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## PLACES & FACES

#### Make a difference

In the tradition of John F. Kennedy, President Bill Clinton recently asked Americans to volunteer: to become one of those people who make a

In that light, the William P. Faust Public Library of Westland will hold its first Volunteer Orientation Meeting at 7 p.m. on Tuesday in the Community Meeting room. Topics will include general information about volunteerism and how the library makes use of volunteer resources and opportunities for volunteers.

Residents of Westland and other surrounding communities are invited to attend. For information, call the library at 326-6123.

#### Mobile meeting

Westland Mayor Robert Thomas will have another "mobile City Hall" from 5-8 p.m. this Tuesday at Elliott Elementary School, 30800

Thomas and staff members will travel to the school in a large motor home where they will field questions from residents. The mayor has said his program is aimed at bringing city government closer to its constituents.

#### Surplus food

The city of Westland will host its surplus food program at the Dorsey Community Center 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Thursday, May 22, for residents of Palmer, Stiber, Merriman and Wildwood

All other residents, excluding Precinct No. 28, will have the program 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, May 23.

Seniors living in Taylor Towers should contact their building manager for day of distribution.

In May, the city will distribute juice, beans, peanut butter, pineapple, rice, salmon and tomatoes. For more information, call the Dorsey Center hotline at 595-0368.

# City money policies tightened



City officials are scrutinizing municipal money-handling procedures after a top official was charged with embezzlement. More than \$7,000 is apparently missing from parks and recreation coffers.

Charges of embezzlement against fired Westland Parks and Recreation Director Charles Skene have prompted the city treasurer's office to impose tighter money-handling security measures.

New policies are being enforced after city officials learned during an investigation that the treasurer's office had no records of deposits from parks and recreation for six days between Aug. 7 and Nov. 29 of

Even though city officials indicated in court Wednesday that thousands of dollars are missing, defense attorney Stephen Boak produced copies of some canceled checks that the city processed from the parks

department on the days in question.

Boak accused city officials of "bad business practices" and questioned whether deposits totaling \$7,233 are even missing.

"We don't know that they're actually missing," he said Wednesday, the same day Skene was ordered in Wayne District Court to stand trial on five felony embezzling charges.

Under questioning, Gorman testified to missing deposits in the fol-

- lowing amounts: ■ \$2,471.45 on Aug. 7;
- **\$889.50** on Aug. 26;
- **\$1,791.15** on Aug. 30; ■ \$837.40 on Sept. 1;
- bring deposits to the treasurer's office are given receipts showing that they dropped off the money bags, Gorman said.

■ \$827.50 on Oct. 28; and

Allegations of missing money have

prompted the treasurer's office to

maintain better records of deposits

and the days the money was collect-

ed, Gorman said Friday in response

Moreover, city employees who

to questions from the Observer.

# \$416 on Nov. 29.

Receipts given

Despite questions raised about

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## Council zoning rejection is upheld

By DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

A Westland City Council decision to reject a housing facility for federal prisoners nearing their release has been upheld in Wayne County Circuit Court.

A council majority last December blocked Community Treatment Centers (CTC) Inc. from housing 35 nonviolent male offenders in a 7,200-square-foot building southwest of Michigan Avenue and Henry

#### IN THE COURTS

CTC filed a circuit court appeal challenging the council's ruling that the prisoner facility didn't comply with zoning requirements in an area pegged for office/business development.

Wayne County Circuit Judge Claudia House Morcom recently sided with Westland officials and denied CTC's appeal, City Attorney Angelo Plakas said.

"I am very pleased," he said Thursday. "City council members have a tough enough job as it is, and for them to be upheld by a circuit judge is a credit to their ability to administrate an ordinance."

Plakas also predicted that city officials will prevail if CTC appeals Morcom's decision to the Michigan Court of Appeals.

"I feel very confident that the Court of Appeals would uphold Judge Morcom," he said.

Despite Morcom's ruling, the city's battle with CTC isn't over. CTC also filed a still-pending lawsuit in U.S. District Court in Detroit trying to force the city to allow the facility.

City and CTC attorneys have filed several motions, and Assistant Westland City Attorney Keith Madden said Judge Gerald Rosen may rule on the federal case as early as May 29, when a hearing is sched-

Attorneys are asking Rosen for a summary disposition which, in essence, would bring about a judge's ruling without the case going to trial, Madden said.

Westland officials are "hopeful" that the favorable ruling in Wayne County Circuit Court will boost their chances of winning in federal court, Madden said.

In a 6-1 vote on Dec. 16, council members rejected CTC's proposal amid fears that the prisoner facility would bring in neighborhood crime and hamper economic growth. Councilman Charles Pickering disagreed and emerged as CTC's lone supporter on the council.

CTC had sought a special land use approval for the prisonerrelease facility. Offenders housed there would have been allowed to leave only to work or to seek jobs, CTC attorney Timothy Stoepker has said.

CTC facilities in other cities, such as Detroit, Saginaw and Grand Rapids, haven't caused higher crime

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## Carnival celebration



STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGDFELD

Soft touch: Resident of Four Chaplains Convalescent Center in Westland celebrated Nursing Home Week with various activities throughout the week, including a visit from an area petting farm. Here, Four Chaplains resident Stella DeJuilio pats a young calf. With her is Carolyn Merucci (at left). For more, please turn to page A3.

## Psychic surprised by prom debate

#### BY M.B. DILLON

A Westland business owner and psychic said she is shocked at the reception — or lack of it — from the Plymouth-Canton schools, which cancelled a contract with her for last week's high school prom.

Students organizing the May 10 extravangza at Livonia's Burton Manor made arrangements two months ago for Elizabeth DeSouza, owner of the Psychic Connection in Westland, to give readings at the

After a number of parents learned of the plan and complained, DeSouza was told she would not be welcome at the dance.

"Students initiated this with the idea that it was for entertainment purposes only," said Judy Evola, community relations director for the district.

#### # 'I have a very good reputation. I feel blessed to be able to work. Parents trust me.

Elizabeth DeSouza -owner of Psychic Connection

"I think that once they (the students) learned that she was a lot more serious than they were, and especially when we found out what her ideology was, administration and the class advisers decided it wasn't appropriate. We definitely do not want to legitimize astrology with our students."

DeSouza said she was flabbergast-

"I worked for them before on two tion in the metro-Detroit area." She different occasions. I worked their all-night senior parties," said the

six-year Westland Chamber of Commerce member who was a regular on the now-cancelled TV show, Kelly &

#### Kids suffer

"I feel bad for the kids. It's a shame. They put an awful lot of work and effort into this. They asked a lot of questions about me to make sure they even wanted me in the first place," she added.

DeSouza says she's often hired for the birthday parties of 13-14-yearolds. "I have a very good reputation. I feel blessed to be able to work. Parents trust me. I know there is that fine line as to what you can tell someone at that ago.

"I'm not going to cross that line" DeSouza bills herself as "the number-one source for psychic consulta-

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## Psychic from page A1

offers private, phone and group readings, and does astrological chart reports. DeSouza has also authored an astrology column in a local newspaper.

It bothers DeSouza that criticism of her is based on religion.

"I guess they can't understand that I pray to the same Jesus they do." DeSouza said. "They find that hard to believe."

The psychic's absence wasn't expected to detract much from the prom; a record 1,200 stu-

dents were expected, said Evola. That's not the point, as some

#### faculty and students see it. Educator concerned

"I think it's amazing that all it took was for two or three people to make a couple calls," said Canton English teacher Matt Watroba. "It always astonishes me that a couple of well-placed phone calls can change policy, mysteriously. I think it's dangerous."

Salem High School senior Bill Chapin is a National Merit scholar who's writing a column on the issue for the student paper, the CEP Perspective.

"When I first heard there was going to be a psychic at the prom, I thought it was rather silly, and I didn't really want to pay for it in the ticket price (\$75) per couple; and \$40 per single)," he said.

"So if someone told me they'd cancelled it because it was a dumb idea, I wouldn't have a problem with it. It's the fact that it kind of has to do with religion and forcing views on others and

ime personally. "I'm a Christian. I like that whole Christian thing. But it really doesn't bother me to have psychics at the prom morally. It seems like there's going to be dancing there too. Some religious groups out there object to

that kind of thing, certainly. It just seemed like a rather silly thing to get upset about."

Diane Daskalakis of Citizens for Better Education — a grassroots group which in the past objected to the showing of Rrated movies in the schools didn't call to complain, but is happy about the cancellation nonetheless.

"Biblically, it is not accepted for people to go to psychics, fortune tellers and sorcerers. It is against the Christian faith," she said: "It's obvious that there are a lot of folks in town who agree."

Daskalakis opposes psychics for non-religious reasons as well. "If these youngsters go to psychics and they're told something wonderful is supposed to happen and it didn't, it might be an extreme let down. I think it would be poor direction for seniors who've spent many years educating themselves. Then a psychic comes in to wrap up the whole thing in one encounter."

#### Christian worries

Diane Stamp, a former CBE school board candidate, was not one of the parents who called. "But if I had kids in school, I would have. I'm a Christian, and psychics are against the laws of God and are dangerous," said the Plymouth resident.

DeSouza says students are the

losers. "Senior prom is a very memorable time for anyone, and this is what they wanted as their theme. There were certain parents who pulled the plug on a whole part of that. People who know me know I'm not a bad person.

"It's disappointing," she said. "I really feel sorry for the kids, basically because it took them a long time to set up everything."

## Cleaning up

## Scouts team up for Westland's Friendship Lake

By Casey Hans Staff Writer

osh Fuhrman and friends cleaned up Westland's Friendship Lake Saturday.

The daylong project drew 25 people who filled up 11 truckloads of lakeside debris between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. The 2- to 3-acre lake is located behind the Bailey Recreation Center and is owned by the city of Westland. He coordinated the project through the Parks and Recreation Department for the city.

"I made handouts to give to my troop and then I called people," said the 14-year-old John Glenn High School freshman and Boy Scout, who coordinated the project to earn his Eagle Scout rank. "My troop really helped."

In addition to trash and a lot of branches, Fuhrman said the group found fishing lures and other objects you would expect around a lake.

Fuhrman has been a Boy Scout for the past four years, and was a Cub Scout prior to that. He said he learned a lot about leadership by coordinating the project. A Westland native, he lives near the lake with his family.

Several area companies donated food and materials for the project, including Northside Hardware which donated materials which will be used to build bird feeders, which Fuhrman will build and put up around the lake.

"We worked really hard," he added. "I thought it (the cleanup) would be until 6 most people thought it would take two days."

Jim Klinebriel, park foreman for the city, has worked on several Eagle Scout projects. He said this is one of the most successful projects he has seen.

"It was very much a success, he said. "We hauled some 40 yards of debris out of here.

"They got right down in it up to their knees."

■ 'We hauled some 40 vards of debris out of here . . . They got right down in it up to their knees.'

> Jim Klinebriel -Westland park foreman



Helping: Josh Fuhrman hands rubber gloves to volunteer Jason Schleif, 11, and Corey Hassett, 10, who are also Boy Scouts with troop 775.Below, Fuhrman and scout Aaron Chiles, 14, rake sticks and other debris.

The city provided the dump truck and driver for the proiect, and also loaned the group tools and waders and other needed items.

Fuhrman suggests future Eagle Scouts consider working with the city of Westland on their projects. "I would definitely consider working with the city - anyone in the city, but especially Parks and Recreation," he added. "They were great. They really helped me out.'

Klinebriel said Eagle Scout projects like these are an important part of growing up. "They accomplished a whole lot," he added. "There's a lot of satisfaction to see.'







Hard at work: Volunteers from Boy Scout Troop 775 rake Friendship Lake as part of a community service project coordinated by Josh Fuhrman as part of his effort to become a Eagle Scout. He will also build and install bird feeders around the lake. At left, the 14-year-old Fuhrman talks with former scout leader Tim Purdon about the Friendship Lake cleanup. Josh coordinated the cleanup project in order to receive his Eagle Scout rank. He has to show planning and leadership to qualify as a Eagle Scout.

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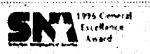
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## Body is found near tracks

Human remains were spotted 40 feet north of railroad tracks west of Haggerty Road and south of Schoolcraft in Plymouth

Township the evening of May 10. Wayne County Medical Examiner's office and Plymouth Township Police Department detectives are trying to find out the identy of the person. The remains were spotted by a surveyor at 7:35 p.m. inside a rolled carpet. All that remained of the body was a skeleton and several items of clothes, said Plymouth Township police Det. David

Hayes, of death, No cause of death has been

determined

## Continental cable group becomes MediaOne

By Kevin Brown Staff Writer

Continental Cablevision subscribers got a surprise last Tuesday - the company changed it's name to MediaOne.

While the listing in the telephone book still reads "Continental Cablevision," a call placed to that number is now answered with a cheery. "Welcome to MediaOne."

"It's really more than a name change," said Bill Black, company public relations manager. Black said the company is trying to stress that it provides "a single source for entertainment communications in the home."

The company name change will result in no change in the number assigned to cable channels. But Black said the company will eventually offer more than 100 channels, up from the current 78, and interactive services.

Black said that within the next year, trial digital video will also be offered, to boost picture quality.

Since the installation a year ago of fiber optic cable, consumers in some parts of Plymouth and Canton can use the system for Internet access. Fiber optic cable is currently being installed in Westland.

The name change was the latest volley in the ongoing competition between MediaOne and Ameritech, which announced it's intention to go after customers more than a year ago. Competition has already heated up in Plymouth and Canton, where both companies have offered discounts and specials.

The name change from Continental to MediaOne was initiated by research consultants Roper Starch. A poll of 1,000 Americans "showed consumer enthusiasm for more entertainment options, a growing receptivity to new media services like broadband access to the Internet and particularly strong sentiment for enabling children to have access to the latest communications services — all goals that are addressed by MediaOne," according to a company news release on the name change.

MediaOne offers cable TV services in Westland, Plymouth, Canton Dearborn Heights, West Bloomfield, Southfield, Lansing, Jackson and Holland. Black said. MediaOne also plans to offer telephone service in the future.

"The MediaOne name was chosen after months of market and consumer research and an examination of several hundred naming possibilities," said company CEO Amos Hostetter Jr.

U.S. West purchased Continental last year and announced the new company name on Tuesday.



Animal fun: Above, Debbie-the-Duck" goes face-to-face with Four Chaplains resident Leona Stefanac during Thursday's carnival to celebrate Nursing Home Week. Holding "Debbie" is Joyce Hammers.

## Nursing **Home Week** celebrated

esidents of Four Chaplains Convalescent Center in Westland celebrated Mothers Day and Nursing Home Week with daily activities and themes at the center

Themes included a Spirit Day, Mismatched Day, Western Day and crazy t-shirt and hat days, among other activities.

Last Thursday, residents were treated to a carnival which included games, clowns and a live animal petting farm. Animals visiting the seniors were a young goat, a lamb, a duck and a rabbit. All were brought from Carrousel Acres in South Lyon.



Ball toss: Resident Iram Fatima reacts to points scored in a ball-toss game being played by Virginia Kaplinski. Prizes were awarded to all players.

## Man reports he was 'scared and suicical' during Westland incident

BY DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

A 20-year-old Plymouth man revealed in court Thursday why he fled from Westland police on April 22 — one day before his legal problems mushroomed amid accusations that he barricaded himself inside a local apartment with a rifle.

Michael Gustafson admitted that he drove off and fled from police after they responded to reports of a suicidal man April 22 at a Wayne/Cherry Hill gas

"I was scared and suicidal," he told Westland 18th District Court Judge C. Charles Bokos. "I didn't want to be taken away, so

I ran." Gustafson, jailed in lieu of a \$50,000 cash bond, gave his explanation Thursday as he appeared in front of Bokos for a preliminary hearing that was

postponed one week.

A defense attorney sought the delay and said he may ask Bokos to allow Gustafson to be transferred from jail to a psychiatric facility as an inpatient.

Gustafson settled part of his legal problems Thursday by pleading guilty to misdemeanor charges of fleeing from police on April 22. He received a 23-day jail term that he already has served.

However, Gustafson still faces felony charges for allegedly barricading himself inside a friend's Westland apartment on April 23 before leading police on a car at Ford Road and Central City Parkway.

Police said the defendant was a girlfriend when he barricaded

Gustafson then left the apartment and led police on a car chase that ended at Ford Road, where he hit two other cars with his late-model Mustang, Westland police Sgt. Scott Fetner has

Gustafson is accused of firing a shot from his car at the scene of the accident, in what police believe may have been an attempt to harm himself. No one

was injured. His preliminary hearing will determine whether he should stand trial for discharging a gun from a vehicle, felony firearms, and fourth-degree fleeing and chase that ended in an accident eluding police. He also faces a misdemeanor of carrying a load-

ed firearm in a vehicle. He could face a maximum sendespondent over a breakup with tence of four years in prison if convicted of firing a gun from his himself, alone, inside Yalewood car. All other charges are pun-Apartments on Yale south of ishable by a maximum two-year

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Amanda Brusinski of Westland recently graduated from Michigan State University with a bachelor's degree in education.

State Rep. Eileen DeHart, D-Westland, was recently appointed to serve on the Reapportionment Task Force for the National Conference of State Legislatures. The task force studies legal, technical and political issues affecting reapportionment and redistricting of state legislative and congressional districts. DeHart also serves as assistant associate Speaker Pro Tempore of the Michigan House of Representatives and chairs the House Public Retirement Committee. She also serves on House committees for Oversight and Ethics, Senior Citizens and Veterans Affairs, Consumer Protection, and Corrections.

Joy Wilk, daughter of James and Mary Jane Wilk of Westland, graduated Magna Cum Laude from Wayne State University Nursing School. She is a member of the Sigma Theta Tau National honor Society of Nursing and the Golden Key National Honor Society. She is a 1992 Livonia

Franklin graduate.

The following students were recently named to the honor roll at Tinkham Center in Westland, according to information from the Wayne-Westland schools: Michael Denski, Simon Elmore, Kwame Goode, Jeramie Maza, Michael Pigion, Michael Sabo, Marcus Shadeh, Jamie Smith, Ryan Talley, Evonne Todd and Heather Walker

Joshua Adams Crilley, a senior at John Glenn High School, is a recipient of the Presidential Scholarship awarded by Wayne State University. This four-year, full-tuition scholarship is based on a student's academic excellence. Josh maintains a 3.9 grade point average. In addition to the WSU scholarship, he has also received a \$1,000 Fairlane Youth Pops music award and has won scholarships from the Livonia Kennel Club and the VFW.

Meghan Chatman of Westland was one of 1,491 students recognized for their outstanding leadership in community, family and school programs by receiving a scholarship from Target stores as part of the company's All-Around Scholarship program. Awards were based on length of time and hours of community or volunteer service, volunteer leadership awards and honors, an appraisal by volunteer supervisor or leader, an essay on volunteer service and grade point aver-

## Dog days: Canines, owners run for cause

BY KEVIN BROWN STAFF WRITER

eil Sheibley of Westland was one of 150 dogs and their owners drawn to Kellogg Park in Plymouth for the first Plymouth Dog Jog, an event to raise money for area humane societies.

Sheibley brought one of the smallest dogs to the May 10 event, his toy fox terrier Penny. "I've got two more," they're smaller than her," he said.

"I like a small dog. They're lap dogs, they'll hop right up and watch television with you, they're smart," he said.

#### **DOG JOG**

Like several other owners, Sheibley said it was his first time to attend such an event. "I heard about it from word of mouth," he said.

Another Westland resident, Sandy Mezza, placed as a winner in the "35 and Over" category for the jog route.

"There's a lot of good looking dogs here," said event organizer Eric Colthurst of the Plymouth Kiwanis Club, as people and their dogs drifted into the park to register for the 1:30 p.m. event. The Kiwanis Club shared event proceeds with the Michigan Humane Society and the Humane Society of Huron Valley.

The dogs — long and short haired, skinny and husky, big and tiny donned stylish colored bandannas presented at registration. Some of their owners chose T-shirts with the event logo, also given to those paying the \$15 registration fee.

Owners also got to take away free dog food samples, and were provided small plastic bags for their pets to use along the jog route.

Among those waiting for the signal to start were Nicole Parsons and her yearold beagle Mackenzie. "She's doing good, she's enjoying herself," Parsons said of Mackenzie, quietly eying the other dogs

"I wanted to help the dogs at the homes, plus it's a nice day," she said.

Sam and Linette Bird said it was their first time at such an event. They brought their six-month-old rotweiller Jake and German shepherd Nick. "Basically we're here to help the Humane Society, we've got three good dogs from there," Sam Bird said.

Plymouth Mayor Ron Loiselle, who served as master of ceremonies for the event from the temporary park stage, brought his three-year-old shitzu Gizmo. "It'll be fun," Loiselle said.

Sharon Thomas of Plymouth attended with her 130-pound malamute Nikka. "I



Dog's eye view: Residents from Westland and surrounding areas participate in the Dog Job, held in Plymouth Below, Heidi Rakozy poses with her Chinese pug Carmy during the event.

just want to see if my dog's well behaved. Actually we need the walk," Thomas said.

Rebecca Hageman with husband Michael, both of Canton, brought their dog Chap. "We call her girlfriend," she

The Dog Jog, she said, "is a great idea." Chap stuck close, to the Hagemans, who sat on a bench near the fountain awaiting the start of the event. "She's kind of afraid of other dogs," Kebecca Hageman explained.

"We don't have any kids. This is a great event. They don't have anything

for parents of doggies," she added. Libby Carleton of West Bloomfield brought her Yorkie Simon, not much longer than a foot or so, who had no trouble fending off the inquisitive sniffing of a much larger dog. "Isn't he

funny," she said. "I didn't expect to see so may big dogs. It's fun to see how all the dogs interact with each other," Carleton said.

The sound of the occasional bark was broken by Loiselle welcoming Dog Jog participants, over the public address

system. A short countdown followed, and the Dog Jog was on. Along the route, some homeowners stood on their driveways to view the unusual proces-

Back at Kellogg Park, containers with water were available for thirsty dogs. "Oh wait, there's some water over here." said Julie Schumacher of Farmington Hills to her Sharpei Vixen.

Of her walk with Vixen, Schumacher said, "It wasn't bad, there were a couple

In addition to Westland's Mezza, top finishers in three age groups were Rob Macomber of Saline and Christina Schmidt of Plymouth in the "under 18" category, Mark Mueting and Mary Mueting, both of White Lake in the "8-35" group and Bill Broby of Plymouth in the "Over 35".

Prizes for top finishers, and winning dogs in categories including best tailwagger and best costume, included dog beds and pet portraits.



## Volunteers are honored at luncheon

Frances Kielty of Westland volunteers her time at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia, and was one of dozens recently lauded for her service. Kielty has donated her time in the radiology department, logging 7,000 hours, the most of any volunteer.

St. Mary Hospital volunteers were honored at the 17th annual Appreciation Luncheon held. April 30 as part of National Volunteer Month. The luncheon was held at Laurel Manor in Livonia.

"You have made a difference in the quality of care that is offered to our patients," said Sherri Fletcher, director of volunteer and fund raising, in her remarks. Whether you have escorted, wheeled, informed, or smiled at a patient or guest, you have left an indelible imprint in the hearts of many."

The luncheon, which had the theme "We Honor You," included a welcome by Sister Mary Renetta, executive vice president, invocation by Michele Chulick, associate hospital director and director of operations, and words of appreciation by Sister Mary Modesta, president and CEO.

They were joined by Mitchell Salhaney, M.D. executive vice president of medical affairs, John Graham, hospital director, and Michael DeRubeis, associate hospital director, in presenting service award pins to the volun-

Special guest speaker was Amy Rhode, BSN, RN, who is a health educator in St. Mary Hospitai's community outreach department. Rhode discussed "Positive Thinking," pointing out that the volunteers are all outstanding examples of "positive thinking in action" by sharing their talents with patients and staff.

Some 260 volunteers serve the hospital in 39 service areas. There are 48 male volunteers More than 60 student volunteers are involved in premed, prenursing, rehabilitation, radiation therapy, and nutrition programs.

This past year two students from Poland and three from England brought a new dimension to the program.

More than 38,700 service hours have been donated to St Mary Hospital by the volunteers. In addition to Kielty's many

volunteer hours, others with the notable hours included Robert Klein of Livonia in financial management with 8,500 hours and Al Dykas of Livonia in human resources with 9,500 hours. Another notable includes Donald Gratton of Redford for volunteering eight hours a day, five days a week in the Emergency Center.

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#### **CLARIFICATION**

dent post office program in the the media services coordinator Westland Observer, the name of at the school who helped develop a teacher at Hayes Elementary the program.

In a May 1 story about a stu- was incorrect. Ruth Everett is

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rates or hampered economic growth, Stoepker contended.

CTC officials said most men staying at the facility would be white-collar criminals - not violent offenders.

The prisoners have a high success rate for re-entering society, Stoepker said.

CTC programs are aimed at federal offenders who, while on probation or parole, receive transitional services aimed at helping them to reestablish their lives.

A study conducted by the Westland Police Department before December found that CTC facilities in other cities had caused no serious problems in neighborhoods.

"City council members have a tough enough job as it is, and for them to be upheld by a circuit judge is a credit to their ability to administrate an ordinance.

> Angelo Plakas -Westland city attorney

But council members didn't want to risk any problems, and they also noted that they had received petitions signed by many residents who opposed the local facility.

#### CITY OF GARDEN CITY NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING May 8, 1997 PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Regular Public Hearing will be held by the Planning Commission at the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on Thursday, June 12, 1997, at 7:30 P.M., for the purpose of hearing and considering all comments of all persons interested in or concerned with the following request(s). Item 5-96-007 Solicitation of public comments on the proposed

ordinance on Front Yard Parking.

The applicant's submittal materials are available for public review at the Garden City Planning Office, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, (313) 525-8862.

All persons interested in any of the above are hereby invited to attend

RONALD D. SHOWALTER City Clerk-Treasurer

Posted: May 16, 1997 Published May 18, 1997

# Engler road plan outlined for CWW board

By Ken Abramczyk Staff Writer

Jim Ryan believes the average motorist will hardly notice the difference.

Ryan, deputy director of Gov. John Engler's southeastern Michigan office in Detroit, said Engler's proposed 4-cent increase in the gas tax would keep the 19-cent total below the national average, and below every Great Lakes state except Indiana.

"You drive about 15,000 miles a year," Ryan said. "Four cents is about \$20 to \$25 a year."

Ryan appeared May 9 before the Conference of Western Wayne to outline Engler's proposed \$570 million increase in annual funds to repair the state's roads and highways and reform the jurisdiction over those roads.

The CWW is a consortium of elected officials from the cities of Belleville, Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Garden City, Inkster, Livonia, Northville, Plymouth, Romulus. Wayne and Westland and the townships of Canton,

Huron, Northville, Plymouth, Redford, Sumpter and Van

But officials from the Michigan Muncipal League, a legislative liaison representing Michigan cities and townships, had not figured yet how specific local Wayne County communities would fare under Engler's proposal. County officials already have expressed concerns about the state taking jurisdiction of 90 percent of Michigan roads.

Engler hopes to raise \$200 million annually through the gas tax hike, \$200 million through increased federal funds and \$130 million by ending the diesel discount, increasing registration fees for commercial trucks, creating an overweight truck fee, ending the spillage allowance and general fund offsetting from savings in other departments.

In addition, tort reform to stop outrageous lawsuits provides another \$10 million and "wrapup" of insurance coverage for construction projects is expected to save another \$30

Road repair, reform

Engler's plan - Build Michigan II - would improve more than 3,300 miles of road each year - an increase of 1,125 miles repaired annually.

"Spending on road construction and repair will increase by \$2.8 billion over the next five years," Ryan said. "This proposal not just increases (road) money, but it creates systematic changes throughout the system."

Engler wants to take over roads that meet eligibility for federal roads. "These are the most heavily traveled roads and the most expensive to keep up," Ryan said. Ninety percent of Michigan's roads would fall under state jurisdiction under Engler's plan.

Currently, counties maintain jurisdiction over 58 percent of Michigan roads, the state 28 percent and cities 14 percent.

That system also gives 8 cents to local and county governments for road repairs, and 7 cents to the state. The new 4 cent hike would give an additional 3 cents

Please see ROADS, A7



Repair and reform: Workers from local and county public service departments and city maintenance crews, like this one from Livonia, may be affected by Gov. John Engler's plans to change county and local control of roads. Engler wants the state to control 90 percent of all Michigan roads.

## Rouge cleanup set for June 7

Volunteers continue to play a major role in the Rouge River's "comeback" story.

That will be evident on Saturday. June 7 when more than 2,500 people are expected to converge on the river for Rouge Rescue '97.

Without volunteers who participate in the 12th annual Friends of the Rouge river cleanup, the Rouge would be clogged with fallen trees and litter. The cleanup is a chance for people to see the river's problems and its potential for being a valuable recreation and econom-

In addition to removing fallen trees and other debris from the river, as they have since 1986, volunteers at clean-up sites throughout Wayne, Oakland and eastern Washtenaw counties will also plant trees, build and groom wood-chip walking paths, and build nesting boxes for wood ducks, bluebirds, and brown

They'll also help prevent future pollution by stenciling storm drain inlets with a warning against dumping toxic materials like used motor oil, paint, and lawn or household chemi-

For the third consecutive year, Rouge Rescue will also include the collection of returnable bottles and cans, which can be redeemed at Farmer Jack supermarkets to support the Friends of the Rouge Education Project, L y a school-based environmental education program.

> Cooperating in this project are Farmer Jack, local bottlers of Coca-Cola and Pepsi Cola, FILA, Imperial Sports and WJBK- Fox

Rouge Rescue sponsors are Ford Motor Co., Waste Management Inc., the Detroit Water & Sewerage Department, City Management Corp. and WJBK Fox 2.

For the location of cleanup sites, and sites where returnable bottles and cans can be dropped off, please contact Friends of the Rouge at (313) 961-4050.

The following is a list of loca-

Livonia: Eight Mile between Middlebelt and Merriman (313) 421-2000, Ext. 221

Plymouth: Smith Elementary School, 1298 McKinley, (313) 453-1234, Ext. 234

Plymouth Township: Western Wayne Conservation Associa-Mon/Johnson Creek, (313) 453-8840, Ext. 238

Redford Township: Lola Valley Park, Lola at Beech Daly, (313)

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**OBITUARIES** 

GEORGETTE CARTER

Funeral services for Georgette Carter, 53, of Westland were held in Uht Funeral Home with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. Alberto Bondy. Memorials may be made to St. John's Episcopal Church in Westland.

Mrs. Carter died May 12 at her residence. She did clerical work at NBD.

Surviving are: son David; daughter Mary Saxton; sister Sharon Calka; and two grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William, and brother Gregory Tamas.

MARY E. BURNS

Funeral services for Mary E. Burns, 91, of Westland were held in L.J. Griffin Funeral Home with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. Alberto. Bondy.

Mrs. Burns, who died May 14 in Garden City, was born in Scotland. She was a nurse.

Surviving are: son John Sr.; daughter Elizabeth Krachie; sister Annie Nicoll; five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

DOROTHY E. THOMAS

A memorial service for Dorothy E. Thomas, 70, of Westland will be held at a later date in Kirk of Our Savior Church, Westland. Officiating will be the Rev. Neil Cowling. Memorial contributions may be made to Kirk of Our Savior Church, 36660 Cherry Hill, Westland 48185.

Mrs. Thomas, who died May 13 in Royal Oak, was born in Detroit. She was a telephone operator for Michigan Bell for 20 years.

Surviving are husband Donald and son Joseph of British Columbia, Canada.

**CARMELA PHILLIPS** 

Funeral services for Carmela Phillips, 94, of Canton were held in Most Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Detroit, with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. Grace Agius. Local arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home. Memorials may be made in the form of Mass offerings.

Mrs. Phillips, who died May 11

vises the therapeutic program.

"How could I? He's my boss."

attorney Boak tried to suppress,

Sikorski said Skene admitted

having a gambling problem that

included illegal betting, Sikorski

also said Skene conceded that he

cashed personal checks from city

funds when he wasn't certain

that he had enough money in his

But Skene also reportedly told

Sikorski that he would place per-

sonal checks in city funds as an

IOU and that he would later

replace the money and retrieve

his checks. Sikorski said Skene

admitted to such activities after

normal work hours as a matter

bank accounts to cover them.

in that account.

in Westland, was born in Malta. She came to Canton from Malta in 1962. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: sons Robert Phillips of Malta and Harry Phillips of Australia; daughters Violet Cauchi of Westland, Carmen Clotworthy of Sterling Heights, Doris Galea of Dearborn Heights and Margaret Bonnici of Windsor, Ontario, Canada; brother Albert Bugeja of Australia; 23 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

WILLIAM D. ALLYSON

Funeral services for William D. Allyson, 75, of Westland were held in John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Officiating was the Rev. James A. Moloney of St. Anselm Catholic Church. Memorials may be made to Leader Dogs for the Blind.

Mr. Allyson, who died May 14 in Royal Oak, was born in Fisherbranch, Manitoba, Canada. He was a bookkeeper and was past president and past district governor of the Dearborn Lions Club. He was a member of the Knights of Columbus. He was in the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Surviving are: sons William Allyson Jr. of Inver Grove Heights, Minn., and Kenneth Allyson of West Bloomfield; sisters Anne Buchko and Mary Fowler; mother Nellie Antonchuk; and one grandson.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Charlotte, and son, Ronald.

ALICE E. FAHLQUIST

Funeral services for Alice E. Fahlquist, 92, of Westland, were held in Vermeulen Funeral Home with burial at Grand Lawn Cemetery, Detroit. Officiating was the Rev. Willet J. Herrington.

Mrs. Fahlquist, who died May 13 in Garden City, was born in Nova Scotia, Canada. She was a former Plymouth resident and a homemaker.

Surviving are: son George of Treasure Island, Fla.; daughter Doris Wasilewski of Virico, Fla.; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her daughter, Ivy Nowka.

## Money from page A1

previous money-handling procedures, city officials cited parks and recreation as the only department missing deposits.

Testimony revealed that only

JOSHUA DEE . KEVIN DEMARA .

Skene and his secretary, Nora Herbert, made deposits, although not always on a daily basis. They sometimes deposited money for a several-day period.

money from his department's safe at the city-run Bailey Recreation Center. The same safe also contained booster money for a therapeutic program for disabled people, and Skene is also charged with taking dollars from that fund.

Several witnesses testified in

court this week that Skene Skene is accused of embezzling would take money and replace it

#### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING MAY 28, 1997 CITY OF GARDEN CITY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a <u>Public Hearing</u> will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals at the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on <u>WEDNESDAY</u>, May 28, 1997. at 7:30 p.m., for the purpose of hearing and considering all comments of all persons interested in or concerned with the following request (s):

Item 5-97-002 Michael J. Caruso

Pardo & Garden Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance, pursuant to Section 161.212, to construct a four (4) unit apartment building on an 84 foot wide lot where 100 feet is otherwise required. Legal Description:

Lot 36, Harry R. Kinyon's Little Estate Subdivision Item 5-97-003 Nancy Knuth ZBA 97-2

Lot 21, Tall Timbers Subdivision Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance, pursuant to Section 161.212, to construct a home on a corner lot with a 15 foot side-yard setback where 30 feet is

otherwise required. Legal Description: Lot 21; Tall Timbers Subdivision

Item 5-97-004 Louis J. Sauer

ZBA 97-3 1756 Cardwell

Consideration of the Request for a Dimensional Variance, pursuant to Section 161.212 (t), to exceed the 25% maximum for paving of the lot area located between the front of the building and the front property line. Legal Description:

Lot 1774, Folker's Garden City Acres Item 5-97-005 Gary Dillion 950 Douglas

ZBA 97-4

ZBA 97-1

Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance, pursuant to Section 161.023 (C) (2) (d), to construct a family room addition 8 feet from the existing garage where 10 feet is otherwise required.

Legal Description: Lot 688, Strollman Subdivision #4

Item 5-97-006 Troy Horde

ZBA 97-5

33184 Kathryn Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance, pursuant to Section 161.023 (C) (3), to construct a new 28 foot by 22 foot garage over existing foundation, exceeding the 25% maximum required rear yard maximum for detached accessory buildings.

Legal Description: Lot 49, Gordon Begin Subdivision #1

The applicant's submittal materials are available for public review at the Garden City Planning Office, 6000 Middelbelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, All persons interested in any of the above are hereby invited to attend

this Public Hearing and be heard. RONÁLD D. SHOWALTER

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City Clerk-Treasurer

with a personal check, although Budget Director Elizabeth Duggan testified some checks weren't dated and didn't name a payee, such as the city of West-

Westland police Lt. Gary Sikorski testified that when he questioned Skene about why he didn't complete the checks, Skene replied, "I can't tell you why."

Gorman testified that the city has no written policy forbidding employees from cashing personal checks in a department fund, although he said Friday that state law prohibits it.

Duggan said from the witness stand that Skene placed one \$800 check in city monies even though he had insufficient funds in a bank account. She said she had phoned the bank.

Statements made by Herbert in court indicated that Skene was at times encouraged by City Hall officials to use parks money for purposes such as buying Christmas lights. The city would later reimburse the money, she

No objection Margaret Martin, who super-

#### LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 15125 Farmington Rd. Livonia, MI 48154

The Livonia Public Schools Board of Education, Livonia, Michigan, hereby invites the submission of sealed bids for:

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Education in the Purchasing Department.

Bids will be received until 3:00 P.M. on the 20th day of May, 1997 at the office of the Board of Education, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan. At this time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read. Vendors are encouraged to attend, Specifications and bid forms are available at the office of the Board of

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Operations Supervisor at 313-523-9156. A bid bond (5% of total bid) is required with the bid. Publish: May 11 and 18, 1997

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Sikorski testified that Skene "candidly admitted" he had a gambling problem.

Skene, free on a \$5,000 personal bond, faces a May 28 arraignment in Wayne County Circuit Court on five charges of embezzling. He could face a maximum 10-year prison term if convicted.

Sikorski testified that Skene may face additional charges for removing money from a Livonia bank that belonged to a softball association that used him as treasurer. However, no charges have been filed.

#### LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 15125 Farmington Rd. Livonia, MI 48154

Sealed proposals for Water Service Construction including appurtenances are invited and will be received until 2:30 P.M. local time, on Monday, June 2, 1997. by the director Of Maintenance in the Maintenance Office, 15125 Farmington, Road, Livonia, Michigan 18154. Immediately thereafter, all proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The approximate quantities of work involved in the projects are as follows: Franklin High School - Job No. 97026

Hull Elementary School - Job No. 97020 555 L.F. 6" Ductile Iron Water Main : 8"x6" Water Tap Complete including other appurtenances and

675 L.F. 8" Ductile Iron Water Main 12"x8" Water Tap 30 L.F. 6° Ductile Iron Water Main Complete including other appurtenances and including Sidewalk and Asphalt replacement including Sidewalk and Asphalt replacement

Contract documents, including necessary specifications, may be obtained on or after 12:00 P.M. local time, May 14, 1997 at the Maintenance office, 15125 Farmington Road, Livonia, Michigan 48154

Copies of drawings and specifications may be obtained for a non-refundable charge of Twenty dollars (\$20.00) for each set of drawings and specifications. Persons desiring plans and specifications to be mailed shall submit an additional Five dollars (\$5.00) to cover shipping and handling. The documents will be forwarded upon receipt of Twenty-Pive dollars (\$25.00) via United

A certified check; cashiers check or an acceptable bid bond for a sum no less than five percent 5% of the amount of the proposed bid, payable to Livonia Public Schools, must accompany each proposal as security for acceptance of the contract. No Bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the scheduled closing time for receiving Bids.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all Bids, waive informalities, or accept any Bid. The owner reserves the right to expedite the projects by contracting separately or jointly to complete within the best interest of the school board.

DAVID WATSON

Director Of Operations

## Public can discuss~I-275 construction at meetings

The Michigan Department of Transportation has scheduled two 'town hall' meetings to educate the public about improvements to more than 28 miles of I-275.

The construction is scheduled to start in the middle of June.

The first meeting is scheduled at 6 p.m. Wednesday, May 28, at the Carleton VFW Hall, 700 Carleton South Rockwood, Carleton, and a second is scheduled for 6 p.m. Tuesday, June 3, at the Canton Township Hall, Administration Building, 115 S. Canton Center Road.

MDOT will use these informal forums to present details of new construction designs developed to better suit motorists and community needs while expediting the construction process. This approach will minimize the economic impact on communities in areas undergoing improvements. The four construction areas

• From the beginning of I-275 to Telegraph Road, Monroe

County • Telegraph Road to Newberg Road, Monroe County

• Newberg Road to Northline Road/I-94, Wayne County

• Northline Road/I-94 to Five Mile Road/I-96, Wayne County.





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to the state and 1 cent to counties and cities, Ryan said.

"Counties revenue would have an average 53 percent increase in revenues per mile for local roads," Ryan said. "Cities will benefit from an average of a 74 percent increase (per mile)."

But that statistic is skewed because the state would be taking over roads normally eligible for federal funds, such as Middlebelt, Grand River, Plymouth and the "Mile" roads.

Ryan sees advantages under the plan and its cost savings through "economies of scale," meaning that the price would drop for the work because separate communities would not have to bid out for portions of work and assuming overhead, labor and administrative costs per mile would drop with the use of one contractor.

Middlebelt was resurfaced in Livonia and Garden City, but not in Inkster. "There isn't a multiple jurisdiction," Ryan said. "The benefit is you have the cost efficiencies. If they bid out for 20 miles of Middlebelt, it will be a lost less expensive, instead of Livonia, Farmington Hills or other cities bidding out separate-

Plan is complex

Ryan said he received mixed reactions to Engler's plan.

"At this point, we've asked people to take a wait-and-see attitude. Most people don't understand the complexities of the plan."

Ryan acknowledged the proposal could lead to layoffs of puhlic service employees, "if their departments aren't the most competitive bidders on that road."

"It's a possibility obviously, if they're not competitive at the best price. Local governments will have to look at those costs."

Ryan said Engler did not want to "abolish" road commissions, only reform the present system. The governor met with the Michigan Municipal League to discuss his plans.

Ryan knows Engler faces the challenges in dealing with lawmakers and lobbyists, each representing different interests.

"The last thing we want to do is raise funds and pour them into a system that is failing. It's a waste of time to raise the tax without any meaningful reform.

"We're just going to have to try to meet with everybody and try to work these things out. For the

III 'The last thing we want to do is raise funds and pour them into a system that is failing.'

Jim Ryan -deputy director, Gov. John Engler's southeast Michigan office

most part, they have to look at Dems have plan this as a starting point."

#### Disagrees with tax hike

State Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, supports Engler's reform efforts, but disagrees with the gas tax hike. Spending should be prioritized after reforms occur, he said.

Bennett said that tax hike logic was "that it's always the taxpayers' fault. We're paying 40 percent of what we take in in federal, state and local taxes, and that's more than enough."

The 22 Senate Republicans were expected to discuss the plan at a caucus plan, so Bennett has yet to receive feedback on the plan.

"Right now I have no trust in the county's ability to put out a work product that is acceptable to the taxpayer," Bennett said. Bennett requested the state auditor to review Wayne County records on road repairs and financing.

For their part, state Democrats proposed a plan to provide nearly \$423 million to repair Michigan's roads and bridges without raising the gas

That plan calls for \$60 million in additional federal funding from changes in the gas tax distribution formula, a new tax amnesty program to bring in \$110 million, \$69 million from interest generated by the state's budget stabilization fund, and saving \$30 million by stopping the funding of state bureaucracy with gas tax revenue. They proposed increasing truck registration fees and eliminating the State Transportation Commission to raise another \$17 million.

The plan assumed an increase of \$53 million in gas tax revenue and targets \$20 million in diesel fuel tax revenue available but not yet used.

State Rep. Tom Kelly, D. Wayne, who was with House Speaker Curtis Hertel and two other state lawmakers, said the Democrats plan contains the most realistic assumption of addition funding Michigan may receive through changes in the distribution of the federal gas

tax revenue. "Members of our Congressional delegation from both parties are working hard to bring home additional revenue," said Kelly, whose district includes Garden

While we anticipate more revenue, it's unfair to our Congressional delegation to place unrealistic expectations on the outcome of their efforts. Our plan is realistic based on the latest information we've obtained from Congressional leaders and federal transportation officials."

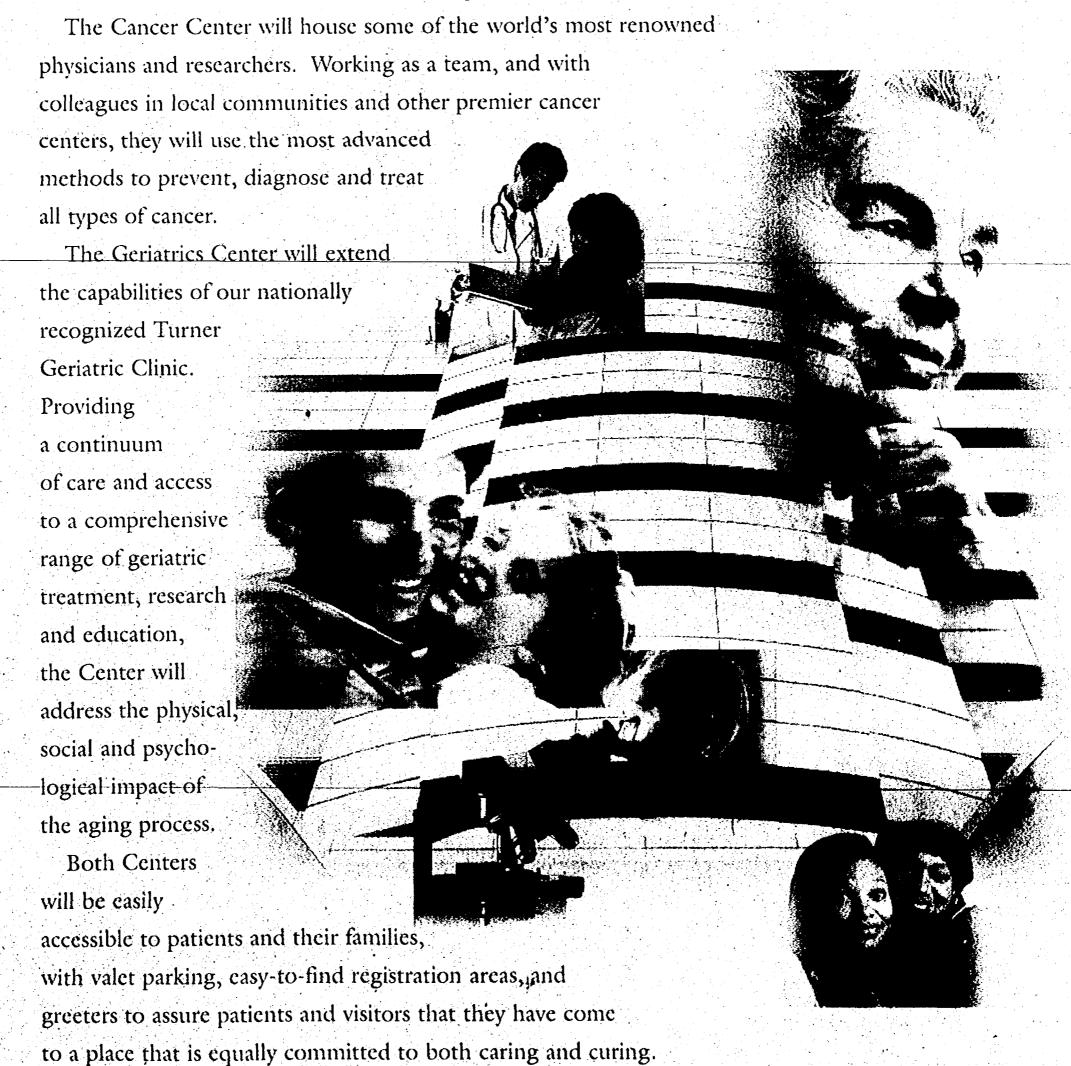
State Rep. Robert Brown, D-Dearborn Heights, whose district includes Redford Township, said he couldn't understand why Engler waited until the "last minute," with an impending deadline of July 1.

"I thought it was an unfair way of doing this," Brown said.

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## State House OKs appropriations for community colleges

By Tim Richard Staff Writer

Legislators call it a "Christmas tree bill" - one that is drafted simply but becomes decorated with special-purpose amendments.

The \$276 million House appropriations bill for community colleges turned into a Christmas tree by the time the House passed it May 13 on a 63-35 vote. Area community colleges fared well:

• Oakland - \$20.2 million, up 4.67

• Schoolcraft - \$10.8 million, up 5.95

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• Wayne County - \$16.2 million, up 3.64 percent.

• Lansing - \$21.1 million, up 5.04

The bill went to the Senate Appropriations subcommittee on higher education, which is due to start work May 20. The gross amount was close to the recommendation of Gov. John Engler though many line items were packaged differently.

There were predictions that many of the ornaments wouldn't survive.

tain health services is micro-management and violates the spirit of local bargaining unit practices," said Rep. Hubert Price, D-Pontiac, chair of the House Appropriations subcommittee that drafted the bill. He predicted a House-Senate conference committee would drop the ban on using college funds to pay for abortions.

It took three separate roll calls for the House to come up with a 56-50 approval of the amendment banning abortion funding. Here is how area lawmakers

Heights, Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, Deborah Whyman, R-Canton.

No - Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, Tom Kelly, D-Wayne, Eileen DeHart, D-Westland.

Protests came from Kelly - "I will not vote in favor of any legislation that obstructs or interferes with the collective bargaining process at the local level" - and Lynne Martinez, D-Lansing - "irrelevant. . . This bill has become a mixed package of poorly considered

social policy decisions."

 Price won overwhelming support for his amendment adding \$2.2 million for a certificate grant program permitting community colleges to train residents for specific local jobs. Oakland Community College will get the maximum grant of \$250,000; Schoolcraft, \$86,100.

Two Republicans attempted to amend the Price amendment to use the money for roads, but Speaker Curtis Hertel, D-Detroit, ruled it out of order because it was a transportation amendment to an

## Legislators tangle over test marks

BY TIM RICHARD STAFF WRITER

The Michigan Senate and House are in a tangle over whether High School Proficiency Test marks should be noted on a graduate's records.

Parents and students have objected to the cryptic "proficient," "novice" and "not yet novice" notations that are based on 11th grade test scores. Legislators are trying to change it.

Trouble is, the Senate has amended the supplemental school bill one way, while the House has amended the main 1998 K-12 aid bill another way.

In the Senate, Democratic floor leader Virgil Smith of Detroit accused Republican Mike Bouchard of Birmingham of "plagiarizing" and "stealing" a Democratic . amendment. Democrats Gary Peters of Bloomfield Tonwship and Ken DeBeaussaert of Macomb County threw in a tangle of amendments before the air was cleared.

In the end, senators agreed: • There would be a one-year moratorium on printing all proficiency marks on diplomas.

• A graduate of age 18 or one parent could request the notation of a state-endorsed diploma and notations of "proficient" on the graduate's transcript.

That bill was passed 36-0 with two members absent - John Cherry, D-Clio, and George Z. Hart, D-Dearborn - and sent to the House.

A week earlier, the House amended the school aid bill to: provide students' transcripts will include their state proficiency test scores instead of the "proficient," "novice" and "not yet novice" notations. That bill is scheduled for Senate committee action May 20.

#### Both take credit

Both sides of the Senate aisle took credit for the amendment.

Bouchard's news release gave him credit for sponsoring the amendment placing a one-year moratorium on reporting test results on diplomas and tran-Ecripts.

"We have honor students in my district who have failed the test, yet are attending excellent colleges," Bouchard said. "This raises some serious questions about the High School Proficien-By Test and whether it accurately tests a student's aptitude."

Peters and DeBeaussaert produced their own news release gaying they were "glad to see the Republicans follow (our) lead on oldinges to the state's controver-Gal High School Proficiency Cests."

Peters added that his amendment to the Bouchard amendthant allowed students who did well to have their good perfordances recorded. "This is a bough test, and a student who des well should be allowed to have it noted. However. . . we should hold harmless those students who do not do as well," he

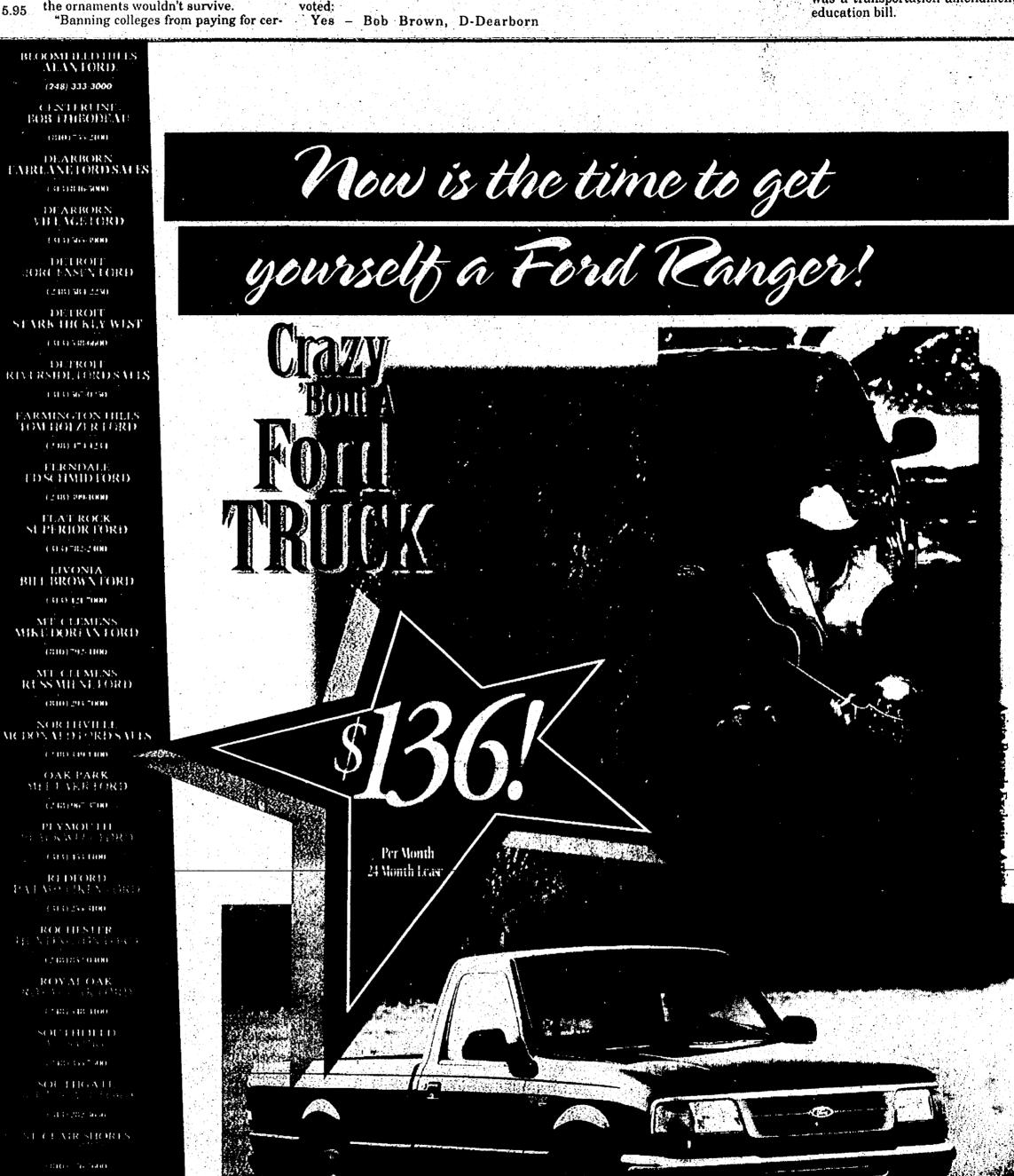
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#### SPECIALTY FOODS



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## **Necessity Mother** of Invention for saucy products

ife gets sour sometimes, and when it does, some people take the lemons and make ■ lemonade.

Julie Stumbaugh and Barb Klaserner both raised big families, and were going through a divorce when they met 11 years ago in Redford in a class for displaced homemakers.

"The one thing we both could do is cook," said Stumbaugh. "We decided to go out to lunch together, and instantly became friends."

After some research, and experimenting in the kitchen, they started Jabars Complements, Inc. which is based in Walled Lake. Their "All Natural, Top of the Line," dressings and marinades, vegetable and fruit dips, seasoning blends, and sauces, contain no fat, and fall within dietary guidelines set by the American Heart Associa-

They manufacture 30 different products. The newest - Roadkill Roy BBQ Sauce - was named in honor of Julie's son-in-law Dave, who her sons call "Roy."

"Somebody driving ahead of him on the highway hit a deer, so my son-in-law took it home and ate it. My son started teasing him so we had a caricature done of my son-in-law, and put it on this real wild looking label. Everyone loves it, and can't walk by without laughing," said Stumbaugh. "It's a sweet sauce, a little spicy. It has a unique flavor; it's a little smoky, mesquite fla-

Sometimes things got a little sour. Like the time they were left with lots of peppers after doing a vinegar for a local restaurant. One too many peppers led to the creation of Jabars Pepper Tree Square Sauce Line, which includes Pepper Passion Marinade, Tropical Passion Hot Sauce, Flaming Pepper Passion Hot Sauce, Lemony Lemon Pepper, and Michigan Cherry Passion Hot Sauce.

Julie says people have gotten hooked on their Seasonings - Eastern Style, Gourmet Meat Rub for Beef or Lamb, Pork or Chicken, Seasoning Italian Style, and Special Blend Seasoning for Turkey & Pork, and have got to have them.

"We really love it, and love coming up with new ideas, and seeing people's reaction to them," said Stumbaugh with her partner nodding yes in agreement. "It's a rewarding thing to see something you've created enjoyed by people."

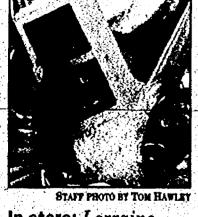
They say when God closes one door he opens another. That's certainly true for Julie and Barb who count their blessings every day. "We feel that God gave us the thought to start this business, and brought us together," said Stumbaugh.

Look for Jabars Complements at Vic's World Class Market in Novi, or call (810) 669-9211 for mail order information. Their vinaigrettes retail for \$5, dressings and marinades \$5, dip mixes \$3, seasoning blends, \$4 and sauces \$3 to \$5.

#### Sweet Lorraine

When restaurateur Lorraine Platman couldn't

find a Jamaican "Jerk" Marinade that didn't list salt as the first or second ingredient, she made her own. "I love it person-



In store: Lorraine Platman of Sweet Lorraine's has something new in store for customers - her Sweet Poppyseed Dressing and Jamaican "Jerk" Marinade are now available at many local upscale food stores. Michigan artist Dave Moroski designed the latel.

always on diets, and can add flavor without fat by using it," she said. Platman known for her deli in Madison Heights, and restaurants in Ann Arbor and Southfield, is an innovator who never tires of experimenting. Because honey mustard was so expensive, when she opened her deli 15 years ago, Platman made her own Honey Bee Mustard. "We couldn't afford the stuff," she said. "I made

my own to keep

costs down." Later

she created Calyp-

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#### LOOKING AHEAD

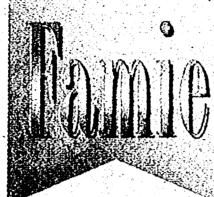
What to watch for in Taste next week:

Sensational steaks

Roughing it in your backyard

#### Seeking to be the best





BY RUTH MOSSOK JOHNSTON SPECIAL WRITER

ho is this wild and crazy guy who dons a chefs coat as daily attire, flails a knife in quick precision, ice fishes in Orchard Lake for a TV food spot, and cooks a fish on the engine of his truck? Part adventure seeker, part local celeb, part regular guy, but biggest part chef. He is Keith Famie. This energetic 37-year-old is on a mission - to be the best, to have the best, and enjoy the best. Not all bad for a guy who didn't go to the Culinary Institute of America.

Traveling around, and learning from well-known culinary professionals after graduating from Farmington High School in 1978, Famie credits Michigan Culinary transplant chefs Duglass (Douglas Gretch) from The Great Dane and Duglass Duglass, Stuart Anderson from Jacques, Yvonne Gill (now Yvonne Uhlianuk) from The Money Tree and later, Tweeny's, and Chef Milos Cihelka from The Golden Mushroom, with the European influence that set the culinary tone here in the Metropolitan Detroit area.



Cooking demo: Chef Keith Famie demonstrates how to make one of his famous dishes turning the taping of Famie's Finds, which airs every Friday at noon on WDIV/TV 4.

"It was these chefs that developed the Culinary Brat Pack," says Famie - "you know, Brian Polcyn, Steve Allen, Rick Halberg, Greg Upshur, Tom MacKin-

non, Jeff Gabriel, Danny Hugelier, Ed Janos, Peter Loren, Kevin Brennen, Gary Pierce, and me." These well-known role model chefs and mentors have made way for the younger set, but their talent, influence, and training remains, and our prominent local chefs are the proof of the pudding.

In 1982 (and a mere 22) Famie started out as Chef de Cuisine at the Wisne owned Raphael's restaurant in Novi (later Chez Rafael, then renamed Too Chez), dazzling the clientele with trendy, upscale, elaborate dishes - actually opening that restaurant with talented Maitre'd. Achille Bianchi (who is still there!)

"We were an incredible combination - Achille and I, a real working relationship" relates Famie, Well, things have come full circle, and as they say what goes around, comes around,' and

the Wisne's are Famie's cordon. From 1988 to 1993, Famie in a mode of entrepreneurship, opened

**■** This energetic 37-yearold is on a mission - to be the best. to have the best. and enjoy the best. Not all bad for a guy who didn't go to the Culinary Institute

of America.

the well-known Les Auteurs, An American Bistro in Royal Oak, and later transformed it into the Cowboy motif Durango Grill. In 1995, after a short ride, the doors of Durango closed. Climbing back in the saddle, Keith concentrated on Famie's Finds, his (sometimes adventure-filled, always delicious) cooking-segments, his future, and his two young children.

What other chef would have a canoe, paramount in the

midst of Victor Saroki's beautifully designed downtown Birmingham eatery? The canoe is not part of the fabulous decor at Forte, but a prop for one of his Famie's Finds WDIV-

TV 4 tapings. Keith seems endlessly happy and passionate about his current life - he's got the formula down after a few big disappointments - both professional and personal. And working "on the line" nightly at Forté seems to be part of the recipe to his happiness.

"I'm a make everything work kinda-guy," says Famie, and his restaurant credo is "lets have fun and do our job." Keith is certainly doing that - his drive is as endless as his passion for cooking - a master of public relations, he knows how to put things together. His approachable style is certainly a likable quality.

The food at Forté might be described as Mediterranean-California-style - but always on the edge. "My cooking is now reflective of my lifestyle - healthier. I'm a workout freak, I box every

day, and I eat better." Fresh food is key. Dishes range from simple to complex, but always utilize the freshest of ingredients. The Wisne's (Epoch Enterprises) are smart restaurateurs. Toni Wisne specifically

See FAMIE, B2

# & FLEANOR HEAD

## Take a sip of madeira, m'dear!

Madeira is a remote island in the Atlantic Ocean, 300 miles off the west coast of North Africa, and 500 miles from Portugal, the

country to which it belongs. Most wine lovers know Porto from Portugal, but often fail to discover another of its fine wines, madeira. The first Portuguese settlers brought malvoisie

(or malvasia), a white grape from Crete to the island of Madeira. This grape was christened "Malmsey" by the British. Some years later, Jesuit fathers planted three other grape varieties, sercial, verdelho and bual. These four grapes create the noble madeira wine portfolio.

Once trading ships launched on the high seas to and from the New World, many stopped at the island of Madeira's deep water port of Funchal to load provisions which often included barrels of madeira, fortified by brandy addition. Fortification not only prolonged the wine's life and increased its alcohol strength, but became a part of its recognized style. Westbound ships passed through the tropics. On-board barrels of madeira experienced elevated temperatures as high as 95°F for days or even weeks. This agreeably altered the wine by giving it the characteristic "burnt" taste with a tang, favorably associated with madeira. To imitate on-board "heating" in modern times, estufagem, or the process of heating the wine in a loft, was incorporated into madeira production methods.

There's a saying in Madeira that "high is dry and low is rich. Sercial grapes grow on Madeira's highest slopes and make the driest wine. Pale or golden with a refreshing lift of acidity at the end, it is a perfect aperitif served slightly chilled. Verdelho and bual grapes are grown further down the mountain slopes. These are medium-rich. golden-colored wines. Verdelho is drier than bual and is best served before a meal or to those who prefer a dry dessert wine. Bual is distinctly designed as a dessert pour. It's good with nutty in sauces or soups. Use madeira in place of sherry cheese such as Monalisa Gouda. Malmsey, a fra- or Port in a recipe calling for either. A dry grant, full-bodied, richly-flavored, sweet dessert madeira (Sercial, Verdelho or Rainwater) gives a

#### Wine Picks

- 1995 Quivira Sauvignon Blanc \$12 is great with crab and 1995 Iron Horse Chardonnay \$24.50 with grilled white fish.
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- steak zin For robust pasta dishes, try 1992 Caroso Montepulclano D'Abruzzo Riserya \$15 and 1994 Brolio Chienti Classico \$12 from Italy.

• 1995 Columbia Crest Chardonnay \$9 1995 Bogle Merlot \$10

cial, verdelho and/or bual is known as Rainwater Madeira. It's medium dry and suitable as an aper-

itif or as light, liquid dessert. Three major brands of madeira are in this market. Cossart Gordon, one of the oldest madeira shippers was founded in 1745, Leacock's in 1760 and Blandy's in 1811. The styles within each brand are different and "liking" is a matter of individual preference.

Leacock's Rainwater Madeira \$14 is probably the best known. Blandy's 5 year Sercial, Verdelho. Bual or Malmsey, all \$21, are light and elegant. Blandy's dry Sercial is excellent. The Cossart Gordon style is fuller, richer and sweeter. Try their Rainwater \$17, 10 year bual \$38.50 and 5 year Malmsey \$23. Once opened, a bottle of madeira remains stable and drinkable for two to three

Madeiras are kitchen versatile and can be used wine, grows in foothill vineyards. A blend of ser- unique flavor twist to an easy chicken preparation.



BARBARA EDELMAN COMMUNICATIONS, INC Harvest: On the island of Madeira, grape harvest is made in traditional vintage wicker baskets.

In cooking, all alcohol evaporates; only the special flavors remain.

■ The Garden Party's 10th anniversary is-1-6 p.m. Sunday, June 1 on St. Vincent & Sarah Fish? er Center grounds, 27400 West 12 Mile Road; Farmington Hills. Area restaurants and wine pur veyors supporting the event for its milestone decade will be joined by newcomers such as Birms ingham's Forté, Morton's of Chicago and Pacific Grill in Southfield, and The Capital Grille of Troy

Somerset. The event is a major fund raiser for the Centel which has provided a safe home to children in crit sis for 68 years. Tickets are \$100 per person. For

more information call, (810) 626-7527, ext. 280. Look for Focus on Wine on the first and third Sunday of the month in Taste. To leave a voice mail message for the Healds, dial (313) 953-2042 on a touch-tone phone, mailbox 1864.

# Chef Keith Famie shares tasty 'Finds'

'See related story on Taste front.

Here are some of Some of Keith Famie's - "Famie's Finds" recipes.

#### CRAB CAKES

- Yield: 6 cakes
- 2 (6-ounce) cans lump crab meat
- 2 ears of roasted corn, ker-
- nels removed 1/4 cup finely diced red onion
- 1/4 cup finely diced celery
- 1/4 cup finely diced red pep-
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pep-
- 2 eggs 1/4 cup flour
- 1/2 tablespoon fresh thyme
- 1/2 tablespoon fresh cilantro 1 tablespoon fresh chives
- In a bowl add all ingredients, mix together thoroughly, being careful not to crush the corn ker-
- Form the wet mixture into 6 crab cakes. Sauté in a Silverstone or Teflon pan with a small amount
- of olive oil.
- Serve with a mild or spicy toma-
- to sauce.

#### CRISPY SPICE MOROCCAN SALMON

- Yield: 4 servings
- 4 (6-ounce) Salmon filets
- 2 tablespoons olive oil Spice mixture:
- 1/2 cup whole coriander
- 1/2 cup cumin seeds 1/2 cup fennel seeds
- 1 teaspoon whole all spice
- 1 teaspoon whole cloves
- 1/2 teaspoon cayenne pep-
- 1/2 teaspoon paprika
- To make spice mixture. Grind (whole spices) each one in a coffee grinder. Blend together all spices.
- Heat saute pan with olive oil. Lightly dust one side of salmon with spice mixture. Put dusted side down in pan. Brown lightly. While salmon is cooking, season with salt and pepper to taste.
- Take salmon out of pan. Place it on an ovenware pan that has been lightly coated with olive oil and put into 400 degree F. oven. Bake

in oven until meat can gently flake or salmon feels firm to the touch. Serve with a spicy tomato sauce.

#### SPICY TOMATO SAUCE

- Yield: 1 quart .
- 2 tablespoons olive oil 1 medium red onion, chopped
- 2 tablespoons minced garlic
- 2 cups diced tomatoes
- 2 cups tomato juice
- 1 cup vegetable stock
- 2 tablespoons parsley, fresh chopped
- 2 tablespoons cilantro, fresh chopped
- 1 teaspoon ground cumin 1 teaspoon ground fennel
- 1 teaspoon paprika
- 1 teaspoon ground celery seed
- 3 tablespoons salt and pep-

In stainless steel pot, on medium heat, sauté red onion in olive oil. Stir in garlic when onions are soft and cook 1 minute. Add tomatoes, juice and vegetable stock. Cook at a simmer for 15 minutes. Add fresh herbs and dried herbs. Season with salt and pepper

## Famie from page B1

works very closely with Chef Famie, and gives him the kind of free rein he needs. Designing the kitchen himself, Keith determined his needs, and created a sleek, stainless steel kitchen with a huge hearth oven, that would meet those needs, and highlight his talents.

This same chef is one of six (five other chefs, and one waitress) who give up Christmas Eve (this past Christmas Eve

was their 10th), to cook for the homeless at a dinner sponsored by COTS the Coalition of Temporary Shelters. Famie is tied to the Detroit area, his family is here, and of course, Alicia and Josh ages 4 and 6.

When asked about the future, Keith relates his ideal situation - "someday I'd love a ranch out west, a place where terminally ill kids, or kids who don't have

much, could come and fish and have fun."

His ideal may be cooking trout someday on a ranch, but for now, his plans include going to China to cook. In October Chef Famie, and a select crew from Forté, will prepare a special dinner in Shanghai, China, for Gov. John Engler and 125 of his guests, to celebrate the new Michigan Trade Office.

A Grand Style Buffet will

highlight Michigan products producing a Michigan Menu, not dissimilar to the 1989 event Chef Famie did in Paris for 200 guests of the American Ambassador to

France.

Closer to home at Forté, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 20, Fontant de France wines bring together Chefs Laurent and Jacques Pourcel (twin brothers) of the Jardin des Sens, the two star

Michelin restaurant in Montpellier, France along with Chef Keith Famie for a collaborative effort of talent - to kick off Forté's special monthlong Mediterranean feast for the

That evening, there will be a five course prix fixe menu of small courses "a tasting menu") especially chosen and paired with Fontant wines. This event costs \$75 per person plus tax and gratuity. For reservations, call (810) 594-7300.

Kitchen Glamor at Orchard Mall, on the northeast corner of Maple and Orchard Lake Roads in West Bloomfield, will offer a sneak preview of this unique event 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 20. There is no charge for this cooking demonstration.

## Specialty Foods from page B1

Mustard. Sweet Poppyseed Dressing is a longtime customer favorite.

A year-and-a-half ago Platman took a big step. "We saw gourmet food products connected with stores, and knew some of our items would be advantageous to home cooks," she said. Sweet Lorraine's two signature mustards, Jamaican "Jerk" Marinade, and famous Sweet Poppyseed Dressing are available for purchase at her restaurants, and 48 stores in metro Detroit including Hudson's, Merchant of Vino, Papa Joe's, Vic's, Westborn, and Shopping Center Mar-

"They're real, and come from knows we put extra effort into making it as healthy as possi-

ble," she said about her products. Look for her No-fat Roasted Garlic Balsamic Vinaigrette and No-Fat Strawberry Vinaigrette to be introduced in September. Sweet Poppyseed Dressing is \$3.95; Jamaican "Jerk" Marinade \$4.95, and the mustards \$2.95 each.

#### **Native West**

Known for "Unique American Southwest Art," Native West, 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail in downtown Plymouth, is not the first place you'd think of shopping for salsa, salad dressing, sauces, hot and spicy dips, barbecue sauce, soup, cornbread, and chili mixes.

"Everything we sell is from the heart," she said. "Everyone New Mexico or Arizona," said Foods challenge in New Mexico," Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. Annette Horn. "We thought said Horn. "Salsas are a like a To fax information, call (313) these food items would be a fun mini fiesta for the taste buds. 591-7279. addition to our store."

Annette and her husband, Ken, are also award-winning chili cooks who are as serious about food as they are about art. "In our search for brands to be featured we had to be picky," said Horn explaining how she chose Coyote Cocina products, including red and green salsas, hot sauce, peach preserves, and chili honey, which are made in Sante Fe. It's a well-known brand name, created by Mark Miller, owner of Coyote Cafe, a five star restaurant.

Six Shooter Salsa by Cowpoke Cuisine and Hogwild Chili Mix are also available. "It's an absolutely wonderful mix, and won first place at the 1996 Fiery

It's fun food." Native West will be offering Pinon Blend Coffee for sale this summer. Native West is open seven days. They stay open until 8 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, call (313) 455-8838 for more information.

■ Faygo is celebrating its 90th anniversary. Be sure to see next month's Specialty Foods Column to learn more about this Michigan classic.

Look for Specialty Foods on the third Sunday of the month in . Taste. Send information about specialty food products made in Michigan, for consideration in this column to Keely Wygonik, Taste editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251

## Dishes are 'Jabars Complements'

See related Specialty Food column on front.

#### RASPBERRY VINAIGRETTE WITH MIXED GREENS

#### Dressing

- 1/3 cup olive oil (or salad oil)
- 3 tablespoons Raspberry Vinaigrette
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon sugar
- Salad
- 2 cups spinach leaves
- 2 cups Romaine lettuce
- 2 cups leaf lettuce (red leaf)
- 2 cups red grapes (seedless and cut in half) 1/2 cup toasted walnut
- pieces

1 red onion (sliced into rings) Combine oil, vinaigrette salt and

sugar to make dressing. Tear lettuce into bite-size pieces,

add grapes, onions and walnut

Shake salad dressing ingredients together. Pour over salad, and toss well.

#### SPICY PEACH CHICKEN

4 teaspoons olive oil 5 teaspoons Jabar's Peach

Wine Vinaigrette

- 1/4 teaspoon cayenne pep-
- 2 boneless, skinless chicken breasts

4 teaspoons lite soy sauce

- 1/2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
- 2 tablepoons honey
- 1/8 teaspoon black pepper

Combine all ingredients and brush on chicken. Grill, broil, or bake. Keep turning in sauce and brushing on marinade.

Recipes from Jabars Comple-

#### COOKING CALENDAR

Send or fax items for Cooking Calendar to Keely Wygonik, Taste Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150. To send a fax, (313) 591-7279.

#### WINE FOR REAL BEGINNNERS

Four-hour class to be presented 6 p.m. Monday, May 19 and July 14 at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Cost \$49, call (313) 462-4448. Taught by Lee Hershey, wine manager at Beverage Warehouse craft College this spring - "Low

Marketplace in Novi and a wine teacher for 10 years, topics include the differences among wines, how to read wine labels, and which wines accompany which foods.

#### SUMMER COOKING WITH BRIAN

POLCYN Chef Brian Polcyn of Five Lakes Grill in Milford will teach the art of making great soups and salads and healthful cooking in two classes offered at SchoolFat/High Flavor," 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, May 31; and "Spring/Summer Soups & Salads," 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 7. The fee is \$70 per class, call (313) 462-4448 to register.

#### LENORE'S NATURAL CUISINE

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Memorial Weekend

Healthful Cooking Classes at 22899 Inkster Road, call (810) 478-4455 to register. Intro to macrobiotics 7:30-9 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, (\$20); Amasake, "milkshake" drink made from rice 6-9 p.m. Wednesday, June 4

(\$30).

#### BEER APPRECIATION

Taught by Chef Bruce Wright, 7-9 p.m. Thursdays, May 29, June 19, July 24 & Aug. 24 at

## Madeira flavored chicken for two

See related Focus on Wine column on Taste front.

#### CHICKEN COOKED IN DRY

- MADEIRA 1 skinless, boneless chicken breast, split
- flour seasoned with salt and pepper
- 1 tablespoon butter

garnish

3 tablespoons dry madeira 1 tablespoon chicken stock Freshly chopped parsley for

Pound chicken breasts thin between sheets of waxed paper. Dredge in seasoned flour and sauté in melted butter in a heavy fry pan,

When browned on both sides, add three tablespoons of dry madeira. Let liquid bubble one minute. Add chicken stock and simmer one minute. Garnish with chopped parsley. Serves 2.

Recipe adapted from Madeira the Island Vineyard by Noel Cos-

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# Dress salads with colorful greens, zesty toppings

Salads are a welcome addition to any meal. Colorful and crispy, they can provide a variety of flavors to fit almost any menu. As a separate course, a side dish or the main attraction, salads are one of the best ways to get one or several of your recommended five daily servings of vegetables and fruits.

It's customary to start a salad with a base of greens. Although iceberg lettuce is a traditional source of crunch, it's 95 percent water and virtually vitamin-free. Boston, Bibb or romaine lettuce are more nutritious alternatives if you prefer a mild-flavored leaf. Get the bold flavor and greater nutrition of darker greens by combining peppery watercress and arugula with more mildmannered lettuces in your next salad mix,

Traditional green salad vegetables, such as tomatoes, green pepper, cucumber, carrots and onion contain lots of vitamins and minerals, but why not venture a little further into the garden?

The healthiest diet provides variety, and salads are a great way to introduce new and interesting foods. toss in some cooked corn kernels, crisp-tender zucchini rounds, sugar snap peas, garbanzo beans, or roasted red pepper strips, cooked grains and legumes, such as barley, lentils and bulgur wheat are fiber-and nutrient-rich additions that

make your salad even more of a meal.

Many fruits mix well in vegetable salads. Sharp, juicy grapefruit is a perfect partner for crunchy, licorice-flavored fennel. Try a snappy strawberry and cucumber salad seasoned with a bit of black pepper and lime juice. Oranges are always a welcome addition to a green salad, or toss together orange slices with grated carrot, fresh dill an orange juice vinaigrette.

Dressings can be the downfall of a wholesome salad. Traditional dressings can be more than 90percent fat and just a few tablespoons can make a significant dent in your entire day's recommended fat allowance. Get added flavor instead from the large number of low-fat or fat-free dressings available at the supermarket. Or, make your own dressing with plain yogurt, nonfat yogurt, chopped fresh herbs, flavored vinegars and fruit juices.

Sample Crisp Green Salad with Tonnato Dressing and you'll agree that low-fat doesn't mean low-flavor.

CRISP GREEN SALAD WITH **TONNATO DRESSING** 

Dressing:

- 1 (6 1/2 ounce) can water packed chunk light tuna drained
- 1 clove garlic .
- 1/4 cup Dijon mustard

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1 tablespoon olive oil

1/4 teaspoon dried oregano 2-3 anchovy filets, drained

and rinsed (optional)

1/2 cup chicken broth Freshly ground pepper to taste

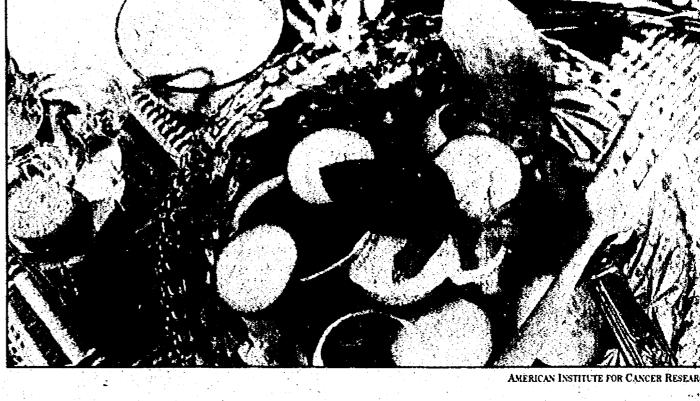
Salad:

- 8 Romaine lettuce leaves 8 red bell pepper rings
- 4 green bell pepper rings 8 slices cucumber
- 12 red onion rings (optional).

In a blender or food processor, combine the tuna, garlic, mustard, vinegar, olive oil, oregano and anchovies (if using), stopping once or twice to scrape down the sides of the container, add the chicken broth and blend until the dressing has the consistency of thin mayonnaise. Season to taste with pepper. If possible, refrigerate 2-3 hours before using, allowing flavors to blend.

Tear lettuce into bite-size pieces and mound on a serving platter. Arrange pepper rings, cucumber, and onion rings over the lettuce. Pour over 1/2 cup of the dressing and serve. (This dressing keeps 2-3 days in a tightly sealed container in the refrigerator).

Use leftover dressing on a rice



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Flavorful salad: Crisp Green Salad with Tonnato Dressing - a flavorful combination of tuna, garlic, mustard, and red wine vinegar - is proof low-fat doesn't mean low

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CHIP COOKIES

Preparation time: 20 minutes Baking time: 10 minutes ,

- 1 cup cake flour
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1 1/4 cups firmly packed
- 2 eggs
- 1 tablespoon vanilla
- or chunks

medium bowl, combine flour, cake

A Great Side Meat

Dearborn Sausage Smoked

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flour, baking soda and baking powder; set aside.

In large mixer bowl, combine sugar, brown sugar and butter. Beat at medium speed, scraping bowl often, until creamy, 2 to 3 minutes. Add eggs and vanilla. Continue beating; scraping bowl often, until well mixed (1 minute). Reduce speed to low, continue

sheets. Bake for 10 to 12 minutes until light golden brown. Makes 4 dozen cookies.

Nutrition facts per jumbo cookie:@ 310 cal., 3 g pro., 42 g carbo., 16 g fat, 45 mg chol., 170 mg sodium.

CHOCOLATE PIXIES

Preparation time: 20 minutes Chilling time: 2 hours Baking time: 12 minutes

to 10 minutes; cool.

In large mixer bowl, combine with melted chocolate and all remaining ingredients except 1 cup of the flour, the nuts and the powdered sugar. Beat at medium speed, scraping bowl often, until well mixed, 2 to 3 minutes.

By hand, stir in remaining 1 cup flour and nuts. Cover, refrigerate until firm (2 hours or overnight). Heat oven to 300 degrees F. Shape rounded teaspoonfuls of dough into 1-inch balls; roll in powdered sugar. Place 2 inches apart on greased cookie sheets. Bake in preheated oven for 12 to 15 minutes or until firm to the touch. Makes 4

Nutrition facts per cookie: 90 cal., 2 g pro., 13 g carbo., 3 g fat,

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## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for skin research study

Individuals with normal skin who sunburn easily are needed for a research study at the University of Michigan Department of Dermatology. Skin samples will be taken as a part of this study.

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## Bridal beauty is a matter of style

SPECIAL WRITER

In order to help you produce the best wedding with memories and photos that you will be happy to bring out. I offer some advice that I have gleaned over many years of working at weddings.

Weddings are becoming more elaborate, with wedding planners proliferating to the point of being almost standard. People are creating theme weddings in order not to have the same wedding as everyone else. There are so many things that are involved in putting together a wedding that it is easy to feel that it is getting out of control. There are, however, three areas that you control, and once you have a handle on these, the others will seem more

manageable.

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The Dress: Perhaps nothing takes more time or deliberation than the wedding dress. It can set the tone for the whole wedding, and will be in every photo and memory of that day.

Make sure that you are not overwhelmed by the dress. You are wearing the dress, not the other way around. This is not a time to be experimental. Stick with the classic styles, the traditional colors and fabrics. You

may want to combine a very simple style with an elaborate fabric. It is easier to tell you what not to do, or what to avoid. Do not have enormous sleeves unless you are a fan of Imelda Marcos. If you are five feet tall, you may want to rethink a 30-foot cathedral-length train. Unless you are bohemian or out to shock, you may want to avoid black and deep green. All of the following look good on a gown: pearls, beading, sequins, lace, tulle, bows, quilted fabrics, etc. But please, select

Form-fitting gowns can look great, providing you have a figure that warrants this fit. Unless you have slender, wonderfully toned arms, do not wear a sleeveless dress. Similarly, you may want to pay attention to how the neckline suits your figure. Don't wear too many petticoats, unless you are producing an antebellum theme wedding. Otherwise, you will have trouble dancing, sitting down, and getting near people. The time of the day dictates which style you choose, but make sure to flatter your most positive figure asset.

The Hair: This is also not the time to do anything drastic. Do not take this opportunity to dye your hair a new color or get a tight perm. It also does not mean that you have to have your hair up. The hair style you choose should look good in an evening gown and a pair of jeans. If your hair looks its best down and to the side, then that may be the style you want to go with.

At the very least, spend some time before the wedding looking for a stylist that you trust and have your hair done in the style you intend on the day. This will take any anxiety away from your wedding day morning. If you want to dress your hair up, you can always add sprigs of flowers, or even better, wear a pair of wonderful earrings. If your dress is elaborate, then you may want to complement it with a simple hairstyle and veil. The last thing you want is your bridegroom wondering who is coming down the aisle!

The Makeup: My best advice to you is to start a few months before the wedding by taking good care of your skin. You don't want the stress of the wedding to break you out. Remember to drink a lot of water. Your makeup should look subtle but strong. That may sound like a contradiction, but it simply means that you don't want to look garish, with strange colors, with too much eyeliner.

But you need to have a great foundation, and to carry powder with you for coping with the shine that will inevitably happen. You are going to be kissing a lot of people, eating and drinking, and so it is important to repair your lipstick from time to time. If you start with a great lip liner, you will have less of a problem.

Make sure that your blusher is well applied, and stay with the roses, pinks and peaches. Avoid browns and purples, which will look out of place with your wedding dress, especially if you are wearing white, ivory or bone.

Keep in mind that everywhere you turn, people will be taking photos of you. The lighting and photographers will differ. You will want to look back with as much enjoyment as possible at the photos, and not just see a couple of red dots in a sea of white. So think of yourself as being on stage, and make yourself up for the occasion.

Response to the private appointments I held in May at the Townsend Hotel in Birmingham was so large that I have decided to put in more dates for June. If you can't join me there, I will also be visiting salons in Windsor, Highland, Ann Arbor and Flint. For further details call 800-944-6588.



T-Rex temper: Ken Ryntz and his son Colton, 2/2 of Madison Heights, don't seem surprised to meet a dinosaur at the mall.

Hills and the Blue Care Network. Susan DeMaggio

Dinosaurs of Los Angeles.

## Accent the positive

## Looking good requires imagemaker services

BY BARB PERT TEMPLETON SPECIAL WRITER

Some historians argue that Richard Nixon lost the presidency to John Kennedy in 1960 simply because Kennedy had a makeup artist prepare him for the televised debates and Nixon didn't.

Today, meeting with an imageconsultant is de rigueur for anyone in the public eye.

Select hair salons in the malls and on Main Streets offer hair and makeup lessons. The upscale department stores offer wardrobe planning services. But sometimes you need to seek out a professional image consultant who can help you with an overall "look".

How do they do it?

Skin tones set the pace. Once you compliment them with the right make-up, hair style and clothing, you have conquered the task of looking your best according to image consultant Dawn Bause.

"Sometimes people are attracted to colors that don't suit them. I tell them 'decorate your house in those colors but please, don't wear them," smiled Bause, owner of Color Associates in Southfield.

Bause has been helping local people get their image polished for promotions and public appearances for a decade. Her client list includes 300 women who have appointments with her twice a year to have their image reevaluated. Bause recently extended her services as an image counselor to corporations across metro-Detroit who call her in to give their staff a "professional appearance update."

"In some cases the employees are just getting lax in their look for the office," said Bause, who feels the recent surge in corporate casual attire hasn't hurt her business. "I actually have a slide show called Casual Friday that I take to these companies and it shows people what's appropriate for that day because some do get a little too casu-

Giving people frank advise about their appearance doesn't bother Bause although she admits she has to watch her tendency to offer tips that aren't solicited.



Looking good: Makeup artist Robin Manoogian (left) applies lipstick to newscaster Robbie Timmons just minutes before the show to keep her look current and fashionable.

one at the airport what they should be doing," smiled Bause. "My husband says I get away with murder telling people these things but I just love it.'

On the downside of the profession, Bause said being a consultant means she can't afford to ever be seen in an unpolished state.

"I can't go out anytime, without having my make-up, hair and clothes in order," she said.

Looking good at all times is something the clients of popular metro-Detroit image consultant Robin Manoogian expect.

Manoogian, owner of About Face Beauty Spa in Royal Oak, has a huge following that includes corporate heads, local media stars and national celebrities. The local makeup artist, who spent ten years providing fashion tips and a fresh look for Kelly and Company co-host MarRoyal Oak salon her home base. Still she manages to take her consulting show on the road a dozen times a week.

'This month I'm doing Channel 7's Robbie Timmons everyday," said Manoogian. "A few weeks ago I did Vice President Al Gore when he was in town to do an on-camera video for the Cancer Foundation."

Noting that the vice president was "quite charming", Manoogian pointed out she has had the honor of powdering the First Face on three different occasions.

"I did President Bill Clinton twice before he was elected, and once afterwards," said Manoogian. "One of the times was for the cover of Newsweek. When he came back here later he autographed the cover for ing America and she was very, very, or 363-8080.

"Sometimes I end up telling some- ilyn Turner, considers her new easy to work with," Manoogian added.

> Later she was reintroduced to the first couple on several occasions while traveling as a consultant for Detroit's own Aretha Franklin. Manoogian tended to the star during several White House appearances.

> More recent assignments Manoogian has enjoyed include her work with rocker John Mellencamp when he appeared at the Fox Theater last month, and her prepping of Senator Carl Levin for his recent appearance on This Week With David Brinkley.

"I enjoy my work immensely, I work probably 18 hours a day," said Manoogian. "Plus, I still do consulting for weddings or with models for . photo shoots."

Manoogian is at About Face me. I also did Hilary once when she Beauty Salon (248) 399-1330; Bause was going to appear on Good Morn- is at Color Associates (248) 353-6884

News of special events for shoppers is included in this calendar. Send information to: Malls & Mainstreets, c/o The Observer & Eccentric 805 East Maple, 48009; or fax (248) 644-1314. Deadliner Wednesday 5 p.m. for publication on Sunday.

SUNDAY, MAY 18 Dinosaur exhibit

"Blast from the Past" features eight moving, roaring dinosaurs in natural setting, plus related activities, information booths, and classes by Cranbrook Science Center staff for school groups. Through July 7. Co-sponsored by Blue Care Network, Cranbrook and the mall. Dinosaurs by Kokoro Dinosaurs of Los Angeles. Oakland Mall. 14 Mile I John R. Troy. (248) 585-4114.

Rain forest exhibit

Now through June, Twelve Oaks presents "edutaining" rain forest-themed activities that include a real, "pettable" alligator; a 200,000pound rain forest made of sand; interactive computer activities; musical performances and scavenger hunts. May 24-25 "Flumpa and Friends

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(248) 443-6000.

**Artist visits** Neiman Marcus hosts Steuben crystal designer

Joel Smith 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Gift Galleries. The same day, a David Yurman jewelry trunk show plus a Marian Clayden trunk show in couture

Somerset Collection South. Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy. (248) 643-3300.

THURSDAY, MAY 22 Health-O-Rama

Low cost health tests and information booths 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. through May 23. Participants must be 18 years or older. Mall has list of tests

Livonia Mall. Seven Mile/Middlebelt. (248) 424-8600.

FRIDAY, MAY 23

Sports collectibles show

Baseball cards and other memorabilia through May 26 for show and sale.

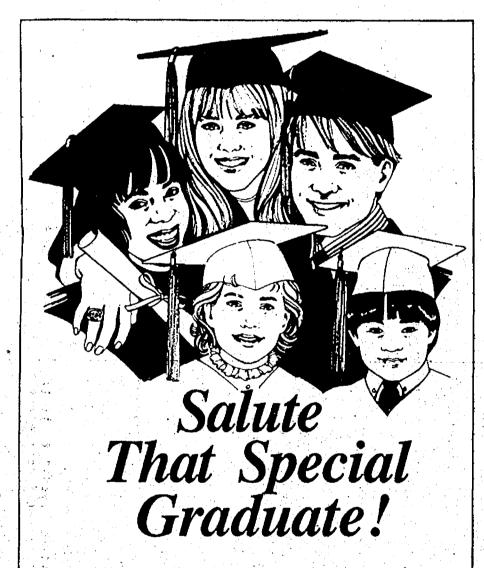
Wonderland. Plymouth / Middlebelt. Livonia. (313) 421-2900, ext. 305. Dermatologist visits

Dr. Mary Lupo sun protection advocate visits Kmart on behalf of Banana Boat sun products. Noon-3 p.m. She discusses SPF numbers and individual skin types needs.

Telegraph / Square Lake. Bloomfield. (248) 335-7844.



Table toppers: A sample of the linen collection at Carre' Blanc captures the whimsy of the 'french' designs.



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## French linens at new Somerset shop

BY LINDA BACHRACK SPECIAL WRITER

In addition his reputation as an astute Parisian businessman, Dominique Michel is a creative and talented designer.

See for yourself at the Carre' Blanc boutique just-opened at Somerset Collection South in Troy.

Michel is vice president of the world-renowned home linens company and he paints the designs that are ultimately printed on the linen collections' cotton duvet covers, pillow

shams and sheeting.

Carre' Blanc's charming French catalog proclaims, "With blue ink, he has drawn the sea and the wind. With white, he talks about the springtime's

freshness. For luck, he adds a touch of red on a sailor's hat. When Dominique Michel invites us to share his imaginary world, let us go!"

#### By the sea

The linen designs to which these words refer include nautical-inspired Berets Marins (The Midshipman's Dream) and Bienvenue a' Bord! (Welcome On Board), and a tablecloth collection fittingly named Herbier d'ete' (The Summertime Herb Garden).

Jean-Claude Gotheron, CEO of Carre' Blanc's new U.S. division, explained the company's philoso-

"We produce two complete linen collections a year," he said.

"From the collection, we choose several of the best designs and create serving pieces to match. It's the breakfast in bed idea," he added in his lilting French

The ensembles also include bath and beach towels, robes for children and adults, and table linens. King size duvet covers range in price from \$65-200, with the average price point at \$100 - surprisingly affordable for European bed linens.

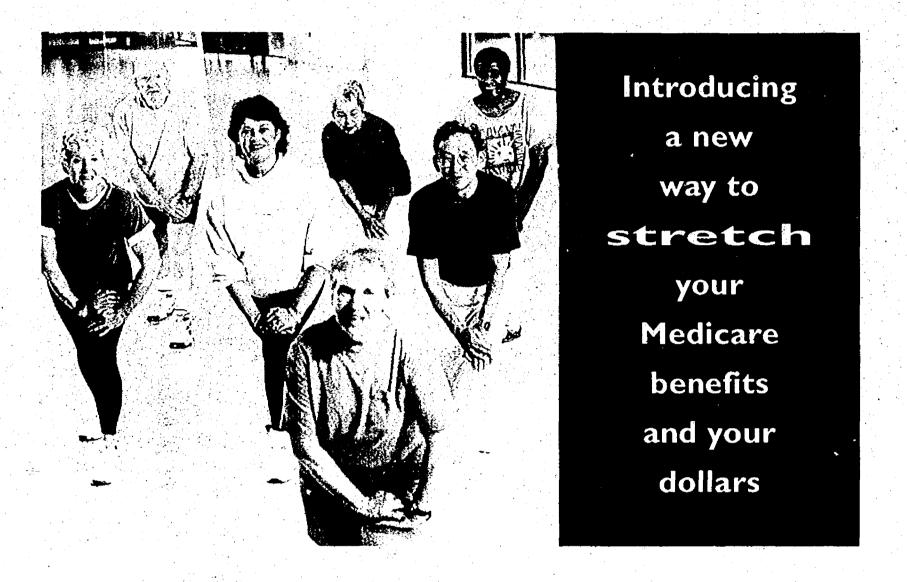
Gotheron says that the textiles were remanufactured for the U.S. market to assure a 180-200 thread count. Europeans prefer 140-160 maximum threads per

inch. The 1,200-square foot cottage look Somerset shop, with

bleached wood flooring and lightly-pickled pine fixtures and armoires is the fifth boutique to open in the U.S. Other locations are in St. Louis, Miami, Dallas and Orlando. In business for 13 years. Carre' Blanc has 140 stores in the world, 95 of them in France.

The Somerset store manager Michel Mathieu recently relocated from France and hopes to bring a touch of Parisian romance to Troy.

His job shouldn't be too difficult in a shop draped with Mimosa, Poppy and Margueritecovered textiles. The atmosphere will have shoppers dreaming of ProvenCal gardens and Mediterranean seascapes.



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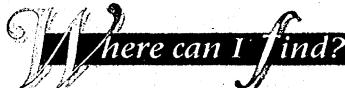
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Thanks to all who phoned in locations for the hard-to-find items last week!

• A reader called to say that Estee Lauder has a phone line where clients can order some discontinued products (like lipsticks) 1-800-945-ORDER, Monday-Friday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.)

• The creator/manufacturer of Easterbrook pens, Glen Easterbrook of Livonia, called to say he takes special orders through (313) 425-2519 or by fax (313) 540-9660.

• Thanks to all the callers



who offered their ice cream shelf and approach the owners. machines with cranks to the Daedal Doors crew. They've got all they need according to producer J.J. Bankert.

• Judy Pierce of Redford suggests that sometimes video stores will sell older versions of Disney classics to customers if homes made of wood for "Patty" they have several copies of the film. Count the films on the

"That's how I got "Lady and The Tramp" for my daughter," she said.

We still need to find: • A glass bowl in the shape of

a fish for Janet Dixon. • Six-story Purple Martin of West Bloomfield. "I don't

want one made of metal. I'm

hoping someone might build them of wood as a hobby."

• Nylon gloves for "Betty" of Redford that allow you to put on your pantyhose without tears or snags.

• A videotape copy of The Music Man for "Dennis." He is also looking for old, collectible snoy globes.

If you've seen any of these items in your travels, let Malls & Mainstreets know and we'll print the answers. Please call (248) 901-2567 and relate your message and phone number slowly and clearly!

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Mens clothler relocates

Shifman's Menswear will kick-off its fall season at larger. headquarters, moving into Waterford Village (formerly a Perry Store) on Dixie Hwy. at Andersonville in the next few months: For more details call Stewart Shifman (248) 673-0731.

Bad checks seminar

The Westland Chamber of Commerce hosts attorney Chuck Clos of Asker, Chapp and Clos, discussing "How to Collect Bad Checks and Other Bad Debts," Tuesday, May 20 from 8-9:30 a.m. during breakfast at Joy Manor, Joy Road between Middlebelt and Inkster in Westland.

The program is free to chamber members, retailers are welcome to attend at \$20 per ticket. For reservations (313) 326-7222.

Week of fun at Borders

The Borders book store at 13 Mile/Southfield in Birmingham hosts the following activities this week:

• Sunday, May 18 from 6-7 p.m. Dr. Judy McKee discusses the latest children's books for ages 7-11 targeting an audience of teachers and parents.

At 7 p.m. Gay Rubin leads a writer's workshop on "Finding New Ways To Tell The Same Story."

• Thursday, May 22 at 11 a.m. graphic designer/book illustrator and of Wong Herbert Yee Troy gives drawing lessons to children ages 3-6.

• Saturday, May 24 at 11 a.m. recording artist Geri Green offers a music participation pro-

• Sunday, May 25 at 1 p.m. meet Maurice Sendak's Wild Thing, host of a Wild Thing Jamboree.

Senior fashion seminar

Nordstrom offers a seminar "Coordinating Your Travel Wardrobe," Tuesday, June 3 at 10 a.m. for those 55 and over. Just \$2 through the Farmington Hills Senior Adult Center, call for reservations (248) 473-1830.

Imelda's Closet coming

Owners Pat Spadafore and Jayme Leib will open a new Victorian themed shop in downtown Birmingham in August selling shoes, boots, baubles and beads "and a multitude of accessories and fine gift items." Watch for Imelda's Closet at 123 W. Maple.

Merchants host high tea

In honor of Queen Victoria's 178th birthday, May 24 (the Queen was born May 24, 1819) the antique shops in Merrill. wood Collection will serve tea from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the upper level of the building at the corner of Woodward and Merrill in downtown Birmingham. Vintage gowns and accessories, including fans, reticules, tussie mussies (posy holders) dolls, silverware and decorative items from the period will be displayed. For more details call (248) 646-1996.

Gallery gulde debuts

Birmingham's 28 art galleries are listed and described in a colorful, new pamphlet published by the Principal Shopping District. It's complimentary at any downtown gallery or the PSD office, 798 North Old Woodward. For further information call (248) 433-3550.

Retailer named to board

Peter Sobelton of Troy, owner of Churchill's Ltd. (purveyors of fine tobacco products and men's gifts) and Sundries Plus, a six-outlet food service chain, has been named to the Board of Directors of Michigan Retailers Services. The MRS provides bank card processing, health and dental benefit programs, and property and casualty insurance to retailer members.

Dream Cruisers plate available

The Woodward Dream Cruise committee unveiled a collector's license plate for cruisers. It's handcrafted from fired porcelain, featuring the 1997 logo and is absolutely limited to 1997. It sells for \$24.95 by mail order (Michigan residents add 6% sales tax) plus \$4.95 shipping and handling.

The Woodward Dream Cruise is set for Saturday, Aug. 16 beginning at 10 a.m. To place an order call or write Don Sommer Fine Art, Inc., WDC Collector's Plate, P.O. Box 32624, Detroit, MI 48232, phone 1-800-819-0011 (days) and 1-800-792-7856 (evenings/weekends.) A portion of the plate proceeds will go to charity according to Sommer."

Fitness store arrives

Marathon runner/coordinator Randy Step opens his fourth Running Fit shop in The Boardwalk, Orchard Lake, north of Maple in West Bloomfield on May 23. The store will carry cutting edge products of interest to runners, walkers and swimmers.

Resale fashion benefit set

The Resale Hotline and The Rainbow Connection present two evenings of beauty: Thursday June 12 from 6-10 p.m. at Hawthorne Valley Country Club, Westland - and Thursday June 19 at Carpathia Hall in Sterling Heights.

Tickets at \$25 each are available through Rainbow Connection (248) 783-9777, and include dinner, a fashion show, free beauty consultations, and a copy of Jackie Greene's Guide

Book to Resale Shopping. " Pat Andrews of the News: Herald and Sandy Kovach of Smooth Jazz WVMV will cohost the June 12 event.

Malls & Mainstreets editor Susan DeMaggio of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers and Jackie Page of Fox 2/ WWJ Radio will co-host the June 19 event. Several mothers of Rainbow Connection children will be "made-over" at each event.

Expo exhibits and private consultations with Tamara Institute De Beaute staff follow the runway fashion show.

Wardrobe consultant and fashion writer Shirely Wade will assist guests with planning and shopping for an affordable wardrobe. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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## Rouge Friendly businesses cited

Several businesses in Wayne and Oakland counties were recently recognized for efforts in the Rouge Friendly Business Program.

"The Rouge Friendly program is the first water quality education program in the watershed to focus entirely on helping businesses help the Rouge River.

Businesses actually can pollute the river by spilling materials or wastes in parking lots without cleaning them up; allowing materials or wastes stored outside to leak or rinse wash water down a storm drain.

Any chemical on the ground can become a water pollutant since storm water runoff and wash water collect pollutants as they travel. Whatever is washed down a storm drain eventually reaches the Rouge River and the Great Lakes without benefit of any treatment.

-The program's mission is to restore the water quality of the Rouge by reducing pollutants entering the river. In this program, information and assistance is provided to businesses to help them prevent pollution.

## Adamany: State was 'generous' WSU

BY TIM RICHARD

Even though the Legislature has been generous to Wayne State University, the Detroit campus' is "stretched thin" to meet changes in the new global economy, said retiring President David Adamany.

"Tve had the pleasure of living through a number of economic cycles where the state has supported us generously," Adamany said at his 15th and last annual appearance before a Senate Appropriations subcommittee May 9.

"Even in the worst of times, the state has been highly favorable," Adamany said, producing a chart to show WSU has held the line on student tuitions better than any of the 14 other state universities.

"Since 1983, WSU has raised tuition 81.7 percent compared to 172.5 percent at the University of Michigan's Ann Arbor campus and Michigan State University's 160.5 percent. In the middle of the pack were Eastern Michigan, sixth at 151.3 percent, and Oakland University, ninth at 135.7 percent.

Adamany, who announced his impending retirement shortly after the Legislature amended the Open Meetings Act to allow the WSU board a measure of secrecy in picking his successor, was treated like a conquering hero by the panel, which presented him a framed certificate to the accompaniment of flash çameras.

What is your vision for the next decade?" asked Sen. John J.H. Schwarz, R-Battle Creek, chair of the subcommittee.

We must continue to be an opportunity for worthy students to get a good education," Adamany began. "We must double as a major research universily in this area. And given the distress in Detroit - conditions for children are still terrible our public outreach must continue to expand.

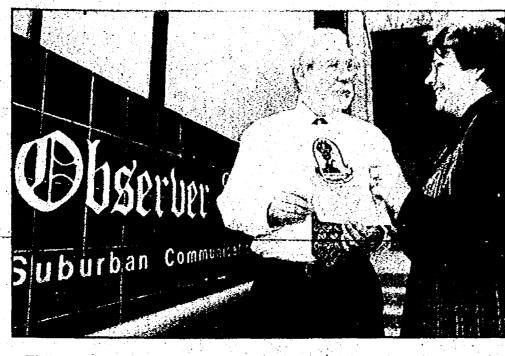
We've been one of the anchor in the redevelopment in the central city. University policy has Been to buy abandoned buildings and rehabilitate or demolish them to avoid blight. There is no gate that keeps the community out," he said, referring to (literally) the open-door policy of campus buildings.

"We have a police department, with arrest power, that made 4,500 runs (on campus) last year and another 4,500 to surrounding neighborhoods."

Gov. John Engler recommended \$220 million for WSU in the coming fiscal year, up 2.5 percent. The House raised it to \$228 million, up 6.2 percent. Schwarz didn't say what figure he had in mind, but he wore a green and gold tie, signifying he carned his medical degree from WSU.

Agamany highlighted these Ateas of WSU's challenges:

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The following businesses in western Wayne County were recently recognized as Rouge Friendly: Midwest Auto Auction, 14666 Telegraph, Redford; SNAPP, 12999 Fairlane, Livonia; Haber Operations, 13500 Wayne, Livonia; GPD, 35457 Industrial Drive, Livonia: Guardian Plumbing & Heating. Guardian Environmental Service, 34360 Glendale, Livonia;

Entela, 35550 Industrial Road, Livonia; Clearon Corp., 35750 Industrial Road, Livonia; Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia; and Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment, 34935 Schoolcraft, Livo-

The Rouge Friendly program is sponsored by Wayne County's Department of Environment. Funding for the program's devel-

River-friendly: Jim Jimmerson, production manager of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, receives a certificate from Karen Reaume, a senior scientist with

Environmental Consulting & Technology. The certificate cited the newpaper for its commitment to being a Rouge Friendly' business.

opment and first years of implementation has been provided by a grant from the U.S. Environ-

mental Protection Agency. To find out more about the Rouge Friendly Business Program, call the business coordinator at (313) 961-0700.

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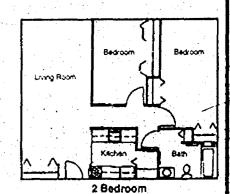
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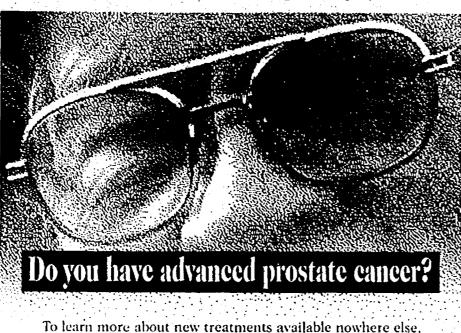
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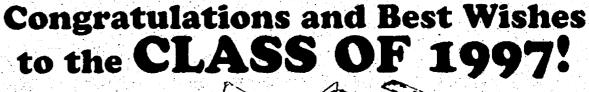
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## OWSU from page B7

master's, doctorates and law degrees) is 12,278 - third highest in the nation (behind New York University and Harvard) and ahead of U-M. Central Michigan and Michigan State.

• 74 percent of its alumni stay in Michigan, concentrated in the metropolitan Detroit area.

• Enrollment has dipped as the economy has boomed. Fewer laid-off persons want or need to work on advanced degrees; overtime keeps many workers from enrolling.

• Degree programs have been pared to 359 from 381 because of low degree rates. But WSU is unlikely to phase out too many programs with low enrollments because "our students are placebound and can't go to another university. One-third are married and raising children."

• 48 percent of undergradu-

• Its graduate enrollment (for ates are taught by faculty, 40 percent by adjunct faculty and 13 percent (rounded off) by graduate students. "The adjunct faculty are deeply committed teachers," Adamany said, citing engineering professionals and 30 Detroit Symphony Orchestra musicians.

· Class sizes are about 27 for freshmen and sophomores and 22-23 for juniors and seniors -"as small as the elite universities," he said.

What's next for Adamany him-

"One does not know," said the son of Lebanese immigrants. "Teaching in the law school. Research on campaign finance. Working in Washington."

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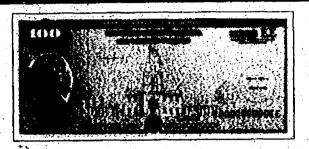
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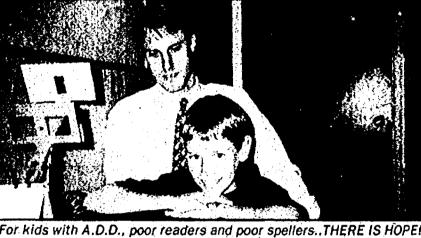
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#### **ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS**



**LINDA ANN CHOMIN** 

## 'Special' volunteers benefit from giving

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN

usic therapist Margaret Hull of Birmingham beamed with pride as two of her students sang an Elvis tune at the Very Special Arts Festival at Wonderland Mall, Livonia May 3.

Brandon Walker and Marlon Smith, students at Herrington Elementary in Pontiac, didn't let their disabilities stand in the way of belting out \*Blue Suede Shoes."

Presented by the Southeast Region Committee of Very Special Arts, the festival celebrates the power of arts to triumph over disabilities by showcasing the achievements of persons with hearing, sight, mobility, and developmental and emotional impairments. This year, 120 children and adults, strutted their stuff, putting to use skills learned in Very Special Arts programs, or programs funded by Very Special Arts mini-grants.

#### Opening doors

"If you've ever heard the song, 'I Believe I Can Fly,' then you know what performing does for these kids," said Hull. "It makes my students feel like they can soar. It opens doors for them. They are the stars."

Very Special Arts was founded for individuals who could not participate in the Special Olympics because of their disabilities. The international organization was begun in 1974 by Jean Kennedy Smith with the goal of enriching the lives of the disabled by encouraging creativity through music, drama, dance, and visual arts programs. Very Special Arts mini-grants allowed the Schoolcraft Players of Redford; Fine Chimes, Farmington; students of Livonia Parents of the Visually Impaired; Wingert Center, Detroit, and FAR Conservatory in Birmingham, among others, to perform country line dances and songs like "Take Me Out to the Ball Game."

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Very Special Art: A mini-grant from Very Special Arts enabled Hope Network, S.E. to fund an art program for residents in its Rochester, Waterford, New Baltimore, and Richmond group homes. The work was included in a statewide art exhibit displayed during the Very Special Arts Festival May 2-3 at Wonderland Mall in Livonia.

# Visit Silvio Barile's secret garden



STAFF PHOTOS BY TOM HAWLEY

Stanley Cup: (Above) Silvio Barile sculpted a Stanley Cup from cement for Red Wings fans disappointed by the Detroit hockey team's loss of the playoffs last season. (Right) Redford folk artist Silvio Barile created "Spirit of America" to remind men and women that misunderstandings should not stop them from loving one another.

#### BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN STAFF WRITER

purred on by the disappointment of fans when the Red Wings lost the Stanley Cup last season, Silvio Barile set to work to create a cement version layer-by-layer on the back patio of his bakery in Redford.

The Cup, inscribed with names of hockey greats Gordie Howe, Delvecchio, Yzerman, Ciccarelli, Sawchuck, Federov and Constantinov, is but one of the sculptures in the garden behind Barile's home and bakery in

"The Stanley Cup is for the heart of the Red Wings fans, who go and support the Wings," said Barile. "When they lost the Cup, I said I'm going to make a Cup for them."

Barile, frequently referred to as one of the great folk artists of the era, gladly welcomes visitors to the garden, and his Redford Italian Bakery. The aroma of fresh baked bread and pizza, dished up by the slice, are pleasant distractions and another good reason to visit this treasure located right here in our own backyard.

Barile offers a free history lesson along with a tour of the sculptures of Julius Caesar, Romeo and Juliet, Romulus and Remus, St. Peter, Mt. Rushmore, Classic Roman architecture, Pope John Paul II, and Luciano Pavarotti.

Barile, 57, supplements historical perspective with his own philosophies. Many of the sculptures began as a hole in the ground. In his early work, Barile would create a negative for an iron framework before pouring Quikrete cement into the earthenmold. Sergio DeGiusti, a wellknown sculptor and long-time friend, helped Barile raise the works once completed with assistance from a tow truck and jacks lent by Rent-a-Jalopy in Detroit.

"The Stanley Cup he did was pretty amazing," said DeGiusti. "Silvio is one of the great folk artists in the same league as untrained visionaries like Simon Rodia (creator of the Watts Towers in California). I was just glad we

didn't have to lift this one because he gradually built it layer-by-layer on the spot where it was to

Barile started making his own toys, an art in itself, while living in a concentration camp with his mother and siblings during World War II. His love of Roman history; his native town of Ausonia, Italy; five children; and religion drive him along with his love for people.

Walking through the gardens and bakery, Barile reveals concepts leading to works based on the Alamo, and other historical events, which "we should never forget."

"Knowing the past, will help the future," Barile said as he began the tour talking about "Caesar Augustus, the father of the Romans who was well-respected because of his honorable ways."

Barile's work reflects his values. He started the sculpture garden 20 years ago "to give Italians an identity and to give America a little bit of old Roman wisdom like virtue and honor."

Those are the ideals Barile is

building into his latest work "The Liberty Tower." Twin castle towers symbolize virtue and honor. Once finished, Barile will top the sculpture with 75-pound bells purchased at a garage sale.

"The main message is the effect they have on life," said Barile. "It's the message of art (that's important), the meaning that guides our own existence."

"Spirit of America" speaks about relationships between men and women by portraying the Statue of Liberty standing alongside a man. It's well worth thinking about in an age when divorce continues to thrive as an alternative to communication and compromise. A divorce four years ago left Barile with a great deal to say about the subject.

"I just want man and woman to get along better than they do," said Barile. "There's such misunderstanding in our relationships. We've forgotten how to love one another."\_\_

Barile's "American David"

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#### MUSEUM

## Sachs' resignation another ripple in waves of anxiety at DIA

BY FRANK PROVENZANO

A day after he announced his resignation as director of the Detroit Institute of Arts, Samuel Sachs II was in New York to be introduced as the new director of the prestigious Frick Collection. For Sachs, who grew up and attended graduate school in New York, it was a return home. But for Founder Society members and DIA supporters, it was deja vu all over referred to the Frick position. While he

impending financial and political crisis.

Dianne Abel, DIA associate director of development for volunteer services/special events, wondered about the financial viability of the museum. "It's a huge loss," said Abel, a Beverly Hills resident. "He's an excellent art historian and has provided a lot of guidance."

Yet there are signs that Sachs decision to leave wasn't just a case of responding to a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity, as he conceded that he was first approached by Many expressed shock along with anxi- a search committee for the Frick in early ety about the institute's uncertain future. January, those close to Sachs cite the couldn't have chosen a worse moment for decision to table a proposal for a nonprof-city control of the museum. his sudden resignation since it came at a it corporation to operate the DIA as the time when the DIA, once again, faces an decisive event that expedited his depar-

Currently, the DIA is run by a combination of city and Founders employees. The city-owned DIA and the Founders, a private organization that raises about 70 percent of the museum's \$33 million budget, have been negotiating for the Society

to assume full management of the DIA. For the most part, the Founders Society is composed of suburban residents, many of whom have deep pockets and political connections. It's expected that hundreds of thousands of dollars could be saved annually by changing the administrative structure. Opponents to the plan, howev-The widely held view was that Sachs Detroit City Council's December of 1996 er, suspect that the Founders could usurp

By late March, when the council reject-

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Director: Samuel Sachs II resigned as director of the Detroit Institute of Arts to accept a position as the new director of the Frick Collection in New York.

## City-suburb collaboration uneasy relationship

By FRANK PROVENZANO STAFF WRITER

While Samuel Sachs II's decision to resign is viewed formally by DIA staffers and trustees as a "wonderful opportunity," the museum's uncertain future reveals a greater dilemma facing the collaborative relationship between city and suburbs.

The question most commonly asked is: How can the DIA, often mentioned as one of the top five museums in the country, continually fall prey to funding problems and partisan political dickering! Many point to the state's 1991 debilitating budget cuts as setting an indifferent tone about the muse-

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um, while others contend that it's indicative of the uneasy citysuburbs relationship.

One source at the DIA contends that the Detroit City Council's decision to reject any plan for the Founders taking over the DIA is a move to defend its voice in the management of the museum. But that view also is seen as nearsighted, to say the

"I might not renew my Founders Society membership to send a message to the City Council that we're not self-centered suburbanites who want to run the DIA," said Sergio al art institute that's located in

DeGiusti, a Redford sculptor whose work has been exhibited at the museum.

"I'm sick and tired of Eight Mile Road being seen as the Berlin Wall," said Detroit Councilman Clyde Cleveland, who supports the Founders assuming the management of the DIA. Cleveland along with council members Gil Hill and Sheila Cockrel voted in the minority to support the restructuring plan.

In fact, Cleveland pointed out that 93 percent of visitors to the museum are from metro suburbs and outstate: "We have a regionthe heart of the region -Detroit."

Challenges at the DIA

It may take up to two years to find a replacement for Sachs. The Detroit Arts Commission, appointed by Mayor Dennis Archer, is expected to conduct an extensive search for a new direc-

Meanwhile, the museum's destiny will be in the hands of those left in Sachs' wake. "It's difficult to project if (Sachs' resignation) will affect the DIA's funding -wees," said Maurice Parrish, DIA deputy director who will

Sachs leaves in September.

"In July 1998, there will be a \$7 million to \$8 million shortfall in the budget. It's important we begin very, very soon to work on a solution to that problem."

Simply put, the DIA has never recovered from reduced state funding. Since 1991, shortfalls caused by cuts in state support has amounted to a deficit of \$32 million. Most of the deficit will be absorbed by the special Founders Society fund-raising campaign, Partnership for Renewal. The money from that campaign, however, will be ing to Councilman Cleveland, is

assume the director's role when exhausted in the coming fiscal

Considering current funding levels, the DIA has forecasted a \$1.4 million budget deficit for next year. If that trend continues, the DIA faces either more cuts in its operating budget or will have to appeal for more private funding.

"People will be more reluctant if we have to embark on another public campaign to ask them again to come up with the needed funding," said Sachs.

A possible alternative, accord-

a tri-county millage similar to the arrangement among the counties that support the Minneapolis Institute of Arts. For such a tax to be adopted, political leaders in Macomb, Oakland and Wayne would have to see the shared benefit of sustaining and further developing the DIA.

And that, of course, would take collaboration and a broader appreciation of one the region's most cherished cultural

resources.

Linda Ann Chomin contributed to this story.

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ed the perfunctory step of even soliciting requests for a proposal from nonprofits to run the DIA. Sachs was probably convinced that it was time to shop for a new home in New York.

"I feel like I did a great deal for the DIA, and maybe I pushed it as far as I possibly could," said Sachs.

Indeed, since assuming the director's position in 1985, Sachs has compiled a long list of accomplishments, including doubling the Founders Society membership to 46,000, increasing the museum's endowment from \$20 million to \$70 million, and spearheading a fund drive that has already netted \$27 million with another year remaining. A rather successful tenure, most concede, during one of the most difficult financial circumstances in the museum's 112-year histo-

But Susanne Hilberry, owner of the Hilberry Gallery in Birmingham, contends that it's been commonly known on the local art scene that Sachs has been looking for another position for

"It could be a blessing in disguise," said Hilberry, who worked at the DIA in the mid-1970s under the contemporary arts curator. "Maybe now that we're all focusing on 'What should we do,' there's an opportunity for us to begin to see the DIA as a resource we all need to

take care of."

Even Sachs conceded that his resignation could draw attention to what he calls the precarious financial state of the museum. "Maybe this will be a catalytic event," said Sachs.

"I've gotten the sense that some people just don't understand the urgency that the DIA is facing a truly perilous future," he said. "To defer the action is not solving the issue."

By next July, the DIA may face an \$8 million budget shortfall. And equally distressing, if the long-term funding picture doesn't get any better the DIA board of directors will draft a contingency plan to consider a restructured, scaled-down museum run on substantially less rev-

To many, this sounds like 1991 when the state reduced funding from \$16 million to \$9 million,

causing museum layoffs, reduced hours and a limited exhibit schedule.

At noon Wednesday, May 28. Sachs will deliver his state of the museum report at the Detroit Arts Commission meeting, held in the DIA boardroom. The meeting is open to the public, but no questions will be taken.

Linda Ann Chomin contributed to this story.

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responds to Michelangelo's "David."

"David was not sensual like that," said Barile. "My David was just a shepherd with some goats and sheep. Michelangelo did not give David the weapons he needed to survive. I gave my David stones to protect himself and a water jug for when he gets

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the Michigan Gallery, and "Patrimonio" exhibit at Wayne State University. Barile's work was also part of the 1993 Festival of Michigan Folk Life at Michigan State University Museum. That's where John Cicala met Barile. After receiving a frantic phone call in New York from the Michigan State University Museum, Cicala flew to the folk festival to serve as an interpreter of Barile's work. It seems some folks lacking knowledge of art traditions needed guidance. That intrigued Cicala who tracks and documents folk arts. After taking more than 500 photographs of Barile's work, and doing 20 to 30 hours of interviews, Cicala recently completed a Web page on Italian-American life and artists such as Barile for

the Internet. "Silvio is a simple baker who developed this style in a concentration camp during his childhood," said Cicala, who earned a doctorate in folklore and American studies from Indiana University. "Silvio's a folklorist, meaning that in order to understand his art, you have to understand the man and his life. It's not like Impressionism or Expressionism that has a certain set of rules.

"What attracts people to Silvio's work is the size, they're huge, and the complexity. You can sit and stare at it all day and see something new all the time."

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## Artistic

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An art exhibit, displayed off the Center Court, featured drawing, collage and portraits by Very Special Artists from Birmingham, Southfield, West Bloomfield, Farmington Hills, and the Pontiac-based Hope Network,

Heather Tiffany, communications and development coordinator for Hope Network, S.E. was grateful for the Very Special Arts mini-grant that allowed the nonprofit organization to initiate a therapeutic art program.

"Because of funding there was never an opportunity for the expression of this built-up talent that no one's ever seen before,' said Tiffany.

Art activity tables placed at the back of the performing area provided participants and the public a chance to try their hand at creating visual art. Crayons and construction paper provided the key to open the doors to their

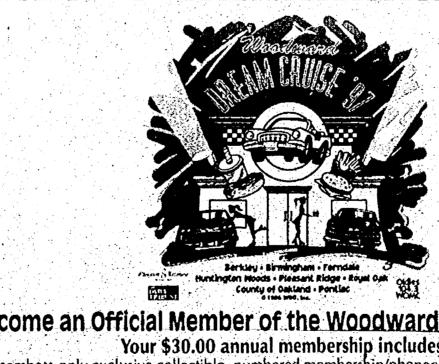
imaginations. There is nothing more rewarding than helping a child or adult with disabilities make art. The smile you receive in return, sends the heart soaring. For the last four years, I've gained more than I've given by volunteering to work in the art activities area at the Very Special Arts Festival at Wonderland Mall in Livonia.

During this time, I learned that we all have abilities when it comes to art, it's only a matter of degree: For some, the finished product is everything. For others, it's not the art you make that counts, but participating in the process to whatever degree.

Just ask Canton Township artist Gwen Dietrich. Last weekend, she volunteered to help children and adults with disabilities make birds from construction paper. Dietrich thinks artists as well as others could learn a lot by taking time out from their busy schedules to volunteer at the festival.

"Sharing an activity with a little blind girl made me realize how difficult and limited the world is for people with visual impairments," said Dietrich, "but my guidance and reassurance enriched her life. Unknowingly to her, she enriched mine."

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MUSIC OF GOTTLIEB Michigan composer Mark David Gottlieb performed at 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 30 at: Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 334 8703, ext. 27. Tickets: \$8.

ORĞAN MUSIC Joseph V. Rush at 8 p.m. Friday, may 30 at Kirk in the Hills, 1340 W. Long Lake, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 626-2515. Admission: \$10.

#### OPERA

#### **MOT'S FLYING DUTCHMAN**

Six performances of Richard Wagner's classic opera, May 31-June 8; (313) 874-

#### JAZZ & FOLK

#### **B'HAM JAZZ VESPERS**

6 p.m. Sunday, May 18 at the First Baptist Church, corner of Willits and Bates streets. Free admission; (248) 644-0550.

#### LEGENDS OF JAZZ HALL OF FAME CONCERT

6 p.m. Sunday, May 18 at Detroit Institute of Arts Auditorium, 5200 Woodward Avenue, Tickets: \$20, main floor; \$15, balcony; (313) 833-4005. Preconcert dinner: \$75 - 4 p.m. strolling buffet supper at DIA Crystal room, and VIP seating for concert. Klezmer Concert & Auction Congregation Shir Tikvah hosts Klezmer concert at its 9th annual silent auction. Auction at 6:30 p.m., concert at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 31 at Shotwell-Gustafson Pavilion on Oakland University campus, Rochester Hills. Tickets start at \$25 619 9669.

#### OPENING EXHIBITS RECEPTIONS

#### ANN ARBOR ART CENTER

\*Shouting: an installation by Deanna Sperka,\* an Oak Park resident 2 p.m. Thursday, May 22. Exhibit runs through June 22. Located at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004.

## G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY

"Visual Paradox," an exhibit by Detroit artists Allie McGhee 6 p.m. Friday, May 23. Exhibit runs through June 28. Located at 161 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 642-2700.

#### PAINT CREEK CENTER

"Suspended in Space" in main gallery and 'Out a' sight' in first floor gallery 7 p.m. Friday, May 23. Exhibits run through June 27. Located at 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (248) 651-4110.

#### **UZELAC GALLERY**

"Landscapes" of Germany's countryside by Elke Kregel, Friday May 23. Hours: Tues.-Sat., 11 a.m.-6 p.m.; Fri., 11 a.m.-8 p.m.; (248) 332-5569. SHAWGUIDO

#### "John Glick: The Mantel Series" 7 p.m. Friday, May 23. Exhibit runs through June 14. Located at 7 N. Saginaw Street, Pontiac; (248) 333-1070.

**BBAA SHOW** Palette and Brush Club exhibit May 31. Show runs through June 14, 1516 S. Cranbrook, Birmingham; (248) 644-0866.

#### ON-GOING EXHIBITS

#### **ONCE UPON AN EASEL** Through May 22 - "The 3 Cities Art Club

Annual Sprint Art Exhibit and Acquisition." Located in the Golden Gate Plaza, 8691 N. Lilley Road, Canton Township; (313) 453-3710.

#### BARCLAY'S JAPANESE PRINTS Through May 24 - Prints of everyday

Japanese life by Kawase Hasul, Located at 580 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 645-5430. BOOK BEAT

#### Through May 24 - "Dream Drawings" by Jim Shaw, founding member of the seminal rock band, "Destroy All Monsters." Located at 26010 Greenfield, Southfield;

(248) 968-1190. CLIQUE GALLERY Through May 24 - "The Accordion Man," a visual composite of art, memory, tech-

#### nology by John Mijatovick, who teaches in the computer department at the Center for Creative Studies. Located at 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak.; (248) 545-2200. U-M DEARBORN

Through May 24 - \*Exotics: The Glass Collection of Patricia Hill Burnett" and Botanicals by Michigan Artists." Located at the U-M Dearborn campus; call (313) 593-5058.

## **BUNTING GALLERY**

Through May 24 - "The Journey Back." paintings by Carol S. Pylant. Located at 514 S. Washington, Royal Oak; (248) 545-

#### DETROIT FOCUS Through May 30 - "The Time Is Now," cre-

ative clocks by 100 Detroit area artists. Located at 33 E. Grand River, Dettoit: (313) 965-3245. **CARY GALLERY** 

Through May 31 - "Pathways," mixedmedia works by Susan Alexander Shipman. Located at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester; (248) 651-3656.

#### DETROIT GALLERY OF CONTEMPORARY CRAFTS

Through May 31 - Best Seat in the House,\* artist-made chairs, tables, lighting and accessories. Located at 104 Fisher Bldg., Detroit; (313) 873-7888.

#### ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY. Through May 31 - Illustrators Dom and

Keunhee Lee, Located at 536 N. Woodward Avenue, Birmingham; (248) 847-7040:



Absolut Pop: Galerie Blu hosted a reception for Romero Britto, the "Prince of Pop Art," last week. An exhibit of Britto's vivid canvases will run through June 15 at the gallery, 568 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 594-0472.

#### HALSTEAD GALLERY

Through May 31 - Mark Citret: New Work, Located at 560 N. Woodward; Birmingham; (248) 644-8284. Exhibit runs through May 31.

#### HILL GALLERY

Through May 31 - Recent Works by Richard Devore. Located at 407 Brown St., Birmingham; (248) 540-9288.

#### LAWRENCE STREET GALLERY Through May 31 - \*Sticks and Stones: Images for the Growing Season." Located

at 6 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 334-**LEMBERG GALLERY** 

#### Through May 31 - 'Michele Zalopany: Recent Works." Located at 538 N.

Woodward, Birmingham: (248) 642-6623 PEWABIC POTTERY Through May 31 - "Plates: Salon Style" by contemporary masters. Located 10125 E.

Jefferson Avenue, Detroit: (313) 822-

#### 0954. POSNER GALLERY

Through May 31 - Exhibit of collage paintings by Joseph Bernard, professor of Fine Arts at the Center for Creative Studies. Located at 523 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647-2552.

#### ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Through May 31 - New York Painter Stanley Boxer's painting represent a dynamic continuance of his exciting personal vocabulary of color, form and surface. Located at 107 Townsend St., Birmingham; (248) 647-1000.

#### PARK WEST GALLERY Through June 4 - Exhibit and sale of over

100 etchings by Rembrandt, Located at 29469 Northwestern, Southfield; (248) 354-0387. SYBARIS GALLERY

#### Through June 6 - Eighth Annual Basketry

Invitational. Located at 202 E. Third Street, Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388. JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN GALLERY June 10 - Feminist photographer Carol Hamoy and mixed-media artist Linda

Soberman in "A Woman's Work/2." Located inside the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Rd., West Bloomfield; (313) 661-7641. Creative Resource

Through June 11 - New works by painter Debra Yates and sculptor Janine Gibeau, 162 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647-3688.

#### ARNOLD KLEIN GALLERY

Through June 14 - "Garden of Earthly Delights," a six-foot book by 18 artists. Located at 4520 N. Woodward, Royal Oak; (248) 647-7709.

#### SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY Through June 14 - Magdelana Abakanowicz: Early work of the 1960s and recent sculpture. Located at 555 S.

Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 642-8250.

**DONNA JACOBS GALLERY** Through June 28 - Featured artifact a 20th century garment worn by a chief priest of the Ashanti tribe. Located at 574 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 540

#### ISLAMIC CALLIGRAPHY AT DIA

Through July 27 - "The Pen is Mightier... Islamic Calligraphy in the Detroit Institute of Arts," an exhibit of objects drawn from the permanent collection which demonstrates the development of calligraphy over 1,000 years; (313) 833-7900.

#### DANCE

#### **MAZURKA DANCERS** Jazz, tap, polka 7 p.m. Sunday, May 18 at

Riverside Middle School, 25900 W. Warren, Dearborn Heights; (313) 562-9461. IRISH DANCE

Musicians Association of Ireland and Michael O'Hare School of Irish DAnce sponsor a concert of frish folk dances 8 p.m. Saturday, May 31 at White Heather Social Club, Ferndale, 150 E. Vester, 1 block east of Woodward, Admission: \$5; (248) 547-1461.

#### FESTIVALS

#### ROEPER SCHOOL ART FAIR

Sponsored by the Roeper Booster Chib 10. a.m. 15 p.m. Sunday, May 18 at Rooper's Bloomfield Hills campus, located at 2100 Woodward, just north of Long Lake Road.

#### Free admission; (248) 642-1500. **GREEKTOWN ART FAIR**

Seventh Annual Greektown Art Fair noon-6 p.m. on Sunday, May 18. Greektown, Monroe and Beubien streets, Detroit. ART OVER THE INTERSTATE

#### Oak Park Arts & Cultural Commission's fine art & crafts fair 10 a.m. 6 p.m., Sunday Monday, May 25-26 in Rothstein Park. Enter from 10 Mile, east of

Greenfield behind Jewish Community

Campus.

#### LECTURES

#### THE FUTURE CULTURE OF DETROIT \*Nostalgia for the Future: Architecture. Restoration and its Discontents," a lecture by Jerry Herron 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22, Cranbrook Art Museum, 1221 N. Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. Lecture included with museum admission:

#### BENEFIT

#### DIG FOR THE ARTS

(248) 645-3312.

DIA sponsored pre-party for the "Splendors of Ancient Egypt" exhibit at Industry in Pontiac 7 p.m. on Thursday, June 5. Tickets: \$5. Industry is at 15 S. Saginaw St. in downtown Pontiac; (248) 334-1999.

#### MEETINGS

#### MICHIGAN CACTUS/SUCCULENT SOCIETY

2 p.m. Sunday, May 18 at 5601 Coomer Road, West Bloomfield. Topics: plant repotting and preparing plants for show.

#### (248) 681-4791. DIA VOLUNTEERS

GAllery Service volunteers needed. Training sessions 1:30-3:30 p.m. Saturday, June 21 in the Holley Room, Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit; (313) 833-0247.

#### ANTIQUES

#### MERRILLWOOD COLLECTION

In honor of the 178th birthday of Queen Victory a reception by five antiques dealers 10 a.m. 5 p.m. Saturday, May 24. Corner of Woodward and Merrill, downtown Birmingham: (248) 646-1996/(248) 594-8330.

#### ART GALLERY, STORES

THE ANDERSON GALLERY The gallery in the Oakland Arts Building. 7 N. Saginaw in Pontiac, offers distinctive textiles and fiber art; (248) 335-4611.

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THE ARTIST'S OUTLET A Utopian Art Salon, featuring artists' visions of Utopla, is presented at 17627 E. Nine Mile, Eastpointe. Call (248) 777-

#### **ASHLEY-CHRIS GALLERY** Sculptures by Janice Trimpe of Grosse

Pointe Park are exhibited at the gallery on Kercheval in Grosse Pointe Park, Call (313) 824 0700. ANIMAL ODYSSEY

#### Animals of the wild have been vividly

Road: (248) 539 0260.

6985.

caught in stained glass by Plymouth artist Jenna, who is displaying several of her pieces at the animal theme gift shop at 971 N. Mill, Plymouth; (313) 453 5764. ARCHIVES A.D.

The eclectic gallery at 114 W. Third. Rochester, offers hand painted furniture, . art pillows; four painted walls and columns, murals and screens, recycles

metal garden stakes, sculpture, and handmade lamp work; (248) 651-1485.

#### ART ADVOCATE Framed art prints and custom framing. Located at 44368 Cherry Hill Road,

Canton: (313).844-0155. **ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS** The studio in the Adams Plaza at 725 S. Adams, Birmingham, is filled with silk and dried flora in unusual containers; (248)

#### 644.8349. ARTQUEST GALLERY

The gallery at 185 N. Woodward, Birmingham, offers contemporary works of art for the home. Gift certificates and bridal registry available. Call (248) 540-2484. ARTSPACE II

The gallery at 303 E. Maple, Birmingham, specializes in reselling fine art works and antiques; representing individuals, museums and galleries. It also has local and regional art works ranging from \$60 up, a selection of Arts and Crafts furniture, historic Pewabic tiles and a large group of African artifacts, and specializes in unusual lamps for the home; (248) 258-1540. ATRIUM GALLERY

\*Products of the Glory,\* a glass exhibit. Located at 109 N. Center, Northville;

#### (248) 349-4131. THE AVENUE GALLERY

Michigan's only gallery showing exclusively Thomas Kinkade, including limited edition canvas lithographs. Located at 167 N. Woodward, Birmingham, (248) 594-

#### **CLARKSTON FINE ARTS GALLERY** Florals and collage by Ruth Allen, oil

paintings by Julie Smith, sculpture by Linda Smith, pottery by Joanie Ugelo. Located at 7151 N. Main, Clarkston: (248) 525-8439. CLIQUE GALLERY

#### The gallery of Eve and Elaine Redmond at 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak, features photography: (248) 545-2200. COLANGELO'S RESTAURANT

The restaurant at 2 N. Saginaw at Pike. Pontiac, supports the Pontiac arts explosion by featuring artists from the Lawrence Street Gallery, Call (248) 334 2275.

#### COWBOY TRADER Michigan's only Wild West gallery offers

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The shop at 206 W. 11 Mile, Royal Oak,

#### lamps and chandeliers, 1700 Stutz Dr., Ste. 102A, Troy; (248) 649-4664. **EUROPA ART GALLERY**

Whimsical original oils and bronze sculptures of mark Kostobi through June 30. 6335 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 855-2160. FAITH GALLERY

#### A photographic exhibit of Michelangelo continues at 315 Center, Royal Oak; (248) 541-3979.

**GALERIE BLU** For its May show, the gallery is featuring original and limited edition by Romero Britto, an artist recognized for his contributions to the Absolut Vodka advertising campaign. Located at 568 N. Woodward,

#### Birmingham; (248) 594-0472. **GALLERY ANIMATO** Vintage and contemporary animation cells and drawings from animated film classics are featured at 574 N. Woodward in Birmingham; (248) 644-8312.

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-470 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248)

decorative accent pieces along with

#### 647-0680. **GALLERY SHAANTI** The gallery at 361 E. Maple in

Birmingham features arts and crafts of India. Call (248) 647-9202. HAIG GALLERIES

#### specializes in ancient. Asian and tribal arts. Call (248) 656-3759. HERMITAGE GALLERY New exhibit of paintings and sculptures by

a range of artists, including Robert

The gallery at 311 Main in Rochester

Lebron, Fiktor Shvaiko, Located at 235 Main Street, Rochester; (248) 656-8559. JANE SPEAKS MODERN ART The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac, is the only one in Michigan that shows video

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LUDA ART GALLERY

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#### The gatery at 103 B E. Fourth. Hochester, presents for the first time a

completely new collection of paintings of nudes by artist Luda Tcherniak; (248)

#### 652-7052. MARCIA CLEMENT ART STUDIO

The studio at 4417 S, Commerce Road in Commerce Township provides a variety of art classes for students of all ages and abilities, and one- or two-day workshops. To register, call (248) 360-1216.

#### MESA ARTS Collection of crafted jewelry, traditional and contemporary. Located at 32800 Franklin Road, Franklin; (248) 851-9949.

METROPOLITAN CENTER FOR THE **CREATIVE ARTS** "Images 8," by photographers Mark Glenn, Elayne Gross, Michael Jones, Rob Kangas,

#### Loraine Meyers, Julio Perazza, Carole Rich and Pam Aldred-Schofield, at 6911 E. Lafayette, Detroit: (313) 259-2400.

**MOORE GALLERY** Presentation of internationally renowned contemporary African art with ancient traditional tribal roots. Through May 25, \*Bill Murcko: Capturing the Magic of the Maasai on Canvas," Located at 304 Hamilton Row, Birmingham; (248) 647-

NATIVE WEST GALLERY Handcrafted American artwork from the Southwest, including sculpture, pottery, sandpainting and fine sterling silver jewelry. Located at 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth, Call (313) 455-8838.

#### **NEXT GALLERY** The gallery at 23 W. Lawrence, Suite 102,

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Pontiac, offers contemporary art at its

#### metal sculptures, clay statues; (248) 539-3332.

ON THE MOVE 7th Generation Studios Inc. has moved its Troy-based photography and digital imaging studio to 206 Walnut Blvd. in downtown Rochester. Works of core artists Jeff Lapossy-Gaydash, Daniel Eller and Lisa Alfelt are on display. The 3-1/2-year-old company offers commercial and fine art photographic services with a strong emphasis in digital technology; (248) 651-

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#### W. Maple, Birmingham; (248) 433-9917. **PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY**

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**ROCKCITY ART GALLERY** The gallery at 108 W. Fourth, Royal Oak, features original concert posters, handbills, postcards, original art work and Tshirts, Buy, sell or trade. Call (248) 584 ... 2266

#### **ROOM WITH A VIEW** The photography salon at 803 N. Main,

Royal Oak, features vintage and modern works. Vintage prints dating from the '20's focus on fashion to industrial images, including works by Alfred Cheney Johnson, George Hurrell, De Mijian, Hommel, Eduard Steichen and Edward Quigley. Contemporary photographers include Lisa Spindler, Michael Edwards, Rodney Smith and Tom Van Dyke; (248) 548-1446. RUSSELL KLATT GALLERY

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#### European billboard images: Located at 1467 S. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 647 6655.

SIEGEL'S DELI

A show of acrylics and pastels by Bloomfield Township artist Suzanne Bauman at 3426 E. West Maple, one half block west of Haggerty in Commerce: (248) 926-9555. SOUTHFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

#### ures by Laurie Elsenhardt through April 30. Located at 26000 Evergreen Road in the Southfield Civic Center; (248) 948-0470.

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SPIRIT IN THE PARK GALLERY The gallery at 635 Beaublen, near Greektown in Detroit (formerly in Harmonie Park), features an ongoing exhibit of paintings, drawings, batiks, masks, textiles and quilts from local, national and international artists. Call (313) 965-4919.

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THE SPORTS GALLERY

from such professional athletes as Grant Hill. Barry Sanders and Ted Williams, as well as jerseys, lithographs, baseballs, bats, footballs, basketballs and display cases. Call (248) 642-0044. STEWART AND STEWART Printer and publisher of fine art prints

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by Keiko Hara. Located at 5571 Wing

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t's almost summertime and the longer days and warmer weather will make for more opportunities to get outside for entertainment.

Our summer Sun, Fun and Entertainment guide offers some ideas for family events in our local communities, including outdoor concerts, walks, movies under the star and local festivals.

Summer festivals, which abound during the summer, bring live performances, carnivals and fun events for kids and adults.

Walking events offer the chance to get some exercise, see the sights and maybe meet your neighbors.

EVENTS CHASE AWAY SUMMERTIME BLUES

WALKS

"Come Walk With Us," a program designed to promote health, fitness and quality of life, will be held in Livonia this summer. Participate in at least eight walks and enter your name into a drawing for various door prizes, co-

sponsored by Livonia Parks and Recreation and MCare. Each event will be at least one mile in length.

■ Thursday walks at 6:30 p.m. July 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 and Aug. 7, 14 and 21, at Civic Center Park just east of Civic Park Senior Center, Five Mile and Farmington roads. These walks are followed by the "Music Under the Stars Program.

Friday walks, at 9 a.m., May 23 and 30, June 6, 13, 20 and 27, July 11, 18 and 25 and Aug. 1, 8, 15 and 22, at Civic Park Senior Center at 15218 Farmington Road, Five Mile and Farmington next to the Golden

Lantern Restaurant. ■ Saturday walks, at 10 a.m., May 31, June 7, 14 and 21, July 12, 19, 26, Aug. 2, 9, 16 and 23 at Eddie Edgar Arena, 33841 Lyndon, Lyndon and Farmington roads at Ford Field.

The program is free. Bring family, friends and neighbors. For more information, call the Livonia Recreation Office at (313) 261-2260.

Greenmead Nature Awareness Programs include the Full Moon Walk, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 19, enjoy the sights and sounds of exploring nature at Greenmead, at Eight Mile Road and Newburgh. Dress appropriately, bring flashlights and bug spray.

Phone in registration required, (313) 261-2260. Cost: \$2 a person. Enter off of Newburgh and meet at the Hinbern House.

Walk Michigan is an annual fitness program organized by Michigan Recreation and Park Association. Walkers of all ages have an opportunity to participate in walks sponsored by Wayne County parks.

To register for a Walk Michigan event, attend the event and fill out a registration card. Each time you come to a Walk Michigan event fill out a card. All the cards will be entered in a drawing for the grand prize trip for two to Mackinac Island the Governor's Annual Bridge Walk. For more information, call (313) 261Events include:

■ Tuesday, May 20, 6:30 p.m., Nankin Mills, Hines Drive east of Ann Arbor Trail.

■ Thursday, June 5, 6:30 p.m., Warrendale, Hines Drive east of Telegraph.

■ Saturday, June 7, 9 a.m., Nankin Mills

- Tuesday, June 10, 6 p.m. Warrendale
- Wednesday, June 18, 6:30 p.m. Warrendale ■ Wednesday, June 25, 6:30 p.m., Nankin Mills
- Saturday and Sunday, July 12 and 13, noon, Warrendale

■ Tuesday, July 15, 6:30 p.m., Nankin Mills ■ Saturday, July 26, 10 a.m., grand prize drawing and picnic, Nankin Mills.

Saturdays and Sundays in the Park 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. through Sept. 28. Six miles of Hines Park will be closed every Saturday and Sunday for the public of all ages to run, walk, skate or cycle safely. This is an expansion of the former Saturdays in the Park. Hines Drive will be closed from the Warrendale Picnic Area (west of Outer Drive) to the Nankin Mills Area (Ann Arbor Trail). Parking is available at Warrendale, Merriman Hollow and Nankin Mills picnic areas.

MOVIES

Canton Parks and Recreation Services is sponsoring two Movie Nights Under the Stars in Heritage

Park this summer.

The whole family is invited as the park amphitheater is turned into an outdoor movie site, complete with surround sound. Blankets and lawn chairs are encouraged and refreshments and concessions are available.

On Thursday, June 19, "101 Dalmatians," will kick off the sixth annual Canton LibertyFest. Arrive by 8 p.m. as the "Dance Dynamics" musical-variety group will be performing in the amphitheater prior to the movie. The event is free.

■ On Friday, July 18, "Independence Day," will be shown as part of the Family Camp Out in Canton Township. The movie will be shown at dusk and families are invited to set up tents around the park amphitheater prior to the movie and enjoy a hot dog cookout, the movie and other family themed events. There will be no charge for camping out overnight in the park other than a \$2 movie charge for adults and \$1 for children. Tents only for camping, no trailers.

Wayne County Parks are sponsoring a '97 Summer Movies in the Park Series.

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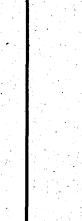
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On Wednesday, June 25, "101 Dalmatians," will be shown in the Nankin Mills area of Hines Park in Westland, Hines Drive east of Ann Arbor Trail.

On Wednesday, Aug. 27, "Fly Away Home." will be shown in Bell Creek Park in Redford Township at Five Mile Road and Inkster Road.

## CONCERTS

Canton Parks and Recreation Services presents the Summer Concert

Series in Heritage Park Thursday evenings this summer. Visitors are invited to bring lawn chairs and

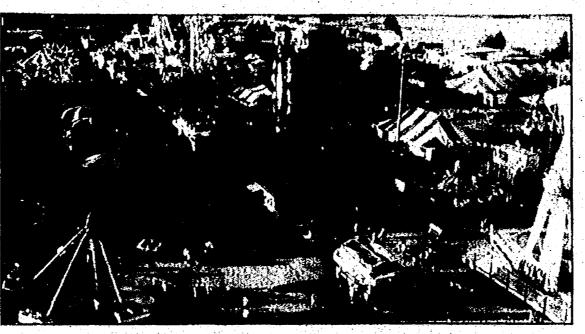
blankets. Light concessions are available. All concerts begin at 7:30 p.m. in the park amphitheater, located west of Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill Road behind the Canton Township Administrative Offices and the Canton Library. The 1997 summer schedule includes:

- Fantastics June 26.
- Teen Angels July 3 ■ Benny and the Jets July 10
- Bobby Lewis & the Crackerjack Band July 17
- Hot Walker July 24
- Secrets July 31 Rich Eddys Rockin Oldies Band Aug. 7
- Magic Aug. 14
- SH-Boom Aug. 21 Livonia Free Family Concert Series:
- Mark Thomas & Max the Moose and Gordon Russ Comedy Magic Show, 7-8:30 p.m. Sunday, July 20, at Greenmead, Eight Mile and New-
- burgh, sponsored by Livonia Youth Commission. Ron Coden, 7-8:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 3, at Wilson Barn, Middlebelt and West Chicago, sponsored by Livonia Rotary Club.
- Casey & Mac, 7-8:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 17, at Civic Center Park, Five Mile and Farmington, sponsored by Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation.

Westland Cultural Society 1997 Concerts in



Festival fun: Liberty Fest in Canton features fun for kids and parents.



the Park, sponsored by the city of Westland, start at 6 p.m. and are free. All concerts except July 20 are at the Westland Library Performance Pavilion. In the event of rain concerts will be held inside the Bailey Recreation Center whenever feasible: Call 722-7620 or 522-3918 to confirm.

The Westland Library Performance Pavilion is behind Westland Public Library at 6123 Central City Parkway, north of Ford Road between Wayne Road and Newburgh. Stottlemeyer Park is on Dancy Boulevard, in southeast Westland.

- J.R. Hart, formerly Red & Ramblin Country, Sunday, June 8.
- Cohorts, Sunday, June 22.
- Waco Country Band, Sunday, June 29. Crossfire Sunday, July 13,
- Starfire, with vocalist Sheila Taylor, Sunday,
- July 20, at Stottlemeyer Park Cosmopolitan Band, Sunday, July 27
- Pyramid, Sunday, Aug. 3.
- Roy Cobb and the Coachmen, Sunday, Aug.
- Phil Gram Combo, Sunday, Aug. 17. ■ Waco Country Band, Sunday, Aug. 24. Redford Township Concert in the Park Series 1997 is held at Capitol Park from 7:30 to about 9:15 p.m. each date. In the event of rain concerts are held at the Community Center near
- the Capitol Park pavilion. Tentative schedule: ■ Redford Civic Symphony Orchestra
- Tuesday, July 8 ■ The Ed Zelenak Band Tuesday, July 15.
- Counterplay, Tuesday, July 22.
- The Next Generation, Tuesday, July 29.
- European German Band, Tuesday, Aug. 5, ■ Elvis impersonator Danny Vann, Tuesday,
- Aug. 12. ■ The Red Garter Band, Tuesday, Aug. 19.
- The Missing Links, Tuesday, Aug. 26. Wayne County Parks will host a series of concerts in the park this summer. Bring a picnic basket or buy dinner from the concession trailer. Free
- Amigo Latin Jazz All Stars, at 7 p.m. Thurslay, July 24. Bell Creek Park in Redford Township, Five Mile and Inkster roads.
- The Gratitude Steel Band, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 14, Hines Park-Nankin Mills area, Hines Drive, east of Ann Arbor Trail in Westland.

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- Big Band Express Thursday, July 3, at Civic Center Park ■ Chautauqua Express Thursday, July 10, at
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- Blue Metro Thursday, July 17, at Greenmead,
- The Zelenak Music Group Thursday, July 24, at Wilson Barn
- Joe Merenda Ensemble Thursday, July 31, at Wilson Barn,
- One Flight Up Thursday, Aug. 7, at Civic Center Park,
- Livonia Symphony Orchestra Thursday, Aug.
- 14, at Civic Center Park, ■ Sweet Adelines Thursday, Aug. 21, at Civic
- Center Park. A two-month series of programs will be held at
- lunchtime every Wednesday, starting June 4 at The Commons in downtown Garden City. ■ The Latin Counts, June 4

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- AAHS, June 11 ■ The Gold Tones disc jockeys, June 18.
- The Chautauqua Express, June 25
- The Cloggers, July 2 Disc jockey Michael Brown of the Gold Tones,
- July 9
- Robert Lee Dance Studio students, July 16
- The Magic Shop, July 23
- Kevin Collins, July 30

Redford Township will host the Redford Township

Community Festival June 12-15. Bell Creek Park is the site of the festival, which will be held from 6-10 p.m. Thursday, 6-11 p.m. Friday, noon to 11 p.m. Saturday and noon to 9 p.m. Sunday.

Kids Day is 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday with free kids games, a visit from Ronald McDonald with a short stage performance.

Sunday will be Country Day with live entertainment from 1-9 p.m. Also included will be free caricature portraits, free petting farm, free magic show by Kandu the Magician and the Robinson's Racing Pigs. Arnold Amusement Company will provide the Carnival Midway for the weekend.

Redford's festival also includes food concessions, a beer tent, free cruise night and a classic car

■ Canton Township's 1997 Liberty Fest at Heritage Park kicks off on Thursday night; June 19, and continues until Sunday, June 22.

Events include a pie-eating contest, Dance Dynamics show and a showing of "101 Dalmatians" movie in the amphitheater, a Road Rally, Vegas Night, Bingo Event, Steve King and the Dittilies concert, Laser Light Show and Laser Light Show Party. On Sunday, June 22, the morning will begin with a pancake breakfast and the Frisbee disc championships.

Livonia's Spree 47 will be held at Ford Field from Tuesday, June 24, to Sunday, June 29.

Events include a family foot rally and family concert by Ron Coden, the Taste of Livonia, and entertainment by The Maheeguns, The Bavarian Fest with Mary Herzog, a classic car show, sand volleyball tournament, family fun free-for-all, stunt kite demonstrations, pie eating contest, soft tip dart tour-

nament. On Sunday, the day gets. off to a healthy start with 1,3 and 5 mile runs. Worship services will also be held along with a pancake breakfast, Michigan Twins Association contests and events, Steve King and the Dittilies concert and fireworks display.

■ Westland's Summer Festival is scheduled for July 2 through July



In the family: Families can attend events together.

6. The festival will include an opening parade, a midway and carnival, entertainment, food concessions, a beer tent, bingo, Vegas nights, and closing

New this year is a Native American Indian Exhibition, featuring Native American dancing, singing and drumming.

Plymouth's Art in the Park will be July 12-13 in and around Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth. Some 400 artists and craftsmen from across the United States will feature and sell their wares. Also featured will be live musical entertainment, food concession stands and hands-on children's arts and crafts activities. Hours are Saturday, July 12, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, July 13, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

■ The Garden City Youth Athletic Association Festival is planned for July 16-20 in City Park, Merriman and Cherry Hill in Garden City. A carnival, midway and food booths are planned.

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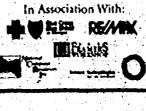
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#### BOOKS

## 'Life Without Bessie' sad, but worth living

On My Own

at 107

On My Own at 107 By Sarah L. Delany with Amy Hill Hearth (HarperSanFrancisco, \$18)

By KEELY WYGONIK STAFF WRITER

Death and change are perhaps two of the hardest things to accept. They were for Miss Sadie Delany, who at 107 is learning to live without her sister, Dr. Bessie Delany, who died peacefully in her sleep Sept. 25, 1995, at the age of 104.

Only two years apart, the sisters spent a lifetime together. In 1993 they became celebrities, at age 104 and 102, when "Having Our Say: The Delany Sisters' First 100 years," written with Amy Hill Hearth, the New York Times reporter who discovered them in 1991, became a bestseller. The book adapted to stage, was a hit on Broadway, and is playing Music Hall Center for Performing Arts in Detroit.

"The Delany Sisters' Book of Everyday Wisdom," followed in 1994. "On My Own at 107: Reflections on Life Without Bessie," with Amy Hill Hearth, is Miss Sadie's joyful tribute to her sister. Watercolor illustrations of flowers from Bessie's garden by Brian M. Kotzky are sprinkled throughout.

'You'd think we were Siamese twins who couldn't live without each other! Well, I'm learning

that I am a separate human being. For the first time I'm learning that," writes Miss Sadie.

"Life Without Bessie," other like Delany books;

is witty, and full of good advice. Miss Sadie's struggle to pick up the pieces, and start living after the death of her sister, is one we'll all have to face.

"We all wish that things could stay the same, but they won't," she writes. "We all wish we could live forever, but we can't. I wonder what it is about life that makes us cling to it so, especially since the world can be so cruel sometimes."

Born on the campus of Saint Augustine's School (now College) in Raleigh, North Carolina, the 10 Delany children were protected, loved, taught to believe and trust in God, and "aim high."

Their father, Henry Beard Delany, was born into slavery, but became the first elected black Episcopal bishop in the United States. Nanny Logan Delany, their mother, was born free to a white man and his lifelong partner, a woman of color. Mr. Delany met his wife at Saint Augustine's, and they raised

their children there.

All 10 Delanys graduated from Saint Augustine's, and worked their way through college. Bessie graduated in 1923 from Columbia University's School of Dental and Oral Surgery, becoming the second black woman licensed to practice dentistry in New York. Sadie, attended Pratt Institute and later Columbia University to pursue a teaching degree. She also earned a master's, at Columbia, and in 1925 was the first black woman to teach domestic science (home economics) on the high school level, in New York. They never married because in those days it meant giving up your career.

In Harlem the Delany siblings, who remained close all their lives, were part of an elite circle within the black community in the 1920s and 1930s. Later, the sisters moved to the Bronx, and to a two-story house in Mount Vernon, New York, in 1957 where Miss Sadie lives today. "Life Without Bessie," is not about dying, it's about learning to live without someone you love, while cherishing their memory.

Faith in God, exercise, eating lots of fruits and vegetables, no smoking, and taking vitamins, are some of the reasons the Delany Sisters give for their longevity. It also runs in their family.

She gives credit to her parents 2366.

for the way she was raised. "We didn't have any money as a family, growing up, but we learned good habits, how to take care of ourselves properly."

At 107, Miss Sadie is looking forward, while treasuring the past.

"Somewhere along the line I made up my mind I'm going to live, Bessie. I guess I probably don't have that much longer on this Earth, but I may as well make the best of it ... Remember how I used to say, 'Life is short, and it's up to you to make it sweet? Well, I was wrong about the short part. But I still believe it's up to each person to make the best life, to keep trying, no matter what. A lot of it is how you look at it. A lot of it is attitude.

"Don't worry about me Sister Bessie. Child, I've got plans."

William D. Murrell, principal of Oak Park High School, and one of the Delany Sisters' nephews, visited Miss Sadie during Easter break. "She still takes her vitamins, and was alert, and talkative," he said. Miss Sadie will celebrate her 108th birthday Sept. 19.

"Having Our Say," will be presented 2 p.m. today at Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison, Detroit.-Tickets \$23.50 to \$38.50, are available at the box office (313) 963-

## Writer explores his love affair with basketball

To the Hoop: Seasons of a Basketball Life. By Ira Berkow

(Harper BasicBooks)

BY BRAD EMONS

If you've ever played any amount of competitive hoop in your life, then Ira Berkow's "To The Hoop: Seasons of a Basketball Life," (Basic Books) is a mandatory assignment.

The New York Times sports columnist and Pulitzer Prize finalist weaves you through a course of basketball and life that a pick-up player should find appealing.

Even at the age of 56 and with a reconstructed knee, Berkow, continues to chase the "Holy Grail" when it comes to being a And he will go to just about

any lengths to keep his dream The son of immigrant parents

from Chicago's west side, Berkow recreates the book version of "Hoop Dreams," the award-winning documentary.

His journey begins on the playgrounds and continues through his trials and tribulations as an adolescent.

Unlike many scribes, Berkow can not only write about the game but also play it as well. He can relate to the struggles of playing both high school and college hoops, but he also gives the readers a truly insightful and humorous view, as well as the nuances, of becoming an effective pick-up player.

"Home Courts," will leave you in stitches as he becomes attached to a cast of characters he encounters at the Vanderbilt YMCA gym in Manhatten.

Going on a nickname basis only, Berkow's most colorful writing and witty tales deal with the likes of Roach, Monster, Animal, Charlie Miron, Fuzz, Sly and J.J and Kenny Garcia.

He also exchanges elbows on the court with Oscar Robertson, tries to set up an elusive one-onone matchup with former New York governor Mario Cuomo, and copes with the meteoric improvement of his best friend and high school teammate Stusurpasses Berkow as a player.

Berkow also trades basketball anedotes with the likes of the "Big O," Magic Johnson, Isiah Thomas, Red Holzman, Walt Frazier, Steve Kerr, Mark Aguirre and Michael Jordan.

also inflicts a dose of reality as Berkow comes to grips and later The opening chapter, titled reconciliation, after a lenghty period of estrangement from his younger brother Tom, who undergoes treatment for cancer.

Unfortunately, Berkow throws up a few bricks midway through the 285-page book when he exposes his life through his loves and marriages.

But like any good shooter, Berkow is able to gain his rhythm back in time and come back with a flurry in the fourthand decisive quarter,

He is to be commended, however, for being a straight shooter when it comes to revealing intimate details, not only about his family, but his own failings and shortcomings.

And Berkow is to be admired art Menaker, who ultimately for accepting personal challenges

when it comes to playing pick-up basketball.

A sparkling court on a beautiful day in Laguna Beach, Calif., turns nightmarish for Berkow, who becomes nearly haunted by experience.

But like any competitor, The book covers the gamut Berkow casts away his middle when it comes to hoops, but it aged doubts and makes a triumphant return to the scene of the crime.

He even gives this retired cager, now turned marathoner, food for thought about making a comeback, bad back and all.

Ira Berkow is a senior writer and sports columnist for the New York Times and author of over a dozen books, including Rockin' Steady: A Guide to Basketball and Cool (with Walt Frazier), along with the national best-seller Red: A Biography of Red Smith. He was born in Chicago in 1940 and graduated from 4 Miami University of Ohio and from the Medill School of Journalism at Northwestern. He was recently named "New York's Best Sportswriter" by New York Magazine. He lives with his wife, Dolly, of New York City.

## Mountain bike guide takes you to the best Michigan trails

Mountain Biking Michigan: The Best Trails in Southern Michigan by Dwain Abramowski and Sandra Davison (Pegg Legg Publications, Thunder Bay Press, \$13.95)

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

The Thunder Bay Press series of bicycle books goes off road again for this excellent guide to the best places to splash, jump, leap, climb, twist and turn on your mountain bike in southern Michigan.

The Thunder Bay books are invaluable to anyone who bicycles. Two books by Karen Gentry cover the best road trips in the western and eastern Lower Peninsula (with humorous stops at several eating places) and Mike Terrell covers off road

mountain bike trails in the northern Lower Peninsula.

This new book is perfect for choosing a weekend or late afternoon ride close to home. Abramowski and Davison give some tips on how and when to ride and then give riders a choice of 41 exciting trail sys-

The authors rate the trails from easy to strenuous, tell which trails are good for family outings and which are better for hard core stump jumpers. The book also includes good directions on how to get to the trails, photos, detailed maps of the trails, distances and a twists and turns description of each trail. You know what you're getting into when you read these guide books.

Best of all, these trails are close to home. The authors describe the Mountain as the most scenic Oakland

County, offer-

ing more than 15 miles "past a dozen small lakes, marshy ponds and over gurgling Spring Creek." Other near to home trails include Addison Oaks, Ortonville, Maybury, Highland and Pontiac Lake.

give fair warning: "The route is

Mountain Biking Michigan e Bed Irolle in Southern Michigan

are steep, some are loose and some are both loose and steep. Some of the hills have earned nicknames like Little Puke, so time your pre-ride meals." Despite all this the writers inform us that the trail is so popular that on weekends it's often packed with riders by mid-morn-The book also covers areas in

noted for it roots and rocks. Most

riders will find the network chal-

lenging in its obstacles and

speed. Pay attention or such

obstacles can hurt you. There

are several notable climbs; some

western and central Michigan perfect for weekend getaways The book covers the area south of the Pentwater-Tawas line.

Every bike pack in Michigah should have one of these guides along for the ride.

For Pontiac Lake the writers

#### **BOOK HAPPENINGS**

Book Happenings features various happenings at suburban bookstores. Send news leads to Hugh Gallagher, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-

BORDERS (BIRMINGHAM)

Dr. Judy McKee will continue her popular parent-teacher series on children's literature, 6-7 p.m. Sunday, May 18; workshop on \*Finding New Ways to Tell the Same Old Story," 7 p.m. Sunday, May 18: master gardener and columnist Janet Macuriovich, 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 20; travel writer Doris Scharfenberg discusses her new guldebook, "88 Great Lakes Vacations,\* 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 21; recording artist Geri Green presents a

lively show for all ages 11 a.m. Saturday, May 24 at the store, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (810)644-1515. BARNES AND NOBLE BOOK-

SELLERS (WEST BLOOMFIELD) Dinosaurs return for Story Time,

10 a.m. Monday, May 19 and 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 20; "Beating the Dow" reviewed by Joe Maye, 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 20; \*Decisions, Deadlines & Diapers: Family Time Management That Works," 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 21; mystery writer Loren Estleman discusses and signs his new Amos Walker book, "Never Street,\* 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 28 at the store, 6800 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. (810) 626 6804. BARNES & NOBLE (NORTHVILLE)

Family tree workshop cospon-

sored with Parenting Magazine, 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 20 at the store 1711 Haggerty Road, 810-348-0696.

**AUTHOR'S LECTURE SERIES** Sports columnist Mitch Albom will speak as part of the

Southfield Culture Arts Division of Southfield Parks and Recreation program, at the DoubleTree Guest Suites, 28100 Franklin, 12:15 p.m. Sunday, May 18. Tickets \$5. Call 810-424-9022.

MURDER, MYSTERY AND MAYHEM (FARMINGTON)

The Mystery Mavens discuss "Strong Poison," by Dorothy L. Sayers, 7 p.m. Thursday, May 22, at the store, 35167 Grand River, Farmington. (810) 471-7210 BORDERS BOOKS AND MUSIC

(DEARBORN) Finance seminar on Women and investing, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday,

May 20; Cynthla Neely discusses Mary Baker Eddy's "Science and Health," 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 20; master gardener and columnist Janet Macunovich discusses and signs her two books, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 21; seminar on Aromatherapy, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 22; children's program "King Bidgood's in the Bathtub," 11 a.m. Saturday, May 24 at the store, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. (313) 271-4441 BOOK FAIR

Norman Cantor will discuss \*The Jewish Experience" 2 p.m. Sunday, May 18; Dr. Sonya Friedman will discuss "Stress,Iliness and wellness, 8:30 p.m. Monday, May 19; at the Birmingham Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile, farmington Hills. For

information, call 810-477-1410

#### ART BEAT

Art Beat features various happenings in the suburban art vorld. Send news leads to Linda Ann Chomin, Arts & Leisure reporter, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591. 7279.

#### EXHIBITION EXTENDED

The Detroit Institute of Arts has extended the "Images in Ivory: Precious Objects of the Gothic Age" exhibition through Sunday, May 25 at the museum, 5200 Woodward Avenue in Detroit.

Admission is \$5 adults; \$2. children/students; Founders Society members, free, and includes museum admission and a Acoustiguide recorded tour narrated by Susan Stamberg. National Public Radio special correspondent. The exhibit is free on Wednesdays with a donation for museum admission.

According to exhibition curator Peter Barnet, "visitors have expressed amazement at the extraordinary quality of carving on such small ivory figures. And people seem to particularly enjoy experiencing daily life in the Gothic Age represented in each work- from how people prayed to how they combed their hair."

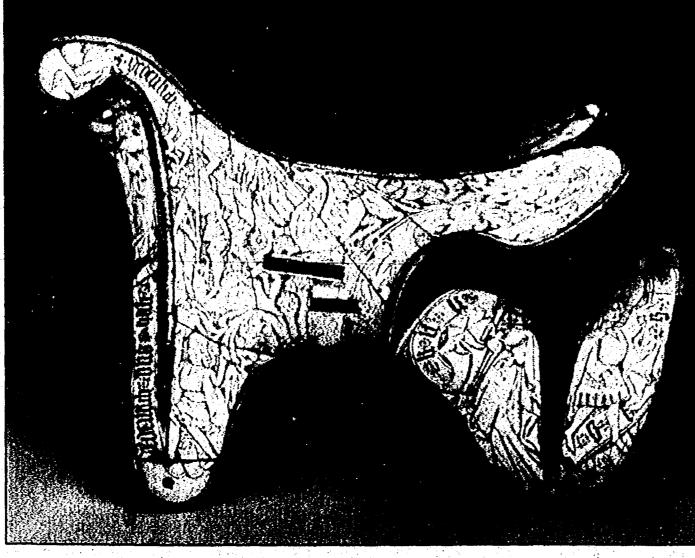
"Images in Ivory" features 100 examples of medieval ivory carving in a setting that includes gothic arches and windows. recordings of period music and a reading room. Many of the works were loaned by the world's greatest museums including the Louvre in Paris; Victoria & Albert Museum, London, and Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City. The exhibit will travel to only one other site, the Walters Art Gallery in Baltimore (June 22 to Aug. 31), before the objects are returned to the various lending institutions.

DIA hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesday through Friday. and until 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Call (313) 833-7900.

#### CHORAL AUDITIONS

...The University Musical Sociaty Choral Union will hold auditions 7-10 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday, May 27-28; 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 31, and 1.6 p.m. Sunday, June 1. Other dates and times available by appointment.

The 175-voice Choral Union,



Final Days: Visitors have until May 25 to view this 15th century Austrian saddle in the Detroit Institute of Arts "Images in Ivory: Precious Objects of the Gothic Age" exhibition.

under conductor Thomas Sheets, (313) 763-8997. performs regularly with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Toledo Symphony and other major orchestras, and presents chamber music with the 24-voice

Chamber Chorale.

The 1997-98 season includes performances of Handel's "Messiah," Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess," Mendelssohn's "Elijah," and Elgar's "Dream of Gerontius." A special concert scheduled for Aug. 2 is a presentation of "Carmina Burana" by the Choral Union and the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, under conductor Neeme Jarvi, at the Meadow Brook Music Festival in

Although based in Ann Arbor, the Choral Union consists of members from all over the southeast Michigan area including Plymouth.

For information regarding membership and an audition, contact the Choral Union at

#### RUMMAGE SALE

The Plymouth Community Arts Council will hold a rummage sale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Thursday and Friday, May 29-30 inside the arts center located at 774 North Sheldon Road in Plymouth.

"We'll have lots of treasures and the proceeds will help fund children's art programs in the schools," said Joanne Hulce, Plymouth Community Arts Council board member. "We always need to update our materials and buy new portfolios for the Art Volunteer program which takes art to Plymouth and Canton elementary, junior and high schools."

The arts council is still looking for rummage sale donations of everything except clothing. Volunteers are also needed to work before, during and after the sale.

"We could always use their

help," said Hulce. For more information about

nary space. His simple strands become the edges of imaginary planes and volumes a bristling geometry nearly transparent and weightless.

Sandback's work confounds expectations and opens minds to a new way of seeing. Using line alone, Sandback induces viewers to experience the space anew, to mentally or physically cross through the diaphanous plane much as Alice went through the looking glass.

Sandback tackled the U-M museum's Apse this spring, tying and tethering string to the architectural members of this usually bold, bright and busy space, changing it into something new and mysterious.

The exhibition continues through Sept. 28. Hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday to Saturday, until 9 p.m. Thursday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

#### SHOW CANCELED

The Friends of Nankin Mills regrets to announce their annual "Spring Elegance" arts and craft show scheduled Sunday, June 1 in Edward Hines Park will not be held.

The annual show raised funds for the restoration of Nankin Mills and the addition of a nature center, tentatively scheduled for completion in 18 months.

"With the number of craft shows out there at this time of year, it was difficult to get crafters," said Denise Johnston, Friends president. "We may do the show in fall 1998."

In the meantime, the Friends are looking at different ways to raise funds. Their annual wine and cheese reception will still be held the last Wednesday in September.

"We're always looking for volunteers whether it's an artist who might want to arrange flowers at the wine and cheese reception, or just help out in general," said Johnston.

For more information about

the Friends of Nankin Mills, call Johnston at (313) 261-3633, or Kathy Myers (313) 421-7213.

YOUNG PLANIST HONORED

Joshua H. Cullen was one of three citizens honored by Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara during a breakfast May 16 at Burton Manor.

Nearly 2,000 people attended the Winning Ways Awards, a celebration of community spirit to honor extraordinary citizens of Wayne County. The sense of purpose and dedication of these three citizens has led to the progress of Wayne County and the enrichment of the lives of the people who live there.

Cullen began studying piano at five. At age eight, he made his debut performing with the Livonia Symphony Orchestra. Now 12, Cullen has performed in concert halls as far away as Italy, Vienna, Moscow, and Prague. Blessed with determination most adults only dream of, he remains levelheaded and upbeat, an example of what others can achieve through hard work.

William Clay Ford, Jr. and Margaret Piper were also honored with awards.

#### EXPERIENCING JAZZ

Albion College student Julie P. White is gaining experience in jazz performance by playing with the College's Jazz Ensemble.

White, a junior majoring in biology, is the daughter of James and Patricia White of Westland and a graduate of Churchill High School in Livonia.

The Jazz Ensemble presents several concerts throughout the year, as well as performing during the HomecomingO Collage Concert and spring Children's Concert. "It's a valuable opportunity for students to try challenging music and use their musical talents in different ways," said department chair Myron McReynolds, who directs the Ensemble.

## Painter does mural justice at new courthouse

By Frank Provenzano STAFF WRITER

Two carpenters, carrying a long wooden plank, share a good laugh as they pass the scaffold where painter Robert Schefman is working. Atop a platform about six feet above the sawdustladen marble tile, he holds a fistful of brushes in one hand, and a single brush in the other.

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A new exhibition by sculptor

Fred Sandback opened May 17

at the University of Michigan

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Street, Ann Arbor, (313) 764-

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as being created from clay, metal

or wood. But for Sandback,

acrylic yarn is the sculptural

equivalent of #2 pencil. With a

spectrum of colored yarn pulled

taut from ceiling to floor, Sand-

back carves huge columns and

room-sized structures from ordi-

0395. Admission is free.

THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS

(313) 416-4ART.

Schefman of West Bloomfield is painting delicate facial lines and skin tones of the people included in his massive mural in the lobby of the newly constructed 19th District Court in Dear-

"Watch out," yelled one carpenter, nodding in the direction of the scaffold.

"Hey, so he adds an extra wrinkle," laughed the other carpenter, feigning like he's shaking the ladder. "What's the big deal?"

Schefman smiled boyishly. "It's combat around here."

Then, as if the carpentry troops had taken up arms there was a sudden cacophony of drills, saws, hammering and monosyllabic yelling. The abrasive noise mingled in peculiar harmony with the country music reverberating through the hall-

It's a setting closer to painting along with the Three Stooges than contemplating a lasting allegory for the halls of justice. Yet Schefman perseveres.

While his impressive figurative paintings have been critical successes over the last 10 years, Schefman's artistry is by no means limited to the canvas. If there's an embodiment of a blood and guts, hell-bent for his art artist, he's it.

"He doesn't just attack a canvas, he becomes immersed in it." said Darlene Carroll, director of the Lemberg Gallery in Birmingham, which represents Schefman. "He has a strong following. Part of that is because he grew up in the area, but his work appeals anywhere."

Widely known for his paintings that offer contemporary interpretations of classic Greek myths, Schefman's obsession for his subjects and mastery of technique place him among the finest painters working in the realistic tradition. At 44, he no longer thinks in terms of a "big break" or a watershed exhibit.

"It's a building process," he said. "You just keep working at it. If the public responds, that's wonderful. If not, you still go on with your work."

A classic story of equality

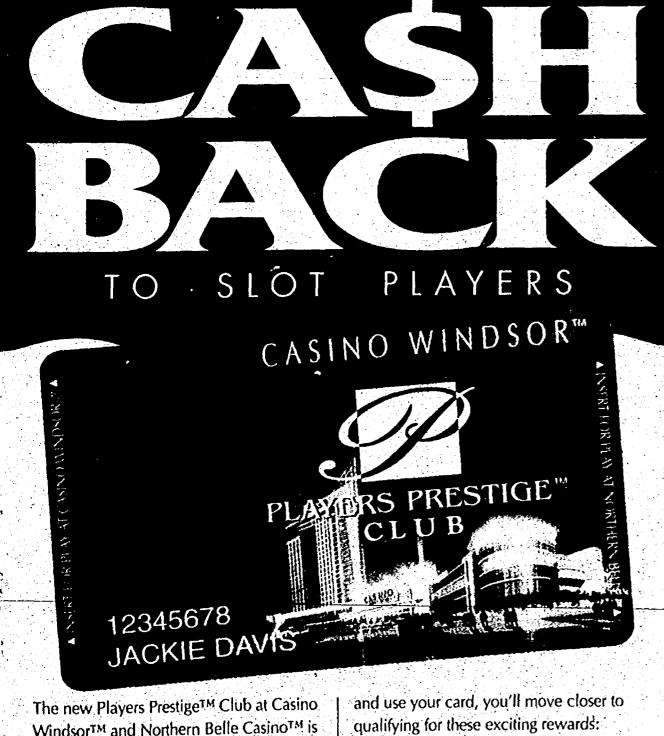
When architects suggested that perhaps a painting could fill the 48-foot wall in the 19th District Court entrance, Chief District Court Judge William Runco

realized it was the ideal place for "meaningful art." Runco is overseeing the construction of the \$8 million expanded court building expected to add 35,000 square feet to one of the busiest courts in the state.

"Public buildings should have some enduring monument," said Runco. "People will come to the court and be in awe looking at the expressions of the people in the mural. They look as if they could've been at the signing of Declaration of Independence."

Whenever art is created for a public place, the most oftenasked question is: What will be appropriate? Unlike many artists who either appeal to the lowest common denominator or ignore mainstream sensibilities, Schefman's view is refreshingly realistic without being compromising.

"In 'public art,' you present an experience for everyone," he said. That "open ended experience" is enhanced by Schefman's design for the curved mural wall, which includes 30 faces of Dearborn residents as characters participating in a story about the citizenry role in the due process of law. On one side are those engaged in the discussion about the nature of law. On the other side are the "common people" who sit in judgment of their fellow citizens.



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#### TRAVEL

# Tour host believes in knowing Italy before you go

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

Anria Del Pizzo believes in careful preparation.

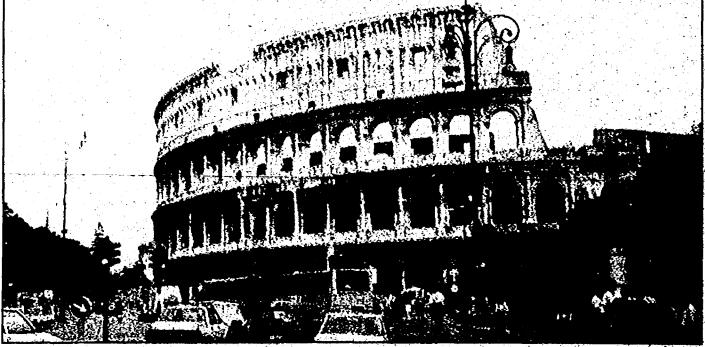
As a teacher of Italian, Del Pizzo has been spreading the word on Italian culture for, 20 years. Now she is introducing people to Italy first hand, by leading tour groups. But before they go, Del Pizzo makes sure they are prepared to understand what they see.

She prepares a study guide for her tourists (Amici di Anria, Friends of Anria). She gives lectures, shows slides, gives behind the scenes information.

A Del Pizzo study guide includes more than an itinerary. The guide includes an explanation of the European Economic Community, a metric conversion table, a summary of Italian history, diagrams of famous buildings, articles on local cuisine and pertinent

"I try to make visuals, so they know where everything is. I try to make you feel Italy in your soul," she said.

Del Pizzo, of Northville, already has Italy in her soul. She teaches privates Italian classes, has taught Italian at Wayne State, Oakland



PHOTOS COURTESY OF ANKI DEL PIZZO

Rome eternal: The Coliseum in Rome is one of the world's most famous sights.

Community College and is president of the Michigan Chapter of the American Association of Teachers of Italians.

Her parents were born in Italy and as a child she often returned

to Italy and attended school there. She attended the University of Florence and her son Marco attended the University of Pisa and her other son, Dante, will be attending Pisa this summer.

Her husband, Ferdinando, is also of Italian descent and helps with the study program by preparing Italian meals for the group at the monthly meetings held before the trips.

Kate Shishkovsky of Livonia said those meetings made fast friends of the travelers and the study guides "helped an awful lot" in increasing understanding of what the travelers would see.

"Those monthly meetings we had were fun but we also had interesting things to learn," she

This year, Del Pizzo is leading two trips to Italy. The first, Aug. 26 to Sept. 4, will explore Venice, Milan, Verona, Portofino and Cinque Terra. The highlight will. be a production of Verdi's "Rigoletto" at the Roman Amphitheatre in Verona and side trips to "Romeo and Juliet" sites in the city. A fall trip, Sept. 29 to Oct. 9, will include Milan, Venice and the Italian Riviera.

Her "Know Before You Go" sessions begin at 7 p.m. Tuesday. Group size is limited to 12. For information, call Del Pizzo at (810)474-4519.

Past trips over the last three years have included Rome, Florence and Milan.

"My favorite city is Florence. It's my home city but also it has so much art and history," she said.

The first year she led a group, her cousin in Florence, Alberta Sassetti, invited everyone to dinner for an Italian feast. The group sampled local cuisine and a variety of Italian wines.

Del Pizzo tries to find these special, human touches and avoids the obvious tourist destinations, unless they are absolute musts. Then she gives her touring friends an insider's view.

"In Venice everybody rides the gondolas, but we learn about the history of gondolas," she said. "Venice is a water city, but we learn why and how."

Each student learns some Italian, so they can get by.

"I teach my students buzz phrases. By using 'Where is ...' They can look up in the dictinary and find where they want to go,"

"Italians appreciate anyone who tries to speak the language and they try to help."

For the trip to Verona, travelers will learn about opera, Roman amphitheatres and the legend of Romeo and Juliet.

Del Pizzo said the Verona Amphitheatre is as large as the Roman Coliseum and still in tact. Each evening before the opera, everyone lights a candle.

"Verona is beautiful, known for its pink marble, there is a pink tinge over the whole city," Del Pizzo said.

Romeo and Juliet sights will include the balcony, Juliet's home and her tomb.

Those who have traveled with Del Pizzo are most grateful for the friendships they've forged.

"Our experience in going to Italy with Anria's group was wonderful. We all became fast friends and the friendship has continued for almost two years. We have three or four dinners together a year in one of our homes," write Donna and Paul Trupiano of Dearborn. "The trip itself was outstanding. Italy is a wonderful country: the people, culture, art, beauty are intriguing. For us, we also visited family and that was a

most precious gift." Shishkovsky also enjoyed the camaraderie.

"I like art and art history and I just thought Rome was fabulous," said Shishkovsky. She said the highlights for her, in addition to the friendships she made, were St. Peter's Bascilica and the

Parthenon in Rome. Daniel Lenzi of Novi discovered that the Lenzi family of Florence has a long and noble tradition. Del Pizzo said he spent hours researching the history of the family, though he still isn't certain that he is related to these Lenzis.

Lenzi and his wife, Andrea, also sent their recommendation: "We never expected that we would form lasting friendships with the others on our trip to Italy. We are sure that it was mainly due to the small size of the group. Also, the sessions we had at Anria's house prior to leaving helped us get acquainted with the others.

· "Then top it all off by sharing a special experience like our trip to Rome and Florence which solidified our friendship with the others. We have had five or six dinners together over the past year and a half. This has been a real bonus."



Sightseers: Andria Del Pizzo, center, takes her travelers to Coliseum. Left to right, Antonio Gatto of Plymouth, Kate Shishkovsky of Livonia, Cristiano Sassetti of Florence and Cristina Masciarelli of Pescara.

#### **GREAT ESCAPES**

Italian feast: Alberta Sassetti of Florence invited her

Shishkovsky of Livonia, Antonio Gatto of Plymouth,

of Novi, Cristina Masciarelli of Pescara, Italy, Cris-

tiano Sassetti of Florence and Linda Scardigli of Flo-

Donna and Paul Trupiano of Dearborn, Alberta, Sandy

and Bill Lane of White Lake, Daniel and Andrea Lenzi

cousin Anria's tour to dinner. Left to right, Kate

Great Escapes features various and night clubs. The ship will visit a travel new items. Send news léads to Hugh Gallagher, assisthat managing editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers Inc., 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or fax them to (313) 591-7279.

#### DISNEY CRUISE NIGHT

The Berkley Tours & Travel agency in Southfield is holding a All About Disney Cruise Night" 630 p.m. Wednesday, May 21, in the community room at Tel-Twelve Mall in Southfield. A Disney répresentative will discuss Disney's new 83,000 ton "Disney Magic" ship. The ship accommodates 2,400 passengers, separate dining options

private adult beach on Disney's private Bahama island. Disney packages will include 3 or 4 day cruises combined with 3 or 4 days at Disney World. For more information, call Berkley Tours 810-559-8620 or 1-800-875-6787. COAST GUARD FESTIVAL

Grand Haven is the site of the 1997 Grand Haven Coast Guard Festival, July 25 to Aug. 3. Featured acts are the Drifters, July 26; James Bonamy, July 28; Scottville Clown Band, July 29; 1964 Tribute, July 30; Starship with Mickey Thomas, July 31; the Drum and Bugle Corps, Aug. 1 (at Grand Haven High School);

the U.S. Coast Guard Band, Aug. 1 and Phil Dirt & The Dozers, Aug. 2. All shows at the stadium except Drum and Bugle Corps. For information, call 1-888-204-2434.

#### TRAVEL GUIDE

Grand Haven has produced a 1997/98 Visitors Guide about how to plan a getaway weekend to the popular Lake Michigan resort town. To receive a copy of the Visiotrs Guide, call the Grand Haven/Spring Lake Area Visitors Bureau at 800-303-4090 or e-mail 2042712@mcimail.com or write Grand Haven/Spring Lake Area Visitors Bureau, One South Harbor Drive, MI 48417

#### **COUNTRY FESTIVAL**

Fort Loramie, Ohio, at Hickory Hills Lakes will hold a weekend of country music July 11-13 featuring Vince Gill, LeAnn Rimes; Sawyer Brown, Travis Tritt, Charlie Daniels, Billy Ray Cyrus, Sammy Kershaw, Bryan White, Blackhawk, Martina McBride, Tom T. Hall, Marty Stuart, Trisha Yearwood, Tracy Lawrence, Trace Adkins and Toby Keith. The weekend features camping on the grounds. A three-day ticket purchased before July 4 will cost \$79, reserved seat tickets \$150, stage front tickets \$425. Camping permits are \$55. To order by phone,

call 1-937-295-3000, fax 1-937-295-3681 or Internet www.countryconcert.com

#### TUNES OF GLORY

Maple Leaf Gardens in Toronto, Ontario, will play host to over 300 musicians and performers in

a massed pipes and drums and military bands tattoo 2 p.m. June 15. Tickets are now on sale and may be ordered by calling Ticketmaster at (416)870-8000. Tickets range in price from \$15

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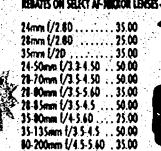
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# SPORTS

## OBSERVER **SPORTS**

#### Collegiate baseball notes

·University of Michigan junior right fielder Derek Besco (Westland John Glenn) was named first-team All-Big Ten and won the Bill Freehan Award as the team's top hitters with a .390 batting average.

Besco leads the Big Ten regular season champions in hits (78), runs (59), RBI (60) and slugging percentage (.650).

He was also named Big 10 Player of the Week after going 7-for-13 (.538) with a double, two homers and seven RBI in a season-ending series against Ohio State.

The Wolverines entered the Big Ten playoffs 34-20 overall (17-9 in the Conference).

Twin brother Bryan, a junior/sophomore (eligible) first baseman, closed out the regular season with a .340 average including a team-high 12 homers and school-record 24 doubles.

•Eastern-Michigan University senior Mark Rutherford (Livonia-Churchill) made first-team All-Mid-American Conference and second-team All-MAC as a designated hitter.

Rutherford was also selected EMU's most valuable player.

He compiled a 9-3 record on the mound with 51 strikeouts in 74% innings and a 4.48 earned run average. In nine conference starts he posted a 6-1 record and a 2.30 ERA. Rutherford won his final four starts, allowing just two earned runs in 26 innings with an 0.69 ERA.

At the plate, Ruthersn batted .388, leading the team with eight game-winning RBI and tied for the team lead with 11 homers. He was also second in hits (66) and third for the Eagles in RBI (48), doubles (16) and runs (40).

EMU finished 29-25 overall and 17-14 in the MAC, missing a conference tourney berth by a half-game (behind fourth-place Miami).

• Wayne State senior designated hitter Jeff Schaffer (Livonia Franklin) was named secondteam All-Great Lakes Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

#### Ocelot golfer earns berth

Schoolcraft College freshman Brad Villa finished 10th National Junior College Athletic Association Region 12 tournament (May 11-12 in Marysville, Ohio) to earn a spot in next month's NJCAA Championships in Pinehurst, N.C.

Villa had rounds of 82, 78 and 83 for a threeday total of 243 en route to All-Region 12 honors. Lake Michigan's Byde Kephart was medalist

with a 236. Schoolcraft finished tied for fourth with Kala-

mazoo Valley with a 1,110 total.

The first three teams include Muskegon (967),

Oakland (983) and Lansing (1,000). Other Schoolcraft scorers included Dan Gourlay, 83-85-84/252; Andy Baron, 81-86-

86/253; Brian Gabbeart, 84-90-88/262; and Erik Gustaf, 96-93-92/281.

#### **MIAA** gains Stevenson pair

A pair of Livonia Stevenson athletes are headed to the Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association this fall to play football.

Mike Allison, who made first-team All-Observer in both football and wrestling, will attend Alma College. He plans to play baseball and football.

Teammate Todd Wilson, who sat out last fall with a knee injury, is headed to Kalamazoo College where he plans to play both football and

#### Cage coach Wolf resigns

Livonia Clarenceville is seeking a new girls basketball caoch after the mid-year resignation of Bob Wolf, who posted an 18-84 record in five

· Clarenceville athletic director Leo Kinsella is accepting inquiries for the position along with an assistant varsity football position.

To apply, write to: Leo Kinsella, A.D., Clarenceville High School, 20155 Middlebelt Road, Livonia, Mi. 48152; or call (810) 473-8926.

#### Strikers soccer academy

The Michigan Strikers Academy will host a series of soccer camps throught the state for recreational, select and premier players.

In addition, team camps will be hosted to accommodate each individual team's needs with the option of choosing an instructor fromthe Michigan Strikers Academy staff.

Former Livonia Stevenson High All-Stater and Spartan assistant coach Laura Fedrigo will direct the girls camps.

For more information, call (248) 423-7943.

#### **U-M Dearborn camps**

The University of Michigan-Dearborn will host a series of half-day or full-day commuter summer camps youngsters of all skill levels (ages 10-18). The camps are directed by university coaches designed for players to improve their skills through individual training, team building and friendly competition.

The boys basketball camp will be June 16-20 (grades 5-8) and July 21-25 (grades 9-12); girls basketball, June 23-27 and July 14-18 (grades 5-12); shooting camp, Aug. 4-8 (grades 5-15); and girls volleybail, July 7-11 (grades 5-12).

For more information, call Ann-Marie Car-

ravallah at (313) 593-5671.



scene Thursday after Anne Fedrigo's goal gave Stevenson a 1-0 victory over Plymouth:

Game-winner: 44

It's a mob

Canton in the Western Lakes championship game. Stevenson now begins district play on Monday against Farm ington Hills Mercy.

STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HAWLEY

# Stevenson celebrates title, 1-0

BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR

Fair is fair.

And what happened in the Western Lakes Activities Association championship soccer match Thursday at Plymouth Canton was certainly just.

After 150 minutes of nothing — at least on the scoreboard — from either team (they played to a scoreless tie April 9), the Spartans broke through, getting a goal from Anne Fedrigo with 9:11 left to play to edge Canton 1-0.

"We really should have scored a couple of more goals," said Stevenson coach Jim Kimble, his team now 14-0-2. "But in any event, this was a

That was an appraisal that would be difficult to dispute. "They played well," said Canton coach Don Smith

#### GIRLS SOCCER

of the Spartans' performance. "They deserved it.

"We didn't go to the ball hard enough. We went to the ball hard, they just went to the ball harder."

Stevenson, in fact, did everything harder. In weather alternating between rain and ice and snow, with a consistently hard wind to propel it, the Spartans dominated — more than they did in that early-season scoreless tie.

Canton had an excuse for Stevenson's monopolizing play throughout the goal-less first half — the wind. It favored the Spartans, one good reagame we definitely should have son why the Chiefs managed to push the ball out of their own side of the field and into Stevenson's less than a half-dozen times over the first 40

But with zeroes on the scoreboard for both teams at the half, there was reason for Canton to be optimistic. "At the end (of the first half), we were just trying to get out of it (tied)," said Smith.

The Chiefs did, and that disturbed Kimble. "I was concerned at halftime because of the wind," he admitted. "I wasn't sure how we'd react."

The Spartans could not have reacted better, by any standard. Despite the dreadful weather, they crowded the sidelines cheering their teammates on, while the Chiefs huddled on their bench.

And Stevenson continued to apply pressure, which finally took its toll on Canton. "Under pressure, sometimes you don't execute too well,". noted Smith.

With less than 10 minutes left, the Chiefs' execution did indeed break down. Three times they had a

chance to clear the ball out of the own end, and out of harm's way three times they failed.

The loose ball finally found is way to Fedrigo, in a crowd 10 yard in front of the Chiefs' net. Her sho rattled off the cross bar before deflecting in for the game's only score.

The loss was the first for Cantain (11-1-2), the defending Class A state champions, since last May when they lost to Stevenson 1-0.

The realization of the Chiefs! sovereignty helped inspire the Spartans. "They're still the reigning state champs," said Kimble. "That's the way we approached this game."

If they can retain their determination throughout the state tournament, which gets underway this week, the Spartans could be the team that replaces Canton.

# Rockets win regional

#### By Brad Emons Staff Writer

Seventy-eight points was the magic number Friday night for Westland John Glenn as the Rockets captured the Class A regional boys track title at rainy Redford Union's Kraft Field.

It was the first regional crown for coach Jess Shough, who was an assistant coach the last time Glenn, led by middle distance standout Carl Lowe, won the crown (1989 at West Bloom-

Detroit Chadsey was second with 60% points and Plymouth Salem was third with 57.

Two Livonia schools, Franklin and Churchill, made strong and surprising showings, taking fourth and fifth, respectively, with 48 and 46 points. See final results on D3.

"I was confident if we got the breaks, we'd be in the running," Shough said. Even with all the speed coming from the Detroit schools, I felt if we scored enough points in the field events, we could neutralize that."

Glenn four-year varsity performer Mike Samples, despite the damp and chilly conditions, came through with a first in the discus (158 feet, 6 inches) and a second in the shot put (behind Observerland and regional champ Ron

#### **BOYS TRACK**

Pennington of Wayne Memorial). The 6-foot-1, 185-pound Samples bettered his personal bests by at least

2 feet in each event. "He's worked real hard and dedicated himself for four years," Glenn assistant coach Charley Hallman said. "He's done everything in his power to get to this point and he was on top of his game today."

Junior Harden James won a fast 100 in 10.9, and then teamed up with Reggie Spearmon, Steve Hester Aaron Stephens to win the 400 relay (44.7).

All told, Glenn scored in 12 of 16 events and held on despite being shut out in the meet's final four events.

Jim Koch (300 hurdles) and David Jarrett (long jump) added seconds, while Joe Wojtowicz (1,600) and Koch (110 hurdles), added thirds. Salem's 3,200-meter relay team of

Andy Briggs, Matt Fair, Kevin Conte and Ian Searcy four-peated as regional Searcy, the lanky junior, won the

800 in 1:58.2, and pulled along Briggs to qualify as third-place provisional finisher (1:59.2).

The Rocks' Nick Allen also qualified with a second in the 3,200 as Livonia Stevenson's Rob Block comfortably won the race in 9:50.6.

One of the meet's stars was Churchill sophomore Ryan Kearney, who swept the 110- and 300-meter hurdles in 14.8 and 40.7, respectively.

Teammate Nathan Jerome, a senior, was also a double qualifier, finishing first in the 1,600 and second in the Franklin was again led by senior

pole vault champ Paul Terek, who cleared 14-1 after setting another school record and 1997 state best of 16-1 (Wednesday in a dual meet against Northville). Terek was also third in the long

jump and fourth in the 200. Teammate Josh Burt also qualified for state with a second in the 1,600, while junior Matt Lawson was a provisional qualifier in the shot put.

Redford Catholic Central, seventh in the team standings, will be sending Dan Dominguez and Brian Douglas in the shot put; its 3,200 relay team of Chris Laney, John Griffin, Wayne Brigee and John Faunce; and double qualifier Brian Teefey in the 200 and



STAFF PHOTO BY SHARON LEMIKUX Going the distance: Livonia' Churchill's Nate Jerome (right) won the 1,600 while Franklin's Josh Burt was second.

## North juggles way to crown

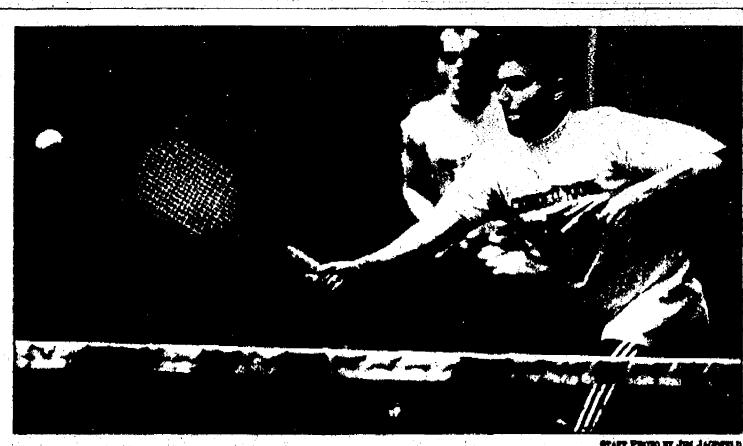
#### BY BRAD EMONS STAFF WHITER

The odds seemed to be against North farmington, which was trying to unseat defending boys tennis champion Northville in the Western Lakes Activities Association tournament held at Livonia Stevenson.

The Raiders were minus the No. 2 doubles team of Adam Ludwig and Marc Solomon - both unable to play because obligations to take an advanced place-

But after the three-day tournament was concluded, the replacements scored high marks as North recorded a teamhigh 28 points to end Northville's five-year reign. The Mostanga Snished second with 22.

Total Section



STAFF PROTO BY JIM JACOPULD

nerup: Churchill's Nader Salah (front) and Chip Norton (back) finished second to North Farmington's Steven Lehrman and Peter Golaszewski at No. 1.

#### **GIRLS GOLF**

CLASS A REGIONAL GIRLS GOLF TOURNAMENT May 16 at Sylvan Glen

TEAM STANDINGS (top 3 quality for state makl): 1. Harper Woods Regina, 369; 2. Farming ton Hitis Mercy, 376; 3. Rochester Adams, 380; 4. Troy, 390; 5. Livonia Stevenson, 400; 13. Liva

Top 5 individuals (all quality for state): 1. Kim Benedict (Adams), 79: 2. Jennifer Borowiec, 89; 3. (tie) Kelly Tracy (Troy), Amanda Pettit (Regi na). 89 each: 5. Angela Harbar (Mercy), 90. Stevenson acoress: Kelly Kristy, 93; Mara Mazzoni, 99: Julie Kosior, 101; Mandy Carlson.

Franklin scorers: Katie Beasley, 120; Beth Parnett, 127. Karen Hollenbeck, 132; Sabine Bar

#### CLASS A REGIONAL

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TEAM STANDINGS (top 3 quality for state mest): 1. Saline. 342; 2. Anni Arbor Pioneer, 380: 3. Ann Arbor Huron, 382; 4. Brighton; 389; 5. Plymouth Salem, 375, 8. Livonia Ladywood, 422, 12. Livonia Churchill, 442; 15. Plymouth Canton

Medalist: Momoko, Sone (Saline), 82. -Satem scoters: Katie Murinas, 88 (tied for lifth, qualified for state), Jessica Hedges, 95

Kathe Collins, 96, Julie Licata, 116. Ladywood scorers: Gretchen Siebert, 103 Katy Zimmerman, 104. Sarah Townsend, 106:

Becca Andersen, 109, Churchill scorers; Megan Vollick, 100; Lauren

Boucher, 106: Julie McLaughlin, 120; Julie Ash

Canton scorers: Alyson Young, 103, Sandra Pavlo, 113: Jess Dumas, 125; Julie Dziekan, 127 DUAL MEET RESULTS LIVONIA STEVENSON 193 NORTHVILLE 222

May 14 at Tanglewood Stevenson scorers: Kelly Krisly, 42 (medalist): Mara Mazzoni, 48: Julie Kosior; 50; Mandy

Carlson, 53 Northville's top scorer: Monica Prasad, 471

Stevenson's dual meet record: 9.0 overall, 8.0

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with 13. See statistical summary.

"Northville has been a great champion and we've enjoyed our rivarly with them," North coach Dennis King said. "For the past few years they've won their division (Western) and we've won ours (Lakes). And last year we lost to them by one point (25-24)."

North and Northville won two singles titles apiece, and it was 2-2 between the two schools in dou-

King was forced to alter his doubles lineup because of the absence of Ludwig and Solomon.

Seniors Steve Lehrman and Peter Golaszewski defended their title in the No. 1 flight with a 3-6, 6-0, 6-3 victory in the finals over Livonia Churchill's senior tandem of Chip Norton and Nader Salah.

Lehrman and Golaszewski entered Friday's Class A regional at Northville with a 13-3 record. Meanwhile, for Norton and

Salah, it was only their second loss of the year.

King was forced to move his No. 3 team of freshman Chris Erickson and Mark Frankel up to No. 2 and the North pair reached the finals

before losing to Northville in three sets. It was the first loss of the year in 15 matches for the Raider pair.

North's No. 3 team of sophomore Brandon Finkel and Brady Dwyer, which had played only three matches together coming into the tournament, were unseeded because they moved up a flight.

But they also reached the final before losing to the Mustangs in straight sets.

Thrust into the North varsity lineup for the first time were a pair of freshmen, Jon Panush and Greg Fox.

The two proceeded to take the No. 4 flight with a 6-1, 6-3 win over Farmington's duo of Jeff Daley and Chris Lee. Northville's top-seeded team of Derek Sokolosky and Paul Stachura were upset in the quarterfinals by Daley and Lee, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.

"When they (Northville) lost at fourth doubles that really hurt them," King said. "Our two freshmen really didn't play nervous. They hit the ball and they played very aggressive.

"We had two others we could

have brought up who could have done a good job. Our strength is our depth and we arose to the occasion beautifully."

Sophomore Brad Jaffe, who raised his record to 14-2, led the North singles parade with a 4-6, 6-1, 6-3 win over Farmington Hills Harrison's Ryan Shade in the finals at No. 1.

Senior Seth Weingarten, who played the previous two years as North's No. 1 player, captured the title at No. 2 with a 7-5, 6-1 win against Northville's Mike Bush.

Weingarten was 16-0 entering the regional.

"It's nice to have two great players," King said. "If Brad hadn't come in and played No. 1 this year, then Seth would have been right in there contending himself."

Northville's Arjun Srinivasan handed North junior Steve Krieger his first defeat in 15 matches at No. 3 in straight sets. The Mustangs also emerged vic-

torious at No. 4 singles as top seed Ganesh Nayakwadi defeated North sophomore Justin Street for the title, 6-3, 6-1. It was only Street's first loss in 16 matches.

#### WLAA BOYS TENNIS RESULTS

WESTERN LAKES ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION BOYS TENNIS TOURNAMENT May 13-15 at Livonia Stevenson

TEAM STANDINGS: 1. North Farmington, 28; 2. Northville, 23; 3. Farmington, 13; 4. Liyonla Churchill, 10; 5. (tie) Farm-Ington Hills Harrison and Plymouth Canton, 9 each: 7. Plymouth Salem, 8; 8. Walled Lake Western, 7: 9. Westland John Glenn, 6; 10. Walled Lake Central, 4; 11. Livonia Franklin, 2; 12. Livonia Stevenson,

INDIVIDUAL FLIGHT FINALS

No. 1 singles: Brad Jaffe (N. Farmington) def. Ryan Shade (Harrison), 4-6, 6-1, 6-3; semifinals: Jaffe def. Wade Clark (Farmington), 6-2, 4-6, 6-4; Shade def. David Anderson (Northville), 6-3, 4-6, 6-1. No. 2: Seth Weingarten (N. Farmington) def. Mike Bush (Northville), 7-5, 6-1; semifinals: Weingarten def. Danie Odendaat (Farmington), 6-1, 6-1; Bush def.

Luciano Gonzatez (Western), 6-0, 6-0. No. 3: Arjun Srinivasan (Northville) def. Steve Krieger (N. Farmington), 6-2, 6-3; semifinals: Srinivasan def. Ryan Kerr (Canton), 6-1, 6-3; Krieger def. Lorenzo Pivanti (Churchill), 6-3, 6-4.

No, 4: Ganesh Nayakwadi (Northville)

def. Justin Street (N. Farmington), 6-3, 6-1; semifinals: Nayakwadi def. Moritz Magiera, 6-2, 6-2; Street def. John Ralcu (Glenn), 6-2, 6-0.

No. 1 doubles: Steven Lehrman-Peter Golaszewski (N. Farmington) def. Chip Norton-Nader Salah (Churchill), 3-6, 6-0, 6-3; semifinals; Lehrman-Golaszewski def. F. Berg-Nick Sriraman, 6-0, 6-4; Norton-Salah def. Brandon Welling-Scott May

No. 2: A. Williams Y. Ishigami (Northville) def. Chris Erickson-Mark Frankel (N. Farmington), 6-1, 4-6, 6-2; semifinals: Williams-Ishigami def. Andrew Oleskowicz-Richie Ikeh, 6-3, 6-3; Erickson-Frankel def. Jason Gourley-Rob Willoughby (Salem), 6-0, 6-1.

(Farmington), 6-2, 6-1.

No. 3: M. Thomson-J. Cromas (Northville) def. Brandon Finkel-Brady Dwyer (N. Farmington), 6-1, 6-4; semifinals: Thomson-Cromas def. J. Frohlich-G. Shaham (Western), 7-6, 6-1; Finkel-Dwyer def. Gary Levenback-Mike Bruder (Canton), 7-6, 7-5.

No. 4: Jon Panush-Greg Fox (N. Farmington) def. Jeff Daley-Chris Lee (Farmington), 6-1, 6-3; semifinals: Panush-Fox def, Scott Hall-T. Schmachurst (Salem), 6-2, 6-1: Daley-Lee def. Rob Platt-Tom Kupferer (Harrison), 6-3, 3-6, 6-4.

## Charger bats come alive in wins

Livonia Franklin brought the better record into its baseball game Friday against Livonia Churchill, but the Chargers brought their bats.

Churchill scored six times in the Second inning and four times in the Sourth en route to a 12-2 five-inning mercy victory over Franklin. The Patriots entered the contest 5-

12 overall, 4.5 in the Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division whereas the Chargers were 4-

Nick Lamb pitched a three-hitter, didn't walk a batter and struck out Three as the junior right-hander won for the first time in four decisions.

Brett Wells went 3-for-3 and drove In three runs, Joe Rokicsak went 2for-3 with four RBI while Joe Blackpurn went 2-for-2 with three RBI.

All three had key hits in the second. Wells drove in two runs with a double while Rokicsak and Blackburn had two-run singles. Rokicsak also had a two-run single in the dourth

FARMINGTON 15, STEVENSON 4: David Viane not only was the winning pitcher, he also smacked a pair of home runs that drove in five runs.

Viane's two-run blow in the third helped the Falcons take a 5-4 lad and his threerun shot in the fifth padded the margin to 11-4 in a game called after six by the mercy rule.

He struck out nine, pitched over two

walks and gave up just six hits. Viane went 3-for-3, as did Chuck

#### PREP BASEBALL

with two RBI, B.J. Miller hit a three-run home run in the sixth to end the game.

Todd Wilson went 2-for-3 with two runs for the Spartans (11-7) while Mike Allison went 2-for-2 with two RBI. Farmington (17-

5) raised its WLAA division mark to 9-1. • JOHN GLENN 16, N. FARMINGTON 12: Jason Robertson staggered through six walks and 12 hits Friday to post the victory over the Raiders.

Tim Reeves went 3-for-3 and drove in five runs. He had a two-run home run plus a

John Fedulchak, Gordie Smith, Chet Rees and Robertson each had two hits. Smith and Rees scored three runs each. \* Garry Penta gave up nine runs in the fifth and sixth combined to absorb the

Tom Quellette had three hits while Evan Feldman, Jeff Trzos and Chad Feldman each had two.

The Rockets (12-10, 5-4) collected 13 hits and scored all their runs in the third through sixth innings. The Raiders (16-8 6-4) scored seven times in the fifth and

.CHURCHILL 9, JOHN GLENN 6: On Wednesday; Churchill erased a 5-1 thirdinning deficit to beat Westland John Glenn in a game played at at Ford Field.

Winning pitcher Corey Cook, Eric Lightle and Rob Szybisty each had two hits, while Brett Wells added a three-run double in the

Steve Paling, Jason Robertson and Adam Sulek collected two hits apiece for

Dale Hayes was the losing pitcher. Cook surrendered nine hits and gave up four walks but struck out six and settled

down after the third. \*STEVENSON 8, W.L. WESTERN 6: Another Livonia team stunned state-ranked

Walled Lake Western. After Livonia Franklin rallied Monday to beat the Warriors, 10-9, visiting Stevenson (11-6 overall) did the deed on Wednesday

with a 4-6-3 double play to end the game. Brent Wojtyniak came on to get the final two outs to gain the save. Stevenson out-hit Western, 10-9.

Allison, Justin Kerr, Eric Yuhasz and junior Brett Dubay, the latter whom making the most of a rare start at first base, each

collected two hits. Tony Dattilio added three RBI, including a two-run double. Dubay also doubled in a

each homered for Western, while Kevin Thomas and losing pitcher Mike Coppersmith each collected two hits. •LUTH, WESTLAND 6, HAMTRAMCK 5: A four-run rally in the seventh Thursday car-

Nick Gerhard and Ryan Waselewsky

ried Lutheran High Westland (13-5, 10-3) to the Metro Conference victory over the Ben Meyer singled in pinch runner Chris

Baltz cleared the bases with a three-run double to tie it at 5-all. Joe Pruchnik also went 2-for-4 for the

Roscano with the game-winner after Mike

Winning pitcher Mike Dittmar, in religf, held Hamtramck hitless over the final 1 3

On Wednesday, Baltz blanked host Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest over the first six innings and reliever Chad Janetzke preserved the shutout in the seventh as the Warriors rolled to a 7-0 win.

Meyer was 3-for-4, including a pair of doubles and three RBI. Baltz also went 3for 4 with two RBI.

## Franklin bounces back from defeat

Lori Jendrusik can handle defeat as well as victory. The Livonia Franklin junior bounced back from a Wednesday defeat at Walled Lake Central to defeat Livonia Churchill on a five-hitter Friday in a 3-1 Patriots vic-

She didn't let the setback bother her as she made an

early 3.0 lead from her teammates stand up. Part of that lead stemmed from Jendrusik herself as she had an RBI single to stake herself to a 1-0 lead in the

first. Jackie Ziem and Andrea Kmet each contributed RBI singles in the third. Churchill scored its run in the fourth on an RBI double by Megan McGinty, who had two hits. Sophomore south-

paw Raegan Tisher pitched a five-hitter, walking two and striking out four for the Chargers, who gave up just one earned run. Franklin (20-6) finished 9-1 in the Western Division, tied with Plymouth Canton, but wound up second for

playoff purposes via the league tie-breaker. Canton was 14-2 in all Western Lakes Activities Association games while Franklin was 13-3.

Churchill (12-10) finished 3-7 in the division. Franklin plays at Walled Lake Central at 4 p.m.

Central's Kami Scott shut out Franklin, 3-0, on a fourhitter May 14, walking only one and striking out four.

Jendrusik had five strikeouts and gave up seven hits to Walled Lake Central and takes a 20-5 record into Wednesday's rematch. The Vikings are 7-2 in the Lakes Division, second to Farmington.

. NORTH FARMINGTON 7, JOHN GLENN 5: Kathte Collins survived five walks by distributing five hits.

North Farmington (14-15, 5-5 Lakes) had eight hits Friday but Kristin Timpner's double was the only one for extra bases. Mickey Spisz and Diana Gustkey each scored three times.

• CHURCHILL 9, JOHN GLENN 4: The Chargers built up a 7-2 lead after four innings Wednesday and eased to the win. Adrienne Doyle pitched a five-hitter, walking one and striking out five, while her teammates supported her with 13 hits.

Tina Naif went 4-for-4 and scored three runs while McGinty went 3-for-3 with an RBI. Jessie Jenkins went 2-for-4 and drove in three

#### **GIRLS SOFTBALL**

\*FARMINGTON 6, STEVENSON 1: Eight strikeouts and no walks

were a winning combination for the Falcons' Alan Heikkinen. Leanne Schraufnagle gave up eight hits for the Spartans but walked four to go with her six strikeouts. Heikkinen gave up only

Amanda Porter got two hits for Farmington (189, 91), Kristin Brown had an RBI double, Kristin Siskosky singled home a run and Heather Krause had a two-run single.

The game was tied at 1-1 through four innings but Farmington scored two in the fifth, one in the sixth and two in the seventh. \*CLARENCEVILLE 8, HAMTRAMCK 5: Mishele Ufford kept the Cosmos at bay from the mound and Michele Muscat did some dam-

age at the plate for visiting Livonia Clarenceville. Ufford spaced out six hits, struck out one and survived three walks to post the victory.

Muscat went 2-for-4 and drove in a pair of runs as the Trojans (8-9, 5-6 Metro) just beat a rain storm. Clarenceville put all the pieces of the puzzle together Wednes-

day in a 20-5 Metro Conference win over visiting Bloomfield Hills Amy Tondreau went 5-for-5 with six RBI for the victorious Tro-

Other Clarenceville hitting standouts included Kelly Ackroyd, 3for 4 with two RBI; Stacey Kaminski, 3-for-5 with three RBI; and Rachel Sundberg, 2-for-5 with three RBI.

Winning pitcher Ufford scattered seven hits and five walks over five innings (mercy rule). "We were perfect today," Clarenceville coach Wendy Kellehan

said. "It should have been there all year long, but it finally

The loss dropped Kingswood to 8-2 in the Metro. •LUTH, WESTLAND 15, HAMTRAMCK 4: Kierra Decker went 4.

hit a batter. Northwest is 5-8 overall and 3-7 in the Metro.

for 4 with four RBI and Jessalyn Bowman went 3-for 4 with three RBI as Lutheran High Westland (11-8, 9-4) scored a Metro Confer. ence triumph Thursday over the host Cosmos (5-10, 2-10). Winning pitcher Michelle Wiersig pitched all five innings (mercy

rule), fanning two and not walking a batter. On Wednesday, Lutheran Westland downed visiting Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest, as sophomore Rachael Ayres and Wiersig combined on a no hitter. Wiersig struck out five, walked one and

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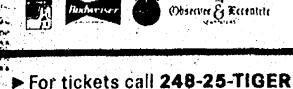


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Livonia Churchill beat the horn Wednesday in a 2-1 girls soccer victory over visiting Plymouth Salem in a Western Lakes Activities Association crossover game for second place.

Kersten Conklin's header off a cross from Lizz Szkrybalo with two minutes to play proved to be

the game-winner. The Chargers (9-3-4 overall)

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took a 1-0 advantage 10 minutes into the match on a goal by Andrea Galindo from Lisa Fabirkiewicz, but Salem (7-5-3 overall) came back with just five second remaining in the match

■ GIRLS SOCCER

to make it 1-1. "Due to the weather, it was a tough game to play," Churchill coach Chad Campau said. "They had the better of the play in the first half, but we held them off.

"In the second half we had some scoring chances and we were able to pressure them and get the winning goal."

Both teams finished second in

their respective divisions -

Churchill on the Western side

and Salem in the Lakes.

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# Salem finishes 1st

of the meet," Gregor said.

"We've managed to put togeth-

er a team that is solid in every

event. We've been able to com-

bine that with a competitive

attitude, determination and

athletic ability to get us to this

Individual regional champi-

ons for Salem in the field

events included Jessica Ash

(shot put) and Tiffany Grubaugh (discus). The Rocks

will also be sending Kristin

Kosik (high jump), Angela Sill-

mon (long jump) and Angela

Smith (discus) to the state

Salem's 3,200-meter relay

team of Katie Bonner, Ellen

Stemmer, Nicole Bolton and

Kristie Giddings also finished

Hurdler Lisa Maul won the

The other first was garnered

Another state individual

qualifier was second-place fin-

isher Bonner in the 400 and

800. She also teamed up with

Maul, Giddings and Ruth

Viforeanu for a second in the

1,600 relay. Meanwhile, Ellen

Stemmer gained a provisional

qualifying time with a third in

by Bolton in the 3,200 run

300 intermediates and added a

second in the 100 highs.

(11:30.9).

the 1,600.

By Brad Emons STAFF WRITER

The weather was lousy.

A steady rain and bone-chilling temperatures made conditions less than ideal for Friday night's Class A girls track regional at Redford Union's Kraft Field.

But that didn't matter to Plymouth Salem, which ran away with the first-place team trophy, scoring 143 points to unseat defending champion Detroit Cass Tech, which finished with 97. Livonia Stevenson finished a strong third with 85's. See statistical sum-

Salem parlayed five firsts and scored in 14 of 15 events to win their first regional crown since 1993.

"I thought if the weather was going to be a factor, the meet would be in our favor," Salem 10th-year coach Mark Gregor said. "Our athletes aren't bothered by the elements.

"Our team motto all year has been, 'Commitment to compete,' and our girls have bought into that.

"And ever since our dual meet Tuesday with Stevenson (a 69-59 Salem win), our girls have been geared up for this meet."

The Rocks were certainly solid in the field events, scor-

ing 55 points. "If we were anywhere near 60 in the field events, I knew it

"We've got a couple of more REGIONAL weeks of training and big meets," Gregor said. "And we're still capble of putting would be a catalyst for the rest

forth a better effort than today."

Stevenson junior Kelly Travis won the 1,600 (5:21.3) and took second in the 3,200. Teammate Kelly McNeilance was second in 1,600 and made a provisional qualifying time in the 800.

The two also teamed up with Danielle Harris and Andrea Parker for a second in the 3,200 relay.

Other Stevenson qualifiers included Cassie Ehlendt (110 hurdles) and Christie Tzilos (300 hurdles), both taking seconds.

Westland John Glenn, fourth in the team standings, got a first from LaToya Chandler in the high jump and a second from Nicolette Jarrett in the long jump and 200. The Rockets' 400 relay team of Chandler, Jarrett, Nicole Herring and Kania Adams also finished

Plymouth Canton, fifth overall, was led by long jump champ Nkechi Okwumabua (17-7). She also teamed up with Alina Boyden, Tiffany Williams and Doris Igwe for a second in the 400 relay.

Livonia Franklin junior Danielle Wensing will also be headed for the state meet (May 30-31 in Rockford) after a second place in shot put.

## Crusaders await weather, fate

The weather took its toll on the NAIA Great Lakes Regional Baseball Tournament bracket, which started Wednesday in Battle Creek and was still unfinished after Friday due to rain-

What the weather couldn't postpone was Madonna University's determined march through the field. The Fighting Crusaders, seeded seventh, jolted second seed Ohio Dominican, a team that had beaten them fivestraight times this season, 9-8 in Wednesday's opening round.

On Thursday, top-seeded Marian College (Ind.) bounced Madonna 14-7, putting the Crusaders in the loser's bracket. They stayed alive, however, with a 7.6 triumph over Bethel College (Ind.) Friday.

The win over Bethel improved Madonna's record to 25-29-1: Bethel finished its season with a 41-12 mark, and Dominican ended at 46-13. Marian was 29-24 after beating Madonna.

After tossing seven scoreless innings, the Crusaders' Eric Butler weakened in the eighth against Bethel Friday. Butler surrerendered six runs on 12 hits and a walk before giving way to **COLLEGE BASEBALL** 

Jason Carter, who earned his fifth save of the season by retiring all three batters he faced in the ninth.

Madonna scored four times in the second, Kevin Foley's tworun single the big hit of the inning. The Crusaders added two more runs in the third on a sacrifice fly by Daryl Rocho and a single by Pete Quinn (from Redford Thurston).

What proved to be the gamewinner scored on Dan Taylor's RBI single in the fourth, which made it 7-0.

The opening-round win over Dominican took a good deal of resolve by the Crusaders. They built a 7-2 lead through six innings, the big blows a threerun home run by Delano Voletti in a four-run fourth and a tworun homer by Aaron Shrewsbury in the fifth.

Dominican battled back, scoring three in the seventh and three more in the eighth off Crusader starter Dan Pydyn (from Plymouth).

Dominican's three-run rally in the eighth, countered by a single

Madonna run scored in the bottom of the seventh, left the game, tied at 8-all as the Crusaders' came to the plate in the eighth.

The game-winning rally start. ed with two out. Mike LaPointe! and Kevin Foley singled, putting runners at first and second for Eric Marcotte (Plymouth Canton). Marcotte came through with a base hit, driving in LaPointe with the game-winner.

Mitch Jabczenski was the winning pitcher in relief; he worked, one scoreless inning.

Voletti finished with two hits! and three runs batted in for Madonna. Shrewsbury had two hits and two RBI, Marcotte hadtwo hits and Rocho had a hit and two RBI.

Against Marian, Shrewsbury, kept his perfect play at the plate! intact, going 4-for-4 with two! home runs, making him 6-for-6; in the first two games with three homers, a double and four RBI.

Unfortunately, it wasn't enough. Craig Benedict (from Plymouth Canton) was tagged for' nine runs on 13 hits and two walks in seven innings as Marian prevailed, 14-7. Taylor also had two hits and an RBI for Madonna.

#### CLASS A GIRLS REGIONAL RESULTS

**CLASS A REGIONAL** GIRLS TRACK MEET

May 16 at RU's Kraft Field TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Plymouth Salem, 143: 2. Detroit Cass Tech. 97; 3. Livonia Stevenson, 87%; 4. Westland John Glenn, 52 .: 5. Phymouth Canton. 44; 6. Dearborn, 25; 7. Livonia Franklin, 18, 8 Churchill, 15; 9, Livonia Ladywood, 11; 10; (tie) Dearborn Fordson and Garden City, 12, 12. Detroit Cody, 1: 13. (tie) Redford Union, Wayne Memorial Detroit Chadsey, Detroit Southwestern; 0 each

FINAL RESULTS (top 2 quality for state meet)

Shot put: 1. Jessica Ash (PS), 35 feet, 6% 2. nielle Wensing (LF), 34.5 .: 3. Andrea Monroe (Dearborn), 34-0; 4. fiffany Grubaugh (PS), 33-9; 5. Brandi Bernard (PC), 33-41: 6. Angela Smith

Discus: 1. Tiffany Grubaugh (PS), 115 4; 2. Angela Smith (PS), 109 8; 3: Emily Yambasky (LS), 107-7; 4. Brandi Bernard (PC), 105 11; 5. Sara Vida (PS), 97.5; 6. Kristen Stone (WJG), 97

High jump; 1. LaToya Chandler (WJG); 5-1 (fewer misses); 2. Kristin Kosik (PS), 5-1; 3. Angela Sillmon (PS), 4-11; 4. (tie) Jamie Arble (WJG), Jessica Smith (Fordson), Jordyn Godfroid (LS), Saffiyyah Bibbins (GC), 4-8 each.

Long Jump: 1. Nkechi Okwumabua (PC), 17-7; 2. Nicolette Jarrett (WJG), 17-2; 3: Angela Sillmon-(PS), 17-1 (SO); 4. Jeannette Martus (LC), 16-5-1 5. Deanna McCargo (WJG), 15-10 4 6. Jenny Duncan (LC), 15-9.

100-meter hurdles: 1. Lisa Maul (PS), 16.0: 2. I Cassie Ehlendt (LS), 16.5; 3. Andrea Monroe (Dearborn), 16.7; 4. Jamie Arbie (WJG), 16.7; 5. Amy Sonnanstine (PC), 16.7; 6. Crystal Alderman (PC1-16.8.

300 hurdles: 1 Lisa Maul (PS), 48.1: 2 Christie Tzilos (LS), 48 1, 3, Nancy Hoffman (PC). 48.3, 4, Katie Sherron (LS), 49.9, 5, Andrea Monice (Dearborn), 50 9; 6. Crystal Alderman (PC).

100 dash: 1. Kanisa Williams (Cass), 12.1: 2 Tiarra Jones (Cass), 128, 3. Cassandra Davis (Cass), 12.9, 4, Nikechi Okwumabua (PC); 12.9; 5 Krystal Peterson (Cass), 12.9, 6. Brianna Watson (LL), 13.0.

200: 1. Tracy Ball (Cass), 25.6, 2, Nicolette Jarrett (WJG), 26.5; 3. Meshia Moton (Cass). 26.9; 4. Danielle Wensing (LF), 27.0: 5. Shelise Dandridge (Cass), 27.9; 6. Krystal Peterson

(PS): 1:01:3: 3. Danielle Wensing (LF): 1:02.5: 4. Candice Worrell (Dearborn), 1:02.5; S. Ruth Vilore anu (PS), 1:02.9; 6. Jeannette Martus (LC). 800: 1. Katie Chapman (Cass), 2.16.0; 2. Katie

400; 1. Julia Ford (Cass), 58 2; 2. Katie Bonner

Sonner (PS), 2:24.2; 3. Kelly McNeilance (LS), 2:24.3 (SO): 4. Kristie Giddings (PS), 2:27.5; 5 Mari Distrow (PS), 2:28.5; 6. Andrea Parker (LS)

. 1.600: 1. Kelly Travis (LS), 5:21:3; 2. Kelly McNeilance (LS), 5:21.8; 3. Evelyn Ranhal (PS), 5:24.8; 4. Danielle Harris (LS), 5:36.0; 5. Jessica Hayden (LL); 5:40.0; 6. Renee Kashawlić (LC).

3,200: 1. Nicole Bolton (PS), 11:30.9: 2. Kelly Travis (LS): 11.35.1; 3. Ellen Stemmer (PS). 11:48.3 (SQ): 4. Ashley Fillion (LC), 11:53.1: 5. Laura Smith (Dearborn), 11:57 3; 6 Rebecca Wol

400 relay: 1. John Glenn (Nicole Herring, Kania Adams, LaToya Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett), 51.4; 2. Canton (Alina Boyden, Tiffany Williams, Doris igwe, Nkechi Okwumabua), 52 1; 3. Cass Tech. 52.4, 4 Salem. 52.5: 5 Ladywood. 52.7. 6.

800 relay: 1. Cass Tech (Kanisa Williams, racy Ball, Julia Ford, Meshia Moton), 1:43,9: 2 John Glenn (Kanra Adams, Nicole Herring, LaToya Chandler, Nicolette Jarrett), 1:47,4; 3. Stevenson. 1:49.8; 4 Canton, 1:53.1; 5 Dearborn, 1:54.6; 6

1.600 relay: 1 - Cass Tech (Meshia Moton) Tracy Ball, Julia Ford, Katle Chaomani, 4,03.0, 2, Katre Bonner), 4:14.1; 3. Stevenson, 4:16.4; 4.

3.200 retay: 1. Salem (Katte Bonner, Ellen Stemmer, Nicole Bolton, Kristie Glodings), 9:36.0; 2. Stevenson (Kelly Travis, Danielle Harris, Andrea Parker, Kelly McNeilance), 9:39.1; 3. Cass Tech. 9:59.7; 4. Churchill, 10:06.8; 5 Ladywood.

SQ (provisional state qualifier)

Stevenson, 54.6.

Salem (Kristie Giddings, Ruth Viforeanu, Lisa Maut, Ladywood, 4:22.7; 5. Dearborn, 4:24.2; 6. Canton,

10.18.0, 6. Dearborn, 10:27.8.

from (PC), 12.12.4.

## **CLASS A REGIONAL BOYS TRACK RESULTS**

**CLASS A REGIONAL** BOYS TRACK MEET MAY 16 at RU's Kraft Field

TEAM STANDINGS: 1, Westland John Glenn, 78; 2 Detroit Chadsey, 60:, 3. Plymouth Salem, 57; 4. Livonia Franklin, 48. 5. Livonia Churchill. 46; 6. Dearborn, 45; 7: Redford Catholic Central, 43); 8. Detroit Cass Tech, 40; 9. Detroit Cody, 38; 10. Dearborn Fordson. 27:11. Plymouth Canton, 16: 12. (tie) Livonia Stevenson and Wayne Memorial, 10 each; 14. Redford Union, 7; 15, Garden City, 1; 17. Detroit Western and Detroit Southwestern, O each

FINAL RESULTS (top 2 quality for state)

Shot put: 1, Ron Pennington (WM), 53 feet. 62 inches: 2. Mike Samples (WJG), 52-2 ; 3. Dan Dominguez (CC), 51-101 (SQ); 4. Matt Lawson (LF), 51.1 (SQ); 5. Brian Douglas (CC), 50-7 (SQ); 6. Car-

leton Johnson (Chadsey), 47-10

Discus: 1. Mike Samples (WJG), 1586; 2. Kevin Keil (PC), 145-1; 3. Matt Lawson (LF), 133-1; 4. Dave Hester (PS), 132.9; 5. Guy Diakow (LC), 132-6; 6. Garrett Simoson (Dearborn), 130-1.

High Jump: 1, Colin Wilkinson (Dearborn), 6-6; 2. Jason Herrick (Dearborn), 6-5; 3. Gilbert Mitchell (Cody), 6-3 (fewer misses) (SQ); 4. Mike Phillips (WJG), 6-3 (SQ); 5. (Lie) Derek Washington (Chadsey) and David Popiel (CC), 6-1 each.

Long Jump: 1. William Hall (Cody), 22-43; 2. David Jarreit (WJG), 21-111: 3. Paul Terek (LF), 20-91: 4. Jason Meagrow (PC), 20 2 - 5: Tim Moore (WJG), 19 8 .: 6. Jon Desir (RU), 198:

Pole vault: 1. Paul Terek (LF), 14-1; 2. Jake Lande (Dearborn), 13.7; 3. Matt Rose (LC), 11.6 (fewer misses); 4. Ryan Shiplett (LF), 11-6; 5. Randy Glenn (WJG), 11-6; 6, Joe Frendo (GC), 10-11.

110-meter hurdles: 1: Ryan Kearney (LC), 14.8; 2.

Chris Cunningham (Cody), 14.8; 3. Jim Koch (WJG). 15.1; 4. Ryan Thomas (Salem), 15.3; 5. Ryan Supplee (LF), 15.3; 6: Mohamed Osseili (Fordson), 15.5. 300 hurdles: 1. Ryan Kearney (LC), 40.7; 2. Jim Koch (WJG), 41.1; 3. Richmond Taylor (Cass), 42.6;

4. Rob Hawley (PS), 42.8; 5. Mohamed Osseili (Fordson), 43.1; 6. Don Slankster (CC), 43.2. 100 dash: 1. Harden James (WJG), 10.9: 2 Samuel Card (Cass), 11.0; 3. William Half (Cody).

11.1 (SQ); 4. Freddie Curry (Cody), 11.1 (SQ): 5. Dave Koshizawa (PC), 11.2; 6. Blaine Denning 200: 1. Chris Hubbard (Chadsey), 22.51: 2. Brian

Teefey (CC), 22.8; 3. Samuel Card (Cody), 23.0; 4. Paul Terek (LF), 23.4; 5. Terrance Stonestreet (Chadsey), 23.5; 6. Andrew Davison (Chadsey), 23.7. 400: 1. Chris Hubbard (Chadsey), 50.2: 2. Brian

Teefey (CC), 50.5; 3. Tony Shields (Chadsey), 51.1; 4. Joe Clouser (RU), 53.8; 5. Renaldo Hill (Chadsey). 54.4: 6. Matt Fair (PS). 54.4. 800: 1. Ian Searcy (PS), 1:58 2; 2. Nathan Jerome

(LC), 1:59.0: 3. Andy Briggs (PS), 1:59.2 (SQ): 4. Derek Harper (Cass), 1:59.8 (SQ): 5. Jimmy Gray (Cass), 2:01.0; 6. Chris Laney (CC), 2:02.3. 1,800: 1. Nathan Jerome (LC), 4:31.8; 2. Josh

Burt (LF), 4:34.2; 3, Joe Wojtonicz (WJG), 4:35.0; 4. Bakeel Mohamed (Fordson), 4:39.6; 5. Nader Aoude (Fordson), 4:40.3; 6. Rodrick Thomas (Chadsey),

3,200: 1. Rob Block (LS), 9.50.6; 2. Nick Alten (PS), 9:55.3; 3: John Griffin (CC), 9:57.1; 4: Josh Burt (LF), 10:05.8: 5. Jon Little (PS), 10:06.7; 6. Shaun

400 relay: 1. John Glenn (Reggie Spearmon, Steve. Hester, Aaron Stephens, Harden James), 44.7: 2. Dearborn (Ryan Bird, Colin Wilkinson, Jordan Smith, Jason Herrick), 44.9; 3. Chadsey, 44.9; 4. Cody, 45.1; 5. Salem, 46.3; 6. Redford CC, 46.4.

800 relay: 1. Chadsey (Terrance Stonestreet, Andrew Davison, Tony Shields, Chris Hubbard), 1:30.8; 2. Cass Tech (Blaine Denning, D. Bryant, Rasheed Brown, Samuel Card), 1:31.8; 3. Fordson, 1:32.1; 4. John Glenn, 1:32.6; 5. Salem, 1:35.9; 6.

Redford CC, 1:38.5. 1,600 relay: 1. Chadsey (Tony Shields, Terrance Stonestreet, Andrew Davison, Chris Hubbard), 3:27.3; 2. Dearborn (Thomas Larose, Jason Herrick, Jordan Smith, Hussein Mandouh), 3:31.0; 3. Fordson. 3:32.5; 4. Salem, 3:34.4; 5. Redford Union, 3:38.0; 6. Cass Tech. 3:38.5.

3,200 relay: 1. Salem (Andy Briggs, Matt Fair, Kevin Conte, fan Searcy), 8:09.0; 2. Redford CC (Chris Laney, John Griffin, Wayne Brigee, John Faunce), 8:10.1; 3. Fordson, 8:11.2; 4. Cass Tech, 8:15.6; 5. Dearborn, 8:18.3; 6. Canton, 8:22.1. (SQ) provisional state qualifier.

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## LIVONIA-WESTLAND DUAL MEET TRACK RESULTS

BOYS DUAL MEET RESULTS

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 110 FARMINGTON 27 May 14 at John Glenn

Shot put: Mike Samples (WJG), 43 feet, 5% inches; discus: Samples (WJG), 154-25; long Jump: David Jarrett (WJG), 20-5; high jump: Tim Moore (WJG), 5-10; pole vault: Randy Gienn (WJG), 11-6; 110-meter hurdles; Jim Koch (WJG), 15:39; 300 hurdles: Koch (WJG), 41.38; 100 dasht Jarrett (WJG), 11.4; 200; Steve Hester (WJG), 24.38; 400: Herden James (WJG), 54.5; 800; Jon Jiovani (WJG). 2:17.86; 1,600: Joe Woltowicz (WJG), 4:44.0; 3,200: Justin Keyes (WJG), 11:01.9: 400 relay: Farmington, 48.08; 800 relay: Farmington, 1:38.7; 1,600 relay; John Glenn (Merk Lovett, Kevin Derwich, Dejuan Kelly, Glenn), 3:44.5; 3,200 relay: John Glenn (Derwich, Keyes, P.J. Wolocko, Keyin Durlgon), 8:59.07. Glenn's final dual meet record; 7-1 overall;

5-0 WLAA-Lakes Division. LIVONIA FRANKLIN 78

May 14 at Franklin Lawson (LF), 134-7; high Jump: Dan Colip 10:53.51; 400 relay: Canton, 46.0; 800 relay: all, 1-4 WLAA-Western Division.

(LF), 6-0; long Jump: Paul Terek (LF), 20-15; pole vault: Terek (LF), 16-1 (school record): 110-meter hurdles: Brent Accurso (LF), 16.0: 300 hurdles: Accurso (LF), 43.8; 100 dash: Tony Clemens (N), 11.4; 200: Clemens (N), 22.8; 400: Nick Houstalakis (LF), 54.5; 800: Carroll (N), 2:07.8; 1,600: Josh Burt (LF), 4:46.2; 3,200: Burt (LF), 10:04.8; 400 relay: Northville, 45.3; 800 relay: Northville, 1:34.4; 1.600 relay: Franklin (Keith Martin, Houstalakis, Adam Shanks, Terek), 3:38.6; 3,200 relay: Northville, 8:50.6.

Franklin's final dual meet record: 5-3 overall, 3-2 WLAA-Western Division. LIVONIA CHURCHILL 73

**PLYMOUTH CANTON 64** May 14 at Churchill

Shot put: Kevin Keil (PC), 45 8; discus: Keil (PC), 14.7; long Jump: Jason Meagrow (PC), 1995; high Jump: Ryan Kearney (LC), 6 O: pole vault: Matt Rose (LC), 12-0; 110meter hundles; Kearney (LC), 14.7; 300 hun dies: Kesrney (LC), 40.9; 100 dash: Dave relay: Northville, 53.7; 800 relay: Northville, Koshizawa (PC), 11:4; 200: Kearnay (LC), 1:54.5; 1,600 relay: Franklin (Shiloh Wint, 22,84; 400; Jon Page (PC), 53.8; 800: Amy Widrosky, Crouson, Heather Frank). Nathan Jerome (LC), 2:00.3; 1,600; Reynolds 4:46.4; 3,200 relay; Northville, 11:12.0; that sut: Matt Lawson (LF), 48-8%; discus: (PC), 4/50.04; 3,200: Josh Monthel (LC), Franklin's final dual meet record: 1-6 over-

Churchill (Mas Sueda, Brian Pardo, Peter Styles, Brandon LaPointe), 1:38,43; 1,600 relay: Canton, 3:38.1; 3,200 relay: Churchill (Jerome, Matt Minor, Monthel, Brandon Gar-

Churchill's final dual meet record: 1-7 overall, 1-4 WLAA-Western Division.

> GIRLS DUAL MEET RESULTS NORTHVILLE 70 LIVONIA FRANKLIN 58 May 14 at Northville

Shot put: Danielle Wensing (LF), 34-3; discus; Mary Anderson (N), 90-2; long lump; Reavill (N), 16-3; high jump: Macrae (N), 4-10; 100-meter hurdles: Mimikos (N), 18.3; 300 hurdles: Jill Crouson (LF), 52.4 (personalbest); 100 dasht Reavill (N), 13.5; 200: Wensing (LF), 27.8; 400: Wensing (LF), 1:03.0; 800: Kolarchick (N), 2:41.1; 1,600; 1. Kolarchick (N), 5:43.7; 2. Carrie Boyen (LF), 5:48.7; 3,200; Boven (LF), 12:48.7; 400

#### RECREATION

#### NATURE NOTES



NOWICKI

Learning our state symbols is common among many elementary school students. In the process of learning to identify what the symbols are, they are also learning some characteristics of the symbol. This is a great springboard for teachers to use as they teach

math, reading, science, art, and writing. Becoming aware of our state symbols allows us to realize the

diversity of features in our state. Hopefully, this awareness will lead to concern and respect for those features and other features.

For many years a white-tailed deer has been on the official Michigan highway maps. It is next to the official state symbols such as the brook trout, Petosky stone, greenstone, white pine, robin and apple blossom.

It has never been an official state mammal. But it may soon become our official mammal. Our legislature may soon vote on this issue along with another new state symbol.

At the last annual meeting of the Michigan Wildflower Association in March, it was announced that the large-flowered trillium received the most votes for state wildflower. This would be in addition to the state flower — the apple blossom. The Michigan Botonical Club is suggesting the dwarf lake iris. Both are excellent choices, but the trillium is much more common than the iris.

It reminds me of the debate about the state bird.

Robins are very common and can be seen by more people than the rare, but unique Michigan bird, the Kirtland's warbler.

Acknowledging a common bird means everybody can see it and gain an affinity for it. On the other hand, a rare species alerts people to those species that are uncommon and should be preserved.

If you have an opinion, you can write your legislators and let them know how you feel.

Recognizing new state symbols helps to draw attention to the diverse world we live in. Soon a state insect will be proposed, and one

already being suggested is the green darner dragonfly. Another great choice.

. If voted on, it will be added to the above symbols along with the official state reptile — the painted turtle, and the official soil - the Kalkas-

All of the official symbols should be added to our map and other widely distributed documents.

#### **TEN PIN ALLEY**



HARRISON

The time has come to say goodbye to the regular season, and there were some incredible milestones reached in this local bowling scene. There were many record high scores for series, triplicates and plenty of 300 games registered here and there. The men and women of our communities who happen to enjoy this game had plenty to cheer for in the '96-97 season. We had plenty of tournament winners, a

lot of money was raised for various charities via bowl-a-thons and various other fund-raisers. In all, there was plenty of fun to go around for everyone, young and old, large or small, high or low averages, etc. Some folks are thinking that high scores have become too prevalent, that it should be more difficult to shoot an honor score (just like back in the good old days). Some blame the ball manufacturers for producing "hook in a box" or balls that can destroy the pins, not enough to just knock 'em over? Bowling balls have even reached the \$300 price plateau (who would have thought that just 10 years age?). Bowling itself has gotten better in recent years with the onset of automatic scoring systems, better lane materials and maintenance methods, more knowledgeable bowlers, and of course, better equipment. "Yes, honey, I really do need another ball."

Speaking of records, Jeremy Sonnenfeld has decided to spend his summer away from college by sharing with others the experience of bowling a sanctioned "900" series, the first person ever to do this. He is scheduling a speaking tour while on hiatus for the summer from the University of Nebraska. Jeremy can bowl, sign autographs and answer attendee questions about his bowling career and the feat of bowling a perfect series. If your league or organization is interested, call the "Bowl 900 Hot Line" toll free at 1-888-553-1412 or e-mail for info only: BOWL900@aol.com, state your name, title, event, location and anticipated date as well as a daytime and evening numer where you can be reached.

The Greater Detroit Bowling Association (GDBA) has announced that State Representative David Jaye will receive the association's "Bowlers' Achievement Award for 1996-97. It was formerly known as the "Bowler's Man of the Year Award." Jaye, who sponsored HB 6114, the bill which allows bowling leagues to legally run mystery games and such is currently the State Representative for the 32nd District in Macomb County. Scott Bennett, Eric Bogedin and DonWilliams will each share in the "Meritorious Service Award for their sucessful efforts to guide the Jaye Bill through the many long and arduous steps that it took to defeat the Michigan Liquor Control Commission. It was nothing short of a miracle to pull it off the way they did including the 200,000 plus signatures from concerned citizens who also happened to be bowlers just like you and me, those petitions were completed in about one week. Bennett is the Executive Director of Bowling Centers of Michigan, based in Lathrup Village, Begedin is the owner of Classic Lanes in Rochester Hills and Williams owns Plum Hollow Lanes in Southfield. Together with Rep. Jaye, they did a great job, and were one of the top stories of the year. The \$300 ball? Yes, it is out in some pro shops now, it is the "Quantum HELIX" by Brusnwick and even comes

in right and left handed models.



BY RENEE M. SKOGLUND . SPECIAL WRITER

Jon Trennepohl of Can-■ton, flies kites. However, he doesn't test out theories of electricity even though he once worked as an electrician. Trennepohl, the owner of Kites & Fun Things near downtown Plymouth, flies for fun and sport.

"When you're flying kites, you're not thinking about anything else. And you don't have to pay to play, like in golf," he said.

Trennepohl and his wife Marieanne sell all kinds of colorful single- and doubleline kites and unique wind socks at their store on Main Street. The kites come in all shapes and sizes. You'll find Marilyn Monroe, eagles, buzzards and fish just waiting for some string and a chance to soar.

The Trennepohls specialize in high-end, carbonframed competitive sports kites. They manufacture their own brand under the trade name Sky Burner Kites. The dual-string kites with their eight-foot wing spans are made of paperthin rip-stop nylon or polyester and can cost up to

world. A lot in Japan. They're one of our biggest customers. The Japanese are into real quality products made in America," said Trennepohl.

The Trennepohls don't try to compete with Meijer or Toys-R-Us when it comes to single-line beginners kites, which cost between \$6 and \$10. "But all of our stuff is of better quality," said Jon Trennepohl. In addition to kites and wind socks, the store carries boomerangs and other non-battery wind

toys. Trennepohl started getting "high" on kites about 10 years ago after a friend showed him a kite and gave him a kiting magazine. While on vacation in Salt Lake City a short time later, he walked into a kite store. A month after returning home, he quit his electrician job and opened his own business. He was manufacturing

Kite Burners a year later. Teachers often call Trennepohl to teach kiting to their students. Trennepohl loves to oblige and throws in a history lesson as well. He tells the kids that kites came

where they were used in war as signals to calculate the distance away of a besieged city. Pacific Islanders often attached fishing lines to kites made of leaves. And Orville and Wilbur Wright flew kites to develop aviation theories.

"Kiting is family fun. It's better than having the kids watch television," he said.

Every Wednesday evening between 5 and 7 p.m. during the spring and summer, Trennepohl and other kite fliers can be found in the south parking lot of Schoolcraft College in Livonia doing what they love best: flying their double-line kites and playing with the wind.

"Dual-lines are more exciting to fly, more movement, he said.

Marieanne Trennepohl, who spends most of her time handling the retail part of the business, said women make very good sport kite competitors. "Women seem to have a better touch, an easier touch. Men seem to want to muscle the kites. around too much," she said.

Kite flying is no longer just an outdoor activity. Jon

ike Benjamin Franklin, "We sell them all over the from China 2,000 years ago, Trennepohl has flown his kite on a 15-foot line in the Summit's gym in Canton. "Kites are so light, just the slightest aerobic movements keeps them flying," said Trennepohl.

Trennepohl said both indoor and outdoor kite competitions are judged according to choreography and execution. Indoor competition is also judged by entertainment value.

Kites & Fun Things is participating in the Michigan Sport Kite Classic on Aug. 9 and 10 at Schoolcraft College. The event is sponsored by the Four Seasons Kite Club.

Marieanne says there's one drawback to being married to a kite flier: "I guess women whose husbands are kite fliers can't say 'go fly a kite.'

(If you're interested in joining Jon Trennepohl's group of kite fliers on Wednesday evenings, contact him at (313) 454-3760. The Four Seasons Kite Club meets on the first and third Sunday at Schoolcraft College. For more information, call club president Joe Wright at 810-960-0631.)

#### ON THE RUN



The Downtown Runners and walkers are coming to Plymouth, and are welcoming local residents to join them for a workout,

On Tuesday nights, club members make the rounds, running or walking from a different Detroit or Windsor restaurant/bar. Many do loops through downtown's hilly, wooded Elmwood Ceme-

At 6:15 p.m. Tuesday, May 27, the club will meet at the Lower Town Grill in Old Village at the corner of Liberty

and Starkweather, The non-competitive event will feature a choice of routes. One will be a 3-5-mile loop through Edward Hines Park. You can also opt for 7 1/2 miles through the park and into the rolling dirt trails of Cass Benton Park.

Afterward, there'll be "food, drink and camaraderie," says event organizer John Cruz. Downtown Runner Dan Flora and his band

'Snake Oil' will entertain. The group plays blues, rock and R&B." For more information, call Cruz at (313)453-

• Hate off to Paul Aufdemberge of Novi, whose high-mileage training for Grandma's Marathon is paying off.

Aufdemberge had a great race in the Old Kent

River Bank Run in Grand Rapids (May 10), where he was honored as Michigan Runner Magazine's Runner of the Year. It couldn't have happened to a nicer human being.

Aufdemberge, 32, ran an impressive 1:17:03 good for fourth overall (and \$1,000) behind winner John Kagwe (1:15:21) and Joseph Kariuki (1:15:47), both of Kenya; and third-place John Sense of Cincinnati (1:15:58).

Aufdemberge defeated South Africa's Mark Plaatjes, (1:18:57) now a U.S. citizen and winner of the world marathon championship in 1995, as well as Jerry Lawson, (1:19:24), the new superstar of American running whose 2:10 marathon ranked him atop all marathoners in the U.S. in

Also honored at Old Kent was Laura Murphy of Rochester, Michigan Runner's female Runner of

Doug Kurtis of Northville and Laurel Cihak of North Muskegon were recognized as the state's

outstanding master runners. Jim Forshee, 70, of Ann Arbor, was named

Michigan's top senior runner. . Scott McDonough of Livonia was also in the money at Old Kent. Age seems to have little effect on McDonough, now 52. He took third in the open quad wheelchair division in 1:29:36, and | L.C. at (313) 662-1000. won \$600.

•Canton chiropractor Tom Gerou chose one of the world's most beautiful races for his 32nd 1 fax them to (313) 459-4224.

Gerou finished first among the Michigan contingent in California's Big Sur Marathon (April 27) with a time of 3:07:46 in windy conditions.

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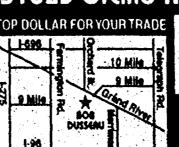
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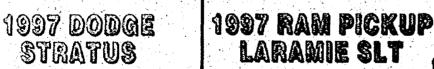
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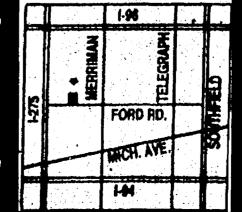
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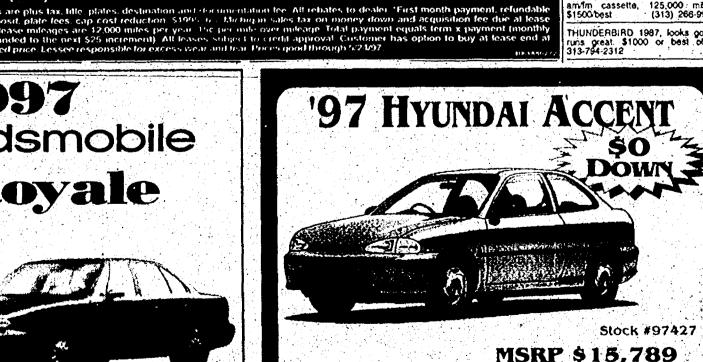
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# HEALTH NEWS

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## MEDICAL **BRIEFS**

#### **Emergency treatment**

Botsford General Hospital in Farmington Hills has been awarded emergency center classification by the state of Michigan, the highest category a hospital can receive.

"We're very pleased by this designation," said Dr. Ronald Lagerveld, D.O., director of Botsford's Emergency Medicine Department. "Not all hospitals' emergency services capabilities are created equally. Differences in available equipment and staffing are pivotal in terms of a hospital's services capability and how well a health facility can serve the community.

"We're very proud that Botsford has succeeded in meeting the highest standards in emergency medical care classification.'

The state defines an emergency center as equipped, prepared and staffed to provide prompt emergency medical care for all emergencies, including specialized services for adults, children, infants and newborns. Additionally, the center must have a capacity adequate to accommodate the direct and referred patient loads of the area it serves.

Botsford is a full-service hospital with boardcertified/residency-trained specialists on staff. It offers both Urgent Care and Emergency Care services at the east entrance of its main building, located at 28050 Grand River Ave. Urgent Care is open 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. daily. Emergency Care is available 24 hours a day.

#### Suburban links

Henry Ford Health System is linking its Detroit hospital and major suburban medical centers, including one in Dearborn, with nine state-of-the-art cardiac ultrasound systems.

Henry Ford is first in the state to use the equipment, which offers more accurate images compared to conventional ultrasound, all in the convenience of the patient's back yard.

"This is a new era in diagnostic medicine," said Dr. Mohsin Alam, M.D., director of echocardiography at Henry Ford Hospital. "This equipment solves the big problem in ultrasound - see-

ng things more clearly. The Sequoia C256 echocardiography systems give physicians and providers the ability to store, retrieve, review and potentially transmit superior ultrasound images from patients among the five system facilities located in the New Center area, West Bloomfield, Dearborn, Taylor and Sterling Heights.

"This equipment allows a patient to stay close to home for their ultrasound because the cardiologist can potentially read the exam data instantaneously from any of the five sites," Alam said.

"It will reduce delays and travel times for patients and physicians. Plus, the ability to transmit data while the patient is having an exam is a prime example of convenient, patientfocused care," he added.

The digital compression and storage of data also will benefit Henry Ford professionals when communicating with referring physicians across the country or when collaborating with research

The new technology is an example of the advantage of telemedicine, which brings the best medical care available to locations convenient to the patient. In addition, the Sequoia technology provides physicians and providers with unprecedented ultrasound pictures of anatomy and dis-

By having access to these clear, sharp ultrasound images, physicians may be able to give more accurate diagnoses without performing unnecessary invasive or costly procedures, such as cardiac catheterization, magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) and computed tomography.

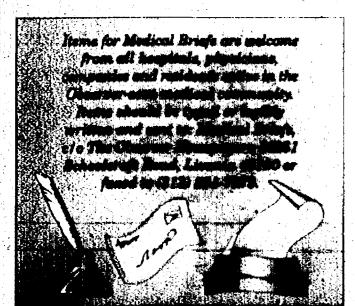
This has opened new avenues for ultrasound in patient treatment and care," said Alam, a resident of Bloomfield Township. "We now have excellent image quality and we are making the technology widely accessible and available to

The ultrasound system was developed by Acuson Corporation of Mountain View, Calif.

#### Circus time

The annual Circus Weekend, sponsored by St Joseph Mercy Hospital-Ann Arbor, will run Thursday through Sunday, June 12-15, and will feature the Royal Hanneford Circus. Proceeds will benefit women's breast cancer services.

Ticket prices feature three levels of seating: ringside box seats, \$20 each for adults and children; grandstand chairs, \$15 for adults and children; and general admission seats, \$10 for adults and children. A \$5 discount is available for children 14 and younger and adults 65 and older on advance purchase tickets. Tickets will be available on the circus grounds on Ellsworth Road beginning in June. They are also available through TicketMaster outlets.



## Surgery has

# Canton man DOSUCTION thinking thin

BY MEGAN SWOYER SPECIAL WRITER

It's Robert's big, or shall we say "little," day.

Robert, a 53-year-old Canton resident, whose real name is not published here because hewants to remain anonymous, is tired of his unattractive, bulging midsection. In less than an hour, he will undergo a new fat removal process, a liposuction procedure called ultrasonic-assistedlipoplasty (UAL).

A sales representative for a printing company in Westland. Robert confides thathe's a bit edgy but not really scared. Dressed in an operation gown with an intravenous tube hanging from his arm, the relaxed patient (he's been sedated with drugs to make him groggy . and forgetful) poses for a nurse who photographs his midsection from several angles. Then his fleshy belly is marked with various linesand spots that will help direct the surgeon during the procedure.

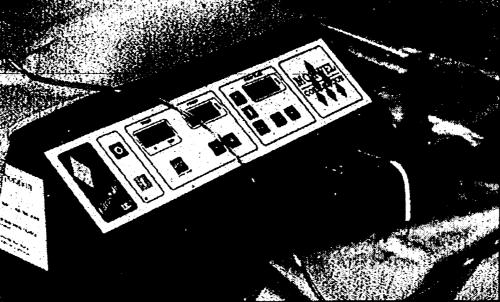
Robert, who is Dr. Lawrence Castleman's first official UAL patient, wants to get the procedure over with as soon as possible, making it the fastest "goodbye" party he's ever attended. Aware of some of the procedure's downsides, including potential burns, he still opts to get on with it.

UAL uses highfrequency sound. waves to melt fat into an easy-toextract liquid. Unlike othertraditional liposuction, which vacuums out flab in small bits through a hollow needle, the UAL method is supposed to reduce trauma to the patient's body.

Compared to a traditional liposuctiontechnique, larger quantities of fat can be removed, there is reduced blood loss and there's a fasterrecovery time for the patient. "Basically, it's a pencil-size tube with a titanium tip that sucks fat," explained the 55-year-old doctor, who took delivery on the new equipment just one day before this premiere surgery.

#### New technique

"You pass a current through the titanium tip and rev it up to 40,000 RPMs. A wave occurs and the tip will liquefy anything it touches," h says, explaining the process in the most simplest of terms. "It's destructive," he added, "and it won't touch blood vessels or nerves (which are not liquids). Fat is aliquid and so it is melted down."



Generating: A few cosmetic surgeons in the area now are helping patients get rid of excess fat with a new, somewhat controversial ultrasonic lipoplasty procedure via this generator. It converts electrical energy into high frequency sound, which liquefies fat.

"I've tried exercise and eating right. Oh, yeah, I have all that home workout equipment, butafter so many years, it (fat) starts building up," he explained. "And I don't try very hard to lose it onmy own. I don't have interest in doing that and I know I don't. The next thing to do isto have someone help you," said Robert, who eventually wants to lose 35 pounds off of his 5-foot, 8inch, 190-pound frame.

Enter Castleman, one of the first cosmetic surgeons in southeast Michigan toperform this still controversial procedure. Castleman, who practices cosmetic and laser surgery in Troy and Southgate, has alreadyspent a lot of time with Robert, explaining the pros and cons of the cutting-edge procedure.

"The oscillation of the tip will cause cavitation. The whole thing is based on cavitation, which is a physical phenomenon that occurs with fluids. You introduce a sound wave into the fluid. It makes a bubble formation. The bubble implodes, translating energy that ruptures the membraneof a fat cell," explained Castleman.

Dr. W. Peter McCabe, a plastic surgeon at Renaissance Plastic Surgery in St. Clair Shoresand the chief of Plastic Surgery at St. John Hospital, says UAL can bring about superior results.McCabe, who performed UAL on his first two cases this spring, explains that the procedure iseasier on the patient and the surgeon.

"Traditional liposuction is like



Probing: Dr. Lawrence Castleman and his assistant use low-level aspiration and manual probing to remove the liquefied fat from this patient's mid-section.

using a snow shovel. UAL ismore like a violin," he said. But, cautioned McCabe, it will never replace conventional liposuction. Heavoids thin-skin areas of the body, including inner thighs and inner knees. "There's too much probability for burns there," said McCabe, who learned the UAL technique at the Cleveland Clinic.

Castleman's nurse, Norma D'emidio, says Robert will likely see results that are more of a reshaping than a big weight loss. "Anyone who wants to do [UAL] simply for weight loss, won't see those kind of results," she said.

As D'emidio, surgical assistant Carol Solo and a nurse anesthetist prepare Robert forsurgery, they continue to chat with their patient about his expected results. "Abdomens do reallywell" as compared to other areas of the body, said D'emidio, "Soon, your fat cells in that area willbe gone," she added. "And they will never come back ... to that area."

A year ago, only a few surgeons in the country used the technique. "It was pioneered by Michele Zocchì, an Italian plastic surgeon," said Castleman. Then the American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery set up a task force to study UAL and by the end of 1997 some. 1,500 surgeons are expected to know the procedure.

#### Some drawbacks

But although there's almost no bruising and no loss of sensation, according to Castleman, the procedure does have its drawbacks.

"The downside is burns. It's very technique-critical," hesaid. In other words, if a surgeon botches the technique, the ultrasound could burn a patient's skin. Solo said, "As long as a doctor respects the equipment and keeps fluids pumping in as the fat isextracted, then you won't have any burns.'

Dr. Herman Houin, a plastic surgeon for the Henry Ford Health System, has been readingup on UAL and listening to various speakers. Personally, he hasn't given the treatment a thumbs-up yet, saying that there's a lot of controversy still out there. "The equipment generates an energyburst which can cause internal burns, he said. "If someone can come up with a probe that doesn'tuse so much heat, then I would consider UAL," he said. Houin plans to attend a American Society of Aesthetic Plastic Surgery meeting this. month and hopes to gain more

As Robert contemplates his deci-

sion just minutes before the threehour procedure, he thinksof his wife and two children.

Smiling, he says, "She (his wife) is not real excited about it. But I said, 'I'm going to do it anyway.' I've thought about it for a long time and here I am." And he had no problem justifying the \$2,500 to \$3,500 price tag. (The prices are about \$500 more than thetraditional liposuction and range from about \$2,500 to \$7,000, depending on the area of the body.) "It's for me. It's something I want to do. This may be the second best thing I've ever done (the first he said, was his RK surgery for myopia, performed by Castleman, also an ophthalmologist). Referring to that eye surgery, Robert says he went from "thick ! lenses to nothing."

The question now becomes: Can he transposehis thick midsection as

#### The doctor is in

As Castleman injects the tube into Robert's belly, he checks to be sure his patient iscomfortable. "I'm fine," says an alert Robert from behind a surgery shield. "We're going to make youlook just like Twiggy," joshes Castleman, as the nurses chuckle.

Once the procedure is under way, Castleman manipulates the tube from one section of Robert's. abdomen to another, constantly prodding and drawing the sucking tube in and out of his belly.

"That's pure Crisco we're taking out," saidCastleman, again jokingand keeping his first-ever UAL relaxed. The doctor says he'll probablyextract at least 64 ounces of fat! from Robert's midsection.

#### The results

It's been nine days since Robert underwent the fatremoving procedure. "I'm doing great, the soreness is: almost gone," he said, in between business calls from his car phone. "I'm 99 percentback to normal."

Robert says the soreness was minor. It felt almost as If he had done one too many sit-ups. "But that's about it. They took at least 3 inches off me, which is pretty substantial," he said. "What I'm wearing right now, it's hanging really loose," he said, looking down at his baggy

## Teens can make world a better place to live

This is Chapter 14, "Teens and a Better Community," from Alice R. McCarthy's "Healthy Teens: Success in High School and Beyond." The book is available at Borders, Barnes & Noble and Waldenbooks.

#### Framework for Success

Behind the headlines about youth violence, crime, pregnancy, and other problems is an evenmore important and urgent story: In all towns and cities across America, the developmental

infrastructure is crumbling. ingredients for their healthy development. They do not experience support from adults, build rela-

messages about boundaries and values. Most have too little to do that is positive and constructive. The result is that communities and the nation are overwhelmed with problems and needs

in the lives of youth. Thus, the real challenge facing America is not to attack one problem at a time in a desperate attempt to stop the hemotrhaging. The real challenge is to rebuild the developmental infrastruc-

ture for our children and adolescents. Though the professionals and the public sector have a role to play, much of the responsibility and in the hands of the people. Search Institute, assets are powerful shapers of young people's located in Minneapolis, Minn., has created a

tionships across generations, or hear consistent model for understanding the developmental needs of children and adolescents. Rooted in research on more than 250,000 American youth in grades six to 12, the framework identified 40 building blocks, or "developmental assets," that all children and adolescents need to grow up healthy, competent and caring. These assets provide a powerful paradigm for mobilizing communities, organizations, and individuals to take action for youth - action that can make a real dif-

#### The Power of Assets

Too few young people grow up experiencing key capacity for the healthy development of youth is When drawn together, these 40 developmental.

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#### WAYNE BUSINESS

#### Finance

## Expert sheds light on Mayan ruins during tour



In recent years, I've developed an interest in the Mayan civilization, an interest that was heightened by an opportunity to visit Mayan ruins.

Just last week I Mayan people and civilization on PBS Channel 56.

So my eyes were

drawn to an announcement of a special online guided tour and chat on Mayan ruins conducted by Dr. Merle Greene Robertson, an archaeologist and leading authority on Mayan culture, at

http://www.talkcity.com. On April 4, Robertson conducted an online tour of the Mayan ruins on the Yucatan Peninsula including the Palenque ruins. Robertson, who has spent 40 years researching and excavating the ruins, is director of the Pre-Columbian Art Research Institute and

research associate at California Acade-

my of Sciences. Tour participants were able to ask

Robertson questions and discuss the ruins with other fellow travelers from around the world via the Internet. Because the ChatZine format combines easy to use 3-D and chat technologies, the tour is a highly interactive experience and is accessible to most Internet

enjoyed a special on the ... Ongoing moderated tours occur twice a week at www.talkcity.com. Check out tours on the Talk City calendar of events, which also advises visitors of upcoming, and special guest appearances such as Robertson.

Talk City has more than 900 moderated chats each week, plus member rooms, discussion boards, and more. To date, the service subjects include current events, computers, politics, art, entertainment and hobbies and games.

#### Oklahoma City trial

The Oklahoma City Bomb Trial site is a new venture by Digital City Denver Inc. (an American Online subsidiary) that promises to produce comprehensive information in an easy to read format plus plenty of photographs.

To access the site, go to http://denver.digitalcity.com/ bombing/ court-

room.htm and you'll also find a complete history of the case, including documents. Daily report capsules will be given by investigative reporter Ryan Ross, who has written articles on the Oklahoma City bombing case for the Washington Post; National Law Review, Newsday, and ABA Journal. Ross also will provide weekly analysis of the jury

#### Science online

The Chicago Academy of Sciences is using online technology in the classroom with Science Power Online!, an interactive science program broadcast to classrooms and homes over the Internet. The only program of its kind is supported by a \$150,000 grant from Ameritech through its long-distance learning grant program.

Science Power began three years ago as a monthly call-in cable TV program in the Chicago area. In its Internet format, Science Power is broadcast 10 a.m. every Tuesday at http://www.chias.org, the Web site of the Chicago Academy of

Students and teachers from 50 classrooms, including some in Michigan, participate through E-mail, a chat board, the telephone, and video conferencing. Soon, any school or individual with Internet access will be able to view the shows worldwide.

#### Web Jewels

• Northern Webs in northern Idaho has updated its U.S. Senate E-mail address list. The list now contains not only links to senators' E-mail addresses but also to senators' Web sites and an updated do's and don'ts list for writing your representatives. Point to http://www.digital-cafe.com/~webmaster/senate.html.

• The Sevloid Internet Glossary attempts to bring meaning to the technical jargon and acronyms that come with the Internet. Bookmark this site and when you come upon an unknown drop term, http://www.powerup.com.au/~sevloid/we btips/glossary.htm.

• When you have the time to type a long Universal Resource Locator (URL), browser your point http://www.niweb.com/dnet/dnetGOjg/D isasters.htm and bookmark this site which lists major airline disasters from 1920-96. A table layout provides the date, crash site, aircraft, airline and likely reason for the crash.

• The official home page of Beanie be found Babies can http://www.ty.com. Parents know Beanie Babies are the hottest toy since Tickle Me Elmo. Introduced in January 1994, there are now at least 77 models. At Beanie Babies' official home, you'll find a short history of Beanies, a chat area, a Beanie scrapbook and printable games like crossword puzzles.

• The National Caves Association, a nonprofit organization founded in 1965. Web has http://www.cavern.com/. Here you will find firsthand knowledge about caves and caverns plus Cave FAQs and links, a directory that points you out to those located in your corner of the world, and

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monthly cavern spotlights.

## **BUSINESS DATEBOOK**

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#### TUES, MAY 20

The Salvation Army in Dearborn Heights will host its second annual Job Fair 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 26700 W. Warren, between Beech Daly and Inkster in Dearborn Heights. Preliminary resume assistance is available by calling Wayne Metro Community Services at (313) 843-2550. More than 35 employers will be on location for the event. The Job Fair is sponsored in part by The Salvation Army, American Assoejation of Retired Persons, Wayne County Neighborhood Legal Services and Wayne Metro Community Services.

#### WED, MAY 21

**BUSINESS NETWORK** 

Business Network International, Laurel Park Chapter, will meet

7-8:30 a.m. at Richard's Restaurant, Plymouth Road at Newburgh in Livonia. For information, call (313) 844-3432.

#### **EMPLOYEE BENEFITS**

The Employee Benefits Committee of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants will present Savings Incentive Match Plan for Employees (SIM-PLE) & Other Complicated Things 8 a.m. to noon at Laurel Manor in Livonia. Participants will discuss 401(k) and other plans, recent retirement legislation, changes in IRAs and other topics. There will be several panelists. Price is \$75 per participant. To register or for information, call (810) 855-2288.

#### FINANCIAL PLANNING

The Southeast Michigan Chapter of the International Association for Financial Planning will meet at the Birmingham Athletic Club with speaker David Littmann, first vice president and senior economist for Comerica Bank. For information, call Diane Dimanin, 1-888-736-4237.

FRI, MAY 23

#### **BUSINESS NETWORK**

Business Network International, Livonia Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Senate Koney Island, on Plymouth Road near Stark in Livonia. For information, call (313) 844-3432.

#### WED, MAY 28 **BUSINESS NETWORK**

Business Network International, Laurel Park Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Richard's Restaurant, Plymouth Road and Newburgh in Livonia. For information, call the BNI regional office, (313) 844-3432.

#### FRI, MAY 30

**BUSINESS NETWORK** 

Business Network International, Livonia Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Senate Koney Island, on Plymouth Road near Stark in Livonia. For information, call the BNI regional office, (313) 844-3432.

#### MON, JUNE 2 FINANCING CARE

Valerie Greenberg, long-term care insurance specialist, will offer a course through Dearborn

Community Education on "Financing Long-Term Care." It will meet 7-8:30 p.m. at Dearborn High School. Price is \$16 for residents, \$18 for non-residents. There will be an attorney as guest speaker. To register, call (313) 730-0537. For topic information, call Greenberg at. (810) 548-1086.

#### **TUES, JUNE 3**

SATELLITE SEMINAR

"Mission Possible: Creating a World Class Organization While There's Still Time" is a free seminar presented live by satellite at Madonna University. Ken Blanchard, author of "The One Minute Manager," will discuss the five characteristics of effective organizations. This seminar by satellite will be presented at Madonna University located at I-96 and Levan Road in Livonia. The seminar begins at 12:30 p.m. and concludes at 3:30 p.m. after a wrap-up discussion. For more information or to register, call (313) 432-5731.

#### **ACCOUNTING ISSUES**

The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants and the Graduate School of Business Administration, Michigan State University, will present two Current Accounting Issues Conferences. The second will be 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at Burton Manor in Livonia. Participants will choose from breakout sessions. The first program was May 16 in Lansing. For information, call (810) 855-2288.

#### **GOLF OUTING**

The Metro Detroit Chapter of the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants will sponsor its annual golf outing at the Fox Hills Country Club in Salem Township. The event will begin with 11:30 a.m. lunch followed by a shotgun start scramble at 1 p.m. There will be an evening reception with door prizes. If you golf a hole in one, you will receive \$10,000. Price is \$125 per person. For information, call Beth Sneider, (248) 855-2288.

#### **BUSINESS OWNERS**

The Women Business Owners of Southeastern Michigan will meet on the first floor of the 777

Building on Eisenhower at State in Ann Arbor. The business mixer will be 6:30 p.m., the program 7-8:30 p.m. Christina Ladd Breed will offer "Feng Shui Tips for Your Home Office." Price is \$10 for nonmembers. For reservations, call president Monica Milla at (313) 944-2133.

## **JUNE 12-14**

SERVANT-LEADERSHIP

An international servant-leadership conference will be held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Ann Arbor. The seventh annual international conference will include John Lore of Plymouth Town ship, CEO of the Sisters of St. Joseph Health System as a keynote presenter. A variety of fields will be represented. To register or for information, call the Greenleaf Center at (317) 259-1241. The conference is sponsored by the Greenleaf Center for Servant-Leadership, based in Indianapolis. Information is also available from the Ann Arbor Convention and Visitors Bureau, 1-800-888-9487 or (313) 995-7281.

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#### **HEALTH** News

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Items for Medical Newsmakers are welcome from throughout the Observer area. Items should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

#### New psychiatrists

Oakwood Hospital Merriman Center in Westland has welcomed two new physicians, Dr. Patrice M. Duquette, M.D., and Dr. Diana Nistor, M.D.

Duquette, a Michigan native, comes to Oakwood after she com-



tute. She earned her medical degree from Wayne State University School of Medicine and was involved in extensive research projects in

pleted her

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dency at the

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istry departments. Duquette's other interests are foreign films and folk music.

the pharmacology and biochem-



Nistor

where she was a staff psychiatrist. She completed her residency in psychiatry at the University of Michigan Hospital, Ann Arbor, and earned her medi-

Bucharest, Romania. Nistor has been involved in medical teaching and research

cal degree from the University of

N i s t o r and is fluent in English, Italian; French and Romanian. Appointments with either doctor can be made by calling (313) 467-2600.

#### Physicians lauded

Dr. Miroslaw W. Hnatiuk, M.D., of Livonia and Dr. Joy Y. Wang, M.D., of Livonia were recently honored by the Michigan State Medical Society for 50 years of service to their patients - Northville to manager of clinical and the medical profession.

A total of 96 physicians were honored for their outstanding contributions during a reception

and ceremonies before the 300 physician-delegates attending the 132nd annual meeting of the MSMS House of Delegates at the Grand Traverse Resort in Acme May 3.

#### Nurse promoted

Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan promoted Joanne Marentette protocols.

In this capacity, she will develop methods to enhance clinical information exchange with



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Marentette is a member of the Association of Rehabilitation Nurses. She holds a bachelor of science degree in nursing and bachelor of general science degree from Madonna University in Livonia.

#### **MEDICAL DATEBOOK**

Items for Medical Datebook are welcome from all hospitals, physicians, companies and residents active in the Observer-area medical community. Items should be typed or legibly written and sent to: Medical Datebook, c/o The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, 48150 or faxed to (313) 591-7279.

#### MON, MAY 19

**CHRONICALLY ILL** 

A program on "Living With and Caring for the Chronically Ill" will be presented by Cynthia Koppin 7-8:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile in Livonia. The program is presented by the Livonia Counseling Center, a division of Hegira Programs Inc. Price is \$3 per person. For reservations or information, call (313) 261-3760, Ext. 100.

#### **MAY 19-21**

ISSUES IN AGING

The Wayne State University Institute of Gerontology will present its 10th annual Issues in Aging continuing education program at the Management Education Center in Troy. Continuing education credits will be offered for nurses, social workers and other health care professionals. There will be sessions on dementia, geriatric mental health practice, and stroke management and treatment. The registration fee for one day is \$95, two days \$180 and three days \$265. For information, contact Janice Freytag at Wayne State, (313) 577-1180.

#### **MAY 19-JUNE 30**

CANCER SCREENINGS

Cancer screenings will be provided at Oakwood Healthcare Center-Livonia, 37650 Professional Center Drive, Oakwood Healthcare Center, 3850 Second St., Suite 130, in Wayne, and Oakwood Healthcare Center-North Westland, 36555 Warren Road in Westland. Price is \$25. To schedule an appointment, call 1-800-543-WELL.

## TUE, MAY 20

**BLOOD PRESSURE** 

"The Ups and Downs of Blood Pressure," a new class, will be offered at St. Mary Hospital from 7-9 p.m. The class will be held in pavilion conference room A near the south entrance. This class will provide information about methods to promote a healthy and active lifestyle that can prevent or reduce high blood pressure. A class fee of \$10 covers course materials. To register, call St. Mary Community Outreach at (313) 655-2922 or toll free at 1-800-494-1650. St. Mary Hospital is located at Five Mile and Levan in Livonia.

#### BREAST CANCER

A Breast Cancer Awareness Day will be held-11-a.m. to 5-p.m. at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across from Westland Center in Westland. Those attending will learn about mastectomy products, skin care and therapy techniques. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

#### STROKE, ANEURYSM

A group for those who have had or have a cerebral aneurysm or stroke will meet 7 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road. Family members and friends are welcome. For information, call (313) 458-4396.

#### ADULT RESCUE

Heartsaver adult rescue CPR will be offered 7 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road. One-person rescue will be taught through a film, lecture and demonstrations. The class is approved by the American Heart Association. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

#### **MAY 20-21**

FIRST AID, CPR

The American Red Cross will offer a Standard First Aid and Adult CPR class 6-10 p.m. May 20 and 6-9 p.m. May 21 from Westland Center in Westland at 29691 W. Six Mile in Livonia. Price is There will be a variety of health screen-\$33. For information, call (313) 576-

4104.

#### **OSTEOPOROSIS**

Oakwood Community-Focused Health Promotion Network will provide osteoporosis screenings for those age 35 and older for \$10. Screenings will be 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 20 at Oakwood Healthcare Center-North Westland, 36555 Warren Road in Westland, and 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. May 21 at Oakwood Healthcare Center-Garden City, 30900 Ford Road. To register, call 1-800-543-WELL.

#### WED, MAY 21

LARYNGECTOMY

A group for people who have or are going to have their vocal cords removed will meet 2 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road. Family and friends are welcome, and there is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-3381.

#### **BREATHER'S CLUB**

A support group for people with respiratory problems and their families will meet 7:30 p.m. in Classroom 2 of the Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-3481.

#### SELF-ESTEEM

Henry Ford Medical Center-Fairlane will offer a WomanWise lecture on "Boost Your Self-Esteem Through Assertiveness." Social worker Pam Theisen will address the difference between assertiveness and aggressiveness and will share techniques to help people become more assertive. Refreshments will be served 6:30 p.m., followed by the lecture at 7:30 p.m. Price is \$7. Men are welcome. For reservations, call (313) 982-8384.

#### CPR CLASS

Oakwood Healthcare System Community-Focused Health Promotion Network will sponsor a CPR class 6:30-10 p.m. at Oakwood Healthcare Center-Dearborn, 10151 Michigan Ave. Price is \$12. To register, call 1-800-543-WELL.

## THURS, MAY 22

BREASTFEEDING

St. Mary Hospital will offer a Breastfeeding Class 7-9 p.m. in the West Addition Conference Room A, near the south entrance off Levan Road at Five Mile in Livonia. The class is designed for expectant mothers between the seventh and eighth month of pregnancy. Price is \$15. Advance registration is requested. For registration information, call the Marian Women's Center at (313) 655-1100 or 1-800-494-1615.

#### MAY 27-JULY 1

**CANCER EDUCATION** 

St. Mary Hospital in Livonia will present the "I Can Cope" program for cancer patients, their family and friends. The free, six-week educational series sponsored by the American Cancer Soci ety will meet on Tuesdays from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the first floor conference room near the Five Mile entrance. Dates are May 27, June 3, 10, 17, 24 and July 1. Registration is requested by Friday, May 23, by calling (313) 655-2922 or 1-800-494-1650.

### TUES, MAY 27

MANIC-DEPRESSIVE

The Manic-Depressive and Depressive Association of Metropolitan Detroit will meet 7:30 p.m. at the Mental Health Association Building, 15920 W. 12 Mile, between Greenfield and Southfield in Southfield. The topic will be "Services Available From Community Mental Health Departments," with a guest speaker from Macomb County Community Mental Health Department. Those attending should park in and enter from the rear. For information, call (810) 557-5773.

#### WED, MAY 28

SENIOR HEALTH

National Senior Health & Fitness Day will be celebrated all day at MedMax, 35600 Central City Parkway, across

ings and health information workshops. For information, call (313) 458-7100.

#### **NEWBORN CARE**

A two-session class on newborn care will begin 6 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road. The second session will include child and infant CPR instruction conducted by American Heart Association instructors. To register, call (313) 458-4330.

#### LPN TO BSN

Madonna University will hold information sessions regarding its LPN to BSN program at 9 a.m., noon and 2 p.m. in the DiPonio Building, I-96 (Schoolcraft) at Levan in Livonia. Licensed practical nurses interested in earning a bachelor of science in nursing degree to become a registered nurse will hear from the program coordinator. For information, call (313) 432-5717.

#### THURS, MAY 29

**BLOOD PRESSURE, CHOLESTEROL** 

A screening for blood pressure and cholesterol problems will be held 5:30-8 p.m. in Pavilion Conference Room A, near the south entrance of St. Mary Hospital, Levan and Five Mile in Livonia. Cost for the cholesterol screening is \$15. There is no charge for blood pressure measurement. To register, call the Community Outreach Department at (313) 655-2922. Walk-ins are welcome.

#### FRI, MAY 30

RESTLESS LEG SYNDROME

Support group meetings for those suffering from RLS (Restless Leg Syndrome) will be 1 p.m. and 8 p.m. at a home in Westland. The condition, which is difficult to diagnose, includes an urge to move, usually due to uncomfortable sensations, primarily in the legs. For information, call (313) 641-1135. Neurologist Dr. Jay Garol is the group's

#### SUN, JUNE 1

CANCER SURVIVORS

Local cancer survivors will gather to discuss concerns in a town hall meeting co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society, McAuley Cancer Care Center at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor and the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center. The event will be 1-3:30 p.m. at Washtenaw Community College's Morris Lawrence Building, 4800 E. Huron River Drive. A book sale by Little Professor Book Company and a reception will follow 3:30-5:30 p.m. The event is being held on National Cancer Survivors' Day. Registration is encouraged by calling 1-800-231-2211 or (313) 712-5400.

#### **SURVIVOR EVENT**

St. Mary Hospital at Five Mile and Levan in Livonia will mark National Cancer Survivors Day 1-4 p.m. in the Pavilion Lobby near the south entrance Speakers will include Livonia Mayor Jack Kirksey. There will be clowns, a drawing for gifts and a tree planting. Refreshments will be served. Cancer survivors, family members and friends are invited and should register by May 23 by calling (313) 655-2922 or 1-800-494-1650.

## JUNE 4, OCT. 7

HOSPICE TRAINING

A class on "Medicolegal Death Investigation in a Hospice Care Environment" will be offered 4-7 p.m. at the Wayne County Medical Examiner's Office, 1300 E. Warren in Detroit. Price is \$39 per person. Participants, including hospice staffers and volunteers, will learn about cause and manner of death, suspected foul play, reporting cases to the medical examiner, and scene investigation. For registration information, call (313) 833.

#### THURS, JUNE 5

HEALTH INSURANCE

A Health Insurance Information Fair will be held noon to 3 p.m. at the Heatherwood Retirement Community, 22800 Civic Center Drive, Southfield. There is no charge and refreshments will be served. For reservations call

Heatherwood, (248) 350-1777, or Valerie Greenberg, (248) 548-1086.

## SAT, JUNE 7

**GREAT EXPECTATIONS** 

A seminar for couples thinking of having a baby will be held 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at Botsford General Hospital, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Topics will be addressed by a physician, psychologist and maternal child health nurse. Price is \$15 per couple or \$7.50 per person, including a continental breakfast and lunch. Advance registration is required and should be done by calling (248) 477-6100.

#### SUN, JUNE 8

**RUN FOR YOUR LIFE** 

Botsford General Hospital's "Run for Your Life" will feature 8K, 8K wheelchair, 5K walk and 8K four-person relay races. The race will begin 8:30 a.m. at the Botsford Center for Health Improvements, 39750 Grand River in Novi. For registration information, call (248) 473-5600.

#### TUES, JUNE 10

CANCER CARE

A forum on "Innovations in Cancer Care for People of Color" will be held 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Greektown's Atheneum Hotel in Detroit. It will focus on issues involved in recruiting and retaining minorities for oncology medical research. It is sponsored by health care providers and others. Registration is \$40 prior to June 3 and \$45 at the door, with discounted tickets for students available. To register, call 1-800-KAR-MANOS (527-6266).

#### **THURS, JUNE 12**

**OVEREATING** 

A program on "Why Do We Eat Too Much?" will be offered 7 p.m. at Botsford's Health Development Network. 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. Social worker Amy Pershing, a specialist in the treatment of compulsive eating and chronic dieting, will speak. Price is \$5. Registration should be completed by June 5 by calling (248) 477-6100.

#### SCLERODERMA

Joanne Suhr Colantuono, who was diagnosed with scleroderma years ago, will speak 7 p.m. at the Bailey Center in Westland. Price is \$5 in advance, \$7 at the door. For ticket information, call (313) 454-1726. Suhr Colantuono advocates juice and a vitamin program.

#### **JUNE 12-15**

**CIRCUS WEEKEND** 

The annual Circus Weekend sponsored by St. Joseph Mercy Hospital-Ann Arbor will feature the Royal Hanneford Circus. Events include an opening Circus Gala, parade and six public performances. Proceeds from St. Joe's Circus Weekend will benefit women's breast health services. Royal Hanneford will be offering three levels of seating: ringside box, \$20 each for adults and children; grandstand chairs, \$15; and general admission, \$10. A \$5 discount is available for children 14 and under and adults age 65 and older. Tickets are available through TicketMaster outlets and on the circus grounds on Ellsworth Road beginning in June.

#### SAT, JUNE 14 **HEART SAVER SATURDAY**

The American Heart Association will join the Detroit Emergency Medical System and the Wayne County Emergency Response Training Academy to hold Heart Saver Saturday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Northville Community Center in Northville. CPR training will be featured. For information, call Lisa Choate, (810) 557-9500.

#### WED, JUNE 18

GROW IT ORGANICALLY

A program on organic gardening will be held 7 p.m. at Botsford's Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River

Ave., Novi. Experts from English Gardens will be on hand. Price is \$4 and advance registration is required. For registration information, call (248) 477-6100.

#### SAT, JULY 12

SLEEP DISORDERS

A seminar on "Depression and Sleep" Disorders" will be presented by satellite 12:30-5:30 p.m. at Madonna University, I-96 (Schoolcraft) and Levan in Livonia. Price is \$80. The seminar is presented by the university's College of Continuing and Professional Studies. For registration information, call (313) 432-5731.

#### MON, JULY 21

HEALTHCARE CLASSIC

Oakwood Healthcare System and St. John Health System have joined together in an effort to raise funds for women's health programs, specifically cancer education, prevention and treatment. The Women's Healthcare Classic will be held at the Grosse Ile Golf & Country Club (Oakwood) and Greystone Golf Club in Romeo (St. John). To register or for information, call Oakwood at (313) 791-1234.

#### **MAY-JULY**

**PSYCHOLOGY WORKSHOPS** 

Madonna University in Livonia will offer four psychology workshops. "Thinking Like a Therapist" begins May 30 and continues June 7. Price is \$95. "Psychological Issues in Child Abuse" and Neglect" will be June 14 and 21. Price is \$95. "The Psychology of Traumatic Experience" will be held June 20 and 28. Price is \$95. "Understanding the Challenging Child: Introduction to Emotional Disorders in a Child" will be held July 11 and 19. Price is \$95. Madonna is at I-96 (Schoolcraft) and Levan in Livonia. For registration information, call (313) 432-5731.

#### JULY

**NEW STORES** 

MedMax Inc. will open its third, fourth and fifth stores by the end of July. The new sites include Farmington Hills and Taylor. The first MedMax stores opened in Westland and Rochester Hills in late 1996. The new stores will offer a Women's Health Department.

#### MONDAYS

**BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS** 

Screenings are sponsored by St. Mary Hospital 1-3 p.m. on the second Monday of the month in the main lobby off of Five Mile near Levan. There is no fee. The hospital also offers screenings noon to 2 p.m. the fourth Monday of each month at the Northville Senior Center, 215 W. Cady, near Sheldon Road and Main. Blood pressure screening is offered 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. the third Monday of the month at Target, on Haggerty south of Eight Mile in Livonia, and 8-10 a.m. the second Monday of the month at Wonderland Mall at Plymouth and Middlebelt roads. For information, call (313) 655-2922 or 1-800-494-1650.

#### **TUESDAYS**

**SURVIVING CANCER** 

A program for young adults ages 20-40 facing cancer treatment and recovery will meet 6-7:30 p.m. on alternating Tuesdays at the Barbara Ann Karmanos Cancer Institute, Lathrup Village office, 18831 W. 12 Mile, west of Southfield Road. The group meets the first and third Tuesday of the month; For information, call (810) 294-4432 or Karen Ruwoldt, (810) 543-6330.

#### BREASTFEEDING

Maternal Expressions of Livonia will hold classes for new and expectant mothers who are looking for help getting breastfeeding off to a good start; Classes will be 7 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at 9619 Newburgh, Livonia. Participants will also receive support to help keep up with breastfeeding and active lifestyles. For infor mation, call (313) 462-4820.

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behavior. The more assets young people experience, the more they engage in positive behaviors, such as volunteering and succeeding in school. The fewer assets kids have, the more likely they are to engage in risk-taking behaviors, violent acts and other negative behaviors. Thus, while each asset must be understood and is important, the most powerful message of developmental assets comes in seeing all 40 as a whole. These assets are cumulative – the more the better.

In short, young people who experience more of these assets are more likely to grow up caring, competent, and responsible. This important relationship between developmental assets and choices made has been documented for all types of youth, regardless of age, gender, geographical region, town size, or race/ethnicity.

#### The Crumbling Infrastructure

Most people recognize that influences such as caring families, discipline, educational commitments, social skills, and other assets are important for healthy development. Yet society seems to have forgotten how to make sure young people experience and develop these things. Out of 250,000 students in grades six through 12 who have been surveyed, the average young person experiences only

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about 16 of the 40 assets. Furthermore, 76 percent of young people experience 20 or fewer assets.

The "asset gap" exists in all types and sizes of communities. In fact, youth in 95 percent of the communities studied to date report an average of 15 to 17 assets. Thus, in virtually every town, suburb, and city in America, far too many young people are struggling to construct their lives without an adequate foundation upon which to build,

What has happened? Many of the ways society has provided these assets are no longer in place because of major societal changes: Most adults no longer consider it their responsibility to play a role in the lives of children outside their nuclear family. Also, parents are less available for their children because of demands outside the home and cultural norms that undervalue parenting. Nonfamily adults and institutions have become uncomfortable articulating values or enforcing appropriate boundaries for behavior.

Over the past 25 years, American society has become more and more age-segregated, providing fewer opportunities for meaningful intergenerational relationships. Socializing systems (families, schools, congregations, etc.) have become more isolated, competitive and suspicious of each other.

In place of the extended family/caring community, the mass media have become influential

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shapers of young people's attitudes, norms and values. As problems - and solutions - have become more complex, more of the responsibility for young people has been turned over to professionals.

#### The Healthy Community

For several decades, Americans have invested tremendous time, energy and resources in trying to combat symptoms of these changes. It hasn't worked. It is time for a new approach - an approach that focuses energy, creativity and resources into rebuilding the developmental foundation for all youth.

As we begin shifting our thinking we can anticipate creating communities where all young people are valued and valuable, problems are more manageable, and an attitude of vision, hope and celebration pervades community life.

Based on literature, research and work with numerous communities, Search Institute has begun developing a list of key characteristics of healthy communities for youth. The list follows.

Community Mindset:

Children and youth are a top priority.

- •All citizens have responsibility for children and
- •All citizens have pro-child power.
- Community understands that all children need more assets.
- Emphasis is placed on building family strengths.
- •The community "wraps its arms" around teen-·Community balances prevention and promo-
- tion.
- Community Data: ·Community has gathered good data on pro-

child resources, programs and strategies.

 Community understands levels of assets and at-risk behaviors in its own youths, and monitors changes in assets and at-risk behaviors.

Community Norms:

 The community shares and demonstrates in concrete ways basic values such as responsibility. respect, honesty, justice and equality.

 Community has clear and consistent policies on alcohol and other drugs that are consistently and actively put into practice.

Community Programming: After-school care is available for all children and youth.

•There is a rich variety of school-based, community and religious organizations that involve most youth in constructive activities.

 Organizations have expansive missions that include both prevention and promotion. · Youth programs operate with a partnership

mentality. Programs reinforce each other with appropriate.

redundancy.

Peers educate and support each other.

•Mentoring is widespread (youth to youth, and adult to youth) •Young people are involved in and empowered

through community service. Community Education: ·Parent education is available, and parents par-

ticipate in it. Adult volunteers receive training and continu-

ing education.

Schools are caring and supportive for youth.

Collaboration:

 Community cooperation and collaboration occurs effectively across multiple sectors.

#### **MARKETPLACE**

Marketplace features a glimpse of suburban business news and notes, including corporate name changes, new products, office openings, new affiliations, new positions, mergers, acquisitions and new ways of doing business. Items for Marketplace should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. The fax number is (313) *591-7279*.

#### Expanding

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**Sunday 12-3** 

One of the Midwest's fastest growing specialty chemical and hydro technology companies, Plymouth Technology Inc., is doubling the size of its headquarters office and laboratory in Livonia and adding staff. The

announcement was made by Geary G. Parke, CEO.

Located at 32231 Schoolcraft. Plymouth Technology Inc. has sustained a sales growth rate of 30 percent per year since it was founded in May 1991.

The larger laboratory will increase capacity and efficiency for analyzing and formulating treatment for boiler water, cooling water and waste water.

Three new technical representatives and an additional technical support specialist have been added to the staff.

"State-of-the-art chemical, computer and mechanical technologies are critical to water treatment for manufacturing facilities today," said Parke. "That's why there's a growing demand for expertise and services such as ours."

For information, call (313)

#### 458-8890. Marketing management

Teams led by a group of marketing department faculty members from Wayne State University and executives from Chrysler Corp. won the first annual Marketing Management Simulation Competition sponsored by the Detroit Chapter of the American Marketing Association. In so doing, they shared the title of "Best marketing management group in southeast

Michigan." Executives representing 14 companies from the automotive, utilities, marketing research, advertising agency and consulting industries competed over a seven-month period in a marketing simulation game developed by Dr. A.J. Faria and Dr. John

Dickinson from the University of Windsor. The competing companies, divided into two groups, ran simulated companies that produced and sold advanced notebook computer systems.

#### **Honor Award**

The engineering firm of Wade-Trim is an Honor Award winner in the American Consulting Engineers Council's 31st annual Engineering Excellence Awards competition for the firm's innovative design for two combined sewer overflow storage and treatment facilities.

Designed for the city of Inkster and Redford Township as part of Wayne County's Rouge River National Wet Weather Demonstration Program, these basins were developed to test the effectiveness of different control methods for combined sewer overflow.

#### Quality management

Alpha Stamping Co. of Livonia recently announced that its quality management system has been successfully registered in compliance with ISO 9002 and QS-9000. Quality Certification Bureau Inc. presented a certificate of registration to the company following the final audit in February 1997.

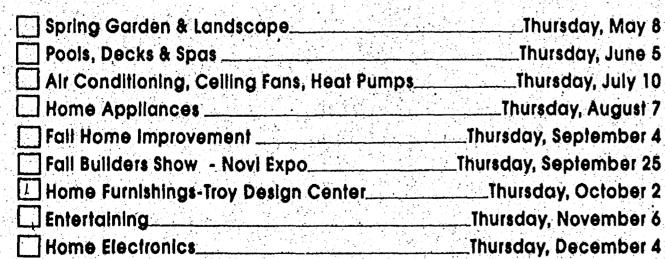
"Preparation for the audit has been ongoing since early 1995. The teamwork and dedication of all employees has resulted in this achievement," said Paul Sloan, quality assurance manager. "It has been our top priority since the Big Three announced it would be a requirement for suppliers starting in 1997."

## Marty Figley, Ruth Mossok Johnston and Joe Gagnon are just three regular contributors

Every Thursday, in GARDEN SPOT, Marty gives us the scoop on things green and growing, Ruth offers our readers some really INVITING IDEAS, and Joe, THE APPLIANCE DOCTOR, saves them repair money on a regular basis. Each of them has a substantial following and they represent three reasons why AT HOME is the perfect place for your advertising message.

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#### **BUSINESS PEOPLE**

This column highlights promoother key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary, including the towns of residence and employment, to: Business People, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150.

Princess House

Nancy Ordowski of Northville, an independent sales

organizer with the direct sales tions, transfers, hirings and company Princess House Inc., was recently honored by company President Jim Northrop for outstanding sales and teambuilding achievements.For exceeding her sales goal, Ordowski earned a three-night getaway at the Enchantment Spa & Resort in Sedona, Ariz. She and her sales team will also receive admission\_to\_a\_Tanya Tucker concert at the Princess House national convention this July in Nashville, Tenn,



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# NEW LLONES

# Novi subdivision will offer 43 new homes

Salvatore LoPiccolo and Adriano Paciocco, collaborators on several residential projects, are at it again in the final phase of Royal Crown Estates in Novi.

The two will build 43 houses on a rotation basis in a platted sub off Nine Mile between Taft and Beck. They've designed some new plans and have included popular offerings from other developments.

"We're constantly improving the homes," LoPiccolo said. "You constantly learn what people want, dressed-up kitchens, baths."

"Volume ceilings are very important, four bedrooms, of course." Paciocco said

"Our fathers used to be partners years ago in the water and sewer business." Paciocco added. "We've known each other all our lives. We started doing deals together and meshed real well. We're compatible in all areas."

Six floor plans are available. They range in price from

\$256,900 for a colonial of 2,400 square feet to \$282,900 for a colonial of 2,725 square feet, each with four bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths.

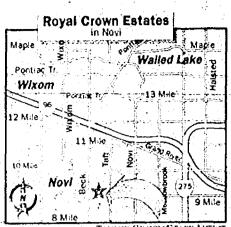
A Cape Cod with a first-floor master suite, three additional bedrooms upstairs and 2,200 square feet of living space starts at \$259,900.

This is the first new house build for most buyers in this Royal Crown phase, said Pamela S. Gale, marketing director for Multi Building, Paciocco's company. Purchasers seem to have children.

"Northville schools are a big plus," said LoPiccolo. "People in this price range, I think, still have kids in school.'

The elementary school serving the sub is right next door.

"The local amenities are important too - the shopping, a



lot of restaurants, parks," Paciocco added.

"We're very close to downtown Northville," LoPiccolo said. "It's a quiet setting."

Freeway access to I-275 and I-

96 is a few miles away. "What makes us unique in the Novi market is we're the only ones in town I know of that can offer this product at these prices," Paciocco said.

A fireplace, range and dishwasher, two-car garage, first floor laundry and a basement are standard features included at base price in all floor plans.

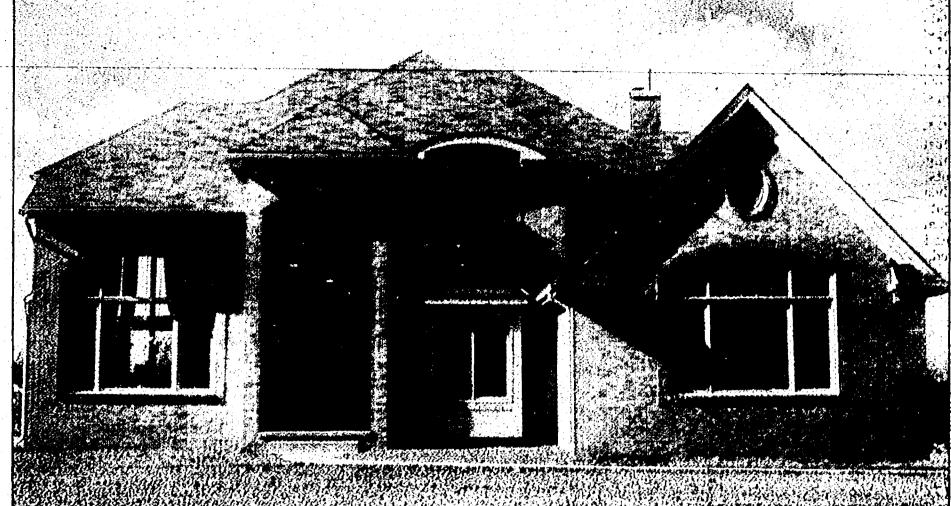
An energy-sealing application involving caulk and foam has virtually eliminated callbacks on windows and exterior receptacles, Paciocco said.

Exterior materials are brick and masonite wood siding.

Extras include air conditioning (\$2,800), whirlpool tub (\$1,100) and skylights (\$800 apiece).

The model, a four-bedroom colonial of 2,700 square feet, features a foyer with two-story ceiling, living and dining rooms with volume ceilings, library, family room and kitchen/nook with built-in desk and island.

The master, with optional pan eiling, includes a separate tub and shower, walk-in closet and two-sink vanity. Three other bedrooms, all with ceiling lights, and a second full bath also are



Royal Crown: This model of 2,700 square feet features four bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths and all the rooms of a traditional colonial.

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Base price is \$275,900. The model contains many upgrades including windows, flooring, moldings and fixtures.

Prospects are impressed with several things, said Stacey Pardikes, sales rep.

"They like the dramatic front entry and open floor plan," she \$120. said. "A lot of people think it (the model) is bigger than 2,700 square feet. They think we use door - they love it."

The final phase of Royal

and sewers. The sub has sidewalks.

The property tax rate currently is \$28.60 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation. That means the owners of a \$265,000 house would pay about \$3,800 the first.year.

The annual association fee is

Most lots carry a premium ranging from \$1,900 to \$12,900.

Bill and Leslie Clark, along our space well. The school next with sons Nick and Steven, will live in a colonial.

"I currently live in the area." Crown is serviced by city water Bill said. "The sub had some Northville schools was my num- Saturdays and Sundays.

nice lots that were wooded. My children don't have to change schools. We wanted Northville traffic. It's a very nice area. The schools."

The first floor laundry, the possibility of a three-car garage and plenty of kitchen cabinet space were especially attractive.

"Price point was another major thing for us - good value for the money," Bill Clark said.

John and Elaine Kish also are of the top level." building a colonial for themselves and son, Joel.

ber one priority," John said. "Location was next. There's no price was right.

"All the bedrooms are on sto. top level," he added. "Halls are very spacious. In other substat appears like you're running through a maze. I like the way the bedrooms sit in each corner

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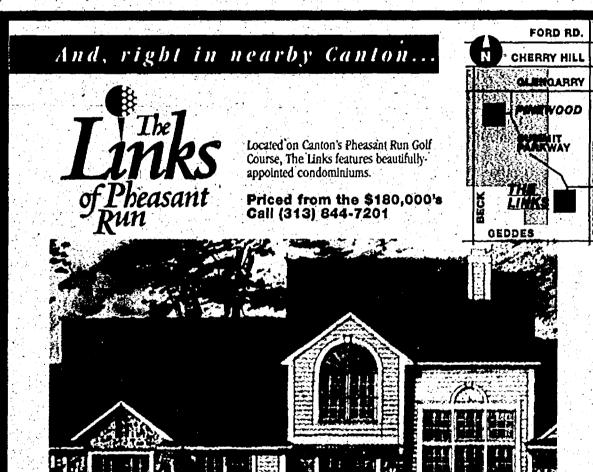
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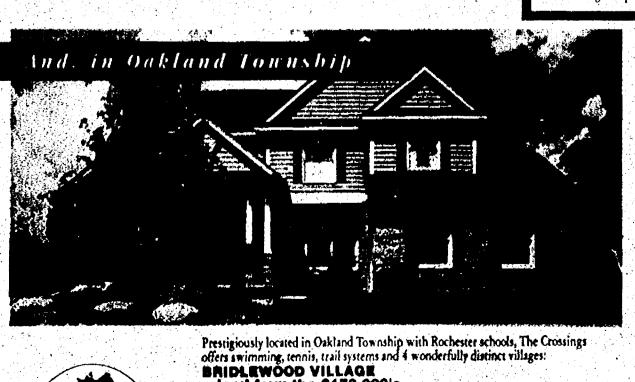
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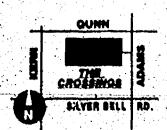
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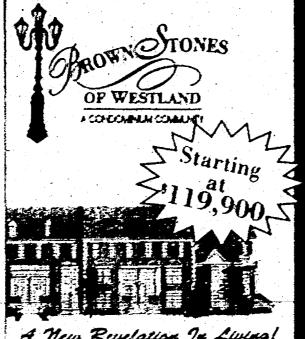
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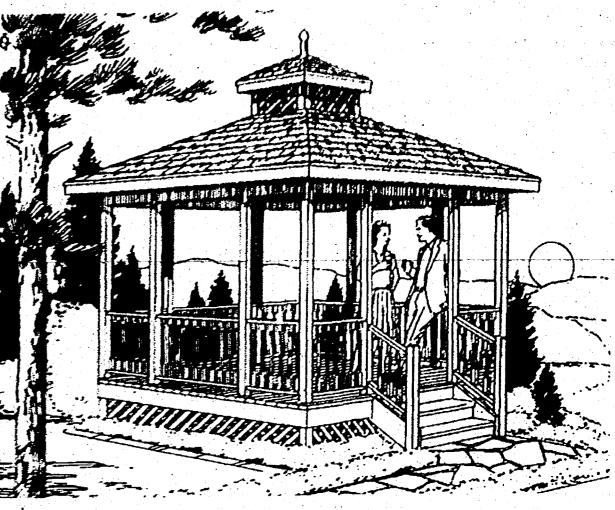
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cietico e foresto llergest. Raght now, we're on Ill hours a day, eight biors on Saturdays and Sundays. And if seed be well put in previous. Schwall said. This is our peak time, probe got to make it

when you can." The culture and sale of Livers, bedding plants and foliage in the United States brought producers more than \$3.27 billion in 1995, the Agriculture Department says.

The top producer is California, followed by Florida Texas and then Withigan

But those falks in the San Belti have the luxury of being a year-round operation, where we have to be seasonal," said hortical. ture Professor William Carlson at Michigan State University.

Michigan, with 307 greenhouse operations, produced \$170 million in wholesale floriculwere sales in 1995, he said. The state's operations are centered in the Detroit area, Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo.

\*Our biggest items in bedding plants are impatiens, geraniums, petunias, and then there are things like marigolds, salvia and about 10 others," said Carlson, who is also a floriculture specialist for the university's agricultural extension service.

Most folks in this business will make 80 percent of their money in eight weeks. That's why you've got to pray for sunny weekends,

no rain," Carlson said. Michigan growers got into floriculture after World War II, when California began

cornering the market on vegetables. You had people who were vegetable growers who wound up growing plants and for home gardens. Today, we have a bunch of folks who have plant factories. It's a very sophisticated business," Carlson said.

Post Gardens, which also has operations in Battle Creek, will grow millions of plants in its 35 acres of greenhouses and sell them to retailers such as Kmart Corp.

\*People love plants, love to get out in the yard and plant," grower Schwall said. "People love to get out with nature. It's a good

## Medicine cabinets - a prescription for beauty

(NAPS) - A nice reflection on bathrooms is how far medicine cabinets have come in the way of innovative lighting features and designs.

From a simple mirrored box for a handful of essentials they've evolved into beautifully crafted, halogen lit cabinets for use in the bathroom or dressing area. Halogen bulbs are often preferred for their higher efficiency,

longer life and excellent color. One elegantly crafted unit from Robern, a manufacturer of fine mirrored cabinetry and lighting fixtures, features a 3-light halogen system set into a two door inset center cabinet. The halogen lights focus downward gracefully illuminating the cabinet for task

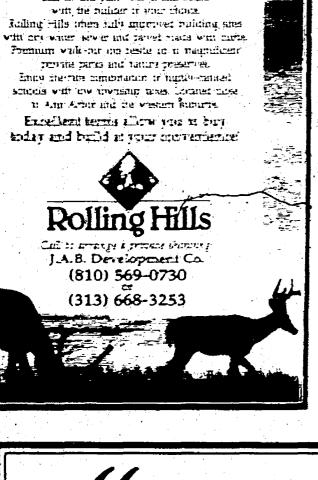
The cabinet doors are mirrored both inside

and out for convenient viewing and feature high polish adjustable glass shelving. A swing-out magnifying make-up mirror is included with every cabinet.

Many of the best cabinets feature practical options like Robern's mirror defogger, interior electric outlets, and extra deep cabinets for storage of oversized items and appli-

Four inches is the standard depth of a cabinet, but a 6 or 8 inch deep unit offers up to 100 percent more capacity and the ability to ... store small towels and toilet tissue in the cabinet.

An informative and colorful booklet on bathroom cabinetry and lighting fixtures is available free by writing to: Robern, Dept. NAPS, 7 Wood Avenue, Bristol, PA 19007.



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# Spruce up

## Garden tools need care

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Good quality garden tools will last a lifetime if you keep them clean, sharp and free of

Here are some tool-saving on. tips:

 Tools will last far longer if you clean and oil them after each use. This is important for digging tools, which lose their protective coatings with each use. To scrape off the dirt, keep an old putty knife on a nail near where you store your

To oil your tools, keep a large container of sand mixed with used motor oil on hand (1 pint of oil to 20 pounds of sand). Clean the tool, then plunge it into the sand mixture several times.

- Protect the moving parts of gardening machinery - such as mower blades - and keep your tools rust- and corrosion-free with moisture-displacing spray lubricants such as WD-40.
- Rust on your tools? Rub them with a soap-filled steelwool pad dipped in kerosene or turpentine, then give them a brisk rub with wadded aluminum foil.

· To scour away heavy rust, use a wire-brush attachment on your electric drill.

- A coarse aluminum oxide disc (No. 36) - a common drill attachment sold at hardware stores - will put an edge back on a nicked ax or mower blade faster than a file and whetstone. Do it quickly, so that the high-speed sanding doesn't ruin the temper.
- Be sure to sharpen your hoe on the correct side - the inside edge - so that you can pull it through the ground with

Here are some hints on using garden tools:

- File a sharpened V-notch into the side of your hoe. With it, you can snip weeds off at their base, even in the most hard-to-reach corners.

your hands, pad the rake handle with foam pipe insulation: Use the split type designed for a three-fourth-inch copper pipe. Coat the rake's handle with contact cement, cut the insulation to length and slip it

- · Make clean, easy cuts with scissor-type pruners in which the blades slip past each other with a scissorlike action. Blade-and-anvil pruners are less expensive, but they're harder to use and crush as they cut, leaving a ragged wound that's an invitation to
- A long-handled lopper is great for pruning high branches, except that you really need three hands to manage this tool properly. Create an extra hand by putting on a carpenter's apron and resting the bottom of the lopper pole in one of the pockets. This leaves one hand free to maneuver the pole and one to pull the cutting line.
- Clearing twigs, stones and other debris from a lawn is easier if you use a steel rake with fixed tines. To prevent the sharp teeth from digging into the lawn, drive wood thread spools over the rake's two outside teeth. Then the rake rides smoothly as it cleans up the
- Small garden tools are easy to lose in the yard, but not if you paint part of the handle any bright color other than green. As a bonus, you'll be more likely to get it back if someone borrows one of these personalized tools.
- · Give an old unused golf bag new life as a garden tool carrier. Store long-handled tools in the slots for woods and irons, and stash your work gloves and small tools in the zippered pockets.
- To increase the amount of pressure you can put on a digging tool, such as a fork or shovel, have a short length of angle iron welded on the shoulder of the tool. It will also be kinder to your foot.

# Gables give a friendly look

Tall, slender windows, custom brick work, entry sidelights, and three front gables give an open, friendly look to the Edgemont. This mid-size plan blends the formal with the informal, and provides ample spaces for both togetherness and privacy.

Family room, nook and kitchen flow together, with a two-sided fireplace at the juncture of the three spaces. Flames and warmth can be viewed, and felt, from all three rooms. A vaulted ceiling expands the sense of spaciousness in the family room. Sliding glass doors there, and in the nook, open onto a large patio.

Light-washes in through these windows, along with a side window in the nook, and another one over the sink. The kitchen has a small pantry, a built-in range and a dishwasher.

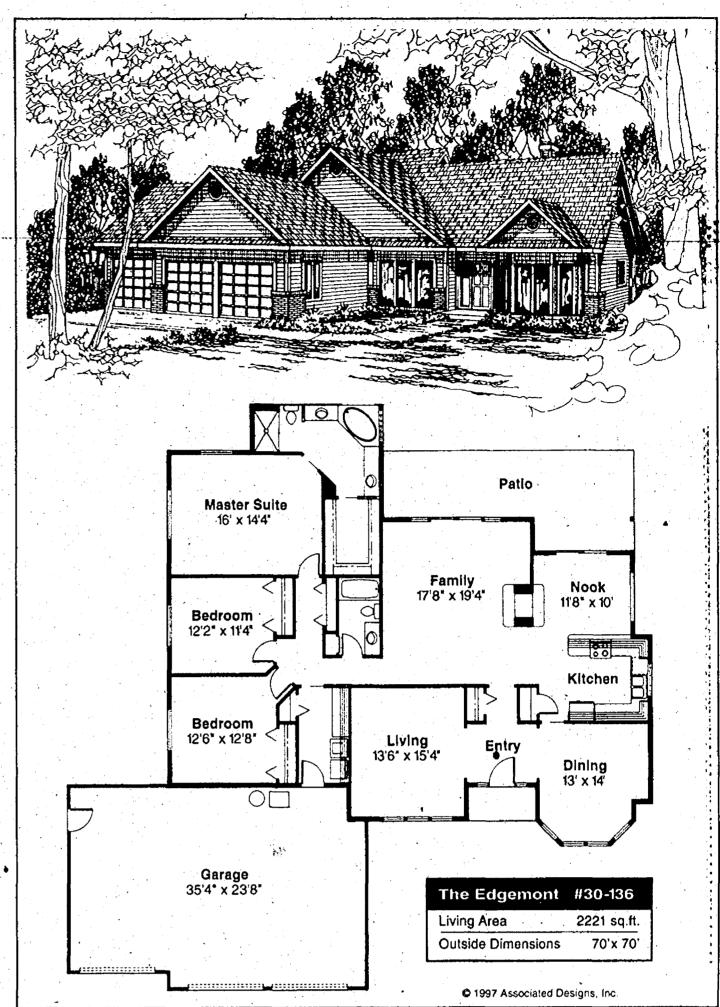
The dining room, with its graceful bay window facing the street, is also richly illuminated by natural light. A pocket door slides shut to hide kitchen noise and clutter.

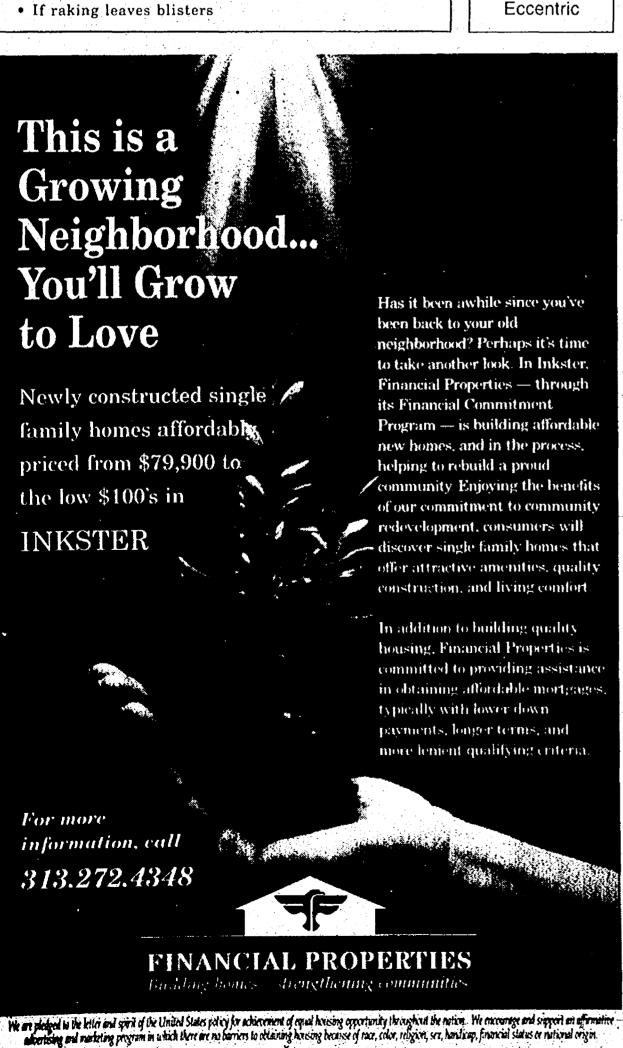
All three bedrooms cluster together on the opposite side of the house. Amenities in the master suite include a large walk-in closet, oversized shower, dual lays, and a spa tub nestled into a corner walled with glass blocks. The sleeping area is quite a bit larger than either of the secondary bedrooms, and it has windows on two sides.

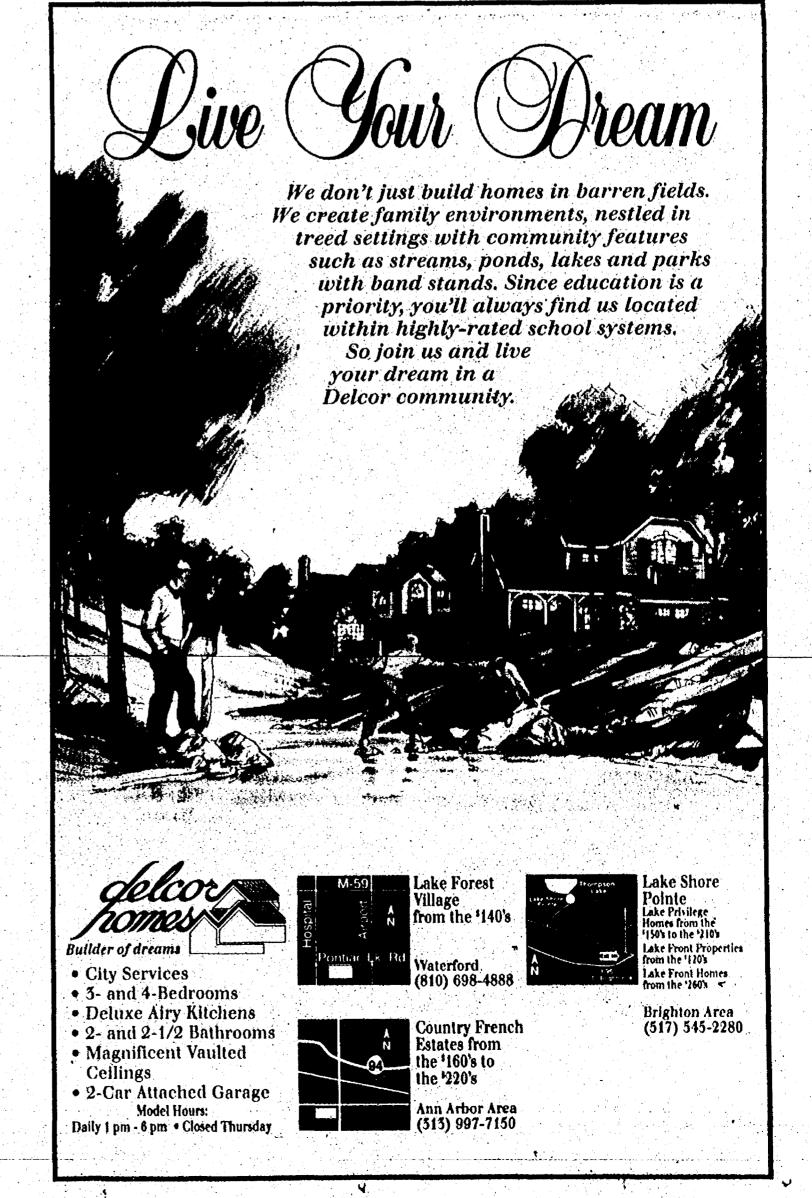
Bedrooms two and three share a bathroom outfitted with a combination tub and shower. Utilities nestle in a pass-through space that connects with the Edgemont's three-car garage. This location makes it ideal as a mudroom, convenient for wiping off dog paws or shucking off muddy footgear.

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siderate, respectful SM. Add.5585 STRONG FAITH Catholic SWF, 25, family-oriented, outgoing, but, enjoys youth group, the outdoors, bit-

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Presbyterian SWCF, 47, outgoing, enjoys bowling, dancing, reading, seeks open, sincere, caring, loving SM. Ad#.1949

HONEST PERSON Protestant SWF, 36, outgoing, carefree, enjoys outdoor activities, rollerblading, horseback riding, seeks fun-loving SM, with good Christian values. Ad#.8902

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Catholic SWF, 42, bubbly, outgoing, sensitive, attends Christian concerts and activities, enjoys working out, running, sports, seeks honest, loyal SM, with family values. Ad#.4277

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ed, moral SM. Ad#.2850 LET'S MEET SB mom, 25, friendly and caring, enjoys concerts, plays, reading, writing, spending time with my son, seeking honest, sensitive, intelligent, loving SM. Ad#.1031

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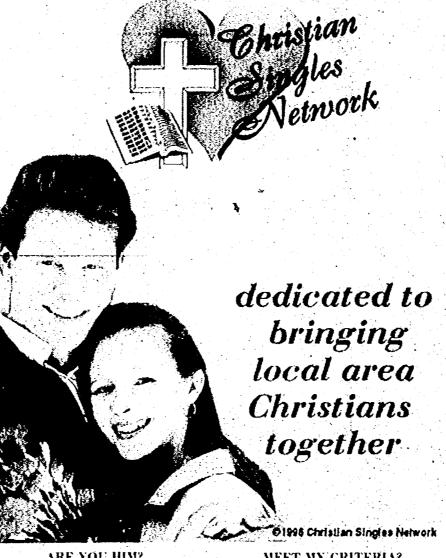
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MEET MY CRITERIA? Catholic SWM, 38, dynamic, compassionate. tikes reading, photography, history, seeks opti-

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ed, thoughtful, enjoys biking, running, family and friends, seeks romantic, monogamous SF, who is slim and trim. Ad#.5698 MAKE THAT CALL Baptist SBM, 38, blunt, down-to-earth, enjoys

movies, sports, outdoor concerts, dining out, walking, seeks attractive, sweet, communicative SF. Ad#.4126 A PLAYFUL ROMANTIC SWCM, 38, warm, caring, enjoys traveling,

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attractive SWF, who is family-oriented.

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CAN BE SERIOUS Catholic SWM, 29, 6', brown hair, blue eyes, laid-back, easygoing, enjoys movies, sports, dining in and out, seeks considerate, humorous SF, who is a hopeless romantic. Ad#,1267 SPECIAL TIMES

Roman Catholic, SWM, 37, warm, witty, faithful, thoughtful, enjoys outdoor activities, golfing, theater, seeks romantic, monogamous, marriage-minded SF. Ad#.4803 GOOD LISTENER

Religious SWM, 56, easygoing, communicative, attends Christian activities, enjoys the outdoors, sports, walking, seeks happy-golucky SF, with similar qualities. Ad#.1490 SOFT SHOULDER Catholic SWM, 45, gentle, sensitive, commu-

nicative, enjoys woodworking, skiing, motorcy-cles, fine dining, seeks sensitive, honest, faithful SCF, with integrity, who likes children. LIKES TO TRAVEL Catholic SWM, 27, reliable, understanding,

faithful, attends Christian activities, enjoys fishing, boating, photography, seeks faithful, intelligent, reliable SF. Ad#, 1221 MARRIAGE-MINDED Non-denominational SWCM, 39, brown eyes, sensitive, sincere, enjoys cooking, plays, movies, cooking, seeks intelligent, trim, athlet-

ic SF. Ad#.5571 CALL ME! Catholic SWM, 19, fun, outgoing, enjoys drag racing, tootball, seeks SF, who likes going out

and having fun. Ad#.9696 WALK WITH ME Catholic SWM, 29, humorous, fun-loving, funny, enjoys dining out, movies, rollerblading, seeks attractive, outgoing, independent SF

who knows what she wants out of life. Ad#.2214 CARMEN FANI Catholic SWM, 20, church-going, enjoys reading his Bible, prayer, seeks honest, fun-loving, caring SF, who believes in the Lord. Ad#.1111

UPLIFTING Catholic SWM, 41, thoughtful, romantic, enjoys biking, family and friends, golf, swimming, comedy clubs, seeks intelligent, marriage-minded, monogamous SF. Ad#.3853 HEART OF GOLD

Catholic SWM, 33, kind, romantic, giving, enjoys hockey, movies, music, antique automobiles, seeks honest, caring, considerate SF. Ad 1263

REOPLE PERSON Catholic SWM, 21, easygoing, outgoing, friendly, funny, caring, enjoys computers, biking, camping, seeks SF, with similar qualities. Ad#.6978 CALL ME!

Protestant SWM, 57, outgoing, likes the outdoors, summer activities, seeking communicative, spontaneous, employed SF. Ad#.4800 MARRIAGE-MINDED Catholic SWM, 39, gregarious, enjoys the

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sailing, weekend getaways, seeks honest, faithful, sincere SF. Ad#.3438 SAME INTERESTS? Catholic SWM, 21, shy, patient, sensitive, enjoys art, movies, alternative music, hockey games, seeks N/S, non-drinking, mature, honest SF. Ad#,1414

Dynamic, educated SWM, 41, enjoys jogging, biking, theater, coordinating events, seeks honest, intelligent SF, who is well-rounded. Ad#.3625 MARRIAGE-MINDED Catholic SWM, 43, tall, dark hair, romantic,

NO ADDICTIONS!

enjoys nature, quiet evenings, dining, seeks intelligent, slim, attractive SF, 34-44. Ad#.6969 TOGETHERNESS Catholic SW dad, 38, warm, kind, sensitive, loving, enjoys pool, camping, time with kids,

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FIT AND TRIM Catholic SWM, 33, personable, funny, easygoing, enjoys hockey, the outdoors, rollerblading, seeks humorous, active SF, who is easy to get

along with. Ad#.6789

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Catholic SBM, 36; easygoing, outgoing, enjoys sports, movies, the outdoors, seeks honest, intelligent, sensitive SF. Ad#.8974 HARD-WORKING

Religious SBM, 36, enjoys dancing, reading, playing sports, seeking honorable, devoted, loving SF, between 30-40 for a wife. Ad#.9241 MAKE THAT CALL! Roman Catholic SWM, 38, outgoing, athletic,

enjoys volleyball, bowling, cooking, seeks sincere, honest, open SF. Ad#.2333 TOTAL HAPPINESS Catholic SWM, 45, positive, upbeat, enjoys music, weightlifting, running, rollerblading, walks, seeks physically fit, attractive, soft-spoken, optimistic SF. Ad# 1951

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LIKES TO JOKE Protestant SWM, 23, fun-loving, easygoing, enjoys bowling, playing pool, movies, shooting darts, seeks honest, loving, spiritual SF. Ad#.9644

**FUNNY MAN** Open-minded Catholic SWM, 30, enjoys boating, fishing, horseback riding, TV, home repairs, seeks goal-oriented, ambitious SF. **GREGARIOUS** 

People-oriented Protestant SWM, 36, enjoys

fishing, golf, movies, the outdoors, seeks hon-

est, sincere SF, who would like to go out and do things together. Ad#.4555 **QUIET AT TIMES** Orthodox SWCM, 30, energetic, funny, interests include computers, movies, museums, live bands, seeks honest, caring, supportive SF. Ad#.4348

MAKE YOUR MOVE Lutheran SWM, 32, humorous, enjoys reading, writing, fistening to music, seeking open-minded, kind-hearted SF. Ad#.9040 I'M THE ONE Baptist SBM, 34, funny, enjoys Christian con-

tennis, looking for honest, outspoken, down-to-earth SF, who loves the Lord. Ad#.7000 LET'S MEET! Catholic SWM, 41, humorous, creative, articulate, attends church, enjoys biking, jogging,

certs, Bible studies, Gospel plays, football,

ate, humorous SF, Ad#,5353 THOUGHTFUL Catholic SWM, 43, warm, light-hearted, sincere, enjoys sailing, outdoor sports, hiking, camping, seeks intelligent, petite, romantic, passionate SF. Ad#.9780

music, the outdoors, seeks kind, compassion-

ENJOYS LIFE SWM, 35, N/S, non-drinker, enjoys outdoor activities, seeking honest, open-minded SWF, 27-37, with old-fashioned values and morals. DANCE WITH ME

Catholic SWM, 42, warm-hearted, understanding, likes the outdoors, art museums, old cars, theaters, music, seeking physically fit, attractive, professional, family-oriented SF. Ad#.2158 DIVERSE LIFESTYLE Easygoing, Catholic SWM, 35, enjoys plays,

theatre, sports, seeking SF who enjoys similar interests for friendship possible relationship, Ad#.9966 I'M SENSIBLE Truthful, Catholic SWM, 28, enjoys movies; dining in & out, rollerblading, snow skiing,

walks, biking, swimming, seeks independent, happy SF, 25-35, Ad#.8970

WEEKEND GETAWAY

Catholic SWM, 36, 6', 180lbs., fun-loving, sincere, enjoys the theater, ballet, romance, travel, seeks marriage-minded, slim, trim, physically fit SW/AF. Ad#.9876 LIKES ANTIQUES Catholic SWM, 45, easygoing, kind-hearted, attends Christian activities, enjoys woodworking, biking, seeks honest, faithful SF, with

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FIND OUT MORE Loving, caring SWM, 26, Catholic, student, enjoys hockey, coaching, seeks very honest, cute, outgoing, easy to get along with SF. Ad#,9441 UP FOR A CHALLENGE?

Well-rounded SWCM, 40, enjoys daily exercise, reading, the Bible, theater, cross-country skiing, seeks caring, empathetic, communicative SF. Ad#.3638 SPOILS HIS GAL-Baptist SBM, 39, respectful, enjoys basketball,

shooting pool, bowling, movies, seeks witty, caring SF, for relationship. Ad#.4360 **ENJOYS LIFE** SWM, 60, easygoing, good sense of humor, likes the outdoors, flea markets, dining out, doesn't dance, seeks honest SF, with similar interests. Ad#.7818

LET'S PICNIC DWM, 39, 5'8", husky build, brown hair, hazel eyes, not into bars, NS, light drinker, likes pool, bowling, walks, seeks SF, with similar interests. Ad#.4712 GOOD COOK?

DBM. 48, 5'11", 206lbs., fit, active, professional, enjoys outdoor activities, conversation, seeking SF, 35-53, small-medium, intelligent, neat SF. Ad#.4287 BOWLER

DWM, 54, 6', brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys gardening, seeks foving SF.

SEEKING FRIEND DWCM, 44, trustworthy, hardworking, self-employed, down-to-earth, seeks friendship with SF to enjoy time with. Ad#.6797

SIMPLE THINGS DWM, 38, 6', 180/bs., N/S, seeking attractive, N/S, honest, sincere D/SF, 27-40, for friendship, companionship, hopefully leading to a long-term relationship. Ad#.1162

NO GAMES DW dad, 29, 6'2', blond hair, blue eyes, educated, employed, enjoys son, dining out, walking, holding hands, sunsels, conversations, seeking loving SF. Ad4.1717

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Catholic SWM, 20, quiet, outgoing, enjoys. SBM, 55, well-educated, loves reading, sports, sports, reading, movies, dancing, seeking cooking, swimming, exercising, bitting, seek-smart, motivated SF, with a good and caring ling N/S, casual drinking, open-minded SF, personality. Ad#.8237

# You don't have to be rich to use architect



Although it may seem to many that in order to be an architectural patron one must be of extraordinary means, it need not be the case.

A recent article in the New York Times (March 6, 1997)

entitled "Architectural Fizz on Beer Budgets" described how unrelated clients in Seattle and central Texas hired high-end architectural design firms to give each client the house that he

"Through resourcefulness and

grit, they secured an architect's architect but rather a firm insights and creativeness at a price they could afford: \$75 a square foot in Texas and \$85 a square foot in the Seattle area, compared with roughly \$120 for most architect-designed houses... Both architects charged their usual fee for residential work of 12-15 percent."

What is interesting about the way in which these individuals approached their need for a truly custom house is that they did not elect to lower costs by using "standardized" builders plans or models. The Seattle family hired the Miller-Hull Partnership and, having worked in Seattle for a number of years, I can attest to this firm's outstanding design ability. This is no developer's

involved with the highest-quality of inventive and sensitive architecture. Bravo for the architect. and double brave for the client with this kind of insight.

Certainly at this strained budget, lots of sacrifices had to be made by both the clients and the architects. For the Seattle family, when the bids came in, they decided to postpone items such as tile, carpet, mud room, garage and other finishes that could be added later.

Interestingly, both clients put a disproportionate number of dollars into the main living space. These are knows as the "Jesus spaces," spaces that cause one upon entering to exclaim 'Jesus!' Other rooms were

designed more thriftily and conventionally.

The owners participated in applying the finishes and in adding decorative touches, which helped control costs. Remember what was discussed a few months back where I discussed how finishes wind up being the main difference between medium-budget projects and highbudget projects. A perfect example of this occurred in the Seattle house, where the owner spotted a school gym floor for sale and took it apart and reinstalled the narrow maple floor in his living room. Maybe this is what it takes to have something special and personal when the budget is modest. I believe that this kind of sweat equity is important and that it firmly connects the owner that while they could not guarto the property and builds pride.

To me, what is most encouraging about these projects is the flexibility with which these two clients approached the design aspects of their houses. These two houses are not "wanna-be" fancy houses that were not affordable. Nor are they of the "junior-embassy" look that is so common in today's marketplace.

Perhaps this why they appear to be successful and legitimate pieces of architecture. The clients and the architects are pioneers in the true sense of the

The budget for the Seattle house was \$187,000, and the architects stated to the client 8502.

antee the final cost of the project they would be "...up front with them as the design developed."

This is an important piece of information to remember, and it applies to all projects regardless of whether they are low budget or high budget. Only the person who is building the house can guarantee the cost of the construction.

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# Detroit Edison sets May-June line clearance schedule

into trees and storm clouds into southeastern Michigan, Detroit Edison line clearance crews will work in many area communities to keep trees and branches a safe distance from Power lines.

In May and June, line-clear-

ties: Commerce Township, Franklin, Independence Township, Livonia, Oxford, Oxford Township, Plymouth Township, customers. Southfield and West Bloomfield Township.

Detroit Edison maintains a 10-

As warm weather lures kids work in the following communi- branches and power lines to executive vice president. "The reduce the potential for power outages and assure electric service reliability and safety For

"The recent ice storm really showed what can happen when branches come into contact with ance crews will continue or begin foot clearance between tree our lines," said Robert J. Buckler,

vast majority of power outages are caused by interference from trees and our line clearance program has significantly reduced the potential for service interruptions."

Downed power lines, which also can result from contact with

tree branches, also pose safety hazards. Adults should remind young children to stay away from fallen power lines and anything they are in contact with because they are potentially life threatening.

In addition, customers may

ages from trees in contact with power lines during normal weather.

Detroit Edison's tree trimming crews follow National Arborist Association standards, which are designed to maintain the health

# How to divide your perennial flowers

By LEE REICH

FOR AP SPECIAL FEATURES

One attraction of perennial flowers is their perennial nature - a single planting may last for years.

But "perennial" does not mean that the plants will necessarily last forever. With age, some perennials spread to form clumps whose centers die out as new growth pushes out the edges. The crowns of other types of perennials inch upward out of the ground each year, eventually dying from exposure to the elements.

The result, in either case, is less flowers. When this happens, it's time to divide the

Wait until you see new, green growth in spring before dividing a perennial clump. Then the more vigorous, young growth, which is what you are going to save, will be obvious. Don't wait too long, though, or the plant will be shocked by this rough treat-

To divide a clump, work around the edge with either a shovel or a spading fork, thrusting the tool into the ground at an angle to get under the clump. Push down the handle to lever the clump up and shake dirt loose from the roots. Eventually, you will

have the clump laying on top of the ground. Before pulling apart the clump, cut just the crown - not the roots - into pieces with either pruning shears or a sharp knife. Now go ahead and separate the crown pieces,

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teasing apart their attached roots.

Use your hands - or two garden forks held back-to-back in the center of the clump, then pulled apart at their handles. Save vigorous young crown pieces from the outside edge of the clump for replanting, keeping them covered with moist burlap or soil as long as they are out of the ground.

Take the opportunity, before you replant, to improve the soil. A bucketful of peat moss or compost in the planting hole will lighten clay soils and help sandy soils hold more water. Phosphorus is a plant nutrient that moves very slowly in the soil, so mix a handful of bone meal with the soil in the planting hole to ensure a good supply of phosphorus right near the roots.

Next, build a mound of soil in the planting hole on which to set the crown. Adjust the mound height so that when the soil is firmed the crown will be at ground level. Then, fill in the hole, sifting soil in around the roots. Put a layer of sawdust, straw or compost over the ground as mulch, and slowly water the plant with a gallon of water.

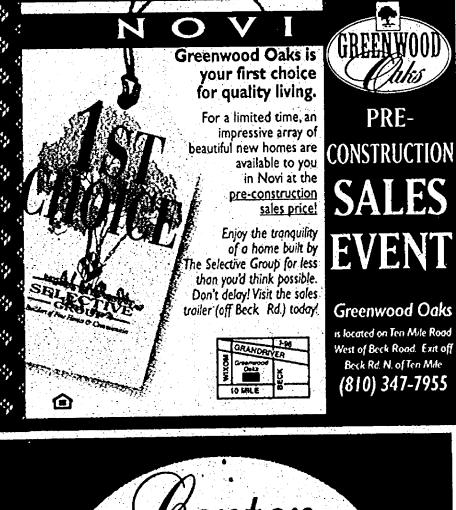
To look their best, perennials such as asters and hardy chrysanthemums need to be dug up, cut apart, then replanted every

Division only every three or four years is needed for the following perennial flowers: armeria, phlox, coral bells, Canterbury bells, cerastium, Siberian and Japanese irises, veronica, yarrow and Shasta daisy.

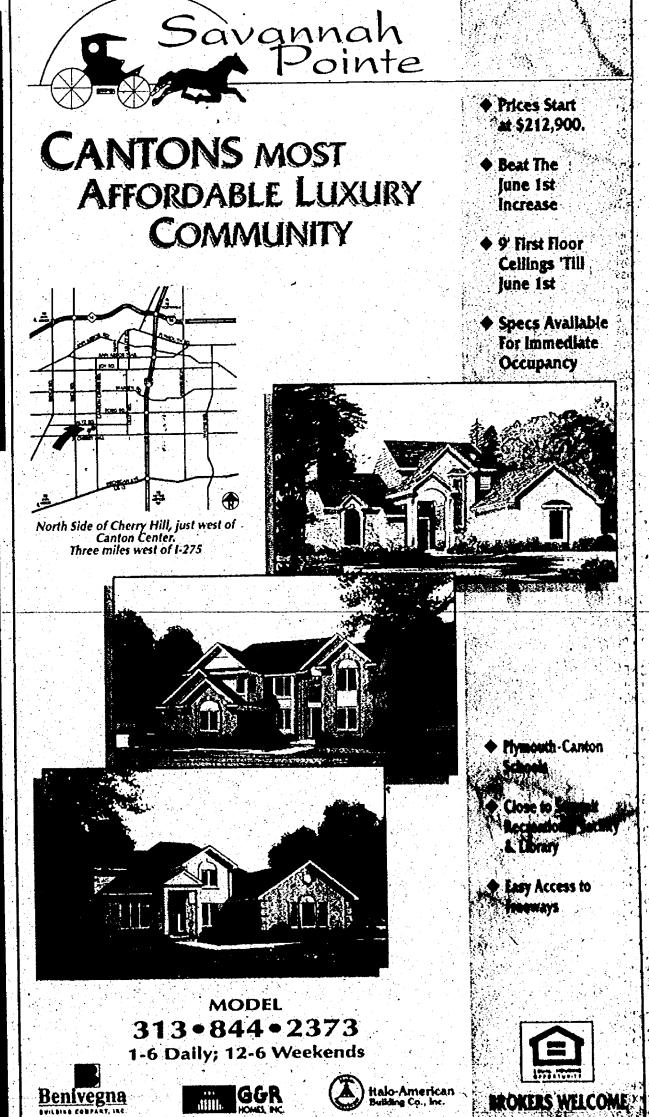
Although dividing perennials is a satisfying spring activity, some restraint is in order. Not all perennials want to be divided now. Oriental poppies, bleeding heart, bearded iris and Virginia cowslip go dormant in midsummer and that is when they should be divided.

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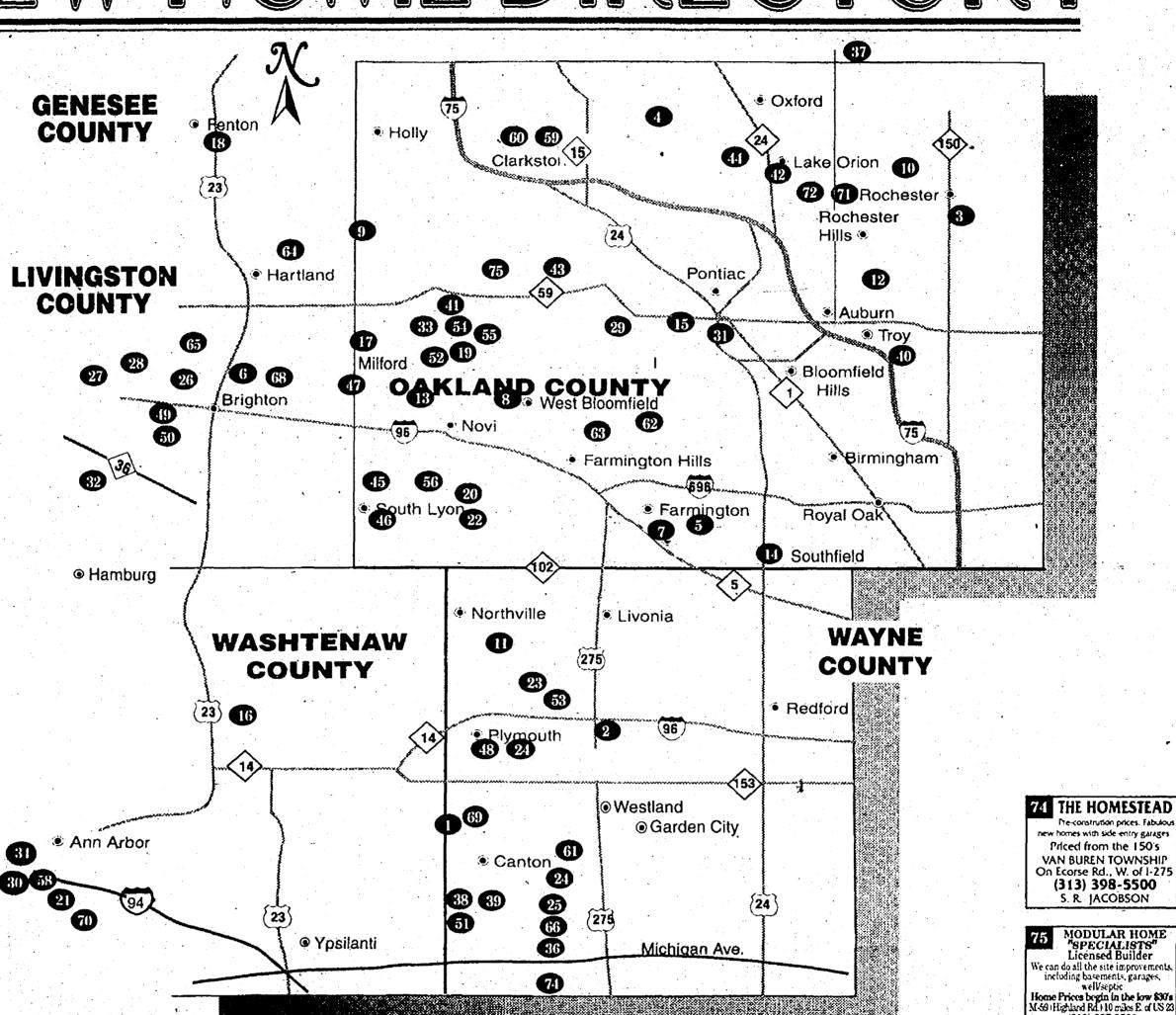
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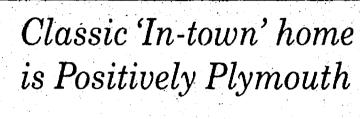
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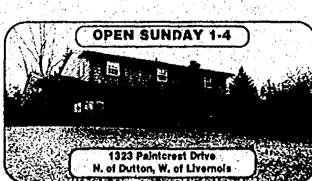


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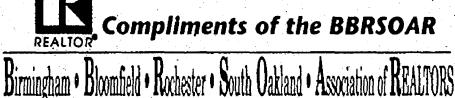
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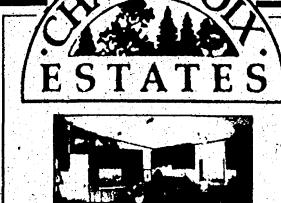
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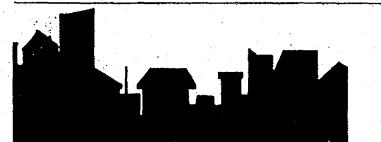
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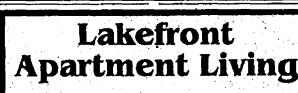


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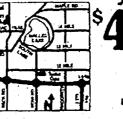
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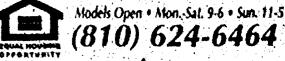


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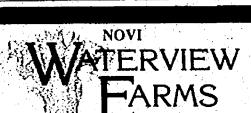
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## Outsourcing Offers Long Term Opportunities

By Sheryl Silver, Career Source

Outsourcing...it's a word that's become very familiar in recent years as more and more companies have chosen to contract out---or outsource---various functions previously performed by their full time employees.

According to Jan Wahby, vice president of commercial corporate sales for Interim Services, a nationwide provider of flexible staffing headquartered in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, the trend by organizations to outsource non-core functions is continuing to grow and diversify. Wahby says companies today are outsourcing everything from customer service centers to information technology (IT) functions. "There's huge growth in the outsourcing of IT functions," she observes. "We're also seeing HR functions, including benefits administration and training, being outsourced by some organizations."

Despite the growing popularity of outsourcing, industry insiders say job seekers still have misconceptions about it. Many people, they say, equate outsourcing with traditional temporary assignments and so don't pursue these opportunities when looking for jobs

offering job security or longevity with a single time employees receive." employer. They don't realize our assignments are long term---for the life of the contract--which can often be 3-5 years or even indefinitely," says Jackie Foster, eastern region manager for Tascor, the outsourcing division of Norrell Corporation, the Atlanta-headquartered staffing company with offices nationwide. "And although we initially hire people to work on a particular contract, we also look for new opportunities for them when those contracts end."

Foster says employees assigned to outsourcing contracts with Tascor clients are actually full time employees of Tascor. With that full time status comes benefits. "We offer a full scale benefits package that includes medical and dental benefits and 401k participation," says Foster.

Employees assigned to outsourcing contracts through Interim Services also receive benefits. "Usually the package provided is closely aligned with our customer's benefits, particularly if it's a long term contract," says Wahby. "Otherwise, the benefits we offer our contractors are the same as Interim's full

What about advancement potential? In traditional employment environments, that tends to be a prime attraction for top performing staff members. "Outsourcing offers advancement opportunities too," says Wahby.

One way people advance, she says, is by picking up new skills on each contract. Those new skills add to that person's market value," says Wahby, "As they go up the skill chain, they earn more."

Employees can also advance into supervisory and management roles. "Someone who's performed well in a call center situation, for example, may be given training to become a supervisor in a similar setting on a subsequent contract," explains Foster.

Supervisory training isn't the only type of continuing education employees assigned to outsourcing contracts receive. Foster says her organization provides technical training as well as training in soft skills (e.g. customer service, listening) as those capabilities are needed by employees on various contracts. Wahby says Interim develops and provides training to its contractors on various topics

(e.g. customer service) and in some cases, partners with clients where contractors are

working to provide training in needed skills. Considering all they offer, you may wonder what outsourcing companies look for when hiring. Foster says her ideal candidate is "someone who likes the diversity of different opportunities, someone who is self-motivated, who's willing to take on different roles, and who is open to accepting additional responsibility." She also says a high priority for her "are people willing to make commitments for the life of the contracts to which they're

Wahby agrees that a commitment to complete each contract is essential. In addition, she says a good work ethic, flexibility and communication skills are part of her ideal candidate profile. "People need to flex with different cultures and situations and be able to communicate effectively in all of them" says

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## working life: Keeping Your Job Search on Course

By Deborah L. Jacobs, Chronicle Features

How long does it take to find a job? One month for each \$10,000 of salary is the stock answer career counselors and headhunters usually give. But in truth, no one can really predict how quickly you'll land the next spot. Here are some ways to keep your job search on track:

\*Use more than one job-hunting technique. Rather than just relying on the want ads, try more individualized methods that don't generate as much competition from other job-

Most people get jobs because they hear about an opening from someone they know. You can start by making a list of friends, family. neighbors and former coworkers.

No matter how bummed out you may feel, try to sound upbeat when you call. Highlight your credentials and the kind of job you hope to land. Ask everyone you talk with about giving you names of other people to contact.

Another way to up your odds is by getting in touch with businesses directly. The best gateway is not the personnel department, but going through managers in parts of the company where you could work.

Ideally, you'll have leads to them through someone you've already contacted. If not, you might have to make some extra phone calls. For instance, someone with a marketing background would want to find out who's in charge of selling each of the company's major products, in a large company, that could yield many

Using index cards or computer software, maintain a log of contacts, you'll want to include the date you spoke, the gist of the conversation, any correspondence that followed, and how you plan to follow up Send thank-you notes to people who spend a half hour or more talking with you by phone, who meet with you in person, or who refer you to another helpful

•Stick to a schedule. Looking for work is a layoffs in recent years, many people are still full-time job. If you're still employed, you may need to start the day earlier, and end later to make time for phone calls and meetings. You can use evenings and weekends to write letters and do library work.

To ward off the job-hunting blues, people who are out of work should also adopt a routine. That means getting up and going to bed at the same time every day, and using a calendar. At the end of each day, make a realistic list of tasks you'd like to accomplish on the following

If you're conducting a job search from home, try to set up a work space free from distractions Those who share a home phone with others might consider getting an extra line for jobhunting. Ask the phone company about voicemail, which can take messages when you're not there or when you're on the phone (more polite than "call waiting").

•Build a support system. Even with all the

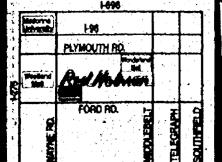
ashamed of being unemployed. One way to overcome that is by tapping into a job-support group. Coworkers laid off together have an instant source of camaraderie. Other possibilities are groups forming through churches, synagogues and community organizations. Or, check the phone book for the nearest branch of Forty Plus, a nationwide network for displaced workers.

Finally, when you do land a spot, don't let the contacts go stale. In today's volatile job market, you never know when you'll need them next.

Deborah Jacobs welcomes letters from readers and will address topics of general interest in this column. Contact her by e-mail (DJWorking@aol.com) or by letter at: Chronicle Features, 870 Market Street, Suite 1011, San Francisco, Calif., 94102. Please include your name, address and telephone number. (Copyright 1997 Deborah L. Jacobs; Distributed

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#### **WORK AT HOME**

## Don't make these mistakes when marketing on-line

By Alice Bredin, Tribune Media

To succeed on-line you need to know how to market your homebased business. But it is equally Important to know what (ital) hot (end ital) to do. The rules of Web marketing are strict; breaking them will guarantee you'll incur the wrath of the people you want to reach.

To help you avoid some of the pitfalls of on-line marketing of your home-based business, I have assembled the following list of "Don'ts":

•Don't create a Web site until you know why you want to have one. As is the case with all marketing tools, a Web site will be most effective for your homebased business if it is well-

directed and seen by the right people. Use your site's purpose to shape its content and promotion.

•Don't be lazy. Avoid forcing customers to visit your site in lieu of receiving marketing information through the mail or over the phone. Supplement your marketing with the Web, don't replace it.

• Don't accost people's eyes with many flashing graphics. Make sure you don't load your site up with graphics just for graphics' sake. In general, young audiences like flashing, blinking items on Web sites; older audiences do not.

•Don't use your Web site as a purely commercial tool. Supplement product facts with . not. useable, free information for

your visitors. Many of the people who are on the Web want information. They will come back to your site if they learn something.

• Don't advertise in newsgroups and on mail lists. Newsgroups and mail lists are tools for sharing information. It is acceptable to promote your business subtly once you have provided useful, free information, but it is frowned upon to directly solicit people.

• Don't throw print material up on Web. If you provide articles or news items on your site, make sure they are adapted for the Web. Short copy, headlines, lists and other easy-to-read items are "Web friendly," long articles are

Don't make it difficult to

order. On many Web site you have to look all over for the way to order. Be explicit about how people can order from you by using an "Order Here" button on your home page or every page of your site, if appropriate. Provide many options for contacting your company, including the following basics: mail, phone, fax, e-mail and secure server.

•Don't overuse key words. If you use the practice that has become popular on the Web of repeating key words in your page title, header and body text, your page may rank higher when someone undertakes a key word search.

Some search engines have automatic searchers that go around and hunt for key words.

if they get a site that has lots of ciations that service your target the same key word, it gets moved up the list.

However, some search engine companies are starting to avoid displaying sites that have a key word mentioned more than eight times on a home page, so using this tactic may make your site more difficult to find.

·Don't sponsor a contest unless you can manage increased traffic. Also be sure that you can handle the e-mail overload.

•Don't forget to announce your site. Send out a press release announcing your Web site to your mail and e-mail lists. Also send it to local newspapers, magazines, radio and TV stations, as well as to newsletters and assocustomers. If your site has road appeal, send the release to sites such as CNET (www.cnet.com) NetGuide (www.netguide.com) that review other Web sites.

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## AT WORK

## The Risk of Letting Go

By Lindsey Novak, Tribune Media

Q: I've been working at the same company for five years, but have been thinking about looking for a new job for more money and opportunity for advancement. My fear is the risk I would be taking, because I feel so secure in my job. Most of the people I work with appreciate me, especially my boss. My office is like a second home to me. What should I do?

A: Only you can decide whether to stay at or leave a job. but here are some things to consider: Do you enjoy the work you do and are you paid fairly? Are you solely interested in moving up the corporate ladder, or are you equally interested in your state university. After job hunting and cover letter writing and job advised me to give my old poor communicator and he may work environment? Can you live for several years, I've received searches. Once your resume is description, so I asked if a new already have a job change

comfortably on your salary or do you often find yourself short on cash? How do you think you would react if a new boss were short-tempered, demanding and heartless?

Money and advancement are not everything. A lot of people would love to work at the type of company you describe. Prioritize your values and get to know yourself you can make an educated decision. Without such a list, life will lead you, and not necessarily where you want to

#### **BAD RESUME LEADS TO NUMEROUS REJECTIONS**

Q: I received my master's in business administration from a over 300 rejection letters. I find it hard to believe that all these places have no job openings. Any suggestions?

A: It sounds: like you have blanketed the Midwest with you resume. Sending out mass mailings works for some people, but it sounds like you need to focus on advertised job openings that suit your background. If you have answered hundreds of classified ads and have only received rejections, there is something wrong with your resume and cover letter.

Go to your university's job placement center for alumni and ask for counseling on resume

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one was going to eventually be written. He stumbled for words and then told me my job was going to only be temporary, so a new description wasn't needed. I was at a loss for words. No one ever explained to me that the position wa not permanent. Should I confront my boss or go to a higher authority? I had heard that my company doesn't fire anyone, but I feel insecure about my future there.

A: Anyone would be shocked to hear that a permanent job has suddenly turned into a temporary position. Confrontations are rarely the way to get what you want. Your boss may simply be a

planned for you. Ask to meet with him to discuss your future with the company and be positive. If he tells you that you will be released when your position ends, stay polite and positive and you may be able to negotiate a very favorable severance settlement. Privately, you also may want to consult a lawyer to discuss the terms on which you were originally hired.

Having problems on the job? Write to Lindsey Novak in care of Tribune Media Services, Inc., 435 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1500, Chicago, Ill. 60611. She can also be contacted at AtWorkbyLN@AOL.com

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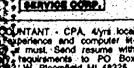
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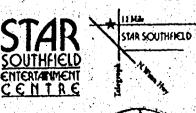


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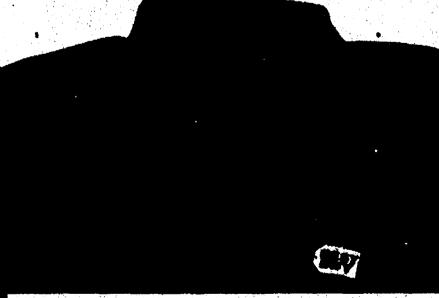
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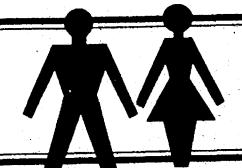
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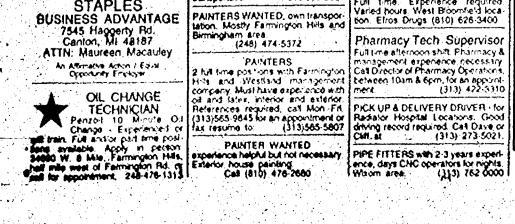
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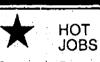
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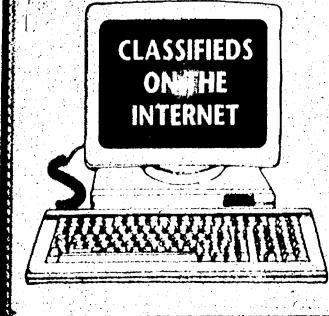
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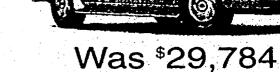
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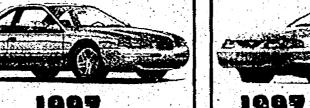
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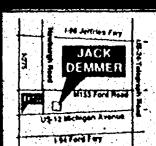






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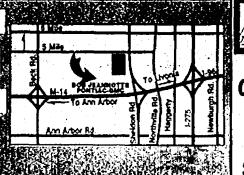
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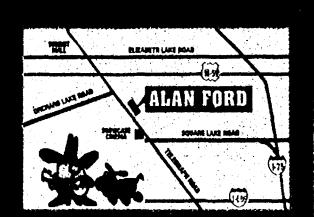
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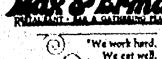
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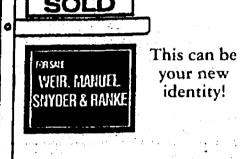
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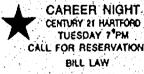
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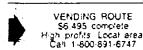
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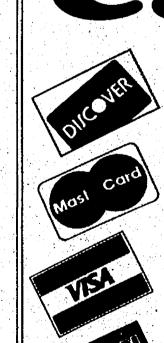
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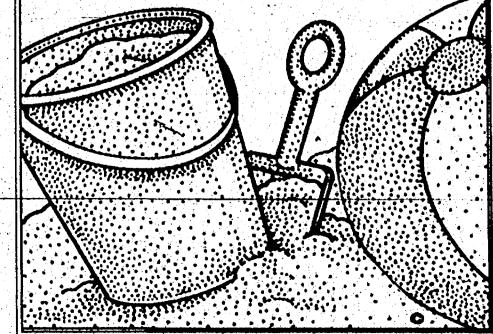




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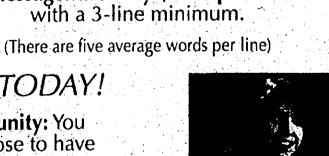
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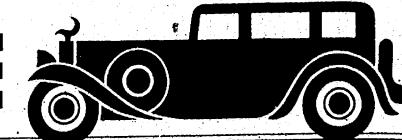
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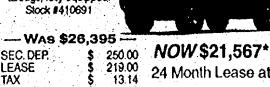
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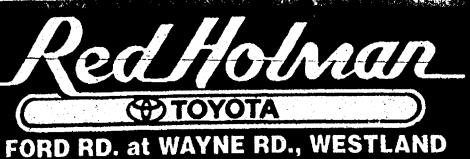
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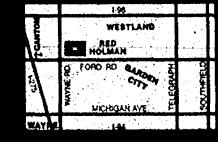
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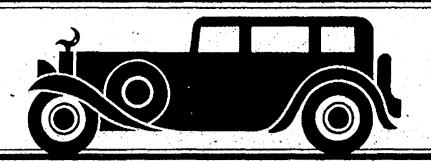
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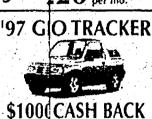


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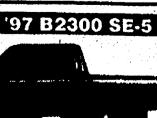


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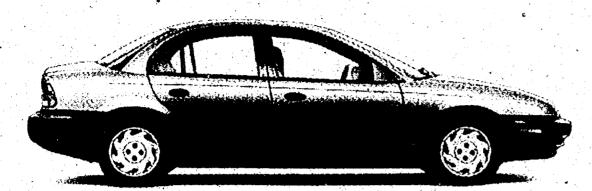
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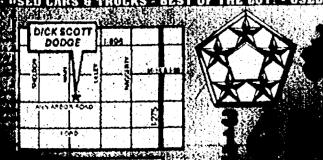
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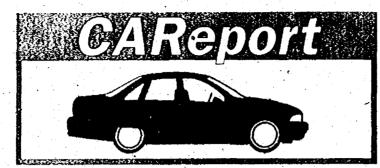


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# 1998 Ford Contour is hot





By Anne Fracassa Avanti NewsFeatures

When I drove the Ford Contour and its sister, the Mercury Mystique, just three years ago, I dismissed many of its faults because we were driving pre-production vehicles. You see, Ford was so excited about introducing the

Contour and Mystique,

which were part of

Ford's all-important global plan, that it rushed the cars into the hands of demanding journalists.

Well, here's the 1998 Contour, freshly introduced again, with new sheet metal, a new engine, new interior, new suspension and new front and rear treatments.

I like it. It's prettier, it's got spunk and it's comfortable to drive. Besides that, it's much sportier than any other Contour has ever been.

And, once again, Ford reeled in the price even though much has changed, it costs the same as the previous model. The base price is \$13,995.

There are four Contour models to choose from: The GL, LX, SE and a new performance-oriented SVT. The top-of-the-line SVT starts at \$22,900.

So, just how many changes have been made to Contour for 1998? To be exact, 103.

Let's start with the most important. The Contour is now powered by a revised 2.0-liter 16valve inline 4 cylinder Zetec engine that provides a respectable 125 horsepower. Just perfect for a



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car of this size. Never had a problem merging on the freeway or pulling away from a light.

The Zetec engine is standard on both the GL and LX models. Also available is a 2.5-liter 24valve V6 Duratec engine that gives you some oomph at 170 hosepower. It's an option on the LX, but standard on the SE. The Duratec has an aluminum block and cylinder heads, in case you're wondering.

Now here's the surprising part. Here you have a 4-door compact sedan that's practical for an average family. Sounds boring, right?

Hardly. It's got a pleasant road feel. It hugs the road so tightly that you can have a bit of fun driving the Contour. You can whip it around a corner and it will accomodate you.

But it's also at home hauling the kids to their weekly swim lessons. (I speak from experience.) What I'm saying here is that the Contour is fun to

drive and practical in every way a sedan should be. Especially when it comes to comfort and quietness (the car, not the kids).

I like the aggressively redesigned front and rear a lot. The new look provides a more luxurious aire that Ford describes as "subtle sophistication." The jeweled headlamps wrap around the front of the car. The grille is even a bit different and features a pronounced oval with the Ford badge in the middle.

The rear treatment lends itself to look more like a Mercury at first, but as you approach it, the Ford oval is smack in the middle. The rear deck, complete with its upper chrome strip and integrated license plate area, looks sharp.

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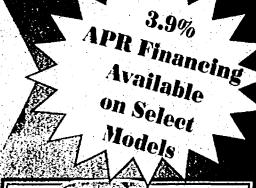


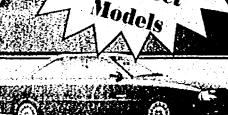
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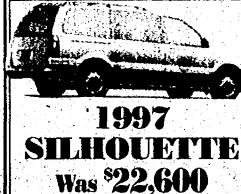


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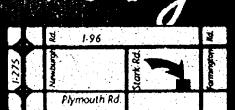
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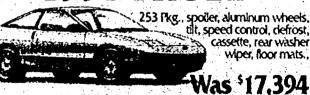
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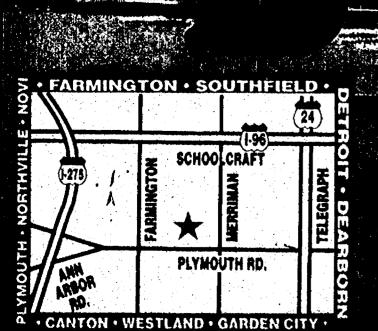
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