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Toys for tots

Officials at BLS Property Management announced the Plymouth-based company will serve as a drop-off location for residents wishing to donate to the annual Toys for Tots campaign.

BLS Property Management is located in the Fair Woods West Office Plaza at the corner of Ann Arbor Road and Haggerty (on the west side in the back), and is open 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Anyone is welcome to drop off a toy.

For more information, call Kathy Gallentine at (734) 927-6715.

Turkey time

The Plymouth Salvation Army, which expects to help feed some 500 families over the Thanksgiving holiday, is still in need of the one key ingredient to any good Thanksgiving meal: the turkeys.

Anyone wishing to help can donate a frozen turkey by dropping it off at the Salvation Army headquarters, 9451 Main (just south of Ann Arbor Road). Other nonperishables would be welcome, as well. The Plymouth Salvation Army serves Canton, Plymouth, Northville and Belleville.

For more information, contact Laurie Aren, the Salvation Army's director of family and community ministries, at (734) 453-5464.

Cane sales

Canton Lions Club members, friends of the Lions and Boy Scout Troop 743 from West Middle School in Plymouth will be soliciting donations outside Canton stores during the annual Lions Club Candy Cane Sale this November.

The sale will take place over the next two Fridays and Saturdays, Nov. 19-20 and Nov. 26-27. Since the Canton Lions Club is an all-volunteer organization, 100 percent of donations go directly to benefit people in the local community who are sight- or hearing-impaired.

Pairs of scouts from Boy Scout Troop 743 who are working one or more two-hour volunteer shifts will also earn credit toward the Citizenship in the Community Merit Badge. For more information or to volunteer, contact Linda Obrec at Obrec@wowway.com or call (734) 945-6685.

Hero salute

The Plymouth Community United Way and the Plymouth Whalers hockey team will host a "Salute to Our Heroes" on Nov. 20.

The game begins at 7:05 p.m. at Compuware Arena on Beck Road in Plymouth Township, and representatives from military branches will be honored with a certificate of thanks after the first period. Guests may also write postcards that will be sent to the troops overseas, and any active or veteran military members wearing their armed forces uniform will get into the game for free.

For additional information, contact Krista Strobel at kstrobel@ameritech.net or call (734) 453-6879, Ext. 14.

Chinese carmaker eyes Plymouth facility

BY MATT JACHMAN
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

A major Chinese automaker is eyeing a Plymouth Township site for a new research and design center as it prepares to break into the global market.

ChangAn Automotive, based in Chongqing, China, is considering a former Dow Corning building on Halyard near M-14 along with several other locations in the U.S., said township Supervisor Richard Reaume on Wednesday. The company, also called Chana, is expected to apply for state

and local tax incentives if it comes to Michigan. It would hire 100 engineers, and 150 total employees, at the facility.

Reaume on Wednesday was attending a meeting with representatives of ChangAn, Wayne County and the state at which details were being discussed.

"If they come to Michigan, they're coming to Plymouth," Reaume said. But the township is in contention with other states, he added.

County Executive Robert Ficano spoke about the plan Tuesday while in China on a trade mission. It is Ficano's sixth trip to China on the county's

behalf; ChangAn was also courted in 2009.

The former Dow Corning building, with one other occupant, totals about 40,000 square feet; Reaume said ChangAn would occupy about 17,000 square feet and have space to expand there.

ChangAn's township operation would focus on automotive chassis and noise and vibration, Reaume said. The company is reportedly planning for a powertrain facility in Germany, an electronics center in Japan and a design center in Italy.

"The Chinese are just pulling the best of the world" in order to design a "global car," Reaume said.

ChangAn has several manufacturing facilities in China; the possibility of locating a factory in the U.S. has been discussed, according to a published report.

A location in Plymouth Township would put ChangAn close to the headquarters of one of its major clients, Ford Motor Co., with which it has a joint venture.

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Players get stranded at 'Bus Stop'

BY BRAD KADRICH
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

Paul Bird hadn't directed a play since 1995, when he was at Concordia University in Ann Arbor.

So it would have been tough to blame him if his nerves kicked up a little when he took the stage a few weeks ago to begin rehearsals for *Bus Stop*, the William Inge play being put on by the Park Players Theater Company tonight, Friday and Saturday.

But he needn't have worried. The transition to being the guy in charge has gone smoothly for Bird, who has served as technical director to the Park Players for 13 years.

"It's been a long time ... it feels great to be back doing it again," said Bird, taking his first directorial turn at Plymouth-Canton. "It's letting me work with the kids on a whole different level. I get to work with the kids on a much more intimate level."

Bus Stop tackles the relationships that develop between passengers stranded by a snowstorm at a Kansas diner. Passengers include Cherie, a nightclub chanteuse being pursued by a 20-year-old cowboy, and Dr. Lyman, a scholar dealing with problems with alcohol and younger women. They interact with the bus driver, the town sheriff, the diner's proprietor and a waitress.

It's a play Bird said he's always wanted to do.

"It really provides the kids the opportunity to develop full, real characters," Bird said. "It's about how different

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Cherie (Jordan Shroat) worries about her future as Sheriff Will Masters (Tommy Fafalios) drinks his coffee in a scene from "Bus Stop," the Park Players Theater company production playing at Salem High School Thursday-Sunday.

THE BUS STOPS HERE

What: Park Players Theater Company production of William Inge's "Bus Stop"
When: 7 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday
Where: Gloria Logan Auditorium, Salem High School, 46181 Joy Road in Canton
How much: Tickets are \$10 at the door.

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Brandon Waldenmayer plays Dr. Gerald Lyman.

Church project sends message of love, hope

BY MATT JACHMAN
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER



Kim Summerhill packs gift boxes.

When members of Plymouth Township's NorthRidge Church pack shoe boxes for Operation Christmas Child, they're packing more than toys and trinkets, candy and school supplies.

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Operation Christmas Child is an annual holiday

program that reaches out to Third World and developing countries around the globe, providing millions of poor children with everyday items they often lack: toothpaste and soap, pencils and notebooks, small toys and candies. NorthRidge sponsors a major effort among its members, and is also a collection point for dozens of area organizations

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"Around Plymouth" is designed to announce upcoming events taking place in the community. Items will run on a space-available basis. Send details to bkadrich@hometownlife.com

Cruise raffle

Just in time for a warm weather getaway, New Hope Center, a non-profit grief support organization in Northville, is offering a cruise raffle (for two) on Celebrity Cruise Lines. Approximate value is \$1,500. Tickets are being sold now through Dec. 3, when the drawing will be held at their "New Hope for the New Year Event." The winner does not need to be present to win. Tickets are \$30 each or two for \$50 and can be purchased by going to www.newhopecenter.net.

Download the cruise raffle form, fill it out and send it in. There are two cruise options, both based on availability. Option #1 is Jan. 22-29 on the Eclipse with ports in Grand Cayman, Cozumel, Costa Maya and Roatan. Option #2 is a certificate for a cruise of equal value with the offer expiring May 30, 2011. Both are inside staterooms, but the winner can upgrade to an Oceanview.

Christmas carols

The Plymouth Historical Museum presents an "Old World Christmas Carols Show," performed by Simply Dickens, on Monday, Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. The show highlights the carols that were well known long ago during the Christmas Season but are rarely heard by modern ears, along with a few of the more familiar tunes. There are also comedic holiday skits performed by group members. Simply Dickens is a period-dressed quartet of trained vocalists and musicians that specializes in the music of the 18th and 19th centuries.

Tickets to the show are \$10 per person/\$25 per family in advance or \$15 per person/\$30 per family at the door and can be purchased at the Plymouth Historical Museum or on the Museum's website www.plymouthhistory.org using PayPal. Museum doors will open at 6 PM; the show starts at 7 PM. Come early to explore the Museum's new special exhibit "Santa Magic."

The Plymouth Historical Museum is located at 155 S. Main Street, Plymouth.

Arts, crafts ensemble

The Plymouth-Canton Music Boosters host their annual fund-raising event, this year to raise funds for the band's trip to New York for the Macy's Thanksgiving Parade in 2011.

The annual PCMB Holiday Arts & Crafts Ensemble is a juried art and craft exhibition hosted by the Plymouth-Canton Music Boosters. Exhibitors include makers of handcrafted jewelry, season holiday gifts, floral arrangements, purses, wood crafts, glass works, clothing & linens, paintings, painted glass ornaments, and more. In addition to more than 120 exhibits, there will be food, baked goods, a raffle, and entertainment by local musicians and artists throughout the day. Admission is \$2.

The show takes place 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20, at Plymouth High School, 8400 Beck, in Canton. All the proceeds from this one-day event go towards the band and color guard programs at the Plymouth Canton Educational Park.

For more information, call (734) 414-7654.

Hero salute

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For additional questions, contact Krista Strobel at kstrobel@ameritech.net or call (734) 453-6879, Ext. 14.

Home party

Our Lady of Good Counsel will host a Home Party Extravaganza and Craft Show on Friday, Nov. 19, from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the Social Hall, below the church, which is located at 47650 N. Territorial in Plymouth



Tune time

Harmony 4 Fun, a barbershop-style ladies quartet, will perform holiday music at the Plymouth Historical Museum Sunday, Nov. 21. The group's entertainment will follow a Victorian-style tea complete with scones, tea sandwiches, and other fare. The tea that will be served is the Museum's own signature blend, "Mary's Blend," a tantalizing cherry and almond black tea in honor of Mary Todd Lincoln. This tea is also available for purchase in the Museum's store. Tickets for FestiviTea are \$25 for Plymouth Historical Society members and \$30 for non-members, and can be purchased at the Plymouth Historical Museum during open hours, or on the website at <http://www.plymouthhistory.org/Events.html> using PayPal. Ticket holders who come early that day are also invited to enjoy the Museum's new special exhibit, "Santa Magic." The Plymouth Historical Museum is located at 155 S. Main Street, a block north of downtown Plymouth. For further information, call (734) 455-8940.

Township, just west of Beck. Food will be available for purchase and a raffle will be held.

Admission is \$2 per person. All are welcome.

PCA auction

Plymouth Christian Academy invites the community to an "Under the Sea"-themed auction on Friday, Nov. 19, in the school gymnasium.

The evening begins with a silent auction and dinner at 5 p.m. and a live auction at 7 p.m. Bid on items such as a ride on the Red Wings Zamboni, a flight in a B-17 Flying Fortress, vacation packages, an Extreme Bedroom Makeover with a professional designer, electronics, dinners, services, and much more. Dress is casual and child care is available.

Proceeds from the auction will help fund educational programs, scholarships, and technology. Click on "PCA News" on the

website (www.plymouthchristian.org) or call the office for more information, (734) 459-3505.

Lunch and learn

The Plymouth Community Council on Aging hosts "Lunch & Learn While Dining With Doctors" 1-3 p.m. Monday, Nov. 22 at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer in Plymouth.

The panel of doctors will include Ear Nose Throat, Anesthesia, General Surgery, Podiatry, Ophthalmology, Urology, Gastroenterology, Gynecology and Orthopedic. The Dearborn Surgery Center has teamed up with the Plymouth Community Council on Aging to bring health care education to the community. This is a completely free event which will include a catered lunch.

Seats are limited, call (734) 453-1234, Ext. 236, to reserve a seat.

AAUW meets

The Plymouth/Canton branch of the American Association of University Women will host its monthly meeting on Dec. 2, at 6 p.m., at the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 N. Sheldon in Plymouth (just north of North Territorial).

The meeting will feature the Plymouth-Canton Educational Park's (P-CEP) Madrigal Singers. Many other fun activities are planned to start the holiday season.

Light refreshments will be served.

AAUW is dedicated to advancing equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy and research. AAUW membership is open to all. For more information, contact Esther Nelson at enelson1c@att.net or (734) 981-4938.

Chair exercise

Chair Exercise is now offered at the Plymouth Community Cultural Center on Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m. This is a drop-in program, sponsored by the Plymouth Community Council on Aging. Cost is \$1.50 for each session.

Enjoy the benefits of toning, stretching and cardiovascular workouts and a healthier life. The class instructor is Nicole M. Freeman, owner of "FIT 4 U." Everyone is Welcome to participate, just show up.

The Plymouth Cultural Center is located at 525 Farmer in Plymouth.

Jazz @ the Elks

Jazz @ The Elks takes place the fourth Tuesday of the month from 7-10:30 p.m. at the Plymouth Elks Lodge #1780, located at 41700 Ann Arbor Road just west of Haggerty, in Plymouth.

These events are designed to keep the uniquely American tradition of Jazz alive in southeast Michigan. A \$5 donation at the door includes hors d'oeuvres and live jazz in a beautiful club setting.

On Tuesday, Nov. 23, the renowned John Trudell Jazz Quartet features Chuck Shermetero on keyboard, Bill Cairo on drums, Ray Tini on bass and John Trudell on trumpet and flugelhorn. This a popular group so come early for best seating.

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Group still hopes to save schools chief

BY BRAD KADRICH
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education voted weeks ago not to renew the contract of district superintendent Craig Fiegel.

But that hasn't stopped a small band of local residents from organizing an effort to get board members to change their minds.

Targeting the four board members — Treasurer Judy Mardigan and Trustees John Jackson, Dianne Gonzalez and Adrienne Davis — who voted against keeping Fiegel, the group is considering efforts ranging from a letter-writing campaign and speaking up at board meetings to recall in an effort to sway them.

The group of some 20 people met Thursday night at the Plymouth District Library to try to develop a game plan.

"I thought it went very well, there were a lot of new people who hadn't attended the prior meetings," said Mark Hutchins, who is leading the group. "There are a lot of people who want justification why this action was taken, and believe it's going to be disruptive to the district, based on past history."

The group is upset the board last month voted 4-3 (board President Steven Sneiderman, Vice President Barry Simescu and Secretary Nancy Eggenberger voted in favor of keeping him) not to renew Fiegel's contract, which expires June 30. That decision followed an annual review during which board members gave Fiegel's administration good marks in most areas, but lower marks in areas directly attributable to Fiegel.

But with student achievement high and the district budget, at least for the moment, balanced, the Concerned PCCS District Residents Group is concerned

the decision to let Fiegel go is not in the best interests of the district.

They believe two basic things: Fiegel has done a good job, or at least performed well enough to warrant keeping his job; and another superintendent search would be disruptive and, more importantly, expensive.

"I support fiscal responsibility," said Stephanie Goecke, a Plymouth resident with two children in the district. "I know how tight money is in this district, and that's not where I want my money spent."

Hutchins acknowledged that an attempt to recall the four board members who voted against keeping Fiegel was discussed, but the consensus appeared to be not to move forward with that kind of effort. Most people, he said, think such an effort would be divisive and do more harm than good.

Instead, he said, efforts could be turned toward finding solid candidates to oppose incumbent board members in the November 2011 election. Terms being served by Jackson, Gonzalez, Sneiderman and Eggenberger will be up for grabs.

"There were some who felt having a recall would split the community and cause a lot of dissension rather than healing," Hutchins said. "The other way (waiting for the election) might take longer and wouldn't save (Fiegel's) job, but they thought in the long term it might be a better way to go."

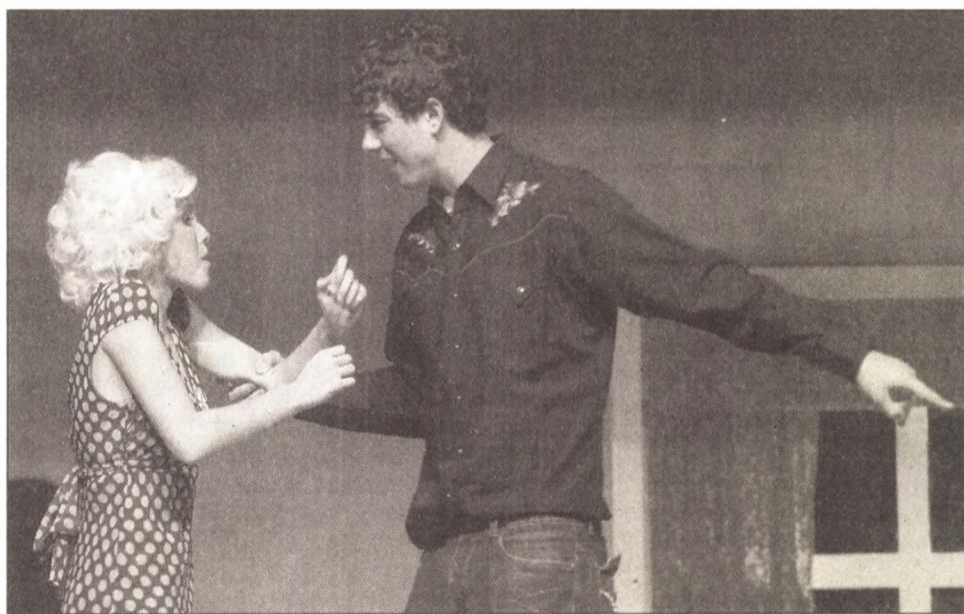
Meanwhile, the person at the center of the storm is grateful for the support.

"There's no question I appreciate the support," Fiegel said. "When you're feeling like folks are questioning the job you're doing, it's nice to know others feel positive about you."

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Carl the bus driver (Ian Crawford), Cherie (Jordan Shroat) and waitress Elma Duckworth (Kelley Donnelley) talk over the situation during "Bus Stop."



Bo Decker (Tom Halling) tries to tell Cherie (Jordan Shroat) how things are going to be.

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BUS STOP

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people interpret what love is. I love the way the relationships grow."

It's one of the smaller casts of recent Park Player productions, with eight cast members and about a dozen crew members. But they're tackling it with their usual enthusiasm.

Salem High School senior Jordan Shroat plays Cherie, the singer who has been kidnapped by the cowboy, Bo Decker (played by Tom Halling), who plans to take her to his ranch in Montana and make her his bride, whether she wants to or not.

Shroat said she loves the lesson Cherie learns — whether she actually loves Bo — but said playing the upbeat, bubbly Cherie was challenging.

"She's upbeat and bubbly, and she doesn't fit with everyone else," said Shroat, who began her Park Players career playing Catherine in *Pride and Prejudice* as a freshman. "Even though she's talking about upsetting things, she seems to be happy. It's hard to play 'happy' for that long, because I'm not like that."

Salem High School junior Brandon Waldenmayer tackles the role of Dr. Gerald Lyman, who brings his own set of idiosyncrasies to the diner. To get a better handle on the character Waldenmayer, whose credits include *The Laramie Project* and *The Complete Works of William Shakespeare*, researched the symptoms/effects of a hangover, how a drunk person would walk, etc.

"(Lyman) is a very tough challenge," Waldenmayer said. "He's a 60-year-old man, which I clearly am not, he's got an alcohol problem, and I've never even taken a drink, and he's got a problem with younger women. I've never even met anyone with all those problems at once. (Lyman) clearly does not have his life on track."

The cast — and especially Bird — have had a blast putting the show together.

"I've had such a good time working with this show and working with these kids," Bird said. "The kids have been great. It's been so much fun."

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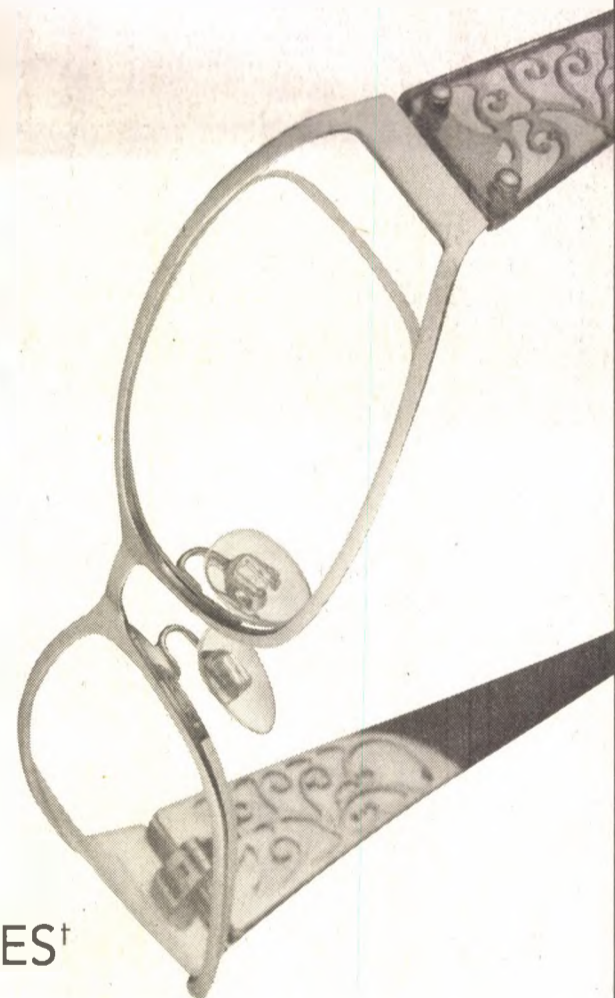
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'Proud Marine' remembered as inspiration

BY DARRELL CLEM
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

Charles E. Volker, who earned a Michigan honor as Marine of the Year and inspired countless youngsters by starting the Canton Young Marines, died Sunday evening at St. Mary Mercy Hospital in Livonia.

He was 83.

"He was just as much a loving family man as he was a proud Marine," Mr. Volker's wife of 32 years, Judy, said. "Everyone who met him loved him. He was a great husband, dad and grandfather."

Mr. Volker died shortly after 8 p.m. Sunday from complications of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), often referred to as Lou Gehrig's disease for the baseball legend who died from it.

A mere 90 minutes before he died, Mr. Volker lay in his hospital bed and, using his fingers, assumed the role of chorus director as he led a group of family and friends who sang *The Marines' Hymn*, though his disease had left him unable to sing along, his wife said.

Mr. Volker, a Canton resident formerly of Livonia, was a veteran who served in the U.S. Navy and the U.S. Marines during World War II and just after it ended. A native of New Jersey, he moved to Michigan in 1960, worked in the food service industry and joined the Marine Corps League.

"He had worked with veterans and kids ever since," Judy Volker said.

A Livonia auxiliary police lieutenant, Mr. Volker was a charter member of the Marine Corps League's Northwest Detachment, which meets in Northville, and he helped start the Wolverine Detachment during a stint when his family lived in St. Joseph.

Mr. Volker was a state



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Charles Volker was named Michigan's Marine of the Year in 2005.

commandant for the Department of Michigan Marine Corps League in 2002-04 and was voted Marine of the Year by his peers in 2005, Judy Volker said.

"That was quite an honor," she said.

Mr. Volker started the Canton Young Marines in 2004 for children who could join as young as 8 years old and remain through high school. They participate in drills, attend patriotic parades, visit veterans hospitals, perform community service projects and, just a few weeks ago, joined the Volker family and raised \$5,000 for ALS during an event in Kensington Park.

Karen and Steve Braun's two sons, Jason and Joshua, joined Canton Young Marines. Just before his 20th birthday, Jason Braun next week will formally finish his Marine boot camp at Parris Island, S.C., and 18-year-old Joshua Braun, a Schoolcraft College student, leaves in January for the same training.

Joshua Braun recalled Mr. Volker with admiration.

"He's a person who inspires you without really trying to," Joshua Braun said. "He was really sincere. I think he inspired me to want to serve my country. He gave me a great respect for the military and especially the Marine Corps."

Karen Braun called Mr. Volker "an outstanding man who deserves all the recognition he has gotten." Canton Township Supervisor Phil LaJoy, who served in the U.S. Marines, lauded Mr. Volker for his involvement in his community.

"He presented a tremendous opportunity to young people to experience what military life is like," LaJoy said. "He gave them a better understanding of the Armed Forces. I salute him for all he did. He always had a big smile, and he was always upbeat. He was all about the Marine Corps."

Other than his wife, Mr. Volker also is survived by four children, Cindy (Rick) Trzcinski of Livonia, James Mach Jr. of Canton, Holly (Jim) Anderson of Walled Lake, and Charles

M. Volker of Warren; one brother, Kenneth (Mary Ann) Volker of San Antonio, Texas; eight grandchildren, Jordan (fiancee Allyssa) Blanchard; Whitney (Andy) Hess; Abbey Blanchard; James Mach; Austin Mach; Camden Anderson, Machlain Anderson, and Robin Volker.

A family hour will start at 1 p.m. Thursday and visitation will be 2-9 p.m., with a 7 p.m. Marine Corps League service, at McCabe Funeral Home, 851 N. Canton Center Road, Canton. Mr. Volker will lie in state at 10 a.m. Friday until an 11 a.m. funeral service at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 3003 Hannan, Wayne.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Canton Young Marines, c/o John Israel, executive officer, at 46138 Doubletree Road, Canton, MI 48187 or to the Marine Corps League, Detachment No. 414, c/o Norm Jewell, commandant, at 13761 Townsend Road, Milan, MI 48160.

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CRIME WATCH

Shoplifting arrest

Two young men suspected of shoplifting were arrested on the afternoon of Nov. 11 at the Kmart on Ann Arbor Road east of Haggerty.

One suspect, a 20-year-old Howell man, was seen leaving the checkout area with four shirts, valued at about \$10 each, for which he had not paid, according to a Plymouth Township Police Department report. The second, a 16-year-old township boy, was concealing a package of candy, the report indicated.

Both were detained by store security guards, and police were called.

The teen was released to a guardian without charges, while the 20-year old was cited for third-degree retail fraud, given a court date, then released, police said.

Vehicle break-ins

Two vehicles were burglarized Sunday while parked at Plymouth Township Park, on Ann Arbor Trail east of Beck. A window had been smashed out on each vehicle, police said.

An i-Phone was reported stolen from a Ford Escape in one burglary, which occurred between 10 a.m. and 3:45 p.m., a police report said.

In the second burglary, a purse, with a checkbook, jewelry and credit cards among the things in it, was reported stolen from a 2007 Dodge Caravan. That incident occurred between 2 p.m. and 3:30 p.m., a police report said.

Auto-theft try

Someone apparently tried to steal a 2001 Toyota Rav4 from outside a house on Clemons Drive in the township on the night of Nov. 11 or early the next day.

The vehicle, parked in the driveway, was found Friday morning with its ignition damaged, a police report said.

Wheels stripped

A 2010 Ford Fusion parked in the driveway of a house on Chandler Drive was stripped of its wheels and tires early on Nov. 10.

The car had been left on landscape blocks taken from the front yard, police said. The theft occurred between 1 a.m. and 7 a.m.

In addition, the owner's manual was reported stolen from the car.

Vandalism

A 2010 Ford Taurus was scratched on the driver's side on Nov. 11 while it was parked at Bally's Total Fitness on Ann Arbor Road east of Haggerty.

The vandalism occurred between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., a police report said. Police said the car had deep scratches to both doors on the driver's side.

By Matt Jachman

FIRE RUNS

The Plymouth Community Fire Department responded to the following runs during the period Nov. 10-16:

- Tuesday, Nov. 16 — Vehicle accident on westbound M-14 at Schoolcraft; emergency runs on Haggerty, on Old Pond Circle, on West Hills Drive, on Plymouth Oaks, on Bettyhill and at Ann Arbor Trail and Evergreen.
- Monday, Nov. 15 — Residential rescue runs on Ross, on Deer, on Northville Road and on Haggerty; rescue run on Lilley; rescue run at a public building on Joy Road; investigation on Rockledge.

- Sunday, Nov. 14 — Rescue runs on Glenview and on Tavistock.

- Saturday, Nov. 13 — Special wash-down on M-14; open burn violation on Gold Arbor; residential rescue run on Manton.

- Friday, Nov. 12 — Residential rescue runs on Old Pond Circle, on Ann Arbor Road, on Ross, on Shadywood and on Francis; rescue run on Ann Arbor Road; grass fire on Amhurst; special run on Northville Road; fire on Penniman.

- Thursday, Nov. 11 — Residential rescue runs on Dewey and on Rose, rescue run on Church west of Main, vehicle accident on I-275 south of Ann Arbor Road; special run on Northville Road; rescue run on Hines Drive.

- Wednesday, Nov. 10 — Commercial rescue runs on Lilley and on Ann Arbor Road; residential rescue runs on South Drive, on Powell, on Pinehurst and on Sheldon; rescue run at Hines Drive and Riverside; vehicle accident with wash-down on Main south of Ann Arbor Road; rescue run at a public building on Mill.

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PROJECT

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— churches, service groups, scouting groups, schools — whose members donate filled shoeboxes.

“Most of these children have never been given a gift in their life, and anything and everything is appreciated,” said Patricia Dage of Livonia, the coordinator of this year’s Operation Christmas Child at NorthRidge.

The national collection week for Operation Christmas Child starts Monday. NorthRidge has set a goal of 9,500 shoe boxes this year, and has reserved three semi trucks to take the gifts to North Carolina, from where they will be shipped to destination countries.

Dage, a longtime NorthRidge member, was inspired to get involved by a 1999 church mission to Honduras in the wake of Hurricane Mitch.

“Our kids are blessed and

have so much in the U.S.,” said Dage. “These children have absolutely nothing.”

Dage and her family filled about 100 shoe boxes last year, and Operation Christmas Child’s tracking system told her they went to Ukraine, Madagascar and Bolivia. She shops year round for the gifts. “The Dollar Tree is best,” she said.

Dawn Young of Taylor, also a NorthRidge member and volunteer, was on that same Honduras trip, and returned the following year. She’s been on missions to other countries, too.

“The more you travel, every time you go out you see more and more of what the needs are,” she said.

Filled shoe boxes typically contain small toys (rubber balls, plush toys, dolls for girls, toy cars for boys), hard candy, pens and pencils, paper and notebooks, toiletries and maybe a pair of flip-flops and a small item or two of clothing.

“Even the teenagers are excited to have a stuffed animal,”

said Young.

The school supplies are important, Dage said, because children in poorer countries often have to bring their own in order to attend school.

“They need help, they need support, they need love,” Dage said.

Donors are also encouraged to write a letter to the recipient and include a family photo. Sometimes, recipients will reply with their thanks, Dage said.

Operation Christmas Child is sponsored by Samaritan’s Purse, a Christian evangelical and relief organization. Since it began in 1993, the program has delivered more than 77 million boxes to children in about 130 countries.

Young said that adults who benefited from Operation Christmas Child as youngsters years ago remember it fondly.

“They help with the distribution for other kids, because the boxes touched them so much,” she said.

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Church still collecting gifts for needy children

BY MATT JACHMAN
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NorthRidge Church in Plymouth Township is continuing to collect donations for Operation Christmas Child, which ships shoeboxes full of simple gifts to poor children around the world.

NorthRidge members will be making their own donations and will also be collecting filled shoeboxes from other churches, plus scouting groups, schools and service organizations whose members are making donations. Individual donations are welcome; the overall goal is 9,500 filled shoeboxes.

The remaining collection hours at NorthRidge are 1-3 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, and 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday.

Volunteers Patricia Dage and Dawn Young offered these guidelines for donors:

- Boxes should be standard shoeboxes or sturdy plastic boxes, with lids, of a shoebox size (six-quart capacity). They can be wrapped for Christmas, but the lids must be wrapped separately.

- Gifts to go in the boxes should be new. Suggestions include small toys (balls, dolls, plush toys; toy cars), pens, pencils, paper, notebooks erasers, hard candy, bar soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs and girls’ hair ties. No

toys with a violent theme, such as toy guns or soldiers, no chocolate (likely to melt) and no liquids (a spilling hazard).

- Each box should be marked for a girl or a boy, even if the toys, clothing or other items inside are not gender-specific. Also, pick an age-appropriate category for each box: 2-4; 5-9; or 10-14.

- A personal letter to the recipient and a family photo can be included. Recipients sometimes write back.

- A donation of at least \$7 per box is requested to help defray shipping costs. A check, made out to Samaritan’s Purse (with “OCC” on the memo line) can be enclosed, or online donations can be made at www.samaritanpurse.org. The website also includes detailed instructions and a label for the shoeboxes that can be downloaded and printed.

The website also includes instructions on how to track a donation to the country to which it’s delivered.

Samaritan’s Purse has a goal of 8.2 million filled shoeboxes this year, 5.5 million from the U.S.

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This year Northville brings the tradition home. “We already have a fabulous lighted parade and a green market,” according to Chamber President Jody Humphries. “This seemed like the perfect extension. Our

victorian downtown has always been a magnet for shoppers.”

The centerpiece of the event is a traditional Carousel, with free rides courtesy of the Northville

Downtown Development Authority and the Downtown Stores. Booths cover Center and Main Streets, with juried artisans and high quality

crafts people with hundreds of ideas for Christmas giving. Seasonal taste treats such as turkey legs, hot cider, sausages and roasted chestnuts combined with carollers help to further enhance the experience.

“People my age remember going to Hudson’s or other department stores to see Santa and wonderous displays. We are working to create that experience for a new generation,” explains Mark Loeb, the event coordinator. “We are transforming Old Church Square into the ‘Northville Pole’, complete with Santa, a myriad of kids activities and all sorts of surprises.”

Northville’s great shops and restaurants are open, featuring special early shopping discounts.

For more information go to MichiganChristmasMarket.com.



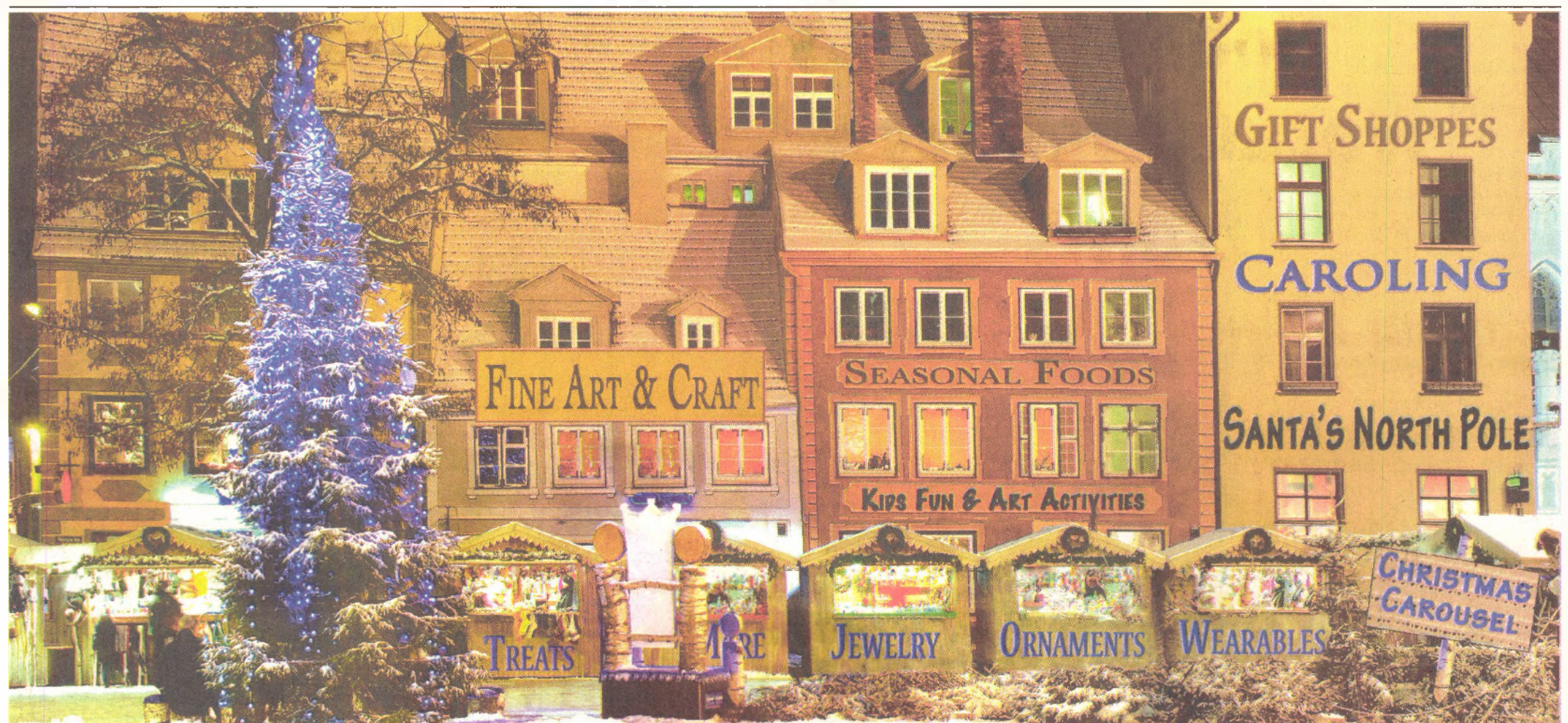
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Making sweet music

Challenging show narrowly misses national finals

BY DIANE HANSON
CORRESPONDENT

Spectacular, bold, innovative – just a few of the words used (and not just by PCMB folks) to describe the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band's dramatic 10-minute competition program this year that landed the 215-member hometown team among the 34 top marching bands in the nation for the semi-finals during the Bands of America Grand National Championships at the Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis Saturday.

That feat was achieved after PCMB's strong preliminary performance Friday that narrowed the field of 86 top high school competing bands from 22 states. Another outstanding performance during Saturday's semi-finals placed the hometown marchers at 13th in the country – a mere two-tenths of a point away from the cutoff for the finals competition of the top 12 bands.

"I am so proud of the PCEP students, staff, and parents for everything they've done this year," said Sheldon Frazier, marching band director. "To see this beautiful product come together in the final hour was truly an emotional moment for all of us. Without a doubt this was the best run this season. Everything came together at both shows – the emotion, the effect, and the overall performance level of the band was absolutely breathtaking."

This year's show, "The Source," depicting the movement from darkness to the light of the source, involved challenging music, marching, a wardrobe change for the entire band, and pulling enormous bright yellow and white tarps onto the gridiron midway through the show. The effect was stunning and elicited cheers and appreciative applause from the thousands of spectators.

"This show was amazing," said Plymouth senior David Titus, who plays the quad tenor drums and is the percussion section leader. "This is by far my favorite show – just because of the concepts and how we pulled it off with the tarps. It was crazy. I don't even know how we did it."

But they did it. And even though they were cut just short of the finals competition, the hometown team had much to celebrate, which is exactly what they did with a pizza party at the YMCA camp where they were lodged about 45 miles from downtown Indianapolis, courtesy of the very supportive band booster parents.

"Performing in a venue like that with this group of people is indescribable," said senior drum major Kaitlyn Tracy, one of three of the band's leaders along with Mike Wolf and Grace Wine, all of whom enjoyed the evening celebration. "There is so much energy and everyone is so committed and determined – it's fantastic. Everyone is working together and performing and that's what this is all about. Everyone has put their hardest effort in and it has all paid off."

That's exactly the kind of commitment and determination Bands of America president and CEO Eric Martin sees in the tens of thousands of students marching before him each year.

"The students' presence here already makes them among the best of the best," he said. "If they have performed at their highest achievement levels, that's all that matters. Every single year the performances become more creative, more excellent, and more wonderful. The children and the teachers and the creative staffs work so hard and they keep raising the standard and raising the bar."

"It's just an amazing performance by all the participants. There is such a level of excellence. With over 20,000 high school bands in America, the 86 to 90 bands that come each year are already the best of the best. By the time we get to semi-finals, any of those bands could have been finalist bands."

Although there were no Michigan bands in the finals this year, three other Michigan bands also made it to the semi-finals round: Walled Lake Central placed 21st with an 83.05, West Bloomfield scored 77.7 for 30th and Godwin Heights, 34th, 72.15. Plymouth-Canton's 87.2 secured 13th place. The championship this year went to Indiana's Avon High School.

"It's amazing to look back from where we started and how far we have come," noted Tracy. "It is quite a transformation. And it's great to be a part of such a legacy. It's great to be a part of a show like this that also continues that legacy and just adding to the name that's Plymouth."

Frazier summed it up: "Well done PCMB."



PHOTOS BY DIANE HANSON

Enthusiastic PCMB supporters cheer for the hometown team as the 215-member Plymouth-Canton Marching Band takes the field for Saturday's semi-finals competition during the Bands of America Grand National Championships at the Lucas Oil Stadium in Indianapolis.



Color guard member Morgan Bartos maneuvers her flag as the choir hauls the billowing huge tarps across the Colt's gridiron, followed by the drumline during Saturday's BOA Grand National Championships semi-finals performance.



Natalie Serduik, center, along with fellow color guard members, maneuvers through the marching band, including tuba players Anna Marchesano, left, and Alexandria Lemieux.



Choreographed moves are an important part of the competition performance of the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band, including saxes Amanda Grimm, left, Jessica Hodge and Kyle Bursch, and tuba player Zach Giamporcuro.



Plymouth-Canton Marching Band director Sheldon Frazier makes sure the instruments are in tune during the warm-ups before the PCMB performed in semi finals during the Bands of America Grand National Championships at the Indianapolis Lucas Oil Stadium Saturday. Here he gives a last-minute check to the saxophone section, including Zach Walter, left, and Kyle Bursch.

Specialty store emphasizes Michigan-made food

BY MATT JACHMAN
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

A new specialty grocer in Plymouth is celebrating Michigan-made foods, from tortilla chips to granola bars to buffalo meat, as a healthy way to support the state's farmers and boost its economy.

Garry Kuneman of Redford Township opened Meat Local, on Ann Arbor Road east of Sheldon, quietly in July, but last weekend hosted about 150 people during a three-day grand opening. Meat Local has a big focus on meat products — and 95 percent of its meats are from animals raised on Michigan farms, Kuneman said. The store carries beef, turkey, chicken, buffalo, pork, fish, lamb and other meats.

But Kuneman is stocking a variety of other foods as well, and is in the process of obtaining more. Meat Local has Michigan peanut butters, snacks, eggs, dairy products, spring water, in-season produce, pastas, sauces, jams and jellies, desserts and more.

"I'm trying to find more and more local Michigan food items," Kuneman said on Tuesday.

He started out about seven years ago delivering mostly Michigan meat, dairy products and eggs, and visiting area farmers markets, with a business called Natural Local Food Express. He gradually broadened his selection, and opening a retail outlet seemed like a logical step; not having one was limiting, Kuneman said.

"There are so many people who said they wish they could get my products seven days a week," rather than periodically at farmers markets, Kuneman said. "I developed a pretty good customer base."

He chose Plymouth, Kuneman said, because of a cultural sensibility that seems similar to that in Ann Arbor, where such stores are successful, and because no other local



Meat Local, on Ann Arbor Road in Plymouth, grew out of Natural Local Food Express, which home-delivers food and sets up booths at area farmers markets.

stores were doing exactly the same thing.

Kuneman's son Blaine, who is working on a master's degree at Eastern Michigan University, sometimes helps out at the store, and daughter Derian helps with the farmers markets. Another daughter, Kendal, works on the business Web site (naturallocalfd.com).

Kuneman touts the health benefits of the Michigan-produced meat; the animals aren't raised on factory farms, he said, but on local farms, and the ruminants, such as cows and buffalo, are grass-fed instead of grain-fed. Meat Local also carries many organic and gluten-free products.

Kuneman said he has been influenced in his food selections by the documentary film *Food Inc.*, by Robert Kenner, and the book *The Omnivore's Dilemma*, by Michael Pollan.

He also touts the environmental plus of the smaller "carbon footprint" that comes from transporting Michigan products for shorter distances versus having items trucked in from all over the country or the world.

"You're not going to see grapes here in the middle of the winter from Chile," he said.

Kuneman works with a Plymouth caterer, Janet Hammons, supplying the meats she uses in pot pies,

sauces and pasties he then sells at his store.

He developed business ties with many Michigan farmers and food producers as he met them at farmers markets over the years, and started carrying their goods through Natural Local Food Express. He goes out of his way to accommodate small-scale suppliers around the state, making some pickups himself instead of demanding deliveries, or meeting them halfway.

One plus for him in working with small farms, he said, is that he can often get the owner on the phone right away, rather than getting lost in a corporate voice-mail maze.

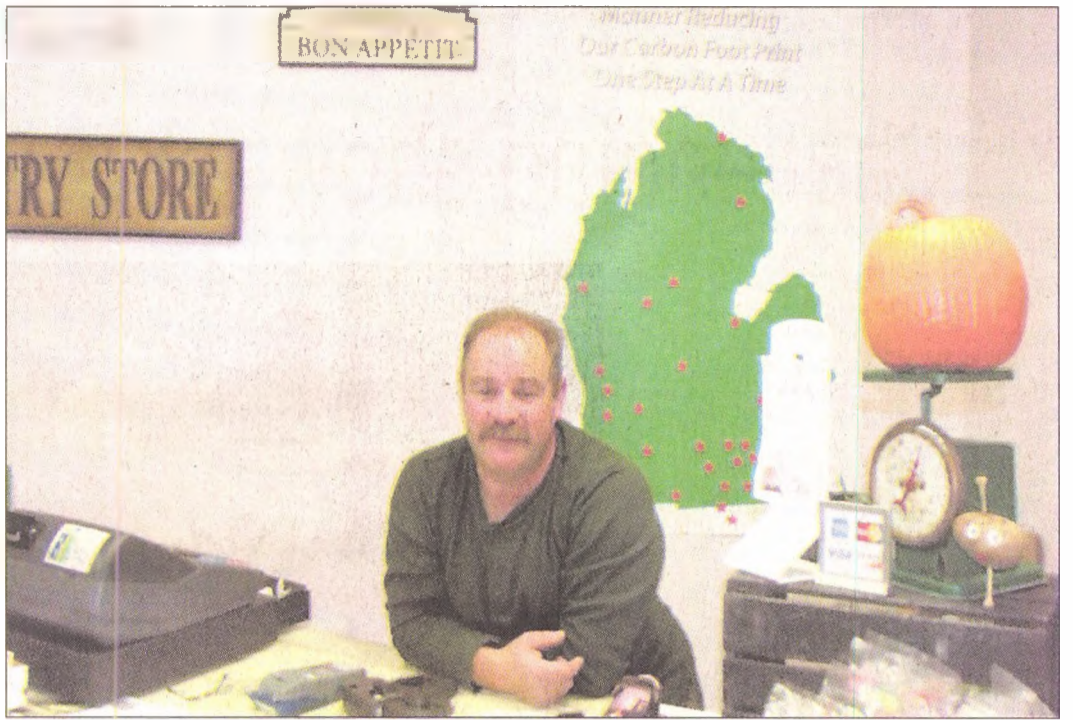
Kuneman has great admiration for Michigan farmers.

"The real heroes, as far as I'm concerned, are the farmers," he said. "They are hard-working people."

Kuneman is trying to obtain a state license that would allow him to sell Michigan-made beer and wine.

Meat Local is at 1192 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, next to Fitness Things. The hours are 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. The phone number is (248) 231-6533.

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Garry Kuneman at his new store, Meat Local, in Plymouth. Stars on the map in the background show the locations of the farms and producers from which Kuneman buys food for his store.

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Canton mortgage brokerage goes solar

BY DARRELL CLEM
OBSERVER STAFF WRITER

A Canton mortgage brokerage firm has become the first known township-based business to install a solar energy system on its rooftop — an environmentally friendly decision proponents say could slash utility costs by \$87,000 over 20 years.

"It's a step in the right direction," Aadil Nathoo, president and founder of AmeriPlus Financial, said as he stood near 78 solar panels that adorn the roof of his business, northeast of Canton Center and Hanford roads.

Nathoo expects his average utility costs to drop immediately by 25 percent — from \$400 a month to \$300 — after he brought in his friend Michael Greeb, sales director for United States Solar & Wind of Plymouth, to spearhead a 20,000-watt photovoltaic solar energy system for his business.

"It was the right thing to do and the right time to do it," Nathoo said. "Issues like climate change and foreign oil dependence are critical concerns for our country. Yet, they are such global issues that people often feel helpless in dealing with them. We wanted to show that something positive could be done locally."

Surprisingly, Nathoo didn't have to pay any money upfront after he tapped into federal tax incentives and a partnership between United States Solar & Wind and DTE, though he expects to pay around \$130 a month over five years through a lease-to-own program.

Amid a tough economic climate, Greeb said the temporary incentives have made it possible for business owners to go green without facing exorbitant costs that could top \$200,000 for solar energy systems.

Canton Municipal Services Director Tim Faas confirmed after consulting with township building department officials that AmeriPlus is apparently the first Canton-based firm to seek township permits and install such a system, although it appears other businesses may follow suit.

"It's a good trend to follow," Nathoo said.

As Greeb explained it, the roughly 2,000-square-foot AmeriPlus office isn't actually heated by the solar



Michael Greeb of United States Solar and Wind and business owner Aadil Nathoo on the roof next to the solar array.



Aadil Nathoo, president and founder of AmeriPlus Financial in Canton, said the move to solar energy is "a step in the right direction."

energy system and, in fact, remains on DTE's grid. The solar panels essentially capture photons from the sun and use inverters mounted on exterior walls to convert the direct current to an alternating current. Then, the energy is converted into electricity for DTE, which monitors the amount generated and slashes Nathoo's utility bills accordingly.

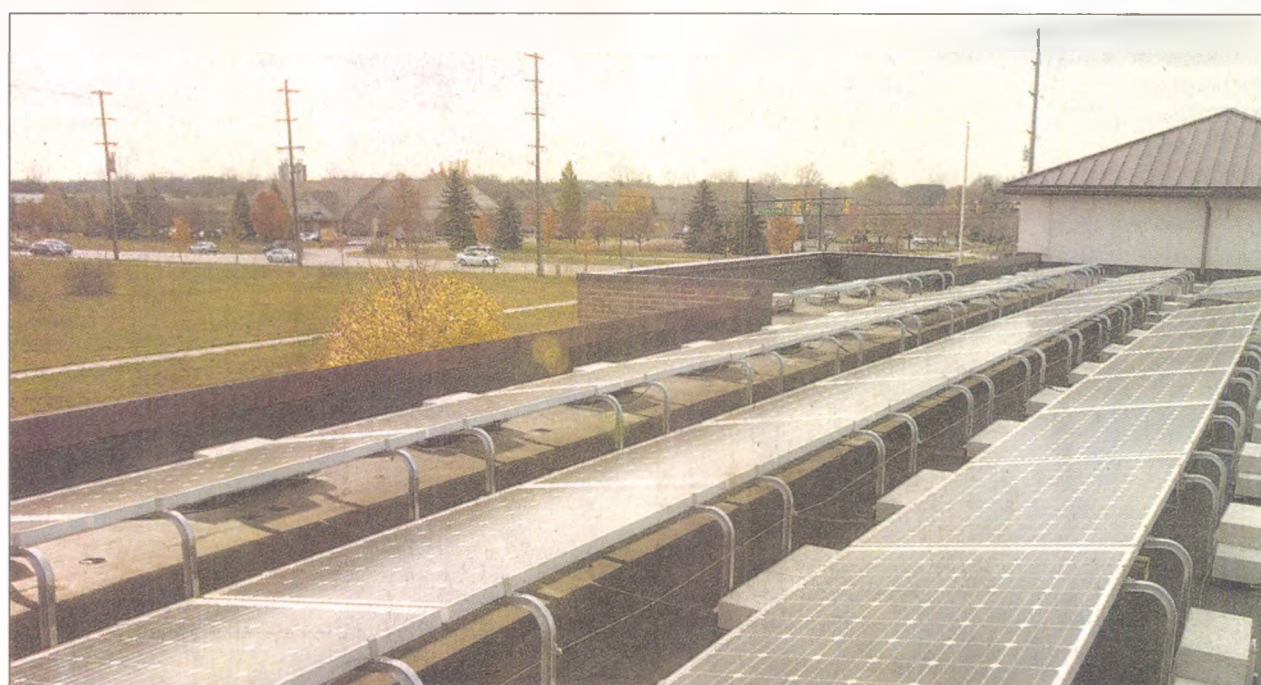
Nathoo predicts his utility savings to grow to nearly \$5,000 a year within five years, after ownership of the solar energy system is transferred to him. Over the 20-year lifetime of the system, he is expected to save more than \$87,000.

Nathoo also has initiated other "green" projects, such as paperless closings on mortgages. He said he wants to do his part to make the world a better place not only for his family — wife Alidah and children Zeyaad, 10, Aalaynah, 8, and Khalil, 6 — but also for his community. He is a Canton Chamber of Commerce member, and he coaches daughter Aalaynah's U9 Canton soccer team.

"Canton is my home, and I feel a strong link to the community," Nathoo said. "I've lived here for 12 years. I've raised my family here, and I've located my business here."

"I think it's important to try to improve our community's quality of life," he added. "If I can demonstrate the profitability of going solar and encourage others to innovate, then everyone wins."

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The solar panels cover much of the roof. The panels are not visible from ground level.

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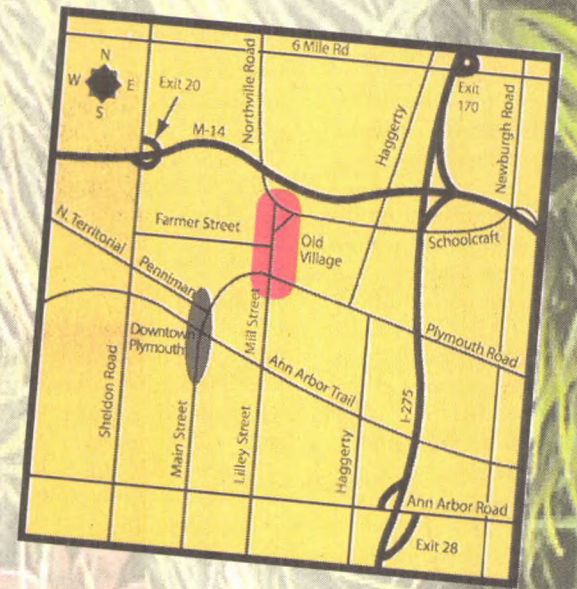
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more sparkplug Nate Emminger.

Austin (11-21, 71 yards) then came through on a third-and-eight with a 10-yard screen pass to senior wide-out Jake Morris (4-22) for a first down at the CC 26.

ONE LAST SCORE

Although that moved the ball well into Brindza's range, the Wildcats wanted to move closer and also eat up minutes on the clock if possible.

A 12-yard up-the-middle burst by junior running back Jerrell Jenkins — who led all runners in the game with 111 yards on 26 carries — gave Plymouth a first down inside the Catholic Central five.

Three Jenkins carries later (where his main objective on each was to hang on to the ball) left it up to Brindza.

But the Shamrocks weren't done and gave Plymouth a major scare.

Catholic Central regained possession of the ball at the 20 and had just 35 seconds on the clock to work with.

One long completion was nullified by a holding penalty. That would have given the Shamrocks a chance inside the Plymouth 10.

Quarterback Mike Birney then threw the ball up for grabs and it was momentarily intercepted before a CC teammate stripped it back.

A delay-of-game penalty, however, forced the Shamrocks to retreat to Plymouth's 41 and kicker Justin D'Agostino's subsequent 58-yard field goal bid to win the game fell far short of the uprights.

That set off a Plymouth mob scene on the field and the players took the love over to the jammed-and-jubilant visitors' bleacher section.

"You can't even describe that (feeling)," said Nate Emminger, who like he did Nov. 5 against Canton made key plays on both sides of the ball. "It's the greatest student cheering section in the world and we're just glad they're out here supporting us in a game of this stature."

Catholic Central head coach Tom Mach said the way the game ended was eventful and "pretty exciting. Going from them taking the lead and then we moved the ball, we thought close enough to kick a field goal.

"But another holding penalty, we had quite a few holding penalties hurt us," he said. "Different things hurt us today, we didn't make plays when we had to."

In the first half, Plymouth went up 3-0 midway through the first quarter on a 52-yard three-pointer by Brindza.

The Wildcats had received the ball in great shape (at CC's 39) following the Catholic Central punter not being able to handle a low snap.

That lead held up until the Shamrocks scored on a 4th-and-1 run by D'Agostino with less than two minutes to go in the first half.

GETTING IT BACK

Penalties kept that march going, including one called on senior Brennen Beyer for horse-collaring Birney on a sack attempt at the CC 35. Had Beyer completed the sack without an infraction, the Shamrocks likely would have been forced to punt.

Later on, that gave Beyer extra motivation to regain the lead.

"We needed to bounce back from that," Beyer said. "If our defense held us for the rest of the game we were pretty confident our offense would score. That's what we planned and that's what we did, it worked out well."

That's an understatement. Beyer (4.5 tackles, five assists) and the rest of the Wildcats' defense was ferocious from start to finish, putting plenty of heat on the Shamrocks' playmakers.

Junior linebacker Tyler Goble led Plymouth with 10 tackles and one sack, while public address announcers often called the names of Beyer, senior defensive back Anthony LeMerise (six tackles), senior linebacker Tony Rhodes (four tackles, four assists), senior defensive back Phil Emminger (3.5 tackles, five assists) and junior linebacker Donte Fox (three tackles, four assists).

Perhaps another reason the Wildcats defense played with swagger was knowing if they got the ball back into the hands of the offense there was Brindza waiting to do his thing.

"It gives you so much reassurance," Beyer added. "When I was lining up for the (winning) field goal I was really confident it was going to go in. He's the best kicker in the state and one of the best in the nation, it helps a lot."

Now, the Wildcats will try to keep the magic going. One more victory will move Plymouth into the D1 final at Ford Field on Nov. 27.

Sawchuk, asked about his preference to play Rockford or Howell in the semifinal (it was later learned that Rockford won), noted that "it doesn't matter. You get to this point and they're all good. I'm just very, very proud of my kids and my coaching staff, more so than myself."

For a video of highlights from the Plymouth victory over Catholic Central, please go to www.hometownlife.com.



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Plymouth Wildcat fans go crazy in the stands for their team. After the Wildcats upset Novi-Detroit Catholic Central, 9-7, the entire team rushed over to the bleachers to celebrate with their frenzied student section.

Both ends of the spectrum



Shamrock fans support their team from the stands.

Kyle Brindza's game-winning field goal Saturday for Plymouth touched off quite a contrast in emotions at Novi-Detroit Catholic Central.

On one side of the turf field, Catholic Central faithful were silent, wondering if the Wildcats had indeed ruined their team's bid for another Division 1 crown.

A wild final sequence of plays later, the 9-7 Plymouth victory was finally secured and the Wildcats whooped it up with their own fans, who exchanged high fives with many of the players who rushed the stands shortly after the end of the game.

The raw emotions ran the gamut for the two well-respected programs. But for one, it was all over for 2010.

Whatever happens for the rest of the state playoffs, which culminate at Ford Field in Detroit, it is doubtful there will be quite as emotional a scene as that played out at Catholic Central — where the agony of defeat and thrill of victory were experienced simultaneously.



Catholic Central running back Anthony Darkangelo is spectacularly tripped up by Plymouth's Phil Emminger (No. 22) during last Saturday's dramatic 9-7 victory by the Wildcats.



Plymouth Wildcat Jerel Jenkins tries to run past CC's Vaughn Wesley.



The Plymouth Wildcats celebrate their Division 1 regional playoff victory over the Shamrocks of Novi-Detroit Catholic Central.

PREP GRID PICKS

Playoffs Week 4
Saturday, Nov. 20
 Grosse Pointe South (8-4) vs. Farmington Harrison (121-0)
 1 p.m. at West Bloomfield
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 1 p.m. at Lansing Everett

Last week
Overall

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Harrison	Harrison	Harrison	Harrison
Rockford	Rockford	Plymouth	Rockford
1-2 (.333)	2-1 (.667)	3-0 (1.000)	2-1 (.667)
104-31 (.770)	112-23 (.830)	94-41 (.689)	103-32 (.765)

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Metro Dance has seen an increase in the demand for adult dance and fitness classes and ballroom lessons for all ages. The studio has increased staff and class offerings to meet the demand.

Metro Dance offers steps for everyone

Observer: Tell us about your business, including the types of services and/or products you feature?

Metro Dance: Metro Dance Company is a Plymouth dance studio offering year-round ballet, tap, jazz, modern, cecchetti, lyrical, pom, pointe, hip hop, ballroom, pilates and yoga classes for students of all ages and skill levels. We have competitive, recital and technique classes and private lessons can be scheduled on our customers' schedules. The studio also offers lessons for brides and grooms looking to learn the basics of ballroom dance and/or to have their first dance choreographed.

Observer: How did you first decide to open your business?

Metro Dance: The studio opened in 1997 and was purchased by the current owner in 2006.

Observer: Why did you choose Plymouth?

Metro Dance: Plymouth is a friendly family-orientated area with a thriving downtown business community. Local businesses are always helpful and looking for ways to work together.

Observer: What makes your business unique?

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technique dance classes in a variety of styles and skill levels and adult dancers have their choice of monthly, 8-week and drop in dance and fitness classes. Couples can take group or private ballroom lessons to learn the basics of salsa, swing, waltz, tango, etc.

Observer: How has it changed since you opened?

Metro Dance: Over the past 2 years, the studio has seen an increase in the demand for adult dance and fitness classes and ballroom lessons for all ages. The studio has increased staff and class offerings to meet the demand.

CHAMBER CHAT

After hours

Liberty Street Brewing Co. hosts a "Beerful" and fun final After Hours of 2010 for the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce 5-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 18.

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Santa's house

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce hosts the Santa House in Kellogg Park starting with the popular grand opening the day after Thanksgiving when Santa arrives on a fire truck.

Members can bring 200 coupons to the chamber that will be distributed in "goodie bags" during the holiday season to families who come to visit with Santa.

In order to participate, coupons must be delivered to the Chamber (850 West Ann Arbor Trail) by Tuesday, Nov. 23.

If you have any questions, email teri@plymouthmich.org or call 734-453-1540.

Board nominations

The Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce is now



Santa will visit with children at his house outside Kellogg Park following his arrival in Plymouth 6 p.m. Friday, Nov. 26.

accepting nominations from the general membership for our Board of Directors.

Nominations will be submitted to our nominations committee who will give recommendations to our Board and then the names will be

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Foundation director

Yatooma's Foundation For The Kids, a nonprofit organization dedicated to providing guidance and stability to families with children who have suddenly lost a parent, has named Pam Wong executive director.

Most recently, Wong advised clients as principal in Connecting the Dots, LLC. She also has held leadership positions with such organizations as the Michigan Department of Education and Ascension Health.

Said Norman Yatooma, founder and president of Yatooma's Foundation For The Kids, "Pam's history of dedication to the community and active leadership in organizations designed to better people's lives, as well as her

passion for our mission, make her a valuable asset in our ability to help more families in our region suffering the loss of a parent."

An active member of the volunteer community, Wong has been recognized for her dedication to helping others. She was honored as Volunteer of the Year by the American Heart Association and named Horizon Award Winner for outstanding community service and leadership by the Human Rights Council, City of Detroit. She currently volunteers with the Plymouth-Canton Community Literacy Council and serves on the Advisory Committee for Starr Commonwealth.

Wong earned her Masters of Business Administration from the Richard DeVos Graduate School of Management at Northwood University and her Bachelor of Arts with honors from Michigan State University. She currently resides in Plymouth.

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The three Plymouth community Edward Jones financial advisers are: Tom Whited, John Birchler, and Sherrie Webb-Zucker.

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JAMES RICHARD COLLINS

74, of Polson, MT, and formerly of Farmington Hills, MI, passed away at his Polson home on Wednesday, November 10, 2010. James was born on August 20, 1936 in Boston, MA, a son of the late John and Elizabeth Collins. He attended Boston College High School, graduating in 1954, and later went on to receive his BA in Finance from Boston College in Chestnut Hill, MA, graduating in 1958. James then enlisted in the US Army that same year and served until his honorable discharge in 1962. Jim worked for General Motors and Honeywell in Boston and Michigan during his career. Jim's faith was very important to him and was a devout, lifelong member of the Catholic Church. He enjoyed sports, especially coaching youth hockey and baseball. Jim energetically and loyally followed the Boston Red Sox, Bruins, Celtics, New England Patriots, and the Boston College Eagles, in particular their outstanding men's hockey program. He was an avid reader, an amateur historian; particularly in American and Irish history. Easy with a conversation and a smile and generous with his friendly and energetic spirit, Jim was an adored friend to many. He also doted on his three kitties. Jim was always fun loving and above all else cherished his wife, children, and grandchildren. Besides his parents, Jim is also preceded in death by a son, James Richard Collins, Jr. Those left with cherished memories are his loving wife, Jean Collins of Polson, MT; a daughter, Mary (Brian) Collins Kelly of Whitefish, MT; three sons, Kevin (Christine) Collins of Chicago, IL, John Collins, of Essex, MT, and Michael (Dina) Collins also of Chicago, IL; a sister, Mary "Reanie" King of Arlington, MA; a brother, John (Carol) Collins of Falmouth, MA. Additionally, Jim leaves behind 7 very dear grandchildren, 7 nieces and nephews and a multitude of grandnieces and nephews. Visitation for Jim's friends and family will begin on Wednesday, November 17, 2010, from 5 - 7 PM at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Polson. A vigil service will begin at 7 PM that evening. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Thursday, November 18 at 10:30 AM with Father James Connor presiding. Interment with military rites will follow at Lakeview Cemetery, Polson, MT. In lieu of flowers, Jim's family has requested that expressions of sympathy be made in the form of a memorial contribution to either the Whitefish Christian Academy Scholarship Fund, 820 Ashar Avenue, Whitefish, MT 59937, or to the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital by visiting www.stjude.org. Messages of condolence may be sent to the family online at: www.groganfuneralhome.com. The staff of Grogan Funeral Home, Polson, MT, considers it a privilege to care for the Collins family.

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THOMAS A. COTNER

Age 61. Passed away suddenly October 28, 2010 after a heart attack on the golf course in Nevada. Tom was a long time resident of Canton and taught math and computer science at the Plymouth Canton Educational Park for 34 years. He also served as the Chief Negotiator for the teachers union for several years. He was well liked and respected by staff and students. Tom is survived by his parents Ron & Gay Cotner of Aberdeen, NC, his loving wife Justine, his daughters Lori (Ryan) Cary and Julie (Greg) Bull and his grandchildren Jack, Adam, Jake and Riley. He was preceded in death by his brother Ron and his sister Gail. Tom was full of life, was an accomplished bowler with many "300" games, an avid golfer who recently celebrated his first "hole in one" and enjoyed sports, especially football. He was a great friend, an amazing father and a doting grandfather. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him. A memorial celebrating Tom's life will be held Saturday, November 20th at Fox Hills Golf & Banquet Club, 8768 North Territorial Road, Plymouth, MI 48170 from 12-4pm. Donations can be made to the Tom Cotner Memorial Scholarship Fund. Checks can be mailed to Educational Excellence Foundation, 454 S. Harvey Street, Plymouth, MI 48170. Checks can be made to EEF. Please note "Tom Cotner Fund" in the memo line.



LUMLEY FLORENCE S. "FLOSSIE"

Age 80, November 14, 2010. Beloved wife of the late Rev. Raymond for 56 years; dear mother of Paul (Alicia), Dave (Janice), Mark (Sherry), and Tim (Sherry); dearest grandmother of Megan, Adam, Alex, Ryan, Joshua, Tiffany, Rachel, Andrew, Amanda, Jessica, Daniel, and Zachary; loving sister of Walter (the late Lillian) Jester, Doris (Rev. Frank) Sellers and the late Sarah (the late Robert) Luginbuhl. Family will receive friends Thursday 5-9 pm and Friday 2-8 pm at the Harry J. Will Funeral Home, 37000 Six Mile Road, Livonia. Funeral services will be Saturday in-state at 10 am until the service at 10:30 am at Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, 9601 Hubbard, Livonia 48150. The family requests memorials made, in lieu of flowers, to her favorite organizations: Focus on the Family or Heifer International. www.harryjwillfuneralhome.com.

MARY AGNES LAING

Age 94. Beloved wife of the late Harold Laing. Loving mother of Shirley (Lawrence) Applin. Preceded in death by her dear son James. Proud Grandma of 5 and Great-grandma of 6. Memorial Service was held November 20, 2010 at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Livonia. In lieu of flowers donations to Woodhaven Nursing Home would be appreciated.



LEXIE HYDE LEE

Age 86, passed away on Tuesday, November 16, 2010 at Gaston Memorial Hospital. She was a native of Swain County, daughter of the late Ned D. and Margie Hyatt Hyde and former member of East Belmont Church of God. She is survived by her son and daughter-in-law, Charles and Sharon Lee of Stanley, daughter, Sandra Lee Bush of Lowell, brothers and sisters-in-law, Don and Nancy Hyde of Belmont, Ted Hyde of Belmont, Dennis and Nancy Hyde of Canton, MI, sisters and brothers-in-law, Betty and Carroll Brown of Belmont, Emma Powers of Belmont, grandchildren, Steve (Lynn) Stamper of Gastonia, David (Valerie) Stamper of Lincolnton, Christina Lee of Cramerton, Kevin Lee of Knoxville, TN, great grandsons, Kyle Lee and Connor Heilig and many nieces and nephews. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brothers, Hubert and Edd Hyde, sisters, Ida Shuler and Eliza Woods, son-in-law, Dean Bush. The family will receive friends from 7-9PM on Thursday at McLean Funeral Directors, Belmont. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 AM Friday in the Bumgardner Chapel of the funeral home. Interment will follow at Greenwood Cemetery. Memorials may be sent to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, PO Box 318, Memphis, TN, 38101. Share memories with the family through www.mcleanfuneral.com. McLean Funeral Directors of Belmont is serving the family of Mrs. Lee.

MAXINE SCHRIER

Age 83, of Westland, MI, passed away November 15, 2010. Arrangements by: Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington.



BARBARA MCCALL STOVALL

July 2, 1921 - November 1, 2010. Barbara opened her Studio of Ballet and Ballroom Dancing when she was 17 years old on Maple Road located between Quorton Food Market and Mill's Drug Store in Birmingham, Michigan. She taught in her studio for 58 years and when she sold her studio and then worked for Detroit Country Day School until she retired at age 75. She moved to the Henry Ford Village Retirement Community in Dearborn where she lived in her apartment until she passed away on November 1 2010. Memorial Service will be held at the Henry Ford Village Chapel at 3:30pm on Friday, November 19, 2010.

DOROTHY G. WALKER

Age 91 of Farmington Hills, MI; passed away November 13, 2010. Arrangements by Thayer-Rock Funeral Home, Farmington.



IRENE M. WALSH

Age 93, November 15, 2010. Beloved wife of the late Casmer Walsh. Loving mother of Richard and Michael Walsh and Barbara Walsh Trapp. Dear grandmother of Denis, Kevin, Melissa, Cristina, Katie and James. Great-grandmother of six. Irene was a past devoted volunteer at Garden City Hospital Gift Shop. A Funeral Mass will be held at St. Colette Catholic Church, 17600 Newburgh Rd., Livonia, Friday at 10:30 AM. Family to receive friends at 10 AM. Memorial contributions may be directed to Easter Seals. Please share a memory at: www.rggharris.com

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Longtime rockers bring message of hope to listeners

BY SHARON DARGAY
O&E STAFF WRITER

Sweet Crystal has been touching lives "one song at a time" for most of its 36 years.

"We do it because we can. Anything we're involved with is for a benevolent event, charities, people in need," said Marq Speck of Canton, keyboard player and vocalist for the rock band. "For our CD release party we're teaming with Detroit Rescue League. We like doing that kind of stuff. Whenever we play we do it to give back."

The trio considers itself a Christian band, but is light on the preaching and heavy on the positive messages and original songs that Speck and fellow band members, Steve Wieser and Bill Blatter, hope resonate with their generation — Boomers who grew up in the 1960s who are tired of the same classic rock songs, but don't quite relate to new music and rap.

"I saw them when I was in college," said Denise Albrecht of Farmington Hills, who is helping to promote their events, including a gig Nov. 19 in Plymouth and a CD release Dec. 17 in Westland. "I remember them distinctly. One of them came out on the dance floor and was jamming."

"I'm amazed because they've done so much with the music. It's not the tough, hard rock music with vulgar words. It's a lot of good songs. They have a positive direction in their lyrics. It leaves a person feeling better about their life and direction."

Albrecht said the band's sound has been compared to a cross between Journey and Kansas, although Speck said "I don't think we sound like anyone other than ourselves."

SWEET CRYSTAL

Upcoming gig: 11 p.m., Friday, Nov. 19, Plymouth Roc, 1020 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth; (734) 459-4190

CD Release: 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 17, The Token Lounge, 28949 Joy, Westland. Tickets are \$10 at the door; \$3 from every ticket/CD sale till benefit Detroit Rescue Mission. Guest host is WCSX "Doc of Rock" Doug Podell; (734) 513-5030

MESSAGE OF HOPE

His song lyrics focus on his own life, his difficulties and escape from the "hell" he put himself and others through while living the rock and roll lifestyle in the mid- to late 1970s.

"That's what I sing about. It's not about 'Jesus saves you,' but more or less it's 'man, I was lost and now I'm found.' People are looking for that encouragement. It's a message of hope. It works well in bars and clubs. People there are looking for something."

Although Wieser lives in Dexter and Blatter is in White Lake, band members grew up in the West Bloomfield and Southfield areas and formed the group after high school. They toured extensively in the 1970s, opening for such acts as Rare Earth, Foghat and Nazareth.

"When we started out we had stars in our eyes and glitter in our hair. Until I turned my life around I was mired in the rock and roll lifestyle," said Speck, who credits his wife of 30 years for helping him to change. When he did, Wieser and Blatter liked the direction the band was taking, both musically and personally. Two other band members parted ways.

The trio continued to play live shows and work as fulltime musi-

cians until about 15 years ago. Speck is an information technology manager at a film studio; Blatter works for a company that builds high-end guitars and sound systems; Wieser is retired from the auto industry.

NEW GIGS

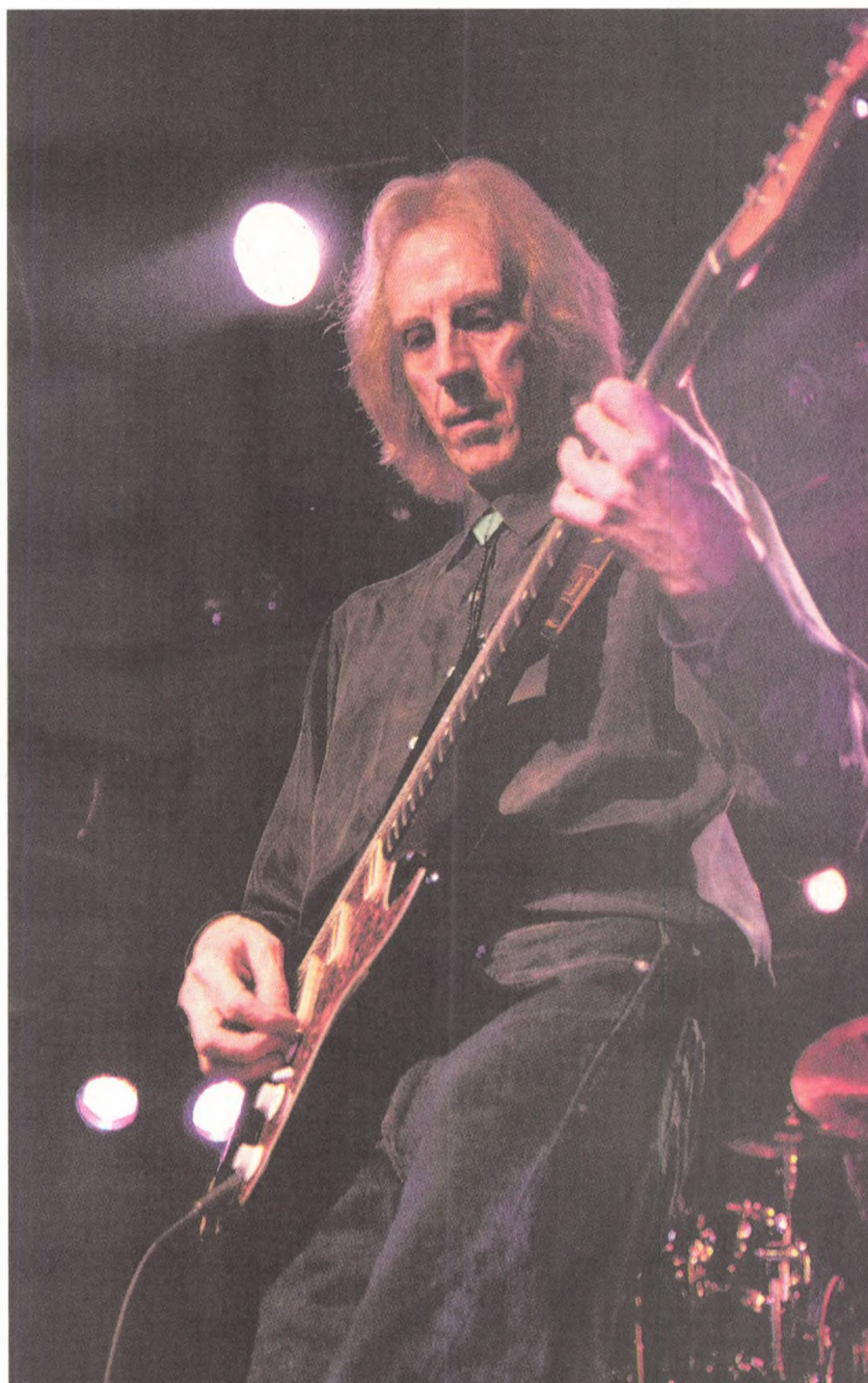
For a few years, they dabbled in recording for commercial endeavors and film. Four years ago they were asked to play for the Michigan Vet Fest, a benefit for military veterans, in Dearborn.

"People remembered us from the 1970s and 80s. We put the live show back together."

The Christian Music Association invited the band to play a showcase in Nashville, Tenn., and the Christian Independent Alliance honored the band with its annual Momentum award in the "perseverance" category. That led to a contract with Tate Music Group, (TMG) and release of a new CD. The Internet has helped to distribute their sound around the globe. Sweet Crystal has sold CDs in Japan and the Netherlands; it's getting air play in Canada and has attracted listeners in Mexico and Sweden.

"Now all of a sudden we're playing three times a month. I haven't played that much in 12 years," Speck said. "I feel blessed to have these guys in my life. We've all turned into men of character. We're family-loving people. We're all decent guys. But the music is the main glue. We love playing with each other. The things we come up with put smiles on our faces."

Visit the band's Web sites at www.myspace.com/sweetcrystalrocks; and www.facebook.com/pages/Canton-MI/Sweet-Crystal/143371467070. Listen to three cuts off the new CD at www.cdbaby.com/Artist/SweetCrystal



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Contact: (734) 420-0775 or visit www.artandideasgallery.com

Detroit Artist Market
Time/Date: 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, through Dec. 23
Location: 4719 Woodward Ave., Detroit
Details: Annual Art for the Holiday Show includes jewelry, glass, metal, ceramic, photography, accessories, paintings, drawings, sculpture, books, cards, framed prints and more for sale. Admission to the preview party are \$10 for Detroit Artist Market members and \$20 for non-members
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Time/Date: Through Dec. 3
Location: 215 W. Cady in downtown Northville
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The Gallery@VT
Time/Date: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday-Friday, through Nov. 29
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Time/Date: Various show times Wednesday-Saturday evenings
Location: 25333 W. 12 Mile, inside Star Theatre complex, Southfield
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Time/Date: 8 p.m. Mondays, open Mic; 8 p.m. Tuesdays, Local Legends; 8 p.m. shows Wednesdays, Thursdays; 8 p.m. & 10:30 p.m. Fridays, Saturdays
Location: 36071 Plymouth Road, Livonia
Details: Daniel Dugar, Nov. 17-20; Chrissy Burns, Nov. 24-27;
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Time/Date: Lisa Landry, Nov. 18-20; Dave Landau, Nov. 26-27; Paul Mecurio, Dec. 2-4; O'Brien & Valdez, Dec. 9-11; David Dyer, Dec. 16-18; Dan Grueter, Dec. 30-31
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18; The RFD Boys, Nov. 198; Gandalf Murphy & The Slambovian Circus of Dreams, Nov. 20; Shawn Colvin, Nov. 21; To Katzman, Nov. 23; Matt Watroba, Nov. 26; Mr. B presents Steve Nardella Band Reunion featuring George Bedard, Nov. 27; Gemini, Nov. 28; The Belleville Outfit, Nov. 28; Matt White, Nov. 30; JJ Grey & Mofro, Dec. 1; Lil' Ed & The Blues Imperials, Dec. 2; Orpheum Bell, Dec. 3; The Gibson Brothers, Dec. 4; Over the Rhine, Dec. 5; John Berry, Dec. 6; Lee Murdock; No. 7; Greensky Bluegrass, Dec. 8; 9th Annual Concert for Peace, Dec. 9; Lucy Kaplansky, Dec. 10; The Electric Guitar Summit, Dec. 11; Cairn to Cairn, Dec. 12; Decembersongs, Dec. 14; Delbert McClinton, Dec. 15; Trinidad Tripoli Steel Band, Dec. 16; Crossroads Ceili, Dec. 17-18; Riders in the Sky, Dec. 19; Fred Eaglesmith, Dec. 31
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Baseline Folk Society
Time/Date: Third Saturday of the month; the next performance is 7

p.m. Saturday, Nov. 20
Location: The JWH Center for the Arts, Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth
Details: Eight "Open-Mic" performances plus a featured group perform. Sign up for open mic from 6:15-6:45 p.m. Susan Hoy "and Friends" are the featured guests this month. Hosted by Doug McClennen. Individual membership is \$25 and includes monthly concerts from September through May. Otherwise, admission to each concert is \$5 at the door. Family memberships are \$50 and include monthly concerts
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Jazz Cafe
Time/Date: 8 p.m. and 10 p.m., Nov. 19-20
Location: Music Hall, 350 Madison Ave., Detroit
Details: Raga Bop Trio; tickets are \$30 in advance or \$40 the night of the concert
Contact: www.ticketmaster.com; (313) 887-8500
 Trinity House Theatre

Time/Date: Pineross, Nov. 19; the Red Sea Pedestrians, Nov. 20; The Milroys, Doug and Telisha Williams and the Rickety Nelsons, Nov. 27; Empty Chair Night featuring Joel Palmer, Annie and Rodd Capps and Robin and Jenny Biernerman, Dec. 5
Location: 38840 W. Six Mile, Livonia
Contact: (734) 464-6302, www.trinityhouse.org

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Time/Date: 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Dec. 4
Location: 350 Madison, Detroit
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Time/Dates: 2 p.m. Sundays
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Contact: (313) 833-7900, www.dia.org

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Time/Date: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. daily
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Details: Admission is \$11 for adults 15 to 61, \$9 for senior citizens 62 and older, and \$7 for children ages 2 to 14; children under 2 are free
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Penn Theatre
Time/Date: 7 p.m. Nov. 18
Location: 760 Penniman Ave., Plymouth
Details: "Nanny McPhee Returns;" all seats \$3
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Redford Theatre
Time/Date: 8 p.m. Nov. 19 and 2 p.m. and 8 p.m., Nov. 20
Location: 17360 Lahser, Detroit
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Time/Date: 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and 1-5 p.m. Sunday, through Jan. 2, 2011
Location: 315 E. Warren Road, Detroit
Details: Developed by the Smithsonian to celebrate the 75th anniversary of Harlem's Apollo Theater, this multimedia exhibition draws on wide-ranging materials, including historic photographs, film, recordings, and artist interviews, the exhibit includes one-of-a-kind artifacts, like James Brown's cape and jumpsuit, Michael Jackson's fedora, Louis Armstrong's trumpet, Ella Fitzgerald's dress, Duke Ellington's score for "Black and Tan Fantasy," LL Cool J's jacket and hat, and much more. Admission is \$8 for adults, 13-61; and \$5 for youth, 3-12, and seniors, 62 and over. Members and children 2 and under are admitted free
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Location: 39221 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills
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St. Timothy is located at 16700 Newburgh, just south of Six Mile. Call (734) 464-8844 or go to sttimothyusa.org for more information. To learn more about *Fonts* and the cast, go to fontsmusical.wordpress.com/.

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VAAL artists will showcase and sell their works at the holiday market through Dec. 18. Hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Saturday and noon-6 p.m. Sunday.

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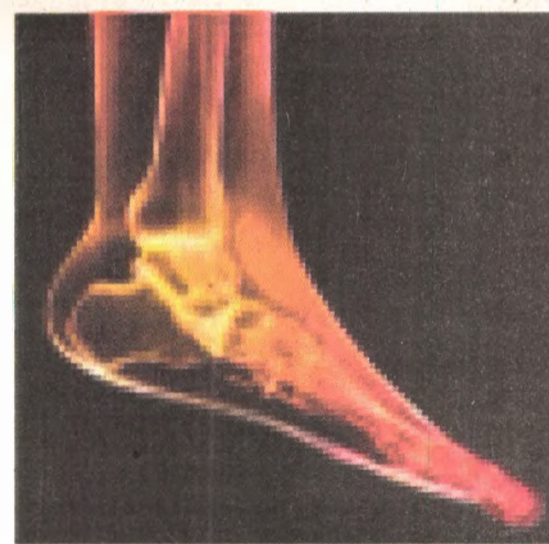
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The secret to a Flavorful Holiday



Roast Turkey with Mushroom Stuffing

The secret to creating a crowd-pleasing holiday spread is combining a healthy helping of tradition with a pinch of creative new recipes that showcase beloved holiday flavors.

Basil, thyme and black pepper provide the perfect kiss of flavor to Roast Turkey with Mushroom Stuffing. Basting the bird with an infusion of these three, along with Swanson Chicken stock and lemon juice ensures that the meat will be moist and juicy, and the outside of the bird will roast to a beautiful golden brown.

Green Bean Casserole — the iconic recipe that combines Condensed Cream of Mushroom soup, green beans and french fried onion topping — was created 55 years ago by Dorcas Reilly of the Campbell Test Kitchen, and is still a favorite today. To change it up a bit, add shredded cheddar

cheese, chopped red bell pepper, toasted sliced almonds or crumbled bacon.

For a side dish that's sure to become a new holiday tradition, try Toasted Corn & Sage Harvest Risotto. This blend of savory and sweet is a welcome departure from ordinary creamed corn or rice pilaf. Tender corn is toasted in a pan with bell pepper and onion, then combined with long-grain rice, broth and the perennial holiday herb, sage, for a rich and creamy treat.

And, since no holiday would be complete without the mashed potatoes, try Ultimate Mashed Potatoes, which live up to their name with unparalleled richness.

For more delicious recipe and menu ideas, preparation tips and helpful hints for the entire holiday season, visit www.CampbellsKitchen.com.

ROAST TURKEY WITH MUSHROOM STUFFING

Prep: 25 minutes
Cook: 3 hours 30 minutes
Stand: 10 minutes
Makes: 12 servings

- 3½ cups Swanson Chicken Stock
- 3 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon dried basil leaves, crushed
- 1 teaspoon dried thyme leaves, crushed
- ¼ teaspoon ground black pepper
- 1 stalk celery, coarsely chopped (about ½ cup)
- 1 small onion, coarsely chopped (about ¼ cup)
- ½ cup sliced mushrooms (about 1½ ounces)
- 4 cups Pepperidge Farm Herb Seasoned Stuffing
- 1 turkey (12 to 14 pounds)
- Vegetable cooking spray

1. Stir 1½ cups stock, lemon juice, basil, thyme and ¼ teaspoon black pepper in a small bowl.

2. Heat the remaining stock, remaining black pepper, celery, onion and mushrooms in a 4-quart saucepan over medium-high heat to a boil. Reduce the heat to low. Cover and cook for 5 minutes or until the vegetables are tender. Remove the saucepan from the heat. Add the stuffing to the saucepan and mix lightly.

3. Remove the package of giblets and neck from the turkey cavity. Rinse the turkey with cold water and pat dry with a paper towel. Spoon the stuffing lightly into the neck and body cavities. * Fold any loose skin over the stuffing. Tie the ends of the drumsticks together.

4. Place the turkey, breast side up, on a rack in shallow roasting pan. Spray the turkey with the cooking spray. Brush with the stock mixture. Insert a meat thermometer into the thickest part of the meat, not touching the bone.

5. Roast at 325°F for 3½ to 4 hours or until the thermometer reads 180°F, the drumstick moves easily and the stuffing reaches 165°F. Baste occasionally with the stock mixture. Begin checking for doneness after 3 hours of roasting time. Let the turkey stand for 10 minutes before slicing.

*Bake any remaining stuffing in a covered casserole with the turkey for 30 minutes or until the stuffing is hot.



Green Bean Casserole

ULTIMATE MASHED POTATOES

Prep: 15 minutes
Cook: 20 minutes
Makes: 6 servings (about 1 cup each)

- 3½ cups Swanson Chicken Broth (Regular, Natural Goodness or Certified Organic)
- 5 large potatoes, cut into 1-inch pieces (about 7½ cups)
- ½ cup light cream
- ½ cup sour cream
- ¼ cup chopped fresh chives
- 2 tablespoons butter
- 3 slices bacon, cooked and crumbled (reserve some for garnish)
- Generous dash ground black pepper

1. Heat the broth and potatoes in a 3-quart saucepan over medium-high heat to a boil.

2. Reduce the heat to medium. Cover and cook for 10 minutes or until the potatoes are tender. Drain, reserving the broth.

3. Mash the potatoes with ¼ cup broth, light cream, sour cream, chives, butter, bacon and black pepper. Add the additional broth, if needed, until desired consistency. Garnish with the remaining bacon.

GREEN BEAN CASSEROLE

Prep: 10 minutes
Bake: 30 minutes
Makes: 12 servings (about ¾ cup each)

- 2 cans (10½ ounces each) Campbell's Condensed Cream of Mushroom Soup (Regular, 98% Fat Free or Healthy Request)
- 1 cup milk
- 2 teaspoons soy sauce
- ¼ teaspoon ground black pepper
- 8 cups cooked cut green beans
- 2½ cups French's French Fried Onions

1. Stir the soup, milk, soy sauce, black pepper, beans and 1½ cups onions in a 3-quart casserole.

2. Bake at 350°F for 25 minutes or until the bean mixture is hot and bubbling. Stir the bean mixture. Sprinkle with the remaining onions.

3. Bake for 5 minutes or until the onions are golden brown.

TOASTED CORN & SAGE HARVEST RISOTTO

Prep: 15 minutes
Cook: 35 minutes
Makes: 6 servings (about 1½ cups each)

- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 cup fresh or drained canned whole kernel corn
- 1 large orange or red pepper, chopped (about 1 cup)
- 1 medium onion, chopped (about ½ cup)
- 1½ cups uncooked regular long-grain white rice
- 4 cups Swanson Chicken Broth (Regular, Natural Goodness or Certified Organic)
- 1 teaspoon ground sage
- 1 can (10½ ounces) Campbell's Condensed Cream of Celery Soup (Regular or 98% Fat Free)
- ¼ cup grated Parmesan cheese

1. Heat the oil in a 4-quart saucepan over medium heat. Add the corn, pepper and onion and cook for 5 minutes or until the vegetables are lightly browned.

2. Add the rice to the saucepan and cook and stir for 30 seconds. Stir in the broth and sage and heat to a boil. Reduce the heat to low. Cover and cook for 20 minutes or until the rice is tender.

3. Stir in the soup. Cook for 2 minutes or until the rice mixture is hot. Sprinkle with the cheese.



Ultimate Mashed Potatoes

Take a break from the kitchen and eat out on Thanksgiving

Don't want to cook a big bird and all the trimmings this Thanksgiving Day? Many local restaurants will be open on the holiday, serving turkey feasts or buffets. Here's a sampling:

BEAVER CREEK TACKLE AND BEER

Serves Thanksgiving turkey dinner — turkey, stuffing, mashed potato, fresh vegetables, bread, cranberries — from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Turkey dinner is \$13.99 for adults and \$4.99 for children. Dessert is extra. The restaurant, at 1609 N. Wayne, Westland, will serve other menu items as well. The Detroit Lions game will be shown on monitors throughout the restaurant. Reservations not needed but recommended at (734) 722-5330.

COURTHOUSE GRILLE

The restaurant will offer traditional Thanksgiving dishes along with Chef Ernesto's popular Italian dishes served buffet-style from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. The menu includes such items as meat and cheese ravioli, roasted garlic mashed potatoes, sweet potatoes, wild rice, roast turkey and dressing, Steamship Round of Beef, ham, Chicken Siciliano with Tempesto, Italian sausage, Pork Ruffano, salmon, salad bar, antipasto platter, pasta, tortellini, fruit salad, vegetables, assorted breads and rolls, desserts, coffee, tea, milk and pop. Adults, \$24.95, children 5-10, \$10.95 and children 5-under, free; 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth. (734) 453-2002

DEADWOOD BAR AND GRILL

Roasted turkey dinner, with mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, cranberry sauce, sweet potatoes, vegetable and bread will be served from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Cost is \$14.99 for adults and \$4.99 for children. A full menu including fresh fish, pasta and other specials will be available. The restaurant is located at 18730 Northville Road, Northville. Reservations recommended at (248) 347-4353.

GINOPOLIS ON THE GRILL

The Farmington Hills restaurant will serve personal turkey dinners with cornbread stuffing, mashed potatoes, salad, cranberries and pumpkin pie from noon to 8 p.m. Prices are \$18.50 for adults and \$7.50 for children. The restaurant is at 27815 Middlebelt. Make reservations at (248) 851-8222.

G. SUBU'S LEATHER BOTTLE

Special Thanksgiving Day dinner includes turkey, ham, yams, cornbread stuffing, cranberry, apple and pumpkin pie served family style at 12:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$16.99 per person. The restaurant is located at 20300 Farmington Road, Livonia. Reservations at (248) 474-2420

GIULIO'S CUCINA ITALIANA

Giulio's will serve Thanksgiving Day family-style turkey dinners and personal turkey dinners 1-7 p.m. The restaurant is at 31735 Plymouth Road, Livonia. Call (734) 427-9500 for reservations.



THE GOLDEN FOX

Buffet from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the restaurant located at Fox Hills Golf and Banquet Center, 8768 North Territorial Road, Plymouth. Adults, \$29.95, children, 3-12, \$11.95. Buffet includes such items as assorted pastries, bagels, Danish, coffee cake, grapes, berries, bananas, scrambled eggs, French toast, biscuits and country-style gravy, bacon and sausage links, corned beef hash, hash browns, smoked salmon and trout, fish and shellfish station, candied squash, assorted salads, mashed potatoes, green bean casserole, stuffing, prime rib, turkey, ham, cranberry sauce, waffles, omelets, and assorted desserts. Reservations at (734) 453-7272.

HAWTHORNE VALLEY COUNTRY CLUB

Thanksgiving Day brunch with breakfast served noon-2 p.m. and dinner served noon-5 p.m. Adults pay \$16.95, children 10 and under, \$9.95, kids 3 and under, free. The club is located at 7300 N. Merriman, Westland. Call (734) 422-3440 for reservations.

HERC'S PRIME BEEF AND SEAFOOD

The restaurant will serve both traditional Thanksgiving turkey dinners, ham dinners or a combination of both from noon to 9 p.m. The menu includes soup or salad bar, potato or veg-

etable, rolls and dessert. The cost for adults is \$12.95; children 12 and under pay \$7.95. The restaurant is located at 36685 Plymouth Road, Livonia. For reservations call (734) 425-1830.

MAMA MIA!

Mama Mia!, 27770 Plymouth Road, Livonia will serve a Thanksgiving feast from noon to 9 p.m. for 6-8 people (includes a turkey, yams, mashed potatoes and gravy, homemade stuffing, peas and corn, house salad, freshly baked Italian bread and butter, and choice of pumpkin or apple pie slice per person. Cost is \$110.00 plus tax and gratuity. Served family style, carve your own turkey and take home all leftovers. Call (734) 427-1000 for reservations.

MERIWETHER'S

Meriwether's and other Muer's restaurants, such as Gandy Dancer in Ann Arbor, offer a Thanksgiving turkey entree and sides. Meriwether's, at 25485 Telegraph, Southfield, offers the traditional dinner — with roasted turkey, acorn squash, cranberry sauce, cornbread stuffing, mashed potatoes and pie — for \$20.99 for adults and \$9.99 for children under 12. Serving time is 11 a.m.-9 p.m. Reservations aren't necessary but are highly recommended at (248) 358-1310.

1 UNDER

1 Under, 35780 Five Mile Road, Livonia (just east of Levon) offers three seatings (11 a.m., 1 p.m. and 3 p.m.) for its Thanksgiving buffet feast. Asiago-stuffed chicken breast, parmesan-encrusted white fish, stuffed pork tenderloin, along with turkey and ham carving stations. Sides include mashed potatoes and sweet mashed potatoes, corn bread stuffing, butternut squash ravioli, seafood bar, fresh fruit, cheese, vegetables, cranberry and orange relish, assorted salads, pastries and desserts, chicken fingers, tater tots, mini corn dogs, pop, coffee and tea. Cost is \$18.99 for adults, \$7.99 for children and \$14.99 for senior citizens (tax and gratuity not included). Space is limited. For reservations, call (734) 464-5555. Kids ages 6 and under eat free.

STATION 885

The restaurant offers a buffet for \$21.99 per person and \$10.99 per child, ages 3-10. The menu, served from 11 a.m.-6 p.m., includes such items as carved roast beef, turkey, ham, baked rosemary chicken, salmon, mashed potatoes, sweet potatoes, cranberry relish, stuffing, homemade lasagna, pasta, mac and cheese, vegetables, assorted cold salads, fruits, assorted appetizers and a sweet table with chocolate fountain and more. Station 885 is located at 885 Starkweather, Plymouth. Make reservations at (734) 459-0885

THOMAS' FAMILY DINING

Thomas' Family Dining, at 33971 Plymouth Road, between Farmington and Stark roads, will serve a traditional turkey dinner with all the trimmings and pumpkin pie, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Cost is \$12.99 per person. Call (734) 261-8890 for more information.

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Weatherization help boosts comfort levels in winter months

Adequate home insulation can keep your home from being drafty this winter and keep heating costs down. For those who meet income guidelines, there is help available with home weatherization.

Wayne Metropolitan Community Action Agency handles weatherization for residents in Wayne County, said Mary Wilson, director of Weatherization. FIP, SDA and SSI recipients automatically qualify. The program serves: Belleville, Plymouth city and Township, Canton, Redford, Dearborn Heights, Romulus, Garden City, Sumpter, Huron, Taylor, Inkster, Van Buren, Livonia, Wayne, Northville city and Township, and Westland.

To apply, call (734) 727-7297.

Income guidelines on a three-month basis are: \$5,958 for a family of one; \$7,791 for a family of two; \$9,624 for a family of three; \$11,457 for a family of four; \$13,291 for a family of five; \$15,124 for a family of six; \$16,635 for a family of seven; \$18,505 for a family of eight; \$20,375 for a family of nine; \$22,245 for a family of 10; and \$1,870 for each additional family member.

QUESTIONS & ANSWERS

Q. What is the Weatherization Assistance Program?

A. The low-income home weatherization assistance program is administered statewide by the Department of Human Services (DHS). Eligible low-income households receive free energy conservation services. DHS contracts with agencies throughout Michigan to provide these services. There are five Local Weatherization Operators (LWO's) to serve different parts of Wayne County.

Q. Who is eligible for these weatherization services?

A. Any low-income homeowner or renter may be eligible if they meet current federal poverty income guidelines.

Q. What is the cost to me for this service?

A. The service is provided free of charge to those who qualify. FIP and SSI recipients are automatically qualified for the program.

Q. If I rent, do I need to have permission



before services can be performed?

A. Yes. Before any weatherization services can be provided, the landlord or manager of the rental building must sign a landlord agreement.

Q. What steps are involved in having my home weatherized?

A. An application of eligibility is filled out; a pre-inspection of the home is completed by a certified inspector, work is performed by a licensed contractor and a certified post inspector will inspect the completed work on the home.

Q. What determines the weatherization measures that will be installed on my home?

A. The measures to be installed depend upon what the pre-inspector finds already existing in your home, what measures are determined to be most cost-effective and the amount of funds available to complete the measures. State and federal rules limit the amount of dollars per home. Therefore, the amount of dollars spent and the type of measures in stalled may vary between households.

Q. Can I tell the pre-inspector which weatherization measures I want?

A. No. The state has done extensive research on which measures save the most energy and therefore, the agency cannot allow program participants to pick and choose measures. To receive the

weatherization services, you must allow the agency to follow state set guidelines.

Q. I live in a mobile home. What kind of measures will be installed?

A. Mobile home measures may include: cold air infiltration, i.e. weather stripping of leaky doors, tightening up drafty windows, floor insulation, storm windows and health and safety measures.

Q. How do I know if I am getting quality materials and work?

A. State and federal rules require that all materials used must meet or exceed specific quality standards. HDS also sends field staff to all parts of the state to check on workmanship, material quality and to provide training and technical assistance.

Q. What results can I expect from the weatherization completed on my home?

A. Studies show a 15 to 30 percent reduction of fuel costs. However, your results may be higher or lower depending upon your personal habits, changes in household occupants and/or extreme weather conditions. You can expect your home to feel more comfortable and less drafty, and that the job will be performed in a professional manner.

Q. If I am determined eligible, how long before my home is weatherized?

A. The length of time may vary from a week to one year. Since funds

are limited, not all eligible clients can be served immediately. Other factors also influence the length of you wait, since there are state and federal priority groups, including senior citizens, handicapped and public assistance recipients.

Q. How do I apply for weatherization?

A. Call the Local Weatherization Operator for your area: Wayne County Weatherization - Serving the 18 western Wayne County Communities including Taylor (734) 727-7297; Downriver Community Conference - Serving the Downriver Communities (734) 362-3475; City of Dearborn - Serving Dearborn residents only (313) 943-2180; Wayne Metro CSA - Serving Highland Park, Hamtramck, Harper Woods and Grosse Pointe (313) 843-2550; City of Detroit, DHS - Serving the city of Detroit (313) 852-5634.

Q. Who funds these weatherization program services?

A. The federal government contributes to the operation of the weatherization program. While funding levels vary from year to year, there has been a weatherization program in Michigan since late 1974. Each year about 4,000 eligible homeowners and renters benefit from the program. In addition to these direct services, the weatherization program provides jobs, stimulates the state economy and conserves scarce energy resources.

OAKLAND COUNTY

The Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency has weatherization assistance available for Oakland County residents. Low-income older adults can secure energy-saving improvements for their home to ensure comfortable, health, safe and energy-efficient living conditions at a great savings.

Its Central Office is at 196 Caesar E. Chavez, P.O. Box 430598, Pontiac MI 48343-0598. Phone: (248) 209-2600; e-mail: info@olhsa.org; website: www.olhsa.org.

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Q: I am involved in a distressed condominium in Naples, which was damaged during the last hurricane, and I am wondering whether, in fact, anything can be done with the insurance company that refuses to fix our project. Our association is contemplating a lawsuit but is thinking about arbitration. What do you think?

A: While Florida laws are somewhat different from those here in Michigan, I do not believe that arbitration, unless mandatorily required, is the best avenue for your association given the fact that there are still negative feelings about developers, particularly in this state of economy. While you may have to go through mandatory mediation before commencing litigation or certainly during it, that is a more preferable way of resolving your issue. While



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litigation can be expensive and drawn out, it is expensive for both parties which many community associations fail to recognize. It is obviously important for the association to have the right experts in terms of engineers and architects and an experienced community association attorney who not only can draft condominium documents, but understands the vagaries of litigation.

Q: I have a condominium in Bonita Springs and I am wondering whether the Gulf spill is going to have an impact on the marketability of our units.

A: In speaking with Realtors in Naples in late 2010, it appears that the oil spill has not in any way impacted the beaches along the Southwest Gulf Coast, and, I do not believe, therefore, that it would in any way impact on the marketability of your unit. To the extent that there is any perception of same, I believe that there is documentation to support your position that it is not valid. You should, of course, retain a real estate expert who has that expertise and is in a position, if necessary, to respond to any inquiries from prospective purchasers about that issue.

Robert M. Meisner is a lawyer and the author of Condominium Operation: Getting Started & Staying on the Right Track, second edition. It is available for \$9.95 plus \$1 shipping and handling. He also wrote Condo Living: A Survival Guide to Buying, Owning and Selling a Condominium, available for \$24.95 plus \$5 shipping and handling. Call (248) 644-4433 or visit rmeisner@meisner-associates.com. This column shouldn't be construed as legal advice.

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HOMES SOLD-WAYNE

These are the area residential real estate closings recorded the week of Aug. 2-6, 2010, at the Wayne County Register of Deeds office. Listed below are cities, addresses, and sales prices.

City	Address	Sale Price
Canton	45458 Augusta Dr	\$315,000
	6955 Becky Dr	\$144,000
	348 Buckingham Rd	\$150,000
	2012 Crowndale Ln	\$320,000
	44803 Danbury Rd	\$265,000
	41856 Glen Arbor St	\$240,000
	46465 Killarney Cir	\$177,000
	1382 Liberty St N	\$400,000
	42820 Lilley Pointe Dr	\$55,000
	46954 Mornington Rd	\$310,000
Garden City	45551 Muirfield Cir	\$320,000
	6820 Tiffany Ct	\$256,000
	32631 Alvin St	\$93,000
Livonia	28613 Balmoral St	\$79,000
	28507 Cambridge St	\$110,000
	171 Cardwell St	\$69,000
	28467 Florence St	\$50,000
	6874 Gilman St	\$64,000
	32962 Hennepin St	\$95,000
	221 Ross St	\$88,000
	6745 Schaller St	\$90,000
	29764 Sheridan St	\$70,000
	37943 Amrhein Rd	\$138,000
Northville	32430 Barkley St	\$136,000
	32741 Barkley St	\$140,000
	20439 Beatrice St	\$55,000
	27529 Buckingham St	\$120,000
	17278 Deering St	\$113,000
	39335 Donald St	\$150,000
	9324 Eastwind Dr	\$130,000
	32807 Fargo St	\$20,000
	19005 Flamingo Blvd	\$80,000
	9448 Harrison St	\$82,000
Plymouth	9027 Houghton St	\$132,000
	11790 Hunters Park Ct	\$40,000
	37107 Kingsburn Dr	\$322,000
	35985 Leon St	\$127,000
	19161 Parkville St	\$58,000
	20684 Sarah Rd	\$45,000
	9811 Seltzer St	\$98,000
	17905 University Park Dr	\$75,000
	18972 Vanderhaven Ln	\$357,000
	29590 W Chicago St	\$99,000
Redford	9147 Marie St	\$135,000
	32271 Meadowbrook St	\$124,000
	33106 Middleboro St	\$135,000
	37673 Newburgh Park Cir	\$165,000
	18796 Nola St	\$132,000
	15619 Norwich St	\$212,000
	32840 Oakley St	\$138,000
	29653 Orangelawn St	\$58,000
	522 Ann St	\$98,000
	967 Palmer St	\$151,000
Westland	8850 S Main St	\$154,000
	9360 Appleton	\$27,000
	19940 Centralia	\$16,000
	26245 Clarita	\$40,000
	26286 Dow	\$80,000
	11774 Farley	\$86,000
	12059 Farley	\$77,000
	15069 Fenton	\$58,000
	9620 Kinloch	\$61,000
	18266 Macarthur	\$75,000
Other	11400 Marion	\$66,000
	18330 Poinciana	\$60,000
	15517 Pomona Dr	\$48,000
	12950 Salem	\$71,000
	26320 Southwestern Hwy	\$60,000
	9097 Virgil	\$59,000
	11776 Virgil	\$40,000
	9082 Winston	\$59,000
	34510 Algonquin St	\$105,000
	30874 Burlington St	\$51,000
38452 Chestnut Ln	\$79,000	
32663 Fairchild St	\$45,000	
8423 Gilman St	\$75,000	
31289 Grandview Ave	\$69,000	
31637 Hazelwood St	\$74,000	
35247 Hazelwood St	\$30,000	
6151 Herbert St	\$59,000	
31041 Hivley St	\$60,000	
6325 Hunter Pointe St	\$86,000	
8254 Melvin Ave	\$57,000	
1842 N Carlson St	\$43,000	
473 N Hix Rd	\$110,000	
408 N John Hix St	\$65,000	
1159 Sharon St	\$63,000	
1395 Westchester St	\$73,000	

HOMES SOLD-OAKLAND

These are the residential real estate closings recorded the week of Aug. 2-6, 2010, at the Oakland County Register of Deeds office. Listed are cities, addresses, and sales prices.

City	Address	Sale Price	
Beverly Hills	16221 Beechwood Ave	\$182,000	
	15784 Birchwood Ave	\$90,000	
	16281 Buckingham Ave	\$87,000	
	16948 Georgina St	\$154,000	
	18427 Warwick St	\$273,000	
	31805 Westlady Dr	\$165,000	
	Birmingham	1412 Bannville Ave	\$83,000
		540 Berwyn St	\$663,000
		845 Fairfax St	\$855,000
		1941 Graefield Rd	\$40,000
1959 Haynes St		\$126,000	
2666 Pembroke Rd		\$210,000	
145 S Glenhurst Dr		\$759,000	
883 Smith Ave		\$945,000	
1211 Stanley Blvd		\$250,000	
1390 Willow Ln		\$477,000	
Bloomfield Hills	35300 Woodward Ave	\$86,000	
	170 E Hickory Grove Rd	\$190,000	
	706 Westview Rd	\$306,000	
	216 Woodwind Dr	\$580,000	
	733 Briar Hill Ln	\$230,000	
	3870 Carriage Ln	\$750,000	
	2958 Chestnut Run Dr	\$500,000	
	5745 Crabtree Rd	\$226,000	
	230 Devon Rd	\$470,000	
	2577 Endsleigh Dr	\$590,000	
Bloomfield Township	3850 Far Hill Dr	\$217,000	
	2741 Farmingdale Dr	\$174,000	
	2464 Heronwood Dr	\$860,000	
	5575 Meadow Wood Ln	\$251,000	
	2637 Norwood Rd	\$588,000	
	3855 Oakland Dr	\$390,000	
	735 Robinhood Cir	\$214,000	
	1040 W Hickory Grove Rd	\$290,000	
	221 Woodedge Dr	\$285,000	
	Commerce Township	2351 Baltusrol Rd	\$183,000
8009 Farrant St		\$297,000	
3130 Greenlawn Ave		\$45,000	
4397 Philip		\$290,000	
34142 Cortland Ave		\$180,000	
Farmington Hills		29604 Highmeadow Rd	\$125,000
		30686 Huntsman Dr W	\$315,000
		37970 Lancaster Dr	\$187,000
		29911 Mayfair Dr	\$235,000
		30241 Mirton Dr	\$163,000
	28379 New Castle Rd	\$146,000	
	35846 Old Homeslead Dr	\$190,000	
	21415 Purdue Ave	\$60,000	
	31101 Sunset	\$95,000	
	Franklin	Lathrup Village	\$137,000
18950 Hampshire St		\$137,000	
708 Atlantic St		\$170,000	
747 Banbury Ct		\$220,000	
313 River Wood Trl		\$242,000	
629 Village Ln		\$103,000	
Novi		43100 12 Oaks Crescent Dr	\$125,000
		24396 Bramblewood Dr	\$210,000
		1250 E Lake Dr	\$380,000
		1312 E Lake Dr	\$675,000
	135 Eubank St	\$164,000	
	41622 Kenilworth Ln	\$123,000	
	40281 Ladene Ln	\$170,000	
	24501 Olde Orchard St	\$65,000	
	22176 Pondview	\$95,000	
	25593 Portico Ln	\$115,000	
South Lyon	40590 Rock Hill St	\$161,000	
	41670 Tera Ln	\$118,000	
	23561 Valley Starr	\$155,000	
	43700 W Nine Mile Rd	\$135,000	
	54055 Birchwood Dr	\$30,000	
	54310 Birchwood Dr	\$30,000	
	61025 Greenwood Dr	\$40,000	
	61276 Greenwood Dr	\$48,000	
	135 Harvard Ave	\$100,000	
	832 Wood Run	\$219,000	
Southfield	22341 Avon Ln	\$88,000	
	28101 Brentwood St	\$35,000	
	22638 Chatsford Circuit St	\$155,000	
	21310 Constitution St	\$80,000	
	28055 Fairfax St	\$13,000	
	28530 Lahser Rd	\$80,000	
	29590 Meadowlane Dr	\$97,000	
	19742 Melrose Ave	\$33,000	
	28461 Selkirk St	\$30,000	
	23251 Twining Dr	\$110,000	
White Lake	8625 Jamestown Dr	\$330,000	

REAL ESTATE BRIEFS

Career Seminar

A Real Estate Career Seminar will be held 6:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 18, at Keller Williams Realty, 40600 Ann Arbor Road, Suite 100, Plymouth. For more information, contact Lesley Aiello at (734) 459-4700 or laiello@kw.com.

Renovation

Six months after the start of a vigorous renovation effort, the offices of Weichert, Realtors - Cass Realty have been completely upgraded and modernized, offering much more space and comfort for potential home buyers and sellers. The client and agent-friendly environment at 23400 Michigan Ave., Suite 180, "gives us a fresh start to go with our bright outlook for the coming year in real estate," said broker/owner Ron LaCasse.

Realtor Anna Cinnamon, who worked hand in hand with LaCasse on the metamorphosis, also announced the re-launch of the company's career seminars. Beginning Dec. 7 and every Tuesday thereafter at 7 p.m., the office will be open to anyone, new or experienced, who is seeking a career with a

client-centric company known for its support to agents. "It's a great time to get into real estate," Cinnamon said. "There is always plenty to do, and savvy consumers know that the well-trained, knowledgeable Realtor is their best friend."

The agency offers a set of Weichert systems and tools at no charge to agents. These include in-person training for new agents, mentoring, one-on-one coaching for experienced agents, support during transactions, an Internet leads system direct to agents, and marketing support.

Clients and agents share the spotlight at newly renovated Weichert office. For more information, the Weichert office can be reached at (313) 357-3800. The company's Web address is www.WeichertCass.com.

Partnership

Stokas Realty Advisors and Bieri Company announced their newly formed partnership as Stokas Bieri Real Estate (SBRE). Detroit X-Team Partner, Stokas Realty Advisors Principal Jim Stokas and Bieri Co. President Jim Bieri made the announcement.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
Part-time 24-32 hours. Must have strong computer skills.
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TOILET & MIRROR
Porcelain toilet, white, working, good cond. Rectangular mirror (approx 2x5). 734-261-7658

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Antiques/Collectibles 7020
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ESTATE AUCTION
Sat., Nov. 20th, 7PM
Cultural Center
525 Farmer
Plymouth MI
Collectibles/Antiques
Glassware/China
Misc. Power Tools
Drill Press/Floor Jack
Table Saw/Hand Hoist
Cash/MC/Visa
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No Checks
Doors Open 6pm
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ESTATE SALE: 35 yrs of old/new stuff! Some antiques, TVs, women's clothing, etc! 10506 Bassett, Livonia, btwn Hix & 275. Nov 17-21, 9-6pm.
ESTATE SALE - LIVONIA
Nov 18-20th, 9-4pm. 18250 Laurel, off 7 Mile btwn Farmington & Newburg. Old photo equip., CDs, DVDs, VHS, albums, books, tripods, tools, speakers, misc items.

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Sat 11/20, 9-4pm & Sun 11/21, 10-3pm
In Northville Colony Village. off 6 Mile, W of Hagerty. Contents of home: 7 ft. aluminum Christmas tree, vintage ornaments, Maytag washer & dryer, 2 twin bdrm sets, kitchenware, Drexel table & 6 chairs, corner curio cabinet, sofa table, artwork, Waterford crystal, tools, toys & records. List and photos: michiganestatesales.com Call: (734) 675-6586

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ARMOIRE/DRESSER solid oak, full length mirror on right. Opens to 3 huge shelves. Left has 3 top glass doors/2 solid drawers with lg drawer on bottom going entirely across. Exc. cond. Asking \$300. was \$1200 new. Westland. 734-467-6352

DINING TABLE - FORMAL
Cherry wood, 8 chairs, china hutch, server, 2 leaves. Exc. cond. \$550/best offer. (248) 486-4153

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER
with TV. \$650/best
2 couches, paid, \$250/each. (734) 525-7944

MISCELLANEOUS: Refrigerator \$125. Stove \$85. Dehumidifier \$45. Dryer \$95. Wagon \$5. Picture \$5. Queen Size Comforter Set \$35. Full Size Mattress & Box Spring \$45. Twin Box Spring Mattress \$35. Twin Mattress \$15. Call 248-465-0262

Household Goods 7160
NORITAKE FINE CHINA 99PC CAROLYN Blue/white floral w/platinum bands. Service for 15+. \$600. 248-957-8959

Appliances 7180
Cast Iron Stove
Ventless gas/propane powder color 26" wide 24" high-complete with logs & remote lighter New \$1400 asking \$600. 248-529-3393

STOVE, exc. shape, clean, \$100. Side by Side Refrigerator Freezer, ice & water dispenser in front door, perfect shape, clean, \$250. Portable Dishwasher, full size, perfect shape, \$100. Washer & Dryer, great shape, \$100. All Kenmore & 6 yrs. old. (734) 237-4508

Pools, Spas, Hot Tubs 7190
HOT TUB Loaded, never used, still in wrapper, paid \$8500, sacrifice \$4250 810-577-4951

Miscellaneous For Sale 7500
MIRROR - lg., fine china-Pickard, Dansk, etc. Drawing board & chair. Meile deep fryer. Small kit appl., misc. 248-348-9229

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CASH FOR GUITARS/MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS
Any Condition. Will Pick Up. 313-424-9212

Cats 7830
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Rescued Kittens - Adorable. Fixed & DECLAWEED 12 wks. Tiger. \$75. 248-343-6127

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Automotive Recreational Vehicles
Beige/Brown Felt
34 long 4" wide 7/8 inch thick. Make offer. 248-529-3393

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Warranty, bedliner, extended cab, 5.4 liter V8, power, \$22,788
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Lariat 4x4 6.4 liter, perfect truck, must see. \$39,788 Stk.# 11T1024A
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Warranty, extended cab, matching glass tonneau, bedliner, \$11,767
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CHEVROLET VENTURE MINI-VAN 2003
Warner Brothers Edition! One owner, very clean, fully loaded w/DVD player, 108,000 miles. \$6,000/best. 248-930-7714

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7 passenger, loaded, 3.3L V6 silver. Non-smoker, runs great, clean. \$9500 734-522-4788

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Burgundy, sharp \$15,495
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Silver, 4x4, 2 door, \$4,995
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Warranty, moon roof, heated leather, power pedals. \$15,999

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FORD FREESTYLE LIMITED 2007
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GMC DENALI 2007
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GMC ENVOY XL 2004
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Ext cab, 271, black, \$9,995
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Warranty, black on black, leather, OnStar, XM radio. \$18,225
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Black, chrome. \$19,995
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Leather. Only \$24,995
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Pearl white, 24K, \$9,995
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Silver, auto, extra clean, one owner, Ford Certified. \$11,788 Stk.#10C8523A
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Certified warranty, 6-disc CD/MP3, power, dark blue pearl. \$13,925
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