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Some of the acceptable wastes include paints/stains, automotive fluids, batteries, computer equipment, propane cylinders, fertilizers and pesticides.

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EMS winners

Huron Valley Ambulance Emergency Medical Technicians Greg Smith and Dale Willett won third place in the Basic Life Support practical competition at the 2004 Emergency Medical Services Expo statewide competition, held April 24 in Grand Rapids. It's the second win for the team.

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## Chefs cook at culinary competition

### Plymouth-Canton wins national title

BY TONY BRUSCATO  
STAFF WRITER

Canton High School senior Natalie Witkowski said she and her teammates were on pins and needles as the judges announced the top prizes in the national culinary competition in Orlando, Fla.

The four-member Plymouth-Canton high school team won the state competition in March, earning them the chance to compete against 24 other high school culinary squads from around the country for the national title.

"The judges read the third-place winner, and then the second," Witkowski said. "We weren't called and we all held hands. They then called our names for first, and we jumped up and down and started crying. It was an awesome, awesome feeling."

"Our food looked beautiful, but so did a lot of other teams," Witkowski added.

"What put us ahead was our teamwork. We became so close and relied on each other. The judges could tell we knew it."

The Plymouth-Canton team won by preparing a seasonal garden salad, accented by seared yellow-fin tuna and pecan-crusted goat cheese quenelle, a main course of pan-seared duck breast and mushroom-sage ballotine, and followed by dessert consisting of a chocolate and strawberry-passion fruit mousse.

A gourmet meal prepared with the help of only two small butane flame stoves, an ice chest and no electricity.

As members of the winning team, Witkowski, Jeff Sartor, Adam Strong and Jeremy Walker each received \$20,000 in college scholarships. Team alternate Sara Nickell didn't earn a scholarship, but did receive a medal for her participation.



Canton senior Natalie Witkowski prepares her part of the meal, while teammates Jeff Sartor, Adam Strong and Jeremy Walker work together on the rest of it. Sara Nickell was the team's alternate.

PLEASE SEE CULINARY, A5



Mel Bobcean takes a little off the back for customer John Kamph in the barber shop Bobcean has occupied since 1970.

## Razor sharp

### Veteran barber thinks Plymouth is kindest cut of all

BY BRAD KADRICH  
STAFF WRITER

After watching his beloved Detroit Red Wings get eliminated from the Stanley Cup chase with a 1-0 loss to the Calgary Flames, Mel Bobcean didn't feel much like getting out of bed and going to work the next morning, but he did it anyway.



Just like he's been doing for some 45 years, it's a love for and dedication to his craft that helped his barber business, Mel's Golden Razor, win the

best barber/beauty salon category in the recent "Best of Plymouth" poll conducted by the *Plymouth Observer*.

"I love talking to the people," said Bobcean, who figures his shop cuts some 140 heads of hair a week. "I've got kids who I cut their hair,

PLEASE SEE BARBER, A5

## Township eyes optical scanners

BY BRAD KADRICH  
STAFF WRITER

Local elections officials aren't too happy about it, but Plymouth Township will be among those communities getting new optical scanning devices for elections by 2006.

Michigan Secretary of State Terri Lynn Land said Thursday the state has placed its initial order for voting machines to replace paper ballots, punchcards and lever-operated machines.

That includes the touch-screen devices currently used in Plymouth Township. The city of Plymouth already uses optical scanners.

"I think it's bad for our residents, because they know the touch-screen machines and they trust them," Plymouth Township Clerk Marilyn Massengill said. "But it's mandatory, so there's no sense fighting it."

Land said state and federal money would be available, but Massengill said that's just for one machine per precinct. Additional machines would have to be paid for by the township, she said.

The other problem, according to Massengill, is the training that will be involved. She said most of her precinct workers are older and already have enough on their plates.

"It's a nightmare thinking about having to retrain those precinct workers," Massengill said. "They forget these are largely older people working these precincts, and just keep adding more and more to them. Sometime I have trouble keeping up. I don't know how they expect people who work with it so infrequently to do it."

City ballots currently have voters connecting arrows to cast their ballots. According to City Clerk Linda Langmesser, the state hasn't yet decided whether it will use that system, or one where the voter colors in ovals, which would necessitate a change in the city.

A letter from Wayne County Clerk Cathy Garrett indicates the county will delay any purchase of voting equipment until 2005.

"The decision was motivated by a desire to act in the best interest of all Wayne County communities and to assure, as much as possible, that the 2004 election cycle proceed with minimum disruptions," Garrett wrote in the letter, sent to municipal clerks in the county.

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## District spends grant on homeland security

BY TONY BRUSCATO  
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth-Canton Schools will spend \$50,000 in federal and state grant money to enhance the capabilities of school building administrators to respond to a terrorist incident, or one involving chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear or explosive weapons.

The money will be used to hire Patriot Services Corporation of Clawson to perform a needs assessment of each school building, then develop practical applications in case of an emergency.

"They will go to each building and perform an in-depth needs assessment to analyze such things as our building locks, fire escapes, everything related to

safety," said Bob Hayes, director of student services for Plymouth-Canton Schools.

Hayes said part of the assessment will include table-top exercises to plan for emergency situations.

Let's say a tanker truck rolls over on Main Street," Hayes said. "That would involve Smith, Allen and Hulsing elementary schools. A rollover on I-275 could involve Fiegel, Allen, Field or Eriksson."

"In that perimeter, what do we do? What are the procedures for notifying parents? Evacuating kids? What are the evacuation sites?" Hayes said. "We already have a Code Red drill for emergency situations. But the state police, through Homeland Security, is taking it a step further with CBRNE."

Hayes said Patriot Services was selected because of its expertise in handling CBRNE situations.

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# 'Dr. Mom' wins spa day in Mother's Day promo

Happy Mother's Day! The Grand Prize Winner of the *Observer & Eccentric Newspapers' Day at Tamara's Spa* in Farmington Hills is Linda Wojtanowski of Livonia.

She was nominated by her daughter, Cathy. "My mom is a stay-at-home mom, but she has the best jobs of all. My mom's a doctor. When I'm hurt she'll comfort me. When I'm sad, she'll wipe away my tears."

"Out of all her jobs, there is one that she is the best at, being the best mom in the world."

Also receiving gift certificates for their moms courtesy of Thrifty Florist are:

- Gigi Gagnier, 9, of Birmingham. Gigi wrote a poem about her mom: "My mom is like George Washington, leading me to a bright future."

My mom is like a paperclip, holding me together with love.

My mom is like a flower, as beautiful as can be.

My mom is like a sunny day, always bright and there to cheer me up.

My mom is like the army, keeping me protected from harm.

My mom, the best mom in the world."

- Danny Lawrence-Weak of Farmington Hills for his mom, Linda Lawrence-Weak

- Theresa Dodge of Clarkston, whose mom continues to nurture as a grandmother, mother and daughter

- Chris Austin of Farmington Hills for his mom, Peggy Austin

- Stephame Pierce of Garden City for her mother Gina Pierce, who is a mom to six children

- Sarah Krauss of Livonia for her mother, Diane

- Paige Currier of Livonia for her mother, Shawn

- Pooja Akkala of Farmington Hills for her mother, Rajani

- Celeste Thomas of Livonia for her mom, Chrissy

## LINEBACKERS MEET

All current and incoming Salem Football players and their parents are being asked to attend the player/parent meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 12, in the Salem Cafeteria.

Important information about the upcoming football season and booster club activities will be provided. Call Bob Kilgore at (734) 459-6393.

## SPIRITUAL HEALING SEMINAR

Reed Harris, a full-time practitioner of spiritual healing, will be the speaker at a "Spiritual Healing - It's Principle and Practice" seminar at the Plymouth Cultural Center at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 18.

Harris developed his facility for finding spiritual help in challenging situations from a lifetime of studying Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy. Harris' presentation will focus on exploring the relationship between spirituality and health. Admission is free. For more information, visit [www.spiritualresources.com](http://www.spiritualresources.com) or call (734) 453-0970.

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## CHILDREN'S SAFETY

The Plymouth Jaycees host a Project KIDCARE photo ID event as part of a national effort to provide parents with personal safety identification of their children to aid in the recovery of missing children.

The event takes place from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, June 23, at The Gathering, next to the Penn Theatre in downtown Plymouth.

Parents can obtain free, standardized, high-quality photos of their children for their KIDCARE ID booklet. Fingerprinting will also be available. The book also contains current vital statistics for the child. Entertainment will include face painting, balloons and a clown. Refreshments will be available. Call the Jaycee hotline, (734) 453-8407.

## JONES EXHIBIT

An exhibition of new paintings, sculptures and drawings by Plymouth's Dennis Jones opened Friday at The Robert Kidd Gallery in Birmingham.

The exhibit runs through June 24. Jones' new work uses restructured canvases created with lush tactile surfaces and imagery made powerful by simplicity of form.

Brimming with playful narrative, the work reflects a sense of intimacy with child-like forms and gentle color all moving in wonderful space. The gorgeous compositions, fed by

## NEWS BRIEFS



## Trip to Lansing

State Sen. Bruce Patterson, R-Canton, welcomed Ann Musson and her daughter, Kate, to the Capitol in Lansing recently after Musson won the 'Day at the Capital' at the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce annual auction in November. The Mussons are from Plymouth, where Kate is a sophomore at Salem High School.

his sensitive architectural mind, are balanced with diverse movement and energy. This exhibition will be a serious visual experience filled with character and mystery," gallery officials said in a release.

## CHARITY GOLF

Wedgwood Christian Services hosts its annual Charity Golf Classic June 21 at Fox Hills Golf and Banquet Center in Plymouth.

Local business and community leaders will join corporate sponsors for a day of fun and competition to support the work Wedgwood does in Southeast Michigan.

Wedgwood provides therapeutic services to emotionally

troubled youth in southeast Michigan. Since 1960, Wedgwood has been dedicated to rebuilding lives and families through community-based and residential programs. These programs are vital to providing healing and hope to young people whose lives have been shattered by abuse, neglect or trauma. One young person recently wrote, "for the first time in my life, I feel like I have people I can look up to. I believe I can aspire for more."

The Charity Golf Classic benefits the programs provided by Wedgwood in the Southeast Michigan area. The tax-deductible entry fee of \$180 includes 18 holes of golf, prizes, lunch and a steak dinner. Call (734) 975-9455.

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The Plymouth Community Council on Aging will hold a timely program on the new MEDICARE - Approved Drug Discount Cards at 1 p.m. Friday, May 14 at the Plymouth District Library.

Speaker Ron Lieberman of the Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program will cover enrollment, eligibility, discount



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# Class size, learning priorities in former principal's board run

BY TONY BRUSCATO  
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Former Hulsing Elementary Principal Becky Moore wrote as part of her doctoral program that someday she wanted to become a school board member.

After being encouraged by several people because of her "educational background, experience and calm decision-making" demeanor, Moore decided to toss her hat into the ring for one of two Board of Education seats up for grabs in the June 14 election.

"I know it's going to be challenging, with the tough deci-



Becky Moore

are in the mode of cutting, which isn't a pleasant thing to do," she said. "But, I think I

sions to be made," said Moore. "But, I enjoy responsibility and doing the best I can in different situations."

"We can help look at all sides and keep the cuts as far away as possible from children."

Moore said her first priority, if elected, would be to keep the focus on teaching and learning.

"I'm talking about protecting the classes and the programs we have now," said Moore. "The classroom is the heart of the district."

Second on Moore's list is salvaging co-curricular activities.

Research shows us children succeed more if they participate in co-curricular activities, she said. "I think people in our community want those activities."

Moore said she'd like to see the district develop a long-range plan for class size.

"When I recently asked about a long-range plan, they said they didn't have one," Moore said. "With a long-range plan we can keep class size down."

While many are having a hard time seeing the light at the end of the tunnel when it comes to state funding cuts, Moore remains optimistic the ship will right itself.

"It's the state's obligation to fund public schools, and I think at some point it's going to get bad enough that they'll look at restructuring," she said.

Moore said she favors the current board's decision to seek voter approval for a \$107 million bond issue to repair and renovate school buildings, construct a new elementary school in Canton, and spend \$1 million for emergency repairs at Central Middle School.

As for the future of Central, Moore said she'd like to study the issue more.

"I admire that building, it has lots of character," she said.

But, I want to know that if we put money into it, will it go 10-15 years and be a quality building. I don't have an answer because I don't have enough information.

But, I do believe we need a new middle school in Canton, because that's where the children are," she said.

While Moore believes Plymouth-Canton is a solid school district, she does see at least two areas for improvement.

"The reading scores are flat across the board, and I know they are trying to address that," she said.

"And, we've not found a way to make every stakeholder feel valued," Moore said. "People feel they aren't being listened to. We need to have open, honest communication and look at all sides."

## Fundamental fun at Fiegel

### Reading night a chance for families to bond

They say reading is fundamental, and at Fiegel Elementary School last week more than 150 people turned out in agreement.

Fiegel hosted Family Reading Night. Feed Your Mind and Body, was designed to celebrate the joy of reading.

"It provided children and their families the opportunity to do something they rarely get a chance to do - sit and read together without interruptions," said Fiegel principal Jim Johnson.

The event began with families eating a free meal together in the cafeteria. After dinner, families went to one of the building's commons areas to read.

How participants chose to read was up to them. For some

families, each member had her or his own books and read them silently. Others chose to share their books out loud to siblings or parents.

"There were no phones to answer and no dishes to clean, Johnson said. It was truly a unique family time.

The evening concluded with a performance by noted storyteller La'Ron Williams that relied heavily on audience participation. It was fun for the children to see their moms, dads, and classmates up in front of the audience. More than 25 books, donated by local booksellers and the Scholastic company, were given away following the storyteller.

It was a night to celebrate both reading and family,"



Latisha Thomas and her daughters (from left) KaLaya, Kaia and Kamryn Sharp, enjoy a book during Fiegel Elementary's Family Reading Night.

Johnson said. It was also a night that highlighted the importance of a strong partnership between school and family.

The event was organized by

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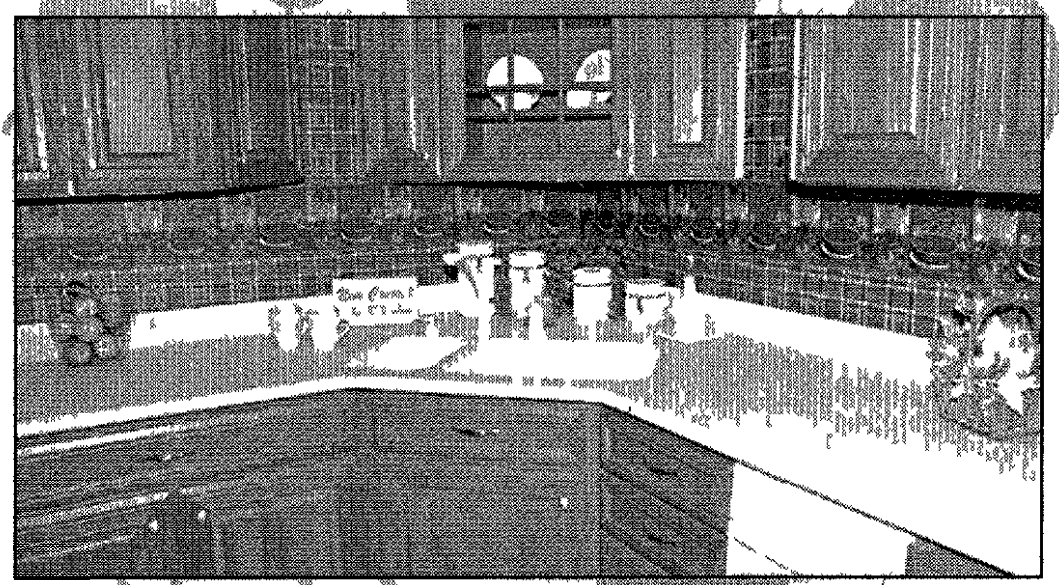
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**DEATHS**

**K**  
 Carl E. Kohn, 86, of Rochester Hills, died May 1

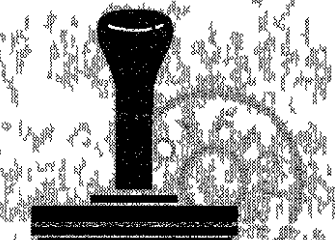
**L**  
 Kathleen M. Lawson, 89, of Boulder, Colo., formerly of Redford, died Dr. James C. Lowe, of Bloomfield Hills, died May 4

**M**  
 Patricia A. Madrey, 63, of Farmington Hills, died May 4

**O**  
 Richard A. Olack, 60, formerly of Garden City, died May 1

**R**  
 John E. Rothfuss, 92, of Troy, died April 30

**T**  
 Loretta A. Thomas, 87, of Rochester Hills, died May 3



For the Record appears in every edition of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Complete paid obituaries can be found inside today's Observer Life section in Passages on page C4.

**POLICE BLOTTER**

**Stolen tires**  
 Workers at Fox Hills Chrysler Jeep came to work May 2 and found two 2004 Chrysler Pacificas up on yellow bricks, with the tires and rims stolen. Police have no suspects in the theft.

**Construction theft**  
 Officials from Oakwood Custom Homes reported to a Beck Road construction site April 30 and discovered thieves had made off with a large quantity of wood, siding and insulation. A pallet of at least 100 sheets of one-inch plywood was among the missing items.

**Stereo swiped**  
 A car owner reported his son parked his car in the family's driveway on Haverhill and, the next day, discovered a stereo amplifier and subwoofer had been stolen. There were no witnesses and police have no suspects.

**Car thefts**  
 Sometime between 10 p.m. April 27 and 7 a.m. April 28, someone stole

a black 2004 Dodge pickup out of the northeast parking lot at the Comfort Inn. There were no security cameras available and police have no suspects.

The same night, someone stole a 1994 Ford Thunderbird from outside the owner's Haggerty apartment building. Likewise, police have no suspects.

**FIRE RUNS**

The Plymouth Community Fire Department responded to the following runs from April 28-May 4:

**Tuesday, May 4** - Rescue run to a public building on Haggerty, industrial rescue run on Concept Drive, residential rescue run on Lilley, downed wires on Union, smoke investigation with wash-down on Ann Arbor Road, rescue run on Penniman.

**Monday, May 3** - Commercial rescue runs on Joy and on Haggerty; residential rescue runs on Pinecrest, on Princeton Court and on Barrington, rescue run to a

public building on Ann Arbor Road, investigation on Ann Arbor Road.

**Sunday, May 2** - Rescue run to a public building on Ann Arbor Road, residential rescue runs on Millwood, on Spicer, on Northville Road on Newport, on Deer Court and on Maple Tree, vehicle accident at Joy and Haggerty, commercial rescue run on Haggerty.

**Saturday, May 1** - Commercial rescue run on Concept Drive, residential rescue runs on Newport and on Northville Road, vehicle accident at southbound I-275 and M-14, mutual-aid rescue run on northbound I-275 north of Ford Road, vehicle accident with wash-down on southbound I-275 at M-14, smoke investigation on Junction.

**Friday, April 30** - Residential rescue runs on Eaton, on Pine, on Rocker on Haggerty and on Coolidge, carbon monoxide detector run on Haggerty, special run on Pine Bluff Court and Ridge, multiple-family fire on Brougham Court.

**Thursday, April 29** - Industrial rescue run on Sheldon rescue run

on Mill, residential rescue runs on Barrington and on Ann Arbor Trail Court, vehicle accident on Sheldon at M-14.

**Wednesday, April 28** - Rescue run to a public building on Church, open burning on Beck, south of N Territorial residential rescue runs on Glouchester, on Postiff, on Milcol, on Francis, on Appletree, on Lilley and on N Territorial, vehicle accident at Ann Arbor Road and McClumpha commercial rescue run on Sheldon investigation on Ann Arbor Road.

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Sealed proposals will be received for the construction of the Plymouth Township Recreational Park Backstops and Player Safety Fencing by the Plymouth Charter Township as Owner until 3:00 P.M. Local Time on May 17, 2004 at the Plymouth Township Hall 42350 Ann Arbor Road Plymouth, Michigan, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read.

Major Estimated Quantities are:

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- Installation of Four (4) Vinyl Coated Backstops with Hooded Canopies and Adjoining Vinyl Coated Player Safety Fencing

Plans and specifications may be examined at the Clerks Office, Plymouth Township Hall. Copies may be obtained at the office of Dietrich, Bailey and Associates, PC 107 South Main Street, Plymouth Michigan on or after May 11 2004 Documents will be mailed for a charge of \$5.00

No bidder may withdraw his proposal within 60 days after the date set for the opening thereof.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any and all irregularities or informalties contained herein, or to select any bid or proposal in whole or in part which is deemed to be in the Townships best interest.

The Owner will not discriminate on the basis of race color national origin, sex religion age or disability in employment or the delivery of services.

PLYMOUTH CHARTER TOWNSHIP  
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 Signed MARILYN MASSENGILL, Clerk  
 Plymouth Charter Township

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**PLYMOUTH-CANTON COMMUNITY SCHOOLS NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

The Board of Education of the Plymouth Canton Community Schools invites all interested and qualified companies to submit a bid for the **District-Wide Trash Bags** Specifications and bid forms are available by contacting Dan Phillips in the PCCS Purchasing Department at (734) 416-2746. For technical information please contact Harry Lau in the PCCS Maintenance Department at (734) 416 2955. Sealed bids are due on or before 4:00 p.m., Tuesday May 18 2004. The Board of Education reserves the right to accept and/or reject all bids as they judge to be in the best interest of the school district.

Board of Education  
 Plymouth Canton Community Schools  
 THOMAS WYSOCKI Secretary

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**PLYMOUTH DISTRICT LIBRARY PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Plymouth District Library Board will hold its REGULAR May meeting Tuesday, May 18, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. at 223 S Main Street, Plymouth, Michigan 48170.

The Plymouth District Library will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tape of printed materials being considered at the meeting to individuals with disabilities at the meeting/hearing upon seven (7) days notice to the Plymouth District Library. Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Plymouth District Library by writing or calling the following:

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 Plymouth District Library  
 223 S Main Street  
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**PLYMOUTH TWP. PD 734-453-3869**  
**NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE**

Notice is hereby given that on 5/14/04 at 10 am at Mayflower Auto Transport 1179 Starkweather Plymouth MI a public auction of the following:

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**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS AGENDA MAY 13, 2004**

Notice is hereby given that there will be a meeting of the Zoning Board of Appeals **THURSDAY, May 13, 2004 AT 7:30 P.M.** The meeting will be held at the Summit on the Park located at 46000 SUMMIT PARKWAY, CANTON, MI 48188. The following Agenda will be discussed:

Pledge of Allegiance to the flag

Roll Call Randy Blaylock Jim Cisek Cathy Johnson, Phyllis Redfern and Steven Johnson

Acceptance of Agenda

- Dennis Krestel of Guddo Architects Inc 24350 Orchard Lake Road Suite 101 Farmington Hills Michigan 48336 representing Dr Bazzi of Contemporary Dentistry, 41677 Ford Road Annex C Canton, Michigan 48188. Property located at 5645 Sheldon Road west side of Sheldon between Ford Road and Warren Road. Ordinance being appealed is Zoning Ordinance Article 5 00, Section 5 08 to eliminate a screen fence originally required by a previous ZBA action Zone C 2 Parcel # 039 99 0032 001 (Planning)

(Approval of March 11 2004 Minutes)

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**BARBER**

FROM PAGE A1  
and now they're married and they bring their kids to me"

It's not necessarily the career he imagined for himself when he got out of the Army in the late 1940s. He'd traveled with the Army's special services unit, playing baseball and basketball. He got into the habit of cutting hair for the guys he played ball with and found he liked it.

His neighbor in Mount Clemens happened to be secretary of the barber board. She suggested he give it a try and, working mostly construction, figured it was worth a shot.

He graduated from a Detroit barber college and came to work for Owen Reed in Plymouth. He moved to his current location on Forest Avenue in 1970 and he's been there ever since. After seeing an ad in the paper, Bobcean checked out the town and decided it was to his liking.

In addition to the business location, Plymouth had easy access to hospitals, a necessary benefit because Bobcean's wife, Nancy, has multiple sclerosis.

"I never thought of going anywhere else," Bobcean said. Mel's Golden Razor nurtures an old-fashioned atmosphere. Bobcean even has a list of his granddaughters posted on the wall, just in case customers need a baby sitter.

Bobcean knows enough about his customers to consider



Mel Bobcean, who along with his wife, Nancy, is a huge sports fan, fills the waiting area of his Forest barber shop with sports memorabilia.

**He moved to his current location on Forest Avenue in 1970 and he's been there ever since.**

them family, and vice versa.

"I got to know the families quite well," he said. "They all know about my wife, so they're always asking me about her. They're all really nice people."

The family atmosphere is one customers find satisfying.

"They're nice people here, and they have fast service," said Dick Sienkewicz, a customer at

Mel's for 12 years. "You don't wait here and they do good work. If I can't get an appointment, I just wait."

Things haven't changed much in 45 years. Bobcean said when he started, he was doing "a lot of flat-tops and Princetons." In the 1960s and '70s, long hair became fashionable. Now, he's right back to doing a lot of flat-tops.

In addition to his professional gig, Bobcean is also a fixture when it comes to helping out around the community. His favorite is collecting toys for kids, something he does every year. He also helps with Easter baskets.

"I really look forward to doing that," he said. "I get enjoyment out of that."

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**CULINARY**

FROM PAGE A1  
For Witkowski, the scholarship gives her an opportunity to enroll at the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, N.Y., the top culinary arts school in the country.

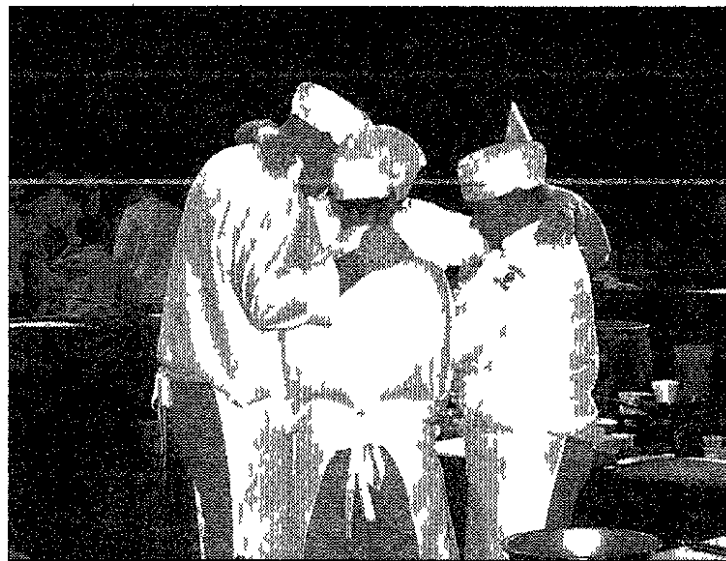
"I'm just thrilled and excited to go and have a wonderful opportunity," she said. "I was thinking about going there or Schoolcraft (College in Livonia), but I can't pass up this opportunity only an hour away from New York City."

Representatives from the Institute, as well as one from Johnson and Wales, another well-respected culinary arts school, will talk with students this week about their programs.

Carey Gary, who teaches culinary arts at the high school park with Diana Raley and paraprofessional Mary Brackney, said it came down to practice making perfect for the winning team. They were judged on safe and sanitary food handling procedures, creative ingredients and artful presentation, as well as efficiency, organization and teamwork in the kitchen.

"They practice three or four times a week to get prepared," she said. "Sometimes the judges can be so brutal, but this time they were very complimentary because they had a hard time coming up with suggestions on how the team could improve."

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Plymouth-Canton's culinary arts team gathers for a group hug before the national competition in Orlando. Teammates include Natalie Witkowski, Jeff Sartor, Adam Strong, Jeremy Walker and alternate Sara Nickell.

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# Kids will dance their hearts out at Relay for Life weekend

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI  
STAFF WRITER

More than 100 students will dance their way through the 6th Annual Canton Relay for Life May 15-16 and help raise money for the American Cancer Society.

"This gives the children a purpose to perform," said Tim Smola, who with his wife, Tamara, owns the Central City Dance Center on Canton Center Road.

One hundred sixty-six students will dance their hearts out in four performances featuring jazz, hip hop, tap and Hawaiian-style. Each show has a variety," Smola said.

"The kids are really excited. This will be our biggest performance to date," Smola said. "They have been working so hard. Some of the children will perform for their moms, who are survivors."

Of the dancers, 20 are relay team members and are collecting donations to help the cancer society. In the first year, the dance center raised \$500, in its second year in the relay, the kids raised \$700 and already, the students have raised \$1,700 and they are not done yet. The center's goal is \$2,000 this year.

Smola is forever thankful to PartyMax who generously donated a snow cone machine, an 18-person train ride, cow milking contest, and a 24-foot slide for the dance center's effort at the relay.

Michelle Manikowski, a Salem 10th grader and dance student, has collected \$575 so far and is looking forward to the relay.

"I spend the whole 24 hours there with all my friends," said Michelle, who will dance hip hop for the relay.

Michelle's mom has helped

with the fund raising, asking work colleagues for help. She tells of one of her mom's co-workers whose wife has cancer. "He thanks me every time I see him."

Michelle first got involved in the relay when she had to perform community service while in the eighth grade. "I did it and I liked it."

Three of Dawn Shrader's children - Joseph, Emily and Chelsea - will dance in the relay. The event hits home for the Shrader family. Dawn last October underwent a bilateral mastectomy and is doing fine.

"We are collecting as a family," said Dawn, who works at Oakwood Hospital and has asked for help from colleagues. "They have been very generous."

Laura Jones, a Canton High School student, considers the Relay for Life a great cause. "There has been many lives

lost to cancer in my family. I also have a friend whose father has cancer."

Laura is asking family and friends for small donations, and will do a bottle drive in her neighborhood, as well. "So many people lose their lives to cancer. My biology teacher actually told our class once that if a person lives long enough, that there is a very good chance that they would eventually get some sort of cancer. If you think of how many lives that is, it's really hard to imagine."

Smola and his wife wanted to get involved in the community and the relay seemed fitting. "Both grandfathers died of cancer. So we wanted to get involved within the community with something more meaningful."

The Smolas, who taught at Eastern Michigan University, actually were involved in the



Students of Central City Dance Center have practiced since September for performances during the Canton Relay for Life May 15 in Heritage Park.

relay before they opened the dance center.

This is sure to be the biggest Relay that Central City Dance Center has been a part of. "We are going all out this year," Smola added.

To sign up for Relay for Life, call Debbie Zevalkank, relay chairwoman at (734) 394-5188.

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## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CANTON ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids enclosed in an envelope which has been sealed and clearly labeled with the words "Fellows Creek Wetland Nature Trail at Flodin Park" along with the name, address, phone number of the Contractor, the date and time of bid opening will be received by the Charter Township of Canton Clerk's Office 1st Floor 1150 S. Canton Center Road Canton MI 48188 until **May 27th, 3:00 P.M.** at which time the bids will be opened and publicly read aloud for the following described project:

This project consists of providing all necessary materials, labor equipment and disposal costs permits and inspection costs, supervision and any other required general conditions and incidental work or items to perform the following work which includes, but is not limited to, the following: Clearing and grubbing of scrub and trees excavation and grading of new wetland areas, ditches and streambank stabilization areas placement of rock gabions and other stabilization measures in Fellows Creek and other areas construction of new prefabricated pedestrian bridge including concrete work construction of storm pipes and manholes construction of boardwalk installation of site amenities including aggregate park walks and park signage appropriate survey control for locating site elements and landscaping all as shown on the plans and as called for in the specifications.

Bid documents are available to pick up as of May 6, 2004 at SmithGroup JJR LLC 110 Miller Avenue Ann Arbor MI 48104. Attn: Lara Treemore Spears. A non-refundable fee of \$50.00 will be charged for the bid packet. An additional fee of \$20.00 will be charged for mailing the bid packet. A 5% bid bond will be required.

All bidders are required to attend a mandatory pre-bid meeting on May 19th, 2004 at The Canton Township Public Works Department located at 4847 Sheldon Road, Canton MI 48188. Meeting time will be 10:00 A.M.

Bid Documents are on file for review at Canton Township Engineering Services Construction Association of Michigan McGraw Hill Construction Dodge, Reed Construction Data and SmithGroup JJR LLC.

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.

The Township reserves the right to reject any or all bids in whole or in part and accept only the bid deemed to be in the best interest of the Township.

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# Another record month for Observer Web site

The *Plymouth Observer's* web site, hometownlife.com, recorded record usage for the month of April. Total site hits for April were more than 46 million, up nearly 9 percent from March.

The number of "visits," individuals who logged onto the hometownlife.com site in April, was 693,416, up nearly 5 percent from March. A more useful number is "page views," which measures the number of pages looked at by users, hometownlife.com registered 3,114,831 of these in April.

"Hometownlife.com brings to web users the very best of

HomeTown Communication Network's 40 Michigan community newspapers and 21 telephone directories," noted Dan Sutton, HomeTown Digital general manager.

"The site includes local news from each of our various hometown newspapers, as well as searchable listings of their classified and retail advertising."

HomeTown Communications Network is the parent company of the *Plymouth Observer* and HomeTown Digital.

Showing particular growth last month were help wanted ads on the hometownlife.com site.

These pages were seen 395,168 times. Help wanted ads placed in the *Plymouth Observer* are also run on the hometownlife.com site, with especially attractive job situa-

tions included in the "Hot Jobs" category.

"Putting your help wanted ad in the paper and getting the added reach through the web site is a terrific way for local employers to find capable employees just at a time when the economy is growing at last," Sutton added.

Classified ads from all HomeTown newspapers, presented on hometownlife.com as "Market Place" recorded 561,884 page views, up 22 percent from March.

Real estate page views also increased substantially, showing 136,768 page views, up 11 percent from March. The site includes listings of real estate for sale downloaded daily from the Multiple Listing Service computer files.

The hometownlife.com site is offering a series of new products

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## Helen Thomas asked tough questions in search of truth

Helen Thomas, the most famous newswoman in America, won't be happy with something Planned Parenthood of Michigan says about her in the press release promoting a fund-raising speech she's giving Wednesday in Troy.

They call her a "former Detroit resident." That's not what she calls herself. "Whenever I run into someone who asks where's your home, I say Detroit," she said over lunch in Washington last fall. "Even though I came to Washington on what I said was a trip in 1943 and still haven't got around to coming home."

But to most of the nation, her home is the White House, where she has been covering presidents and presidential press conferences since



Jack Lessenberry

John F. Kennedy. For most of that time, she worked for the once-great wire service UPI. In the early years, she always wore red, thinking that would make her stand out, and catch the president's eye. Later, when she became the senior wire service reporter, she was always given the right to ask the first question.

That changed with George W. Bush, after she asked him a couple of questions he had difficulty answering early in his term.

"They no longer call on me anymore, but that's all right," she chuckled. "There are lots of good journalists who can ask the right questions. What's important is that they get the chance to ask them. No president has had fewer press conferences than this one, and that's a shame."

But she still shows up. Four years ago, when UPI was sold to the News World Communications, a company founded by the Rev. Sun Myung Moon, she decided she could no longer work for UPI. She thought her career was over, but to her surprise and delight, Hearst News Service offered her the chance to write a twice-weekly column. She's still at it, but why not? She won't be 84 'til August.

"Writing a column has taken some getting used to," she confided in me. For decades, her job was just the facts, ma'am — quizzing the presidents without fear or favor, and reporting via the wires what they had to say.

Her skill at getting right down to the question they wanted to evade was legendary. She wasn't supposed to give her opinion, and that was fine with her.

"I still really believe that when people are given the basic facts they don't need my opinion, really," she said. "I still think that journalism is best when it's giving the straight story. People will never know how difficult it is to get the straight story, to get the facts. There's so much secrecy

endemic in government, in business, in everything."

She should know. She was there for Watergate, Iran-Contra, Whitewater and a million lesser scandals. Martha Mitchell, the ditzy wife of Richard Nixon's attorney general, would confide in her in the dead of night.

Now, however, she is supposed to give her opinion — and she has become more controversial than ever. She has been highly critical of the war, of President Bush's fitness for the job, of this entire administration. Her disdain is shared. When all the living ex-presidents were asked to be honorary co-chairs of an annual Helen Thomas scholarship event, they (and Nancy Reagan) eagerly agreed. President Bush declined.

But she shrugs and grins. "We aren't here to be loved, you know."

Once, Fidel Castro told *USA Today* founder Al Neuharth that the difference between his government and ours was "that I don't have to be questioned by Helen Thomas." That made her proud.

"All leaders should be questioned by everybody," she said stoutly. She doesn't feel the U.S. press has been adequately critical of the government since Sept. 11. "We've just rolled over and played dead," she said. "Who will ask the questions if we don't?"

These days, she is happy to say that yes, she is a liberal. "Absolutely!" In spades! Am I supposed to be ashamed for caring about people, for caring what happens to our country? For caring whether the sick and maimed are taken care of?"

But she said that she has always pressed every president, regardless of party, to be more open with the American people. "There is too much secrecy, always has been, though now it is worse than ever."

Whatever you think of her, nobody has seen as much of the American presidency. She'll share some of her best stories and a few of her opinions over lunch at Troy's Northfield Hilton at noon Wednesday, for those able to donate \$75 to Planned Parenthood. She'll also take questions, and answer all of them — except the big one.

"Retire? Me? I hope not! I want to die with my boots on!" she said. "What keeps her going? 'I'm self-propelled. I care about the news.' Bioethics aside, I can't help think that it would be darned good for journalism if somehow, Helen could be cloned."

For information about Helen Thomas' appearance, contact Planned Parenthood at (248) 310-0545.

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## For National Bike Month, pedal your way to fitness, clean air

Gasoline prices are creeping (speeding?) toward \$2 a gallon. The Environmental Protection Agency has announced that 25 Michigan counties (including Wayne and Oakland) do not meet new standards for ground-level ozone. Even small automobiles cost more than the first house I bought back in the 1970s. Metro Detroit has claimed the title of America's fattest (not phattest) city from Houston.

These are just some of the reasons to celebrate May as National Bike Month.

When I was a kid, bicycles were for children. Adults rarely ventured out on bicycles and when they did it was only to revive a pleasant memory on junior's bike.

In the 1970s, America experienced a bicycle boom. Bike riding became acceptable for adults, even cool. Though it has never threatened golf as an adult sport and bike sales have waxed and waned, bicycling has continued to be a popular activity for adults. The introduction of the stronger mountain bikes made it possible for puncture-shy men and women to take to highways and dirt paths alike.

But National Bike Week isn't just about the recreational benefits of riding a bicycle. It is also about promoting the nonpolluting, less invasive bicycle as an alternative to the automobile.

That's where Bike-to-Work Week, May 17-21, and Bike-to-Work Day, May 21, come into the picture. Instead of throwing the briefcase in the back of your SUV, the League of American Bicyclists wants as many Americans as possible to throw their papers into a bike pack and pedal to work or school.

It's difficult in Detroit. This is a metro area that has sprawled in every direction but up. Most people live a considerable distance from work. Unlike other urban areas, we do not have a good mass transit system or a single, central business district.

A few intrepid cyclists do arise early every day — winter, spring, summer, fall — and ride their bikes to work. The rest of us can only envy their fitness and dedication.

Still, the idea is good and makes us consider how separate our work lives and home lives have become. At one time, riding a bike to work would have been easy for most people. In much of the world, it still is.

The bicycle was not designed to be a toy, but to be a utilitarian vehicle. The simple principles of balance and gearing combined to make the bicycle one of the most perfect inventions. In fact, the bicycle preceded the automobile

and inspired its invention and the invention of the airplane (by two bike mechanics).

In recent years, the bicycle has become stronger, more finely geared, more comfortable for non-enthusiasts. There are bicycles for every ability and need. Gearing makes it easy for everyone to move a bicycle, especially on the flat roadways of Wayne County or the gently rolling hills of Oakland County.

Like many young adults, I gave up bicycling in my early 20s. Over the years I kept coming back to cycling, but not as an athlete out to challenge Lance Armstrong (or even the local bicycle club). I found the time I spent on a bicycle provided the right combination of physical activity, scenic viewing and quiet contemplation.

I now ride a recumbent. Recumbents are pedaled horizontally with a back support. I did it because of a back problem, but I keep getting kids coming up to say what a "cool" bike I have. I guess it has that low-rider, "gangsta" look.

Whatever look you adopt — sleek Tour de France racer, classic cruiser, dirt bike grinder, suited commuter — the bicycle offers benefits for you and for the community at large.

Riding a bicycle is a good cardiovascular workout without being limited to a recreation center or a short walk around the block (and less damaging to knees than running). Bicycling is a good stresser, especially when you get away from heavy traffic areas. Except for a drop of lubricant, bicycles consume little of our dwindling oil supply. The fuel is provided by leg power.

Every summer, Wayne County closes a section of Edward Hines Drive to automobiles. This is a perfect way to get into the biking habit. When I started riding again, I began with short trips along Hines Drive, until one day I had pedaled from Dearborn to Northville and back. It felt good and I've been riding ever since.

Another good ride away from auto traffic is the bikeway that connects Lower Huron, Willow and Oakwoods Metroparks. You might have to slalom around a walker or inline skater, but the park setting is worth it.

Once you've gotten your bike legs, you can explore Michigan's wonderful Rails-to-Trails system, from the nearby Paint Creek Trail connecting Rochester to Lake Orion to the creme de la creme Pere Marquette paved trail from Midland to Clare.

And, if you can, leave your car in the garage and bicycle to work. If it feels good for one week, maybe you can do it another week and then another until it becomes a habit (at least until the snow falls).

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# Globe trotting

## Chef, adventurer, author and survivor tells his culinary story

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI  
STAFF WRITER

As a youth, his life was tennis. Then I discovered girls and realized girls cost money, so I had to get a job," chef Keith Famie said.

Off to a Chinese restaurant he went and along the way discovered a career. "I was always a bad student, but I was fascinated with the cooking thing," he said.

And for Famie the rest is history. Famie spoke May 4 to guests at the annual *Observer & Eccentric Newspapers* and Friends of the Libraries and Author Luncheon. The event was hosted by the Friends of the Plymouth, Canton, Northville and Novi libraries.

While recently publishing his second cookbook, *You Really Haven't Been There Until You've Eaten the Food*, Famie told about his adventures on

*Survivor II: The Australian Outback*

When he arrived for the finals in Los Angeles, he was told that the game was officially under way. "It doesn't feel like a game when you're playing it," Famie said.

The real game was being dropped into the middle of nowhere and being forced to create a micro society with other people whose profiles were chosen so they wouldn't get along. "It was an amazing experience," he said.

Without food or water, the participants were forced to create team unity. The humorous side of his experience came when he was asked to make rice and it didn't turn out — an event that was reported in *The New York Times* Food section.

"You go in as a person and come out as a cast member," Famie said.

Recognition is what *Survivor*

gave Famie, who came in third place. He later signed with the *William Morris* talent agency and through his fame teamed up with the Food Network to create *Keith Famie's Adventures*, a 32-episode show that gave him a chance to trot the globe in search of new cultures and cuisines.

"Every culture has something unique about it," said Famie, the Chef de Cuisine at *Chez Raphael* in the 1980s and who later opened his own restaurant, *Les Auteurs* in an American Bistro, in Royal Oak. He was also named Chef of the Year a couple of times. Famie showed clips of his adventure show and the various foods he encountered, such as an egg that was buried in the dirt — an appetizer delicacy — in Vietnam.

"It tasted like ammonia," Famie said.

That chef who gave Famie the black egg to eat also talked about a particular meat, which Famie thought was duck. Finally, the chef corrected him. "No, not duck, quack, quack. Dog, woof, woof."

In China, he visited a restaurant called Snake Island filled with aquariums of snakes — your choice for dinner. While filming as he held a python, the snake bit him. A language barrier prevented him from getting a straight answer pronto on whether the snake was poisonous. It wasn't. But Famie had his own style of justice — a python dinner.

The *Survivor* notoriety has allowed Famie to draw attention to charitable causes. He is a



Chef Keith Famie autographs one of his books for Plymouth resident Cindy Bailey, as Bev Rockwood of Plymouth, center and Linda Sullivan of Northville wait their turn.

board member for Rainbow Connection, a Michigan-based nonprofit organization that raises money for children with life-threatening illnesses.

In 2003, he also competed in the International Ironman Triathlon in Hawaii to raise money for Team and Training, a division of the leukemia/lym-

phoma society.

The 16-hour day was the longest day of his life, but in the process Famie met youngster Adam Rose. "It was the most emotional thing to see my kids pushing him (Adam)," he said. The West Bloomfield resident is father to two children, Joshua and Alicia.

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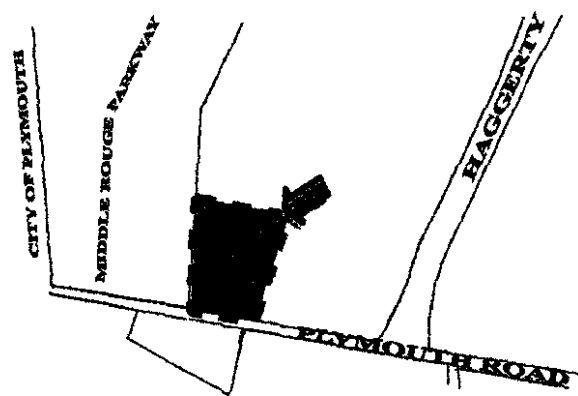
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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PLANNING COMMISSION

**PROPOSED ACTION:** Requested Approval of the Planned Unit Development Option  
**DATE OF HEARING:** Wednesday May 19, 2004  
**TIME OF HEARING:** 7:00 PM  
**PLACE OF HEARING:** Plymouth Township Hall 42350 Ann Arbor Road



**LEGAL DESCRIPTION:** For parcel description, see tax records based on TAX ID No. R78-029-99-0004-000.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Planning Commission of Plymouth Charter Township has received an application requesting the approval of the **Planned Unit Development Option** pursuant to Zoning Ordinance 83. The subject property is located on the north side of Plymouth Road between Haggerty Road and the City of Plymouth. Tax ID No. R78 029 99 0004 000. Application 1896. Applicant: Joe Patta.

The application may be examined in the Community Development Department located in the Plymouth Township Division of Public Services Building at 46555 Port Street, Plymouth, MI, during regular business hours from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. Written comments will be received prior to the meeting and may be mailed to 46555 Port Street, Plymouth, MI 48170, or call 734 453 8131, ext. 37. The meeting will be held in the Meeting Room at Township Hall which is located at 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI 48170.

KENDRA BARBERENA, Secretary  
Planning Commission

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## Clearing the height

Canton's Katie Cezat cleared 4 feet, 8-inches to finish first in the high jump Thursday against Walled Lake Western. It didn't help the Chiefs, however, Western won the meet. Results are on B2.

## Chiefs still unbeaten

### State's No. 1 team

Seven players accounted for eight goals as Canton, ranked No. 1 in the state, blanked Western Lakes Activities Association rival Westland John Glenn 8-0 Wednesday at Canton.

Andrea Johnson did most of the damage for the Chiefs, scoring two goals and assisting on two others. Rachel Perry added a goal and two assists.

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Katie Mills, Megan Romer and Maggie Maloney each had a goal and an assist, while Christie Daniels and Rebecca Houdek scored goals. The win kept Canton unbeaten, both in the WLAA and overall, in the conference, the Chiefs are 2-0-1.

On Thursday at Canton, the Chiefs saw their shutout streak — which had reached three straight — come to an end, but they got a non-league victory, edging Ann Arbor Huron 2-1.

Lisa Ealy scored the first goal, with an assist from Perry. Johnson got what proved to be the game-winner, Mills picked up the assist.

**Salem 11, Wayne 0:** Jordan Falcusan scored four goals as Salem disposed of Wayne Memorial easily Wednesday at Wayne.

The win pushed the Rocks' record to 6-2-1 overall, 2-1 in the WLAA's Lakes Division.

Megan McCarthy also had two goals for Salem, while Amy Giczki, Kelly Adst, Jennifer Murray and Jane DeWitt contributed a goal and an assist apiece. Cherri Buijk also scored a goal, and Marissa Sarkesian finished with three assists.

PLEASE SEE BASEBALL, B5

## Late homer lifts Salem over Glenn

Trailing all game long, Westland John Glenn finally battled back to tie its baseball game against Salem at 4-4 in the top of the seventh inning Wednesday — only to watch Cliff Thomas lead off the bottom of the seventh for Salem with a home run, clinching the Rocks' 5-4 victory.

The win gave the Rocks an 11-8 overall record, they are 3-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association's Lakes Division. Glenn falls to 6-15 overall, and 0-4 in the division.

Salem got a run in the first on a ground ball by Garrett Amorose, scoring Brian Bradley to knot it at 1-1. The Rocks got three more in the third when Thomas led

off with a single and Andy Thackaberry walked, both scored on Dylan Tobin's double. Tobin would later score on a bases-loaded walk, making it 4-1.

The Rockets closed the gap to 4-3 with solo homers by Billy Burton and Brett Schwartz. Burton's bases-loaded single in the seventh tied it at 4-4.

Dom Dagaunno, who worked the final inning in relief of Salem starter Dave Pawlukiewicz, got the victory. Pawlukiewicz struck out seven and walked two. Jerry Smith, who pitched the final three innings for Glenn, took the loss. He gave up just one earned run and one hit (the Thomas homer).

**Canton 10, Wayne 1:** Brian Whiting tossed a five-hitter and three Chiefs combined for six hits and six runs as the Chiefs toppled host Wayne Memorial Wednesday.

The win boosted Canton's record to 5-15 overall. Wayne slipped to 11-6.

Reece McCabe, Rich DeMeyere and Craig Galarnau each had two hits and scored two runs apiece, with McCabe and Galarnau driving in a run each.

Brad Gallison and Dave Neu contributed a hit and two RBI apiece.

## Eurostars team takes top honors

Plymouth's Eurostars Gymnastics team illuminated the Level 6 State Meet recently at Michigan Academy of Gymnastics in Westland with first-place all-around awards for athletes McKenzie Skaggs and Anna Genrich and a second-place team trophy.

The 10-year-old competitors ruled the day with Anna Genrich from Plymouth taking first-place honors with a 37.7 all-around score.

Genrich also took first place medals with a 9.425 on vault and a 9.45 on bars. Genrich was awarded fourth place with a 9.275 on balance beam, and won second place on floor exercise with a 9.55.

Kayla Weber from Canton took a third place medal for her all-around score of 37.05, placing sixth on vault with a 9.1, third place on balance beam with a 9.425, fourth place on bars with 9.1, and third place honors for her 9.425 floor exercise performance.

Chloe Presley from Farmington followed close behind Weber with a 37.0 all-around and a fourth place win.

Her vault at 9.4 and balance beam at 9.45 won her a silver medals in each event, while

a 9.25 for floor exercise took fifth place and an 8.9 on bars won fifth. Kailee Watson from Canton took a fourth place award on the floor exercise with a 9.275, scoring 8.875 on vault and 9.050 on the balance beam.

In the 11-year-old division McKenzie Skaggs from Garden City held her early state meet championship title by winning the all-around award with a 36.750 and taking first-place honors on balance beam with a 9.475 and floor exercise with a 9.375, scoring an 8.75 on bars and 9.175 on vault.

Lejla Kulagic, 12, from Plymouth shined with a 35.525 all-around, scoring a 9 on vault, an 8.25 on bars, a 9.2 on balance beam and a 9.075 on the floor exercise.

Fifteen-year-old Megan Suer from Livonia won second place in her age division with a 35.725 all-around, with a solid first place win on bars with an 8.85, placing seventh on balance beam with an 8.9 and fifth on floor exercise with a 9.15, scoring 8.825 on vault.

Coached by Petre and Tania Gueorguiev, all these performances contributed to the 112.15 team score, ranking the Eurostars' Level 6 team second in the state.

## Groat's goals, defense lead to win

Bobby Groat poured in four goals and goalie Chris Sorensen was superb in leading the Plymouth/Canton Warriors to a 9-6 lacrosse victory over Waterford Wednesday in Waterford.

The win improved the Warriors' record to 6-4 overall. They are 4-1 in their division. Waterford is 3-6 overall.

Phil Lake contributed two goals and an assist for Plymouth/Canton, and John Moylan added a goal and three assists. Other scorers were John Groat and Chris Gould with a goal apiece.

Waterford got two goals from Colin Riggs and single scores from Jack Thomas, Brandon Fralick, Trevor Donnelly and Josh Williams.

Sorensen was instrumental in the Warriors' win, staving off a four-man advantage by Waterford without surrendering the lead.

Plymouth/Canton will host a six-team tournament Saturday at Heritage Park in Canton, called Lacrosse Day at Heritage Park.

The event gets under way with two matches at 10 a.m. Canton will take on Grand Haven and Romulus goes up against Mattawan.

At 11:30 a.m., Ypsilanti Lincoln faces Waterford while the Plymouth/Canton junior varsity battles the Ypsilanti Lincoln JV.

There will be two more varsity matches at 1 p.m., featuring Canton against Romulus and Waterford vs. Mattawan.

The final match of the day in the seven-game event will be between Ypsilanti Lincoln and Grand Haven at 3:30 p.m. Of the teams featured, the only division loss Plymouth/Canton has suffered has been to Mattawan.



On a play at the plate, Franklin catcher Lisa Garbutt (left) tagged out Canton's Rachel Wade. The Chiefs got the better of it, however, beating the Patriots 3-0.

## Canton tames Franklin

To any rational mind, pitching four-straight shutouts would seem extremely impressive.

But one couldn't help but think there was a slight bit of disappointment surrounding Molly Conlon's performance against Livonia Franklin Thursday in Canton's 3-0 victory.

Very slight. Yes, it was her fourth shutout in a row. Yes, it gave the Chiefs a 3-1 record in the Western Lakes Activities Association's Western Division, they are 9-5-1 overall. Franklin slipped to 7-8 overall, 0-4 in the WLAA's Western Division.

But one must realize, Conlon wasn't quite as overpowering as she had been in her previous three games. After all, this time out she surrendered a hit.

After tossing three-consecutive no-hitters, one of them a perfect game, Conlon's streak was broken by Franklin's Ashley Bonsall, who doubled with one out in the sixth inning. It was the only hit Conlon

allowed, she did not walk a batter and struck out eight.

She had not allowed a hit in the last 24 innings prior to Bonsall's double.

Franklin's Amanda Morrill was also impressive, she gave up just four hits in taking the loss, with three walks, a hit batter and four strikeouts.

The Chiefs scored all of their runs in the fourth, two of them coming home on Stephanie Sadek's single and the third on a base hit by Erica Perkovich.

On Wednesday, Conlon gained her third-straight no-hitter by blanking Wayne Memorial 11-0 in a five-inning mercy.

Conlon faced just 17 batters, she did not walk a hitter and struck out 15.

Lauren Delapaz led the 12-hit Canton attack with three hits, including two doubles, with one RBI. Brittany Scero, Kelly Baker and Conlon each contributed two hits and a run batted in.

## Sidelines

### Crusaders lauded

Get to the top and the honors are bound to come your way.

Madonna University's softball team finished first in the Wolverine-Hoosier Athletic Conference, one pretty good reason why the Crusaders put three players on the all-WHAC team and their coach, Al White, was named the coach of the year.

Single out for honors were senior shortstop Emily Cunningham, senior catcher Arin Fowler and junior pitcher Kelly Nilson.

Cunningham led Madonna in hitting with a 365 batting average, in hits with 66 and in runs scored with 39. She totaled 10 doubles, two triples and a home run with 30 runs batted in.

Fowler hit 281 with two doubles, two triples, 25 RBI and 33 runs scored. She led the Crusaders with six stolen bases (in six attempts) and had just four errors (a .983 fielding average) in 51 games. Nilson was Madonna's ace throughout the season, posting a 20-9 won-loss record with a 2.80 earned run average. She also had one save. In her 183 1/3 innings pitched, she allowed 69 runs (57 earned) on 166 hits and 38 walks, striking out 135. Opponents batted 237 against her. Under White's guidance, Madonna finished 35-14 overall, 17-7 in the conference. Others who were singled out for honors were third baseman Kathy Day, a Livonia Ladywood graduate, who received honorable mention all-conference honors, and juniors Day, Mary Warchuck and Krystal Shina (from Farmington Mercy) for all-academic all-conference accolades. Day posted a 3.44 grade-point average with a major in education/mathematics. Warchuck had a 3.32 GPA, and Shina recorded a 3.61 GPA with a major in accounting.

### Former Rocks roll

Albion College's baseball team stood atop the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association standings after sweeping a three-game series from Olivet College April 29-30, and two big reasons for the Britons' success was the play of former Salem standouts Chris Trott and Steve Gordon.

Trott, a junior leftfielder, had six hits including a double and a home run, and drove in four runs in the three-game sweep. For the season, Trott is batting .341 with five doubles, a triple and three home runs, with 32 runs scored and 23 RBI. He is 9-for-9 in stealing bases and has made just one error in 38 games.

Gordon, a senior, gave up two runs on six hits and three walks over six innings to get his fifth win of the season. He ranks second on the team in innings pitched (60 2/3) and victories with a 5-2 record. He has a 4.30 earned run average, having allowed 17 walks with 34 strikeouts in a team-high 12 starts.







THE WEEK AHEAD

**PREP BASEBALL**  
**Monday May 10**  
 Canton at Northville 4 p.m.  
 Churchill at WL Western 4 p.m.  
 Franklin at WL Northern 4 p.m.  
 John Glenn at Stevenson 4 p.m.  
 Salem at Wayne 4 p.m.  
 Redford CC at Country Day 4:15 p.m.  
 A A Greenhills at Canton Agape 4:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Huron Valley at Macomb Christian 4:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Salem at Northville 4 p.m.  
 WL Central at Churchill 4 p.m.  
 Stevenson at Franklin 4 p.m.  
 John Glenn at Canton 4 p.m.  
 Wayne at WL Western 4 p.m.  
 Redford CC at H W Notre Dame (2) 4 p.m.  
 Baptist Park at Canton Agape 4:30 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Canton Agape at Novi Franklin Rd 4:30 p.m.  
 Zoe Christian at Huron Valley 4:30 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 Northville at Churchill 4 p.m.  
 WL Western at Franklin 4 p.m.  
 Stevenson at Salem 4 p.m.  
 WL Central at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 Luth Westland Invitational 10 a.m.  
 (all double-headers)  
 Farmington at Salem 11 a.m.  
 Churchill at Crestwood 11 a.m.  
 Luth Westland at Annapolis 11 a.m.  
 Wayne at Redford CC 11 a.m.  
 Berkley at Stevenson 11 a.m.  
 Garden City at John Glenn 11 a.m.  
**GIRLS SOFTBALL**  
**Monday May 10**  
 Northville at Canton 4 p.m.  
 WL Western at Churchill 4 p.m.  
 WL Northern at Franklin 4 p.m.  
 Stevenson at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
 Wayne at Salem 4 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Marian at Ladywood (2) 4 p.m.  
 Huron Valley at Macomb Christian 4:30 p.m.  
 Canton vs Salem at Massey Field 7 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Northville at Salem 4 p.m.  
 Churchill at WL Central 4 p.m.  
 Franklin at Stevenson 4 p.m.  
 Canton at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
 WL Western at Wayne 4 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Zoe Christian at Huron Valley 4:30 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 Churchill at Northville 4 p.m.  
 Franklin at WL Western 4 p.m.  
 Salem at Stevenson 4 p.m.  
 John Glenn at WL Central 4 p.m.  
 Canton at Redford Union 4:30 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 (all double headers)  
 Luth Westland at Annapolis 11 a.m.  
 Crestwood at Churchill 11 a.m.  
 Redford Union at Franklin 11 a.m.  
**GIRLS SOCCER**  
**Monday May 10**  
 WL Central at Salem 4 p.m.  
 Wayne at John Glenn 4 p.m.

Plymouth at A A Greenhills 4:30 p.m.  
 WL Western at Churchill 7 p.m.  
 Northville at Stevenson 7 p.m.  
 Franklin at Canton 7:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Notre Dam Prep at Ladywood 5:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Salem at Northville 7 p.m.  
 Churchill at Canton 7 p.m.  
 Stevenson at WL Western 7 p.m.  
 Wayne at WL Central 7 p.m.  
 Franklin vs John Glenn at Stevenson 7 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Ladywood at H W Regina 5:30 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 Plymouth at Ladywood TBA  
 Novi at Salem 7 p.m.  
 Churchill at Rochester Adams 7 p.m.  
 Frankl n at Garden City 7 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 Plymouth at Divine Child noon  
 Stevenson at Troy Athens 1 p.m.  
**PREP BOYS TRACK**  
**Monday May 10**  
 Redford CC vs Warren DeLaSalle at Livonia Ladywood 4 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Romulus at Wayne 3:30 p.m.  
 Clarenceville Lutheran Northwest at Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook 4:30 p.m.  
 Luth East Luth South G P Luggett at Lutheran Westland 4:30 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Canton at Churchill 3:30 p.m.  
 Franklin at Northville 3:30 p.m.  
 Wayne at Stevenson 3:30 p.m.  
 John Glenn at WL Northern 3:30 p.m.  
 WL Central at Salem 5:30 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 Stevenson Twilight Invitational 4 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 A A Huron River Inv 9 a.m.  
 Annapolis Cougar Invitational 9:30 a.m.  
 Jackson Northwest Invitational TBA  
**PREP GIRLS TRACK**  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Romulus at Wayne 3:30 p.m.  
 Clarenceville Lutheran Northwest at Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook 4:30 p.m.  
 Luth East Luth South G P Luggett at Lutheran Westland 4:30 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Salem at WL Central 3:30 p.m.  
 Franklin at Northville 3:30 p.m.  
 Stevenson at Wayne 3:30 p.m.  
 WL Northern at John Glenn 3:30 p.m.  
 Churchill at Canton 5:30 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 A A Huron River Inv 9 a.m.  
 Ladywood at A A Pioneer 9 a.m.  
 Annapolis Cougar Invitational 9:30 a.m.  
 Mercy Invitational 10 a.m.  
 Jackson Northwest Invitational TBA  
**PREP BOYS TENNIS**  
**Monday May 10**  
 Redford CC at A A Huron 3:30 p.m.  
 Canton at Churchill 4 p.m.  
 WL Northern at Salem 4 p.m.  
 Franklin at Stevenson 4 p.m.

John Glenn at WL Central 4 p.m.  
 Wayne at Northville 4 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Redford CC at G P South 4 p.m.  
 Divine Child at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Churchill at Franklin 4 p.m.  
 Stevenson at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
 Salem at Wayne 4 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 WL Western at Salem 4 p.m.  
 Wayne at WL Central 4 p.m.  
 WL Northern at John Glenn 4 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
 WLAA Tourney at Stevenson 9 a.m.  
**PREP GIRLS GOLF**  
**Monday May 10**  
 WL Northern vs Salem (St Johns) 3 p.m.  
 Wayne vs Northville (Tanglewood) 3 p.m.  
 Churchill vs Canton at Whispering Willows 3 p.m.  
 John Glenn vs WL Central at Eldorado 3 p.m.  
 Ladywood vs A A Gab Richard at Huron Hills 3:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Franklin vs Canton (Hilltop) 2:45 p.m.  
 Ladywood at Monroe St. Mary CC 3 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Wayne vs Salem (Fellows Creek) 2:45 p.m.  
 Plymouth vs Canton (Hilltop) 3 p.m.  
 Franklin vs Churchill (Idyl Wyld) 3 p.m.  
 Stevenson vs John Glenn at Fellows Creek 3 p.m.  
**Thursday May 13**  
 Stevenson vs Salem (St Johns) 3 p.m.  
 Ladywood vs A A Gab Richard at St Johns 3 p.m.  
**Friday May 14**  
 Mercy Invitational 2 p.m.  
 Franklin vs Plymouth (Hickory Creek) 2:45 p.m.  
 WL Western vs Salem (St Johns) 3 p.m.  
 Canton vs Northville (Tanglewood) 3 p.m.  
 Churchill vs Stevenson (Fox Creek) 3 p.m.  
 Wayne vs WL Central at Edgewood 3 p.m.  
 John Glenn vs WL Northern at Fellows Creek 3 p.m.  
**PREP LACROSSE**  
**Tuesday May 11**  
 Birmingham at Redford CC 5 p.m.  
**Wednesday May 12**  
 Ply/Canton at Tecumseh 6:30 p.m.  
 Mercy at Ladywood 6:30 p.m.  
**Saturday May 15**  
**Lacrosse Days at Heritage Park**  
 Ply/Canton vs Grand Haven 10 a.m.  
 Romulus vs Mattawan 10 a.m.  
 Ypsi Lincoln vs Waterford 11:30 a.m.  
 Ply/Canton vs Romulus 1 p.m.  
 Waterford vs Mattawan 1 p.m.  
 Ypsi Lincoln vs Grand Haven 3:30 p.m.  
**MEN'S COLLEGE BASEBALL**  
**Wednesday Friday May 12 14**  
 NAIA Region VIII Tourney at Marion Ind TBA  
**WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOFTBALL**  
**Wednesday-Thursday May 12 13**  
 NAIA Region VIII Tourney at Madonna TBA  
 TBA - time to be announced

TENNIS RESULTS



In a battle between two of the state's top tennis teams, Catholic Central was beaten by Catholic League rival Brother Rice, and at No 1 singles, CC's Britton Steele (above) lost to Rice's Brya Karazia May 5 at Schoolcraft

**SALEM 8**  
**WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 0**  
 May 6 at John Glenn  
 No 1 singles Mike Ware (S) def Mike Galunas 6 1 6 2  
 No 2 Pat Shaw (S) def Tim Drotar 6 2 6 1  
 No.3. Robby Wallen (S) def Ajay Taylor 6 0 6 0  
 No 4 Kushal Mistry (S) def Justin Hernandez 6 2 6 4  
 No 1 doubles Craig Lytle Christian Fenton (S) def Richard Dzuban Josiah Swartz 7 5 6 4  
 No 2 Ali El Hourani Iggy Marquez (S) def Scott Fletcher Jaycob Delpiano 6 4 7 5  
 No 3 John Schellhase Dave Geick (S) def Bruce Green James Fisher 6 0 6 1  
 No 4 Blake Foster Neil Bakshi (S) def Dan Mack Brandon Nikita 6 0 6 0  
 Dual meet record Salem 6 1 1 in the WLAA

**CANTON 7**  
**LIVONIA FRANKLIN 1**  
 May 6 at Canton  
 No 1 singles Ryan Kingsbury (LF) def Brian Keesey 6 0 6 3  
 No 2 Zach Hoernschemeyer (C) def Dave Kosmalski 6 1 6 2  
 No 3 Mike Keesey (C) def Pat Harris 6 0 6 0  
 No 4 Alex Fabiszewski (C) def Dave Ziokowski 6 1 6 2  
 No 1 doubles Jeremy Romer Alex Marinica (C) def Corey Stram Ryan Monarch 6 2 6 2  
 No 2 Duke Capelanski Amul Patel (C) def Matt Vicini Alex Witte 6 0 6 2  
 No 3 Matt Schichtman Mike Palmer (C) def Kyle Fox Jason Madgwick 6 4 6 4  
 No 4 Satwant Singh Nimit Desai (C) def Feres Askall Zack Shaver 6 1 6 0  
 Dual meet record Franklin 3 4 2 overall 3 3 1 in the WLAA

**SALEM 5**  
**WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 3**  
 May 5 at Salem  
 No 1 singles Mike Ware (S) def Chris Price 6 3 6 2  
 No 2 Mike Moranti (WLC) def Pat Shaw 6 4 6 2  
 No.3: Chris Treadwell (S) def Fadi Sankari 6 0 6 3  
 No.4 Robby Wallen (S) def Clay Bartelt 6 0 6 0  
 No 1 doubles Josh Rotenberg J R Berry (WLC) def Roma Buffa Christian Fenton 6 2 5 7 5  
 No 2 Ryan Rzeznicz Josh Kay (WLC) def Alex Poe Kushal Mistry 6 2 6 1  
 No 3 John Schellhase Dave Geick (S) def Aki Fukuta Stan Titov 6 0 6 4  
 No 4 Blake Foster Neil Bakshi (S) def Jack Oliver Benji Dell 6 3 6 1

**BIRMINGHAM BROTHER RICE 6**  
**REDFORD CATHOLIC CENTRAL 2**

Dzierbicki (BR) d Gabe Diaz Ali Daneshvar 6 3 7 5  
 No 2 Jason Zatkoff Noel Castro (BR) d Ryan Snyder Jason Beydoun 6 4 6 4  
 No 3 Alex Wand Mark Gross (BR) d Kevin Gardner Chris Atallah  
 No 4 Victor Ansara Manuel Bartolo (CC) d Mark Korn John Grodolph 6 4 6 1

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## Poor play leads to Madonna loss, 8-6

Two errors and a wild pitch fueled a four run sixth inning for Calvin College enabling the Knights to escape with an 8-6 victory over Madonna University Wednesday in Grand Rapids.

The non league loss left the Crusaders at 31-24 overall. Calvin improved to 14-23.

Preston Picard (from Farmington) continued his hot hitting for Madonna, collecting a double and a home run with three runs batted in. Gary VanAllen had three hits and an RBI and Jake Ghannam (Farmington Harrison) had two hits. Derek Dufrane started for Madonna and worked

the first three innings, allowing three earned runs on six hits with two strikeouts. Dan Duffey replaced Dufrane and was victimized by the Crusaders' defense, which committed five errors in the game. Errors by Duffey and Ghannam led to Calvin's sixth inning rally.

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There is one game at 7:05 p.m. The valid dates

include May 13 vs Oakland A's, June 3 vs Kansas City Royals, June 10 vs Atlanta Braves, July 1 vs Cleveland Indians, July 22 vs Royals, July 29 vs Chicago White Sox (night game), Aug. 5 vs Texas Rangers and Sept. 9 vs the Royals.

This is all a part of a joint promotion called "League Bowler Appreciation Days" by the GDBA and the Bowling Centers Association of Southeastern Michigan with the cooperation of the Detroit Baseball Club.

Vouchers are available on the counters at all participating bowling centers.

Go bowling and 'GO TIGERS'.

Some record scores are made to be broken, some records cannot be broken. It happened a few weeks ago at Merri Bowl Lanes in Livonia

during the Merri Bowl Ladies Doubles League, as Michelle Sterbeng of Brownstown Township and her doubles partner Debbie Hanson of Dearborn Heights each bowled a 300 during the second game of the series.

The previous high score for a woman's doubles team was 598.

The 600 score is not beatable and will be the top score nationally even though another pair could possibly match it.

This was not a fluke, as both Michelle and Debbie rank right up there with the best women bowlers as indicated by their series that night — Debbie rolled 256-300-218 (774), while Michelle had 184-300-289 (773 series).

The total of 1,547 almost met the nation's record high series of 1,561 but still good for second place. Topping it all off, this team also won the league championship for 2003-04.

The next day, as Michelle went to her job, she logged on to bowl.com and soon realized they had established a set a new Women's International Bowling Congress record.

They also received a handwritten letter from the ball manufacturer, Mo-Rich, congratulating them.

Debbie averages 209, while Michelle carries 227, averages close to the national record for a women's league bowler (234).

She has a chance to break into second place in that category as the second high is currently 225.

Both of their 300 rings were presented last Monday night at Merri Bowl Lanes by Lucille Niemi, the Detroit Women's Bowling Association house representative for Merri Bowl.

Debbie's mom, Sue McBryer, was on hand to enjoy the ring presentation.

Sue is an all-star bowler herself and says she taught her everything she knows, about bowling, that is.

Not to be out-done, Cheryl Krause of Livonia, also in the same league, had her very first 300 game two weeks later. She had games of 205-300-164 (669 series). Many bowlers would get nervous or choke up on that 12th ball, but not Cheryl.

She merely lit up a cigarette, took a couple of puffs, then calmly rolled that last strike (not recommended by this writer or the American Medical Association).

Prior to going bowling, Cheryl went to visit her dad, Jerry, who was in the hospital.

She told him "Dad, I'll bowl a 300 game for you tonight."

The rest is history.

Cheryl had also just bought a new ball, the Columbia 300 Wicked. All she ever used was Columbia equipment, and it really paid off with a perfect game along with fulfilling a prophecy to her dad.

Fourteen-year-old Andy Jones of Livonia just got more bragging rights with his second 300 game this year during the Saturday High School League at Country Lanes in Farmington Hills.

He also won the Sunday Youth Classic scholarship tournament with a 721 score, including a 278 game.

Jones is following in the footsteps of older brother, Scott, who is knocking them down at a little higher level.

Both boys were raised in a bowling environment with dad Keith and mom, Pam — both fine bowlers themselves.

Al Harrison is a resident of Livonia and a director of the Greater Detroit Bowling Association. He can be reached at (248) 477-1839 or e-mail at tenpinalley@sbcglobal.net.

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# Rocks repel Rockets in 4-3 triumph

The potential game-tying run got hung up between third and home Thursday as Salem held off Westland John Glenn for a 4-3 softball triumph Thursday at John Glenn.

The Rocks improved to 8-4 overall, 3-1 in the Lakes Division. Westland John Glenn is 2-12 overall, 2-2 in the Lakes.

Down 4-1 in the bottom of the seventh, Glenn rallied for two runs on RBI singles by Sarah Mackey and Devin Ross, but couldn't score the equalizer.

Mackey and Amy Bailey each had two hits for Glenn.

Tina Smegowski collected two of Salem's nine hits, including an RBI single in the sixth inning when the Rocks scored twice.

Winning pitcher Kelli Szczepanski went all seven innings, allowing nine hits and

one walk. She struck out three. Losing pitcher Dana Baran gave up nine hits, walked three and struck out three.

**Churchill 1, Salem 0:** After suffering back-to-back 1-0 no-hit defeats, it was time for Livonia Churchill to turn the tables on someone else.

The Chargers did just that Wednesday when sophomore pitcher Bridget Long no-hit defending Western Lakes.

Activities Association champion Salem, 1-0 Long, who recorded her second no-hitter of the season, struck out nine and walked five in blanking the Rocks. Churchill improved to 9-6 overall with the WLAA crossover win.

"Bridget used the rise, the drop and the curve (ball)," Churchill coach Carrie Korican said. "I used to call the pitches

when she was a freshman and the start of this season, but she's pretty smart and a good athlete so I've given her free reign to call her own. And since then she's just taken over."

Churchill scored the game-winning run in the second when Danelle Maxwell singled, advanced to second on a fielder's choice and scored when Ashli Wesley's grounder to short was misplayed into an error.

Losing pitcher Kelli Szczepanski allowed five hits, walked one and struck out three.

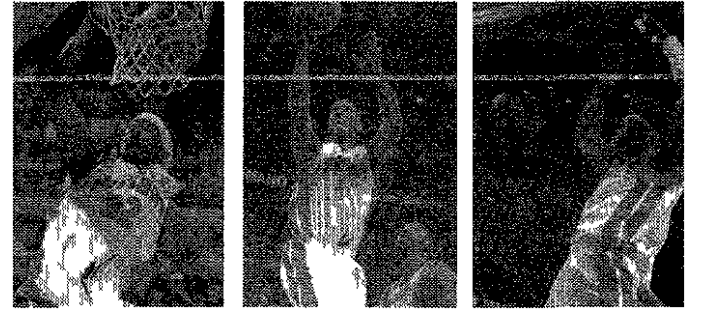
**Regina 4-5, Ladywood 1-0:** On Wednesday, Catholic League Central Division leader Harper Woods Regina (16-2, 9-1) swept host Livonia Ladywood (8-9, 3-7) for the second time this season.

Regina sophomore pitcher

Nicole Nemtz limited the Blazers to four hits in a 4-1 victory in the opener. Nemtz, an agile lefthander, struck out nine and walked only one. She also collected two of the Saddlelites' seven hits. Losing pitcher Lauren Taylor, a freshman, allowed two earned runs in seven innings. She struck out six and walked one.

Stephanie Day collected two of Ladywood's four hits. In the nightcap, Regina pitcher Andrea Ligotti tossed a six-hit shutout in a 5-0 win over the Blazers. Ligotti struck out five and walked only one.

**W.L. Central 4, Salem 3:** Walled Lake Central scored single runs in the sixth and seventh off Szczepanski to hand Salem its first defeat in the Lakes Division this season Monday at Salem.



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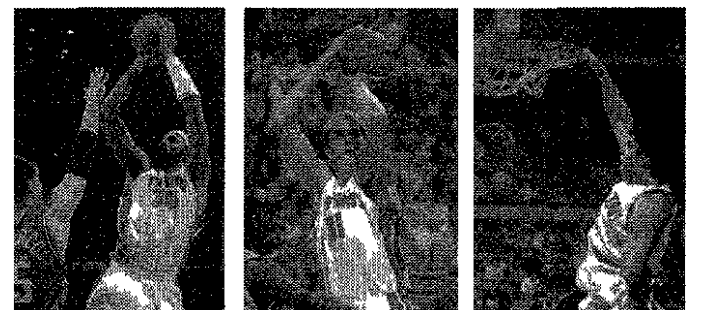
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## BASEBALL

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Whiting struck out five in his seven innings on the mound. Zebras starter Justin Collop took the loss.

**Ply. Christian 19, Roper 0:** Dave Bahbah was a one-man show in this one, pitching a one-hit shutout against Bloomfield Hills Roper Wednesday over four innings, with one walk and five strikeouts.

Bahbah also collected three hits, scored four runs and drove in five more.

The game was called after four innings by the mercy rule. Other hitting standouts for PCA were Andrew Shumaker, who had two hits and three RBI, Jesse Predhomme, who contributed two hits, two runs scored and two runs batted in, and P.J. Miller, Jordan Johnston and Ryan Arnold, each with a hit and two RBI.

**Agape 9, Macomb Christian 5:** A first Canton Agape Christian, in its first season as a member of the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference, gained its first ever league baseball win when it

stopped Macomb Christian Thursday at Agape.

The Wolverines improved to 2-8 overall, 1-4 in the MIAC.

Jared Miller, an eighth-grader, was the winning pitcher, allowing two runs on four hits and six walks. Kyle Miller got the save, giving up three runs in three innings on five hits and two walks, fanning three.

Agape scored five times in the first inning and got two more in the second. Gabe Molnar ignited the offense with three hits, stealing three bases and scoring three runs. Matt Molnar added two doubles, two runs scored and three RBI. Jack Anleitner also had two hits and an RBI, Brandon Pierson had two hits and an RBI, and Ryan Barber finished with a double, two runs scored and two steals.

Earlier last week, the Wolverines found themselves on the low side of lopsided losses to Warren Zoe Christian, 19-3 on Tuesday, and to Ypsilanti Calvary Christian, 7-0 on Monday. Both games were played at Canton's Griffin Park.

Kyle Miller took the loss against Zoe Christian, Jared Miller got the defeat against Calvary Christian. Agape got three hits against Zoe, two against Calvary.

**Brother Rice 3-2, CC 2-1:**

When Birmingham Brother Rice first met Redford Catholic Central this season, the Warriors just routed the Shamrocks.

When they met again in a doubleheader on Wednesday, the means had changed drastically, but the end result hadn't as Rice nipped CC twice — 3-2 in the opener and 2-1 in nine innings in the nightcap.

"After they beat us pretty good the first time at our place, we set a goal to get where they were by the end of the season," said CC coach John Salter after his team lost 12-5 and 10-4 in their first meeting this season. "We've improved a lot in the last two weeks to get here."

The problem came as the Shamrocks had trouble closing the door. In both games, the Warriors (21-2, 14-0 Central Division) won in their last at-bat. In the second game, CC (12-7, 7-5 Central) was an out away from winning in the seventh before Rice tied the score.

The opener went into the seventh inning tied at 2-2 when CC pitcher Bob Henderson hit Doug Pickens with a pitch. Pickens then stole second, took third on a passed ball and — after CC intentionally loaded the bases to set up a force play — scored on

an error by the Shamrocks.

Vinnie Sarafa led Rice by going 2-for-3, while Ryan Gallagher was 2-for-4 and Drew Amble had an RBI.

Henderson took the loss in relief, pitching 5 2/3 innings and giving up seven hits, two walks and striking out six. Steve Antomotti got the win for Rice with three hits, two walks and three strikeouts in four innings.

In the second game, CC held a 1-0 lead into the seventh, but Rice countered with a run in the frame. Cody Nolen led off the Warrior ninth with a triple, and after CC again walked the bases loaded to set up the force, D.J. LeMahieu singled to left.

Nolen also added a double in the game, while LeMahieu was 3-for-5. Eric Simcox went 3-for-3 with a double, triple and homer for the Shamrocks as well as scoring the team's only run. Eric Jytkofsky was 2-for-4 with a double while Gallagher and Derek Brooks had the only other hits.

Antomotti got the win in relief for Rice and gave up two hits and a walk in four innings with five strikeouts. Nate Rzeppa took the loss in relief of starter Mike Monterey, who gave up seven hits, five walks and struck out nine in eight innings.

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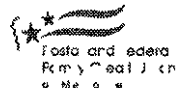
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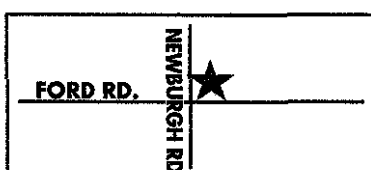


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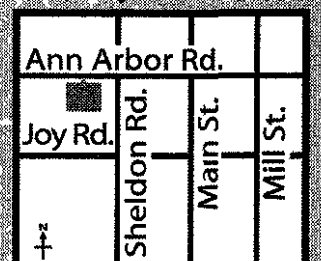
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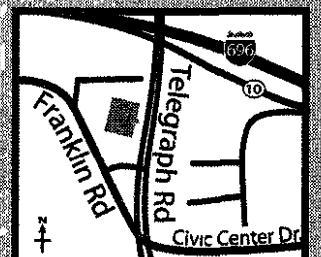


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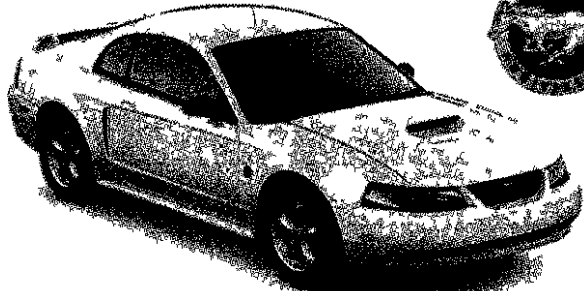
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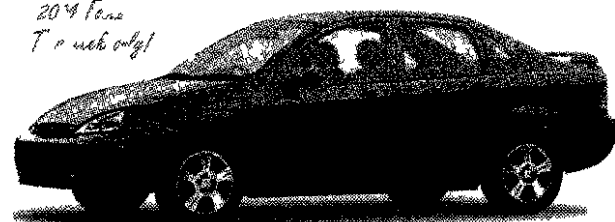
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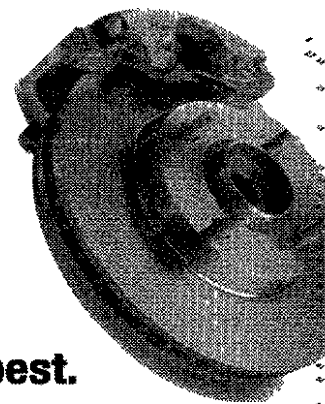
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Being afflicted with some sort of repressive gene in my brain that shrouds most of my childhood memories in a haze, I don't remember much about my mother from my younger days

Most of the memories I have are from my teen years and later. By then, Mom wasn't around a whole lot, locked into a life where she struggled with two jobs and relationships that ultimately didn't do her a whole lot of good

Still, she was my Mom. I loved her and never doubted she loved me. People have their own way of showing love and you have to make allowances for that

That lesson is clearer to me now — as I struggle to make sure my children know how much I love them — than it was before Mom died in November 1986

After she and Dad divorced, Mom worked multiple jobs. My grandmother lived with us, which didn't work out too well for us, because it meant eating things like brussel sprouts and liver. But we had a dog, so it wasn't too bad. At least the dog ate well

I remember Mom doing the laundry, going so far as ironing sheets, pillow cases and T-shirts. She didn't do much of the cooking, because her lack of skill was legendary. She wisely left that to Grandma and, later, to our stepfather

Our relationship improved as I grew, particularly when I joined the Air Force, a move of which she was very proud. She cried when I left for Turkey, cried harder when I got back safely. I was a newspaper editor then, too, so I was never quite sure what danger she thought I'd face, but she was happy when I got home just the same

She gave me a telephone credit card when I first joined the service so I could keep in touch. The first month, my part of the bill was \$300, and Mom greeted me at the door with a ream of paper, a box of pens and a book of stamps

Her first three grandchildren were girls, and she lamented her sons' inability to create, well, sons. Finally, she got her grandson, my eldest son Matthew, born in October 1986. We lived in Myrtle Beach, S.C., then, and had plans to show him off for Christmas that year

But the call came late one November night. Mom was in the hospital, and she wasn't coming out. The Red Cross couldn't pull strings fast enough to get me home, so I wasn't there when she died. I was 26 then, too young to lose my mother. There hasn't been one night in 18 years when I haven't thought about her, haven't wished I could have her back

I drive past the cemetery where she's buried at least twice a week, silently blowing a kiss only my wife understands, emotionally cradled in the warmth of the relationship we rescued in the years before she died

You frequently hear people who are frustrated because their mothers are a bit of a nag. Every time I hear that, I think, "There's nothing I wouldn't do to get one more day with my mom"

The best way to learn how good something is is to lose it. It's something to think about today, the 18th straight Mother's Day without mine

I'm sure Mom reads my column on AOL for Angels, so I'll say what you should say, no matter your relationship

Happy Mother's Day

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## Student scientists head to work at Rouge

BY SHARON MASON  
EDITORIAL INTERN

Relying upon children to clean their rooms can sometimes be difficult for parents. Even asking a 10-year old to walk the dog can be a challenge

But when Friends of the Rouge asked local schools to help monitor the quality of the Rouge River, students jumped at the opportunity

Just over 5,000 students from nearly 90 schools in metro Detroit participated in the Rouge Educational Project on Wednesday, May 5. Classes left schools and headed out to spend a few hours on the river, performing various tests to determine just how healthy the Rouge is

Students collected water samples, searched for bugs and other critters in the mud, and they measured how wide and fast the river is

They recorded all of their observations and data, and over the next few weeks will be submitting their results, or Q-Value (a numerical figure which represents the quality of a body of water), to the Friends of the Rouge, which will send the data to the state of Michigan for annual documentation

### FAMILY EVENT

Cindy Molnar volunteered to help her 9-year old son, Austin, and classmates from Canton's Tonda Elementary test on Hines Drive, just west of Haggerty

"The Rouge River is an important water system in this area," she said, explaining why she was helping out

Westland's Edison Elementary School fourth-grader Holly Sutherland's mother, Julie, took a leap straight into the river, in waders, to help the students discover the types of critters that live there

"I just hope that the kids learn that they need to keep everything clean," Julie Sutherland said. "When I was little, everyone thought it (the Rouge) was gross, but now, we're learning that there are things living in it, things we need to protect"

Power Middle School in Farmington has a bit of the Rouge in its front yard. This is exactly where science teachers Eric Hammar and Michael Theisen took some of their students to point out just what exactly is in their own yards at home

"If you don't have the little creatures, you're not going to have the big ones," Hammar told his students, who according to Theisen, are "willing to expand their knowledge by using science in



Sean Sciba, 14, a student at Franklin High in Livonia, takes samples out of the water



Livonia Franklin students (left to right) Meaghan Brownlee, 14, Alex Asato, 16, and Jessica Funk, 14, look through some sludge from the bottom of the Rouge. The Franklin High students were at Plymouth Township Park



Erin Darichuk, a volunteer Friend of the Rouge from Canton, talks with Churchill student Amir Bannoura, 17, from a bridge over the Rouge

everyday situations"

Besides digging around for bugs, students performed tests on the river water to see how safe and healthy it is. They tested for a pH level, oxygen level, temperature, turbidity (or clarity/cloudiness), phosphates, nitrates and fecal coliform

Redford's Pierce Middle School chooses volunteers who demonstrate strong leadership to help classmates conduct the tests

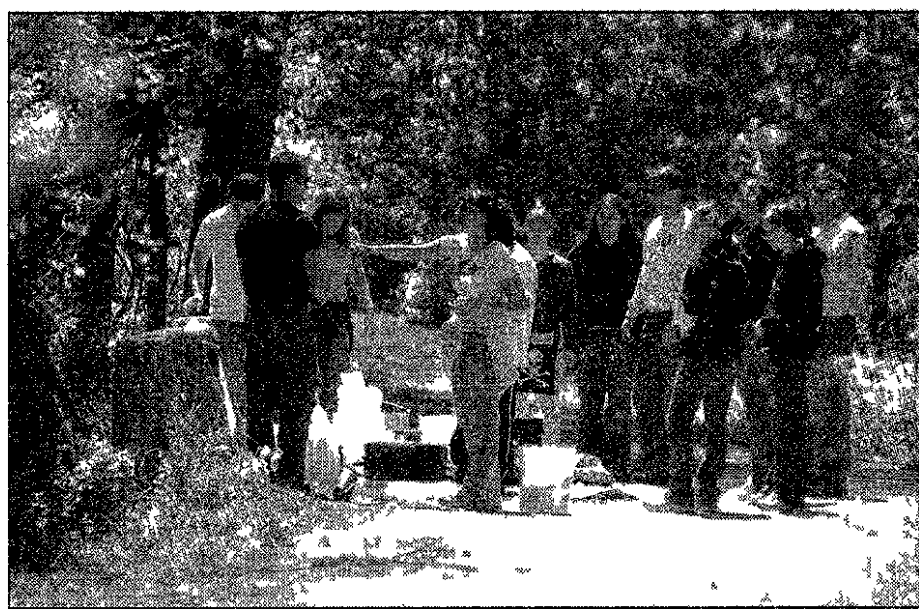
Kelley Kiefer, a 12-year-old student in Jill Davison's sixth-grade science class, is working hard to understand the importance of testing the water in the Rouge

"People need to know the quality of the river so they don't drink out of it or swim in it unless they know it's safe," she said. "And we need to know what's wrong with it to make it better"

### WANTING TO HELP

Eleven-year old classmate Pamela Yaacoub agreed completely with Kiefer. "Most people only care about themselves, they don't care much about the

environment. But when they learn a bit about the Rouge River and its problems, they want to help," she said. When Livonia Churchill High School



Students from Churchill on a bridge over the Rouge River do experiments at Holiday Nature Preserve in Westland

ecology teacher Micki Czach told her husband that she and her colleague Shanan Wheeler were taking three classes of students to the Rouge, he walked straight up to his boss at Ford Motor Co. and said that he would use a personal day if necessary, but he was going to help the community

Ford asks that their employees spend two days a year helping within the community and local charities. On May 5, several environmental engineers hit the water with Czach and her students

"I wouldn't mind learning along with the students," said Mark Fishwick, an inventory manager at Ford and a first-time helper with the Rouge project. "I'm here because I care about the environment"

His colleague, Jeannette Poploskie, also was excited to help out. "This is a good opportunity to help the community and to get students out to learn a bit more about the environment and its importance," she said

According to Czach, "If you can understand something small and at a local level, you can start to think global-ly"

## Life Sciences Orchestra draws together University of Michigan family



Dr. Steven Ewer rehearses for a concert with the Life Sciences Orchestra. Ewer is a primary care physician at the U-M Health Center in Livonia

Dr. Steven Ewer had a tough choice to make before applying for college. He seriously considered attending a music conservatory, but opted instead for Cornell University and then medical school at the University of Michigan

Today, he has the best of both worlds: working days as a primary care physician at University of Michigan Health Center in Livonia, and rehearsing nights with the Life Sciences Orchestra on campus

On Wednesday, May 12, he'll join the rest of the musicians for a free concert at 7:30 p.m. in Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor. The concert salutes the grand

opening of the university's \$100 million Life Sciences Institute dedicated to research. The concert is open to the public and begins with a 6:30 p.m. lecture by music director Laura Jackson. For more information, visit [www.umich.edu/~lsorch](http://www.umich.edu/~lsorch) or call (734) 963-ARTS

The Life Sciences Orchestra draws together faculty, staff, students and alumni from the medical, health and life sciences areas of the university. Members include doctors, medical students and residents, staff, nurses, biologists, pharmacists, dentists and family members

"It was one of the big deci-

sions of my life," said Ewer, who specializes in internal medicine and is principal violist for the LSO. "What helped me to make that decision was considering I could do medicine with music on the side but not music with medicine on the side

"The orchestra is a wonderful outlet for a lot of us in the medical profession from what we're used to doing in the hospitals and laboratories. It's something we really look forward to doing every week."

The need to combine music with science is what originally

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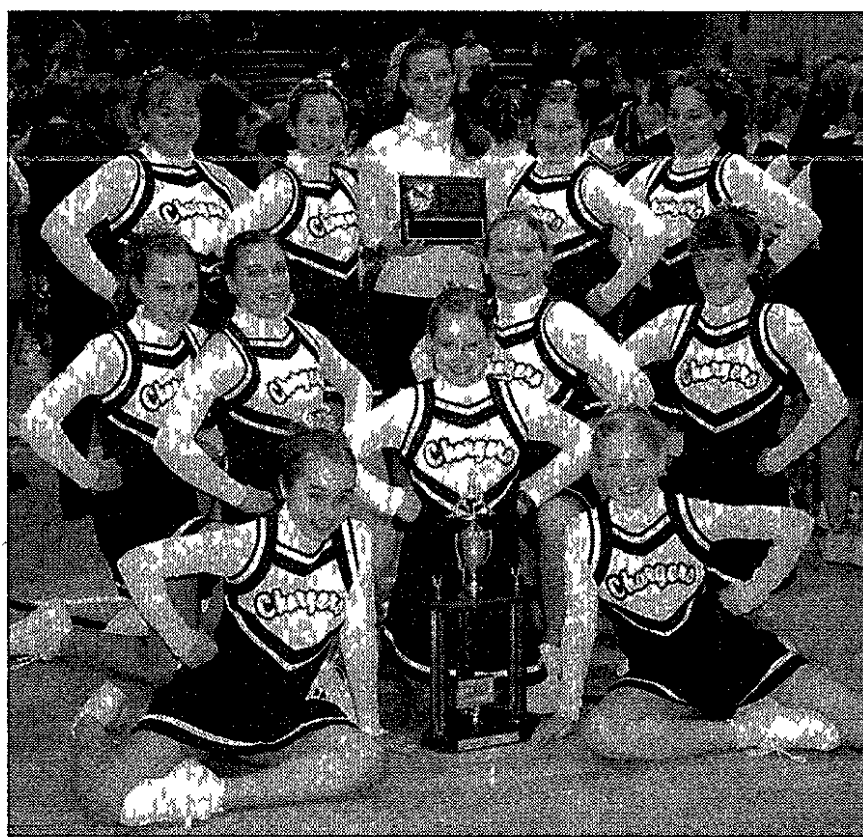
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## Let's hear it for the girls

The Varsity cheerleading team at St. Damian School in Westland has something to yell about. The team is the new CYO Division II champions. Showing off their award won at the CYO winter cheerleading competition in March are Meghan Schemanske of Westland (standing from left), Chelsea Juergens, also of Westland, coach Stacie DeBoer, Jessica Payne of Canton, Elizabeth Kruse of Livonia, Sarah Giunt of Canton (center row from left) Lauren Baugh of Canton, Samantha Kruse of Canton, Melissa Haapala of Livonia, Tricia DeBoer of Livonia, Courtney Haarter of Westland (seated, from left) and Erin Wheeler of Plymouth. Their performances were created and choreographed by DeBoer, a Central Michigan University cheerleader and former Divine Child High School Varsity cheerleader. Also serving as coaches are Jackie Giunt and Debbie Baugh.



## Star Struck

(May 9-May 12)

By Dennis Fairchild

### ARIES (March 21-April 20)

Kiddo there will always be people who want to see you fail but they'll never succeed so long as you believe in yourself. It also helps astro-wise if you refuse to react to provocation. What they say may at times be unpleasant but in no way can they harm you so ignore them.

### TAURUS (April 21-May 21)

As well as being caring and compassionate many Bull born possess an unexpected stubborn streak (hee hee). That's not all bad this week especially if others are trying to drag you in directions you would much rather avoid. You have every right to dig in your heels.

### GEMINI (May 22-June 21)

This week will be a positive turning point for you. Twin. The worse things have been for you over the past few months the better they'll be starting by the end of May. Soon you will see why sacrifices were necessary. Air your grievances now and get on with things.

### CANCER (June 22-July 23)

Upheavals at work may be unsettling but there's no need to worry because you'll benefit from them in some way. MoonKid. You don't have to change your routine for other's sake. In fact you don't have to change anything. Just watch and wait for your chance. It's happenin' soon!

### LEO (July 24-Aug 23)

You're astro wise about to enter a more focused phase one in which you have to home in on what is important to your long term goals. It doesn't mean that the fun times are at an end only that there are more serious things to think about before your birthday arrives.

### VIRGO (Aug 24-Sept 23)

Your life appears to be far more complicated than is necessary. You would do well to cut away the dead wood now rather than later. Don't allow your emotions to dictate your actions over a duty close to home. A rational view is the only sensible approach.

### LIBRA (Sept 24-Oct 23)

There comes a time when a line must be drawn between what is possible and what is not and a clash between your ruler Venus and Uranus this week suggests that this is it. By expecting too much from colleagues or those you love you are putting pressure on them as well as yourself.

### SCORPIO (Oct 24-Nov 22)

Ask what is holding you back from achieving a long term ambition. The influence of dubious Neptune this week implies that it could be an inability to see things as they really are. Try not to fall out with friends who truly have your interests at heart.

### SAGITTARIUS (Nov 23-Dec 21)

While your financial skies still look bleak at the moment planet Mercury's sign change will help to improve the picture. Remember you can't expect anyone to read your mind—especially when you have yet to make it up. Make the most of whatever resources are at your disposal.

### CAPRICORN (Dec 22-Jan 21)

Circumstances have not been easy recently. More than anything you need some tender loving care. The Sun's crankiness with Pluto is providing you with the energy and determination to steer yourself back on course. Be sure you know where a close relationship is heading before making serious plans.

### AQUARIUS (Jan 22-Feb 19)

Because you are trying to do so many things simultaneously you risk doing none properly. A Sun Pluto liaison this week will streamline your priorities but it is up to you to dispense with those commitments and activities that hinder your progress.

### PISCES (Feb 20-March 20)

Banish depressing thoughts and think only of things that bring a smile to your face. Fish. Once the Sun moves into the most adventurous area of your chart late next week you'll quickly forget about all the screwy things that happened last summer. Celebrate TODAY!

Dennis Fairchild is a Birmingham based astrologer and author of several books on divination. Call 1 (248) 646 3555 or e-mail DenFairchild@aol.com

## LIBRARY PICKS

Every week the Plymouth District Library staff provides the *Observer* with their list of best sellers based on the number of requests for titles by library patrons.

The books are available by placing a request with the library on the Web at [plymouthlibrary.org](http://plymouthlibrary.org) or by calling (734) 453 0750.

### Fiction

- 1 The DaVinci Code Dan Brown
- 2 Glorious Appearing Tim LaHaye
- 3 Nighttime is My Time Mary Higgins Clark
- 4 The Five People You Meet in Heaven Mitch Albom
- 5 Therapy Jonathan Kellerman

### Nonfiction

- 1 Plan of Attack Bob Woodward
- 2 Eats Shoots and Leaves Lynn Truss
- 3 Against All Enemies Richard A. Clarke
- 4 Three Weeks with My Brother Nicholas Sparks
- 5 Worse Than Watergate John W. Dean

### Parents' Choice

#### New Children's Picture Books

- 1 Where Are You Going, Maisie? Lucy Cousins
- 2 The Saurus Rex! Laya Steinberg
- 3 Hands Can Cheryly Hudson
- 4 The Family Book Todd Parr
- 5 Sink or Swim Valerie Coulman

## BIRTH

### Olivia Davidson

Mark and Melinda Davidson of Canton welcomed their daughter, Olivia Louise Davidson, into their family April 11, 2004.

Olivia was born at 8:13 a.m. at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She joined brother Kai Thomas Davidson, 3½, at home.

Proud grandparents are Wayne and Ida Blankenhorn of Schuykill Haven, Pa., and James and Margaret Davidson of Guelph, Ontario, Canada.

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# Play parallels mission to help disabled

Denise King thinks *Butterflies Are Free* is a perfect choice for the Community Opportunity Center's new fundraiser on May 15. The Livonia-based nonprofit housing corporation provides services to persons with developmental disabilities. The play focuses on a young blind man attempting to find his way in the world. At the center they're trying to help people do that everyday. The cost is about \$2 million a year.

The center receives much of its financial support from the Wayne Center or Community Living Services, contract agencies of the Detroit-Wayne County Community Mental Health Agency - but this year were \$125,000 short. They've managed to raise nearly \$25,000 with an appeals letter and hope to raise another \$10,000 with the theater event. King is counting on supporters looking for a special evening to purchase the \$75 tickets that include an elegant wine and hors d'oeuvres reception 6:30-8 p.m. followed by *Butterflies Are Free* at 8 p.m. For tickets, call (734) 422-1020.

The show was originally presented by the Rosedale Community Players for three weekends in February at the

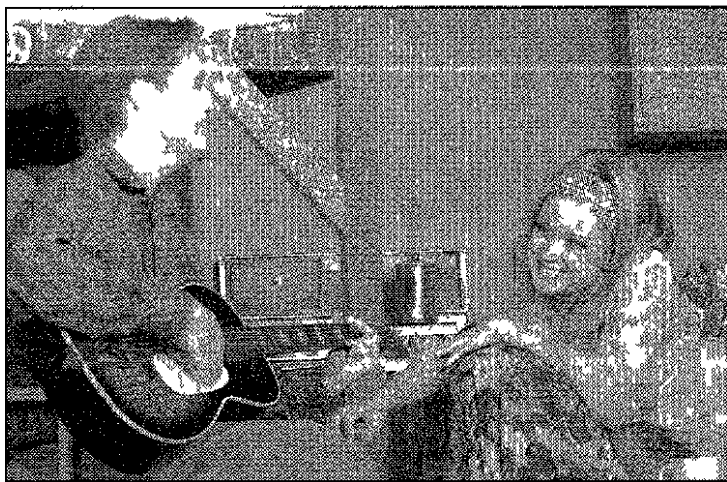
Upstage Theater in Old Redford.

"We service nearly 100 people with developmental disabilities in Livonia, Plymouth, Garden City, Redford, and Westland by providing them with homes, apartments, a variety of housing," said King, executive director. "We're hoping to educate and train people to be as self-sufficient as they can. We provide every kind of housing from 24-hour supervised to ending up in their own apartment with only a few hours of supervised staffing."

Community Opportunity Center opened its first residence in Plymouth in 1975. King came on board in 1980 as a volunteer at Plymouth Opportunity House while going to college.

"We originally opened in the 1960s with work programs and then the first home," said King. "Back then people were still in institutions or at home with mom and dad. Then the institutions began closing."

"We do feel we need to have two significant fund-raisers each year. We look at this as something that's going to grow. Our major golf outing (Aug. 26 at Fox Hills in Plymouth) attracts a certain group. We're



Rosedale Community Players Timm Gillette (left) and Jamie Frasure rehearse for *Butterflies Are Free*, a fund-raiser to benefit the Livonia-based Community Opportunity Center.

trying to broaden the types of fund-raisers."

Larry Rink agrees with King that the fund-raiser and play are a perfect fit. He originally directed the romantic comedy back in February for Rosedale Community Players. Goldie Hawn starred in the 1972 film version of the play by Leonard Gershe.

"It's about a young blind man who tries to go out on his own in New York City," said Rink, who is also president of the Players. "He moved away from an overly protective

mother. It's a coming-of-age story for him and the young girl he meets in the apartment adjacent to his. It shows young people trying to spread their wings and the growth that the mother has to go through. She must let her son go and trust he can function well on his own."

Although we have taken shows on the road before, we don't do it as a rule, but we think it's a real worthwhile organization, helping the mentally challenged people to live a better life.

## ORCHESTRA

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led to the founding of the orchestra in fall 2000.

During Ewer's university days, a group of U-M medical students decided to form a group they named the Borodin Society. Four times a year they played for a lunchtime series put on by the university's Gifts of Art program.

"The LSO was a grand spin-off from that society founded around 1997," said Ewer, also a member of the Ann Arbor and Flint symphony orchestras. "Borodin was an interesting character, a well-known composer but also a chemist. That's the science and music connection we took from him."

"We took our orchestra's name from the Life Sciences Institute because we knew they were an up-and-coming organization. It's a neat way for each of us to help with publicity of the other. The new building opening up will help foster even more relationships. They're kind of doing what we're doing with our orchestra on a smaller scale."

According to Kara Gavin, science writer for the U-M Health Systems Public Relations Office, the orchestra parallels the Institute's mission to bring together all areas of the life sciences on campus. Gavin was one of the founding members of the LSO.

"We knew of medical students who wanted to start an orchestra," said Gavin, a French horn player from Plymouth. "Harvard has a doctor's orchestra just open to doctors. We want everyone to join. It's part of the Life Sciences Initiative (former university) President Lee Bollinger was trying to bring together. Different areas of university research - some of the best researchers in medicine and dental, biochemistry - didn't know what was going on across campus. The idea was to get the doctors talking to the researchers, to help accelerate the research."

Fittingly, the concert opens with "Consecration of the House," an overture written by Beethoven to inaugurate a Viennese theater. Gavin said it's just as suited to the grand opening of the 230,000-square-foot scientific research

facility.

"The concert kicks off the new building, which has attracted new scientists and concentrated the researchers in all areas in one building," said Gavin. "It is a symbol of this bringing together. The orchestra has a lot of people in these disciplines who want a creative outlet at the end of their day in the operating room or lab. I play because I love to play. I love the music and being together with people who have similar interests. It's sort of a letting go. There are people who can't afford to make mistakes when they're working on a child's heart the size of a golf ball. They can come and let go for a little bit."

Natalie Clark isn't a doctor yet, but nevertheless enjoys the outlet it provides her as a pre-med student. Like Ewer, she grew up loving music but decided she "could be a doctor and play music, but not vice versa." The orchestra allows her to mix medicine and music.

"I think that's a pretty common theme throughout the orchestra," said Clark, a Plymouth resident who plays flute and piccolo. "In the past I played in the wind ensemble at Plymouth Salem High School and spent three summers at Interlochen Arts Camp, but when I had to decide between going into pre-med or music, I thought this is a way I can do both. I really enjoy the orchestra. This is my second concert with the group. I'm very excited. It should be a great concert."

Cindy Kamish is especially looking forward to playing Mussorgsky's *Pictures at an Exhibition*, arranged by Ravel. The Canton resident and her husband, Frank, a French horn player, have been involved with the orchestra since its inception. She is an administrative assistant and program coordinator for dermatology at U-M Health System.

"I've played *Pictures* before and have grown with it," said Kamish, a trumpet player. "I love music. Some people do sports. Music is my sport. A lot of people go out and do softball. I did jazz band, orchestra and marching band. The orchestra is fun. Even though there's a lot of intelligence there, there's no ego. They're all there to have a good time and express themselves."

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

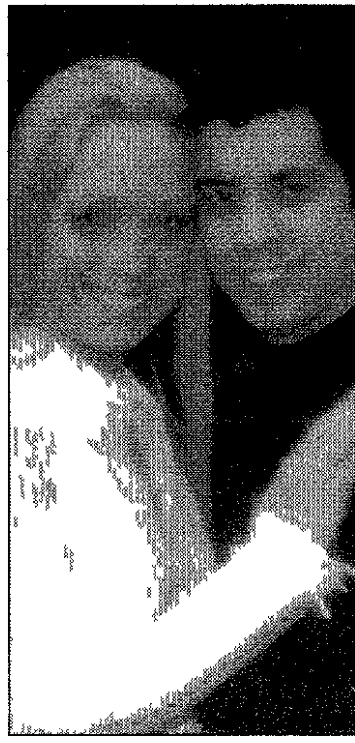
### Dziekian-Rodriguez

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dziekian of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Melissa Beth, to Michael Rodriguez, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Israel Rodriguez of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a 1997 graduate of Ladywood High School in Livonia and a 2001 graduate of Madonna University. She is currently working as a registered nurse.

The prospective groom is a 1997 graduate of Salem High School and a 2001 graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn. He is currently working in research at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

A June 2004 wedding is planned.



### Peterson-Swarthout

Mr. and Mrs. K. Nils Peterson of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Lori L. Peterson, to Fred W. Swarthout III, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Millar of Northville.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Canton High School, the University of Michigan-Dearborn and Walsh College. She is an assistant manager at DFCU Financial in Dearborn.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Northville High School and Wayne State University. He is a police officer in the City of Detroit.

The bride will be attended by Kerri Mueller, Michelle Fleming, Karen Desai, Jamie Desai and Olivia Mueller.

The groom's attendants will include John Gatti, Bob



Tamon, Collin Mueller and Nick Desai.

An Oct. 30, 2004 wedding is planned at Ward Presbyterian Church with Paul Clough officiating.

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## AROUND TOWN

## Northville flower sale

The 17th annual Flower Sale comes to downtown Northville May 28-29. The sale takes place from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. May 28 and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 29 with more than 15 greenhouses all members of the Metropolitan Detroit Flower Growers Association taking part. Main Street between Hutton and Center will be closed to cars. For more information call (248) 348-0488.

## Hospice golf outing

Angela Hospice is getting ready for its annual golf outing set for noon Monday May 24 at Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon. Individual, business or corporate golf packages (\$200-\$1500) hole sponsor signs (\$150) and tickets to the dinner reception (\$75) are available. For more information go to the Hospice Web site at [www.angelahospice.org](http://www.angelahospice.org) or call (734) 467-7423.

## Creative workshop

The Center for the Education of Women-University of Michigan sponsors The Artful Life, a workshop designed to awaken creative abilities and develop intuition for times of transition. The workshop takes place from noon to 1:30 p.m. on three consecutive Tuesdays - May 11, 18, 25 at the CEW 330 E. Liberty St. in Ann Arbor. Registration and materials fee is \$35. Call (734) 998-7080 to register.

## Diabetes support

The Diabetes Support Group at St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia hosts a discussion on Diabetes and Your Heart from 7:30 p.m. Wednesday May 12 in the hospital's auditorium. Cardiologist Sanjeev Vaishampayan is the speaker. There is no charge and pre-registration is not required. Visit St. Mary Mercy's Web site at [www.stmarymercy.org](http://www.stmarymercy.org) or call (9734) 655-8961.

## Chinese adoption workshop

Great Wall China Adoption hosts a free workshop designed to educate potential parents on adopting Chinese children from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday May 15 at the Beaumont Health Center 4949 Coolidge Highway in Royal Oak. For more information call (586) 992-0561.

## Wayne County fishing derby

The Wayne County Parks Fishing Derby is set for 8 a.m. to noon Saturday May 15 at Waterford Bend Picnic Area. Registration starts at 7:30 a.m. A fishing license is not required but participants must bring their own equipment. Sponsored by the Vietnam Veterans of America Plymouth/Canton Chapter 528 and the Northville Parks and Recreation Department. For more information call (734) 261-1990.

## Henry Ford auditions

Greenfield Village at the Henry Ford holds auditions from 5:30-8 p.m. Tuesday May 18 for musicians to play in Eagle Tavern on select dates. For information on the auditions including eligibility requirements call (313)

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## Women's Economic Club

Ford President Nick Scheele is the keynote speaker for the Women's Economic Club annual meeting at noon Monday May 17 at Ford Field in Detroit. Tickets are \$30 for members \$40 for guests. For more information or reservations visit the WEC Web site at [www.womenseconomicclub.org](http://www.womenseconomicclub.org) or call (313) 578-3230.

## Western Wayne Genealogical Society

Cynthia Read Miller speaks on Identifying 19th century Photographic Processes at the Western Wayne County Genealogical Society meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday May 17 at the Livonia Civic Park Senior Center Building. Admission is free and guests are welcome. Call (734) 425-3079 for details.

## 'Butterflies Are Free'

The Rosedale Community Players and Community Opportunity Center of Livonia present the comedy 8 p.m. Saturday May 15 at Livonia Civic Center Library 32777 Five Mile as a fund raiser for COC. A wine and hors d'oeuvres reception will precede the play 6:30-8 p.m. Tickets are \$75 each and include the play, reception and a \$50 tax deductible donation to COC. Tickets may be ordered by calling (734) 422-1020 and asking for Denise King or Elizabeth Chounard.

## Care lecture

Author and funeral director Thomas Lynch presents a free lecture on the topic The Good Death: Good Grief and Good Funerals. Finding Our Place in the Continuum of Care at St. Colette Church in Livonia. The lecture takes place from 6:30 p.m. Tuesday May 18. For more information call (734) 953-6024.

## Grant-writing seminar

The National Education Foundation National Grant Writers Association American Cancer Society American Red Cross Salvation Army and more than 30 other public and private non-profit agencies sponsor a grant writing seminar for the general public from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. May 10-13 at the Sheraton Novi 21111 Haggerty. Cost is \$659 and includes refreshments, lunch, a 300 page curriculum and a certificate. For more information call (803) 750-9759.

## Crafters wanted

Organizers of the annual Northville Sidewalk Sale are looking for crafters and food vendors for the annual event scheduled for 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday Aug. 7. Craft booths are available for \$40 per booth, food booths cost \$100. Booths are eight foot spaces. For more information call Sally or Toni Genitti (248) 349-0522.

## Museum fund-raiser

The Birmingham Historical Museum hosts Fred and Bonnie Priebe, historians and lecturers as they stage a first person recreation of Abraham and Mary Todd Lincoln's stormy courtship and great love for each other at a performance from 6:30-9 p.m. Thursday May 20. Tickets to the fund raising event are \$25, the proceeds of which benefit the Birmingham Historical Society's Museum Endowment Fund. Tickets must be purchased in advance at the museum. Call (248) 642-2817 for more

information

## Menopause lecture

The Mia Mahalo Workshop Series continues with Taking Charge of Menopause, a lecture that discusses what happens to the body during menopause presented by nutrition and wellness educator Erik Muzzy, owner of Peak Performance Nutrition at 7 p.m. Thursday May 13. Admission is complimentary. Mia Mahalo is located at 407 S. Washington in Royal Oak. For more information call (248) 546-1900.

## Bowtech lecture

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Meningitis vaccinations are being offered through Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan (VNA) by appointment only during May and June 2004 for graduating high school students beginning college in the fall. Appointments are available 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday. Cost is \$85. Call (800) 882-5720 Ext. 8755 for more information or visit [www.vna.org](http://www.vna.org).

## Ceramics workshop

The Ann Arbor Art Center and the Michigan Ceramic Art Association will be co-hosting a weekend ceramics workshop presented by renowned ceramic artist Malcolm Davis. Davis will demonstrate various construction and glazing techniques including his famous carbon trap shinos. The artist will host a slide show along with a potluck dinner from 6-8 p.m. May 14 at The Ann Arbor Art Center's 117 W. Liberty St. location. On May 15 and 16 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. he will demonstrate various ceramic techniques. Davis works exclusively in porcelain and says of his work: For more information or to register, e-mail Jim Spevak at [jspevak842@aol.com](mailto:jspevak842@aol.com) or call (734) 677-0206. For information on the Art Center visit [www.annarborartcenter.org](http://www.annarborartcenter.org) or call (734) 994-8004 Ext. 101.

## Fibromyalgia Workshop

A local authority appears at the Carl Sandburg Library for a free workshop at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday May 26 that talks about what can be causing fibromyalgia. To register for the free workshop call (248) 426-0201. Seating is limited, early reservations are recommended.

## Ski travel show

The Metro Detroit Ski Council hosts the 2004-2005 Ski Travel Show from 1:43-3 p.m. Sunday May 16, followed by a spring ski dance with live entertainment from 4:30-7:30 p.m. Admission is free, the public is invited.

## Golden anniversary

The River Park Chapter of International Association of Administrative Professionals (formerly PSI) will be celebrating their 50th

anniversary June 17. The group is looking for past/present members and guests to join in a celebration at the Holiday Inn Heritage Center on Northline in Southgate. The event starts at 6:15 p.m., cost is \$20 for dinner. For additional information please contact Carol Polaczyk at [kpolaczyk@hayeslemmerz.com](mailto:kpolaczyk@hayeslemmerz.com) or by calling (734) 737-5283 or Angela Devoy at [adevoys@smc.org](mailto:adevoys@smc.org) or by phone at (313) 425-3131.

## Junior gardeners

Washtenaw County MSU Extension hosts a Junior Master Gardener Class for children ages 9-11 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. on Thursdays from May 6-June 10 at Matthaei Botanical Gardens in Ann Arbor. In this hands-on program participants and their parents will explore various gardening topics in a casual atmosphere. Cost for the class is \$35. For application and deadline information or for additional details call (734) 997-1678.

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The Plymouth VFW is featuring Friday Night Fish Fry for \$7 from 5-7 p.m. Sunday brunch is available from 11

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## 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.

## 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.

## 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.

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## DAR

The Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution meets the third Monday of each month except January, July and August. A group with ancestors who fought in American Revolution. Members participate in community work involving veteran's hospitals, schools and community service. Call 734-420-2775 for further information.

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Meets on the third Thursday of the month at the Knights of Columbus Hall, located at 39100 Schoolcraft Road, Plymouth. Call Mary Ann at (734) 420-0857 for further information.

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Beasley Zalesny Post 112 meets at the I.O.O.F. Hall on the third Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m. All veterans that served during any of the wars are eligible. Contact (734) 459-7324 for further information.

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## Plymouth-Canton Civitan Club

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## LBN

Local Business Network is a business networking organization dedicated to helping you grow your business. The Plymouth chapter meets on the first and third Friday of each month from 7:30-8:30 a.m. at Old Village Law, located at 771 N. Mill in Plymouth. Please call Eric Morris at (313) 278-5070 or Scott Montgomery at (734) 462-2277 for further information.

## Kiwanis Evening Club

Meetings are held at Atlantis Restaurant 39500 E. Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth at 6:30 p.m. each Tuesday. Visitors are always welcome. For more information, contact Charlene Miller at (734) 455-4782.

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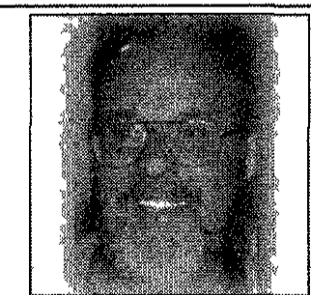
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May 4, 2004 of Bloomfield Hills. Physician at Henry Ford Hospital for 38 years. Devoted to his family and patients. Husband of Margaret. Father of Cynthia (Randall) Pappal, Jennifer (Charles) King, Robert and Rick Lowe and the late infant son Andrew. Brother of Jerry (JaNoel) Lowe. Grandfather of Brooke, Sheridan and Caroline. Memorial service Kirk in The Hills 1340 W Long Lake Rd., Bloomfield Hills Monday May 10th at 4:00 p.m. Arrangements by WM R Hamilton Co.



## RICHARD ALLEN OLACK

Mr. Olack was born in Garden City, MI on September 13, 1943 and passed on May 1, 2004 at the age of 60. He retired from Ford Motor Co. in 1999 after 35 years of service and moved to Sebring, FL. Preceding Richard in death is mother Elaine & father Vincent, brother Martin, sister Valerie & daughter Shelly. Surviving Richard is his beloved wife of 36 years, Gail Ann Olack (Strand), daughters, Lynn (Chuck) Delamelleure, Dawn (James) Williams, sons, Kirk McDonald & Richard A. (Jessica) Olack, Jr. He was also blessed with eight grandchildren: Jenny, Carlos, Derek, Paige, Kayli, Amber, Ricky III, & Kollman. Brother to Pete Olack & Sherry Qualkenbush & uncle to many nieces & nephews. In lieu of flowers the family asks that donations be made to Good Shepherd Hospice, P.O. Box 1884, Sebring, FL 33871-1884. Celebration of Richard's life to be held on Saturday, June 26th 2004. Phone contact to respond & receive directions are Lynn Delamelleure 517-545-1258, Dawn Williams 810-688-8623.

## KATHLEEN M. LAWSON

Age 89. Born January 13, 1915 in Cheboygan, Michigan. Mrs. Lawson was a resident of Boulder, Colorado, moving there from Redford in 2003. She was a graduate of Cheboygan High School and went on to the University of Michigan School of Nursing. Kathleen was retired from Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn, Michigan, where she was the supervisor of nurses. Prior to returning to nursing, she was involved in several community and educational groups. She was also an avid bridge player including many awards for her duplicate ability. She was a member of Dearborn Bridge Club, National Nurses Association and Oakwood Retired Nurses. She also read books, bowled, and loved to travel. Kathleen was very dedicated to waiving her goal to be a wife, mother, grandmother or nurse. She would have become a great-grandmother in September. After her retirement from nursing she traveled extensively to Scandinavia, Europe, and Asia. She was preceded in death by her husband of 26 years, Ralph Paul Lawson, in 1964. She is survived by her sons Peter (Saundra) F. Lawson of Oxford, Alabama, and Paul Lawson of Boulder, Colorado and her grandson, Erik Lawson of Sandusky, Ohio. A private family Memorial Service will be held. Contributions can be sent in the name of Kathleen Lawson Nursing Scholarship Fund in care of Dr. Paul Lawson, 5875 Olde Stage Road, Boulder, CO 80302, or to Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary, 420 Nobel Street, Anniston, Alabama, 36201.

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Ernie Harwell

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For example, if you tend to get heartburn, you can take a good look at the foods you're putting into your body. It's possible that a better diet can help you reduce your reliance on those antacids. Also, if you have allergies, you might want to talk to your doctor about lifestyle changes you can make. Who knows? You might be able to avoid taking another allergy pill.

We all want to feel good all the time. To me, it just makes sense to try to do it "au naturel" whenever we can.

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**Ernie Harwell**, the voice of the Detroit Tigers for more than four decades, retired after 55 years behind a major league microphone. Today at age 86, Ernie's days are filled with serving as a health and fitness advocate for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan, public appearances, writing, traveling and taking long walks with Miss Lulu, his wife of more than 60 years. His latest book, a collection of his baseball columns titled *Life After Baseball*, is available at local book stores or by calling (800) 245-5082.

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## Moms to be

### Keeping fit is important during pregnancy

BY SANDRA DALKA-PRYSBY  
CORRESPONDENT

In days past, exercise for a woman "with child" was taboo. Pregnant women were discouraged from doing any type of physical activity.

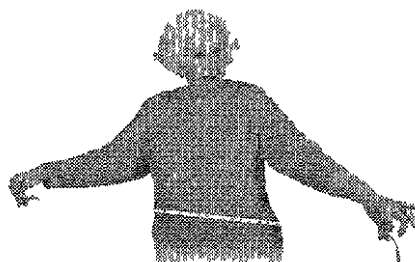
But times have changed. Medical professionals now tout exercise, when done sensibly, as a good way to maintain fitness during this special time in a woman's life.

Dr. Donald M. Taylor, a gynecologist and obstetrician practicing in Troy, said that moderation is the key when participating in exercise.

"If a woman has been active prior to the pregnancy, she can continue her exercise routine with some modifications," he said. "This may not be a time to run a marathon, but she can continue to be active, even run, at least up until the last trimester."

He added that any type of exercise that produces bouncing is not recommended during the final phase of pregnancy. "Also, there is the need, especially while exercising, for increased fluid consumption," he said. "Dehydration is not good for pregnancy."

According to Taylor, women who have not been physically active should not undertake a strenuous exercise program after they get pregnant. Walking, swimming, cycling and other



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low-impact aerobics are recommended as good ways to add exercise.

"Just about any exercise that keeps the pulse rate under 150 is fine," he said. "A woman just has to use common sense to assure that she doesn't harm herself or the baby during pregnancy."

And, Taylor said, it's important for a woman to check with her physician about what type and how much exercise she can participate in during her pregnancy.

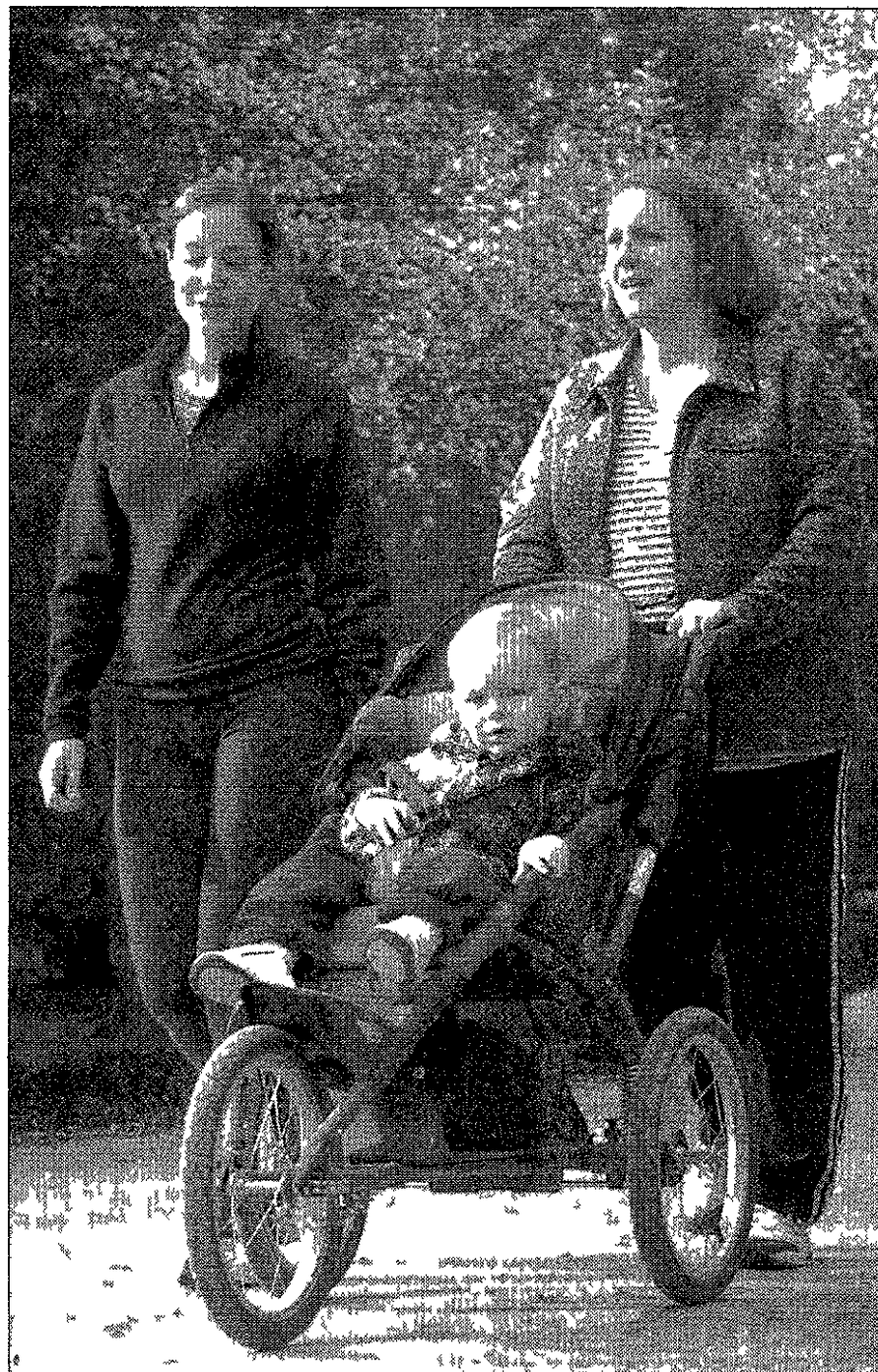
This doctor added there should be no reason for a healthy woman to suspend exercise during pregnancy, especially since regular exercise offers a number of benefits. It helps to build bones and muscles, provides energy and helps assure better sleep. It can provide a sense of well-being and good health.

"Because of all the benefits exercise offers, it is important to continue this activity when you're pregnant and your body is changing," Taylor said.

#### BENEFITS OF EXERCISE

Julie Callcut, 29, of Farmington Hills, and Zaira Kime, 24, of Livonia, know firsthand the benefits of exercising during pregnancy. Callcut, the mother of a 19-month-old son, is expecting her second child in July. Kime, who is Callcut's sister-in-law, is expecting her first child in November.

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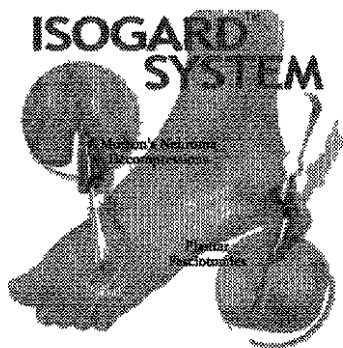
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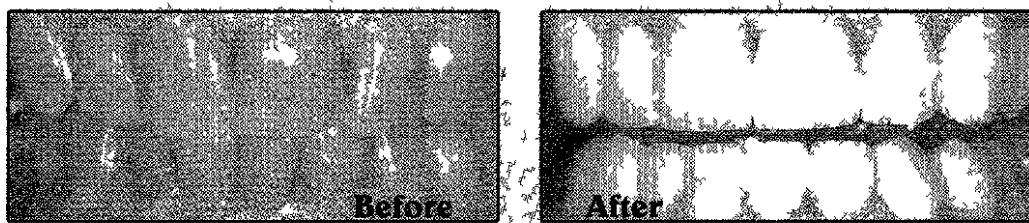
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# It's the season for sneezing and sniffing

While seasonal allergies are on the rise heading them off early by seeking treatment before the runny nose, congestion, sneezing, coughing, wheezing, and watery eyes set in can help keep these uncomfortable symptoms at bay.

"It's a lot easier to treat the allergic reactions before they start happening than to wait until you've had symptoms," said Dr. Andrew Singer, an allergist at University of Michigan Health System. "Typically, this means starting a couple weeks before allergy season even begins to get your body ready for the onslaught of allergens. Once the allergic reaction happens it takes more medication and it's much more difficult to calm things down and make you feel better."

Starting early means being ready. Depending on what part of the country you live in allergy season is likely to begin around March or April and continue right through the first frost in the fall. The earliest allergens to pop up are tree pollens, followed by grass pollens and then different types of weed pollens. Ragweed, one of the most common allergens, usually kicks up around late August or early September.

More and more people are affected by seasonal allergies. Twenty years ago about 10 percent of the population experienced seasonal allergies. Today that prevalence has doubled to

20 percent to 25 percent. Allergists notice this trend in perennial allergies and food allergies as well.

Experts suspect the "hygiene hypothesis" is to blame for the upswing in allergies. As doctors have gotten better at treating infections with antibiotics and vaccines children aren't exposed to as many infections as they were 20 to 30 years ago.

"The immune system literally gets bored," Singer said. "If one part of the immune system isn't challenged appropriately enough or with the right challenges at the right period of time then it turns into more of an allergic immune system rather than an infection fighting immune system."

Allergies are most likely to spring up around age 2 or 3. They'll get worse as children get older and collect more allergens but by the 20s or 30s symptoms tend to improve. As people continue to age, their reactions to allergens tend to lessen. That's little consolation to someone who spends the spring sniffing and sneezing.

Many different medications are available to treat seasonal allergies. Traditional over-the-counter antihistamines can treat symptoms well but tend to make you drowsy. Newer antihistamines don't cause the same sort of drowsiness and tend to last 24 hours which means taking a pill once a day

as opposed to every four to six hours. Nasal steroid sprays are available by prescription. These effectively manage allergy symptoms without making you sleepy.

If medications don't work allergy injections may be an option. Doctors determine exactly what's causing the allergy and create a customized injection of allergens based on the individual's sensitivities.

For many people seasonal allergies are easily managed with over-the-counter medications. If those don't work for you or if your symptoms are year-round, consider seeing an allergist. It's also advisable to visit a specialist if this is the first year you're experiencing allergy symptoms. Your doctor can determine that it is allergy and not sinusitis or an eye infection.

Allergies can also be linked to asthma. Among children with allergies, 50 percent to 70 percent may have underlying asthma as well. For some people allergens in the environment specifically trigger asthma.

"Certainly when asthma's involved allergies become a little bit more dangerous because the asthma can get to the point where a child or adult can have difficulty breathing, may need supplemental oxygen or may need to be seen in the emergency room for further treat-

ment," Singer said.

The best tests for allergies are a skin scratch or prick test in which the doctor places tiny amounts of suspected allergens under your skin to look for a reaction. These tests will help determine the specific substances causing your allergies. Blood tests may also be done to look for antibodies to suspected allergens.

While allergies can't be cured, there are things you can do to limit your exposure to allergens. Avoid going outdoors during peak times of year for pollen exposure. Use air conditioning in your house and car and keep the windows closed. Wear a mask when doing lawn or garden work. Shower or bathe at night to remove pollens or other allergens from your hair and skin. Vacuum your carpets, curtains and soft furniture often, and remove any mold you find in your home.

For more information on allergic rhinitis, visit the Web site [www.med.umich.edu/1libr/guides/rhinitis.htm](http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/guides/rhinitis.htm), hay fever, [www.med.umich.edu/1libr/aha/aha\\_hayfever\\_crs.htm](http://www.med.umich.edu/1libr/aha/aha_hayfever_crs.htm), allergies, [www.aaaai.org/patients/resources/fastfacts/allergies.stm](http://www.aaaai.org/patients/resources/fastfacts/allergies.stm), and controlling allergy symptoms, <http://familydoctor.org/083.xml>

## PREGNANCY

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Callout exercised regularly during her first pregnancy and currently participates in water aerobics, walking and does a set 30-minute circuit program at a fitness facility.

"Exercise helps me feel stronger and better about myself," she said. "In addition, it has been a great stress reliever."

Callout added she believes it is the exercise that helped her during her first pregnancy, as it is now, to keep within the recommended guidelines of limiting weight gain to 25-35 pounds.

Kime has already discovered that remaining active — she walks regularly, does yoga and some weight training — is allowing her to have the energy and stamina to continue a healthy lifestyle. The young mother-to-be grew up in Spain, where being active is a way of life.

"Unlike here, in my country we walk everywhere and use public transportation," she said. "We walk to get fresh groceries every day. All this activity keeps most of my countrymen fairly fit."

"For me, health and fitness go together, so I am continuing to be active every day. This will help me be more physically prepared when the baby comes."

Kime, who has a pre-existing shoulder injury from playing tennis, is also working with Mary Ann Koenig, a physical therapist at Complete Therapy in Canton. Koenig, like she does for other pregnant clients, has developed an individualized program for Kime. It takes into account the shoulder problem and concentrates on strengthening the abdominal muscles and pelvic floor to accommodate the added weight of the baby.

## WEIGHT TRAINING

It's also important to do some upper body training with weights to strengthen the arms, shoulders and back for good posture," Koenig said.

"Pregnant women can continue to do weight training, but they should use smaller weights so problems don't develop."

The therapist added that the aim of her program is to assure less back strain, good body mechanics and provide new mothers with the ability to comfortably pick up and hold their babies.

"Pregnancy is a normal pathological state for a woman's body to be in," Koenig said. "Because of this, continued exercise is possible as long as precautions are taken."

She stressed, however, that no exercise program should be undertaken without a doctor's consent.

Callout got her doctor's approval before continuing with her exercise program.

"I just go a little slower than I did in my pre-pregnancy days," she said. "Also, if I find that an exercise I'm doing is uncomfortable, I stop doing it. I try to use good common sense."

Kime also believes that common sense is the best tool to use when it comes to exercise.

"I will continue to do what I've been doing with the needed modifications for pregnancy," she said. "This, I hope, will keep me healthy and that things will go well for the baby and me."

Taylor, who has been in practice for 29 years, said that while participating in moderate exercise is normally safe for the majority of pregnant women, there are times when activity should be terminated. These include pain, vaginal bleeding, dizziness or feeling faint, headache, increased shortness of breath, muscle weakness, rapid heartbeat, calf pain or swelling, difficulty walking, uterine contractions and chest pain, decreased fetal movement, and amniotic fluid leakage.

## MEDICAL DATEBOOK

### MAY

#### Adult grief support group

A self help support group for any adult grieving the death of a loved one meets the first and third Monday of the month at 2:30 p.m. at Community Hospice and Palliative Care 32932 Warren Road Suite 100 Westland. No charge. Open to all. For more information call (734) 522-4244.

#### Thyroid support group

Meeting featuring speaker Kristen Pierce 6:30 p.m. Monday May 10 at the Plymouth Library 223 S. Main St. A Registered Dietitian from Lifetime Fitness Pierce will be speaking on how to eat healthy and stay healthy what type of diet is good for a thyroid and much more. For more information call Tracy Green at (734) 453-7945 or send e-mail to mithy.roid@yahoo.com.

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#### Asthma screening program

The American College of Allergy Asthma and Immunology presents its annual Nationwide Asthma Screening program to help adults and children determine if breathing problems may be asthma May 11 at Lakeside Mall 14000 Lakeside Circle Sterling Heights and May 22 at Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center 18101 Oakwood Blvd Dearborn. Detroit area allergists who are asthma specialists will conduct the free screenings. For more information on asthma and allergies visit the Web site at [www.allergy.mcg.edu](http://www.allergy.mcg.edu).

#### Weight Control Support Group

5 p.m. Tuesday May 11 at the New Horizons Medical Center located at 19335 Merriman north of 7 Mile Livonia. A guest Nutritionist answers questions and discusses health strategies for weight control as well

as speaks with Dr. Marc Mastropaolo about medical concerns of obesity. For more information call (248) 474-4900. Please come join us. This is for anyone interested in living a healthy lifestyle and controlling their weight especially for people who have had or are considering surgery for weight control.

#### Ladies Night Out

Come enjoy an evening of free manicures professional fittings for swimsuits spinal screening food samplings and 10 minute chair massage 6-9 p.m. Tuesday May 11 at Shaft Chiropractic 8500 Canton Center Road Canton. To RSVP call (734) 455-3933. Donation of \$1 will benefit the First Step women's shelter.

#### Diabetes Support Group

Host a discussion on Diabetes and your heart 7:30 p.m. Wednesday May 12 in the St. Mary Mercy Hospital Auditorium 36475 Five Mile Road at Levan Livonia. Please use the Main Entrance on Five Mile Road. For more information or directions call (734) 655-8961. The speaker is Sanjeev Vaishampayan MD cardiologist St. Mary Mercy Hospital. The Diabetes Support Group presents a new topic on the second Wednesday of each month for adults with diabetes and family members. There is no charge. Pre registration not required.

#### Let's Talk

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With Dr. Nicole Whitehead on Wednesday May 12 at the Plymouth Cultural Center 525 Farmer. The free seminar focuses on how proper structure nutrition and exercise can help you manage the disease natu-

rally to register call (248) 426-0201. Seating limited.

#### Weight loss program

Five Secrets to Permanent Weight Loss presented by the Doctors Speakers Bureau 6 p.m. Wednesday May 12 at the Alfred Noble Livonia Public Library. Learn why diets don't work and why eating fat doesn't make you fat. Find out how hormonal imbalance causes weight gain and how to prevent adult onset Diabetes. Speaker is Dr. Carol Fischer D.C. Limited Seating. To register call (734) 425-8588.

#### Managing Stress Effectively


Woman today juggle multiple roles and struggle with demands of work school family war the economy. St. Mary Mercy Hospital will host a presentation for Ladies Night Out entitled The Truth about Managing Stress Effectively 7:30 p.m. Thursday May 13 in the St. Mary Mercy Auditorium 36475 Five Mile in Livonia. Please use the Five Mile Road Entrance. Registration required. Call (734) 655-1182. Bone density screenings massages and blood pressure (free) and cholesterol screenings (\$10) will take place from 6-7 p.m. The speakers are St. Mary Mercy's Elisa Bressler MSW CSW and Lisa Schirmer Ph.D. LLP. They will define stress the physical and emotional consequences of stress and how to cope with it effectively.

#### Arthritis Conference

If you are experiencing arthritis pain more hope is now available through many new holistic therapies. To find more strategies plan to attend the Breakthroughs for Arthritis conference 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday May 14 in the Administrative Services and Conference Center at Henry Ford Community College 501 Evergreen Dearborn. Discover the benefits of Feldenkrais movements guided imagery therapy acupuncture natural hormones vitamins minerals nutritional supplements and more. Lunch and exhibitor booths are included in the cost of \$39 for Dearborn School District residents \$54 for nurses \$44 for all others. Nurses who attend this entire event can earn 4.5 contact hours. To register call (313) 317-1500 or (877) 855-5252. Registration deadline is May 10.

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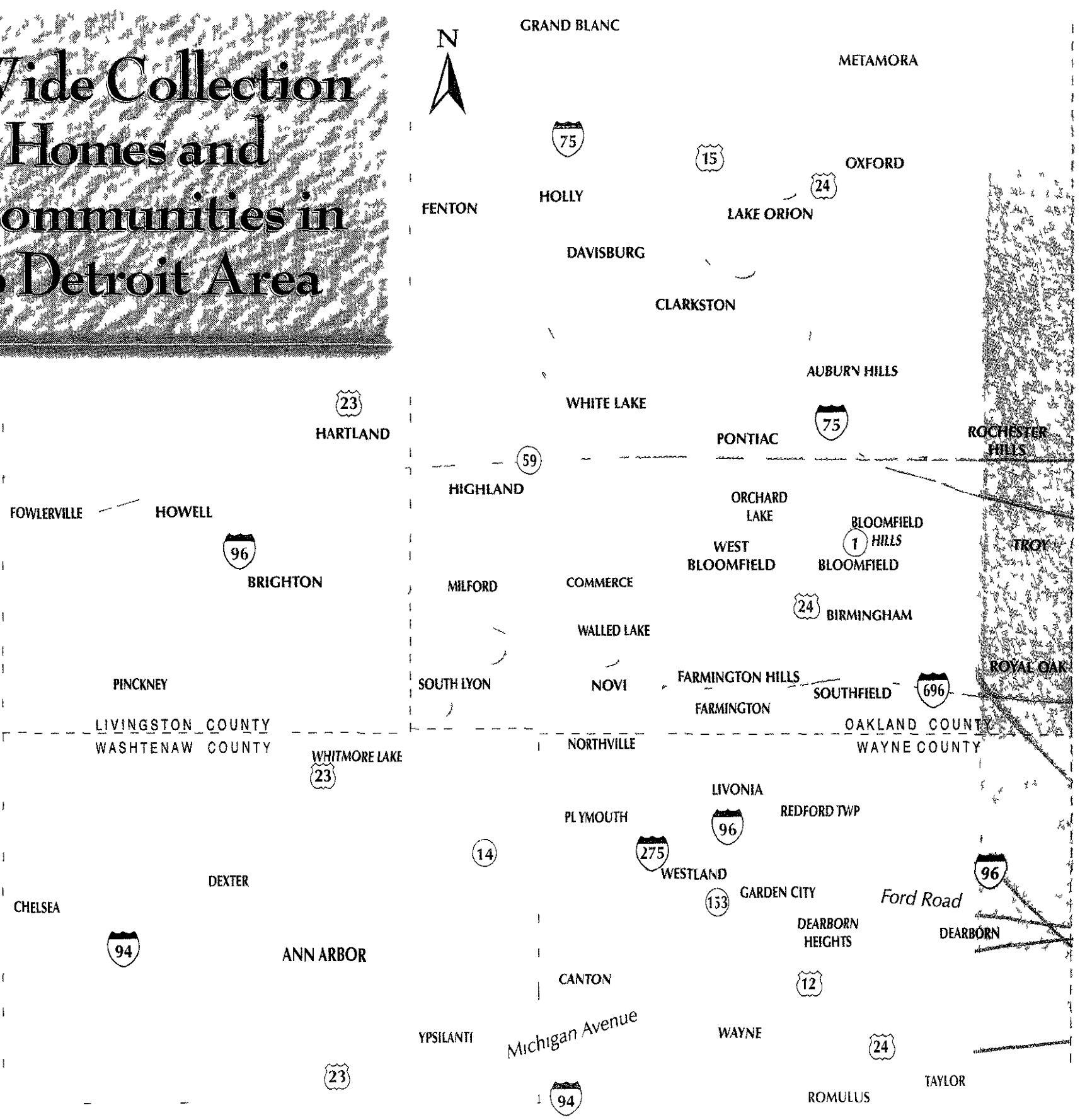
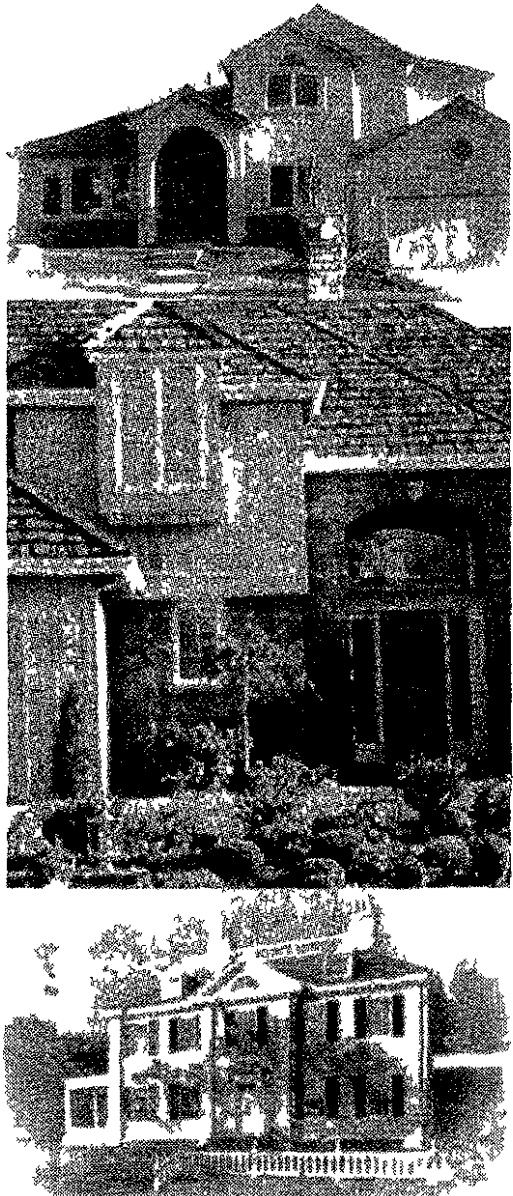
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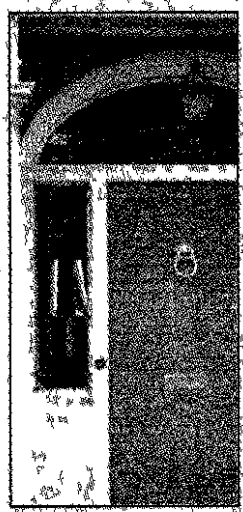
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It's an old story illustrating positive thinking. Two men are working in the excavation for a new church. A passer-by asks what they're doing. One man says he's digging a hole. The second man says he's building a cathedral.

Earl LaFave said, yes, he'd be like the second man. "There was that moment, he said, when the gravel pit stopped being just a gravel pit and started being the heart of a new community where hundreds would live and play.

The Beck Companies, which LaFave operates with his brother, Steven, mined stone and sand from a hill more than 300 feet high and a half-mile to a mile wide near Kensington Road in Brighton.

When they got down to ground level, the backhoes, cranes and excavation loaders pulled ton after ton of gravel from an ever-growing cavity.

Before long, seeping ground water, and underground springs now cleared of ancient blockage, began to fill the cavity. The backhoes were parked along what was becoming a shoreline. Dredges and underwater vacuums continued the work.

## TAKING SHAPE

"Yes," LaFave said, thinking back to that day in the late 1980s when "we no longer were just digging gravel but now were shaping something else."

## BUYERS' GUIDE

Hidden Lake is in Brighton, off of Silver Lake Road, east of U.S. 23, south of I-96.

For information, call (248) 486-8110. Or go to [www.hiddenlakeonline.com](http://www.hiddenlakeonline.com). Homes feature a collection of upscale residential styles including attached and detached condominiums priced from the \$400,000s, single-family homes on one-half-acre sites from the \$500,000s, custom estate homes on one-half to one-and-a-half-acre parcels from the \$750,000s to over \$1 million.

Builders currently working in Hidden Lake, according to Earl LaFave, include Antek Custom Building Co., James D. Compo Inc., MicMurphy's Custom Home Builders, Wineman & Komer, O'Connell Custom Homes, and Melonio Custom Homes.

The community is served by Brighton schools. Proposed amenities include a private marina, sandy beach and designated swim area, community events area for outdoor entertainment, boat launch, fishing pier, miles of paved walking trails, and lighted ice skating area.

'In winter, we put sand on the ice and when it thawed the sand went under the water.'

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Beck Companies

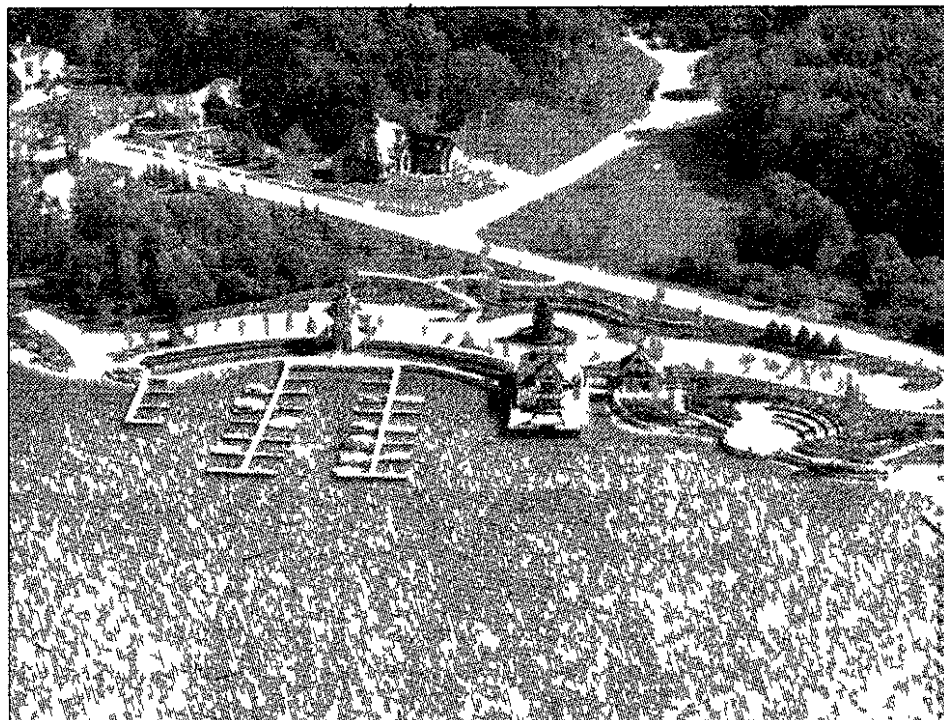
That something else was Hidden Lake, now a 110-acre body of spring-fed water, and Hidden Lake, a community LaFave said eventually will be home to a population of 1,500 to 2,000 who will come for the nature trails, the fishing, a schedule of special events and a style of living usually found only at Michigan's resorts.

Hidden Lake, the lake, is about one mile long at its longest point, LaFave said, and about one-third to one-half mile at its widest. About 60 feet at its deepest spot, the lake has a sandy beach and a gradual sandy slope into the water.

"As the water was filling the lake, we transported sand to the shoreline," LaFave said. "In winter, we put sand on the ice and when it thawed the sand went under the water."

Not connected to another major body of water, there is no outside influence on the water quality, LaFave said. A piping system captures storm water and filters it before it enters the lake, he said.

"This was much more than a fantasy. We had a clearly defined reclamation, restoration, and development plan



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established from day we bought the property.

## ONE-OF-A-KIND

"I'm a hopeless romantic. It's a one-of-a-kind development. We don't have a subdivision, we have a community."

Hidden Lake, the community, now is about one-third built, LaFave said.

An early resident is Gert Gee who remembers watching the birth of the lake in the days when gravel was first being replaced by water. "I was in high school in Brighton and when we graduated in 1986, the whole class came here to swim."

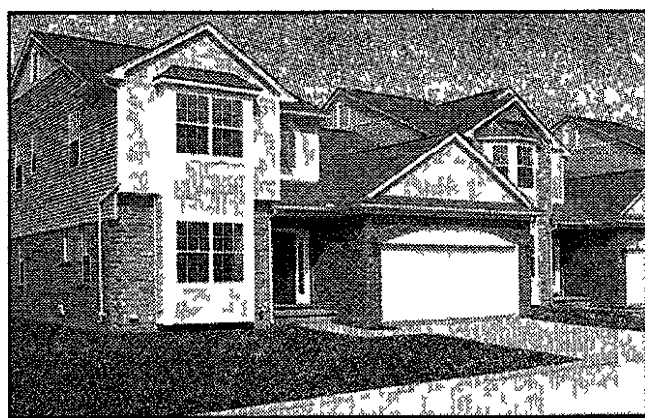
And now she lives there. "I think we were the first on the water." She and her husband, Kevin, had no plans to move from their home on the other side of Brighton, she said, but visited Hidden Lake and "loved what it looked like."

Their 4,200-square-foot house is about 30 yards, she said, from the water. Of their 12-year-old son, she said, "We were paying to entertain this kid. Now he's got so much to do around here, we can't get him to leave the area."



Lush gardens and nature preservation areas surround the crystal clear waters of spring-fed Hidden Lake, which offers swimming, boating, fishing and water skiing.

# OPEN HOUSES OF THE WEEK



## New Ranch and Cape Cod Condominiums

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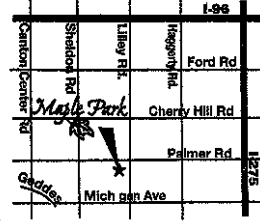
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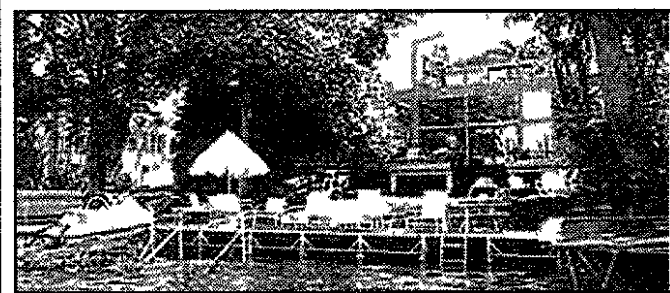
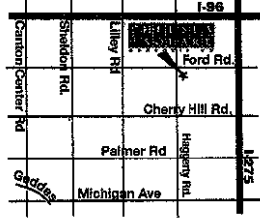
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# Fast fix-ups to speed your home sale, bring eager buyers

BY LIZ PULLIAM WESTON  
CORRESPONDENT

(NAPSI) - You don't have to spend a fortune renovating your house to get a quick sale at the best price. Some of the most effective fix-ups may also be among the least expensive.

Just a few hundred dollars of landscaping, for example, can boost your home's value by \$1,800, according to a survey of real estate agents. Cleaning and de-cluttering your home, the survey found, could add thousands more to the price.

Tour your property as if you were a prospective buyer. Drive or walk up to your house. Ask a friend to help you spot problems you've stopped noticing. Write everything down.

## EXTERIOR

■ Prune overgrown bushes and trees so your house is visible from the street. Plant colorful flowers. Keep the lawn green and trimmed.

■ Paint exterior doors and window trim to freshen your home's look without the expense of repainting. Replace or remove torn screens or damaged storm windows. Make sure exterior lights are working.

■ Get rid of anything blocking pathways or cluttering up yards and patios.

■ Clean your windows so your home looks as light and bright as possible.

## INTERIOR

Inside, inspect floors, walls, kitchen, bathrooms and closets.

■ A deep cleaning is essential for

If you're thinking about using a loan for these home improvements, check out Microsoft Money's cost-of-purchase calculator to quickly determine how much the loan will actually cost based on interest percentage. For more tips, visit MSN Money [www.money.msn.com](http://www.money.msn.com).

a good first impression. Bathrooms and the kitchen should be spotless.

■ Banish bad smells. Air out your home daily. Don't cook smelly foods. Clean the litter box. Bake cookies before buyers visit to give your place a "homey" smell.

■ Remove inside clutter. Stow away knickknacks and family pictures so buyers can picture them-

selves living in the house. Consider renting temporary storage space. Tidy closets look bigger and more appealing.

■ Fix your floors. Real estate agents say buyers really notice the condition of floors. Hardwood should be polished, carpets shampooed or replaced. Repair broken tile or linoleum.

■ If you've painted or wallpa-

pered in recent years, you may be able to get away with just washing your walls. Otherwise, consider repainting in neutral colors.

Remember, remodeling is for buyers, not sellers. Major renovations usually don't pay but buyers expect your home to be in decent shape. Talk with a real estate agent about which projects to tackle before listing your home.

Consider hiring your own inspector to alert you to problems you may not realize, so you can fix them before they cost you a sale.

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(NAPSI) - For every accident in the workplace, 100 will happen in the home. Before you start your next home improvement or yard project, consider these safety tips:

■ Breathe a little easier. When painting, maintaining the pool, working on the lawn and when allergen levels are high, take special care. If you can see, smell or taste the substance you're working with, you probably need respiratory protection.

■ Keep your vision clear. More than 90 percent of eye injuries can be prevented with the use of safety eyewear. Contemporary designs that are both stylish and comfortable are available in lightweight styles for prolonged wear and with lenses that are hard-coated to resist scratching. Use clear lenses indoors and chemical goggles if working with fine particles or liquids.

■ Cover your ears. Hearing loss is a common disability in the United States and common household machines such as lawn mowers, leaf blowers and power tools can generate noise loud enough to damage hearing. If the noise is so loud you

need to raise your voice to be heard three feet away, your hearing may be at risk. Regular and proper use of earplugs or protective equipment can help prevent hearing damage.

■ Be prepared. Nearly everyone will need a first-aid kit at some time, making it a necessity at home, at work and in your car. Instead of assembling one yourself, consider buying a ready-made kit designed to treat a range of common minor emergencies. The most efficient kits are tailored to fit your needs and feature such essential items as antiseptics, antibacterial wipes, adhesive bandages, scissors or tweezers, burn cream and a cold pack.

■ To be safe, be seen. Being aware of your surrounding environment is only one step in being safe, the environment needs to be aware of you. Equipment such as reflective vests or safety cones can be life-savers.

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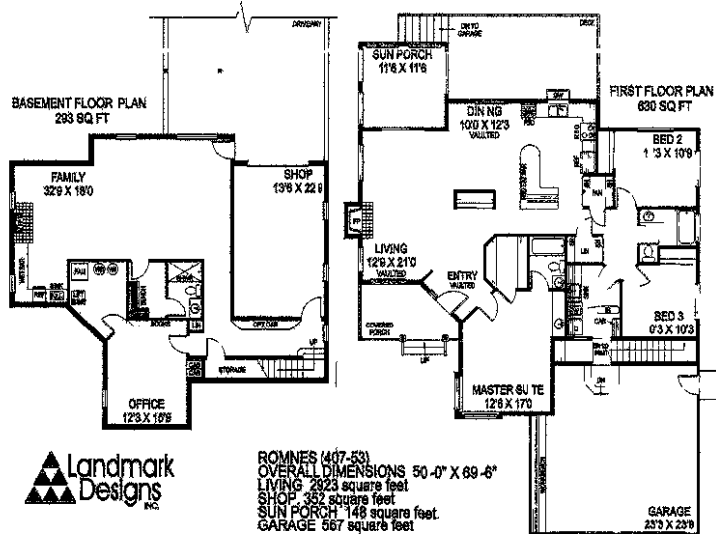
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The "L" shaped kitchen has cabinets on a separate island with raised eating bar. Another feature is the raised dishwasher. There is a walk-in pantry on one wall and large walk-in linen closet on the opposite wall.

All three bedrooms are on the main level. A shared bathroom is between bedrooms 2 and 3, as well as the utility room adjacent. A pocket door separates the stairs to the basement from the utility. A door off the stair area goes down into the two-car garage.

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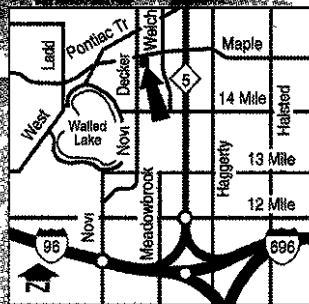
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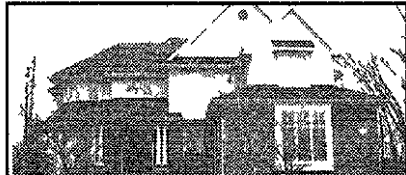
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**LAKE ORION** Gorgeous Custom Home on all sports Lake Orion Gourmet kitchen 1st floor master bedroom GR 1 replace lake views from a rooms walkout bsmt professionally landscaped with paver patio Outside lights sprinklers 2 ca att gar (B89AND) 248-652-8000 \$659,900



**WATERFORD** Cass Lake Community Where festive st uly remarkable 3 BD 3 BA walkout carpeted and prepped for full bath 3 car garage deeded dock n private mar na & tennis court Quality interior Move in immediately (B62WOO) 248 363-1200 \$475,000



**NOVI** Stately custom built 4 BR 3 2 BA colon a You own private retreat app ox 1 1/2 acres w private lake Open and spaco use perfect for enter taining Marble ent y 1st fl MBR gou met kt w cor an custom pool & hot tub (B25VAS) 248 642 8100 \$950 000



**MILFORD** Custom built 2001 3 BR 2 5 BA contemporary shows like a model 2 story GR custom mo dms l library w/French doors Double oven & cook top Newer custom deck Located on approx 3 ac es w ho ses a owed (B87HOL) 248-349 5600 \$494 900



**TROY** Candidate For Architectural Digest Spectacular 4 bdrm 5 bath cust bit ranch w/over 500 sq ft presents spaco us GR w cati ceiling gourmet kt w/hexagon bkist rm & cust cabinets ful v you pped kit n LL + bd m & office Hobbyist garage + 3 car att gar (B32ADA) 734 455 5600 \$649 900



**ROCHESTER HILLS** Premium Location 2 story foyer w/circular stairway leading to gourmet kt w/granite island walk n pantry newer built in oven cooktop and breakfast a ea w/doorwall to deck Fu brick FR tpic and cathedral ce ng Luxurious MBR (B82NEW) 248 652 8000 \$529 977



**COMMERCE** The Ultra in Family Living Entertaining large FR w/vau ted ceiling & homey fireplace open to beaut fu updated kitchen formal dining room and a library 20x40 inground granite pool deck & play area fantastic fin LL city water & sewer (B70TUM) 248 363 1200 \$448,000



**BLOOMFIELD** Elegant 4 bedroom 4 5 BA condo in sought after Pinebrook Manor Perfect location on a sub w/enty of mature trees Open staircase 1st fl MBR suite w/WIC 2 tpics and FFL Fin bsmt centra vac system and deck w gas grill (B40PIN) 248 642 8100 \$749 900



**NORTHVILLE** Smile You Found It Sharp 4 BR 2 5 BA co on al family home GR w/plc off we l appo ted kt Door to multi tiered deck F n shed wa k out LL Terr fic master suite 3 n ce sized BR s Plenty of storage 3 car garage and more Move right in (B57HOL) 248 349 5600 \$446 950



**TROY** Dramatic Floor Plan Four BR 2 5 bath colonialhas a premium location backing to wetlands Hardwood floors FR w/doorwa to open yard Superb master BR suite w/2 W C s sitting room & bath w/separate tub & shower (B55EUC) 248 524 1600 \$402 900



**ROCHESTER HILLS** Move Right In To this 4 bedroom 4 fu bath colonial Dual staircase hardwood floors n oak k tchen nook library 2 story foyer and FR with gas fireplace fin basement w/rc room 2 bedrooms and fu bath 3 car garage (B76NEW) 248-652-8000 \$615,000



**COMMERCE** Elegant & Tasteful Brick colonial n newer sub open fir plan cust upgrades gourmet kt formal LR/DR w/high ceiling & bay wndws MS w/tray ce ling & walk ins 2 story foyer w/wood r cust 2 tier deck plus 3 car side entry gar (B23RAC) 248 363-1200 \$434,900



**BIRMINGHAM** A Truly Must See 4 BR 2 5 BA co on a totally updated n de and out E elegant kit w/sland gran te counte s and a great master Updated roof windows hardwood floors and sun room 1 s worth the tr pl (B20GLE) 248 642 8100 \$749 500



**NORTHVILLE** Incredible Value Waterfront estate in Stonegate sub Lrgst sq footage built by Moore Upgrades marble gran cust Cherry cab s 2 story enclosed p ch spiral staircase MBR w/d w/tp silt ng rm + glamour BA Wet bar 5+ car gar (B02MAN) 248 349 5600 \$1 199 000



**TROY** New Construction n a spectou a new sub w/roy scho s 4 bedrooms 3 5 bath home w/3 ca s de entry garage & premium level on C ruler staircase oak island kitchen MBR w th jetted tub and separate shower (B96VIK) 248-524 1600 \$457 900



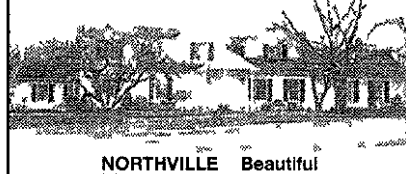
**ROCHESTER** Private, Quiet Cu de sac sett ng overlooking valley and park 2 story porch entry and GR w/r/dge and gas tpic Large stand set w/granite counters master suite w jetted tub shower and walk in closet High ceiling w/o bsm (B33BLO) 248 652 8000 \$519,933



**WEST BLOOMFIELD** Gorgeous Luxury Condo A beauty 3 years Very open n gh ceilings neutral carpet n g 2 5 BA 3 BR DR GR white kit Bleached wood floors 2 replaces Jacuzzi full basement 2 car garage (B14CRA) 248-626 8800 \$464,900



**LAKE ORION** Lakefront 6 car garage 4 BR 2 5 BA Cape Cod 228 on M Lake Renovated n 01 1st fl MBR w/tp c silt ng a ea and 2 W C s gou met kt w cherry cab nets Braz an cherry floo s and open floor pan Wa kout w 10 ceilings (B95MAH) 248 642 8100 \$574 900



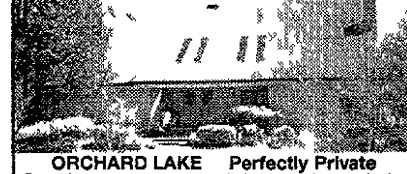
**NORTHVILLE** Beautiful Updated 5 BR 3 2 BA colon a on approx 5 wooded acres Updates nclude kt floor ng roof turn A/C & more Great fir plan FR w/tp Forma DR Large med a room A seasons room w/tp & wet ba 5+ car gar (B00NAP) 248 349 5600 \$759 900



**SHELBY TWP** New 2003 Construction Large quality built colonial w four bed rooms 3 5 baths two story foyer ending to great oom 1st floor master w th sunken jacuzzi separate shower L b ary formal dining oom daylight basement (B27GOL) 248 524 1600 \$499,900



**ROCHESTER** Contemporary Flair Located n a great sw m and tennis community close to h sto c downtown area Dramatic two sto y foie and GR lots of hardwood on 1st floor 3 car garage and wa kout basement Not to be missed (B09CAT) 248 652 8000 \$469,990



**ORCHARD LAKE** Perfectly Private Beautiful contemporary nestled n woods overlooks rav ne open fir plan w/vau ted ceilings Beautiful 1st floor MBR h s and her walk in closets trayed calling Custom kt wis and Jenn a n gas cook top and ovens (B06DEE) 248 626 8000 \$760,000



**BIRMINGHAM** Charming 4 BR 2 5 BA Cape Cod offer ng partial y fin bsmt and 2 ca att garage Newer kt w gran te tops and sta nss deck and access to room w fireplace bay w ndow and hardwood floors w/o (B81LIN) 248 642 8100 \$566,900



**NOVI** Stop Your Search Th s 4 BR 3 5 BA home w ll make you heart race n aw set up newer carpet andscap ng d wvay part n hwdw f s n foyer kitchen & FR w tpic 2 car attached Custom upgrades T/O This home will not disappo nt (B82SUN) 248 349 5600 \$574,900



**BIRMINGHAM** Contemporary Beauty with class c lines Two story ful br ck colonial w/dramatic p ared entrance Bu l n 2001 on a quiet n town street 3 bdr entrance Brazilian che ry wood floors custom kitchen Richly appo ted (B55CAT) 248 524 1600 \$799 900



**ROCHESTER HILLS** Lovely 4 Bedroom Colonial w th hardwood floors in kitchen foyer hallway and avatory Coran counter tops wood cab nets deep basement 3 car garage Ponda room and in ground pool (B97SAL) 248 652-8000 \$429,900



**HIGHLAND** 2 Story Home Long Lake frontage on White Lake All sports 3 large bedrooms LR new Pelis w ndows new vinyl cedar sid ng rest of roof n 2003 large master bsmr FFL 2 car garage Price includes addit onal vacant land (B77GRO) 248 626 8800 \$470,000



**HUNTINGTON WOODS** Classic 4 BR 1 5 BA cente entrance colon al w fn shed basement and 2 car garage Open staircase hrowd floors and natu al f eplace (B11HUN) 248 642-8100 \$486 500



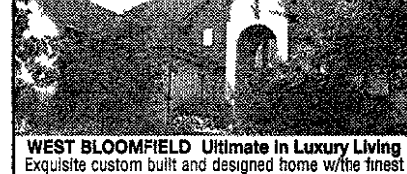
**CANTON** A Dream Home A stunning home present ng 4 bdrm 3 5 baths sitting on approx 1 2 ac e prof landscaped yard Remodeled kt w Cor an counters GR w/cath ce ng prof fn bsmt & 2 ca att gar You ll love it (B89CHE) 734 455 5600 \$444 900



**SHELBY TWP** Four Bedroom Bonus oom colon al w th 3 5 baths 4 f replaces and daylight basement Custom kitchen w/granite ceramic floor and but e r pantry Hardwood floors in formal DR library and foyer E gant MBR w/2 wa k n closets (B15HAW) 248-524 1600 \$559,000



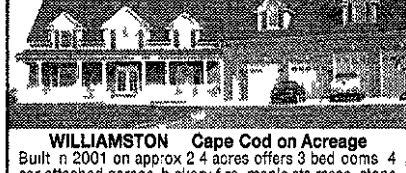
**COMMERCE** Artist At Work Approx 850 sq ft of waterfront peninsula priv DR n this 4 BD 3 5 BA masterpiece fin w/o custom detailed thruout Hard to find beauty & tranqu lity in this nimate sett ng come & reward yourself Lower Stra s treasure (B05COM) 248-363-1200 \$1 099 000



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**BLOOMFIELD** Sprawling 4 BR 2 5 BA brok anch n Berksh re Vias Sub Except onal ot under 1 acre LR w frpl custom bu lins & moldings Inv ng hwdw floors FR w/cathed al ce ngs & 2nd tpic Newer kt & much more (B90CHU) 248 642 8100 \$479 000



**WILLIAMSTON** Cape Cod on Acreage Built n 2001 on approx 2 4 acres offers 3 bed ooms 4 car attached garage h okry frs maple sta rose stone natu e frop ace deck off sunroom lower eve walk out 3 5 baths over 3800 sq ft of l vng space (B20CHE) 734 455 5600 \$475 000



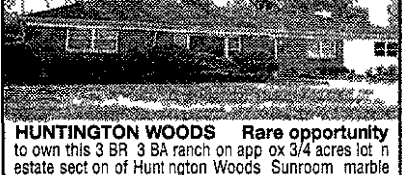
**SHELBY TWP** Stunning 4 bedroom 2 5 bath home on a cul de sac backing to a private natu e preserve Pato pavers and a two tier cove deck facing the woods Custom che ry kitchen 1st floor master w/ua walk ins & large w n pool (B26MOR) 248 524 1600 \$429 900



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**FARMINGTON HILLS** Walkout to Woods and stream Inv ng private 5 bedroom 3 1/2 baths cedar custom built contemporary Oak/walx tile floors cathedral ce ngs Second floor master suite to die for Kitchen w th gran te counte s It s all here for you (B19SHA) 248 626 8800 \$519,000



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**NORTHVILLE** Bed & Breakfast Feel! Wonderful colon al silt ng on 2 beaut fu acres w/stocked pond Tradit onal ayout LR formal DR huge FR w pnao amc view spa MSTR ste w/WIC Unique keep ng rm 2 tpics bsmt huge deck & tennis ct (B00BEC) 734 455 5600 \$449 900



**ROCHESTER HILLS** New Construction Four bedroom 3 bath colon a w th ful basement and 3 ca s de entry garage Two story foyer w oak staircase GR w th custom fireplace Maple k tchen w th island and walk n pantry MBR w th jetted tub (B53SEV) 248 524 1600 \$549 000



**WHITE LAKE** So Much To Appreciate Approx 6 stunn ng acres on al sports lake 4 BR 4 5 BA wa kout soft compo w/an attractive ambience Side drve 3 car gar curved staircase study main level mstr ste w spa Ut mate kt f ood storage area Fin bsmt (B30COR) 248 363 1200 \$539 500



**FARMINGTON HILLS** Luxurious Secluded m n estate on a most 1 ac e Private wooded backyard but n pool Jacuzz tennis court outside bar w/gorgeous patio and gardens Updated w/white kit w/gran te counters and tiled backslaph Hwdw floors (B87STO) 248 626 8800 \$469,900



**OXFORD** All Sports Lakefront 4 BR brick ranch w/f n LL W/O Hrdwd floo s ceram c BAS kt w/s and 2 nook 6 pane drs MBR suite w/WIC & wh rpool tub Vau ted ce l ngs tpic sandy beach dock & LL ga for boat Enjoy summer at the lake! (B15JOH) 248-642 8100 \$400 000



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**OAKLAND** Newly Built Cape Cod Located n Oakland Townsh p most secluded sub Luxury home features cherry cab nets granite counte s two way fireplace n GR octagon breakfast com s la nless app ances spaco us master suite (B45WOO) 248 652 8000 \$679 900



**WHITE LAKE** Unusual Opportunity All Sports Lakefront ranch w/f n w/o located on over 3/4 acre ot Features nclude 3 spectacular garages comp ete w/workshop newer kt lovely updated baths extensive custom 2 tier deck huge rooms and over 50 feet of dock Th s home s immaculate Wa ed Lake Schools (B01COO) 248 363 1200 \$349,900



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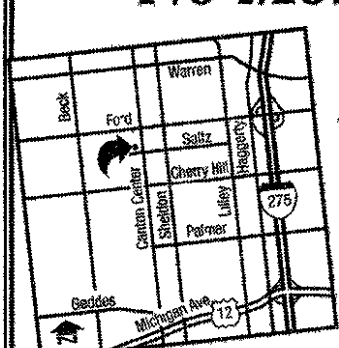
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## Electronic Etiquette: Communication Tips for the Digital Age

It may have started with the invention of the typewriter in 1867, which hastened the demise of handwritten business letters and documents. Then came the telephone, no doubt a miraculous invention, albeit one that reduced the need for face-to-face meetings.

Things have certainly come a long way since then, as today's technology has inundated people with telephone, cellular phone, pager and fax numbers, as well as e-mail addresses. It is the nature of these mediums to be impersonal. Yet that doesn't mean you can't add warmth to your digital communications. Following are a few strategies for "electronic etiquette," which can help you build the lasting relationships that are the key to business success.

**MEANINGFUL MESSAGES**  
The "voice mail freeze" - it's happened to everyone at some point. It is characterized by difficulty or inability to record a clear,

concise voice mail message for someone "on cue" after the beep. However, there are ways to conquer the problem.

One way is to practice by leaving yourself a voice mail, then critique the message. Is everything clear? Would you return your call? People can hear a "smile" on the phone, and they certainly can hear your attitude. When you leave an upbeat message, it invites people to call you back. If you must leave a long message, indicate this up front. For example, "I'm going to be out of the office for a few days, so please excuse this long message." The recipient will appreciate your candor and your consideration.

Finally, work towards returning every call you receive within 24 hours. This is the best way to let your customers know that they are important to you.

**FRIENDLY FAXES**  
A fax can be a great follow-up tool. After completing a negotiation on the phone, you may want to

get something into your customer's hands right away that confirms your agreement. A handwritten note sent via fax can be just right for the task. Be sure to verify that faxing is acceptable to your customer. In most cases, fax machines are in common office areas, and he or she may have confidentiality concerns.

**EASY E-MAILS**  
Because e-mail is one of the most immediate forms of digital communication, it's important that you learn to use it effectively.

The message you send may be printed out and distributed to others, so make sure it looks professional. Carefully check grammar and spelling. While word processing programs usually include features to help you with grammar and spelling, this is less likely to be the case with e-mail, so you want to be on your toes.

Pay attention to who is copied on your messages. You may even want to avoid including particular-

ly sensitive information in an e-mail message, in case it accidentally lands in the wrong person's hands.

Lastly, include a subject line, your full name, title, address, phone and fax number in every message. Many people use subject lines to help them separate and prioritize e-mail messages. A message marked "No Subject" from "ABCDE@aol.com" may fail to seem important or even be mistaken for spam and deleted.

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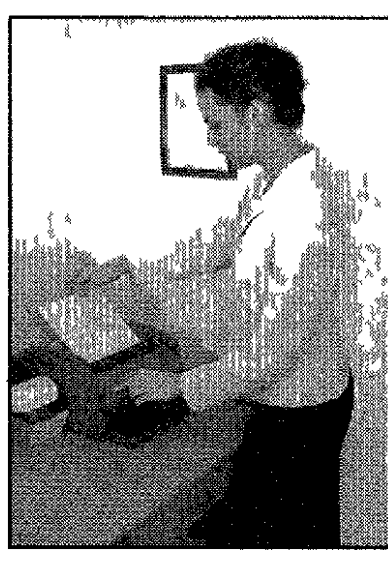
Conference calls allow for easy communication and discussion with customers in different locations in a timely and cost-effective manner. Since the client isn't right in front of you, it's tempting to let your hair down a bit during these calls. Yet you should regard them as just as important as face-to-face meetings. While multitasking has become a way of life, if you're distracted by working on a computer or a side conversation with

someone else in the room, the people at the other end of the line will notice.

**CELLULAR COOL**

A cellular phone is a requirement for nearly every business professional today. However, it's important to be sensitive to your environment when making a phone call to avoid disturbing others around you.

Another "call to courtesy" is during meetings with a client away from the office. Unless you're expecting an emergency call (and be sure to let the person



**"ELECTRONIC ETIQUETTE" in your business communications can help you build the lasting relationships with customers that are the key to success.**

you're meeting with know this in advance), shut off the phone. He or she will appreciate having your full attention for the duration of the meeting. As you consider the numbers on your client or customer list, remember that there are real people behind those digits who want to connect with you. Whatever tool you use to get the job done, "electronic etiquette" goes a long way towards making sure you do so with style and grace.

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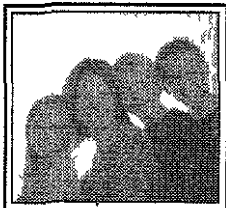
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PUBLIC SERVICE NOTICE An Early Spring has moved up the gypsy moth suppression program

It is almost time to apply B.t (Foray) 48B Bacillus Thuringiensis. B.t is safe non-toxic and only affects the caterpillar at its youngest state. It is used to suppress not eradicate the caterpillar and has been used for a number of years effectively. These are no re-entry restrictions with this pesticide.

We have had sightings of hatchlings and we anticipate spraying mid to late May. We are watching closely for proper timing of the aerol application. We will be announcing the actual spray date on WWJ News Radio station Cable Television as well as the Commerce Township web site www.commercetwp.com

A yellow fixed wing aircraft owned by Al's Aerial Spraying 3473 North Shepherdsville Road Wd MI 48063 989 834 5067 will be applying the spray flying approx mate y 50 feet above the tree line. Providing weather conditions are suitable they should be able to spray all target areas in Commerce Township on one day. Spray date and times could be extended depending on weather conditions. Contact the Township offices for further updates 248 960 7020

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Thomas K Zoner Supervisor Charter Township of Commerce 2840 Fisher Commerce Township MI 48390 (248) 960 7070 Sandra S Abrams CMC Clerk Charter Township of Commerce 248 960 7020

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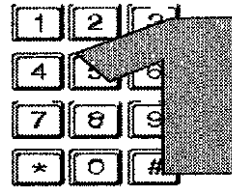


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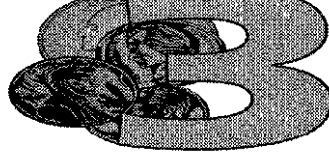
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MOONLIT WALKS Interested? Romantic SWF 59 54 135 lbs brown shied hair Enjoys walks under the moonlight Looking for a carng romantic SWM under 65 Ad# 684987

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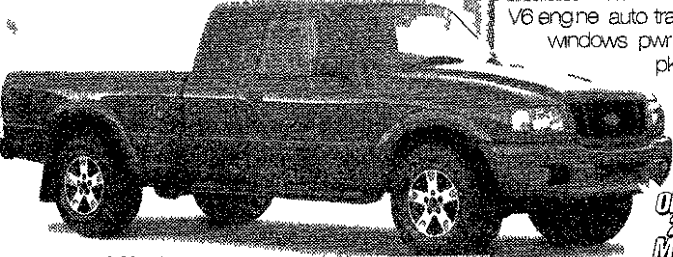
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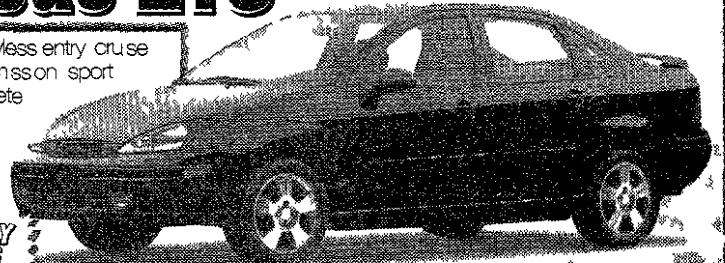
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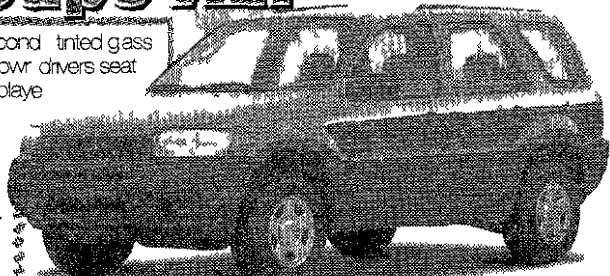
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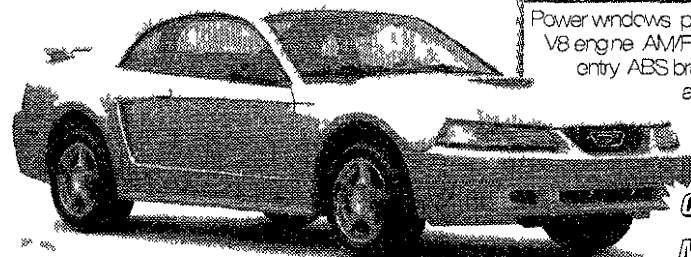
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Power windows power locks cruise control tilt wheel V8 engine AM/FM/6 disc CD w/Mach 460 keyless entry ABS brakes leather interior pwr driver seat auto trans spoiler 17 premium alloy wheels Stk #408008  
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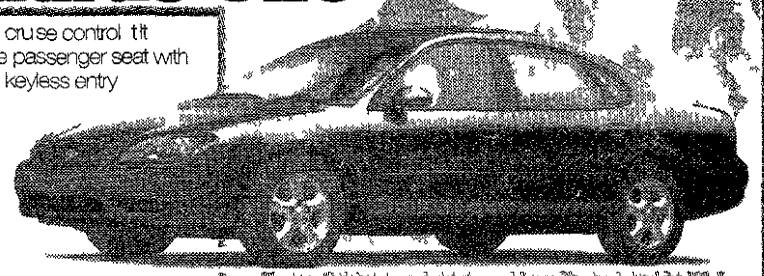
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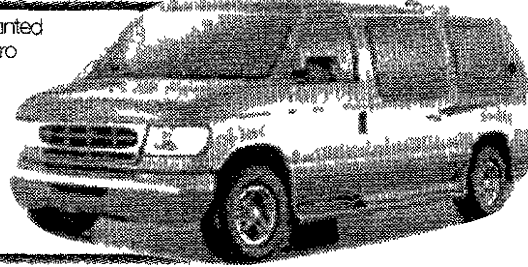
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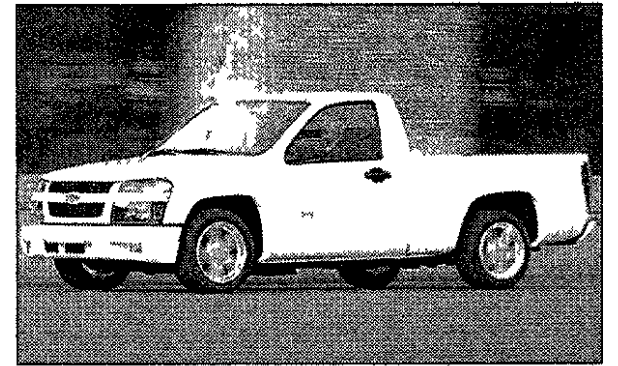
Anne Fracassa

By Anne Fracassa  
Avanti NewsFeatures

This week let's have some fun. I want to share some trivia for you to talk about over the water cooler. If you have a tidbit for a future column, or an idea you'd like to read about, write me at avanti1054@aol.com. Read on!

- \* 2004 marks Chevrolet's 93rd year in the car business
- \* Chevrolet began as a dream of two men -- Louis Chevrolet and Billy Durant -- in 1911.
- \* Louis Chevrolet was a race-car driver and designer and Billy Durant was a financier. They started talking about a car company in 1909.
- \* The very first product of the Chevrolet Motor Car Co. Inc. was the Classic Six. Its debut was on Nov. 3, 1911.
- \* The Classic Six began being produced in 1912 and cost \$2,150.
- \* Durant and Chevrolet decided to incorporate into two separate companies -- the Little Motor Car Co. and the Mason Motor Co. Mason would produce the engines and Little would build the bodies for Chevrolet vehicles.
- \* In 1913, Chevrolet had already outgrown its facilities in Detroit because capacity had doubled. The company was moved to Flint.
- \* In 1914, the famous Chevrolet bowtie emblem was created and the company introduced its second-generation of automobiles, beginning with the Model L Light Six.
- \* It wasn't until Chevrolet introduced the H-Series Chevrolet Fours, the first 4-cylinder models, that the company's reputation took off.
- \* Chevrolet introduced two distinct models in 1914 -- the Royal Mail Roadster (which cost \$750) and the Baby Grand Touring Car (\$875 MSRP).
- \* The Royal Mail Roadster and the Baby Grand Touring Car were the first models to use the valve-in-head engine that's still popular today.
- \* In 1915, Chevrolet introduced its first luxury model, the Amesbury Special.
- \* The first Chevrolet dealers were in Oakland, Atlanta and Kansas City, Mo.
- \* Chevrolet's price leader, the 490, was introduced in 1915. The name was taken directly from its cost -- \$490.

- \* The very first V-8 engine in Chevrolet vehicles debuted in the D-Series cars. So popular and functional was this engine that Chevrolet used it exclusively on its cars until 1955, when the next-generation V-8 was born.
- \* During the height of World War I, General Motors purchased Chevrolet, making it a division of GM.
- \* In 1918, Chevrolet introduced its first truck. Today its truck lineup ranges from the Colorado to the Avalanche.
- \* In 1919, Chevrolets were recognized as the wonder cars of the automotive industry.
- \* 1920 was a big year for Chevrolet because it produced more than 150,000 vehicles, which accounted for 39 percent of total General Motors sales.
- \* Billy Durant, one of the creators of Chevrolet, left the company in 1920.
- \* William S. "Big Bill" Knudsen became Chevrolet's general manager in 1923.
- \* Chevrolet introduced the Superior model, which replaced the 490, in 1923.
- \* In 1925, Chevrolet decided to reintroduce the V-6 engine and it came to be known as the Stovebolt Six.
- \* The Stovebolt Six name was not complimentary. But the engine proved so durable and dependable that the Stovebolt Six became synonymous with value in automobile engines.
- \* By 1927, Chevrolet topped the 1 million unit mark.
- \* Chevrolet was the top-selling nameplate for more than 55 years -- except for four years.
- \* In 1930, Chevrolet produced its 7-millionth vehicle and was second only to Ford Motor Co.
- \* Chevrolet regained its sales leadership in 1931, thanks to strengthened advertising efforts.
- \* Also in 1931, during the major time of the Depression, Chevrolet introduced the Roadster, which sold for \$475, the least-expensive car ever sold by Chevrolet.
- \* Chevrolet introduced the Sports Roadster and Sports Coupe in 1932. These cars are favorites of collectors today. They were the first cars with wire wheels.
- \* Marvin Coyle replaced Knudsen as general manager at Chevrolet in 1933.
- \* Chevrolet adopted a new advertising theme in 1933 -- greater value, and backed it up with mechanical advances designed to make driving easier.
- \* In 1933, Chevrolet introduced the first built-in trunk and independent front suspension.
- \* It's been more than half a century since Chevrolet first became a Pace Car for the Indianapolis 500. Since that time, the honor of the Pace Car and the Chevrolet Bowtie have become synonymous.
- \* In 1995, the official Pace Car of the Indy 500 was a convertible Corvette. It was driven by former Chevrolet General Manager Jim Perkins. That car was outfitted with a 5.7-liter LT1 engine capable of 300 horsepower at 5,000 rpm. The engine was mated to a 4-speed electronically controlled automatic transmission. Other features included ZR-1 5-spoke aluminum wheels and 4-wheel anti-lock disc brakes. It was a stock model, with no factory performance enhancements. The only enhancements -- which were mandated by the United States Auto Club (USAC) -- were installation of a roll bar, 360



- degree strobe lights, 5-point driver and passenger safety harnesses and on-board fire control. It also had a camera.
- \* In 1986, Chevrolet was again chosen as a Pace Car for the Indy 500 race and the honor was bestowed on a Corvette convertible, which was built at the Bowling Green, Ky. plant.
- \* The Corvette Pace Car was powered by a 350 cubic inch 5.7-liter V8 that produced 230 horsepower at 4,000 rpm. The engine was mated to a 4-speed manual transmission with computer-controlled overdrive.
- \* The bright yellow Corvette had heavy-duty Bosch-designed 4-wheel anti-lock brakes.
- \* All convertible Corvettes built that year were considered Pace Car replicas and were designated Z51 Corvettes.
- \* Behind the wheel that year was retired US Air Force Brigadier General Chuck Eager, the first pilot to shatter the sound barrier as a test pilot.
- \* It wasn't until 1990 that Chevrolet was chosen as a Pace Car again.
- \* It was a bright yellow Chevrolet Beretta with a 3.4-liter V6 engine with 245 horses and an electronically controlled automatic transmission.
- \* It was the first 6-cylinder Chevrolet to be chosen as an Official Pace Car since the Chevrolet Stylemaster Six-Series started the tradition in 1948.
- \* Chevrolet produced 7,500 replicas for sale to the public. In bright yellow, 1,500 were sold, in turquoise, 6,000 were sold.
- \* In 1993, Chevrolet was chosen again and rolled out a 1993 Chevrolet Camaro Z28.
- \* It was the fourth time that a Camaro was a Pace Car at the Indianapolis 500 race.
- \* The 1993 Camaro Z-28 Pace Car was outfitted with a 275-horsepower LT1 V8 small block engine.
- \* Other features included a 4-speed electronically controlled automatic transmission and 4-wheel anti-lock brakes.
- \* It had a removable T-Top glass panels, a two-tone black over white paint job and multi-colored stripes along the body panels.
- \* On the interior, multi-colored stripes accented the bucket seats.
- \* Also on the outside a Camaro decal stretched across the top of the windshield.

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**2005 FOCUS ZX4 SES 4-DR**  
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**A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL**  
ZERO DOWN **\$1947<sup>88</sup>** **\$364<sup>45</sup>** due at signing  
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**2004 TAURUS SE 4-DR SEDAN**  
A: deconv. restr. sys, pass. 1 tag, remote keyless entry, spd control, rear def, 3.0L 2V 6-cyl flex fuel eng, auto O/D ans, rear spoiler, 5 pass w/hl console, 6 spk, painted alum wheels, Stock #42358, WAS \$21,500  
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ZERO DOWN **\$153<sup>84</sup>** **\$500<sup>00</sup>** due at signing  
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2.5L Ratio, reg axle, man, gnt, hand/leift hand, dco, speed control, 2nd/3rd row privacy glass, 3.9L OHV EF eng, 4 spd auto O/D trans, P225/60R16 BSW, a season, coastbars, 98 cargo net, aux A/C, tire zone, Stock #42949, WAS \$23,800  
- Now \$19,011<sup>00</sup> -  
**A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL**  
ZERO DOWN **\$244<sup>88</sup>** **\$612<sup>84</sup>** due at signing  
**\$1500 DOWN \$201<sup>88</sup>** **\$2156<sup>72</sup>** due at signing

**2005 ESCAPE XLS FWD 4-DR**  
A: roof side rails, Duratec 2.3L 4-cyl engine, 4 spd auto O/D trans, P225/75R16 BSW tires, roof rack, w/haz crossbars, 5 alum wheel retract cargo cover, conv. grp, floor mats, spd ctrl, perimeter alarm, Stock #50 E, WAS \$20,800  
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ZERO DOWN **\$167<sup>42</sup>** **\$395<sup>07</sup>** due at signing  
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**2004 MUSTANG COUPE DELUXE 2-DR**  
Front floor mats, single wing rear spoiler, pwr driver's seat, spd control, AM/FM stereo, CD w/dock, 16 painted alloy whls, cortrd valve V6 auto O/D trans, P225/60R16 BSW, A/S, nt upgrd pkg, ABS traction ctrl, Stock #4 96, WAS \$21,280.00  
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**A-PLAN 36 MONTH LEASE RENEWAL**  
ZERO DOWN **\$165<sup>96</sup>** **\$483<sup>92</sup>** due at signing  
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XLT Prem V6, P255/70R16 A/T OVL, 1 es, steel bar black monochromat c appear pkg, Pwr driver seat, 6 way pwr w/hl locks/doorlock, 4 OL SOHC V6 flex fuel eng, 5 spd auto O/D, auto dph e rad o sys, Stock #40638, WAS \$30,625.00  
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ZERO DOWN **\$236<sup>83</sup>** **\$630<sup>83</sup>** due at signing  
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**2004 EXPLORER XLT**  
A cond, 4 OL SOHC V6 flex fuel eng, 5 speed auto O/D, 18 trans, P235/70R16 A/S OVL, 1 es, 3.55 r, reg axle, running boards, prem cass/O rad o cargo area cover, roof all cross bars, Stock #42684, WAS \$33,005  
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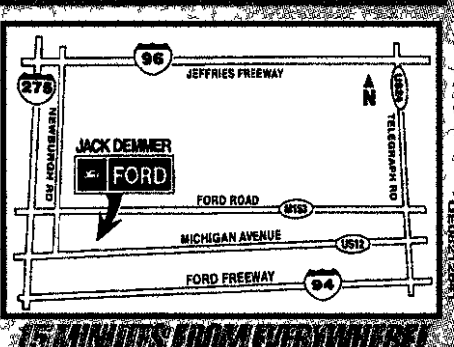
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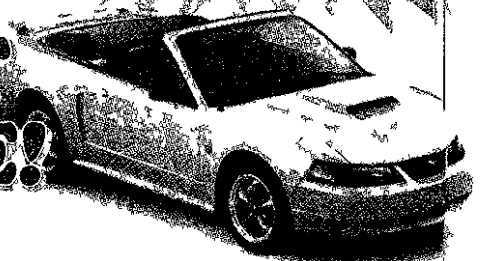
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