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## Burglary arrest in Farms

By Brad Lindberg
Staf Writer
GROSSE POINTE FARMS Police went big on their arrest of a man accuss
housebreakings.
Even the department chie and his deputy helped seize the suspect during the evening of Thursday May 24, at a house in Eastpointe.
The next afternoon, Farms Municipal Judge Matthew Rumora arraigned Rudy Jordan Vandenbroeck, 21, for home invasion and larceny in "It turn
a home invasion on McKinley we didn't know about because it hadn't been reported," said Detective Lt. Richard Rosati. Rumora set Vandenbroeck's bond at $\$ 100,000$ cash and ination at noon Wednesday June 6.
Investigators focused on Vandenbroeck based on evidence gathered earlier this Fonth at crime scenes in th Pointe.
A fingerprint in state police See FARMS, page 11A

## Council does 180 on Macomb

By Brad Lindberg
Staff Writer
GROSSE POINTE SHORES Scratch one advisory elec tion.
One week after resolving to poll voters about Grosse Pointe Macomb County the city coun cil reversed itself
The question was to appear on the August primary electio ing. ing. If majority of residents sup ported a change, the matter may have been forwarded to Wayne and Macomb Count voters in
Yet, at a special Shores council meeting Tuesday, May 22, city attorney Mark McInerney submitted a written opinion that advisory law.
"We have a problem," tions from said. "Most indica that would not be a valid provision to be placed on the ballot. have not talked with anybody with the county. I'm reading a

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The games raised $\$ 2,500$ for both Services for Older Citizens and Grosse Pointe-Harper Woods Special
Olympics.

## olympics. <br> Charities win the game




Retired Detroit Lions fullback Corey Schlesinger
plays rough with Park Public Safety Officer Tom
Taylor.


At left, Anita Baker sings the national anthem. At right, retired Lions tight end

Keext year," Keegan Wettstein, "I love giving back be tense Pointe Woods, at- cause the community has of his 6th birthday cele- reer" Moore aaid "It ca-el bration. He and most good to give back and to which overflowed the He wasn't worried lower stands at south, sought Gions uutographs
at haltuine: "It's a niee little birth-
day treat for him," said Keegan's father, Matt Wettstein.
The fanily is new to the "We re call from the Fraternal weeks back telling us Wettstein event," Matt to get involved, support he police and Special Players special Olympics were DeFauw, Darius Hamilton and Ryan Sandles. Participating Lions and G. Rob Sims plus reired players Herman Moore, Rob Rubick and Cory Schlesinger.
Maier got Moor graph. "They're all really nice
uys," she said of the ing to be so fun," said guys," she said of the
Sharon Maier, SOC exec- players. "'m going to be

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Police dog campaign

CITY OF GROSSE POINTE - A drive is fund police dog operations.
A main proponent, former City of Grosse Pointe
councilman John Stevens councilman John Stevens
has a history of following through on community initiatives.
"We could create a friends of the K9 depart ment," Stevens said. Money donated would dedicated to K9 operations, not siphoned off for other things. "There would be residents to come forth and support that," Stevens
said. "A K9 provides better safety for our officers and the community" The city's K9 division consists of one dog and handler. Operations are due to be eliminated for
budgetary reasons budgetary reasons.
Stevens not only w to retain the dog, but add another one.
"If we had two dogs, it
would be a lot better," he would be a lot better," he
said. said.
"This would be of benefit to the community very
much. That alone will serve as a great deterrent to crime."
"I warmly welcome the offer," said Peter Dame, city manager. with Stevens to establish a private foundation in support of the dog.
The City's K9, Raleigh, and his handler, Sgt. Meployed on mutual aid requests throughout the Grosse Pointes and Harper Woods.
They patrol the community, often on the midnight shift, in a special squad
car outfitted with a dog cage and designated on the roof posts with the dog's portrait.

## Correction

Grosse Pointe Shores Councilman Dan Schulte vot ed in support of a 1.5 mill property tax increase against a 25 percent water rate increase and the fisc year 2012-2013 budget.

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pointer of interest
Francine Pegues believes golf is more than just a sport. It
teaches young women discipline, life lessons and, for many, is
a way to afford college.

## A (golf) course guide to life



Above: Pegues with one of the participants in the Girls Golf Program.
Below: Francine Pegues with program participants.


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Pegues first learned to
golf as a graduate studen at The Ohio State Univercome a hospital adminis- ful for me in my business was not getting it done for Soroptimist of Grosse trator, she took adminis- career to achieve sales the other nieces and Pointe award. trator, she took a course goals and ooget recogni-, neshews, but I didntwo wYou just do the right
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up in herfuture career.
"Ithe Cross three years the city and Grosse Pointe you're doing the right "I thought if Imgoing to ago. She has lived in allows that," Pegues said. thing," Pegues said survive in this career, I Grosse Pointe Park for 13 "I like the camaraderie "Were doing this for the would need to be where years, along with her that we are here together girls playing because they the doctors are and those mother and two nieces. for the benefit of our fami- are our future if this orga
were the days when the She moved to Grosse lies. It's a safe environ- nization (the Michigan were the days when the She moved to Grosse lies. ls a sate environ- nization (the Michigan
doctors were on the golf Pointe from Detroit to pro- ment. The police are phe- Women's Golf Associcourse," Pegues said. "In vide a better school sys- nomenal." my career at Blue Cross, I tem for the eight nieces As Pegues prepares for We need to bring in our fuplayed a lot of golf as the and nephews she raised. the June 26 program start, ture members." director of sales. I would "The school system is she hopes for many volun- Still, Pegues says she take my customers out on very, very attractive. teers to help assist girls in does the right thing be-
the golf course and do Twelve years azo, DPS the program. Volunteers cause it makes a valuable business. It was very help- (Detroit Public Schools) must know how to play sport affordable and acgolf and she says it has cessible to girls who may been difficult to find not have even thought enough in past seasons. about playing golf. "The (program) limit is "What does it take to be-
as limited as I have volun- come a golfer" Pegues as limited as I have volun- come a golfer," Pegues
teers to work with kids. IfI teers to work with kids. If 1 asked. "You don't just
wind up with 100 kids, the show up and have at it. wind up with 100 kids, the
teaching pro can give 100 You can just go to the teaching pro can give 100 You can just go to the
kids lessons. But when neighborhood (basketball you put them on the dri- court) and shoot hoops. ving range, you need You can just go to the someone who's a golfer neighborhood track and
working there with them, just run. Someone has to $\begin{aligned} & \text { working there with them, just run. Someone has to } \\ & \text { watching their grip." }\end{aligned}$ give you the idea so you watching their grip.
Pegues said she Pegues said she was want to play golf."
surprised when the Girls Golf Program of Dirls And, in many cases recently received a Pegues that som
Pegues.



## GAME: Sponisors step up

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Pointe school district is "a
deal beaker," said Mayor
Ted Kedzierski.
McInerney contends ex-
isting school boundaries
would continue.
"If we were to go to
Macomb County, the
boundaries of the Grosse
Pointe Public School
System would not change
one way or another,"
McInerney said. "People
in Lake Township would
stay in South Lake
schools. People in the
Wayne County portion of
the Shores would remain
in Grosse Pointe public
schools."
don't have information by
August, we have the opPothulte said
The rest
The rest of the council
"So, we're voting 'no'
without knowledge of all the facts?" Kedzierski said. "We want everyone to be informed, so when they cast their decision, that acknowledges all the facts, the advantages as well as the disadvan-
Schulte said the special meeting was embarrassing. Matters should have he said. "We would be embarmoved forwards if we he answers to thesthout questions," countered
Bisballe. Salle Schulte opposed his colleagues' cancella
"I think there's politics in this beyond what is be-
ing discussed tonight" he ing discussed tonight," he
said. Kedzierski, Bisballe, Felt and Gessell are attorneys.
Councilman Alex
Ajlouni, a physician, did Ajlouni, a physician, did
not attend the special not attend the special on duty.

Little hope
No matter what Shores residents want, final decision rests with hundreds Wayne and Macomb Counties. Both must approve a switch.
By doing so, Wayne's representatives also yield Shores property tax pay-
ments. ments.
At th
meeting, those 15 counci
were estimated to be $\$ 6$
million per year. Schulte said this week they're $\$ 2.7$ million annually
$\qquad$ ileen (D-Detroit), representing the Pointes Hasper Woods and part of secession would be " orously opposed" "ing Wayne County.
"The (county's) general fund has gone from
around $\$ 500$ million five
years ago to about years ago to about
$\$ 380,000$ million," Killeen $\$ 380,000$ milion, Killeen said. "I don't think there's
a lot of anxiousness to further reduce the general fund."

## More tax?

Schulte said Shores res idents would see a 4 mill tax decrease under Macomb governance million. The rate is abou .4 mills less than contained in his committee's report a week before. Schulte proposed the anticipated $\$ 1.1$ million fund the return of inhouse public safety dispatch, now contracted to
Grosse Pointe Farms to
save operating and per sonnel costs.
Bisballe, Bisballe, chairman of the finance committee, countered that prospect
He said a lower millage rate saves money for indi vidual property owners; won't generate more rev enue for the city.
"What are we
"What are we going to do, raise the millage rate again?" he asked Schulte. getting a 4.4 mill reduc tion in taxes," Schulte said, citing last week's fig ure, "we could work something out that the residents are happy, that
the city has a solid revenue base and we don't have to worry about hav-
ing our own dispatch" ing our own dispatch.
Resident opinion
Among residents in the audience, Dr. Raymond Rahi warned."
in the details "As I listen (to
He said. he council), I hear, 'I don' know," (and) T'm not sure.' Until we're sure, we
have to be prudent and diligent on how we ap proach an issue like this." Rahi contrasted the mis-
sion of a newly-formed municipal ambassador committee, which is sup-
posed to promote the posed to promote the
Shores as a "wonderful community," with findings of the Move-to-Macomb committee saying other wise.
"There's going to be a cost in the court of public
opinion," Rahi said. "You have a referendum going on the ballot because we're so unhappy with the quality of the county we chose to live in. It doesn't make a lot of sense."
Resident Nancy Reni Resident Nancy Renick to support or reject realignment.
"When can you get it together," she scolded the council. "I want a presen-
tation on the pros and (one) on the cons," Former Councilm Brian Geraghty was surprised that the Macomb committee, approved in August 2011, during his term,
vote.
"The
vote. "There was no direction to provide recommendations," Geraghty said. Also, the May 15 council agenda indicated the committee would provide an
update on activities, nothing else.
"There was no indication there was going to be a vote of any sort on a recommendation," Geraghty added. "This lack of transparency has been quite a
concern. I hope the council will undertake a serious education program for residents and answer the many, many questions that have gone unan-
Resident Jim Jacobs said, "If this has to go to attorney general, we ources wasting valuable resources. It's a waste of
time."
"If we follow the process we're on and
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GUEST OPINION By Anne Schieber ‘Stimulus' grants, loans

If jobs are any measure, 14 Michigan "green" companies awarded 34.5 milionin taxpay er funded gra
much heat.
According to the Michigan Economic
Development Corp , the companies have Development Corp., the companies have re ported a total of 183 jobs. While a final re-port will not be issued until June, calls ande mails to the companies indicate the total number will loans in 2009 and 2010 under its Clean Energy Advanced Manufacturing Program. The money cam from federal stimulus funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act. The federal government handed out a total of \$3.1.billion for state energy programs, of which Michigan got $\$ 82$ million. Michigan Energy Office Manager Robert Jackson de ate jobs but to help established manufacturers retool for the future economy, namely alternative energy. Of the 14 companies on the list, the majority are in the wind turbine business. Employment, however, was front and center when the awards from this stimulus program were announced.
"The awards being made today will create good jobs,"
U.S. Rep. Sander Levin, D-Royal Oak said in a June 2010 press release.
Former Gov. Jennifer Granholm devoted one of her radio addresses to the subject, even mentioning a speci ic jobs number for one of the award recipients, Ventower Industries of Monroe. Ventower received a ernment-backed loans Granholm said the company was projected to create 130 direct jobs and 40 spin-off jobs. Ventower, which makes wind turbine towers, currently employs 49. Another company, Astraeus Wind Energy Inc. of Eaton Rapids, got a $\$ 7$ million grant and a
loan of $\$ 1.54$ million and has created 11 jobs. If no other oan of $\$ 1.54$ million and has created 11 jobs. If no other $\$ 776,364$ each. Astraeus co-founder Roger Cope also defends the program, saying he believes the program gives the state its only opportunity for energy independence and that without government subsidies the alternative energy busine
ting off the ground.
ting off the ground.
"Banks these days are not loaning money and ventur capitalists have no interest in manufacturing," he said.
He points out that some of the greatest technological ad vancements have come from the aerospace and medical industries, which were subsidized by the government for years. He said he believes the same could be true in alternative energy.
"Government has poor ability to pick the winners on president and co-founder of the Competitive Enterprise Institute. "It got excited and over-promoted an issue and everyone got excited, even Fortune 500 companies." Officials from Grid Logic Inc. in Lapeer said the company used its $\$ 3.5$ million grant and $\$ 3.04$ million in loans to raise private funding and build an advanced Logic has developed a new line of products for the elec tric utility industry, whithlect to a "substantial" contract It expects to increase sales and add staff. The company currently employs 20 people.
Two of the 14 companies, Great Lakes Industry in Jackson and Polar Seal in Grand Rapids appear to have had their awards revoked. Other grant and loa grant/\$273,000 loan for seven workers; Eaton Rapids Castings of Rochester, $\$ 1.36$ million grant/\$650,000 loan for six workers; LOC Performance of Plymouth, $\$ 1.5$ million grant for an unreported number of jobs; UMA
Resources of Rochester Hills, $\$ 500,000$ grant $\$ 325,000$ Resources of Rochester Hims, $\$ 500,000$ grant $/ \$ 325,000$ loan for 12 jobs; and Merrill Technologies of Saginaw, One of the difficulties in alternative energy industry is the unpredictability of energy prices from other sources Because of new drilling techniques, developed in large part in the private sector, natural gas prices have dropped to record lows. And natural gas inventory is high. Wind and solar power account for less than 2 percent of energy production, according to the U.S. rently lobbying for a $\$ 7$ billion renewal of its production tax credit and pushing to increase renewable-energy mandates nationally and in individual states, including Michigan. There is an effort to increase the mandate in Michigan to 25 percent.
Schinar is the senior investigative analyst for the
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## Aver Kita Anter

County move
To the Editor After Grosse Pointe voted unanimously to place a move to Macomb County on the ballot, some members - in their infinite wisdom - called a relatively unpublicized special meeting for the exing what might have been a key opportunity to strengthen the Pointes and neighboring communities. Despite the deceptive remark that "there is no occurring in Wayne County, there could hardly have been a better time for the Shores to justify its legal right to place the city's entire d county
Corporate counsel for and the Grosse Pointe Public School System supplied a writen legal opinon (attached) conifmed Attorney General, that the section of Grosse Pointe Shores currently located in Grosse Pointe schools would remain
Pointe schools.

## Pointe schools.

This position is further least five other metro area school systems now operate across county lines: Anchor Bay,
Clarenceville, Northville, South Lyon and Warren South Ly
schools.
All of th antered by detractor were essentially political were essentalaly pointical
undermine a committee's halt when the first-base volved in the 2012 Paint carefully studied effort to bring a noteworthy 4 -mill
tax reduction to Grosse Pointeduction to Gross What's worse, this the right to decide for themselves.
Not only would such a move have provided sig-
nificantly lower taxes and nincantly lower taxes and
improved services, it likely would have bolstered property values in the Shores, which would positively impact the values of neighboring communities.
Even if the initiative Even if the initiative
were stalled by Wayne were stalled by Wayne
County voters, alternate remedies may have been available once the desig nated course of action proved insuperable.
The likelihood of such The likelihood of such in opportune time arising dedicated group taking up the cause if it does, may not be sogreat.
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Macomb Committee Liaison
Umpiring
To the Editor:
It seems ever since Jim Joyce's horrifically bad
call to end Armando Galarraga's perfect game the umpiring in major league baseball seems to have come under scrutiny
and for good reason. and for good reason. As most of us were en
joying our Memorial Day and watching our Tiger take on the Red Sox, it wa brought to a screeching halt when the first-base trike call that would have ended the inning. And in he process, gave the Red
Sox another chance and hey took advantage and cored three more runs. The second-base umpire made another costly error, an inning or so later, when Danny Worth led off the inning with a double and
slid past the base, only to be called out - even though replays clearly showed his hand reached showed
back an
tag.
What
What's the solution? Should the league revisit replaying any close call? I believe there's a good argument for this, as too many games are being debut by the umps' miscues They review close home runs in a matter of seconds, so why not consider his on other close calls hat could definitely affect Ill bet you if if game. Jim Joyce, who's good caeer will forever be marred by this one blown call, if he could go back in time and have his call reviewed and corrected before the end of
he game, the answer would be a resounding Mes"' ${ }^{\text {Mike Walkowiak }}$ Grosse Pointe Farms
Contest thanks
To The Editor: Each year the Village Each year the Village creativity as Grosse Pointe elementary school children paint wonderful picures throughout our shopping district. A record 181 young, creative artists came to a perfect day and the re perfect day and the We congratulate all of the participants and the winners.
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As always, our dedicatbig thank you: Claudia Corrado, $\quad$ Terri Berschback, John Denomme, Linda Jensen, the staff of Village Toy Company, Alyssa Martin,
Emily Fleming, Nina Emily Fleming, Nina and Elizabeth Bracher. Finally, I wish to thank the entire Grosse Pointe community as you contin ue to support our Village
events with such loyal enthusiasm and heart.

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## I SAY By BradLindberg

## Media čenter freeloaders

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Hen Here we are,
readers, a
more than 200 -mile drive from the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, yet as Indianapolis 500 as though trackside.
Or, at least, as close to the race as were many reporters ensconced in the speedway's air conditioned infield media cente
overlooking part of the overlooking pa
front straight.
The center is four sto tall and staffed by the finest public relations
team I've experienced. team I ve experienced. It churns out comprehensiv
information on the race from the opening day of practice through postcompetition wrap-up. Updates are handed out so often that many reporters never leave the with free cafeteria They absorb, nor vey, no feel for the setting - how fans in the prime, Turn 1 terrace seats differ from those milling around
the infield snake pit; children on all fours kissing row of bricks on the infield plaza; engineers in garages on Gasoline Alley fretting over data downloaded onto laptops; fan
lined 20 deep to glimpse AJ. Foyt; no-name drivers from lesser teams walking and not turning one head. Covering the Indy 500 is easy, if reporters let the PR staff do it for them. The re sulting copy may be rote, as many report
At Indy, the media center's second and fourth floors have rows of tables at which reporters sit throughout the race. Desks on the fourth floor
cover more space than cover more space than a hookups at each table let reporters tap into streams of race data downloaded from speedway staff, the
Indy Racing League and Indy Racing League and
individual race teams. Televisions hanging from the ceiling broadcast the network feed of the race. Closed circuit data al so is streamed on screen. All a reporter needs to do
is sit there copying quotes is sit there copying quates
from TV , radio and track announcers.
Best of all for the secondhand cut-and-paste set are the PR staff's tracksid reports and quotes.
Trackside reports lap-by-lap accounts of the race. They're distributed every 20 laps or so of the
200 -lap 500 200 -lap 500.
The repor
The reports contain
enough detail and color for lazy reporters to sit from afar and write comprehensive accounts To wit, on lap 119: "... Pit stop report: Four ires and fuel: \#9 Dixon;
10 seconds; \#83 Kimbal 10 seconds; \#83 Kimball seconds; \#19 Jakes, 7 seconds. Four tires, fuel air Wison, 15 seconds. Wilson ran over air gun and hose entering his pit box, no penalty." Need comments b race-winner Dario Sato spinning out while rying to squeeze past on he last lap?
But, after the race, franchitti is at a news conthe media center. Sato is practically a half world away in the team garage with his banged up race car. What to do? Tap into the PR
port:
"He's
"He's very aggressive" Franchitti said. "I think he thought that was his hance. I mean, why not Want Sato's view? Trackside report: "I w
going for the win"" going for the win."
Need color from celebrity attending the race? Trackside: "When I drive on the freeway. I'm scared-let
alone go 220 mph ," said Tommy Lasorda, forme "A. Dodgers manager.

## PUBLIC SAFETY REPORTS

Tools taken
Three power tools and wo extension ladders were stolen during the night of Thursday, May 24 , from a Ford Econoline an parked in a driveway fi of Charlevoix at Who
mashed the van's rear window and stole a Makita drill bit motor, a case of bits, a Sawzall, jigaw wistle ladders capable f extending to 24 and 28 feet, respectively.

Suspensions
An investigation last veek of "customer trouVillage yielded the arrest of a 43 -year-old Detroit woman on traffic charges. At about $3: 15$ p.m. found her leaving the commercial district at the wheel of a red 2000 Mercury Mountaineer on northbound St. Clair A fake paper license icle's rear window po lice said.
The woman also was violating 11 driving suspensions and was wanted in Detroit on seven traffic warrants, officers added

Quick change
At 1:36 p.m. Sunday,
May 20, a known con man was arrested shortly after pulling a quickchange gag on a coffee
house clerk in the village. The 58 -year-old suspect from Detroit is accused of clerk out of $\$ 30$ change then intimidating he
when she questioned the transaction.
Police caught the man in a 2000 Chevrole impala
If you -Brad Lindber If you have any infor mathon about these or other crimes, call the City safety department at (313) $886-3200$.

Grosse Pointe Farms
Messes up
marina
The Coast Guard helped contain a fuel and Day weekend in the mari na of Pier Park.
At 6:17 p.m. Saturday May 26, Farms public safety officers responded to the incident, which
they attributed to a 55 year-old male resident tending an 18 -foo Thompson motor boat. "Several witnesses said (he) was using a siphon pump inside of his engine compartment (and) using compartment and wring

## WEEK: <br> Community events

Continued from page 1A Christ Church Antiques m. at the church, 61 Show is from 11:30 a.m. Grosse Pointe Blvd., cost is $\$ 10$.

- In the Company of Experts includes a continental breakfast and be-hind-the-scenes tour of he antiques show at 61 Grosse Pointe Blvd., cost is $\$ 15$.
- Antiques evaluation are from 1 to $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. at Christ Church. The cost is 10 per item.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3
-The 28th annual 1000, ext. 103.
MONDAY, JUNE 4 -Grosse Pointe Woods council meets at 7:30 p.m 20025 Mack Plaza


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## Williams

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ing out the sponge in the change and a $\$ 50$ tween 8:30 and 11 a.m. lives on Roslyn As, said a patrolman. Leatherman tool set were through a window, said As (I) approached him, taken out of an unlocked he was walking away car parked in the 200 from the area as if atcould smell the odor of incould smell the odor of in-
toxicating beverage coming from (him)."

## Door-to-door

sure if the garage door
A man walking door-to- cle was locked," said a citing buerriweather so- public safety officer. truction bess for a construction company was swept up last week during heightened scrutiny due to a serie
sions.
$\qquad$ May 24 , police investigat ed the 45 -year-old Clinton Township man near Ridge.
He was advised of the city's ordinance banning solicitations and arrested on an outstanding warrant for the same type of violation in St. Clair
C
Computer caper
Two iPads worth $\$ 500$
each were stolen between 8 a.m. Monday, May 21 and 3 p.m. the next day the 100 block of Grosse Pointe Boulevard.
The items were last
seen in an unlocked cabi-
net of the computer room, a school representativ
Car break-ins
Two larcenies from parked vehicles occurred night of Sunday May 20 night of sunday, May 20 ,


#### Abstract

investigators. (I) observed $\qquad$ "(l) observed dirt under


 one of the main bedroom "The window was unlocked. Both the window and screen can be pushed open to gain entry,"The homeowner wasn't
glary. The only thing be-
lieved stolen was a silver pocket knife with serrated edges, the homeowner told police.

## Keeps drinking

A 35 -year-old Farms man was arrested for pro-
bation violation at a house in the 100 block of Muir shortly before $4 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Thursday, May 24. "(He) was court-ordered to wear an alcohol
tether, which he retether, which he re-
moved," said a public safety officer.
The man reportedly had a .113 percent blood
alcohol level -Brad Lindberg If you have any infor. mation about these or oth er crimes, call the Grosse
Pointe Farms Pointe Farms public safety department at (313) 885 2100.

## Grosse Pointe Shores <br> Missing cash

-Brad Lindberg If you have any information about these or other crimes, call the Grosse y department at (313) ty depart

## Lock cars

Between Wednesday, May 16 and Wednesday, May 23, there were nine larcenies from unlocked
vehicles in the Park. Items taken included cell phones, designer sunglasses, iPods, a check book, house keys, cash, credit cards and a GPS de-
vice. Most occurred during the nighttime hours. "Larceny is nothing more than a crime of opportunity", said Chief David Hiller. "We can't remind residents enough to leave valuables in any car locked or unlocked. This a crime that can be easipolice are tracking said police are trac

A Lakepointe resident
reported to police on Thursday, May 24 , that
money was missing from money was missing from a bedroom drawer after a was at the home to pick up a furniture donation. If you have information If you have information on these or any other crimes, contact Grosse
Pointe Park potice, (313) 822-7400.


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## South choirs rate superior

All Grosse Pointe South High School choral or 2 ratings for performances March 23 and 24, at the Michigan School Vocal Music Association
State Solo and Ensemble State Solo and Ensemble
Festival at Walled Lake Central High School. As well, sophomo Emma Aboukasm, recognized among the top 20 soloists from the festival was selected as an alter-
nate soloist for the vocal solo and ensemble recital May 10 to 12 , at the Michigan Youth Arts Festival at Western Michigan University. The 150 high school singer from across the state in an all-day celebration.

## FARMS:

Dad instrumental in arrest

Continued from page 1A
records matched one found on a plastic con-
tainer from which money was stolen at a house on Cloverly, Rosati said. "(His) shoes were the
same brand as sole imsame brand as sole impressions left at the Cloverly home invasion," added
Vandenbroeck also was known by Farms police for giving a witness state ment the morning of May 21 about a break-in lower Lakeshore.
Police are cert
Police are certain the
statement, describing two men running from the scene, was a sham to mask Vandenbroeck entering the house and tripping a burglar alarm. puts him on the scene,

## At the state festival,

 Aboukasm earned a perior performance. Others receiving superior include: Freshman Men's Ensemble; Freshman Mixed Ensemble;Advanced Women; Men of Pointe Singers; Jessica Aboukasm; Elyse Beach; Margaret Bickerstaff; Margaret Bove; Ingrid Burton; Meredith Bury; Elyse Croce; Jeannine
Degnan; $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Degnan; } & \text { Lauren } \\ \text { Dessinger; } & \text { Natalie }\end{array}$ Dusina; Patrick Flanagan; Brian Hall; Jack Kay; Christina Koehler, Ellen Monahan; Ben Moss; Julia Moss; Grace Isaac Piecuch : Casey Sanders; Nick Savinov;

Frank Thams; Emma Turco; Nathan Turner; Zimmeth
The following earned Division 2 ratings for ex cellent performances Freshman Women's Ensemble; Pointe Singers; South Singers; Men of South Singers; Women of South Singers; Hannah Ayrault; Nicole Bade; Rachel Brieden; Angela

Dusina: Alison Gabrion Dusina; Alison Gabrion Hall; Bria Lee; Weronika Lukaszewska; Natalie Pantelis; Athina Papas; Ryan Powell; Olivia Ray; Kenneth Schmidtke; Marisa Stieber; Christina | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Swanson; Ellie Thams } \\ \text { and Madison Toland. }\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Gro } \\ \text { rect }\end{array}$ |
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## Fees up in the

 next budget, including ice
## By Brad Lindberg

Staff Writer
CITY OF GROSSE POINTE - A $\$ 15$ charge to catch stray dogs is in fee increases announced this week.
The new The new charge is expected to generate $\$ 150$ administrative cost of rounding up loose pets. "It is a minimal fee, but will reimburse the city for personnel as well as use of city equipment," said
Kimberly Kleinow, City of Grosse Pointe finance of rector.

Oficers traced an indect track to the hond
said Lt. Andrew Rogers. Officers pursued the
lead and found lead and found yardwork. "Drop the oeck doing First, they went to a residence on Bedford in Grosse Pointe Park that his witness statement. "He moved out a month ago," Rosati said. They went to a rental property
$\qquad$ Ise," Rosati said. The trail warmed at his ather's house on Vernier in Grosse Pointe Shores. "We're looking for your son," Rosati said he fingerprints and witnesses." "While checking his father's residence, information was learned of address in Eastpesent Drop the rake,
reportedly told him.
A patdown turned A patdown turned up gold coin necklace stolen that day nemace stolen McKinley police house on McKinley, police said. Officers also said Vandenbroeck's pockets contained a crack pipe cocaine.
"I'm glad we were able to catch him," said Dan Jensen, director of public
safety. "It took longe safety. "It took longe than expected. His dad helping us because he wanted to help his son." During booking at headquarters, officers said they found three credit cards in the sus
pect's poeket. address in Eastpointe,"
(He) claimed he pround," Hurner said "He admits to four home invasions" Rour said.

The admission doesn't account for a break-in on tephens during the morning of May 22 .
juiced up he was so juiced up on crack he doesn't remember the one "While writing the port, (the McKinley homeowner) called 911 to report a home invasion," said Hurner.
The homeowner identi fied the necklace an Vandenbroeck has criminal history, police said.
"He has a couple of pri-rs-a stolen vehicle and Shores," Rosati said.

The main fee increase buying containers, ac announced this week is 5 cording Kleinow. percent to rent boat slips Somewhat related is a in the municipal marina $\$ 50$ fee for public service
at Neff Park. The percent-
employees to collect $\begin{array}{lll}\text { at Neff Park. The percent- } \\ \text { age change equals } \$ 6 \text { to } & \text { Christmas to collec }\end{array}$ $\$ 16$, depending on slip than one month after the size. holiday. Money generated will "cover needed maintenance that has been put City officials municipal fees each year. "The review is to ensure hat specific users are paying costs in lieu of being subsidized by the general
said.
All increases this year are expected to generate a combined \$26,470 annucombi.
ally.
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Other new fees are: - single family certifi cate of occupancy: $\$ 150$, $\$ 50$ increase;

- \$20 across the board increases in swim team memberships: one swim mer, $\$ 80$; two, $\$ 100$; three $\$ 130$ and four, $\$ 140$; $\star$ a $\$ 25$ increase in plat form tennis seasonal memberships: residen,
$\$ 100$; non-resident, $\$ 150$; $\rightarrow$ figure skating lesson and ice hockey clinics. $\$ 20$ a $\$ 5$ hike;
- sunfish storage: $\$ 150$ 0 increase and Aing bins and yard waste ling bins and yard waste $\$ 65$. Money is intended to Park: $\$ 2$, a 25 cent in recoup the city's cost of crease.

City of (0) (0) NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City Council, meeting as Zoning Boara of Appeals under the provisions 125.3101 et seq will meet in the Council-Court Room of the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, on Monday June 18, 2012, at $7: 35$ p.m. to hear the appeal of Daniel
and Kimberly Hart 1153 Lochmoor Grosse Pointe Woods MI, who are appealing the denial of the Building Official to issue arbuilding permit due to noncompliance with Ses.
$50-209(b)$ of the 2007 City Code of the City of Grosse $50-209(b)$ of the 2007 City Code of the City of Grosse
Pointe Woods pertaining to front yard setback Pointe Woods
requirements.
The public hearing materials are available for public inspection at the Municipal Building, 20025 Mack Plaza, All interested persons are invited to attend and will be given opportunity for public comment. The public may appear in person or be represented by counsel. Written the close of business preceding the hearing. A group spokesperson is encouraged on agenda items concerning auxiliary aids or services at the meeting should contact the Grosse Pointe Woods Clerk
seven days prior to the meeting.
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { G.PN. } 5 / 312012 & \text { Lisa Kay Hathaway MMC } \\ \text { City Clerk }\end{array}$

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## Four North students blend science and art



Astronomical Image Processing teacher Ardis Herrold watches as juniors Chris Aonen, forefront, and Zach Kaiser use GIMP to add detail to their respective images.

By A.J. Hakim
Stuff Writer
An independent stud ies course blending as phy science and art ha four Grosse Pointe No High School students experimenting in instru mentation and resource part Stephen Hawking part David Malin.
course, Astronomica Image Processing, is an astrophotography study, in which students take pictures of astronomica images through a tele scope, or use raw images
archived from the Internet, and, with com puter processing soft
ware, transform their hours, this would've nev-
aw images into coir It started. ion of the sugges-
$\qquad$ "What I've been time is learn how to take astrophotos," Herrold said. "I said, 'Let's do this. We're going to learn
ogether just going to be ogether, just going to be this'... It just started with the fact, I knew all four of them and they all had a tutorial, period ive, this semester that er, be in the class together. "It was serendipity. If
they had four different
hours therked."

Juniors Alison Alexs Chris Konen and Zach Kaiser, and freshman Richard Green, all of
Herrold's afterschool Radio Astronomy Team are the four students who meet daily and work collaboratively, oftentimes alongside local as trophotographers such Warren Astronomical Society.
In their studies, they use a diverse mix of telescopes and cameras computers and imaging Adobe ${ }_{\text {Photoshop }}^{(M a x i m ~ D L ~}$ Salsa.J, GIMP and others).

## Academy announces scholarship recipients



Pictured with middle school principal Scott Tily, left, and early and lower school principal Jennifer Kendall, right, are, from left: Katherine Fruehauf, Lyen-ai Jones, Howard Crane, Henry Wujek, Samantha Savage, Alexandra Larrea an Shaun Gupte.
The Grosse Pointe Howard Crane, son of mic excellence and ex The Grosse Pointe Howard Crane, son of mic excellence and ex
Academy announced sev- Cathy and Robert Crane hibits the qualities o
en recipients of its special of Grosse Pointe Park, trustworthiness, respect en recipients of its special scholarships awarded to students for the 20122013 academic year. Katherine Fruehauf,
daughter of Jenny and daughter of Jenny and
Ken Fruehauf of Grosse Pointe Farms, was the recipient of the Thelma Fox Murray Scholarship Award, given annually to an upcoming eighthgrade girl who demon-
strates integrity, humility and sense of humor, ath letic achievement and academic excellence. Lyen-ai Jones, daughter of Lisa and Lowell Jone Brett , Bentley Crawford Creative Writing Award, given to a middle school girl who possesses a skill and pas sion for creative writing and exsonality a spirite was established to honor the memory of Brett Bentley Crawford, Academy '97.
was awarded Park, Nowosielski-Lutz Scholarship Auz to an upcoming egiven grade boy who excels aca grade boy who excels acaand is an all-around good person.
Henry Wujek, son of Abigail and John Wujek of Grosse Pointe Farms, is he recipient of the E. Maybelle Spicer, Clark Trader, Jean K. Kurtz
Trader
Scholarship Trader Scholarship Award based on his success in academics and
athletics and a strong desire to excel. As such, the award is reflective of the Academy's core values and mission. Samantha Savage, daughter of Fay and Paul avage of Grosse Pointe Farms, is the recipient of Scholarship, awarded to a rising sixth grader who has demonstrated acade- hibits the qualities of trustworthiness, respect,
responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship. Alexandra Larrea daughter of Vesna and Giovanni Larrea o
Detroit, received the Eleanor Wagner Brock Scholarship, awarded to girl moving from the Academy's kindergarten to first grade. This award
is voted on by the early is voted on by the early
school faculty and given to an inquisitive, friendly girl well liked by her classmates and teachers. And Shaun Gupte, son of Laura and Anand Gupte of Grosse Pointe DeMario Academi Scholarship, awarded to student moving from the Academy's kindergarten to first grade. school principal and lowe school principal and first Gupte based on academi Gupte based on academic
promise and a strong de sire to excel.


Robert Berta, right, of the Warren Astronomical Society, assists Grosse Pointe North High School freshman, Richard Green, in enhancing the detail of Green's astronomical image.

With Herrold, they of- with all the data," Berta journal via the class wikiten perform field studies, said. "There's multiple space, also used as an congregating at night for files and you take all online discussion too observation sessions in these files that are com- during the times the an attempt to capture im- ponents of the final pic- aren't together in class or
ages of nebulae galaxies ture you end up with. But at observing session and comets, the sun, they're in different fil- and to maintain the moon, stars and planets ters, etc, etc. Otherwise, they scan the "So what you have to learning experience of Internet for raw image do is take those pictures the course. data, a collection of origi- and stack them, which is "I get a lot out of this nal, filtered images to align them, to line up class," Green said. "We
sparse on detail, yet full all the stars in the same do sparse on detail, yet full all the stars in the same do observing nights and
of electronic noise. It's place. You adjust the col- I've learned how to find the students' task, or on them. Using differ- all new things in the sky through stacking and ent processing steps you didn't know before other Photoshop-like can bring out certain de- That's really cool. I've manipulations and en- tails on them." learned a lot about as hancements, to eliminate As students make tronomy just through
the noise and strengthen progress with the imag- this class alone." detail.
"When you take the tails of their accomplish- ally enjoyed it. I own pictures through your ments, discussions and telescope and am big in telescope, you end up observations into a daily to astronomy."


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Grosse Pointe North and South High School Jazz Bands A 25 -year tradition at MOTP co-conducted by David Cleveland \& Steve Cross
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## Monteith raises awareness to Autism



## May crownings



As the all-school Mass with special events such ended Monday May 7 St. as crownings and public ended Monday, May 7, St. as crownings and public
Paul on the Lake Catholic recitations of the rosary.
School students gathered Each year at St. Paul, School students gathered Each year at St. Paul, clothes and eighth graders School students gathered Each year at St. Paul, the clothes from their
outside the church grotto the school selects two stu- Confirmation. for a crowning celebration in honor of the Virgin
Mary. Mary.
Traditionally, the
Catholic Church proCatholic Church pro-
claims May as the claims May as the
"Blessed Virgin Mary's "Blessed Virgin Mary's month," and celebrate
throughout the month
dents, a second grader
making her Firs Communion and eighth grader making her
Confirmation, to perform the crowning This yorm second grader Emily Fox and eighth grader left, crowned the statue. Star crowning Our Lady Star of the
Sea Catholic School Sea Catholic School pas led a procession of more than 300 students, teachers and parents from the school to the front lawn of Peter Cracchiolo's home
for the crowning of the for the crowning of the
Blessed Virgin Mary stat Blessed virgin Mary stat-
ue. Maria Ciaravino performed the honor, symbol-
ic of Mary as the first ic of Mary as the first
Christian and the first to say, "yes," to Jesus. their First Communion onfirmation.

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From left are sixth-grade Shammas Scholarship recipient Lauren Meredith, fifthgrade recipient Stephanie Roche, Liggett Middle School's Dean of Students Jim rewer, and seventh-grade recipient Zahra Khan.

## Liggett announces Shammas scholars

University Liggett years of middle school. lege admission and School's Stefanie Roche, Current beneficiaries in- Thespian scholarships is the 2012-2013 recipient, clude: sixth grader auditions and student of the Nicole Marie Lauren Meredith, seventh playwriting programs. Shammas Memorial eighth grader Madison form Saturday, June 30, scholarship. She en
sixth grade come fall
A singer who has per Andiamo's and in the School's memorable, for a small school like Michigan Opera Theater award-producing school nity," director Phillip children's chorus, Roche's year continues, with the Moss said. "There are 10 interest in the arts and department of creative performance spots at fes-
academic promise earned and performing arts pick- tival and most schools are her the $\$ 1,000$ scholar- ing up where the athletics three and four times our $\begin{array}{lll}\begin{array}{ll}\text { ship, part of Liggett's en- } \\ \text { dowment program and }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { teams left off. } \\ \text { Following state cham- }\end{array} & \text { size, so this says a great } \\ \text { deal about the quality of }\end{array}$ made possible by a gift from the Shammas family, of Grosse Pointe
Woods, and other friends of Nicole Shammas, who of Nicole Shammas, who
died while a student at
Liggettis middle school. Liggett's middle school.
This is the scholarship's This is the scholarship's
26th anniversary. 26th anniversary.
"We are very grateful "We are very grateful for the generosity of the years," said Kelley Hamilton, Liggett's direc- N tor of development. "The
scholarship they created scholarship they created in memory of their daughter, Nicole, has honored many young men and dle school and, in so doing, perpetuates Nicole's memory." Recipients receive the

## Trombly cubs help plant garden



## OBITUARIES

Obituary notices are purchased and often prewritten by family or friends. While we try to run obituaries as submitted, we nevertheless reserve the right to edit for accutry to run obituaries as

## Mary DeLong

Baubie
Mary DeLong Baubie, 85, died Wednesday, May
16 . 2012, in Boulder Colo.
Che was born March 7, 1927, in Chicago to Charles Shaver Delong
and Elizabeth Hinde Delong. She was an active member in the Sigma Gamma Association and the Huron Mountain
Club, where she was the Club, where she was the first female president. by her children David by her children, David M.
Harris and Margaret M Harris; sisters, Elizabeth D. Kuhl and Cynthia D. Washburne; grandchil-
dren, Jennifer M. Miller, dren, Jennifer M. Miller, John B. McNaughton,
Elizabeth McNaughton, Emily D. Harris, Samuel S. Harris, Maisie Baubie, Katie
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Foundation, P.O. Box Foundation, P.O. Box
36373, Grosse Pointe, MI 383736 Grosse Pointe, MI
48236 or the Hospice Foundation of America at hospicefoundation.org.

## Gloria <br> Breckenridge

Grosse Pointe Woods Breckenridge, died peacefully Wednesday,
May 23, 2012. She was predeceased by her husband,
Breckenridge, to whom she was married 65
years.
Born May 15, 1927, to Thelma and Norman Ruthenbeck, she was a stay-at-home mother
who dedicated herself to her husband and family. She was a proud and loving grandmother and great grandmother. Her family said Mrs. Breckenridge will be re
membered for her laugh membered for her laughthe amazing meals she shared. She had a lifelong passion for good food and the pleasures of cooking. Those lucky enjoyed a culinary delight.
Mrs. Breckenridge is Survived by her children, Craig Breckenridge and his wife, Laurie; Robb Breckenridge and his
wife, Cher; Laurie Hanna and her husband, and her husband, Brush and her husband, Brad. She will be missed by her grandchildren, Buffy Leigh VanDyke
(Derek), Keeley Stempin (Derek), Keeley Stempin
(Kevin),
Robin Mancinelli (Michael), Megan Faber (Bill), Katy Wereley (Steve), Cameell Hanna, Emily Roorda, Kyle Breckenridge, Carly
Hanna and Haley Brush and great-grandchildren, abby, Kellan, Luke, Finlay, Ella, Gabriel, Savanna and Liam.
In addition to her hus-
band she was prede band, she was prede-
ceased by her brother, Calvin Ruthenbeck. A memorial service be held at 11 a.m. Friday, June 22, at First English Lutheran Church, 800 Vernier Road, Grosse
Pointe Woods. A luncheon will immediately follow at the church. Donations may be made to First English Lutheran Church Building Fund, 800 Pointe Woods, MI 48236.

## Paul Joseph

 Chauvin Paul Joseph Chauvin, 72, passed away peaceful-ly Sunday, May 27, 2012 ly Sunday, May 27,2012,
surrounded by "his girls."
He is survived by the He is survived by the
love-of-his-life, high school sweetheart, best friend, business partner Judith Barbara 47 years, He also is survived by his daughters, Elizabeth Anne Chauvin (fiancé David Sattler) and Amy
Michele (David), who together David), who together
with his wife were "his girls."
He also is survived by his $\begin{aligned} & \text { grandchildren, } \\ & \text { Brandon Paul Johnston }\end{aligned}, ~$ Alyssa Kay Johnston and isters, Pam (Michael) Sisters, Pam (Michael)
Fenchak, Jeri Chapper and Suzanne Bauman and many nieces and Mr. Chauvin was born
Sept. $28, \quad 1939$, $\begin{array}{cc}\text { Sept. 28, 1939, in } \\ \text { Woodslee, } & \text { Ontario }\end{array}$ Woodslee, Ontario,
Canada, the only son of H.E. Chauvin and Catherine (nee Murphy) Chauvin, who predeceased him. He was
known to have kept his known to have kept his
three sisters "on their toes" with his pranks and fun loving nature. Mr. Chauvin had a pas-
sion for boating and could sion for boating and could be found almost every weekend on the waters of
Lake St. Clair. He enjoyed Lake St. Clair. He enjoyed
traveling and frequented Harbor Springs and Harbor Spr
Orlando, Fla.
His
His family said he had an uncanny gift of making everyone feel special
through his love and supthrough his love and supure," best friend, confidant and advisor to many and will be missed greatly.
Visitation will be held from 4 to 9 pm . Thursday May 31, at Chas.
Verheyden Funeral Home 16300 Mack, Grosse Pointe Park. A prayer service will be at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. A funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Friday,
June 1 , at Our Lady Star June 1, at Our Lady Star
of the Sea Catholic Church, 467 Fairford, Grosse Pointe Woods.
In lieu of flowers, donaions may be made to IHM Sisters, 610 West Elm Ave., Monroe, MI 48162.

## Bettie J.

DeMars Bettie J. DeMars, 79, May peacefuly Monday Canterbury on the Lake in Waterford.
She was born Aug. 22, 1932, in Mayfield, Ky., to Burl and Nova Fields. As a young child her family
moved to Detroit and she graduated from Southeastern High School in 1948 at age 16. Mrs. DeMars was employed as an executive secretary for many years
beginning at Michigan Bell Telephone Company Bell Telephone Company Bower Roller Bearing, Chuck Muer Corp. and hard Corp. She worked hard her entire life to single parent with the help of her loving mother Her family said she loved them deeply and instilled a strong work ethic in their characters. The pur-
suit of higher education was a paramount requirement in her home. She enjoyed golf, dancing, boating, traveling and volunteering,
Mrs. DeMars is surGregory J. DeMars

by her brother, Ray Fields. A funeral Mass was celIsaac Jogues Catholic Church in St. Clair
Shores. Express condolences o share a memory at

## Elizabeth

## Opie

Elizabeth Opie, nee Blake, 63 , died
May $20,2012$.
May 20,2012 .
She was the beloved wife of John "Jack" Blake; loving mother of Anne Peoples
Jarzembowski), Renee Howell (Randy) and Julia Howell (Randy) and Julia
(Max Miller) and deal grandmother of Shannon Howell. She also is survived by her loving Blake family.
funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday, May 31, at St.
Ambrose Catholic Ambrose Church, 15020 Hamplolic Street, Grosse Pointe Park, 48230 . Visitation begins at 10:30 a.m. at the church.
In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to
National Alliance on Mental
Mllance nami.org.

## Thomas Edward Kilbride

Former Grosse Pointe Kesident Thomas Edward April 8,2012 , at Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak after a short illness. He most recently
Mr. Kilbride was a 1967 graduate of Grosse Pointe High School and a 1981 graduate of Lawrence Technological University,
where he earned a degree where he earned a degree
in architecture. He served in the U.S. Army from 1971 to 1973.
Mr. Kilbride's career was in industrial engineering and design. He
worked on projects for worked on projects for throughout the United


## Janet Page Fuger

July 29, 1911 - March 20, 2012
A memorial Mass will
be held at 10 a.m. Friday, June 8, at St. Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore, Grosse Pointe Farms, for longtime Grosse Pointe Farms resident Janet Page Fuger.

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States, Canada and
Mexico. His most recent projects included the design and engineering of rooftop heliport struc-
tures for numerous
pitals. Mr Kilbride is survived
Mr. Kilbride is survived by his mother, Letty Broadview Heights, Ohio; brothers, Bernard Catherine), Frederick and Jeffrey and sisters, Cynthia Lowrey and Cathleen Hach (Robert). He was predeceased by his father, Bernard L.
Kilbride Jr. and sister Christine Kilbride.
A memorial service
will be held at 10 a.m.
Saturday, June 2, at St.
Church Arc Catholic
Ave., St. Clair Shores.
Family will greet atten-
a.m. at the church. honors , with military epulchre be in Holy Southfield.
Express condolences verheyden.org.

## Elizabeth

Rusinow
Elizabeth "Betty" Rusinow, 96 , died peace-
fully Sunday, May 20 , 2012, surrounded by her family.
She was predeceased by her husband, Daniel, and is survived by her and Thomas (Kimberly); grandchildren, Robin Lombardi, William Daniel "Danny" and
Natalie Rusinow" granddaughter, Rachel Lombardi and many nieces, nephews and friends.
In addition to her huscased by her predeGeorgeanna.
Mrs. Rusinow was the
 ters born to Italian immigrant parents. She was a resident and life-long eastside resident. She
was one of the original parishioners of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church and served as the first librarian at Our
Lady Star of the Sea School.
Her family said Mrs Rusinow lived a full and meaningful life.
Donations may be made to The Capuchins, 1750 Mt. Elliott
Detroit, MI 48207.
Express condolences or share a memory at verheyden.org.
$\underset{\text { Taylor }}{\substack{\text { Mary } \\ \text { Ta }}}$
Mary E. Taylor, 89,
passed away Sunday, May 20, 2012, at Beaumont Hospital
Grosse Pointe Grosse Pointe, surround
ters. She was born Aug. 7 ,
1922, in Omaha, Neb., to Gertrude and James O'Neil. She attended
University of Nebraska University of Nebraska a Cornhuskers football game. It was there she met her husband Douglas Taylor. They later moved to Gross Pointe Park in 1957.
Mrs. Taylor work Mrs. Taylor worked for the Grosse Pointe Public
School System for 20 years. Her family said she was an incredibly caring person who had
bewitching way of bewitching way of making those she came in
contact with immediately fall in love with her. Mis, Reid is survived by
Mrs. Taylor was prede- his sister, Virginia Smith; Mrs. Taylor was prede- his wife, Phyllis and his
ceased by her loving hus- four children, Diana, band, Douglas T. Taylor; Paul, Laura, and Linda.


Elizabeth Rusinow


Mary E. Taylor
parents, Gertrude and James O'Neil and her brother, Jim O'Neil. She is survived by her (Julie), David Taylor (Cindy), Sharon Bartalucci (Ronald) and
Prodhead (Brian); grandchildren, Brian); grandchildren,
Hilary, Colleen, Julie, Stephen, Anne, Amy and
Catherine and 14 great-

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By Oron Raviv
Finding a caterer for any event is an extrem important decision. Corporate, or private, large or small, choosing the right caterer is imper-
ative.
There are many catering companies in the maring companies in the marhomework and choose carefully in order to guar-
antee the success of your antee the success of your
This article gives you a step-by-step guide to
choosing the right caterer choosing the right caterer along with a useful checklist.
Preparation
Before seeking a cater
er you need to think about your catering needs and gather together informa-
tion that a caterer will ion that a caterer will
need to know:

## What is the time and date of the event? <br> date of the event?

Do you have a bud-
get in mind?
get in mind?
Where is your event
being held? (Or do you re-
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now many guests
are you expecting?

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a theme?
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Do you need to hire equipment? (Tables, chairs, linen, crockery etc) Once you have answered these questions
you will have a good idea you will have a good ide
of the services you will re quire. A great caterer will offer a complete service to save your running around organizing things separately. Having everything
organised by one compaorganised by one compa-
ny will help your event ny will help your event down your workload.
Research
After youve completed your preparation it's tim for some research. First you need to find some catering companies. The best way to do this is to seek recommendations. You can ask friends, fami-
ly and colleagues. Or use a search engine for a list of professional cateress in the area your event will take place.
Now select
Now select a short-list
of caterers according to the needs you identified in

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Does the Caterer pro-
vide their own waiting vide their own waiting
staff? Are the staff experienced in the style of event you are planning? Will they be professionally at
tired? Will the staff take tired? Will the staff take
care of everything from care of everything from
delivery and preparation to waiting and cleaning up afterwards?
According to the needs that you identified in your preparation, does the caterer provide the equip-
ment that you require? This may include tables, chairs, linen, crockery, glassware, cutlery or even ovens and a bar serving area. Make sure they are need so that you don't have to do additional running around after event hire. Also ensure that their equipment is new and in excellent condition. You dont want tatty ware to take the sparkle out of your event. Perhaps you require a venue for your event? If so, a caterer who can
source a venue for you will save you time and have an established relationship with the venue This will streamline the whole catering experi ence and make your life ot easier

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## Early summer gardening tips

By Melinda Myers
Get out the shovel and trowels - it's unofficially summer
Spend a bit more time getting the garden off to a good start. Proper planting and post planting care means less maintenance, fewer pests and tiful flowers in the land scape. Start by selecting healthy plants free of in sect and disease prob lems. Look for compact The leaves should b deep green or the proper color for that variety Avoid plants that show signs of stress such as spots, brow
with with multiple stems. Keep the plants properly watered before and afte planting. Check trans plants daily and twice day when temperatures
rise, watering as needed.


Coleus, Lantana, Cuphea, marigold make up this garden display.
along the buried stem Cover the roots with soil and gently tamp to insure good root to soil contact
Water new plantings thoroughly; moistening the rootball, planting hole and beyond. Spread a thin layer of shredded leaves, evergreen needle or other mulch over the suppress weeds and keep the roots cooler when hot weather arrives.
Check new plantings every other day and wa ter thoroughly and often slightly moist. Gradually reduce the frequency un til the plants only need to be watered once a week in heavy clay soils and twice a week in sandy hot weather. Get out and ing to make this the best gardening season yet.
Myers is a gardening expert, author and colum book author and colum book
nist.

## Garden weeds of beauty and woe

Michigan's natural formers in one region,
wildflowers offer a dra- yet pose a serious threat matic display in bloom. if introduced into anothBut some of the plants er cared for in the garden may actually be harmful ment. "Some popular garden
varieties of plants may varieties of plants may actually be considered invasive weeds," said Alan
Tasker, National Noxious Tasker, National Noxiou for the USDA Animal \& Plant Health Inspection Service. They're consid ered invasive because they can take root in a
particular area and spread unchecked possi bly choking out other plant species natural to that area."
According to the Weed Science Society of America, invasive plants speeds that travel by wind or animals, eventually settling in other areas miles away.
Plants can be star per-

## Accordin Michigan

 Michigan to theState University Extension starnice, some plant species noted as invasivasive or having invasive tendencies in Michigan are garlic mustard and purple loosetrife. Others are emerg-
ing threats, such as black etbead, swallow-wort, water hyacinth, baby's breath, yellow and white weet clover, wild parsnip, narrow-leaved cat-tail
frog-bit. A few, such as Hydrilla and mile-a-minute, are not yet in the state but nearby and considered particularly destructive
For more information For more information, visit the Weed Science
Society of America, wssa.net; Michigan Department of Natural Resources, and

EARTH TALK By Roddy Scheer and Doug Moss
Toxic substances at home
Q. Are there health concerns with LED lightbulbs, which may soon replace compact fluorescents as the green-friend
ly light bulb of choice? -Mari-Louise, viae Light emitting diod ergy-bill pur-
chase
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ergy-bill
 A. Light emitting diod nificantly less energy than compact fluorescents, an do not contain mercury. nomically competitive with CFLs at the point of


ButLEDs do have a dark side. A study published in late 2010 in the journal, Environmental Science and Technology found LEDs contain lead arsenic and a dozen other

## potentially dangerous

 substances "LEDs are touted as the ing," said Oladele Ogunseitan, one of the researchers behind the study and chair of theUniversity of Californi Irvine's Department of Population Health \& Disease Prevention. "But as we try to find better

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Native to Michigan, wild lupine grows best in ${ }_{n}$ sandy soils and full sun.
$\qquad$ University Extension serMichigan Michigan
wildflowers

## vildflowers

 This "greening" season of Michigan, the blueflag iris - the wild variflag of the garden iris can be found in the wet areas alongside golden cow slips or marsh marigolds.
Some of
Some of the native

> woodland wildflowers are catnip, blue
Hepatica,
white Dutchman's breeches and yellow trout lily. Look for the white flow. ers in shrubs such as the
juneberry and flowering juneberry and
dogwood.
> Early detection and eradication of the invasive species is critical in preventing further dam age to Michigan's natural For $m$
> or more information


LEGALLY SPEAKING By Matthew R. Rumora Motorcycle Helmet Law

passer completed and passed an approved mo In addition the opera for of the motorcycle or the rider must have med cal insurance coverage through his automobile insurance policy of at least $\$ 20,000$ in the even of an accident.
If the rider has his own insurance coverage, the motorcycle operator is o y required to obtain coverage for himself. Otherwise, coverage for he rider must be provi Violation of the helm law is a civil infraction and does not result in any points placed on a perCritics of the law.
Critics of the law be-
lieve the $\$ 20,000$ coverage for medical expenses inadequate to pay for most injuries sustained in
a motorcycle accident And the law will be difficult to enforce because the police will not be able to stop a motorcyclist, un less there is an underlying traffic offense quire motorcyclists to ry proof they have the extra medical coverage or have met the training or experience requirements
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## THIS IS A HAMMER By Samantha Mazzotta

## Cleaning windows inside and out

I regularly clean
. the windows on the inside of my house, but, as a new homeowner, f've windows. The first floor shouldn't be a problem, but what about the upstairs windows? Also, is here a faster way to clean than and spray clean er?
-Brad, via e-mail "Fast" depends on A. just how grungy the outside of the windows
are, but I can get you to effective and efficient" which will make the task of clean
er. Spring and fall are great umes to clean the outside windows, if you don't do them more frequently. These are typically the seasons when screens are replaced with storm win-
dows and vice versa, and dows and vice versa, and
while dual screen-storm windows are more common, it's still a good guide line to follow.

First, inspect all the windows to make sure they're undamaged, including screens. Next, remove screens or storm window and place them on a clean, sunny spot of the driveway or walkway to be cleaned.
Take alook at the win dows from the inside. Nower double-hung win and either lifted out of the frame or swung inward to access the outside of the
glass. Older windows are sometimes held in the frame by a thin strip of
wood, which should be wood, which should be carefuly removed. Then lifted out of the frame. Being able to swing out o remove the bottom sash makes cleaning the outside of upstairs window. than climbing a ladder to reach them.
To clean windows, brush away loose dust and
debris first. Fill a bucket

## EARTHTALK

 Continued from page 6AIIplete energy resources or contribute to global vigilant (about) toxicity hazards... Ogunseitan and other UC-Irvine researchers tested several types of LEDs, including those used as Christmas lights, lights and brake lights. They found some of the worst offenders were lowintensity red LEDs, found to contain up to eight -a known neurotoxin al lowed by California state lowed
law.
Acc
According to researchers, low-intensity red LEDS "exhibit signif cant cancer and nonthe high content of arsenic and lead."
Concurrently, white LEDs contain the least lead, but still harbor large amounts of nickel, anoth-
er heavy metal that causes allergic reactions in as many as one in five people upon exposure And the copper found in some LEDs can pose an envimulates in rivers and

## lakes, whe

 Ogunseitan adds that 21/es 101052 F ? prevsearch while breaking open a sin gle LED and breathing in its fumes wouldn't likely cause cancer, our bodieshardly need more toxic substances floating around, as the combined effects could be a disease trigger. If any LEDs break in the house, Ogunseitan
recommends sweeping recommends sweeping
them up while wearing gloves and a mask, and disposing the debris and broom as hazardous
$\qquad$ LEDs are currently not considered toxic by law
and can be disposed of in regular landfills. According to Ogunseitan, LED makers could easily reduce the concentrations of heavy metals in their products o
redesign them with safer materials. "Every day we don't have a law that says you cannot replace an unsafe product with another unsafe product, we're putting people's lives at
risk" he concludes "And risk, he concludes. "And
it's a preventable risk." Researchers are work ing on newer lighting, technologies that could render today's green For more informatio

## A. Pesticide drift -

 drifting spray and dust from pesticide applications - is an insidiousthreat to human health as wrell to to wildlife and ecosystems in and around agricultural and residential areas where harsh chemicals are used to ward off pests. If you live near a frequently manicured landbe an issue for you and your family. Children are especially vulnerable to these airborne pesticides, given their young bodies
are still growing and developing.
"When pesticides are sprayed they can drift and settle on playgrounds, porches, laundry, toys, pools, furniture and more," reports the nonNetwork. "Some of the most toxic pesticides in use in the United States today are also the most drift prone, and yet this common route of expo-
sure remains largely invi
with warm water and mild detergent. Place a waterproof liner underneath th window to protect the
floor and walls. Wear rub ber gloves to keep your hands clean. Dunk a clean sponge in the soapy water and wash the windowpanes, repeating as neces
sary to remove built-up dirt. Once the window is clean, grab a lint-free cloth, a chamois or news paper. Dry the glass completely; for the final pass, wipe back and forth, then

## straight up and down, to

 minimize streaks. Clean the screens and storm windows that wereset aside, brushing away cobwebs and loose dirt be fore using soap and water. Close the windows and reset either the screens or storm windows, ready for he next season. Send questions or tips to or write This Is a Hammer, c/o King Features Weekly Service, P.O. Box 536475 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { be analyzed for pesticides. } & \text { the EPA, epa.gov/pesti- } \\ \text { "It enables farmworkers } & \text { cidesffactsheets/spray- } \\ \text { and community members } & \text { drifthtm. } \\ \text { to document and draw at- } & \text { Earth Talk is written and } \\ \text { tention to otherwise invisi- } & \text { edited by Roddy Scheer } \\ \text { ble chemical exposures," } & \text { and Doug Moss and is } a \\ \text { says PAN. } & \text { registered trademark of E } \\ \text { For more information, } & \text {-The Environmental } \\ \text { visit PAN, panna.org; and } & \text { Magazine. }\end{array}$

## Ask the Experts

 How affordable is $\begin{aligned} & \text { existing single family home } \\ & \text { price was } \$ 163,500 \text { in the }\end{aligned}$ housing in the current market?
According to Nation Association of REALTOBS Nal NAR's national Housing latest metro price report, Affordability index rose to alfordability conditions are The higher the index the improving in housing greater the household markets across the country. purchasing power. This trend is bolstered by Talk to your local Grosse softer existing-home prices Pointe REALTORQ about coupled with reen low interesst rates. the real costs of Median prices for existing in today's market. How single-family homes much can a buyer actually
sotened in 11 softened in 118 metro areas save with today's prices and
and as a result reflem greater homesult reflected interest rates compared to at lower price sales activity five years ago? What about rose strongly in the lower credit availability? What do rose strongly in the lower price ranges from one year
ago. Nationally, the median from years past?


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ible."
Any spray pesticides manufactured or labeled as of January 2012 and for sale in the U.S. must display the warning on its la product in a manner that results in spray - or dust -drift that harms people or any other non-target or ganisms or sites. The EPA and monitoring ducting and monithe science of pesticide drift to better understand how it works so regulations can be tailored to mitigate its impact. The agency's Drift Rroject is working with three leading universities to test a wide range of nozzles, hoods, shields and other aids to minimize drift during ground and aerial ap Even though spray pesticides are now labeled and 28 states have drit spray regulations on their books, pesticide drift con-
tinues to be a problem tinues to be a problem
wherever crops are grown. If pesticide drift is an issue where you live, work, study or play, contact PAN. The group can send out a "Drift Catcher" -a device that collects air

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## Guild dinner June 13

The Guild of St. John Hospital and man.

Medical Center will continue its fundraising efforts with its upcoming 52nd Annua Guild Dinne
The event will be held on June 13, at light the unique entertainment of comedian Kathleen Madigan.
Funds raised will benefit St. John Hospital and Medical Center. The proceeds are designated toward the Elaine E. Blatt
Endoscopy Department. The Gopy Department who will be honored at the event. They ar Doug Blatt of Grosse Pointe Farms who will receive the Philanthropic Services Award, Michael F. Prysak, MD of Grosse Pointe Farms, who will be awarded with the Jr of Grosse Pointe Woods who will be hon ored with the Lifetime Achievement Award; and Sharon K. Burke, of Grosse Pointe Farms who will receive the Sr . Verenice McQuade Distinguished Service Award. Daniel Roma of Grosse Pointe is chair man of this year's Guild Dinner, and David

Doors open to the gala affair at 6 pm f cocktails and hors d'oevres, followed by multi-course dinner at 7:30 p.m Tickets may be purchased by contacting Kathy Taranto at (313) 343-3674 Sponsorship, patron and advertising opportunities are also available. Price of tickets is
Established in 1948, The Guild is a volunteer organization that played a critical role 1952 and continues to support SJH\&MC programs today. Since its founding, The Guild has raised more than $\$ 15$ million for the hospital, assisting a countless number of patients by providing needed medical equipment, state-of-the-art technology and alued services
The Guild's
The Guilds officers for this year are insurance Group. He succeeds Ed Deeb of Michigan Food and Beverage Association. John Adamo of Connor Park Florist, vice president; Paul Treder of City Group Smith Barne
surer.

Competitive model boat show Saturday

An exhibition of scratch-built model boats returns this weekend to one of Southeast Michigan's best pots to watch freighters s," said Len Treppa hi 70 mod the Great Lakes Nautical Society. This is the society's ninth annual
show show, "We have everything from freighters, sailboats, Chris-Craft,
you name it," Treppa said. The show it" Treppa said. Saturday, June 2, at Vantage Point Maritime Center, 51 Water Street, Port Huron. Admission is free. The center, located beside the St. has a bakery and cafe.

Judging is at 1 p.m. in two classe Great Lakes and non-Great Lakes. Treppa, of Warren, generally He hopes to finish his current pro ject, a lumber hauler, in time for competition.
said "The have made it bigger," he said. "The detail is so small, it's a real bear."
Society
Society members raise funds by making and selling basic model
wood boat kits. Kits cost $\$ 5$ and are intended for the skill level of small children. For more information, visit glns.org.


## Mutt March in the Shores Sunday, June 3



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said Cal Morgan, MHS President and CEO. "We couldn't do what we do without the incredible support of the community. "Without you, we would
not be celebrating 24 ing animal lives through
the Mutt March." Individual walkers and teams can register, set up personalized web pages, and collect donations online at www.michiganhumane.org/muttmarch. However, pre-registration ers who raise $\$ 156$ or more-the average cost of care for an animal in need - will receive an official Mutt March T-shirt. The first 800 four-legged walk-
ers will receive a Mutt ers will receive a Mutt
March bandana. In addition, walkers who raise $\$ 468$ - the average cost of care for three animals in need - will be given the opportunity to name one of our shelter
animals before they go up for adoption. for adoption
Walkers
$\$ 1,500$ will become part of the MHS Best Friends Club, and receive a brick paver, which will be en
graved with their name and placed at the MHS Berman Center for Animal Care in Westland. The Edsel \& Eleanor Ford House is located at 1100 Lakeshore Road beroads in Grosse Pointe Shores.
Several course lengths are available and water stops will be provided for people and their pets. For pet bring current vaccina pet, bring current vaccina-
tion records. Dogs must be kept on leashes at all times.
In addition, American Textile Recycling Services
(ATRS) will be at the (ATRS) will be at the event to collect donations
of gently-used clothing of genty-used clothing
and shoes, and will make a donation to MHS based on the amount collected. By redirecting these items away from landfills, ATRS is not only making for a greener Michigan, but a
brighter future for Michigan's animals. For more information, please call 1-866-6486263, Monday through
Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., or visit www.michiganhumane.org. MHS is a private, nonprofit organization which cares for more than 100,000 animals each 100,00
year.

# 'Driving America' an eye-opener <br> worked here for a num in New York City offered "automo- 



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ar vehicles gos of power or vehicles go back to th carriage.
Batteries and steam were popular and often drove luxury vehicles as well as early delivery rucks weighing several
tons.
The 1900 electric truck rom Frederick R. Wood and Son of New York tipped the scale at 7,500 pounds, even before the B. Altman Company oaded it with items for its Manhattan department store. The Wood delivery
truck was powered by 44 lead-acid battery cells and could go up to 10 mph with a range of $20-30$ miles. Inconvenient in
many ways, it was an im many ways, it was an im provement over highThe collection features an elegant steam-driven 1899 Locomobile runbout and a battery-pow ered 1901 Columbia
ictoria.
The recently relection puts a variety of cars and trucks in historical perspective. Descriptions also give the was revolutionary, what prices might mean to the people of each period and ow motorized vehicles


This 1899 Locomobile runabout was steam-driven.
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proved to be a short-lived fad, especially as cars became more afford able and useful. Equipped with
fourchryslerV-8 four Chrysler V -8s (combined horse
power of 2,400 ), the 1965 Goldenrod recorded a speed of 409.277 mph o spee oin theville Salt Flats $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{ll}\text { by Bob and Bill Summers } \\ \text { of Riverside, Calif., and is } & \text { worked here for a num- } \\ \text { featured in "Driving } & \text { know a fairs, figure we }\end{array} \\ & \text { knount about }\end{array}$ featured in "Driving know a fair amount about the automotive industry
and its products. Traveling at consider- and its products. ably slower speeds, the One of the joys and sur-
historic 1903 Packard
prises of "Driving "Old Pacific" is glorious in its mud-encrusted condiits mud-encrusted condi-
tion. The $\$ 2,500$ car, built in Warren, Ohio, was driven across the country by Tom Fetch, Packard employee; accompanied by Marius Krarup, editor of Automobile magazine. Francisco excursion took 61 days and was the sec6 days and was the sec-
ond cross-country trip recorded by a motor car. Most of us native to southeast Michigan plus Ames of "Driving America" is its ability to tie together the threads of
history as well as surprise history as well as surprise novations and importance of "our" industry, Note: The annual Motor Muster is slated this year for Saturday and
Sunday, June $16-17$, in Greenfield Village. Think seriously about taking it in one or both days. King is an automotive writer who lives in the City

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Grosse Pointe Housing Foundation is a win－win．It fills vacancies in Grosse Pointe Park and provides housing for college students for a modest cost．

## Welcome home



Above， 1300 Maryland．Below， 1327 Wayburn．



Both Tiffany Kress and her dog，Charlie，are enjoying

## dight， 904 and 906 Beaconsfield，Grosse Pointe Park．

 the University of Detroit Mercy and its law schooland the Center for Creative Studies being represented．In addition， medical residents from St． John Hospital are partici－ pating．And while the pro－ gram had hoped to focus
on local colleges and uni－ on local colleges and uni－
versities，it couldn＇t turn down applicants from St George＇s University School of Medicine in Grenada，who are doing rotations through local
hospitals． hospitals．
＂We have a strong
cross－section of students，＇ crost－section of students，
Cotton said．＂These are students who previously might have gone to Royal Oak or somewhere else in
Oakland County or may Oakland County，or may
have stayed downtown have stayed downtown
But with this incentive Grosse Pointe Park be－ came very appealing．＂ That＇s exactly how Tiffany Kress felt when she found
program．
A senior at Wayne State Kress，26，is originally from Bloomfield Hills．She took a bit of a different
path to college， traveled for several years raveled for several year
after high school as a pro fessional ice skater with the Disney on Ice shows． She toured with Disney throughout Europe and Japan，but when she de－ cided to return home to go
to schooi，she chose to set－ to school，she chose to set
tle in Grosse Pointe Park． ＂A friend had men tioned the program to me，＂she said，＂so I drove through the neighborhood to take a look．I had never been to Grosse Pointe，let
alone considered living here，but I fell in love with it．There is a real sense of family here，a real sense of being home．＂
Kress is renting a two bedroom flat on very convenient to both her classes at WSU， where she＇s majoring in public relations，and her job at the Hockeytown Café． Kress shares her flat with a very busy Yorkshire
terrier and on weekends，

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## SOC <br> Deborah Wagner,

 MichigaMedicare/Medicaid Assistance Program for Older Citizens volunteer, discusses topics for those who will soon become Medicare eligible at 7 p.m. Monday, June 11,
at SOC.
Her
tures of what Medicare covers, current premium costs, alternatives for supplementing traditional Medicare, including prescription drug plans,
Medigap and Medicare Advantage plans, enrollment process and changes which can and cannot be made after enFor re

| For reservations, call |
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| SOC at $(313)$ |
| $882-9600$ | SOC at (313)

"It's Almost Summer" afternoon tea is from 2 to 3 p.m. Thursday, June 14, at St. James Lutheran Church, 170 McMillan, Grosse Pointe The ludes a box lunch to takhome.
For reservations, call
(313) $882-9600$ (313) 882-9600. Park in the city lot behind the church and enter
through the double doors facing the lot. The parking ticket is stamped at the tea.

TRIPS
Heavenly Scent Herb Farm*and Lunch - 9:15 a.m., Thursday, June 7, Fenton. Housed in a 1910 barn painted to look like
three European store three European store
fronts, the shop offers a variety of home décor items, candles, cement statuary, body care products and culinary spices.
Lunch is not provided Lunch is not provided.
The cost is $\$ 30$ for resiThe cost is $\$ 30$ for resi-
dents and $\$ 33$ for non-res dents an
idents.
Diamond Jack River Tour and Portifino Italian Restaurant - 10 a.m., Thursday, June 21. Board the boat in Wyandotte for
a two-hour round-trip cruise to downtown Detroit and back. Residents pay $\$ 31$ and non-residents pay $\$ 34$ Greenfield Village 9:45 a.m., Thursday, June
28. The working village recreates everyday activities in the 18th and 19th centuries, with frequent demonstrations of blacksmithing, typesetting and glass blowing. Wear walk ing shoes. Residents pay
$\$ 38$ and non-residents pay $\$ 41$.

## Grosse Pointe

 Woods The Cook Schoolhouse is open 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday, July 21. Grosse Pointe Wood Historical Commission members discuss the life schoolhouse and provide an overview of the building's move to its current location, restoration plans and progress.Restoration Restoration of the
schoolhouse is ongoing schoolhouse is ongoing
and donations are needed to complete repairs. Donation checks should be made payable


## Fontbonne's gift

During the annual general meeting of Fontbonne Auxiliary of St. John Hospital and Medical Center, May 9 , at the Detroit Athletic Club, two checks were pre-
sented. The first, $\$ 387,311.55$, was provided for the renovation of the hospital's pediatric intensive care unit and the purchase of an echo cardiography reporting system for the pediatric and cardiology departments. Above, Fontbonne president Patricia Stumb gave the check to St. John's interim president Frank Poma. Below, the second check of $\$ 15,000$ was given to the Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph. From Pointe Farms, Sharon Burke of Grosse Pointe Farms and Bettejean Ahee of Grosse Pointe Shores. Funds vere raised through memorial donations, the such as the White Christmas Ball and Girls Nigto For more information about the auxiliary visit stiohn For more inform
fontbonne.org.

to the City of Grosse Authors Tour during Cook Woods. Write which Johnson reads and heck's memo line the signs his book.
mail it to or drop it off at City Hall, 20025 it off at Plaza, Grosse Pointe

## Ford House

The Edsel \& Eleano Ford House hosts "A Grimm Celebration," the fering multicultural story-

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Grosse Pointe Public Library hosts Michigan author D.E. Johnson at 12, at the Ewald branch, 15174 E. Jefferson, Grosse Pointe Park. He is author of "Motor City Shakedown" and Scheme."
The free lecture is part of the Michigan Notable through a fairy tale exhib through a fairy tale exhibit, festival and family and
aduit programs. This year's festivities highlight the 200th anniversary of the Grimm Brothers' firs published fairy tale.
The centerpiece of this year's fairy tale exhibit,
"Once Upon a Time Grimmly Inspired," is a juried art competition for metro Detroit teen and adult artists.
Entrants submit two-di-
mensional, three-dimen mensional, three-dimen artwork to be displayed at the estate July 28 through Nov. 2.
Artists should draw in spiration from one of the following nine Grothers' fairy tales: "Th Frog Prince," "Goose Girl," "Hans my
Hedgehog," "Little Red Hedgehog," "Little Red
Riding Hood," "Mothe Riding Hood," "Mother
Hulda," "Puss in Boots," Hulda," "Puss in Boots,"
"Hansel \& Gretel,", "The Spindle," "The Shuttle Snake."
The competition is open to high school students and adults and the submission fee is $\$ 25$ at the Ford House be tween 10 am . and $5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. June 22 and 23 and noon to 5 p.m., June 24 from noon-5 p.m.
Prizes include among others, a Kindle Fire
Kindle, dinner at the Cotswold Cafée and tour of the Ford House. Featured adult artists also can sell their work.
In addition to the juried entries, the exhibit fea
tures reproductions of Grimm Brothers fairy tale art from the Detroit Public Library's collection and an historical overview of the Brothers Grimm. Saturday, Aug. 4, the
Ford House grounds host the Second Annual Fairy Tale Festival, inspired by tales from the Brother Grimm. Family-focused events and hands-on ac tivities, with a Grimm
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for musical and theatrical


Gertrude and George Krappmann
ACTIVITIES: Music, physicals
Continued from page $2 B$
performances, fairy tale June 14; Alvin Waddles at the Beaumont character and crafts are Jazz Quartet on June 21; Rehabilitation Services, highlighted.
For more information about the festival, the ex
hibition or to obtain an entry form, visit ford house.org or call (313) 884-4222. The Millionaires June 28; Johnnie Bassett July 5;
The Sun Messengers July 12; Ron Kischuk's guest vocalist Shahida Nurrulah July 29; and Aug. 2 is The Detroit Jazz
All Stars featuring Jim All Stars featuring Jim
Wyse and Johnny Trudell
Music on the Plaza
St. John Hospital \& Medical Center presents the 25 th annual Music on The Plaza free outdoor jazz concert series beginJune 7, with Grosse Pointe North and South High School jazz bands. The concerts are on the Village Festival Plaza at the corner of Kercheval and St. Clair in the City of
Grosse Pointe. Attendees should bring lawn chairs. Also on the schedule Also on the schedule
are Scott Gwinnell Dectet

## ANNIVERSARY

George and Gertrude Krappmann of
Grosse Pointe Frms observed their 50 th
wedding anniversary, May 26. The cou-
ple married May 26, 1962, in St.
Philomena Catholic Church in Detroit.
They have four children, Kathy
(Christopher) Flanagan; Christine
(Joseph) Sfair; George (Lynn)
Krappmann; and AnneMarie
Krappmann, and seven grandchildren,
Christopher, Meghan and John
Flanagan; Joe, Tom and Olivia Sfair; and
Maddie Krappmann.

HOME: Moving in Continued from poge 1 Is $^{\text {I }}$
 good tenants."
On the flip side, students Above, 1026 Lakepointe. Below, 1033 Lakepointe.
know they are know they are getting good landlords and nice apartments. "All apartments must be preapproved
before we allow students to rent them" before we allow students to rent them,"
Cotton said adding that landlords must Cotton said, adding that landlords must
have a valid Certificate of Occupancy fo the property and provide proof both the mortgage and taxes are current. "We want to guarantee that these are the best rentals available," said Cotton. and landlords for the success of the program, he has high praise for the Park' gram, he has high prase for the Park's program is attracting young profession encour- als to our community, many of which will "This is not about free rent, it's about remain within the community as buyer improving the community" Cotton said "I have to applaud Dale for all he has "I have to applaud Dale for all he ha
done to make this program a success." done to make this program a success." "When Jon and Sean first suggested For his part, Kragniak saw the program the concept, I thought it was a great idea the Park needed, but also providing of and it turned out to be even better. The added benefit of serving as a starting Park has a great community foundation point for future of serving as a starting point for future Park home owners. "From my end, the housing foundation many improvements over the last 20 not only provided the mechanism to best of them."
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housing grants, but hit home run in the found on Grosse housing grants, but hit a home run in the found on Grosse Poin
course of doing so," Krajniak said. "The grossepointepark.org.


O. $\begin{gathered}\text { My } 8 \text { - year-old } \\ \text {.ting }\end{gathered}$ - their bicycles to school. What's the best helmet to buy?
A. You should pick a round and smooth on the outside and has a Consumer Product Safety
Commission sticker That means the helmet has been tested and meets the uniform safety standard. If you use an old helmet, make sure it has a seal
from one or more of the from one or more of the standards such as ASTM, Snell or ANSI. Everyone should wear a bicycle helmet every time they ride. Helmets are the most ef-
fective way to prevent fective way to prevent
head injuries resulting from bicycle crashes. If at any time your helmet is involved in an accident, it's likely to get damaged. Since damage isn't alwa easy to spot visually, it's
important to replace the helmet after any signifithing looks $O K$.
Q. How do I get the Helmets come in A. various sizes. First measure the child's head just above the eyebrows
for approximate size. Sizes can vary between manufacturers. In addition to size, helmet shapes can vary. You will have to try the helmet on to deter
mine if it fits the shape of the head. A helmet fitted and adjusted properly should feel snug, but not tight, It should not move from side-to-side or front to-back. Some helmets
come with an extra feacome with an extra fea-
ture called a "dial turn rin retention system." The de vice is intended to make fitting easy and adjustable every time you ride. Keep his feature in mind whe How do I properly
Hor for a helmet. Q. $\begin{aligned} & \text { How do I properly }\end{aligned}$ A First, the helmet A. should sit level on the head and low on the frehead, about one or two finger widths above
the eyebrow area. For the buckles, you want to center the left buckle under mets, the straps can be pulled from the back of the helmet to adjust the length of the straps. Next adjust the slider on both side straps to form a "V"
shape under, and slightly in front of the ears. Lock in place if possible. Following the side straps, buckle the chin strap. Tighten the strap untili it is
snug, so no more than two snug, so no more than two
fingers fit under the strap. After following these steps, have children give a big wide yawn. The helmet should pull down on the head. If not, then you need to tighten the
Q. good helmet?
A. Local stores such as
A. Target, Toys RUs and Walmart have helmets meeting the CPSC standard on sale regularly bike shops have brand name helmets for $\$ 40$ to $\$ 200$. Aless expensive helmet is just as safe as an expensive helmet. When

## Woods MI 48236



## 1987: Success

It was just after quitting hour when dozens of anxious gardeners descended at the Woods city hall forthe gardeners descended at the Woods city hall for the
Grosse Pointe Woods Beautification Commission annual flower sale. From all indications, this year's sale was a success.
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sion, can work out a long. within the City for prerange statement of policy sentation to the residents.


Ribbon Farm Days --Session 1 Michigan Garden Theme
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By Annie Rouleau-Scheriff


Spring into summer with spinach salad topped with walnut vinaigrette.
Summer spinach salad
 W
ly then transfer to an airtight container until ready
to serve. more like
summer

Walnut there's no better time for $\quad$ Walnut ample spinach salad and $1 / 2$ cup walnut oil made it special with can- $\quad 1 / 3$ cup white wine vine-
died walnuts ( a favorite dipe) and a a favorite 2 tablespoons water
I tablespoon sugar recipe) and a walnut

Spring into Summer 1 tablespoon sugar Dijon mustard 1 tablespoon fresh chopped chives 1/4 teaspoon cracked (with candied walnuts and inaigrette)
Candied walnuts $1 / 3$ cup sugar
1/2 tablespoon brown
sugar
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon salt
$1 / 2$ teaspoon cinnamon pinch of cayenne 1 large egg white, room temperature
1 tablespoon 1 tablespoon wa $1 / 2 \mathrm{lb}$. walnuts Preheat oven to 300 de whisk together sugar with the salt, cinnamon and cayenne. Place the egg white and water in a large bowl and whisk together.
Add walnuts and toss well to coat. Sprinkle half sugar mixture over nuts and toss. black pepper.
Combine all ingredient in a a screw top jar and Refrigerate until serving.

Spinach salad 210 -oz. bags fresh baby spinach, roughly 15 fresh strawberries (or so), trimmed and cut $110.5-$ oz can (light) mandarin oranges (in
juice not syrup), draine juice not syrup), drained and thinly sliced 1 cup crumbled fet cheese a handful or two of candied walnuts
Place half the Place half the roughly
choped chopped spinach in a ter with half of the strawberries, mandarin orange segments, red onion, feta
Repeat with remaining sugar mixture and toss and toss. (It will seem like
too much sugar but it's not.)
Scatter prepared walnuts on a large wellgreased baking sheet. Bake for 15 minutes, toss nd bake for another 15 nuts.
Repeat with remaining spinach and other top-
$\underset{\text { Drizzle with walnut }}{\text { pings. }}$ vinaigrette and serve. This spinach salad screams fresh and all of the flavors come together
with the walnut vinaigrette, in perfect harmony.


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Woods have announced
the engagement of their
daughter, Elizabeth Rose
Arnone, to James
Douglas Reno, son of
James Reno of Grosse
Pointe Woods and Laura
Reno of Grosse Pointe
Woods. An October wed-
ding is planned.
Arnone graduated
Grosse Pointe
from
North High School and
earned a Bachelor of Arts
degree in marketing and
psychology
Michigan
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doctorate degree fris
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Metroit
Mercy School of Law.
She is an attorney.
Reno graduated from
North and earned a
Bachelor of Science de-
gree in history and jour-
nalism from Central
Michigan University. He
earned a juris doctorate
degree from Wayne State
University Law School
and is an attorney.

| and is an attorney. | Thomas Starr, Son of <br> Skip and Kathy Starr and |
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| Hartmann - | Mark and Suzanne Croll <br> of Grosse Pointe Park. A |
| Dizik | February wedding is |

Starr graduated from
South in 2003 and
earned a bachelor's de-
gree from Utica College
in 2009. He works in
sales with Master
Machinery LLC.
Burgardt-
Morinelli David and Rebecca
Burgardt of Sun City Burgardt of Sun City
Center, Fla., formerly of Center, Fla., formerly of nounced the engagement
of their daughter, Amy Suzanne Burgardt, to David Jeffrey Morinelli, son of Dominic and Kathleen Morinelu,
Grosse Pointe Park.
Grosse Pointe Park.
Burgardt graduated from Battle Creek Lakeview High School in 1996. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Spanish language with a secondary education
certification
from certification from 2000. She is employed as an automotive marking consultant.
Morinelli graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School in Bachelor of Arts degree in English literature from Oakland University in
1993. He is an indepen1993. He is an indepen-
dent contractor for the dent contractor for the
auto industry.

## Miller -

Klever
Mr. and Mrs. John C Mr. and Mrs. John C.
Miller of Grosse Pointe Farms have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jacklan Cassy


Grant Klever Jr
Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Klever Sr . of Toledo, ding is planned.
Miller graduated from Grosse Pointe North High School and earned gree in nursing from gree in nursing from
Oakland University She is an emergency department registered nurse. Klever graduated from St. John's Jesuit High School and earned a
Bachelor of Science degree in biology and migree in biology and mi-
crobiology from The Ohio State University. He earned a medical degree


Jacklan Cassy Miller and De Robert Grant
$\qquad$ Cincinnati College of Medicine and is an attending physician in the emergency department

Socha-
Rusko
Greg and Donna Socha Richland have anof their daughter, Carrie Elaine Socha, to Stephen John Rusko, son of Dr


Jonathan Thomas Starr and Merrill Cox Messacar


Stephen John Rusko an Carrie Elaine Socha

Rusko of South Carolina An October wedding is planned. Socha is a graduate of Vicksburg High School and the Douglas J Aveda
Institute. She is a cosme tologist in River Forest, Rusko is a Grosse Pointe North High School graduate and earned a bachelor's de-
gree in business managegree in business manage
ment from Robert Morris University. He is in digi tal marketing. The couple resides in
Oak Park, III.

## Weddings

Ford--
Thomas
Allegra Charlotte Ford
married Joshua Thomas
May 5, 2012, in the
Church of Saint Vincent
Ferrer in New York City.
The bride is the daughter
of Anne Ford and
Giancarlo Uzielli of New
York. The groom is the
son of Linda and John
Leo Murphy of Scituate,
Mass. Rev. Peter
The Rev.
Colapietro presided over
the ceremony, which was
followed by a recetion
at 583 Park Avenue, New
York.
Tammy Lalande
served as maid of honor.
Bridesmaids were
Charlotte Azarian, Hilary
Braverman, Lisa Dooley,
Katherine Good, Jennifer
Harriman, Jenifer
Levitt, Carter Van Wyck
Sack, Emma
Sunnerberg, Eleanor
Uzielli, Olivia Uzielli and
Pamela Weiss.
Isabelle von Perfall
served as flower girl.
Ben Pagnini was best
man.
Ushers and grooms-
men were Michael
Anderson, August Albert
Sack and John L.
Murphy.
Nicholas and Felix von
Perfall served as ring
bearers.
Scripture readers were
Charlotte Anne Ford,
Claire Ford Rippolone
and Linda Thomas


Mra and Mrs. Eric Reid Pearson
 Mrs. Paul Shirilla of Traverse City, formerly of the City of Grosse Pointe. The groom is the son of Dr. Thomas and Joyce Pearson of
Pittsford, NY Pittsford, N.Y.
The Rev. The Rev. David
Ramage officiated at the Ramage officiated at the
4 p.m. ceremony which was followed by a reception at the same location as the wedding ceremo- Pearsos brother, Dr. Alex


Sloan of Washington
D.C., and Lindsay Wech
of Brooklyn, N.Y.
They wore blue silk
taffeta knee-length
dresses and carried bouquets of hydrangea florets, mini-calla lilies dahlias and Santini Best man was the Pearson of Ann Arbor.
ny The bride wore an Amsale-designed strap
less satin jacquard trum less satin jacquard trum pet gown with a crysta
brooch at the waist. She green tonalities of hydrangea florets, miniCana linies, dahums.
Colleen Shirilla Chicago served as her sister's maid of honor. Lauren Padilla, the bride's friend from Princeton, N.J.; the bride's sister-in-law, Lori Shirilla, of Chicago; and loan of Washington

Groomsmen were the in 2005. She received her Groomsmen were the in 2005 . She received her
groom's friends Matthew juris doctorate from Black of Los Angeles and Michael Maccarone of Hoboken, N.J.; the bride's brother, Matthew the groom's friend, Jason the groom's friend, Jason
Wyatt of Summit, N.J. Readers were Caroline Pearson, the groom's sis-ter-in-law and the groom's friend, Martin
Lessmeister The bride
Grosse Pointe South High School graduate. Grosse Pointe South Pittsford. He earned a
High School graduate. Bachelor of Science de-
She graduated cum
gree in human ecology in
laude with a Bachelor of 2005 from Cornell She graduated cum gree in human ecology in
laude with a Bachelor of 2005 from Cornell Arts in political science University. He is a mar from Rochester keting manager with University and a Hertz Rent-a-Car in Park Bachelor of Music de-
Rree in applied music N.J.
Following
(bassoon) from the Following a honeyEastman from the moon to Paris and skiing
of in Val D'Isere Eastman School of in Val D'Isere, the couple
Music in Rochester, N.Y.,
reside in Montclair, N.J.


## For your Wedding Needs

 juris doctorate fromSeton Hall University in May. In August, she is to be gin a one-year judicial law clerk in the Federa Jersey, followed by an as sociate's position with
Lowenstein Sand Lowenstein Sandler in Roseland, N.J. The groom is a 2001 graduate of Pittsfor Mendon High School in University. He is a mar-


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## BASEBALL

## Knights power to division crown

By John McTaggart
Special Writer
Despite it admittedly not being University Liggett's best effort of
the 2012 baseball season, the 2012 baseball season,
the Knights still cruised the Knights still cruised
to a five-inning, 14 - 3 , victory last Tuesday afternoon over Lutheran High Westland.
"We didn't play our
best," head coach Dan best," head coach Dan Cimini said. "We had a ong weekend up in Mt. good teams up there. I thought our heads weren't really in it today and we were kind of flat out there. We made some honestly, I'm glad we did it now."
Despite these mental lapses and mistakes, Liggett was still able to trounce the Warriors,
scoring seven runs in the third inning to break the

## game open.

"All in all, we swung the bats well today," the coach said. "It took us a while to get it going, but
our big guys hit the ball today and that's how it should be."
Among the team's "big guys" is Alex Daar, who drove in four runs on a


Liggett junior Connor Fannon is back on the mound and feeling well after missing the first several weeks.
the first coming in the offering and lined it over The Warriors tacked opening inning and the the wall in left field. second, a double to right- The three-run homer
center field, as part of the pushed Liggett's lead to seven-run third inning. $14-2$ heading into the Also joining the Liggett fifth inning.
$\qquad$ Nate Gaggin. The junior leading fourth homer of took a fourth-inning 2-1 the season.
a a run in the fifth but five innings of work. on a run in the fifth, but "I thought Connor Liggett starter, Connor threw well today," Cimini
Fannon, difficult to hit. said. "Right now we're Fannon, who made only just trying to get him his second start of the comfortable out there season following arm again, trying to get him surgery, fanned four and use to his control, to get
allowed only three hits in his arm back.
"This was only his second start, and he'll get
one more next week. But, I think he threw really well today." The services of Fannon are going to be important
for the Knights once the postseason gets under way June 2 . With Daar, the team's clear No. 1 starter, Fannon fits in nicely as "he squad's No. 2 hurler. not throw in districts at all," Cimini admitted. We'll have to see. But, after that, if we get out of the district and to regionals, we're going to need
him on the mound." In on the mound. week, Liggett completed a second straight perfect trek through the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference with
a $7-0$ victory over a $7-0$ victory over
Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest. Daar was once again
rock solid on the mound, giving up only two hits and striking out 15 . In run, as did Nick Azar "It's nice to win this vision with another perrect record," Cimini said. Liggett finished 14-0 in he MIAC and improved to 17-2 overall.

## GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

## Blue Devils go extras to defeat DeLaSalle

By John McTagga
It took eight innings on a warm and sunny Wednesday afternoon, Pointe South ( 23 -10) outlasted DeLaSalle, 12-11, in a match-up between two of the more storied and successful baseball
$\qquad$ ou expect to win by a lot," South coach Dan Griesbaum explained. "We didn't get it done toon the mound, for the most part, and we didn't get it done in the field. But, other than that, it's always good to beat a good team and DeLaSalle is always a good team." decisive play in the field did somewhat mar the South effort that saw the
nings only to let the Pilots
tie the game in the top of the seventh, thus forcing the extra frame.
The Blue Devils pushed The Blue Devils pushed
the game-winning run the game-winning run
across in the eighth in ning and earned the victory thanks to some timeGibson, who finished the day with a home fun fou runs scored, and a trio of RBis. Andrew Addy went RBIs. Andrew Add
3 -for-4 in the day.
Still the game
Still, the game was a frustrating one at times team finished second in the Macomb Area Conference Red Division hind Ster, one game being threvenson High, losing three games in the diruns.
"You have to be able to move up runner with to hit-and-run. You have to be able to make con-

Wase,' Griesbaum said. imes today, even though we scored twelve runs. There were some times base and we just didn't move them. It was just a bad day. We'll get it together before the playoffs start." Gearing up for the postseason, which officially
begins for the Blue Devils at home June 2 against Detroit Southeastern, is really the main focus of the coach and the squad at this point in the season.
"You want to play good You want to play good time of year," the coach explained. "You don't want to see anyone in the playoffs that was a better team than you saw in the regular season. So play-
ing these tough game against tough teams is important, especially this time of year."
The Pilots
few would question that
after watching last fter watching
Wednesday's game. DeLaSalle game. Deasalle got on the board right out of the box, taking a $1-0$ lead Back-to-back home Back-to-back home
runs, however, from Gibson and South starting pitcher, Carmen Benedetti, quickly erased
the DLS lead and put the Blue Devils up 3-1. South starter Car Benedetti was forced to leave the game, however, fter just one inning of work. An injury to his
side prompted the move The injury gave the coaching staff little choice then to use a slew of relief pitchers, four in total, over the course of
the game - something the game - something
every coach hopes to every coach hopes to
avoid this late in the sea son.
"We didn't expect to use all those arms today,"
the coach admitted. "You

don't want to over-use from Kevin Reck, Gibson,
anybody because the and Addy moved the playoffs are so close, but Devils into thed the Blue we will be fo close, but Devils into the lead, 6-4. week. This really only They expanded it in the makes us have to adjust base hits from Jack Doyle for Friday's game." and Robby Kish led the DeLa Salle took advan- charge and seemingly put second the change in the the game out of reach for second, bringing three DelaSalle, 11-5. runners across the plate The Pilots clawed their and retaking the lead, 4-3. way back, scoring four in inning that South re- ing the contest in the sevsponded with a three-run enth and setting the stage inning of their own. Back- for South's walk-off victo-to-back-to-back doubles ry

## GROSSE POINTE NORTH

Norsemen ready for playoffs
By Bob St. John
The Grosse Pointe North boys baseball team won 3 -of- 4 games
last week, improving to The Norsemen head into the playoffs with a last week, improving to Karle, Anthony Sarkis, 17-14 overall. Humbera guided the Norsemen to a doubleheader sweep over
Warren Mott, winning 7 Warren $M$.
4 and 5-1.
In preparation for the upcoming state district playoffs, the Norsemen split a doubleheader with 1 Harper Woods, winning $11-5$ and losing $6-5$.
North is in contend for a district title. They play Eastpointe East Detroit in the first semifinal
Pointe South
Pointe South.
They're favored to win the game and would probably face arch-rival Grosse Pointe South in the Norsemen make the district title game some noise.

## Words of Wellness

Hwngry to dive into a thick stack of ny I stopped in my tracks! What I nearly lathered on them wasn't maple syrup lathered on them wasn't maple syrup at
all, but an imposter-- something called Natural Table Syrup."
What the...table syrup? Where'd maple syrup go? At the store, this brown jug of sweetness seemed to be authentic. If it wasn't the cozy $\log$ cabin on the label, or the half-off price tag, then it was surely its "Al Natural" claim that persuaded my wallet
But now I felt, well, scammed: Why "All Natural" when it wasn't even real?
I did digging and this deceptive labeling is the result
of a technicality. Not even the Food and Drug Administration will address this head-on.
"It is difficult to define a food product that is 'natural because the food has probably been processed and is no longer the product of the earth," says the FDA.gov web site.
So, to be clear: Just about everything you eat could made. That means the only thing that might be worthy of an 'All Natural' label is a raw fruit or vegetable. It also means that a loophole exists to allow food companies to use something called "lean washing" to Whair advantage.
What is "lean washing?" A group called EnviroMedia brought the issue, and coined the term, uct is healthier than it actually is.
Take my table syrup - totally "lean washed!" It can be 'All Natural' as long as it is made from natural ingredients. That does not mean it underwent a natural pro The
The upshot is that you're on your own to make an be label vigilant at all time
Food companies measure consumer-shopping trends. They know consumers look for the health tag
and short ingredient lists. Grocery stores stock similar
products together, placing the processed goods next to products together, placing the processed goods next to healthier items. And, sadly, it appears the government can't please the food companies and the consumer e same time. It is buyer beware!
So this is my plea. I ask that you be aware of food la washed" foodstuffs:
Don't judge a book. The biggest name on the product is its title. Pay attention to how it reads: Potato Crisps, Pizza Snack itles for the real thing.
Scrutinize ingredients. The adage to find foods with minimal ingredient list is well known. But it's impor-
tant to know the ingredients themselves can be processed; if there are few ingredients in the food you're buying, make sure you know what each one is. Less that 2 percent. Many food labels identify their food is treated with less than 2 percent of a certain in gredient. This two percent is often reserved for food
peservatives and flavor enhancers. Two percent is significant amount if it's going into your body.
Avoid taglines. Words like 'All Natural' mean rela tively little. But be wary of Fat-Free and Low-Cal labels, too. And if you think organic labels are always accu rate, think again.
You can't put a price on health. The cheaper product usually isn't the one to go with. If it can
Always remember that the "FDA has not developed a definition for use of the term natural or its deriva tives." Live well
Mike Hackett holds a Bachelor of Science degree in exercise science and is an American Council on trainer at Pointe Fitness and Training Center and pro prieter of Mike Hackett and Syphus Training LLC. He can be reached at (313) 407-6656 or e-mail at Hack1913@hotmail.com. E-mail Hackett with health uestions or topics for future articles.


Mike Hackett

Lacrosse

## GROSSE POINTE SOUTH \& LIGGETT

## South wins, ULS ousted

By BobSt.John

Grosse Pointe South's boys' lacrosse team played a sterling first half victory over to a $7-4$ playof Farmington last week. The Blue Devils led 4-0 with four different players scoring in the opening 24 minutes. The defensive unit was stellar, as wa Trudel.
"We "We were outstanding
in the first half and played in the first half and played
with a lot of motion," head with a lot of motion," head
coach Don Wolford said. coach Don Wolford said.
"We were the same way "We were the same way minutes of the third quarter, but then we did a little too much standing around, watching. "A win is nice, but we have to continue to play
well for four quarters in weur next playoff game." Sam Hartman got the Blue Devils on the board just seven seconds into the game with Danny
French netting the assist. attack and scored the fin nal goal of the third quarter, plus added three more in the final quarter to keep

French scored his sec ond goal of the game with $5: 23$ left in the fourth per od and Jones tallied $h$ fartman of the game goals. goals.
Grosse Pointe South


South's Sam Hartman had a goal and four assists to South's Sam Hartuan had a goal and four assists to
help the Blue Devils beat Farmington in the state playoffs.
mproved to 11-5 overal Liggett results
$\qquad$ University Liggett's eam ended losing 18-1 to Detroit Country Day in a Division 2 pre-regional playoff

Head coach Bill Brusilow ended his firs year at the helm with a 1-1
playoff record and 7-9 playorall mark.
Despite the lopsided playoff defeat, the Knights improved their win total from the 2011
season season.

## Golf

## NORTH, SOUTH \& LIGGETT

## South wins, Liggett in groove

By Bob St. John
Grosse Pointe South earned some revenge in last week's Macomb Area Tournament.
South, coming off a tough loss to Utica Eisenhower earlier in the
week to finish second in the division, won the tournament with a 322 over second-place Eisenhower at The Meadows.
"The course was set up to play at a higher level of
difficulty," South head coach Rob McIntyre said. "This is a great baseline point for us to work from as we enter the postseason."
league most valuable and we are starting, player honors, shooting a play our best golf now." one-under 71, and Joe Earlier in the week league. a shot to claim the outGrosse Pointe North was third with a 334.
Romeo was fourth and Romeo was fourth and Utica Ford fifth. Norsemen, shooting a 77 followed by Patrick Hastings with an 83, Tom Vismara with an 86 and Garrett Freismuth with an ${ }^{88}$ Steve Zak was also named to the all-league "Every time we step on the course our team is improving," North head coach Brian Stackpoole said. "The players have a
great drive to get better a shot to claim the outright MAC
season title.
The Blue Devils were on their home course, sowanie Golf Club, and Eisenhower pulled off one of its best rounds of the season, shooting a 151 to win the division with a 7-1 mark to South's 6-2. For the Blue Devils, lowed by Dan Szymanski with a 39, Becker with a 39 and Will Hyde with a
Liggett results
University Liggett
boys' golf team is re
forthe postseason. for the postseason. The Knights completed their regular season with
three wins last week, fin ishing 15-2 overall. Head coach Dan Sullivan and the Knights began the week by winning a tri-match. Ligget
shot 163 with Ann Arbor Greenhills posting a 168 and Southfield Christian a 170. Freshman Stephen Campau posted a one-under par
Knights.
Two days later Ligget shot a 182 to beat Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest at Westwynd. Campau and freshman
Paul Sidhu Paul Sidhu each shot a 44
to lead the team.

RIVALS GIRLS South runs by North

By John Mc Special Writer

It's a time of the year for girls the state, and last
the Wednesday evening at Grosse Pointe South, either the Norsemen or the Blue Devils were going to
see their season come to see their season come to
an end, while the other moved on to play another
day. "It's an exciting time of year," North head coach Bill Seaman admitted. We would have liked to have seen it turn out difthat's how it is."
A 13-6 South victory brought the campaign to the end for rival North and propelled the Blue
Devils into the next round of the state tournament, a match-up with Birmingham.
"Our team goal today was to go out and play coar best," South head plained. "I think we came out today and really played our best. All season we've been really focused on how we take our team to the next level. How do we grow every game and get better.
We've done that all season long. It's really nice, as coaches, to know that we go into regionals knowing that we just took what we've been working plied it:"
Despite the lopsided outcome, North gave the Blue Devils all it could handle, particularly in the opening half. "The last time we South, six days ago, they were beating us $11-3$ at halftime and it was not "lose," Seaman admitted. We made some adjustthey worked for a while Iltimately South took advantage of our weak points on our lacrosse team, which is our attack They wore us down" The Blue Devils mad

All season we've been really focused on how we take our team to the next level. How do we grow every game.
taylor barczyk
the adjustment at th break, which saw the score knotted at 4-4, and pulled away in the closing half. "They studied our plained. "They saw where the ball was going to go and they stacked it and they determined where they wanted their girl to ment and that's when our draw-control changed the whole game."
"We started to let them win the draw," South assistant coach Julie Theis
said. "So we would have players on the other side of the circle ready to go then."
The adjustment was Something Chelsea up on and suggested to up on and suggested "That's something we've tried to establish with the girls," Barczyk said. "They have the understanding that they
have the ability to see the have the ability to see the
field, to make the choices out there. We've tried to instill that confidence in them."
It's all part of the progression the Blue Devils the season, Barczyk says, and now that the postsea son has arrived, the squad is peaking at just the right time.
South was led by four goals and Libby Griffith's three goals, while Jenna Morris and Merrill added two goals each in the victory. South improved to 5 -13-2 overall, while North
ended its season 8-7-1

## Softball

GROSSE POINTE NORTH


## Playoff tune-up

game before the state playoffs begin Saturday, June 2, The Norsemen lost $6-5$ to Marine City to stand 14-15 overall. Leading the way are seniors Amy Zaranek, Rachel Temrowski, Teaira Hamilton and Danielle Haggerty, as well as underclassmen Madison Bush, Sarah Richardson, Jacci Sherry, Melanie Mermiges, Izzy Kirck, Katie Bowles, Emily Always and Paige Micks. North opens the districts with a 10 a.m. semifinal game against Eastpointe East Detroit, and if it wins it will most likely face Grosse Pointe South in a district championship game at South.

GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

## Ready for <br> June 2

By Bob St. John

Grosse Pointe South's girls' softball team is ready for the state play-
offs. offs.
season, head coach Nicole Crane guided the Blue Devils to wins in 11 of their final 13 regular season games.
The girls are playing and it helped by winning those nine straight games," Crane said. "The offense is more consistent, the defense is better pitching" ging good The B four games last week, playing four consecutive days.
They beat Sterling Heights $17-2$ before losand $10-1$ to Port Huron. "We played our worst game of the season against Port Huron, Crane said. "We booted very well. It was a game we just forgot about once we got on the bus."
The Blue Devils
bounced back by scoring bounced back by scoring three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning in a 5 -3
win over Warren Cousino "This really gives us momentum heading into the district playoffs,"


South sophomore Christy Tech and her teammates are playing well with the state playoffs approaching.

Crane said. We're the un- all.
derdogs, but we're playing pretty well right now." had a big run-scoring hit in the sixth and senior Brigid Walkowski earned he win, retiring the Patriots 1-2-3 in the seventh. Grosse Pointe South finished the regular seaArea Conference Gold Division and $14-15$ over-

csurante

## Track and field

## GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

## Girls 1st, boys 5 th

The Grosse Pointe with marks of 16-feet, 1South domination of inch, and 15 -feet, 10 -inch girls' track and field inued last week.
South won
$\qquad$ Macomb Area Division meet with 223 points. Warren Mott was a distant second with 74.5 points, followed by Port
Huron Northern with 63 , Utica with 62, Anchor Bay with 58 and Sterling Heights with 45.5. Head coach Steve Zaranek's machine keeps turning out champi-
onships. Inships. Samaroo won the high jump with a mark of 5 -
feet, 4 -inches and Elise Grever took second at 4 eet, 9 -inches. Emily Jackman won
he discus with a throw of 103 -feet, 6 -inches, and Samaroo placed second in the shot put with a throw of 33-feet, 5 -inches. Andrew DiCresce won Samaroo was second
es, respectively. The Blue Devils won three of the four relay
events. The 1,600 -relay events. The 1,600 -relay
was second with a time of 4:19.7, but the 400 -relay team of Perkins, Cierra
Rice, DiCresce and Rice, DiCresce and
Caitlin Moore won with Caitlin Moore won with a ime of 51.2 . The 3,200 -relay squad
of Alexa Calas, Kelsi Schwartz, Ersula Farrow Haley Meier and Hannal Meier won with a time of $9: 54$, and the 800 -relay
foursome of Perkins, foursome of Perkins Christy Ford, DiCresce
and Moore took first with a new meet record-time of 1:46.9.
In the 100 -dash, Moor won with a time of 13 . and Perkins was right on
her heels, placing second at 13.4. placing second In the other sprints DiCresce placed second in the 200 -dash with a time of 27.0 , and Lily Pendy won the $400-\mathrm{d}$
with a time of $1: 02.7$.

The Meier sister earned the top spots in the 800 -run, with Hannah setting a new meet recor time of 2:06.8 and Hale placing second at $2: 18$.
And in the $1,600-\mathrm{run}$ Farrow and Schwartz tied for first with a time of 5:21.7. In the $3,200-\mathrm{run}$
Carolyn Sullivan was sec Carolyn Sullivan was sec ond with a time of Head coach Werner Schienke's boys' squad was fifth with 57 points. Utica won with 150 points, followed by Mott with 129, Port Huron
Northern with 79 , Anchor Bay with 66 and Sterling Heights with 42.
Leading the Blue Devils were Elondo Moore and James Pye, who earne
silver medals in the jump and 200-dash Moore had a mark of 19 feet, $101 / 2$-inches and Pye's time was 23.6 . The 400 -relay team al so won a silver m
with a time of 45 .

## GROSSE POINTE NORTH

## Girls, boys excel

Grosse Pointe North's Mack ran the 100-hurdles regional championship girls' track and field team in 17.2 seconds to take placed fourth with 66
was in a slugfest with home the bronze medal. points. Macomb Dakota and Romeo in its Macomb Area Conference Red Area Conference Red
Division meet last week. When the final event was completed, Dakota won the title with 165 points, followed by
Romeo with 117 and Grosse Pointe North with

107. Head coach Charles Buhagiar watched the Norsemen earn one gold medal. The 400 -relay Taylor Lang, La'Shanay Mack and Gabrielle | Lewis won with a time of |
| :--- |
| 518 . |

51.8. Phoebe Dodge took Phoebe Dodge took points.
Steve hird in the 400 -dash with 149 poinsts, followed by
time of $1: 04.1$ and Shayna Whitfield placed Huron with 123 and Port hird in the 300 -hurdles Huron with 95 . with a time of 49.1. Sarah Rustmann wa hird in the 800-run and Alison Francis was third in the 3,200 -run with times of 2:27 and 12:07 respectively.
North tied North tied for second with Romeo second Stevenson in the dual meet standings behind champ Dakota. Head coach Frank Tymrak's boys' squad, third with a time of $8: 38.6$ coming off a Division 1 secondat 44
The Norsemen's 1,600 -
telay took second with a 3,200 -relay was also second with a time of 10:07. The Norsemen had seve eral silver-medal winning performances, including Breanna Cochran in the
shot put with a mark of Shot put with a mark of
35 -feet, 4 -inches, and Mack in the high jump, clearing 4 -feet, 10 -inches. Lang was second in the 100 -dash with a time of 12.8.
Brittany Williams was a bronze medalist in the shot put with a mark of 34 -feet, 8 -inches, while

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## Knights learn

University Liggett's lades.
track and field team end- Aaron Robertson ran ed its season last week, 5:05 in the 1,600 -run an Cmpeting in the $2: 12$ in the 800 -run, which Michigan Independent were personal records. Athletic Conference. Will Loner ran 5:46 in The Knights finished the $1,600-\mathrm{run}$, a personal
near the bottom of the record, and Peter pack in both the boys' and Hopkins posted a 5:47 in girls' meets, but several the 1,600 -run, which wa




Soccer
RIVALs*

## North beats ULS

By Bob St. John
City rivals Grosse Pointe North $\begin{array}{r}\text { Grosse } \\ \text { and }\end{array}$ University Liggett met on the soccer field last week.
The ladies played a The ladies played a
tough, tight first half with the host Norsemen leading $1-0$ on a goal by Emily Mulier.
North head coach Chris Alston's squad has turned early-season learning ex-
periences into late-season periences into late-season
victories. His halftime chat was
effective as the Norsemen effective as the Norsemen
scored early in the second scored earry in the second
half before pulling away for a $5-0$ win over the Knights.
the 32:00 mark of the sec ond half with Emily Armbruster drawing an


Liggett freshman Courtney deRuiter and her teammates ended the regular season with a loss to cross-
town rival Grosse Pointe North.
$\underset{\text { after }}{\text { assist. }}$
After that, the flood- season 8-6-3 overall. gates opened as Andrea games last week without Held had the third goal all-league goalkeeper/for-
and Phoebe Dodge ended ward Caitlin deRuiter lost $\begin{array}{lll}\text { and Phoebe } & \text { ward Caitun deRuiter, lost } \\ \text { the scoring. } & 3-1 \text { to Royal Oak Shrine }\end{array}$ North also beat Warren The Knights ended their Cousino $4-0$ earlier in the regular season $6-11$ over

## GROSSE POINTE SOUTH

## Blue Devils net two

By Bob St. John

Grosse Pointe South's girls' soccer team put the senior Maddie Ethridge, state-power Country Day finishing touches on its junior Claire DeBoer and Manning was the lone regular season last weets sophomore Dani goal scorer as the Blue winning two games. $\begin{array}{cl}\text { winning two games. } & \text { the Crusaders with nature win just before } \\ \text { The Blue Devils beat } \\ \text { sophomore goalie Olivia starting the state playoffs }\end{array}$ LAnse Creuse North 3-0 Withers netting the win.

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## South second, North fourth in Red Tourney

## By Bob St. Joh

The Macomb Area Conference Red Division Tournament had all the
drama of the state finals drama of the state finals.
Grosse Pointe South hosted the tournament that boasted five teams all headed for the state championships in either Division 1 or Division 2. "This is the best compethe state finals," North head coach John Van Alst said. "All five of us made the finals and all have solid players. After this tour-
nament, our girls will be nament, our girls wil
ready for the finals." Port Huron Northe the regular season champion, squeezed out the tournament championship, too, earning 34
points. points.
Grosse Pointe South was second with 33 points
and Grosse Pointe North finished fourth with 16. St. Clair placed third and Utica Eisenhower was last.
"We won four flights, but fell short because of the scoring system," South head coach Mark Sobieralski said. "Port Huron Northern beat us earier in the year, but we
played them much better played them much
this time around." The Blue Devils' flight champion in singles came from Maggie Sweeney, who beat PHN's Rae Brozovich 2-6, 2-1 (retired pionship match. Doubles is where the Blue Devils excelled. Emma Hyde and Sydney Keller beat PHN's Alexis Wirtz and Fran No. 1 doubles championship match, and Emmy Boccaccio and Carrie Lynch followed with a gold medal performance in the No. 2 doubles title match, defeating PHN's Jenna Brettschneider and 6-4.
The No. 4 doubles squad of Kate Krueger and Katherine Halson also won the title, crushing Eisenhower's Monique FalHoet 6-1, 6-0. Megan The Blue Devils' No. 3 doubles team of Ginny

YOUTH SOCCER


## Invitational champs

The Grosse Pointe Breakers girls U8 travel soccer team recently won the 2012
Jaguar Invitational in Novi. The girls beat the Dearborn Drive 6-5, Michigan Jaguars White 7-4, Michigan Jaguars Green 8-7 and Livonia City Meteors 8-1. Five of the eight girls are 6 -years-old and played up a division in the Girls U8 Elite Division. Team members pictured above are, from left, Elena Simon, Ava Stevenson, Molly Ryszewski, Morgan Hamilton, Vanessa Ciaramitaro, head coach Dan Kelly, Ava Mattaliano, Grace Rahaim and Ava Said

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