATER INSTALLED TODAY!

Friendly Service Integrity Superior Quality Honesty

MICK GAVIN

RESIDENTIAL & COMMERCIAL CARPET SALES & INSTALLATION

Buy Directly from Installer with 36 Years Experience

PLUSH • LEVEL LOOPS • BERBERS CUT PILE • ETC.

CERAMIC TILE • MARBLE LAMINATE & WOOD FLOORS NO WAX KITCHEN VINYL

Hours 9 am-9 pm 7 Days A Week!

20138 Olympia • Redford, MI 313-537-3489

Don't Compromise Customize!

Now you can have wall systems, entertainment centers, or bookcases custom built just for you by master craftsmen using your measurements and the finest oak and cherry (no particle board). Best of all, we will do this at about the same price as production made systems. See over 40 entertainment centers and wall systems on display. All units can be sized to fit any wall, any TV, any sound system.

There's nothing better than being "front row center" in our own home theater. Our Cinema Collection is ideal for TV and movie viewing with generous proportions, plush cushions and a look that's just what the script called for. Choose fabric or leather with manual or power reclining units.

Um.C. Franks FURNITURE

2945 S. Wayne Road • Wayne
(4 Blocks N. of Michigan Ave.)
734-721-1044

Store Hours: Mon Thurs Fri 9-9, Tues, Wed., Sat. 9-6

Rake it...or leave it!

Here's what to do with your yardful of leaves

Rake it! Follow the guidelines in your community for curb-side pick-up. If you're asked to put leaves in the street, wait until just before collection day. Never rake them into or near storm drains, ditches, creeks or the river. Decaying leaves use up the water's oxygen, harming aquatic inhabitants.

Leave it! Mulch leaves by running over them with your lawn mower at next cutting. Leaves and grass clippings are excellent sources of nutrients for your lawn.

Or rake it and leave it! Rake leaves into a compost pile for a nutrient-rich mulch to use on your garden next spring.

Rake it or leave it it's that easy

Rouge River

A partnership of the Wayne County Department of Environment, Rouge Watershed communities and agencies. Franks of the Rouge USEPA and MDEQ. Want more information? Call (888) 223 2363 or check our website at www.waynecounty.com

This ad was adapted from the Huron River Watershed Council and is funded in part by the Rouge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Project.

Plan your weekend activities each Thursday with Filter

Heating systems should be checked annually

(MS) - More than 60 million U.S. homes are heated by natural gas or propane each winter. Homeowners should be sure to have their gas appliances checked now to ensure efficient, reliable, safe and economical operation during the cold weather months ahead.

"In fact, we recommend that homeowners have their heating systems inspected every year prior to the onset of the heating season by qualified, licensed contractors or by their local gas company," says Evan R. Gaddis, president of Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association (GAMA), a national trade association which represents residential space-heating appliance manufacturers. "When a furnace is operating properly, it is more efficient, which means it saves homeowners money and provides safe, reliable comfort during the winter."

Gaddis points out that there are a number of steps homeowners can take to help their heating systems operate optimally. For example, check for signs of problems by inspecting the duct work and venting of the heating system.

Look for cracks or openings around the flue or duct pipes. If there are signs of rust, it may be caused by excessive condensation inside the flue that could indicate an improperly adjusted burner. In this case, the burner needs to be adjusted by an expert.

Any heating-system inspection, according to Gaddis, should include oiling the blower motor and fan as well as taking a look at the blower belts for signs of wear. A qualified repair professional should replace them if they are cracked or frayed.

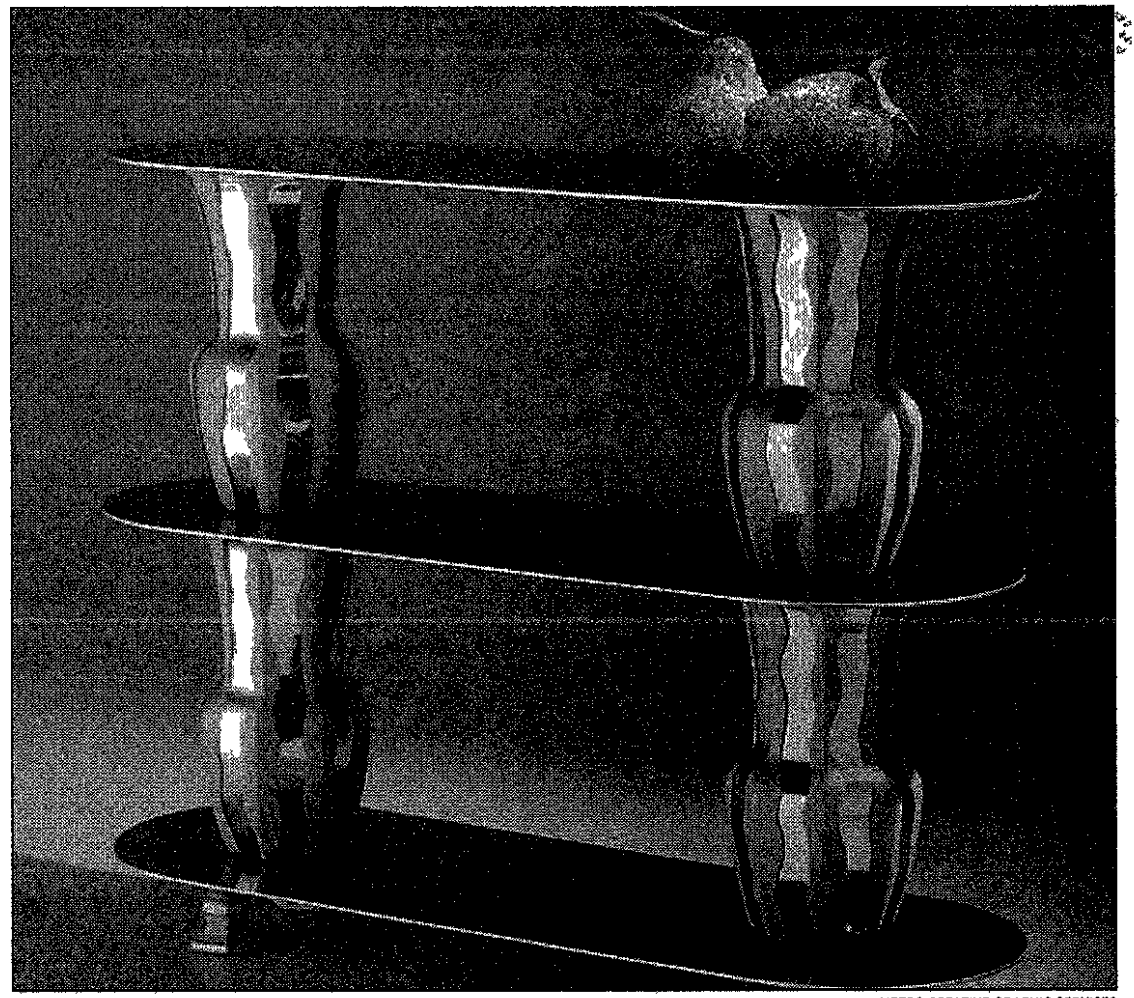
The burner chamber and pilot also need to be inspected and cleaned with a brush.

When cleaning, be sure to vacuum all registers, vents and baseboard heaters to remove any dust, lint and pet hair. While working with registers, it is good to remember that upper floor registers can be closed in the winter and then opened in the summer to allow efficient air control. If ceiling fans are used, remember to point the draft upward, hot air rises, helping circulate warm air throughout the home.

Also, check the chimney to make sure there are no bird or squirrel nests, accumulated leaves or fallen bricks to obstruct the airflow. Obstructions can create dangerous conditions. You may want to consider installing carbon monoxide monitors to further protect your family.

With rising heating costs, Gaddis recommends that homeowners also take simple weatherization steps such as caulking around windows and doorframes, and adding weather stripping to doors and windows to save money. Doors need to fit tightly and should be kept closed in all unheated rooms.

"If heating equipment is old and needs to be replaced, homeowners should also call a contractor who is properly licensed," Gaddis says. "New furnaces are highly efficient and will save hundreds of dollars." GAMA suggests that you call your local utility company or the Better Business Bureau to find a qualified contractor in your community. For more information and tips, visit www.gamanet.org.



METRO CREATIVE GRAPHIC SERVICES

It takes only one afternoon to make this stunning decorative shelf using ordinary glassware and Krylon glass paints.

Easy-to-use glass paints are a home decorating hit

Today's home decorators have discovered the fun of living with one-of-a-kind decorating accents and the satisfaction of saying "I made it myself."

Sprucing up old glassware is a fun, faux way to recreate the expensive look of mirrored glass, stained glass or frosted glass while expressing your own sense of style.

Krylon glass paints make it easy, with just a spritz, a spray and little cash.

Krylon Stained Glass Color, Frosted Glass Finish and Looking Glass Decorative Mirror-Like Paint are specially formulated for glassware and easy, at-home application. You can combine all three finishes for dramatic results like this decorative shelf.

It takes just an afternoon to make this stunning accent. To start, search through closets, the attic or thrift stores to assemble the glassware: four vases, four candleholders and several glass shelves. The vases don't have to match, but they should all be the same height.

Before you begin, carefully clean the glass pieces with soap

and water and dry thoroughly. Next, apply Looking Glass Paint to the inside of the vases, creating the brilliant, reflective surface.

It's a simple, three-step process.

First, mask off the exterior of the vases, then spray on the reflective coat and finish with the clear coat sealer.

When dry, use painter's masking tape to mask off a pattern of your choice on the outside of the vases.

Spray the masked vase with Frosted Glass Finish, a soft, semi-transparent paint that mimics the look of frosted glass. Choose from six frosty shades: blue, green, red, purple, pearl and white. Then, paint the candleholders to match.

Paint the shelves with Stained Glass Color, a durable, translucent finish available in red, blue, green, orange, yellow and purple.

Finally, highlight the edges and other design details with Krylon Leafing Pens in gold, silver or copper. Put it all together and voila - a unique decorator piece for your home.

Use your newfound decorator savvy to pull together an entire room. Paint a glass-topped end table to match, or paint accentpieces like vases, hurricane chimneys, bowls, canisters and lamp bases. Experiment with wood, wicker, metal and papier-mache.

Stained Glass Color goes outdoors, too, so go ahead and have fun with that dated-looking, glass-topped patio table.

Do you need to add a little pizzazz - or privacy - to your home's front entryway?

Mask the windows in geometric patterns and create the look of stained glass with Stained Glass Color.

For even more privacy and the look of expensive etched glass, pair Frosted Glass Finish with a stencil and paint your glass entryway, then try it on the shower door.

For detailed, step-by-step instructions for creating the shelf shown, visit www.krylon.com.

For the free Glass Crafting Literature Collection from Krylon, call (800) 4-KRYLON.

Martha Stewart introduces new furniture line

BY PAUL NOWELL
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Domestic icon Martha Stewart paid another surprise visit to High Point on Wednesday, Oct. 15 to help unveil an extension of her top-selling furniture line.

Stewart, who recently broke her silence on her legal troubles, was all business as she talked about her third collection with Bernhardt Furniture Co., based in Lenoir.

The latest 125-piece line is called Turkey Hill - which like her previous two collections derives its name from

one of Stewart's homes.

"Some people like to collect paintings or dogs," Stewart told about 100 people who gathered at Bernhardt's High Point showroom to preview the furniture one day before the official opening of the International Home Furnishings Market, the world's largest furniture trade show.

"I collect houses," Stewart joked. "It's also because I can't sell any of them because it's just too painful."

Stewart also visited High Point last year to introduce her Bernhardt collection. She told the visitors that

Turkey Hill is a house she has lived in for 30 years.

"It's an 1805 colonial house with four rooms over four rooms, with a traditional porch and a back room," Stewart said.

She told the room full of industry executives, furniture buyers and media that several pieces in the collection were inspired by pieces in her own house.

They include a cherry corner cupboard and a computer desk.

Alex Bernhardt said the Martha Stewart collection has been the best selling furniture line in the company's long history.

SNAPPER • MTD • TORO • MURRY • SEAR'S • ARIENS

Single Stage SNOW BLOWER WINTER PREP SPECIAL

Now Only \$399.95

Includes:

- Check engine compression
- Check ignition system
- Change spark plug
- Clean fuel system
- Adjust carburetor
- Install in-line fuel filter
- Adjust cable
- Lube moving part
- Check skid bar & paddles
- Replace housing

Plus Parts* With Coupon Reg. 369

New Snow Blowers Starting at \$299 Limited

Core Values

1. Be honest
2. Be fair
3. Respect the individual
4. Keep our commitments

WESTLAND LAWN & SNOW

27427 Joy Rd. Just West of Inkster • PHONE: 734-261-1250

POOL TOWN SINCE 1960
Family Fun Discount Center

Do NOT Buy A Pool, SPA or Pool Table until you check out our Huge Selection of Name Brands AT LOW DISCOUNT PRICES!!!

Doughboy Pools at Huge Winter Savings

LAY-AWAY NOW AND RECEIVE A FREE Automatic Cleaner

\$249 Value

doughboy

Play On The Tables The Pros Use

Introductory Savings Now in Effect

Valid with coupon only
10% Off Any Billiard Accessories

Dustcovers Silk Cases
Sticks Pea Pool
Balls Wall Art
Chalk Stick Packs
And Much More!!!

NOW IS THE TIME to Save Big on the Hot Tub You've Always Wanted

Come See Our Large Selection of SPAS

As Low as \$2999

GREAT LAKES

Come in now and Experience a TRUE PoolTown Savings!!!!

M-F 10-8	7875 Telegraph	26041 Plymouth Rd.	14514 Eureka Rd.	34873 Harper
SAT. 9-6	Taylor, MI 48140	Reford, MI 48239	Southgate, MI 48195	St. Clair Shores, MI 48090
SUN. 10-4	(313) 292-7550	(313) 937-2220	(734) 284-1550	(586) 773-580

CHOOSE UP TO \$900 CASH OFF OR 3 for FREE!

(A \$150 TOTAL POSSIBLE SAVINGS WITH THE PURCHASE OF A HIGH EFFICIENCY SYSTEM)

Blue Dot
A/C • Heating • Plumbing • and more

bryant
FREE Furnace Filter Shipping!

ONE Year Same As Cash

Choose 3 of the Following for Free:

- 10-Year Parts & Labor Protection
- Air/Aire Media Air Cleaner Humidifier
- Whole House Duct Cleaning
- Digital Programmable Thermostat

WE SERVICE ALL MAJOR BRANDS

CALL TODAY! (800) BLUE-DOT (734) 522-1350

Follow your favorite high school sports team each week in the Observer

<p>SERVICE SAVINGS</p> <p>FREE A/C • HEATING • PLUMBING SERVICE CALL</p> <p>with REPAIRS - A \$59 VALUE!</p> <p>Blue Dot Present at time of service. Cannot be combined with other offers or specials. Expires 11/15/03. OE1003</p>	<p>PLUMBING SPECIAL</p> <p>\$150 OFF ON-DEMAND WATER HEATING SYSTEM</p> <p>Reg \$2412</p> <p>Blue Dot Present at time of service. Cannot be combined with other offers or specials. Expires 11/15/03. OE1003</p>	<p>FULL SYSTEM PROTECTION</p> <p>\$79 FULL SYSTEM TUNE-UP & CLEANING</p> <p>Reg \$99</p> <p>Blue Dot Present at time of service. Cannot be combined with other offers or specials. Expires 11/15/03. OE1003</p>
--	---	--

Five fabulous freebies you can find on the Internet

To paraphrase the old saying, the best things online are free. You might think there's no such thing as a free lunch, but believe me, you can get something for nothing. Where these goodies are concerned, the price is right. OK, OK, enough with the cliché free-for-all.

The Internet's best-kept secret, and my personal favorite freebie, is OpenOffice (www.openoffice.org). This professional-grade office suite includes a word processor, spreadsheet, presentation manager, and drawing program.

More importantly, it offers transparent file compatibility with its pricey Microsoft Office counterparts. In other words, with OpenOffice you can create, open, edit, and save Word, Excel, and PowerPoint files. Plus, it's available for both Windows and Macintosh computers. Great choice for cash-strapped college students.

If you've been stuffing your hard drive with digital photos and need a way to organize them, I highly recommend Preclick Photo Organizer (www.preclick.com). It finds all the photos on your PC and lets you add ratings, captions, keywords, and so on. You can then preview and search for photos



Tech Savvy

Rick Broida

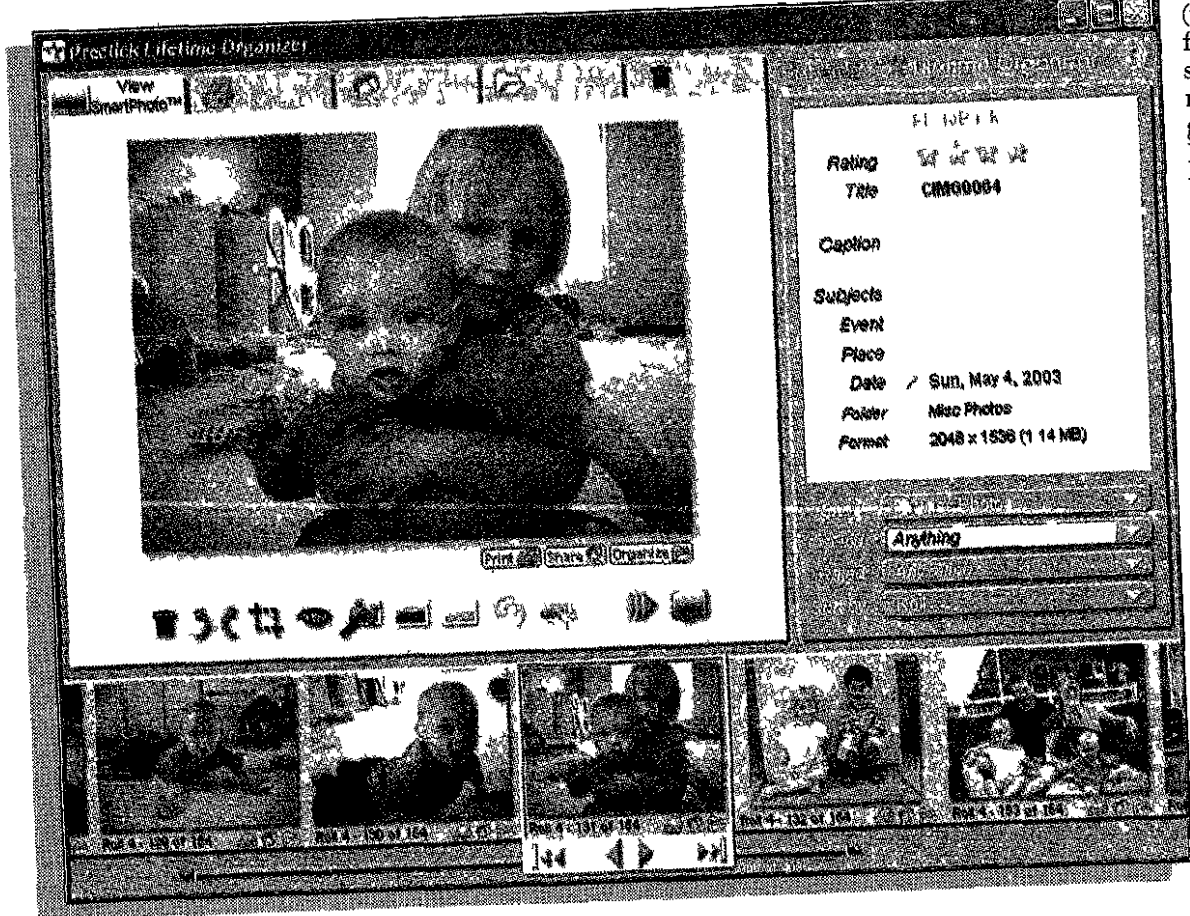
The Internet's best-kept secret, and my personal favorite freebie, is OpenOffice.

with ease.

For a mere \$20, you can upgrade to Preclick Lifetime, which includes features like printing, editing, and red-eye removal. Lifetime is free to try for 20 days, after which it "reverts" to Photo Organizer, which is free forever.

Preclick is ideal for novices - more advanced users should check out IrfanView (www.irfanview.com), an image viewer that offers slideshows, cropping, special effects (like sharpen and blur), and other useful tools.

Speaking of useful, a certain cable company recently messed up my Internet service



Preclick scans your hard drive for digital photos then provides easy tools for organizing them and even ordering prints online.

for a few days. I can't function offline, so I turned to Access-4-Free (www.access4free.com). It's a dial-up Internet service

provider that gives you 10 free hours per month.

No registration fees, no subscription charges - you pay

only \$1 per hour if you exceed the first 10. Priceless in a crisis. Finally, we come to Ad-aware Standard Edition

(www.lavasoftusa.com), a free utility that scans your system for privacy-violating software that probably got there without your knowledge, then kicks it to the curb.

Ad-aware can be a bit confusing, but it's worth battling the learning curve to make sure there's no data-mining or activity-tracking code lurking on your machine. Web-surfer beware.

Join me Thursday, Nov 20, 7:30 p.m., at the Baldwin Public Library (300 W. Merrill, Birmingham) for some fun with PDAs. I'll be teaching the basics, demonstrating the latest and greatest models, and giving away books, Handheld Computing subscriptions, and a PDA.

Rick Broida writes about computers and technology for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Broida of Commerce Township has written for computer and technology magazines and is a co-author of several books on handheld computing. Readers who have questions for Broida can email him at rickbroida@excite.com.

THE **Observer & Eccentric** NEWSPAPERS

Fabulous **FURNITURE** 2003

\$16,000 IN PRIZES!

Agai's
ORIENTAL RUGS
760 S. Old Woodward • Birmingham

Grant's Cabinets
24520 Five Mile Rd.
Redford Township

MANS
LUMBER • MILLWORK
A Division of N.A. Mann and Sons Family Owned Since 1900
41900 Ford Rd. • Canton

RECHERCIE
Fine Consignment Furniture
23330 Farmington Rd. • Farmington Hills
3671 Highland Rd. • Waterford

AMERICAN DIRECT FURNITURE
45849 Mound Rd. • Shelby Township

HOUSE OF LIGHTS DESIGNERS EMPORIUM
28801 Orchard Lake Rd. • Farmington Hills
426 Main St. • Downtown Rochester
49560 Van Dyke • Utica

MASTER SPAS OF MICHIGAN
25875 Novi Road • Novi
8771 Hall Rd. • Utica

Rochester Rug Gallery
407 S. Main Street • Rochester

CLASSIC INTERIORS FURNITURE
20292 Middlebelt • Livonia

INDEPENDENT CARPET ONE
1400 N. Wayne Rd. • Westland

Newton FURNITURE
Good Price. Good Furniture. Good Idea.
2053 Telegraph • Bloomfield Hills
15950 Middlebelt • Livonia
30411 Schoolcraft • Livonia
27772 Novi Road • Novi
Hall Road, E. of M-53 • Utica

sherwood studios
6644 Orchard Lake Rd.
West Bloomfield

Wm. C. Franks FURNITURE
2945 S. Wayne Rd. • Wayne

Laurel FURNITURE, INC
584 W. Ann Arbor Trail • Plymouth

PINE TREE LIGHTING
1447 S. Lapeer Rd. • Lake Orion

Walker/Buzenberg fine furniture
240 N. Main Street • Plymouth

This year 16 lucky winners will go on a \$1,000 Shopping Spree at some of the area's finest home furnishing stores!

Look inside our Thursday's "AT HOME" section October 2nd, 9th, 16th and Oct. 23rd for a "inside look" at the best of the best in home furnishings and home furnishing ideas.

Cut out this official entry blank... and deposit it in the entry box at any of the home furnishing stores listed here, and you could win a \$1,000 shopping spree!

Additional entry forms are available at each participating merchant!

THE **Observer & Eccentric** NEWSPAPERS

Fabulous **FURNITURE** 2003

ENTER to WIN up to \$16,000* in Home Furnishings

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Phone: (Daytime) _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Name/Location of Store: _____ (Evening)

Contest Rules:
*Participants may enter one time at each of the 16 participating stores. Each store will award a \$1,000 merchandise certificate. Must be 18 years of age or older to enter. Deadline to enter is Thursday Oct 30 2003. No purchase necessary to win. Winners will be selected by random drawing and contacted by telephone or mail by Nov 1 2003. Contest results will be published in the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

CE8148654

If you want to submit an item for the religion calendar fax it to (734) 591-7279 or write Religion Calendar Observer Newspaper 36251 Schoolcraft Road Livonia MI 48150 The deadline for an announcement to appear in the Thursday edition is noon Monday

OCTOBER

Tots wanted for toys

St. Mary Catholic Church Community Outreach Center is accepting applications through Nov 29 from residents in Wayne Westland and Belleville requesting assistance from its Toys for Tots Campaign. The center is at 34646 Sims at Second Wayne. For more information call (734) 326-2234

Spiritual growth campaign

Participants can choose from various small groups meeting in a home in their area during a spiritual growth campaign presented by Faith Covenant Church continues to Nov 16. They will explore the 5 purposes for their lives as spelled out in the best selling book *The Purpose Driven Life*. No charge to attend or for the book and materials. Call (248) 661-9191

Grief Support Workshop

Continues 7:45 p.m. Tuesdays to Nov 18 at Christ the King Lutheran Church 9300 Farmington south of West Chicago Livonia. Call (734) 421-0749

Haunted house

Cass Community Social Services plans to scare the hell out of people with a haunted house in the gym at Cass Community United Methodist Church 6:11 p.m. Thursday Friday Oct 30-31 at 3901 Cass (enter from Selden Blvd.) Detroit. Volunteers from the Detroit church Birmingham First United Methodist Church and Newburgh United Methodist Church in Livonia have turned the gym into a haunted maze focusing on the 7 deadly sins (for age high school and above). Admission is \$5. All of the money will go to programs for homeless children and youth. For more information call (313) 883-2277

Children's fall festival

Mt. Vernon Baptist Church will be hosting a Children's Fall Festival for age 11 and younger 6:45-8 p.m. Friday Oct 31 at 8828 Wormer Redford. There is no cost or pre-registration. Positive costuming is encouraged. For more information call (313) 537-7480

New worship service

Plymouth Baptist Church has added a second Sunday worship celebration. The new service times are 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. Both services feature contemporary and traditional worship music and in-depth Bible teaching.

Full nursery and preschool programs are also provided for both services. The church is at 42021 Ann Arbor Trail west of Haggerty. For more information call (734) 453-5534

NOVEMBER

Kapelle concert

The 44 member choir from Concordia University in Illinois performs 4 p.m. Saturday Nov 1 at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church 14175 Farmington Road north of I-96 Livonia. The concert features hymns and sacred music for Reformation and All Saints celebrations. The public is invited. Free will offering. For more information call (734) 522-6830

All Saints Day services

Abiding Presence Lutheran Church celebrates All Saints Day at services Saturday Sunday Nov 1-2 at 1550 Walton Rochester Hills. A special jazz liturgy take place 5 p.m. Saturday and 8:30 a.m. Sunday. Included in the service is the Naming of the Saints in memory of those who have died in the past year. Those who would like to have members of their family or friends remembered in the naming should call the church office at (248) 651-6550. The congregation will be led in the jazz liturgy by Rev. Dr. Leigh Pezet soprano saxophone player and composer and his ensemble.

Holiday Extravaganza

Vendor's Bazaar with direct sales consultants 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Nov 1 at Mt. Hope Congregational Church 30330 Schoolcraft Livonia

Living foods meal/seminar

Meal is 1:30-2:30 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 and costs \$10-\$8.50 if reservations are made in a block of 5 or more. *Biblical Nutrition seminar* runs 3-5 p.m. and is free but a love offering will be taken. Christian businessman Charlie Brown presents the seminar. Brown triumphed over lymphoma cancer through nutrition and alternative methods along with radiation. The afternoon event takes place at Garden Ministries 24301 Ann Arbor Trail two blocks west of Telegraph Dearborn Heights. For reservations or more information call (313) 277-7158 or (734) 522-4477

Alumnae Memorial Mass

Mercy High School Alumnae

Association invites all Mercy alumnae family and friends to join us for our annual mass on All Souls Day Sunday Nov 2. The liturgy is at 1 p.m. in the school chapel with an informal reception following the mass. All are welcome. For more information call (248) 476-8922

Spaghetti dinner

2-6 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 at St. John Bosco Parish Hall 12100 Beech Daly between Schoolcraft and Plymouth Road. Cost is \$7-\$3.50 children age 10 and under. For tickets call (313) 937-9690

Fall Speaker Series

Continues 7 p.m. Wednesday Nov 5 with Michael Bridges CPA and minister at St. James Baptist Church speaking about Overcoming the Grasshopper Mentality. Nov 12 with Cynthia Shelby Lane M.D. and a comedienne featured on Oprah sharing her beliefs with *The Wealth of Your Health* and Nov 19 Douglas Lang founder and owner of Lang's Painting and Hardwood Floors in Ann Arbor talking about Entrepreneurship at Unity of Livonia 28660 Five Mile between Inkster and Middlebelt Livonia. Series continues each Wednesday through Nov 19. Love offerings accepted. For more information call (734) 421-1760 or visit the Web site at www.unityoflivonia.org

Aerobic Class

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church is offering a light Aerobic Class 11 a.m. to noon Thursday Nov 6 to Dec 18 at 14175 Farmington Road south of Ford Field Livonia. Cost is \$18 per 6 week session. To register call (734) 522-6830. The public is welcome.

Bountiful Baskets

The 57th annual church fair runs 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday Friday Nov 6-7 at First Congregational Church of Wayne 2 Towne Square. Gift baskets galore to purchase for the holidays. Aprons attic treasures books candy country store specialty booth a wide selection to choose from. Service our famous homemade lunch and dinner each day. Lunch is 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and ala carte. Dinner is served 5-7 p.m. (cost is \$7-\$3.50 children). For more information call (734) 729-7550

Church concert

The Young Continentals a Christian youth group will present a concert 7 p.m. Thursday Nov 6 at Holy Trinity

Lutheran Church 30903 Five Mile west of Newburgh Livonia. The group includes 30 members ages 12-16 who present contemporary Christian music with dramatic choreography. Their message is the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Please plan on attending and bring your church youth group who will be inspired by this talented group of teens. Free will offering. For more information call (734) 591-0320 or (734) 751-8573

Godspell

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church presents the musical 7:30 p.m. Friday Nov 7 at 9601 Hubbard Livonia. The show is being presented by area youth and includes favorites such as *Day by Day* and *Prepare Ye the Way of the Lord*. Tickets are \$8-\$5 under age 10. For information and tickets call (734) 422-0494

Silent auction

Shop early for Christmas at a silent auction beginning at 6 p.m. Friday Nov 7 at Memorial Church of Christ 35475 Five Mile Livonia. Buffet open 6:30-8 p.m. Tickets \$15 must be purchased in advance. Auction benefits AAA Crisis Pregnancy Center. Call (734) 425-8060

Remembrance service

For the crew of the S.S. Edmund Fitzgerald (which sank on Nov 10 1975) 11 a.m. Sunday Nov 9 at Mariners Church 170 East Jefferson Detroit. Rear Admiral John G. Tanner USMS superintendent of Great Lakes Maritime Academy Traverse City will be the speaker. Everyone is invited. Please call the church office if you plan to be in the uniformed Honor Guard (313) 259-2206. Free parking is available in the Ford Auditorium Garage with entrance in the median strip of Jefferson at Woodward

Service and Dinner

A St. Andrew's Day service will be held at 10 a.m. followed by a dinner Sunday Nov 9 at St. James Presbyterian Church 25350 W Six Mile Redford

The St. Andrew Bagpipe Band will perform at the service and during dinner. Tickets for the dinner are \$10-\$5 for ages 4-12. The public is welcome. For more information call (313) 534-7730

Worldwide Marriage Encounter

Married couples can improve their communication skills, learn the value of intimacy and renew their love for each other during weekend Worldwide Marriage Encounter Nov 14-16 at St. John's Family Life Center 44011 Five Mile Plymouth. Registration fee is \$50. For information or to register call (248) 528-2512 or (810) 286-5524 or visit the Web site www.rcnet/detroit/wmme. Worldwide Marriage Encounter is a Roman Catholic nonprofit organization dedicated to marriage enrichment.

Crusade Meetings

Sunday Nov 16 to Wednesday Nov 19 at Canton Calvary Assembly of God 7933 Sheldon Road Canton. Times are 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday 7 p.m. Monday Wednesday. Speaker is Rev. Keith Johnson of Tampa Fla. His latest book is *Crisis: Your Launching Pad to Success*. For more information call (734) 455-0820

Crossing in concert

The Crossing a band in the Celtic tradition will play music to warm your heart and get your feet tapping 6:30 p.m. Sunday Nov 23 at Trinity Church 14800 Middlebelt north of I-96 south of Five Mile Livonia. Their lyrics express a concern for the least of God's people and a celebration of His greatness. Instrumentation includes Highland and Irish pipes fiddle whistles flute harp guitars bouzouki cello and bodran. Members of the group reside in Chicago where they live and work full time as inner city missionaries in a Christian community of 400 the Jesus People USA. Tickets are \$10. For more information call (734) 425-0280 or send e mail to TrinConCh@aol.com

UPCOMING

Christmas craft show

More than 80 crafters exhibit their

wares 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday Dec 6 at St. Thomas a Becket Church 555 S Lilley Canton. Bake sale and lunch available. Tickets are \$2. Children under age 12 free. For more information call (734) 981-1481

ONGOING

Contemporary worship service

11:30 a.m. the fourth Sunday of the month at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church 30900 Six Mile Livonia. For more information call (734) 422-6038

Worship services

8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sundays at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church Five Mile and Inkster roads Livonia. For information call (734) 422-1470

Ablaze Young Adult Ministries

Presented by Detroit World Outreach 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday. Using cutting edge music high tech video and lighting drama multi-media and a relevant message that can change lives. Ablaze is giving young adults ages 18 to 28 the opportunity to meet friends and hang out with people their age. Evening includes a live band pool tables ping pong basketball and the Motown Cafe in the Freedom Center on the Detroit World Outreach campus 23800 W Chicago near Telegraph Redford. For more information call (313) 794-0684 or visit the Web site at www.motownministries.org

Redford Church

Detroit World Outreach a non-denominational church for all colors at 23800 W Chicago in Redford has Sunday services 9 a.m. 10:45 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. It also offers Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m. for all ages. Wednesday night is family night at 7 p.m. Tuesday night it offers a young adult services for ages 18-28 at 7:30 p.m. Bishop Jack C. Wallace is the senior pastor. Call (313) 255-2222 or visit www.dwo.org

NEED A PLUMBER?

• Toilets • Water Heaters • Sinks • Faucets • Garbage Disposals • Sewers • Sump Pumps

MIRACLE MAN PLUMBING
A DIVISION OF

PETE WOOD PLUMBING

TIPS FROM THE PLUMBING PROFESSOR

Old emergency shut offs can be a headache ready and waiting. We recommend changing the old gate valves to a quick shutting ball valve. If you have a tough time turning things, don't wait for an emergency. It will cost you money!

Call Today for Service Today...248-888-7777

KITCHEN REFACING SALE

\$3888⁰⁰* Reg Price \$5110⁰⁰

Includes complete refacing of kitchen with a 1/2" or surfaces covered. 16 new doors 5 drawer fronts all new moldings hardware trim hinges labor materials & taxes. Sale on style #9500 (our most popular). Compare a savings on any size kitchen. Limited time offer.

cabinet clinic

FREE ESTIMATES
West 734-421-3151
North/East 586-751-1848
www.cabinetclinic.com

56th Annual Goodwill Antiques Show
TO BENEFIT GOODWILL 2003
INDUSTRIES OF GREATER DETROIT

Shotwell-Gustafson Pavilion
Oakland University • Rochester
Adams Road, between Avon & Walton Roads

Friday, November 7th
Noon to 9:00 pm

Saturday, November 8th
11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Sunday, November 9th
11:00 am to 5:00 pm

Show admission: \$10
FREE Parking • Shuttle Service

*Jazz-tique - Friday, November 7. Join us for a smooth evening of wine, cheese, jazz & antiques

*Boutique, pantry, and Goodwill booth items including restored & revitalized furniture & collectibles

• Gala Preview: Thursday, November 6th - 7:00 to 10:00 pm. Call for ticket information

Information: (248) 375-1493 or www.goodwilldetroit.com
Presented by **Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit**
The Junior Group of Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit

6TH ANNUAL McLaughlin's SUPER SCARY SAVINGS EVENT

Now thru Monday November 3rd...

TAKE AN ADDITIONAL 10% OFF ALL CLEARANCE FLOOR SAMPLE ITEMS.

OVER 1/2 OFF ON MANY ITEMS!

DISCOUNTS OFF REG. PREVIOUS SALES EXCLUDED. SOME ITEMS SOLD IN SETS ONLY.

FREE Dining Room Chair
Buy any Thomasville table and 4 chairs and receive a free arm or side chair. See store for details.

50% OFF ALL THOMASVILLE BEDS
Any size, includes Bogart collection and Thomasville's newest collection, Attache.

NO PAYMENTS, NO INTEREST TIL 2005
On any Thomasville purchase of \$2,500 or more. Excludes clearance items.

For exclusively Thomasville, **McLaughlin's Thomasville**
HOME FURNISHINGS OF NOVI
42200 Grand River, Novi • 248-344-2551

For Thomasville and other fine collections, **McLaughlin's of Southgate**
HOME FURNISHING DESIGNS
14405 Dix, Southgate • 734-285-5454

TAKE 1/2 OFF THE LOWEST PRICE YOU FIND ON ALL CLEARANCE ACCESSORIES!
DISCOUNTS OFF REG. PREVIOUS SALES EXCLUDED. SOME ITEMS SOLD IN SETS ONLY.

\$899 SOFAS
5 SOFA FRAMES AND HUNDREDS OF FABRICS TO CREATE A SOFA, CHAIR OR OTTOMAN THAT'S UNIQUELY YOURS.

1/2 OFF ALL
LEXINGTON, SHERRILL & NICHOLS & STONE FLOOR SAMPLES.

CANADEL • Sligh • HEKMAN • HOOKER • BARCA • LUNGER • The Custom Shopper
HABERSHAM • SALOOM • BRADINGTON • YOUNG • Stanley • HOWARD • MILLER • Thomasville • HENREDON
WINNERS • LEXINGTON • SHERRILL • ISENHOUR • Durham • NICHOLS & STONE • SMITH BROTHERS

Your Invitation To Worship

Mail Copy To:
Observer & Eccentric Newspapers
36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150
Or Fax: (734) 953-2232

For Church Page Changes And Information Regarding Advertising In
This Directory, Please Call: Jean Etherington (734) 953-2160
THE FRIDAY BEFORE PUBLICATION

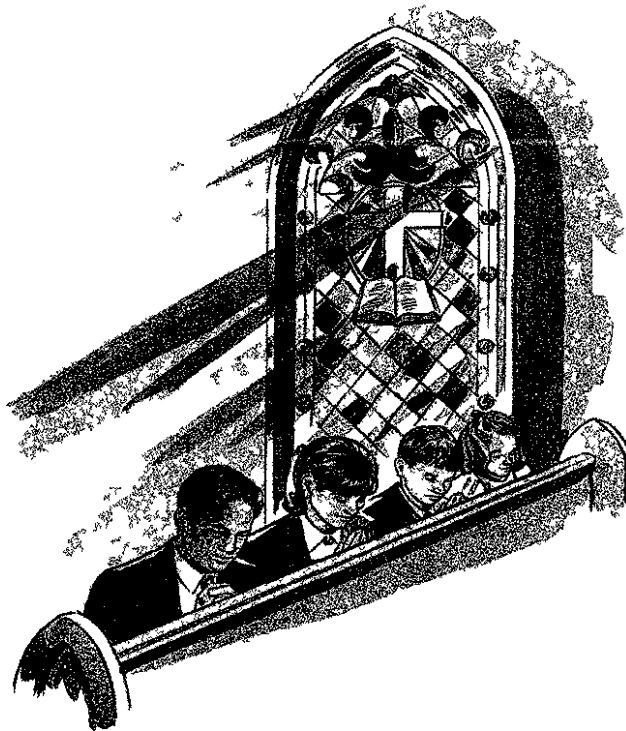
ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

You Are Welcome At Tri-City Christian Center

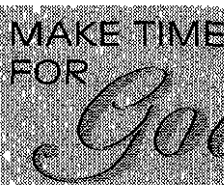
3855 Sheldon Rd Canton (Just N of Michigan Ave)
734-397-1777 • www.Tri-City-Christian.org

Come Join Us

Worship Service & Children's Ministries Sunday 9:00am & 11:00am
Youth Service Tuesday 7pm
Family Night Wednesday 7:00pm



BAPTIST



FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
of PLYMOUTH
41233 Ann Arbor Trail • Plymouth Twp MI
Berean Bible Class 10:00am
Sunday Morning Worship 11:00am
Sunday Evening Worship 8:30pm
Pastor John H. Cox • 734-455-5860
No Law but Love. No Creed but Christ. No book but the Bible!

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH

33640 Michigan Ave • Wayne MI
(Between Wayne Rd & Merriman Rd)

(734) 728-2180
Virgil Humes, Pastor



Saturday Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Worship 7:45 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. • Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Praise Service 6:00 p.m. • Wednesday Children, Youth and Adult Bible Study 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Pastor David Washington
and The CCF Family would
like to invite you to

Canton Christian Fellowship

"Where the Word is Relevant,
People are Loved and Christ is the Key"

Join us for Worship Service at 10:30am
Sunday School and/or New Members Orientation 9:00am
Located at 6500 N Wayne Rd • Westland, MI
Between Ford Road and Warren Road
Inside Good Shepherd Church
734-721-9322

It's not about Religion, it's about Relationships
Come to a place where lives are changed, families are made whole and ministry is real

CATHOLIC

ST-ANNE'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
Traditional Latin Mass
St Anne's Academy - Grades K-8
23310 Joy Road • Redford Michigan
5 Blocks E of Telegraph • (313) 534-2121
Mass Schedule

First Fri 7:00 p.m.
First Sat 9:30 a.m.
Sun. Masses 7:30 & 9:30 a.m.
Confessions Heard Prior to Each Mass
Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions
Tuesdays at 7:00 P.M.

**ST GENEVIEVE ROMAN
CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL**
29015 Jamison Ave • Livonia
East of Middlebelt between 5 Mile & Schoolcraft Rds
MASS Mon Wed Thurs Fri 9:00 a.m.
Tues 7:00 p.m. • Sat 5:00 p.m.
Sun 8:30 & 10:00 a.m. & 12:00 noon
Confessions Sat 3:00-4:00 p.m.
734-427-5220

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

First Church of Christ Scientist, Plymouth
1100 W Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, MI
734-453-0970
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.
Wed Evening Testimony Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Reading Room 550 South Main
Monday Saturday 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
734-453-1676

RESURRECTION CATHOLIC CHURCH
48755 Warren Rd Canton Michigan 48187
451-0444
REV RICHARD A PERFETTO
Weekday Masses
Tuesday & Friday 8:30 a.m.
Saturday - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.



CHURCHES OF THE NAZARENE

**PLYMOUTH CHURCH
OF THE NAZARENE**
48801 W Ann Arbor Road • (734) 453-1525
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening 8:00 P.M.
Family Night Wed 7:00 P.M.
NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN 455-3196

CONGREGATIONAL

**Mt. Hope
Congregational Church**
30330 Schoolcraft Livonia • 734 425 7280
(Between Middlebelt & Merriman)
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Nursery Care Available
"The Church You've Always Longed For"

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

NATIVITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
9435 Henry Ruff at West Chicago
Livonia 48150 • 421-5406
Rev. Larry Hoxey Pastor
10:30 a.m. Worship
Service
and Youth Classes
Nursery Care Available
WELCOME

BELL CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH

Casual, Contemporary,
Excellent Children's
Program
Meets at Franklin H.S. in
Livonia on Joy Road
(Between Merriman and Middlebelt Roads)
at 10:00 a.m.
734 425 1174
Join us for coffee, bagels and
donuts after the service!

LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church

Rev. Luther A. Werth Senior Pastor
Rev. Robert Bayer Assistant Pastor
With Jesus Christ love really can be all it was meant to be!
Sunday Worship 8:30 am & 11:00 am
Sunday School at 9:45 am
Staffed Nursery for young children every Sunday
734-522-6830
Early Childhood Center
Register now for Fall child care and preschool (734-513-8413)
Location
14175 Farmington Road
(just north of I 96)
www.christsaviors.org

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSOURI SYNOD

29630 GRAND RIVER at BEECH DALY
313-532-2266 REDFORD TWP
Worship Service
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Sunday School
9:15 & 11:00 A.M.
Nursery Provided
The Rev. Timothy P. Halboth Senior Pastor
The Rev. Dr. Victor F. Halboth Assistant Pastor

HOSANNA-TABOR LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL

9600 Lovern • So. Redford • 313 937 2424
Rev. Steve Eggers
Sunday Morning Worship
10:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Class 9:00 a.m.
Christ an. School
P & Kindergarten 8th Grade
For more info visit on call
313 937 2233

Risen Christ Lutheran

46250 Ann Arbor Road
(1 Mile West of Sheldon)
Plymouth • 453 5252
8:15 a.m. -Worship
9:30 a.m. -Sunday School
(Adults & Children)
10:45 a.m. -Worship
Pastor David Martin

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN Church & School

5885 Venoy
1 Blk N of Ford Rd Westland 425 0260
Divine Worship 8 & 11:00 A.M.
Bible Class & SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.
Monday Evening Service 7:00 P.M.
Kurt E. Lambert Pastor
Richard Schumacher Principal/Youth Director

SALEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

32430 Ann Arbor Trail • Westland MI
734 422-8550
Sunday Bible Study 9am
Sunday Worship Service 10am
Rev. David W. Zouschner, Pastor

Grace Lutheran Church

46001 Warren Road • just west of Canton Center
Sunday Worship at 9:30 am
Sunday School at 10:45 am
734-414-7422
Our mission at Grace Lutheran is to make disciples and send out disciples who share Christ with all people

UNITED METHODIST

"Building Healthy Families..."

9:00 and 11:00 a.m.
Worship Service
•Dynamic Youth and Children's Programs
•Adult Education
•Child Care Provided
Pastors
Dr. Dean Klump Rev. Deborah Thomas
First United Methodist Church
of Plymouth
45201 North Territorial Road
(West of Sheldon Road)
(734) 453-5280

Clarenceville United Methodist

20300 Middlebelt Rd • Livonia
474 3444
Pastor James E. Britt
Worship Services 8:45 & 11:15 AM
Sunday Eve Bible Study 6:00 PM
Nursery Provided
Sunday School 10 AM

ST. MATTHEW'S UNITED METHODIST

30900 Six Mile Rd (Bet Merriman & Middlebelt)
474 3444
Rev. Mary Margaret Eckhardt, Pastor
10:00 A.M. Worship &
Church School
www.gbgrumc.org/stmatthews
Nurse y provided • 734-422-6038

Catch the Spirit of

Midwest
United Methodist Church
10000 Beech Daley Redford
Between Plymouth and W. Chicago
Bob & Diana Goudle Co Pastors
313-937-3170

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m.
Small and Cozy Worship
9:30 a.m. Worship Geared Toward
Families With Children
11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship
Handicap Accessible

The Great Commandment

Mark 12: 28-34

NEWBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Stephen Ministry Congregation
36500 Ann Arbor Trail
between Wayne & Newburgh Rds
734-422-0149
Worship Service
and
Sunday School
9:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Rev. Terry W. Allen
Rev. Barbara E. Weilbaum
visit our website www.newburgumc.org



LUTHERAN CHURCH WISCONSIN SYNOD

ST PAUL'S EV LUTHERAN Church & School

17810 Farmington Road • Livonia • (734) 261 1380
May thru October • Monday Night Service • 7:00 p.m.
Sunday Worship
Services
8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
Pastor James Hoff
Pastor Eric
Steinbrenner

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN AMERICA

Timothy Lutheran Church

8820 Wayne Rd
(Between Ann Arbor Trail & Joy Road)
Livonia • 427-2290
Sandra Daily, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Sunday School (all ages)
10:00 a.m. Family Worship (Nursery Avail.)
http://www.timothyivonia.com

PRESBYTERIAN (U.S.A.)

ST. TIMOTHY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, USA

16700 Newburgh Road Livonia • (734) 464-8844
Sunday School for all ages 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m.
http://www.STTimothyPCUSA.org
Rev. Janet Noble Richardson Pastor

GENEVA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

5835 She don Rd, Canton
(734) 459 0013
Sunday Worship & Sunday School
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
July & August 10:00 a.m.
Education For All Ages
Childcare Provided • Handicapped Accessible
Resources for Home and Nightly Prayer
www.genevachurch.org

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church (USA)

9801 Hubbard at W. Chicago Livonia MI
(between Merriman & Farmington Rds.)
(734) 422-0494

Contemporary Service
9:00 am
Traditional Service
10:30 am
Nursery Care Provided

We Welcome You To A
Full Program Church
Rev. Richard Peters Pastor
Rev. Kellie Bohman Associate Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Main & Church • (734) 453 6464
PLYMOUTH
WORSHIP SERVICES
8:30, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.
Dr. James Skimins Rev. Richard Jones
Senior Minister Associate Minister
Accessible to All Rev. Mary Jean Bird
Associate Minister

NON-DENOMINATIONAL

EPISCOPAL

ST ANDREW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

16360 Hubbard Road
Livonia Michigan 48154
421-8451
Wednesday 9:30 A.M.
Wed (Sept-May) 6:00 P.M.
Saturday 5:00 P.M.
Sunday 7:45 & 10:00 A.M.
Sun (Sept-May) 10:00 A.M.
Sunday Morning Nursery Care Available
www.standrewschurch.net
The Rev. C. Allen Karpnapp Rector

Say A Prayer Today

EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN

WARD Evangelical Presbyterian Church

4000 Six Mile Road
"just west of I 275"
Northville, MI
248-374-7400
Dr. James N. McGuire, Pastor
Traditional Worship and
Sunday School
7:55, 10:15, 11:30 A.M.
Contemporary Worship
9:05 A.M.
Nursery Provided During All
Morning Worship Services
Evening Service • 7:00 P.M.
Services Broadcast 11:00 A.M. Sunday
WMUZ 560 AM

EVANGELICAL COVENANT

FAITH COVENANT CHURCH

14 Mile Road and Drake Farmington Hills
(248) 661-9191
Sunday Worship
and Children's Church
9:15 a.m. Contemporary
11:00 a.m. Traditional
Child Care provided for all services
Youth Groups • Adult Small Groups

CHURCHES OF THE NAZARENE

**PLYMOUTH CHURCH
OF THE NAZARENE**
48801 W Ann Arbor Road • (734) 453-1525
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.
Sunday Worship 11:00 A.M.
Sunday Evening 8:00 P.M.
Family Night Wed 7:00 P.M.
NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN 455-3196

CONGREGATIONAL

**Mt. Hope
Congregational Church**
30330 Schoolcraft Livonia • 734 425 7280
(Between Middlebelt & Merriman)
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Nursery Care Available
"The Church You've Always Longed For"

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

NATIVITY UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
9435 Henry Ruff at West Chicago
Livonia 48150 • 421-5406
Rev. Larry Hoxey Pastor
10:30 a.m. Worship
Service
and Youth Classes
Nursery Care Available
WELCOME

BELL CREEK COMMUNITY CHURCH

Casual, Contemporary,
Excellent Children's
Program
Meets at Franklin H.S. in
Livonia on Joy Road
(Between Merriman and Middlebelt Roads)
at 10:00 a.m.
734 425 1174
Join us for coffee, bagels and
donuts after the service!

EVANGELICAL COVENANT

FAITH COVENANT CHURCH

14 Mile Road and Drake Farmington Hills
(248) 661-9191
Sunday Worship
and Children's Church
9:15 a.m. Contemporary
11:00 a.m. Traditional
Child Care provided for all services
Youth Groups • Adult Small Groups



A Simple Prayer....

Perhaps the simplest and most fitting prayer is the prayer of thanksgiving, which says, "Thank you, God." There really isn't any need to elaborate on this prayer, at least not for God's sake, because He certainly knows what we have in mind when we thank Him. But for our sakes, to be mindful of all the things we should be thankful for, we may choose to mention the blessings that God has given us. Saying "Thank you God for this food" is a perfectly acceptable way to say grace, and if we are sharing food with family or friends, we might thank Him also for those special people. Starting each day with a prayer is a good way to greet the new day, and what could be easier than saying "Thank you God, for this day as we get out of bed." It is also important to thank God for the loving and supportive people around us, including family and friends that make our lives complete. Think how empty our lives would be without our loved ones, and we will undoubtedly be thankful. Finally, it is worth remembering that our very lives are a gracious gift from God. Thank you God, for creating me, and for creating me as me!

We give thanks to God always for you all, constantly mentioning you in our prayers R S V 1 Thessalonians 1:2

Get a move on moving furniture

(MS) - One of the fastest ways to give a room a makeover, apart from painting or wallpapering, is to rearrange furniture. By simply switching around your sofa, loveseat and entertainment center, you'll find the room can take on a completely new look.

However, unless your family comes fully equipped with several moving professionals, moving furniture can be a backbreaking job.

So how to do your revamp your room without ending up in the chiropractor's office? Here are some ways to achieve success without the pain.

■ Sketch it out
Professional decorators often make quick outline sketches of their ideas on paper. They also do some of their work on graph paper, which makes it easy to map out the square footage of a room and then

compare it in relation to the squares of the graph paper. Each square on the paper represents one foot. For example, a 2-foot-by-2-foot overstuffed chair on the graph paper would be two blocks wide by two blocks high. Label the shapes for what item of furniture or decorative item (like a rug) each is representing.

■ Go high-tech
Browse through the software aisle of your local computer store or office supply store and you should find several programs geared toward interior and exterior design.

With these programs, you enter in the measurements of your room and furniture and then you can move around each item on the screen until you're happy with the placement. Some of these programs also offer a 3-D virtual walk-through tour, where you can get a "humans' eye view" of

just what the room looks like

■ Comparison shop
If you live in a housing development, which are popular in suburban America, many of the houses in the development are the same model. See what your neighbors have done with the room you're looking to change, so you can get an idea of what works and what doesn't.

■ Smooth sailing
If you're a hands-on type of person and believe moving around the actual furniture is the only way to get an accurate view of your new design plan, invest in tools that will make the job easier. New "as seen on TV" disks that are coated with ultra-slippery silicon can be placed under your furniture legs, making it easy to slide around cumbersome items. Plus, the disks won't snag on your carpet, preventing further headaches.

Update any room with metallic stripes

(MS) - Looking for a simple way to add style and elegance to your home's décor? Try stripes! Go bold or "barely there" - vertical or horizontal. Painting stripes is easier than you think - and with new water-base metallic paints like those in Modern Masters Metallic Paint Collection, you can turn an ordinary room into extraordinary. Follow these simple steps to transform your living room, dining room, bedroom - any room in your home - with this easy, elegant look.

Step 1 Decide on a base color. You can create a bold look for your living room with a deep rich color, like Hunter Green or Sashay Red. Liven up a dining room with Tequila Gold, or create a calm bedroom retreat with

Shimmering Sky from the Metallic Paint Collection. It's up to you. But remember, before you apply the base coat, prepare and seal the surface with a high quality primer like Bulls Eye 1-2-3 Primer-Sealer. Your paint will spread further and last longer.

Step 2 After the paint is dry, measure the desired width between stripes and apply painter's tape the entire length of the stripe to create a smooth painting edge. Design tip: Choose the right size stripe for your room. Narrow stripes tend to get lost in large rooms, while wide stripes are out of proportion in smaller rooms. Vertical stripes will create the illusion of height. Horizontal stripes will make narrow rooms seem wider.

Step 3 Apply a different

color to designated stripe areas with a Whizz roller, removing painter's tape as you go to prevent paint from seeping under tape. Choose a contrasting color from the Metallic Paint Collection to create drama. There are 35 precious metal and designer colors - like Blackened Bronze, Copper Penny, Plum and Cranberry Mist - that can add style and elegance to any room. Or, add a touch of shimmer with one of the five sheer translucent paints in the Metallic Paint Collection, like Pearl White and Flash Blue.

To learn more about decorating with metallic paints and other finishes, visit www.modernmastersinc.com or call Modern Masters at (800) 942-3166.



Disney ON ICE

PRODUCED BY FELD ENTERTAINMENT

3 Jungle Adventures

JUNGLE WORD SEARCH PARTY!

Can you find the names of the Disney characters in the jungle puzzle?

T K I N G L O U I E S T A
N H X R O R A F I K I Z R
G K E F A R S A L N M D E
N A E J U N G L E P B A E
I S E R U T N E V D A N H
K B R Z A N K V L O M N A G
N H K C T A N G L E K G A C H
O P J T T A G L E I E K B W T H
I U A M M I N N I E A B W S J
L M N M O O L A C H O S I
E B E L O T N E K C I M O J
H A Z A N Y R Q R L T U R K

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adventure Baloo Bagheera Jane Jungle King Louie Mickey Minnie 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mowgli Pumbaa Rafiki Simba Tantor Tarzan™ Timon Turk
--	---

NOV. 12 - 16

HERE'S HOW TO WIN:
Win tickets to see Disney On Ice presents 3 Jungle Adventures-Disney's The Jungle Book Tarzan™ and The Lion King! Find all the hidden words above then send your completed game sheet to:

The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Disney on Ice Contest
36151 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

Ten Lucky Families will win 4 packs to Opening Day

WORD SEARCH GAME

PARENT'S NAME _____ CHILD'S NAME _____ AGE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

DAY PHONE _____ E-MAIL _____


No I do not want to receive advance notice of special offers to shows coming to my area.

www.disneyonice.com

Wesley Berry Flowers THE Observer & Eccentric

Congratulates the Feature Teacher for October 2003

Each teacher will receive a dozen roses and 4 movie passes courtesy of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Wesley Berry Florist and Star Theaters.



— Lars Covintree —

Teacher, coach and role model best describe Lars Covintree a physical education teacher at Pine Knob Elementary School in Clarkston that's why he's one of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Feature Teachers for the Month of October.

Covintree had just finished heading up a successful can and bottle drive that raised \$3,000 to purchase and install a rock climbing wall in the gym last spring when his wife, Laura Covintree, nominated him for the award.

There are so many things that come to mind when you think of that one special teacher who made your education experience something special, wrote Laura. Unfortunately I never thanked my teachers for all the hard work and dedication that they invested in my education. That is why I write regarding Lars.

Lars has been a teacher for the last eight years and looks at physical education as way not only to stay fit but to build self-esteem and enhance life, stated Laura.

Lars spends the school year teaching his elementary class not only life sports (tennis, volleyball, bowling, golf and many more) but he also tries to make it fun for each child no matter their skill level.

In Lars class it does not matter if you are the jock or the spectator, he makes the class and activity fun.

Lars has, over the years, built a portable golf course and bowling alley in addition to the rock climbing wall.

He spent many hours last summer painting a map of the United States on the wall to teach his students about the states. He does this by asking the children to place team logos on the corresponding states and even asks the older children to figure the time it will take the teams to travel from state to state. And as a way of promoting higher education, he wears sweatshirts and t-shirts from colleges (from big to small) from all over the world.

Lars is dedicated to giving young athletes the foundation to become stronger and smarter as they grow and develop wrote Laura.


Lars Covintree is a dedicated and caring teacher and The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers salutes him as a Feature Teacher for October.

Congratulations Lars Covintree of Pine Knob Elementary School in the Clarkston School District.

Wesley Berry Flowers THE Observer & Eccentric

Congratulates the Feature Teacher for October 2003

Each teacher will receive a dozen roses and 4 movie passes courtesy of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Wesley Berry Florist and Star Theaters.



— Dorothy Richie —

My teacher is tops! wrote Kevin Cunningham last spring when with a little help from his mother Rosemary he nominated his former first and second grade teacher Dorothy Richie as an Outstanding Teacher.

The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers thinks Dorothy Richie is just as amazing as Kevin says and recognizes her as an October Feature Teacher.

She taught me how to read and write and I love to read, said Kevin who is now in the third grade at Fisher Elementary School in the South Redford School District.

Mrs. Richie taught Kevin in the first and second grades. That's because Fisher uses what's called a "loop" program which means that this year she's teaching first grade but next year she'll teach the same kids in second grade.

She taught me about famous people, math, spelling, grammar, science and much more.

Mrs. Richie makes learning fun. Sometimes she makes our classroom into a campground. We tell stories, paint t-shirts and make s'mores. We learned how to use a computer. She expects us to do our best and we do, wrote Kevin.

From a parent's point of view Mrs. Richie is the best says Kevin's mom Rosemary Cunningham. She is extremely concerned about every child's well being and academic progress. She doesn't hesitate to contact parents even after hours, on her own time or during summer vacation.

Mrs. Richie wrote a letter to each child about her vacation and asked about their vacation. She sent invitations to the entire class to join her for lunch at McDonald's during summer vacation. She has made the learning experience memorial. She instills self-confidence and the will to achieve excellence. Every week, she sends home a summary what the class has accomplished and what will be covered next, wrote Rosemary Cunningham.

Dorothy or Dotie as she's known by her colleagues in South Redford has worked as a teacher in the district for 20 years. Prior to being hired she helped South Redford Schools develop their preschool program at both Fisher and Vandenberg.

Congratulations to Dorothy Dotie Richie, one of O&E's Outstanding Teachers for October.

Goldner Walsh celebrates 50 years in business

A 100 year drought - with no water supply when the well went dry that year - followed by a very rainy season didn't deter Tim Travis and Jim Slezinski.

In 1988 the two men purchased Goldner Walsh Nursery from Al Goldner, who ran the business for 34 years. Today Travis is president of the nursery, and Slezinski is vice president, a landscape horticulturist and designer.

Lots of exciting things have been happening this year as they celebrate and continue to celebrate the nursery's Golden Anniversary. You are invited to stop in and walk through the quiet greenhouses and enjoy the peaceful place and see the variety of plants they carry.

STARTING OUT

Alfred H. Goldner and his wife, Jean Walsh Goldner, started this landscape design and nursery on 7/8th of an acre in what was once a cornfield on the corner of 12 Mile and Southfield roads in 1953. In 1980 they moved the business to its present location at 559 Orchard Lake Road in Pontiac.

Al, a native Detroit, was educated in Dearborn, graduated from Michigan State University with a degree in floriculture and attended Ohio State University doing graduate work.

His first job in the horticulture business was to manage Regner's Nursery in Dearborn. He was then hired by the J. L. Hudson store in Detroit as the garden buyer. This unique garden 'store' was out of doors, seasonally, on one of the roofs of the building.

"Al learned a lot during the time he worked for the Hudsons," Jean said. "I ran the office and my mother helped with the two children. I couldn't have done it without her. We had a wonderful opening in this area because we specialized in unusual things such as espalier trees, azaleas and rhododendrons."

"Many other nurseries didn't grow them, so this helped build up the business. At one point we grew espalier trees in Howell."

She adds that they are



Garden Spot

Marty Figley

pleased Travis and Slezinski have carried on the name and tradition of the nursery. "They are a credit to the community," Jean said.

Al brought innovation to the new business with personal service, and introduced the concept of using exotic plant materials into the landscape design, such as those mentioned above. Goldner also included Japanese maples, hollies, dwarf conifers, and espalier apple and pear trees. He chose daylilies, Hemerocallis, to breed and propagate and continued with this endeavor at his home for 35 years.

Goldner traveled extensively visiting gardens throughout the world, thus inspiring ideas from other countries into his landscape designs.

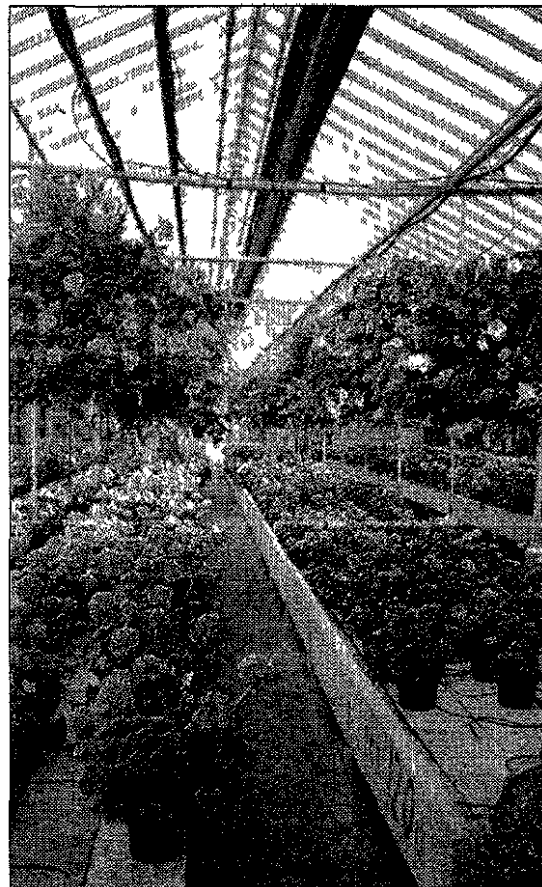
He looked for plants he could carry in his nursery. He introduced the Dawn Redwood, Metasequoia Glyptostroboides, considered at first to be a "fossil" tree until it was rediscovered in China in 1948. The tree was first sent to the National Arboretum for evaluation. Al received a propagated small tree in 1955 and planted it at his home where it majestically stands today.

And the years sped by. In the 1970s, Goldner's commercial landscapes included annuals (a new innovation at that time), Groundcover and perennial plants were also his trademark in the plans. He was also interested in residential architecture, especially the contemporary homes that were popular in the 1960s and '70s and his landscapes complemented the style of the homes.

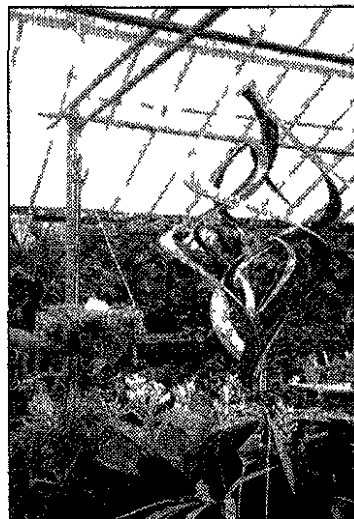
Goldner enjoyed seeing his landscapes continue to grow and flourish as he revisited them. He believed a picture-perfect landscape planting should last for many generations and could be manipulated through correct pruning and judicious maintenance even if the garden was several



Tim Travis and Jim Slezinski, owners of Goldner Walsh Nursery, enjoyed horticulture at young ages and studied it in college.



The greenhouses are overflowing with a variety of plants.



Here is one of the pieces of garden art at the nursery.

years old. It was a pleasure for him to visit the sites. Goldner once told a customer, that although the resident was paying for Al's landscape services, in reality he was paying for Al's pleasure in life, which was his love of the landscape.

His landscapes live on not

only at residences but in public places such as the former Detroit Bank & Trust buildings (now Comerica), Kirk-in-the-Hills, Congregational Church in Birmingham, the Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island, Cranbrook Gardens, Meadow Brook Hall, and the Bloomfield Township Library.

AN EARLY START

Travis said he knew the moment he walked in the store. "I would some day own it and told Al this that day," Travis said.

"I have always been interested in horticulture, since the second grade and I began working at GW when it was at the first location," Travis said. "At first I did everything from changing oil in the truck to selling trees. I was buying stock and created my own position."

Travis describes himself as "self-taught" and experienced a lot of personal growth at that

time. "I graduated from MSU in business/horticulture and became full time operations manager at GW," Travis said. "My career has worked out and continues to evolve, the business never stopped growing." "A neighbor took me to meet Jim. There was a natural spirit about the place and it was a right fit for me. Even though Al retired, GW was a business that has not retired. Al has done so much for our industry."

"This thriving business gives much back to the community

At this time it is involved in 60 charities," Travis said.

Jim Slezinski joined GW in 1973 as manager of the developing garden center.

"As a never ending student of landscape horticulture and design, the past 31 years were a growing experience (pardon the pun) for me at GWN," Slezinski said. Besides the influence of Dr. Harold Davidson, who is now retired and once taught horticulture to Slezinski while he was in graduate school at Michigan State University, Slezinski is grateful for the "hands-on" education under the "guiding wing" of Alfred Goldner for 16 years. "He was a real pioneer in the field of landscape design and ornamental plants in metro Detroit," Slezinski said.

Slezinski expects to continue on "in this wonderful profession of plants and how they relate to people in their daily life, bringing new and exciting ornamental plants and design ideas" at Goldner Walsh.

Al Goldner's "shingle" on the store reads "To Get the best Plants for any Garden, Goldner-Walsh Inc. 29185 Telegraph Road, Southfield. Plant Material from the country's best growers' EL-6, 1484." This historic sign still hangs at Goldner Walsh Nursery's current location.

It still reads true today. Jean and Al are presently enjoying retirement at their home.

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

BEST INVESTMENT WE EVER MADE

We hear that a lot. Lennox High Efficiency Furnaces save you money, sometimes as much as 40% over your old furnace.

CALL TODAY & START SAVING!
 248-489-8180 313-537-8111

Airtronic Heating & Cooling **FREE ESTIMATES**
LENNOX

HOLIDAY HAPPENING CRAFT SHOW

SATURDAY NOVEMBER 1, 2003
 10:00 AM to 4:30 PM
 Admission \$2.00

LIVONIA STEVENSON HIGH SCHOOL
 33500 W. SIX MILE ROAD
 Approximately 2 miles east of I-275

Approximately 150 crafters
 Concessions available
 Strollers welcome

The Place For The Best Toys

Featuring The Full Line Of Quality Toys From:

Ryan's Room **Small World Toys**

where imagination comes to play

SAVE 15% THRU SATURDAY
 See In-Store For Details.

The Doll Hospital & Toy Soldier Shop 3947 W 12 Mile Berkley • 248-543-3115
 Mon Wed 10-5:30 • Thu 10-8:30 • Fri & Sat 10-5:30

Let Us Entertain You!

Three Piece Oak Deluxe Wall Unit

- Fits 27" TV
- Four adjustable shelves
- Frosted edge brass glass
- Also available to fit 36", 50" & 60" TV

\$899.88

Laurel FURNITURE, INC. **CLOCK SERVICE & REPAIR**
 All Makes & Models

584 W. ANN ARBOR TRAIL • PLYMOUTH
 (734) 453-4700
 OPEN DAILY 9:30-6, THURS.-FRI. 'til 9, SAT. 'til 5:30

Low-Rate Home Equity Line of Credit

So that's what it's like to actually pay off your credit card bills.

3.25% APR*
 Credit Lines of \$250,000 to \$500,000

3.50% APR*
 Credit Lines of \$100,000 to \$249,999

4.00% APR*
 Credit Lines of \$25,000 to \$99,999

Now it's possible to consolidate high-interest credit card debt into easy monthly payments. From out of town vacationing to holiday shopping, credit card bills can grow pretty hefty in the fall. Take the burden off your budget and put the bounce back in your step with Standard Federal's Home Equity Line of Credit. With some of the lowest rates around, it allows you to consolidate high interest debt into budget friendly payments. Plus, it features no closing costs* and lets you give yourself a low interest loan anytime. So discover all that's possible with our Home Equity Line of Credit. Stop by any Standard Federal branch, visit standardfederalbank.com or call (877) 732-8240.

True Possibility **Standard Federal Bank**
 ABN AMRO

Member FDIC
 ©2003 Standard Federal Bank NA

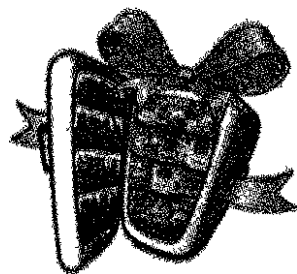
*The Annual Percentage Rates (APRs) on Standard Federal Bank's Home Equity Lines of Credit are tied to Prime. Prime is the highest Prime Rate as published in the "Money Rates" section of The Wall Street Journal on the last publishing day of the calendar month immediately preceding the billing cycle. The margin tied to Prime varies and depends on the approved credit line amount and product. On September 30, 2003, Prime was 4.00% and the APR on Standard Federal Bank's Home Equity Line of Credit products varied between 3.25% and 7.00%. Prime is a variable rate as it changes the APR on your account will change. The maximum APR is 21%. A balloon payment will result at the end of the ten year draw period. The Home Equity Lines are limited to owner occupied 1-4 family principal residences and are subject to no less than a second lien position on your property. You must carry insurance on the property that secures the loan. Flood insurance required if necessary. There is a \$50 annual fee after the first year unless you are a member of Credit Exclusives. Consult your tax advisor concerning the deductibility of interest. Closing costs paid by Standard Federal Bank are limited to appraisal fee, title insurance, flood certification and recording fees. Any additional fees or conditions imposed by the city, state, or county that the subject property is located in will be the borrower's responsibility. The APRs are subject to change without notice.

Side dish

Win a freezer

Are your holidays a cross between last-minute pandemonium and utter chaos? Or have you gotten so wrapped up in the holidays that you literally wrapped up something that you shouldn't have?

If this sounds like you, then Edy's Grand



Ice Cream is inviting you to describe your craziest holiday moment to see if it really does "top 'em all." Five of the nation's most harried hosts and hostesses will win a cool reprieve from the hustle and bustle a freezer stocked with Edy's seasonal flavors.

"A Holiday That Tops 'Em All" contest offers an antidote to the hectic holiday season. Each winner will scoop up a brand new freezer, decked with a big red bow, and loaded with a sweet assortment of Edy's delicious holiday flavors, including Peppermint, Eggnog, Gingerbread Man, Cinnamon Swirl, Vanilla or your favorite Edy's flavor.

Ice cream lovers (16 years and older) who have a holiday story that "tops 'em all" are invited to write and submit a paragraph of 400 words or less describing one of their craziest holiday moments. Entries will be accepted Nov 1 through Dec 10, 2003, and will be judged on originality and creativity.

Rules are available at www.Edys.com. Entries should be sent to A Holiday That Tops 'Em All, Edy's Grand Ice Cream, 5929 College Ave, Oakland, CA 94618.

Open house

From Nov 1 through Dec 31, Weight Watchers invites members of the public into any of its center locations to learn more about facts surrounding the intake of carbohydrates.

In a new booklet, *The Truth About Carbs: Their Role in Healthy, Long-term Weight Loss*, Weight Watchers details ways in which individuals can make informed decisions about carbohydrates.

Visitors will be able to attend one meeting, receive a booklet, recipes from Weight Watchers "Meal Times Made Easy," and a special offer to join at no charge.

For an open house location and meeting times near you, call 1 (888) 3FLORINE or visit www.8883florine.com



Hania Kasmarog (left) baked Iraqi bread and Rosemary Antone created lukhina d Recca

How good it is

Chaldean cookbook serves dual purpose

The Chaldean American Ladies of Charity are on a mission. Determined not to let the recipes of their culture disappear with every passing generation, they are in the final stages of publishing a cookbook — something you don't find in most Chaldean kitchens.

"Most of our recipes come from memory," said Joanne Yono, CALC program coordinator and West Bloomfield resident. "We make things that our mothers and grandmothers taught us to make without following a recipe or even measuring."

MOTIVATION

Motivated by their desire to preserve authentic and traditional dishes that closely mirror Middle Eastern cuisine — but have their own distinct flavor and style of presentation — the Chaldean charity group has collected hundreds of recipes over the last several months.

"We hope to include about 250 recipes," Yono said, "but there will be duplicates of some dishes so that we can show the many different ways families prepare the food with a variety of ingredients. The idea for the cookbook has been so well-received. That's why we had a contest to determine what recipes would make it into publication."

A cooking extravaganza was held Sunday, Sept. 21, at The Community House in downtown Birmingham. Hosted by CALC, whose membership exceeds 500, the day-long event attracted 400 guests who sampled some 65



Wadia Konja (from left), Waffa Konja, Jalila Kainaya and Najiba Shouneyia stand near desserts

Chaldean recipes prepared by their CALC peers.

"The food was so delicious," Yono said. "Everyone left very satisfied, but very full."

Esteemed judges from several well-known restaurants included Chef Louie Sharkas, Chef Keith Fame, Chef Michael Hannah, The Capital Grille, Chef Michael Ganley, The Ritz Carlton, Chef Tark Hannah, Motor City Casino, Chef Tim Voss, Forte, Chef George Khnamsho, The Southfield Manor, General Manager Fadi Abdulnoor, The Southfield Manor, and Doug Levy, food writer.

There were 11 categories in all and awards were presented for the best of show in each category. Three grand prize winners were awarded significant cooking-related prizes, while the other winners received \$100 gift certificate donations.

CALC member Venus Sadek placed second overall with the recipe for tyringe, candied grapefruit peel, and first place in the dessert category for kahi (filo dough stuffed with an orange/rose flavored cream).

A West Bloomfield resident and paraprofessional at Maple

Elementary School, Sadek said she has been a CALC member for approximately 25 years and is pleased to see the group publish a recipe book.

"The new generation is independent and eager to cook, but they don't know any of the recipes because nothing is written down," she said. "They grew up on these dishes and love them. We cook with our eyes, taste and smell, so this book will help the generation that doesn't know how to do that."

FOUNDATION

Middle Eastern cooking with a Chaldean flair was the starting point for the book. Recipes, according to Yono, feature two main spices — curry and baharat.

Baharat includes pungent flavors such as paprika, chiles and black pepper set off by the sweetness found in cloves, cinnamon, nutmeg and coriander.

"One or both of these spices are found in most of our dishes. Lemon is used often and many dishes have vegetables, especially eggplant," Yono said.

PLEASE SEE COOKBOOK, D6

Tough wine market is good for consumers

According to a survey by University of California-Davis wine economist Robert Smiley, low-priced imports and consumers' increasing taste for inexpensive



Focus on Wine

Ray & Eleanor Heald

California wineries, growers, distributors and wine sellers identified three troublesome issues: the difficult retail market, power of chain and club stores (Costco, for one), and the growing market share of inexpensive quality imports.

Wineres are downsizing staff, vineyards are being forced to renegotiate contracts and retailers are offering more promotions.

SUPER VALUE WINES

Winery CEOs indicate that the Charles Shaw wines, nicknamed "three-buck Chuck" for their \$2.99 price at Trader Joe's, have been good for the wine industry.

Super value wines are helping end the surplus of California grapes, drawing consumers to wine and increasing its consumption as an everyday beverage.

"It's been a mixed blessing," Smiley said.

The bad news is that some brands have been hurt. In the UCD survey, only seven percent of wineries indicate they plan to introduce their own super value wine, but 36 percent believe their competitors will.

About 70 percent of retailers reported that consumers are concerned with price and value, while others say customers are asking for a wider selection of wines and more information about wine.

RE-EVALUATIONS

Wineres are focused on re-evaluating their prices, cutting costs, and capturing efficiencies, the survey found.

More than 25 percent of wineries decreased case prices, compared to 18 percent increasing prices.

Looking ahead four or five years, wineries and vineyards expect their strongest sales growth to be in high-end wines, while distributors and sellers are eyeing wines priced between \$3 and \$15.

The California grape surplus, a result of increased plantings in the 1990s, appears to be over, except for Cabernet Sauvignon and Pinot Noir, Smiley noted.

PLEASE SEE WINE, D2

Get into the poultry game with these recipes

As a follow-up to my last article on new and exciting ways to prepare poultry and game, I wanted to share with you some of my favorite recipes.

ROASTED BREAST OF PHEASANT WITH CARAMELIZED APPLES AND A HINT OF CURRY

This recipe also works very well with chicken. Serves four.
4 pheasant breasts
1 1/2 ounces unsalted butter
3 dessert apples, peeled, cored



Michigan's Best

Colin Brown

and diced
1 1/2 ounces sugar
2 teaspoons oil
2 ounces white wine
3 ounces heavy cream
4 tomatoes, skinned, seeded and diced
6 ounces curry sauce (recipe fol-

lows below)
salt and pepper (for seasoning)
Melt 1 ounce of butter, add the apples and fry over high heat for 1 minute. Add the sugar and fry, tossing apples occasionally, until they are golden brown. Season the pheasant breast with salt and pepper.

Heat the oil in another pan, add the remaining butter and, once sizzling, place the breasts skin side down into the pan.

Cook over low heat for about 3 minutes on each side. (Be careful not to over-cook them, pheasant is best if left slightly pink, as it

dries out quickly.) Remove the breasts from the pan and keep warm.

Pour off the excess fat from the pan, add the white wine and reduce until almost none remains.

Add the curry sauce and bring the mixture to a boil. Once boiling, add the cream and reduce slightly. Strain the sauce before serving.

To serve, reheat the apples in a frying pan. Place the breasts in an oven for about 2 minutes to reheat. Place the apples in the

center of the plate with the pheasant breast directly on top, and pour the sauce around it. Garnish with a bouquet of fresh herbs.

CURRY SAUCE

3/4 ounces butter
3 onions, sliced
1 banana, chopped
3 apples, peeled, cored and diced
2 tomatoes, chopped
1/2 ounce Sultanas (or golden raisins)

PLEASE SEE BROWN, D2

BROWN

FROM PAGE D1

- 1/2 ounce coconut
- 4 teaspoons tomato purée
- 2 ounces curry powder
- 3 pints chicken broth

Melt the butter in a saucepan, add the onions, cover and sweat over medium heat until they start to soften

Add the banana and the apples and continue cooking, covered, until they start to soften. Add the tomatoes and continue to cook until they too soften. Add the sultanas and coconut and cook for one minute

Stir in the tomato purée, reduce the heat slightly and cook

for two to three minutes, stirring occasionally

Gradually add the stock and bring to a boil

At this point, either reduce the heat as far as possible and cook on the stove for about two hours, or, as I prefer to do, cook in the oven at 350° F for two hours

Once cooked, press the sauce through a strainer

The sauce will keep for several days refrigerated. Be sure and keep covered, as it will quickly affect other foods in its vicinity

ESCALOPES OF TURKEY WITH THYME AND TOMATO

An escalope (or "scallop") is a very thin, usually flattened, slice of meat or fish. This is a very simple but effective dish, which takes very little time to

prepare and cook. If you have no fresh thyme, any other fresh herb will do, try basil, chives or even mint. Serves four

- 8 turkey escalopes about 3 ounces each
- salt and freshly ground white pepper
- 2 teaspoons oil
- 3 1/2 ounces cold unsalted butter, diced
- 2 ounces white wine
- 8 ounces chicken broth
- Juice of 1/2 lemon
- 1/2 teaspoon Dijon mustard
- 1 shallot, finely chopped
- 1 1/2 teaspoons fresh thyme
- 2 tomatoes, blanched, peeled, seeded and diced
- 3 fluid ounces heavy cream
- 4 sprigs of fresh thyme (for garnish)

Lightly season the turkey escalopes with salt and pepper

Heat the oil and 1/2 ounce of butter in a frying pan until sizzling

Sauté the escalopes for about

1-1/2 minutes on each side. Remove them from the pan and keep warm

Pour off the fat, add the white wine and reduce until almost none remains. Pour in the chicken stock and lemon juice, then add the mustard. Bring to the boil and reduce until only 3 fluid ounces remain

To serve, place the turkey in the oven to reheat for about 2 minutes. Add the chopped shallots and the thyme to the reduced stock. Place the pan over a low heat and gradually whisk in the cold butter, piece by piece, until it has melted. Add the diced tomatoes and stir in the heavy cream. Spoon the sauce over the turkey and garnish with fresh thyme sprigs

BREAST OF GUINEA FOWL WITH LENTILS

This recipe also works well with quail, chicken or even duck. Serves four

- 4 Guinea fowl breasts
- Salt and freshly ground white

- pepper
- 2 teaspoons oil
- 1/4 ounces unsalted butter
- 2 ounces bacon, diced
- 4 ounces white wine
- 12 ounces chicken broth
- 2 ounces red lentils, washed twice in cold water
- 1 teaspoon fresh thyme leaves
- 1 tomato, blanched, peeled, seeded and diced
- 4 sprigs of fresh thyme

Lightly season the guinea fowl breasts with salt and pepper

Heat the oil in a saucepan, add the butter and sauté the breasts, skin side down first, for about 5 minutes on each side, until they are browned lightly. Remove from the pan and keep warm. Pour off the excess fat from the pan and quickly fry the bacon in the pan until golden brown

Add the white wine and reduce over high heat until almost none remains

Add the chicken broth and bring to the boil

Add the lentils to the boiling stock and simmer for about 15 minutes. Add the thyme leaves for the last 2 minutes

To serve, reheat the breasts in the oven for about 2 minutes. Add the diced tomatoes to the sauce and spoon onto the plates. Cut the breasts in half lengthways, but leave joined at one end. Fan each breast and place in the center of each plate. Top each breast with a fresh sprig of thyme

Chef Colin Brown is executive chef of The Townsend Hotel in Birmingham. Brown studied culinary arts at the Glasgow College of Food Technology and has won an array of awards including the Scottish Chef of the Year and was a member of the Scottish Culinary Olympic team, which won seven gold medals, six silver medals and four bronze medals in Frankfurt. Married and the father of four children, Brown and his family reside in Auburn Hills. Look for his column in Taste on the last Thursday of the month. He welcomes comments and questions from readers. You can e-mail him at chef@townsendhotel.com

Mike's Marketplace
 38000 Ann Arbor Rd. Livonia
 (734) 464-0330
 Your Meat & Deli Supermarket

OPEN MON-SAT 9-9
SUN 9-7

Don't Miss These Great Specials at Mike's
 Now thru Sunday, Nov 9th

"Wow"
 Fresh Ground Beef **GROUND CHUCK** Only **\$1.39** lb.
 Family Pack

Fresh Oven Ready **STUFFED ROASTING CHICKEN** Only **99¢** lb.

Great Price!
 Rolled • Boneless **PORK BUTT ROAST** Only **\$1.19** lb.

It's for Dinner!
 Tender Beef or Chicken **BONELESS SRIR-FRY** Only **\$2.98** lb.

Lean • Small Pork **BAR • B • Q SPARE RIBS** Only **\$1.88** lb.

Fresh Catch of the Week!
 Fresh • Atlantic **SALMON FILLETS** Only **\$4.99** lb.

Miller's Fresh Amish
WHOLE FRYING CHICKEN,
WHOLE CUT-UP FRYERS,
FRESH CHICKEN THIGHS
& FRESH CHICKEN DRUMSTICKS
 Your Choice **\$1.09** lb.
 Only

Plus many more in-store specials!

WESTBORN MARKET

PENFOLDS RAWSON'S RETREAT 2/\$15
 750 ml \$7.99 EACH
 Fall into an incredible red wine

CAVIT PINOT GRIGIO 2/\$12
 750 ml \$6.99 EACH
 Light & Crisp Great Anytime Wine

Vine Ripe **TOMATOES** **69¢** lb.
 New Crop Florida Pink 2/\$4.00

Snappin' Fresh **GREEN BEANS** **89¢** lb.
 Jumbo Sugar Sweet

AMERICAN SALAD 2/\$4.00

Indian River **GRAPEFRUIT** 3/\$1.00

HONEYDEWS 2/\$3.00

Fresh **CUT ROSES** **\$6.99** Dozen
 We Do Weddings, Funerals, Showers & Special Events! Check Out Our Full Service Florist Department w/ Designer on Staff!

Indoor **BLOOMING PLANTS** **\$3.99** And Up

Boneless **SIRLOIN STEAK** **\$4.99** lb.
 Boneless Rolled **SIRLOIN ROAST** **\$4.99** lb.
 Center Cut **PORK CHOPS** **\$2.89** lb.

Fresh **CHICKEN DRUMSTICKS** **89¢** lb.

Bareman's **2% MILK** **\$1.99** Gallon
 Save 60¢

Lays **POTATO CHIPS** 2/\$4.00
 (Includes wow baked & supreme)

Boneless **COD FILLETS** **\$5.99** lb.

Yoplait **YOGURT** Assorted Varieties **5/\$3.00**
 4.6 Oz

Aunt Millie's Original **HOT DOG or HAMBURGER BUNS** 2/\$3.00
 8 Count

Boneless **WHITEFISH FILLETS** **\$4.99** lb.

Hoffman's **HARD SALAMI** **\$4.99** lb.
 Reser's **SALSA** **\$2.99** lb.
 Chicken Kiev or **CORDON BLEU** **\$3.99** lb.
 Dearborn **HONEY HAM** **\$3.99** lb.
 Dietz & Watson **BBQ CHICKEN** **\$5.99** lb.
 Butterball **TURKEY BREAST** **\$4.99** lb.
 Armour **BACON** 2/\$5.00 Pkgs

WESTBORN MARKET
 14925 MIDDLEBELT LIVONIA
 734-524-1000
 Just South of Five Mile (on the west side)
www.westbornmarket.com
 We reserve the right to limit quantities. Prices good through Nov. 6, 2003.

WINE PICKS

In addition to Australia's Yellow Tail wines mentioned in the wine column, the following brands have super value wines at about \$10 or less

CALIFORNIA: Bogle (Chardonnay, Merlot, Petite Sirah and Old Vine Zinfandel), McManis (Chardonnay, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah) and Rancho Zabaco Dancing Bull Sauvignon Blanc

AUSTRALIA: Black Swan (Chardonnay, Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz), Thirsty Lizard (Chardonnay), Rosemount (Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc) and Lindemans (Chardonnay, Bin 65, Merlot, Bin 40, Cabernet Sauvignon, Bin 45 and Shiraz, Bin 50)

FRANCE: La Vieille Ferme (Cotes du Luberon and Cotes du Ventoux) and Chapoutier Bellefuche (Cotes du Rhone Rouge)

ITALY: Rocca delle Macie (Morellino di Scansano, Campomaccione and Rubizzo)

SPAIN: Marques de Caceras (White and Rose)

All wines mentioned are available in the metro-Detroit area. If a retailer does not stock a specific wine, ask that it be ordered from the distributor.

WINE

FROM PAGE D1

He cautioned, however, that there is a surplus of grapes and wines worldwide that affects California

The excess supply of wine is a global problem," he continued

"It's not going away soon"

Winery owners cite competition from low-priced quality imports like Australia's Yellow Tail as their number one concern

Distributors are expecting growth in imports from Australia, New Zealand and Spain

It is always difficult to see people experiencing tough

economic times, but hard times for the wine industry mean good times for consumers if prices on wines continue to tumble

It may also mean that consumers will benefit from a greater variety of quality imported wines

Let's hope that the right people get the message

Consumers have had it with inflated wine prices and that goes for exorbitant wine markups in restaurants as well

The Healds are Contributing Editors for the internationally respected Quarterly Review of Wines and 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 18644

Doctor Nagler's Super-Saver Injection Program
 LOSE 5-10 POUNDS THIS WEEK
 20 POUNDS THIS MONTH
 \$199* Enrollment \$65/Week

- 8 Injections
- Prescription Medication
- Doctor Visit
- No Other Charges

734.422.8040
Diet Results.com
 18311 Middlebelt
 Dr. Nagler, M.D. 734.422.8040 Livonia, MI 48154

New Topamax and Zonagran stop sweet and starch cravings

St. Mary Academy

A Positive Environment Where Children Learn and Grow Together

Preschool Prekindergarten Readiness From Ages 2-1/2 - 5 years

FOR CHILDREN

OPEN HOUSE: SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 11AM - 2PM

- ✓ Small Class Sizes
- ✓ Outstanding Age-Appropriate Curriculum
- ✓ Open Year-Round, Monday - Friday: 7am - 6pm
- ✓ Flexible Schedule Available
- ✓ Tuition-Based Program
- ✓ Trained & Experienced Staff, CPR/First-Aid
- ✓ State-Licensed

St. Mary Academy for Children
 18200 Merriman Road • Livonia, Michigan 48152
(734) 513-6404

Follow your favorite high school sports team each week in the Observer

Operation Can Do begins Nov. 1

On Saturday, Nov. 1, area Boy Scouts will kick off the 26th annual Operation Can Do food drive to feed the areas hungry with the "Scouting for Food" event.

Big Boy Restaurants International LLC, WXYZ-TV, the Hunger Action Coalition and the Detroit Area and Clinton Valley Council Boy Scouts are sponsors of this year's Operation Can Do. Since 2001, there has been a 20 percent increase in demand for emergency food from local food pantries, soup kitchens and other social service organizations.

Scouting for Food begins Nov. 1 when hundreds of area Boy Scouts go door-to-door leaving empty Operation Can Do collection bags at local homes. The Boy Scouts will continue to drop off Operation Can Do collection bags at homes throughout the week of Nov. 1-7. Residents are urged to fill the bags with non-perish-

able food in canned, boxed or plastic containers which will go to needy Michigan families.

Between 8 and 10 a.m. the following Saturday, Nov. 8, the Boy Scouts will return to those homes collecting the bags of non-perishable food donations left by residents. People donating food on the Nov. 8 Scouting for Food event are encouraged to have their bags outside by 8 a.m. that morning.

After Nov. 8, the public can continue to contribute to Operation Can Do by dropping off non-perishable food donations to area Big Boy Restaurants through Dec. 31.

To help meet the demand for emergency food last year, Big Boy Restaurants collected 260 tons of food donated by the public which fed 1.5 million people in the metro Detroit area. Since Operation Can Do's inception in 1978, more than 7 million pounds of food—enough to provide over 19 million meals—have been donated

at Big Boy Restaurants through this successful program. The need continues for thousands of Michigan families who depend on the food donated by a generous public during Operation Can Do.

According to the Hunger Action Coalition, each year an estimated 700,000 people in Michigan receive emergency food. All food donations collected at Big Boy Restaurants during Operation Can Do are given to the Hunger Action Coalition who distribute the food to more than 400 faith-based, nonprofit and public agencies. Each organization receives a minimum of one pallet, approximately 40 boxes, to supplement their food programs.

For more information, contact Big Boy Restaurants at (596) 755-8125.

Operation Can Do will continue through the entire holiday season, ending on New Year's Eve.

TASTE CALENDAR

Please submit items at least two weeks in advance of the date it should be published. Send to Ken Abramczyk, Taste editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009 or e-mail kabramczyk@oe.com or homecom.net

Five Lakes Grill

Brian Polcyn, chef at Five Lakes Grill, now offers a series of casual Tuesday night food and wine classes at Five Lakes Grill, 424 N. Main St. in Milford. During the first five-week series, guests can sample foods and wines from various regions of Italy. The night of food, wine and camaraderie begins at 7 p.m. and includes five wines and five complimentary appetizers for \$20. A guest wine aficionado and Chef Polcyn will host the evening and share information on the featured vineyard and indigenous foods that accompany each of the selected wines. The series begins with a trip from Southern Italy with Marinated Buffalo Mozzarella, Grilled Eggplant and Zucchini with Parmesan Reggiano Orecchiette with Guanciale, Tomato and Basil and Slow Cooked Lamb in Taurino Salice Salentino wine. The tour continues north each Tuesday up to northern Italy. Reservations for the class can be made by calling Five Lakes Grill at (248) 684-7455.

Sushi

Learn how to make fancy sushi with different types of rolls 2-3 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 2, at the Community House, 380 South Bates Street in Birmingham. The rolls will be wrapped with seaweed and rice on the outside

and with colorful seafood and vegetables on the inside. The types of sushi that will be taught are California Roll, Salmon Roll, Cucumber Roll, Cucumber and Avocado Roll and Veggie Tempura. Instructor is Changpang Sayanthone, co-owner and chef of Tokyo Sushi and Grill in Birmingham and Troy. Other classes include Mexican Quesadillas with Michelle Bommarito 7:30-9:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 3. Fee is \$22. You'll learn how to make the following quesadillas:

Bleu Cheese and Toasted Walnut Cherry Coulis and Goat Cheese Ricotta and Spinach. On Tuesday, Nov. 4, learn how to make holiday side dishes with Julie Boik: Wild Mushroom Melody Broccoli Casserole, Twice Baked Sweet Potatoes with fun toppings, Cranberry Raspberry Relish. To register for classes, contact The Community House at (248) 644-5832 or visit online: www.communityhouse.com

More classes

Light Italian Cooking featuring pastas and other foods without the heavy creams and cheeses will be taught 7-9 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 5, at Bonnie's Patisserie, 29229 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Other classes include: Let's Talk Turkey (turkey with cornbread, pecan stuffing, Shepherd's Pie with Duchesse potatoes, turkey scallopini, puntesca and turkey stroganoff on noodles) Monday, Nov. 10. Glorious Brunch VII (Baked New England French Toast, egg stuffed portobello, tea-cured gravlax with ginger butter, tomato onion hash, browns

and sesame cucumber melon salad) Wednesday, Nov. 12. Great Ways with Fish Monday, Nov. 17. Good Food Fast Monday, Dec. 1. and Holiday Treats Monday, Dec. 8. Classes are \$35. Call (248) 357-4540 for information.

Cooking With Whole Foods

Learn how to cook with whole foods such as tofu, ground flax, whole wheat pastry flour and much more. Meals such as creamy mac and cheese (the healthy version of course), meatloaf, sloppy joes, spinach gnocchi, banana pie, Shepard's new pie and much more. The class will be instructed by Dawn Vassel, owner of Vassel's Catering and is scheduled 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 11, at From Scratch, 29831 Northwestern Highway. Class fee is \$40. For registration and information, please call 248-203-3800.

Make a Gingerbread House

A fun holiday project where each student (grades K-6) creates his/her own Gingerbread House using snow-icing and then decorates it with a variety of candies. It makes a wonderful holiday decoration and a great gift (use it as a surprise box and hide gifts of money inside). Each is a unique work of art. The class is presented by Ginger Works and is scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 13, and 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, at Derby Middle School, Room 115. The class fee is \$13 per person. For registration and information, please call (248) 203-3800.



AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR CANCER RESEARCH

This simple combination of squash and apples makes a good side dish for poultry.

Vegetable and fruit purees for fall

An apple a day keeps the doctor away and a few squash don't hurt either.

Apples and squash are not only healthy but plentiful. Cooked together, their rich flavors and compatible textures blend well for a vegetable puree side dish.

Apples have long been touted for their healthful properties and there's now scientific proof that the assumptions are true. One study shows that apples are the most concentrated food source of flavonoids, a group of phytochemicals, natural substances that have been found to protect against cancer and heart disease and may block the ability of certain viruses to grow and spread.

Much of the flavonoids protection against cancer and heart disease seems related to their antioxidant power. Health experts say that if people eat five to 10 servings of fruits and vegetables a day, flavonoid consumption can reach a healthy range.

Squash, too, is full of healthful properties. Winter squash like acorn, Hubbard and butternut is more con-

centrated in several nutrients than summer squash. Its dark color is a hint that winter squash is an outstanding source of carotenoids, a family of antioxidants believed to enhance immunity and heart health as well as play an anticancer role. Winter squash is also a good source of vitamins A and C, potassium, iron, riboflavin and dietary fiber.

Choose squash that are heavy for their size and have a hard, deep colored rind that is free of blemishes or moldy spots.

This simple combination of squash and apples makes a good side dish for poultry.

Pureed vegetables have become trendy in up-scale restaurants, but they're easy to reproduce with the home kitchen blender.

SQUASH AND APPLE PURÉE

3 pounds winter squash (such as acorn, butternut or Hubbard)
3 large baking apples (Rome Beauty, York Imperial or Granny Smith)
2 teaspoons fresh parsley, minced
¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

½ cup toasted wheat germ

Preheat oven at 350°F. Cut squash in half. Scoop out seeds and stringy portions. Place in a large baking pan, cut side down, and bake until soft, 45 to 60 minutes, depending on size. About 30 minutes before you expect squash to be done, poke a few holes in the apples. Add to the baking pan. When squash and apples are tender but not mushy, remove from oven.

Cut apples in half to aid in cooling.

Scoop squash out of their shell or pull off peel. Remove peels, seeds and cores of apples. Place squash and apple in a blender. Add parsley and pepper. Puree.

Preheat oven to 400°F. Spread puree in a baking dish, lightly sprayed with oil. Sprinkle wheat germ evenly over the top. Bake 20 minutes, or until bubbling softly.

Makes 8 servings

Nutritional information per serving: 155 calories, 1 g total fat (4 g saturated fat), 37 g carbohydrate, 4 g protein, 9 g dietary fiber, 347 mg sodium.

Recipe courtesy of the American Institute for Cancer Research.

We're a whole lot closer to home.

**Lawnmovers
Snowblowers**
The machines of summer and winter that show you care about your home. They're great to have until the day they don't start or worse, quit right smack in the middle of the job. Your hometown classified section can help. Find a local fix-it person or the people who are moving to apartments who have placed ads for good used machines. You'll find folks who are right in your backyard—just a quick drive away. Be to check out our classifieds at oeonline.com anytime.

So if your mower or blower dies, find help from your neighbors in your hometown classifieds. Of course, people have been known to begin looking for a lawn mower and discover a great set of golf clubs or a ski mobile or a lot of other really neat stuff. And remember, if you are the one moving to an apartment, there are thousands of people looking for the stuff you won't need anymore.

**Observer & Eccentric
CLASSIFIED ADS**
It's all about RESULTS!

Part of HomeTown Communications Network™

1-800-579-SELL (7355)

observerandeccentric.com

St. Mary Mercy Hospital
presents

The Circle of Hope Gala

Friday, November 14

Doors open at 6 p.m.

Laurel Manor Special Event Center
39000 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia

Honorary Chairperson
JoAnne Puritan, WXYZ-TV Health Reporter

Dance music provided by
"Intrigue"

6:00 p.m. - Cocktails and Fine Jewelry Silent Auction
7:30 p.m. - Dinner and Dessert Fantasy
8:45 p.m. - Live Auction featuring a fine jewelry experience by Mastercraft Jewelers, Laurel Park
9:00 p.m. - Entertainment and Dancing

General Guest Tickets: \$75 each (\$750/table of 10 guests)

VIP Guest Tickets: \$150 each (\$1500/table of 10 guests)

For more information call 734.655.2907 or 734.655.2980
or visit our web site at www.stmarymercy.org

Proceeds benefit the St. Mary Mercy Hospital Cancer Center and Cancer Services

ST MARY MERCY
HOSPITAL

36475 Five Mile Rd
Livonia, MI 48154

A MEMBER OF TRINITY HEALTH



Seafood book answers oceans of questions

BY BARBARA ALBRIGHT

(AP) - Any questions about cooking seafood? Chances are you'll find an answer in *The New York Times Seafood Cookbook*.

The book, edited by Florence Fabricant (St. Martin's Press, \$30), is an orderly and comprehensive survey of the subject. You won't overlook that the book has some 250 recipes for more than 70 kinds of fish and shellfish, since that's included in the subtitle on the cover.

"Around the middle of the last century, Americans ate much less fish than they do today, less than 10 pounds per person annually, compared with close to 20 pounds now," Fabricant, a *New York Times* food writer, says, putting the subject in context.

"The numbers are paltry in comparison with those for countries like Japan and Norway, but they represent a decided shift in taste," she writes.

In answer to America's preference for eating more fish, Fabricant assembled and edited recipes from a range of food professionals, that have appeared in *The New York Times*.

To complement the recipes, the book's reference sections supply plenty of information on basic methods of preparation for seafood, including serving it raw, marinating, poaching, boiling, steaming, sauteing, frying, grilling, broiling, roasting, baking, braising, smoking and planking.

The book also explores different varieties of fish, describing each and suggesting handy substitutes, with recipes for each type. There is a section

with recommendations for wine to serve with the different types of fish.

Of the recipes I tested, salmon cakes with yogurt chipotle sauce had a simple sauce made from only two ingredients and it was delicious. However, the batter was very runny. I checked with the publisher and was assured the recipe was correct, but next time I will leave out 3 of the 4 eggs it calls for.

Following are three other delectable and easy recipes from the book: spaghetti with scallops, lemon and bread crumbs, shrimp baked with feta cheese, and shrimp in garlic sauce.

Any of these dishes would make an excellent meal served with a tossed green salad, another vegetable of your choice, and a crusty loaf of bread. Rice makes a great accompaniment with both of the shrimp dishes.

By the way, according to Fabricant, Americans eat more shrimp than any other fresh or frozen seafood, only canned tuna is more popular.

SPAGHETTI WITH SCALLOPS, LEMON AND BREAD CRUMBS

(Time 30 minutes)
Salt
2 cups bread cut into 1/2-inch cubes
1 pound spaghetti
Salt
6 tbs extra virgin olive oil
3 medium garlic cloves minced
2 tbs lemon juice
2 tbs flat leaf parsley leaves minced
1/2 tsp red chili flakes or to taste
1 pound sea scallops, tough tendon removed, scallops cut into 1/2-inch cubes

Bring 4 quarts salted water to boil in a large pot.

Place bread crumbs in a food processor fitted with metal blade and grind into coarse crumbs, about 1 minute. Place crumbs in a large skillet set over medium heat. Toast, shaking the pan often, until crumbs are golden brown.

Remove crumbs from the pan and set aside.

Add spaghetti to boiling water. While pasta is cooking, briefly heat oil in the skillet. Add garlic and cook until golden, about 1 minute. Stir in lemon juice, parsley, red chili flakes and salt to taste. Cook 30 seconds. Add scallops and cook, stirring, until they are opaque and cooked through, 3 to 4 minutes. Do not overcook. Adjust seasonings. Keep warm.

Drain spaghetti when al dente, but do not shake bone-dry. Transfer spaghetti, still dripping with a little cooking water, to a large bowl, and toss with scallop sauce. Sprinkle with bread crumbs and toss well. Divide pasta into individual bowls, and serve immediately.

Makes 4 servings

(Recipe from Jack Bishop) SHRIMP BAKED WITH FETA CHEESE

(Time 45 minutes)
3 cups canned Italian plum tomatoes crushed
1/4 cup extra virgin olive oil
1 tsp finely chopped garlic
1/4 cup fish broth or shrimp stock or clam juice
1 tsp dried oregano, preferably Greek
1 tsp red chili flakes
2 tbs drained capers
Salt and freshly ground black pepper
3 tbs unsalted butter
24 large shrimp (about 1 pound) shelled and deveined
1/4 pound feta cheese crumbled
1/4 cup ouzo optional

Place tomatoes in a saucepan

and simmer, stirring occasionally, until reduced to 2 cups.

Heat oil in a 3-quart saucepan. Stir in garlic, cook 30 seconds, and add tomatoes, fish broth, oregano, chili flakes, capers, and salt and pepper to taste. Melt butter in a skillet. Add shrimp, toss briefly over medium heat just until they turn pink, then remove from heat.

Preheat oven to 350 F.

Spread half of the sauce among four 6-inch ramekins. Arrange 6 shrimp in each, on the sauce, top with the remaining sauce and scatter feta over sauce. Bake about 10 minutes, until sauce is bubbling. If desired, sprinkle 1/2 teaspoon ouzo on each and ignite, then serve.

Makes 4 servings
(Recipe from Craig Claiborne and Pierre Franey)
SHRIMP IN GARLIC SAUCE

(Time 15 minutes)
1/2 cup extra virgin olive oil
2 cloves garlic, peeled and sliced
1 dried hot red chili (I used a pinch of crushed red pepper flakes and did not remove them)
1 pound large shrimp, about 20 peeled and deveined
Salt to taste
1 tbs dry white wine
1 tsp minced curly parsley for garnish

Warm olive oil in a 10-inch skillet over medium-low heat. Add garlic and chili. When garlic begins to color, raise the heat to medium high and add shrimp and salt. Cook for about 2 minutes on each side, turning once, or until shrimp are pink. Add wine, remove chili, garnish with parsley and serve.

Makes 4 small servings
(Recipe from Ignacio Blanco, Meson Galicia, Norwalk, Conn.)
(All recipes from "The New York Times Seafood Cookbook," St. Martin's Press, 2003, \$30)

Pumpkins star in pancake-yogurt and fruit-loaf recipes

AP - Since pumpkins lend such a colorful aura to the fall-winter season, this is a good point at which to start looking at ways for cooks to use them.

A versatile pumpkin pancake paired with yogurt, an autumn-inspired dish, could serve as breakfast, brunch or dessert fare, or whenever taste suggests.

The recipe, from registered dietitian Elizabeth Ward, author of "Healthy Foods, Healthy Kids" (Adams Media, 2002), has a nutrition twist. Its combination of pumpkin mildly spiced with cinnamon is served with a creamy yogurt-raisin sauce instead of traditional syrup.

It delivers "a satisfying fall flavor," says Ward, mother of three children, who developed the recipe for the 3-A-Day of Dairy program. "Plus, my kids love the taste of the sweet vanilla yogurt topping and I can give them one calcium-rich serving of dairy. For a fast and healthy meal, I often serve 'breakfast for dinner.'"

The ingredient list doesn't call for fresh pumpkin, so the recipe is useful for backup pantry-shelf provisioning, any time of year.

PUMPKIN PANCAKES WITH YOGURT RAISIN TOPPING

(Preparation 5 minutes cooking time 10 to 15 minutes)
For the topping
2 cups lowfat vanilla yogurt
1 cup raisins
For the pancakes
1 cup all purpose flour
1 tsp sugar
2 tsp baking powder
1/2 tsp cinnamon
1 cup 1 percent lowfat milk
2 tbs melted butter
1 egg
1/2 cup canned pumpkin
1/4 cup lowfat vanilla yogurt

In a small mixing bowl combine 2 cups vanilla yogurt and raisins. Reserve.

To make the pancakes: Combine flour, sugar, baking powder and cinnamon in a large mixing bowl.

In a medium mixing bowl, combine milk, butter, egg, pumpkin and 1/2 cup yogurt, mixing well.

Add wet ingredients to flour mixture and stir until just moist. Do not overmix. Batter may be

lumpy. For thinner batter, add milk.

Lightly coat a griddle or skillet with cooking spray and heat on medium. Using a quarter-cup measure, pour batter onto hot griddle. Cook until bubbles begin to burst, then flip pancakes and cook until golden.

Serve warm, topped with yogurt-raisin mixture and dusting of cinnamon. Makes 4 servings (or 12 pancakes).

Nutrition information per serving: 490 cal, 10 g fat (6 g saturated fat), 80 mg chol, 490 mg sodium, 16 g pro, 86 g carbo.

Crushed pineapple adds moistness to this low-fat fruit loaf, a fall favorite, with mellow flavor, nutrition and texture provided by canned pumpkin.

HARVEST PUMPKIN-PINEAPPLE LOAF

(Preparation 15 minutes cooking time 1 hour)
Nonstick cooking spray
2 1/2 cups granulated sugar
1/2 cup (1 stick) butter or margarine softened
15 ounce can pumpkin
8-ounce can crushed pineapple in juice undrained
4 large eggs
3 1/2 cups all purpose flour
2 tsp baking soda
2 tsp pumpkin pie spice
1 tsp salt
Powdered sugar (optional)

Heat oven to 350 F. Lightly spray two 8 1/2-by-4 1/2-inch loaf pans with cooking spray. In mixer bowl, beat together sugar and butter until blended. Add pumpkin, pineapple and eggs, beat well. Set aside. In medium bowl, combine flour, baking soda, pumpkin pie spice and salt, add to pumpkin mixture, mixing until dry ingredients are just moistened. Divide batter into prepared pans, spread evenly. Bake 55 to 65 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out clean.

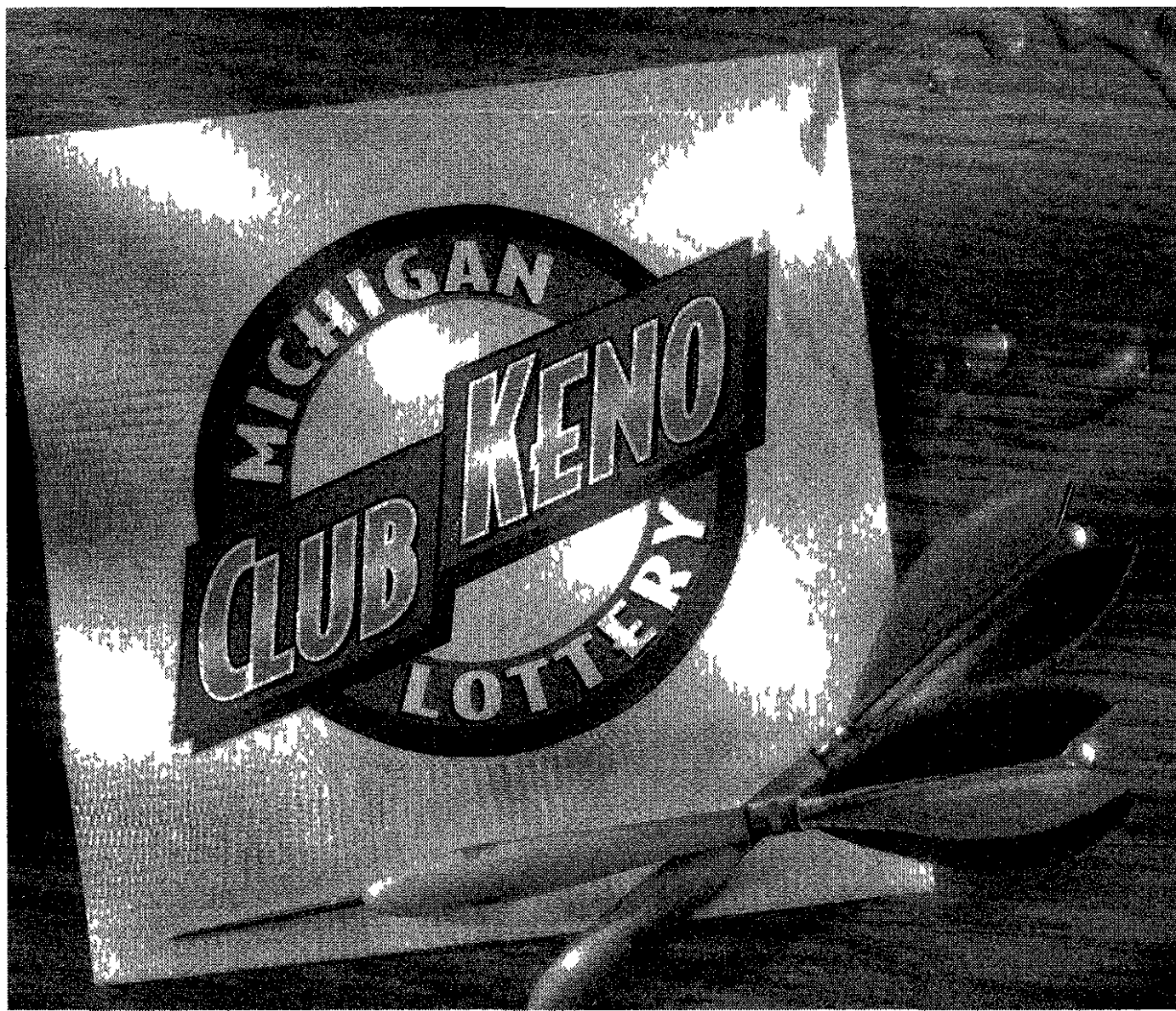
Cool 5 minutes. Remove from pans to wire racks, cool completely. Lightly sprinkle powdered sugar over tops, if desired.

If desired, walnuts may be added. Prepare recipe as directed, stirring in 1 cup coarsely chopped walnuts when adding dry ingredients. Makes 16 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 312 cal, 8 g fat, 69 mg chol, 360 mg sodium, 57 g carbo, 2 g fiber, 5 g pro.

Introducing Club Keno

It's not like darts didn't have a good, long run.



It's a whole new kind of gaming experience played in a whole new place.

For fast, fun, casino style action, play Club Keno at your favorite bar or restaurant. There's a new drawing every five minutes all day long, seven days a week. And Club Keno has lots of ways to win great cash prizes up to \$100,000. Take aim and play today!

LIVONIA
Cloverleaf Bowl
28900 Schoolcraft Rd

LIVONIA
Bogart's Billiard Cafe
30262 Plymouth Rd

LIVONIA
Metri-Bowl
30950 Five Mile

LIVONIA
East Side Mario's
31630 Plymouth Rd

NORTHVILLE
Brian's Steakhouse & Grill
39715 Six Mile Rd

PLYMOUTH
Sheehan's On The Green
39430 Five Mile Rd

Call 1-877-PLAY KENO for additional locations.



The Club Keno mark is a registered trademark of GTECH Corporation. Approximate overall odds of winning are from 1 in 4 to 1 in 17. If you bet more than you can afford to lose, you've got a problem. Call 1-800-970-7117 for confidential help.

www.michigan.gov/lottery

PDF0606 009 9

IF THE VEGGIES
ON OUR SANDWICHES
WERE ANY FRESHER,
OUR DELIVERY
VEHICLES WOULD BE

TRACTORS.

TASTING IS BELIEVING

JIMMY JOHN'S

Since 1983
SUPER SEAL

WORLD'S GREATEST GOURMET SANDWICHES

WE DELIVER.

417 MAIN ST. - 651.3527 - ROCHESTER HILLS
2879 B. MAPLE RD. - 435.7040 - TROY
37671 SIX MILE RD. - 615.9129 - LIVONIA

JIMMY JOHN'S
.COM

© 2003 JIMMY JOHN'S FRANCHISE, INC.



NORTH AMERICAN OLIVE OIL ASSOCIATION

This white bean and tomato dip can be made several hours in advance and refrigerated. The tortillas also can be fried several hours in advance.

Liven up a party with this tortilla dip

WHITE BEAN-TOMATO DIP WITH FRIED CORN TORTILLAS

This recipe makes a great party dish or an appetizer before a meal. The dip can be made several hours in advance and refrigerated. The tortillas also can be fried several hours in advance.

White Bean-Tomato Dip

1 (15 ounce) can white beans such as Great Northern drained and rinsed
 1/2 cup packed cilantro or parsley leaves (not chopped)
 2 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil
 1 1/2 tablespoons lime juice
 1 teaspoon garlic powder
 1 small tomato finely chopped

(about 1/2 cup)
 Salt and ground black pepper
Fried Tortillas
 2 cups pure olive oil
 12 6 inch corn tortillas
 Salt

Process beans, cilantro, oil, lime juice and garlic in a food processor or blender, continue to process until mixture is smooth. Transfer to a serving bowl, stir in tomato and salt and pepper to taste.

Heat oil in a medium 10-inch skillet over medium-high heat to 370° F. Lay a whole tortilla into hot oil. Fry, turning once or twice, until it stops sizzling and turns golden brown, about 2 minutes. Remove with tongs or slotted spoon and set on a large wire

rack set over a shallow pan, sprinkling with salt immediately. Repeat with remaining tortillas.

To serve, arrange whole fried tortillas in a basket, letting guests break off chips for dipping.

Serves 12, 2 tablespoons dip and one tortilla each.
Recipe courtesy of North American Olive Oil Association

Nutritional information per serving: Serving size 1 tortilla with 2 tablespoons dip, calories 140, calories from fat 60. Total fat-6g, saturated fat-1g, cholesterol-0mg, sodium-45mg, total carbohydrate-19g, dietary fiber-3g, sugars 2g, proteins-4g

A Quick & Easy Meal from Busch's!

A Busch's Exclusive

Large 3 1/4 lb. (pre-cooked weight)

Miller Amish Rotisserie Roasted All Natural No Preservatives

Whole Chicken

Fully Cooked and Ready to Eat!

\$3.99 each

Rotisserie Chickens available at our Farmington Hills, Livonia, Plymouth/Northville, Dexter, Pinckney, Saline and 2 Ann Arbor locations.

Aromas of Apricot and Vanilla

Toasted Head Chardonnay

750 ml

\$12.99

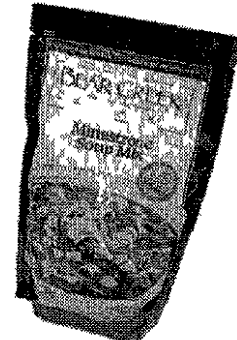
2/\$5

Ceres Juice Assorted Varieties 33.8 oz



2/\$6

Bear Creek Soup Mix Assorted Varieties 7.1 - 8 oz



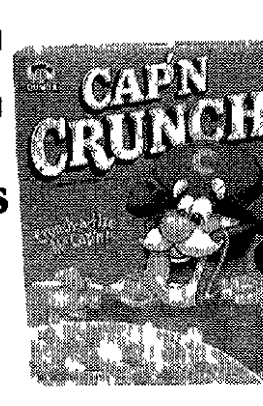
99¢

Breakstone's Sour Cream 16 oz



3/\$6

Quaker Cap'n Crunch Cereal Assorted Varieties 13 - 16 oz.



\$6.99

Mako Shark Fillets per lb



\$1.99 Sold as a Roast only

Boneless English Roast U.S.D.A. Choice per lb.



\$1.49

Michigan Empire or Red Delicious Apples 3 lb bag

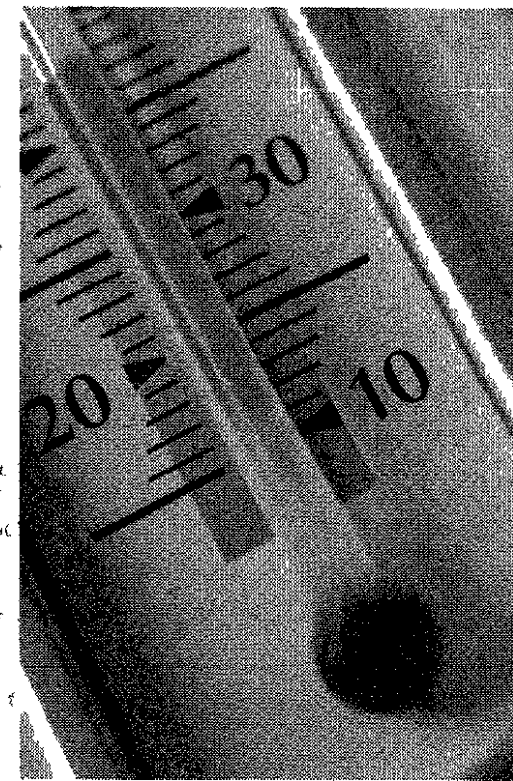


99¢

California Red or Black Seedless Grapes or Red Globe Grapes per lb



It's getting c-c-c-c-cold outside!



Now that the thermometer is dropping and it's dark at both ends of the day, it's time to switch to office pay

If you're still paying one of our carriers for your hometown newspaper, please think about sending your next payment to our office

When you do, we will deliver 15 months of local news for the price of 12!

You'll get 15 months of delivery for just \$51—that's three FREE months!

Call **866-887-2737** for immediate savings or fill in the form below and mail it to Observer & Eccentric Circulation, 36251 Schoolcraft Road Livonia MI 48150

- Yes, I like to subscribe for 15 months for only \$51. I understand that when I include payment today, I can deduct 10% off my payment and send just \$45.95!
- I'd rather subscribe for 8 months for the price of 6 and pay just \$29.95
- Put me down for 4 months for the price of 3 and I'll pay just \$15.95

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____

Payment Amount \$ _____ Tip Amount (optional) \$ _____ Total \$ _____

Payment method

- Please bill me
- Payment Enclosed

- Visa
- Mastercard Card # _____ Expires _____
- Discover
- American Express Signature _____

This offer is good only with payment to our office. Offer expires 12/31/03. New subscribers and current office pay customers may also take advantage of this offer.

OE08149934 EPS

Prices effective through Sunday, November 2, 2003.

With 12 convenient locations:

Carleton • Clinton • Dexter • Farmington Hills
 Livonia • Pinckney • Plymouth/Northville • Saline
 Tecumseh • Ypsilanti • and 2 Ann Arbor locations:
 Main Street at Ann Arbor-Saline and Green Road at Plymouth



Proud to be Southeastern Michigan's largest independent grocery retailer.

Busch's
 Your Food Store

OE08166480

COOKBOOK

FROM PAGE D1

A daily staple many Chaldeans enjoy are stews over rice.

Yono said the specialty dish category of the competition was wildly popular. Unique dishes include dolma (stuffed grape leaves, zucchini, onion, peppers), pacha (stuffed tripe stew), and bryani (spicy rice, beef, chicken, meatballs and onions), all of which are traditionally prepared for special family dinners and at the holidays. "These dishes are time-consuming and some take a day or two of preparation," Yono said. "All of the Chaldean food is very flavorful, much of it is spicy."

The competition was fierce, according to organizers, and the judging was very close. The top three winners included:

■ **First place** — Amelda Sharkas, of West Bloomfield, with parda plou, a mixture of bryani rice, meatballs and chicken baked in a shell of filo dough.

■ **Second place** — Venus Sadek, of West Bloomfield, with tyringe, candied grapefruit peel.

■ **Third place** — Gourgia Saliba, of Windsor, with baba ghanouj, eggplant spread/dip.

Under the leadership of CLAC President Jane Shallal, recipes will be collected for a few more weeks before the

final deadline. They are targeting 2004 to see the book in print.

Metro Detroit is home to the largest Chaldean community in the United States, so the cookbook will undoubtedly be in high demand upon publication. For the time being the book is being titled *Mah Baseema Middle Eastern Cuisine with a Chaldean Flair*. Yono said mah baseema translates to, "how good it is."

"When we announced the tentative title at the contest, everyone cheered," she said. "That might end up being the final name. It suits it very well."

Proceeds from the sale of the book will help support refugee resettlement. For more information about the Chaldean American Ladies Charity or the cookbook, call the CALC office at (248) 352-5018.



Maïsson Tato, Clair Konja, Amira Kizy and Rabab Binno showcase their Chaldean specialty dishes.

Wings make great hors d'oeuvres

ROASTED CHICKEN WINGS WITH LEMON AND GARLIC

24 chicken wing drumettes
2 tablespoons pure olive oil
1 teaspoon salt
Pepper
1 teaspoon garlic powder
2 teaspoons sugar
¼ cup Dijon mustard
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 teaspoon dried oregano

Adjust oven rack to upper middle position and heat to 450°F. Toss wings in a large bowl with olive oil, salt, pepper to taste, garlic powder and sugar.

Arrange wings in a single layer on a large wire rack set over a foil-lined rimmed baking sheet.

Roast until golden brown, about 30 minutes. Meanwhile, mix mustard, lemon juice and oregano in a large bowl. Dump wings in bowl of sauce, toss to coat.

Remove rack from pan, pour rendered chicken fat off pan and return wings to pan.

Continue to cook until glaze has set, 8-10 minutes longer. Serve. 24 servings. 1 drummette each.

RECIPES

MASGOUF (SALWA YONO)

(BAKED WHITE FISH)

1 large white fish whole (bone or filleted)
2 large Spanish onions finely minced
1 whole garlic finely minced
1 large bunch of parsley finely chopped
¼ cup white vinegar
1 ½ teaspoons salt
2 tablespoons curry
2 cans tomato paste
1 large tomato finely diced
2 tablespoons vegetable or olive

oil

Place finely minced onions with 1 teaspoon salt in strainer. Set aside.

Mix garlic, parsley, vinegar, curry, tomatoes and tomato paste in medium size bowl. Strain or squeeze all excess water from onions in strainer. Add onions to mixture.

Place split and cleaned fish on baking sheet. Spread mixture evenly over entire surface of fish. Bake in preheated oven at 400°F for one hour. Garnish with

tomato and lemon slices 15 minutes before removing from oven. Serve with white rice (recipe in rice and grains section).

CHILE FRY (HANIA KAS MAROGI)

1 pound chopped boneless chuck
1 medium onion diced
1 large tomato diced
½ of a medium sized green pepper diced
¼ cup water
½ tablespoon tomato paste
1 teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon bahharat

¼ teaspoon pepper

2 tablespoons vegetable oil

Cook meat in large frying pan. Meat will release water while cooking. Rinse and drain excess water from meat. Return meat to pan and fry in 2 tablespoons vegetable oil. Sauté meat until sizzling. Add onions and sauté. Add tomatoes, green pepper and seasoning, and sauté. Add tomato paste and water stir and simmer for five minutes. Serve with pita bread.

Alternative: Use diced chicken breast.

JUST ANNOUNCED! MATCHING FUNDS UP TO \$1,000 FOR FORD EMPLOYEES AND RETIREES ON SELECT LINCOLN MERCURY VEHICLES.*



2004 LINCOLN LS V6 PREMIUM

2004 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS GS

2004 MERCURY MOUNTAINEER
CONVENIENCE V-6 AWD

FOR RETURNING A/Z/D-PLAN EMPLOYEES & ELIGIBLE FAMILY MEMBERS:

\$366

A MONTH/36-MONTH LEASE*

ONLY \$1,861

CASH DUE AT SIGNING

(After \$4,000 cash back for returning lessees)*
Includes refundable security deposit and acquisition fee.
Excludes tax, title and license fees.

LINCOLN LS V6 PREMIUM A PLAN PRICE STARTING AT

\$30,175

(After \$3,500 cash back)*

LINCOLN LS V6 LUXURY A PLAN PRICE STARTING AT

\$25,794

(After \$3,500 cash back)*

HURRY! LS OFFER ENDS 10/31/03**\$249**

A MONTH/36-MONTH LEASE*

ONLY \$2,094

CASH DUE AT SIGNING

(After \$4,500 cash back for returning lessees, including \$500 AARP Bonus Cash)*
Includes refundable security deposit
and acquisition fee. Excludes tax, title and license fees.

OR PRE-PAY A TWO-YEAR LEASE FOR

\$6,699

(After \$4,500 cash back, including \$500 AARP Bonus Cash)*

GRAND MARQUIS GS A PLAN PRICE STARTING AT

\$18,540

(After \$4,000 cash back, including \$500 AARP Bonus Cash)*

SAVE EVEN MORE WITH \$1,000 DOWN PAYMENT MATCH**\$282**

A MONTH/36-MONTH LEASE*

ONLY \$2,517

CASH DUE AT SIGNING

(After \$3,500 cash back for returning lessees)*
Includes refundable security deposit and acquisition fee.

MOUNTAINEER A PLAN PRICE STARTING AT

\$25,848

(After \$3,000 cash back)*

SAVE EVEN MORE WITH \$1,000 DOWN PAYMENT MATCH

0% APR FINANCING OR UP TO \$4,000 CASH BACK
ON SELECT NEW 2004 LINCOLN AND MERCURY VEHICLES.**



For latest offers go to LMAplan.com

VISIT YOUR METRO DETROIT LINCOLN MERCURY DEALERS

ANN ARBOR

Sesi2100 W. Stadium Blvd
at L. Berry
(734) 668-6100
sesilm.com

CLINTON TOWNSHIP

Stu Evans Lakeside17500 Hall Rd
at Romeo Plank
(586) 840-2000
stuevanslakeside.com

DEARBORN

Jack Demmer21531 Michigan Ave
Between Southfield & Telegraph
(313) 274-8800
demmerlm.com

DETROIT

Bob Maxey16901 Mack Ave
at Cadieux
(313) 885-4000
bobmaxeylm.com

DETROIT

Park Motor18100 Woodward Ave
Opposite Palmer Park
(313) 869-5000
parkmotorslm.com

GARDEN CITY

Stu Evans Garden City32000 Ford Rd
Just West of Merriman
(734) 425-4300
stuevansgardencity.com

NOVI

Varsity49251 Grand River
1 ½ mi W. Xom Rd. (Ex 1159)
Two Exits West of 12 Oaks Mall
(248) 305-5300
varsitylm.com

PLYMOUTH

Hines Park40601 Ann Arbor Rd
at I-275
(734) 453-2424
hinesparklm.com

ROCHESTER HILLS

Crissman1185 South Rochester Rd
Between Hamlin & Avon Rd
(248) 652-4200
crissmanlm.com

ROSEVILLE

Bob Maxey29000 Gratiot
at 12 Mile Rd
(586) 552-6000
bobmaxeylm.com

SOUTHFIELD

Star24350 West 12 Mile Rd
at Telegraph
(248) 354-4900
starlm.com

SOUTHGATE

Southgate16800 Fort Street
at Pennsylvania
(734) 285-8800
southgateincolnmercury.com

STERLING HEIGHTS

Crest36200 Van Dyke
at 15 ½ Mile Rd
(586) 939-6000
crestinmerc.com

TROY

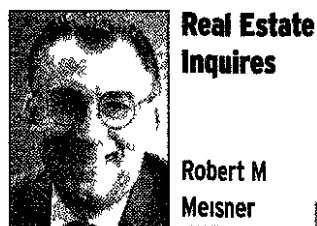
Bob Borst1950 West Maple
Troy Motor Mall
(248) 643-6600
borstlm.com

YPSILANTI

Sesi950 East Michigan
9 Miles West of I-275
(734) 482-7133
sesilm.com

*Call 1-888-56-LEASE for details. \$1,000 A/Z down payment match available on Mercury G and Marquis and Mountaineer for eligible A/Z Plan customers who make a cash down payment of \$2,000. Lincoln Mercury will match any down payment at 50% for a maximum matching contribution of \$1,000. Offer ends 12/1/03. Not all buyers will qualify for Red Carpet Lease. Some payments higher than some lower. Residency restrictions apply. \$500 AARP Bonus Cash offer on G and Marquis for AARP members with proof of membership required. Limit one per member. This offer cannot be combined with any private offer. **Not all buyers will qualify for Ford Credit Financing. APR varies by term. Cash back varies by model. \$4,000 cash back available on Mercury G and Marquis. For APR or cash back on a purchase, take delivery from dealer stock by 12/1/03. Offers subject to change. See dealer for complete details.

OE08160136



Real Estate Inquires

Robert M Meisner

Window, door replacement is maintenance

Our board is replacing obsolete windows and sliding doors on condominium units and needs to levy an assessment to do that. Some of the co-owners say that is an addition or improvement to the condominium documents necessitating a vote of the owners. What do you think?

While it is hard to make a determination without looking at a complete set of your documents, it would appear on its face that the replacement of windows and sliding doors does not constitute an addition or improvement to the common elements but is, rather, maintenance. That was the decision in a recent case out of a circuit court in Connecticut where the court said that the act of replacing the obsolete features of the common elements was not a "substantial change to the real estate," but was part of the association's duty to maintain the common elements in common areas.

One of our co-owners in our condominium has been complaining about noise emanating from a neighbor's unit. The complaining co-owner maintains that the association is responsible for enforcing the use restrictions which give a right to the association to enforce the restrictions. The co-owner who is complaining is threatening to sue the association if it does not take action. What do you think?

Normally, a decision to pursue a bylaw enforcement matter is a business judgment of the board of directors which will not be set aside unless the board was acting arbitrarily, in bad faith or otherwise negligently. In a similar case out of Louisiana, the court determined that the association has a right, but not the duty, to enforce the rules and regulations. The court noted that the complainant/co-owner had a right to pursue any noise violation and that, therefore, the co-owner should be compelled to pursue the alleged noise maker without association liability for failing to do so.

Robert M. Meisner is a lawyer and the author of *Condominium Operation Getting Started & Staying on the Right Track* second edition. It is available for \$9.95 plus \$2 shipping and handling. For more information call (248) 644-4433 or visit bmeisner@mich.com. This column should not be construed as legal advice.

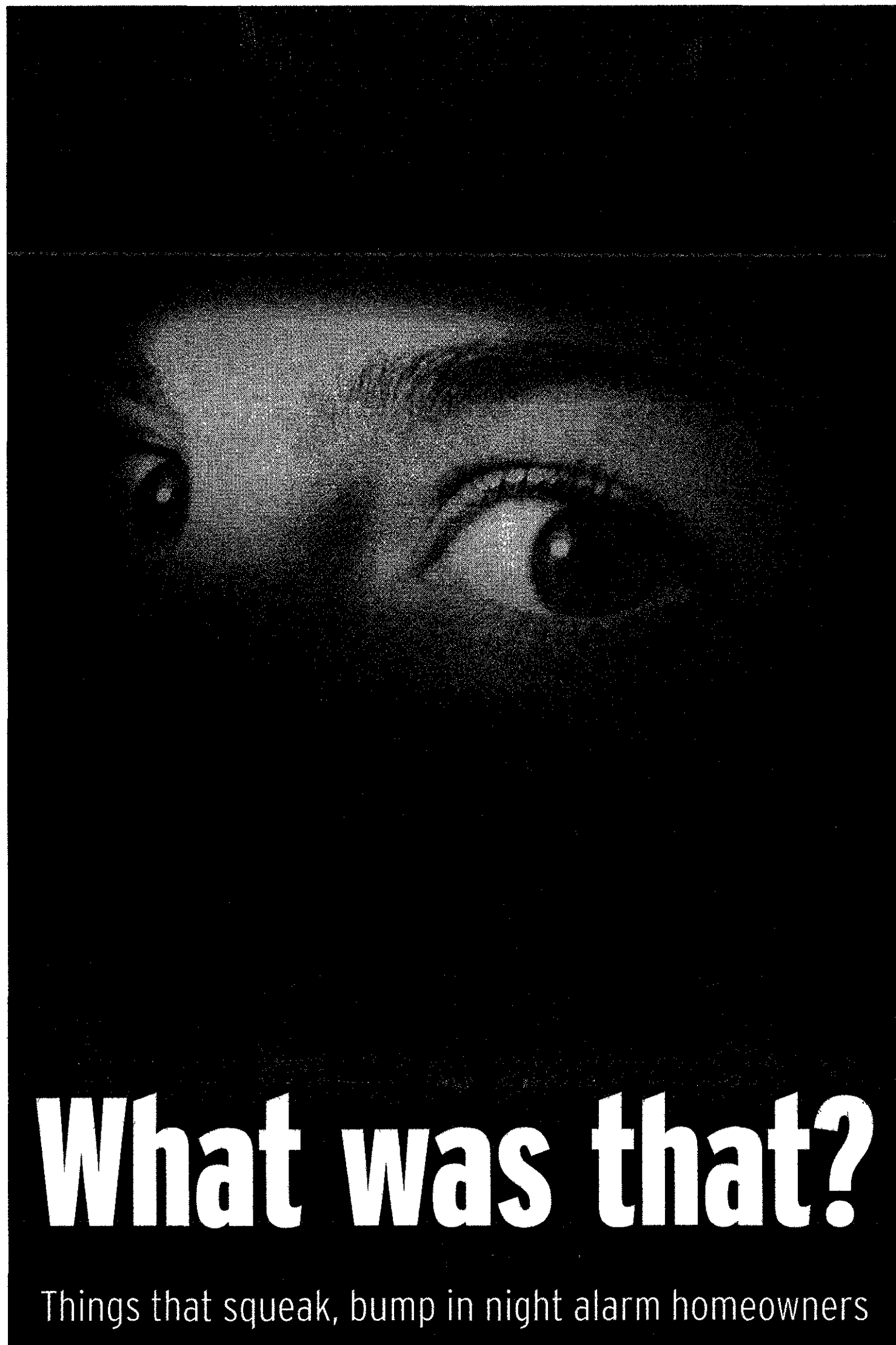
View the Observer & Eccentric Real Estate Classifieds on the Web:

www.hometonlife.com

REALTOR FULL PAGE AD INDEX

Realtor	Page #
Century 21 Town & Country	12E
Coldwell Banker Preferred	3E
Coldwell Banker, Schwetzer	2E
Real Estate One	1F

For the Best Home Buys in your Hometown check the Sunday and Thursday Real Estate Section



What was that?

Things that squeak, bump in night alarm homeowners

BY NORMAN PRADY
CORRESPONDENT

From ghoulies and ghosties
And long leggedy beasties
And things that go bump in the night
Good Lord deliver us!
— traditional Scottish prayer

You brushed your teeth, washed your face, put on your jammies, if you own any, and got into bed. With the turn of the bed lamp switch, darkness sprayed across your room. It's night time in your house. "What was that?" "Oh, the furnace. Just the furnace blower coming on." Or was it? "If the noise has nothing to do with the structure or the mechanics of the house," said Harold Weine, "there's nothing we can do about it." Weine, of Alert Home Inspections, Southfield, said he doesn't deal with the ghostly or supernatural sounds houses might make, but gets frequent

calls about squeaky floors. "The furnace?" Sure it was the furnace? Heat ducts, Weine said, can contribute to the sometimes spooky symphony of a house's night time noises. "If they nailed the sheet metal right to the floor joists," he said, there can be vibrating sounds and tummy rattling. "Bang bang bang. What goes 'bang bang bang?'" Pipes can expand and contract with changes in water temperature, Weine said. "You'll hear a banging in the walls," if, say, the washing machine is running. Or, Weine said, that noise might be from waste lines or supply lines that are not properly secured. Or, he said, it could be air in the pipes that make a hammering noise. Or could it be something else? "The attic. What am I hearing in the attic? Nobody could be up there." In winter, Weine said, "when the attic is cold, roof trusses

can actually rise up. Houses move and settle continuously. There's expansion and contraction, mostly due to weather." "It's more like a scratch-scratch. I thought I heard a whumper." Animals in the house, Weine said, recalling his encounters with mice and chipmunks and squirrels, and raccoons in the house where the woman couldn't close upstairs windows because she'd let the ivy vines grow into the bedrooms. "Helps keep the house cool," Weine said she told him. "Bugs," he said. "Why can't I just ignore it all and go to sleep?" Why? It might be part of the human condition, according to psychologist Carolyn Datch, Ph.D. Most of us need to feel we're in control," said Datch, director of the Center for Anxiety and Emotional Distress, Farmington Hills. "There's a part of our brain that's quite

primitive and we inherit it with its survival mechanism not much changed. "A noted psychologist once said that it's better to mistake a stick for a snake than a snake for a stick. "Some people are more prone to a startle response, so anything unexpected can make them lurch. "We reach an age of development where it's easier for us to go into a cognitive mode and say it's probably nothing, but I'll get up and check. If I say, 'That's the noise the furnace makes,' we have a frame of reference." "Yes, I locked all the doors." Those popping noises that floors can make as someone walks across the room can be a positive factor in selling a house, according to Mona Parlove, sales agent with Hall & Hunter, Birmingham. "The floor noise is like a built-in burglar alarm," she said. "No one could walk through unnoticed."

Mortgage Bits

Tim 'Timbo' Phillips



Take a look at adjustable rate mortgage

It appears that we are nearing the tail end of a very long "fixed rate" run in the mortgage industry. Over the past couple of years, borrowers who initially considered adjustable-rate mortgages had to think twice because of incredibly low interest rates on fixed-rate products. Borrowers who did take up ARMs during this recent run must certainly have had great reasons to do so.

Now, with mortgage interest rates edging their way back up, it once again makes sense for borrowers to at least consider ARMs for their refinances and purchases. ARMs can be incredibly effective financial tools, when they are used judiciously. Normally, conforming ARMs beat 30-year fixed-rate mortgage rates by well over 1 percent.

SMART CHOICE

There are a few times when ARMs are the smart choice for borrowers. For example, if you were to buy a home with the full knowledge that you were only going to live there for less than six years, using a five-year ARM instead of a 30-year fixed-rate mortgage would save you a ton of money.

The five-year adjustable is identical to the 30-year mortgage in that they are both amortized over 30 years and they are both fixed-rate for the first five years. The five-year ARM starts to adjust annually during the sixth year. In this case, you would save about \$3,500 of interest on an \$180,000 mortgage over those five years.

Some homeowners with very large mortgages opt to remain in the fixed-rate portion of an ARM indefinitely because the huge savings on interest more than covers the costs of their periodic refinances. Generally, the shorter the term of their ARM, the deeper the "discounted" introductory interest rate, and the more significant the savings.

GREAT DEAL

One of the best "great deals" in the mortgage industry right now is the FHA's adjustable-rate mortgage. Starting rates remain very attractive and with the ability to convert to a fixed-rate FHA mortgage in the future using FHA's "streamlined refinance" guidelines, homebuyers of all ages are starting with FHA adjustable-rate loans to reduce the overall cost of home ownership.

Timothy J. Phillips is a mortgage banker and newspaper columnist. You may reach him toll free at (866) 369-4516 or via www.HomeQuartersBIZ.com. Homebuyers should always consult a professional for guidance specific to their situation.

HOME Of The WEEK

FABULOUS NEW CONSTRUCTION

by The Deneweth Company in prestigious Spruce Hill Development Center entrance colonial with large marble foyer, large kitchen w/oak floors, sunroom, knotty pine paneled family room w/fireplace, mahogany paneled library Living room w/fireplace Master suite w/2 walk-in closets and large bath \$1,695,000

Call Doug Keating for a private showing



Cell: 248-330-9751
Office: 248-644-7000



REAL ESTATE BRIEFS

Real Estate Briefs features news and notes on professional associations office activities upcoming meetings and seminars new services/products and consumer publications Write Real estate briefs Attn Keely Kaleski Observer and Eccentric Newspapers 805 E Maple Birmingham MI 48009 Our fax number is (248) 644 1314 Our e mail address is kkaleski@oe.homecomm.net

Joly CREW Network directors Meet at the Skyline Club 2000 Town Center Southfield 11 a m Tuesday Nov 4 Cost is \$35 members \$50 non members Call (785) 832 1808 or visit www.crewdetroit.org and click on events

COMPETITION

S Robert August president of Englewood Colorado based S Robert August & Company will share successful ideas and tips on how to remain competitive with national builders at the How To Survive Competition with National Builders seminar 11 a m to 2 p m Wednesday Nov 5 at the Northfield Hilton 5500 Crooks Road Troy Call (248) 862 1033

ADVANCED LEASING

The Apartment Association of Michigan's Property Management Council will host The XYZ's of Advanced Leasing seminar 8 30 a m to noon Friday Nov 7 at the Building Industry Association head quarters 30375 Northwestern Highway Farmington Hills Call (248) 862 1004

MAINTENANCE COURSE

Sponsored by the Apartment Association of Michigan's Property Management Council 10 a m to 4 p m Friday Oct 31 at Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan headquarters 30375 Northwestern Highway Suite 100 Farmington Hills Course fulfills requirement for Educational Standards Corporation institute certification for maintenance professionals under the Federal Clean Air Act Registration includes lunch \$85 call (248) 862 1004

NETWORKING

Commercial Real Estate Women of Detroit presents Plugging Into the Power of the Network how to grow your network and your business Speakers are Karin Schulz & Victoria

Workshop Approved to Mortgage card while learning to avoid the perils and pitfalls of financing your first home Experts from Ross Mortgage take you step by step through the trials and triumphs of home loans and mortgages Register early and receive a free personal credit report The workshop is scheduled 6 30 9 30 p m Tuesday Nov 11 at the Ford Community & Performing Arts Center 15801 Michigan Ave Dearborn Call (800) 521 5362 or visit www.rossmortgage.com

HOME BUYER CLASS

Learn how to buy a home of your own 7 9 p m Tuesday Nov 11 at a free workshop offered by Rosemary Firestone of Re/Max 100 Inc at Michigan Title in Livonia Call (734) 420 9600 for information and to reserve a seat

REAL ESTATE SEMINAR

Manny Schatz of Danville California based Professional Builder Services will instruct attendees on how to learn a systematic approach to minimizing objections and improving your closing ratio at the real estate continuing education seminar 8 a m to 4 p m Wednesday

Nov 12 at Charter One Bank 1250 W 14 Mile Road in Troy Call (248) 862 1033

PRE-LICENSE CLASS

Get the help you need to pass the Michigan state builder's license examination with a 16 hour comprehensive seminar offered by Livonia Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute The seminar begins 6 10 p m Monday Nov 10 and Wednesday Nov 19 at Holmes School 16200 Newburgh Road Livonia To pre register no later than Thursday Nov 6 call (734) 744 2602

PROTECT YOUR MONEY

Know your rights and responsibilities as you embark on the biggest investment of your lifetime Walled Lake Community Education in cooperation with Oakland Builders Institute will offer a unique comprehensive 16 hour seminar on Home Building Protecting You and Your Money will be offered 6 10 p m Monday Nov 10 and Wednesday Nov 19 at Walled Lake Middle School 46720 W Pontiac Trail Payment is required for with registration by Thursday Nov 6 Call (248) 956 5000

Montpelier votes to require sprinklers in new homes

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

City council members voted this week to require all new construction, including single-family homes, to have fire-fighting sprinklers The ordinance does not cover existing buildings or those being renovated, although some state laws cover some public and commercial buildings under renovation

Sprinklers are heat-triggered devices that shower water into rooms to control fire and smoke until the fire department can respond

Sprinklers for commercial buildings may require special plumbing and larger dedicated pipes, but Montpelier Fire

Chief Norm Lewis said residential sprinklers can be attached to existing home water supplies

The council approved the ordinance by a 5-1 margin Lewis testified before the council that alarms alone were not enough

Council member Cheryl Fischer voted against the proposal She said she supported commercial sprinklers but argued requiring the devices in homes might discourage the creation of affordable housing She added the city council should do more research on the proposal

'We need to get some people from the affordable housing community in here,' Fischer said

MOVERS AND SHAKERS

This column highlights promotions transfers hirings awards won and other news within the real estate construction architecture and mortgage communities

Send a brief summary including town of residency and photo to Real Estate Movers and Shakers Attn Keely Kaleski Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 805 E Maple Birmingham MI 48009 Our fax number is (248) 644 1314

Kilkka joins RE/MAX

Barbara Kilkka has joined the real estate office RE/MAX in the Hills in Bloomfield Hills announced Broker/Owner Joan Downing Kilkka is new to the real estate industry Prior to joining RE/MAX as a sales associate she worked in the residen-

tial construction industry as a specialist for Owens Corning Fiberglass she is the director of a nationwide public relations program called The Home Energy Check

Specialist hired

Commercial real estate leader CB Richard Ellis Inc recently hired Ronald Gernay as a First Vice President with the Industrial Properties Group Gernay's focus will be on Industrial brokerage in Western Wayne County as well as multi market tenant representation for key international accounts Gernay is a resident of Troy

New associate

William Moore has joined the real

estate office RE/MAX Classic in Farmington Hills announced broker/owner Carol Boji Moore has been in the real estate industry for seven years Prior to joining RE/MAX as a sales associate he was with Century 21 Hartford South for one year and Century 21 Today for six years

Kilinski welcomed

Cheryl Kilinski has joined the real estate office RE/MAX Vision in Huntington Woods announced Broker/Owner Kimberly Hosner Kilinski has been in real estate for 12 years She is a director and past president of the Royal Oak Kiwanis Club active member of the Royal Oak Chamber of Commerce Membership committee

New officers

The Detroit chapter of Commercial Real Estate Women (CREW Detroit) recently elected its 2004 05 director and officers They include President/National Delegate Susan Mero President elect/ National Delegate Joan Cleland Secretary/Communication Liaison Monica Labe Treasurer/Sponsorship Liaison Janet Howard Director/Real Estate Liaison Gail von Staden Director/Programming Liaison Marilyn Nix and Debra Osuch Director/Community Outreach Gloria Koster Director/Golf Outing Liaison Carol Ann Arvan and Past President/ Nominating Chair Jennifer Tallman McLean

DETROIT This home says Come in! You'll feel right at home the moment you step into this well built brick home 3 bedrooms, 2 baths and eat in kitchen Many updates Owner is anxious to move Good location and only \$135 900 (D72Cba)

SOUTHFIELD Beautiful well maintained 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch w/huge private gorgeous yard Home has hardwood floors large closets & many updates including Kitchen roof heating 4 car garage newer addition w/family rm dining rm bdrm full bath & sunroom New formal entry Special financing on this home \$204 900 (D50Car)

LIVONIA Spectacular wooded lot w/ravine & creek on this 2 828 sq ft colonial offering full partially finished walk out basement w/huge family rm w/fieldstone fireplace 3 car side entry garage huge kitchen 2nd floor laundry can be 4th bedroom 1st floor den sprinklers circular drive home warranty and tons more! \$484 900 (L47Cam)

LIVONIA THIS ONE IS READY & WAITING and priced right for this lovely 3 bedroom colonial in NW Livonia Updates include windows roof furnace C/A & appliances! Spacious bedrooms finished basement 1st floor laundry & all the amenities \$256 900 (L90Gabb)

LIVONIA Gorgeous 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath cape cod offers roomy 1st floor master suite w/walk in closet and huge ceramic bath 1st floor laundry large den or library & beautiful kitchen w/islant and Pergo floor Beautifully landscaped! Great deck for outdoor entertaining! Hurry! \$364 900 (L78Gie)

REDFORD Very well kept affordable home Owners have done all the updates Windows furnace C/A kitchen electrical plumbing Finished basement 1 1/2 car garage and a fenced yard Shows very well! \$128 000 (L27VWoo)

DETROIT Super 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath brick ranch w/aluminum trim offering full finished basement w/half bath & dry bar newer 2 1/2 car garage w/opener security system glass block basement windows refinished hardwood floors All bedrooms have ceiling fans updated bath thermal windows newer furnace quick occupancy & more! \$147 900 (L05Nor)

DETROIT Beautiful 3 bedroom 1 bath brick 1 1/2 story bungalow with all new updates Kitchen bath furnace plumbing new carpet throughout Full basement Natural fireplace in living room Nice fenced yard Separate dining room A must see! Good investment property! Motivated sellers! Make an offer \$79 900 (L53For)

Follow your favorite high school sports team each week in the Observer

Quality Real Estate **GMAC**
 37699 Six Mile (Suite 200), Livonia
 (734) 462-3000

COLDWELL BANKER
 PREFERRED, REALTORS®

 SMART VALUE - You'll feel right at home in this 5 bedroom colonial with roomy yard Ceramic foyer gracious formal living and dining combo family room w/fireplace Modern kitchen w/window seat enclosed sun room, laundry room incl Appliances Fully landscaped & freshly painted \$267 900 (070BE)	 GARDEN CITY DELIGHT! - Completely updated with hardwood floors new kitchen with all the appliances ceramic baths leaded glass front door finished basement with a wet bar central air and security system Vinyl windows new HWH roof and 16x16 wood deck immediate occupancy \$184 900 (520FL)	 DESIRED LIVONIA SUB 3 bedrooms with an open floor plan & neutral decor Ceramic foyer opens to a beautiful great room w/fireplace Spacious kitchen w/doorwall to deck Formal dining and 1st floor laundry Master w/cathedral ceiling WIC jetted tub & separate shower Extra deep basement \$374 900 (328CO)	 PRIVATE WOODED LOT - Open flowing floor plan features 2 story foyer spacious great room library 1st floor master suite finished basement with full bath kitchen includes quality appliances and a large deck that overlooks a pond \$399 900 (549FO)	 PLYMOUTH CAPE COD CONDO - First floor master suite 2 bedroom & full bath up w/loft overlooking great room oak kitchen w/granite counters daylight window basement hardwood floors in foyer kitchen powder room & hall 1st floor laundry 2 1/2 car attached garage central vac deck w/hot tub private setting \$334 900 (550Pi)	 IT DOESN'T GET BETTER THAN THIS! - Livonia 3 bedroom ranch with an in ground pool on a quiet low traffic street New roof in 2001 new furnace and a/c in 1999 updated main bath with whirlpool tub family room with fireplace 2 car garage and a partially finished basement \$219 000 (626CO)	 GREAT LIVONIA BUY - Spacious 3 bedroom contemporary large living and family room with walkout Newly tied kitchen and dining area hardwood floors throughout 1 1/2 baths partially finished basement attached carport and a 2 1/2 car garage Move in condition \$194 500 (535LA)	
 PERFECTLY LOCATED CONDO - Private location faces woods Perfect parking End unit ranch Spacious formal kitchen and bath have skylights Formal dining room Kitchen has plentiful cabinets and built in desk (upgrade from original floor plan) Huge full private basement carpeted Neutral throughout private deck beautiful landscaping \$139 900 (449AR)	 POPULAR NEIGHBORHOOD - Cute 3 bedroom home near shopping schools & freeway access Updated kitchen & baths Fresh paint updated windows 3rd bedroom w/WIC adjoining lav & door wall to the patio 2 car garage gleaming hardwood floors home warranty plus 1000 credit to buyers at closing \$176 000 (239CA)	 PERFECT STARTER HOME - All the major updating has been done! Roof furnace windows siding central air remodeled bath with ceramic tile flooring in the bath & foyer Freshly painted throughout Cove moldings utility room & shed All appliances stay Super 3 bedroom in Wayne \$105 000 (121HU)	 ONE-OF-A-KIND LOG CABIN HOME - This home on 3 39 acres w/4 bedrooms 3 1/2 baths gourmet kitchen w/Corian counters top of the line appliances Walkout lower level completely finished w/full kitchen bath rec room & fireplace 2 story pole barn & lower level is heated A nature lovers dream \$659 900 (406JE)	 IMMACULATE! - Awesome 3 bedroom all brick ranch in prime area of Livonia! Newer windows tear off roof 98 newer furnace newer central air Very neutral throughout Sunroom overlooking large serene yard come take a look! \$189 800 (454PO)	 CANTON CONTEMPORARY - 3 bedroom Tri level located in the Carillon Village Sub near Canton Updated kitchen central air and newer carpet Family room with a cozy fireplace large front porch patio and lot Immediate occupancy \$157 900 (181NO)	 TOTALLY UPDATED QUAD - 4 bedrooms and 2 full baths with updates galore! Furnace A/C HWH Vinyl insulated windows glass block new roof shingles (tear off) Oak and Lucite handrails bow window ceramic foyer extra insulation custom enclosed fireplace updated oak kitchen w/leaded glass service door! \$179 900 (936ED)	
 JUST MOVE IN! - Walking distance to shopping area 2 bedroom vinyl sided home with newer Wallside windows roof and furnace Large 60x309 lot Great for starters or retirees \$109 500 (616GL)	 AWESOME BRICK RANCH - Come and see this well maintained 3 bedroom ranch with a detached 2 car garage and a beautiful lot Updated include the entire kitchen vinyl windows tear off roof landscaping and sod A must see \$154 900 (434RO)	 HARD TO FIND DETACHED CONDO - 2 bedrooms and 2 full baths in a quiet court setting Oak kitchen 1st floor laundry attached 2 car garage full basement even a treed yard with an inviting patio Perfectly located close to the library shopping and restaurants \$184 900 (296TW)	 SIMPLY WONDERFUL - Northville mailing on this beautiful Cape Cod/Colonial that is only 5 years old 4 bedrooms and 2 5 baths with lots of room and additional space in the walk out basement Side entry garage and 1st floor master Call for an appointment and see for yourself! \$374 900 (867PA)	 VACANT LAND	 PERFECT LOCATION - Build your dream home on this 3 5 acre parcel in Salem Township Nice rural family development Close to Plymouth Northville Ann Arbor South Lyon Surveyed and perked - ready to build \$144 900 (288JE)	 LARGE FAMILY HOME - 4 bedrooms and 2 5 baths with over 2100 square feet of living space Maintenance free brick and aluminum siding Ready for your family to move right in! Call now \$115 000 (584FO)	 WESTLAND RANCH - Wow! Check out the list of updates in this fabulous 3 bedroom ranch! Newer furnace air electrical copper plumbing roof vinyl windows and siding entry doors and carpet New oak kitchen includes appliances patio door to the new deck & fenced yard Finished basement and a 2 car garage \$147 900 (732GL)

All Real Estate Companies are not the same
DISCOVER THE DIFFERENCE
 PROFESSIONALISM • SATISFACTION • RESULTS

Visit us on our Web Site...
 www.cbpreferred.com

MORTGAGE FINANCING
 We'll beat any lender's price, or pay you \$250* Guaranteed loan decision the same day you apply or we pay you \$250

1-888-895-2536
 Toll Free

COLDWELL BANKER MORTGAGE

NORTHVILLE/NOVI (248) 305-6090	CANTON (734) 392-6000	FARMINGTON (248) 478-6022	WESTLAND/GARDEN CITY (734) 392-6000	PLYMOUTH (734) 459-6000	LIVONIA (734) 425-6060
--	---------------------------------	-------------------------------------	---	-----------------------------------	----------------------------------

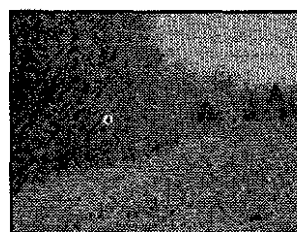
COLDWELL BANKER SCHWEITZER REAL ESTATE



OPEN SUNDAY 1-3
PLYMOUTH \$529,900
Beacon Meadows Sub 4 bedroom 3 1/2 bath Colonial Spacious kitchen w/nook lg island w/smooth cooktop MBR w/FP jetted tub Tiled foyer w/oak staircase Doorwall to lg deck Fin bsmt w/full bath & wet bar BGP 01Wes 888 870 9127



Vacant Land
ANN ARBOR \$160,000
Build your dream home here Beautiful building site with great access to Joy or Vorheis Area of quality built homes Land contract available Call later for details (BGSlyVL2VO) 888 870 9131



ANN ARBOR \$99,500
Beautiful 1.65 acre lot 10 minute commute to north campus area Pine trees form west border perked surveyed and ready for your dream house (BGSlyVACJO) 888 870 9131



BELLEVILLE \$149,900
Priced to Sell! and on 1 Acre Lowest priced 1 acre home in area! updated oak kitchen windows doors roof Hardwood floors 3 out buildings with electric A lot of room to add sq ft full basement (BGN70TYL) 888 870 9123



BRIGHTON \$392,900
Ultimate Wooded Paradise on 1.17 Acres! 2457 sq ft 2000 year built 3br 2.5 bath 3 car garage walkout bsmt Fieldstone fireplace jacuzzi tub in master Leaded entry (BGN98VAN) 888 870 9123



CANTON \$294,900
Enjoy Carefree Condominium Living! Wow! 2002 built 3 BR condo w/loft & first floor master Located in popular Canton golf course community Upgraded lighting gas fireplace 1st floor laundry Must see! BGP 50CIE 888 870 9127



CANTON \$209,900
Fully Handicap Accessible! Rails Throughout Seated Shower In Mast Bath 1st Fl Mstr Bedroom & Laundry Two Decks \$300 Gift Certificate To Home Depot To Buyer At Closing OEL54SAR 888 870 9105



DETROIT \$170,000
Spacious Ranch 3 Bdrm/2 Car Baths Lg Picture Windows W/marble Sills Newer Kitchen Fin Bsmt Wood Panel/wet Bar/ 2nd Frpl In Bsmt Newer Furn & C/A & HWH OEL41OUT 888 870 9105



DEARBORN \$139,900
This is not a drive by must see inside! Attractive open floor plan Kitchen opens to beautiful family room w/new woodburner plus 3 season sunroom 1st floor master bdrm Partial finished basement (BGSly36UN) 888 870 9131



DETROIT \$139,900
Highly updated home includes 3 Fireplaces 2 Gas & One Natural 1st Floor 2 Br Lr Dr Kitchen & Bath 2nd Floor Lr Dr Kitchen Br Bath 1/2 Bath Finished Lower Level Amazing! OEL46FRE 888 870 9105



DETROIT \$90,000
Featuring Large Living Room With Lovely Fireplaces Finished Basement With 1/2 Bath And Another Room Perfect For A Guest Suite Central Air And Alarm System OEL09WIN 888 870 9105



FARMINGTON HILLS \$369,900
Fabulous Park Like 1/2 Acre Lot! Complements this stunning 4br 2.5 bath updated tudor Cherry kitchen w/many amenities Dimensional shingles Generous room sizes 14ft gazebo (BGN46PAR) 888 870 9123



FARMINGTON HILLS \$310,000
Well Maintained Updated Colonial! 4br 2.5 bath sharp! W/ cul de sac location on a lg private lot Many updates all neutral decor finished basement 1st floor office (BGN15CHE) 888 870 9123



FARMINGTON HILLS \$259,900
Lovely 4br 2.5 ba Colonial w/Updates! In kitchen & baths brand new roof fresh paint & neutral decor newer windows & furnace formal living & dining rms family rm w/frpl & more (BGN61BRA) 888 870 9123



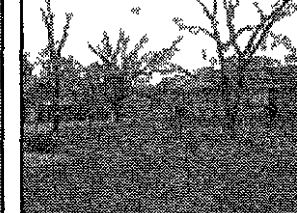
FARMINGTON HILLS \$259,900
These Townhouse Style Condominiums! Rarely come on the market and when they do they sell fast Spacious with 2.5 baths 2 car att garage and stunning decor (BGN54MEA) 888 870 9123



FARMINGTON HILLS \$219,900
So Many Improvements! Incredible 3br 2 ba home boasting just under 1300 sq ft All new windows new roof lrg att gar addit Brand new kit w/new appl Remodeled baths Too much to mention (BGN93MED) 888 870 9123



OPEN SUNDAY 1-4
FARMINGTON HILLS \$135,900
Mint condition upper ranch in desirable Echo Valley Beautiful kchn w/newer Maple cabinets counter sink & flooring Upgraded cabinets sink mirrors and fixtures in both baths Newer vinyl wndws & DW Gas & water inc in Assoc Fee OEL53ECH 888-870 9105



GREGORY \$235,000
10.3 acres pole barn w/cement floor & elec! Over 3000 sq ft home plus large garage/ workshop! This home is 3 bedrooms 2 baths walkout Come take a look Great price Motivated seller! (BGSly75GRC) 888 870 9131



LIVONIA \$408,000
Backing to Park! Great room dining room kitchen & all bdrms have great view of the woods 3br 2.5 bath w/1st floor mstr den formal dining room 1st floor laundry & huge kitchen (BGN23PEM) 888 870 9123



LIVONIA \$359,900
4 Br 2.5 Bath Colonial 2 story Foyer 1st Flr Laundry Bay Windows In LR & Mstr Bdrm White Kitchen W/built in Oven Paver Brick Patio 2.5 Attached Garage Finished Basement OEL37GLE 888 870 9105



LIVONIA \$349,900
Pride of Ownership & A Wooded Lot! 4br 2.5 ba home w/2350 + sq ft Brick fp & vaulted ceiling in lg oak cabinets w/puff outs lrg breakfast w/bay window Lrg 2 tiered deck out back (BGN48TRI) 888 870 9123



LIVONIA \$254,900
Exc 3 BR 1 1/2 bath brick Tudor colonial in Rosedale Gardens Sub on double lot pretty lr w/fireplace nice kitchen w/updated built in oven range & counters Fantastic formal dr w/entrance to 3 season Fla rm oversized 2.5 car gar OEL30AUB 888 870 9105



LIVONIA \$234,900
Your private resort best describes 3 bedroom 2 full bath home Living room w/tp kitchen w/oak cabinets & appliances Large fr overlooking 1/2 acre lot w/above ground pool w/large wood deck OEL21GRA 888 870 9105



LIVONIA \$209,900
Very Tasteful Remodeled 3br 1.5 Brck Colonial! Backs to woods! Merillat oak kitchen w/newer Kenmore appliances Deep sinks wine rack newer windows furnace hwh roof sliding baths etc Beautiful area (BGN66LIN) 888 870 9123



LIVONIA \$204,900
3 Bedrm 2 Bath Brick Ranch Large Brick Foyer Overlooking Living Rm Open Kitchen Woven/range Pretty Family Rm W/brck Wall FP 2 Car Att Garage OEL22RAM 888 870 9105



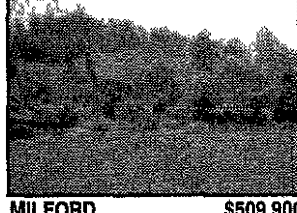
LIVONIA \$194,900
Beautiful Aspen Place Condo 2BR 1.5 BA w/2 car att garage Newer vinyl windows carpet window treatments paint updated bath Enjoy deck on quiet corner w/greenbelt space to side BGP 34Lau 888 870 9127



LIVONIA \$193,000
Tidy Neutral Updated Home! W/275 ft frontage w/ view of city golf club Updates include roof wndws carpet air con private rear yard w/no neighboring property there Home Warranty (BGN30COU) 888 870 9123



LIVONIA \$184,999
Brick Ranch w/Great Value! This buyers choice has newer roof & vinyl windows Copper plumbing full basement & spacious 2 car garage Easy access to highways (BGN65HIK) 888-870 9123



MILFORD \$509,900
Sits On 1.62 Acres That Backs To Woods 4 Brs 3.5 Baths & 1st Flr Master Suite W/sky Lights & Plenty Of Privacy Professionally Fin Bsmt Providing An Addl 1400 Sqft OEL67HER 888 870 9105



NORTHVILLE TWP \$436,000
Northville! First Offering! One year old fabulous Cape Cod condominium on a quiet court backing into a stunning protected woodlands EVERY DESIRED UP GRADE Unrivaled! BGP 77CYP 888 870 9127



NORTHVILLE TWP \$229,900
A Must See with many expansion possibilities Nearly 2/3 acre w/mature trees surrounded by custom built homes Fresh & clean w/new ceramic floors in kit hall & lower level baths BGP 61Bec 888 870 9127



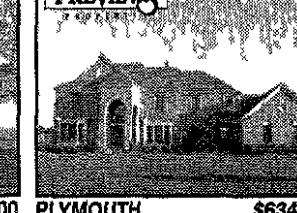
NOVI \$424,900
Metuculous Colonial! Royal Crown features clean colonial surrounded by mature trees Spacious LR & DR GR has FP & cath ceiling Neutral throughout! Lg master w/jacuzzi tub Finished bsmt BGP 20Fox 888 870 9127



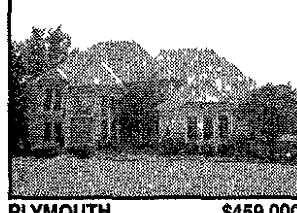
PINCKNEY \$296,900
Beautiful 3 BR colonial on 2 acres Pond in front house w/matching 30x30 pole barn Family RM w/fieldstone fireplace Merillat Kinetic & Bryant all the best Better than new home (BGSly06FRU) 888 870 9131



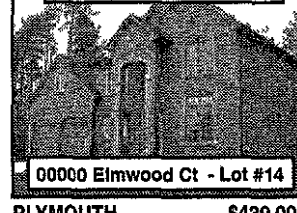
PLYMOUTH \$267,500
A rare find! A ranch in charming Woodbrook Towering trees winding streets close enough to walk to town! Great floor plan Gracious foyer w/slate floor 2 full abths FR w/FP/ 2 car garage (BGP78CHA) 888 870 9127



PLYMOUTH \$634,900
Plymouths Popular Country Club Village! Strathmore model 2 way frpl in family rm/kitchen Corian counters & Maple cabinets in kitchen fantastic mstr ste w/sitting area & jacuzzi 4 car gar (BGN65PLY) 888 870 9123



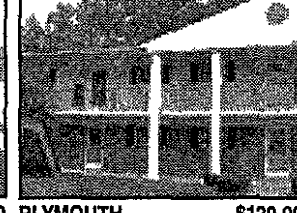
PLYMOUTH \$459,000
A Class Act! One of Plymouths best! Prestigious setting for this impressive colonial Soaring atrium foyer great room LR gourmet kit DR & den Neutral decor Flawless in & out BGP 96Cov 888 870 9127



OPEN SATURDAY 1-4
PLYMOUTH \$439,000
New affordable construction In Plymouth! On small lake w/stonecast FP cherry cbnt granite cnts Custom mlde & trim Brazilian hwdw flrs Ceramic BA & laundry 4BR 2.5BA daylight bsmt Available in late Oct BGP 00Elm 888 870 9127



PLYMOUTH \$192,000
Beautiful Lake Pointe! Brick ranch has 3BR 2 full baths w/open floor plan HDWD flrs thruout Updates inc newer roof furnace AC HWH windows Fin bsmt w/lots of storage space 2.5 car gar BGP 33Plus 888 870 9127



PLYMOUTH \$120,000
2 Bedroom Charnwood Condo Clean & Neutral! Ready to move in! Close to Hines Park shopping & expressways Overlooks commons All appliances stay & willing to sell furnished BGP 70Ply 888 870 9127



REDFORD \$159,000
Quality Built Newer Home Inviting open floor plan includes island kitchen w/built in dishwasher fireplace master bedroom with bath and walk in closet 2 car garage full basement (BGSly74GAR) 888 870 9131



REDFORD \$137,900
Hardwood floors in 1st floor bdrms & LR kitchen has new counters & ceramic flooring & doorwall to beautiful deck Newer furnace & C/A copper plumbing electrical cement driveway (OEL79DEL) 888 870 9105



NORTHVILLE \$284,900
Stunning 3 BR ranch in Highlands Fireplace in LR & FR Lg master w/bath Finished bsmt with full bath Fenced in yard backs to woods Walking distance to 4 lakes Lake privileges Florida room (BGSly63RIP) 888 870-9131



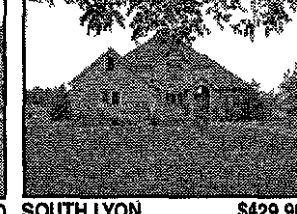
SALEM \$194,900
New construction home in growing small town! Superior craftsmanship in this 3 bdrm 2 bath home Master on 1st floor 2 car garage 200 sq ft unfinished bonus room over garage Super insulation package (BGSly54MCF) 888 870 9131



SOUTHFIELD \$195,000
Beautiful 3 BR 2.5 bath condo with many updates including kitchen cabinets Master suite with walk in closet Stunning decor & excellent condition Best location in Southfield 2 car garage all appliances stay Excellent Value OEL42ROD 888 870 9105



SOUTH LYON \$499,000
Great opportunity! 12 acres 40X60 cement floor pole barn 3100 sq ft ranch & 1200 sq ft finished lower level media room Needs to be seen to appreciate! (BGSly71RUS) 888 870 9131



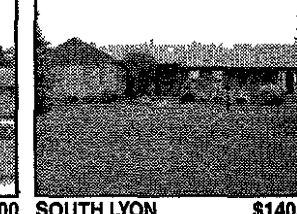
SOUTH LYON \$429,900
Location location location Own a little bit of country with a touch of class! 2 1/2 acres 4 bdrms Great 1st flr master suite Open floor plan soaring ceilings 3+car garage Close to xways (BGSly30HEN) 888 870 9131



SOUTH LYON \$389,000
Classy Country 4 bedroom 3 1/2 bath colonial on 2 1/2 acres stocked pond backing to wetlands Great Rm formal dining 2 fireplaces finished walkout Strictly custom Flawless BGP 53Sev 888 870 9127



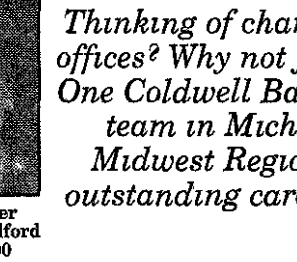
SOUTH LYON \$259,900
Wow! What a great home! Immaculate home with 20x26 cathedral ceiling Great room finished basement hot tub Decking with pool! This home is maintenance free on 1/2 lot Hurry! (BGSly04SEQ) 888 870 9131



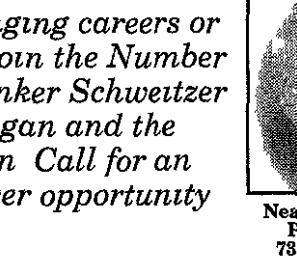
SOUTH LYON \$140,000
Co op 55+community immediate occupancy 3 br 2 ba Wont disappoint you All appliances included Central air Lake priv on sandy beach Call for appt (BGSly45ARL) 888 870 9131



Tricha Kneiding
Northville Novi
248 347-3050



Pam Danaher
South Lyon Milford
248 437-4500



Neal Lanphear
Plymouth
734 453-6800



Dave Owens
Livonia
734-591-0333

Thinking of changing careers or offices? Why not join the Number One Coldwell Banker Schweitzer team in Michigan and the Midwest Region Call for an outstanding career opportunity

Phone In. Move In.

- A same day mortgage decision or we'll pay you \$250*
- To meet your requested closing date or we'll reduce your interest rate by 1/8th of one percent for the life of the loan*
- To beat any lender's price GUARANTEED or pay you \$500**

1-888-767-8615

*Approved conventional purchase loans only **Subject to verification of lender's price and other restrictions.

Livonia Office – 734-591-0333 • Northville Office – 248-347-3050
• Plymouth – 734-453-6800 • South Lyon 248-437-4500

Ann Arbor • Birmingham • Clarkston • Bloomfield Hills • Farmington Hills/W. Bloomfield • Grosse Pointe Hill • Grosse Pointe Woods • Lakes • Livonia • The Macomb Center • Northville • Plymouth • South Lyon • Troy

All ads run online
FREE! A value of
up to \$87.00

Observer & Eccentric

Classified

Ask about
our NEW
**HOT LINK
SERVICE**
www.hometownlife.com

<p>0001-2450 Home & Service Guide</p>	<p>3000-3890 Real Estate For Sale</p>	<p>3890-3980 Commercial Industrial</p>	<p>4000-4980 Real Estate Rent/Lease</p>	<p>5000-5980 Employment Instruction Services</p>
<p>6000-6980 Announcements</p>	<p>7000-7780 Merchandise</p>	<p>7110-7130 Garage and Moving Sale</p>	<p>7800-7980 Animals Pets/Livestock</p>	<p>8000-8780 Automotive Recreational Vehicles</p>

Place your ad toll free at
1-800-579-SELL



Walk-In Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 am - 5:00 pm
Publication Day: SUNDAY PAPER.....5:00PM Friday
Deadline: THURSDAY PAPER.....5:30PM Tuesday
Fax your ad: 734-953-2232



Too Late To Classifieds...

If you missed our regular Tuesday deadline for Thursday's publication, you can now call us 'til Wednesday at 11am and place your ad in our "Too Late To Classified" Section.
Look for this to appear in Section C of the paper!
Let us work for you!

On-line at www.hometownlife.com • E-Mail Us: oads@oe.homecomm.net

3000's Real Estate

3000 Homes	3405 Stockbridge/Linea Ila Gregory
3030 Open Houses	3410 Troy
3040 Ann Arbor	3415 Union Lake
3043 Batavia & Van Buren	3420 Walled Lake
3045 Bloomfield	3423 Wayne
3050 Brighton	3424 West Bloomfield
3055 Byron	3430 West Bloomfield
3070 Canton	3440 West Bloomfield
3080 Clarkston	3442 Wayne
3090 Dearborn	3443 West Bloomfield
3100 Dearborn Hgts	3445 Westland
3120 Detroit	3450 White Lake
3130 Chelsea	3460 Whitmore Lake
3135 Dexter	3470 W. Lamston
3140 Farmington	3480 W. Commerce
3145 Farmington Hills	3481 Ypsilanti
3160 Ferndale	3500 Genesee County
3165 Fowlerville	3510 Ingham County
3170 Garden C ty	3515 Lapeer County
3180 Gross Pointe	3520 Livingston County
3190 Hamburg	3530 Macomb County
3200 Hartland	3540 Oakland County
3210 Highland	3550 Shiawassee County
3220 Holly	3560 Washtenaw County
3230 Howell	3570 Wayne County
3234 Huntington Woods	3580 Lakefront/Waterfront Homes
3235 Keego Harbor	3581 Other Suburban Homes
3236 Lake Orion	3582 Out of State Homes/Property
3238 Lathrup Village	3583 Country Homes
3240 Livonia	3584 Farms/Homes
3250 Livonia	3585 Real Estate Services
3255 Livonia	3586 New Home Builders
3260 Livonia	3587 Apartments For Sale
3265 Livonia	3588 Condos
3270 New Hudson	3589 Duplexes & Townhouses
3280 Northville	3590 Manufactured Homes
3290 Novi	3591 Mobile Homes
3300 Oak Grove	3592 Commercial/Retail For Sale
3305 Oak Park	3593 Homes Under Construction
3310 Orion Township	3594 Lakefront Property
3315 Orchard Lake	3595 Lakes & River Resort Property
3318 Oxford	3596 Northern Property
3320 Perry	3597 Resort & Vacation Property
3340 Pinkney	3598 Southern Property
3345 Pleasant Ridge	3599 Lots & Acreage/Vacant
3347 Plymouth	3600 Time Shares
3350 Redford	3601 Lease/Options To Buy
3360 Rochester	3602 Mortgage/Land Contracts
3370 Royal Oak	3603 Money To Loan
3380 Salem-Salem Township	3604 Real Estate Wanted
3390 Southfield-Lathrup	3605 Cemetery Lots
3400 South Lyon	3606 Commercial/Industrial For Sale

Open Houses **3030**

Bloomfield Hills
OPEN SUNDAY 1 4
130 Garden #25
S/Long Lake & W/Woodward
Sophisticated urban ranch
style condo Executive retreat
In Bloomfield Hills End unit
surrounded by woods & total
privacy Stylish decor w/9
ceilings Heated underground
parking with elevator Exquisite
grounds 302A 23081605
\$850 000
Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke
800-840 6777

Bloomfield
OPEN HOUSE SAT & SUN
1 4 PM
1151 Hill Points Cir
3 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths This
2 story home with 1800 sq ft
of living space 2 car garage
Bloomfield Hills school
district This wonderful home
is priced at \$324 900
Home Quarters Real Estate
(248) 567 3700

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP
OPEN SAT 11am 2pm 1967
Raymond Place N/Lons Pine
W/Franklin 1 3 acres Walnut
Lake privileges Renovated in
2000 \$750 000
Owner/Broker 248 737 1935

**BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE
COLONIAL**
SAT & SUN 12 4PM Great
house featuring crown
molding hardwood floors
granite counter tops all
new bathrooms large deck
w/hot tub and finished
lower level w/possible 5th
bedroom or home office 4
bed 4 baths library family
room Birmingham schools
\$999 000 450 Hupp
Cross N/W of Maple East
of Lahser 248 540 0517

FARMINGTON HILLS Open
Sun 1 5 29621 Minglewood
Ln Brick ranch 3 bedroom 2
bath open floor plan 2 2 1/2
car garage full bsmt w/dri-
tional finished bedroom
\$279 900 248 737 2410

GROSSE POINTE FARMS
OPEN SUN 1-4
Elegant custom built home 5
houses from lake 3 900 sq ft
4 bedroom 3 full 3 half
baths library custom granite
kitchen and more!! 12 Rose
Terrace (no sign) Street
meets at Lakeshore and Fisher
Rd. \$995 000
Dori Daskas (313) 909 8259
COLDWELL BANKER
Schweitzer Real Estate
74 Kercheval

Livonia
OPEN SUNDAY 1 4
28945 Morlock
S of 8 Mile E off Middlebelt
2000 built 2100 sq ft colonial
w/3 bed 2 5 baths basement
& 2 car garage Private 1/2
acre lot \$269 900 Call Quality
GMAC Pennr (734) 542 2527
or Dennis (734) 542 2558

North Royal Oak
OPEN SATURDAY 1 4
4715 Coolidge
Completely remodeled condo
conversions 1 bedrooms incl
carport all kitchen appliances
wall a/c unit & private patio
balcony Starting at \$83 900
Century 21 Town & Country
Call Chris Pero 248 642 8100

NOVI CONDO Open Sun 1
5 24235 Weatherlane Ct 10
Mile & Taft 1604 sq ft 3 beds
2 1/2 baths 2 car garage gas
fireplace carpeted bsmt
\$239 900 248 348 1327

Plymouth
Just Listed
OPEN SUNDAY 1 4
3887 Quail Circle S/off
Ann Arbor Rd on Hill
crest W/Beck Beautiful 4
bed 3 full bath 3136
sq ft 1 1/2 story on pre-
mium commons lot Come
see \$459 900

KAREN BROWN
248 348 3000 ext 212
RE/MAX 100

Plymouth
OPEN SUNDAY 1 4 PM
42264 Hammill Ln
S of Schoolcraft W of
Haggerty
4 bed 2 bath ranch Family
room & fireplace (LD&HAM)
\$299 900 Call Lynn DeJohn
(734) 216-2800
QUALITY PROPERTIES INC
GMAC REAL ESTATE
(734) 451 5400

WESTLAND 3 bed 1 5 bath
New windows furnace A/C
& more \$189 900 Open 11/
10 5 & 11/2 10 4 32628
Bertram Call 734 266 6296

Beverly Hills
Walk to Beverly Park! This
totally updated colonial
situated on a private lot
features 4 bed 3 5 baths
updated gourmet kitchen
w/stainless steel appliances
refinished hardwood floors &
1st floor laundry \$454 900

Reduced! Classic Nottingham
Forest colonial on a beautiful
park like lot offers formal
living room dining room
library kitchen overlooking
great room w/skyllites &
doorwall to rear yard
\$404 000

Spacious colonial in popular
Georgetown Sub features new
roof 4 bed 2 5 baths living
room dining room eat in
kitchen family room w/gas
fireplace & doorwall to 2
tiered brick patio \$364 900

For interior photos visit
www.BeverlyHillsSpecialist.com

The McBroome Team
RE/MAX Showcase Homes
(248) 647 3200

**BLOOMFIELD VILLAGE
COLONIAL**
SAT & SUN 12 4PM Great
house featuring crown
molding hardwood floors
granite counter tops all
new bathrooms large deck
w/hot tub and finished
lower level w/possible 6th
bedroom or home office 4
bed 4 baths library family
room Birmingham schools
\$999 000 450 Hupp
Cross N/W of Maple East
of Lahser 248 540 0517

STUNNING 4 Bed 3 5 bath
brick Colonial Everything
New! 4 Car Garage \$870 000
ShareNet (248)642 1620

LARGE RANCH
3 Bed 3 bath living dining &
family rooms 2 fireplaces
pool Prime area S/Maple
W/Franklin 4545 Pickering
\$425 000 248 851 5521

RANCH 3 Bed 3 bath Family
room w/wet bar pool under
1/2 acre 3000 sq ft living
space updated No realtors
\$399 900 248 647 1994

RANCH 3 Bed 3 5 bath
Family room w/wet bar 1 5+
acres 5500+ sq ft living
space updated No realtors
\$849 900 (248) 647 1994

SPRAWLING 4 bed 3 5 bath
Ranch bsmt C/A fireplace
3+ car garage \$598 900
ShareNet (248) 642 1620

Brighton **3060**
BRIGHTON/HOWELL 1800
sq ft homes on 1/2 acre lots
Great location paved streets
sidewalk sewers golf &
boating Builders closeout
hurry only 6 lots left
\$180 000 \$220 000 Liberty
Homes 810 225 8944

Canton **3080**
BY OWNER 4 bedrooms
w/pool on cul de sac & 2nd
fairway 751 Sandalwood Ct
Seller is licensed Brokers
welcome 734 397 9724

IMMACULATE RANCH!
This home offers 3 bed s 2
baths Many nice features
bsmt 2 car garage \$268 900
CENTURY 21 PREMIER
(734) 453-4300
44958 Ford Rd Canton

Plymouth Canton Schools
Look no further this is it
3 bed beauty in Stonecrest
backs up to wooded acreage
Finished basement cozy firelit
family room lots of storage
Great location \$289 000
Century 21 Park Place
Beth Ryan (586) 668 2886

REDUCED
\$219,300
1586 Heron Circle Beautiful
1644 sq ft condo open floor
plan 2 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths
with large loft overlooking
great room Gourmet kitchen
2 car garage Great location
Many upgrades! VERY MOT
VATED SELLERS
Call MARILYN W LKIE
313 201 0275
Goldwell Banker Schweitzer
41860 6 Mile Northville

It's all about results!

REDFORD TWP

OPEN SUNDAY
1:00-4:00 P.M.

19180 Denby
(S Seven Mile E Inkster)
1 400 sq ft spacious bungalow with fireplace
in family room 3 bedrooms 2 bath 2 car
garage plus shed on extra large lot

Ameritrust Carol Miller
734-968-1291
810-229-5060

3900-3980 Commercial/Industrial

3900 Business Opportunities	3940 Industrial & Warehouse
3910 Business/Professional	For Sale
3920 Building	Office Business For Lease
3930 Commercial/Retail	Office Space For Sale
For Lease	Commercial & Industrial
3930 Income Property For Sale	For Lease
Industrial & Warehouse	Investment Property
For Lease	Land
3980	3980

1-800-579-SELL

3000-3890 Real Estate For Sale

CLASSIFIEDS THAT WORK FOR YOU! 1-800-579-SELL

Open Houses **3030**

BEVERLY HILLS
OPEN 1-4 SUN NOV 2nd
21880 Hampton beautiful 3
bed Ranch C/A fireplace
bsmt attached garage 1 acre
\$389 900
ShareNet (248) 642 1620

Birmingham 1798 Webster
OPEN SUNDAY 2 4
Adorable 3 bed bungalow
Hardwood floors updated
kitchen w/granite & bath Fin
ished bsmt fenced yard Pack
& move in! Walk to down
town Birmingham \$210 000
LINDA SINGER
(248)752-4211
Real Estate Inc.
7091 Orchard Lk Rd
West Bloomfield

FOR SALE BY OWNER

**LIVONIA 3 HOMES
NEW CONSTRUCTION**
OPEN SAT & SUN 1 3 PM
19081 Brentwood 7 Mile
between Middlebelt &
Inkster 2400 sq ft 4 bed
2 5 bath colonials
(248) 877 9670

Located in Commerce Twp.
Walled Lake Schools 3 minutes from M 5
1756 sq ft quad level home vinyl siding 2
stall attached garage 3 bedroom 2 bath
office semifinished 1/2 basement with 4th
bedroom fireplace all appliances country
decor beautiful landscaping well
maintained lot size 148x107 pool pond
greenhouse many more amenities
Move in condition!!! \$249,900

248-624-5057

WE'RE OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY

www.hometownlife.com

Thinking of Selling?
I'm offering a free Market Analysis...

- Estimate of your home or property's market value
- Summary of current market conditions
- Estimate of average marketing times required to sell
- Identification of successful marketing methods

Each office independently owned & operated

TOM MAKLEBUSI
RE/MAX 100, Inc.
248-348-3300 (Ask for Tom Mak*)
E-mail: TomMakRemax@aol.com
www.manyhouses.com/TomMaklebusi

LIVONIA \$204,900
Very tastefully updated 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath Colonial! Gorgeous 80x120 ft lot - backs to neighbor's woods! Newer Merrillat Oak kitchen w/ Kenmore appliances, deep sink, wine rack, designer Oak edge-banded countertops, etc! Newer windows, roof, siding, master & half baths. Close access to work, schools, recreation and shopping!

KURT PENNEY
(248) 347-3050 ofc.
(248) 240-5501 c/vm
VIP Referral/Corporate Relocations
Member UM Alumni Greater Metro Detroit

COLDWELL BANKER Schweitzer Real Estate
Real Estate
Residential Real Estate

Help U Sell REAL ESTATE
(734) 454-9535

COME VISIT US AT OUR NEW REAL ESTATE & MORTGAGE OFFICE COMPLEX IN CANTON
LOCATED AT 7129 N HAGGERTY ROAD

EMAIL: HOMES@HUSHOMES.COM & VISIT US AT WWW.HUSHOMES.COM

OPEN SUN 1-4 Canton 50611 Fellows Creek
4 bdrm 4 5 bath Colonial 4 car gar Many
amenities approx 3 888 sqft \$629 900

Canton-43697 Yorkville
2 bdrm Cape Cod style condo w/1 bdrm on main
flr End unit backs to woods Deck \$159 900

Canton 1955 Pebble Creek
2 bdrm, 2 5 bath colonial overlooking golf course
2 car att garage & pro finished bsmt. \$254 900

Canton-45105 Horseshoe Circle
Beautiful 2 bdrm, 2 5 bath colonial w/bsmt nat.
fireplace 2 car att gar Great location \$185 000

Canton-47291 Fairlawn Ct
Pulte built in 2000 3 bdrm 1621 sqft ranch
upgrades throughout \$269 900

Dearborn-3400 Woodside
4 bdrm Bungalow featuring updated kitchen
windows roof, siding, fin basement \$134 900

Inkster 26340 Annapolis
Huge 3 bdrm ranch, updated w/ hot tub in ca
basu ceramic tile kitchen, Much More! \$109 900

Inkster-30121 Glenwood
Lovely 3 bdrm brick ranch w/new furnace & C/A
carport, windows ceramic tile & more \$80 000

OPEN SUN 12-4 Van Buren-10823 Jackson
Popular Van Buren Estates 3 bdrm ranch w/vinyl
floor in kitchen steel entry doors \$135 000

Dearborn Heights-6050 Dwight
3 bdrm, 1 5 bath brick ranch w/finished Basem-
ent & 2 car garage. Mint Condition \$174 900

Plymouth- 500 Ford unit B-5
Popular W ilow Brook condos 1 bdrm upper w/
jetted tub new carpet new paint \$89 900

OPEN SUN 12-4 Plymouth 9668 Haggerty
Breasthtaking 3 bdrm ranch over 1 300 sqft f.p
ingrd pool/hot tub lg master fin bsmt \$219 900

OPEN SUN 1-4 Plymouth 365 Roe
2 bdrm ranch featuring fin bsmt W/full bath, 2
car garage, updated kitchen & windows 222,000

Taylor-14245 Ziegler (condo)
2 bdrm condo w clubhouse & pool low assn fee
white bay kitch huge deck, nice location.\$88 000

Ypsilanti-5857 Pine View
3 bdrm 2 bath sprawling ranch 1800+ sqft. 1st flr
laundry basement 2 car att. Garage \$249 900

Redford 17215 Delaware
3 bedroom 1 5 bath brick ranch w/finished base-
ment & 2 5 car garage Central air \$134 900

OPEN SUN 12 4 Redford-20372 Fox
3 bdrm brick ranch w/ vinyl windows new
carpet, fin bsmt garage oak kitchen. \$119 900

****Sellers Ask about our FULL service & LOW commission program Have your home advertised here!****

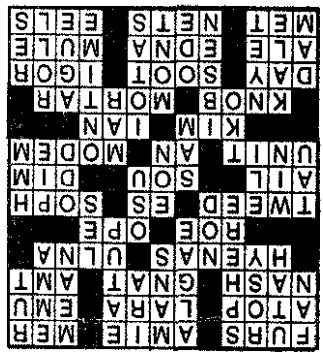
A better way to buy and sell real estate!



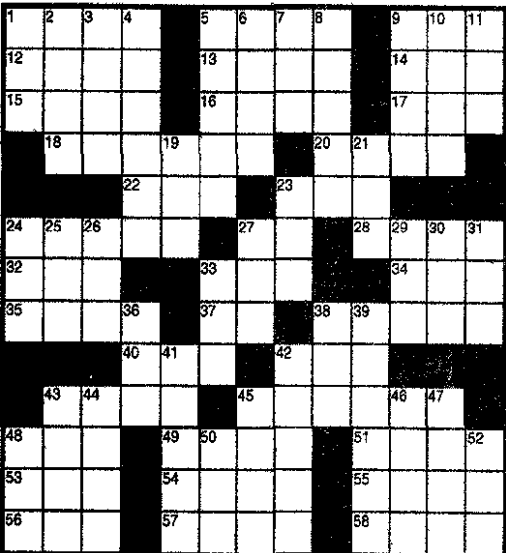
CROSSWORD PUZZLER

- ACROSS**
- 1 Ermine and mink
 - 5 Pierre's girl
 - 9 Mad de
 - 12 Spins like
 - 13 Dr. Zhivago's love
 - 14 Ostich kin
 - 15 Humorous poet
 - 16 Tiny insect
 - 17 Oz or lb
 - 18 Carnon feeders
 - 20 Forearm bone
 - 22 Shad's eggs
 - 23 Unfold in verse
 - 24 Wool fabric
 - 27 Plural ending
 - 28 After frosh
 - 32 Have a cough
 - 33 Not worth a
 - 34 Gloomy
 - 35 Textbook division
 - 37 Lend - ear
 - 38 Web surfer's need

Answers 10-30-03



- DOWN**
- 1 Cooling device
 - 2 Provo's state
 - 3 Blushing
 - 4 Round object
 - 5 Kelps
 - 6 Occupies as a post
 - 7 A Gershwin
 - 8 Dig in (2 wds)
 - 9 Stingy
 - 10 Jane Austen novel
 - 11 Habit
 - 19 Doze off
 - 21 Guitarist
 - 23 Columbus sch
 - 24 Sigma follower
 - 25 Take home a trophy
 - 26 Cotton gin name
 - 27 Long time
 - 29 Weird
 - 30 Dessert pastry
 - 31 Sound of deep thought
 - 33 Private eye
 - 34 Spade
 - 36 Ring decision
 - 38 Scratch
 - 39 Prompt (2 wds)
 - 41 "Peer Gynt" author
 - 42 Smidgens
 - 43 Garden green
 - 44 Bors refusal
 - 45 Big Sky st
 - 46 Flu symptom
 - 47 Teacher's roster
 - 48 Pond maker
 - 50 Byron work
 - 52 Thing in law



REALTOR Compliments of the MCAR

Metropolitan Consolidated Association of REALTORS

STUMPED? Call for Answers • Touch-tone or Rotary phones
95¢ per minute • 1-900-454-3535 ext code 708

Farmington Hills 3145

FARMINGTON HILLS
Nestled on a picturesque parklike setting stunning 2 story soft contemporary style home w/ vaulted ceiling hard wood floors trapezoidal windows 6 panel doors & so much more Living room dining room family room w/ fireplace 3 beds 2 full & 2 half baths Updated kitchen w/ granite counters break fast bar recessed lights & appliances Finished bsmt Custom deck 2 car garage Newer furnace & C/A \$329,900 (RH377)



HOT! HOT! HOT!

HOMES IN THE HILLS

THIS HOME IS A 10!
Stunning 3 610 sq ft brick colonial deep in sub 20 story foyer w/ hardwood floor & French doors to library Living room w/soaring ceilings great room w/wet bar family room w/ fireplace & door to Florida room Well planned kitchen wonderful master suite and partially finished basement Deck with gazebo & garage! Linden Schools \$228,000
ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888 211 9560 810 632 7427

COLOSSAL RANCH

A large prime cul de sac location for 2,215 sq ft 3 bed 2.5 bath brick ranch Formal living & dining rooms Family room w/replace Kit chen w/breakfast area Master bed w/walk in closet & private bath Part finished bsmt Patio 2 car garage Near x ways \$229,900 (GL292)



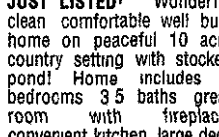
Century 21 Today

(248) 855 2000

www.century21today.com

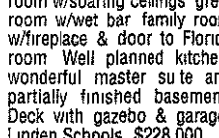
Harland 3200

JUST LISTED! Very appealing well maintained 3 bedroom waterfront home 12x24 deck off living room Home is freshly painted and has an open floor plan Nice kitchen Great views of the lake from its many windows Large lot and Hartland Schools \$272,000
JUST LISTED! Lovely new 3 bedroom 3 bath ranch with spectacular wooded 27 acre setting features a natural fireplace in great room with cultured stone surround and oak mantle Kitchen/dining area leads to 20x14 screened porch Walkout basement with full bath is ready for your finishing touches! Hartland Schools \$325,000
JUST LISTED! Wonderful clean comfortable well built home on peaceful 10 acre country setting with stocked pond! Home includes 4 bedrooms 3 1/2 baths great room w/ fireplace convenient kitchen large deck off dining area finished walkout basement with door to covered patio 3 car attached garage and Hartland Schools \$435,000
ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888 211 9560 810 632 7427



WOODBURY PARK

4 bedroom cape cod 1st floor master wooded lot 3000 sq ft 2 1/2 bath built in 1997 Loaded w/extras Freshly painted \$499,000
734 464 8774 for appt



Northville 3280

BY OWNER Beautifully appointed 5100 sq ft colonial 5 bedrooms 4 baths gourmet kitchen first floor master suite with over sized his/her walk in closet finished walk out basement with hot tub 3 car garage Many upgrades A must see at \$695,000 248 344 9034



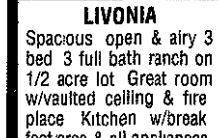
LOVELY BRICK COLONIAL

in prestigious North Beacon Woods Attractive updated and meticulously maintained 4 bed w/2 1/2 baths 3173 sq ft Large lot w/glamorous landscaping Full bsmt RE/MAX 100 (248) 348 3000
THE FIRESTONE TEAM



Northville (1 1/2 Wooded Acres)

Large luxury home formal living room large Great room 2 master br 3-4 5 others 5 fireplaces 1/4 tax deductible office area granite kitchen marble bath brick floors large 8 person spa space for pool/hot tub w/putting green or family entertainment center \$1,295,000 (248) 349 1380



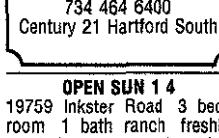
Northville

Large luxury home 2 formal living rooms large Great room 3 fireplaces 4 1/2 b 1/3 tax deductible office area Great master br with attached hobby/exercise room & garden room Space for projection room putting green or family entertainment area Foyer with perior & elevator Tucked into hillside 90% finished with new owner to pick all finish work \$795,000 (248) 349 1380



Northville Colony Estates

Ranch 1600 sq ft on wooded lot 3 bedrooms large Great room w/cathedral ceiling natural fireplace living room all appliances ca Sprinklers new furnace/roof newer water heater & wood windows \$289,000 248 767 9945



OUTSTANDING!

This 5 bed 3 1/2 bath home is located on 5 acres Walkout bsmt 2 car garage \$449,900
Century 21 Premier
44958 Ford Rd Canton
Plymouth 3347



GREAT FIND

2 bed home w/garage & heated porch \$169,900
Century 21 Towne Pride
(734) 326 2600
www.century21townepride.com



3 BEDROOM BUNGALOW

W/ hardwood floors through out Spacious bedroom & sitting room upstairs Updated furnace Walkout laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165



MUST SEE!

12109 Cardwell N/Wly mouth Winkster 3 bed room 2 bath fully updated ranch Finished basement all appliances \$145,000
CHERYL BOWEN
734 464 6400
Century 21 Hartford South



OPEN SUN 1 4

19759 Inlster Road 3 bed room 1 bath ranch fresh painted new appliances new bath whirlpool tub heated floor finished bsmt custom laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165

RANCH BY OWNER

4 bed rooms 2.5 baths approx 1700 sq ft country kitchen finished bsmt many updates \$229,500 (734) 525 0446 go to genehome.com/060866

RANCH 2 bed 1 bath

spacious kitchen updated through out lg laundry room lg corner lot backs to park \$99,900

CALL PATTY HAWLEY

HOMETOWN
734 459 6222

Earn extra \$\$ advertise with O & E
1-800-579-SELL

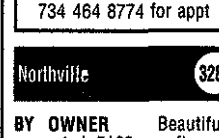
Livonia 3250

State Streets Super Value!
Sharp 3 bed brick ranch w/natural fireplace sharp finished bsmt huge 2 1/2 car garage updated thru No money down! Only \$175,900
JOHN MARKER 313 850 3029
www.johnsells.com



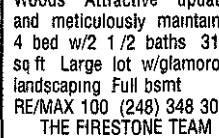
STUNNING TRI LEVEL

With 2358 sq ft 3 bedrooms open floor plan Vaulted ceilings fireplace new windows air roof plumbing all appliances Lots of living space 2 1/2 car garage Deck Big yard \$200,000
734 525 9600
Century 21 Hartford North



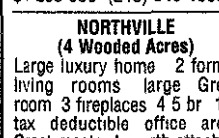
WOODBURY PARK

4 bedroom cape cod 1st floor master wooded lot 3000 sq ft 2 1/2 bath built in 1997 Loaded w/extras Freshly painted \$499,000
734 464 8774 for appt



Northville 3280

JUST LISTED! Features included in this 2500 sq ft 4 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths 1 1/2 story include a pretty living room w/soaring ceilings great room w/wet bar family room w/replace & door to Florida room Well planned kitchen wonderful master suite and partially finished basement Deck with gazebo & garage! Linden Schools \$228,000
ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888 211 9560 810 632 7427



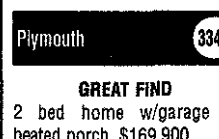
Livonia 3250

By Owner 15000 Bannbridge 4 bedroom home on 3 acres For information call 734 422 2001 734 751 9674



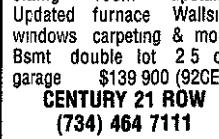
FIRST TIME BUYERS

Free List of properties available under \$300,000 Free recorded Message 1 866 449 7814 DF0507 or visit LivoniaHomeSales.com



AVOID 6 COSTLY ERRORS

WHEN MOVING TO A LARGER HOME
Free Report Available
Free recorded Message 1 866 449 7814 DF0507 or visit LivoniaHomeSales.com
Re/Max 100



LIVE IN LIVONIA

With Livonia Schools for \$174,900! Wonderful clean Ranch Great bed & ses huge kitchen Everything updated w/ a full finished bsmt too Don't miss this one!
CALL KIM IMES
734 453 8700
CROSSROADS



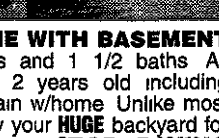
LIVONIA

Spacious open & airy 3 bed 3 full bath ranch on 1 1/2 acre lot Great room w/vaulted ceiling & fireplace Kitchen w/break fast area & all appliances (Washer & dryer stay too)! Oak floors thru out the home Part finished bsmt C/A 2 car garage Patio & above ground pool \$247,900 (PA194)



LOADS OF EXTRAS!

3 bed ranch new maple kitchen built in appliances new bath whirlpool tub heated floor finished bsmt custom laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165



MUST SEE!

12109 Cardwell N/Wly mouth Winkster 3 bed room 2 bath fully updated ranch Finished basement all appliances \$145,000
CHERYL BOWEN
734 464 6400
Century 21 Hartford South



OPEN SUN 1 4

19759 Inlster Road 3 bed room 1 bath ranch fresh painted new appliances new bath whirlpool tub heated floor finished bsmt custom laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165

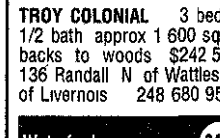
Livonia 3250

State Streets Super Value!
Sharp 3 bed brick ranch w/natural fireplace sharp finished bsmt huge 2 1/2 car garage updated thru No money down! Only \$175,900
JOHN MARKER 313 850 3029
www.johnsells.com



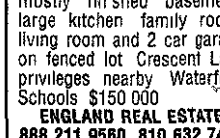
STUNNING TRI LEVEL

With 2358 sq ft 3 bedrooms open floor plan Vaulted ceilings fireplace new windows air roof plumbing all appliances Lots of living space 2 1/2 car garage Deck Big yard \$200,000
734 525 9600
Century 21 Hartford North



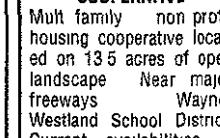
WOODBURY PARK

4 bedroom cape cod 1st floor master wooded lot 3000 sq ft 2 1/2 bath built in 1997 Loaded w/extras Freshly painted \$499,000
734 464 8774 for appt



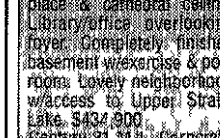
Northville 3280

JUST LISTED! Features included in this 2500 sq ft 4 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths 1 1/2 story include a pretty living room w/soaring ceilings great room w/wet bar family room w/replace & door to Florida room Well planned kitchen wonderful master suite and partially finished basement Deck with gazebo & garage! Linden Schools \$228,000
ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888 211 9560 810 632 7427



Livonia 3250

By Owner 15000 Bannbridge 4 bedroom home on 3 acres For information call 734 422 2001 734 751 9674



FIRST TIME BUYERS

Free List of properties available under \$300,000 Free recorded Message 1 866 449 7814 DF0507 or visit LivoniaHomeSales.com



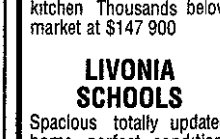
AVOID 6 COSTLY ERRORS

WHEN MOVING TO A LARGER HOME
Free Report Available
Free recorded Message 1 866 449 7814 DF0507 or visit LivoniaHomeSales.com
Re/Max 100



LIVE IN LIVONIA

With Livonia Schools for \$174,900! Wonderful clean Ranch Great bed & ses huge kitchen Everything updated w/ a full finished bsmt too Don't miss this one!
CALL KIM IMES
734 453 8700
CROSSROADS



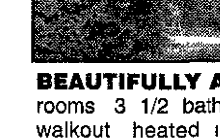
LIVONIA

Spacious open & airy 3 bed 3 full bath ranch on 1 1/2 acre lot Great room w/vaulted ceiling & fireplace Kitchen w/break fast area & all appliances (Washer & dryer stay too)! Oak floors thru out the home Part finished bsmt C/A 2 car garage Patio & above ground pool \$247,900 (PA194)



LOADS OF EXTRAS!

3 bed ranch new maple kitchen built in appliances new bath whirlpool tub heated floor finished bsmt custom laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165



MUST SEE!

12109 Cardwell N/Wly mouth Winkster 3 bed room 2 bath fully updated ranch Finished basement all appliances \$145,000
CHERYL BOWEN
734 464 6400
Century 21 Hartford South



OPEN SUN 1 4

19759 Inlster Road 3 bed room 1 bath ranch fresh painted new appliances new bath whirlpool tub heated floor finished bsmt custom laundry room & office Wood floors \$179,900 734 367 0788 genehome.com/061165

Royal Oak 3370

PERFECT LOCATION
Near Birmingham for this 3 bed bungalow w/ updated kitchen dining room C/A bsmt garage updated thru No money down! Only \$175,900
JOHN MARKER 313 850 3029
www.johnsells.com



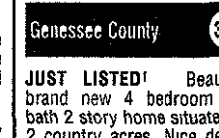
HUGE TRI LEVEL

Country kitchen all appliances huge living room with fireplace opens to formal dining area Lower level family room with another fireplace opens to formal dining area Lower level family room with another fireplace and a lav \$200,000
734 525 9600
Century 21 Hartford North



TROY COLONIAL

3 bed 1 1/2 bath approx 1600 sq ft backs to woods \$242,500
136 Randall N of Wattles E of Livornois 248 680 9530



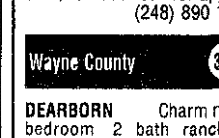
Waterford 3423

Colonial 4 bed Lake access RENT TO OWN
Pets OK Wooded 240 lot \$1095+ 248 625 3630



JUST LISTED!

Spacious 3 bed 1 bath ranch in established Waterford Ne neighbor hood Home features many updates as well as large mostly finished basement large kitchen family room living room and 2 car garage on fenced lot Crescent Lake privileges nearby Waterford Schools \$150,000
ENGLAND REAL ESTATE
888 211 9560 810 632 7427



34968 JOHN STREET

3 bed 1 1/2 bath New kitchen carpet & doors 2 car garage Partially finished basement \$135,000 734 595 7263



HICKORY HOLLOW COOPERATIVE

Multi family non profit housing cooperative located on 13.5 acres of open landscape Near major freeways Wayne Westland School District Current available 1 bedroom Ranch Equities \$390 \$410 For more info contact 734 729 7262



West Bloomfield 3440

A GREAT BUY! Great open w/hardwood floors fireplace & cathedral ceiling Library/office overlooking master Completely finished basement w/exercise & pool rooms Lovely neighborhood w/access to Upper Stratts Lake \$422,900
GARY 21 Corporate
Transfer Service
248-851-6700



Lake Privileges

4 bed 1 1/2 bath remodeled ranch newer roof detached garage fenced yard A/C \$155,000 248 884 3036



WEST BLOOMFIELD

A woodland setting for sharp custom built 4 bed brick colonial Lg great room w/din g area & cathedral ceiling Family room w/replace Gour met kitchen has break fast room granite count ertops & top of the line appliances Master ste w/whirlpool 2 Full & 2 half baths 2 car attached garage \$469,900 (S1720)



BRAND NEW

4 bed 2 1/2 bath 2000 sqft house Bsmt garage Hurry in & pick colors \$239,900 McCarter Construction 248 446 1750



LIVONIA SCHOOLS

Mint condition 3 Bed brick ranch Awesome finished bsmt 2 1/2 car garage most major updates including spacious oak kitchen Thousands below market at \$147,900

Westland 3445

LIVONIA SCHOOLS!
Lovely 3 bed 2 bath brick ranch Updated kitchen & bath finished bsmt w

Manufactured Homes \$740

DON'T RENT! INVEST IN YOUR OWN FARMINGTON HILLS HOME

\$427/mo

includes house payment & land lease

248-474-6500

10% down \$327/mo for 240 mos @ 10% APR

LAND HOME

PACKAGES

0 ZERO DOWN

Little Valley

Special Taxes Page

Manufactured Homes \$740

Quality Homes

IN NOVI

JUST REDUCED

BRAND NEW SKYLINE over 1000 sq. ft. 2BR 2BA all deluxe appls. washer & dryer skylights CA and more. Must see! \$40,800

BEAUTIFUL HOME

Over 1200 sq. ft. 2BR 2BA all appliances separate utility room washer/dryer wrap around deck. CA large corner lot. Reduced to \$19,500

SKYLINE

Over 1300 sq. ft. 3BR 2BA all deluxe appls. separate utility room w/ large laundry tub washer/dryer front porch side deck w/door w/air. Reduced to \$29,900

NEED A STARTER HOME?

2BR 2BA most appliances large deck premium site. \$11,900

Novi Schools at HIGHLAND HILLS ESTATES

on Seelye Rd N of Grand River bet Meadowbrook & Haggerty Rds. Call Joanne or Sue

(248) 474-0320 or (248) 474-0333

Manufactured Homes \$740

MODEL BLOWOUT! \$5000 OFF!

New Homes

was \$39,800!

now \$34,800!

1369 sq. ft.

- 3 Bedrooms • 2 Baths
- Deluxe GE Appliances
- Skylights & More

\$348/month

\$3,694/down*

Cedarbrook Estates

Huron Valley Schools

On M. 59 west of Regis Lake Rd

(248) 887-1980

Kensington Place

South Lyon Schools

Grand River 1.95 ext 153

Across from Kensington Metropark

(248) 437-2039

Stratford Villa

Huron Valley Schools

On Wixom Rd. 3.5 miles north of I-96

(248) 685-9068

Based on 10% down, 60 months, 9.5% APR

What can HOT LINKS do for you?

1-800-579-SELL

Call today for details!

Manufactured Homes \$740

MODEL BLOWOUT!

PRICED BELOW INVOICE!

New Homes \$19,900!

929 sq. ft.

- 3 Bedrooms • 2 Baths
- GE Appliances
- Skylights & More

\$199/month

\$2,114/down

On select models, based on 10% down, 9.75% APR, 180 payments. Interest rate subject to change.

In Novi

NOVI MEADOWS

South Lyon Schools

on Napier Rd 1 mile west of Wixom Rd. and 1 mile S of Grand River

(248) 344-1988

In South Lyon/Milford

KENSINGTON PLACE

South Lyon Schools

on Grand River 1.95 ext 153 across from Kensington Metropark

(248) 437-2039

Quality Homes

Manufactured Homes \$740

MODEL BLOWOUT!

PRICED BELOW INVOICE!

New Homes \$19,900!

929 sq. ft.

- 3 Bedrooms
- 2 Baths
- GE Appliances
- Skylights & More

\$199/month

\$2,114/down

*On select models, based on 10% down, 9.75% APR, 180 payments. Interest rate subject to change.

In Canton

SHERWOOD VILLAGE

Wayne-Westland Schools

on the southeast corner of Michigan Ave. & Haggerty Rd

(734) 397-7774

Quality Homes

Mobile Homes \$750

Westland Meadows \$4800

rent credit on select homes

Call Century Sales

(734) 595 7535

Lakefront Properties \$770

PORT AUSTIN

Vacant lakefront lot \$89,900 or 3 bed lakefront cottage \$239,900 Call Lon ReMax Hometown

Direct 877 738 8491

WEST BLOOMFIELD LAKE

Spectacular soft contemporary lakefront home w/ 4300 sq ft. An additional 2100 sq ft of living area will be found in fabulous finished walk out lower level that opens to the beach & lake. The residence has living room w/gas fireplace formal dining room library 4 bed w/super master ste totally renovated kitchen 4 full & 2 half baths \$669,900 (LA494)

Century 21 CENTURY 21 TODAY

(248) 647-8888

www.century21today.com

Northern Properties \$790

BY OWNER beautiful chalet on the Muskegon River. Approx 1500 sq ft of living space 3 bedrooms 1.5 baths sunroom w/hot tub stone fireplace security system in-stove refrigerator washer/dryer. Located on just under an acre of wooded land \$165,000 Call 231 734 3982 to schedule showing

VACATION HOME Beautiful ranch home with deeded lake access and 640 acres shared recreational property for hunting and ORV's Call Michelle at Gaylord Realty 989 732 5119

There is something for everyone in our Classifieds!

Mobile Homes \$750

HIGHLAND WHITE LAKE

AREA 10 acres parcels from \$100,000 40 acres heavily wooded \$550,000 40 acres w/private lake single build sites cant be split (248) 891 7470 248 613 6515

HOWELL LOTS AVAILABLE

IN TOWN COMMONS \$55,000

Call Jeff 248 982 2321

MILFORD TWP 3 parcels 1.65 1.78 & 1.81 acres Vary secluded home sites with trees and gently rolling terrain Perked (248)685 2299

THREE NEW developments

Near South Lyon & Hamburg with South Lyon Brighton & Dexter schools 1/2 4 acre wooded walkouts parks lake front/back access paved streets Compare my prices

Owner (734) 663 4986

Mortgage & Land Contracts \$850

Finances Got You Down On Dating? Get cash fast! \$100 \$500 Funds deposited check account next day Loans by County Bank of Rehoboth Beach DE Member FDIC/EOL 1 800 992 9200 www.telecash.net

Real Estate Wanted \$870

Cindy Buys Houses CASH ANY SITUATION

For the best price Call 734 710 9672

Cemetery Lots \$880

DETROIT MEMORIAL PARK

2 lots Valued at \$3000 sell for \$2500/both (734) 675 1109

MOUNT HOPE cemetery

Livonia 2 lots in Garden Of Peace Possible split 2 vaults regular price \$4650 reduced to \$3900 (734) 755 7797

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Business-Professional Buildings For Sale \$910

BRIGHTON OFFICE/SHOP

Building 11K ft Prime US 23 frontage 4+ Acres Recorded message 810 227 2147 x102

Comm Retail Sale-Lease \$920

PLYMOUTH 1200 sq ft retail space on Ann Arbor Rd just W/Lilley Good visibility over head door \$2200/mo net #235523 call for more info Bela S pos 734 747 7888 eves 734 669 5813 Reinhart Commercial

Industrial/Warehouse For Lease \$940

Space for Lease 3 MONTHS FREE

- RETAIL • Auburn Hills • Livonia • Pontiac • Westland
- LIGHT INDUSTRIAL • Belleville • Canton • Novi • Wixom
- OFFICE • Canton • Farmington Hills • Novi • Wixom

(248) 344-8970

Office Space For Lease/Rent \$950

AMERICENTERS

Furnished Windowed Offices Conference Rooms High Speed Internet Access Troy Livonia Bloomfield Hills Southfield 734 462 1313

CANTON Lilley/Ford Rd Free standing about 20,000 sq ft office building over 5,000 sq ft available immediately the rest available in early spring of 2004 For lease or sale Call Carmen cell 248 420 4550 248 684 0397

EXPRESSWAY

Month to month Avail 168 to 2700 sq ft 1 275 x way JA Bloch & Co/Gach Realty (248) 559 7430

FARMINGTON DOWNTOWN

Excellent single office with gorgeous view Low rent utilites included 248-476 2050

Office Space For Lease/Rent \$950

FARMINGTON HILLS

2 office suite Approx 400 sq ft Call (248) 477 0189

FARMINGTON HILLS

Office Space Available 850 2400 sq ft Several Locations **CERTIFIED REALTY INC** (248) 471 7100

LIVONIA - Office space available 600 7 000 sq ft Middlebelt between 6 & 7 Mile For info 734 995 6842

LIVONIA Plymouth/Merriman Rds Office space 950 sq ft + reception & utility rooms Ample parking \$1 200/mo 248 832 3311

LIVONIA 120 sq ft shared office environment up to 2500 sq ft professional suite on Plymouth Rd internet access phone system w/vocemail fax copier conference room Call (734) 513 7370 ext 108 kscarcella@rwsfinancial.com

PLYMOUTH 1000 sq ft office on Main St open floor plan reasonable rent great parking sign avail 734 453 2200

PLYMOUTH DOWNTOWN

525 sq ft suite ample parking Call (734) 455 7373 for info

PLYMOUTH OLD VILLAGE

office space in industrial park 10 x 12 \$200/mo (734) 453 0284

REDFORD TWP.

Office Space Small suites available Beautifully decorated 2 locations Includes all utilities **CERTIFIED REALTY INC** (248) 471 7100

TROY GREAT LOCATION

Reasonable Rates 2 & 4 room suites available Maple/Crooks (248) 626 2580

TROY/BIRMINGHAM medical office in beautiful elevator building 553 sq ft waiting room reception 3 exam rooms laboratory with storage Patient bath + private office with 2nd bath \$1985/mo (248) 649 2848

LOOK

FALL INTO FALL SAVINGS

Free Site Rent 1st Year

*199th 2nd Year PLUS \$2500 on new homes

LITTLE VALLEY CHILDS LAKE ESTATES

(248) 685-7770

LOOK

HUGE OPEN HOUSE

View Over 20 Homes Sat, Nov 1, 12-4pm

Stop at office for list & map and enjoy a hot dog chips etc Plymouth Hills Community (on Ridge Rd between 5 Mile & N Territorial)

Little Valley Homes

734-454-4660

Don't take a chance....

place your ad in The Observer & Eccentric Classifieds today!

1-800-579-SELL

Quality Homes

What can HOT LINKS do for you?

1-800-579-SELL

Call today for details!

Mobile Homes \$750

CANTON WILL FINANCE

No money down 2 bedrooms C/A Must sell A near give away Call 734 837 7262

MONARCH 1973 1 bed 1 bath clean new blinds carpet & shwd Well maintained \$3800/best 734 427 9227

SCHULT 1996 2 br 2 full bath 10 x 60 open floor plan air #114 22600 Middlebelt Rd Farmington Hills 248 474 2131

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

It's no gamble

when you advertise in The Observer & Eccentric Classifieds!

1-800-579-7355

LOOK

HUGE OPEN HOUSE

View Over 20 Homes Sat, Nov 1, 12-4pm

Stop at office for list & map and enjoy a hot dog chips etc Plymouth Hills Community (on Ridge Rd between 5 Mile & N Territorial)

Little Valley Homes

734-454-4660

Don't take a chance....

place your ad in The Observer & Eccentric Classifieds today!

1-800-579-SELL

Quality Homes

What can HOT LINKS do for you?

1-800-579-SELL

Call today for details!

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Mobile Homes \$750

FRANKENMUTH

Retail store in thriving German shopping village Call Ira Green 231 301 1133

Observer & Eccentric Apartments

All Ads Run Online FREE! A Value Of Up To \$87.00

www.hometownlife.com

4000-4990

Real Estate For Lease

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

\$99 MOVES YOU IN PLUS ONE MONTH FREE RENT

FREE HEAT & WATER Newly Upgraded 1 & 2 Bedrooms

Plymouth Manor Plymouth House

Close to downtown Plymouth!

734-455-3880

www.yorkcommunities.com

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

CANTON

Cold weather is here Beat the chills and the bills!

We'll keep you warm and cozy with

- Free Heat!
- Free Hot Water!
- Free Covered Parking!
- Free Golf

1 & 2 BEDROOMS AVAILABLE!

Prices starting at \$669

Fairway Club Apts.

1-866-312-5064

Canton

Enjoy the relaxed & easy going life style of Canton at **WINDSOR WOODS**

Luxury Apartments & Townhomes From \$620 (Ask about our 1 bedroom special)

- Balconies/Patios
- Cable hook up
- Storage areas within each apt
- Carpets included

Call or come in today! Open weekends

(734) 459-1310

CANTON

3 bedroom all appliances air deck \$975/month 810 227 8733

CANTON

BEDFORD SQUARE APTS NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR Spacious 1 & 2 Bed Apts Small Quiet Safe Complex STARTING AT \$585 (734) 981 1217

Canton

FRANKLIN PALMER Apartments

1 & 2 Bedrooms FREE HEAT

- Sound Conditioned
- Central Air

www.cmpproperties.net (866) 262 3698 EHO

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Dearborn Heights

CAMBRIDGE APARTMENTS

\$99 SECURITY DEPOSIT

\$550/mo.

On 1 Bedroom's Only

Plus rent on 1st visit receive additional \$50 Off the next six months

CALL NOW FOR MORE INFO ON THESE AMAZING SAVINGS (313)274-4765

www.yorkcommunities.com

DEARBORN HEIGHTS

The Savings are Scary

1st MONTH FREE... plus \$300 off December!

1bedrooms on ly Restr. of ons apply

- ★ FREE HEAT!
- ★ Lots of Closets!
- ★ Vertical Blinds!

DEARBORN CLUB APARTMENTS & TOWNHOMES

(866) 534-3358

DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM 35300 WOODWARD

2 Beds 2 baths carport A/C Well maintained \$1075 248 703 5048

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Farmington

Grand River Middlebelt Great Location Near Botsford Hospital Livonia Mall and Downtown Farmington with Clarenceville School District

CEDARIDGE APARTMENTS

Limited Time Special 2 Bedroom Units FROM \$700

Vertical blinds carpeting Hotpoint appliances security system storage within apt

(Enter on Tulane 1 block W of Middlebelt S side of Grand River) Model Open Daily 1-6 Except Wednesday

248-471-5020 586-775-8206

FARMINGTON HILLS

Heat & water included 1 & 2 & 3 bedrooms Starting at \$545 Call (248) 815 8920

FARMINGTON HILLS MAPLE RIDGE APTS CALL FOR SPECIALS!

23078 Middlebelt Spacious 1 bedroom Central air carport available \$590 248 473 5180

FARMINGTON HILLS FREEDOM VILLAGE APTS

1/2 off 1st month's rent! (lower units only) Spacious 1 bedroom Washer/dryer in unit Water & carport included New carpet C/A no pets \$565 \$585 (866) 254 9511

Farmington Hills HAPPINESS IS

Moving into a cozy 1 bedroom apt with **REDUCED RENT & SECURITY DEPOSIT** Carport & water included Starting at \$520 CEDARBOURNE APTS 248-478 0322

FARMINGTON HILLS Spacious

1 & 2 bedroom apartments New kitchens with appliances Walk in closets balcony vertical blinds & carport included 12 Mile & Orchard Lake area Starting at \$650 per month 1 year lease only 248 763-4729

Farmington Hills WALNUT CREEK

Large 1 Bedroom 0 Security Deposit w/credit approval **STARTING AT \$495/Mo MUST SEE!** Call (248) 961 2753

FARMINGTON HILLS Take over lease at Luxury Citation Club last 1 bed apt avail reg \$1000/mo lease for \$750/mo Call for info 248 977 0197

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Farmington Hills

Best Apartment Value **TIMBERIDGE APARTMENTS**

(N on Tuck Rd off 8 Mile between Middlebelt & Orchard Lake Rd corner of Folsom)

DELUXE ONE AND TWO BEDROOM UNITS FROM \$525

LIMITED SPECIAL Includes appliances vertical blinds carpeting pool optional carports

Model Open Daily 9-5

Rental Office 248 478 1487 Home Office 586 775 8206

FARMINGTON HILLS

Heat & water included 1 & 2 & 3 bedrooms Starting at \$545 Call (248) 815 8920

FARMINGTON HILLS MAPLE RIDGE APTS CALL FOR SPECIALS!

23078 Middlebelt Spacious 1 bedroom Central air carport available \$590 248 473 5180

FARMINGTON HILLS FREEDOM VILLAGE APTS

1/2 off 1st month's rent! (lower units only) Spacious 1 bedroom Washer/dryer in unit Water & carport included New carpet C/A no pets \$565 \$585 (866) 254 9511

Farmington Hills HAPPINESS IS

Moving into a cozy 1 bedroom apt with **REDUCED RENT & SECURITY DEPOSIT** Carport & water included Starting at \$520 CEDARBOURNE APTS 248-478 0322

FARMINGTON HILLS Spacious

1 & 2 bedroom apartments New kitchens with appliances Walk in closets balcony vertical blinds & carport included 12 Mile & Orchard Lake area Starting at \$650 per month 1 year lease only 248 763-4729

Farmington Hills WALNUT CREEK

Large 1 Bedroom 0 Security Deposit w/credit approval **STARTING AT \$495/Mo MUST SEE!** Call (248) 961 2753

FARMINGTON HILLS Take over lease at Luxury Citation Club last 1 bed apt avail reg \$1000/mo lease for \$750/mo Call for info 248 977 0197

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

FARMINGTON HILLS

Three Months Free Rent! 1 & 2 bed rooms from \$735. Conven ent to major freeways pets wel come covered parking washer & dryer and more. Specials on select units Call toll free for details 877 262 7949 or visit www.diamondforest.com

FARMINGTON MANOR APTS

Deluxe studio & 1 bedroom carport 1ST 3 MONTHS RENT 50% OFF! (With approved credit) 248 888 0888

FARMINGTON PLAZA APTS

Deluxe 1 and 2 bedrooms starting at \$500 up Heat included water pool Ask about our special! (248) 478 8722

FARMINGTON Fall Special

1 bed apt/flat downtown area \$599/mo Includes heat & water selected units other restrictions apply NO pets 248-477 0157

FIVE FIVE FIVE ONE MONTH FREE To Qualified Applicants Studios 1 & 2 bedrooms available in town Birmingham 555 S Old Woodward Call Mari (248)645 1191

LIVONIA 5 Mile/Middlebelt

2 bedroom 1050 sq ft private entry Washer/dryer hook up balcony/patio central air heat \$715/mo 248 521 1978

LIVONIA Enjoy Free Rent!

1 & 2 bedrooms starting at \$669* Great Livonia location Pets welcome covered parking fitness center *Specials on select units For details call toll free (888) 547 5828 or visit www.woodridgeapartments.com

CLASSIFIEDS WORK!

1-800-579-7355

www.hometownlife.com

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Livonia

One of Livonia's finest apartments at competitive prices **CANTERBURY PARK APTS**

19400 Mayfield off Seven Mile Rd between Farmington & Merriman behind Joe's Produce)

1 BEDROOM \$715/mo

2 BEDROOM \$800/mo

Includes full washer & dryer in each apartment Community room patio or balcony deluxe appliances optional carport

248 473 3993 586 775 8206

Livonia's Finest Location

MERRIMAN WOODS APTS

Merriman Rd corner of 7 Mile Near Livonia Mall **ASK ABOUT OUR LIMITED TIME SPECIAL**

One & Two Bedrooms Immediate Occupancy From \$700

Includes Patio or balcony carpeting vertical blinds deluxe appliances pool 248 477 9377 586 775 8206

LIVONIA/WESTLAND AREA

1 bedroom washer/dryer pets considered \$545/mo/utilites/sec (734) 453 8375

This Classification continues in Section G

4000's Real Estate For Lease

4000 Apartments/Unfurnished	4200 Halls/Buildings
4010 Apartments/Furnished	4210 Residence To Exchange
4020 Condos/Townhouses	4230 Commercial/Industrial
4030 Duplexes	4300 Garage/Mn Storage
4040 Flats	4400 Wanted To Rent
4050 Homes For Rent	4410 Wanted To Rent
4060 Lakefront/Waterfront	4500 Resort Property
4070 Homes Rental	4500 Furniture Rental
4080 Mobile Homes Rentals	4560 Rental Agency
4090 Southern Rentals	4570 Property Management
4100 Time Share Rentals	4580 Lease/Option To Buy
4110 Vacation Resort/Rentals	4590 House Siting Serv ca
4120 Living Quarters To Share	4620 Home Health Care
4140 Rooms For Rent	4640 Misc To Rent

1-800-579-SELL

Observer & Eccentric Classified Advertising

Save time. Save money...

hometownlife.com 1-800-579-SELL

The BEST Deal Around!

1 & 2 Bedrooms from \$600

- FREE HEAT & WATER!
- Reduced Security Deposit & App. Fee
- LIVONIA SCHOOLS

Franklin Square Apartments

734-427-6970

Open 7 Days

BIRMINGHAM

1 MONTH FREE

To Qualified Applicants Studios and 1 & 2 bedrooms available in town Birmingham at the 555 Building Call Mar 248 645 1191

BIRMINGHAM MAPLE ROAD TOWNES

Maple at Columbia (east of Adams) Walk to downtown from fully updated 1 bed apt (\$725) available now or 1 bed townhouse (\$820) available Nov Central air basements updated kitchens EHO 1 cat OK with fee THE BENEFACT GROUP (248) 642 8686

Bloomfield Birmingham

Farms 1 bedroom starting at \$595 Free hot/water (248) 851 2340

Canton

BEST DEAL IN TOWN

Excellent Amenities & Service Super Move In Specials from \$471*

1 2 & 3 Bed Townhouse Apts **CANTON GARDEN APTS** (734) 455-7440 www.apartments.com/cantongardens *restrictions apply Unbeatable Value

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

CANTON

Enjoy the relaxed & easy going life style of Canton at **WINDSOR WOODS**

Luxury Apartments & Townhomes From \$620 (Ask about our 1 bedroom special)

- Balconies/Patios
- Cable hook up
- Storage areas within each apt
- Carpets included

Call or come in today! Open weekends

(734) 459-1310

CANTON

3 bedroom all appliances air deck \$975/month 810 227 8733

CANTON

BEDFORD SQUARE APTS NOW TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR Spacious 1 & 2 Bed Apts Small Quiet Safe Complex STARTING AT \$585 (734) 981 1217

Canton

FRANKLIN PALMER Apartments

1 & 2 Bedrooms FREE HEAT

- Sound Conditioned
- Central Air

www.cmpproperties.net (866) 262 3698 EHO

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Dearborn Heights

CAMBRIDGE APARTMENTS

\$99 SECURITY DEPOSIT

\$550/mo.

On 1 Bedroom's Only

Plus rent on 1st visit receive additional \$50 Off the next six months

CALL NOW FOR MORE INFO ON THESE AMAZING SAVINGS (313)274-4765

www.yorkcommunities.com

DEARBORN HEIGHTS

The Savings are Scary

1st MONTH FREE... plus \$300 off December!

1bedrooms on ly Restr. of ons apply

- ★ FREE HEAT!
- ★ Lots of Closets!
- ★ Vertical Blinds!

DEARBORN CLUB APARTMENTS & TOWNHOMES

(866) 534-3358

DOWNTOWN BIRMINGHAM 35300 WOODWARD

2 Beds 2 baths carport A/C Well maintained \$1075 248 703 5048

Apartment - Unfurnished \$4000

Farmington

Grand River Middlebelt Great Location Near Botsford Hospital Livonia Mall and Downtown Farmington with Clarenceville School District

CEDARIDGE APARTMENTS

Limited Time Special 2 Bedroom Units FROM \$700

Vertical blinds carpeting Hotpoint appliances security system storage within apt

(Enter on Tulane 1 block W of Middlebelt S side of Grand River) Model Open Daily 1-6 Except Wednesday

248-471-5020 586-775-8206

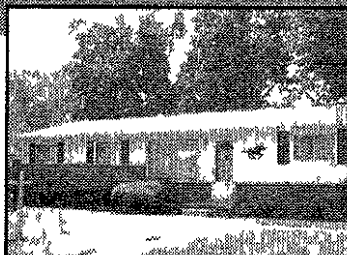
FARMINGTON HILLS

Heat & water included 1 & 2 & 3 bedrooms Starting at \$545 Call (248) 815 8920

FARMINGTON HILLS MAPLE RIDGE APTS CALL FOR SPECIALS!

23078 Middlebelt Spacious 1 bedroom Central air carport

Michigan's #1 CENTURY 21 Firm!



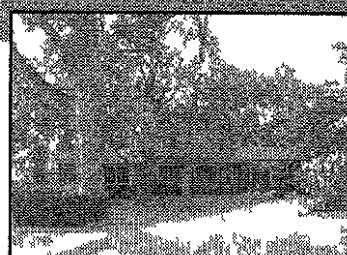
LIVONIA - A wonderful dream home Spacious 3 bedroom 2 full bath Ranch with part finished basement updated roof furnace copper plumbing & vinyl windows Fieldstone fireplace in sunken family room \$167 500 (25MEL) 734 455 5600



INKSTER - Ready to move in Nice 3 bed room 2 bath Bungalow with vinyl siding vinyl windows and part finished basement with wet bar Immediate occupancy \$79 900 (86HIL) 734 455 5600



LIVONIA - Great location broad front brick Ranch Open floor plan family room with fireplace to country kitchen part finished basement with separate office & wet bar 1 car garage + hardwood floors newer roof glass block windows central air & privacy fence Only 2 blocks from elementary and park \$169 900 (10SEL) 734-455 5600



SOUTHFIELD - Views of your own forest Beautiful 1999 built 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath raised Ranch with dining family room & large eat in kitchen Master with bath Built in gas fireplace in family room 2 car garage & sliding door wall off dining room Backs to a natural forest & sits back off the road \$239 900 (51NIN) 248 349 5600



PLYMOUTH - Beautiful detached Condo Decorator perfect mint move in condition This 2 bedroom 2 bath Ranch Condo has it all From the elaborate crown moldings Conan counters and hardwood flooring to the soaring high ceilings A picture setting backing to woods for privacy \$369 900 (71PLY) 248 349 5600



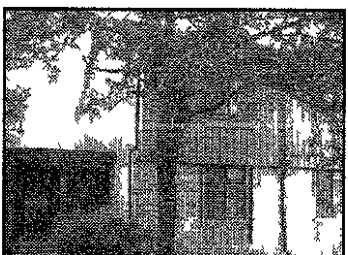
WEST BLOOMFIELD - Lake living at its best Beautiful 3 bedroom 3 bath 2 story home in a quiet bay location on Walnut Lake Spacious master with his & her baths & walk in closet Great room with Travertine marble fireplace & great view of lake White kitchen & sun-filled breakfast room \$949 900 (85COM) 248 349 5600



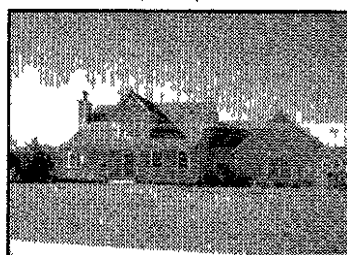
DEARBORN - Spectacular and tranquil best describes the view of the 9th fairway from the soaring 2 story window Spacious living room open floor plan hardwood floors in foyer kitchen and family room with fireplace Two car attached garage basement and appliances \$514 900 (39TUR) 734 455 5600



REDFORD - A real dream house Three bedroom 2 bath brick Ranch offering \$11 000 in remodeled kitchen custom blinds throughout Berber carpet & hardwood floors glass block windows in finished basement with wet bar 2 car garage & private area for hot tub It won't last at this price \$145 260 (38WES) 734 455 5600



CANTON - Great location Townhouse offering 3 bedrooms 1 1/2 baths basement attached garage newer windows hot water heater roof and siding Kitchen appliances and spacious master with a walk in closet Area pool and club house Great parking and quiet community \$147 700 (64BED) 734 455 5600



SOUTH LYON - Cape cod on cul de sac Open floor plan ideal for entertaining First floor master with bath Spacious kitchen with island & breakfast nook Grand dining room with columns Bonus room off third bedroom could be playhouse Extra deep basement Large lot Kitchen appliances too \$250 000 (64SUN) 248 349 5600



SOUTH LYON - Motivated Seller! Trotter's Pointe sub Premium lot 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial with 2 car attached garage Master with bath & jetted tub Family room with fireplace Hardwood floors basement home warranty included \$264 900 (51COL) 248 349 5600



NORTHVILLE - Northville beauty Northville schools & great neighborhood Recent updates include furnace & air conditioning hard wood floors throughout Pella windows & sprinkler system Freshly painted interior finished basement and much more to make this a terrific buy \$369 900 (90SPR) 248 349 5600



PLYMOUTH - Popular Trailwood sub Four bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial offering formal dining room first floor laundry and office family room with fireplace basement and 2 car attached garage Newer furnace and roof \$319 900 (64DOR) 734 455 4500



REDFORD - Just move in Four bedroom updated kitchen with ceramic counters and floors newer bath with jetted tub living room lower level family room 2 baths 3 car garage central air and hardwood throughout \$139 950 (54HAZ) 734 455 5600

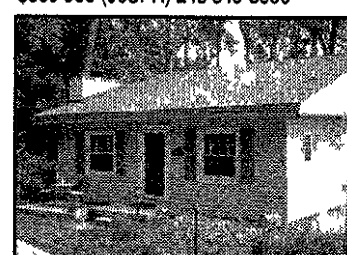


PLYMOUTH 705 South Main St. 734-455-5600
NORTHVILLE 175 CadyCentre 248-349-5600

Michigan's #1 Century 21 Firm!



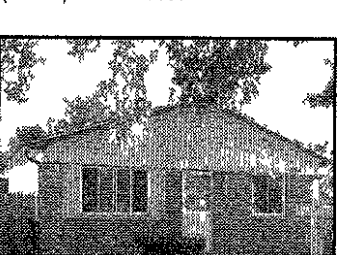
LIVONIA - Ultimate elegance best describes this dramatic Cape Cod Gourmet kitchen double oven ceramic backsplash & upgraded cabinets Two story breakfast room with French door to deck Dining room and 2 story great room with custom mantle Custom lighting & upgraded carpet \$324 900 (48VIS) 248 349 5600



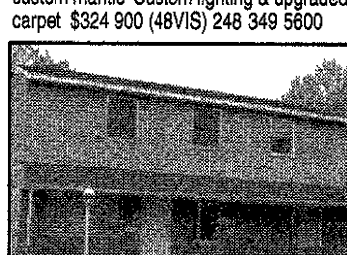
NORTHVILLE - Location! Location! In town! Three bedroom 1 1/2 bath home Living room with gas fireplace library and a lot of storage New carpet 02 garage 01 siding & gutters 99 roof tear off 98 and windows 96 02 Steps away from library parks parades cider mill & schools \$215 000 (44EAS) 248 349 5600



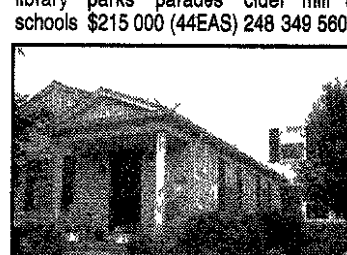
BELLEVILLE - Modern yet traditional 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial Two car garage basement great room with a lot of windows & balcony from second floor loft sitting area Formal dining with bay window doorwall from kitchen to brick patio first floor laundry master with bath garden tub & double vanity \$254 000 (80WIL) 734 455 5600



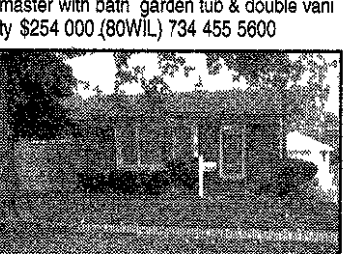
WESTLAND - Great starter home Three bedrooms updated bath eat in kitchen with ceiling fan & oak cabinets vinyl windows newer vinyl siding first floor laundry and large patio Walk in pantry all appliances newer furnace central air & vinyl windows \$89 900 (08ANN) 734 455 5600



WESTLAND - Spacious Colonial Well maintained 5 bedroom 2 bath home with newer furnace central air hot water heater and carpet Huge master bedroom with full bath and walk in closet One year home warranty included \$149 900 (14WAL) 248 349 5600



WALLED LAKE - Hard to find Ranch Condo Carefree living just minutes from freeways & shopping Two bedrooms & finished basement with built ins Open floor plan Kitchen with oak cabinets & bar area Attached direct entry garage Master with large closet 12 month warranty Short walk to lake \$138 900 (83MAR) 248-349 5600



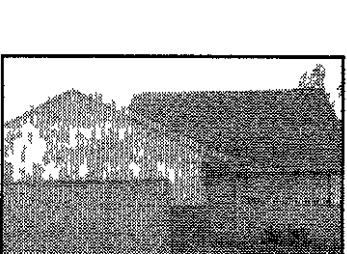
LIVONIA - Wonderful Rosedale Meadows Ranch offers part finished basement garage beautiful updated kitchen & dining room with loads of cabinets Pergo flooring and recessed lighting Also hardwood floors under carpet ceramic bath vinyl windows and updated electric \$169 900 (36HEE) 734 455 5600



DEARBORN HEIGHTS - Nice cozy updated home Charming 2 bedroom brick Ranch with 2 car garage privacy fence and large patio Walk in pantry all appliances newer furnace central air & vinyl windows \$89 900 (08ANN) 734 455 5600



WESTLAND - Solid brick Ranch Three bedrooms 2 full baths finished basement newer kitchen & foyer floors kitchen appliances freshly painted hardwood floors newer windows steel entry doors hot water heater basement block windows garage door vinyl garage 29x19 deck and 2 1/2 car garage \$134 700 (11HUB) 734 455 5600



FARMINGTON - Peaceful and private Excellent location in complex End unit Ranch Condo with 2 bedrooms and 2 full ceramic baths Two car attached garage Newer carpet roof and much more Close to freeway and shopping \$189 900 (11HER) 248 349 5600



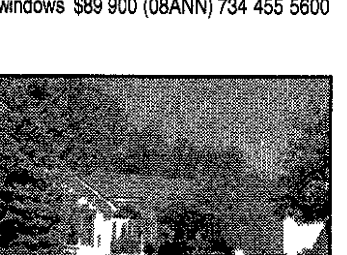
CANTON - Spacious Condo Very neat & clean 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath 2 story unit Neutral decor throughout Dining room has door wall to large deck Partially finished basement with rec room & additional room for office or extra storage Kitchen with breakfast nook The list goes on and on \$209 900 (79SAR) 248 349 5600



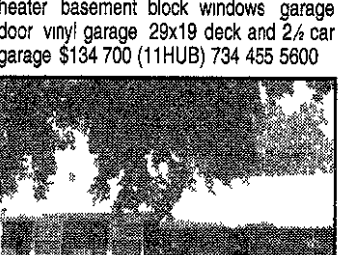
NORTHVILLE - Lakes of Northville beauty Wonderful home on premium lot deep in sub First floor master + 2 additional large bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths Large kitchen with ceramic counters and extra cabinets Professional landscaping and decking Sprinklers lighting and home warranty \$374 900 (21WHE) 248-349 5600



PLYMOUTH - sophisticated 10+ down town This 2002 built Cape Cod presents 3 bedrooms 2 1/2 baths great room with fireplace dining room master suite hardwood floors stainless steel appliances basement first floor laundry 2 car garage custom decor & sharp paver patio \$367 350 (50ADA) 734 455 5600



GROSSE ILE - In a choice neighborhood Three bedroom 2 1/2 bath rambling brick Ranch with 2 car attached garage basement formal dining room library with bay window vaulted ceiling in great room with fireplace first floor laundry oak kitchen with appliances plus 4 season room \$499 885 (36LAS) 734-455 5600



DETROIT - Wonderful Castie Rouge Ranch Charming updated 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath brick Ranch with 2 car garage basement and updated vinyl windows furnace and central air hot water heater glass block window and steel doors All appliances included \$133 000 (78BRA) 734 455 5600



WEST BLOOMFIELD - You will love all the goodies Four bedroom 3 1/2 bath Colonial tucked away in the forest of Chelsea Park on a cul de sac and backs up to woods Grand fireplace in family room Fabulous finished walk out with theatre area & bed room or library \$610 000 (90PEM) 248 349 5600



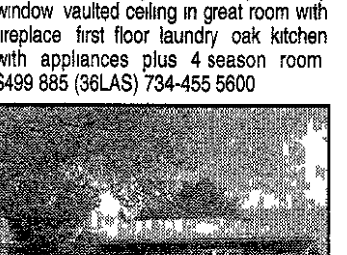
LIVONIA - Wonderful sub Fantastic 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath brick home with loads of updates Newer roof windows furnace & central air Hardwood floors under carpet in bedroom Oversized headed 2 car garage \$169 900 (44SUN) 248 349 5600



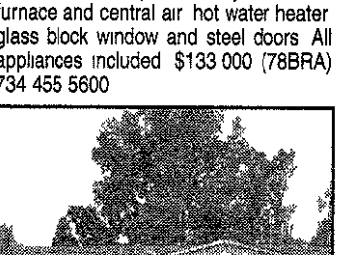
GARDEN CITY - Pride of ownership Old world charm & character galore This turn key Cape Cod shines from front to back Beautiful decor & plenty of updating Just move in & enjoy Living room with fireplace dining room finished basement deck brick paver patio garage and more \$154 900 (46KRA) 248 349 5600



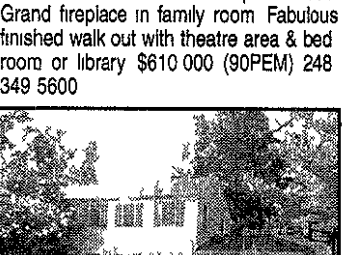
TAYLOR - Fabulous Colonial Three bedrooms 2 1/2 baths basement finished with possible 2 more bedrooms large kitchen with oak cabinets 2 car attached garage master suite with walk in closet & first floor laundry Close to freeway shopping and schools \$183 000 (66SYR) 734 455 5600



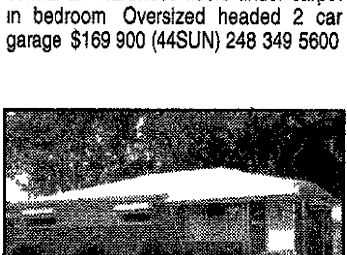
WESTLAND - Wonderful court setting Just move in & enjoy! Beautiful hardwood floors updated kitchen with oak cabinets newer windows roof furnace central air and cement Part finished basement with full bath 2 car garage and fenced yard This home is very clean and well cared for \$169 900 (45BAL) 734 455 5600



VAN BUREN - Country in the city Three bedroom 2 bath Ranch with 3 car garage & work shop Lovely flower garden & covered patio Remodeled kitchen master with whirlpool tub Newer steel doors fresh paint & more See through fireplace in living & family room plus large shed with loft \$184 900 (27OLD) 734 455 5600



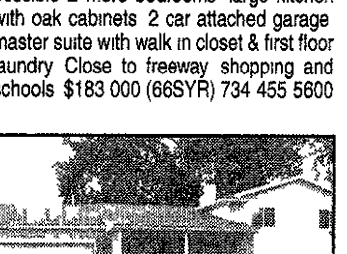
NOVI - Pottery Barn Colonial Just move in and enjoy the fresh paint plus new (03) hardwood and carpet in this classic Colonial Four bedrooms 2 fireplaces 2 car garage basement & family room that overlooks beautiful wooded back yard all this plus Northville schools \$304 900 (08WES) 248 349 5600



ST CLAIR SHORES - Lakeview schools Great place to start Easy to enjoy 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath Ranch with 2 car garage newer windows furnace air conditioning & hot water heater Finished basement with kitchen & storage Fenced yard Close to schools x ways & shopping Quality built home \$155 000 (05FRA) 248 349 5600



FARMINGTON HILLS - Premium location Beautifully upgraded 3 bedroom 2 1/2 bath Colonial Kitchen offers oak cabinets with ceramic back splash & floors Fireplace in living room Recessed lights plush carpet 2 story foyer master bath walk in closets & all appliances \$218 900 (56LYN) 248 349 5600



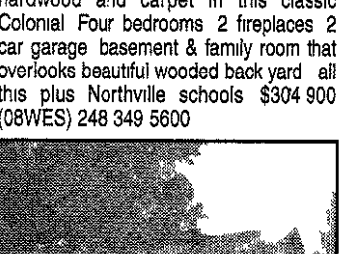
LIVONIA - Location location location Three bedrooms 2 baths 2 car attached garage family room dining room furnace 95 Wallside windows and central air All appliances included and immediate occupancy backs to schools \$225 900 (43MEL) 734 455 5600



REDFORD - Move right in Updated 3 bedroom Bungalow with newer roof furnace air conditioning windows kitchen floor sink disposal counter top & newer appliances Part finished basement private yard with patio and garage Great location \$133 899 (23ELM) 734 455 5600



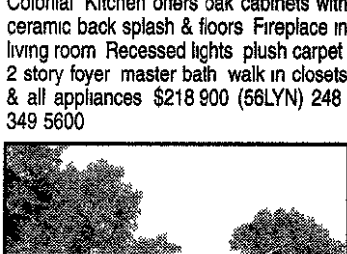
DEARBORN HEIGHTS - Four bedroom 2 bath Bungalow Extra sharp broad front Bungalow with fireplace updated kitchen bath windows doors newer carpet deck off back and 2 car attached garage Shows well neutral colors \$131 000 (01WES) 734 455 5600



NORTHVILLE - Cabbagetown opportunity Move right in and start adding on or become a landlord Well kept 3 bedroom 2 bath Ranch with front and rear porches and deck Lot opens to alley for easy access Near downtown and Northville schools Cider mill just blocks away \$192 000 (25POU) 248 349 5600



GARDEN CITY - Move in condition This turn key Ranch home has many updates throughout From the beautiful oak kitchen with breakfast bar to the top quality landscaping front & back You'll be pleased at every turn Full basement and oversized garage Quick occupancy and much more \$144 900 (69DON) 248 349 5600



LIVONIA - Move right in This Livonia Ranch has quick occupancy Three bedrooms 1 1/2 baths with finished basement & too many updates to list Great location and all appliances are included \$172 500 (30DEN) 248-349 5600

294 E. Brown, Birmingham (248) 642-8100 4820 Rochester Road, Troy (248) 524-1600 2600 Union Lake, Commerce Twp. (248) 363-1200 900 W. University, Rochester (248) 652-8000 7125 Orchard Lake, West Bloomfield (248) 626-8800 705 S. Main St., Plymouth (734) 455-5600 175 Cady Centre, Northville (248) 349-5600



Website: <http://www.century21town-country.com>
 • Complete Home Marketing Plan • Home Warranty Program • Local & Regional Multiple Listing Services
 • Full-Service Relocation Services 1(800)448-5817 • Financing Services (810) 264-5400



ONE WEBSITE: ALL THE HOMES

OVER 30,000 PROPERTIES

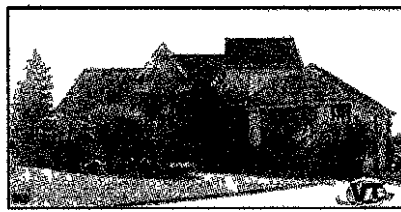
www.realestateone.com

The Real Estate One Family of Companies: Real Estate One • Max Brook Realtors • Johnstone & Johnstone • John Adams Mortgage • Insurance One • Capital Title • Home Star



NOVI \$700,000
BEAUTIFUL SPACIOUS CUSTOM COLONIAL! Over 4500 SF w/5 BR 4.5 BA Cherry island kit circular stairs plus 2nd back stairs. Hardwired frs lib FR w/stone FP cedar deck & fieldstone walk path (90ABE2)

248-348-6430



CANTON \$439,900
LOCATION! LOCATION! LOCATION! Rare find! Enjoy court location which backs to a pond w/ frnt. Mstr 1st flr 3 car gar w/heat W/O bsmt den off foyer hrwd frs in kit foyer nook & hilwy (B47539)

734-591-9200



WIXOM \$420,000
NEWER COLONIAL NEAR PROUD LAKE! Beautiful 4 BR 2.5 BA colonial chefs kit w/ Corian cherry cab Jennaire cooktop & dbl oven 3000 SF 27x10 bonus rm W/O LL & close to downtown Milford (83DEL2)

248-348 6430



PLYMOUTH \$405,000
ENJOY THE GOOD LIFE! Luxu nous living featuring 1st flr mae terete 1st flr laundry full fin bsmt 3 full baths lawn & snow maintenance included. Call now for more details! (23W12232)

Open Saturday 1-4

734-455-7000



CANTON \$399,900
JOB TRANSFER FORCES SELLER TO PART WITH this 4 BR 3.5 bath colonial bilt in 2002 Custom mstr sta w/jetted Roman tub des gner ceiling & sitting rm/nursery option maple hrwds gourmet kit & more! (A3648)

734-591-9200



LIVONIA \$357,900
IMPECCABLE MAINTAINED! Transfers perfect! Move right in 4 BR 3.5 BA colonial Beautiful kit w/accnt tile & sl Lg FR w/gas FP 2 full baths all appl incl full bsmt 2 car att side entry garage (89STE2)

248 348 6430



LIVONIA \$309,900
GREAT BRICK COLONIAL! Nearly 2100 square feet 4 bedrooms 3.5 baths finished basement 2 car attached garage and more! (A15429)

734 591 9200



CANTON \$299,900
VERY UNIQUE COLONIAL STYLE HOME! Located in cul de sac w/beautifully landscaped lot Private study w/French doors FR w/gas frpic Eat in kit w/doorwall leading to cedar deck DR w/butler pantry (23D1173)

734 455-7000



LIVONIA \$290,000
LOVELY BURTON HOLLOW CAPE COD New siding it dr & gar dr Newer roof 97 replmt vinyl win updated kit w/all appl updated baths new carpet 98 Swim clb & elem school in sub Home warranty (12W002)

248-348 6430



CANTON \$255,000
2370 SF UPDATES GALORE furn a/c wndws addition to FR gar dr w/beveled glass entry drs plumb elect hwh Basement huge shed lg deck 2 car garage

734 591 9200



FARMINGTON HILLS \$235,000
BRICK RANCH IN OLD HOMESTEAD! Enjoy beaut views & parklike setting in maint free home! Updated kit cozy LR w/gas FP 2 full baths all appl incl full bsmt 2 car att side entry garage (89STE2)

248 348 6430



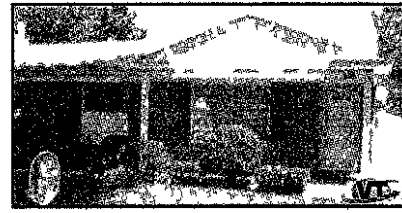
FARMINGTON \$227,900
NOT A DRIVE BY! MUST SEE! Farmington 4 BR 2.5 bath ranch! FR w/frpl full bsmt some hwd frs over 1 500 SF 20 foot covered patio 2 car attached garage & gorgeous private backyard! (02MAP2)

248 348-6430



LIVONIA \$209,000
COUNTRY IN THE CITY! 1/2 acre lot in the heart of Livonia Brck colonial w/over 1900 SF finished basement & 2 car garage Updated thru out move right in! (B14962)

734 591 9200



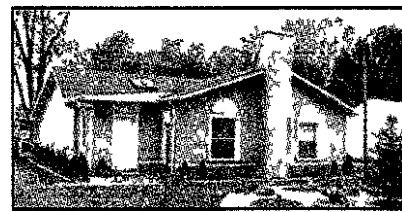
PLYMOUTH \$199,900
UPDATED PLYMOUTH TOWNSHIP HOME! Walk to local elem school or walk to Hines Park either way this charming ranch has location all over it Full basement 2 car det FR w/a FP & tons of updates (H11520)

734-591-9200



LIVONIA \$194,600
OVER AN ACRE! Beautiful grounds brick ranch with fireplace in living room garage & basement Lot is 165x299 Call to see! (P19127)

734-591 9200



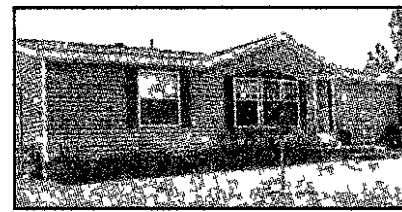
SUMPTER TWP \$192,900
LOVELY HOME! Contemporary ranch on 1.35 acres 3 bedrooms GR with cathedral ceilings & skylights 3 baths 2 with Kohler jet tubs What a treat with no tricks! (29S20220)

734 455 7000



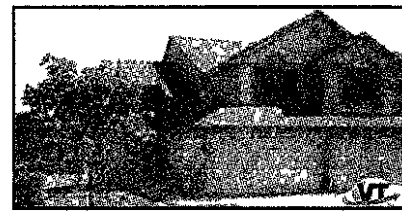
LIVONIA \$189,900
HIGHLY DESIRED COVENTRY GARDENS! 1753 SF 1st level with large lot A great opportunity at this price! (C34037)

734-591 9200



SUMPTER TWP \$189,900
ATT HORSE LOVERS, NEW ARENA, POLE BARN! Wonderful country setting 4.38 parcel with 2 year old riding arena 9 horses allowed Home has open floor plan & large deck off dining area (05ARK8)

248-349-6200



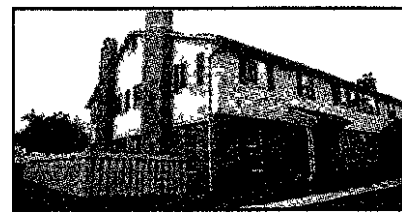
CANTON \$189,000
SUNNY END UNIT! 2 bedrooms 2.5 baths 2 car garage basement deck loft overlooking great room Stove fridge washer dryer stay (H45113)

734-591-9200



GARDEN CITY \$184,900
WOW! 5 BEDROOM AND 3 BATHS In th s Garden City colonial on a big lot Family room and formal dining room 1st floor laundry 2 car garage C/A recently remodeled throughout (B312)

734-326 2000



NOVI \$182,500
SPACIOUS AND GRACIOUS CONDO Beautiful & well cared for condo lots of sq ft LR w/frpl charming kit & brkfst area nice mstr great fin d bsmt all appliances included (25GLE2)

248 348-6430



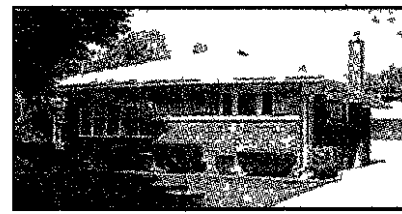
LIVONIA \$179,900
YOU WON'T FIND MORE HOME FOR LESS MONEY! 3 good sized BRs 2 BAs lg LR w/gas FP den/computer rm could be 4th BR 3 season sun rm off rear w/8 drwl full fin bsmt w/wet bar daylt wndws att'd gar (S19941)

734-591 9200



FARMINGTON \$178,500
PRETTY AS A PICTURE Cozy ranch freshly painted new carpet ready to move in Brick & wood trim 3 brs cute kit c/a 2 car gar w/brand new door Home protection plan provided (67FOL2)

248-348-6430



WESTLAND \$177,900
YOU CAN'T FALL INTO A BETTER HOME! 3 bdrm ranch One owner Meticulously maintained Numerous updates Custom oak cbnts marble sills ceramic tile fr Recreation room w/frpic Livonia schools (23A4830)

734-455-7000



LIVONIA \$165,000
WONDERFUL HOME- READY NOW! 3 bed room 1.5 bath all brick ranch full finished bas 2 car garage Cute clean many updates Great neighborhood & Livonia Schools too! (A9648)

734 591 9200



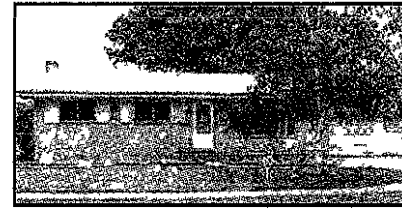
CANTON \$159,900
WOW! BEAUTIFUL FP in liv rm hrwd foyer 1st flr laundry huge 2nd flr ba w/whirlpool sep shower stall open to both BRs c/a bilt 1998 Deck bsmt att'd gar & much more! (H4292)

734-591-9200



WESTLAND \$155,900
THIS IS IT! ALL THE SPACE YOU NEED! Family friendly 3 bedroom 2 full baths den/library large eat in kitchen & large family room with gas fireplace all on one main floor Whole house attic fan (P323)

734-326-2000



WESTLAND \$150,000
BRICK RANCH ON A NICE ROAD! New tear off roof HWH newer eat in kit With some work & TLC this can become a great home 3 bdrm partly fnshd bsmt w/bar 2.5 car att gar Livonia schools (23G8466)

734-455-7000



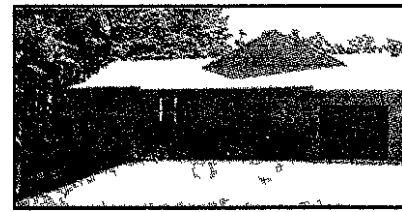
WAYNE \$144,900
LOOKING FOR LOTS OF SQUARE FEET? Then this is it 3 bedrooms 2 baths family room Updated in every corner Newer kitchen carpets doors bathrooms Finished basement 2 car garage (W349)

734-326-2000



WESTLAND \$143,000
EXCELLENT BUY Great 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath family rm w/fireplace finished basement with pool table Many many updates roof shingles windows bath kitchen siding & more (W113)

734 326 2000



SOUTH LYON \$142,900
SUPER LOCATION! W/O END UNIT WITH FLA RM 2BRS 2 baths fam rm with gas FP att gar 55+ adult community lake priv clubhouse all appliances fabulous scenery and privacy Hurry! (64CAM2)

248-348-6430



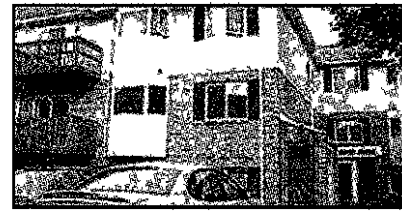
NOVI \$139,900
STONEHENGE CONDO 2 br 1.5 bath townhouse New carpet in LR & nook Remodeled main bath Small private patio Fin bsmt Immed occupancy close to xway and shopping (64STO2)

248-348-6430



WESTLAND \$134,500
UPDATES GALORE IN THIS 3 BR BRK & VINYL 1978 built Westland ranch Full basement newer furnace central air vinyl wnds steel entry doors & roof shingles (H171)

734-326-2000



PLYMOUTH \$132,500
THIS ONE S A KEEPER Atrium entrance and clean as can be 2 Bdrm condo in great location center of complex & a couple of blocks from downtown Plymouth Updates & lots of storage (P172)

734-326-2000



WAYNE \$127,500
FOUR BEDROOMS, LARGE LOT Full brick bungalow basement 2 car garage many updates formal dining room corner lot Hardwood floors in living rm and dining rm Must see to appreciate (A324)

734-326 2000



CANTON \$122,900
AFFORDABLE & NICE! Canton condo in The Winds complex Townhome style 2 bedroom 1 full bath Patro carport all appliances! (23N41030)

734-455 7000



WESTLAND \$120,000
RUN DON'T WALK! It doesn't get better than this 3 bdrm brick ranch Well maintained Newer wndws glass block in the bmt Nice long covered front porch 2.5 car gar & more! (23J4851)

734-455-7000



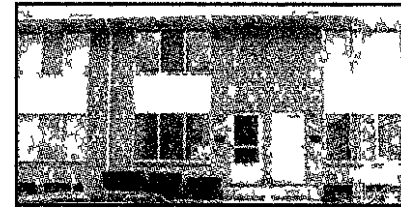
WAYNE \$115,000
SHARP AND UPDATED! Very sharp 3 bedroom bungalow with brand new 2 car garage w/loft Updates include kitchen w/frn & CA roof move in condition Huge LR & extra deep lot! (E409)

734-326-2000



WESTLAND \$78,000
STOP RENTING, START OWNING! Full brick ranch with most updates done New roof gutters windows and more Doorwall leading to huge deck with railings Must hurry (S167)

734-326-2000



WIXOM \$64,900
QUIET LOCATION & AFFORDABLE CONDO! Close to everything 2 BR 1.5 baths part ally fin d bsmt patio neutral decor in great cond tion w/over 1 000 SF (23HEL2)

248-348 6430

PLYMOUTH
COLONIAL ON WOODED LOT! 4 bedroom 2.5 bath expensively upgraded Newer kitchen & baths beautiful flooring & neutral decor 66 acre lot wooded immediate occupancy! 23B47248 \$359,900 734-455-7000

NOVI
CONTEMPORARY DESIGNED HOME Great open flr plan nice kit fin s bsmt w/fr bar bonus rm & extra storage Deck w/built in storage priv entry brick paver patio & yard w/ commons feal 76JAM2 \$300,000 248-348-6430

SOUTH LYON
QUALITY UPDATES THROUGHOUT! A MUST SEE Great 3 BR 2 full bath ranch on 1 acre Updates roof furnace A/C windows kit & baths 24x32 pole barn Low Salem taxes South Lyon schools 99EIG2 \$219,900 248 348-6430

REDFORD
TOTALLY UPDATED FROM TOP TO BOTTOM! Features sparkling lg eat in kit w/ceramic flr cntrs and backsplash 2 full remodeled BAs full bsmt 2 car gar 3 BR all big updates done walk to schls L15998 PC070352 \$137,900 734 591 9200

REDFORD
3 BEDROOM BRICK BUNGALOW New kitchen cabinets counter tops flooring updated elec tric plumbing glass block vinyl windows hrwdwd floors South Redford Schools R1 1426 \$135 900 734-591 9200

Call Info Line at 888-REO-LIST, punch in the code #, get information!

Apartments

All Ads Run Online
FREE!
A Value Of Up To \$87.00
www.hometownlife.com

This Classification continues from Section F

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
Madison Heights
QUIET
Almost soundproof
1 & 2 bedroom apts
Across from Oakland Mall at 175 and 14 Mile
CONCORD TOWERS
32600 Concord Dr
(next to the Micro Center Store)
1 bedroom from \$565
2 bedroom from \$625
Carports • Dishwasher
Disposal • Central air
248-589-3355

hometownlife.com

GREAT APARTMENTS
GREAT LOCATIONS
Rent includes Heat and Vertical Blinds 6 month or 1 year lease
Well maintained
Newly decorated
Features
• Air conditioning
• Refrigerator and range
• Smoke detectors
• Laundry facilities
• Extra storage
• Swimming pool
• Cable available
1 & 2 Bedroom Apts.

LEXINGTON VILLAGE
Small Pet Section
From \$560
175 and 14 Mile opposite Oakland Mall
248-585-4010

PRESIDENT MADISON APTS.
From \$605
1 block east of John R just south of Oakland Mall
248-585-0580

HARLO APTS.
From \$570
Warren MI
West side of Mound Rd. just north of 13 Mile Opposite GM Tech Center
586-939-2340

W. BLOOMFIELD
• 1 & 2 Bedroom Apts
• Air Conditioning
• Pets Welcome
• Dishwasher
• Microwave
• Vertical Blinds
• Carports Available
• 2 Pools
• Fitness Center
• Furnished Apts Available
BLOOMFIELD ON THE GREEN
Orchard Lake & Middlebelt
248-682-2950
OPEN 7 DAYS • MON-FRI 9am-6pm • SAT 9am-5pm • SUN 12-5pm

Come warm up with...
Westland
Hawthorne Club Apartments
Heat & Water Included.
2 Months Free With A 13 Month Lease!
(866) 241-5111
On Merriman between Ann Arbor Trail & Warren

Affordable One Bedroom Apartments
For Seniors 62+
WESTGATE TOWER
34567
ELMWOOD WESTLAND
from
\$345
to
\$470
734 729-2900
Monday-Friday
10 00-5 00
GREAT MOVE-IN SPECIALS! HURRY! LIMITED TIME ONLY

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
MOVE IN SPECIAL
2 bedroom updated private S Lyon schools \$750 a month short term lease available (248)640 7531

NEW MEADOWS OF S LYON
2 story condo style apts Pets welcome Private entrances 2 3 bedroom from \$700/mo We paid sec dep some con ditions apply
248 486 8900

NORTHVILLE
TREE TOP APARTMENTS
Charming small com munity nestled in a wooded stream side setting Featuring a variety of unique 1 bedroom apartments from only \$675 All feature neutral decor blinds appliances covered parking Options include in unit washer and dryer & dens with french doors Availability limited come see why! EHO

Fall Specials
Call (248) 347 1680
Novi Rd north of 8 Mile

NORTHVILLE 1 block N of Main St in quiet neighbor hood setting Large 1 bed room w/ac walk in closet heat & water included Only \$695/mo (734) 420 1027

NOVI
RAKE IN THE SAVINGS!
SAVE UP TO \$870 ON 1 BEDROOMS*
SAVE UP TO \$600 ON 2 BEDROOMS*
Restrictions apply
• Berber Carpeting in many Suites
• Vanity w/Double Sinks in Bathroom!
• 1Cubhouse w/Pool Table Internet Access and Fitness Area!
• Sound conditioned design for a peaceful living experience!
WATERVIEW FARMS APARTMENTS
(866) 534-3352
On Pontiac Trail just East of Beak Rd
We are pet friendly! EHO

Give us a call today - See what our **HOT LINK SERVICE** Can do for YOU!
1-800-579-SELL

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
NOVI
SPOOKTACULAR SAVINGS!
2 MONTHS FREE ON ALL 2 BEDROOMS!
Restrictions apply
• FREE CARPORTS!
• CITY WATER!
• Amazing Closet Space!
• 24 Hour Maintenance!
WESTGATE IV APARTMENTS
(866) 232-4373
On Pontiac Trail E of Beak Rd
SHORT TERM LEASES AVAILABLE! EHO

NOVI Free rent on apartments & townhomes! Prices starting at \$625 for a very limited time Close to freeways pets welcome covered parking fitness center close to schools
For details call toll free (877) 323 2286 or visit www.noviridge.com

NOVI
ALL NEW INTERIORS 2 MONTHS Free
You're sure to love our beautifully remodeled huge 1 & 2 bedroom apartments with brand new designer kitchen and baths individual washer/dryers vertical blinds covered parking and more! You'll be impressed by our exquisitely decorated hallways and new entrances Affordable luxury from only \$730 EHO
OPEN 7 DAYS
TREE TOP MEADOWS
10 Mile West of Meadowbrook
(248) 348-9590

PLYMOUTH BROUGHAM MANOR
1 & 2 Bedroom Apts
From \$580
(734) 455 1215
PLYMOUTH 1 bedroom apt Near downtown \$580/mo includes heat (plus security) Call (734) 455 2635
PLYMOUTH Largest 1 & 2 bedroom floorplans in Plymouth 3 months FREE RENT! Pets welcome fitness center pool close to freeways Call today (888) 532 0059 or visit www.twnbrapts.com
PLYMOUTH SHELDON PARK APTS
Spacious 1 bedroom central air Carport Pool \$555 Call (734) 453 8811

Plymouth 1 bedroom ground floor walk to town \$600 furnished or \$525/unfurnished No pets Lease Avail Nov 1st & last & security (734) 454 4098
PLYMOUTH DOWNTOWN
Deluxe apt 429 W Ann Arbor Trail 2 bedroom immediate occupancy (313) 277 2570
PLYMOUTH CONDO
Must see! 1 bedroom 1 bath totally remodeled appliances carport storage & laundry No pets/smoking \$650/mo 734 425-6028
Plymouth HILLCREST CLUB Apartments
Check out our special on renovated apts
Select apts only
1 Bedroom \$615
2 Bedroom \$690
FREE HEAT
www.cmpproperties.net
(866) 217-4106
Mon 9-6
Sat & Sun 10-4 EHO

REAL-ESTATE at it's best!
Observer & Eccentric

1 month FREE!
SAY YES TO WAYNEWOOD Apartments
• Huge 1 & 2 Bedrooms from only \$610!
• Free Heat & Water
• Private Patio or Balcony
• Personal Storage
• 2 Bedrooms have 1 1/2 Baths
• Kitchens With Dishwashers
• A Great Place To Live
• We Are Open Every Day!
(734) 326-8270
12 month lease. Select apts.

Affordable Excellence ARCHWOOD APARTMENTS
A TRIUMPH OF STYLE From \$600
(734) 697-0100
Cub fac lat ex post's tennis courts balcon es large n n storage, vertical blinds d shwashers, microwave ovens exceptional arch texture and landscaping
Dellridge **Lighthouse Pointe**
GRACIOUS SURROUNDINGS AN APARTMENT TRIOLOGY BY DARE YOU TO COMPARE From \$575
(734) 697-4343 (734) 699-3555
Equal Housing Opportunity
www.slackincorp.com
Just West of I 94 and I 275 Interchange
All located in Belleville/Van Buren just off the N 194 Service Drive 1/4 mile West of Haggerty Rd. Ext. Minutes from Ann Arbor Canton Livonia and Metro Airport

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
PLYMOUTH HILLS APT
746 S Mill St (Lilley Rd)
PLYMOUTH'S BEST KEPT SECRET
• In unit Washer-Dryer
• Walk to Downtown
• EZ access to I 275
• 1-2 BEDROOM APTS
FROM \$630
ASK ABOUT OUR SPECIALS
734-455 4721
www.apartment.com/plymouthhillsapartments

PLYMOUTH SQUARE APTS
CALL FOR SPECIALS
1 & 2 bedroom central air pool From \$625
734 455 6570
PLYMOUTH Super nice studio apt in historic home \$585 Also 2 bed in small building \$775 Both have new carpet laundry Cat ok 734 455-4169
PLYMOUTH Spacious 1 bed room Apt Heat & water includ ed all appliances 1 year lease \$610/mo Available Now! No smoking 734 453-0885
PLYMOUTH 303 Roe St
1 bedroom Rent \$575 security deposit \$575 Last mo rent FREE with a 13 mo lease 313 792 0450

REDFORD AREA
Large 1 bedrooms available Clean & quiet \$495/mo Ask about Manager's Special 313 534 3651 313 538 4338
REDFORD AREA
Telegraph 5 Mile
CALL FOR \$99 SPECIAL
Clean Quiet Building
Carpet Walk in Closet
Heat & Water Included
1 Bedroom \$495
Credit Check & References
313 532 9234
ROYAL OAK Between 12 & 13 Mile off Coolidge 1 bed room apt newly redecorated carpet \$540/mo Heat & water included (248) 488 2251
ROYAL OAK 0 1 2 & 3 bed apts lofts & townhouses Pet? Ask (248) 280 1700 www.ambraprt.com
SHELBY TWP Kingsview apts 25 Mile Rd 1 2 bedroom call for special opportunity \$490 \$625 (586) 781 8580

Southfield
Come in and FALL INTO SAVINGS!
Huge One/Two Bedrooms
Plus up to \$200 off the next 6 months
FRANKLIN RIVER
Stop In Today or Call
(248) 356-0400
On 12 Mile E of Telegraph paragonapartments.com

Southfield COUNTRY CORNER
Huge Apartments & Town Homes
1 & 2 3 Bedroom
From \$800
Ask About our Specials
• Heat water carport included
• Free Health Club
• Night Gatekeeper
• Heated Pool
• Private Balcony
• Short Term Leases
Close to Birmingham Shopping and Freeways
248 847 6100
Let us fax you our brochure
EHO
It's All About Results!
Observer & Eccentric
1-800-579-SELL

Westland
FALL INTO A GREAT DEAL
At Westwood Village One & Two Bedrooms Starting at only **\$525.00**
• Free Heat
• Free Carport
• Free Hot Water
• 2 Pools
• 2 Tennis Courts
• Weight Room
• Sec Dep only \$100 00
With approved credit
Call or Stop In Today on Joy btwn Newburgh & Hix
734-459-6600
Hurry won't last long • select units • limited time offer

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
TROY
Three Oaks Apts Special!
1 Bedroom \$630*
1 Bedroom/Den \$665*
2 Bedroom \$705*
Wattles Rd (17 Mile) Between Crooks & Livernois
248-362-4088
OPEN 7 DAYS
www.paragonapartments.com
*Conditions Apply

Westland
\$99 Moves You In
Rent On 1st Visit receive additional \$50 Off the next 6 months
VENOY PINES APARTMENTS
NEWLY RENOVATED KITCHENS & BATHS
1 & 2 bedroom apts some with fireplace Clubhouse
(734) 261-7394
www.yorkcommunities.com

Westland
DEPOSIT!
1 & 2 bedroom apartments available from \$550/month Heat & water included One month FREE rent Friendly professional staff!
Please call 734 721 0500
WAYNE 1 & 2 bedroom apt \$500 & \$550 includes heat & water (734) 728 7885
Wayne
EARLY FALL SPECIAL
1 MONTH FREE
• Carports available
• Large floor plans
• Free Heat & Water
Apts Start at \$595 WAYNE FOREST APTS
Open 9am-6pm
Call 734 326 7800 with approved credit
WAYNE LG unfurnished studio apt \$135/wk Also furnished efficiency \$125/wk Both include utilities 734 326 4110
Wayne
STUDIOS & 1 BEDROOMS
Government subsidized Must be 62 yrs or handicapped/disabled
Please call 734 729 7920

WESTLAND
TRICK OR TREAT!
Our Treat to You - ONE MONTH FREE + \$300!
★ FREE FORCED AIR HEAT!
★ Walk in Closet!
★ Ceiling Fans!
Restrictions Apply
HUNTINGTON ON THE HILL APARTMENTS
(866) 395-0746
On Ann Arbor Tr btwn Inkster & Middlebelt EHO

Westland
FALL INTO A GREAT DEAL
At Westwood Village One & Two Bedrooms Starting at only **\$525.00**
• Free Heat
• Free Carport
• Free Hot Water
• 2 Pools
• 2 Tennis Courts
• Weight Room
• Sec Dep only \$100 00
With approved credit
Call or Stop In Today on Joy btwn Newburgh & Hix
734-459-6600
Hurry won't last long • select units • limited time offer

Westland
\$99 Moves You In
PLUS 1 MONTH FREE!
Rent on 1st Visit receive additional \$50 OFF THE NEXT 6 MONTHS
ORCHARDS OF NEWBURGH
Larger Apartments 1 & 2 Bedroom plans • Playground Area • Pool & Clubhouse • Carport Included
(734) 729-5090
www.yorkcommunities.com

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
WESTLAND PLAZA
1 & 2 bed apts FROM \$545
1 MONTH FREE RENT
\$300 Security Deposit
Call Mon-Fri 9-5
Sat by appt only (734) 427 1997

Westland
WOW!
Spacious Clean & Quiet! 1 & 2 bedroom apartments available from \$550/month
Heat & water included \$99 deposit with approved credit AND one month FREE rent Friendly professional staff! Wayne/Ford Area
Please call 734 721 0500
WESTLAND WOODS
5995 N Wildwood

Westland
Luxury You Can Afford
Deposit From \$199
FOUNTAIN PARK APARTMENTS
Limited Time Special
3 MONTHS FREE RENT!
• Washer/Dryer provided
• Private Entrance
• Pool/Tennis court
Westland Open Sunday
1 MONTH FREE!!
at **WOODLAND VILLA APTS**
And \$100 off for the next 8 mo.'s on 2 bedroom apts
• Super size Closets
• Breakfast Bar
• Intercoms
• Cable Ready
• Central Heating & A/C
• Livonia Schools
CALL TODAY!
(734) 422-5411
On Warren Rd between Wayne & Newburgh
*on select units
for limited time
paragonapartments.com

Westland 1 bed apt A/C walk in closet \$550/month Heat & water included One month FREE RENT! 1 Bedroom \$530 Heat & Water Included 734 641 8823
Westland
34850 GLENWOOD E of WAYNE
ONE MONTH FREE RENT!
1 Bedroom \$530 Heat & Water Included 734 641 8823
Westland
34850 GLENWOOD FALL SPECIAL
California Style Apts
• 1 bedroom from \$655
• Heat & water included
• Cathedral ceilings
• Balconies
• Carport
• Fully carpeted
• Vertical blinds
• Great location to malls
• Livonia school system
(734) 261 5410

Westland Estates
Apts
FREE RENT!
SPECIALS!!
\$199 Security Deposit 1st and 2nd Months rent \$300 per month 3rd month FREE (new residents only with approved credit) and a 1 year lease
1 Bedroom 700 sq ft \$555
2 Bedroom 900 sq ft and 1 000 sq ft
Heat/Water included
Very clean apartments
Excellent maintenance
Pool vertical blinds
appliances Also 24 hour laundry facilities in each building No pets
(734) 722-4700

Westland
GOBBLE UP THE SAVINGS
MOVES YOU IN + 2 MO
FREE RENT
• GAS & WATER PAID
• 1 2 BEDROOMS
WESTERN HILLS APTS
Call 734-729-6520
Open Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Upon Credit approval
Westland Park Apts
FREE RENT!
SPECIALS!!
\$200 Security Deposit 1st and 2nd Month rent \$300 per month 3rd month FREE (new residents only with approved credit)
2 Bedroom 1 5 bath 936 sq ft from \$650
1 bedroom 700 sq ft \$575
Heat/water included
Very clean apartments
excellent maintenance
Central air vertical blinds
intercom Appliances
include dishwasher
Laundry facilities in each building No pets
(734) 729 6636

Apartment - Unfurnished 4000
BLOOMFIELD WEST SHORT TERM RENTAL
Furnished 1 & 2 bedroom apts in small quiet com plex next to park Includes dishes linens etc Cleaning services available Rents from \$300 Heat & water included
248 881 8309

BLOOMFIELD Adams & 175 Beautiful furnished 2 bedroom top floor w/balcony great view 6 mos \$895 248 217 6534
BURLINGTON APTS
1111 N Old Woodward has short term and month to month lease arrangements during renovations to transform Birmingham's finest into Woodward Place of Birmingham Condominiums
For leasing info call (248) 646 1111

FARMINGTON HILLS Park Motel Furnished rooms effi ciently apts from \$150/week No deposit 248-474 1324
LIVONIA Nice 3 bed on Ann Arbor Tr country setting fenced yard pet ok \$950/mo plus deposits 734 434 6886
PLYMOUTH 1 Bedroom living room kitchen & uten sils washer/dryer utilities incl \$1100/mo 3 mo min 734 416 5100
W DEARBORN nice neigh borhood cozy fully furnished lower Everything new \$550 incl utilities May bring 1 pet No smoking female retirees welcome 313 561 4556

Westland Open Sunday
1 MONTH FREE!!
at **WOODLAND VILLA APTS**
And \$100 off for the next 8 mo.'s on 2 bedroom apts
• Super size Closets
• Breakfast Bar
• Intercoms
• Cable Ready
• Central Heating & A/C
• Livonia Schools
CALL TODAY!
(734) 422-5411
On Warren Rd between Wayne & Newburgh
*on select units
for limited time
paragonapartments.com

Westland 1 bedroom peaceful bldg heat & water cable ready \$610/mo + secu rity 248 553 4522
Apartment - Furnished 4010
Birmingham • Novi
Royal Oak • Troy
Furnished Apts.
• Monthly Leases
• Immediate Occupancy
• Lowest Rates
• Newly Decorated
SUITE LIFE
248-549-5500
CLASSIFIEDS WORK!
1-800-579-7355

Westland
GOBBLE UP THE SAVINGS
MOVES YOU IN + 2 MO
FREE RENT
• GAS & WATER PAID
• 1 2 BEDROOMS
WESTERN HILLS APTS
Call 734-729-6520
Open Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Upon Credit approval
Westland Park Apts
FREE RENT!
SPECIALS!!
\$200 Security Deposit 1st and 2nd Month rent \$300 per month 3rd month FREE (new residents only with approved credit)
2 Bedroom 1 5 bath 936 sq ft from \$650
1 bedroom 700 sq ft \$575
Heat/water included
Very clean apartments
excellent maintenance
Central air vertical blinds
intercom Appliances
include dishwasher
Laundry facilities in each building No pets
(734) 729 6636

Apartment - Furnished 4010
BLOOMFIELD WEST SHORT TERM RENTAL
Furnished 1 & 2 bedroom apts in small quiet com plex next to park Includes dishes linens etc Cleaning services available Rents from \$300 Heat & water included
248 881 8309

BLOOMFIELD Adams & 175 Beautiful furnished 2 bedroom top floor w/balcony great view 6 mos \$895 248 217 6534
BURLINGTON APTS
1111 N Old Woodward has short term and month to month lease arrangements during renovations to transform Birmingham's finest into Woodward Place of Birmingham Condominiums
For leasing info call (248) 646 1111

FARMINGTON HILLS Park Motel Furnished rooms effi ciently apts from \$150/week No deposit 248-474 1324
LIVONIA Nice 3 bed on Ann Arbor Tr country setting fenced yard pet ok \$950/mo plus deposits 734 434 6886
PLYMOUTH 1 Bedroom living room kitchen & uten sils washer/dryer utilities incl \$1100/mo 3 mo min 734 416 5100
W DEARBORN nice neigh borhood cozy fully furnished lower Everything new \$550 incl utilities May bring 1 pet No smoking female retirees welcome 313 561 4556

Westland Open Sunday
1 MONTH FREE!!
at **WOODLAND VILLA APTS**
And \$100 off for the next 8 mo.'s on 2 bedroom apts
• Super size Closets
• Breakfast Bar
• Intercoms
• Cable Ready
• Central Heating & A/C
• Livonia Schools
CALL TODAY!
(734) 422-5411
On Warren Rd between Wayne & Newburgh
*on select units
for limited time
paragonapartments.com

Westland 1 bedroom peaceful bldg heat & water cable ready \$610/mo + secu rity 248 553 4522
Apartment - Furnished 4010
Birmingham • Novi
Royal Oak • Troy
Furnished Apts.
• Monthly Leases
• Immediate Occupancy
• Lowest Rates
• Newly Decorated
SUITE LIFE
248-549-5500
CLASSIFIEDS WORK!
1-800-579-7355

Westland
GOBBLE UP THE SAVINGS
MOVES YOU IN + 2 MO
FREE RENT
• GAS & WATER PAID
• 1 2 BEDROOMS
WESTERN HILLS APTS
Call 734-729-6520
Open Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Upon Credit approval
Westland Park Apts
FREE RENT!
SPECIALS!!
\$200 Security Deposit 1st and 2nd Month rent \$300 per month 3rd month FREE (new residents only with approved credit)
2 Bedroom 1 5 bath 936 sq ft from \$650
1 bedroom 700 sq ft \$575
Heat/water included
Very clean apartments
excellent maintenance
Central air vertical blinds
intercom Appliances
include dishwasher
Laundry facilities in each building No pets
(734) 729 6636

Condos & Townhouses 4020
LIVONIA Luxury 3 bedroom townhouse \$1300/mo 1 bed room apt \$590 No pets
Call (248) 477 0189

LIVONIA 1 bed/1 bath condo first floor laundry room covered patio carport Newly painted & pool \$750 + sec imediate occupancy 1st mo rent free 313 319 1269
LIVONIA NORTH Quiet cozy 1 bedroom Carport pool stor age laundry Heat Included \$650/mo (734) 822 8957
Northville Gorgeous 2 bed room 1736 sq ft condo fin ished basement Country Club Village (734) 420 1616
NORTHVILLE CONDO
Large 1 bedroom heat + water included 1 mo FREE w/13 mo lease \$675/mo (734) 961 8867
NORTHVILLE Highland Lks
End unit 2 bed 1 5 bath fireplace finished bsmt garage immediate occupancy \$1250/mo heat/water incl (248)408 8417
NOVI 2 bed 2 bath full base ment C/A carport 6mo tyr lease \$850/mo Avail now 734 223 3459
NOVI 2 bed townhouse Garage private ant Flexible lease immediate occupancy \$950/mo (248) 553 4029
NOVI Condo Townhouse Applegate at 10 Mile/Haggerty area 3 bed 2 5 bath 1400 Sq ft plus full finished bsmt c a garden patio w/gas outlet for barbecue pool & tennis court Rent includes heat & water \$1100/mo Avail Nov 6 248 469 9082 or 248 541 2981 ask for Jim

PLYMOUTH Ann Arbor Rd 3 bedroom ranch 2 car garage appliances basement pool \$1300 734 428 1699
ROYAL OAK 3 bed 2 bath condo spacious family room w/replacement walkout patio open kitchen all appliances incl available immediately \$1550/mo Call 248 546 0302
Westland Condo
ANN ARBOR TR/MERRIMAN
Contemporary 1 bedroom loft style \$560 (248) 353 9061
Duplexes 4030
CLAWSON
Luxury Duplex
849 Fourteen Mile 2 bed room 1 bath with fireplace central air full basement extra deep back yard \$780/mo + we do love pets (248) 354 9119 Ext 206
CLAWSON
Luxury Townhouse
447 N Rochester Rd 2 bed room 1 1/2 bath luxury town house with air fireplace basement with hookups Pets welcome \$820 (248) 354 9119 Ext 206
Ferndale Lower Duplex
Updated 2 bed stove refrigerator fireplace c a & share laundry \$750 No pets (248) 815 3739
Garden City 1 bedroom pri vate drive patio large back yard No pets \$565/mo Water incl (734) 462 2896
LIVONIA DUPLEX Approx 1000 sq ft 2 large bedroom 1 1/2 bath all appliances \$900/mo 734-421 8050
LIVONIA Plymouth/Farming ton Rd 2 bed bsmt apt \$750/mo + utilities No Pets 248 477 5637

Westland Open Sunday
1 MONTH FREE!!
at **WOODLAND VILLA APTS**
And \$100 off for the next 8 mo.'s on 2 bedroom apts
• Super size Closets
• Breakfast Bar
• Intercoms
• Cable Ready
• Central Heating & A/C
• Livonia Schools
CALL TODAY!
(734) 422-5411
On Warren Rd between Wayne & Newburgh
*on select units
for limited time
paragonapartments.com

Westland 1 bedroom peaceful bldg heat & water cable ready \$610/mo + secu rity 248 553 4522
Apartment - Furnished 4010
Birmingham • Novi
Royal Oak • Troy
Furnished Apts.
• Monthly Leases
• Immediate Occupancy
• Lowest Rates
• Newly Decorated
SUITE LIFE
248-549-5500
CLASSIFIEDS WORK!
1-800-579-7355

OPEN HOUSE EXTRAVAGANZA

Up To 2 Months FREE Rent

Farmington Hills Luxury Living

COVINGTON CLUB

- FREE UPGRADES
- 2 & 3 Bedroom Ranch or Townhomes with Garage
- 1800 sq ft - 2000 sq ft
- Sparkling Swimming Pool
- Full Basement
- Individual Intrusion Alarm

248-851-2730

FoxPointe TOWNHOUSES

- 2 & 3 Bedroom Townhomes
- 1400 sq ft - 1600 sq ft
- Central Air
- Full Size Washer & Dryer
- Sparkling Swimming Pool
- Covered Parking

www.FoxPointeTownHouses.com
248-473-1127

Summit AND TOWNHOUSES

- 2 Bedroom, 2 Bath
- 1460 sq ft - 1825 sq ft
- Full Size Washer & Dryer
- Sparkling Swimming Pool
- Full Basement
- Individual Intrusion Alarm

248-626-4396

You're invited to an Open House at all three communities
Nov. 1-2 and Nov. 15-16 from noon until 5.

www.KaftanCommunities.com certificat conditions may apply

Duplexes 4030

NORWAYNE 2 & 3 bedrooms Updated kitchen & bath new carpeting freshly painted From \$549 313 278 0282

PLYMOUTH Sheldon Junction area 1 bedroom utility room air No smoking or pets \$550 + security 734 455 1040

WAYNE Charming 3 bed town house style private basement walk to shopping \$795/mo 269 227 3417 734 837 7355

WESTLAND 2 Bedroom full basement New fireplace Ultra clean move right in From \$645/mo Ask about our special 734 721 9111

WESTLAND Ford & Wayne quiet area 1 bed new paint all appliances water incl \$525/mo 734 464 3455

WESTLAND 2 bedroom Clean Move in special Under \$550 Call 734 416 9799

WESTLAND Ford/Wayne large 1 bedroom new appli ances yard maintained \$600/mo (586) 817 1846

WESTLAND Newly remodeled Large 3 bedroom Section 8 welcome Norwayne 33054 Alanson \$750 734 261 9537

WESTLAND Norwayne Special! 2 bedroom ready to move in Pets ok \$575 de post \$575/mo 734 525 1797

Flats 4040

BIRMINGHAM 1226 BIRD 2 bedroom lower \$800/mo Appliances air washer dryer hardwood floors lawn service 248 644 8660

FERNDALE Bright open one bedroom upper in great area New Berber carpet c a laun dry garage ceramic bath & kitchen walk to downtown A MUST SEE! \$600/ut lites (248) 548 5946

FERNDALE NW 1 bed upper new kitchen & bath No smoking Great location \$640/mo After 6pm 248 547 3388

FERNDALE 244 Wardsworth 2 bedroom lower recently updated A/C w/wundry \$750 248 545 7447

NORTHVILLE 2 bedroom upper flat Walk to downtown Freshly painted updated kitchen w/all appli ances Hardwood floors Bsmt w/ washer/dryer hook up 1 car garage \$785/mo Secur ity/ref Tina 734 416 8736 Coldwell Banker Preferred

ROYAL OAK 1 bed upper in 3 unit home Hardwood floors Walk to downtown Use of washer & dryer & all utilities included \$625/mo Call John (248) 310 6457

ROYAL OAK 1st month FREE! 326 Oakland Great location 1 blk from downtown 4 bed room upper flat a/c recently updated \$1300/mo (248) 545 7447

WESTLAND/CANTON 2 Bed upper Washer/dry in unit all new Air Nice area \$795/mo 734 341 6203

Homes For Rent 4050

BERKLEY 1500 sq ft 2/3 bed 1 bath 2 car remodeled kitchen \$1345 RICHTER & ASSOC www.richterasoc.com

Homes For Rent 4050

BERKLEY 3 bedroom bun galow finished bsmt appli ances new windows & kitchen lawn maintenance incl \$1250/mo 313 806 6260

BERKLEY 2519 Cummings 3 bed garage laundry facil ities basement Avail end of Nov Dogs ok non smoking \$1150/mo (248) 545 1962

BERKLEY Gorgeous! 2 Bed 2 Bath Huge Finished Bsmt All Appliances incl washer/dryer Super Clean Hardwood Floors & Berber Updated Kitchen & Baths New Windows & Furnace Fenced Yard \$250 Deposit \$1050/mo 248 895 8337

Beverly Hills / Birmingham Schools Updated 3 bed 1 5 bath basement & garage \$1 450 (248) 868 7000

BIRMINGHAM 3 bedroom 1 bath ranch Air deck garage new kitchen more 1 small pet OK \$1195 per month EHO 248 642 8686 248 640 5855

BIRMINGHAM charmer 4 bedrooms Remodeled master w/garden tub Fenced yard w/play area 1 year lease \$2 650/mo Call Vicki Max Broock Realtors (248) 625 9300 (60RIV)

BIRMINGHAM 1622 Dorchester Prefer 2 yr lease Call Christine John at Snyder Kinney Bennett & Keating 248 644 7000

BIRMINGHAM Option to buy ranch air bsmt 3 car garage \$900/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

BIRMINGHAM 3 Bed 2 5 bath w/ skylights wood floors & 2 car garage \$2495/mo ShareNet (248)642 1620

BIRMINGHAM 2 Bed fm shed bsmt washer/ dryer C/A garage \$1000/mo ShareNet (248)642 1620

Birmingham Brick Bungalow 3 bed full basement across from park! \$1 150 Call Bill (248) 318 7111

BIRMINGHAM IN TOWN 3 bed 2 bath C/A all appli ances 3 car garage perfect cond \$1050 248 859 3344

Birmingham Remodeled 2 bed ranch appliances fenced yard \$800/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

BIRMINGHAM Executive home 4 Bed 3200 sq ft on Oakland Hills Gc fm bsmt paneled lib short lease \$3500/mo 248 921 1112

BIRMINGHAM 784 Blvd 2 bedroom 1 bath Available immediately 1 000 sq ft 248 933 5436

Bloomfield 4 bedroom colonial All appliances includ ing washer/dryer 2 car garage Non smoking 1 year lease \$2400/mo Call Vicki Max Broock Realtors (248) 625 9300 (81QUA)

Bloomfield 4 Bed 3 5 bath bsmt C/A fireplace 3+ car garage \$2800/mo ShareNet (248) 642 1620

Bloomfield Hills 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath newly remodeled 2 car garage Bloomfield Hills Schools \$1650/mo 248 931 6824

BRIGHTON 3 bed ranch bsmt appliances 2 car garage \$930/mo RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

CANTON 3 bed 2 1/2 bath 1850 sq ft new paint/carpet bsmt all appliances garage \$1595/mo 734 516 2492

Homes For Rent 4050

CANTON 4 bedroom 1 5 bath colonial Avail Dec 1st Option to buy/land contract possible \$1475/mo 734 455 2953

CANTON Bargain Newer home 3 bed 2 car 2 car many extras \$1 600 248 348 8189 #724 RICHTER & ASSOC www.richterasoc.com

CANTON 3 bed 2 5 bath ranch finished basement lge lot garage all appliances Pets allowed \$1200/mo+ 1 mo deposit 734 945 3031

Canton Area NEWLY BUILT COLONIAL 1800 sq ft 4 bed 2 1/2 bath Great opportunity! Crossroads Ridge & Geddes Smoke & pet free Security/ref \$1600/mo MARK or DEBRA DeMOSS 734 416 8732 Coldwell Banker Preferred

Canton New 1966 brick 4 bed colonial 2 way fireplace 3133 sq ft air 2 car \$2300 D&H Properties 248 373 4002

CANTON/SUPERIOR Brand new 4 bed home 2 5 baths 2 car garage Fireplace air hardwood floors All new appliances \$1600/mo 734 844 1874

CLARKSTON 3 bed ranch all appliances bsmt deck pets neg \$900/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

DEARBORN (E) 5070 Palmer Clean 3 bedroom appliances basement garage carpeting \$825 No pets 313 584 9380

DEARBORN 3 bed bsmt appliances air fenced garage \$775/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

DEARBORN HGTS 3 bed fenced yard available now \$700/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

DEARBORN HTS Remodeled 3 bedroom brick ranch dining room 2 5 car garage C/A option \$750 248 788 1823

DEARBORN HTS Attractive 3 bedroom brick ranch large country kitchen appliances \$850/mo 248 478 0213

DETROIT this house for rent 1 bedroom Mid/GrandRiver area Fenced yard fireplace Call (313) 535 2943

FARMINGTON HILLS 3 bedroom 1 bath 1 car garage fenced yard all appliances \$1100/mo 248 442 9644

FARMINGTON HILLS 3 bedroom 1 bath 1 car garage fenced yard all appliances \$1100/mo 248 442 9644

FARMINGTON HILLS 3 bedroom 1 bath 1 car garage fenced yard all appliances \$1100/mo 248 442 9644

FARMINGTON HILLS 3 bedroom 1 bath 1 car garage fenced yard all appliances \$1100/mo 248 442 9644

Farmington Hills / Livonia 1200 sq ft 3 bedroom 2 bath appliances fenced yard \$1200 (248) 342 0314

FARMINGTON HILLS 1250 sq ft 2 bed ranch large secluded yard easy highway access 3 ngle garage/opener \$1000/mo includes electric & lawn service 248 478 5782

FARMINGTON HILLS 2 bed no bsmt or garage \$750/mo 1 5 security 1 yr lease min Credit check (586) 598 3304

Homes For Rent 4050

FARMINGTON HILLS Beautiful 3 bed ranch appli ances included large fenced lot Farmington schools \$995/mo + 1/2 mo rent (248) 980 9677

FARMINGTON HILLS Lovely 2 bed 1 bath 1 200 sq ft fire place \$995 248 348 8189 #726 RICHTER & ASSOC www.richterasoc.com

FARMINGTON HILLS N of 9 mi W of Middlebelt sharp & clean 3 bed w/garage Newly decorated thru out \$1100 + sec 248 739 1180

FERNDALE 251 College 2 bedrooms garage fenced yard \$695/mo Available immediately Shown daily @ 5pm or by appt Office 248 593 0064 Mobile 313 920 5866

Garden City ANY HOME Lease any home with option to buy * Bad credit * No credit NATIONAL COMMUNITY ACQUISITIONS LLC 734 459 7100

INKSTER 3 bedroom garage \$650 2 bedroom ranch \$400 Option to buy available on both 248 788 1823

INKSTER Rent option or land contract or just rent brick 3 bed 4 car brick garage \$795 269 227 3417 734 837 7355 Office 248 593 0064

INKSTER 3 bedroom ranch style includes appliances Detached garage Call 734 662 9035

LAKE ORION 3 bed ranch new cabinets fenced for pets \$850/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

LATHRUP VILLAGE 2200 sq ft 3 bed 2 bath Living room w/fireplace c a all appli ances \$1500 248 357 6263

LEASE/OPTION 1 of our homes All Areas Could be zero down (248) 615 4429

LIVONIA 3 bedroom ranch appliances central air Stevenson School District \$1175 per mo 313 215 6168

LIVONIA 3 bedroom ranch fenced yard freshly decorated 1 1/2 mo security \$800/mo 810 231 7363

LIVONIA 4 bedroom quad level colonial \$1595/mo 2400+ sq ft 2 1/2 baths 2 car garage 2 fireplaces 248 943 2963 248 478 9778

LIVONIA 3 bed garage all appliances buy opt on \$850/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

LIVONIA 4 BEDROOM Garage and C/A Clean & updated close to everything \$1100/mo CALL JOHN MCARDLE 734 420 3400 x221

REMERICA 44785 Five Mile Rd Livonia 4785 Five Mile Rd Livonia

LIVONIA Gd River/Inkster Clean cozy 2 bedroom new carpet & paint References Deposit Opt on to buy \$625/mo 248 348 0066

LIVONIA Wonderland area 2 bedroom A/C large yard \$650/mo For appointment Call Amrish 248 790 4760

Homes For Rent 4050

LIVONIA 3 bed ranch 1 bath 1 1/2 car garage fenced in cor ner lot Pets negotiable \$1060 plus security 734 462 2047

LIVONIA 2 bedroom 1 car garage washer/dryer fridge & stove \$850 + deposit 248 478 2565

LIVONIA 3 Bed brick ranch 1 5 bath 1/2 finished bsmt 1 5 car garage Middlebelt/Joy \$1000/mo (586) 781 8380

LIVONIA 3 Bed 1 5 bath fenced yard garage full bsmt clean close to schools \$1300/mo 248 777 6115

LIVONIA Beautiful 3 bed 2 1/2 baths Everything new Many extras No smoking Inside pets maybe \$1895 /mo 248 755 3125

LIVONIA like new 3 bed 2 bath large private ranch Fl room 2 car garage Pets ok \$1500/mo 313 999 4719

LIVONIA S/8 Mile E/Middlebelt 20516 Fremont 2 bedroom \$800/mo \$1000 security deposit Pets OK All appli ances 2 car garage 586 321 9986

LIVONIA 2/3 Bedroom ranch \$750/\$1150 Newly decorat ed 734 420 6086

Livonia 9027 Melvin Ranch w/Livonia Schools 1 1 bath w/all fresh New kitchen & bath Fresh neutral carpet & paint thru out Smoke/pet Free Crossroads Joy/Merriman Security/Ref \$1050/mo MARK or DEBRA DeMOSS 734 416 8732 Coldwell Banker Preferred

LIVONIA NW 3 Bedroom 1 5 bath \$1300/mo 248 426 6436 248854 2207

LIVONIA 3 bedroom 2 full bath finished basement living room breakfast nook 2 5 car garage w/sunroom No smok ing \$1300 517 467 7383

Madison Heights 4 bed 2 bath c a laundry & newly remodeled 1 400/mo (248) 815 3739

MELVINDALE Cute 2 bedroom ranch Immediate occupancy Opt on to buy available \$600/month 248 788 1823

MILFORD ranch Short term lease Spend warm cozy evenings by the great room fireplace Finished basement Non smoking \$1800/mo Call Vicki Max Broock Realtors (248) 625 9300 (31MIL)

NO BANKS REQUIRED! Royal Oak 3 bedroom rm od eld bungalow Finished base ment w/bedroom & full bath All appliances Central air Awesome master w/skylights! 2 5 car garage \$185 000 CALL (248) 815 3739

NORTHVILLE CLEAN 3 bed room ranch garage quiet setting available now \$950 734 453 1619 734 834 1886

NORTHVILLE 51300 7 Mile Rd 4 Bedroom 1850 sq ft on 4 acres w/ground swimming pool Asking \$1550/mo Immed Occup 248 866 1826

Northville Historic 3 bed colonial 2 bath bsmt oak floors appliances \$1500/mo D&H Properties 248 373 4002

Homes For Rent 4050

OAK PARK Cute 2 bedroom ranch Immediate occupancy Option to buy available \$600 per month 248 788 1823

OUR CHARITY Will gift you the down payment on your home purchase (248) 615 4653

OXFORD 3 bed ranch C/A appliances bsmt garage \$1000/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

PLYMOUTH 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch basement garage All appliances \$1250/mo + security (734) 981 1792

PLYMOUTH Brck bsmt air all appliances \$795/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

PLYMOUTH Large 2 bed lower wood floors bsmt porch garage \$895/mo 734 591 6580 455 7653

REDFORD 7 / Inkster Nice 3 bedroom c/a basement garage fenced yard NO PETS \$700 248 553 0175

REDFORD 3 bed ranch fin ished bsmt immediate occu pancy \$700/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 356 RENT

REDFORD 4 bed bsmt 1 5 baths garage fireplace hard wood \$900/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 356 RENT

Redford Great home to rent by Western Golf Course Beach Daily/Lyndon 2 bedroom ac finished basement \$1000/mo Mark 313 535 1424

REDFORD Immaculate beau tiful 3 bed ranch Quiet neigh borhood near x ways \$1300/mo 313 407 0656

REDFORD 3 bedroom home \$795/mo ~With option to buy (248) 615 4573

REDFORD 19400 Garfield Beach & Grand River 3 bed brick bungalow bsmt 2 car garage \$850/mo 248 476 6498 Agent

REDFORD 4 bed 2 5 bath den large kitchen Bsmt 2 car garage avail Dec 15th \$1200/mo (313) 255 7755

REDFORD 3 bed ranch car peted c/a dishwasher fin ished bsmt garage \$1100 + \$1000 security 313 274 1013

RENT TO OWN 1 of our homes All Areas Could be zero down! 248-615 4573

Rochester Remodeled 3 bed C/A appliances bsmt garage \$975/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 373 RENT

ROYAL OAK 409 13 Mile Rd 3 bedroom 1 1/2 bath quad level with good storage Central air hook ups for washer & dryer Pets wel come \$1000/mo (248) 354 9119 Ext 206

Royal Oak 3 bedrooms remodeled bungalow Finished basement w/bedroom & full bath All appliances Central air Awesome master w/skylights! 2 5 garage \$1 300 or option to buy! (248) 815 3739

ROYAL OAK 3 bed finished bsmt appliances hardwood floors \$875/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 356 RENT

ROYAL OAK 3 bedroom brck nicely landscaped yard fenced backyard Rent with option Call Julius 248 426 9850

Homes For Rent 4050

ROYAL OAK Near downtown 3 bedroom 1 bath All appli ances c a hardwood floors renovated kitchen \$1100/mo 248 709 8224 mmcginty@comcast.net

SOUTHFIELD 4 bed 2 bath 2 000 sq ft appliances \$1 400 248 348 8189 #718 RICHTER & ASSOC www.richterasoc.com

SOUTHFIELD 1 room house w/loft A/C Totally updated in 2001 2 car garage Dead end street country setting 9 Mile & Inkster area \$650/mo (248) 641 8727

SOUTHFIELD 3 bed ranch carpet Section 8 welcome only \$700/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 248 356 RENT

SOUTHFIELD 4 bed colonial Rent to own No bank qualif ying Call (248) 722 1313 www.marketplacenames.com

SOUTHFIELD Great location! Immaculate 3 bed ranch country sub 1600 sq ft 1 5 bath City Center 696/Ever green \$1300 248 789 3453

SOUTHFIELD 2 bedroom ranch garage Large wooded lot stove refrigerator \$800/mo + Sec deposit No pets (248) 353 9477

TROY Newly remodeled 3 bed 2 bath home Hardwood floors bsmt appliances A/C \$1100/mo (248) 643 4951

W BLOOMFIELD Beautiful fully furnished 2 bedroom on the lake through June \$1000 248 661 5551

W BLOOMFIELD WANTED someone special to rent my lakefront home until July Drake/Maple (248) 661 2156

WAYNE Ranch appliances new carpet buy option \$695/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

WAYNE 2 bed 1 1/2 bath all appliances+ washer/dryer air large yard newly redecorat ed \$775/mo (734) 722 8590

WAYNE 3 bedroom home \$795/mo With option to buy (248) 615 4653

WEST BLOOMFIELD Gorg eous 4 bedroom lake front w/ finished walkout \$1975/mo ShareNet (248)642 1620

West Bloomfield 3 bed ranch spacious newly remodeled detached 2 1/2 car garage washer & dryer \$1300/mo 248 884 3036

WEST BLOOMFIELD 1500 sq ft 3 bed 1 5 bath fire place garage all updated \$1200/mo 248 547 0808 x105 or 248-435 6231

WESTLAND 3 bed available now fenced yard \$750/mo Small charge RENTAL PROS 734 513 RENT

WESTLAND Remodeled 2 bedroom ranch 2 5 car attached mechanic's garage Option \$600 248 785 1823

WESTLAND Sharp 3 bedroom ranch newer windows fr nace \$875/mo + 1 month sec 269 227 3417 734 837 7355

WESTLAND 2 bed brick ranch C/A bsmt 1st Mo 1/2 off \$800/mo + \$800 security 1939 Steber 734 425 5854

WESTLAND Available now (Merriman Palmer) 2 & 3 bedroom duplexes Clean fenced carpet From \$625 \$675/mo 313 418 9905

Homes For Rent 4050

*BAD CREDIT *GOOD CREDIT *NO CREDIT 0 down purchases 100% financing on home of your choice! (248) 615 4817

*CANTON 2 bedroom 2 bath basement garage \$1750/mo

*CANTON 3 bedroom 2 5 bath basement 2 car garage \$1600/mo

*CANTON - 4 bedroom 2 5 bath 3000 sq ft \$2295/mo

*DEARBORN 3 bedroom 2 bath basement garage \$1195/mo

*LIVONIA 3 bedroom 1 5 bath basement garage \$1295/mo

*WESTLAND - 3 bedroom 2 bath garage \$1250/mo OneWay Realty 248 473 5500

Lake & Waterfront Homes 4060

Elizabeth Lakefront/Waterford 74 brick ranch Pella/Pergo 2 bed/2 bath/2 car deck Web info 248 674 4494 \$1350/mo

Mobile Homes For Rent 4080

FARMINGTON HILLS 1 bedroom \$85/wk & up No pets appliances Deposit required (248) 473 5535

FARMINGTON HILLS REDUCED RATES FIRST MONTH FREE 1 & 2 bedroom appliances window treatments air No dogs Open Saturdays 10 4 Call (248) 474 2131

Southern Rentals 4090

BONITA BEACH FL 2 bed room 2 bath fully furnished condo on Gulf Available now Jan & after Mar Near Ft Myers Airport 517 546 6169

ENGLEWOOD FL 2 bedroom 2 bath condo Furnished pool & golf Annual or seasonal 248 814 8617

Vacation & Resort Rentals 4110

BOYNE COUNTRY Color/Golf /SKI 5 bedrooms 3 baths TV's VCR s microwave & dishwasher 734 420 1274

BAYLORD Tree Tops Ski Resort Ski season Condo in resort Nov March 1400 sq ft 2 bedroom 2 full baths kitchen & laundry \$7500 Bill Lewis 248 891 3792

SW FLORIDA Gulf coast 2 bed 2 bath on 27 hole cham pionship golf course \$3500/mo 248 615 8985

Traverse City North Shore Inn Luxury 1 2 bedroom beach front condos Off season rates AAA/AARP 1 800 968 2365

Help Wanted General 5000

Die Maker
Journeymen die maker w/pro
gressive die exp for after
noon shift CNC machine exp
beneficial Send resume to
Clips & Clamps Industries
15060 Keel St
Plymouth MI 48170
Fax 734 455 4270 EOE

DIRECT CARE
ALTERNATIVE SERVICES
\$300 hire in bonus is for
trained part time direct care
midnight shift in the Bellevue
area assisting disabled adults
and involving them in the com
munity activities Established
firm and positive people Great
place to work Interested
applicants call 734 753 4852
If no answer leave message

DIRECT CARE NEEDED
2 Part time afternoons posi
tions Must be trained with
CPR & FA Farmington Hills
area Contact Sheri Mon Fri
9am-3pm (248) 478 1956

DIRECT CARE WORKER &
ASSISTANT MANAGER
For Canton Group Home
Highly independent residents
Competitive wages/benefits
734 397 6955

Direct Care Positions avail
able working with people in
their homes competitive pay
& benefits all shifts paid
training great people mean
ingful work 734 722 4382

DIRECTOR OF
OPERATIONS

The Western Townships
Utilities Authority (WTUA) is
accepting applications for the
position of Director of
Operations This is a
professional position for a
three (3) to five (5) year term
responsible for the ongoing
administrative financial and
technical operations of the
WTUA regional wastewater
collection and transportation
system Minimum
qualifications include five (5)
years of experience in the
operations and maintenance
of municipal facilities
Experience in wastewater
operations is desired
Candidates must possess a
Bachelors degree in civil or
environmental engineering or
an equivalent combination of
relevant work experience and
education The salary range is
\$62,500 to \$2,800,000
Resumes are to be mailed to
WTUA by November 24th
2003 at 40905 Joy Road
Canton MI 48187 WTUA
does not discriminate upon
the basis of race color age
and/or disability WTUA is an
Equal Opportunity Employer

DOOR TO DOOR
APPOINTMENT SETTERS
Home Improvement Co is
seeking full time canvassers
to join our crew Job involves
door to door appointment
setting for pest control
estimates Mon-Sat 8am-5pm
\$10/hr plus weekly bonuses
Transportation provided
Ask for Paige
248 467 9175

DRIVER
R U Motivated? Mon-Fri full
or part time Serious hard
working person for vending
route driver Clean driving
record a must & good attitude
Send resume to P O Box
2374 Birmingham MI 48012

DRIVER experienced Tow
Truck Driver for Detroit based
company No evenings week
ends or road service
Commission 313 934 0639

DRIVER
Company trucks owner oper
ators Full or part time Reply
in confidence 248 476 7344
or fax 248 476 7366

DRIVER
Local Delivery Driver Must
have CDL B with HAZMAT
endorsement Mechanically
inclined & have customer
service skills with knowledge
of the metro area Mail or fax
resume to
AmSyn
13455 Stamford Ct
Livonia MI 48150
Fax (734) 427 4493

Owner/Operators
FLEET OWNERS
LOCAL
29 TRUCKS NEEDED
No Touch Automotive
Freight
99% Drop & Hook
Low Miles
Avg \$1500 \$2000
1990 or Newer Truck
Day cabs Welcomel
CDL Class A w/Hazmat
18 mos Experience

Call JOHN
800 723 6046 Ext 227

DRIVER
Part time for auto paint store
Will train Apply in person to
Painters Supply & Equipment
1054 W Ann Arbor Rd
Plymouth MI or fax resume to
734-455 4160

DRIVER/WAREHOUSE HELP
for expanding co Must have
Chauffeur's license & DOT
card Good pay benefits
avail Call 734 595 6624

DRIVERS
Owner/Operators with full
size cargo van needed for
expediting freight Retirees
welcome (248) 879 0090

HAIR STYLISTS NEEDED
Hair Vibes Salon in Canton
70% commission Call
734 454 0288 734 938 7952

HAIR STYLISTS WANTED
Farmington Hills area
Commission or both rental
available Linda's Hair &
More Ask for Linda or Jen
248 919 1202

HAIR STYLIST & NAIL
TECH W/Some clientele
Part/full time Dearborn
Hts area Call (313) 274 7093

Ask About Our
HOT LINK
SERVICE
1-800-579-SELL

Look in your
Observer & Eccentric
CLASSIFIEDS
...It's all
about
results!
To Place An
Ad Call:
800-579-SELL
Fax:
734-953-2232
www.hometownlife.com

Help Wanted General 5000

DRIVERS
Domino's Pizza
Distribution the food
manufacturing and
distribution division of
Domino's Pizza LLC is
seeking experienced
professional delivery &
service drivers To qualify
for this position you must
have a CDL with a class A
endorsement a minimum
of two years or 100,000
miles of verifiable tractor
trailer experience and an
excellent driving safety
and customer service
record Unloading of
product is required
We offer a competitive
salary with bonus
program no extended
travel full benefit package
including 401(K)
Interested candidates are
invited to respond by
mail fax or email to
Kurt Blumh
30 Frank
Lloyd Wright
Drive
PO Box 392
Ann Arbor MI
48106
Fax 734 930 7766
email
blumhk@dominos.com
Equal Opportunity
Employer

DRIVERS
for Northville snow removal
company Exp preferred Pay
based on yrs of exp Must be
dependable on call 24 hrs
248 449 6137

DRIVERS Part time for local
airport transportation co
Flexible (248) 901-4600

ELECTRICIAN
Journeyman & apprentices
with minimum 2 years exp
Call (734) 261 6439

ELECTRICIAN/JOURNEY
MAN/JOB EXCELLENCE
(m/f) or equivalent for resl
dential wiring Excellent ben
efits (734) 778 0000

FABRICATOR
STRUCTURAL STEEL
Able to read blueprints do
layout work cut welds & other
related jobs Drug & alcohol
free environment Apply &
bring resume to
Smede Son Steel
12584 Inkster Rd Redford
No phone calls please

FLORAL DESIGNER
Experienced fully full time
for busy Southfield shop
248 358 1522

Floral Production
Supervisor
Needed for bouquet
co Flower knowledge a must
Fax resume (734) 721 4997
or call (734) 721 4391

FOREMAN (M/F)
Exp in brick & landscape
installation Top wages
Crimblol Nursery
Call 734-495-1700
Fax 734-495-1131

FREIGHT FORWARDING/
OTTI MANAGER
Challenging posit on for an
individual with the desire to
succeed
Individual required to start
up new Freight Forwarding
/ OTTI business Must have
at least 3 years experience in
OTTI industry This posit
ion offers the opportunity
of being involved in the
early development of a new
business It requires a pro
fessional person with the
ability to develop new busi
ness and co ordinate exist
ing business with the back
up of a locally based trans
port company and an over
seas freight forwarding
company Must have good
communication skills
Call 734 428 1538

GENERAL CLERICAL
Full time clerical position
available in Data Entry
Department Qualified person
must be able to handle mul
tiple tasks Have good com
munication skills both verbal
and written Involves basic
math skills Must be team
player with others Please
include salary history with resume
to Knight Enterprises Inc
40600 Grand River
Novi MI 48375
Attn Shirley Trombeta
Fax 248 778 1441
Email shirleyt@
knightenterprisesinc.com

GET PAID TO SHOP! Mystery
Shoppers earn \$25/local area
stores Move merchandise
moves meals & more No
experience necessary
www.Search4Shoppers.com/j
ob

GOVERNMENT JOBS
Wildlife/Postal \$13.21 to
\$48.00 per hour Fax train
ing Full benefits No experi
ence necessary Application
and exam information Toll
free 1 888 778 4266 ext 151

GOVERNMENT JOBS Earn
\$12 \$48.00 an hour Full ben
efits training on
Homeland Security Law
enforcement Wildlife Clerical
Administrative & more
1 800 320 9353 ext 2200

GROUND PERSON
Needed for Farmington Apt
Community Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Call 248 474 2884 or
Fax resume to 248 474 1372

GYMNASTICS! Busy acad
my now hiring enthusiastic
energetic coaches for
school & recreational gymnas
tics classes 248 474 7778

HAIR STYLISTS NEEDED
Hair Vibes Salon in Canton
70% commission Call
734 454 0288 734 938 7952

HAIR STYLISTS WANTED
Farmington Hills area
Commission or both rental
available Linda's Hair &
More Ask for Linda or Jen
248 919 1202

HAIR STYLIST & NAIL
TECH W/Some clientele
Part/full time Dearborn
Hts area Call (313) 274 7093

Ask About Our
HOT LINK
SERVICE
1-800-579-SELL

Help Wanted General 5000

HEALTH CLUB
MANAGER
Luxury apartment
community in Downtown
Detroit looking for a
qualified Manager to run
our Health Club Requires a
4 yr degree in the field of
health/fitness CPR AED
certified Aerobics or
Personal Training certified
is a plus
Please fax resume for
immediate interview to
313-393-5006

HEATING & COOLING
PERSON NEEDED
Experience necessary Full
time 734 398 6971

HIRING FOR 2003 POSTAL
POSITIONS \$14.80
\$36.00+/HR Federal Hire
with full benefits *No experi
ence necessary *Paid training
and vacations *Green card
OK Call
1 800 620 1401 ext 4001

Hiring for 2003 Postal
Positions \$600 \$1520/WEEK
LY plus full federal benefits
Entry professional level No
experience necessary Paid
training/vacations Green card
ok 1-877 329 5268 ext 805

HOST/STRESS
Builder seeks reliable
energetic individual to assist
salesperson at a model home
in Northville Part time
approx 32 hours per week
weekends a must Hours to be
11:30-6 Pay rate of \$10/hr
Call Nancy at 248 380 1500

HVAC
Experienced Service Tech &
Installer for commercial work
Must have good driving
record Top wages & benefits
Call Mickey 1 800 245 9080

INSURANCE
Commercial Lines
Technical Assistant
Technically sound insurance
professional needed by down
town Ann Arbor based
independent agency to join
our fast paced Commercial
Insurance Department Pre
vious insurance experience
preferred but will train the
right candidate Successful
candidate will be a self starter
with excellent verbal and
written communication skills
multi tasking abilities and
strong attention to detail
Computer proficiency with
Microsoft Word Excel and
Outlook required and previous
experience on Applied Sys
tems preferred Competitive
salary and excellent benefits
in a professional environment
Fax resume to 734 741 1850
or email to psavage@
dobsoncombar.com

IS looking for friendly
outgoing individuals to
sell and service our
customers Permanent
full time position
available We offer \$8
hr to start benefits
401k and beautiful
merchandise at an
employee discount
Prior sales experience
helpful Opportunity for
advancement
Livonia
Merri Fire Plaza
734-522-1850
Ask for Jenny

JANITORIAL
evenings
Experience only Showroom
cleaning Applications now
being accepted Stu Evans
Lincoln Mercury 32000 Ford
Rd Garden City

OUTSOURCE PARTNERS
an EOE company now hiring a
part time PM Cleaner in
Wixom Mon-Fri 20 hours
per week Must bring a clean
picture report to interview
Please call and leave name
and phone number at
877 664 5242 ext 313

LABORERS/OPERATORS
Experienced in water and
sewer Great Pay! Call (734)
481 1565 & 5 Mon-Fri

LANDSCAPE
SUPERINTENDENT
For large commercial land
scape installation Must have
full/comprehensive knowledge of
landscape installation Job
will run Oct through Nov
Exc wages Cribmblol Nursery
734 495 1700 fax 495 1131

LEASING
CONSULTANT
Immediate opening for upscale
Novi/Northville rental profes
sionals Dependable auto profes
sional large opportunity area
are a must for this Wednesday
to Saturday (some Sundays)
Call Karen weekdays after
10am at (248) 642 8686 or fax
resume to (248) 842 7807

Leasing
Apt community is seeking
motivated individual w/ outgo
ing personality Duties include
first contact with prospective
clients Follow up calls out
reach taking service calls out
closing leases and follow ups
by computer Excellent pay
248 477 5755

LES STANFORD
CADILLAC
Motivated hard working ind
ividual with good computer
skills to sell America's hottest
selling car line Auto experi
ence not necessary High line
sales a plus Full benefits
Call Dennis at 313 724 1660

LOAN OFFICERS Exper
enced self generating and
great commission Fax
resume 248 542 7034

MACHINISTS
Bridgeport lathe & CNC lathe
operators wanted 5 yrs
experience 29181 Beck Rd
Wixom (248)449 6092

No matter what it is,
I know I will find it in my
O&E Classifieds!

Help Wanted General 5000

MAINTENANCE
TECHNICIAN/GROUNDS
Novi based apartment com
munity seeks part time and full
time maintenance technician
and grounds person Proven
experience in plumbing elect
rical appliances and HVAC is
preferred If you are looking
for great pay and benefits
please fax your resume to
248 349 8891

MAINTENANCE
Canton Apt Complex needs
Part Time (days) Exp
Maintenance person including
snow Own tools required
(734) 455 7440

MAINTENANCE
Looking for experienced
maintenance person to turn
apartments at our Luxury
Apartment community in
Downtown Detroit
Please call 313 393 5000
or fax resume to
313 398 5006
for immediate
consideration

MAINTENANCE
Position immediately available
for Farmington Hills apart
ment community Related
experience helpful Full benefit
package including apartment
medical dental vision life
paid vacations and holidays
and 401(k) Call Michele at
(248) 569 8890

MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR
A unique opportunity just
became available for a
working supervisor at an
upscale apartment commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

MAINTENANCE
SUPERVISOR
Auto parts packaging firm is
seeking a responsible individ
ual with 1 to 5 yrs Supervi
sory exp in maintenance
logistic apartment ISO commu
nity in the Farmington/Farmington
Hills area Must be exp and
knowledgeable with electrical
plumbing HVAC and super
vising people Permanent
position with or without
apartment salary bonus
health ins & exp benefits Be
part of a winning team! Call
248 737 6129 to set up an
interview or fax resume to
248 851 4744
Bostak Properties

Help Wanted General 5000

PARTS COORDINATOR
Major Konica / Panasonic
dealership seeks mature field
technician looking for in
house position coordinating
all aspect of part ordering /
distribution Knowledge of
OEM System Software a plus
Call Bill at 734 416 3333

PHOTOGRAPHER
Part time afternoons
Visual Sports Network
Call 248 355 9525

PLUMBING APPRENTICE
Full time Mechanically in
clined dependable individu
als Benefits 734 455 2001

Food/ Beverage/ Restaurant 5080

FLIGHT CLUB Metro Detroit's #1 adult entertainment club is now accepting applications for SERVERS & SHOT GIRLS!

HOSTS needed for evening & weekend hours. Competitive wages. Please call Tues thru Sat Noon 4pm or stop in to fill out an application...

NEW UPSCALE gentlemen club now accepting applications for ALL Positions. No Phone Calls Please Apply in person Mon Fri 12pm 8:40 Michigan Ave Detroit 48210

Now Hiring! Managers & Assistant Managers for new Mr Pita Westland location. Call 12 S Ken 313 399 3527

TOOLES OPENING IN NOW! Hiring all staff. Apply within only please Mon thru Fri 2pm 4pm 24555 Novi Rd between 10 & Grand River

QUIZOS Quizzes of Westland opening shortly at Cherry Hill and Merriman looking for Team Members all positions Part Time/Full Time. Call Victor 734-834 0897

SERVERS NEEDED Full and part time positions available. Experience in fine dining service a must. Excellent benefits. Apply in person OPUS ONE 565 East Larned St down town Detroit. No phone calls please

West Bloomfield School District lunch program has immediate part time position openings (3 1/2 to 4 hrs per day). Food service exp preferred. Interested applicants can apply at 5810 W Commerce Rd W Bloomfield Mon Fri 8am 4pm

Professional 5110

CHEMIST Emerging chemical formula for seeking individuals having 5 yrs exp with automotive paint cleaning purge solvent application GC exp a plus

Hot Link Service Call today for details! 1-800-579-SELL

Sales 5120

ALARMS \$600-\$1000 WEEKLY Growing Company Advancement Opportunities On the Job Training Medical Benefits + 401K Apply Now (248) 735 1707

Are You In The Career You Were BORN For? Is the fun and enjoyment missing from your current job along with all the money you are worth?

Tricha or Victor (248) 347 3050 COLDWELL BANKER Schwelzer Northville

ARE YOU LOOKING for a job with a guaranteed NO Lay off? Call Tony Camilleri (734) 525 2000

AUTO SALES Experienced person preferred. We offer excellent pay & bonus 401K BC/BS & demo. Apply in person or call Jeff Leffle.

AUTO SALES NEW & USED CRESTWOOD DODGE (734) 421-5700

AUTO SALES No prior sales experience necessary. We offer training a fun environment and excellent income potential! Call Bob Selby at 734 427 1550

CHANGE YOUR LIFE for a rewarding career w/ unlimited earning potential in real estate. Call Tony Camilleri (734) 525 2000

EARN EXTRA \$\$\$ Booming real estate offices in Livonia have openings for outgoing Salespeople! Training available. Call Kim or Judy 734 525 4200

REMERICA INTEGRITY REALTORS www.remericaintegrity.com

Sales 5120

INSIDE SALES INDUSTRIAL Excellent phone customer service & PC skills. Energetic Friendly Detail oriented Exp Preferred.

LEASING AGENT (Full time) for Canton Apts. Must have customer service exp. 734 455 7200 or fax 734 455 0021

LEASING AGENT (Part time) for Westland Apts. Must have customer service exp. 734 455 7200 or fax 734 455 0021

Marketing and Technical Sales Cummins Power Products a division of Cummins Bridgeway LLC. A New Hudson based company looking for a person to represent the power unit marketing & technical sales initiatives on a global basis.

Qualifications include a Bachelor's degree in the related field 2-3 years direct sales experience good mechanical aptitude and good PC skills. You should possess excellent verbal and written communication skills be well organized self motivated and able to follow directions in order to succeed.

Cummins Bridgeway LLC 21810 Clessie Ct New Hudson MI 48165 Fax 248 573 1598 E Mail Jim.m Osborne@cummins.com For more info www.cumminsbridgeway.com

MODELING SALES MANAGER for John Casablanca's International model mgt. Great opportunity to run a sales team. Commission + bonus. Must have sales experience. Call (734) 455 0700

A word to the wise when looking for a great deal check the Observer & Eccentric Classifieds!

Sales 5120

OUTSIDE SALES PERSON Growing corporation seeks an aggressive self motivated and experienced outside sales person. Candidate should be very familiar with plumbing piping supplies. Prefer those experienced with industrial & mechanical accounts. Must be organized have excellent communication skills & good driving record. Send resume to P O Box 116 Hazel Park MI 48030

Real Estate Agent A CAREER IN REAL ESTATE! LOOK NO FURTHER! If you desire to work in western Wayne county be with number 1 see our other ad for details. Call Denise Setser 734 392 6000

Real Estate Agents A NEW CAREER? REAL ESTATE IS BOOMING! Excellent Commissions Great Training DOUG COURTNEY REMERICA HOMETOWN (734) 459 6222

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

With the holidays just around the corner... SPIFF UP! Look In The Observer & Eccentric Home & Service Guide for the help you need!

Real Estate Agents A NEW CAREER? REAL ESTATE IS BOOMING! Excellent Commissions Great Training DOUG COURTNEY REMERICA HOMETOWN (734) 459 6222

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

Real Estate Agents A NEW CAREER? REAL ESTATE IS BOOMING! Excellent Commissions Great Training DOUG COURTNEY REMERICA HOMETOWN (734) 459 6222

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

Sales 5120

Real Estate Agents A CAREER IN REAL ESTATE! ALL REAL ESTATE COMPANIES ARE NOT THE SAME! If you are serious about entering the business and profession of Real Estate Sales you owe it to yourself to investigate why we are #1 in the market place and best suited to insure your success.

Real Estate Agents A CAREER IN REAL ESTATE! LOOK NO FURTHER! If you desire to work in western Wayne county be with number 1 see our other ad for details. Call Denise Setser 734 392 6000

Real Estate Agents A NEW CAREER? REAL ESTATE IS BOOMING! Excellent Commissions Great Training DOUG COURTNEY REMERICA HOMETOWN (734) 459 6222

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

REAL ESTATE SALES THINKING OF CHANGING CAREERS? LOOKING FOR INDEPENDENCE AND CONTROL OVER YOUR FINANCIAL FUTURE? Real Estate just may be your answer. Comprehensive training and support provided so you can reach your goals. 734-455 8000 Weir Manuel Snyder & Ranke 500 S Main St Plymouth

Sales 5120

SALES Fast growing wine distributor looking for an exp sales rep representative (minimum 1 year) in the metro area. Send resume to Human Resources Apply at 28115 Lakeview Dr Wixom MI 48393 Or fax to 248 446-4508

SALES Plato's Closet Nov most exciting teen retail store needs sales help full or part time must be available evenings & weekends. Apply in person 49440 West Oaks Drive West Oaks Shopping Center II 248 374 8075

SALES Opportunity selling background music systems. This is phone work with all leads pre qualified and provided. Not Telemarketing. Also sales support Word and Excel experience a plus. Hourly plus commission EEO. Send resume with references PO Box 0717 Observer & Eccentric Newspaper 36251 Schoolcraft Livonia MI 48150

SALES OPPORTUNITY Krystal Klear Water Company has 2 part time sales opportunities. Our continual growth and mid day work schedule makes this a perfect opportunity for a stay at home parent. Sales commission \$20K+yr to start. Fax resume to 248 449 8380

Sales Representative Market Day Corporation Looking for enthusiastic energetic and self motivated individual to service local schools on a part time basis in the Plymouth/Canton and Belleville areas. If you are seeking a position with independence and financial growth opportunities backed by a solid reputation of service and quality products we want to hear from you. Successful candidates must have a supplemental freezer. Previous volunteer and selling experience a plus. Please call 1 800 831 8664 or fax resume 248 355 5817

SALES REPRESENTATIVE for Wurtz USA Inc. Outside position for W/W suburbs of Detroit. Salary + commission and benefits. Must be energetic & able to work independent. Resumes to scott.rodwall@wurtzusa.com or fax 313 731 0358. Only Serious candidates need apply

SALES REPRESENTATIVE for Wurtz USA Inc. Outside position for W/W suburbs of Detroit. Salary + commission and benefits. Must be energetic & able to work independent. Resumes to scott.rodwall@wurtzusa.com or fax 313 731 0358. Only Serious candidates need apply

SALES REPRESENTATIVE for Wurtz USA Inc. Outside position for W/W suburbs of Detroit. Salary + commission and benefits. Must be energetic & able to work independent. Resumes to scott.rodwall@wurtzusa.com or fax 313 731 0358. Only Serious candidates need apply

SALES REPRESENTATIVE for Wurtz USA Inc. Outside position for W/W suburbs of Detroit. Salary + commission and benefits. Must be energetic & able to work independent. Resumes to scott.rodwall@wurtzusa.com or fax 313 731 0358. Only Serious candidates need apply

Sales 5120

SALES The nation's largest rental relocation firm is looking for an energetic highly motivated and computer literate candidate to fill a sales position in our Canton office. Candidate should have sales experience and excellent communication skills. This unique position deals directly with the public and offers a competitive salary bonus opportunities & benefits. Incl 401K Full training provided. Email resumes jennings.dembny@relocationcentral.com

SEARCHING FOR A NEW DIRECTION? Why not become a member of the oldest and largest family owned real estate company in Michigan. We invite you to explore this exciting opportunity in downtown Birmingham by calling 248 644 6700

Take Control of Your Future with a Career at Real Estate One Real Estate One with over 30 innovative offices has career opportunities you owe it to yourself to explore. Start today by attending a free seminar. Call Sandy at 248 304 2299 for the nearest location. Ask about our Signing Bonus. Real Estate One

TELESALES Travel Company \$9 \$11 BASE PAY Plus Bonuses. You should make \$250 to \$350 a week if you are above average communicator. Visit us on the web at www.peopleshr.com or 248 273 9177

ASSISTANT position for Nov real estate broker. Flextime. Computer skilled & creative. Exp helpful. (248)347 6141

VETERINARIAN ASSISTANT Part time. Must be available some days or weekends. Must be 18 or older. Beach Rd Veterinary Hospital 313 538 0900

RESIDENT MANAGER for 45 unit apt in Farmington Hills. Some maintenance exp required. Call (248) 889 2536

Find the best garage sales in your O&E Classified!

Entertainment 5300

SINGERS NEEDED Christ Church Cranbrook Bloomfield Hills is seeking qualified & experienced vocalists for paid staff singer/section leader positions in all voice parts for the parish choir. To arrange an interview call the music office at 248 644 5210 ext 37

WILL CLEAN YOUR HOUSE Call Larisa (313) 443 4100

Child Care & Babysitting Services 5370

CHILD CARE Full/part time all ages welcome. Preschool arts & crafts and meals included. 20+ yrs exp. Non smoking. No pets. 734 522 2379

DAYCARE FULL/PART TIME in My Livonia home. Infants pre school only. References available. Call (248) 476 5373

Livonia Mother has openings for 1 or 2 children 5 Mile/Newburgh area. Lots of experience. Call Brandy (734) 642 0780

PROFESSIONAL NANNY Responsible for teaching and creative. Seeking full time impeccable references. Non smoker 5 yrs exp. Jennifer 248 508 3035

NANNY NEEDED for twin 18 mo old girls in Farmington. Mon Fri 10 5 30 Ref req. 248 442 4925

NANNY NEEDED to care for infant in my Novi home. Mon Thurs 7 30am 5 30pm. Non smoker. Exp & ref a must. Call 248 767 5289

NANNY Very kind Livonia couple seeks in home nanny for their infant 2 full days a week. Mon & Wed 9 5 beginning Mar 2004. Call Tracy at 734 658 1616

Business Opportunities 5740 \$250 \$500 WEEK Will train to work at home helping the US Government file HUD/FA Mortgage refunds. No exp necessary. 1 866 537 2907

GOVERNMENT WILDLIFE & POSTAL JOBS NO training. Full benefits. NO experience necessary. Earn \$13.21 to \$48.00 per hour. Call for application/exam information. 1 888 778 4266 ext 153

A-NESTLE Chocolate Treatures vending route. Great locations available while they last. Excellent profit potential. Investment required \$9K and under. TOLL FREE (247) 888 344 5509

Business Opportunities 5740

Air Water & Wellness business Add \$15,000 or more to your income part time. Proven System 888 276 9038

ARE YOU EARNING WHAT YOU'RE WORTH? Tired of the corporate rat race? Have you thought of being your own boss? 888 573 9358 or www.5starlifstyle.com

MATRESS CLEANING & Sanitizing business 4 300 European dealers New to US. Removes dust mites & harmful allergens. Big profits. Small investment. Hygienitech 1 888 999 9030 www.hygienitech.com

Own 5 10 ATM machines in prime high traffic locations. \$100K minimum investment required. 480 593 3408

T SHIRT HOME PRINTING SHOP \$895 Includes silk screen equipment supplies printing video & manual. For more information or free brochure call 1 800 311 8962 www.homecashbusiness.com

It's all about results!

...and it's all here!

Observer & Eccentric CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING 1-800-579-SELL (7355)

FAX YOUR AD 734 953 2232 INTERNET ADDRESS www.hometownlife.com

Observer & Eccentric Home and Service Guide All Ads Run Online FREE! A Value Of Up To \$87.00 www.hometownlife.com

Home & Service Guide 0001-2450 Aluminum Siding 0080

GAGNER HOME IMPROVEMENT Siding Trim Gutters Windows Awnings Enclosures Roofing Lic & Insured (734) 281 0303

AAA AMERICAN ASPHALT Paving/Patching/Sealcoating CALL NOW! SAVE \$\$\$! Free Estimate 248 879 5900

DJ S BLACKTOP DRIVEWAYS • Paving • Patching • Seal Coating Free Est 800 724 8920 734 397 0811

AAA AMERICAN ASPHALT Paving/Patching/Sealcoating CALL NOW! SAVE \$\$\$! Free Estimate 248 879 5900

AA MORGAN THE MASON LLC Specializing in brick & cement repairs. 28 yrs reputable exp. Large or small. Lic & Ins. 248 890-0824 248 348 0066

ATINA CEMENT All types of cement work. Driveways garages patios. Free Est. Lic & Ins. 734 513 2455

DOGONSKI CONSTRUCTION Brick Block & Cement Work Porches Chimneys Dr Ways Free Est 313 537 1833

PAISANO CONSTRUCTION Lic 25 yrs exp. Driveways porches patios basement floors brick block. Specialize in residential work. 248 596 2177

"ADDITIONS PLUS" • Beautiful Additions • Kitchens • Baths • Lower Levels. Guaranteed quality workman ship. Complete plan & design service available. Lic & Ins. 734-414-0448

AFFORDABLE HOME IMPROVEMENTS Kitchens finished bsmt more! Exp David 248 373 8553

FINISHED BASEMENTS Carpentry Remodeling & Repairs Lic & Ins 734 522 5401

* SAVE MONEY* Deal Direct 30 yrs exp. Brassfield Construction Co. New Const. & Remodeling. Additions • Kitchens • Baths • Roofing & Siding. Lic/Ins 248 737 3376

WJM CONSTRUCTION New construction remodeling & additions. Roofs siding decks. Lic Ins. Mention this ad and receive 10% off. 248 755-4319

ACTION CARPENTRY Basements kitchens & baths. New & repairs. NO JOB TOO SMALL! 313 917 4821(cell) 734 721 0533

DON PARE S Finish Carpentry Specializing in Kitchens Baths Ceramic Tile Basements Lic/Ins 734 261 1330

FINISH CARPENTRY Crowns Trim Doors Railings Straight or Bent Lic 30 yrs exp 734 455 3970

ABCO CARPET SERVICE CO Cleaning Sales Install Mamber BBB Livonia Chamber Since 1989 (734) 591 9009

Floor Covering Installations WHY PAY MORE Deal with the installers direct. We offer carpet • tile • linoleum. Fully ins. Call Mike 248 249 8100

REPAIRS/SALES/CLEANING Over 25 yrs exp Carpet Clinic (734) 425-3930

BEST CHIMNEY & Roofing Co New & repairs Sr citizen disc. Lic & Ins 248 557 5595 313 292 7722

CHIMNEYS! Built New or Repaired. Tuckpointing Flashing Cleaning Screens. GREATER DETROIT CONST 313 532 0555 313 292 0555

CLEANING SERVICE for office buildings residential & hotels. Fully insured. Guarantee 20% price reduction. Call (517) 282 2226

DSM CUSTOM CONCRETE Driveways sidewalks patios color stamped concrete patios. Quality Ins. 248 767 0068

EIC CONSTRUCTION CO. Family Owned European Style Contractors • Interior/Exterior Remodeling/improvements. NO JOB TOO SMALL. Free estimates! 586 604 0317

AFFORDABLE CUSTOM DECK Workmanized or Cedar. Lic/Ins. Free Est. 18 Yrs Exp. 734 261 1614 248-442 2744

The Building & Deck Co Finished basements kitchens & baths custom decks & more. Lic/Ins 877 495 7547

ABSOLUTELY THE FINEST Drywall Repairs and Installations. 18 yrs exp. 248 225 9222 313 928 6022

AFFORDABLE DRYWALL \$40 & up patchwork Hang Tape & Finish. 248 570 3400 734 504 7344

ALL RESIDENTIAL EXPERT Free Est Senior discount. Low prices 7 days 24 hrs. Lic & Ins. Call 800 253 1632

D K ELECTRIC Violations & Repairs. Service change. Free est. Lic/Ins 734 699 7981 313 319 6553

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR Residential Commercial. Free est. Service changes. Licensed & Insured. 734 354 9035

FAMILY ELECTRICAL City cert. Violations corrected. Service changes or any small job. Free est. 734 422 8080

*GENERATORS Hottubs ceiling fans remodels all electrical. Builders welcome. Lic/Ins 25yrs exp. 248 343 2799

WEST ELECTRIC Licensed & Insured Senior's & V/W Discount. 313 382 3635

AAA AMERICAN FIREWOOD SEASONED HARDWOOD Cut & Split \$65/Face Cord. Delivery Avail 248 879 5900

ABSOLUTELY SEASONED 1 YEAR Split mixed hardwood 1 for \$65 2 for \$125. Free delivery. Canton & nearby areas. (734) 266-4015

Admire Your Fire Well seasoned Hard Birch & Fruit Pickup and delivery Hacker Services Quality Since 1946 (248) 348 3150

* FIREWOOD * Hardwood or Birch. Coal hard or soft. Delivery Avail. NOBLES LANDSCAPE SUPPLY 248 225 9222 313 928 6022

SPLIT SEASONED HARDWOOD Free same day delivery \$65/fac cord. 248 249 5335 734 231 5000

FLOOR SANDING staining & finishing. Free estimates. Over 25 yrs experience. Southfield H Barsuhn (248)356 5762

LIVONIA FLOORS SUMMER SPECIAL Textured plush carpet 24 colors 9 to padding installed \$2.22/sq ft. Hardwoods tile linoleum laminates sales installation. Ins. claims. Free est. 734 458 2401

OAK FLOORS Complete hardwood floor service. Shoe molding. Where exp is the difference. 734 692 0040

Olde Boston Floor Sanding Old floors like new. Fall Special! \$250 for 1 room. 313 388 7380

Garage Door Repair 0920 Garage Door Springs and door openers Repaired/replaced. Avail Sun 248 640 6298 CELL

Affordable Gutters cleaned screened repaired replaced. Siding & trim. Seamless 20% off. 313 492 7109

ARMAIN GUTTERS LC Seamless Copper Installation ETC Free Est 313 204 6133

* GUTTERS! New or repaired. Screened & cleaned. More than 30 colors. 1 day service. GREATER DETROIT CONST 313 532 0555 313 292 0555

LIVONIA GUTTER cleaning repairs insured. 248-568 1948

Absolutely Lic/Ins. DU IT ALL. Specialty Ceramic tile Formica & Cor

Observer & Eccentric Automotive

Moving Sales 7130

BEVERLY HILLS 32360 Inglewood N of Beverly Rd W of Southfield Moving sale furniture small appliances household items & more Sat & Sun Nov 1st & 2nd 9-5

BIRMINGHAM Fri Oct 31st Sat Nov 1st 9:30-4:00 Kindel Sectional Henredon tables a/c other fine furniture 21 light brass chandelier rugs pictures 10 lamps & misc accessories 1186 Westwood N off Maple E of Cranbrook

BIRMINGHAM Sat Nov 1st 9-4 779 E 14 Mile Rd Everything go 248 835 9070

Household Goods 7160

COUCH PEACH leather w/char grey formica 38 game table 4 upholstered chairs priced to sell 248 788 2998

CRIB & MATTRESS Ragazzi dresser/changing table armoire leather glider & ottoman \$900/best 2 piece Black Leather sleeper sofa \$500/best 248 882 8268

DINETTE SET Maple drop leaf table 4 chairs & hutch \$350 Emerta nment center w/glass door & 2 drawers \$100 Wing chair \$50 All n exc cond (248) 380 7428

DINETTE Cherry Queen Anne New 11 piece \$3480 sell for \$1500 Can deliver 248 470 3350

DINING ROOM \$100 bed room 3 dressers \$50 each misc furniture for sale 14217 Richfield & Perth Livonia

DINING ROOM SET Walnut by Drexel lighted china cabinet w/frosted Milk glass shelves table w/ 5 chairs Credenza great cond \$850/best 734 416 9290

DINING ROOM TABLE Wrought iron with glass top & matching wrought iron bak ers rack \$300 total (734) 632 0291

Dining Room Thomasville White wash solid oak 72 108 table Ten high back seat ed chairs china cab side board 6 yrs old \$4000 810 225 6026

DINING SET Walnut Drop leaf table 4 chairs & china cabinet \$600 (734) 261 4602

DINING SET CHIPPENDALE Mahogany 8 chairs china exquisite new 248 535 0099

DINING SET Maple/peach oak table w/pads & 6 chairs \$125 Oak cradle \$50 2 Round end tables \$20 313 555 2205

DRESSER Mahogany also painted wood dresser & night stand English pub table 248 647 6096

Appliances 7180

APPLIANCES JENN AIR Good Condition Must Sell double oven dishwasher electric cooktop side by side Frig washer/dryer Make Offer! 734 464 0759

Appliances Kitchen 1 gas self cleaning Range 1 side by side Refrigerator/freezer 1 dishwasher 1 double cast iron Sink w/pull out spray faucet \$150 ea or \$350 lot 248 927 4655

COOKTOP Kenmore Electric White like new \$200 248 355 5342 / 248 561 9117

DISHWASHER USED Whirlpool portable Pick up \$150 248 851 9577

ELECTRIC STOVE TAPPAN (gold) \$65 Talking Quasar Micro \$30 313 565 2205

RANGE ELECTRIC 30 \$150 16 8 cubic ft refrigerator \$150 dishwasher \$75 All White 248 349 4161

Whirlpool Electric dryer & hotpoint refrigerator \$200/Ea /best (734) 261 3342

Business & Office Equipment 7240

DESK Office wooden 6 5 wide by 3 deep 6 drawers \$250 (734) 542 9182

Executive Office Furniture cherry desk w/matching credenza 2 leather chairs 4 side chairs file cabinets Must sell Call Jim 248 408 6377

FIREPROOF 4 DRAWER FILE \$375 (248) 474 6825

HAIR SALON FURNITURE Like new complete set up for a two chair salon Must see make offer asking \$1 200 734 454 6565

Office Desk walnut (6 x3) with credenza (6 x2) w/4 chairs & 2 Filing cabinets (3 x2 each) 734 455 1811

Farmlington Hills 37533

FARMLINGTON HILLS 37533 Windwood N/9 W/Halsted Living/family room & patio for niture lawn equip Fri 3 pm Sat 9 am Sun 12-4pm

FARMLINGTON Honda generator Winston deck furniture Mission Oak desk 4 piece Oak bunk bed set Computer desk dehumidifier Redwood picnic table & lots more 248 477 8805

MOVING Bedroom Dining & Living Room Sets TV s etc All like new (734) 612 1037

Plymouth Sat Nov 1 10-4 9028 Rocker S of Ann Arbor Rd. E of Main Furniture & appliances

ROCHESTER matching sofa & loveseat dinette set leather sofa misc tables Fri Oct 31 & Sat Nov 1st 10am 4pm 981 Ironwood Dr Apt 292 (located in Great Oaks apt complex) (248) 656 6089

W Bloomfield Nov 1 10-4 7026 Cedar Bank off Commerce Rd Furniture household

Boats & Motors 8020

CATALINA 27 Sailboat roller inboard gas engine perfect \$10 000 (313) 881 8743

CHRYSLER 1975 14 ft Tri Haul 55 hp w/trailer \$1400/best ask for Dan T (734) 422 7540

DONZI 1977 Ski Sporter 350 Chevy E Z loader trailer garaged \$6000 248 553 4597

FOUR WINNS 325 EXP 1992 1/350 V drives full electron ics \$49 900 734 397 5060

House Boat 1987 Holiday Mansion 38ft 350 Volvo s Moving to Florida must sell Will accept reasonable offer 313 550 1108 248 589 5530

PONTOON 1997 Premier Grand Majestic aluminum deck Honda 40 50 hrs mint \$18 800 248 608 0718

SEA DOD 1997 GTX 52 Hr with trailer 3 seater mint \$4500 248 608 0718

SEA RAY 1986 Sundancer Exec cond Must sell \$15 000 /offer 734 374 0218

THOMPSON 1995 20 ft cuddy many extras low hrs w/trailer (734) 416 3955

Musical Instruments 7510

ABBEY PIANO 248 541 6116 Steinway 6 Grand \$6500 Steinway 42 Console \$4500 Steinway 5 1 Grand \$18 500

ALTO SAXOPHONE New pads with case excellent condition \$350 313 292 5019

Baby Grand 4 8 Bush & Gerts piano circa 1909s wal nut \$4700 248 478 5329

Baby Grand Piano Black very handsome Must sacrifice \$500/best offer 734 425 7162

ORGAN HAMMOND Model L103 good condition \$250 or best offer 734 453 0136

Organ Hammond Model A 100 2 manuals 25 note ped als excellent condition \$75 248 477 4051

Piano Kohler & Campbell console Dark oak finish Great cond \$1800 734 981 3352

PIANO Spinnet fruitwood excellent condition \$450 cash NW Troy 248 312 0196

PIANO WURLITZER CONSOLE W/BENCH Oak finish exc cond Offer 734 464 3095

ROLAND HP 1300e Digital Piano 88 keys stand & bench MIDI in to Piano Harpschord vibraphone elec piano organ & strings Like new! \$900 (248) 549 3375

www.niceusepianos.com

Local delivery available

Business & Office Equipment 7240

DESK Office wooden 6 5 wide by 3 deep 6 drawers \$250 (734) 542 9182

Executive Office Furniture cherry desk w/matching credenza 2 leather chairs 4 side chairs file cabinets Must sell Call Jim 248 408 6377

FIREPROOF 4 DRAWER FILE \$375 (248) 474 6825

HAIR SALON FURNITURE Like new complete set up for a two chair salon Must see make offer asking \$1 200 734 454 6565

Office Desk walnut (6 x3) with credenza (6 x2) w/4 chairs & 2 Filing cabinets (3 x2 each) 734 455 1811

Computers 7820

INTEL PENTIUM COMPUTERS Bad credit/nc credit. No credit checks Have your fully loaded computer in 24 72 hours Checking/savings account required Call today 800 559 4002 xS

POWER MAC G4 400MHz 2 Hard drives 1 GB RAM 2 video cards OSX LaCie cd rw drive \$475 248 788 9569

Wanted to Buy 7540

I BUY INFOMERCAL PROD UCTS Exec s videos etc CASH (248) 721 2842

Birds & Fish 7820

MACAW Blue & Green Female hand fed Talks With perch & cage 8 yrs old \$800 (248) 684 4144

Cats 7830

LOOKING FOR the perfect home I am a year old female & black/white Please call to find out more 248 594 1990

Pure Rag Doll kittens TICA pointed/whites Shots vet ok \$250 \$500 248 546 2068

SIAMESE KITTENS Traditional Lynx Blue Seal Pointe 8 weeks \$300 248 375 2382

Dogs 7840

CHINESE CRESTED PUPS Powder puffs 15 wks AKC papers Shots 734 525 8445

MINI PIN red female 16 wks shots pedigree guaran teed AKC 810 564 3210

POODLES AKC Standard 8 wks apricot housebroken \$400 989 777 8552

SHIH TZU PUPS Tiny 4 6 lbs AKC 7 wks 1st shots & wormed 313 336 3530

Lost & Found-Pets 7930

FOUND Farm npton/Joy area Male cat orange tiger very friendly (734) 525 7071

FOUND CAT orange/white declawed male Found Oct 19th 6 & Newburgh (734) 464 6549

FOUND CAT Farmington Hills 8 Mile & Orchard Lake Long haired black w/brown Call btwn 10a 6p 248 474 6937

FOUND CAT Farmington Hills 9 Mile & Middlebelt Short haired beige Call btwn 10am 6pm 248 474 6937

LOST COCKATIEL Yellow & grey w/orange cheeks Reward Last seen 14 & Haggerty (248) 661 1293

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS TEM INCLUDING INSTALLA TION! FREE 3 months HBO (7 movie channels) w/sub scription Access 225+TV channels Digital quality pic ture/sound Limited offer Details 1 800 963 2904

SAVE ON CANADIAN MEDS!! Save 40 80% NOW! Fast easy ordering! Your best choice for high quality Canadian medica tions! I Call us today 1 800 511 MEDS (6337) www.saveoncanadianmeds.co m

STEREO JUKE BOX 1973 Seeburg Plays 180 45 s 2 singles for 25cents \$500/best 734 522 1796

TABLE KITCHEN Dark pine drop leaf W/G Chairs Thermidor double oven GE cooktop red kitchen double sink Red oval bathroom sink (248) 375 0113

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS TEM INCLUDING INSTALLA TION! FREE 3 months HBO (7 movie channels) w/sub scription Access 225+TV channels Digital quality pic ture/sound Limited offer Details 1 800 963 2904

SAVE ON CANADIAN MEDS!! Save 40 80% NOW! Fast easy ordering! Your best choice for high quality Canadian medica tions! I Call us today 1 800 511 MEDS (6337) www.saveoncanadianmeds.co m

STEREO JUKE BOX 1973 Seeburg Plays 180 45 s 2 singles for 25cents \$500/best 734 522 1796

TABLE KITCHEN Dark pine drop leaf W/G Chairs Thermidor double oven GE cooktop red kitchen double sink Red oval bathroom sink (248) 375 0113

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS TEM INCLUDING INSTALLA TION! FREE 3 months HBO (7 movie channels) w/sub scription Access 225+TV channels Digital quality pic ture/sound Limited offer Details 1 800 963 2904

SAVE ON CANADIAN MEDS!! Save 40 80% NOW! Fast easy ordering! Your best choice for high quality Canadian medica tions! I Call us today 1 800 511 MEDS (6337) www.saveoncanadianmeds.co m

STEREO JUKE BOX 1973 Seeburg Plays 180 45 s 2 singles for 25cents \$500/best 734 522 1796

TABLE KITCHEN Dark pine drop leaf W/G Chairs Thermidor double oven GE cooktop red kitchen double sink Red oval bathroom sink (248) 375 0113

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS TEM INCLUDING INSTALLA TION! FREE 3 months HBO (7 movie channels) w/sub scription Access 225+TV channels Digital quality pic ture/sound Limited offer Details 1 800 963 2904

SAVE ON CANADIAN MEDS!! Save 40 80% NOW! Fast easy ordering! Your best choice for high quality Canadian medica tions! I Call us today 1 800 511 MEDS (6337) www.saveoncanadianmeds.co m

STEREO JUKE BOX 1973 Seeburg Plays 180 45 s 2 singles for 25cents \$500/best 734 522 1796

TABLE KITCHEN Dark pine drop leaf W/G Chairs Thermidor double oven GE cooktop red kitchen double sink Red oval bathroom sink (248) 375 0113

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS TEM INCLUDING INSTALLA TION! FREE 3 months HBO (7 movie channels) w/sub scription Access 225+TV channels Digital quality pic ture/sound Limited offer Details 1 800 963 2904

SAVE ON CANADIAN MEDS!! Save 40 80% NOW! Fast easy ordering! Your best choice for high quality Canadian medica tions! I Call us today 1 800 511 MEDS (6337) www.saveoncanadianmeds.co m

STEREO JUKE BOX 1973 Seeburg Plays 180 45 s 2 singles for 25cents \$500/best 734 522 1796

TABLE KITCHEN Dark pine drop leaf W/G Chairs Thermidor double oven GE cooktop red kitchen double sink Red oval bathroom sink (248) 375 0113

Washing Dryer 7160

WASHER/DRYER Electric Whirlpool \$100/set White metal bunk bed frame single on top double on bottom \$100 248 615 9222

WATERBED custom built queen incl 6 drawer pedestal boxcase headboard heater side rails \$325 248 926 9803

Flexsteel Sofa & Chair 7160

FLEXSTEEL SOFA & CHAIR 2 glass/brass end tables dinette set player piano 734 941 0600

GRANDMOTHER CLOCK Ridgeway Works good \$400 Garden City 734 422 7870

HOUSE OF DENMARK 8 piece king teak bedroom paid \$11K asking \$5K Thomasville Nautical Boys bedroom \$500 Negotiable 248 681 3678

LIVING ROOM FURNITURE Quality Like New Contemporary air Plum sofa/loveseat \$1500 maple/glass/coffee & end table \$650 glass top bar table & swivel stools \$1000 maple Just Shoot Me bar \$2100 7 round wood rug \$750 glass tv/sterero stand \$300 ice cube cabinet \$300 Request e mail photos at rkneip@voyager.net Cost \$11 200 one year ago will sell all for \$6000 248 693 6646

LOVESEAT & CHAIR Both reclining Deep green leather \$695 Exc cond 248 320 8869

LOVESEAT SLEEPERS (2) like new w/storage ottoman by Lane Originally \$1500 all papers \$795 734 591 3537

RIDING LAWN TRACTOR Sears Poulan Pro 2000 5 speed 38 blade 13.5 IC exc cond \$700 (734) 326 2586

TORO LAWN TRACTOR 17 HP 3 yrs old like new \$1800 734 464 3350

Lawn & Garden Material 7490

SPRUCE & PINE TREES \$10 each 2 & 3 25325 McAllister E of Beach N of 10 Mi 248 357 2780

Misc. For Sale 7500

50 Vend honor boxes / 3 phone card machines \$600 810 765 3091 810 278 2013

BARN LUMBER 10 pieces 12 in wide 16 ft long 1/4" John Deere backpack blower \$85 (248) 474 6825

Chest Freezer misc shelv ing store supplies fixtures pet supplies 248 474 0680

DIETPILLS / VIAGRA! Order Phenitrimine Dorex Acton V iagra Ambien Soma Fior cet Tramadol No Doctor visit 1 800 304 1534 U S Doctors / Pharmacies Overnight shipping Order weekends Order Online www.MDmeds.com

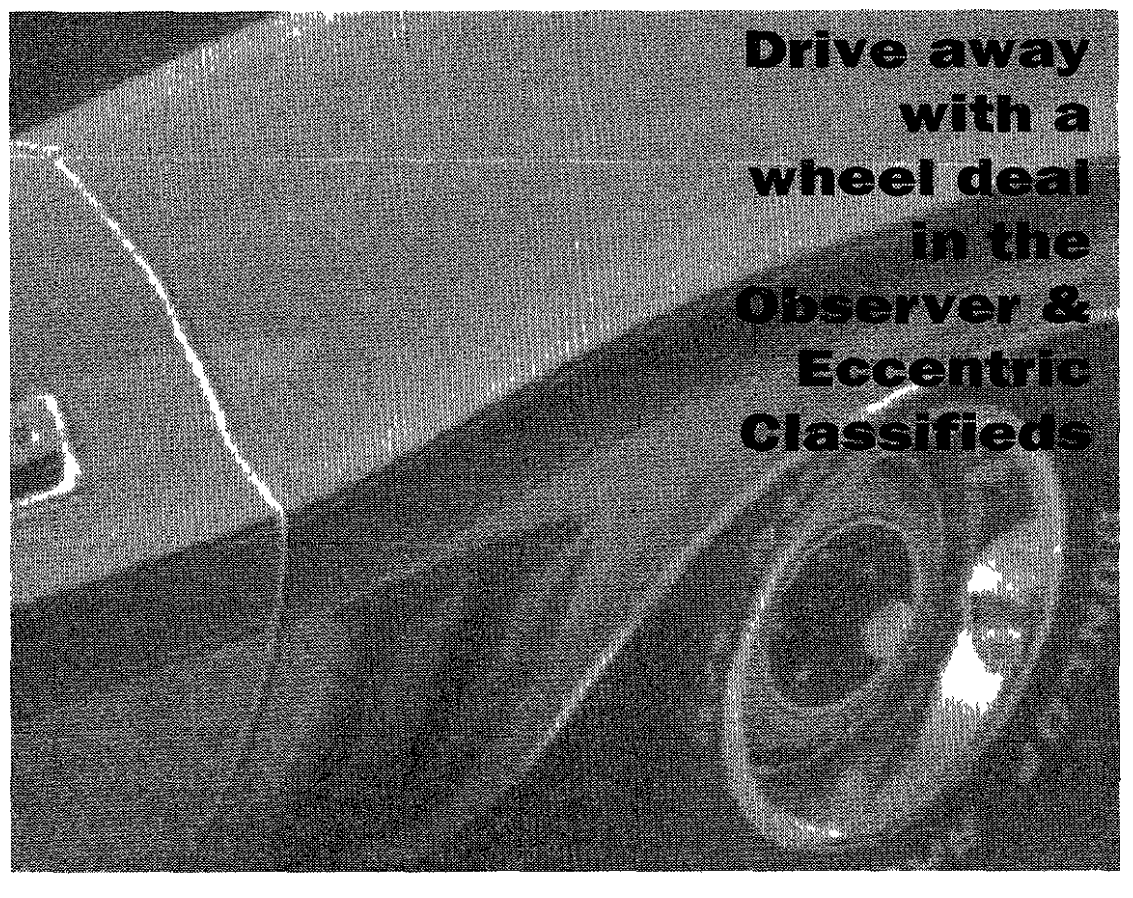
FREE 3 ROOM DIRECTV SYS



Automotive

All Ads Run Online
FREE!
A Value Of Up To \$87.00
www.hometownlife.com

<p>4 Wheel Drive (8280)</p> <p>FORD 2001 F350 XLT Supercab 4x4 V10 auto air 22K \$24 991 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2002 F150 Supercrews (4) 4x4 XLT/Lariat 10m \$22 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2002 F250 Super Duty Supercab 4x4 XLT V10 auto air \$25 492 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2002 F250 XLT 4x4 5.4L V8 auto air \$22 992 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2002/01 F150 XLT Supercab s (4) 4x4 5.4L, low miles from \$19 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2003 F150 Heritage Edition supercab 4x4 \$23 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2003 F250 Crew Cab 4x4 auto air loaded \$27 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD EXPLORER SPORT 1998 Black V6 2 dr loaded \$6500 248 392 1814 after six</p> <p>GEO 1992 Tracker Convertible 4x4 auto 4 cyl exc cond \$1300 586 321 1485</p> <p>GMC 2000 2500 271 4x4 18 000 miles \$21 990 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>GMC 2002 Soma LS Crew Cab 4x4 loaded 19K priced to sell \$16 990 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>SUBURBAN 2001 LT 4x4 pewter low miles GM Certified super clean \$28 995 TAMAROFF 248 363 1300</p> <p>SUBURBAN 1997 Good cond all power leather interior \$7500 248 553 6151</p>	<p>Sport Utility (8290)</p> <p>ESCAPE S 2003 (5) auto air loaded low miles from \$15 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>EXCURSION 2001 XLT 4x4 Diesel loaded \$29 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>EXCURSION 2003 XLT V10 leather trailer tow pkg loaded \$24 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>EXPEDITION 1998 XLT 4x4 5.4 L V8 leather 91K \$11 800 (734) 397 4781</p> <p>EXPEDITION 2003 Eddie Bauer 4x4 TV/DVD player loaded \$30 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>EXPEDITION S 2003 XLT V8 auto air 3rd seat from \$25 993 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>EXPLORER 1998 XLT loaded great cond new tires 78K \$8 000/best 248 249 4648</p> <p>Explorer 2001 Sport 33 500 mi Like new cond loaded \$11 000 734 522 3121</p> <p>EXPLORER S 2002 (4) dr/2 dr auto air low miles from \$13 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>FORD 2001 ESCAPE XLT 2.0L MANUAL TRANS 30K mi Ext warranty \$19 299 734 427 7649</p> <p>GMC 1995 SUBURBAN 4wd loaded new tires runs & looks good maintenance records \$6800/best 734 464 0633</p> <p>GMC 2000 Jimmy SLT 4x4 loaded leather moonroof 36K non smoker exc cond \$11 000 (248) 641 8512</p> <p>GMC 2001 Yukon SLT pewter 4x4 loaded \$26 495 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>GMC 2002 Envoy blue sun roof 4x4 alloy wheels \$22 995 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>GMC ENVY 2003 SLT 4 wd cd sunroof 4k miles \$30750 248 882 8600</p> <p>GMC JIMMY 1997 Burgundy 4WD 2dr auto V6 4.3L hi output PS/PW/PL ABS AM/FM/CD air cruise power moon roof rear defrost wiper roof rack tinted win dows one owner full service history 80K Exc cond onl \$7 000 (313) 278 8892</p> <p>GMC JIMMY 1999 Loaded mint New tires brakes bur gandy/gray 70K \$9200 734 641 9995</p> <p>GMC 2000 JIMMY SLS 4 x4 2dr Pewter 47 k \$10 500 734 340 4122</p> <p>HUMMER 2003 Black sun roof CD 14 000 miles \$45 000 248 249 9364</p>	<p>Sport Utility (8290)</p> <p>Land Rover 1995 Discovery Dark green w/lt tan interior \$8900 248 345 2356</p> <p>LAND ROVER 1998 4 Dr air alarm Auto of cruise CD anti lock brakes pw Full service history ps am fm stereo leather Discovery Black Tan leather Female Driven Never Off Road \$12 800 248 568 5167</p> <p>MOUNTAINEER 2002 AWD sage metal c loaded \$20 990</p> <p>JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>NAVIGATOR S 2003 (2) 4x4 loaded choice \$39 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>OLDS BRAVADA 1998 54K chrome s car loaded \$11 200/best 248 357 5115</p> <p>RENDEZVOUS 2002 CXL AWD every option 17K miles maroon sunroof chromes \$19 900</p> <p>JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>RENDEZVOUS 2004 CX white loaded 2 000 miles \$22 480</p> <p>JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>SUBURBAN 1991 3 Q Ton Silverado 4x2 \$3300 313 255 2421/734 578 6994</p> <p>SUZUKI 2003 Grand Vitara 17L 4x4 6 cylinder full power black cherry \$16 980</p> <p>JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p>	<p>Sports & Imported (8300)</p> <p>MERCEDES 1998 SLK Red 8200 m les loaded \$35 000 MERCDES 1999 300E Silver moonroof leather 92K miles \$9500 248 808 0718</p> <p>Porsche 2001 Boxster never seen winter s live / blue leather 13K m tpnronic trans m s sion CD changer Exc cond \$39 900 248 540 7326</p> <p>STEALTH 1993 ES 5 spd sunroof spoiler 91K 1 owner \$3500/best 734 591 6819</p> <p>Antique & Classic Collector Cars (8320)</p> <p>Antique/classic auto storage Heated safe secure Seasonally & yearly Northville (734) 502 0949</p> <p>CADILLAC 1955 Fully restored Everything new \$15 000/best 734 729 3711</p> <p>CHEVROLET 1955 Amer can Graff h look ke 454 4 speed \$25K/best (734) 891 2109</p> <p>CHEVY IMPALA 1968 SS Convertible 398 4 speed black/red \$9900 (248) 486 9179</p> <p>DODGE CHARGER 1968 too much to list needs minor repair \$14 500 248 933 8659</p> <p>ELDRADO S 1983 2 southern cars needs repair \$2500/best (248) 426 9812</p> <p>FORD GALAXY 1965 390 black/black 69K miles orig nal paint \$4500 (248) 347 6089</p> <p>Mustang 1968 Convertible red 6 cyl auto \$8 800/best (734) 425 3205</p> <p>OLDS 1982 DELTA 88 Gray very good cond 49K garage kept \$2600 248 477 1592</p> <p>PLYMOUTH SATELITE 1972 runs great 30K asking \$2500 (734) 522 8868</p> <p>PONTIAC 1962 Star Chief all original restorable \$1750/best 248 358 0322</p> <p>PORSCHE 356 1956 com pletely restored 1962 engine shows quality \$26 500 Call Doug at 248 851 2600</p> <p>BMW 325i 1993 Loaded nice! \$5 000 734 347 9533</p> <p>BMW 325is 1995 White 83K 1 owner well main tained very clean sport pack age \$8600 (313) 717 3400</p> <p>CORVETTE 1999 coupe pewter 6 speed loaded waranty \$23 000/best 248 433 0821 734 261 7530</p> <p>JAGUAR 1992 VDP 52K black cherry cream leather Wire wheels Spectacu ar \$10 900 248-417-3747</p> <p>MERCEDES 1993 Benz 190e Red/tan 2.6 76K mi \$6750 248 960 5005</p> <p>MERCEDES 1999 CLK430 AMG back coupe winter wheels 44K warranty \$30 000 734 207 1787</p>	<p>Buick (8360)</p> <p>PARK AVE 1995 white exc cond full power leather 81K \$6650 (248) 355 3319</p> <p>PARK AVENUE 1994 dark blue auto air leather \$3 995 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>REGAL 2000 LS leather bur gundy 28K \$11 995 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>REGAL 2001 GS loaded w/about pkg GM Certified \$12 763 TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>RIVIERA 1998 white w/tan leather Chrome wheels teak wood dash 96K new tres superb ride nce \$5475 734 722 2666</p>	<p>Cadillac (8380)</p> <p>Cadillac 1991 Limo 6 passenger fully loaded sunroof very clean Low miles One owner \$9400 734 777 3292</p>	<p>Chevrolet (8400)</p> <p>PRIZM 2001 air cruise CD auto power locks 21K WOW! Only \$7 999 GM Certified Loy LaRiche Chevrolet 1-888-372-9836</p> <p>TRAILBLAZER LT 2002 Onstar 25K \$19 000/firm (734) 462 0883</p> <p>Chrysler Plymouth (8420)</p> <p>CHRYSLER 1999 300M low miles moon leather \$10 788 Fox Hills Chrysler-Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>CHRYSLER 300M 1999 78K fully loaded new siped tires new brakes exc cond \$9 500/best 248 672 8696</p> <p>New Yorker Salon 1991 New transmission & battery good cond \$3500 734 397 1626</p> <p>NEW YORKER 1987 Leather seats Its talks 71K \$2400/firm 248 553 0074</p> <p>Sebring 1998 JX Conv 72K all power pwr leather good cond \$7500 734 420 1795</p> <p>SEBRING 1999 Convertible full power 40K only \$9 688 Fox Hills Chrysler Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>Sebring 1999 JX Red cond vertible V 6 2 door auto air cruise \$5995 248 762 5688</p> <p>SEBRING 2002 Convertible steel blue full power \$14 888 Fox Hills Chrysler-Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>Dodge (8440)</p> <p>AVENGER 1997 Good cond Power moonroof 110K \$3900 (734) 502 5920</p> <p>AVENGER 1996 ES Coupe 2 dr red V6 air 12 disc CD \$4 000/best 248 360 6312</p> <p>AVENGER 1995 Auto air \$1800 313 255 2421 or 734 578 6994</p> <p>INTREPID 1999 4 dr auto white w/gray interior \$8 900 mi \$6900 (734) 981 2746</p> <p>INTREPID 1999 ES extra clean full power \$6 995 Fox Hills Chrysler-Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>NEON 2001 Auto air 18K \$5999 TYME SALES 734 455 5566</p> <p>STRATUS 2003 8 000 m les loaded \$10 900 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p>	<p>Ford (8480)</p> <p>CROWN VICTORIA S 2003 (3) loaded starting from only \$14 993 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>Escort 1996 2 dr 5 speed 101K new tires brakes p s p o air sunroof good cond \$17000/best (734) 453 6413</p> <p>Escort 1998 Wagon auto 61K miles good cond \$3800/best (248) 366 8655</p> <p>EXPLORER 1994 XLT 4x4 loaded looks/runs great 137K mi \$3500/best 248 267 9875</p> <p>FOCUS 2001 4 door must see must sell \$9950/best (734) 560 6686</p> <p>FOCUS S 2003 4 dr s 2 dr SE ZX3 from \$9 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>JACK DEMMER FORD AFFORDABLES</p> <p>FOCUS 2001 ZX3 auto air only 22K \$9 880</p> <p>ESCORT 1995 2 dr auto air \$3 880</p> <p>FOCUS 2000 4 dr ZTS auto air \$7 220</p> <p>EXPLORER 2000 XLT 4x4 4 dr 29K extra clean \$13 990</p> <p>FORD 2000 F250 Supercab 4x4 XLT off road pkg auto air V 8 \$16 990</p> <p>ESCAPE 2002 XLT auto air \$14 880</p> <p>MUSTANG 2000 Convert ble auto air \$13 330</p> <p>BLAZER 2002 Sport black beauty \$12 990</p> <p>DAKOTA 2000 Club Cab SLT auto air loaded \$11 990</p> <p>EXPLORER 1999 Sport auto air clean \$8 920</p> <p>RANGER 2001 Supercab 4x4 XLT Flareside auto air V 6 \$12 740</p> <p>RANGER 1994 Supercab 4x4 XLT auto air \$6 480</p> <p>FORD 2001 F150 Supercrew Lariat 4x4 off road loaded \$21 990</p> <p>TAURUS 2000 SE 4 dr leather moon CD \$8 990</p> <p>RANGER 2001 4x4 slyside V 6 26K \$13 990</p> <p>WINDSTAR 2001 Sport SE Wagon quad seat auto dual air \$11 990</p> <p>CHEVY 2001 S 10 auto air 40K \$7 770</p> <p>RANGER 1999 Supercab 4x4 XLT auto air \$7 990</p> <p>EXCURSION 2000 4x4 Limited leather loaded \$13 440</p> <p>EXPLORER 2001 4 dr 4x4 auto air chrome wheels CD \$13 980</p> <p>MUSTANG 2002 auto air 19K \$12 990</p> <p>TAURUS 2000 SEL 24V V 6 loaded \$7 220</p> <p>CROWN VICTORIA 1996 LT only 50 000 miles extra clean \$6 550</p>	<p>Honda (8520)</p> <p>ACCORD 1993 4 dr runs excellent 90 day warranty \$2995 Call 734 427 4743 734 968 6994</p> <p>ACCORD 2000 EX 4 dr 30K Honda Certified clean \$13 932</p> <p>TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>ACCORD 2000 EX Coupe V 6 leather Honda Certified \$15 177</p> <p>TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>ACCORD EX 1991 2 dr sharp power moonroof new tires/brakes \$2800 734 748 8590</p> <p>CIVIC 2000 LX 4 dr auto air Honda Certified 431K \$11 472</p> <p>TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>CIVIC 2001 EX 2 dr auto Honda Certified \$11 886</p> <p>TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>Hyundai (8524)</p> <p>ELANTRA 2002 GLS 19 000 miles auto loaded \$9 980 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>ELANTRA 2003 GLS moon auto 5K \$11 590 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p>	<p>Jaguar (8530)</p> <p>S Type 2002 30K warranty snow tres exc cond \$31 900 248 357 3859</p>	<p>Jeep (8535)</p> <p>CHEROKEE 1998 Limited 4x4 loaded w/leather 109K \$6 900 (248) 901 2582</p> <p>CHEROKEE 2000 Sport 4x4 sienna pearl great price \$10 588 Fox Hills Chrysler Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>CHEROKEE 2001 Classic 4x4 black 4 0 liter auto loaded 45K \$13 200 734 422 1810 734 522 7333</p> <p>Grand Cherokee 1999 Laredo Black extras 85K exc cond \$11 500 248 894 7299</p> <p>GRAND CHEROKEE 2000 Laredo 4x4 silver fern mint cond \$12 788 Fox Hills Chrysler Jeep (734) 455 8740</p> <p>GRAND CHEROKEE 2000 Loaded V 8 leather moon \$16 888 Fox Hills Chrysler-Jeep (734) 455 8740</p>	<p>Mustang (8400)</p> <p>MUSTANG 2000 GT dark red 46L manua 26K miles loaded excellent cond \$14 600 (734) 394 1655</p> <p>MUSTANG 2001 Cobra black loaded \$22 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>MUSTANG 2001 GT Conv ertible mnt cond Loaded low mi \$16 200 (610) 220 1481</p> <p>MUSTANG 2002 Convertible leather auto CD loaded \$14 590 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>MUSTANG 2002 GT s (3) auto air leather loaded from \$15 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>MUSTANG 2003 GT leather 5 speed 5K \$17 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>MUSTANG 2003 Convert ble leather 6 d so CD auto from \$16 993 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE LX 2000 5 Speed leather fully loaded Excellent condition \$8500 (248) 895 6774</p> <p>T BIRD 2002 black 2 tops 9K \$25 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TAURUS 2001 auto air very low miles \$4999</p> <p>TYME SALES 734 455 5566</p> <p>TAURUS 1994 GL 70K \$2 995 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>TAURUS 1997 GL exc cond white clean auto air 77K \$4000/best 734 455 3382</p> <p>TAURUS 1997 SE Elec Blue nice car \$4 200 313 255 2421/734 578 6994</p> <p>TAURUS 2000 SES Red V6 all pwr A C ABS 55K \$6750 (734) 420 4439</p> <p>TAURUS 2002 SES 4 dr auto air 7 500 miles \$11 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TAURUS 2003 SEL 4 dr 24V V 6 loaded 9K \$14 590 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TAURUS 2003 SES 4 dr auto air 11K \$12 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TAURUS 2003 Wagon s (2) SE 3rd seat loaded 6 10K from \$14 393 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TAURUS S 2002 (5) 24V DOHC Duratec engines loaded from \$10 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TEMPO 1994 good miles auto air 1 owne \$2 995 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>THUNDERBIRD 2002 Premier Edition Red 2 tops 6000 miles \$32 500 248 553 6667</p>	<p>Jeep (8535)</p> <p>LAREDO 1998 4x4 TEXAS TRUCK ABSOLUTE! NO RUST exc cond \$6900 734 377 5560</p> <p>LS400 1998 4 Dr ar alarm Auto pl cruse CD anti lock brakes pw Full service history 1 owner ps am fm stereo sun roof leather Many extras L tuned suspension exhaust and ntake Highway miles winter stored immaculate blue pearl on black 105K miles \$19 500 248 305 6655</p>	<p>Lincoln (8560)</p> <p>LS 2001 moon 5 speed sport pkg 20K \$19 998 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TOWN CAR 1979 Collector Series 70K 1 owner clean runs good \$3500 248 478 2013</p> <p>TOWN CAR 1994 Best condi tion 108K slight oil drip black \$6 900 248 661 4250</p> <p>TOWN CAR 1999 Executive 21K cranberry color non smoker garage kept Like new \$16 000 734 464 8847</p>	<p>Nissan (8580)</p> <p>MAZDA 1999 626 ES low miles \$8 495 TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>MAZDA 1997 626 4 dr new tires & engine clean \$6 800/best 248 819 2034</p> <p>PROTEGE 1993 LX 5spd 68K miles new brakes Exc cond \$3400 734 414 0646</p> <p>MERCURY (8600)</p> <p>COUGAR 2000 Auto v 6 ar cd sunroof 53K miles \$8500 248 651 4677</p> <p>GRAND MARQUIS 1997 Nice loaded! \$5 750 734 347 9533</p> <p>GRAND MARQUIS 2000 LS White loaded florida car 22K miles \$12 500 734 525 1937</p> <p>GRAND MARQUIS 2002 LS Black loaded exc cond \$15 500 (734) 453 1797</p> <p>MARQUIS LS 1999 well maintained leather seats owner \$9000 248 855 3385</p> <p>TAURUS S 2002 (5) 24V DOHC Duratec engines loaded from \$10 990 DEMMER FORD (734) 721 2600</p> <p>TEMPO 1994 good miles auto air 1 owne \$2 995 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>THUNDERBIRD 2002 Premier Edition Red 2 tops 6000 miles \$32 500 248 553 6667</p>	<p>Pontiac (8680)</p> <p>GRAND AM 2003 4 dr maroon 6 cylinder full power full factory warranty \$11 980 JOHN ROGIN BUICK 734-525-0900</p> <p>GRAND AM S 2001 SE s 4 drs 3 to choose your choice \$9 495 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>GRAND PRIX 1994 2 dr SE White ar 63K \$3 995 BOB JEANNOTTE PONTIAC (734) 453 2500</p> <p>GRAND PRIX 1994 GTP Dark green gold wheels \$27 000 248 650-4799</p> <p>GRAND PRIX 2000 GT leather chrome wheels loaded GM Certified now only \$9 999 Loy LaRiche Chevrolet 1-888-372-9836</p> <p>GRAND PRIX 2002 SE pw/pl power seat CD low miles GM Certified Was \$15 992 now only \$10 822 Loy LaRiche Chevrolet 1-888-372-9836</p> <p>SUNFIRE 1997 New tires bat tery alternator 116K \$3200/best 248 921 2788</p> <p>SUNFIRE 1999 GT Coupe 2 door manual trans 67K good cond \$4 550 248 515 2750</p> <p>SUNFIRE 2000 2 dr red a/c am/fm cassette 60K exc cond \$6595 313 550 2117</p> <p>SUNFIRE 2000 2 door auto air 61K new brakes exc cond \$5495 734 667 2023</p> <p>SUNFIRE 2002 4 dr full power seat CD low miles GM Certified \$16K miles/waranty \$9000/best 248 442 9378</p> <p>TRANS AM 1994 White w/ white wheels tan leather 1 tops loaded 69K \$8 995 or best Exc (248) 489 9009</p> <p>TRANS AM 2000 low miles leather chrome wheels T tops better hurry \$17 821 GM Certified Loy LaRiche Chevrolet 1-888-372-9836</p> <p>Saturn (8700)</p> <p>SC2 2001 Killer bee #5 of 99 that were built yellow/black top/leather /int Custom wheels auto loaded 31K \$9500/best (248) 332 4603</p> <p>SL1 2000 Auto ps/pw keyless entry cd air cruise 29K \$6 500 734 464 8706</p> <p>SL1 2000 auto air CD 44K only \$5800 Ask for Jim TYME SALES 734 455 5566</p> <p>SL2 1999 4 dr dark blue 52K mi power windows clean \$6 700 (248) 253 0939</p> <p>SL2 2001 auto cassette air t it 21K pl pd \$6900 exc cond 734-458-3030 458 7555</p>	<p>Toyota (8720)</p> <p>CAMRY 1996 LX Loaded sunroof auto eather ar CD 99K \$5500 (248) 910 2674</p> <p>COROLLA 2001 CE auto air best buy \$7 995 TAMAROFF 248 353 1300</p> <p>PRUIS 2002 gas & electric 47 50 miles per gallon pretty car \$14 995 or best offer (248) 539 1284</p> <p>Volkswagen (8740)</p> <p>JETTA K2 1998 Loaded low mi new tires brakes & exhaust sharp \$7995/best 586 777 0525</p> <p>JETTA 2001 GL only 36K miles black auto exc cond warranty 248 760 0426</p> <p>Autos Under 2000 (8780)</p> <p>\$500 POLICE IMPOUNDS Cars from \$500 For listings 800 319 3323 x7375</p> <p>CAMRY 1991 DX auto 115K miles ac clean pw/pl cruise \$1900 734 765 7366</p> <p>FORD 1989 Ranger Super cab great running cond 6 cyl \$599 734 464 0130</p> <p>FORD CROWN VIC 1991 Exc cond Pastor owned \$2000/best (313) 485 8570</p> <p>NISSAN SENTRA 1992 Runs great new paint & tires \$1800/best 734 262 2981</p> <p>PASSAT 1990 new air tres belts exhaust 168K good cond \$1350 248 910 7663</p> <p>Plymouth Grand Voyager 1990 runs good no rust \$1250/best 734 432 6611</p> <p>PONTIAC GRAND AM 1993 RUNS EXC 90 day warranty \$1895 Call 734 427 4743 734 968 6994</p> <p>PROBE 1992 GL 2.2L 12V AUTO air all pwr 94K \$1790 (734) 416 1360</p> <p>SABLE 1992 Wagon auto matc 109K new tres/brakes \$1600 248 627 2762</p> <p>SABLE 1992 Wagon auto matc 109K new tres/brakes \$1600 248 627 2762</p> <p>TRACER 1991 95K 1 owner auto power exc cond must see \$1895 313 937 0858</p> <p>TRANSPORTATION SPECIALS 3 to choose from 313 255 2421/734 578 6994</p>
---	--	--	--	--	--	---	---	--	---	---	---	---	--	---	---	---



Drive away with a wheel deal in the Observer & Eccentric Classifieds

Drive your dream! Take a cruise through Observer & Eccentric classifieds, where you'll find an outstanding selection of quality cars, trucks and vans.

IT'S ALL ABOUT RESULTS

Don't take a chance... place your ad in The Observer & Eccentric Classifieds today! 1-800-579-SELL

Filter

PURE ENTERTAINMENT!

ART • MUSIC • DINING • FILM • CULTURE • THEATER • TRAVEL • WHATEVER

Eisenhower
Dance
Ensemble's

'On the Move'

Laurie Eisenhower takes her
dancers into brave new worlds

Page 10

Table Hopping

Vietnamese food is among the tastiest and healthiest, see for yourself at Thang Long.

Hot Ticket

Nickleback comes to terms with celebrity while staying true to its hard rock roots. Page 3



**NOV.
12 - 16**



Wed. NOV. 12 ★ 7:30 PM

OPENING NIGHT - ALL TICKETS \$10

(Excludes Rinkside and VIP Seats)

Thu.	Fri.	Sat.	Sun.
NOV. 13	NOV. 14	NOV. 15	NOV. 16
7 30 PM	11 00 AM 7 30 PM	11 30 AM 3 30 PM 7 30 PM	1 00 PM 5 00 PM

Buy tickets at www.disneyonice.com,
ticketmaster Ticket Centers, Arena Box Office or call
(248) 645-6666

For Information call (248) 377-0100

TICKET PRICES:

\$25.00 - \$18.50 - \$15.00

Limited number of Rinkside and VIP seats available. Call for details.

(Service charges and handling fees may apply)

Disney, Tarzan, Hercules, Esmeralda, Mowgli, Baloo, King Louie, and the other characters, Tarzan and the Gorilla, and the other characters, are trademarks of Disney, Inc. and Disney Enterprises, Inc. All Rights Reserved.

OE08 68942

The University of Michigan

museum of art



THE ROMANOV'S COLLECT EUROPEAN ART FROM THE HERMITAGE



Through November 23

Only in Ann Arbor, a landmark exhibition of fine
and decorative art collected by the Russian tsars



This exhibition is made possible by Ford Motor Company Fund

Timed tickets available 800 585 3737 www.ticketsplus.net and participating
Meijer stores

525 South State Street Ann Arbor MI 48106-1000 www.umma.umich.edu

Hubert Robert French 733 1808 *Ancient Ruins Serving as a Public Bath* 796 oil on canvas The State Hermitage Museum
St. Petersburg 2003

POFO208 55988

Index

- **BIG SCREEN** E4
As a romance *Beyond Borders* a film set against a worldwide hunger epidemic works
- **SMALL SCREEN** E5
The acting in *Slime City* is marginal at best. But how can you lose with a crawling brain?
- **ON STAGE** E9
Jewish Ensemble Theatre kicks off its new season with the Midwest premiere of *Dirty Story* by playwright John Patrick Shanley
- **COVER STORY** E10
Eisenhower Dance Ensemble's *On the Move*. They'll join the Brockus Project Dance Company from Los Angeles for a program on Saturday
- **TABLE HOPPING** E12
In a modest strip mall setting Thang Long scores as a Vietnamese cuisine headliner
- **DRINKOLOGY** E14
Sting Ray Bloody Mary Mixer is no stranger to the spotlight nor to Bloody Mary lovers
- **FAMILY FUN** E16
Kids attending the Young People's Concerts at the new Max M. Fisher Music Center will have more room to roam
- **GET OUT** E18
Check out our entertainment calendar to make plans to *Get Out!* and do something fun
- **STAR STRUCK** E20
Be sure to read your horoscope by Birmingham based astrologer Dennis Fairchild

Filter

PURE ENTERTAINMENT!

Observer & Eccentric

NEWSPAPERS

- | | |
|--|--|
| Keely Kaleski
Editor | Kirsten Waterman
Account Rep |
| Nicole Stafford
Staff Writer | Dan Dean
Design Editor |
| Lana Mini
Staff Writer | Susan Rosiek
Executive Editor |
| Megan Pennefather
Designer | Todd Williams
Advertising Director |
| | Peter Neill
General Manager |

Cover design by Randall Masters

For editorial information please call (248) 901-2587
For advertising information please call (734) 953-2165



A HomeTown Communications Network publication

www.hometownlife.com

Hot Ticket



Multi platinum selling rock quartet Nickelback's new album *The Long Road* debuted at #6 on Billboard Top 200 Album Chart

Nickleback isn't trying to duplicate success

Nickleback's song, *How You Remind Me*, was the No. 1 tune in the world in 2002. In the world.

No song was played more on radio stations across the globe. Bass player Mike Kroeger said he and the rest of the band still can't comprehend it.

"It's like the size of the ocean, we know it's big, but we can't actually grasp just how big to have the No. 1 song in the world is beyond anything imaginable, it's out of our reach," Kroeger said.

The hard rock band from Vancouver, coming to the Palace on Thursday, Nov. 6, won't even attempt to repeat the success of *How You Remind Me*.

"Doing it once is wild enough," Kroeger said. "People connected with *Remind Me*, that connection is one of the best feelings in the world."

Their current album, *The Long Road*, is already in the Top 10 after just one month. Their previous album, *Silver Side Up*, sold more than nine million copies, went multi platinum, earned four Grammy nominations, four Billboard and four Juno awards.

Because of their success, Nickelback finally got what they wanted when they went into the studio last year to record *The Long Road*—complete creative freedom. They produced the album themselves.

REAL SURPRISE

"We've pushed things further in every

way possible," said Chad Kroeger, vocalist, guitarist and the band's primary songwriter. "We're very proud of this album. Fans of real rock music are in for a real surprise."

Mike Kroeger, Chad's brother, said *The Long Road* still maintains the feel and integrity of *Silver Side Up*.

"We aren't re-inventing the wheel," Mike Kroeger said. "We didn't want to write the same album twice, but we respect the type of music that our fans want. I'm excited about this album because it has some really, really hard songs on it."

Hard rock, like Metallica, is both Chad and Mike Kroeger's original love. For bass player Kroeger, *Flat on the Floor* is one of the best on the album because it's the band's heaviest tune.

Flat on the Floor's lyrics aren't pretty. The band says it's a true story about a high schooler who gives birth in a restroom and throws the infant in the trash. The following track is gentler and reminiscent of country songs that tell whole tales. Called *I Love the Way You're Leaving Me*, it is a song that's expected to crossover to the masses.

What's ironic is that *How You Remind Me* led to Nickelback's crossover success, but the band's roots are heavy rock. They just happened to record a few ballads. Nickelback is a band whose original fan base is long-haired teens and 20-somethings. "Today, moms are bringing their kids

NICKLEBACK

When: 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 6
Where: The Palace of Auburn Hills
Tickets: \$27.50 call Ticketmaster, (248) 645-6666

to the shows.

Nickleback formed in 1996, and although it reached major stardom, Mike Kroeger said the band still writes lyrics that everyone can connect with.

"Sometimes when bands get really big, when they aren't starving anymore, they lose that edge," he said. "But I think the topics we write about are ones that everyone can relate to—about the rich man and poor man."

ECLECTIC ANTHEM

The album's first single, *Someday*, is an eclectic anthem already dominating airwaves. For the next year, the band members' lives will be a whirlwind of concerts, interviews, more concerts and more interviews. They'll play the U.S., Europe, Australia, Japan and possibly repeat it all.

"I love this tour, we're going all over the world, and we get to play it hard," Mike Kroeger said.

Big screen

New Jolie film succeeds as romance, not drama

BEYOND BORDERS
*1/2 (out of four)

There are many things that trouble me about the new Angelina Jolie vehicle *Beyond Borders*. What troubles me most is that, as a romance, the film works. But I don't think it has any right to. You see, *Beyond Borders* is a romance "set against the backdrop of a worldwide

hunger epidemic." The themes and images that the film uses are so intrinsically powerful and emotionally complex that anything that is contrasted against them - say, an Angelina Jolie romantic moment - looks downright obscene. Jolie plays Sarah, a newlywed living in London. She's whooping it up at a charity ball, organized in part by her husband,

when it is crashed by activist doctor Nick Callahan (Clive Owen). Nick parades a famished Ethiopian boy named Jo-Jo in front of the crowd, shaming them for their do-gooder excess. It's a scene as uncomfortable as those "Save a Child" television commercials, only this time we can't turn the channel. One of the party-goers throws the child a banana, and Nick worsens the situation by encouraging Jo-Jo to hoot like a monkey. It's excruciating. At this point, *Beyond Borders* is strong, unpredictable and daring.



Extra Butter

Daniel Kraus

But Sarah's reaction to Nick's actions is disappointingly simplistic. She decides to become a crusader for hunger, and travels to Ethiopia to work alongside Nick. Over the next decade, she follows her crush around the globe, assisting him with the saving of all types of unfortunates. There were moments that I considered *Beyond Borders* to be the most offensive film I have seen in years. When Sarah first arrives in Ethiopia, she

hurries to help an emaciated infant. I can't be sure, but I believe the child was at least partly computer-generated in an attempt to look even skinnier. This seems wrong. Even if it were only makeup - or even if the child really looked like that - I feel dubious about his inclusion in an Angelina Jolie movie, where his only real function is to help this pretty woman become a socially conscious pretty woman.

After Ethiopia, Sarah travels to Cambodia. After Cambodia, it's off to Chechnya. The film functions as a travelogue of unsavory places, but places that are every bit exotic as more user-friendly destinations like Prague or Amsterdam. Only *Beyond Borders* is less honest than a travelogue, for it purports to be teaching us something. But it does not. The entirety of our Chechnya discourse is summarized in a warning given by Sarah's sister: "Sarah, you know as well as I do that Chechnya's a dangerous place."

It's hard to gauge the filmmakers' intentions. I will give them the benefit of the doubt and simply call their film "misguided." It reminds me of Steven Spielberg's similarly well-intentioned *Amistad* or, to a lesser degree, *Schindler's List* - both movies that featured oppressed people as extras in a film chronicling their own demise.

The only way that *Beyond Borders* may have been salvaged as something relevant is if Sarah did not become the World's Greatest Human. But the film is dishonest about her pretension, naiveté and ignorance. These are not unusual qualities in a human being. But if you're a movie heroine, they're strictly not allowed.

There are segments of *Beyond Borders* that work, for the directing and acting is largely successful. Owen gives an occasionally powerful performance and the relationship between Sarah and her husband is admirably complicated. But the film is simply too big, and refuses to acknowledge its smallness when seen against the larger scope of world events.

Daniel Kraus is a syndicated columnist and film maker. Info on his latest film *Ball of Wax* can be found at www.ballofwaxmovie.com.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Scheduled to open Friday, Oct 31

Die Mommie Die! - exclusively at the Star Great Lakes Crossing. Fallen pop diva Angela Arden's hus band Sol discovers that she's having an affair with tennis pro gigolo and failed actor Tony Parker. Angela calculatedly offs him with a poisoned suppository or does she? What follows is a hilarious mixture of whodunits and double crossings. Charles Busch, Frances Conroy, Philip Baker Hall, Natasha Lyonne, Jason Priestley. Directed by Mark Rucker (Sundance). Rated R. Running time: 90 minutes.

Scheduled to open Wednesday, Nov 5

The Matrix Revolutions - The final explosive chapter in the Matrix trilogy. Stars Keanu Reeves, Laurence Fishburne, Carrie-Anne Moss, Hugo Weaving, Jada Pinkett Smith. Directed by The Wachowski Brothers (Warner Brothers). Rating: TBD.

Scheduled to open Friday, Nov 14

Honey - Honey Daniels, a dancer and choreographer

is working as a bartender and record store clerk until she gets that one break. When she finally succeeds, it feels too good to be true. And it is. *until Honey gets a new dream* fueled by the exuberant energy of a group of neighborhood kids who bring her back to the sheer joy of letting it all out on the dance floor. Stars Jessica Alba, Lil Romeo, Mekhi Phifer, Joy Bryant, David Moscow, Lonette McKee, Zachary Isaiah Williams. Directed by Bille Woodruff (Universal). Rating: TBD.

Looney Tunes Back in Action - Set in a live action world in which Warner Bros. beloved assortment of irreverent animated entertainers interact with human characters for maximum comic effect, the story unfolds on the Studio backlot and careens all over the map in Looney Tunes style. Stars Brendan Fraser, Jenna Elfman, Steve Amrtin. Directed by Joe Dante (Warner Bros.). Rated PG.

"A Disney Classic In The Tradition Of 'The Lion King'!"
Jimmy Carter, NBC-TV

Disney PRESENTS
BROTHER BEAR

GENERAL AUDIENCES
disney.com/brotherbear ©Disney Enterprises, Inc.

SOUNDTRACK NOW AVAILABLE! Featuring original songs from Academy Award®-winner Phil Collins and performances by Grammy Award-Winners Phil Collins, Tina Turner, The Blind Boys of Alabama

STARTS SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

AMC LAUREL PARK	AMC LIVONIA 20	CANTON 6	AMC FORUM 30
NOVI TOWN CENTER 8	PHOENIX AT BELLAIR CENTRE	PHOENIX WEST RIVER	MJR SOUTHGATE 20
SHOWCASE STERLING HEIGHTS	SHOWCASE WESTLAND	STAR FAIRLANE	STAR GRATIOT AT 15 MI.
STAR GREAT LAKES CROSSING	STAR JOHN R AT 14 MILE	STAR ROCHESTER HILLS	STAR SOUTHFIELD
STAR TAYLOR	UA COMMERCE STADIUM	UPTOWN PALLADIUM 12	NO PASSES OR DISCOUNT COUPONS ACCEPTED

'Slime City' drips with gory entertainment

At times, *Slime City* resembles a cross between *Monty Python and the Holy Grail* and *The Evil Dead*. A strange brew, indeed

Another entry into the school of goo, *Slime City* lacks the sophistication of *Street Trash* (which we reviewed last time) or the energy of *The Evil Dead*, but it does have a charm of its own, especially if you are fond of talking decapitated heads — and I admit I am



Beyond Bad

Greg Kowalski

The story Alex and his girlfriend, Laurie, find a new apartment for Alex in a somewhat seedy part of town. Little do they know that the landlady's father was a wizard, or something, who brewed a gruel of slimy liquid that provides eternal life when ingested.

The old fellow, named Zachery, and his cadre of followers, killed themselves in the basement of the building but not before leaving a stockpile of the stuff.

A neighbor invites Alex to dinner and feeds him a bowl of the stuff passed off as Himalayan yogurt. Alex should have known something was amiss when he wakes up in the middle of the night covered with slime. And he quickly develops a habit of killing people — first a bum in the alley then a hooker, who he sends into eternity with a razor.

From there, his life is all down hill. Poor Alex periodically takes to melting and murdering as he drifts toward complete dissolution, morally and physically.

He comes to learn that the whole group of people who had committed suicide are returning to possess the bodies of tenants. And Alex is in line to host the body.

But by then it is too late. Alex is alternately hacking and melting as he loses more and more control to the invading Zachery. Finally, Alex kills his best friend then goes after Laurie.

This leads to a bravura climax that makes wading through all this plot worthwhile.

It goes something like this: He tries to strangle her. She stabs him with a fork. This makes him mad, especially as he spouts goo like a fountain when he pulls the fork out. He comes back at her and she stabs him with a huge knife, ripping his guts out. He patiently packs them back into his body and goes after her again. She chops his arm off with a meat cleaver.

This makes him even madder. She chops his head off. This really ticks him off, and he sends his headless one-armed body after her, ordering it to "Kill her! Kill her!" But while the spirit is willing, the flesh is weak, and the body falls over.

Alex's head has a sudden change of heart and insists he loves Laurie, but it's too late and there's too little left of him to win back her affection, so she stabs his head, which is reposing on the kitchen floor. For reasons that are not clear, this causes the head to pop open and Alex's brain comes crawling out. Laurie turns

this to sush with the meat cleaver.

Subtle, this is not. Nor is it dinnertime viewing. And the acting is marginal at best. But how can you lose with a crawling brain?

Slime City can be found deep within the recesses of various video stores, or check

out Thomas Video in Clawson.

Greg Kowalski has developed an immunity to cinematic slime, but even he had to hit the remote off button until after all the pizza was consumed while watching this one. He can be reached at (248) 901-2570 or by e-mail at gkowalski@ameritech.net

TOP VIDEO RENTALS

Wondering what videos to rent this weekend? These films were among the top 10 VHS releases at BlockBuster Video. For more recommendations and information, visit www.blockbuster.com

The Italian Job A team of high class thieves avenge their mentor's death — with the help of his own daughter — in this big budget remake of the 1969 British caper classic. Stars Mark Wahlberg as Charlie, the mastermind of a daring Venice heist overseen by John (Donald Sutherland), a lifelong criminal.

Hollywood Homicide Further cementing 2003 as the year of Ron Shelton cop movies, the director continued his vacation from the sports genre with *Hollywood Homicide*, a police comedy that comes right on the heels of Shelton's *Dark Blue*, a decidedly grittier cop thriller. The film stars Harrison Ford and Josh Hartnett.

Daddy Day Care Two fathers get a crash course in caring for kids other than their own in this family friendly comedy. Charlie Hinton (Eddie Murphy) is an advertising executive whose job monopolizes his time, making it difficult for him to stay in touch with his young son Ben (Khamani Griffin).

Dreamcatcher Four men are changed forever by an act of mercy — changes which have a profound impact many years later — in this blend of horror and science fiction based on a novel by Stephen King. Stars Damian Lewis (Thomas Jane), Timothy Olyphant, and Jason Lee.

The In Laws Lots of people have misgiving about their in-laws, but in this offbeat comedy, a man discovers that his new son-in-law's father is significantly stranger than he's able to deal with. Jerry Peyser (Albert Brooks) is a well-meaning but slightly anal retentive dentist who doesn't much care for surprises.

"A KILLER THRILLER!"

Thelma Adams, US WEEKLY

"I LOVE THIS MOVIE!"

Jami Bernard, NEW YORK DAILY NEWS

"MEG RYAN'S PERFORMANCE IS ABSOLUTELY FLAWLESS."

Richard Roeper, EBERT & ROEPEr

MEG RYAN MARK RUFFALO JENNIFER JASON LEIGH

A FILM BY JANE CAMPION

IN THE CUT

EVERYTHING YOU KNOW ABOUT DESIRE IS DEAD WRONG

SCREEN GEMS AND PATHÉ PRODUCTIONS LTD. PRESENT A LAURIE PARKER PRODUCTION A JANE CAMPION FILM
 MEG RYAN MARK RUFFALO JENNIFER JASON LEIGH "IN THE CUT" NICK DAMICI SHARRIEFF PUGH
 GUEST STARS BILLY HOPKINS SUZANNE SMITH KERRY BARDEN & MARK BENNETT MUSIC BY SCHILMAR ÖRN HILMARSSON SUPERVISOR LAURIE PARKER
 COSTUMES BY BEATRIX ARIANA PASZTOR EDITOR ALEXANDRE DE FRANCESCHI DESIGNER DAVID BRISBIN PHOTOGRAPHER EDION BEEBE ACS
 SCREENPLAY BY JANE CAMPION AND SUSANNA MOORE BASED ON THE NOVEL BY SUSANNA MOORE EXECUTIVE PRODUCERS EFFIE T. BROWN FRANCOIS IVERNEL
 PRODUCED BY LAURIE PARKER NICOLE KIDMAN DIRECTED BY JANE CAMPION

RESTRICTED UNDER 17 REQUIRES ACCOMPANYING PARENT OR ADULT GUARDIAN
 STRONG SEXUALITY INCLUDING EXPLICIT DIALOGUE, NUDITY, GRAPHIC CRIME SCENES, LANGUAGE

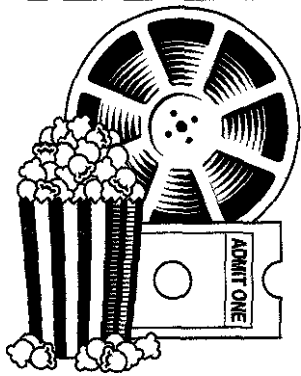
STARTS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

UPTOWN BIRMINGHAM 8 248/644-F LM	UNITED ARTISTS COMMERCE STADIUM 14 248/960 5801	AMC FORUM 30 585/254-5863	STAR THEATRES GRANT 585/791-3420	STAR THEATRES GREAT LAKES CROSSING 248/454 0396	STAR THEATRES JONAH 8 248/585-2070	AMC LIVONIA 20 734/542 5909	GOODRICH NOVY TOWN CENTER 8 248/344-0077	STAR THEATRES SOUTHFIELD 248/372 2222	MIR SOUTHGATE 20 734/284-3456
--	---	---------------------------------	--	---	--	-----------------------------------	--	---	-------------------------------------

Sorry No Passes Accepted For This Engagement Check Theater Director's Box Showtimes PDF0E08168961

Visit Showtimes.SonyPictures.com

OR CHECK YOUR LOCAL LISTINGS



THE
Observer & Eccentric
NEWSPAPERS
Theatre Guide

Where available by deadline, features and times are listed.

Call your local theatre for showings for this week. Check listings below for phone numbers and websites.

National Amusements Showcase Cinemas
Showcase Dearborn 18
Michigan & Telegraph
313 561 3449
Bargain Matinees Daily All Shows until 6 pm
*Late Shows Fri Sat

Showcase Westland 1-8
6800 Wayne Rd
One blk S of Warren Rd
734-729 1060
Bargain Matinees Daily
All Shows Until 6 pm • Late Shows Fri Sat

Star Theatres
The World's Best Theatres
Bargain Matinees Daily \$5.75 All Shows
Starting before 6:00 pm • Now accepting Visa & MasterCard
NO CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 6 WILL BE ALLOWED IN PG 13 & R RATED FILMS AFTER 6 PM. YOU MUST BE AT LEAST 17 YEARS OF AGE WITH PROPER IDENTIFICATION TO PURCHASE A TICKET FOR A RATED R FILM. ONLY ONE TICKET PER ID WILL BE GIVEN. NP DENOTES NO VIP TICKETS.

Star Great Lakes Crossing
Great Lakes Shopping Center
248 454-0366

Star John R at 14 Mile
32289 John R Road
248-585 2070

Star Rochester Hills
200 Barclay Circle
248 853 2260

STUDENT DISCOUNT NOW AVAILABLE WITH VALID SCHOOL ID

Star Southfield
12 Mile between Telegraph & Northwestern off I 696

248 353 STAR
FOR SHOWTIMES AND TO PURCHASE TICKETS BY PHONE CALL 248-372 2222

www.STAR-SOUTHFIELD.com
NP FEATURES SORRY NO VIP DISCOUNT TICKETS ACCEPTED SUNDAY TUESDAY

Saturday Night is Family Night at Star Southfield! Star Theatres is committed to providing the best environment for family entertainment and to encourage families to get out to a movie. STAR SOUTHFIELD will provide a FREE SMALL POP and POPCORN to all kids 16 and under if accompanied by a parent to all shows after 8:30 pm. During our Family Saturdays, no minors 16 Years and under will be permitted entry unless with a parent after 8:30 pm so grab Mom and Dad and HEAD FOR THE MOVIES! PLEASE ONLY ONE TICKET PER ID FOR RATED R FILMS.

United Artists Commerce-14
3330 Springvale Drive
Adjacent to Home Depot

North of the intersection of 14 Mile & Haggerty
248 960 5801
Bargain Matinees Daily for all Shows
Starting before 6 pm
Same Day Advance Tickets Available

WWW.UAT

Birmingham 8
Uptown Birmingham 8
211 S Woodward
Downtown Birmingham

644 FILM or visit
www.uptownbirmingham8.com
for ticket information and showtimes

PURCHASE TICKETS BY PHONE! CALL (248) 644 FILM AND HAVE YOUR VISA, MASTERCARD OR AMERICAN EXPRESS READY. A \$1.00 SURCHARGE PER TICKET WILL APPLY TO ALL TELEPHONE SALES.

Now Featuring Art and Special Colorized Film
MATINEE MOVIES \$6.00 Classic Film Series
Classic Film Series
Wednesday
\$5.50

Little Women (1933) (NR)
Starring Katharine Hepburn
Directed by George Cukor
11 10 1 40 4 15 6 45 9 0

Baby's Day Out
Wednesday @ 11 00 am
Human Stain

(NP) **Human Stain (R)**
Fri Sat 11 00 12 00 1 30 2 30 4 00 5 00 6 30 7 30

9 00 10 00 11 30 Sun Tues Thurs 11 00 12 00 1 30 2 30 4 00 5 00 6 30 7 30 9 00 10 00 Wed 12 00 1 30 2 30 4 00 5 00 6 30 7 30 9 00 10 00

(NP) **In the Cut (R)**
Fr Sat 11 20 2 00 4 30 7 05 9 35 12 00 Sun Thurs 11 20 2 00 4 30 7 05 9 35

Mystic River (R)
Fr Sat 11 15 12 15 2 15 3 15 5 15 6 15 8 15 9 15

11 15 Sun Tues Thurs 11 15 12 15 2 15 3 15 5 15 6 15 8 15 9 15 Wed 12 15 3 15 6 15 9 15

Lost in Translation (R)
Fr Sat 11 30 1 50 4 10 6 40 9 10 11 25 Sun Thurs 11 30 1 50 4 10 6 40 9 10

Under the Tuscan Sun (PG 13)
11 05 1 45 4 20 6 50 9 30

Intolerable Cruelty (PG 13)
Fri 2 05 4 40 7 15 Sat 2 05 4 40 Sun Thurs 2 05 4 40 7 15

Beyond Borders (R)
11 10 9 45

(NP) **Love Actually (R)**
Sat 7 15

Birmingham Palladium 12
Uptown Palladium 12
250 North Old Woodward Ave
Downtown Birmingham

248 644 FILM
www.uptownpalladium12.com

Featuring 12 stadium seating and toriums with state-of-the-art wall to wall curved screens. Dolby Digital surround sound, two giant concession stands, valet parking, Little Caesar's Pizza, Ray's Ice Cream and the all new Premiere Entertainment Auditorium.

Entertainment Auditorium
MATINEE MOVIES \$6.00
CHECK OUT OUR MIDNIGHT MOVIES!

Alien (R)
12 30 3 30, 6 30, 9 30
Now showing in the Premiere Entertainment Auditorium

6 30
Also showing in the Screening Room 3 30
Wed 12 30, 3 30 6 30

Radio (PG)
11 00, 12 10, 1 35 2 50, 4 10 5 15 6 50, 8 10 9 30

Scary Movie 3 (PG 13) 1 hr and 40 min
11 20 12 35, 1 40 3 00 4 05 5 30, 6 35, 8 00 9 10 9 35

Runaway Jury (PG 13)
12 45, 2 05, 3 45, 5 20, 6 40, 8 15 9 40

Texas Chainsaw Massacre (R)
11 05, 1 20, 4 00 6 30, 8 50

Kill Bill Volume 1
12 30, 3 15, 6 10, 9 00

School of Rock (PG 13)
11 15 1 45, 4 20, 10 00

Wed 11 15, 1 45, 4 20 9 15
Good Boy! (PG)
11 10 1 35, 4 25 7 00

House of the Dead (R)
11 10 a m

CALL (810) 77 FILMS #548
Student Price \$5.75 w th ID • 16 Screen State of the Art Cinema • All Stadium Seating • All Big Screens • All Digital Sound

KIDS SHOWS SAT & SUN
KIDS 12 & UNDER, ADULTS \$1
AGENT CODY BANKS (PG)
SAT TUES 11 00, 1 00

NP BROTHER BEAR (G)
SAT TUES 12 00 1 00 2 10 3 10 (4 20 5 20 @ \$5.00) 6 40 7 30 8 50 9 45

(NP) **SCARY MOVIE 3 (PG13)**
12 30 1 40 2 50 (4 10 5 10 @ \$5.00) 6 50 7 45 9 00 10 00

(NP) **TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE (R)**
12 45 1 45 3 00 (4 30 5 30 @ \$5.00) 7 00 7 50 9 20 10 00

(NP) **IN THE CUT (R)**
1 30 (4 30 @ \$5.00) 7 10 9 45

(NP) **RADIO (PG)**
1 10 (4 30 @ \$5.00) 7 15 9 40

(NP) **BEYOND BORDERS (R)** 1 30 9 50
LOST IN TRANSLATION (R)
12 50 (4 10 @ \$5.00) 7 10 9 55

RUNAWAY JURY (PG13)
1 15 (4 10 @ \$5.00) 7 15 9 55

MYSTIC RIVER (R)
1 00 (4 00 @ \$5.00) 7 00 9 55

KILL BILL, VOLUME 1 (R)
1 45 5 00 @ \$5.00) 7 30 10 00

INTOLERABLE CRUELTY (PG13)
1 15 (4 15 @ \$5.00) 7 10 9 40

SAT TUES (4 15 @ \$5.00) 7 10 9 40
GOOD BOY! (PG)
12 40 1 50 3 00 (4 15 5 15 @ \$5.00) 6 45 9 00

SAT TUES 12 00, 1 20, 2 10 (4 15 @ \$5.00) 6 45

SCHOOL OF ROCK (PG13)
12 15 2 30 (5 00 @ \$5.00) 7 30 9 50

OUT OF TIME (PG13) 7 30 9 50
UNDER THE TUSCAN SUN (PG13)
(4 20 @ \$5.00) 7 00 9 45

SECONDHAND LIONS (PG)
(4 40 @ \$5.00) 7 20

UNDERWORLD (R) SAT TUES 9 00

MJR Waterford Cinema 16
7501 Highland Rd
S.E. corner M 59 & Williams Lake Rd

24 Hour Movie Line
248 666-7900

CALL 77 FILMS #551
Free Refill on Popcorn and Pop
Visa & Mastercard Accepted

FREE KIDS SHOWS SAT SUN
KIDS 12 & UNDER, ADULTS \$1
AGENT CODY BANKS (PG) 12 45 3 00

(NP) **BROTHER BEAR (G)**
SAT TUES 12 00 1 00 2 10 3 10 (4 20 5 20 @ \$5.00) 6 40, 7 30 8 50, 9 45

(NP) **SCARY MOVIE 3 (PG13)**
12 30 1 40 2 50 (4 10 5 10 @ \$5.00) 6 50 7 45 9 00 9 55

(NP) **TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE (R)**
12 45 1 45 3 00 (4 30 5 30 @ \$5.00) 7 00 7 50 9 20 10 00, NO 12 45, 3 00 11/1, 11/2

(NP) **RADIO (PG)**
12 30 1 30 2 50 (4 10 5 15 @ \$5.00) 6 40 7 40 9 20 10 00

(NP) **IN THE CUT (R)**
1 30 (4 30 @ \$5.00) 7 10 9 45

LOST IN TRANSLATION (R)
12 50 (4 10 @ \$5.00) 7 15 9 55

9 50
OUT OF TIME (PG13) FRI 7 20 9 40

Main Art Theatre III
118 Main at 11 Mile
Royal Oak

248-542 0180
call 77 FILMS ext 542
(DISCOUNTED SHOWS!!)

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT BOX OFFICE
OR PHONE 248-542-0180
VISA AND MASTERCARD ACCEPTED

Maple Art Theatre III
4135 W Maple West of Telegraph
Bloomfield Hills

248 542 0180
(DISCOUNTED SHOWS)
SUNDAY THROUGH THURSDAY

Oxford 7 Cinemas, L.L.C.
Downtown Oxford
Lapeer Rd (M 24)

(248) 628-7101
Fax (248) 628 1300

State Wayne Theatre
35310 Michigan Ave
Wayne

734-326 4600
THURSDAY ALL SEATS 99¢
CLOSED MONDAY THRU WEDNESDAY
CALL THEATRE FOR SHOWTIMES

SINBAD THE LEGEND OF THE SEVEN SEAS (PG)

SEABISCUIT (PG13)
JEEPERS CREEPERS 2 (R)
CABIN FEVER (R)
FINDING NEMO (G)
FREDDY VS JASON (R)

Michigan Theater
603 E Liberty
Ann Arbor

(734) 668-TIME
\$8 00 Adult \$6 25 Students, Seniors and children under 12 \$5 50 Michigan Theater Members

Ford Wyoming Drive-In
Dearborn

(313) 846-6910
2 GREAT MOVIES for the PRICE OF 1
OPEN 7 30 PM-CHILDREN FREE

ALIEN THE DIRECTORS CUT (R)
FREDDY VS JASON (R)

SCARY MOVIE 3 (PG13)
KILL BILL VOLUME 1 (R)

SCHOOL OF ROCK (PG13)
FIGHTING TEMPTATIONS (PG13)

S.W.A.T (PG13)
BAD BOYS II (R)

[6 9]

RADIO (PG)
ONCE UPON A TIME IN MEXICO (R)

TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE (R)
FREDDY VS JASON (R)

HOUSE OF THE DEAD (R)
OUT OF TIME (PG13)

CABIN FEVER (R)
JEEPERS CREEPERS 2 (R)

Madstone-Ann Arbor
462 Briarwood Circle
734 984-1000

Radio PG
1 00 3 10 5 20 7 30 9 45

Mystic River PG 13
1 30 4 15 7 05 9 45

Runaway Jury PG 13
1 00 3 35 7 00 9 35

Scary Movie 3 PG 13
1 15 3 20 5 25 7 30 9 35

Under the Tuscan Sun PG 13
Fri Tues 1 05 3 20 5 30 7 45

Mon Tue 1 05 3 20 5 30 7 45 9 55
Wed Thurs 3 25 9 40 11 35

Night of the Living Dead (1990) R
Fri Sun 10 30
Kill Bill Volume 1 R
2 00 4 30 7 00 9 30

Intolerable Cruelty PG 13
Fri 3 25, Sat. Tues 3 25 9 40

Bollywood Hollywood PG 13
Fri Tues 1 20, 5 35, 7 40

Underworld R
Fri 10 30

Farmington Civic Theatre
33332 Grand River Farmington
248 474 1951

BARGAIN PRICES DAILY
CALL THEATRE FOR SHOWTIMES
SEABISCUIT (PG13)
MATCHSTICK MEN (PG13)

Cinemark Movie 16
The Best Seat in Town
28600 Dequandre Rd
Warren MI

810 558 8207
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY • FIRST SHOW OF THE DAY 50¢
ALL SHOWS \$1 50 EXCEPT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
AFTER 6 00 PM ALL SEATS \$2 00 BARGAIN TUESDAY
ALL SHOWS AFTER THE FIRST SHOW \$1 00

State
233 State St. at Liberty
Ann Arbor

734-761 8667
\$8 00 Regular Adult \$6 25 Students, Seniors and children under 12, \$5 00 all shows beginning before 6 pm \$5.50 Michigan Theater Member

Imagine
Located in Fountain Walk
on the south side of 12 Mile Road
1/4 Mile west of Novi Road

248-319 3456
Discover the Magic of Movies
and More at Imagine
Box Office opens at 11 45
GIFT CERTIFICATES ON SALE NOW!

*DENOTES LUXURY SEATING AVAILABLE
STUDENT DISCOUNT NOW AVAILABLE!
www.imagineentertainment.com
18 ALL STADIUM AUDITORIUMS • DIGITAL SOUND
BEER, WINE & COCKTAILS

Box Office Opens at 11 30 am
The movie STRANGEHEART will be opening exclusively
in the Detroit area at Imagine on November 1st. It
will run for 3 weeks on Saturday nights at midnight
only

Log onto website at www.strangeheart.com for more
information

1 **ALIEN DIRECTORS CUT (DIGITAL PRESENTATION)**

2 **WONDERLAND**

3 **UNDER THE TUSCAN SUN**

4 **GOOD BOY!**

5 **PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN**

6 **TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE**

7 **SCARY MOVIE 3**

8 **UNDERWORLD**

9 **INTOLERABLE CRUELTY**

More movies

'Pieces of April' not your typical holiday movie

BY SHEILA NORMAN CULP
ASSOCIATED PRESS WRITER

Thanksgiving just wouldn't be Thanksgiving without a dysfunctional family reunion, but writer-director Peter Hedges comes up with an original take on the holiday disaster theme in the quiet gem *Pieces of April*.

This time it's the estranged daughter who tries to unite a divided family over barely cooked turkey plus a bitter, dying mother who wants no part of it.

In his directorial debut, Hedges — who wrote the novel and screenplay for *What's Eating Gilbert Grape?* and the screenplay for *About a Boy* — gives actress Patricia Clarkson a role to treasure: an angry cancer victim named Joy.

No saint for Hedges, no nurturing mother, no words of wisdom. It's sheer rotten luck to be dying in your 40s — especially when your own mother is well into her 80s — and Clarkson makes the most of Joy's unhappy predicament.

She's a sardonic Mommie Dearest in a badly fitting wig.

Breathtakingly mean, astonishingly self-centered, Joy lambasts her husband Jim (Olivier Platt), mocks her two teens and despises her eldest daughter, April (Katie Holmes), who has invited the family to her New York apartment for Thanksgiving dinner.

And of course, since Joy is dying, the family cannot fight back.

Note how she warms to daughter Beth (Alison Pill), an obsessive goody-goody trying to cheer her mother up with a song or two as the family station wagon rumbles on toward the city.

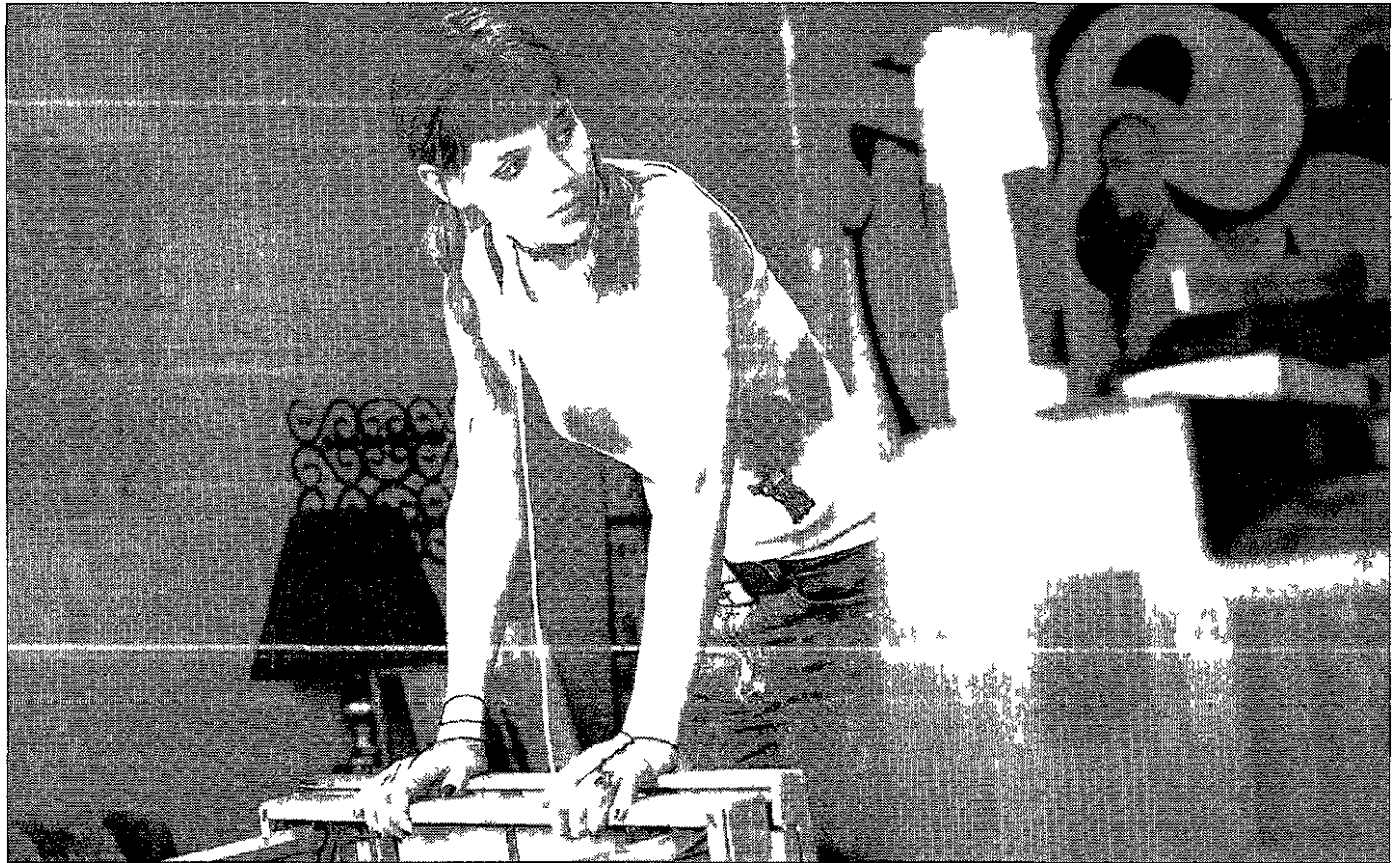
Any requests? Beth asks.

"That you stop," Joy snaps.

Joy also insists she doesn't have a single warm memory of April, waxes on about sexual exploits before her horrified teens and begs her husband to turn the car around and head to a fast food joint for a real holiday dinner.

It's the latest in a string of award-winning performances for Clarkson, which also include roles in *Far from Heaven*, *The Station Agent* and the HBO series *Six Feet Under*.

Back at her New York tenement, April finds that her oven is kaput. A kaleidoscope of neighbors emerge as April knocks on doors, desperately trying to find a way to cook a very raw bird.



Katie Holmes is April — a rebellious woman determined to bring her dysfunctional family together for Thanksgiving

Despite April's maroon-haired grunge look, there's no sign of the devil child that Joy remembers. Holmes appears every bit as sweet, determined and conflicted as she did for years as Joey on the WB's *Dawson's Creek*.

Was April really the rebellious soul who liked matches? Or was her mother just so angry at her own teenage pregnancy that she rejected the child who came of it? It's not really clear.

SIDE DISHES OF HUMOR

Hedges leavens the heavy moments with side dishes of humor — April is quite the novice cook, the family excursion is certainly a road trip from hell.

Why cut an onion in pieces when you can stuff it whole in the bird? Platt, as the father and husband, brings a quiet gravity to the movie, a far cry from his bombastic turn on NBC's *The West Wing*.

Fairly short and tightly focused, Hedges' movie feels more like a short story than a novel, a quick glimpse as opposed to a sweeping story. It might leave some audiences a bit hungry, looking for more.

Shot in digital film, the movie's grainy, yellow hues are eerily reminiscent of fading family photos from the '70s. After all, this is the last Thanksgiving for the entire Burns family, and they know it.

Released by United Artists, *Pieces of April* runs 80 minutes and is rated PG-13 for some language, sensuality, drug content and nudity. Three stars out of four.

"A DEFINITE MUST FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY!"
BONNIE LAUFER, TRIBUTE TV

"YOU'LL LAUGH, YOU'LL CRY, YOU'LL STAND UP AND CHEER!"
SHAWN EDWARDS, FOX TV

★★★★★
MICHAEL MEDVED, KRLA, LOS ANGELES

"A TRIUMPH"
EARL DITTMAN, WIRELESS MAGAZINES

CUBA GOODING, JR., ED HARRIS

RADIO
Inspired By A True Story

AWARD WINNING
REVOLUTION STUDIOS
PG
COLUMBIA PICTURES

NOW PLAYING

PHOENIX THEATRES AT BEL A R CENTRE 3 3 438 3494	UNITED ARTISTS COMMERCIAL STADIUM 14 248/960 580	AMC FORUM 30 586 254 5663	STAR THEATRES JOHN R 248/585 2070	AMERICAN FAMILY CINEMAS LIVONIA MALL 248/475 4507	STAR THEATRES ROCHESTER HILLS 248/853 2260	MJR SOUTHGATE 20 734/284 3456	PHOENIX THEATRES WEST RIVER CENTRE 248/788-6572
SHOWCASE CINEMAS BEAVER EAST CINEMAS 313/882 500	SHOWCASE CINEMAS DEARBORN 18 3 3 56 3449	STAR THEATRES 99TH ST 386/791 3420	AMC LAUREL PARK 10 734 462 6200	GODFRICH NOVI TOWN CENTER B 248/344 007	INDEPENDENT SILVERDOME DRIVE IN 248 456 613	SHOWCASE CINEMAS STERLING 115 586/979 3160	SHOWCASE CINEMAS WESTLAND 18 734/729-1060
GODFRICH CANTON 6 734 981 1900	STAR FAIRLANE 3 3 240 6369	STAR THEATRES GREAT LAKES CROSSING 248/454-0366	AMC LIVONIA 20 34 542 9909	UPTOWN PALLADIUM 12 248 644 FLM	STAR THEATRES SOUTHFIELD 248/372 2222	STAR THEATRES TAYLOR 734/287 2200	Sony For Th. Engagements Cite: theater or location For Show times

Visit Showtimes.SonyPictures.com
OR CHECK YOUR LOCAL LISTINGS

Could Dreams be Detroit's new Fash Bash?

Fash Bash pulled a disappearing act on Detroit, but who's to say the Motor City can't pull off a comparable runway event? Certainly not the trendsetters behind Dreams, an annual style show that's best known for its showcase of edgy hairstyles. Slated for Sunday, Dreams 2003 is big-

ger and better than ever and poised to become the fashion event of the year. Organizers even have relocated the show from the Royal Oak Music Theatre to the Masonic Temple to accommodate a bigger crowd, larger production and more participants.

"It's a media, dance, beauty, fashion and music extravaganza," said Rob T. Allen, the show's new producer.

The event benefits Variety - The Children's Charity and the St. Vincent and Sarah Fisher Center and is presented by Farmington Hills-based beauty industry distributor Nailco Group.

This year's event includes a 1 p.m. strolling buffet by 16 area restaurants, including Benihana, Mario's, Morels, Northern Lakes Seafood and Tom's Oyster Bar, a silent auction and a runway show featuring fashion from Bella Donna, Mia Maholo and Roma Sposa. Decanter Imports and Merchants Fine Wine are set to provide wine and liquor.

Six salons, including Emile Salon in Birmingham, Nino of Somerset in Troy, London Hair in Rochester and 6 Salon in Royal Oak plan to create the hair and makeup looks.

Models will not be professionals, but rather men, women and children from the community.

"It certainly is going to give the commu-

STYLE SYNERGY

What. Third Annual Dream - A Celebration of Fashion & Fun

When: 1 p.m. Sunday Nov 2

Where. Masonic Temple, 500 Temple Ave. Detroit

Tickets. General \$95, patron (includes VIP seating and valet parking) \$150, benefactor (includes Nov 1 Recognition Dinner), \$250, call (248) 347-7700 Ext 503 or go online at www.tngcommunity.com

nity an opportunity for a high-end fashion and entertainment event, which is what Fash Bash had been," said Allen.

"Fashion is fun, he said. "We can entertain people while still have a message

"★★★★★!"
THE SCARIEST FILM IN YEARS!
 JEFF CRAIG, SIXTY SECOND PREVIEW

FROM PRODUCER MICHAEL BAY

THE TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE
 INSPIRED BY A TRUE STORY

NEW LINE CINEMA PRESENTS IN ASSOCIATION WITH MICHAEL BAY AND RADAR PICTURES
 A PLATINUM DUNES/NEXT ENTERTAINMENT PRODUCTION "THE TEXAS CHAINSAW MASSACRE" JESSICA BIEL
 JONATHAN TUCKER ERICA LEE-JOHN MIKE VOGEL ERIC BALFOUR AND RILLE ERMEE MUSIC BY STEVE JABLONSKY
 EDITED BY GLEN SCANTLEBURY DIRECTOR OF PHOTOGRAPHY DANIEL C. PEARL EXECUTIVE PRODUCERS TED FIELD JEFFREY ALLARD GUY STODOL ANDREW FORM BRAD FULLER
 PRODUCED BY MICHAEL BAY MIKE FLEISS BASED ON A SCRIPT BY KIM HENKEL AND TOBE HOOPER SCREENPLAY BY SCOTT KOSAR DIRECTED BY MARCUS NISPEL

R RESTRICTED
 UNDER 17 REQUIRES ACCOMPANYING PARENT OR ADULT GUARDIAN
 STRONG HORROR VIOLENCE/GORE LANGUAGE AND DRUG CONTENT

NOW PLAYING

BEACON EAST	AMC FORUM 30 CANTON 6	AMC LAUREL PARK EMAGINE NOVI	AMC LIVONIA 20 MJR SOUTHGATE 20
PHOENIX at DEL AIR CENTRE	PHOENIX at WEST RIVER	SHOWCASE DEARBORN	SHOWCASE STERLING HEIGHTS
SHOWCASE WESTLAND	STAR FAIRLANE	STAR GRATIOT AT 15 MILE	STAR GREAT LAKES CROSSING
STAR JOHN R AT 14 MILE	STAR ROCHESTER HILLS	STAR SOUTHFIELD	STAR TAYLOR
at COMMERCE STADIUM	UPTOWN PALLADIUM 12	NO PASSES OR DISCOUNT COUPONS ACCEPTED CHECK MOVIE NEWSPAPER DIRECTORIES FOR SHOWTIMES	

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THIS MOVIE
 America Online Keyword: Texas Chainsaw Massacre www.texaschainsawmovie.com Moviefone.com

Check out washable suit, jewelry show

(AP) - Today's well-dressed man still wants a wool suit, but he has other key demands: convenience, performance and environmental friendliness, according to Sam Souan, senior buyer of men's tailored clothing at J.C. Penney.

It's these added interests - plus the advancement of manufacturing technology - that led Penney's to spend the past three years developing a new washable suit, he explains.

The Stafford washable suit, available in navy and gray pinstripe with a two-button jacket and double-pleated cuff pants, is a blend of wool, polyester and Lycra.

The fibers are chemically treated so they'll withstand washing even before the finished fabric is woven, Souan explains.

The wool content of a suit (42 percent in this case) is what usually requires the "dry clean" label because, as a natural fiber, it can shrink when wet.

Souan says the lining of the jacket, often acetate or rayon, also is important because these fabrics will shrink or pucker when wet. "We needed a nice polyester lining that was worthy of a better men's suit label."

ALSO OF NOTE

Orchard Lake Framing & Gallery hosts *Romancing the Stone*, Jewelry Show, Saturday through Nov. 29, 3477 Orchard Lake Road, Keego Harbor. Wine & Cheese Open House, 5-9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 15. Call (248) 681-7447 for more information.

On stage

JET campaigns against hate through theater

BY KIMBERLY MORTSON
STAFF WRITER

Roughly two years after the Jewish Ensemble Theatre established Campaign Stop Hate in response to the 9/11 terrorist attacks, artistic director Evelyn Orbach said the 2003-2004 season remains dedicated to raising awareness about hate and violence.

The season's first show, *Dirty Story*, is written by Oscar-winning screenwriter John Patrick Shanley and is making its Midwest premiere at JET after a successful run off Broadway.

Orbach said she was introduced to Shanley after seeing a performance of *Dirty Story* in New York and asked if JET could get the rights to produce it in Detroit. "John is very well-known. He wrote *Moonstruck* and many others."

Dirty Story is a dark farce about a dysfunctional couple that fights constantly. Orbach said it's really a metaphor for what's happening in the Middle East – an analogy that doesn't really come to light until the end of the first act.

She said people will find themselves

wanting to go back and hear lines from the first act again when they understand the true meaning behind the four-person storyline.

"I wouldn't be surprised if people wanted to see this again and again," added Orbach. "I know all of a sudden it just hit me between the eyes and I wanted to go back to the first act and see it again."

PRODUCTION SCHEDULE

Dirty Story runs through Nov. 23 and is followed by *Nobody's Giltul*, Dec. 3-Jan. 4, *Boy Gets Girl*, Feb. 18-March 21, and *Fiddler on the Roof*, April 21-May 23.

Orbach said she first shied away from doing *Fiddler* because "everyone does it," but now believes the story coincides well with the stop hate theme. What makes the production even more special will be the appearance of her husband, Cantor Harold Orbach.

A renowned cantor from Temple Israel, Harold Orbach has traveled throughout the world performing and only recently retired – freeing up his schedule to perform under the direction of his wife.

JEWISH ENSEMBLE THEATRE

What: New season opens with *Dirty Story*

When: Performances Wednesday-Sunday through Sunday, Nov. 23. Show times vary, call for information.

Where: The Aaron DeRoy Theatre, inside the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple, West Bloomfield.

Tickets: \$25 matinee, \$28 Wednesday-Thursday & Sunday evening, \$32 Saturday, call (248) 788-2900 or visit www.jettheatre.org. Season tickets available for purchase.

"This will be the first time he's been able to do this with me, and I'm very excited," she said. *Fiddler on the Roof* is a perfect fit for our "stop the hate" theme. It's an issue of humanity and community. Despite their absolute poverty and being rendered homeless with no place to go, they still had a sense of culture, the arts and their faith. We're still benefiting two, three and four generations later. They never lost their culture."

The Jewish Ensemble Theatre not only raises awareness of hate and violence onstage, but they've branched out into the community to bring together organizations that have the same conviction. Orbach said community organizations and businesses are encouraged to set up PR literature on tables in the lobby during the performances.

"We've partnered with many people in this capacity," said Orbach. "The more diversity we have, the more we like it."

St. Dunstan's presents timeless, wicked social drama

Enter the witty, seductive and wicked world of the pre-Revolutionary French aristocracy, as St. Dunstan's Theatre Guild of Cranbrook presents its season opener – *Les Liaisons Dangereuses*, to be presented through Saturday, Nov. 8.

Popularized in the 1988 film *Dangerous Liaisons*, the story invites audiences into the drawing rooms – and bedrooms – of the 1780s.

A cunningly wicked social drama, the play centers on the relationship between the Marquise de Merteuil (Amy Lynn Smith of Birmingham) and the Vicomte de Valmont (Ron Williams Jr. of Redford), and their cynically vicious plots of libertine sexual seduction.

Their game plan is meticulously crafted to conclude with the sexual and social ruin of two women: the naive and credulous Cécile (Jane Fader of Royal Oak), and the chaste, upstanding Madame de Tourvel (Kendall Doman of Huntington Woods).

These designs for personal revenge, however, are soon twisted to reveal that the terrain of the battlefield is constantly shifting.

Conspiratorial bonds are broken, and

those who have been victimized are left vulnerable to manipulation of the cruelest sort.

Other members of the cast include Rachel Biber (Birmingham), Lidija A. Fremeau (Bloomfield Hills), Duncan R. Memm (Beverly Hills), Chris Steinmayer (Royal Oak) and Kathy Storchan (Farmington Hills).

Les Liaisons Dangereuses is directed by Mark Nathanson (Royal Oak) – with assistant director Stacy Williams (Redford) and choreographer Roberta Campion (Southfield) – and produced by Elizabeth Robinson (Royal Oak).

The 18th century setting is created by set designer Bob Rausch (Lathrup Village) and lighting designer Scott MacDonald (Berkley), with costumes designed by Betsie Robinson (Royal Oak), and hair and makeup design by Anthony Marsalese (Birmingham). Adapted by Christopher Hampton from the 1782 novel by Choderlos de Laclos, *Les Liaisons Dangereuses* reveals a world both humorous and cruel, where nothing – and no one – are as they appear. Audiences are advised that this production contains adult scenes and subject matter.




LIDIJA A. FREMEAU

Kendall Doman (from left), Ron Williams and Amy Lynn Smith star in the sexually charged 'Les Liaisons'

'LES LIAISONS DANGEREUSES'

When: 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 31 and Nov. 1, 2 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 2, and 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 6-8.

Where: 400 Lone Pine Road, between Cranbrook and Lahser, Bloomfield Hills. Tickets: \$13 adults, \$11 for students/seniors, call (248) 644-0527 or visit www.StDunstansTheatre.com.



GREAT EXPECTATIONS
Adapted from Dickens' Novel
by Barbara Field **A real crowd pleaser**

Call (313) 577-2972 for tickets.
Ticket prices range from \$12-\$20
Group Discounts Available

Fri 8 p.m. Nov 21 Dec 12
Sat 8 p.m. Nov 1 22 Dec 13
Thurs. 8 p.m. Nov 6 Dec 11
Sat 2 p.m. Dec. 13
Wed 2 p.m. Nov 5

A coming-of-age story for the whole family

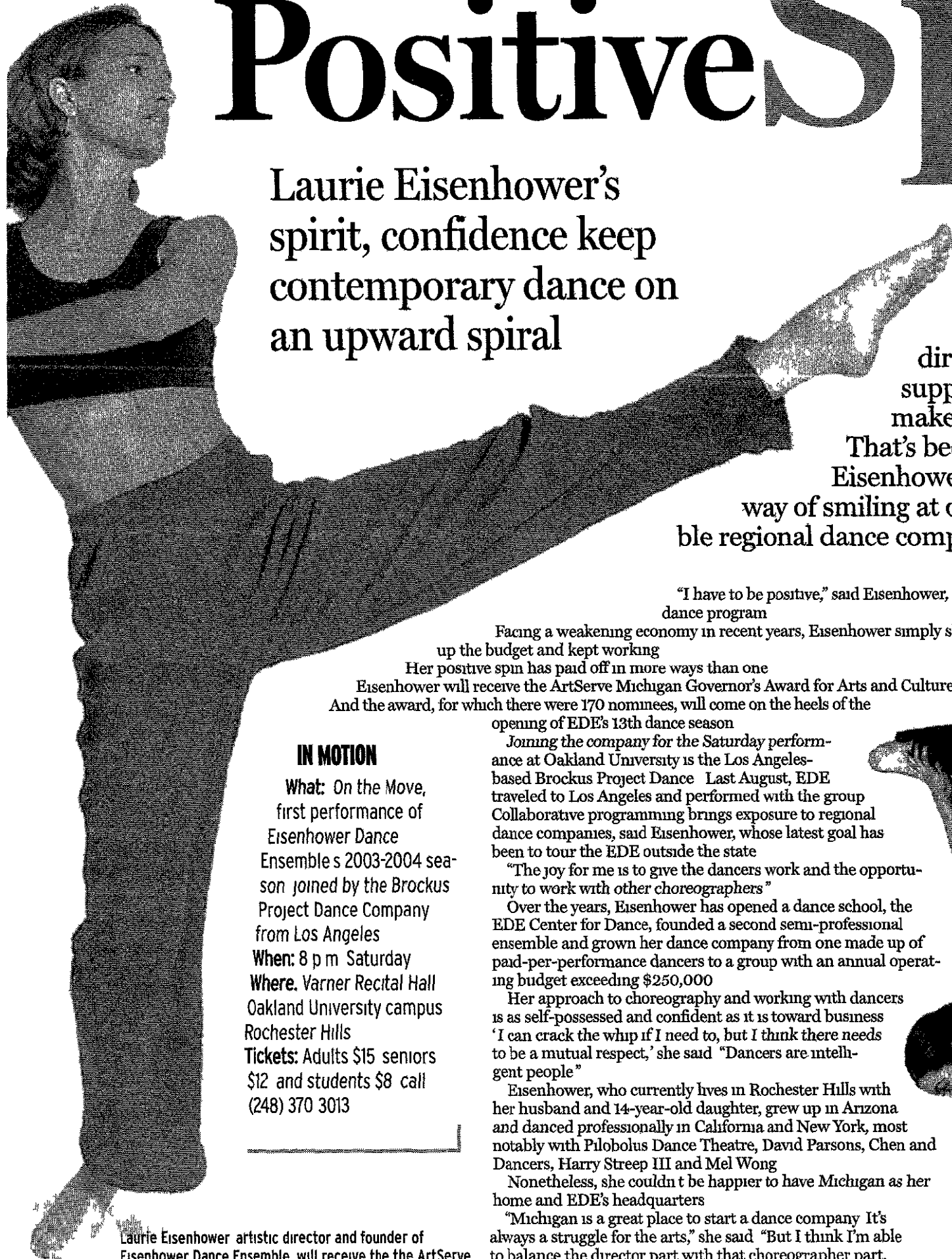
HILBERRY THEATRE

WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY

PDFC0815880

Positive Spin

Laurie Eisenhower's spirit, confidence keep contemporary dance on an upward spiral



Laurie Eisenhower does for artistic

directors what dancers are supposed to do for dance – make it look effortless.

That's because the founder of the Eisenhower Dance Ensemble has a way of smiling at obstacles that often trouble regional dance companies.

"I have to be positive," said Eisenhower, who is 47 and head of Oakland University's dance program

Facing a weakening economy in recent years, Eisenhower simply slimmed down the size of EDE, tightened up the budget and kept working

Her positive spin has paid off in more ways than one

Eisenhower will receive the ArtServe Michigan Governor's Award for Arts and Culture on Nov 10 And the award, for which there were 170 nominees, will come on the heels of the opening of EDE's 13th dance season

IN MOTION

What: On the Move, first performance of Eisenhower Dance Ensemble's 2003-2004 season joined by the Brockus Project Dance Company from Los Angeles
When: 8 p.m. Saturday
Where: Varner Recital Hall Oakland University campus Rochester Hills
Tickets: Adults \$15 seniors \$12 and students \$8 call (248) 370 3013

Joining the company for the Saturday performance at Oakland University is the Los Angeles-based Brockus Project Dance. Last August, EDE traveled to Los Angeles and performed with the group Collaborative programming brings exposure to regional dance companies, said Eisenhower, whose latest goal has been to tour the EDE outside the state

"The joy for me is to give the dancers work and the opportunity to work with other choreographers"

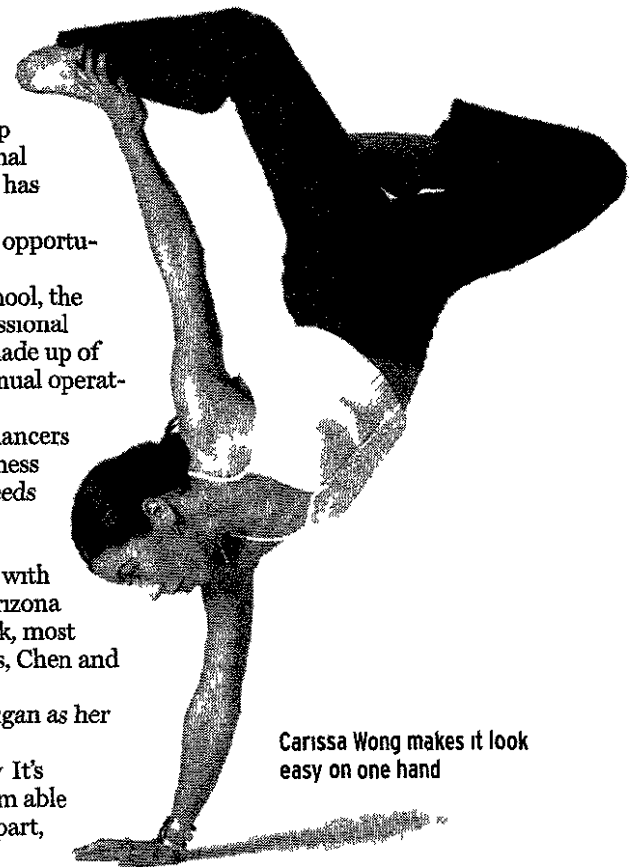
Over the years, Eisenhower has opened a dance school, the EDE Center for Dance, founded a second semi-professional ensemble and grown her dance company from one made up of paid-per-performance dancers to a group with an annual operating budget exceeding \$250,000

Her approach to choreography and working with dancers is as self-possessed and confident as it is toward business "I can crack the whip if I need to, but I think there needs to be a mutual respect," she said "Dancers are intelligent people"

Eisenhower, who currently lives in Rochester Hills with her husband and 14-year-old daughter, grew up in Arizona and danced professionally in California and New York, most notably with Pilobolus Dance Theatre, David Parsons, Chen and Dancers, Harry Streep III and Mel Wong

Nonetheless, she couldn't be happier to have Michigan as her home and EDE's headquarters

"Michigan is a great place to start a dance company. It's always a struggle for the arts," she said "But I think I'm able to balance the director part with that choreographer part, not to sound arrogant"



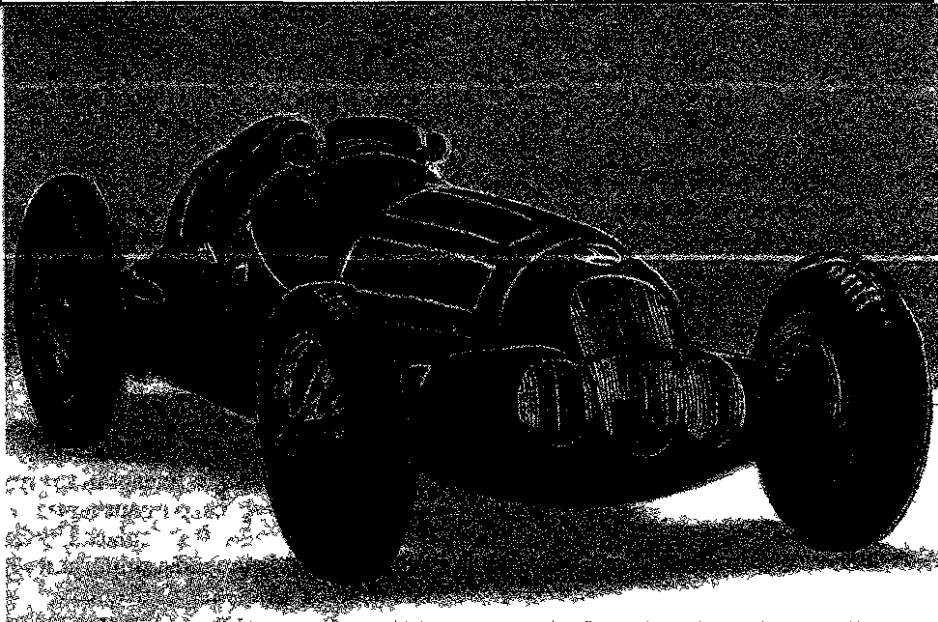
Carissa Wong makes it look easy on one hand

Laurie Eisenhower artistic director and founder of Eisenhower Dance Ensemble will receive the the ArtServe Michigan Governor's Award for Arts and Culture on Nov 10

THE DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS

ON THE EDGE

contemporary art from the
DaimlerChrysler collection



October 29, 2003–January 18, 2004

FREE with museum admission

This exhibition has been organized by the DaimlerChrysler Collection and the Detroit Institute of Arts and is made possible by a generous grant from the DaimlerChrysler Corporation Fund, the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, and the City of Detroit

DAIMLERCHRYSLER

DaimlerChrysler Corporation Fund

313 833 7900 www.dia.org

Andy Warhol **Mercedes-Benz Formel-Rennwagen W 125, 1937**, 1986 DaimlerChrysler Collection © 2003 Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts / ARS New York

DIA
you going?



PDF0E06158636

www.hometoworld.com

Art



PHOTO COURTESY OF ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

'Recumbent Cow,' 1930, oil on board, is among Milton Avery's works in the exhibit at the Robert Kidd Gallery in Birmingham

Robert Kidd Gallery shows off Avery's mastery

The internationally known American artist Milton Avery (1885-1965) was known for combining local landscapes with abstract elements in ways that exploited the power of color

Now, 25 of his works are on display at the Robert Kidd Gallery in downtown Birmingham.

"This is a big deal," said Ray Frost Fleming, director and co-founder of the gallery and a Cranbrook Academy of Art graduate "We're so lucky to be getting his pieces here"

Milton Avery: The Legacy runs through Friday, Nov 21

Avery's work is held by The National Gallery of Art in Washington, D.C., The Tate Gallery in London and The National Gallery of Australia, among others

He is credited as influencing many painters popular in Color Field, an art movement that included Mark Rothko and Helen Frankenthaler

Most of *The Legacy* pieces were created in the late 1930s and early 1940s and underscore Avery's use of the abstract elements of line, color and form

Among the works exhibited at the Robert Kidd Gallery are several water-color landscapes, including *After the*

WASHES OF BEAUTY

What: Milton Avery *The Legacy*

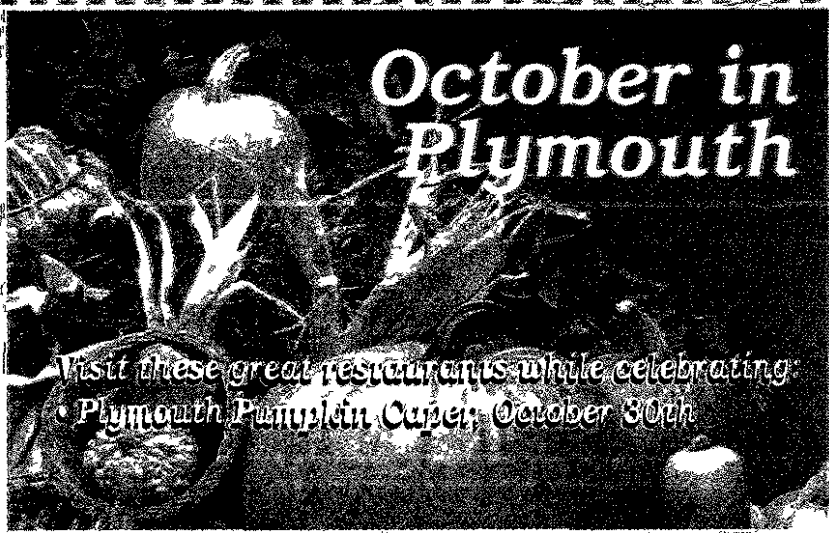
When: Through Friday, Nov 21, Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 1-4 p.m. every first Sunday of the month

Where: Robert Kidd Gallery, 107 Townsend St., downtown Birmingham

Information: Call (248) 642-3909 or visit www.robertkiddgallery.com

Rain and *Recumbent Blue Cow* Both highlight Avery's characteristically simple and dignified juxtapositions of color. Portraits also are included in *The Legacy*

"He's so widely known," Fleming added "This is such an honor for us here in Birmingham."



October in Plymouth

Visit these great restaurants while celebrating
Plymouth Pumpkin Cupel: October 30th



Halloween Party Oct. 31st
9pm-1am

Atlantis
of Plymouth

39500 Ann Arbor Road
Plymouth
Just East of I 275
734-453-5047

Cocktail Hour
M-F 4-6 pm
Complimentary
Appetizers
Extensive Martini List

Prizes for Most
Original
Costume

ERNESTO'S

An • Italian • Country • Inn

ALL DAY THANKSGIVING BUFFET

November 27, 2003 • Noon to 6 p.m.

Reservations Required

- Roast Turkey • Prime Rib with Au Jus • Chicken Siciliano with Tempesto • Italian Sausage & Peppers • Pork Ruffano
- Salmon with Dill Cream Sauce • Meat & Cheese Ravioli with Marinara Sauce • Roasted Garlic Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
- Glazed Sweet Potatoes • Wild Rice • Seafood Bowtie Pasta
- Pasta Primavera • Tortellini Gorgonzola • Ernie's Peasant Pasta
- Smoked Norwegian Salmon • Salad Bar • Fruit Salad
- Assorted Breads & Homemade Rolls • Dessert Station
- Coffee • Tea • Milk & Soft Drinks



Adult \$23.95
Child (age 6-10) \$9.95
Dinner for children under age 5 is complimentary

41661 Plymouth Rd
Plymouth
734 453-2002

More Holiday Parties Here!

Banquet Hours Tues Sat 10-6
Restaurant Hours Tues Thurs 4-10
Fri Sat 4-11 Sun 12-9



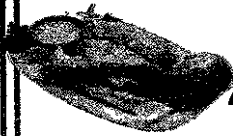
Established 1933

340 N. Main Street • Plymouth

734 455 3700

Live Entertainment

Thursday Nov 20th • 6:30-10:30 pm
Chris McCall Trio



Thursdays
4pm-11pm:
ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT
CRAB LEGS

All The Best!

Wine Mondays

Nov 3rd & Nov 17th
All Wine 50% Off

Thursdays & Fridays

Fresh Lake Perch

Saturdays

11:00 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Buy 1 Burger, Get 1 FREE

Buy One Lunch Entree,
get one 1/2 off
Equal or Lesser Value
Monday Friday
Exp. 12-31-03!

Table hopping

In the mood for something

BY ELEANOR HEALD
CORRESPONDENT

In a modest strip mall setting, Thang Long in Madison Heights scores as a Vietnamese cuisine headliner

Thang Long is billed as offering a Vietnamese and Thai menu. Although the Thai is good, opt for the Vietnamese with its varied contrasting flavors, textures and exotic ingredients, taking it to new levels of Asian-inspired eating fun.

With its reliance on an abundance of fresh vegetables, herbs, rice and legumes, minimal use of oil as a cooking medium, treatment of meat more as a condiment rather than a principal plate, Vietnamese food also



Katie and Alexander Nguyen in the dining room of Thang Long. The restaurant, in a modest strip mall in Madison Heights, scores as a Vietnamese cuisine headliner.

is among the healthiest.

Although it has long been appreciated in France, and Paris has a plethora of such eateries, where chefs refer to the cooking as "the nouvelle cuisine of Asia," Vietnamese

palate tantalizing is scarce in metro Detroit.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Cuisine from this country of 76 million people, the third most densely populated country in southeast Asia behind Singapore and the Philippines, displays regional differences. However, key aspects stand out.

Although rice plays an indispensable role in the nation's diet as it does throughout southeast Asia, Vietnam is also a noodle-crazed country where locals regularly consume them for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Noodles are eaten in soup or as noodle combos. They are made from rice or mung beans and come in different shapes and

THANG LONG

Where: 27641 John R Road, Madison Heights, (248) 547-6763

Open: Tuesday-Thursday and Sunday 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday until 11 p.m.

Food style: Vietnamese and Thai dishes

Cost: Check average \$8-\$10

Reservations: For six or more only



Gaeng Coconut Red Curry served with a beautiful garnish, is pleasing to the eye and palate.

thickness.

Good news for a growing noodle-fascinated population in the U.S. A meal is incomplete without fresh vegetables and herbs. A key portion of every meal is a platter containing cucumbers, bean threads, slices of hot pepper, and sprigs of basil, coriander, mint and a number of related herbs.

Due to its proximity to the border, north Vietnam reflects more Chinese influence than central or south. Except in the north, soy sauce is rarely used in authentic Vietnamese dishes. It is replaced by fish sauce, probably the most important ingredient in all of Vietnamese cuisine.

Abundance of fruit in the area means the sweet fruit, such as papaya, is often incorporated.

NAVIGATING THE MENU

The extensive menu at Thang Long may intimidate at first. Settle in and let the well done translations aid your selections. Owner Alexander Nguyen pointed out his favorite "for Americans."

For starters, that's fresh herb rolls with shrimp and pork, accompanied by hoisin peanut sauce. "For two or more because the platters are large," Nguyen advised, "any of the salads, such as cabbage salad with shrimp and pork or chicken, papaya or lotus stem salad with shrimp and pork are very good appetizers."

Because Vietnamese soups are filling, Nguyen suggested ordering a cup rather than a bowl. There's Hanoi soup from the northern region with a rich long-simmered taste. Saigon soup with vermicelli, fish cake, bean sprouts, onions and cilantro, or Hue soup, a central Vietnam specialty, is hot and spicy and made from red chili peppers. Phnom Penh soups, popular in northern Vietnam, are popular meals in a bowl.

A unique Thang Long signature is "Make Your Own Rolls," by filling rice paper or green lettuce wrappers with vermicelli, herbs, pickles, meat, shrimp, beef and more. Then delight in dipping them in garlic or hoisin dipping sauce.

different? Try Vietnamese



Emily Ho presents some of the popular dishes at Thang Long

"If you don't want to help make your food," Nguyen concluded with some wit, "you can get the same flavors in a big bowl of the grilled beef pork or chicken and egg roll in the combo vermicelli/noodle category"

To be exact, that's number 75 on the menu

Stretching to the other side of the metro area, Annam, 22053 Michigan Ave., Dearborn (313) 565-8744 also specializes in Vietnamese fare

Eleanor Heald writes about restaurants food wine and spirits for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Contact her at (734) 953 2047 mailbox 1864#

The PLYMOUTH PUB
 on Ann Arbor Road, Just E of Sheldon • 734-453-5340
FOOD, SPORTS and SPIRITS

- Great Steaks, Ribs & Pizza
- 2004 Golden Tee Game
- Darts • Pinball • 6 TV's

Happy Hour
 Mon.- Fri. 3-6 pm

- \$1.75 Domestic Beer (bottles)
- \$2.50 Well drinks

Fish Fry & Karaoke
 Every Friday!

DOYLE'S TAVERN

Watch your favorite Michigan Teams U of M, State, Det. out Lions!

FOOD SPORTS SPIRITS

On 7 Large TV's!

Monday Night Football Specials!

860 FRALICK • PLYMOUTH • 734-207-9656
 (1 block N of Penniman, off Main Street)

- BURGERS
- CHICKEN
- PIZZA
- FISH
- SHRIMP
- CLAM BASKETS
- SOUP
- SANDWICHES
- APPETIZERS

OPEN
 Mon-Sat 11 am-2 am
 Sun Noon 2 am

HAPPY HOUR
 Mon-Sat 3 pm-7 pm,
 Sun All Day Long

336 Main
 The Martini & Piano Bar of Plymouth
Everything with a touch of class

Featuring:
 Entertainment 6 Nights a Week and
 The Finest Selection of Spirits
 in the Metro Area
 ...Including Over 101 Specialty Martinis

Sunday: Industry Night
 Thursday: Ladies Night

Cocktail Hour:
 Mon.-Fri.
 3-6pm

336 Main Street • Plymouth • 734-454-6500



A Wee Bit Of Ireland
In Downtown Plymouth!

SCAN O'CALLAGHAN'S
 Traditional Irish Pub & Restaurant

821 Penniman Ave • Downtown Plymouth • 734-453-6688 • www.scanocallaghans.com

Buy One Dinner,
Get 1/2 Off
Second Dinner
 of equal or lesser value
 Limit one per party
 Expires 12-31-03

Drinkology

This Sting also sings

BY ELEANOR AND RAY HEALD
CORRESPONDENTS

You saw Sting Ray cast in a scene from Steven Seagal's *Under Siege 2*. You missed that? What about Sting Ray in *The Perfect Storm* with George Clooney?

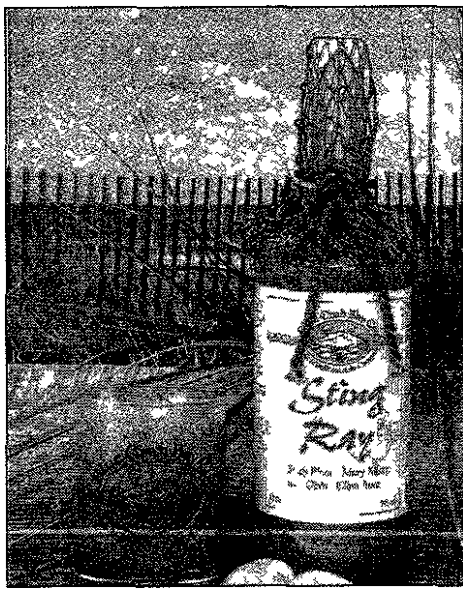
Created in 1994 by Pamela Barefoot of the Blue Crab Bay Co. in Virginia, Sting Ray Bloody Mary Mixer (\$9/32 ounces) has been no stranger to the spotlight nor to Bloody Mary lovers who like a spicy mixer with the added flavor enticement of clam juice.

For a perfect Sting Ray Bloody Mary, in a tall glass over ice, mix 4 1/2 ounces of chilled Sting Ray with 1 1/2 ounces of unflavored vodka. Garnish with a celery stick.

For an Oyster Shooter, drop a raw oyster in a shot glass and top with chilled Sting Ray Bloody Mary Mixer. Say "bottoms up" first!

Now that you know this Sting also sings, rent the video *Sleeping with the Enemy* and notice Sting Ray in Julia Roberts' kitchen cabinets!

Sting Ray Bloody Mary Mixer is available at Papa Joe's in Rochester or by



Sting Ray is popular in both drinks and in movies.

Internet order on the Web site www.bay-beyond.net.

The Healds write about wine, spirits, food and restaurants for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Contact them at (734) 953-2047, mailbox 1864#.

Dining adventure

A night of medieval music, revelry to benefit symphony

The Oakland Symphony will host a magical evening Saturday filled with jugglers, jesters, minstrels, and even an appearance by the King of England himself.

Local "lords and ladies" will be treated to authentic foods of the time, such as huge roast turkey drumsticks and savory plum pudding. Continuous entertainment will be provided by musicians from the Oakland Symphony and other professional "renaissance-style" performers.

The festivities will take place 7-11 p.m. Saturday at the Liberty Golf and Banquet Hall, 6060 Maybee Road in Clarkston, and will include a silent auction.

Tickets are still available for this event, and all proceeds will benefit the Oakland Symphony. Seats at the Medieval Feast may be reserved by calling the Oakland Symphony at (248) 334-6024. Tickets for an entire evening of feasting and entertainment are \$100 per "royal subject" and

\$150 per "royal couple."

Guests are encouraged (though not required) to dress in period attire, furthering the general spirit of merriment and revelry.

"This will be a traditional 16th century feast, which means no utensils will be provided, adding to the fun of dining like medieval royalty," says Louis Beer, current president of the Oakland Symphony. "And, I have been informed that the Three Musketeers will be personally attending this affair, so guests should be prepared to witness some dramatic displays of chivalry and swordplay right at their own tables. All in all, it promises to be a very fun and exciting event!"

Whether wench or royalty, pirate or prince, area residents are ensured an enchanted evening, while supporting one of our communities' cultural gems, the Oakland Symphony.

City bites

Send fax or e-mail items for consideration in City Bites to Keely Kaleski, assistant managing editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009. (248) 644-1314 or kkaleski@oehomecomm.net.

Beaver Creek

Monster Mash Halloween Bash 9 p.m. Saturday Nov. 1 live band costume contest drink specials 1609 N. Wayne Road south of Wayne Road Westland (734) 722-5330.

Buddy's Pizza

The "Sometimes You Just Need Some Buddy's" charity campaign on the "Mojo in the Morning" show, FM channel 95.5 has an interview with a Vampire meets "The Rocky Horror Show" style. Channel 95.5's "Mojo in the Morning" crew, Mojo, Sara, Chad, and Eric will be featured on all Buddy's promotional material for the next four months at all nine Buddy's locations. Mojo selected his favorite charity.

Kids Kicking Cancer Buddy's will feature its Margherita and BBQ Chicken pizzas, and a portion of all sale proceeds benefit the charity. For more information call (248) 203-9991 or visit www.kidskickingcancer.net.

Wine event and auction

The second annual "Taste of the Vines" wine event and auction is 6-9 p.m. Tuesday Nov. 4 at the Community House, 380 S. Bates St., Birmingham. It features a wine tasting and auction with a sit-down supper. Rare and vintage wines are being auctioned as well as quality vacation and restaurant packages. Juelle and Fred Fisher of Fisher Vineyards, Napa Valley, and Sommelier Rick Rubel from Unique Restaurant Corporation will be on hand to educate guests about wines. Fisher Vineyards was founded in 1973 by descendants of the family that built the Fisher Building and ran the Fisher Body Works. Tickets are \$250 per person. Call (248) 594-6403.

Dakota Inn Rathskeller

Celebrate Oktoberfest through Saturday Nov. 1 at this historic German style restaurant that's been open since 1933. 17324 John R., Detroit. Call (313) 867-9722 or visit www.dakotainn.com for details.

Dinner theater

Spotlight Players presents *The Odd Couple* 7 p.m. seating 7:30 p.m. dinner 8:30 p.m. curtain Friday Saturday Nov. 7-8, Nov. 14-15, and 1 p.m. seating 1:30 p.m. luncheon 2:30 p.m. curtain at Summit on the Park, 46000 Summit Parkway, west of Canton Center Road south of Cherry Hill in Canton. Tickets \$30 in advance. \$35 day of performance, includes dinner & show. Call (734) 394-5460 or visit www.spotlightplayers.net.

NOW PLAYING
Fabulous! Inspired! Irresistible!
— Los Angeles Times

ASK ABOUT OUR ALL-INCLUSIVE RESTAURANT PACKAGES

TRIPLE ESPRESSO
a highly caffeinated comedy

THE GEM CENTURY THEATRES AND CENTURY GRILLE

www.tripleespresso.com

333 MADISON AVE DETROIT • WWW.GEMTHEATRE.COM Tickets on sale: (313) 963-9800 ticketmaster

MUSASHI — Catering & Delivery
— Open 7 Days
— Large & Small Private Rooms Available
— Romantic Getaway Packages
— Happy Hour & More

JAPANESE CUISINE AND SUSHI BAR
CATERING/DELIVERY
Since 1985

Call **248-358-1911**
Or visit: www.musashi-intl.com
2000 Town Center • Southfield

FREE Garage Parking
Parking at the 2000
Visitor Paid Parking Area

Night spots

Kick back, score a pour and light up at Goodnight Gracie

Picture 1940s Hollywood glamour and the Rat Pack smoking cigars in the back.

Then order a modern-day martini — you know, the kind that tastes like dessert

Now you have a feel for Goodnight Gracie jazz and martini bar

With locations in two metro Detroit's nightspots, Royal Oak and Ann Arbor, Goodnight Gracie aims to please a young but upscale clientele looking for a soiree, not a hearty party

There's no pool table, no dancing, no shot girls," said Paul Jackman, general manager at the Royal Oak location, where regular customers are plenty and so are the chocolate martinis

Priced \$7.50 and up, martinis are a crowd favorite and served up in practically 31 flavors. There's also a hefty selection of scotch, about 30 labels, and a humidor stocked with 15 "people-friendly" types of cigars, said Jackman

When Goodnight Gracie in Royal Oak opened about eight years ago, cigars were the big thing, he said "Everybody was on that bandwagon, but it's died down. So not everybody in here is smoking a cigar. But if you want to, you can"

Of course the bar boasts all the usual suspects plus the latest



The ambiance is hip but upscale at Goodnight Gracie a jazz and martini bar with locations in Royal Oak and Ann Arbor

and greatest in cocktail substrata, from Stolichnaya to pineapple-infused vodka

The Ann Arbor location is two years old and about twice the size of its counterpart. Both bars physically adjoin D Amato's Italian restaurants, making dinner-and-drinks or drinks-then-dinner-and-more drinks, a seamless indoor experience

If the consumable offerings don't make you swagger, the ambiance surely will

The furnishings are oh-so-retro down to the little things, from the swirl-smoked mirrors to black-and-white photos of Clark Gable. And, hey, get a hold of those comfy half-circle booths — perfect for either an intimate interlude or a rambunctious get-together

Live music is integral to the Goodnight Gracie experience, too. The performance schedule rotates, but in Royal Oak, patrons can count on Detroit favorites like vocalist Liz Larin and acoustic guitarist Teddy



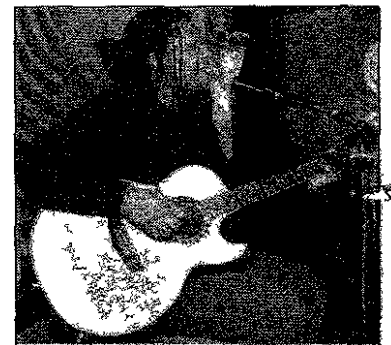
Martinis are a mainstay at Goodnight Gracie

Richards every week

There is one stunt to watch out for: guest bartending on Tuesday nights. Hey, proceeds go to charity, and the pros behind the bar keep tabs on what's being poured

Just keep in mind that guest bartenders usually come with a drove of friends for moral support. Anybody's free to join the crowd, though

Better yet, sign up and bring your own Rat Pack



Teddy Richards plays every Tuesday night at Goodnight Gracie in Royal Oak

GOODNIGHT GRACIE

Where Royal Oak 222 South Sherman Drive
Ann Arbor 301 West Huron Street

Hours 5 p.m. to bar close daily
closed Monday

Information: Royal Oak (248) 544-7490, Ann Arbor (734) 623-2070 or visit www.damat.com/gng



Good times have a retro feel the moment you walk through the door of Goodnight Gracie in Royal Oak

Family fun

Bid on toys, then see 'The Wizard of Oz'

Combining forces, Youtheatre and Judson Center are hosting a performance of *The Wizard of Oz* and 20th Annual Auction for Kids preview, on Saturday

Held at the Millennium Centre in Southfield, both organizations will kick off festivities with the auction at 10:30 a.m. Featuring the season's hottest must-have Christmas toys, the silent auction is sure to be a hit with kids and parents alike.

Our partnership with Judson Center is a natural outgrowth of our mission to enrich the community," said Paul Berg, executive director of Youtheatre.

Whether it's through outreach programs or fostering the arts, both organizations are dedicated to the young people of metro Detroit.

Prior to the auction, all items will be displayed in the theater lobby for incoming guests to view, with the winning bidders to be announced after the end of the 11 a.m. performance. In addition, all auction proceeds will benefit Judson Center's programs for children, adults and families.

After the auction, Youtheatre will announce the winners of the \$1,000 Mickey Miners Scholarship, an award that recognizes the students' hard work and dedication to the arts. The 2003 premiere recipients are Chris Williams and Megan Buckley, two graduating theater majors from Wayne State University.

MUSICAL FANTASY

Shortly thereafter, The Actors' Company will present the classic musical fantasy, *The Wizard of Oz*. The play will also be presented at 2 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 2.

YOUTHEATRE

What Youtheatre and Judson Center present a silent auction of season's hottest Christmas toys and *The Wizard of Oz* by the Actors' Company.

When Auction begins at 10:30 a.m. Saturday followed by the play at 11 a.m. *The Wizard of Oz* will also be presented 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Where. Millennium Centre 15600 J.L. Hudson Drive Southfield

Tickets \$8 in advance \$10 day of show call (248) 557-PLAY (7529) or www.youtheatre.org

Adapted from the novel by L. Frank Baum, the show puts a new, unique spin on the original story. After the conclusion of the first performance at noon, there will be a "meet and greet" with the cast, with photo opportunities and autograph signings.

All performances are staged by professional actors, dancers and musicians.

The Annual Auction for Kids is 7 p.m. Friday, Nov. 7, at the San Marno Club of Troy. For information about the Judson Center, and the Nov. 1 preview auction and Nov. 7 auction, visit www.judsoncenter.org or call (248) 549-4339.



Dorothy, the Cowardly Lion, the Scarecrow and the Tin Man travel along the yellow brick road in a musical presented by The Actors' Company.

'Big Max' and small fries: DSO's Young People's Concert Series

BY ALICE RHEIN
CORRESPONDENT

It was a joyous celebration of music earlier this month when the new Max M. Fisher Music Center held its inaugural event. And while visitors of all ages were admiring the four-story atrium with its golden chain mail curtains, at least one passing mom knew that the expanded space also meant that kids who attend the Young People's Concerts will have more room to roam.

Charles Burke, director of education and also director of the DSO Civic Ensembles, says that the new Max is going to alleviate much of the congestion that preceded and followed the concerts, which have two morning performances six times during the symphony season.

"This is going to make it better for children and parents," says Burke. "There are concessions for kids and places to explore."

Two families that are looking forward to the new series are the Bahians of Birmingham and the Reeveses of West Bloomfield. Both families have had season subscriptions to the Young People's

Concerts for several years, making it one of their most cherished family traditions.

"My mother started us on it when our kids were younger," says Laurie Balian-Aiello, whose mother, Annette Balian, is past-president of the DSO Volunteer Council.

"She has always loved and supported the DSO and hoped the kids would follow in her footsteps."

Laurie's children, Kail, 11, Alec, 10, and Arden, 7, have been attending since they were each 4, and many nieces and nephews have also helped make the concert series a special family event. "There are three sisters and all their children, so we take up almost the whole first row," says Laurie.

For Lisa Reeves and her husband, Julius, the concert series accomplishes several family directives, one of which is enjoying the music.

"The children learn to be patient, and I think it's more critical now that Lauren (the couple's 10-year-old daughter) is taking violin. I like to show her what she could become," says Lisa.

After-concert milkshakes have also become a tradition for the Reeveses, par-

ticularly for 7-year-old Julian, and it is during that time that the parents have the opportunity to talk about how the music made them feel.

"I truly believe that music helps the mind in terms of learning. When you expose children at a young age, it makes a difference," says Lisa.

TIME TOGETHER

The Reeveses also enjoy doing some thing together in the city. "I love urban life," says Lisa. "For us, it's the culture and making the time to be together."

One of the reasons that the Young People's Concerts are so popular is because conductor Thomas Wilkins always makes it a fun event, too. "He's able to break down pieces of music for children to understand," says Burke.

While there's a little more chit-chat, an occasional outcry, and lots more movement than during the regular DSO performances, the Young People's Concerts are remarkable for their ability to hold a child's attention for an hour with music that is not specifically made for kids.

The first performance of the season on

Saturday features Liszt's *Hungarian Rhapsody* and Shostakovich's *Festival Overture*.

CHRISTMAS SHOW

The Christmas show on Saturday, Dec. 6, is always a fun-filled sing-a-long. In February, it's back to musical masterpieces such as Strauss's *Blue Danube Waltz* and Tchaikovsky's *Swan Lake*.

Beethoven's "Fifth" is featured on Saturday, March 27. Selections from *Star Wars* along with works from Copland and Saint-Saens are featured on Saturday, May 8, and the series ends on Saturday, May 29, with performances by soloists of different ages.

"We look at this as part of the continuum," says Burke.

If you become comfortable with the symphony, then you choose to spend time here. "We are always trying to get the entire metro area to look to us as THE place for great music."

For more information about the Young People's Concerts series, call the DSO box office at (313) 576-5111 or visit www.detroitssymphony.com.

Tank of gas

Head to South Haven for hiking, history

BY THREEOLBAGS
CORRESPONDENTS

South Haven was ThreeOlBags first official stop on our Michigan "West Coast adventure." It took us about three hours from Metro Airport, traveling I-94 West to US 131 N, then taking Exit 38B and traveling West on M-43.

It didn't take long for South Haveners to point us to South Beach at the mouth of the Black River, where Lake Michigan draws visitors and residents with its calm allure.

ThreeOlBags were drawn toward the pier jutting out about 1,000 feet into Lake Michigan, with a bright red lighthouse keeping watch at its very end. Like a cherry putting the finishing touch on an ice cream sundae, the lighthouse perfectly completed our idyllic view.

Leaving the pier, we passed people relaxing on fancy benches, and met two delightful visitors to South Haven, Bob and Dawn Rapp from Kalamazoo. Meeting interesting people is one of our favorite parts of traveling — we hit the jackpot in South Haven.

"We come here often," said Bob Rapp, as his wife, Dawn, nodded in agreement. "I used to come here as a boy," he continued.

The couple was just beginning their picnic lunch when ThreeOlBags asked for any tips about the area they might offer.

"There used to be a huge casino and hotel, right there," he said, pointing to the beginning of the marina. Auto barons depended on the harbor to supply that booming industry with materials transported by train to Dearborn and Detroit after being unloaded from ships at South Haven's pier.

HISTORICAL

Upon their strong recommendation we visited Sheri Lemon, research assistant for the Michigan Maritime Museum. The museum is housed in the Lightkeeper's House, a block south of the pier. You'll see hundreds of books, photos, maps and other items dealing with Michigan's maritime history.

If you can drag yourself away from the pier area, the town of South Haven is waiting with rows of small specialty shops, award-winning golf courses, a huge skateboard park, biking, boating, picnicking, horseback riding, camping and hiking.

Speaking of hiking, over 80,000 people enjoy the Kal-Haven Trail each year. Fall is said to be the best time to enjoy the trail that winds through what was once a railroad between South Haven and Kalamazoo. Covered bridge buffs will find one on this popular trail.

SOUTH HAVEN

For more information: Call South Haven Chamber of Commerce (616) 637-5171
www.southhavenmi.com

Places of Interest

- Michigan Maritime Museum - (800) 747-3810 www.michiganmaritimemuseum.org
- The Water Waltz - fishing trips, pleasure cruises (269) 628-4471 www.waterwaltz.com
- Shaul Sails - sailboat charters (269) 637-5756
- Hawshead - public golf course (616) 639-2146

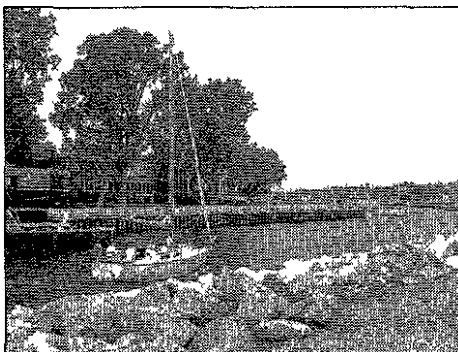
Three golf courses are right in South Haven, including Hawshead, called, "One of the best we've ever done," by pro golfer Arthur Hills. Dozens of courses are within 25 minutes of the city.

Visitors enjoy charter fishing, pleasure cruises are also popular in South Haven, like the sunset cruise offered by Water Waltz Cruises that begins at the River Noir (Black River) and cruises along South Haven's North Shore.

Catering to the healthy tourist traffic, South Haven has plenty of overnight accommodations including everything from camping to bed & breakfasts, and from hotels to cottages. Excellent dining is also part of the harbor town's character.

The role Michigan's Great Lakes has played in our country's history somehow got past us in school, but in places like this, ThreeOlBags swell with pride as we learn of Michigan's unmatched contribution to America's progress.

Threeolbags are Linda Sparkman, Sharon Hegwood and Sandra Campbell, creative 50-ish women from Garden City who collaborate on travel articles for the Observer and Eccentric Newspapers. You can find out more about them at www.threeolbags.com.



Black River begins in South Haven at Lake Michigan shore.



Pierhead Lighthouse is popular with visitors to South Haven.

The 29th Annual Holiday Art Fair

on the campus of Oakland Community College in Building H
Orchard Lake Road at I-696 Farmington Hills, Michigan

Featuring 130 juried artists in jewelry, clay, glass,
wood, photography, painting, fiber and more.

Saturday, November 1, 2003

10 am to 5 pm

Sunday, November 2, 2003

11 am to 5 pm

Attend and enter to win the Holiday Art Fair Contest!

- Grand Prize is a \$500 holiday decorating package designed specially for your home from HomeNetwork and Bailey & Shamoun
- Door Prizes and Gift Certificates awarded hourly
- A special gift for the first 5000 fairgoers!
- Admission is \$3 (bring in this ad and receive \$1 off admission)
- Children under 12 are admitted free ● Parking is free

Brought to you by
The Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans
producer of the award-winning Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair



For information: 734-682-3382
www.michganguild.org

HOUR
DETROIT

THE
Observer & Eccentric
NEWSPAPERS

Holiday Art Fair Sponsors



HomeNetwork

Bailey & Shamoun Interiors

11 200-800-DRIVE # 1000000000 40.5 348.302-738

Get Out!

Your Guide to Entertainment

Send fax or e mail items for consideration in Get Out! To Keely Kaleski assistant managing editor for features Observer & Eccentric Newspapers 805 E Maple Birmingham MI 48009 fax (248) 644 1314 or e mail kkaleski@oe homecomm net

HARVEST/HALLOWEEN/FAMILY

Meadow Brook Hall

Fifteen Halloween activity stations games and treats 5 8 p m Friday Oct 31 cost is \$5 per child campus of Oakland University Rochester Hills (248) 370 3140
www meadowbrookhall org

Guernsey Farms Dairy

Children 12 and under who visit Friday Oct 31 dressed in costume will receive a free scoop of ice cream of their choice and a raffle ticket for a chance to win great prizes
The dairy is at 21300 Novi Road in Northville and open 8 a m to 10 p m For directions and information call (248) 349 1466

Black Widow Bash In The Dome

Haunted hayride runway costume parade 1000 square foot obstacle course Moonwalk hay tunnel maze face painting Giant Titanic Slide DJ with dancing and karaoke magicians psychics Houdini séance pony rides petting zoo all kinds of food goodies and more 5 11 p m Thursday Oct 30 and 6 p m to midnight Friday Oct 31 at the Oasis Golf Dome 39500 Five Mile Road Plymouth Oasis will be pre selling 1 400 tickets at \$15 a piece or \$53 for a family four pack call (734) 420 2900

Marquis Theatre

Musical comedy *Miss Halloween Patch* 2 30 p m Saturday Sunday Nov 1 2 135 E Main downtown Northville \$750 (248) 349 8110

Autumn Harvest Indian Festival

Celebrate the customs and traditions of the Ottawa Ojibwa and Potawatomi tribes at the 11th annual festival 10 a m to 7 p m Saturday Nov 8 and 10 a m to 5 p m Sunday Nov 9 at the Southfield Pavilion 26000 Evergreen Road 1/2 mile south of 11 Mile Road Admission \$6 50 no charge for children 2 and under (248) 352 0990

HAUNTED HOUSES

Erebus Story 4

Corner of Water Street and South Perry downtown Pontiac across from the Phoenix Center Indoor waiting available now through Saturday Nov 1 7 11 p m Thursday 7 p m to 1 a m Friday Saturday (248) 332 7884 or www haunt edpontiac com

Crypt of Carnage

Bailey Recreation Center parking lot 36651 Ford Road between Central City Parkway and Newburgh 7 10 p m Thursday 7 p m to midnight Friday Saturday to Nov 1 \$8 for ages 13 years and older kids 12 and younger pay \$6 (734) 502 3914

Realm of Darkness

79 S Glenwood Pontiac 7 11 p m through Friday Oct 31 and Saturday Nov 1 \$17 adults \$10 children (248) 338 0029 or www therealmofdarkness com

Hauntfest

Meadow Brook Music Festival grounds Oakland University Rochester Hills 7 p m to midnight Thursday Saturday Oct 30 to Nov 1 \$13 at the door Palacenet com Palace Box Office Ticketmaster locations (248) 645 6666 www hauntfest com



Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase presents Tim Cavanagh, 8 p m Thursday, Oct 30, 8 p m & 10 30 p m Friday-Saturday, Oct 31 and Nov 1 Tickets \$12 (Thursday) and \$15 (Friday-Saturday) at the door, discount for tickets purchased in advance 314 E Liberty, Ann Arbor, (734) 996-9080

Spooktacular!

More than 30 000 square feet of scary ground at Freedom Hill County Park on Big Beaver Road west of Van Dyke Sterling Heights 8 10 30 p m through Friday Oct 31 \$14 for ages 12 and up \$12 for kids 6 12 (586) 268 5100 or www freedomhill net

Slaughter House

Presented by the Redford Jaycees 15534 Beech Daly Redford Thursday Sunday until Nov 1 7 10 p m Thursday 8 p m to midnight Friday Saturday \$10 adults \$7 for kids under 10 Not recommended for young children www reford jaycees org

Trilogy of Terror

Three shows one price includes Revenge of the Forest Nightmare Hayride and Ghost Manor at Bloomer Park on John R two blocks north of Avon Road Rochester Hills Open every night through Saturday Nov 1 Weeknights dusk to 10 30 p m week ends dusk to midnight \$15 50 adults \$12 50 kids 6 12 www trilogyterror com

PROFESSIONAL THEATER

Jewish Ensemble Theatre

Midwest premiere of Dirty Story by John Patrick Shanley to Nov 23 Aaron DeRoy Theatre Jewish Community Center 6600 W Maple West Bloomfield (248) 788 2900 or www jettheatre org

Meadow Brook Ensemble Theatre

The Gravity of Honey through Sunday Nov 9 matinee and evening shows Meadow Brook Theatre campus of Oakland University Rochester Hills \$23 \$33 series subscriptions begin at \$89 available through December (248) 377 3300

UMS

Boris Godunov by Alexander Pushkin 8 p m Thursday Saturday Oct 30 to Nov 1 2 p m Saturday Sunday Nov 1 2 U M Sports Coliseum corner of Fifth and Hill Ann Arbor \$35 (Wednesday & Saturday) \$40 general admission all other performances (734) 764 2538 www ums org

Purple Rose Theatre Company

Weekend Actor Bootcamp workshop 7 11 p m Friday Oct 31 10 a m to 6 p m Saturday Nov 1 11 a m to 3 p m Sunday Nov 2 free is \$175 which includes lunch on Saturday (734) 433 7782 or www pur



Due to scheduling circumstances, Bette Midler's 'Kiss My Brass' World Tour at The Palace has been rescheduled to 8 p m Saturday, Jan 10 Tickets for the originally-scheduled Jan 8 concert will be honored on the new date Tickets \$40-\$175, call (248) 645-6666 or www palacenet com

plerosse org to register

COMMUNITY THEATER

Pagan Theatre Guild

A division of Theatre Livonia presents David Campton's *Frankenstein* 8 p m Thursday Saturday Oct 30 to Nov 1 4 p m Sunday Nov 2 Special midnight performances Friday Saturday Attend the midnight show in costume and get in for free \$8 adults \$6 students/seniors Livonia Mall 29514 Seven Mile Road at Middlebelt use the G entrance on the north side of the mall call (586) 344 7774 for reservations

Schoolcraft College

Dracula at Schoolcraft College 18600 Haggerty Road Livonia between Six and Seven Mile roads just east of I 275 Choose a dinner theater setting on Friday Nov 7 and Saturday Nov 15 or a theater performance only on Saturday Nov 8 and Friday Nov 14 The dinner theater production begins at 6 30 p m with a meal of lasagna salad vegetable and tramsisu Tickets for the dinner theater are \$22 The theater only performance begins at 8 p m with tickets priced at \$10 call (734) 462 4596

St Dunstan's

Theatre Guild of Cranbrook presents its season opener *Les Liaisons Dangereuses* by Christopher Hampton 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 31 and Nov 1 Thursday Saturday Nov 6 8 and 2 p m

Sunday Nov 2 400 Lone Pine Road between Cranbrook and Lahser roads Bloomfield Hills \$13 adults \$11 students/seniors (248) 644 0527 or www StDunstansTheatre com

Bloomfield Players

You Can't Take It With You 7 30 p m Friday Saturday Oct 31 and Nov 1 2 p m Sunday Oct 26 & Nov 2 Barnes & Noble Theater 6800 Orchard Lake Road West Bloomfield \$10 (248) 737 9039

Trinity House Theatre

Hospitality Suite by Roger Reuff 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 31 & Nov 1 Nov 7 8 Nov 14 15 2 p m Sunday Oct 26 Nov 2 Nov 9 and Nov 16 \$12 \$9 for theater members 38840 W Six Mile Road Livonia (734) 464 6302

Rosedale Community Players

Escanaba in Da Moonlight 8 p m Friday Saturday Oct 31 & Nov 1 Nov 7 8 2 p m Sunday Nov 2 Upstage Theatre 21728 Grand River Detroit \$12 (313) 532 4010

Stagecrafters

Bat Boy The Musical through Nov 1 Baldwin Theatre 415 S Lafayette Royal Oak (248) 541 6430 www stagecrafters org

Broadway on Stage

All's Well in 804 comedy by local author Ed Thomas 8 p m Friday Saturday through Saturday Nov 22 2 p m Sunday Nov 2 21517 Kelly Road at Toepfer (8/2 Mile Road) Eastpointe \$15 (586) 771 6333

AUDITIONS

Stagecrafters

Evita children's auditions will be held at the Baldwin Theatre in Downtown Royal Oak on Saturday Nov 1 with registration at 9 a.m. and auditions beginning at 10 a.m. Adult auditions will be held on Nov 8 with registration at 9:30 a.m. for dancers who sing auditions at 10 a.m. For singers who move registration is at 1:30 p.m. with auditions at 2 p.m. Adult auditions will be held at the Starr Presbyterian Church 1717 W 13 Mile Road Royal Oak Show dates are Jan 16 Feb 8 2004

Genesis

A Christmas Carol 6:30-9 p.m. Monday Tuesday Nov 3-4 35248 Palmer Road at Wayne Road Genesis Worship Center for the Arts Westland Come prepared to read from script seeking all ages (734) 728 4107

Rosedale Community Players

The Clown Who Ran Away a holiday show for the whole family 1 p.m. Sunday Nov 1 Upstate Theatre 21728 Grand River 1/2 block east of Lahser Road Detroit seeking adults of all ages children over 5 (313) 532 4010

CLASSICAL

DSO

Classics of the Silver Screen 10:45 a.m. and 8 p.m. Thursday Oct 30 8:30 p.m. Friday Saturday Oct 31 & Nov 1 3 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 The Max 3711 Woodward Ave Detroit (313) 576 5111 www.detroit-symphony.org

Madrigal Chorale

Concert with the Oakland Singers to benefit the Lupus Alliance 4 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 Covenant Baptist Church 5800 W Maple West Bloomfield no charge

Oakland University

Symphonic Band Concert 8 p.m. Wednesday Nov 5 Varner Recital Hall Rochester Hills campus \$6 saxophone students present their fall semester recital 7:30 p.m. Sunday Nov 9 Varner Recital Hall no charge (248) 370 3013

FOLK/WORLD

The Ark

The Chenille Sisters 8 p.m. Friday Oct 31 \$20 316 S Main St Ann Arbor (734) 763 8587 www.a2ark.org

Blackthorn

At O Mara's Restaurant and Pub 2555 W 12 Mile Road Berkley 9:30 p.m. Friday Oct 31 & Saturday Nov 1 (248) 399 6750 www.blackthorn1.com

JAZZ/BLUES

Ron's Fireside Inn

Larry Nozero reeds with Jerry McKenzie drums 7:30-11 p.m. Wednesday Nov 5 Shahita Nurullah vocals Nov 12 Russ Miller reeds Nov 17 Harvey Thompson vocals Nov 26 28937 Warren Garden City \$5 cover with dinner \$10 cover without dinner and two drink minimum reservations recommended (734) 762 7756



Paul Keller Ensemble presents a Halloween Jazz Spook-tacular and Costume Ball 9 p.m. Friday at the Firefly Club, 207 S Ashley, Ann Arbor, \$8 with costume, \$10 without, (734) 665-9090, www.fireflyclub.com Benny Goodman Tribute concert, 3 p.m. Sunday at the Clawson/Troy Elks Club, 1451 E Big Beaver, Troy, features Paul Keller and his 17-piece orchestra, and Jim Wyse as Benny Goodman Tickets \$15, call (248) 476 2674

Mitch Housey's

Billy Rose 7:30-11 p.m. Thursday and Saturday Larry Nozero 4-8 p.m. Sunday Benny & the Jets Halloween night 28500 Schoolcraft Livonia (734) 425 5520

Battle of the Blues Contest

At Memphis Smoke 100 S Main St downtown Royal Oak 8 p.m. to midnight Sunday Nov 9 final showdown Sunday Nov 23 For schedules performers and more information call (866) 464 2947

Blind Pig

Steve Kimock Band 10 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 312 S Main St Ann Arbor, (734) 662 8310

Tenny Street Roadhouse

Paul Reddick and the Sidemen 9 p.m. Thursday Nov 6 22361 W Village Dr Dearborn \$10 at the door or www.tennystreet.com call (313) 278 3677

GALLERY RECEPTIONS/ART CLASSES

Touch of Light

Fall glassblowing classes start in November 23426 Woodward Ave Ferndale Call (248) 543 1868 or www.touchoflight.com for details

Livonia Arts Commission

Gerard Panyard gouache watercolor Nov 3-25 Fine Arts Gallery second floor Livonia Civic Center Library 32777 Five Mile Road City of Livonia employees mixed media Nov 3-25 Livonia City Hall lobby 33000 Civic Center Dr east of Farmington Road (734) 466 2536

Lemberg Gallery

Beverly Fishman *From Here to There* gallery talk and book signing 2 p.m. Saturday Nov 15 show continues to Nov 22 23241 Woodward Ave Ferndale (248) 591 6623 www.lemberrggallery.com

Revolution

John Gains Consuming the American Landscape and Robert Turner Shaping Silence lecture 2 p.m. Sunday Nov 9 23257 Woodward Ave Ferndale (248) 541 3444

Washington Street Gallery

Heiju Oak Packard *Linescapes* Woven Panels Nov 4-30 opening reception 7-9 p.m. Friday Nov 7 120 E Liberty Ann Arbor (734) 761 2287 www.wsg-art.com

Print Gallery

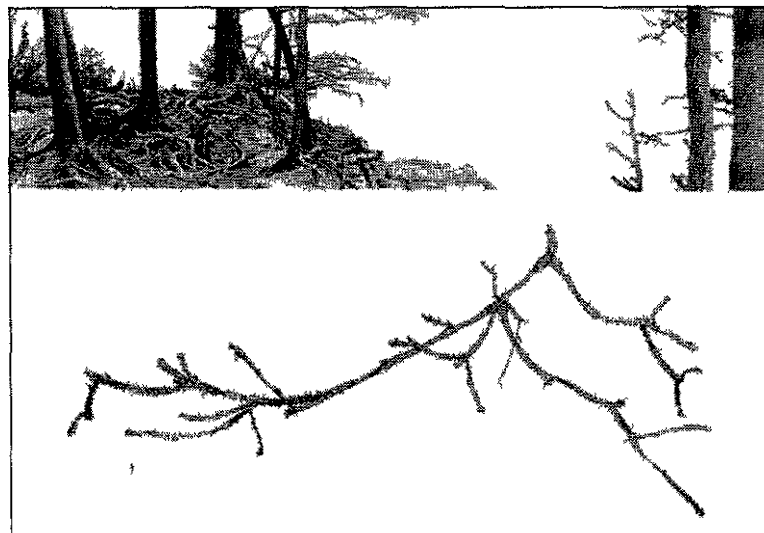
Fine art assemblage by Michael Smith and lithography intaglio oils and mixed media by James Connor Nov 6 to Dec 15 Reception to meet the artists 7 p.m. Thursday Nov 6 with karaoke 29173 Northwestern Franklin at 12 Mile Plaza Southfield www.EverythingArt.com (248) 356 5454

Art Leaders Gallery

Meet Viktor Shvaiko 6-9 p.m. Friday Nov 7 and 1-4 p.m. Saturday Nov 8 33030 Northwestern Highway at 14 Mile Road West Bloomfield (888) 264 4887 www.artleaders.com

Detroit Contemporary Gallery

Actual Size Biennial over 250 works of art the size of a 1/4 sheet of paper Nov 8 to Dec 21 opening reception 6-10 p.m. Saturday Nov 8 5141 Rosa Parks Blvd Detroit (313) 898 4ART www.detroitcon



The Robinson Fine Art Gallery at the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center presents Mary Aro Two Decades of Watercolor through Friday, Nov 14, 1516 S Cranbrook Birmingham Call (248) 644-0866 for more information or www.bbartcenter.org

temporary.com

Michigan Surface Design Association

Two day workshop by Danielle Bodine a noted fiber artist 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday Saturday Nov 7-8 Wayne State University Fiber Arts Department second floor of Old Main on Cass in Detroit Fee \$85 discount for members call (248) 644 8804 to register

HOLIDAY FAIRS/ART SHOWS

Downtown Holly Merchants

Annual Christmas Open House 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday Nov 1 (248) 634 1900

Holiday Art Fair

Presented by the Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday Nov 11 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday Nov 2 Oakland Community College Building H Orchard Lake Road at I 696 Farmington Hills \$3 children under 12 free (734) 662 3382 www.michigan-guild.org

Birmingham Temple

Juried art show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday Sunday Nov 8-9 opening night gala reception 7-10:30 p.m. Friday Nov 7 28611 12 Mile Road between Inkster and Middlebelt Farmington Hills works of over 100 artists Reception tickets \$15 no charge for art show

CLUBS/BARS

Bullfrog Bar and Grill

Halloween Bash costume party Friday Oct 31 15414 Telegraph Redford (313) 533 4477

Silk's Martini & Musical Cafe

Halloween costume party cash prizes 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday Oct 31 Rave (Top 40) 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday Nov 1 Rave 21931 Michigan Ave Dearborn \$5 cover week ends after 8:30 p.m. (313) 565 6278 www.silkyslounge.com

Edison's

RJ's Rhythm Rockers 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Thursday Oct 30 Bret Lucas Band 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday Oct 31 220 Merrill St Birmingham (248) 645 2150 **Wood-Ruff's Supper Club** *Rendition* 8:30 a.m. to midnight

Thursday Oct 30 Bob Mervak Quartet 6-9 p.m. Friday Oct 31 Groovelation 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday Oct 31 212 W Sixth St Royal Oak (248) 586 1519 www.woodruffs.com

Blue Martini

Back in the Day (Top 40) Thursday Oct 30 Simone Vitale (Top 40) Saturday Nov 1 201 Hamilton between Woodward and Old Woodward Birmingham live bands 8 p.m. to midnight Tuesday Saturday 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Sunday (248) 258 3005

Sevin The Nightclub

Sevin 40 W Pike St Pontiac (248) 745 7461 www.sevinthenightclub.com Hours are 9 p.m. to 2 a.m. Wednesday Friday and Saturday Ranges from \$5 to \$20 no charge for ladies excluding special events and holidays

George & Harry's Blues Cafe

George & Harry's 22048 Michigan Ave Dearborn Call (313) 359 2799 Friday and Saturday shows begin at 10:30 p.m. Weekday shows begin at 9 p.m.

Club Bart

22726 Woodward Ferndale All shows at 10 p.m. Ongoing Thursdays and Sundays comedy night and Fridays and Saturdays EvenExchange (Motown R & B and Jazz) Call (248) 548 8746

Mephisto's

2764 Florian Avenue Want a taste of the music at Mephisto's? Visit its entertaining Web site

www.mephistosdetroit.com While surfing you'll dance in your seat to the heavy techno beat repeating here we go Mephisto's is close to both I 75 (off Caniff) and I 94 in Hamtramck (off Mt Elliott) This 21 & over club where proper attire is mandatory is new to our ever changing club scene and features three levels including a VIP lounge and terrace a Tiki Bar and high energy dance floor Hours Thursday Friday and Saturday 7 p.m. to 2 a.m. (313) 875 3627

Reggae

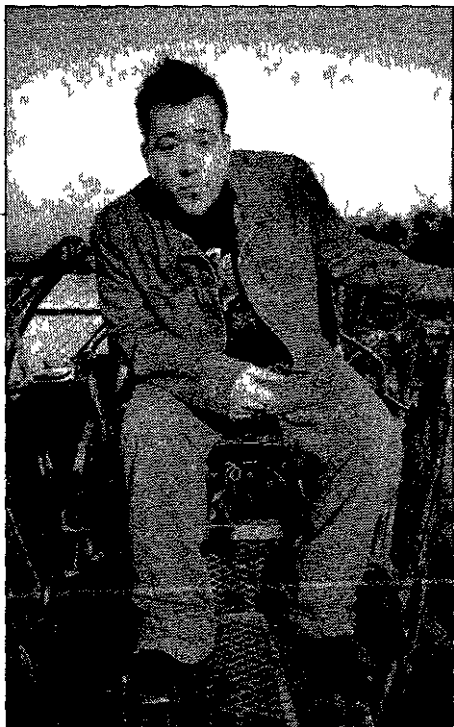
Tropical Hut Lounge 14925 Livernois Detroit near Fenkell This is not one of those suburban nightclubs that pretend to be an island style bar with fake grass and palm it's one of Detroit's truly authentic Reggae/roots clubs that attracts the city's island born residents If you aren't dancing you might not fit in Tropical Hut DJs have the pulse on the freshest music from Africa the Caribbean and West Indies Wednesdays Ladies Night Thursdays Reggae Night Fridays Friday Surprise Saturdays African Night Sundays Fun Sundays Open 4-9 p.m. Tuesday Wednesday 4 p.m. to 2:30 a.m. Thursday Saturday 5 p.m. to midnight Sunday (313) 861 5340

Majestic Theatre

4140 Woodward Ave Detroit Parking available on street and behind building It seems that every blues underground industrial punk reggae world and Americana band has played here Buju Banton and Burning Spear played here as did Social Distortion's Mike Ness Attire is freestyle casual and up Before the night begins stop at the adjacent Majestic Cafe for a gourmet veggie sandwich mussels or Mediterranean dip Call for hours (313) 833 9700

Popular music

Uncle Kracker breaks new record



Uncle Kracker holds the record of most weeks at No. 1, for his single 'Drift Away'

Uncle Kracker and Celme Dion in the same sentence? The two singers couldn't be further apart

Except when talking about record charts

Kracker's latest single, *Drift Away*, held the No. 1 spot in the Adult Contemporary Mainstream Radio Chart for a record-breaking 22 weeks. He beats Dion, whose song, *A New Day Has Come*, held the record at 21 weeks.

Kracker's remake of the 1973 rendition features the song's original singer, Dobie Gray. His next single, *Memphis Soul*, is also quickly climbing the charts.

Drift Away is Uncle Kracker's second radio hit off his album, *No Stranger To Shame*. Uncle Kracker first gained notoriety as the DJ for label mate Kid Rock's Twisted Brown Trucker Band. His debut album *Double Wide*, featuring the crossover pop smash *Follow Me*, went No. 1 on the charts while the album reached No. 10 on the Billboard Top 200.

Give him the beat, boys

Plastikman releases electronic composition

Renowned electronic musician and producer Richie Hawtin released his first CD in five years under his popular alter ego, Plastikman.

Closer is the name of his new hallucinatory electronic CD. After probing the depths of ultra-minimal techno on his 1998 CD *Consumed*, and redefining the concept of DJ-mix music, Hawtin explores even more new waters in *Closer*.

"After 10 years of recording Plastikman records, every day I learn new things about the way to record the instrumentation," said Hawtin of Windsor. "And as you get more comfortable, you get closer to being able to take what that idea is in your head, that thing you're trying to grasp, and actually getting it through the equipment and having it come out the other end."

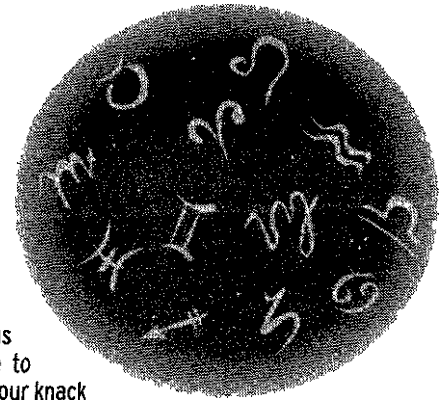
Closer was released on 10-year anniversary of Plastikman's first CD, *Sheet One*. On *Closer*, Hawtin took sounds from *Sheet One*, updated them and moved them to a place that he calls "more interesting." The result is a familiar yet somehow alien and intensely personal ambient sound.

Horoscope



Star Struck

(Oct. 30 - Nov. 1)
By Dennis Fairchild



ARIES (March 21-April 20)

How you earn, spend and save moolah is under the microscope now. Your desire to do the right thing may be blighted by your knack for saying (but rarely doing) the wrong thing. It's when you're at a loss for words that you say too much. Zip your lip, stay hip!

TAURUS (April 21-May 21)

For someone who is supposed to be easygoing, you appear to be flying in all directions at the moment. In the days ahead, make sure that you don't spoil what could be a profitable alliance by insisting that others take your word as gospel. Take stock, take time.

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)

In spite of others' outrageous demands, criticisms or disapproval, you must be completely in control with your hand firmly on the tiller - especially concerning matters related to your money and bedroom. No mo' livin' on Cloud Nine. Cold shower time!

CANCER (June 22-July 23)

Your obsessive emotional depth for a child or project horoscopically hints that you are in danger of losing a sense of perspective. Take a step back and you may see possibilities that will give you a far better shot at ultimate success and happiness. Stop being so loony!

LEO (July 24-Aug 23)

If you had spent a little more time examining and manicuring the grass on your side of the fence over the past few months, you would realize it's just as green as your neighbor's - merely a different shade. Your restlessness has more to do with fantasy rather than reality.

VIRGO (Aug 24-Sept 23)

Cooperation and conciliation are your keywords now, but first you need to confide in someone who has a clearer picture than you of another's motives. Those who treat you lightly should be regarded with suspicion. Follow your heart and you'll strike gold.

LIBRA (Sept 24-Oct 23)

Certain people are too willing to take advantage of your overdeveloped sense of cooperation and duty, so it's time to pull up that emotional drawbridge for the sake of your own happiness. The less pressure you're under now, the more you'll achieve asap.

SCORPIO (Oct 24-Nov 22)

Certain individuals are up to their old tricks and giving you a hard time. However, no matter what games they play, under no circumstances must you give way to intimidation. Just one person can make the difference between isolation and connection.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov 23-Dec 21)

The moment has come to accept the fact that things will only go from bad to worse if you continue to defy the winds of change or be aggressive. A subtle approach is best for now. No matter how disillusioned you feel, the easiest solution is to live and let live.

CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 21)

Remember that life is all about change, because you're the last person who needs to be stuck in a rut. Since powerful autumnal astro forces signify that the time is right for a new direction, it's up to you to act.

AQUARIUS (Jan 22-Feb 19)

It's time to put aside your emotional doubts now. You're not only knowledgeable and as charming as anyone, you are also in a position to prove it once and for all! Tell yourself anything is possible and you'll find that it is. Don't try too hard - you're getting there!

PISCES (Feb 20-March 20)

Avoid self-recrimination and criticism - they'll lead nowhere this week and drive you batty! You need an injection of self-confidence. Much more is going on than you seem to realize. Fish. Examine all the cards in your hand before showing them. Go solo.

Dennis Fairchild is a Birmingham-based astrologer and author of several books on divination. For information about personal consultations, phone (248) 646-3555 or e-mail at DenFairchild@aol.com.



Shopping Extravaganza

Saturday, November 8, 2003

10 AM - 4 PM

Plymouth First United Methodist Church

45201 North Territorial Road

Get an Early Start on Christmas Shopping
Admission: \$1.00

VENDORS

Arbonne	Longaberger Baskets
Avon	Mark
Cookie Lee Jewelry	Mary Kay Cosmetics
Custom Design Jewelry	The Middle Kingdom
Cutco Cutlery	Pampered Chef
Creative Memories	Party Late Candles
The Giving Spirit	Southern Living at Home
Home & Garden Party	Home
Home Interiors and Gifts	Tastefully Simple
Lady Remington	Tupperware

Lunch will be Available

Door prizes
Babysitting Services - \$1.00/hour

BAKE SALE 10am - 1:30 pm

PDF008 0008

Pure Picks

Selected from the reams of publicity propaganda we present our top entertainment picks for the week "Filtered" just for you

Albums

I rarely make promises about music. But if you pick up **The Shins** sophomore album *Chutes too Narrow*, I can guarantee this album won't leave your stereo for a long while. The Albuquerque, NM foursome has a penchant for a good hook and humbly make some of the best melodic pop music channeling Brian Wilson and The Kinks. Slightly swaying from the sound



PHOTO BY BRIAN TAMBORELLO

that had critics raving with 2001's *Oh Inverted World* the songs on this album are

more diverse, precise and focused. If *Oh Inverted World* was summery pop music, *Chutes Too Narrow* is its melodic autumn counterpart. A countryish *Gone for Good* (though I must admit I enjoyed The Byrds-esque version from the *So Says I* EP a little better) is counterbalanced with Kinks spasms of *Fighting in a Sack* and *So Says I*. But the album's best track, *Young Pilgrims*, holds a blissfully beautiful melody and the catchiest chorus set to tape this year. My biggest complaint with the

album is that it plays at only a little over 33 minutes - I want more. And so will you. The Shins will play Nov. 17 at the Majestic Theatre in Detroit. Tickets are \$12 in advance, \$15 the day of the show, 18 and up. Doors open at 9 p.m. For more info, call (313) 833-9700.

Listening to their fourth full-length album *12 Memories*, leaves me wondering: What the heck have the members of **Travis** been listening to? After three albums of quality Brit pop under its Scottish belts, Travis is branching out. This is the band's *Kid A*, and just like that album, you're going to really have to want to like this one. Travis gets political with *Beautiful Occupation* and *Peace the F**k Out* with its British soccer chant slant. And they get personal with *Re Offender*, a track that begins with a guitar melody that could've very well appeared on the last Blur album, and *Paperclips*, on which lead singer Fran Healy sings, "I don't wanna be like you anymore/I don't wanna see your face at my door/And I'll never leave like you that's for sure." A veiled point to his abusive father. The album's center track, *Paperclips*, is an unraveling song that re-sets Travis for the remainder of the album. Of the album's 11 tracks, the best, *Somewhere Else*, begins with Healy's tight lyrical pen and a catchy piano melody but quickly turns into a darker deconstruction. The 12th memory is a hidden track called *Some Sad Song* that couldn't sound anymore like Coldplay had they hijacked Chris Martin and forced his hands to the piano keys. *How Many Hearts* and *Quicksand* are closer to the Travis you may be familiar with, but it's the album's ability to experiment with forms that will push Travis past the Brit pop mass. If the audience is willing to patiently listen.



Local band

Bring your fangs and your bouncing shoes to this Halloween celebration. Local post-punk pop band **The Trembling** whose music is far more fun and upbeat than its name may suggest will play Friday at the Lager House, 1254 Michigan Ave., Detroit.

U.K. post-punk band **Kaito** will headline with *Count Gold Soundz* (a.k.a. Eric Weir) spinning between sets. It's \$5 with a costume, \$7 without. For more information, call (313) 961-4668.

Film

Kick out the film footage!

Detroit Film Theatre will present *The MCS: A True Testimonial* at 7:30 p.m. tonight at the Detroit Institute of Arts. The feature-length documentary follows the story of the five working-class friends who set out to rock and changed Detroit's musical landscape along the way. For more information and to purchase tickets, call (313) 833-3237. After the film, head over to the Magic Stick for an after-party by the Future Now Films, the documentary's filmmakers. Detroit music will spin until close with a performance by Novadraver.

Pure Picks is written by Stephanie Tardy. Is there something you want considered? To submit information on local entertainment or other ideas to be featured in this space, e-mail her at stardy@oe-homecomm.net.

EVERY SUNDAY...FEATURING TOP NAME LOCAL & INTERNATIONAL COMICS They'll Have you LAUGHING, you PANTS OFF!

Comic Relief Night!

ADVANCED TICKETS: DINNER & A SHOW \$19.95 Show Only \$ 8.00
AT THE DOOR: DINNER & A SHOW \$24.95 Show Only \$10.00



NOVEMBER 2
KEITH RUFF

His clean and clever writing, together with a stage personality that draws you into his eclectic comedy world has kept Keith a mainstay on the comedy circuit for years. His easygoing comedy and fast on his feet thinking has made him a crowd favorite. Don't miss this slightly twisted but hysterical oddball this week at the Crystal Lounge.

Showtime: 8:45 pm
Last dinner seating: 7:30 pm
After the show we'll finish off the night with DJ Kevin Zeroli's Komic Karaoke.

RESERVATIONS Recommended

Nov. 9

J.R. REMICK

Combining observational humor with his uncanny range of over 100 celebrity impressions, cartoon and character voices, J.R. is named as one of the Midwest's top comic impressionists.

CRYSTAL LOUNGE

8701 Beech Daly • Dearborn Hts. • Mon.-Sat. 11am-2am; Sun. Noon-2am • (313) 274-9645

accent on art

3rd Annual National Art Show



NOVEMBER 15TH & 16TH, 2003

SAT 10am-6pm SUN 10am-5pm

Acrylic/Oil • Watercolor • Mixed Media • Sculpture • Jewelry • Wearable Fibers • Non Wearable Fibers • Ceramics • Glass • Graphics/Drawing Whimsical/Fantasy • Wood • Furniture • Metal • Photography/Computer Art

In the University of Michigan Indoor Track Building located 2 miles north of I 94 on State St. (west side) behind Yost Arena

FREE PARKING • \$5.00 ADMISSION

(330) 896-9498 • rbeahn@neo.rr.com • www.artproflc.com



Sev es o Mi hga Pub Med a

Are you game?

Suburban poets find refuge in Northern retreat

BY MARY MCDONOUGH
CORRESPONDENT

A middle aged woman dressed in sweat pants stands up in front of the crowd, her hands shaking slightly as she holds the paper

She begins to read a story about a woman contemplating life without her husband, the new life of a divorcee

The room is silent, some watching her, others listening with heads bowed In a Northern Michigan lodge with knotty pine and fireplaces in every room, suburban poets converge to bare their souls and tell their stories

It is the fifth annual Walloon Writers' Retreat

The annual retreat at Walloon Lake has become a place where aspiring authors, published poets and nationally renown writers share the same space In a camp-like setting, the shared experience of facing the daunting blank page seems like the great equalizer

This year's attendees included Oscar-winning filmmaker Michael Moore, former U.S. Poet Laureate Billy Collins and Joyce Maynard, author the book that inspired the Nicole Kidman movie *To Die For*, and who was criticized several years ago for revealing her relationship as an 18-year old with writer J.D. Salinger in her memoir, *At Home in the World*.

John D. Lamb, a Royal Oak musician started the retreat five years ago and said he recruited Maynard as a participant to set an irreverent tone to the event

She was kind of being slammed by the publishing world at the time, and Lamb remembered thinking, 'Cool, I want her'

NOTHING ACADEMIC

There's nothing academic about Lamb's retreats

"I didn't want it to be an academic thing I thought I could do something with real working writers and I wanted it to have an irreverent flair," said Lamb "I wanted to do something that was not stuffy, snobbish or something people needed to fear It inspires people to write when they feel like someone is listening"

Participants pay the \$375-\$575 fee to spend the weekend at Michigama, a ranch just outside of Boyne City owned by the University of Michigan alumni association

This year's retreat, held the last weekend of September, had a sold-out crowd of 75 people

"I think it's a wonderful conference. I've been to quite a few conferences and this is one of the best," said Marj Levin,



Suzy Farbman of Franklin reads her story to the group at the Walloon Writers' Retreat



Michael Moore (left) chats with M.L. Lieber, director of the YMCA Writer's Voice, at Walloon Writers' Retreat

of Birmingham, a former journalist who is trying to get her novel published

Attendee M.L. Liebler, who has been a Wayne State University professor since 1980 and directs the Writer's Voice, the arts and humanities arm of the YMCA, is affectionately called the "Godfather of Detroit Poetry"

Liebler, the author of *Brooding the Heartlands Poets of the Midwest*, said that poetry and literature have been gaining in popularity and public interest in recent years and the Walloon retreat is proof

"If you would have tried to do this in the early to mid-1980s, you'd have 10 people here there was just nothing happening In 1987, that's when I really noticed something was shaking, but I never thought it would last as long as it has It shows no decline, and in fact, it keeps expanding There are more readings, more coffeehouses, more open mics and more retreats

In between the student readings, writing consultations, talks by each of the authors about their careers and then readings in the evening, there is ample time for a hike in the woods or a walk around Michigama.

On the second day, Collins spoke of his position as poet laureate, to which he was appointed by the Library of Congress He began a program called Poetry 180, in which he compiled 180 contemporary poems and published them on the Internet in an effort to have them read daily in schools with the announcements

He, too, believes that poetry may be gaining in popularity and said it has to do with people being sick of public language, the language of the media, politics and advertising

"I think people are coming back to poetry as a way of reclaiming their native tongue," he said

Lamb started the retreat five years ago, with seed money provided by his personal friends like Michael Moore

"I started playing up here a lot and I saw that this area lends itself to creativity The stress kind of rolls off of you and in the solitude, you find yourself writing," he said

Lamb's nonprofit organization, Springfed Arts, also puts on an annual retreat for songwriters and school-based songwriting workshops for children

Willobel Eversole, of Huntington Woods, was a first-time participant at this year's retreat

"I've known about it for three years now, and I decided it's just time to jump in I guess," he said. "I've probably written 18 to 20 poems since I've been here Being out of my home and my routine, it's conducive to writing"

Eversole has self-published three books and writes a monthly column for *Healing Garden* magazine.

"I'm just waiting to be discovered like everybody else"

Back at the retreat, a dozen people sit around a fireplace, huddled over notebooks The food is organic, some take walks, scribble furiously in a notebook or take a boat trip to catch a glimpse of Windemere, the cottage on Walloon Lake, where Ernest Hemingway was said to have written the Nick Adams stories

Lamb said he's not trying to turn all those who attend his workshops into the next Hemingway or the next poet laureate

"I'm not trying to make everybody a published writer I'm trying to make them feel good as a writer and get lost in the writing and forget about themselves If they come away with one page of good writing that they're willing to show someone, that's pretty good."

For more information about Lamb's retreat, go to www.springfed.org

Mary McDonough is a former community editor for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers

Fair

Get your gifts early at art fair

Holiday shoppers can beat the rush and find the perfect gift for even the most challenging recipients on their gift list at The 29th Annual Holiday Art Fair Saturday and Sunday on the OCC Orchard Ridge Campus in Farmington Hills

A holiday shopping tradition, the art fair presents the work of 130 juried artists

Fair hours will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday Admission is \$3 Children under 12 are admitted free, and parking is free

The first 5,000 attendees will receive a free magnetic photo frame, and the first 500 children will get a special character bookmark

Throughout both days of the fair, prizes donated by the artists will be awarded hourly to shoppers in attendance who fill out an entry form upon arrival

Whether patrons are looking for business gifts, hand-crafted toys, kaleidoscopes, jewelry, hand-woven clothing or home accessories, the fair offers a multitude of original and unique gifts for Christmas, Hanukkah and Kwanza, plus hand-crafted ceramics and textiles for an artfully set Thanksgiving table

The Holiday Art Fair is presented by The Michigan Guild of Artists and Artisans, a nonprofit organization and producer of the award-winning Ann Arbor Summer Art Fair, and will take place on the campus of Oakland Community College in Building H, Orchard Lake Road at I-696, in Farmington Hills

For information, call (734) 662-3382 or online at www.michiganguild.org

29TH ANNUAL HOLIDAY ART FAIR

What: A juried art fair with 130 artists

When: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday

Where: OCC Orchard Ridge Campus in Farmington Hills

For more information: (734) 662-3382 or online at www.michiganguild.org

125th ums season 03/04

Doudou N'Diaye Rose and Les Rosettes

Tue 11/11 8 pm

Michigan Theater

West African master drummer

Doudou N'Diaye Rose returns

to Ann Arbor with Les Rosettes,

a groundbreaking group of 20

female drummers who are all his

daughters or granddaughters.

"The rhythmic complexity and

essence that captivated groups

from the Rolling Stones to

Japan's Kodo troupe was laid

bare to an audience whose

reactions seemed to range

from thrilled to stunned."

(Chicago Sun-Times)

FREE EDUCATION EVENT
Symposium: Ache, Dreams and
Women in the African Diaspora
Tue 11/11 4pm • MI League
Vanderberg Room

The event is part of Heartland Arts Fund
Media Sponsors: WEMU 49.1 FM and Metro Times

Alexander Pushkin's
Boris Godunov

Today! - Sun 11/2

U-M Sports Complex

Funded in part by the University of Michigan
Media Sponsors: Michigan Radio

The Herbert A. Miller Fund presents the
4th Annual Theater Series

St. Petersburg Academic
Capella Choir

Vladislav Chirvasanenko director

Thu 11/6 8 pm

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church

PROGRAM

Rachmaninoff: Vespers (1916)

Underwritten by the University of Michigan
Media Sponsors: Michigan Radio

Chava Alberstein

Chava Alberstein: vocals and acoustic guitar
Over: El Profeta acoustic guitar
And: Agobado percussion

Sat 11/8 8 pm

Rockham Auditorium

Supports: by Paul and Ann Rosenthal
Media Sponsor: Detroit Jewish News

ums

734.764.2538 www.ums.org

outside the 734 area code, call toll-free 800-221-1239 Ticket Office Hours: M-F 9 am-5 pm, Sat 10 am-4 pm

The Righteous Brothers



Sunday, November 9, 4 p.m.
Tickets \$52-\$60

Enjoy the famous tunes from *Top Gun*, *Ghost*, and *Dirty Dancing* that helped earn a place for Bill Medley and Bobby Hatfield in the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame just this year

You've Lost That Lovin' Feelin', is the most-played song in American radio history. The unmistakable, heartfelt vocal style of the Righteous Brothers also includes other chart-topping hits like *Unchained Melody*, *(You're My) Soul And Inspiration* and *Just Once In My Life*

There's no better place to spend an evening with the Righteous Brothers than the Ford Community & Performing Arts Center in Dearborn. Each of the 1,200 seats features an up close view in an intimate and luxurious setting.



A Christmas Carol

Friday, December 5, 8 p.m.

Kick off the holiday season with one of the most beloved traditions of all time. This captivating performance of the familiar classic weaves traditional Christmas carols throughout the narrative and provides an evening of enjoyable entertainment for the whole family. Tickets \$24-\$30



Duke Ellington Christmas

Friday, December 12, 8 p.m.

Keep your holiday spirits high by spending an evening with Duke's grandson, Paul Mercer Ellington as he presents a collection of traditional Duke Ellington classics and holiday favorites. Tickets \$24-\$30

Upcoming performances:

The Music Man
Thursday, January 22

**Temptations/
The Velveettes**
Sunday, January 25

**The Acting Company
(Richard III)**
Sunday, February 22

**The New Shanghai
Circus**
Friday, February 27

The Irish Rovers
Friday, March 5

The Mikado
Friday, March 12

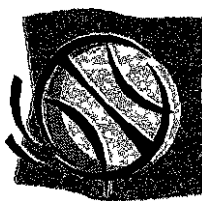
Tony Orlando
Friday, March 19

Chuck Mangione
Saturday, April 3

Richard Jeni
Saturday, April 17

Glenn Miller Orchestra
Saturday, April 24

Art Garfunkel
Friday, May 14



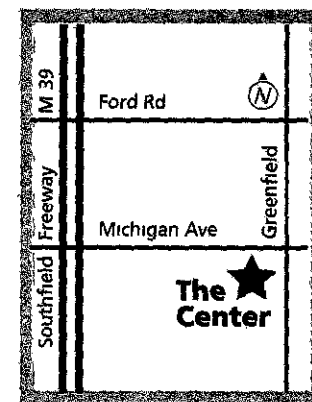
FORD COMMUNITY &
PERFORMING ARTS
CENTER
CITY OF DEARBORN



Box Office
(313) 943-2354

www.dearbornfordcenter.com

15801 Michigan Avenue at Greenfield Dearborn



FAIRLANE TOWN CENTER

BANDS Blues Ballads BROADWAY